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TODAY'S WEATHER Today: Rain, heavy at times. Breezy.

Tonight: Scattered showers.







Domestic Violence Awareness Month www.ReadTheReporter.com

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(ABOVE LEFT) Jeff Beechler, U.S. History teacher at Hamilton Heights Middle School (far right, back row) stands with some of the students involved in the new broadcasting program at the middle school. (Back row, from left) Sophia Hulen, Lizzy Smith, Taylor Harley and Patience King. (Middle row, from left) Bekah Beechler, Campbell Lively, Elyse Hurley and Sierra Bramel. (Front row, from left) Jackson Cantlon and Kamden Colter. (ABOVE RIGHT) Two Sheridan educators, Lindsay Martin and Abby Williams, who are deeply involved in Sheridan's new S.E.L. mindfulness program, shared the impact of cultivating positive states to take on the daily challenges in school and in life. (From row, from left) Ellen Phillips and Violet Barker. (Back row, from left) Olivia Hampton, Eli Donaldson, Mary Roberson (Superintendent), Claudia Pickard, Lindsey Martin (fourth-grade teacher) and Abby Williams (Language Arts teacher).

Heights, Sheridan students shine at NHCCC State of the Schools

The REPORTER

ek Arrowood, Superintendent, Hamilton Heights School Corporation and Mary Roberson, Superintendent, Sheridan Community Schools, shared a brief update of their districts prior to turning the program over to educators and students to highlight two new specialty programs.

Hamilton Heights Middle School, was ac- with their new Social Emotional Learning companied by students currently involved (S.E.L.) mindfulness program made pos-

in the new broadcasting program at the sible through a special grant. Students at Guests of the October luncheon of middle school. Students took guests on the elementary level were introduced to the the Northern Hamilton County Chamber an interactive journey on the inspiration, practice of yoga through fourth-grade teachof Commerce meeting enjoyed the open vision, and impact of the student-run pro- er, Lindsey Martin. They use various yoga and spacious Hamilton Heights Middle gram. The program exposes students to all School's Outdoor/STEM lab. Dr. Der- aspects of broadcast journalism while providing the opportunity to produce live video broadcasts through the Husky Broadcast Network. Students shared the impact of the class and their work on the entire corporation along with two recent student-produced PSA's on bullying and mental health.

Sheridan students shared how they are Jeff Beechler, U.S. History Teacher, creating a culture of less stress and anxiety

techniques to help relax their minds and take a short brain overload break. Mindfulness lessons are given by Abby Williams, Language Arts teacher at Sheridan High School. Students learn specialty techniques that help reduce stress and anxiety, enable students to become more observant to how they feel and what's around them, and most of all, how to be in the moment.

Sheridan senior Eli Donaldson gave

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Fishers Boo Bash canceled

By LARRY LANNAN | LarryInFishers.com

The City of Fishers Parks Department announced early Wednesday afternoon that the 2020 Boo Bash has been canceled. The increase in local COVID-19 positive cases is cited as the reason. Below is the statement from the city:

"Out of an abundance of caution and due to rising cases of COVID-19 in Fishers, Fishers Parks has decided to cancel Boo Bash this Saturday, October 31. Please stay tuned for more information.

"For more information COVID-19, including the community data dashboard, visit the Fishers Health Department webpage at fishers.in.us/coronavirus.

"We apologize for the inconvenience and appreciate your understanding."

Governor Holcomb to attend Westfield GOP Club meeting

The REPORTER

The Westfield GOP Club invites the public to attend a 'get out the

vote' campaign gathering with Governor Eric Holcomb and the slate of Republican candidates for the upcoming election.

The will be held at 1 p.m. on Sunday, Nov. 1 at the



Holcomb

"It's an honor to be cho-

Grand Parks Events Center. Please make note that Grand Park requires the wearing of masks inside and is enforced at the front door. To RSVP please email swillis@theoris.com.

Solar panels expected to save millions for Noblesville Schools

The REPORTER

Noblesville Schools cut the ribbon Wednesday on its completed solar initiative, which is expected to generate nearly \$8 million in energy savings over the next 30 years.

The solar panel fields, located near White River Elementary, Promise Road Elementary, Noblesville West Middle School and the district's Transportation Center, will provide almost all of the energy used by those facilities, with a reduction in greenhouse gas emissions equivalent to approximately five mil-



Photo provided by Noblesville Schools

(From left) School board member Brad Howell, board member Dr. Joe Forgey, Superintendent Dr. Beth Niedermeyer, Associate Superintendent Dr. Dave Mundy, board president Carl Johnson, and Building and Grounds Supervisor Roy Wallace.

lion miles of vehicle traffic educational opportunity for tension of their classroom Executive, Boone County, Ky. Noblesville students, who The new initiative also will be able to observe and brings a unique, real-world study energy use as an ex-

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Kenton Ward placed into national leadership roles

The REPORTER

Hamilton County Sur- sen to lead these two comveyor Kenton C. Ward was mittees," Ward said. "It's

prominent positions within the National Association of Counties

(NACo). Ward was appointed to serve as Vice Chair of the Water Sub-Committee and Chair of the GIS Sub-Com-

mittee. The appointments were made by NACo President Gary W. Moore, Judge/



Ward

appointments and the strength of NACo, Hamilton County has a very prominent seat at the national policy table."

In addition to his leadership roles, Ward also serves on five other NACo committees.

Prather, Tolson get Ramparts Awards

By FRED SWIFT

ReadTheReporter.com

Two retiring members of the Hamilton County Visitor and Convention Commission received special recognition Wednesday from County Commis-

Brenda Tolson, who served partisan membership is apnearly 20 years on the compointed by commissioners. mission, were awarded the The director of tourism is Rampart Award for dedicat- Brenda Myers, who nomied and loyal service to the nated the award recipients. commission.

The commission over- sioners received a proposed

Donna Prather and development efforts. Its bi-

In other action, commis-

sees the county's tourism ordinance from County Attorney Mike Howard which prohibits placing structures in drainage easements, provides for assessing costs of removal of such structures, and penalties for failure to

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Go Purple **lith Preva**

Do you know someone that is in an abusive relationship? Tips on how to help: 1. Offer support, not advice.

2. Get them connected with a professional.

3. Don't talk negatively about their partner or situation with them. 4. LISTEN. Remember: It takes and average of eight to nine times for a person to leave an abusive situation permanently. Continue to support them through their journey. #GoPurplePrevail #PrevailInc #DVPM

Carmel Clay Parks receives national recognition

The REPORTER

Carmel Clay Parks & the Gold Medal Award for Excellence in Park and Rec-

for Park and Recreation livestream. Administration (AAPRA), Recreation was awarded in partnership with the Class III Gold Medal Award National Recreation and for parks serving popula-Park Association (NRPA), tions of 75,001 to 150,000 reation Management for announced the six national in 2014. After a mandatory the second time last night. winners during the 2020 sit-out period, 2020 marked The American Academy NRPA annual conference the first year the department

CCPR first received the

was once again eligible to

win this prestigious award. The Gold Medal Award is recognized as the highest honor for a park and recreation system. More

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And, also approved

tates subdivision and a new

section of The Enclave at

"I was really touched by Chief Jeff Muszar, Jack- what is taking place at these son County Fire Depart- schools and what these the many benefits learned ment, summed up the pre- students are doing. It was

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guests a sampling of what lationships, making health- appreciation and support. "I they are learning through a short exercise in breathing, focus, and taking in their a few. surroundings in the present moment. Students shared through these lessons in-

ier choices, and getting a was blown away by what I good night's sleep to name saw today," Muszar said.

sentations by both groups eye-opening and nothing cluding building better re- of students with heartfelt short of impressive."

"Solar energy gives us the opportunity to direct more funding to teachers and classrooms, and also better project our energy costs over the next decades," said Associate Superintendent Dr. Dave Mundy. "Being able to save money, reduce environmental impacts and create student learning opportunities is a win for everyone in the community."

With two million square and more than 10,000 students to serve, energy is one of the district's largest costs after teachers and support staff. Almost \$1.5 million per year are spent on energy expenses for lighting, heat-



Photo provided by Noblesville Schools Noblesville Schools' solar field at Promise Road Elementary.

feet under roof, 550 acres ing and air, technology tools lar fields, the district also and more.

> Performance Services designed and constructed the project and Duke Energy will be the electric utility provider.

> > In addition to the so- lion percent year.

made a recent move to LED lighting and uses an energy conservation manager to educate, monitor and reduce staff energy use by approximately \$1 mil-

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remove them.

to allow the City of Carmel to demolish a portion of Tax Increment Financing the Clay Terrace shopping district.

center and rebuild other Commissioners voted facilities in its place. Clay were plats for Artman's Es-Terrace is within a county

Vermillion. hank you for reading The Reporter!

Victims of Crime and Abuse www.prevailinc.com

I was born and raised right here in Noblesville. I grew up in a home without domestic violence or assault - it wasn't something I saw, or even heard about. But when I was introduced to Prevail of Central Indiana. I was shocked by the number of individuals who are affected by domestic violence. In 2018 alone. Prevail helped more than 4,000 clients in Hamilton County. (Nearly 80 percent of clients are women and children.) Domestic violence and abuse are hard topics to discuss, so you don't often hear about them. But at Tom Wood Volkswagen in Noblesville, we're breaking the taboo and raising awareness for Prevail, an organization that helps families in Hamilton County.

- Mike Bragg, GM of Tom Wood Volkswagen in Noblesville

To help Hamilton **County families** affected by domestic violence and sexual abuse, you can donate the following items:

- Individually packaged snacks
- Lysol
- Hand sanitizer
- Disinfecting wipes

Drop off items at Tom Wood Volkswagen in Noblesville, 14701 Tom Wood Way.



The 2021 Atlas: A new look for a new decade

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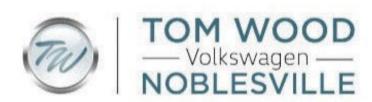
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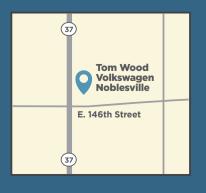


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importantly, demonstrates CCPR's tained level of excellence in serving the residents of Carmel and Clay Township with high quality parks, facilities,

Klitzing and programs. proud of our team for this outstanding level of achievement," CCPR Director Michael Klitzing said. "To win this award consecutively is an honor and a reflection of the innovation and dedication of every person at CCPR."

During the 55-year history of the award, only 204 agencies have won the Gold Medal, and less than 1 percent of all eligible agencies have won the award since 1966. Only 56 park systems have won the Gold Medal more than once and just 11 agencies have won the Gold Medal in the first year they regained eligibil- on the Gold Medal Awards, ity after winning.

"This recognition would al or aapra.org.

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not be possible The REPORTER without residents who value parks plays in our community's quality of life, elected officials who have consistently supported CCPR and

"We are incredibly provided us the financial resources to create a worldclass park system, Park Board members who have helped establish the vision for our parks, and outstanding employees at all levels of our organization who deliver each and every day the highest quality service to our constituents," Klitzing said.

A banner presentation will take place in the near future to celebrate CCPR's accomplishment. Social distancing guidelines will be followed but the public, media and area dignitaries will be invited to attend.

For more information visit nrpa.org/goldmed-

Letters

On the trail of haunted fun in Cicero

Today and Friday, the Cicero Friends of the Park recreation invite you to come out for and the role it a little haunted fun at Red Bridge Park. During a year when many people are reasonably worried about their kids trick-or-treating, Cice-

This outdoor event has two versions available for you on both Thursday and Friday. From 5:30 to 6:30 p.m. there will be a ed into themed sections for kid-friendly haunted trail your Halloween enjoyment. Bridge Park. Organizers ask and from 6:45 to 9 p.m.

loween fun for the whole ing. One volunteer told The photo booth. Reporter it will be a real haunted house without the

The trail will be divid-

There will be candy, ro is offering some safe Hal- things get far more frighten- games, concessions and a Morse Landing Drive.

While there is no cost, toe-curler! Think of it as a the Friends of the Park are accepting free will donations with all proceeds benefiting Cicero Parks.

Please park at Red that you do not park along

Artisan shopping event next month in Sheridan

The REPORTER

Chiropractic, 306 S. Main St., invites the public to attend the 10th annual funfilled night of local artisan holiday shopping from 5:30 to 8:30 p.m. on Wednesday, Nov. 11.

Holiday shoppers will find selections from local small businesses, including: Heather's Heavenly

The Little Fleece Shop, Jill cy Images, Nook Puzzles, local female entrepreneurs Cave, Chef Karyn, Craftyish Creations, On LindleyHill, Lady Mae's Boutique, Bushels Blessings, Usborne Books & More, Young Living, Blackhawk Winery, Avon, Pampered Chef, Rustic Roots Artist-Hues, LinJen Creations, Bales Photography, Lega- open house and support ping options.

Sheridan's Creekside Creates Handcrafted Nests Berg Woodworking, Macy and Keepsakes, Zukes Art, Vantel Pearls, Thirty-One, Redeemed Treasures and more. Light refreshments and

festive holiday snacks will be on-hand. Make this your #SupportLocal one stop shop this holiday season.

"I love being able to ry, LVLY Creations, Tup- provide a fun space for our perware, Primarily Pallets, annual holiday shopping have virtual or online shop-

in our community," Dr. Erin Merrill Macy said. "Supporting each other and shopping local is so important in our local communities."

Additional space has been added this year to keep the holiday shopping safe and socially distant. Some vendors also will

Letter guidelines this election season

With the approach of the Nov. 3 General Election, the Hamilton County Reporter is establishing some Letters to the Editor guidelines to keep things fair and balanced.

Letters endorsing a candidate will continue to be accepted, but letters calling into question a candidate or a candidate's policy proposals will not.

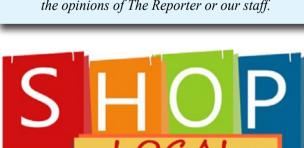
Letters addressing new topics about the upcoming election or

the policies of individual candidates will no longer be accepted. Letters in response to new topics published in our

Oct. 24 edition will no longer be accepted.

Please send your letters to News@ReadTheReporter.com.

Letters to the Editor do not represent the opinions of The Reporter or our staff.



TRICK OR TREAT HOURS SATURDAY, OCTOBER 31 ARCADIA 6:00PM - 8:00PM 5:00PM - 8:00PM 5:00PM - 8:00PM CICERO 6:00PM - 8:30PM FISHERS 6:00PM - 8:00PM NOBLESVILLE 5:30PM - 8:00PM SHERIDAN 6:00PM - 8:00PM 5:00PM - 8:00PM WESTFIELD Sheriff Dennis J. Quakenbush



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Trick - or - Treat!

(but we like treats the best)

CFB is keeping the Halloween festivities alive this year in a safe way. In lieu of our annual Trunk or Treat, we are handing out candy bags at

all of our branches to all trick-or-treaters!

(Please plan for trick-or-treaters and chaperones to wear a mask and respect all guidelines from local officials.)







Public Notice

Westfield Washington Schools By: 1143 East 181st Street

Westfield, IN 46074 Westfield High School Wellness Center 18250 North Union Street Westfield, IN 46074 1143 East 181st Street Westfield, IN 46074

2:00 PM (local time), November 12, 2020 Bid Opening: Bids will be publicly opened and read aloud at 2:00 PM local time), at 1143 East 181st Street, Westfield, IN 46074.

All work for the complete construction of the Project will be under one or more prime contracts with the Owner based on bids received and on combinations warded. The Construction Manager will manage the construction of the Project Construction shall be in full accordance with the Bidding Documents which re on file with the Owner and may be examined by prospective bidders at the following locations:

Office of the Construction Manager The Skillman Corporation

The Skillman Plan Room

www.skillmanplanroom.com

3834 S. Emerson Avenue, Building A Indianapolis, IN 46203

Prime and Non-Prime Contract Bidders must place an order on www. skillmanplanroom.com to be able to download documents electronically or equest printed documents. There is no cost for downloading the bidding documents. Bidders desiring printed documents shall pay for the cost of printing,

shipping and handling. Reprographic Services are provided by:
Eastern Engineering 9901 Allisonville Road, Fishers, IN 46038, Phone WAGE SCALE: Wage Scale does not apply to this project

A Pre-Bid Conference will be held on October 29, 2020 at 2:00 PM, local time, at Westfield High School Main Lobby, 18250 North Union Street, Westfield IN, 46074. Attendance by bidders is optional, but recommended, in order to clarify or answer questions concerning the Drawings and Project Manua for the Project. Bid security in the amount of ten percent (10%) of the Bid must accompany

each Bid in accordance with the Instructions to Bidders.

The successful Bidders will be required to furnish Performance and Payment Bonds for one hundred percent (100%) of their Contract amount prior to

Contractors submitting bids for the performance of any Work as specified in this building Project should make such Bids to Westfield Washington Schools. Contractors are advised that the Contract as finally entered into with any successful Bidder may be entered into with either the School Corporation or the Building Corporation or certain portions of the Contract may be entered into by both the School Corporation and the Building Corporation.

The Owner reserves the right to accept or reject any Bid (or combination of Bids) and to waive any irregularities in bidding. All Bids may be held for a period not to exceed 60 days before awarding contracts.

Westfield Washington Schools

By: Joe Montalone

10/29/20, 11/5/20

Riverview Health recognized for excellence in infant, maternal health

The REPORTER

Riverview Health was recognized Wednesday by the Indiana Hospital Association (IHA), in partnership with Governor Eric J. Holcomb and State Health Commissioner Kris Box, MD, FACOG, for its commitment to infant and maternal health at the first annual INspire Hospital of Distinction recognition pro-

INspire, funded by the Indiana Department of Health's Safety PIN grant, was developed to implement the delivery of best practice care for Hoosier moms and babies and recognize hospitals for excellence in addressing key drivers of infant and maternal health. Riverview Health earned a Category of Excellence recognition based on implementing best

breastfeeding, tobacco prevention and cessation, perinatal substance use, and obstetric hemorrhage.

"This recognition reflects the hard-working team we have at Riverview Health Maternity Center that maintains a high standard when it comes to patient care," said Michelle Allen, director of maternal and child services at Riverview Health. "The excellent mortality requires a multipatient care combined with pronged approach over the where each mom and fam- impactful change. We're ily feel they are not just a number is what really sets us apart."

"Indiana's birthing hospitals are critical partners as we work to drive down infant mortality," Gov. Holcomb said. "Thanks to many successes, Indiana their efforts, Indiana's in-

including infant safe sleep, to the lowest level in state recorded history. Together we will continue this important work to save even more lives and give every Hoosier newborn the best opportunity ahead."

"I am inspired by the work and passion our birthing hospitals bring to make sure all babies born in Indiana have the best start at life," Dr. Box said. "Reducing infant and maternal personalized approach course of many years to see seeing that change happen, but we can't stop now. We must continue to adopt best practices so that we can celebrate more first birthdays in Indiana."

> Box noted that among has seen a nearly 30 per-

practices in five key areas, fant mortality rate has fallen cent drop in Indiana's black infant mortality rate in just two years.

> "Indiana hospitals are grateful for the leadership of Governor Holcomb and Dr. Box and are thrilled to be a partner in Indiana's successful effort to reduce infant mortality," said IHA President Brian Tabor. "We look forward to building on the progress we've made and achieving Governor Holcomb's goal for Indiana to have the lowest rate of infant mortality in the Midwest by 2024."

Indiana Hospital Association serves as the professional trade association for more than 170 acute care, critical access, behavioral health, and other specialized hospitals in Indiana.

For more information on Riverview Health, visit riverview.org.

Early Voting Locations

You don't have to wait until November 3

Hamilton County Judicial Center

- 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 28 and Friday, Oct. 30
- 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 31
- 8 a.m. to noon Monday, Nov. 2

4-H Fairground Annex Building

- 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Thursday through Saturday, Oct. 29-31
- 8 a.m. to noon Monday, Nov. 2

Jill Perelman Pavilion, Carmel Mercy Road Church, Carmel Billericay Park Building, Fishers Roy G Holland Memorial Park Building, Fishers **Westfield City Hall**

Cool Creek Nature Center, Carmel

- 2 to 7 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 29
- 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Friday, Oct. 30 and Saturday, Oct. 31



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Republican leadership has created communities in Hamilton County that are consistently ranked as top places to live, work and play.

> Early voting expands this week to Carmel, Fishers, and Westfield locations. For more information about where to vote early go to:

https://www.hamiltoncounty.in.gov/1399/Vote-Early---In-Person.

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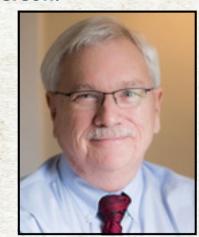
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AG Hill settles with company that gave physicians kickbacks, overbilled Medicaid

The REPORTER

Indiana Attorney General Curtis Hill announced Wednesday that Indiana has joined the federal government and 44 other states to settle allegations against Progenity, a San Diego-based biotechnology company that provides molecular and diagnostic tests to patients through health care providers.

The \$49 million settlement will resolve allegations that Progenity fraudulently billed federal health care programs for prenatal tests and provided kickbacks to physicians to induce them to order Progenity tests for their patients. The settlement also resolves allegations that Progenity provided illegal kickbacks by:

"draw fees" that exceeded

specimens collected for Progenity tests:

Providing meals and happy hours for physicians and their staff that often involved little or educational content; and

waiving patient coinsurance and deductible payments.

In the settlement agreement, Progenity makes extensive admissions regarding the company's conduct with respect to both the fraudulent billing and kickback claims.

"When companies that work this closely with physicians behave improperly, after a private whistleblowit undermines the integrity of our health care system," · Providing excessive Hill said. "The effects of in the U.S. District Court Progenity's actions trick- for the Southern District of



fluenced by kickbacks and bribes. This settlement is a fitting end to this company's unfortunate series of decisions."

Under the settlement, Progenity will pay

• Improperly reducing or the states and the federal government \$49 million for claims pertaining to various federal healthcare programs. More than \$29 million of that money resolves claims relating to Medicaid, and \$191,296.58 of the settlement resolves claims relating specifically to Indiana's Medicaid program.

The settlement comes er lawsuit that had previously been filed under seal fair market value for blood led down to patients who New York under the Federal

· Shelley Klingerman,

• Kristin Marcuccilli,

Managing Entrepreneur at

NEXT Studios and Found-

er and Chief Evangelist at

· Brent Oakley, CEO,

Ade Olonoh, Founder

· Randy Parmerlee,

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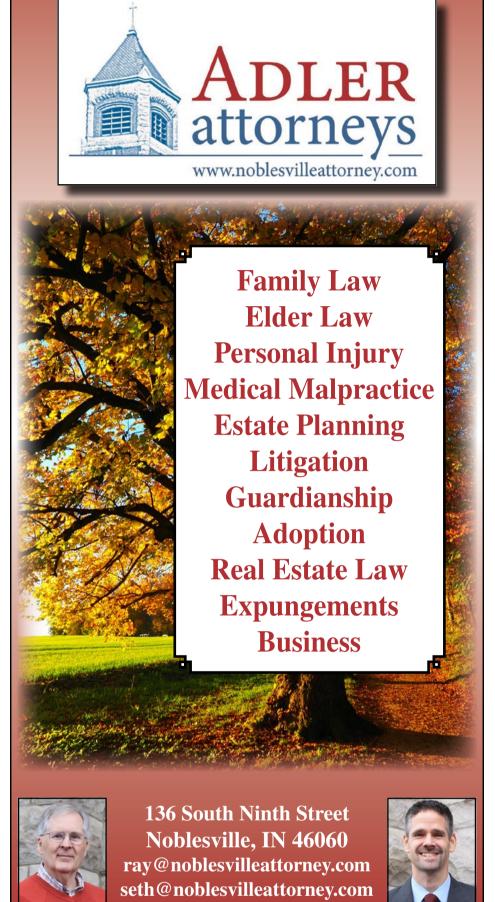
Click here to read the settlement agreement.

The Indiana Medicaid Fraud Control Unit receives 75 percent of its funding from the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services under a federal grant. The remaining 25 percent is funded by the State of Indiana.



Middletown Avenue now open

Effective immediately, Middletown Avenue between Prairie Baptist Road and Cyntheanne Road is now open to all traffic. The pipe replacements are complete; however, Middletown Avenue will be resurfaced on Thursday, Oct. 29. Minor delays should be expected. Thank you for your patience. Safe travels!



Indiana Technology & Innovation Association adds five new member to Board of Directors

The REPORTER

The Indiana Technology and Innovation Association (ITIA), the statewide association of Indiana's technology-driven companies and partners, announced today it has elected its 2021-2022 Board of

ITIA has expanded its Board from 15 to 20 members to reflect its growing, diverse statewide member-

The following five individuals have been elected by the ITIA membership as new members of the Board:

- Ted Baker, CEO and Executive Director, Muncie Innovation Connector
- President of the School of Technology Information and Workforce Alignment, Ivy Tech Community Col-
- and CEO, InGen Technolo-
- gies, Inc. Kelli N. Co-Founder of Be Nimble Foundation and Managing Partner of Sixty8 Capital Director, The Mill
- powered by Allos Ventures • Randy Parmerlee, Katz, Sapper and Miller CEO and Managing Partner, Glassboard

"ITIA is excited to members to its Board of Directors," said First Internet Bank President and er, AfterSchool HQ CEO David Becker, who

serves as Chair of the ITIA Co-Founder of Be Nimble Board of Directors. "Our Foundation and Managing new Board members are Partner of Sixty8 Capital incredibly accomplished powered by Allos Ventures tech leaders who will bring diverse perspectives to our association, and we thank them for stepping up to serve. ITIA is continuing to CEO, TechPoint grow and expand its statewide presence as we work COO, STAR Financial Bank to create the best environment for Indiana's technol-

ogy companies to thrive." Below are the members of the 2021-2022 ITIA Board of Directors:

- Ted Baker, CEO and Executive Director, Muncie Innovation Connector
- · David Becker, Presi-• Linda Calvin, Vice dent and CEO, First Inter-
- net Bank · Linda Calvin, Vice President of the School of Information Technology and Workforce Alignment, • Mike Halbig, Founder Ivy Tech Community Col-
 - Christopher Day, CEO Jones, and Co-founder, Demand-
 - Pat East, Executive Fishers and the Indiana IoT

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- grow and welcome new and CEO, InGen Technologies, Inc.
 - Darye Henry, Found-
 - Kelli N. Jones, anaTechnology.org.
- Erin Eberly, Partner,

 Megan Glover, CEO, in the public policy and po-• Mike Halbig, Founder to ITIA is open to all tech-

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TODAY'S BIBLE READING

Now when Festus was come into the province, after three days he ascended from Caesarea to Jerusalem. Then the high priest and the chief of the Jews informed him against Paul, and besought him, And desired favour against him, that he would send for him to Jerusalem, laying wait in the way to kill him. But Festus answered, that Paul should be kept at Caesarea, and that he himself would depart shortly thither. Let them therefore, said he, which among you are able, go down with me, and accuse this man, if there be any wickedness in him.

Acts 25:1-5 (KJV)





Sandra "Sandi" Mae Frazer February 7, 1938 - October 27, 2020

Sandra "Sandi" Mae Frazer, 82, died on Oct. 27, 2020,

in Noblesville. She was born Feb. 7, 1938, in Indianapolis to Dorothy (Grinstead) and Lorraine Frazer, who preceded her in death.

Sandi grew up in Indianapolis and then West Lafayette, where she graduated from high school in 1956. She attended Purdue University and was a huge Boilermaker fan. She earned an associate's degree from Ball State

University. She helped start and was co-owner of Snelling Real Estate in Noblesville. She also owned and operated The Children's Centre in Noblesville, and continued her real estate career after moving to Speedway. She enjoyed her "secret garden," spending time with her grandchildren and family, and traveling. She was a member of the Speedway Lions Club and the Metropolitan Indianapolis Board of Realtors, and served on the board of directors for the Arthritis Foundation, Indiana Chapter.

She is survived by her four daughters, Becky (Tim) Schroer, Brownsburg; Cathy (Wayne) Milligan, Lapel; Jacci (Jeff) Brown, Salem, S.C.; and Jenni Snelling, Cincinnati, Ohio. She was preceded in death by infant daughter, Cindy. She had nine grandchildren: Emily Pyle, Dustin Milligan and Dale Milligan, who preceded her in death; Jackson, Alexander and Madison Brown; and Isabelle, Samuel and Elena Espay. She is also survived by a brother, David (Rita) Frazer: sister, Shervl (Ron) Doerr, Hobart, and sister-in-law Sandy Frazer, Westfield, as well as several nieces and nephews. Her brothers Donald and Duane Frazer preceded her in death. She also was preceded in death by her stepfather, Elmer "Lee" Corder.

A private family memorial will be held at Indiana

Funeral Care, Indianapolis. A celebration of life will be planned later. In lieu of flowers, please make donations to the Alzheimer's Foundation, Indiana Chapter, or the Arthritis Foundation, Indiana Chapter.

Condolences: IndianaFuneralCare.com

Meeting Notices

The City of Westfield's Finance Committee meeting scheduled for Monday, Nov. 2, 2020, has been canceled.

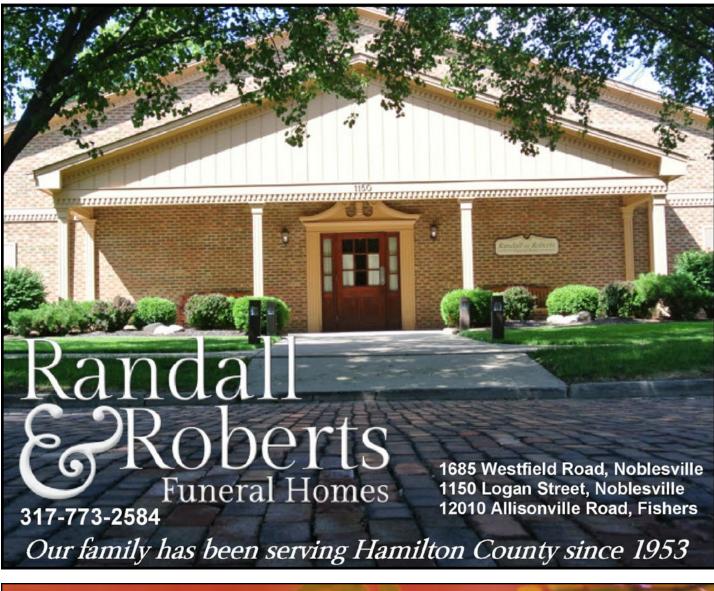
The Noblesville Common Council Finance Committee will meet at 8:15 a.m. on Thursday, Nov. 5, 2020, in room A213 at Noblesville City Hall, 16 S. 10th St., Noblesville.

The Atlanta Town Council will meet to discuss a sewer project at 1 p.m. on Thursday, Nov. 5, 2020, at the Atlanta Town Hall, 105 E. Main

The Noblesville Common Council Roads Committee will meet at 8 a.m. on Friday, Nov. 6, 2020, in room A213 at Noblesville City Hall, 16 S. 10th St., Noblesville.

The Noblesville Common Council Downtown District Committee will meet at 8:30 a.m. on Monday, Nov. 30, 2020, in room A214 at Noblesville City Hall, 16 S. 10th St., Noblesville.





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Football previews

Re-matches highlight sectional semi-final games

Since the IHSAA's football Class 6A Sectional 4 consists of all Hoosier Crossroads Conference teams, re-matches are inevitable once the draw is announced.

The two semi-final games that will take place on Friday in that sectional will be reprises of big rivalry games. Fishers hosts Hamilton Southeastern for a Mudsock 2020 Part 2, while Noblesville welcomes Westfield. Both regular-season games took place during Week 4, and quite a bit has changed since then.

SOUTHEASTERN-FISHERS

The Royals won the regular-season meeting with the Tigers 21-9 in a hardfought game (is there any other kind of Mudsock game?) Fishers led at halftime 9-7 before Southeastern scored twice in the third quarter, both on big plays.

"They played hard," Royals coach Michael Kelly said of the Tigers. "They flew around on defense and did some great things."

Junior Blaine Wertz ran the ball into the end zone from 29 yards to get HSE ahead, then senior John McCall and junior Martice Taylor combined for a 38yard touchdown pass.

"We settled ourselves down a little bit and started playing our style of football," said Kelly. "The key for us is, don't let the moment get too big and we let the moment get too big for us."

Southeastern will come into Reynolds Tigers Stadium with a 6-2 record. The Royals won their last three games of the season, but saw their final regular-season game against Brownsburg get canceled. That meant HSE and the Bulldogs had to settle for a second-place tie in the HCC standings, with both teams completing conference play at 5-1.

Add to that the bye week for Class 6A teams, and Southeastern has now been off for three weeks.

"I think they're excited to get going again," said Kelly. "You sense the season slipping away from you quickly and to not be able to play that last game of the season, it plays some tricks on your emotions."



Joshua Herd/File photo

Hamilton Southeastern quarterback John McCall scored one rushing touchdown and passed for another one in the Royals' win over Fishers during the regular season. Southeastern will travel to Reynolds Tigers Stadium on Friday for a re-match, this time in the semi-finals of Class 6A Sectional 4.

passes for 801 yards and seven touchdowns, with Taylor making 24 catches on the season, five of them for scores. Wertz is the top rusher, gaining 633 yards and scoring seven touchdowns.

"HSE was very solid at controlling the time of possession and they don't make many mistakes," said Fishers coach Curt Funk. "Their defense forced turnovers the first time we played and on offense didn't make mistakes.'

The Tigers finished the regular season 2-7 and were 2-5 in HCC play.

"The bye week was nice for our team, it allowed us to regroup and push the reset button," said Funk. "The kids are excited for the post-season and a fresh

Senior Lucas Prewitt has had a sensational year as the Fishers quarterback, going 139-for-229 with 1,628 yards and 11 touchdowns. Junior Jeffrey Simmons has 50 of those catches, including two TDs, with senior Landon Morris making 39 catches and six scores. Sophomore Carson Dunn leads the rushing with 518 yards and three touchdowns.

WESTFIELD-NOBLESVILLE

The Shamrocks will be making their second trip to Beaver Materials Field this season. The first trip was a successful one for Westfield, as it held off the Millers 24-10.

The win was the third in a row for the 'Rocks, and since then that victorious streak has swelled to eight games. Westfield went on to win an unbeaten HCC championship at 7-0, and is 8-1 overall.

"I think both teams are much, much, much better than we both were six weeks ago," said Noblesville coach Dave Sharpe. "The problem is that, they were already a great team and now they're a phenomenal team. But we are improving tremendously as well and defensively it was one of our better efforts."

Meanwhile, Shamrocks coach Jake Gilbert will be preparing his team for what he calls the Millers' "unique offense." Gilbert said "it's hard to plan for and hard to simulate in practice and hard to defend."

Noblesville's run-oriented offense caused Westfield some nervous moments in the regular-season showdown, but the Shamrocks' defense was able to hold firm in the second half.

We played great run defense, talked well," said Gilbert. "We were physical, that was the key to the game for us. I thought we played pretty well."

Westfield has been led by its outstanding junior quarterback, Maximus Webster, who has completed 87 of 129 pass attempts for 1,419 yards and 17 touchdowns. Senior Mason Piening has 36 receptions, including nine for scores,

has 25 catches and three TDs.

Junior Micah Hauser has been dominant on both sides of the ball. He leads the rushing with 782 yards and eight touchdowns, and is tops on defense with 85 tackles. Junior Popeye Williams has made nine tackles for a loss and four sacks.

The Millers are 2-7 for the season after going 1-6 in HCC play. Noblesville has gotten the vast majority of its yards on the ground, with junior Owen Jones leading the way by gaining 726 yards and scoring four touchdowns. Senior Holden Montarsi has 425 yards and three TDs.

Junior quarterback Connor Meinerding has passed for 258 yards and a touchdown. Junior Sam Steinhofer leads the defense with 68 tackles, including eight for a loss. Senior Skyler Tolliver and junior Alairic Rogers-Walton both have 3.5 sacks on the season.

Both schools enjoyed their bye weeks as well. Gilbert said that this week has been a "normal week of practice," but last week was more about fun.

"We don't do a ton of football, but we do a lot of character building and team building and have some fun and hang out," said Gilbert. "We enjoyed that."

"We've had a great week and a half," said Sharpe. He said the Millers used their bye week to go back to fundamentals and do lifting and conditioning as well.

"Getting ready for the Shamrocks and getting our game plan set," said Sharpe. "The kids, they've risen to the occasion. We are practicing with a purpose."

CARMEL-PIKE

Carmel will host Pike for the second time this season on Friday, but this time it will be in the semi-finals of Class 6A Sectional 5.

The two teams met during Week 4 in a Metropolitan Conference game, and the Greyhounds needed double overtime to get past the Red Devils, by the score of 45-44. Carmel stopped a two-point conversion try by Pike in order to get the victory.

Greyhounds coach John Hebert called the Red Devils "a very explosive offensive team" that has multiple playmakers at wide receiver and running back.

"Two players, Zavier Simpson and Lamar Echols having over 100 yards receiving against us in week 4," said Hebert. He called quarterback Anthony Cialdella "one of the best in our conference at his position."

"Pike's offensive line is also very good," said Hebert. "We have to be able to limit Pike's explosive plays this time around."

The Red Devils beat Lawrence Central 41-0 the week after their loss to the Greyhounds, but then dropped their last four games of the regular season to finish 3-6. Pike was 1-6 in MIC play.

The senior Cialdella has completed 107 of 187 pass attempts this season for 1,552 yards and 19 touchdowns. Echols leads the reception list with 37, including four TDs, while Simpson has 29 catches and has the most touchdown receptions with seven.

Isaiah Martin tops the rushing list with 414 yards and one score. On defense, senior Modupe Esan has 72 tackles (5.5 for a loss), followed by sophomore Josh Woods with 66 stops (six for a

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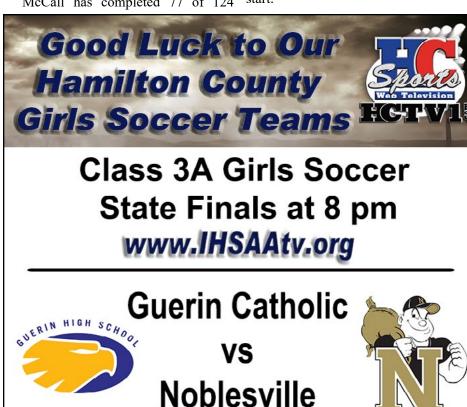
Carmel's Kate Clarke commits to Michigan

Carmel basketball star Kate Clarke announced her commitment to the University of Michigan on Wednesday.

Clarke, a junior, made the announcement in a Twitter post shortly before 7:30 p.m. The post consisted of two pictures, one showing her wearing a Michigan jersey, and the other a long note thanking family, friends and those that helped her along the way.

During her sophomore season, Clarke was Carmel's leading scorer at 17.1 points per game and was tied atop the assist list with 2.5 per game.

Clarke will be the second Carmel player in the past few years to commit to Michigan. Amy Dilk, the 2018 Miss Basketball, is about to begin her junior season with the Wolverines.



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Sectional semi-final football pairings

Courtesy John Harrell's website www.johnharrell.net

NOTE: Pairings are shown for classes that feature Hamilton County teams.

Class 6A

SECTIONAL 1

Lake Central (1-8) at Lafayette Jeff (9-0) Crown Point (3-3) at Merrillville (7-1)

SECTIONAL 2 Penn (5-4) at Chesterton (4-4)

Elkhart (7-0) at Portage (3-6)

SECTIONAL 3 Carroll (Fort Wayne) (7-2) at Warsaw (7-2)

Fort Wayne Snider (5-4) at Homestead (8-1) **SECTIONAL 4**

Hamilton Southeastern (6-2) at Fishers (2-7) Westfield (8-1) at Noblesville (2-7)

SECTIONAL 5

Pike (3-6) at Carmel (7-2) Brownsburg (7-1) at Avon (5-4)

SECTIONAL 6 Ben Davis (4-5) at Southport (2-4)

Perry Meridian (0-9) at Indianapolis Tech (2-6) **SECTIONAL 7**

Lawrence Central (0-9) at Lawrence North (6-3) Warren Central (2-5) at North Central (Indianapo-

Columbus East (7-2) at Franklin Central (1-8) Center Grove (9-0) at Columbus North (6-2)

Class 3A

SECTIONAL 8

SECTIONAL 25 Calumet (3-1) at Knox (6-4)

Hanover Central (8-2) at River Forest (6-3) **SECTIONAL 26**

Mishawaka Marian (8-0) at Tippecanoe Valley (7-

West Noble (2-8) at Jimtown (6-3)

SECTIONAL 27

Fort Wayne Concordia (4-5) at Oak Hill (7-3) Maconaquah (5-3) at Norwell (9-1)

SECTIONAL 28

Guerin Catholic (4-4) at Indianapolis Chatard

Yorktown (4-6) at Brebeuf Jesuit (4-4) **SECTIONAL 29**

Tri-West (8-2) at Greencastle (6-4)

Danville (7-0) at Indianapolis Ritter (6-2)

SECTIONAL 30 Washington (4-6) at Edgewood (4-6)

Sullivan (7-3) at Vincennes Lincoln (4-6)

SECTIONAL 31 Lawrenceburg (9-1) at Scottsburg (3-6) Franklin County (5-2) at Greensburg (6-4)

SECTIONAL 32

Gibson Southern (7-3) at Southridge (10-0) North Harrison (7-3) at Salem (6-2)

Class 1A

SECTIONAL 41

Culver (3-7) at North Judson (8-2)

SECTIONAL 42

Traders Point Christian (4-4) at Clinton Prairie (3-

Lafayette Central Catholic (3-3) at Clinton Central (5-2)

SECTIONAL 43

Madison-Grant (2-5) at Tri-Central (7-3)

South Adams (9-0) at Monroe Central (7-1) SECTIONAL 44

Triton (4-5) at Adams Central (7-2)

Caston (3-7) at Southwood (10-0)

SECTIONAL 45

Attica (5-2) at South Putnam (10-0)

SECTIONAL 46

Park Tudor (4-3) at Covenant Christian (10-0)

Indianapolis Lutheran (8-1) at Sheridan (5-4) **SECTIONAL 47**

Milan (6-3) at Tri (8-2)

North Decatur (8-2) at Knightstown (6-3)

SECTIONAL 48

North Central (Farmersburg) (1-6) at Perry Central

Tecumseh (3-4) at West Washington (8-0)

RE-MATCHES

loss). Senior Kyran Montgomery has the Andrew Turvy with 66 each. Turvy has won the Indiana Crossroads Conference 34-6, which improved their record to 5-4 most tackles for a loss with 8.5, while junior Frank Akinsanmi has 6.5.

After a 1-2 start, Carmel is on a sixgame win streak to finish the regular season 7-2. The 'Hounds were 6-1 in MIC play, taking second to unbeaten (7-0) Center Grove.

Junior quarterback Zach Osborne is 81-of-157 through the air this season, totaling 1,153 yards and 14 touchdowns. Senior Colton Parker has 25 catches, six of them for scores.

Senior Zach White leads the rushing with 588 yards and six TDs, while Osborne has run for 392 yards and eight touchdowns. Senior Tamarris Springfield is on top of the tackles list with

eight tackles for a loss. Junior Hayden Cate has four sacks.

"We had a good bye week with lighter work and a game between our freshman and junior varsity teams," said Hebert. "We got back to work this Monday with our regular routine. Our guys have had great focus on preparing for Pike this week. We are very excited for the opportunity to keep our season going another week."

SHERIDAN-LUTHERAN

Sheridan will host Class 1A's topranked team, Indianapolis Lutheran, in semi-final action in Sectional 46 on Fri-

The Saints will enter Bud Wright 69, followed by seniors Gavin Hale and Stadium with an 8-1 record. Lutheran

with a perfect 6-0 record, beating Beech Grove 66-35, Cardinal Ritter 42-6, Triton Central 14-7, Cascade 56-7, Monrovia force for Sheridan on the ground, with 50-0 and Speedway 42-21.

In non-conference play, the Saints beat Shortridge 79-0 and Traders Point Christian 63-6. Lutheran's only loss was to Northview, a 4A school, 26-25 in dou-

"They're big and strong and fast," said Wright. "They average more passes than they do runs."

The Saints' quarterback is senior Blake White. He has put up phenomenal numbers, completing 169 of 231 attempts for 2,427 yards and 37 touchdowns.

Wright. "They got some real good receivers. They're a good ball club."

Four Lutheran receivers have at least 29 catches, led by senior Joseph Faubion with 51 receptions, including 10 touchdowns. On the ground, senior Bryce Lucas leads the rushing game with 476 yards and 10 scores.

Two Saints players have over 90 tackles for the season. Senior Hayden Filipovich has made 95 stops, six of them for a loss, while junior Jake Pasch has made 93 tackles. Filipovich also has three sacks.

"They play pretty tough. We definitely got to stay low on them."

for the season.

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Senior Cameron Hovey has been a 1,504 total yards and 20 touchdowns. Junior quarterback Silas DeVaney has thrown for 221 yards and four TDs. On defense, sophomore Jacob Jones leads with 61 tackles (eight for a loss) and six sacks, while Hovey has 57 tackles.

GUERIN CATHOLIC-BISHOP CHATARD

Guerin Catholic will travel to Bishop Chatard on Friday for a re-match with the 3A No. 1 Trojans, this time in the semi-finals of Sectional 28.

The two teams met in Week 6 of the "He's got a lot of yards passing," said regular season. Chatard beat the Golden Eagles 38-0 to clinch an undefeated Circle City Conference championship. The Trojans, now 8-1 for the season, beat another county team, Hamilton Heights, 35-0 last week in the first round of the sectional.

> Quarterback Carter St. John went 9-of-17 for Chatard, totaling 18 yards and one touchdown. Thomas Coleman was the top receiver with four catches, while Tommy Hannon rushed for 107 yards.

Guerin Catholic scored an upset last "They go 290, 295, 260, they got week, beating No. 2-ranked West Lafay-some big kids up front," said Wright. ette 20-18. The victory brought the Golden Eagles to 4-4 for the season.

Jagger Albert and Danny Rhoad both The Blackhawks are coming off a rushed for 107 yards, while quarterback first-round sectional win over Tindley Sam Miller went 8-of-14 for 58 yards.







