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Pit plan goes to council without recommendation

By FRED SWIFT

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A tie vote in Monday night's Noblesville Plan Commission sends the controversial Beaver gravel pit zoning request to the City Council without any recommendation.

Beaver Materials Inc. had asked that zoning on the proposed pit site be changed from agricultural to allow extraction of sand and gravel. The 50-acre site is located along Allisonville Road immediately south of Potters Bridge Park.

Residents of subdivisions to the east and south of the location have objected to the Beaver plans claiming noise, dust and truck traffic will lower property values.

Ordinarily, the plan commission reviews a request for change in zoning and forwards to the city council either a favorable or unfavorable recommendation. But, with a tie vote, the matter goes to the council without recommendation.

On the question of sending an unfavorable recommendation, members of the Plan Commission voted as follows:

• Yes: Steve Cooke, Anita Rogers, Jim Hellmann, Gretchen Hanes, Darren Peter-

No: Scott Noel, Scott Smith, Blake Anderson, Linda Wilcox, David Bertner

On the question of sending a favorable recommendation, members of the Plan Commission voted as follows:

· Yes: Scott Noel, Scott Smith, Blake Anderson, Linda Wilcox and David Bert-

• No: Steve Cooke, Anita Rogers, Jim Hellmann, Gretchen Hanes and Darren Pe-

The council votes on any change of zoning in the Noblesville planning jurisdiction, which includes the proposed pit site even though the property is not within the city limits.

The project will now be heard by the Noblesville Common Council on Tuesday,



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"I was disappointed that five of my fellow Plan Commission members were in support of the change in zoning that will allow for the gravel

pit. I don't feel that the concerns of residents were given enough consideration before our 5-5 vote on how we would forward the petition to the Noblesville Common Council. Clearly, the nearby residents will be the most impacted if this industrial operation is allowed. Even with the proposed expansion of the park by Hamilton County, there is simply not enough community wide benefit that would outweigh the

concerns of our citizens and the threat to our natural resources. Combined with the fact this project doesn't meet the recommendations of the city's comprehensive master plan, which was approved by the Plan Commission earlier this year, and that Planning staff do not support the application - I felt we needed to send an unfavorable recommendation to the

> Noblesville Common Council." Steve Cooke

Steve Cooke is a current member of the Noblesville Plan Commission and served as Deputy Mayor for the City of Noblesville from 2016 to 2019.

Judge Jon Brown approves petition for recount in HSE **School Board race**

By FRED SWIFT

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An official recount will be underway shortly for a seat on the Hamilton Southeastern School Board. In the race for Del-

aware Township's seat, incumbent Amanda Shera finished 20 votes behind Sarah Donsbach in the final vote tally. Shera asked for the recount.

Superior Court Judge Jon Brown today was asked to appoint a three-member recount commission. Donsbach received 14,750 votes to Shera's 14,730 in totals compiled by the county clerk's office.

There are 71 precincts in the Southeastern school district. Absentee votes will be the main focus of the recount, which must



Shera

Brown

be completed by Dec. 20. Voting machine totals will be easily totaled, but several thousand absentees will have to be reviewed individually.

Southeastern has a seven-member school board with Delaware, Fall Creek and Wayne townships each having two members, but the entire district votes on these members. A seventh member is elect-

Fishers to open new 126th Street/SR 37 interchange this week

By LARRY LANNAN

LarryInFishers.com

A ribbon-cutting ceremony opening the east-west lanes of 126th Street at State Road 37 will be held later this week, based on comments made by Mayor Scott Fadness at Monday's Fishers City Council work session. 126th Street at State Road 37 has been closed for several months during construction of a roundabout on 126th Street and an underpass for State Road 37.

City Engineering Department Director Jason Taylor told the council his staff, along with Hamilton County and Indiana State Highway officials, have been working together to close a \$41 million budget gap. The project was budgeted for \$124 million total, but a list of factors ballooned the price tag. Taylor detailed several measures aimed at budget cutting.

Fadness said he expects the budget gap to go down to \$36 million, with the city and county splitting the cost at \$18 million each. Fadness said he expects a 25-year bond on a previous road project to expire in 2024, allowing the city to borrow the money required to complete the State Road 37 project without any need for a tax rate increase.

The head of the Hamilton County High Department, Brad Davis, told the city council in the virtual meeting that the County Council tabled the State Road 37 budget issue previously, but Davis said he expects county councilors to bring the issue up again and approve the county's share of the budget shortfall.

The work at 131st Street and State Road 37 will go out for bids later this year, with an award expected in early 2021. The design for the 141st Street interchange is nearing completion, with that bid opening set for about one year from now. Work has already begun at 146th Street and State Road 37, with that work expected to extend into mid-2022.

Fishers City Council chooses not to vote on health code violation fines

By LARRY LANNAN

LarryInFishers.com

The Fishers City Council was scheduled to vote on an amendment to the city health ordinance Monday night, calling for fines of up to \$500 for code violations, but the council removed that item from the council agenda at the last minute.

To enact that ordinance Monday

vote of all nine council members to susreadings required at three separate council meetings.

Monica Heltz from the Fishers Health Department told the council that over to approve a number of measures going the last two weeks, positive COVID-19 cases averaged 50 per day, with the number of cases in the city "rising extremely order is being issued this week.

night, it would have taken a unanimous rapidly." A total of 692 cases have been reported in Fishers the last 14 days, acpend the rules and waive the normal three counting for 22 percent of all COVID-19 cases in the city since the pandemic be-

> The Fishers Board of Health voted beyond Governor Eric Holcomb's executive order. That Fishers public health

HSE Schools goes all virtual Nov. 19

By LARRY LANNAN

LarryInFishers.com

The Hamilton Southeastern (HSE) School Board voted on Tuesday morning to have all grade levels go to virtual classes beginning Thursday, Nov. 19, continuing at least through Dec. 4.

Administrators told the board that staffing classrooms is becoming impossible with the number of absences among staff

The vote was 6-1, with Amanda Shera voting no.

The board also voted to continue paying support staff members, such as food service workers and school bus drivers, during vir-

The board intends to meet again, possibly on Dec. 2, to decide how to handle

Fishers Mayor Scott Fadness released the following statement on Tuesday after the HSE School Board decided to move to 100 percent virtual learning.

"Neither my administration nor our health department were aware of HSE's decision to move PK-6 education to 100 percent virtual learning. We have worked tirelessly to keep our schools open and have publicly stated that we believe schools should be open. In fact, today we intended to announce the opening of an additional COVID-19 testing site dedicated to any student or staff member at HSES that had been exposed. I am extremely concerned about the burden that this will cause parents with a mere 48-hour notice for closure. My commitment to our residents is

> that I will do all that we can to see our schools open again." Fishers Mayor Scott Fadness

that time.

the classes after Dec. 4, based on whatever full-time, with grades 5 and 6 on a hybrid ed an all-virtual schedule.

data administrators are able to provide at system, 50 percent in the classroom and 50 percent virtual. On Nov. 19, all these grades Grades K-4 have been in the classroom will go virtual. Grades 7-12 have just startNews



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Carmel's 'A Cut Above' focuses new cooking curriculum on optimism

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Optimism has been the focus selected for the 2021 Instructional Cooking Classes curriculum presented by the Carmel-based A Cut Above.

Considering the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic. A Cut Above carefully considered both the negative and positive effects to the food system. Ultimately, the curriculum for next year's classes has been designed to deliver needed optimism, specifically by celebrating the amazement of of numerous local business partners and offering components that will stimulate needed enhancements. All classes are completely COVID-19 compliant and are available either in-person or virtually.

Even though every aspect of food has been significantly impacted by the pandemic, ultimately this critical nutritional support has remained primarily resilient simply by the amazement it demonstrates. This is what has led A Cut Above's entire cooking class series for next year, with each class highlight-

ing the significant optimism that food has contributed following the pandemic.

Beginning its thirteenth year in January 2021, A Cut Above's Cooking Class Series delivers an immersive culinary experience that includes a two-hour, hands-on learning experience and a three-course chef-prepared meal. Classes are held at A Cut Above's state-of-theart Instructional Kitchen and Event Center, located at 12955 Old Meridian St., Suite 104, Carmel.

Another significant food, strategic involvement component of the cooking classes that A Cut Above will offer next year is an important focus on local partnerships. A Cut Above has created partnerships next year with groups like Home2 Suites, Fischer Farms, Sheridan Farmers Market and Apricot Sun to not only provide additional resources to the class attendees, but to assist these local businesses survive the pandemic in order to assist them promote themselves.

> A Cut Above's Instructional Cooking Classes is under the leadership of Amy von Eiff. Chef Amy planning and catering has

2021 Instructional Cooking Class Series

Cooking in the New Year COUPLES PACKAGE with Home2 Suites: Thursday, Dec. 31, 2020 and Friday, Jan. 1, 2021

Healthy New Year (plant-based): Thursday, Jan. 28, 2021 Be My Valentine! Couples "Date Night" with Home2 Suites: Saturday, Feb. 13, 2021 and Sunday, Feb. 14, 2021 Singles Mingle (Valentine's Day): Sunday, Feb., 14, 2021 **Transform Your Kitchen** (successful cooking at home): Thursday, Feb. 25, 2021

Beyond the Food (entertaining, presentation and plating): Thursday, March 25, 2021

A Toast to Motherhood (Brunch): Thursday, April 29, 2021 Night in Tuscany (Italian; couples): Thursday, May 27, 2021 **GrillMaster** (Father's Day promotion) with Fischer Farms: Thursday, June 24, 2021

FRESH (local; farm to table) with Sheridan Farmers Market: Thursday, July 29, 2021

Cooking with a Conscience (sustainable): Thursday, Aug. 26, 2021

Transport Your Taste Buds (international) with Apricot Sun: Thursday, Sept. 30, 2021

Holiday Tradition (themed meals; Halloween and Christmas): Thursday, Oct. 28, 2021

background, specializing in International as well as Southern Cuisine. She attended Ivy Tech and studied the culinary arts abroad throughout Italy. Her ex-Owner and Executive Chef, tensive experience in event

has an extensive culinary been key to A Cut Above's prominence as a premiere caterer in Central Indiana.

> most recognizable from to maintain this year's classher monthly TV spots on WISH-TV's "Indy Style" where she demonstrates her latest recipes and "chef

a reputable nationally-recognized speaker in both the events industry and women-owned business associations, Chef Amy has provided considerable leadership to assist numerous small businesses in surviving during the global pandemic.

Chef Amy's true passion for cooking came from watching her grandmother and mother in the kitchen before she was even tall enough to reach the kitchen counter. Chef Amy is passionate about passing on her culinary knowledge, saying "I thrive on teaching others how to harness their inner chef and create restaurant-worthy meals at home."

A Cut Above's Cooking Class series just completed for 2020 and received critical acclaim for its implementation of necessary health and safety protocols during the pandemic, allowing participants to maintain attendance. Von Eiff stressed that "the extensive enhance-Locally, Chef Amy is ments that we implemented es have been very successful and will remain in place as long as necessary."

The 2021 curriculum ing.com.

tips." In addition to being released by A Cut Above for next year has a total of 13 classes, 11 of which are a part of the Master Series and two are part of a special couples class. Classes are held monthly and will continue through October 2021. A full schedule of classes and times is listed in the box

> A Cut Above has partnered again with EventBrite to provide participants with a convenient and secure registration process. Visit acutaboveclasses.eventbrite. com for full details. Gift certificates are also available for individual classes or for group sessions.

> Widely known for its superior culinary creations and catering expertise, A Cut Above also offers Private Instructional Cooking Classes, Themed Cooking Parties and Team Building (featuring The Final Cut Challenge) as a part of its educational initiatives.

For more information about A Cut Above's Instructional Cooking Class series, please visit acutabovecatering.com/classes-team-building or email at info@acutabovecater-



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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 discuss, so you don't often hear about them. But at Tom Wood Volkswagen in Noblesville, we're breaking the taboo and organization that helps families Mike Bragg, GM of Tom Wood Volkswagen in Noblesville

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Duke Energy offers ways to educate yourself to better protect against utility scams, fraud

The REPORTER

The phone rings. It's Duke Energy. Workers are on the way to disconnect your electric service unless you pay over the phone right now. You follow the instructions and – just like that – you've been scammed.

Sadly, this is not an uncommon phone call. That's why Duke Energy has again joined forces with utilities across the continent to bring awareness to these criminal scam tactics on the fifth annual Utility Scam Awareness Day on Wednesday, Nov. 18. Utility Scam Awareness Day is part of the week-long International Scam Awareness Week, an advocacy and awareness campaign focused on educating customers and exposing the tactics used by

"As the COVID-19 pandemic continues, it's absolutely critical to remind all utility customers to beware of impostors attempting pandemic, Lawrence, Duke Energy's vice president of revenue services and metering. "We've made great progress as an industry in getting the word out the past few years, and the numbers continue to improve. But so do the scammers, and that's why we must continue to keep our customers informed and aware so they don't become the next victims. Together, we can stop scams."

Recognized annually, Utility Scam Awareness

Day was created by Utili- to be done to get the word might instruct a customer ties United Against Scams (UUAS), a consortium of nearly 150 U.S. and Canadian electric, water, and natural gas companies and their respective trade associations.

Scamming through the pandemic

Duke Energy – a founding member of UUAS and the consortium's other member companies have seen an increase in scam attempts appearing to take advantage of the uncertainty of the pandemic. In addition to the frequent impostor scam, some new tactics include bogus COVID-19 references to steal personal information. Although impostors continue to target utility customers, UUAS members and partners have succeeded in taking nearly 9,400 scam telephone numbers out of operation.

to scam them," said Jared preyed on Duke Energy authorities. Here are tips to accounts if they can concustomers with an alarming frequency," Lawrence said. "The good news? Most people didn't fall for it.'

> When the UUAS campaign started in 2016, more than 9 percent of Duke Energy customers who reported scams lost money, and so far this year less than 3 percent have reported falling for scams. That's still nearly \$400,000 of hard-earned money lost to scammers in made. less than a year, and the reason why more work needs ate payment: Scammers

In 2020, 1,828 Duke En-

ergy customers in Indiana have reported a scam attempt. Unfortunately, 36 of those customers have paid a total of \$18,486 to the scammers so far this year.

"Customers need to be on high alert as we continue to see impostor utility scams rise across North America," said UUAS Executive Director Monica Martinez. "Scammers demand money or personal information on the spot – usually with threatening language – and indicate that service will be disconnected immediately. Anyone and everyone, from senior households to small business owners, is at risk of being targeted."

UUAS advises customers who suspect that they have been victims of fraud or who feel threatened during contact with a scam-"At the height of the mer to contact their local protect yourself from falling victim to utility scams:

Know what to look for

Common scam tactics

 Threat to disconnect: Scammers may aggressively tell a customer their utility bill is past due, and service will be disconnected—usually within an hour—if a payment is not

Request for immedi-

to purchase a prepaid card, cryptocurrency, or to send funds via a mobile app to make a bill payment.

 Request for prepaid card or payment through certain mobile apps: Customers are instructed to pay with a prepaid debit card. The impostor asks for the prepaid card's number, which grants instant access to the card's funds. More recently, customers have also been instructed to send a payment through a mobile app. Duke Energy currently does not accept payments through the Cash App, Venmo or Zelle apps. However, customers can make payments on Duke Energy's mobile app available in the Apple App Store for iOS and the Google Play Store for Android.

 Personal information: During the COVID-19 crisis, criminals are promising to mail refund checks scammers utility or law enforcement for overpayments on their firm their personal data, including birthdays and, in some cases, Social Security numbers. Duke Energy will apply refunds as a credit to customers' accounts and will not contact customers to verify personal information by phone, email or in person in order to mail a check.

Protect yourself

 Customers should never purchase a prepaid card

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Letter to the Editor————

McMahon: Sacrifices are more important than inconveniences

There is a saying that "sacrifice comes before success, even in the dictionary."

Why then, I continually ask myself, are so many Americans unwilling to sacrifice their "need" to continue their regular lifestyles without regard to the loss of nearly a quarter million lives? After all, it is so inconvenient.

I marvel that (pre-COVID) I could dine in a restaurant, yet never saw a person enter who did not have on shoes or shirt. Could that be that the Health Department and the restaurants have mandated that you cannot enter in such a fashion?

I marvel that we are not allowed to light up a smoke on an airplane or in a movie theater (as well as in a restaurant or public building). Could it be that it has been deemed unhealthy and dangerous and we have the freedom to not be endangered by someone else's invasion of our rights? Could I walk up to someone and blow cigarette smoke in their face, or would that be assault?

I marvel that we must pay taxes. Could it be that paying taxes allows our firefighters, police, schools, roads, etc. to exist? If I don't want to pay my taxes, why should I have to do so?

Maybe I want to disregard all those mandated rules and laws. After all, this is America, right? I can do whatever I want. I don't have to obey the speed limit, do I? After all, this is America – why should I have to sacrifice anything?

My point, I am sure, is obvious. I do not want to live in a world with no rules, no laws.

I do NOT enjoy wearing a mask. I do NOT enjoy eliminating social events and staying at arm's length from beloved family members. I am sick and tired of the whole thing. However, I hope to live a healthy and long life and wish my loved ones to do the same, so I WILL follow the CDC recommendations and the recommendations of every single health care provider in the country – the very few notable exceptions are

If you have had a family member who is a member of the military who was deployed overseas, then perhaps they have missed a birthday, a Christmas, a Thanksgiving, maybe the birth of a child. They have experienced sacrifice for the good of our country. I am sure that my father-in-law did not enjoy being apart in the Pacific during WWII while his wife and child were in the States. I mean, after all, they should not have been inconvenienced, right?

A vaccine is coming; we know that. Can we not sacrifice our "needs" in this pandemic for a short while longer? How about combining Easter and Thanksgiving in 2021? After all, both are about being thankful for our redemption and for our families. How about Christmas in July? The retailers won't mind, they already promote that in their ads!

Please wear your mask. As Nike likes to remind us – JUST DO IT!

Sharon McMahon Noblesville

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Meeting Notices

The Noblesville Council Downtown Disrict Committee meeting scheduled for Nov. 30, 2020, has been moved to Monday, Dec. 7, 2020, at 8:30 a.m. in room A214 at Noblesville City Hall, 16 S. 10th St., Noblesville.

The Noblesville Redevelopment Commission meeting scheduled for Thursday, Nov. 19, 2020, has been canceled.





TODAY'S BIBLE READING

And when neither sun nor stars in many days appeared, and no small tempest lay on us, all hope that we should be saved was then taken away. But after long abstinence Paul stood forth in the midst of them, and said, Sirs, ye should have hearkened unto me, and not have loosed from Crete, and to have gained this harm and loss. And now I exhort you to be of good cheer: for there shall be no loss of any man's life among you, but of the ship.

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SCAMS

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to avoid service interruption. Utility companies do not specify how customers should make a bill payment and always offer a variety of ways to pay a bill, including online payments, phone payments, automatic bank drafts, mail, or in person.

• If someone threatens immediate service interruption, customers should be aware. Customers with past due accounts receive multiple advanced notices, typically by mail and in their regular monthly bill. Utilities will never notify of a disconnection in one hour

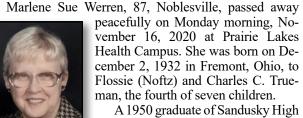
· If customers suspect ing scammed. someone is trying to scam

them, they should hang up, delete the email, or shut the door. The utility should be contacted immediately at the number on the most recent monthly bill or on the utility's official website, not the phone number the scammer provides. If customers ever feel that they are in physical danger, they should call 9-1-1.

Visit Duke Energy's brand journalism site, illumination, to learn more about Lawrence's involvement in founding Utilities United Against Scams and to download a call from a customer who reported be-

Marlene Sue Werren

December 2, 1932 – November 16, 2020



A 1950 graduate of Sandusky High School, Sue married Herbert Werren in 1959 and led an active life raising her two children. Sue served as the

family rock during the family's frequent moves. Always animated, a lover of music, singing and dancing, she gave great joy to her family, friends and especially her beloved granddaughters. She was only slowed down in life by Alzheimer's, which she battled valiantly for several years. She was lovingly cared for by her husband of 58 years, "Herb," her family, and many health care angels.

In addition to her parents, Sue is preceded in death by her husband, Herbert Werren; brothers, Raymond Trueman and Donald Trueman; and sister, Jean Miller.

She is survived by her daughter, Melanie (Mark R.) Tonn; son, Dwight Werren; her granddaughters, Mackenzie Tonn, Chelsea Werren Prajapati, Macie Tonn, Elizabeth Werren and Madison Tonn; and her siblings, Fred Trueman, Bertha Biechele and David Trueman.

Due to the coronavirus pandemic, a celebration of life will take place when safe in the future. Sue's care has been entrusted to Randall & Roberts Funeral Homes.

Memorials may be made to the Alzheimer's Association at alz.org.

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THE HAMILTON COUNTY REPORTER

King Quan Duan Mallett November 11, 2020

King Quan Duan Mallett was stillborn on Wednesday, November 11, 2020.

He is survived by his mother, Tasha Nicole Ford; father, Quantrell Duan Mallelt; siblings, Aidan Gibbs, Quan Mallet, Quenton Mallet, King Ray, King Tray, Jayla, Quanesha and J.R.; aunt, Tiffany Mann; grandfather, Lonnie Mann; great-grandmother, Verna Insko; and great-grandfather, Eddie (Darlene) Morefield.

King was preceded in death by his grandmother, Michelle France; and great-uncle, Jason Morefield.

Services will be held at 7 p.m. on Thursday, November 19, 2020 at Randall & Roberts Funeral Center, 1685 Westfield Road, Noblesville, with visitation from 4 p.m. to the time of service at the funeral home.

Memorial contributions may be made, to assist family with funeral expenses, to Randall & Roberts Funeral Home, 1685 Westfield Road, Noblesville, IN 46062.

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6 Sports



All-State soccer teams announced . . .

Noblesville's Jenna Chatterton named Miss Soccer, Mike Brady is Coach of the Year

na Chatterton has been one of the reasons the Millers have won back-to-back state championships and a 34-0-4 record over the past two seasons.



Brady

got the biggest one of Miss Soccer when it Catholic). released its All-State teams on Monday.

Player of the Year.

Chatterton had a spectacular season for Noblesville, leading the team in goals scored with 11 and also handing out six assists. Chatterton scored one of the goals for the Millers in their 3-0 win over Guerin Catholic in the Class 3A state championship game. She has committed to play soccer at the University of Tennessee.

Noblesville coach Mike Brady was named Girls Coach of the Year by the ISCA. Brady just finished his 18th year as head coach of the Millers, and holds a 239-44-42 career record. In addition to the two state championships, Brady has coached Noblesville to three other sectional and regional titles, plus a state finals appearance in 2008.

Year awards were released in conjunction with the ISCA's All-State teams, for both boys and girls. Not surprisingly, Hamilton County had a large presence on each team.

other county girls were named to the ISCA's First Team All-State. They are: Erin Baker (Carmel), Quincy McMahon (Guerin Catholic), Brooke Bailey (Car-

Noblesville senior soccer player Jen- mel), Kaysey Castro (Fishers), Sara Kile (Noblesville), Makenna Maloy (Noblesville) and Lydia Self (Hamilton Southeastern).

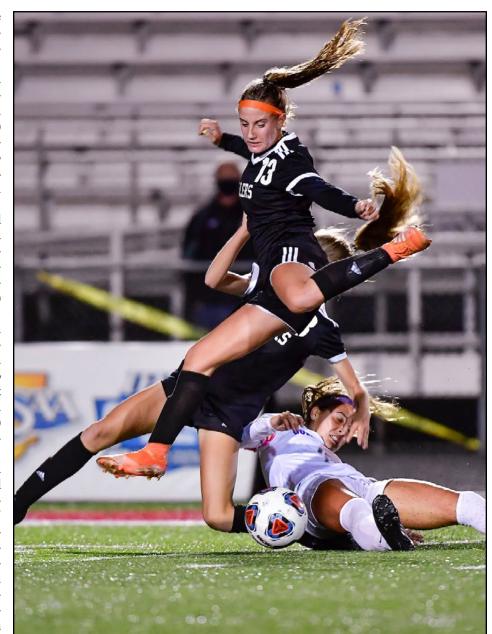
Four more players made the Second Chatterton's play and leadership Team All-State list: Abby Jenkins (Hamhave earned her many honors, and she ilton Southeastern), Susie Soderstrom (Carmel), Amiah Sprunger (Westfield) all from the Indiana and Olivia Smith (Hamilton Southeast-Soccer Coaches As- ern). Two local players were named to sociation. The ISCA the Third Team All-State: Jordan Imes named Chatterton as (Fishers) and Evelyn Bestard (Guerin

> Finally, six county players received Honorable Mention. They are Ava The Miss Soccer Bramblett (Noblesville), Aubrey Robaward is given to the ertson (Fishers), Claire Bonnici (Carmel), Molly Harris (Hamilton Southeastern), Jayla Logan (Hamilton Heights) and Caroline Quinn (Guerin Catholic).

On the boys side, Noblesville had two players named to the First Team All-State. Palmer Ault and Spencer Holland received the honor for the Millers, who were ranked No. 1 in Class 3A for most of the season. Also making First Team All-State were Quinn Manford (Fishers) and Isa Sayeed (Hamilton Southeast-

Seven local players were named to the Second Team All-State: David Green (Westfield), Brady Horn (Noblesville), Medard Mikobi (Carmel), AJ Caito (Carmel), Parker Gopsill (Hamilton Southeastern), Gabe Ingle (Noblesville) and Noah Reinhart (Fishers). An-The Miss Soccer and Coach of the other four players received Third Team All-State honors: Drew Barnes (Noblesville), Ethan Cabotage (Guerin Catholic), Ben Wallace (Westfield) and Mitch Rambo (Fishers).

Honorable Mention players from In addition to Chatterton, seven Hamilton County are Nick Rambo (Fishers), Matt Weaver (Hamilton Southeastern) and Ethan Mason (Guerin Catholic).



Kent Graham/File photo

Noblesville's Jenna Chatterton (13) was named Miss Soccer by the Indiana Soccer Coaches Association Monday when the ISCA announced its All-State teams. Chatterton scored 11 goals for the Millers this season and helped Noblesville win back-to-back state championships.

Girls basketball

Greyhounds hold off Zionsville, 56-50

Carmel began its second week as No. 1 in the ICGSA Class 4A girls basketball poll with a hard-fought win at Zionsville Tuesday, 56-50.

first quarter, with Emily Roper scoring five of those points. Carmel extended its lead to 29-17 by halftime. Kate Clarke had a solid second quarter, throwing in two 3-pointers on her way to 12 points.

The 'Hounds led 41-25 after three periods, with Clarke making two more triples. The Eagles made a comeback bid in the fourth quarter, scoring 25 points, but Carmel was able to hold them off. Free throw shooting helped, as the Greyhounds were 8-of-8 from the line in the fourth.

Clarke led Carmel with 25 points, including four 3s. Roper added eight

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blocked shots. Bridget Dunn also had eight points, while Evan Spidel collected three rebounds. Clarke made four steals.

The Greyhounds are 3-0 and play

The Greyhounds led 14-7 after the again next Tuesday at Noblesville. **CARMEL 56, ZIONSVILLE 50** Carmel FG **Bridget Dunn** Evan Spidel 1-3 Riley Pennington 9-11 Kate Clarke 6-11 Hannah Lach 2-2 Mackenzie Thomas **Emily Roper** 3-5 0-0 0 Laura Valiente 0-0 Totals 15-39 20-26 56 Score by Quarters Carmel 12 15 - 56 Zionsville 10 8 25 - 50 Carmel 3-point shooting (6-16) Clarke 4-6, Dunn 1-5, Lach 1-5. Carmel rebounds (23) Roper 8, Spidel 5,



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NFL standings -Week 10

Week 10 scores Minnesota 19, Chicago 13 N.Y. Giants 27, Philadelphia 17 Green Bay 24, Jacksonville 20 Cleveland 10, Houston 7 Tampa Bay 46, Carolina 23 Miami 29, L.A. Chargers 21 Las Vegas 37, Denver 12

Arizona 32, Buffalo 30

New Orleans 27, San Francisco 13 L.A. Rams 23, Seattle 16 Pittsburgh 36, Cincinnati 10 New England 23, Baltimore 17 Indianapolis 34, Tennessee 17

Bye week: N.Y. Jets, Kansas City, Dallas,

National Conference

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East	W	L	T	PCT	PF	PA
Philadelphia	3	5	1	.389	203	232
N.Y. Giants	3	7	0	.300	195	236
Washington	2	7	0	.222	180	218
Dallas	2	7	0	.222	204	290
North	W	L	T	PCT	PF	PA
Green Bay	7	2	0	.778	277	224
Chicago	5	5	0	.500	191	209
Minnesota	4	5	0	.444	236	247
Detroit	4	5	0	.444	227	267
South	W	L	T	PCT	PF	PA
New Orleans	7	2	0	.778	271	213
Tampa Bay	7	3	0	.700	296	226
Atlanta	3	6	0	.333	243	251
Carolina	3	7	0	.300	233	272
West	W	L	T	PCT	PF	PA
Arizona	6	3	0	.667	266	210
L.A. Rams	6	3	0	.667	216	168
Seattle	6	3	0	.667	290	266
San Francisco	4	6	0	.400	238	234

American Conference PF **East** W Т **PCT** PA Buffalo 7 3 0 .700 272 265 Miami 6 0 .667 251 182 4 0 .444 189 211 New England N.Y. Jets 0 .000 121 268 T **PCT** North W PF PA Pittsburgh 9 0 1.00 271 171 165 **Baltimore** 6 0 .667 244 Cleveland 6 .667 216 244 Cincinnati 2 1 .278 204 250 W Т South **PCT** PF PA 0 .667 242 177 Indianapolis 6 **Tennessee** 6 .667 249 235 Houston 2 0 .222 200 252 Jacksonville 1 0 .111 199 271 West Т PCT PF PA Kansas City 8 .889 286 183 Las Vegas 6 0 .667 255 241 Denver 3 0 .333 186 254 L.A. Chargers .222 226 245

Leaders: Downtown needs work to host, but Indy up for NCAA Final Four bubble

By DEMIE JOHNSON **WISH-TV**

Downtown leaders said that after so the host city. many canceled events this year in the coronavirus pandemic, they're looking something on the calendar.

The NCAA announced on Monday it plans to hold the entire 2021 men's that work is first securing the tournatournament in a single geographic area ment. City leaders said even if it has to

is in talks with Indianapolis to serve as lot of jobs back to downtown.

to be prepared to host the NCAA tour- Downtown Indy Inc., said what's missforward to the possibility of getting nament, a lot of work still needs to be ing right now is the workforce. He said,

Since nothing is official yet, part of

to mitigate the risks of COVID-19. It happen with no fans, it will still bring a a city — of any central business district

Bob Schultz, vice president of However, they said, for Indianapolis marketing and communications with es the best we can," Tamm said. until more people feel comfortable coming back to their offices, Indianapolis will continue to see vacant and boarded-up businesses.

> do. We've got some dark days ahead of us as a community and we need to support those restaurants and retailers so when we get to a spring when we're ready to host — whether it be a basketdowntown," Schultz said Monday.

Patrick Tamm, president and chief events this year.

"The first thing for us right now as they can move forward with plans.

in the state and, frankly, country and world — is getting people back in offic-

Local restaurant owners are up for the challenge. Having a bar and restaurant right across the street from Bankers Life Fieldhouse, Keith Stucker has been waiting for news like this for quite some time. The Pier 48 Fish House & "We've got some heavy lifting to Oyster Bar owner said, "Who would have thought going into doing a beautiful buildout like we did and like the Hyatt did, with the expectations of having a Bankers Life Fieldhouse and seeing the Pacers and NCAA games and things ball tournament or a convention, or a like that, to have all of it go away in returning workforce — they recognize your first year of operation. It's been a challenge to say the least."

As far as what it would take for hoexecutive officer of the Indiana Restautels and other downtown businesses and rant and Lodging Association, agreed. facilities to create a bubble atmosphere But, he added, Indianapolis already for the men's basketball NCAA Final has some practice under its belt after Four, city leaders said they can't say for hosting some smaller-scale youth sport sure. They tell News 8 they have to wait for official word from the NCAA before







