



(Left) Dr. Yvonne Stokes was approved as the new Hamilton Southeastern Schools superintendent at Thursday's special school board meeting. (Right) Members of Fishers One, a grassroots community organization with the stated goal of restoring academic excellence in Hamilton Southeastern Schools, demonstrated outside Thursday's HSE School Board meeting during which a new superintendent was announced.

Reporter photos by Kirk Green

# Dr. Yvonne Stokes named new HSE superintendent

By LARRY LANNAN  
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Dr. Yvonne Stokes was named the new superintendent of Hamilton Southeastern (HSE) Schools at a special meeting last Thursday. The vote was 5-2, with Brad Boyer and

Suzanne Thomas voting no. Board President Janet Pritchett described Dr. Stokes as "a talented educator who for the last three years has served as assistant superintendent for the School Town of Munster." She also spent time as assistant superintendent at Indianapolis Public Schools.

"Please don't fret about academic excellence," Stokes told the board. "Let's keep the main thing the main thing. We're here to make sure that our students have academic excellence. I will make sure that continues to happen." Stokes openly discussed

how she went through a divorce that resulted in the filing of personal bankruptcy, on the advice of her attorneys.

"I did what I had to do to take care of my children," Stokes told the board. "I tell you

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# County Commissioners adopt updated Comprehensive Plan for rural townships

The REPORTER

The Hamilton County Commissioners adopted the Hamilton County Plan Commission's updated Comprehensive Plan on April 12. The long-range document provides a foundation for all land use, transportation, and environmental policies for the rural townships of Wayne, White River, the northeast corner of Noblesville, and Adams Township.

"Through public input, a real vision emerged for this area,"

said Corrie Meyer, President and CEO of Innovative Planning, the consultant team that led the Plan Commission process. "We're confident the final product is not only strategic and thoughtful, but also provides guidance



Meyer



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build, and invest in the county." The recommendations of the new Comprehensive Plan focused on:

- (1) Endorsing the agrarian culture and quality of life,
- (2) Balancing current land uses and growth in a sustainable manner,
- (3) Protecting floodplains and natural resources,
- (4) Strategically encouraging economic development in business and agriculture, and
- (5) Managing population growth by increasing clusters of population density.

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# GFOA commends Hamilton County for 'excellence in financial reporting'

The REPORTER

The Government Finance Officers Association of the United States and Canada (GFOA) has awarded the Certificate of Achievement for Excellence in Financial Reporting to Hamilton County for its comprehensive annual financial report for the fiscal year ending Dec. 31, 2019.

The report has been judged by an impartial panel to meet the high standards of the program, which includes demonstrating a constructive "spirit of full disclosure" to clearly communicate its financial story and motivate staff and Baker Tilly LLC, a



Mills

potential users and user groups to read the report.

The county's comprehensive annual financial report is prepared by the Auditor's office. Hamilton County Auditor Robin Mills thanked her

financial advisory firm, for helping her achieve the certification.

The Certificate of Achievement is the highest form of recognition in the area of governmental accounting and financial reporting, and its attainment represents a significant accomplishment by a government and its management.

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# "Essential workers" to benefit . . . County officials huddle on COVID relief spending

By FRED SWIFT  
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Having more money than you know what to do with is usually not a problem for most folks. But, local government is, in a sense, facing that problem.

With American Rescue Plan funds on the way to Hamilton County, officials must decide where they can spend their \$65.5 million windfall. County commissioners and county council members met last Friday on the matter.

Hamilton County government did not suffer financially to a great extent because of the pandemic.

The money is supposed to be spent to compensate local government for losses suffered in the past year.

The first decision by county officials was extra pay for employees who faced health risks and may have lost out on benefits due to a cautious approach to budget-making last year in the face of the rising health crisis.

Since any bonus pay to "essential" employees must be made by May 27, the matter was put to a vote at Friday's meeting. Each



Dillinger

money can be spent. This includes somehow reimbursing various county departments for lost revenue in Local Income Taxes, food and beverage tax revenue, lost gas tax monies, lost receipts at county parks and fairgrounds, and

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# Hairbangers Ball to headline Noblesville July 4<sup>th</sup> festival

The REPORTER

The City of Noblesville is actively preparing for a spectacular 2021 Noblesville Fireworks Festival, and city officials have announced details for the free events taking place on Sunday, July 4 beginning at 4:30 p.m. with the Stars & Stripes Forever Parade through Downtown Noblesville.

The Noblesville Fourth of July parade, festival, and fireworks display is the longest continuously running celebration in Central Indiana and an annual tradition in Noblesville since 1997.

"We are planning a great community celebration for the Fourth of July," Mayor Chris Jensen said. "While COVID-19 impacted our plans last year, we were still

able to enjoy the holiday safely. I know more families and residents are eager to get out this summer and our plans provide fun activities for all ages. I know the Noblesville community will enjoy the festivities we have planned as we honor our nation's independence."

The day kicks off with the annual Stars & Stripes Forever Fourth of July Parade at 4:30 p.m. Registration to participate in the parade is \$25 (nonprofits are not charged) and entries must be submitted by June 30. Forms are available at [NoblesvilleFireworksFestival.com](#).



Jensen

festival items like a mobile zipline, an axe throwing trailer, flying trapeze, inflatables, trackless train and a kids' area. An adult area will include a beer garden and games. Hairbangers Ball will perform on the main stage from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. The day will end with the annual fireworks show, which will begin at 10 p.m.

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# GOP caucus to fill Cicero Town Council vacancy

By FRED SWIFT  
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Jack Russell has resigned his position on the Cicero Town Council because he will move outside Council District 2, where he currently resides.

A caucus has been called by County Republican Party Chairwoman Laura Campbell to fill the vacancy. The caucus of the GOP precinct committeemen in District 2 has been set for May 4 at 6:30 p.m. in Red Bridge Park community center.



Russell

Persons interested in running for the position may contact Mrs. Campbell at County Republican headquarters. Candidates must be residents of the district, have a Republican voting record in the last GOP primary, and make their candidacy known at least 72 hours prior to the caucus.

Cicero has a five-member council. Russell's term runs through December 2023. By state law, the GOP is entitled to fill the vacancy since Russell was seated as a Republican.

# Historic group of Carmel projects total \$335 million

Adding up the costs of the Carmel community's current public building projects, the total is enormously impressive and probably historic.

These local government projects have all been reported previously, but generally one by one from officials of the various entities undertaking their own building programs, namely Carmel Clay Schools, Clay Township, the City of Carmel and the Carmel Public Library.

These include the first of the school system's \$105 million facilities improvement plan. This year nearly half of that amount will go into high school upgrades (new boilers, roofing, etc.), planetarium improvements, baseball and soccer field renovations and parking expansion. Next year a new \$43 million natatorium has been approved.

The Clay Township administration has a \$65 million Community Impact program underway, which features a new fire department administration building and fire buff's museum, a Dad's Club fieldhouse, a historical society museum and major improvements in several local parks.

The city recently approved a \$125 million bond issue to finance numerous street improvements and additional roundabouts plus the new water tower feature that will allow huge video displays.

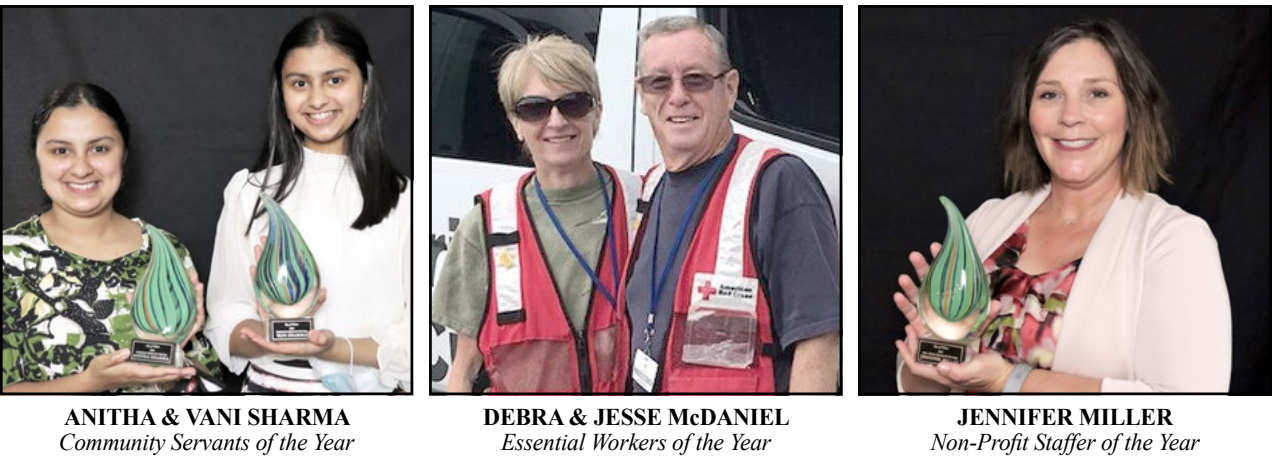
The Carmel Clay Public Library is in the midst of a \$40 million renovation and



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ANITHA & VANI SHARMA  
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Essential Workers of the Year

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Fishers Parks Youth  
Volunteer of the Year

JAMISON VANCE  
Fishers Non-Profit  
Volunteer of the Year

# Fishers awards volunteers for their time, talent, service to community

By LARRY LANNAN  
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In celebration of National Volunteer Week, the City of Fishers announced the City of Service Awards. Three new community-nominated awards will be featured this year: Essential Worker of the Year, Non-Profit Staffer of the Year, and Community Servant of the Year.

Winners were selected by the Fishers City Council through a blind process and will be celebrated throughout the week online at [ThisIsFishers.com/City-of-Service](#) and on social media.

This year’s award winners include:

- Essential Worker of the Year: Jesse and Debra McDaniel, American Red Cross
- Non-Profit Staffer of the Year: Jennifer Miller, Shepherd’s Center of Ham-



Photo provided by City of Fishers  
**Boy Scout Troop 199 was named the Fishers Parks Group Volunteer of the Year.**

- ilton County
- Community Servant of the Year: Anitha and Vani Sharma
  - Fishers Non-Profit Volunteer of the Year: Jamison Vance, Mudsock Youth Athletics
  - Fishers Parks Adult Volunteer of the Year: Wish-

- es to Remain Anonymous
- Fishers Parks Youth Volunteer of the Year: Johna Coffey
- Fishers Parks Group Volunteer of the Year: Boy Scout Troop 199
- Fishers Police Department Volunteer of the Year: Art Hennig

- Hamilton Southeastern Schools Foundation Volunteer of the Year: Michael Zahm
- The city says that in the year 2020, over 350 individual and group volunteers dedicated over 17,000 hours of their time and talent to the local community.

# County Health Department sets up new hotline for COVID vaccine cancellations

## The REPORTER

The Hamilton County Health Department has noticed a sharp increase in the number of people not showing up for their COVID-19 vaccinations.

“We’re averaging as many as 50 no-shows a day,” said Christian Walker, the health department’s Emergency Preparedness Coordinator. “Unfortunately, that puts us in a bad position as we don’t want to risk losing a dose because we opened a vial and don’t have an arm to put it in.”

As more clinics open, people are finding ways to get their vaccine sooner. Unfortunately, the only way to cancel an appointment is by calling 2-1-1, which can lead to long wait times. As a result, volun-

teers for the health department have taken to calling those on the schedule each day to confirm their appointments, but that has proven time consuming.

“We’re hoping this hotline will make cancelling an appointment much less time consuming,” Walker said. “And we’re hoping those who need to make a cancellation will take the time to do so, so we can ensure that everyone who wants a vaccine gets one.”

Clients should expect a call from (317) 776-2585 or a text from 78015 the week prior to their appointment. If they need to talk to a person, they can leave a voice-mail with their name, date of birth, phone number, and appointment date at (317) 776-8566.



Walker

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tourism revenue not collected.

These losses are believed to amount to about \$6 million.

A third use of the grant funds will go to drainage projects and extension of broadband service for certain locations as outlined in the federal act.

And, lastly grants from the county’s money may be given to non-profit organizations within the county and small businesses to replace lost revenue.

All this would seem to total little more than half

the \$65.5 million which starts becoming available to the county on May 11.

Unfortunately for Hamilton County, federal restrictions prohibit using the relief funds for capital projects such as buildings, highways and bridges.

So, for what else can be money be spent?

Commissioner Steve Dillinger put it this way: “Is it prudent to look for ways to spend it just because we can? But, if we don’t use it, it will go back and be given to someone else. It’s a catch-22.”

# Tell me a story

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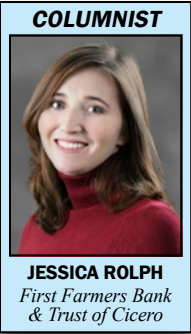
Welcome back to the next installment of Daisy’s story about building a castle in her own backyard. At First Farmers, we’re excited to be putting together a small Cape Cod replica playhouse this week to give away at this year’s Fourth of July celebration! Stay tuned for details on how to enter to win!

Daisy Walker was a patient child ... at least, that’s what she told herself as she watched the workers tear apart the deck in preparation for a new one. She’d waited *patiently* all week, even when it rained for three days straight. She’d waited *patiently* as the workers talked to her parents, talked to each other, talked on their phones, and generally just talked. She was still waiting, albeit a bit less patiently. But all that waiting was about the pay off!

Daisy had all her supplies ready to go. Paint and nails, window dressings, even some shingles that had been left over from the roof. Her dad was back for the week from the firehouse, and he had promised they’d build the frame of her castle today. Daisy’s patience was just about gone.

“Dad!” she yelled as the old wooden boards started to pile up. “Loot!”

Daisy grabbed two of the long pieces of pure



JESSICA ROLPH  
First Farmers Bank & Trust of Cicero

potential, almost squeezed her hand on the nail jutting out of one end, and promptly dropped it again. Her dad brought over some work gloves.

“Be careful, Daiz,” he said, smiling at her. Daisy loved her dad. He was big, towering over her like a benign giant, and he had given her freckles and red hair. “Let’s put some of these into the wheelbarrow and get started.”

Together they hauled a couple dozen boards back to the corner of the yard. Daisy had chosen to build her castle between two trees that would serve as part of the structure. Her dad had brought out his toolkit, and Bullet danced around their feet.

“Tell me again what you’re picturing here, Daisy,” her dad instructed, eyeing the trees, the piles of boards, and the other flotsam Daisy had gathered.

“A castle, Dad! Like I told you, built right up to the sky! Well, at least right up to the branch,” she said, pointing. Her dad grinned at her and they got to work. By the end of the day, Daisy was sore, tired, but so excited. Her castle was framed! Her dad said they’d add the walls tomorrow, and then the fun would begin. Windows and paint! Lighting! She had dozens of solar lights to string up, and her mom and even

given her the outdoor rug from last year to put on the floor. She’d add a few chairs and a table, put some potted flowers by the front door, and call it home for the summer!

That night, Daisy’s mom and dad looked over the scrapbook she’d put together. She had Pinterest boards too, but somehow flipping through the pages of cut out magazine pictures and paint cards was more fun. She drawn pictures of her castle, figured out where to put the lights, and even started writing stories about a girl who finds a secret door to a magical land hidden under the floorboards.

“Do you think we’ll be ready to start decorating tomorrow, Dad?” she asked.

“We’re certainly going to try, kid,” he told her.

That night, Daisy sat on her window seat, reading a book about knights and adventures. She could look out the window, across the yard, and just make out the lines of her castle in the darkness. Soon there would be lights there, she thought to herself happily. Even as she thought it, a light suddenly sparked in the distance. Daisy was almost dozing but sat straight up, watching. Something was in her castle ... and she was determined to find out what.

Make sure to join us next week as we continue Daisy’s story. Until from, from First Farmers Bank & Trust, I’m Just, and I’m listening.

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# Indiana Secy. of State speaks at local GOP breakfast meeting



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The Hamilton County Republican Party (HCRP) recently heard from Indiana Secretary of State Holli Sullivan at the club's first 2021 Breakfast Meeting at the Bridgewater Club in Westfield, where she shared her background as well as her plans for the office of Secretary of State. Secy. Sullivan, who lives in Evansville, was recently appointed by Governor Holcomb after Connie Lawson resigned. Sullivan had previously served as State Representative for House District 78. Sullivan has since been elected Vice Chair of the Indiana Republican Party. (From left) Tiffany Ditlevson of Fishers, HCRP Chair Laura Campbell, Secretary of State Holli Sullivan, and Magdalen Bergeron.

# Villas of Fishers District development gets final OK, but with some controversy

By LARRY LANNAN  
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Thompson-Thrift developed Fishers District, and it is now seeking approval of a rezoning to allow a new residential development to move forward in that same area. The Fishers City Council gave its approval, but only after complaints

from some neighbors in the area were not heard before the vote.

Villas of Fishers District will consist of 250 residential units located on 25.5 acres of land directly south and adjacent to Fishers District.

The vote to approve the rezoning tallied at six yes votes, with no votes from

Samantha DeLong and Jocelyn Vare, along with an abstention from councilor David George.

The Fishers Plan Commission had approved the rezone unanimously, but nearby residents complained that a fence had been added since the Plan Commission public hearing. Councilor Vare asked City Council

President Selina Stoller to allow comments from the residents, but Stoller moved on with the council vote.

Residents were able to comment at the end of the meeting following the vote to approve the rezoning, and Mayor Scott Fadness told the residents to contact him and he will work for a solution with the developer.

# Carmel Clay Parks hiring seasonal staffers

**The REPORTER**  
According to Carmel Clay Parks & Recreation, it is in the business of creating memories. Each summer, CCPR works to provide the Carmel community with outstanding experiences at city parks and in parks programs.  
CCPR is currently accepting applications for mul-

iple summer positions and will hire more than 150 seasonal staff.  
CCPR is looking to find team members who play a large part in The Waterpark, parks, and camps success. Positions include lifeguards, swim instructors, concessions, member services, camp counselors and more. CCPR has summer positions

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# Arcadia man dies in fall from hunting blind

By GREGG MONTGOMERY  
[WISH-TV | wishtv.com](#)  
Jimmy Grider, 69, Arcadia, died last Wednesday after falling about eight feet from an elevated hunting blind, Indiana conservation officers said.  
Fountain County dispatchers received a 911 call

at about 11 a.m. on Wednesday about the hunter's fall near the 2000 block of West Snoddy Road. That's near Prairie Creek, about a mile north of the rural community of Cates, which is about 60 miles west-northwest of Indianapolis.  
Grider died at the scene. He was not wearing a full-

body harness or any other climbing safety gear, according to a news release from conservation officers with the Indiana Department of Natural Resources.  
An autopsy has been scheduled to determine his cause of death.  
The release said, "Indiana Conservation Officers would

like to remind Hoosiers that the most common hunting related injuries are accidents involving tree stands and elevated platforms. All Hoosiers are urged to wear a full body safety harness when ascending and descending elevated platforms. For more information, see [hunting.IN.gov](#)."

## Obituary

David Gerald Wooldridge  
September 13, 1961 – April 2, 2021

David Gerald Wooldridge, 59, Lebanon, passed away on April 2, 2021, surrounded by his loving family. He was born on September 13, 1961 in Rush County, Ind., to Stephen and Kathryn Wooldridge.

David was a graduate of Westfield High School, Class of 1979. He went on to proudly serve his country in the United States Airforce. He retired as a Tech Sergeant in 2004. While he was stationed in England, he met Miriam Jacqueline Rachel (Keniry) Wooldridge and the two of them were married on September 24, 1987 in Gloucestershire, England, and they have been at each other's side for 33 years. David also knew the importance of an education. He received his master's degree at Faulkner University in Montgomery, Ala., and he also attended the Le Cordon Bleu Chef School in England and received his chef certification. David enjoyed woodworking and he was Master Craftsmen carpenter in England.

When David returned to Indiana, he became a member at Mt. Carmel Catholic Church and was also a member of the Knights of Columbus.

David will be greatly missed by his loving family, his wife of 33 years, Miriam; and their son, Devon Wooldridge. He was a proud grandfather to Beau Scott Wooldridge. He was a loving son to Stephen and Kathryn (Lee) Wooldridge and brother to Stephen (Jodi) Wooldridge and Jennifer (Greg) Homola; and an uncle to several nieces and nephews. Preceding David in death were his grandparents, Marion Ray and Roberta Steffey; and grandmother, Mary Stout.

A graveside service was held on Saturday, April 24, 2021 at Hamilton Memorial Park, 4180 Westfield Road, Westfield. Donations in David's memory can be made to Lung Cancer Research Foundation at [lungcancerresearchfoundation.org](#). Everyone is invited to sign the online guestbook, leave a condolence or share a memory at [fisherfunerals.com](#).

## HSE

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this because if there is one thing you will know about me is that I'm resilient."

"Our children thrive in our schools when they understand their value, know they are loved and supported and are inspired to excel in all facets of their lives," Stokes said in a school district news release. "Transforming learning and life outcomes for students through education, equity and excellence requires an all-hands-on-deck approach by ALL of us. It takes me, it takes you, it takes all of us! I look forward to listening to, learning from and supporting our Hamilton South-eastern Schools family."

HSEqual, the local group organized over the

nondiscrimination policy debate in the spring of 2019, praised the selection of Dr. Stokes, saying she "is student centered, encourages collaboration, and has a strong background working with diverse stakeholders." HSEqual thanked the school board "for seeking community input during the preselection process and taking that feedback to heart. We are confident you've made a great choice."

A newly formed group, Fishers One, had argued the board should delay the superintendent selection process. Roughly 10 to 15 people demonstrated outside the administration building advocating Fishers One's position.

## COUNTY LINE

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expansion of the main library and construction of a parking garage.

All told, these building programs have a total cost of about \$335 million. Little to no property tax increase is promised in these massive programs. How do they do it?

It's done by a combination of making use of existing debt retirement

rates when current bonds mature, a rapidly increasing tax base, proceeds from existing building funds and, in some cases, refinancing some debt at current lower interest rates.

All the building is certain to bring more change to the public face of the community, as if change was not already almost a daily occurrence in Carmel.

## JULY 4

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In addition to all the events planned, Forest Park will also feature a limited VIP section where families and friends can purchase tables for the evening. These tables offer up-close seating to the live music performance, an exceptional view of the fireworks, and a great meeting place to safely gather and eat in between activities.

VIP table groups may bring in their own food and

drink, participate in a table decorating contest, and get access to separate VIP restroom options. Tables seat eight people and cost \$160. Registration will open to the public at 8 a.m. on Friday, April 30 online at [NoblesvilleFireworks-Festival.com](#). Funds received for VIP section accommodations help defray costs of hosting the community event.

## PLAN

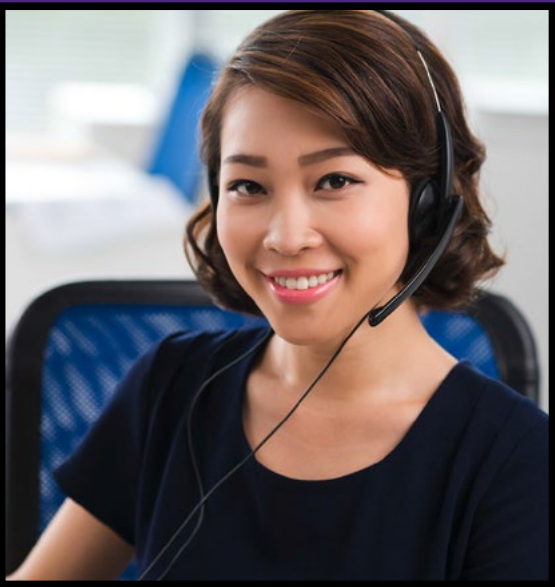
"They've provided us with a detailed roadmap for the next 10 years," said Mark Heirbrandt, president of the Hamilton County Commissioners. "The Plan Commission's due diligence will help county leaders implement what county residents envision and aid in future decision making based on factual data. Plus, it offers the

added benefit of protecting property values."  
The last Hamilton County Comprehensive Plan was adopted in 2006, and prior to that, 1990. The latest revision of this planning effort is deeply rooted in citizen input, as the commission hosted nine community meetings (three in each township) and six public

presentations. More than 600 residents also responded to mailed and online surveys – even during the height of the pandemic.  
"The Comprehensive Plan recommendations are just that – recommendations," added Meyer. "These recommendations are not code and they are not policies that have already been

adopted. They are strategic inspirations intended to be implemented over the next 10 years through zoning ordinances and future county-wide policy statements."  
The Commission's categorized recommendations are attached. The public can view the entire 100-page document at [tinyurl.com/HamCoCompPlan2021](#).

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# Carmel's Brian Waddell named to Indiana Boys All-Stars team

Carmel's Brian Waddell is among the 14 players that have been selected for the 2021 IndyStar Indiana Boys All-Stars. All-Stars game director Mike Broughton announced on April 19.

Those chosen to the team will play three games in June -- one exhibition game against the Indiana Junior All-Stars as well as home-and-home contests against the Kentucky All-Stars.

Waddell, a 6-foot-7 guard, was one of the key players for the Greyhounds during their run to the Class 4A state championship, which they won on April 3. Waddell averaged 15.8 points per game during his senior season.

Caleb Furst of Fort Wayne Blackhawk Christian was named winner of the Indiana Mr. Basketball award last Friday. Furst and Waddell will be joined by 12 other players on the 2021 Indiana Boys All-Star team. The remaining players, listed alphabetically, are Shamar Avance of Lawrence North, Brooks Barnhizer of Lafayette Jeff, Jalen Blackmon of Marion, Luke Brown of Blackford, Luke Goode of Homestead, Kooper Jacobi of Silver Creek, Trey Kaufman-Renn of Silver Creek, J.R. Konieczny of South Bend St. Joseph, Blake Sisley of Heritage Hills, Jayden

Taylor of Perry Meridian, Pierce Thomas of Brownsburg and Blake Wesley of South Bend Riley.

The coaches for the 2021 All-Stars will be the same staff that was to guide the All-Stars a year ago, as the 2020 All-Star events were canceled because of the COVID-19 pandemic. The head coach will be Ryan Osborn of Carmel. He will be assisted by Mark Detweiler of Delta and Nate Hawkins of Heritage Hills.

The 2021 IndyStar Indiana Miss Basketball, Jayla Smith of Lawrence North, and the rest of Girls All-Star team were announced last month. Fishers' Katie Burton is among the players selected.

The Junior-Senior exhibition game is set for June 9 at Brownsburg High School. The first game against Kentucky will be June 11 at the Owensboro SportsCenter in Owensboro, Ky. The final game against Kentucky will be June 12 at Southport Fieldhouse in Indianapolis. The games in Indianapolis are at Southport because Bankers Life Fieldhouse is unavailable this summer because of another phase of renovations that will be occurring there.

All three dates will be doubleheaders with the IndyStar Indiana Girls All-Stars.



LEFT: Carmel's Brian Waddell has been named to the 2021 Indiana Boys All-Star team. Waddell, a 6-foot-7 guard, averaged 15.8 points per game for the Greyhounds, helping them to a Class 4A state championship in early April.

RIGHT: Carmel coach Ryan Osborn will be the head coach of the Indiana boys All-Star team.



Kent Graham/File photos

The Indiana Junior All-Stars will play just one game this year -- June 9 against the seniors. There are no Junior All-Star games against Kentucky this year.

The Indiana All-Stars program was founded in 1939 when the Indiana Boys All-Stars played the state champion Frankfort Hot Dogs. The series with Ken-

tucky began in 1940, and the girls' portion of the All-Stars was added in 1976. The Junior All-Stars, boys and girls, were added in 1996. The All-Star senior boys have played Kentucky in all but three years since 1940 -- 1943 (World War II), 1944 (World War II) and 2020 (COVID-19 pandemic). The All-Star senior girls have played Kentucky every year

since 1976, except 2020 (COVID-19 pandemic).

The Indiana portion of the All-Star Games is organized and produced by the Indiana Basketball Coaches Association. The Indianapolis Star, with its IndyStar brand, is a title sponsor.

Mr. Basketball is selected through a balloting process of coaches and media overseen by game

organizers from the IBCA. The remainder of the team is finalized by Broughton after observing numerous games and events throughout the season, conferring with coaches, school officials and media across the state. Broughton also reviews votes submitted by coaches and media who each could recommend up to 10 players.

Fast times and exciting races . . .

# Carmel hosts first-ever Distance Showcase

By RICHIE HALL

**CARMEL** — With spring sports schedules being adjusted as Indiana slowly climbs out of the COVID-19 pandemic, some schools are putting on some new events.

The Carmel track and field teams are among them, as the Greyhounds hosted the first-ever Carmel Distance Showcase last Friday night. The showcase brought elite-level talent schools from all across the state.

Greyhounds boys track coach Ken Browner said the event was modeled after the annual Franklin Central Flashes Showcase, which features its "Miracle Mile" 1600 run as the centerpiece event. But at Carmel, the runners go for a 3200 run, and they produced some outstanding performances.

"I think the kids and the coaches really enjoyed to-night, and it was fun," said Browner.

The highlight was the boys' 3200, with feature three heats. The fast heat turned into a blistering showdown between Angola's Izaiah Steury, the reigning cross country state champion, and Carmel's Kole Mathison. Both runners

set a fast pace during the run, then came streaking down the track side by side during the final 100 meters.

In the end, Steury edged out Mathison by 0.05 seconds. But what had everyone buzzing after the race were the times: Steury finished in 8:55.07, Mathison clocked in at 8:55.12. Another runner, Whiteland's Will Jefferson, placed third in 8:56.15. Three runners, all under nine minutes.

Steury called it a "perfect day" to run and made the most of the opportunity.

"We wanted to run fast," said Steury. He said that runners don't have many opportunities to run one single event, so they "had to get out here and do what we were supposed to do. It turned out pretty good."

"It was really cool, really special to race against such great competition here locally in my home track," said Mathison, who broke nine minutes for the first time in the 3200. "It was really just a blessing to have guys like that that could push me to run a time like that, a PR."

Browner noted that in addition to the three sub-nine minute runners who raced on Friday, there was



Reporter photo by Kent Graham

**Carmel's Kole Mathison (left) and Angola's Izaiah Steury were in a race for the ages during the Carmel Distance Showcase last Friday. Both runners competed in the fast heat of the boys 3200 run. Steury won the exceptionally fast race by 0.05 seconds.**

another elite-level runner, Lucas Guerra of Highland, capable of being in the mix as well.

"Depending on what happens at the state meet and who runs what, it could be a very hot race," said Browner.

In addition to Carmel,

runners from Guerin Catholic, Hamilton Southeastern, Noblesville and Westfield were at the showcase. The Millers' Cole Kimmel finished in seventh place to lead his school, with the Shamrocks' Kai Connor taking 11th. Austin Callahan finished 13th for

the Golden Eagles and the Royals' Will Maquardt placed 17th.

The girls 3200 race was also fast. Park Tudor's Sophia Kennedy won in 10:25.27, just ahead of runner-up Lily Cridge of Bishop Chatard, who clocked in at 10:26.50.

Carmel's Annie Christie was the top county runner, placing third in a time of 10:33.26.

"I felt pretty good about the race," said Christie. "I think my last 800 could have been a little bit stronger, but other than that I was pretty happy with it."

The Greyhounds' had two runners in the top 10, with Cara Naas placing seventh. Gnister Grant finished 25th for Noblesville and Sophie Porter took 34th for Westfield. Allison Wozniak took 54th for Guerin Catholic.

There was also a 4x800 relay race at the event. The Carmel girls team of Ellie Marsella, Mahalet Zeruesenay, Lily Rose and Abbey Grogan won that race in 9:47.37.

**BOYS 3200 RUN**  
Race winner: Izaiah Steury (Angola) 8:55.07.  
Hamilton County runners: 2. Kole Mathison (Carmel) 8:55.12, 7. Cole Kimmel (Noblesville) 9:17.60, 11. Kai Connor (Westfield) 9:20.91, 12. Charlie Schuman (C) 9:23.92, 13. Austin Callahan (Guerin Catholic) 9:24.11, 17. Will Maquardt (Hamilton Southeastern) 9:25.73, 18. Hudson Alden (C) 9:26.45, 19. Jacob Fisher (C) 9:26.85, 25. Jacob Beene (W) 9:37.97, 27. Nolan Satterfield (HSE) 9:39.83, 29. Bing Hudson (C) 9:40.70, 31. Tyler Smith (W) 9:44.17, 32. Gavin Morrow (GC) 9:48.19, 35. Asher Propst (N) 9:48.59, 36. Josh Barnett (W) 9:49.54, 39. Dominic Stein (GC) 9:51.13, 40. Tyler Smith (W) 9:51.35, 45. Charlie Leedke (C) 9:57.71, 47. Connor Mallon (C) 9:59.30, 48. Nate Seketa (C) 9:59.42, 50. KJ Sweeney (C) 10:00.03, 51. Justin Santiago (W) 10:00.72, 52. Ethan Hines (GC) 10:01.50, 53. Garrett Mowry (W) 10:02.80, 58. Evan Campbell (N) 10:08.94, 60. Luke Shinneman (N) 10:12.56, 62. Carter Lindfelt (C) 10:13.13, 65. Owen Urtel (C) 10:15.48, 66. Alex Cole (N) 10:17.78, 67. Max Woehler (W) 10:19.40, 71. Holden King (GC) 10:25.76, 72. Liam Oman (C) 10:30.42, 73. Ameya Belamkar (C) 10:35.40.

**GIRLS 3200 RUN**  
Race winner: Sophia Kennedy (Park Tudor) 10:25.27.  
Hamilton County runners: 3. Annie Christie (Carmel) 10:33.26, 6. Ellen Baker (C) 10:45.03, 15. Jasmine Klopstad (C) 11:10.73, 16. Alivia Romaniuk (C) 11:10.90, 21. Abby Parker (C) 11:19.07, 24. Jamie Klavon (C) 11:26.25, 25. Gnister Grant (Noblesville) 11:26.80, 29. Paige Hazelrigg (N) 11:30.58, 30. Nadia Perez (N) 11:30.74, 32. Liz Smith (Westfield) 11:33.36, 34. Sophie Porter (W) 11:34.23, 35. Summer Rempe (N) 11:37.66, 39. Mary Kate Sloan (W) 11:40.97, 45. Samantha Taylor (W) 11:49.59, 46. Kennedy Applegate (N) 11:54.82, 49. Margaret Barnett (W) 11:58.59, 50. Robyn Schemel (W) 11:59.03, 53. Brooke Lahee (N) 12:05.70, 54. Allison Wozniak (Guerin Catholic) 12:08.49, 58. Emersyn Weaver (C) 12:22.84, 62. Rosie Barrett (GC) 12:38.99.

## Huskies boys basketball camp takes place in May

Hamilton Heights boys basketball coach Chad Ballenger is hosting his annual Summer Camp in May.

The camp is for boys who will be finishing kindergarten through grade 4 this school year. Boys finishing grades K-2 will have their camp May 10, 11, 13 and 14, with boys finishing grades 3-4 will have camp on May 17, 18, 20 and 21.

Both sessions of the camp run from 3:30 to 5 p.m. at the new Hamilton Heights Elementary Gym. The cost is \$35, with a family discount of \$5 for each additional child. If any boy cannot afford to pay the camp fee at this time, call Ballenger at (765) 438-2016.

For more information, contact Ballenger at [cbal-lenger@hhschuskies.org](mailto:cbal-lenger@hhschuskies.org).

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# Softball

## Golden Eagles edge out Shamrocks

Last Friday’s softball game between Guerin Catholic and Westfield got tense during the later innings.

Neither team was able to score until the bottom of the sixth inning, when the host Golden Eagles got on the board with a run on a sacrifice fly. That would be enough for Guerin Catholic to keep its record unbeaten for the season, as it edged out the Shamrocks 1-0 to stay unbeaten at 7-0.

With one out in the sixth, Izzy Kemp got on base with a single, then moved to second base on an error and to third base on a passed ball. Alicia Flores was at the plate, and her fly to center field allowed Kemp to get in.

Westfield threatened when Maggie Roh reached second base on an error, then was moved to third base on a sacrifice bunt by Brooklyn Carey. But Kemp struck out the last two batters to end the game.

Kemp pitched a no-hitter, tossing 17 strikeouts and allowing no walks. Ana Macha was 2-for-2 at the plate.

Carey and Natalie Deck played solid defense for Westfield, while Lilah Denton pitched a complete game, allowing only five hits to the big-hitting GC team.

The Carmel softball team hosted its annual Invitational on Saturday.

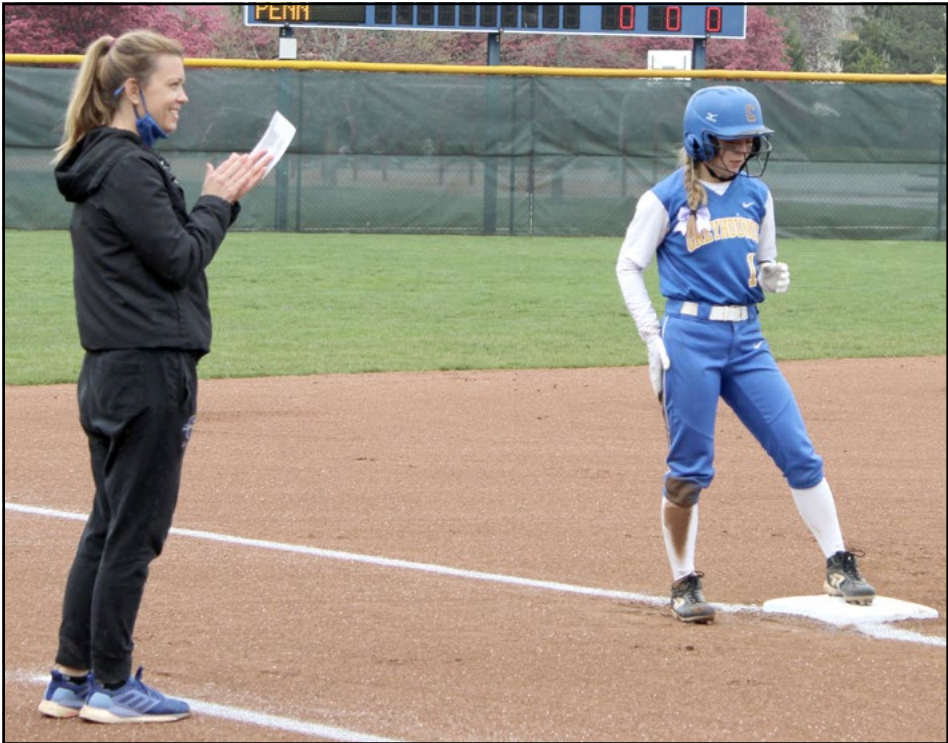
The Greyhounds played two games and won both of them in different ways. Carmel came from behind to beat Avon 8-7 in its first contest, then cruised past Penn 10-4 in its second game.

The Greyhounds’ game with the Orioles was back and forth all the way. Playing as the visiting team, Carmel scored in the top of the first inning when Sophie Esposito singled in Megan Nichols.

Avon answered with a two-RBI double in the bottom of the inning, then scored one run each in the second and third innings to lead 4-1. The ‘Hounds got a run back in the fourth inning; Audrey Hussain batted in Esposito with a center field hit.

Carmel surged ahead in the fifth inning by scoring four runs. Ella Ohrvall scored on an error, then Esposito hit a sacrifice fly to send Kylie Cunningham home. Caroline Roop then came up to bat and hit a home run into left field, also scoring Nichols.

Just like that, the Greyhounds were up 6-4. Avon took the lead back in the sixth inning, scoring three runs to lead 7-6. Carmel responded in the top of the



Reporter photos by Richie Hall  
**Carmel coach Ginger Britton claps after Kylie Cunningham (right) hit a triple in the first inning of the Greyhounds' game with Penn last Saturday at the Carmel Invitational. The 'Hounds played and won two games.**

seventh: Ohrvall hit a lead-off single, moved to third base on a groundout, then was sent home when Nichols hit a home run. The Greyhounds had the lead, and turned a double play in the bottom of the inning for the win.

Nichols and Esposito both were 3-for-4 at the plate, with Ohrvall and Hussain each getting two hits. Maddie Stacy pitched a complete game for the win.

The Greyhounds also played as the visitors against Penn, and got on the board right away: Cunningham got on base with a triple, then scored on Nichols’ RBI groundout.

The Kingsmen scored two runs in the bottom of the first inning and would stay in front until the third inning. Esposito got the ‘Hounds back in front with a two-RBI single, scoring Cunningham and Nichols. Roop then doubled in Esposito, and Carmel led 4-2.

In the fourth inning, Ohrvall doubled in Ella Grenewald, then later scored when Nichols reached on error. Roop led off the fifth inning with a solo home run to give the Greyhounds a 7-2 lead. Cunningham cracked a two-run homer in the sixth inning, also sending Ohrvall home, and Hope McDonald batted in Carmel’s 10th run with an RBI double to score Roop.

Cunningham and Roop each had three hits and batted in two runs, with Cunningham scoring three runs. Esposito also had two RBIs. Emmy Brown got the complete-game victory.

Noblesville also played at the Carmel Invitational last Saturday.

In their first game, the Millers surged ahead in the



**Noblesville's Gabby Fowler (left, 16) and Cameron Grayson (17) talk at the end of an inning during the Millers' game with Lake Central last Saturday at the Carmel Invitational.**

later innings to beat Castle 10-5. The Knights scored two runs in the top of the first inning. Noblesville got a run back in the bottom of the first; Abby Harvey got on base with a double and was sent home by Gabby Fowler’s sacrifice fly.

Castle added a run in the second inning and scored two more in the fifth to take a 5-1 lead. But that’s when the Millers made their move, scoring four runs in the bottom of the fifth to tie the game.

Taylor Thompson got the first run of the inning, then Myah Stuckey scored on Harvey’s RBI groundout. Ella White singled in Reis Sjolholm, and Cameron Grayson batted in White, making the score 5-5.

Noblesville finally took the lead in the sixth inning. Thompson led off with a double, after which Kira

Thomas came in to run for her. Thomas moved to third base on a passed ball and was sent home by a Sjolholm single, putting the Millers up 6-5.

The runs came fast after that. White bunted Stuckey home, Fowler’s left field hit scored Harvey, Grayson hit a sacrifice fly to bring in White and Lauren DeRolf singled home Fowler.

Sjolholm went 3-for-4 at the plate and five other Noblesville players had two hits. DeRolf hit a double. Grayson pitched a complete game, striking out six.

The Millers played Lake Central in their second game and lost 2-0. Noblesville outit the Indians 4-3, but Lake Central scored two runs in the first inning and held the lead from there.

Grayson pitched another complete game, striking out six.

# Baseball

## ‘Rocks sweep Tigers, still perfect in HCC

The Westfield baseball team maintained its perfect record in the Hoosier Crossroads Conference last week after sweeping a two-game series with Fishers.

The series’ first game last Thursday featured a wild finish. The Tigers took the lead in the sixth inning, but the Shamrocks stormed back in the bottom of that inning, and held on for a 7-5 victory.

The ‘Rocks scored the first run of the game in the first inning. Quentin Markle led off with a triple, then scored on Trey Dorton’s RBI groundout. Fishers got the run back in the top of the second when Dom Oliverio scored on a passed ball.

Westfield jumped back ahead in the bottom of the inning, when Cody South led off with a solo home run. South would be responsible for two more runs in the middle innings: He scored in the fourth inning on a wild pitch, then singled in Keaton Mahan in the fifth

inning to push the Shamrocks ahead 4-1. Mahan had led off the inning with a double.

The Tigers surged ahead in the sixth inning, scoring four runs to take a 5-4 lead. Oliverio scored on a passed ball, then Jack Braun got home on a balk. That got Fishers within 4-3, and it took the lead on the next at-bat, with Zach Cox and Carson Dunn scoring after Joey Brenczewski reached on error.

Westfield tied the game with one out when Dorton singled home Jack Woodward. Markle got the ‘Rocks ahead by scoring on an error, and Mahan’s base hit into left field brought in Dorton. Westfield would hold on in the seventh inning to clinch the win.

Mahan finished the game 3-for-4 at the plate, with Dorton and South each getting two hits. Gage Stanifer pitched the first five innings, striking out 11 and allowing no hits. South

relieved him in the sixth inning and got the win, with Jacob Culp getting the save.

The Tigers were held to two hits, one each from Joe Hietpas and Jack Braun. Tate Warner pitched five innings, tossing 10 strikeouts.

In last Friday’s second game, the Shamrocks took control early with two runs in the top of the second inning. Collin Lindsey singled home Cody South for the first run, then Ryland Sutcliffe and Woodard scored when Brayden Hibler reached on error.

Mahan got Westfield’s fourth run when he scored on a passed ball in the fifth inning. The ‘Rocks got one more in the sixth inning; Hibler singled home Mac Clarke.

Lindsey was 2-for-3 at the plate, while Mahan hit a double. Logan Nickel pitched a complete game for the win, striking out four and allowing only four hits. Westfield is now 6-0 in HCC play.

JP Preston went 2-for-3 for Fishers, including a double. Jack Brown pitched five innings, tossing six strikeouts.

Carmel swept both games of a Metropolitan Conference doubleheader with North Central last Thursday.

In the first game, the Greyhounds won 8-0. Carmel scored three runs in the first inning: Jackson Micheels doubled in JD Rogers, then scored himself when Cunningham reached on error. Evan Neukam batted in Cunningham to give the ‘Hounds a 3-0 lead.

Carmel poured in five runs in the fourth inning. Griffin Wolf’s double sent Nathan MacLaren home, Mitchell batted in Richter, and Rogers blasted a three-run double into center field, scoring Wolf, Berglund and Mitchell. Rogers finished the game 2-for-3.

## — Court Notices —

STATE OF INDIANA )  
SS: )  
COUNTY OF Hamilton )  
In The Hamilton Circuit Court  
Cause No. 29C01-2011-MI-8439  
IN RE NAME CHANGE OF:  
KRISTINA ANNETTE RAMIREZ )  
**NOTICE OF HEARING**  
Notice is hereby given that  
Petitioner, KRISTINA ANNETTE  
RAMIREZ, pro se, filed a Verified  
Petition for Change of Name to  
change her name from KRISTINA  
ANNETTE RAMIREZ to KRISTINA  
ANNETTE ALLEN.  
The petition is scheduled for hearing  
in the Hamilton Circuit Court on June  
11, 2021 at 10:00 am, which is more  
than thirty (30) days after the third  
notice of publication. Any person  
has the right to appear at the hearing  
and to file written objections on or  
before the hearing date. The parties  
shall report to One Hamilton County  
Square, Suite 337, Noblesville, IN  
46060.  
Date: March 24, 2021  
*Kathy Kreag Williams*  
Clerk of Hamilton County  
RL4466 4/26/21, 5/3/21, 5/10/21

STATE OF INDIANA )  
SS: )  
COUNTY OF Hamilton )  
In The Hamilton Circuit Court  
Cause No. 29C01-2011-MI-8437  
IN RE NAME CHANGE OF:  
JOLEE ROSEANNETTE RAMIREZ )  
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ROSEANNETTE RAMIREZ to  
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**Hamilton Superior Court 2**  
STATE OF INDIANA )  
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IN RE THE NAME CHANGE )  
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To all interested persons.  
You are notified that a Petition to  
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Kathi Louise Bolden to Kathi Louise  
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the Hamilton Superior Court Room  
2 on the April 14, 2021 and it will be  
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The named Petitioner is represented  
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Whalin LLP, 920 Logan St. Suite 200,  
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Dated: 4/22/2021  
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**NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION**  
In re the Estate of Bert Charles Scott  
Cause No. 29D01-2104-EU-000185  
**In the Superior Court of Hamilton County**  
Notice is hereby given that  
Mary Lake, on April 19, 2021 was  
appointed Personal Representative  
of the Estate of the above-named  
Decedent, who died on November  
13, 2020.  
All persons who have claims against  
this Estate, whether or not now due,  
must file the claim in the office of  
the clerk of this court within three  
(3) months from the date of the first  
publication of this notice or within  
nine (9) months of Decedent's death  
whichever is earlier or the claims will  
be forever barred.  
Dated at Noblesville, Indiana, April  
19, 2021.  
*Kathy Kreag Williams*  
Clerk of the Hamilton Superior Court  
#1 for Hamilton County, Indiana  
RL4475 4/26/21, 5/3/21

## — Cicero —

**Notice**  
Shaka SUP Racing LLC, 2343 Patterson Road, Shelbyville, MI 49344 has  
applied to the Indiana Department of Natural Resources, Division of Law  
Enforcement, under IC 14-15-7-3 and 312 IAC 3-3-1, for a permit to conduct  
a stand up paddle board and kayak race. This event is scheduled to be held on  
Sunday, August 22, 2021 on Morse Reservoir in Hamilton County.  
Any person objecting to such an event may do either or both of the following:  
A. File a petition with the central office of the division requesting an informal  
hearing. The petition must be signed by at least twenty-five (25) individuals who  
are at least eighteen (18) years old and who reside in the county where the event  
will occur.  
A hearing under this clause is governed by 312 IAC 2-3.  
B. Request the division notify the petitioner in writing when an initial  
determination is made to issue or deny the license. Following the receipt of  
notice under this clause, a petitioner may request administrative review of the  
determination under 312 IAC 3-1.  
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## — Fishers —

**PUBLIC NOTICE**  
Cellco Partnership and its controlled affiliates doing business as Verizon  
Wireless (Verizon Wireless) proposes to build a 35.75-foot Public Lighting  
Structure Communications Towers. Anticipated lighting application is medium  
intensity red strobes. The Site location is 11150 Eller Road, Fishers, Hamilton  
County, IN 46038. Lat: [39-57-2.52], Long: [-86-3-37.04]. The Federal  
Communications Commission (FCC) Antenna Structure Registration (ASR,  
Form 854) filing number is A1191452.  
ENVIRONMENTAL EFFECTS – Interested persons may review the  
application (www.fcc.gov/asr/applications) by entering the filing number.  
Environmental concerns may be raised by filing a Request for Environmental  
Review (www.fcc.gov/asr/environmentalrequest) and online filings are strongly  
encouraged. The mailing address to file a paper copy is: FCC Requests for  
Environmental Review, Attn: Ramon Williams, 445 12th Street SW, Washington,  
DC 20554. HISTORIC PROPERTIES EFFECTS – Public comments regarding  
potential effects on historic properties may be submitted within 30 days from the  
date of this publication to: Trileaf Corp, Abigail Ritter, a.rittertrileaf.com, 1515  
Des Peres Road, Suite 200, Saint Louis, MO 63131 - 314.997.6111.  
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## — Noblesville —

**NOTICE OF PRELIMINARY DETERMINATION HEARINGS**  
Pursuant to Indiana Code 6-1.1-20-3.5, notice is hereby given that the  
Noblesville Redevelopment Commission will meet on May 13, 2021 at 9:00 a.m.  
and on June 3, 2021 at 9:00 a.m., at the Common Council Chambers (B205), City  
Hall, 16 South 10th Street, Noblesville, Indiana, to hold two hearings to discuss  
and hear objections and support regarding the proposed construction of a parking  
garage and to secure a lease of certain real property, together with all necessary  
appurtenances and related equipment (collectively, “Project”), and to consider the  
adoption of a resolution making a preliminary determination to enter into a lease  
agreement relating to the Project and to issue bonds to finance the Project. You  
are invited to attend and participate in the public hearing.  
For those not able to attend and participate in the hearings in person, the call-in  
information for each date is listed below:  
**May 13 Call-in Information**  
Call-in Number: 1-872-240-4868  
Conference ID: 870 147 546#  
**June 3 Call-in Information**  
Call-in Number: 1-872-240-4868  
Conference ID: 753 264 464#  
Dated April 26, 2021.  
NOBLESVILLE REDEVELOPMENT COMMISSION  
RL4468 4/26/21

## — Westfield —

**PUBLIC NOTICE**  
Please be advised that the Westfield-Washington Township Board of Zoning  
Appeals will meet at 7:00 p.m. on Tuesday, May 11, 2021, at Westfield City Hall,  
130 Penn Street, Westfield, Indiana, or in a virtual format viewable at https://  
www.youtube.com/user/CityofWestfieldIN, for the purposes of holding a public  
hearing and reviewing and acting on the following petitions for the purpose of  
reviewing and acting on the following petitions:  
• 2105-SE-01 & 2105-VS-12: 17319 Joliet Road; The Chris Center requests a  
Special Exception to permit an Agritourism Use and a Variance of Development  
Standard to exempt the Development Plan Requirement for a proposed  
Agritourism Facility on 6.62 acres +/- in the AG-SF1: Agriculture/Single-family  
Rural District (Articles 4.2(J) and 13.2)  
• 2105-VS-13; 0 E 169th Street; Patch Development, LLC requests Variances of  
Development Standard to encroach fifty (50) feet into the one hundred (100) foot  
Minimum Front Yard Setback, to encroach twenty (20) feet into the forty (40)  
foot Minimum Rear Yard Setback, to not require building offsets and to utilize  
split-face concrete block in-lieu of Masonry Materials on 5.85 acres +/- in OI:  
Open Industrial District (Articles 4.25(E)(1)(a), 4.25(E)(3), 6.3(G)(2)(a)(i) and  
6.3(G)(2)(a)(ii).  
• 2103-VS-14; NWC 175th Street & Wheeler Road, The City of Westfield  
requests a Variance of Development Standard to permit an Electronic Sign in the  
Right-of-way of the Monon Trail at the SR 32 Trailhead (Article 6.17)  
• 2105-VS-15; 525 David Brown Drive, Tom Roush, Inc. requests a Variance of  
Development Standard from the Architectural Standards to permit refacing on an  
existing Auto Dealership on 8 acres +/- in the GB-PD: General Business/Planned  
Development District and US Highway 31 Overlay District (Article 6.3(F)).  
• 2105-VS-17; 1820 Bastian Court, Circle City Lighting, Inc. Variances of  
Development Standard to modify Circulation Sign Standards from two (2)  
square feet of Sign Area to sixteen (16) square feet double-sided as well as the  
Maximum Sign Height for Circulation Signs from three (3) feet to five (5) feet  
six (6) inches on 20 acres +/- in the Northpoint PUD District (Article 6.17(H)(3)  
(a) and (b)).  
• 2105-VS-18; 18843 Abigail Drive, Kurt and Patricia Lang request a Variance  
of Development Standard to encroach three and one half (3.5) feet into the seven  
and one half (7.5) foot Side Yard Setback on 0.23 acres +/- in the Andover North  
PUD District (Ord. 06-12, Section 7(A)).  
Specific details regarding the cases may be obtained from the Westfield  
Economic and Community Development Department, 2728 East 171st Street,  
Westfield, Indiana 46074 or by calling (317) 804-3170.  
Westfield-Washington Township Board of Zoning Appeals  
Westfield Economic and Community Development Department  
2728 East 171st Street, Westfield, Indiana 46074  
www.westfield.in.gov  
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BASEBALL

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Aidan McConnell pitched five innings for the win, allowing only one hit and striking out four.

In the second game, the Greyhounds overwhelmed the Panthers 14-0 in six innings. Micheels and Rogers both smacked two home runs. Rogers' first homer got Carmel on the board in the first inning, then Micheels scored two runs in the third inning with a right field home run. Rogers hit a three-run homer into right field in the fourth inning, and Micheels followed that up with a solo homer.

Micheels was 4-for-4 at the plate, scoring four runs and driving in three, while Rogers batted in four runs and scored three on a 3-for-4 night. Nick Mitchell and Reece Bellin both hit a double, while Cam Carmichael was 2-for-2 and batted in two runs.

Aiden Aitken pitched three innings for the win.

Hamilton Southeastern

picked up an HCC sweep of Avon last week.

In their first game last Thursday, the Royals got going in the middle innings, and that sent them to an 11-4 win, their first conference victory of the season.

The Orioles scored the game's first run in the first inning, but Southeastern took the lead for good with five runs in the third inning. Noah Wolf and Hunter Dilts scored the Royals' first two runs when Griffen Haas reached on error. Haas later scored on a double by Landon Riekhof, then Ty Bradle and Riekhof both scored on separate errors.

Wolf scored one run in both the fourth and sixth innings, both times on a sacrifice fly by Dilts. Mitchner doubled in Collin St. Claire in the sixth inning. Southeastern finished the scoring with three runs in the seventh inning: Wolf singled in Riekhof, Payton Hilfiker drew a bases-loaded walk, and Wolf scored on a

passed ball.

Dilts totaled three RBIs for the game, with Wolf and Riekhof each hitting 3-for-4. Wolf finished with four runs scored. Sam Reagan pitched six innings for the win.

Southeastern swept the series last Friday by winning in a 6-5 walkoff at Ken Seitz Field. Cole Earlewine's double scored the winning run for the Royals.

Southeastern got on the board in the first inning when J.T. Mutchner singled home Wolf. In the second inning, Colin St. Clair smacked a double into center field to score Hilfiker and J. Bush.

The Royals led 3-0, but the Orioles tied the game at 3-3 in the third inning with an RBI single and back-to-back RBI doubles. Southeastern was able to move ahead in the bottom of the third when Hilfiker's single scored Haas.

Avon jumped ahead in the top of the fifth inning



Reporter photo by Kent Graham  
**Noblesville's Kolbi Kazmierski scored the Millers' first run during their game with Franklin Community last Saturday at Don Dunker Field.**

with a two-RBI double. The Royals had to wait until the seventh inning to make their move, but it was worth it. Mutchner led off with a double, then Jason Dettman came in to run for him. He moved to third base after Haas reached on an error, then tied the game by scoring on a passed ball.

Logan Callaghan had come in to run for Haas. He stole second base, moved to third on the passed ball and got home on Earlewine's big hit, clinching the win for HSE.

Mutchner had two hits on the night. John McCall got the win in relief, striking out seven over five innings and giving up only two hits.

Noblesville split an HCC series with Franklin Central last week.

The Millers beat the Flashes in the first game, 6-4 last Thursday at Don Dunker Field. The Flashes scored one run in the top of the first inning, but the Millers answered with two runs in the bottom of the inning. Jacob Weiler doubled in Kolbi Kazmierski, then later scored himself when Dean White hit a sacrifice fly.

Noblesville put up two more runs in the second inning. Kazmierski batted in Josh Kern, then scored on a passed ball. The Millers added another two runs in the fourth inning, with Kern batting in Keegan Speck, then scoring on a wild pitch.

Kazmierski and Weiler both went 2-for-3 at the plate, and Kern hit a double. Ethan Leslie pitched five innings for the victory, striking out five. Jared Crandall got the save, pitching a perfect seventh inning.

Noblesville dropped the second game of the series 5-3 at Franklin Central last Friday.

The Flashes got on the board first with three runs in the bottom of the third inning. The Millers began to chip away at that lead in the middle innings, first with a run in the fourth in-

ning; Bryce Adams singled in Drew Niswonger.

Kazmierski's right field hit brought Kern home in the fifth inning, getting Noblesville within 3-2. The Millers tied the game in the sixth inning when Dean White got home on a passed ball. But Franklin Central got back in front with a two-RBI single and held the lead from there.

Ty Haley pitched four innings for Noblesville, striking out five.

Noblesville dropped an evening game to Franklin Community 11-4 last Saturday at Don Dunker Field.

The Millers scored three runs in the first inning, with Kazmierski getting the first run on a wild pitch. Niswonger and White scored after Mason Bohland reached on error.

Adams hit a home run in the bottom of the third to give the Millers a 4-3 lead. But Franklin tied the game in the fourth inning and then pulled away with six runs in the fifth.

Hamilton Heights picked up a Hoosier Conference sweep of Tipton last week, starting with a 13-0 win in five innings last Thursday.

The Huskies got an outstanding pitching performance from Jared Michael, who allowed only one hit and one walk to the Blue Devils. Michael threw eight strikeouts and also was part of a fourth-inning double play.

The Heights offense was hot right away, as Brayden Elkin tripled home Nate Hulen in the first inning for the Huskies' first run. Sam Allen opened the second inning with a triple and quickly scored on Erik Malott's sacrifice fly. Hulen then smacked a triple into left field.

Heights led 6-0 after four innings, then added seven runs in the top of the fifth. That included a two-RBI double from Guy Griffey, while Harrison Hochstedler also drove in a

run with his double.

Allen, Michael and Hochstedler each had two hits, with Griffey, Lucas Letsinger and Hochstedler each batting in two runs. Allen, Hulen, Michael and Brody Piel all scored two runs.

Heights cruised past the Blue Devils 8-0 last Friday in a home game.

The Huskies started with two runs in the first inning. Hulen got on base with a triple, then later scored on a passed ball. Seconds later, Michael singled in Elkin. In the second inning, Lucas Letsinger got home on an RBI fielder's choice from Allen.

Heights blew the game open in the fourth inning by scoring five runs. Drew VanOeveren got two runs in with a center field base hit, sending Harrison Hochstedler and Isaac Tuma in to score. Allen scored on an error, then Hulen doubled home VanOeveren. Elkin came up to the plate next, and smacked a right field hit to send in Hulen.

Hulen was 3-for-4 at the plate. Letsinger pitched a complete game, striking out 12 and allowing only two hits.

Sheridan overwhelmed Herron 17-1 in five innings last Thursday.

The Blackhawks scored 13 runs in the first inning. Cole Bales tripled in the first run, then later in the inning, Silas DeVaney sent a three-RBI triple into right field.

Twelve different Sheridan players got one hit. Connor Harwood, Bales, Christian Clausen and Brentley Alexander all batted in two runs, with Corbin Murray, Bales, DeVaney, Collin McNair, Gavin Reners and Alexander all scoring twice.

The Blackhawks used five different pitchers in the game. Reners pitched the first inning and got the win; he and Harwood both struck out two. Sheridan only allowed two hits in the game.



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Lake Central Classic with a team score of 311. Sam Booth led the Greyhounds with a 76, followed by Shoji Fujita 77, Owen Sander 78, Joe Armfield 80 and Patrick Michael 82.

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