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TODAY'S WEATHER



Today: Partly sunny. Scattered afternoon showers and storms.
 Tonight: Scattered showers and storms in the evening. Rain and some thunder overnight.
 HIGH: 80 LOW: 65



Photo provided by City of Noblesville
 Mayor Chris Jensen speaks to a crowd of people who attended The Levinson opening on Friday.

Levinson opens: Noblesville's first downtown apartments in 106 years

The REPORTER
 Noblesville officials and Rebar Development on Friday officially opened The Levinson, a \$25 million mixed-use project. The Levinson provides the first new apartments in downtown Noblesville since 1915. "Enhancing and preserving downtown is one my administration's key pillars," said Noblesville Mayor Chris Jensen.

"There is a demand for living options in and around the Downtown Square and urban density supports our local businesses, restaurants and shops. Since this project started, it has attracted additional downtown development interest and projects to redevelop space in our growing community."

The Levinson includes 75 market-rate and 10 affordable-rate studio, one- and two-bedroom modern apartments with a rooftop deck and contemporary amenities. Additionally, the 2,000 square-foot lobby along Maple Avenue includes a public exhibit of downtown Noblesville's rich history and 5,100 square feet of commercial space is along Ninth Street.

"The Levinson is attracting millennials, empty-nesters, high-earning and workforce professionals to downtown – serving as an economic driver for Noblesville restaurants and businesses," said Rebar Development CEO John Rebar. **See Levinson . . . Page 2**

Prevail wants you to 'Go Purple' for Domestic Violence Prevention Month

The REPORTER
 Prevail, Inc., a Hamilton County-based non-profit organization advocating for victims of crime and abuse. is asking for community partners to join them as they "Go Purple" during National Domestic Violence Prevention Month in October. During this 2021 "Go Purple" Campaign, Prevail is offering to local businesses and community members a simple way to stand with each other and work to end acts of violence together.

In 2020, Hamilton County had the highest rates of domestic violence homicides in one year. Although this is the final act in a relationship where there is domestic violence, it is not the only one. Domestic violence includes behaviors that are controlling across physical, emotional, mental, spiritual, financial, technological, and sexual domains.



Photo provided by Hamilton County Sheriff's Office
 The Hamilton County Sheriff's Office has gone purple in recognition of domestic violence prevention this month. If your group or business wants to "Go Purple," call Natasha Robinson at (317) 773-6942 or email natasha@prevailinc.org.

"Because domestic violence is still perceived as a personal, private matter, it can feel uncomfortable to talk about," said Brittany Winebar, Prevail's Director of Mission Achievement.

"We know that when people are connected and their loved ones and friends are willing to talk with them about domestic violence, it makes it easier for them to ask for help and tell someone

about what is happening. When our community stands together, it makes domestic violence unacceptable." **See Purple . . . Page 3**

Nickel Plate Arts' successful gala honors artists

"Paint the Town Red" event raised \$50K for the Noblesville non-profit

The REPORTER
 On Sept. 23, over 150 gala attendees gathered at the Hub & Spoke design center to honor the 21 arts nominees and celebrate Nickel Plate Arts' ninth anniversary. The night's theme was "Paint the Town Red" and the attendees were dressed in various shades of crimson formal wear and served pink champagne.

The evening began with live music from Indy Gorgeous Club and various artisans displaying their craftsmanship in person, from pottery to leatherwork. A seated dinner was accompanied by Conversation Pieces, a local musician duo. A silent and live auction helped to raise over \$50,000 in support for Nickel Plate Arts, a record-setting amount. Special fundraising emphasis was given to the new Juneteenth event and annual MakerFaire event, specifically helping newer artists learn how to display and sell their art.

"As our premiere fundraiser of the year, we couldn't exist without our patrons and generous sponsors," said Executive Director Ailithir McGill. "This year we were privileged to receive support from Allegion and Meyer Najem, as well as donations from Hub & Spoke, who donated our gorgeous venue and from Jacquie's Catering, who dazzled our guests with decadent food."

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Carmel school board cites disruptions, rudeness, heckling from audience in making meetings virtual

Submitted
Editor's note: Carmel Clay School Board on Thursday announced that due to the disruptive behavior of adults at this week's regular meeting of the Carmel Clay Board of School Trustees, and after consultation and review by counsel, meetings will be held virtually until further notice. The following is the announcement from the school board.
 School board meetings have become a lightning rod for contention because they are public. Some believe the loudest in the room or those with the most media attention will "win" an argument in today's

charged climate. We are here to serve the 16,000+ students of Carmel Clay Schools. In a district as large as CCS, disagreements will occur. However, we will no longer allow our board meetings to be a means to divide our community. An outside group deliberately orchestrated multiple disruptions to the business portion of the meeting Monday night. When the Board called for a recess, the group booed, began name-calling, and continued their rude and inappropriate behavior. Claims that the Board and administrators were trying to silence parents were remarkably unfounded given the evening's agenda contained four opportunities for public comments.

The Board returned to the meeting, and despite the continued heckling from audience members, took the necessary steps to approve the teacher contract that includes well-deserved raises. State law requires public comment before it can be approved. Two of the group's members spoke against giving our teachers raises. The Board continued to advance the meeting and held public hearings on the budget, bus replacement plan, and capital projects fund. The Board approved changes to the public comment bylaw and a new policy on Civility and Decorum. Its importance, unfortunately, was demonstrated throughout the evening. Some like to remind the Board and administration that we "work for them" or claim these tactics, threats, and harassment are constitutionally protected. We know of no workplace that would tolerate this form of mistreatment from any boss or supervisor. And we especially refuse to let them target our teachers and staff.

This summer, the group proudly publicized a video

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Watch Colts game Sunday at Midtown Plaza in Carmel

The REPORTER
 The Indianapolis Colts and the City of Carmel will host a free road game "Watch Party" this Sunday, Oct. 3 at Carmel's Midtown Plaza, 365 Monon Blvd., as the Colts visit the Miami Dolphins. The party is open to all ages and will include appearances by Colts cheerleaders, live entertainment, Colts activities, exclusive giveaways and much more. For more info, visit Colts.com/watchparty. The watch party begins at 11 a.m., with activities including tailgating, Colts in Motion, and the Play 60 Zone. Midtown restaurants and food trucks will offer specials, and you can get photos and autographs with Colts cheerleaders. The first 200 fans get a free Colts flag. The game stars live on the big screen at 1 p.m.

More information
 • The event will take place rain or shine. In the event of severe weather, the schedule and activities may change or be canceled. Updates can be found on the Colts social media platforms.
 • Fans may bring their own chairs, blankets and other items.
 • Fans are permitted to bring in their own food and beverages, but all bags and items are subject to search.
 • No grilling will be permitted.
 • Fans are encouraged to follow local and CDC COVID protocols.

Atlanta Heavy Trash Pick-up Day set for Oct. 29

The REPORTER
 Heavy Trash Pick-up Day is scheduled for Friday, Oct. 29 in Atlanta. Please heed these reminders from Republic Services:

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 No grass clippings, limbs, leaves, dirt, rocks, bricks, cement, appliances with Freon, tires, televisions, copy machines, telephones, computers, monitors, gaming systems, animal or human remains, large pieces of metal, hazardous chemical medical or infectious waste, oil-based paints, flammable items, pesticides, bug spray, or automotive fluids or parts.
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Survivors can experience multiple effects from domestic abuse (depression anxiety, PTSD, Etc.). It is important that survivors and those that support them understand that it takes time to heal and everyone heals in their own time.
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McGill also acted as emcee of the event, allowing local luminaries and board members to announce the winners at the height of the event.

“It’s always our great pleasure to recognize the diligent, creative, and unsung heroes of the arts community,” McGill said.

“This year, we were excited to recognize 21 local artists, teachers, advocates, and leaders. Each and every one deserves recognition for their work in and alongside the arts.”

The winners for the 2021 Nickel Plate Arts Awards are as follows:

- **Emerging Arts Champion:** Ross Hil-

leary

- **Emerging Artist:** Frederick Durham
- **Artist of the Year:** Jessica Hancock
- **Arts Patron of the Year:** Steve Sanner, Jiffy Lube of Indiana
- **Arts Educators of the Year (tie):** Michelle Feeny and Erin Goodman

• **Arts Leader of the Year:** Tom Rich

Several of the winners spoke about community engagement with the arts, particularly engaging the public. From bringing the arts to young students to bringing spectacular visual interest to numerous Jiffy Lube exteriors, the opportunities are everywhere.

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LEVINSON

Photo provided by City of Noblesville

Hamilton County Historian David Heighway shares the family story of the Levinsons, a prominent family of Noblesville decades ago that is the namesake for the building. See more photos at ReadTheReporter.com.

Development President Shelby Bowen, adding that only four units remain unleased.

The project also includes a four-level, 299-space parking garage. A minimum of 199 spaces will be available for paid public parking. The Levinson will provide four hours of free parking to guests, and cost \$2 per hour after that time per day.

“Surface parking lots, while functional, are not the best land use strategies to sustain and enhance a vibrant downtown,” Community and Economic Development Director Sarah Reed said. “A public parking garage is an essential component to address current, perceived and real parking challenges, and The Levinson is a creative redevelopment of these valuable parcels.”

The Levinson is named after one of the pioneer families in Noblesville. The family was known for being charitable, but it was the eldest son of the Levinson family, S.O. Levinson, a Noblesville High School graduate and Nobel Peace Prize nominee, who donated his family’s former homestead to the city in 1938. A portion of the land was used as the former City Hall site before becoming a public parking lot.

“As the family’s success and contributions were a source of pride in our community long ago, so too will this building named after them,” Jensen said. “The look and name pays homage to downtown’s history as we prepare for Noblesville’s needs now and in the future.”

The Levinson is a public-private project between Rebar Development and the City of Noblesville. Hagerman Inc. and Edwards-Rigdon Construction built the project and garage.

PREVAIL

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

– Mike Bragg, GM of Tom Wood Volkswagen in Noblesville

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

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PURPLE

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Join Prevail in the conversation. Share why you are Going Purple. Prevail is asking the community to be creative, pick a day and wear purple. Share your group's pictures with Prevail and use the hashtag #GoPurplePrevail. To sign up, simply visit Prevail's website at prevailinc.org.

Over the past 35 years, Prevail has served nearly 70,000 victims of crime and abuse in the community. Last year, out of the almost 4,000 clients served at Prevail, 55 percent of clients served were adults, teens, and children who were victims of family violence. Domestic violence is complex. While crisis intervention is an important immediate response to domestic violence, there is a great need to raise awareness and develop effective prevention strategies.

For more information about Prevail's "Go Purple" Campaign or to sign up, contact Natasha Robinson at (317) 773-6942 or Natasha@prevailinc.org.

About Prevail, Inc.

Prevail, Inc. is committed to offering crisis intervention and restorative



Photos provided

(Above) The Bombshell Hair Company, 14350 Mundy Drive Unit 1100, Noblesville and (below) the Noblesville Mayor's Office are also taking part in this year's "Go Purple" with Prevail, Inc. during October.

support services for adult, adolescent and child survivors of crime and abuse, free of charge, in a confidential, supportive, non-judgmental environment that is meant to empower, educate, and strengthen those we serve. Visit prevailinc.org to learn more. Prevail, Inc. has a 24-Hour Crisis Line: (317) 776-3472.



Thanks for reading!

CARMEL SCHOOL BOARD

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showcasing two teachers identified by name and classroom location at CHS. They politicized welcoming signage and classroom décor and used signs from last year to falsely claim the teachers would force students to wear masks. The video encouraged parents to have their students drop required English classes.

This targeting of teachers to scare and intimidate the hard-working individuals who put in hundreds of hours to meet the needs of the students and families they serve is unconscionable.

The group has most recently targeted our Mental Health Coordinator, who has worked for over 17 years as a mental health provider, 12 in school-based services. She has genuinely saved student's lives. The group published threatening posts that disparaged her and demanded her resignation. One far-fetched post claimed she favored defunding the police. She not only works closely with CPD but is also married to a police officer. She has led the district's partnership with St. Vincent/Ascension to provide school-based mental health support to reduce the barriers for students and families to receive needed help. Yet, these political groups sent emails to district leadership with ultimatums and threats calling for her to resign. It is harmful and inappropriate to intimidate the teachers and staff who

provide direct support for our students.

We typically would not engage or comment on outside groups but felt our parents and community needed to know the inappropriate activities we are experiencing. Board members have had their home addresses posted in acts of intimidation. Teachers have received letters and emails with threats of violence and unwarranted references to family members. School librarians and media specialists have been steadily under attack with accusations. We must return to civility and question those who find these tactics appropriate.

Many residents have received emails, texts, and slick mailers intended to divide our great community. These campaigns spread false and misleading information to disparage Carmel Clay Schools, our outstanding teachers, and accomplished students. Carmel has a national reputation for excellence, and we are proud of our schools' role in our city's success.

We must continue to question the motives of those who seek to diminish our accomplishments, tarnish our reputation, and sow division in our community. The percentage of Carmel Clay students passing ISTEP and ILEARN consistently ranks #1 in the state compared to districts of similar size. Between 2010-11 and 2020-21 students' SAT average com-

posite scores increased 97 points, reading scores rose 49 points, and math scores increased 48 points. In the last ten years, the graduation rate increased from 89.6% to 95.7%. Students earning an Academic Honors diploma increased from 50.3% in 2010 to 60.5% in 2020. Last year, CHS celebrated a record 61 National Merit Semifinalists, and one student earned the prestigious Presidential Scholar Award.

CCS will be live streaming future Board Meetings beginning with the Special Session scheduled for Monday, October 4, to interview the four finalists for the vacant District 2 seat. Tuesday, October 5, we will live stream another Special Session held for the Board to discuss and choose the candidate to fill that seat. We will regularly reevaluate the need for live streaming and inform the community of any changes.

Meeting Notice

The Noblesville Economic Development Council Committee will meet in an executive session at 9:30 a.m. on Wednesday, October 13, 2021, in room A213 at Noblesville City Hall, 16 S. 10th St., Noblesville. The meeting will take place pursuant to IC 5-14-1.5-6.1(b)(4)(H) Interviews and negotiations with industrial or commercial prospects or agents of industrial or commercial prospects by a governing body of a political subdivision.

The executive session will be followed by a public meeting in the same location at 10 a.m. or immediately following the executive session, whichever comes first.

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Newspaper people telling their tales



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Former members of the *Noblesville Daily Ledger* staff gathered Thursday evening for their annual reunion. Twenty members of the award-winning newspaper shared their stories over dinner held in the Jim Dandy Restaurant meeting room. *The Ledger* was Hamilton County's leading newspaper for more than a century.

Carmel Symphony Orchestra cancels Sunday performance at Daniel's Winery in McCordsville

The REPORTER

The Carmel Symphony Orchestra has canceled the Oct. 3 performance at Daniel's Family Vineyard & Winery in McCordsville.

The concert has been postponed until Spring 2022 due to the forecast for this Sunday. All tickets will be refunded through the point of purchase. CSO apologizes for the

short notice, but the organization hopes to see you at one of the many upcoming performances throughout the 2021-2022 season, which begins next weekend on Oct. 9.

Rock Garage invites you to come out and 'tailgate' at Castleton location

The REPORTER

Rock Garage is inviting the public to once again "Rock the Lot" at its Castleton location, 8115 Center Run Drive, Indianapolis. This event will take place Sunday, Oct. 3. A total of 20 to 25 Rock Garage bands will take the stage in this event which runs from 1 to 9 p.m.

This event is a free tailgate and will take place in the parking lot outside of Rock Garage. Those who enjoy live bands are encouraged to bring lawn chairs, bring their own food and drink, and plan to hang out for a day of great music.

The bands feature members of all ages, so old and young, adults and children are encouraged to attend. The Rock Garage facili-

ty will be open during this event for restroom use and to tour the facility.

Rock Garage prides itself on being all-inclusive. Opportunities are for any age group, child or adult, and any skill set.

"You can be an aspiring musician or have been playing for a long time," said Dave Foellinger, co-owner of Rock Garage. "You don't need to be a seasoned musician. If you just love singing Karaoke and want to take it to the next level, you'll be a perfect fit for us."

Rock the Lot events are a fun opportunity to learn more about the options offered. Rock Garage staff and owners will be available to answer questions and explain different membership

options. You can see photos and videos of many of these performances on the Rock Garage Facebook page and on YouTube. August Rock the Lot photos and videos are also posted, so you can see what you have to look forward to on Oct. 3.

Rock Garage bands play all around the Indianapolis area. In the past, bands have performed on classic stages like The Vogue, at Carburration Day, and in festivals such as the recent Indy Arts Festival.

Come out and Rock the Lot on Sunday, Oct. 3 to learn for yourself what Rock Garage is all about and have a really great time. You may reach out to Rock Garage at (317) 610-0111 or at rockgaragemusic.com.

Rep. Spartz says President Biden is creating a misinformation pandemic

Submitted

This week, while co-leading a joint hearing of Civil Rights and Health Subcommittees of Education and Labor Committee on successful models for protecting communities from COVID-19, Rep. Victoria Spartz (R-Ind.-05) delivered the following opening statement:

It's an important discussion to have: How do we manage and mitigate pandemic risks, look at them comprehensively, and stop politicizing serious government decisions to play politics with people's lives and advance a party agenda?

Let's look at the prior year's successes: Operation Warp Speed was the gold standard of vaccine development and distribution. Under President Trump, who promptly cut red tape and regulations, our private health care sector was able to produce several lifesaving vaccines in record time.

This proved, yet again, that America's health care system thrives when government gets out of the way and supports private innovation. As we continue discussing successful models for protecting communities from COVID-19, we must acknowledge that the most effective mitigation and prevention strategy – vac-

cination – is both free and widely available for every American over age 12. Our free-enterprise system and the private health care industry made this miraculous feat possible.

The timing of the pandemic, happening during an intense reelection year, caused it to be politicized even further; and despite claiming to be the 'party of science,' Democrats fueled the public's vaccine hesitancy by spawning doubt over whether a Republican president could be trusted to deliver a safe and effective COVID-19 vaccination. This politically motivated disinformation was cowardly, cost people their lives, and exacerbated health disparities. Unfortunately, the Biden administration continues to sow fear, doubt, and confusion.

Through ever-changing guidance and policies crafted along ideological lines, President Biden is creating another pandemic: misinformation. We need our Commander-in-Chief to put facts before factions and to clearly communicate with the public about the state of COVID-19, the vaccines' effectiveness, and



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the path forward to a pre-pandemic life.

From the latest vaccine mandates – which are not based on risk or science – to precluding our children from in-person learning – which is not based on risk or science – this President has traded our country's long-term viability for short-term political wins for the Democrat Party.

To capitalize on early successes we experienced responding to COVID-19, it is imperative that we re-establish local and state control, working together with those leaders to execute policies that encourage vaccination and government transparency. Not government force and fear – it backfires and only belongs to totalitarian regimes, not a constitutional republic of free people. Only then can we begin to regain our pre-pandemic prosperity.

Thank you to all our witnesses for joining us in what, I hope for a change, will be a fact-based, productive, and meaningful discussion.

[Click here](#) to watch the video of Rep. Spartz's statement.



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Gov. Holcomb extends coronavirus emergency declaration for 19th time

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Gov. Eric Holcomb on Monday issued his **19th renewal of the state's emergency declaration** during the coronavirus pandemic.

The declaration can clear the way for Indiana to receive federal funds and others assets to respond to COVID-19. **Indiana State Department of Health said Thursday** that 3,482 more Hoosiers have tested positive for COVID-19, and a total of 15,165 Hoosiers have died from COVID-19. There are currently 2,055 Hoosiers hospitalized with COVID-19.

The state's emergency declaration was extended through Oct. 31.

The governor also issued **a continuation of an order** allowing him to make and amend the state's response to the pandemic, suspend rules that may hinder that response, move personnel for emergency services, and redirect other state resources. The continuation also expires Oct. 31.

Some of what the order allows:

- Temporarily licensing of health care workers and students
- Changes in registration requirements for certain Indiana and out-of-state health care providers
- An expansion of limits on what people can administer COVID-19 vaccinations
- The Department of Workforce Development to augment its work-

force as long as it remains authorized by federal law

- An indefinite extension on completion dates for law enforcement training at the Indiana Law Enforcement Academy in Plainfield
- A waiver of penalty and interest in taxation for unemployment compensation
- Allowances for job-search requirements to receive aid from the program called Temporary Assistance for Needy Families
- A provision pertaining to prescribing amounts of opioid take-home medications remains rescinded.
- A provision pertaining to the suspension of the one-week waiting period before paying unemployment benefits remains rescinded.
- Provisions pertaining to a waiver of penalty and interest in taxation of unemployment compensation by the Indiana Department of Revenue are rescinded.
- Advanced practice registered nurses can provide services at multiple locations as long as they have an existing collaborative agreement on file.
- Hospitals must report their diversion statuses as well as available beds and ventilators daily to the Indiana State Department of Health.
- Physicians and nurses are given 30 additional days past Oct. 31 to renew medical licenses and any licenses to prescribe controlled substances.



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- The commissioner of the Indiana Department of Insurance is to extend prior authorization time frames for open and approved situations. "This extension applies only to prior authorizations for non-emergent surgeries or procedures postponed to ensure sufficient COVID-19 response capabilities."
- The commissioner of the Indiana Department of Insurance is to request that insurers and health maintenance organizations issuing accident and sickness policies waive clinical information requirements for prior authorizations for transfers or discharges of patients at hospitals.
- Government bodies of public and private remain responsible for local measures and restrictions to curb COVID-19 in their buildings, facilities and grounds. The measures may be more restrictive but not less restrictive than required by state law.
- K-12 schools and child care facilities must continue contact tracing, providing parental notification to close contacts to allow for monitoring of symptoms, and report all positive COVID-19 cases to state and local health departments and the Family and Social Services Administration.
- Local governments may not contradict or impose less restrictive requirements than set forth in the governor's order.

Virtual job fair on Oct. 6 highlights job openings in Hamilton, Madison counties

The REPORTER

The Indiana Department of Workforce Development (DWD) and the Region 5 Workforce Board, in partnership with the office of Congresswoman Victoria Spartz, will host a virtual job fair highlighting job openings in Hamilton and Madison counties. The virtual job fair will take place from 11 a.m. to noon on Wednesday, Oct. 6.

"There are continued record job opportunities available for Americans right now, and I look forward to partnering with local employers, the DWD, and the Region 5 Workforce Development to host this virtual job fair," Rep. Spartz said. "This is an innovative way to connect prospective employees with interested businesses who want to grow in our state and hire Hoosiers."

Participating employers will include Carter Logistics, Helmer Scientific, the Indiana Department of Corrections, Sitel Group, and Telamon Corp.

A variety of positions are available at each company. Presenters from each organization will discuss job opportunities in detail, along with benefits, and how to apply.

"Recruitment is a pressing issue for many of our Region 5 employers. As the economy continues to recover and expand, find-

ing the right employees is key to a business's capacity to meet the needs of its customers," said Lance Ratliff, Executive Director of Region 5 Workforce Board. "The virtual hiring fair enables employers to efficiently present their employment opportunities to a larger group of candidates in a single setting and shorten the hiring and onboarding timeframe. We are pleased to partner with Rep. Spartz and the DWD to provide this opportunity to our employers."

"Virtual job fairs have been an important part of our efforts to connect job seekers with employers throughout the pandemic," said DWD Commissioner Fred Payne. "Now we are pleased to partner with District 5 Congresswoman Victoria Spartz and her office to offer a new virtual job fair opportunity for Hamilton and Madison counties on Oct. 6. Five local employers will discuss numerous job openings for those looking for new or better jobs."

Those interested in the job fair but unable to attend are encouraged to still register, as a recording will be sent via email the following day.

[Click here](#) to register.

After registering, participants will receive a confirmation email with instructions on how to join the webinar.

Disability employment inclusion coalition working this month to educate, spread awareness

Submitted

The Work to Include (WIN) Coalition and local teams across Indiana have announced participation in Disability Employment Awareness Month, an annual awareness campaign that takes place each October. WIN, a statewide disability-led coalition, has designed a campaign specifically for Indiana to educate people about disability employment and celebrate the many and varied contributions of Hoosiers with disabilities. This year's theme is "Everyone Wins when Everyone's IN."

Some of the important facts about disability employment in Indiana include:

- According to the U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey (2014), there are 463,300 working age Hoosiers with disabilities. Of that number, 36.9 percent were employed during the 2014 American Community Survey.
- Indiana ranks 26th in the country when it comes

to employment outcomes for individuals with disabilities. This is well below the top five states with employment rates over 50 percent.

- Over 66 percent of adults with disabilities who are not working are looking for employment.

- During an unprecedented worker shortage, approximately 200,000 talented Hoosiers with disabilities are being overlooked.

Disability employment inclusion works. Here are the proven benefits to businesses:

- Higher profits:** Companies have two times higher net income than peers without disability inclusion initiatives.
- Lower turnover:** Employers report a significant reduction, half of other employees.
- Customer relations:** Consumers prefer businesses that hire.
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Community First Bank to open new Meridian North banking center

Submitted

Community First Bank of Indiana (CFB) has announced its newest banking center location at 9333 N. Meridian St., Indianapolis, which is set to open in the first quarter of 2022. While many banks have been closing branches and moving away from in-person banking services, CFB is committed to keeping outstanding customer service, local decision-making, and relationship-building at its core.

Since its local founding in Kokomo in 2003, CFB's steady growth has been attributed to overwhelming support for the vision of its unique way to do banking in its communities – a bank that is locally owned, locally governed and staffed with experienced bankers.

Robb Blume, President and CEO of Community First Bank, said, “This new facility will provide us excellent ability to serve the North Meridian corridor, as well as close proximity to Carmel. Further, the recently proposed mixed-use development adjacent to this

site adds to our excitement for the future – the long-term benefits of this development carry great potential for growth.”

Romhaad Davis has been hired as the Business Banking Center Manager for this location. Davis is a graduate of the University of Southern Indiana with a degree in Communications and a Master's in Business Administration from Daniel Webster College. He has over 12 years of experience in the financial industry, including six years in banking. When Romhaad is not laser-focused on helping his clients excel, he enjoys volunteering in youth sports, mentoring for the Youth Mentoring Initiative in Hamilton County, and bringing communities together with group fitness workout classes.

Davis will serve customers in the area, along with the entire Commercial Lending team: Scott Hammersley, Bonnie Riley, Gavin Fisher, Pete Needler,



Davis

Greg Gordon, Michael McCulloch, Duane Kamminga, and Zack Gabriel, as well as Adrienne Riddle (Treasury Management).

In addition to personal banking and lending, CFB offers a full range of business checking and savings accounts, commercial loans, SBA-guaranteed loan solutions, and treasury management services. This location at 93rd & Meridian streets will have both lobby and drive-thru banking, as well as a 24/7 ATM. To meet the CFB team prior to the new branch opening, current locations in Westfield and Noblesville can be found at CFBIndiana.com/locations.

“While we have great technology, we still believe relationships are built face to face,” Blume said. “We look forward to meeting the people who live and work in this area.”

About Community First Bank

Community First Bank (CFB) was chartered in 2003 in Kokomo, where there are currently three branches, as well as two branches in Westfield, and a branch and loan production office in Noblesville. Additional information can be found at CFBIndiana.com. Member FDIC. Equal Housing Lender.

TODAY'S BIBLE READING

As for those who were held in high esteem—whatever they were makes no difference to me; God does not show favoritism—they added nothing to my message. On the contrary, they recognized that I had been entrusted with the task of preaching the gospel to the uncircumcised, just as Peter had been to the circumcised. For God, who was at work in Peter as an apostle to the circumcised, was also at work in me as an apostle to the Gentiles. James, Cephas and John, those esteemed as pillars, gave me and Barnabas the right hand of fellowship when they recognized the grace given to me. They agreed that we should go to the Gentiles, and they to the circumcised. All they asked was that we should continue to remember the poor, the very thing I had been eager to do all along.

Galatians 2:6-10 (NIV)

Glen Harold Harper

February 13, 1929 – September 29, 2021

Glen Harold Harper, 92, Noblesville, passed away on Wednesday, September 29, 2021 at Harbour Manor Care Center in Noblesville. He was born on February 13, 1929 to Roy S. Harper and Helen Louise (Moffitt) Harper near Garfield, Ind.



Glen was the second of four children. In addition to his parents, he is preceded in death by his wife of 71 years, Marilyn Harper, in July 2021; a brother, James Robert (Jannette) Harper; and a sister, Mary Ann (Ralph) Caldwell.

Glen is survived by his sons, Alan (Becky) Harper of Flippin, Ark., and Neal (Nancy) Harper of Carrollton, Texas; daughters, Susan (Ed) Mayhall of The Woodlands, Texas, and Ann (Eric) Gerlach of West Lafayette, Ind.; a sister, Florence Wright; nine loving grandchildren, Jaysi (Ryan) Madigan, Abbey (Jason) Lamb, George (Sarah) Mayhall, Kimberly Mayhall (Jonathan Pottle), Sarah Meeks, Matt (Katy) Harper, Beth Harper, Tyler Gerlach, and Cody Gerlach (Chris Reagan); nine great-grandchildren; and numerous nieces and nephews.

Glen attended schools in Montgomery County, graduating from Darlington High School as Valedictorian of the Class of 1947. He attended Butler University, graduating in 1951. While at Butler, Glen played basketball under Tony Hinkle, which launched his career as a basketball coach.

Glen proudly served his country in the Indiana National Guard for 10 years. He was married December 24, 1949 to Marilyn McClaskey. Glen taught a year in Princeton, Ind., and then in New Ross. He taught and coached four years where they won two sectionals and a regional. Also in 1955-56, the groups won the county baseball tourney, the county and sectional basketball tourney, and county track tourney, a very good senior class.

Glen moved to Noblesville in the fall of 1956. The teams won seven sectionals and two Kokomo regional championships. The 1957 team lost to State Champs, undefeated South Bend Central. Glen was named the Indiana Basketball Coach of the Year by the sportscasters and news writers for 1957.

He received a Master's Degree in Guidance and Administration from Ball State University in 1960. Glen spent two years at Hagerstown (1971 to 1973), 15 years at Monticello, then returned to Noblesville in 1988 where he remained.

As a Noblesville resident, Glen was an almost 50-year member in First Christian Church where he was very active and served several positions. He was also a member of the Indiana Free Masons since 1951.

In 1989, Glen and Dave Locke formed a senior golfing group, the Over the Hill Gang, that in 2020 grew to 70 retirees. Glen had to give up golf in 2020.

Services will be held at 10 a.m. on Saturday, October 16, 2021, at First Christian Church of Noblesville, 16377 Herriman Blvd., Noblesville, with Rev. Dr. Brooks Barrick officiating. Burial will follow at Odd Fellows Cemetery in Darlington, Ind.

Memorial contributions may be made to First Christian Church of Noblesville, 16377 Herriman Blvd., Noblesville, IN 46060.

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Friday night football - Week 7

Royals get Homecoming win over Millers

By RICHIE HALL

FISHERS - Hamilton Southeastern had a splendid time at its Homecoming game Friday night, as the Royals beat Noblesville 38-8 in a Hoosier Crossroads Conference game at TCU Field.

Southeastern, ranked No. 7 in Class 6A, was in control from the start. The Royals got on the board after getting a safety at the 9:41 mark of the first quarter. A minute and a half later, Blaine Wertz took off on a 32-yard run to score HSE's first touchdown of the game. Sam Jacobs then threw a two-point conversion pass to Will Gerig, and the Royals were up 10-0.

Southeastern added two more touchdowns in the second quarter. Wertz punched the ball in from the one-yard line early in the period, then with under a minute to go until halftime, Gerig collected a 12-yard pass from Jacobs and took it to the end zone.

As a result, the Royals led 24-0 at halftime.

"I thought our guys came out and played hard," said HSE coach Michael Kelly. "One of the things we challenged them with is starting fast and coming out and being physical and playing the game that we need to play. And I thought they did a nice job of that."

Southeastern continued the pattern in the third quarter, scoring two more touchdowns. Jacobs ran in to the end zone from 14 yards, then Owen Jones made a five-yard dash to score.

Wertz finished the game with 137 yards rushing, while Jones gained 79 yards. Alex Geroulis made all four of his extra-point kicks.

"I'm proud of our guys," said Kelly. "Stayed focused, stayed locked in, played with great effort and played with great poise."

"They played very good and we played very bad, and it's really that simple," said Noblesville coach Dave Sharpe. "We could not get a stop on defense, we're getting shoved around."

The Millers scored their touchdown late in the fourth quarter, as Alairic Rogers-Walton made a seven-yard run to the end zone. Logan Shoffner then ran in a two-point conversion; he finished the game with 124 yards.

"Offensively, we couldn't finish a drive and we couldn't get drives going,"



Reporter photos by Kent Graham

Hamilton Southeastern's Owen Jones scored a third-quarter touchdown for the Royals during their 38-8 Homecoming win over Noblesville Friday.

said Sharpe. "It was just a bad night overall."

Southeastern is 4-1 in HCC play and 6-1 overall, and plays at TCU Field again next week, hosting Franklin Central.

"I think we've got a good energy about the program," said Kelly. "We got guys excited about being in football. There's a lot of positives that are going on right now. We're excited."

The Millers are 0-5 in the conference and 2-5 overall, and return to Beaver Materials Field next week to host Brownsburg.

"We have one way to go," said Sharpe. "We're at the bottom of the basement and we've got to just fight for our lives to show some life and get back at it."



Noblesville's Alairic Rogers-Walton scored a touchdown for the Millers in the fourth quarter.

HAMILTON SOUTHEASTERN 38, NOBLESVILLE 8

Score by Quarters

Noblesville	0	0	0	8	- 8
Southeastern	10	14	14	0	-38

Team Stats	NOB	HSE
First Downs	9	17
By Rush	8	14
By Pass	1	2
By Penalty	0	1
Rushes-Yards	41-139	37-252
Yards Passing	10	57
Comp-Att-Int-TD	2-3-0-0	7-10-0-1
Fumbles-Lost	2-1	0-0
Penalties-Yards	4-25	4-30
Punts-Average	2-35.0	2-29.0

Scoring

First Quarter

HSE, 9:41 - Safety
HSE, 8:13 - Blaine Wertz 32-yard run (Will Gerig pass from Sam Jacobs)

Second Quarter

HSE, 9:19 - Wertz 1-yard run (Alex Geroulis kick)

HSE, 0:56 - Gerig 12-yard pass from Jacobs (Geroulis kick)

Third Quarter

HSE, 8:25 - Jacobs 14-yard run (Geroulis kick)

HSE, 5:29 - Owen Jones 5-yard run (Geroulis kick)

Fourth Quarter

NOB, 3:18 - Alairic Rogers-Walton 7-yard run (Logan Shoffner run)

Noblesville individual stats

Rushing: Shoffner 29-124, Rogers-Walton 6-25, Connor Meinderding 6-minus 10.

Passing: Meinderding 2-3-10.

Receiving: Rogers-Walton 1-12, Shoffner 1-minus 2.

Southeastern individual stats

Rushing: Wertz 16-137, Jones 14-79, Jacobs 2-26, Kobe Dade 3-24, Jalen Alexander 1-1, Ty Bradle 1-minus 15.

Passing: Jacobs 5-7-47, Bradle 2-3-10.

Receiving: Jack Wafford 2-18, Gerig 1-12, Dylan Conner 1-9, Wertz 1-8, Donovan Hamilton 1-6, Alexander 1-4.

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Teenager shot at Ben Davis- Carmel football game

Greyhounds win, but no celebration afterwards

By GREGG MONTGOMERY WISH-TV

Police say a 16-year-old boy was shot by another 16-year-old boy Friday night during a high school football game at a west-side stadium.

The injured teen was taken to a hospital and was stable, police said. The other teen was in police custody.

Carmel was playing at the stadium at Ben Davis High School, and the game was airing live on MyINDY-TV 23, WISH-TV's sister station. The shots rang out in the fourth quarter of the game.

As shots were heard, players scrambled from the field, and fans were evacuated. The remainder of the game was canceled.

IMPD said school police chased the suspect as he ran away after the shooting but caught him near the school.

Indianapolis Metropolitan Police Department dispatch information at 9:24 p.m. Friday showed a report of shots fired from the high school, 1200 N. Girls School Road. At least two ambulances from Wayne Township Fire Department were sent to the school at 9:27 p.m. Fri-

day. About a half-hour after the shooting, the football field was surrounded by several ambulances and at least a dozen police cars.

About an hour after the shooting, yellow police tape surrounded an area with shell casings and a few police officers were stationed outside an entrance to the stadium near a ticket office. That's where the shooting happened.

Kevin Ratterman, a News 8 photographer at the game, said shots rang out from near the visitors' bleachers. Both teams sprinted off the field shortly afterward.

Greg Rakestraw, vice president of ISC Sports Network, said he heard shots on the southeast corner of the football field. After the shooting, teams ran to their locker rooms, where they were confined, Rakestraw said.

Jim Inskeep, the athletics director at Carmel Clay High School, noted that Ben Davis gives checks with metal detectors for people entering its stadium.

Inskeep said the game was called, with Carmel winning 35-21. He later tweeted the team was headed back to Carmel.

A Carmel football victory is usually a reason to cheer, but there was no celebration after the Greyhounds' game at Ben Davis was halted in the fourth quarter.

Carmel was leading 35-21 when gun shots were heard outside of the Giants' stadium, prompting both teams to run off the field and fans to evacuate. The game was called off minutes later. A 16-year-old boy outside of the stadium was injured and reported to be in stable condition, while another 16-year-old boy was in police custody. No players, coaches or fans were harmed in the shooting

It had been an exciting game, one that the Greyhounds had taken control of in the third quarter. Carmel led 21-13 at halftime, but a short touchdown pass and two-point conversion throw by the Giants tied the game at 21-21 with 7:19 left in the third quarter.

But 22 seconds later, Reece Bellin caught a pass from Zachary Osborne and took it to the end zone for a 70-yard touchdown reception. Then with 16 seconds left in the third, Blake Matthews caught an eight-yard touchdown pass

from Osborne in what would be the final touchdown of the game.

The Giants got on the board first with a field goal at the 7:31 mark of the first period. Carmel jumped ahead 7-3 minutes later when Jaedon King took a 58-yard Osborne pass into the end zone.

The lead swelled to 14-3 after Desmond Duffy and Osborne teamed for a 91-yard touchdown pass play. After a Ben Davis touchdown, Osborne ran the ball in to the end zone from 15 yards. Sponsler made all three extra-point kicks; he was 5-for-5 on extra point kicks for the night.

Osborne finished the game 14-for-20, totaling 345 yards, while Duffy had six catches for 125 yards.

Carmel is now 5-1 in Metropolitan Conference play and 6-1 overall. The Greyhounds host Warren Central next week.

The junior varsity and freshman football games between Carmel and Ben Davis will be played this morning at Carmel Stadium. The JV game kicks off at 10 a.m., with the freshman game at 12:30 p.m.

Tigers roll past Franklin Central, 37-8

Fishers rolled to a 37-8 win over Franklin Central Friday in a Hoosier Crossroads Conference game at the Tigers' TCU Field.

Fishers got on the board in the first quarter when John Tangara kicked a 23-yard field goal. The Tigers extended their lead in the second period when Carson Dunn made a 10-yard touchdown run, and Collin McPeek teamed with Lucas Minns for a 26-yard touchdown pass.

The Flashes scored late in the second quarter, so Fishers led 16-8 at halftime. But the Tigers ran away with the game in the fourth period: Dunn blasted off on an 80-yard touchdown run, Jeffrey Simmons collected a 13-yard touchdown pass from Minns, and Brady Wolf took an 80-yard interception return into the end zone.

Dunn finished the game with 114 yards rushing, while Minns was 10-of-17 through the air, totaling 124 yards. Dunn, Simmons and Luke Valerio all had three receptions. Jack Alvarez led the tackles with seven, while Zach Willard and Chris Rhoades both made one sack each.

Fishers improved to 3-2 in the HCC and is 5-2 overall. The Tigers play at Westfield next Friday.



Fishers quarterback Lucas Minns looks to throw the ball during the Tigers' game with Franklin Central Friday at TCU Field. Fishers scored three touchdowns in the fourth quarter to win 37-8.

Reporter photo by Kirk Green

CARMEL 35, BEN DAVIS 21				
Score by Quarters				
Carmel	7	14	14	0 - 35
Ben Davis	3	10	8	0 - 21
Team Stats	CHS	BD		
First Downs	12	18		
By Rush	4	4		
By Pass	8	13		
By Penalty	0	1		
Rushes-Yards	20-64	28-100		
Yards Passing	345	255		
Comp-Att-Int-TD	14-20-1-4	22-35-0-2		
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	0-0		
Penalties-Yards	3-34	4-67		
Punts-Average	4-37.0	5-38.4		
Carmel Scoring				
First Quarter				
3:30 - Jaedon King 58-yard pass from				

Zachary Osborne (Ben Sponsler kick)
Second Quarter
10:55 - Desmond Duffy 91-yard pass from Osborne (Sponsler kick)
4:49 - Osborne 15-yard run (Sponsler kick)
Third Quarter
6:57 - Reece Bellin 70-yard pass from Osborne (Sponsler kick)
0:16 - Blake Matthews 8-yard pass from Osborne (Sponsler kick)
Carmel individual stats
Rushing: Osborne 9-37, Ethan Hall 6-16, Nick Beidl 4-14, Garrett Fernandez 1-minus 3.
Passing: Osborne 14-20-345.
Receiving: Duffy 6-125, Bellin 3-86, King 2-74, Matthews 2-54, Hall 1-6.

FISHERS 37,
FRANKLIN CENTRAL 8

Score by Quarters

FCHS	0	8	0	0 - 8
Fishers	3	13	0	21 - 37

Team Stats	FC	FHS
First Downs	14	14
By Rush	8	7
By Pass	4	6
By Penalty	2	1
Rushes-Yards	36-167	33-169
Yards Passing	75	123
Comp-Att-Int-TD	9-24-2-1	11-19-1-2
Fumbles-Lost	3-3	0-0
Penalties-Yards	7-63	9-60
Punts-Average	3-32.3	3-40.0

Fishers Scoring

First Quarter

6:07 - John Tangara 23-yard field goal

Second Quarter

10:21 - Carson Dunn 10-yard run (Tangara kick)

4:17 - Collin McPeek 26-yard pass from Lucas Minns (kick failed)

Fourth Quarter

10:13 - Dunn 80-yard run (Tangara kick)

6:39 - Jeffrey Simmons 13-yard pass from Minns (Tangara kick)

2:51 - Brady Wolf 80-yard interception return (Tangara kick)

Fishers individual stats

Rushing: Dunn 15-114, Luke Valerio 5-46, Dominic Oliverio 5-18, Minns 4-minus, team 4-0.

Passing: Minns 10-17-124, McPeek 0-1-0, Oliverio 1-1-minus 1.

Receiving: Dunn 3-42, Simmons 3-28, Valerio 3-25, McPeek 1-26, Hunter Strole 1-2.

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Greyhounds celebrate tennis sectional title

The Carmel boys tennis team celebrated another sectional championship on Friday. The Greyhounds finished the sectional final with Guerin Catholic that afternoon at the Todd Witsken Tennis Center, as the No. 1 singles match had been suspended due to darkness. Carmel's Broc Fletcher won that match, giving the Greyhounds a 5-0 victory.

Carmel will travel to the Kokomo regional on Tuesday, where it will play Logansport in the semi-finals. The Berries won their sectional Friday with a 3-2 victory over Twin Lakes.



'Rocks pull away from Avon

Westfield picked up another Hoosier Crossroads Conference win on Friday, traveling to Avon and coming home with a 45-24 victory.

The Orioles got on the board first with a field goal midway through the first period. The Shamrocks had to wait until there was one second left in the opening quarter, but they made it count: Maximus Webster connected with Gabe Arambolles for a six-yard touchdown.

With that, Westfield's offense began to heat up. Webster ran 23 yards for a score early in the second period, then he and Arambolles teamed up for another touchdown midway through the quarter, this one for 19 yards. The Orioles also scored twice in the period, but the 'Rocks led 21-17 at halftime.

Caleb King extended that led to 24-17 early in the third period by kicking a 42-yard field goal. Avon tied the game with a long passing touchdown at the four-min-

ute mark of the quarter, but Trevon Hatchett got Westfield back in front right away, taking the kickoff 98 yards into the end zone for a go-ahead touchdown that kept the 'Rocks in front for good.

Then Westfield got a last-second score again: Micah Hauser punched the ball in from the one-yard line with one second left in the third quarter. Finally, Webster and Jackson Wasserstrom completed the scoring with a 24-yard touchdown pass play with 10:49 left in the fourth.

Webster completed 14 of 20 pass attempts for 207 yards. Arambolles totaled five receptions, and Hauser rushed for 108 yards. King was 6-for-6 on extra point attempts. Tyler Dikos had 12 tackles on the night; both he and Popeye Williams made one sack.

Westfield is still unbeaten in the HCC at 5-0 and is 6-1 overall. The Shamrocks host Fishers next Friday.

WESTFIELD 45, AVON 24

Score by Quarters

Westfield	7	14	17	7	- 45
Avon	3	14	7	0	- 24

Team Stats

	WHS	AHS
First Downs	16	20
By Rush	6	12
By Pass	10	7
By Penalty	20	1
Rushes-Yards	29-144	33-175
Yards Passing	217	174
Comp-Att-Int-TD	15-22-0-3	15-27-1-1
Fumbles-Lost	1-0	1-0
Penalties-Yards	5-58	7-53
Punts-Average	3-35.7	6-37.7

Westfield Scoring

First Quarter

0:01 - Gabe Arambolles 6-yard pass from Maximus Webster (Caleb King kick)

Second Quarter

9:47 - Webster 23-yard run (King kick)

5:23 - Arambolles 19-yard pass from Webster (King kick)

Third Quarter

8:22 - King 42-yard field goal
3:47 - Trevon Hatchett 98-yard kickoff return (King kick)
0:01 - Micah Hauser 1-yard run (King kick)

Fourth Quarter

10:49 - Jackson Wasserstrom 24-yard pass from Webster (King kick)

Westfield individual stats

Rushing: Hauser 10-108, Webster 5-30, Hatchett 5-10, Ja'Veyon Averitte 6-5, team 3-minus 9.
Passing: Webster 14-19-207, Jackson Gilbert 1-3-10.
Receiving: Arambolles 5-53, Wasserstrom 4-64, Nic Depasquale 2-48, Hatchett 2-30, Hauser 1-12, Steven Wilkos 1-10.

Huskies fall to unbeaten Tipton, 21-0

Hamilton Heights was dealt a tough loss at Tipton on Friday, as the Blue Devils beat the Huskies 21-0 in the annual rivalry and Hoosier Conference East Division game.

Tipton scored touchdowns in each of

the last three quarters, all of them rushes by Eli Carter. He punched in the ball from the two-yard line in the second period, then streaked 85 yards for a score in the third quarter. Carter then added a 27-yard run in the fourth; he totaled 211 yards for

the game. The Blue Devils are ranked No. 4 in Class 2A and are also undefeated at 7-0.

Trey Ehman led the Heights rushing with 63 yards. Guy Griffey went 9-of-20 through the air for 90 yards, with Gavin

Bramel making three catches.

The Huskies dropped to 1-2 in division play and are 4-3 overall. Heights hosts Lewis Cass next week to finish up its division schedule.

TIPTON 21, HAMILTON HEIGHTS 0				Yards Passing	90	82
Score by Quarters				Comp-Att-Int-TD	9-20-2-0	7-9-0-0
Heights	0	0	0	Fumbles-Lost	0-0	0-0
Tipton	0	7	7	Penalties-Yards	2-30	4-23
				Punts-Average	3-32.0	4-28.0
				Heights individual stats		
				Rushing: Trey Ehman 21-63, Chance Yeager 3-3, Guy Griffey 3-0, Gavin Bramel 1-minus 2, Dean Mason 1-minus 8.		
				Passing: Griffey 9-20-90.		
				Receiving: Bramel 3-27, Cooper Vondersaar 2-25, Vincent Harley 2-19, Isaac Tuma 1-11, Tyler Champion 1-8.		
				Team Stats	HH	FHS
First Downs	9	11				
By Rush	4	6				
By Pass	5	3				
By Penalty	0	2				
Rushes-Yards	29-56	39-244				

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Blackhawks pull away from Seeger

Sheridan took a trip to Seeger on Friday and returned with a 21-0 victory.

After a scoreless first half, the Blackhawks got going in the second half. Jacob Jones got Sheridan’s first points of the game on a three-yard rushing touchdown late in the third quarter.

Sheridan then added two more scores in the fourth period. Gavin Reners took off on an 80-yard scoring run early in the quarter. Then at the midway point of the period, Keegan Hampton grabbed an interception and took it 79 yards into the end zone.

Reners finished the game with 154 yards on 27 carries. Owen Bell kicked all three extra points. Sheridan’s defense also played well, limiting the Patriots to only five yards rushing.

The Blackhawks are 5-2 for the season. Sheridan returns to Hoosier Heartland Conference play next week when it travels to Eastern. The Comets are 5-0 in HHC play, while the Blackhawks are 4-1. Carroll is right behind these schools with a 3-1 record, and Sheridan hosts the Cougars to finish the regular season on Oct. 15.



Sheridan's Cale Cummings runs the ball during the Blackhawks' game at Seeger on Friday night. Sheridan won 21-0, scoring all of its points in the second half.

Photo by Si DeVaney III

Golden Eagles fall to Northview

Guerin Catholic dropped a 26-20 game at Northview on Friday.

The Knights scored one touchdown in each of the first two quarters to take a 14-0 halftime lead. Northview then led 20-0 in the third quarter before the Golden Eagles got on the board.

Ryan Zimmerman connected with Will Fremion for a 28-yard touchdown, and Evan Guenther’s extra-point kick cut the Knights’ lead to 20-7. Guerin Catholic scored again in the fourth quarter, with Zimmerman throwing a 59-yard

touchdown pass to Ryan Glenn. Guenther’s kick got the Golden Eagles within 20-14.

But Northview answered with its own long touchdown pass, and the Knights were able to hold on for the win. Zimmerman did throw for one more touchdown, as he tossed a 48-yard scoring pass to Robert Soresen.

Stats from the game were not available at press time.

The Golden Eagles are 1-6 and host East Central next Friday.

SHERIDAN 21, SEEGER 0					Sheridan Scoring	
Score by Quarters					Second Quarter	
Sheridan	0	0	7	14	3:26 - Jacob Jones 3-yard run (Owen Bell kick)	
Seeger	0	0	0	0	Fourth Quarter	
					8:15 - Gavin Reners 80-yard run (Bell kick)	
					5:54 - Keegan Hampton 79-yard interception return (Bell kick)	
Team Stats		SH	SE	Sheridan individual stats		
First Downs	11	6	Rushing: Reners 27-154, Cale Cummings 7-40, Jalen Herron 4-30, Jones 3-12, Cole Webel 5-11, Peyton Cross 6-10.			
By Rush	11	1	Passing: Cummings 0-4-0.			
By Pass	0	5	Receiving: none.			
By Penalty	0	0				
Rushes-Yards	52-257	27-5				
Yards Passing	0	176				
Comp-Att-Int-TD	0-4-0-0	7-26-2-0				
Fumbles-Lost	2-1	0-0				
Penalties-Yards	2-15	0-0				
Punts-Average	4-28.5	7-30.4				

Girls golf

County teams within striking distance at state

The first round of the IHSAA girls golf state finals took place Friday at Prairie View Golf Club in Carmel.

After the first 18 holes, the four Hamilton County teams are within striking distance of the podium. Westfield is the top local team so far, as the Shamrocks are in fifth place with a score of 324.

Sophie McGinnis is leading the Shamrocks with a 76; that total includes two birdies and places her in a tie for 10th individually. Each Westfield has at least one birdie: Samantha Brown has made three, while Brette Hanavan, Allie Hildebrand and Addi Kooi all have one.

Hamilton Southeastern is in sixth place after the first round with a 326. Yanah Rolston had a solid round of 74, which places her in a tie for fourth place individually so far. Rolston made two

birdies. Marissa Spreitzer also has two birdies, while Lauren Stewart has the most birdies with four.

Carmel carded a first-day score of 329, placing them in seventh, but only seven shots outside of the podium (a top-four finish). Ava Hedrick is presently leading the Greyhounds with a score of 79, having made two birdies. Michaela Headlee also has two birdies, and the other Carmel players – Ava Nguyen, Sophie Mock and Claire Swathwood – all have one.

Noblesville is in ninth place as a team with a score of 339. Caroline Whallon has the Millers’ lowest score with an 80; that includes two birdies. Jordan Adam, Sophi Stutz and Erin Burt all have one birdie.

Two individuals are playing as well. Guerin Catholic’s Christina Pfefferkorn carded a 78, making two birdies along the

way. Pfefferkorn is playing in her fourth state meet. University’s Becky Williams scored an 80, also draining two birdies.

Second-round play begins at 8:30 a.m. this morning, with all Hamilton County golfers starting off of the first tee. Pfefferkorn and Williams begin at 8:48 a.m., Carmel and Noblesville tee off between 8:57 and 9:33 a.m., and Westfield and Southeastern tee off between 9:42 and 10:18 a.m.

Team scores: Evansville North 302, Homestead 317, Castle 320, Culver Academies 322, Westfield 324, Hamilton Southeastern 326, Carmel 329, Center Grove 336, Noblesville 339, Floyd Central 353, NorthWood 373, Western 381, Penn 382, Crown Point 384, Batesville 392.

Westfield scores: Sophie McGinnis 76, Samantha Brown 79, Brette Hanavan 84, Allie Hildebrand 85, Addi Kooi 85.

Southeastern scores: Yanah Rolston 74, Marissa Spreitzer 83, Ella Bui 84, Lauren Stewart 85, Cora Zink 91.

Carmel scores: Ava Hedrick 79, Michaela Headlee 80, Ava Nguyen 85, Sophie Mock 85, Claire Swathwood 87.

Noblesville scores: Caroline Whallon 80, Jordan Adam 85, Sophi Stutz 86, Erin Burt 88, Olivia Anderson 97.

Guerin Catholic score: Christina Pfefferkorn 78.

University score: Becky Williams 80.

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Friday's games	
Pittsburgh 9, Cincinnati 2	Oakland 8, Houston 6
Boston 4, Washington 2	Kansas City 11, Minnesota 6
Tampa Bay 4, N.Y. Yankees 3	Chicago White Sox 8, Detroit 1
Toronto 6, Baltimore 4	St. Louis 4, Chicago Cubs 3
Philadelphia 5, Miami 0	Colorado 9, Arizona 7
N.Y. Mets 4, Atlanta 3	San Francisco 3, San Diego 0
Cleveland 9, Texas 6	L.A. Angels 2, Seattle 1
	L.A. Dodgers 8, Milwaukee 6

National League

East	W	L	PCT.	GB
y-Atlanta	86	73	.541	-
Philadelphia	82	78	.513	4.5
N.Y. Mets	77	83	.481	9.5
Miami	65	95	.406	21.5
Washington	65	95	.406	21.5
Central	W	L	PCT.	GB
y-Milwaukee	95	65	.594	-
w-St. Louis	90	70	.563	5.0
Cincinnati	82	78	.513	13.0
Chi. Cubs	69	91	.431	26.0
Pittsburgh	60	100	.375	35.0
West	W	L	PCT.	GB
x-San Francisco	106	54	.663	-
x-L.A. Dodgers	104	56	.650	2.0
San Diego	78	82	.488	28.0
Colorado	74	85	.465	31.5
Arizona	50	110	.313	56.0
y - Clinched division	z - Clinched best record in league			

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Eastern (Greentown) 41, Tri-Central 6
 Eastside 49, Fremont 0
 Evansville Central 17, Evansville Harrison 13
 Evansville Mater Dei 42, Evansville Bosse 10
 Evansville Memorial 49, Evansville Reitz 10
 Evansville North 42, Vincennes Lincoln 17
 Fairfield 16, Garrett 7
 Fishers 37, Franklin Central 8
 Floyd Central 24, Bedford North Lawrence 13
 Fort Wayne Luers 41, Fort Wayne Dwenger 38
 Fort Wayne North 29, Fort Wayne South 26
 Fort Wayne Snider 42, Fort Wayne Northrop 12
 Fort Wayne Wayne 28, Fort Wayne Concordia 26
 Franklin 33, Plainfield 20
 Frontier 36, Tri-County 32
 Gary West 54, East Chicago Central 8
 Gibson Southern 54, Mount Vernon (Posey) 6
 Greencastle 42, Cloverdale 0
 Greenfield-Central 43, Yorktown 7
 Griffith 45, Boone Grove 7
 Hamilton Southeastern 38, Noblesville 8
 Hanover Central 69, Whiting 6
 Harrison (West Lafayette) 44, Hammond Central 14
 Heritage Christian 48, Lapel 21
 Heritage Hills 65, Washington 0
 Hobart 56, Kankakee Valley 24
 Indianapolis Attucks 26, Indianapolis Shortridge 24
 Indianapolis Cathedral 35, Cincinnati 1

Norwell 42, DeKalb 0
Oak Hill 35, Frankton 21
Owen Valley 67, Eastern Greene 0
Paoli 55, Crawford County 0
Park Tudor 55, Phalen Academy 6
Parke Heritage 58, North Vermillion 26
Pendleton Heights 38, Delta 0
Penn 34, South Bend St. Joseph 3
Perry Central 37, West Washington 22
Peru 33, Southwood 14
Pioneer 34, Knox 14
Providence 35, Milan 21
Rensselaer Central 48, Benton Central 18
Salem 43, Eastern (Pekin) 0
Scottsburg 28, Mitchell 18
Seymour 50, Jennings County 29
Shenandoah 35, Northeastern 28
Sheridan 21, Seeger 0
Silver Creek 27, North Harrison 24
South Adams 42, Jay County 13
South Central (Union Mills) 13, River Forest 0
South Dearborn 24, Franklin County 14
South Putnam 53, Brown County 6
South Vermillion 53, Fountain Central 21
Southridge 49, South Spencer 7
Southside HomeSchool 44, Rock Creek Academy 8
Speedway 48, Cascade 22
Springs Valley 24, Tecumseh 20
Sullivan 45, Edgewood 0
Switzerland County 14, South Decatur 8
Tell City 56, Pike Central 8
Terre Haute North 28, Southport 21
Tippecanoe Valley 57, Maconaquah 6
Tipton 21, Hamilton Heights 0
Traders Point Christian 37, Edinburgh 35
Tri-West 38, North Montgomery 0
Tri 72, Knightstown 0
Wabash 48, North Miami 7
Warsaw 49, Wawasee 7
West Lafayette 42, Lewis Cass 0
West Vigo 18, North Putnam 12
Western Boone 49, Southmont 0
Western 48, Northwestern 13
Westfield 45, Avon 24
Wheeler 72, Hammond Noll 19
Whiteland 24, Mooresville 14
Winamac 35, West Central 0
Winchester 40, Hagerstown 24

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