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TODAY'S WEATHER



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Reporter file photo

Cicero residents are invited to attend a meeting about the upcoming *Now Entering...Cicero* television program. The meeting will be held this coming Tuesday at the Red Bridge Community Building, shown in the photo above.

Cicero getting spotlight in Ball State PBS program

Residents encouraged to take part in telling their town's story

The REPORTER

Ball State PBS is looking for stories about Cicero.

The Muncie PBS station located on the Ball State University campus will feature Cicero in its ongoing series celebrating small towns in its viewing area.

Called *Now Entering...* this program is a video scrapbook of the people, places and history of towns as seen through the eyes of its residents. Cicero community members will collect video footage and photos to showcase their unique stories. These materials will be combined to create the *Now Entering...Cicero* television program, which will be broadcast

Calling the Cicero Community!

Everyone in Cicero is invited to attend an informational meeting with Ball State PBS producers on the upcoming *Now Entering...Cicero* television program. The meeting will take place from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. on Tuesday, Feb. 22 at the Red Bridge Community Center, 697 W. Jackson St.

on Ball State PBS this summer.

Producers from Ball State PBS will be in Cicero at 6:30 p.m. on Tuesday, Feb. 22, at the Red Bridge Community Center, 697 W. Jackson St., for an informational meeting. Residents are invited and encouraged to attend the meeting to learn about this new PBS project.

Anyone who would like to

learn more about the project but unable to attend the meeting in person can contact Sam Clemmons, producer/director, at scllemmons@bsu.edu, or fill out a participation form at ballstatepbs.org/nowentering.

For more about *Now Entering...* including the first 11 episodes featuring Portland, Pendleton, Knightstown, Upland,

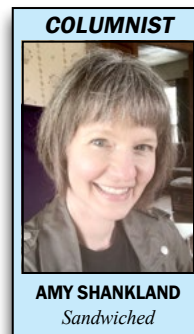
Alexandria, Tipton, Rushville, Hartford City, Fortville, New Castle, and Eaton, visit ballstatepbs.org/nowentering. There you can find links to watch each of those 11 town's programs.

About Ball State PBS

A Public Broadcasting Service affiliate, Ball State PBS is licensed to Ball State University and serves nearly 1.5 million people in east central Indiana and western Ohio. Ball State PBS endeavors to educate, entertain and engage the communities it serves through distinctive television programs and enriching community engagement. Learn more on [Facebook](https://Facebook.com/BallStatePBS), [Twitter](https://Twitter.com/BallStatePBS), and at ballstatepbs.org.

Don't hesitate to celebrate

It just hit me that my mother will be 90 in three months. I mentioned this to my husband John and he asked what my siblings and I were thinking of doing to celebrate. I replied, "Whatever we do, it will have to be something at her facility."



COLUMNIST

AMY SHANKLAND
Sandwiched

Some of you may recall her big day last year when she and I enjoyed a couple of hours at Coxhall Gardens in Carmel. It took some big-time planning between Hamilton County Parks and Recreation, Hamilton County Tourism, Hamilton County Express, and me, but we pulled everything off without a hitch. We ended the celebration with Heavenly Sweets cupcakes back at her facility.

Just nine months later, I already know we can't do anything even close to that this year. We'll have to do our best to have a special celebration at her assisted living facility. I'm hoping we can at least go outside for it, although they don't have any outdoor gathering spaces.

Mom has declined rapidly over the last six months as I've shared with you all. I remember her slowly walking with determination last summer to go play bingo. At that point she mostly traveled by wheelchair, but sometimes she would still try to walk a bit. Now, Mom can barely take a couple of steps.

While I'm sad we can't do more for her on her upcoming special birthday, I'm incredibly happy that my family and I took the time to

See *Celebrate . . . Page 3*

Indiana schools will no longer have to contact trace students, report cases to state

By KYLE BLOYD

WISH-TV | wishtv.com

The Indiana Department of Health is easing guidelines on schools next week.

Beginning next Wednesday, several changes go in effect:

- Schools will not have to conduct contact tracing.
- Schools will not have to report positive cases to IDOH.
- Schools will not have to quarantine students who are exposed to a positive COVID-19 case.
- Individuals who test positive can return after five days of isolation "if they have been fever-free for 24 hours without the use of medication so long as symptoms are improving."

See *COVID . . . Page 3*

Heights welcomes four dozen companies to A.E.C. job fair

Reporter photo by Shelby Shaw

Hamilton Heights welcomed 48 vendors from the Greater Indianapolis area to its Agriculture, Engineering, and Construction job fair on Wednesday evening. The job fair was meant to give current junior and senior students at Heights – and their parents – the chance to meet with potential employers in the ag, engineering and construction fields. Attendees were able to establish professional relationships and discuss potential job and/or internship and apprenticeship opportunities while developing relationships that can open doors to potential employment upon graduation this spring. See more photos on Page 4 and at ReadTheReporter.com.



'Michigan Left' intersection at 96th & Allisonville to be replaced by roundabout

Fishers announces project in conjunction with mixed-use community

The REPORTER

CRG Residential has announced a \$98 million mixed-use project at the northwest corner of 96th Street and Allisonville Road in Fishers. The project will include multi-family homes, townhomes, and commercial retail space situated next to the recently announced 98-acre parkland to the west.

The City of Fishers, in

close partnership with CRG, also announced the reconstruction of the Michigan Left intersection into a roundabout.

Additionally, CRG Residential has committed to donate the land required for the roundabout and an additional 25 acres of non-floodplain land to increase the size of adjacent parkland, totaling 123 acres for the White River passive nature park.

"This project will enhance

the southwest corridor of our community in multiple ways," Fishers Mayor Scott Fadness said. "The new park, and now the additional buffer zone donated by CRG, will serve as a key amenity for our city and region, providing expanded public access to one of our community's greatest natural assets – the White River. And as we bring the roundabout intersection online, the addition-

al vehicular traffic will be able to better access the local businesses in the area as a gateway to our city."

The mixed-use development from Carmel-based CRG will include 380 multi-family units, 66 townhomes for sale and 35,000 square-foot of new commercial retail space. It will also include infrastructure

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FISHERS

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improvements to support the city's new park.

CRG has significant experience with similar public-private partnerships in Indiana, throughout the Midwest and eastern United States. CRG is finishing construction of the Nickel Plate Station in downtown Fishers as well as projects in Greenwood, Westfield, Evansville, Elkhart, Newport, Ky., West Des Moines, Iowa, and Traverse City, Mich., among others.

"We are excited about the opportunity to invest in this important corridor of the city and to enhance its value to the community," said CRG President and

Fishers resident Christopher Reid. "There are so many dynamic pieces to this development, particularly the park and greenspace along the White River which will provide access to the overall community. We look forward to working with city officials, Councilors, key partners and the community to develop a project that instills pride in the community."

At its upcoming meeting on Monday, Feb. 21, the Fishers City Council will consider project agreement approval after hearing from Fishers Economic Development officials and CRG leaders. Their presentation

will include more project details and proposed bond financing, which includes \$23 million in developer-guaranteed bonds over a term of 25 years for land and infrastructure.

About CRG Residential

CRG Residential, LLC is a Carmel-based construction and real estate investment firm that specializes in complex multi-family housing developments throughout the Midwest and eastern United States. With more than 150 employees, CRG Residential has 28 years of experience of renovation and construction of nearly 25,000 multi-family units throughout nearly 24 states.



Rendering provided

This rendering, dated Jan. 7, shows an overhead view of what will be a mixed-use resident and business community northwest of the intersection of 96th Street and Allisonville Road in Fishers. Part of the plan calls for 25 acres being added to the White River passive nature park, bring the total size of the park to 123 acres. Additionally, the current intersection of 96th and Allisonville will be converted to a roundabout, as seen at the lower right.

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- **Mike Bragg**, GM of Tom Wood Volkswagen in Noblesville

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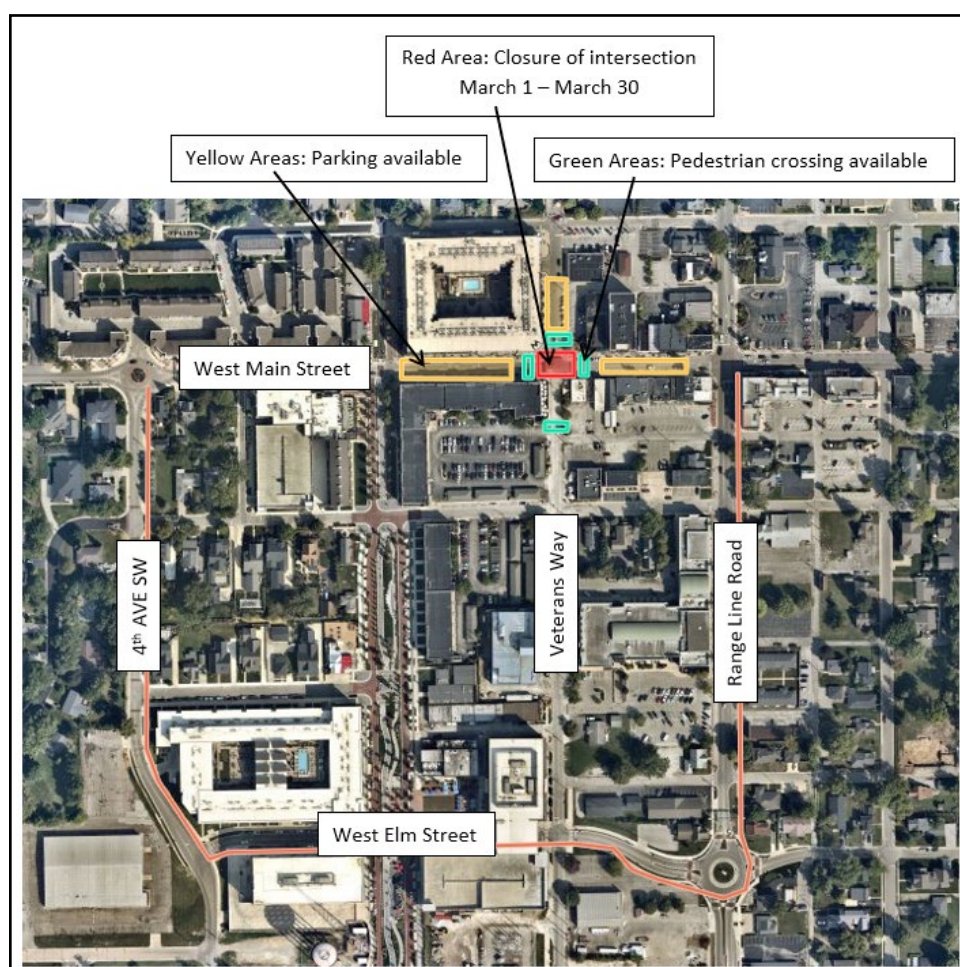
Duke Energy project in Carmel to close Main Street at Veterans Way

The REPORTER

Duke Energy's ongoing project to bury transmission lines in Carmel will result in the closure of Main Street at Veterans Way for up to a month beginning March 1. The utility project calls for the burial of lines under and then across Main Street where Muldoon's and the Pint Room are located.

Main Street will remain open for parking, but there will be no vehicular thru traffic. Pedestrian access via sidewalks and crosswalks will remain open. Crosswalk locations may be adjusted throughout construction for pedestrian safety.

This overall transmission line project began in mid-July 2021 and is anticipated to be completed in May 2022. It involves the burial of Duke transmission lines and water main upgrades along Veterans Way from Elm Street to Main Street. During all phases of work, access to properties and businesses have been and will continue to be maintained in the region.



Detours will be posted. The main detour includes 4th Avenue SW, West Elm

Street and South Range Line Road for east-west traffic.

CELEBRATE

celebrate her other big days over the years. We had a huge surprise (ish) party for her 70th birthday. Okay, she figured things out, so it wasn't quite a surprise. But I still remember dozens of family and friends gathered around and the joy she felt that afternoon.

We celebrated her 80th birthday at her favorite Italian restaurant up in Mishawaka back when she used to live there. While the event itself wasn't a surprise, my sister flew up from Florida, which Mom didn't expect. The hugs

and tears were unforgettable. And last year's picture-perfect day in May was truly special. Everyone rolled out the red carpet for my mama, and I was extremely grateful.

If you are in the sandwich generation and blessed to still have your parents around, I want to encourage you to make the most of their special days – birthdays, anniversaries, etc. I know it's hard, especially when you're juggling children, a job, etc. (I remem-

ber holding a newborn and chasing a toddler around when Mom turned 70.)

Trust me, though, you'll look back and be so grateful you took the time and energy to do so. Don't hesitate to celebrate! It's worth it.

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COVID

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"These changes reflect the rapid decline in COVID-19 cases as we emerge from the omicron surge and the fact that all school-age children have been eligible to be vaccinated since November," State Health Commissioner Kris Box said in a statement. "While they do not remove the need for continued vigilance, they will ease the reporting burden on schools and help ensure that chil-

dren can stay in school."

Several other announcements were made Thursday:

- Testing and vaccinations near Indianapolis Motor Speedway will end Feb. 26.
- Testing and vaccination "strike teams" across the state are being suspended.
- Support from the Indiana National Guard at hospitals and long-term care facilities will end March 14.

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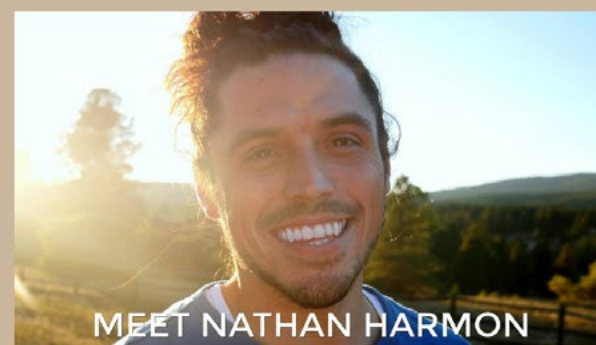
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Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God. And the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus. (Phil. 4:6-7)

You are invited to study with us, grow with us and turn to God in 2022. Let us help you lay hold of this marvelous peace. A warm welcome awaits you at the **Stony Creek Church of Christ!**

We are located at 15530 Herriman Blvd. in Noblesville.



Stony Creek Church of Christ

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Wednesday Bible Study 7:00 pm

Hamilton Heights holds fair for trades



Reporter photos by Shelby Shaw
(Left) Project Manager Chad Montgomery explains to a parent how the semi-truck simulation works while the parent has a turn in the simulator chair. (Right) Hamilton Heights student Samuel Force tries the semi-truck simulator after being told what Indiana Ready Mixed Concrete Association is all about.



Reporter photo by Shelby Shaw
Teddy Bledsoe (left) tells Hamilton Heights senior DeJuan King (right) about Sobczak Construction Services, Inc.



(Left) The TMG Construction Management crew includes (from left) Matt Murdock, Caleb Etchison, Mike Goins, and John Turner. (Right) The Elite Plumbing team is run by Drew Hunter (right). Here he is showing off the display for the night's festivities.



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Indiana lawmakers approve expanding \$125 tax refund eligibility to 450K more people

WISH-TV | wishtv.com

State lawmakers have approved a proposal expanding the number of people eligible for anticipated \$125 payments this spring under the state's automatic taxpayer refund law.

Those payments are being made after a big jump in state tax collections helped by federal COVID-19 relief funding triggered the refund law for the first time since 2012.

Indiana House members voted 88-0 on Thursday to join the Senate in approving a bill modifying the law so that about 450,000 people who don't have enough income to owe any state taxes are also eligible for the refund.

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From the desk of Hamilton Heights Superintendent Derek Arrowood

Update #78

Starting this Saturday, FFA chapters around the country will celebrate National FFA Week. This weeklong recognition gives us the opportunity to celebrate the accomplishments of our FFA while educating the public about the tremendous impact of agriculture in our daily lives.

FFA is the premier youth organization preparing members for leadership and careers in the science, business, and technology of agriculture and is an integral part of the teaching program in agriculture at HHHS and HHMS. Hamilton Heights' agricultural education program is deeply rooted in the community. With Emilie Carson, Agriculture Educator and FFA Advisor, at the helm, the sky is the limit for students as they develop their potential for leadership, explore their interests, and take advantage of a broad range of career pathways through agricultural education at Heights.

Next Monday kicks off Public Schools Week. It's a week designated to recognize and celebrate the invaluable role of our nation's public schools. Strong public schools are the foundation of success for young people, the growth of our communities, and instrumental to our country's future. Hamilton Heights, and its community predecessor schools, have been helping to prepare students to go out into the world and make a powerful difference for well over a century. Thanks in part to the caliber of teachers, administrators, staff, involved families, and strong community partners, Heights continues to be a destination of choice for K-12 education.

We invite you to celebrate the many opportunities afforded through our local public schools and engage in activities that will strengthen the business-school connection throughout the year. We welcome and encourage our families and community to be actively engaged in all things Hamilton Heights



DR. DEREK ARROWOOD
Heights Superintendent

and stay connected in every way possible including via our [website](#), [Facebook](#), [Twitter](#) where you will always find 'Great Kids Doing Great Things!'

Speaking of great kids, I want to give a shout out to two multi-sport athletes – Samera Henson and Jayla Logan who wrestled their way to the Top 5 in their weight class at the Indiana High School Girls Wrestling State Finals. Samera, a three-time medalist, took fifth in the 113 weight class. Jayla, a two-time medalist, earned fourth in the 132 weight class. The girls wrestling program has its roots at Heights and pioneered by Head Coach Gary "Iron Bear" Myers, a former world wrestling champion, who was just voted Head Coach of the Year by his peers. In addition, just five short years after he started the Indiana girls wrestling program, it is expected to become a sanctioned sport by the Indiana High School Athletic Association next year.

On a side note, on Wednesday our gymnasium was filled with junior and senior high school students from throughout Hamilton County and beyond, along with their parents, looking to line up a job, summer apprenticeship, and/or internship in the local construction trade industry at the first annual Architecture, Engineering, and Construction Job Fair. This complimentary networking, information sharing, and recruiting event, organized by CEA Master Teacher and NC-CER Instructor Eric Fisher, was created to help establish relationships and open doors to opportunities in the trades industry. Pretty cool!

Our students continue to thrive and enjoy unlimited opportunities to become the best version of themselves because of a strong, collective effort within our campus and throughout our community. Thank you for being a part of their success!

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Meeting Notices

The Sheridan Community Schools Board of Trustees will hold a special meeting at 6:30 p.m. on Monday, Feb. 21, 2022, in the Media Center at Sheridan High School, 24185 Hinesley Road, Sheridan.

The Adams Township Board and Trustee have rescheduled their meeting to discuss the annual report. The meeting will now take place at 10 a.m. on Tuesday, Feb. 22, 2022, in the Adams Township Trustee's Office, 201 S. Main St., Sheridan.

The Building and Grounds Committee of the Hamilton East Public Library Board of Trustees will meet at 3 p.m. on Tuesday, Feb. 22, 2022, in the Administrative Conference Room at the Noblesville Library, 1 Library Plaza, Noblesville.

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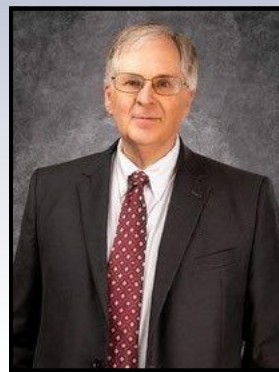
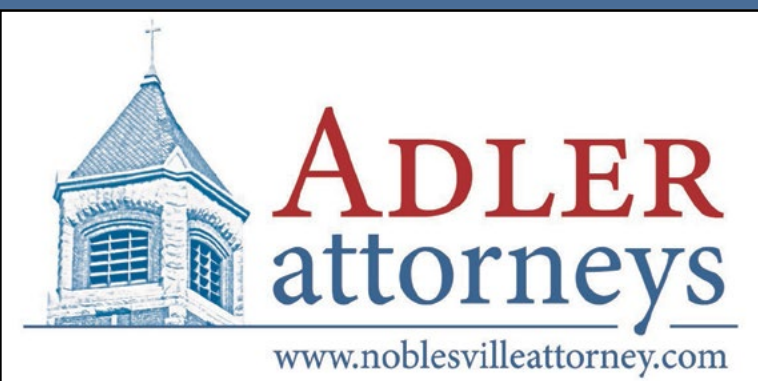
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Heights school board approves change in voting process for board members

The REPORTER

At its Wednesday meeting, the Hamilton Heights School Board of Trustees approved the recommended adjustments in its organization plan involving the way

school board members are elected. This process, originally established with the formation of the corporation in 1965, was designed to ensure all areas of the district were represented.

This adjustment was made after county clerks from around the state were notified by the Indiana Elections Division that some districts may not be following Indiana Code (IC 20) which requires that the populations in their districts be equal. This is not a requirement for all school districts but varies depending upon the school board's organization plan.

Heights will continue to have two members residing in White River Township, two members residing in Jackson Township, and one

At-Large member. The individuals seeking a specific seat in Jackson or White River townships will still need to live in the township they are seeking to represent for at least one year prior to filing to run, as has been the case in the past.

Going forward to best meet state code requirements while honoring the intentions of the first Hamilton Heights School Board, ALL voters in Jackson and White River townships can vote for the candidate of their choice regardless of residence.

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Letter to the Editor

Briggs: Transgender athletes should have their own teams, leagues

Dear Editor:

Remember when girls were excluded from boys activities via the sign on the wooden club house door, "No Girls Allowed"? Acclaimed transgenders girls want to cross the line into girls and women's sports.

Currently in the Indiana House there is **House Bill 1041** that is supporting sports for girls and women and excluding male-born transgender girls from participating in girls sports.

One protester against this bill, a 22-year-old transgender woman from Martinsville, Ind., called the bill "unfair" and said it "ruins the whole spirit of sport." She also said that, "There is no epidemic of trans girls dominating girls sports. It's a made up, non-problem just to attack us."

The author of HB 1041, Rep. Michelle Davis, said, "It's preserving fairness in girls' sports competitions."

As early as 2016, male-born transgender girls have participated in girls high school and collegiate sports, including hurdles, sprinting, wrestling, cycling and weightlifting that have shattered women's sports records. These female athletes have lost out on scholarships and local, state and national championships due to transgender girls participating in the female sports arena.

In 1972, Congress passed the Title IX Law supporting girls and women in sports. This law really changed the sports arena with the allowance and recognition of girls getting involved in sports. From elementary schools through high school to collegiate teams on to professional women's sports, the equity grew and flourished. Just look at the sports pages in the Reporter.

In 2011, the University of California, Los Angeles law school's Williams Institute conducted research on sexual orientation and gender identity and reported there were approximately 700,000 Americans identifying as transgender. More than likely the numbers of transgenders have grown.

With these facts in mind, it is only fair for the transgender athletes of both genders to create their own teams and leagues.

Mari Briggs
Sheridan

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See DNR at Indy Boat, Sport and Travel show

The REPORTER

The Department of Natural Resources will have a strong presence at the Indianapolis Boat, Sport and Travel Show taking place Feb. 18-20 and 23-27 at the Indiana State Fairgrounds.

The DNR's main location is in Tackle Town in the Blue Ribbon Pavilion. The booth is a convenient one-stop shopping opportunity for licenses, state park passes, lake-use permits, and *Outdoor Indiana* magazine.

DNR biologists and State Parks interpreters and managers will be on hand throughout the show to share program and jobs information and resources, as well as answer your fish and wildlife and parks questions. State Park Inns

will have a separate informational booth in the Travel and Tourism area of the show.

The Live Birds of Prey from Hardy Lake's Dwight Chamberlain Raptor Center will be presented from 10:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Saturday, Feb. 19. A "Snakes Alive, Snake Buffet" from O'Bannon Woods State Park will be offered from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Saturday, Feb. 26.

Members of the Indiana Conservation Officers K-9 team will be available from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. on Saturday, Feb. 26. The public will have an opportunity to interact with the officers and their K-9 partners. All times of the events listed are subject to change.

U.S. Senate passes resolution recognizing February as Career and Technical Education Month

The REPORTER

U.S. Senator Todd Young (R-Ind.) announced Wednesday the Senate unanimously passed a resolution he sponsored recognizing February 2022 as Career and Technical Education (CTE) Month.

The resolution was sponsored by the co-chairs of the Senate CTE Caucus, Senators Young, Tim Kaine (D-Va.), Rob Portman (R-Ohio), and Tammy Baldwin (D-Wis.).

"Supporting workforce training opportunities for Hoosiers is vital to our state's economic prosperity and future," Sen. Young said. "Indiana's workforce needs the right skills and training for the jobs of tomorrow. By investing in our people, we help provide a pathway to a meaningful

career and a chance to live the American Dream."

"Advance CTE celebrates, alongside bipartisan Congressional leadership, the educators and leaders who are committed to ensuring every learner has access to and feels welcome in CTE programs that prepare them for opportunities in today's complex labor market," said Kimberly Green, Executive Director of Advance CTE. "Our nation's economic competitiveness and infrastructure rely on a diverse and robust talent pool and pipeline. CTE provides flexible, responsive pathways for millions of today's learners to become tomorrow's front-line workers."

Click here to read the full text of the resolution.



Young

Gary Richard Towle

November 12, 1947 – February 13, 2022



Gary Richard Towle, 74, Noblesville, passed away on Sunday, February 13, 2022, at River-view Health in Noblesville. He was born on November 12, 1947, to Robert and Elizabeth (Jossens) Towle in Mount Clemens, Mich.

Gary proudly served his country in the United States Air Force at Nellis AFB where he maintained F-111 instrument panels. He worked as a machine tool sales engineer. Gary was a member of Our Lady of Grace Catholic Church where he served as head usher and volunteered. He was an avid hunter and fisherman, very adventurous, and a member of the International Harvester 4-Wheelers Club. Gary loved Veteran's Day. He enjoyed stained glass and was a handyman in his retirement. Gary was very resourceful and a modern-day "MacGyver." He was president of the Potter's Bridge HOA and volunteered with a lot of maintenance projects. Gary was a loving and devoted father and husband and enjoyed taking trips with his wife. He was a thoughtful, kind, and caring man who always considered others before himself.

Gary is survived by his wife of 52 years, Fran Towle; daughters, Melissa Towle and Carrie Towle; grandson, Zachary Lewis; two brothers, Jack Towle (wife Sandy) and Leonard Towle (wife Summer); and several nieces and nephews.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his brother, Bob Towle; brother, Edmond Towle; and sister-in-law, Judy Towle.

Services will be held at 11 a.m., with visitation from 9:30 to 11 a.m., on Friday, February 18, 2022, at Our Lady of Grace Catholic Church, 9900 E. 191st St., Noblesville, with Rev. Clayton Thompson officiating.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Our Lady of Grace Catholic Church (olagn.org) or donate towards a Dedication Park Bench in Dad's honor at Potters Bridge Park (Venmo @Melissa-Towle-4). Potters Bridge was one of Mom and Dad's favorite places to be together.

Condolences: randallroberts.com

Donald R. Adams

June 28, 1952 – February 14, 2022



Donald R. Adams, 69, Noblesville, passed away at Riverview Hospital peacefully with his children and family by his side on February 14, 2022. He was born in Mayfield, Ky., on June 28, 1952, to the late Randall D. Adams and Mary K. Rude.

Donald was a very simple man with a loving heart. He was dedicated to his family and loyal to a fault. He was giving of himself, his time, and his talents. He was extremely hard working. He worked for Buttz Excavating since opening in 1981 and was still employed full time. If he wasn't working, you could find him mowing the yard, riding his golf cart, or fixing anything and everything. He had a very strong work ethic. He loved his wife so much and cared for her. He was a wonderful husband, father, papaw, and friend who will be deeply missed by all who knew and loved him.

Donald is survived by his wife of 50 years, Debra (Dane) Adams; children, Donnie Ray Adams Jr. (Janette) and Angie Van Hook (Jason); grandchildren, Kenley and Ashley Adams, and Isabella, Olivia, Seth, and Sam Van Hook; siblings, Ronnie Adams, Debbie Bowers (Raymond), and Gary Adams; several nieces and nephews, along with many longtime friends.

He is preceded in death by his parents listed above; stepfather, Bob Rude; and brother, Bobby Rude.

A visitation will be held from 2 to 4 p.m. on Saturday, February 19, 2022, with a funeral service beginning at 4 p.m. at Legacy Cremation and Funeral Service – Anderson. Reverend Byron Fritz will be officiating. Cremation will immediately follow. His ashes will be placed in his final resting place at Hamilton Memorial Park Cemetery by his family at a later date.

Condolences: legacycremationfuneral.com

Thanks for reading The Reporter!

TODAY'S BIBLE READING

Now, brothers and sisters, about times and dates we do not need to write to you, for you know very well that the day of the Lord will come like a thief in the night. While people are saying, "Peace and safety," destruction will come on them suddenly, as labor pains on a pregnant woman, and they will not escape. But you, brothers and sisters, are not in darkness so that this day should surprise you like a thief. You are all children of the light and children of the day. We do not belong to the night or to the darkness. So then, let us not be like others, who are asleep, but let us be awake and sober. For those who sleep, sleep at night, and those who get drunk, get drunk at night. But since we belong to the day, let us be sober, putting on faith and love as a breastplate, and the hope of salvation as a helmet. For God did not appoint us to suffer wrath but to receive salvation through our Lord Jesus Christ. He died for us so that, whether we are awake or asleep, we may live together with him. Therefore encourage one another and build each other up, just as in fact you are doing.

1 Thessalonians 5:1-11 (NIV)

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Nathan Bullock (D)
*Amy Elizabeth Massillamany (R)
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Mark F. Hall (R)
*Steve Schwartz (R)
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*Ken Alexander (R)

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*Erica Strahm (R)

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Fall Creek 23
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Noblesville 18
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Cymande (Mandie) Lackland
Clay Twp. (vote for 36)
Jim Blessing
Christopher M. Brown
April Culbertson
Jeremy Eltz
Missy Eltz
Annette Gross
Sara Hindi
Cheryl Hubbell
Kirsten Kowalewski
Rosemary Noel
Stephen Ring
Susan K. Ring
Dallas Shelby

Heather Stith
Matthew Stone
Erin Vahrenkamp
Heidi Wold
Delaware/Fall Creek Twps. (vote for 39)
A. Brando Corsaro
June P. Levey
Gregory A. Purvis
Sara Schmidt
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Noblesville Twp. (vote for 21)
Christopher M. Davis
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Paula Jo Gilliam
Lori C. Hand
Jo May
Christian Renner
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Jeffrey D. Atteberry
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Shelly Brown
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Dawn Lang
Mario Massillamany
Patricia (Trish) Poteet
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Sandra Welch-Richard
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Martin Wood
Al Wunder
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Shayre Rivotto
David Rivotto
Jennifer Rufatto
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Jackson/White River (vote for 6)
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Jennifer C. Dunbar
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Noblesville District 1 (vote for 8)
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Bradley (Brad) Eddy
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Beth Sheller
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Debbie Stewart
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Boys swimming sectional prelims

County teams send swimmers to finals

The IHSAA boys swimming sectionals began Thursday with the preliminaries at 20 sites around the state, although many of them in northern Indiana were postponed to Friday due to the weather.

The three sectionals that feature Hamilton County teams all got their prelims completed. Carmel hosted one of the prelims, and set advanced all 27 of their swims to the championship heat of Saturday's sectional finals.

The Greyhounds, who have won the last seven state titles, picked up the top seed in all 11 swimming events. Gregg Enoch qualified first in the 200 and 500 freestyles, while Ryan Malicki earned the top seed in the individual medley and breaststroke. Other top seeds for Carmel are Christopher Holmes in the 50 free, Aaron Shackell in the butterfly, Sean Sullivan in the 100 free and Leo Han in the backstroke. The 'Hounds also qualified first in all three relays.

"I feel like the guys did a good job tonight," said Carmel coach Chris Plumb. The energy across the team was good, with Plumb saying everyone was cheering for one another.

"They all made the second quarter," said Plumb. "You take care of business today to have that opportunity and they're ready to go."

Noblesville also advanced all 27 of their swims to the Saturday finals. Twenty of the Millers' swims reached the championship heat, with the other seven headed to the consolation heat.

The medley relay earned Noblesville its highest seed. The team of Caleb Mathis, Anthony Mathis, Jonah Setmeyer and Zach Armstrong finished second in that event.

"I thought we did really well," said Millers coach Aleks Fansler. "We knew coming into it that everyone is going to swim a lot faster. We stuck to our plan. I thought we had some really surprising swims that I wasn't quite expecting, but pleasantly surprised."

Westfield qualified 26 swims on to the finals, with 13 going to the championship and the other 13 reaching the consols. The Shamrocks' Bennett Morse picked up the second seed in both the 50 and 100 freestyles, and joined Noah Brauer, Aiden Yonkus and Evan Lake to qualify second in both the 200 and 400 free relays.

"We had an outstanding meet tonight," said Westfield coach Darrick Thomas. He called it a "really total team effort."

"The boys are having fun, great team atmosphere, they're really supportive of each other," said Thomas. "And I think when they're into each other and they're not worried about themselves, they rise up. And that was true pretty much all night long."

Guerin Catholic had 10 swims reach the sectional finals, with six going to the championship heat and four to the consolations. The Golden Eagles had their best result in the 200 free, where Quinn Sweeney qualified fifth and Drew Wilhite qualified eighth.

"We had a really solid night," said Guerin Catholic coach Missy McCracken. "All three of our relays are coming back and we had some individual swimmers make it back in the top eight. So everybody did really well, and hopefully we'll come back Saturday and do even better."

Positions 1-8 qualify for championship heat, positions 9-16 qualify for consolation heat, positions 17-18 are alternates.

200 medley relay: 1. Carmel (Sean Sullivan, Ryan Malicki, Graham Seaver, Christopher Holmes) 1:34.65, 2. Noblesville (Caleb Mathis, Anthony Mathis, Jonah Setmeyer, Zach Arm-



Reporter photos by Richie Hall
Carmel swimmers Graham Seaver (left), Christopher Holmes (center) and Andrew Robertson (right) talk during a break in the action at the Carmel sectional prelims on Thursday. The Greyhounds qualified all 27 of their swims to Saturday's sectional finals.

strong) 1:45.65, 3. Westfield (Harrison Barents-Froman, Nathaniel Hand, Luca Barbosa, Aaron Hand) 1:47.02, 9. Guerin Catholic (Charlie Jurewicz, Andrew Swack, Joey Kunkel, Ethan Nimri) 2:03.80.

200 freestyle: 1. Gregg Enoch (C) 1:44.53, 2. Aaron Shackell (C) 1:44.58, T3. Evan Lake (W) 1:47.65; Rikito Iwase (C) 1:47.65, 5. Quinn Sweeney (GC) 1:49.44, 6. Liam Westlund (N) 1:49.71, 7. Aiden Yonkus (W) 1:49.72, 8. Drew Wilhite (GC) 1:50.87, 9. Graham Kulp (N) 1:51.12, 11. Setmeyer (N) 1:56.69, 12. Grant Bricking (GC) 1:58.57, 19. A. Hand (W) 2:03.70.

200 individual medley: 1. R. Malicki (C) 1:57.47, 2. Michael Gorey (C) 1:58.80, 3. Noah Brauer (W) 1:59.49, 4. Brandon Malicki (C) 2:01.28, 5. Aidan Biddle (N) 2:01.51, 7. Sean Halvorsen (N) 2:07.25, 8. Armstrong (N) 2:07.26, 9. Barbosa (W) 2:09.21, 10. William Kelleher (W) 2:15.34, 22. Swack (GC) 2:34.13, 23. Kunkel (GC) 2:41.40, 24. Jack Jurewicz (GC) 2:47.39.

50 freestyle: 1. Holmes (C) 21.48, 2. Bennett Morse (W) 21.74, 3. Andrew Robertson (C) 21.86, 5. Seaver (C) 22.07, 7. Cavan Cameron (N) 22.77, 11. C. Mathis (N) 23.60, 12. Shepherd Huff (N) 24.17, 14. Henry Pham (W) 24.31, 15. Barents-Froman (W) 24.41, 19. Sam Miller (GC) 25.38, 24. Nimri (GC) 26.57, 26. Noah Stubbs (GC) 28.90.

100 butterfly: 1. Shackell (C) 50.58, 2. Holmes (C) 51.33, 3. Leo Han (C) 51.86, 4. Brauer (W) 53.49, 5. Kulp (N) 54.57, 6. Cameron (N) 54.69, 8. Sweeney (GC) 54.98, 9. Hand (W) 56.42, 11. Armstrong (N) 58.35, 13. Barbosa (W) 1:01.11, 20. Kunkel (GC) 1:12.12, 21. Jude Hubner (GC) 1:12.60.

100 freestyle: 1. Sullivan (C) 46.19, 2. Morse (W) 48.16, 3. Iwase (C) 48.23, 4. Robertson (C) 48.48, 5. Yonkus (W) 49.39, 6. Wyatt Wade (N) 49.42, 8. Westlund (N) 51.05, 9. Setmeyer (N) 52.19, 14. A. Hand (W) 54.01, 18. Miller (GC) 57.36, 22. C. Jurewicz (GC) 58.93, 24. Trent Turner (GC) 1:00.52.

500 freestyle: 1. Enoch (C) 4:40.70, 2. Carson Szotek (C) 4:45.75, 3. Con-



Noblesville's Mark Berger checks his time after swimming in the 500 freestyle, where he placed ninth. The Millers qualified all 27 of their swims to the Saturday finals.

nor Lathrop (C) 4:47.12, 4. Lake (W) 5:00.41, 6. Halvorsen (N) 5:09.53, 7. Mason Snyder (N) 5:11.67, 9. Mark Berger (N) 5:17.05, 11. Jack Ellis (W) 5:20.74, 13. Bricking (GC) 5:26.72, 14. Sagan Blansette (W) 5:34.20, 21. Nimri (GC) 6:07.81, 25. Luke Moster (GC) 6:42.27.

200 freestyle relay: 1. Carmel (Han, Iwase, Seaver, Robertson) 1:28.87, 2. Westfield (Brauer, Morse, Yonkus, Lake) 1:29.23, 4. Guerin Catholic (Sweeney, Bricking, Miller, Wilhite) 1:35.40, 7. Noblesville (Setmeyer, Halvorsen, Armstrong, Huff) 1:37.56.

100 backstroke: 1. Han (C) 52.38, 2. Lathrop (C) 53.55, 3. Emile Haig (C) 54.04, 4. Wade (N) 55.80, 5. Jeremiah Ledwith (N) 56.75, 6. C. Mathis (N) 57.54, 7. Wilhite (GC) 58.00, 8. Barents-Froman (W) 1:00.38, 10. Kelleher

(W) 1:03.07, T12. Ellis (W) 1:04.73, 15. C. Jurewicz (GC) 1:08.54, 20. J. Jurewicz (GC) 1:12.72.

100 breaststroke: 1. R. Malicki (C) 56.73, 2. B. Malicki (C) 58.91, 4. Biddle (N) 59.70, 5. Gorey (C) 1:00.57, 6. Hand (W) 1:02.04, 7. Snyder (N) 1:04.71, 8. A. Mathis (N) 1:05.70, 10. Ethan Braasch (W) 1:08.20, 11. Benjamin Ice (W) 1:08.86, 17. Swack (GC) 1:15.20, 23. Moster (GC) 1:23.48, 24. Turner (GC) 1:24.61.

400 freestyle relay: 1. Carmel (Lathrop, Haig, Enoch, Sullivan) 3:14.76, 2. Westfield (Brauer, Morse, Yonkus, Lake) 3:16.98, 5. Noblesville (Westlund, Huff, Halvorsen, Kulp) 3:34.92, 6. Guerin Catholic (Sweeney, Bricking, Miller, Wilhite) 3:36.88.

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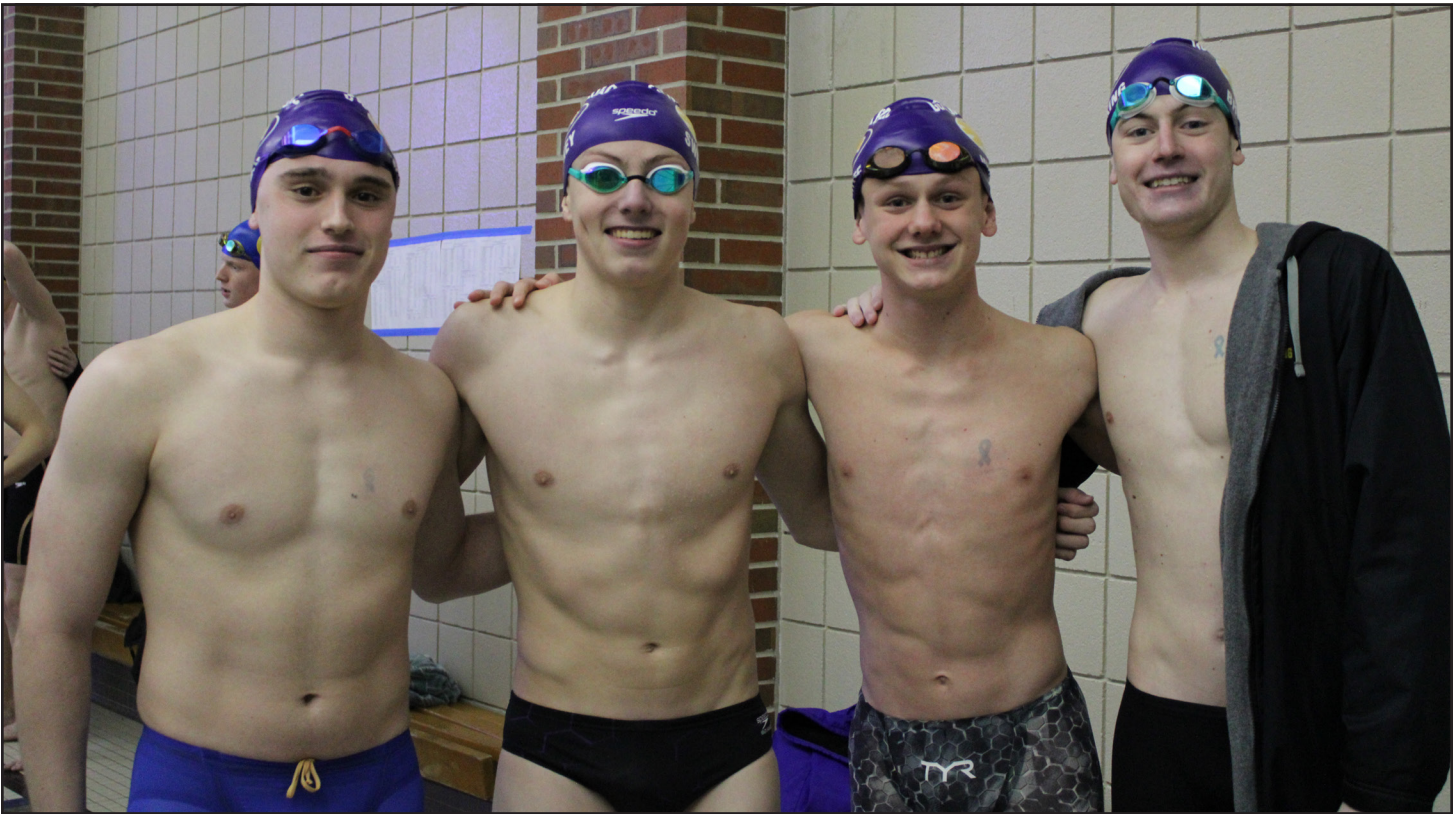
Over at Fishers, the Tigers qualified all 27 of their swims to the championship heat of that sectional's finals, which are also set for Saturday.

Fishers earned the top seed in seven events. Connor Carlile qualified first in the IM and the 100 free, while Kyle Ponsler is the first seed in the 200 free. Luis Sanchez was first in the butterfly, Jonathan Hines took the top seed in the 500 free, and the Tigers qualified first in the 200 and 400 free relays.

Hamilton Southeastern advanced all 27 swims to the finals, sending 23 to the championship and four to the consolations. Matthew Truxall picked up the top seed in the breaststroke, while the medley relay team of Jacob Frey, Collin Huston, Derek Robison and Jihoon Jung, and the 400 free relay team of Jack Warn, Ryan Harrison, Drew Hershman and Truxall both placed second.

Hamilton Heights qualified 14 swims to the sectional final, with four heading to the championship heat and 10 going to the consols. The Huskies' 400 free relay team of Grant Forrer, Owen VanHaaren, Noah Shlater and Eli VanHaaren qualified fourth.

200 medley relay: 2. Hamilton Southeastern (Jacob Frey, Collin Huston, Derek Robison, Jihoon Jung) 1:39.95, 3. Fishers (Thomas Johanneman, Daniel Bennett, Taichi Kataoka, Logan Ayres) 1:40.56, 6. Hamilton Heights (Grant Forrer, Owen VanHaaren, Eli VanHaaren, Noah Shlater) 1:50.86. 200 freestyle: 1. Kyle Ponsler (F) 1:46.76, 3. Anthony Adams Jr. (F) 1:48.32, 4. Jonathan Hines (F) 1:49.06, 5. Jack Warren (HSE) 1:49.30, 6. Noah Haines (HSE) 1:49.57, 7. Drew Hershman (HSE) 1:50.24, 14. Owen VanHaaren (HH) 2:04.62, 21. Landon Poland (HH) 2:56.70. 200 individual medley: 1. Connor Carlile (F) 1:59.33, 2. Reed Beaumont (F) 2:00.20, 3. Matthew Truxall (HSE) 2:01.38, 4. Jung (HSE) 2:01.57, 5. Bennett (F) 2:01.61, 8. E. VanHaaren (HH) 2:06.28, 10. Huston (HSE) 2:07.86,



The Guerín Catholic 200 freestyle relay team of Sam Miller, Quinn Sweeney, Drew Wilhite and Grant Bricking are shown here right before the race. The Golden Eagles team placed fourth in the prelims, advancing to the championship heat of Saturday's finals.

16. Blake Blackhurst (HH) 2:25.24, 17. Gabe Roosa (HH) 2:25.98. 50 freestyle: 2. Keaton Chop (F) 22.38, T4. Johanneman (F) 23.10, 6. Robison (HSE) 23.14, 8. Cooper Archer (F) 23.29, 9. Chouchi Ding (HSE) 23.33, 14. Justin Baccam (HSE) 24.40, 15. Alex Knepper (HH) 24.74, 17. Shlater (HH) 25.16, 28. Max Bowman (HH) 29.06. 100 butterfly: 1. Luis Sanchez (F) 53.05, 3. Chop (F) 54.15, 5. Jung (HSE) 54.47, 7. Jude Bragdon (F) 55.09, 8. Ryan Harrison (HSE) 55.24, 9. E. VanHaaren (HH) 55.28, 10. Jason Hua (HSE) 55.95, 17. Blackhurst (HH) 1:04.95. 100 freestyle: 1. Carlile (F) 47.60, 2. Kataoka (F) 49.63, 3. Sean Harvey (F) 49.89, 4. Haines (HSE) 50.02, 5. Eli

Pache (HSE) 50.55, 6. Robison (HSE) 50.64, 12. Shlater (HH) 55.51, 23. Owen Eshelman (HH) 1:10.45, 24. Poland (HH) 1:16.09. 500 freestyle: 1. Hines (F) 4:51.15, 2. Ponsler (F) 4:51.23, 4. Warren (HSE) 5:02.16, 6. Nicholas Viola (F) 5:07.92, 7. Clayton Juffer (HSE) 5:08.80, 8. Daniel Harter (HSE) 5:13.04, 15. Grant Forrer (HH) 5:36.29, 17. Cole Martin (HH) 5:54.34, 18. Rudy Bowman (HH) 5:55.64. 200 freestyle relay: 1. Fishers (Benjamin Russell, Archer, Beaumont, Bennett) 1:30.66, 3. Southeastern (Ding, Baccam, Juffer, Warren) 1:34.31, 6. Heights (Blackhurst, Martin, Roosa, Knepper) 1:44.28. 100 backstroke: 2. Ayres (F) 53.93, 3. Johanneman (F) 55.12, 4. Frey (HSE) 55.19, 5. Harrison (HSE) 55.46, 6. Kataoka (F) 55.81, 7. Hershman (HSE) 55.93, 12. Roosa (HH) 1:05.71, 15. Forrer (HH) 1:07.05, 23. Eshelman (HH) 1:34.28. 100 breaststroke: 1. Truxall (HSE) 59.44, 2. Beaumont (F) 59.93, 3. Bennett (F) 1:00.14, 4. Huston (HSE) 1:00.36, 5. Pache (HSE) 1:00.75, 6. Sanchez (F) 1:02.17, 12. O. VanHaaren (HH) 1:08.32, 14. Knepper (HH) 1:11.06, 21. R. Bowman (HH) 1:19.34. 400 freestyle relay: 1. Fishers (Hines, Johanneman, Kataoka, Ponsler) 3:22.32, 2. Southeastern (Warren, Harrison, Hershman, Truxall) 3:27.24, 4. Heights (Forrer, O. VanHaaren, Shlater,

E. VanHaaren 3:42.54. University competed at the North Central sectional, where it qualified five swims for the championship heat and three more for the consolations. Neiman Kumler qualified for the championship heat by placing fifth in the IM and sixth in the breaststroke, and joined Andrew Laramore, Alexis Herrera Gonzalez and Owen Ascoti to reach the championship in the medley and 400 free relays. Alex Munn placed eighth in the butterfly, also heading to the championship heat.

200 medley relay: 7. University (Andrew Laramore, Neiman Kumler, Alexis Herrera Gonzalez, Owen Ascoti) 1:50.91. 200 freestyle: 13. Herrera Gonzalez 2:02.78. 200 individual medley: 5. Kumler 2:03.27. 50 freestyle: 19. Laramore 25.16, 24. Darian Reed 27.06, 25. Ascoti 27.15. 100 butterfly: 8. Alex Munn 57.37. 100 freestyle: 19. Laramore 58.04, 23. Reed 1:01.93, 26. Zach Sullivan 1:04.95. 500 freestyle: 12. Herrera Gonzalez 5:29.63. 100 backstroke: 13. Munn 1:03.12, 26. Sullivan 1:24.35. 100 breaststroke: 6. Kumler 1:02.67, 22. Ascoti 1:26.80. 400 freestyle relay: 6. University (Herrera Gonzalez, Laramore, Ascoti, Kumler) 3:51.94.

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Westfield's Jack Ellis gets ready to race in the 500 freestyle, finishing in 12th place. The Shamrocks qualified 26 of their 27 swims to the sectional finals.

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Girls basketball

Noblesville's multiple weapons have provided quite the spark en route to semi-state berth

By CRAIG ADKINS
NOBLESVILLE – The fifth-ranked Noblesville Millers are putting together quite a run through the girls basketball state tournament and they don’t plan to let up until they reach their ultimate goal of winning a state championship.

Their next stop along the tournament trail is Saturday’s north semi-state at Logansport’s Berry Bowl, as the Millers are one of the final four teams in Class 4A. They will clash once again with fourth-rated Crown Point, whom the Millers defeated on Dec. 22 in the Limestone Classic at Bedford North Lawrence, 57-32.

Capturing the Sectional 8 championship for the second year in a row was the toughest task to start the tournament and then they proceeded through the Marion Regional with complete confidence, taking down top-ranked Homestead and No. 10 Fort Wayne Snider last Saturday.

To a casual observer, the Millers are a team that rides the back of its superstar(s). Obviously, there’s much more to this Millers team and they keep flexing those weapons each game.

No-fear approach has Kaitlyn Shoemaker prepared for any challenge

Junior guard Kaitlyn Shoemaker is not afraid to match up against players that are much bigger than she stands at 5-4. She’s done it numerous times and doesn’t back down to that challenge, no matter the opponent.

“I feel like there are so many factors that go into that,” said Noblesville junior guard Kaitlyn Shoemaker. “I feel like every practice, we’re just really prepared for the games. I have teammates around me that make me feel a lot more confident, because we have so many people that can step up and it makes it easier to go out and play big games like that,” continued the older of the two Shoemaker sisters.

“Also, it’s just a game that I love. It’s going to go by fast and I just want to execute every game, come out and play my best,” stated Kaitlyn on loving the game of basketball.

Shoemaker for sure has the green light from three-point land, where she has made 12 of 24 attempts in Noblesville’s five tournament games thus far.

The way that Kaitlyn carries herself on both ends of the court speaks volumes and helps the team tremendously. When she steps up, it takes pressure off of the expected scorers in Ashlynn Shade and Reagan Wilson.

“I think it’s a pretty big factor when anyone can come off the bench and really score or take over a game to take pressure off of them, because they (Shade and Wilson) have a lot of pressure on them. If we’re going to meet the goals that we’ve set for ourselves this season, we need people who can step up and we can’t just be a one or two man show. I think we’ve proven this season that we can have anyone step up when needed and I think that’s really going to help us at the end of this run,” Kaitlyn continued on the Millers being a complete, selfless team.

“I think she’s one of the best juniors in the state,” said Millers 14th-year head coach Donna Buckley on the junior Shoemaker.

maker.

“She can really guard people and she was on Carrothers last time in our box-and-1. Her and Tipp held that kid to five shot attempts and that’s just insane,” Buckley continued on Shoemaker’s defensive abilities.

“They’re just fearless (Shoemaker and Tippner) and with her ability to score and be ok if she doesn’t and still impact the game. I think there are very few players that whether they score or not, they’re going to leave their mark on the game. That is definitely what she does for us. A lot of people don’t know who she is, but as we’re making this run, they’re figuring it out that she’s pretty good,” Buckley continued to praise one of her prized juniors in Shoemaker.

The emergence of Ava Shoemaker and Dani Mendez has come at the right time

It doesn’t matter when sophomore Ava Shoemaker comes off the bench, because it seems like she’s always ready for the challenge that the coaching staff puts in front of her. She’s been counted on all season long as one of the first two to check into the game.

“We have some great players that are the main focus, so when I come off the bench, I just have to do things that are unnoticed,” said the sophomore guard Ava Shoemaker.

“Those of us that come off the bench, we all just have to take some of the attention off of them and make it so we’re a whole team and not just a couple players,” continued Ava on the Millers being a team effort.

There’s no time like tournament time for players like Ava to show what she can contribute when she’s on the floor.

“I’m there for an open shot or to box out and rebound and be there when the opponent collapses on other players,” said the younger Shoemaker on her role.

The younger Shoemaker has become a pretty clutch and she’s become another player that can be counted on at any time.

“She’s played really well, has had a really good season. She’s only a sophomore and sometimes we forget that,” said Buckley on Shoemaker, another youngster contributing key minutes.

In the five tournament games so far, Ava has pitched in for 25 points and 13 rebounds in her crucial role.

“She’s definitely had big moments throughout the season, but played consistently well in the tournament. She had a nine-point quarter when Ashlynn went out and that was huge for us. We’ve got kids that come in and help us extend the lead,” said Buckley, as she continued to praise her under-the-radar sophomore.

In the off-season, it was anticipated that Ava would show her talents on varsity as a sophomore and she’s living up to those expectations.

“Ava’s one of those kids that we can play anywhere. Sometimes she plays in the post and other times on the perimeter. She’s just very versatile,” stated Buckley on the contributions of Ava Shoemaker.

Dani Mendez is another player that comes off of the Miller bench and knows exactly what she’s supposed to be doing. The junior forward has embraced her role of coming off of the bench to give a break to starting forward Brooklyn Smitherman and sometimes sees extended minutes, depending on matchups.

“I just don’t really want to lose. We just don’t want to lose again,” stated Mendez.

This type of play that has emerged from Mendez is exactly what the coaching staff and players have hoped to see consistently throughout the season and it’s showing up at the right time during the Millers’ state tournament run.

“She’s been awesome, has played outstanding on both ends. Getting her to contribute as a scorer has been great, but her defense has also been really good and just aggression rebounding the basketball. She’s certainly impacted every single game,” Buckley said of another great player off of her bench that has been important this post-season.

She’s for sure made quite the impact statistically by scoring 24 points and pulling down 24 rebounds for her tournament resume and clogging the paint to help stop opponents.



Reporter photo by Kent Graham
Noblesville's Dani Mendez has embraced her role for the Millers and is playing solid on both ends of the floor. Noblesville will play Crown Point Saturday at the Class 4A north semi-state at Logansport's Berry Bowl.

Freshman Tippner has exceeded expectations, figured out quickly how to be selfless

Meredith Tippner is turning out to be one of, if not the, best freshmen in the state of Indiana. She’s started all 27 games and her confidence is on another level.

She is a player who is all over the floor, doing all of the little things that coaches just love. Sure, she can fill up her line in the box

score, but that’s not what’s important to her.

“If you know basketball, you know she’s really good. She doesn’t have to have big numbers,” said Buckley on her freshman starter in Tippner.

“Every coach says, you’ve got studs, but dang that kid is really good,” continued Buckley on opposing coaches’ opinions of Tippner.

She’s a player that hasn’t felt any sort of pressure with starting every game so far as a freshman.

“If she played anywhere else in the state, she would be that kid that everybody’s talking about. Obviously she can score and can do a lot of other things, especially for a freshman,” stated Buckley with more on the not-so-secret frosh.

From the standpoint of the coaches and definitely her teammates, Tippner is a huge asset for a team like Noblesville.

“She plays at the top of our 1-3-1 and will do it for 32 minutes and it’s just exhausting,” Buckley on Tippner’s ability to defend anyone. “She chased (Crown Point’s Jessica) Carrothers all over when we ran a box-and-1 the first time we played them,” said Buckley on Tippner’s willingness to defend an opponent’s top scorer.

Tippner is one of those players that doesn’t stop and the Miller coaches couldn’t be more pleased.

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Brooklyn	31	28	.525	4.5
New York	25	34	.424	10.5
Central	W	L	PCT.	GB
Chicago	38	21	.644	-
Cleveland	35	23	.603	2.5
Milwaukee	36	24	.600	2.5
Indiana	20	40	.333	18.5
Detroit	13	45	.224	24.5
Southeast	W	L	PCT.	GB
Miami	38	21	.644	-
Charlotte	29	31	.483	9.5
Atlanta	28	30	.483	9.5
Washington	27	31	.466	10.5
Orlando	13	47	.217	25.5

Western Conference

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Northwest				
Utah	36	22	.621	-
Denver	33	25	.569	3.0
Minnesota	31	28	.525	5.5
Portland	25	34	.424	11.5
Oklahoma City	18	40	.310	18.0
Pacific	W	L	PCT.	GB
Phoenix	48	10	.828	-
Golden State	42	17	.712	6.5
L.A. Clippers	30	31	.492	19.5
L.A. Lakers	27	31	.466	21.0
Sacramento	22	38	.367	27.0
Southwest	W	L	PCT.	GB
Memphis	41	19	.683	-
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San Antonio	23	36	.390	17.5
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Superstar Martin Garrix to headline 2022 Indy 500 Snake Pit presented by Coors Light

Superstar DJ and producer Martin Garrix will headline a stellar lineup of global electronic music artists at the Indy 500 Snake Pit presented by Coors Light on Sunday, May 29 at Indianapolis Motor Speedway, the biggest and best party of Race Weekend.

deadmau5, Galantis, Steve Aoki and Yellow Claw also will perform at the Race Day concert during the 106th Indianapolis 500 presented by Gainbridge. Performances begin early in the morning in the infield adjacent to Turn 3 of the IMS oval, with specific set times to be announced.

“The Indy 500 Snake Pit presented by Coors Light is one of the most popular concerts of the year on the global EDM calendar,” IMS President J. Douglas Boles said. “Anticipation is even higher for this year’s show after a two-year pause due to the pandemic, so we can’t wait to welcome this incredible, star-studded lineup and their fans back home again to the Speedway for a day filled with fun and epic memories.”

General admission and VIP tickets for the Snake Pit are on sale for \$45 and \$150 at www.ims.com. VIP amenities will include access to a raised viewing platform located beside the stage, a private cash bar and private air-conditioned restrooms.

All Snake Pit ticketholders must be at least 18 years old and hold a valid Indy 500 general admission or reserved seat ticket. Ticket holders should be prepared to show proper identification to enter the concert.

Packages that include Race Day general admission tickets are available. A package featuring general admission to the Indianapolis 500 and Snake Pit is \$85, while a race general admission and Snake Pit VIP package is \$190.

Snake Pit concertgoers are encouraged to buy tickets now, as prices will increase as May approaches and limited quantities of admission wristbands are available.

In a new regulation for 2022 to maximize safety and overall guest experience, coolers will not be permitted in the Snake Pit. Complimentary water hydration stations will be available for concert attendees. Empty hydration packs with up to two pockets also will be allowed inside the Snake Pit gates.

Martin Garrix has risen to global stardom in pop as well as electronic circles—and yet he’s far from being done. Dance music’s freshest talent has headlined festivals around the globe, founded a label and mentored other artists and won the No. 1 spot in DJ Mag’s Top 100 twice.

This will be Garrix’s second performance in the Snake Pit, as he also was in the lineup for the landmark 100th Indianapolis 500 in 2016.

Garrix, from The Netherlands, taught himself to produce and play his songs by his

mid-teens. In 2013, he released music on Musical Freedom – his idol Tiesto’s label – and not long after, he released the track that would change everything for him.

“Animals,” released in June 2013, was a breakout success and a game-changer for the music industry. Reaching No. 1 in the United Kingdom and many other countries, it proved that a hard-hitting, dancefloor-oriented track could reach pop status, ultimately reaching over a billion streams across several platforms. It also proved that Garrix, at only 17, had the talent to become a world-class musician.

The eight years since have been marked by a quick march through the ranks of dance music, conquering stages all around the world and releasing more breakout hits. In 2016, Garrix took pole position in the DJ Mag Top 100 for the first time and launched his label, STMPD RCRDS. Named after his father’s profession, who runs a stamp auction house, the label serves as an outlet for Garrix’s music and as a platform for up-and-coming, creative talents.

Garrix’ musical achievements have not gone unnoticed. He was awarded with two MTV EMAs in 2016, holding the No. 1 spot in the 2017 *DJ Mag* Top 100, a “Man of Today” accolade from *GQ*, a spot among Forbes’ “30 Under 30” and another at *Billboard*’s “EDM Power Players.” He also performed twice on *The Tonight Show Starring Jimmy Fallon* on NBC, the first Dutch guest in the show’s history.

2021 was a banner year for Garrix. His “In The Name of Love” with Bebe Rexha, a breakout hit released in 2016, and his collaboration with Tove Lo on “Pressure” combined to reach 1 billion streams on Spotify. He was the official music artist at the UEFA Euro 2020 soccer tournament, collaborating with Bono and The Edge of U2 on “We Are The People.” Garrix’s first album, “Greatest Hits Vol. 1,” also was released last year.

His latest release is “Won’t Let You Go,” a collaboration with Matisse & Sadko and John Martin.

A naturally outgoing person and a born entertainer, Garrix also has headlined at some of the world’s major music festivals, including Coachella, Tomorrowland, Lollapalooza and Ultra Music Festival. He also locked down residencies at two of the world’s most prestigious clubs, Ushuaïa Ibiza and Omnia Las Vegas, and also performed at the Closing Ceremonies of the 2018 Winter Olympics in South Korea.

Joel Zimmerman, more commonly known as deadmau5 (pronounced ‘dead mouse’), is one of the world’s most respected electronic music producers of modern times. Enjoying international chart success with his platinum-certified single "Ghosts 'n' Stuff," as well as "Professional Griefers,"

"Sofi Needs A Ladder" and "I Remember," he also has released seven critically acclaimed albums.

The multiple JUNO Award-winning and Grammy-nominated artist's ability to push the boundaries of his talent grows at an equal rate to his fan base, which counts 15 million and more over his combined social media channels.

His latest music offerings include “Pomegranate” with The Neptunes, “Bridged By A Lightwave” with Kiesza, “Channel 43” with Wolfgang Gartner, “Hypnocurrency” with REZZ, “When The Summer Dies” with Lights, “Hyperlandia” featuring Foster The People and “this is fine.” with Portugal. The Man.

In the live realm, his 2019/20 U.S. cubev3 tour, featuring production of his own design and implementation, ranked in the Top 10 of Pollstar’s top tours globally. Beyond his music career, he is also a co-founder of gaming venture PIXELYNX and is an executive of HD streaming platform StreamVoodoo.

Setting a new standard for songwriting in dance music, Galantis is a collaborative project led by Christian Karlsson (aka Bloodshy, one-third of Miike Snow). Galantis' debut album, “Pharmacy,” reached No. 1 on the *Billboard* Dance album chart on the strength of RIAA gold certified single “Peanut Butter Jelly” and platinum certified smash “Runaway (U & I)” – the latter of which earned Grammy nominations for “Best Dance Recording” and “Best Remixed Recording.”

The 2017 sophomore album, “The Aviary” (featuring platinum certified single “No Money”) saw a top 10 debut in 23 countries. The third Galantis album, “Church,” features the chart-topping single “Faith” with country music icon Dolly Parton featuring Dutch singer-songwriter Mr. Probz, which saw a No. 1 debut on *Billboard*’s Dance/Electronic Chart before quickly reaching No. 1 on the Dance/Mix Show Airplay Chart where it remained for five weeks.

Galantis has received over 4 billion cumulative worldwide streams, and over 1 billion video views to date. More recently, Galantis have teamed up with Little Mix and David Guetta on 2021 summer smash "Heartbreak Anthem" which debuted at No. 1 on the Worldwide iTunes charts and secured the No. 1 spot at UK airplay and Shazam charts.

The story of Galantis started back in 2009. Working as Bloodshy, Karlsson’s songwriting collaborations have included Madonna, Kylie Minogue, Katy Perry and Britney Spears (whose “Toxic” earned a Grammy for “Best Dance Recording”). This collaborative nature led to the birth of the Galantis project, which had its live de-

but at 2014’s Coachella Valley Music and Arts Festival and has continued on years later as one of dance music's most dynamic and in-demand live performers.

Steve Aoki is returning to the Snake Pit for the second time, as he also performed there in 2015.

Counting nearly 4 billion music streams to his name, two-time Grammy-nominated artist/DJ/producer Aoki is one of the most in-demand entertainers in the world. As a solo artist, Aoki boasts a lauded cross-genre discography that includes seven studio albums and collaborations with Lil Uzi Vert, Maluma, BTS, Linkin Park and Louis Tomlinson, among others. In 1996, he established Dim Mak out of his college dorm room, a trendsetting record label, events/lifestyle company and apparel brand. It has served as a launch pad for global acts like The Chainsmokers, Bloc Party, The Bloody Beetroots and The Kills, in addition to being the home of early releases from acts such as ZEDD and Diplo.

As a nightlife impresario, Aoki’s legendary Hollywood club night Dim Mak Tuesdays hosted early performances from future superstars such as Kid Cudi, Daft Punk, Lady Gaga, and Travis Scott.

Aoki is also a fashion designer, author and entrepreneur. In 2012, he founded THE AOKI FOUNDATION, which primarily supports organizations in the field of brain science research with a specific focus on regenerative medicine and brain preservation. In addition, Aoki has pushed his clothing line Dim Mak Collection to new heights, both with original designs and collaborations with everyone from A Bathing Ape to the Bruce Lee estate.

Yellow Claw has climbed dance music charts since the Dutch DJ and production duo of Jim Aasgier and Nizzle released their first songs in 2012. The duo’s debut in November 2015, “Blood For Mercy,” debuted at No. 1 on *Billboard*’s Heat Seekers Chart and Top Dance/Electronic Albums Chart and earned an Edison Award in 2016, the Dutch equivalent of a Grammy Award.

The duo has sold out shows in the United States, Asia and Europe and performed on major festival stages at the Electric Daisy Carnival, Tomorrowland, Lollapalooza, Coachella and more.

In 2017, Yellow Claw released its sophomore album, “Los Amsterdam.” The album has amassed more than 200 million Spotify streams and peaked at No. 1 on the iTunes Dance Albums chart.

Yellow Claw’s third album, “New Blood,” was released in 2018.

Tickets for the 106th Indianapolis 500 presented by Gainbridge on Sunday, May 29 and the GMR Grand Prix on Saturday, May 14 are available at www.ims.com.

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“Any other place, she’s the number one scoring option. She’s not going to get those looks on our team, but she’s never going to complain, because she can impact the game in so many ways and that’s what makes her special and definitely one of the top two or three freshman in the state,” stated a confident Buckley.

She seems to be a completely composed player and doesn’t seem rattled by the pressures of playing on a team like this.

“When you have people like Reagan and Ashlynn on the court, any pressure is taken away from you. You have been given this opportunity to go out and play basketball with some really talented and amazing players,” said freshman guard Meredith Tippner.

Having players around her has showed her what it takes to play selflessly, doing things that don’t show up in statistics and it’s been a key part all season for the Millers.

“Knowing I don’t have to be that player every single game and maybe get three

more rebounds per game or four extra assists to my shooters, in the end, that’s how you’re going to win basketball games,” continued Tippner on what it takes to contribute to the Millers’ success.

This is a completely selfless group that is doing whatever it takes to win.

“These kids are figured that out. Look at these teams we have played and they’re filled with talent. Our kids are unselfish and they’re going to work hard and any one of these kids will do whatever it takes for us to win a basketball game and it’s paid off. That’s why we are where we are right now,” said Buckley on her team’s mentality that has them one win from playing for a state championship.

In order to get to the 4A state championship next Saturday, the Millers have to get past a rematch with the Crown Point Bulldogs (24-3), who are the defending 4A state champions. The ability to do that just might come down to players like Kaitlyn and Ava Shoemaker, Dani Mendez and Meredith Tippner.

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