## Fishers, Carmel youth education nonprofits get thousands in grants

Duke Energy Foundation awards over $\$ 37 \mathrm{~K}$ to two local groups

The REPORTER
The Duke Energy Foun$\$ 300,000$ in grants to 24 ina vative K -12 education programs serving communities across Indiana. Locally, the Maker Youth Foundation in Fishers receive $\$ 27,230$, and the Carmel Edu cation Foundation got $\$ 10,000$. "Through fun, hands-on ac 'Tities, we try to inspire kids belief they can learn to or the hing" said Maker Youth Foun ation Founder Kim Brand. "It'
our mission to help them devel- which will be utilized in fourth op timeless skills like curiosity, grade classrooms at each of Car$\begin{array}{ll}\text { collaboration and problem-solv- } & \text { mel Clay's elementary schools. } \\ \text { ing that will set them on a path } & \text { The grants support a wid }\end{array}$ ng that will set them on a path $\begin{aligned} & \text { The grants support a wide } \\ & \text { to success. We're grateful for range of educational program }\end{aligned}$ in Duke Energy's investment, ming for K-12 students, includwhich will enable us to expand ing summer reading programs our programming and reach science, technology, engineermore students than ever before." ing and math (STEM) educa-
The Carmel Educaion The Carmel Education tion; programs that support un-
Foundation said funds will be derrepresented, low-income or Foundation said funds will be used to purchase robotics kits or each of Carmel Clay's three diverse populations; and efforts middle schools. Funds will also due to disruption caused by support Prooject Lead the Way curriculum focused on energy collisions and conversion,
es teaching and learning as we emerge from the pandemic, said Duke Energy Indiana Pres
ident Stan Pinegar. "It's mor mportant now than ever befor that we support and invest in opportunities for our children in the communities we serve to thrive and reach their full potential."
Over the past three years, the Duke Energy Foundation has awarded 76 strategic charitable grants totaling more than $\$ 1.1$ million to nonprofit organiza-
tions working to bolster education in Indiana communities.

## Witness innovation at Westfield High School Shark Tank Luncheon

The REPORTER
The Westfield Chamber will again hold the Westfield High School Shark Tank Lun- Student groups from the heon from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. with school will be on hand
on Thursday, March 17 at The ees will get the opportunity to


Save the date: Noblesville Schools to hold grand opening for new Beaver Stadium

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The Noblesville commu-
nity is invited to explore the
area's first new high school
stadium in over 50 years at the
Beaver Stadium Grand Open-
ing BASH from 5 to 8 p.m. on
July 29 .
Attendees will have the op-
portunity to tour the facility and
take photos on the field, as well
as enjoy all the traditional Back
to School BASH fun, including
food vendors, live music, sports,
games, community booths,
Miller gear, and much more.
Beaver Stadium, located off
Field Drive behind Noblesville
High School, will be home to
Miller football, band, track,
and other activities.
The high school's previous
facility was built in 1969 when
Noblesville's population was
12 percent of what it is today,
and school officials say it had
long been too small to accom-
modate the community's needs.
A new stadium build was
found to be more cost effective


## 4-H offers three fun camps for Spring Break

## The REPORTER

 Are you already dreaming of amazing camps being offere o youth in grades 3 through 6 during Spring Break at the Ham ilton County $4-\mathrm{H}$ Fairground 2003 Pleasant St., Noblesville.
Three different camps will

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Wizarding World of 4-H
n Monday, April 4 Taco Cooking Challenge on Tuesday, April 5 - Clover Ga Wednesday, April 6 Each camp will take place rom 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. Monday's Wizarding World of 4-H is a time to return to Hogwarts. Participants will create
learn about herbs, and build a any combination of camps dewand plus more. Tuesday's Taco sired, and 4-H membership is Challenge will practice food not required. Registration deadpreparation techniques through food science and incorporate a is limited cook-off. Wednesday's Clover To register, go to bit. Gamers will explore the science ly/2022SpringBreakCamps or of games and create their own call (317) 776-0854. Contact board game prototype. $\quad 4-\mathrm{H}$ Extension Educator K The cost is $\$ 30$ per camp len Bohde at bohde $@$ pud Participants may attend one or edu with any questions.

It's only Wordle and Wordle is all he has
The last thing the world really needs right now is another word nerd writing about his
or her Wordle experiences, causing readers to suffer through some egomaniacal writer's blow-by-blow account "word of the day" in
 six tries or less.
It's as painful as hearing a golfer talk bout a hole-in-one.
I once made a hole-in-one. My tee-off on hat the ball landed inside a gre so errantly that the ball landed inside a green dumpste ricocheted several times within the dump ster's walls so noisily that foursomes before us ducked as if in the crosshairs of a fairwa sniper. It was the shot heard around the golf course. It was embarrassing. My membership friend who invited me as a guest neve invited me back.
Technically, it was a dumpster-in-one not a hole-il-one, but it sure makes for better golf story.
Back to Wordle. Prestigious newspapers and magazines, as of late, are allowing staft ers space to post their Wordle musings on-
line. I repeat, nothing could be more boring to read. This must stop before there are no readers left to subscribe.
But with that said, have I got one doozy Wordle story for you.
Before I dig deeper into my own Wordle wabbit hole, I will pause here, my handful of faithful readers, to offer you a COLUMN
ESCAPE HATCH, ESCAPE HATCH, an invitation to step ant to your life, either because you really don't care (I understand) about my stupid Wordle story (despite how awesome it re ally is) or because you simply have neve even heard of Wordle. Consider it my Get Out Of Hell Free card to you.
Wordle is a web-based word game. Each day, Wordle releases a blank grid five squares wide and six squares deep The object is to figure out the word of the day." The first step is to simply make a
lucky guess and spell out a five-letter word lucky guess and spell out a ive-letter wor
for your first turn. You are then alerted to which letters initially selected are indeed part of the word of the day, including whic letters are already in the correct square (the ters are part of the daily word but actually belong in a different square (the lettered square turns brownish). You have six turns to figure out the word.
(Editor's note to Scott: You are down to wo readers.)
When I first heard about Wordle in January, I ignored it. Im a purist at heart when man's chess") so I tend to avoid other word game riffraff (an exception being the New York Times' daily Spelling Bee game).

See Word Nerd . . . Page 2
Noblesville Schools extends superintendent search survey

## The REPORTER

The Noblesville Schools supe intendent search survey has been ex ended until March 16

Community members who have not yet shared their input on the de-
sired qualities they'd like to see in the sired qualities they'd like to see in the
next superintendent still have time to do so. The survey can be found at noblesvilleschools.org under "superintendent search."
survey at this link directly access the survey at this lin


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## Blatchley Nature Study Club invites public on guided walks

## The REPORTER

 The Blatchley Nature ers walk is set for Saturers walk is set for Satur- their guests. $\begin{aligned} & \text { Field studies: Typi- }\end{aligned}$ Study Club, 125 Boulder day, April 16, and the late cally led by a club member, Drive, Noblesville, invites bloomers walk for Sat- field studies provide an opnature lovers of all ages urday, April 30. An open portunity for hands-on study to join in a guided nature house will be held from 1 to of a selected nature topic.walk to view some of the 5 p.m. both days. walk to view some of the
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The Blatchley Nature used as the field of study for most diverse varieties of The Blatchley Nature used as the field of study
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Jack-in-the-Pulpit, Dutch- its centennial this year, and

- Field trips: During Jack-1in-the-Pulpit, Dutch- its centennial this year, and $\quad$ - Field trips: During the
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Root and canopies of May forward to what the next 100 trips to other locations loApples are a few of the va- years will bring. Read below cally or within a few hours' ieties you will enjoy while to find walking the natural and rustic trails.

Two walks will take

## Clarification

The Carmel Clay readers to know that neither the Monon Depot nor Orchard Park Elementary School are open to the
public. CCHS does not public. CCHS does not, in
fact, have an office withfact, have an office with-
in Orchard Park, but you can call (317) 846-
for information. (1) NESTFIE,
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- Monthly meetings: bers have experienced the Club members learn about flight of Whooping Cranes all aspects of nature through and observed herds of elk. presentations by members or
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ically the fourth Thursday is conducted annually in of the month at the Blatch- is contember. With the Blatchley clubhouse. Meetings ley Sanctuary located along can include club business as the White River, this has bewell as nature observations come a natural extension of as shared by members and the club's activities.
 nature study club Formed in 1922, the Blatchley Nature Study
Club has been sharing Club has been sharing ary with the public everyspring for decades. Treat yourself to an hour in the woods on either April 16 or April 30 - or both. More information is available on Facebook and at blatchley22@gmail.com


## Word Nerd

from Page 1
My daughter Delaney The P square turned ' 70 s, during which a cowconvinced me to try Word- gren. The L square turned boy named Sagebrush pro-
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COULD in four tries, frus- green. The T square turned to get struck immediately by trated that it took so long green. Five green squares on lightning in the next panel. I to crack the code to such a the first turn! worried. Will I get struck by boring verb, yet intrigued (Editor's note to Scott: lightning, too?
enough to hopefully solve You lost your last reader!) The recent obituary of a Wordle in only two turns I couldn't believe my a guy I knew (he was not eventually. To solve the puz- good luck. A Google search struck by lightning) refer-
zle in one turn seemed im- revealed that to guess one of zle in one turn seemed improbable.
You lost another readt: You lost another read
Pick up the pace, man!) My dear and final reader, here's where my story gets really exciting. On Feb. 4, only seven days into my Wordle addiction, I achieved maired, but I'm certain it lucky from the day before,
the odds are very I played Powerball for the the unthinkable: I solved the low, as low as, say, someone first time in years. puzzle in one turn. I kid you still reading today's column. Did I win, you ask?
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mood, so I started with the was so excited, yet there was That this column is about first word that came to mind also a sense of ominousness Wordle is answer enough.
containing A and E containing A and E.
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such daunting odds. A com- Email Scott at scotssaalI entered PLEAT, a word such daunting odds. A com- man@gmail.com or fol-
I can’t recall ever speaking ic strip came to mind from low him on Twitter @Saal- $\begin{array}{ll}\text { I can't recall ever speaking } & \text { ic strip came to mind from low him on } \\ \text { prior. } & \text { Cracked "mazagine" in the manScott. }\end{array}$

## Prevail

I was born and raised right here
in Noblesville. I grew up in a in Noblesville. I grew up in a
home without domestic viole 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 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) and children). Domestic violenc 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 organization that helps families - Mike Bragg, GM of Tom Wood Volkswagen in Noblesville

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

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

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## Good health habits will prolong your own personal 'Route 66' trip

$\begin{array}{ccc}\text { "Get } & \text { your } \\ \text { kicks } & \text { on } & \text { Route } \\ 66 " & - & \text { Bobby }\end{array}$ 66" ${ }^{\text {I }}$ Bobby
Troup, 1946 (Readers this is a reprint of an article I wrote a few years ago;
it is an analogy it is an analogy
of our "lifetime of our lifetime trip and how trip we might take. rip we might take. It is not $\begin{aligned} & \text { speaking of the } \\ & \text { importance }\end{aligned}$ "real" trip except to com- taking care of our bodies, pare to the roadmap of our actually feeds our brain lives.) Those of us who are, sues, and bones healthy. well, let's just say "of a Essential to our health is certain age" will probably life-long learning and use emember the TV show of our intelligence and Route 66 from many years problem-solving abilities, ago, starring Martin Mil- and frequent and reguner and Glenn Corbett. I lar exercise to keep our ho see if those gentlemen Unfortunately, just as can were still with us but decid- Unfortunately, just as can ed against it! Anyway, as expected and often trauMarch is a birthday month matizing events can occur for me, I began to contem- as we travel on this long plate the well-known his- road. However, if we give toric route of which most ourselves all the resourc-
$\begin{array}{ll}\text { Americans are aware and } \\ \text { many have traveled. } & \begin{array}{l}\text { es able by eating the } \\ \text { right foods and taking care }\end{array} \\ \text { Part of the reason that } & \text { of this body which takes us }\end{array}$ Part of the reason that of this body which takes us I thought of this had to do on our life trip, we have a with the number referred to much better expectation to above (enough said about arrive at the end of the trip
that) but also thinking of we have mapped AND to how our lives thinking of we hery sim- end that trip is a very to lar to that route. Each of tive way! liar to that route. Each of a journey with a beginning, middle, and end. Sometimes we can travel the entire route; sometimes our trip is interrupted unfortunately, as we know.
Although there are interruptions of our trip hat cannot be avoided say, the fender bender of

> Hamilton County Reporter nfoteme $\checkmark$ More News $\quad \checkmark$ More Sports . . . and more readers!


In reviewing the Route 66 map mile markers, we have several destinations
along the way - kind of along the way - kind of
like our lives, right? We are like our lives, right? We are
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omewhere between New somewhere between New am enjoying the view, the landmarks, and the some imes-challenging terrain along the way, but eventually anticipating arrival at yith a beautiful view of the un setting over the ocean although not in a big hurry although not
to get there.
I hope your own "Route only a few obstacles along the way. Be sure to keep your eyes on the road ahead
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## Hello, Hamilion Houmiv,



Flying with eagles? Running and not getting tired? Sound good? To do these things I will need to change my glasses so I look at things the way God does. Rather than looking through glasses that are focused on the material, physical world, I need to look at the unseen spiritual world and things eternal. By so focusing my vision, I see that which is truly important and eternal.

He gives power to the faint, and to him who has no might he increases strength. Even youths shall faint and be weary, and young men shall fall exhausted; but they who wait for the LORD shall renew their strength; they shall mount up with wings like eagles; they shall run and not be weary; they shall walk and not faint. (Isaiah 40:29-31)

Do you want to live a peaceful contented life flying with eagles, then turn your eyes and heart to Jesus? Open your heart and listen to Him. Embrace the truth He revealed. Turn your life to Jesus!
The good folks at the Stony Creek Church of Christ would be delighted to study with you at a time of your convenience and a place of your convenience. Or, attend one of our services and begin your flight with eagles.


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urday, March 12, for Al-
lied Solutions' Meet Me on
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Main Street and Range Line
Road for an evening of art,
shopping, music, and more.
Meet Me on Main is the
City of Carmel's monthly
"second Saturday" event
to highlight local galleries,
restaurants and design-relat-
ed businesses in the District.
Art galleries and businesses
will feature special events
specially planned to en-
hance the art and design-re-
lated features of the District.
Visit the art galleries and
businesses to enjoy their
special offers, as well as spe-
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After decades, county government spending oversight has become too cozy. Where is the check and balance? - $\$ 42$ million in cost overruns to date on State Road 37

- $\$ 362,500$ for the Bridge of Flowers
"Elected officials serve so long that they become servants to government, no longer to the people." - Mark Hall

Carmel Police charge
two people in criminal
mischief investigation
The REPORTER
$\begin{array}{ll}\text { The REPORTER } & \text { ly enforcing both ordinance } \\ \text { Since January, the City } \\ \text { and criminal violations. }\end{array}$ of Carmel and local busiMidtown Carmel area have experienced a significant increase in vandalism and loitering in the public areas and parking garages. The Carmel Police Department (CPD) has conteports of this multipl ery week during this time frame, and it's estimated hat approximately $\$ 14,000$ worth of damage has occurred as a result of these his issue, CPD in respense to patrols in this area and officers have been aggressive-

In the early morning
hours of Saturday, 5, through the use of city surveillance cameras in the nith Criminal Mischief area, officers saw three in- Class B Misdemeanor. $\begin{aligned} & \text { dea, officers saw hree in- Class B Misdemeanor. } \\ & \text { dividuals enter a public re- } \\ & \text { Ctroom in the area of Elm }\end{aligned}$ these artinues to patrol stroom in the area of Elm these areas to help prevent Street and Veterans Way. damage to public spaces and
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tral Indiana at (317) 262 Office for consideration. 8477 (TIPS).

Missing Carmel woman's family to canvass Georgia neighborhood By DEMIE JOHNSON WISH-TV | wishtv.com Carmel woman will canvass the Johns Creek the area investigators say said. she was last seen.

Carmel police said they Kalish said have confirmed that Ciera tion was in Johns Creek, Ga., on Feb. 24.
on Feb. 24. Creek, Highgate ManThey said there is no house in Johns Creek evidence Ciera ever made The original report saw anything to let us it back to Indiana, even she had been near 146th police know," Kalish said though her husband, Xavier Street and Ditch Road in "She's got a 5-month-old
Breland Jr., said she did. Breland Jr., said she did. said that she was in Indiana her or her body. $\begin{gathered}\text { Potice have found a mother leaving your baby } \\ \text { and, you know it's serious }\end{gathered}$ and was last seen in Indiana. Kalish said on Friday We're all taking this very However, as far as we can her department as well as seriously and we wanna get show right now, we can show a victim's specialist from Ciera home.'
AG Rokita warns Hoosiers to be aware of cryptocurrency scams

## The REPORTER

With the rise of crypto cryptocurrency before plac$\begin{array}{ll}\text { currency and other digital } \\ \text { assets, } & \text { Indiana volatile markets." Attorney } \\ \text { Scammers are using a } & \text { reported to Indiana Secre- }\end{array}$ Indiana consumers to be on the lookout for risky or predatory practices related to the
often-misunderstood topic.
"New technologies spark the interest of many people, and Hoosiers are no exception," Rokita said. "Indiana
consumers may be familconsumers may be famil-
iar with cryptocurrencies iar with cryptocurrencies
or may want to learn more or may want to learn more
about them. However, digital assets are increasingly being trators looking to scam you out of hard-earned money. Cryptocurrency is one
form of digital asset and is form of digital asset and is
created by companies or created by companies or the form of a virtual coin or token. Digital assets are intangible and generally exist only electronically. Billions
of dollars of value are curof dollars of value are currently invested in crypto-
currencies around the world, with thousands of cryptocurrencies available and more being created all the time. Most
chase $\begin{gathered}\text { consumers pur- } \\ \text { cryptocurrency }\end{gathered}$ chase cryptocurrency through an online exchange platform. These assets are
stored in digital wallets, stored in digital wallets,
which could be online in an exchange, on your computer, or on an external hard
drive. But because they are drive. But because they are intangible, if something goes wrong with your plat-
form, your hard drive, or form, your hard drive, or
your computer, it is likely that you will not be able to recover your funds.
Hoosiers should be aware that the value of cryptocur-
rency is extremely volatile. rency is extremely volatile.
The Securities Division The Securities Division State has played an active
role in investigating fraud cases related to cryptocurrency and protecting Indiana investors.
"Many of the new cryptocurrency markets operate
in uncharted territory when it comes to regulation," said it comes to regulation," said
Indiana Secretary of State Indiana Secretary of State
Holli Sullivan. "Scammers have moved in quickly to
take advantage of people's take advantage of people's
interest to invest. I encourinterest to invest. I encourage all Hoosiers to thorough-
ly vet any offerings related to

General Todd Rokita wants variety of methods to exploit at securities@sos.in.gov or the novelty of cryptocurren-
cies as more consumers are cies as more consumers are using this asset. Here are a filing a complaint ans by few warning signs for scams anaconsumer.com or call
related to cryptec related to cryptocurrencies:

- If you receive a tweet, Rokita's office at $1-800$ text, email, or message through a social media platform telling you to pay via cryptocurrency, it is a scam.
- Scammers ask people - Scammers ask people
to pay with cryptocurrency by impersonating an entity you may frequently engage with. You might be contacted by someone pretending to be a government worker, law enforcement agency, or
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of fraud. This is also true for of fraud. This is also true for
"easy business opportuni"easy business opportunisee. Due to the volatility of the value of cryptocurrencies, there is no guarantee you will make a profit. - Don't be fooled by celebrity endorsements. Do your own research, and
don't make any quick decisions based only on endorsements (that can be easily faked).
- Be aware of attempts to blackmail using email. scammers send emails that
say they have embarrassing photos, videos, or personal information and threaten to make it public if you don't pay in cryptocurrency. Don't do it. This should be reported to criminal enforcement
authorities. - Cryp
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## Guidelines for this election season

The Hamilton County
Reporter, your hometown newspaper, is always willing to publish Letters to the Editor, guest columns and campaign announcements in our pages. But with the approach of the May 3 Primary Election, we are esto keep things fair and balanced.

the policies of individual candidates will be accepted day on Friday April 15 and day on Friday, April 15 and
will be published on Saturday, April 16.
Letters in response to new topics published
in our April 16 edition in our April 16 edition
will be accepted until Wednesday, April 20 and will be til Wednesday, April 20 and will be
published in our Thursday, April 21 published in our Thursday, April 21 Pleas Please email your letters to the edito to News@ReadTheReporter.com. Letters to the Editor do not represent
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If your shamrock is a lucky winner, you'll receive a pot of gold filled with
amazing prizes from local businesses!

## Dresses and Dreams ** <br> Dresses and Dreams is a nonprofit organization aimed at

 providing Prom dresses, accessories, and services free of charge for Hamilton Heights High School students. As a junior at Hamilton Heights High School, my vision for Dresses and Dreams is to help provide an unforgettable Prom experience for classmates in need. I have been provided a space at Hamilton Heights High School within the Husky Fan Shop. Students may come try on dresses and shop for the perfect accessories at no charge. Also, there will be alterations, hair styles, and manicures available free of charge. I will be accepting dresses, shoes, accessories and monetary donations .All donations and proceeds go directly to Dresses and Dreams to help the HHHS students.

To help or donate to Dresses and Dreams


## Letter to the Editor

Noblesville reader: Let's not go down this 'Hall'
Dear Editor: $\quad$ ful of occasions in conversations with As soon as Mark Hall lost his most Mark Hall, but he is inauthentic at best. recent primary election (for Noblesville If you aren't sold on my un-dorse ed campaigning for the 2022 Hamilton his grandstanding toward the Hamilton County Council race. East Public Library Board of Trustees at His latest venture, an admirable proj- its July 25, 2021 meeting. He very pubect called FeedingTeam, began in 2020 licly called out the library for including by installing mini food pantries all over books that acknowledged and celebrated Hamilton County. As soon as I saw the LGBTQ people.
yellow and black FeedingTeam design, I Where does the library get its funding? asked friends, "How much do you want From the county, of course. Who controls to bet his yard signs will be yellow and the purse strings of the library system? black in 2022? Surely, I'm being cyni- The county councilors.
Speaking of purse strings, Hall's own
Believe it or not, Hall is running company, TalentLogistix, has contributed (again) against Steve Schwartz in the $\$ 22,279.04$ (to date) to his current county Hamilton County District 1 councilor council campaign. These donations are all race. Hamilton County residents don't considered in-kind contributions.
have to dig deep into the past (it was As book-banning and stifling public 2018) to remember the scandal of Hall's school curricula legislation has popped wife Lisa getting caught on camera re- up around the state and country (look no moving a Schwartz sign from a Nobles- further than failed HB 1134, co-authored ville resident's yard. No criminal charges by District 29 State Representative Chuck
were filed in the case. Schwartz subse- Goodrich - who has already contributed quently sent the photo out as a holiday to Hall's campaign), we need to be wary card to friends and family. Classy. of candidates who seek power at whatever Guess what? Hall's new, theft-proof cost, and who aim to limit free and humane campaign signs are yellow and black, and speech in our public schools and libraries. in the same font as FeedingTeam. You Primary voting will take place on can find a link to his campaign site on the Tuesday, May 3. While this is not an enFeedingTeam website.
While the FeedingTeam project undoubtedly serves a great purpose, I abso- Nob "anyone-but-Hall" endorsement. lutely question Hall's timing and branding in connection to launching the effort. I Noblesville and Hamilton County deserve
much better much better.
Curtis Ho Curtis Honeycutt
Noblesville

Letter to the Editor
Westfield reader: Investigations into Clerk Treasurer's Office were necessary

Dear Editor: office and extract computer hardware were shady at best. The investigations I have lived in Westfield for over 30 years. My wife and I are invested in
into the Clerk Treasurer office were nec-
essary to protect Westfield from potential The past two years have been rough. criminal fraud
The change in the makeup of the City Council has caused mistrust, rude public Council has caused mistrust, rude public fraud but ongoing incon found was no decorum, lawsuits, threats, and political by the Clerk Treasurer's office. The City backstabbing. Several members of the of Westfield had outgrown the abilities of new Westfield City Council have an axe this office and they struggled. We need to to grind with the mayor. It is hard to re- become a second-class city.
member when the City Council and the Mayor Cook was justified, in my Mayor's office worked together, but they opinion, to call for an audit for Grand $\begin{array}{ll}\text { did. The real reason it doesn't work now } & \text { Park, his administration, the Clerk Trea- } \\ \text { is simple: mistrust. } & \text { surer's office, and more. It was expen- }\end{array}$ simple: mistrust.

Many thought that Cindy Gossard was not handling the office of Clerk Treasurer | as as sive, but it was necessary to move for- |
| :--- | not handling the office of Clerk Treasurer ward. My question is: What if there was

with honesty. Her tactics to hide reports, criminal fraud discovered? How much delay reporting, change payroll proce- would that cost Westfield both financially dures, directing Sheriff's deputies to con- and in reputation? fiscate city employee phones, and hiring David Mueller software experts to break into the city's Westield

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News@ReadTheReporter.com. Please include your phone number and city of residence. The Reporter will publish one letter per person per week.


Weather is unpredictable ...Paul Poteet isn't. Your Hometown Weatherman!

Phillip J. Booth November 5, 1929 - March 10, 2022 Phillip J. Booth, 92 , Fishers, passed away on Thursday,


Gwen D. Girtman December 19, 1948 - March 9, 2022 Gwen D. Girtman, 73, Noblesville, passed away on
 Health Save inc 9, 2022, at IU on December 19,1948, to Roy B and Bessie (King) Girtman in Noblesville. Gwen enjoyed flowers, nature,
thunderstorms, and astronomy preciated the end astronomy. She ap cup of coffee. Gwen's family will
ways remember her as a selffess perso who was helpful and always there when She is survived by her child hamily and her grandchildren. Melissa) Statzer, Brandon (Shannon Statzer-Wallace) tatzer, Ryan Statzer, Jonathon (Elizabeth) Statzer, and Jeromiah (Salwa) Statzer; sisters, Beverly Girtman and Car Girtman; nine grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren. In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her grandson, Kyle Thomas Powell. Services will be held at 1 p.m. on Monday, March 14,
2022 , at Randall \& Roberts Funeral Home, 1150 Logan St 2022 , at Randall \& Roberts Funeral Home, 1150 Logan St. tion will be from 11 a.m. to the time of service at the funeral home. Burial will be at Arcadia Cemetery in Arcadia. Condolences: randallroberts.com

## SCHWARTZ

Thanks for reading The Reporter!

TODAY'S BIBLE READING Therefore I want the men everywhere to pray, lifting up holy hands without anger or disputing. I also want the women to dress modestly, with decency and propriety, adorning themselves, not with elaborate hairstyles or gold or pearls or expensive clothes, but with good deeds, appropriate for women who profess to worship God.

1 Timothy 2:8-10 (NIV)


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Who's on my ballot for the May 2022 Primary Election?
Note that * indicates the candidate is the incumbent for that office. To view precinct and district maps, please visit hamiltoncounty.in.gov/221/Precinct-and-District-Maps.

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## Softball schedules

## Games start week of March 21

The sounds of softball are only nine days away in Indiana and Hamilton County.
Teams have already been practicing Teams have already been practicing,
and can began playing games on Monday, March 21 per IHSAA rules. Four Hamilton County squads will start their seasons on hat day, and that schedule includes three home games.
Hamilton Heights will host Bishop Chatard on March 21, while Westfield welcomes Monrovia. Sheridan, a sectional champion last season, will play Lebanon in a game at
Grand Park The fouth team Fishers, is the Grand Park. The fourth team, Fishers, is the only one going out
travel to Kokomo.
On Tuesday, March 22, three more eams begin their seasons. Two of them will play each other, as Carmel travels to Hamilton Southeastern. Noblesville, which won a regional title last year, also begins its campaign on that day with a trip to Western Boone
Guerin Catholic, the 2021 Class 3A state unner-up, will open its season March 30 by hosting Lafayette Jefferson. University will
start on April 12 when it hosts Living Wastart on Aprii 12 when it hosts Living WaTrailblazers' home field for the year.
As far as the post-season goes, the coun's Class 4A schools will play Sectional 8 at Fishers this year. The Tigers will host Carmel, Noblesville, Southeastern, Westfield and Zionsville.
Guerin Catholic and Heights will play at Class 3A Sectional 24, which takes place a Delta this season. Jay County, New Castle
and Yorktown are also assigned to this secional.
In Class 1A sectionals, Sheridan travels back to Rossville to compete in Sectional 54, along with Carroll, Clinton Central, rontier, South Newton and Tri-County. University heads south to Sectional 58 at Bethesda Christian, along with Indiana School for the Deaf, Irvington Prep, Provdence Cristo Rey, Riverside, Tindley and
Here is a complete
or Hamilton County teams all frhedules school's respective athletic website.

## CARMEL

All home games take place at the CherTree Softball Complex.
March 22: at Hamilton Southeastern 5:30 p.m.
March 23: Decatur Central, 6 p.m March 28: Westfield, $5: 30$ p.m. April 12: at Lawrence North, 5:30 p.m. April 13: at Noblesville, $5: 30$ p.m.
April 15: New Palestine, 6 p.m. April 18: Ben Davis, 5:30 p.m. April 19: at North Central, 5:30 p.m. April 20: Pendleton Heights, 6 p.m. April 22: Carmel Invitational, 6 p.m April 23: Carmel Invitational, 9 a.m April 27: at Zionsville, 5:30 p.m April 29: at Guerin Catholic, 5:30 p.m May 2: Bishop Chatard, 5:30 p.m
May 4: at Cathedral, 5:30 p.m. May 4: at Cathedral, 5:30 p.m. May 9: at Fishers, $5: 30$ p.m. May 10: at Center Grove, 6 p.m May 13: at Terre Haute North, 6 p.m. May 14: Crown Point, 11 a.m. May 14: Munster, 3 p.m. May 16: at Harrison, 6 p.m. May 19: Greenfield-Central, 5:30 p.m

## FISHERS

March 21: at Kokomo, 6 p.m
March 23: Lawrence Central, 5:30 p.m April 1: at Evansville North, 5 p.m. April 2: Castle, 9 a.m. at Gibson Southern
April 2: at Gibson Southern, 11 a.m.


Richie Hallfile photo
The Guerin Catholic softball team won its first-ever sectional championship last season, then made a run all the way to the Class 3A state finals. The Golden Eagles start this season March 30 by hosting Lafayette Jefferson

April 12: Noblesville, 6 p.m.
April 18: Lawrence North, 5:30 p.m April 19: at Westfield, 6 p.m. April 21: Yorktown, 5:30 p.m April 23: at Center Grove Invitationa 10 a.m. April 26: at Hamilton Southeastern, 6 April 28: Mount Vernon, 6 p.m April 29: at Zionsville, 6 p.m. May 3: Avon, 6 p.m.
May 5: at Guerin Catholic, 5:30 p.m. May 9: Carmel, $5: 30$ p.m. May 10: at Franklin Central, 5:30 p.m. May 11: at New Palestine, 5:30 p.m. a.m.

May 17: Brownsburg, 6 p.m May 19: at Anderson, 6 p.m. May 20: at Pendleton Heights, 6 p.m.

## GUERIN CATHOLIC

March 30: Lafayette Jefferson, 5:30
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April 12: at Cardinal Ritter, $5: 30$ p.m
April 13: at Brebeuf Jesuit, 5 p.m
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April 25: Warren Central, 5:30 p.
April 26: Lafayette Central Catholic 5:30 p.m.
April 29: Carmel, 5:30 p.m. April 30: at Danville, 11 a.m. May 2: at Sheridan, 5:30 p.m May 3: at Roncalli, $5: 30$ p.m. May 4: at Covenant Christian, 5:15 p.m May 5: Fishers, 5:30 p.m. May 7: at Maconaquah doubleheader, May 10: Hamilton Heights, 5:30 p.m May 13: Western Boone, 5:30 p.m. May 14: at Shelbyville Invitational, a.m.

May 16: at North Central, 5:30 p.m. May 19: Lawrence North, 5:30 p.m May 20: at Scecina, $5: 30$ p.m May 21: Circle City Conference tourna

HAMILTON HEIGHTS March 21: Bishop Chatard, 7 p.m. March 23: at Frankton, 5 p.m.

March 25: at Lapel, 5:30 p.m.
April 7: at Anderson, 5 p.m. April 9: at Kokomo, 10 a.m.
April 12: Western, 6 p.m.
April 16: Monroe Central, Apriil
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April 16: at Eastbrook, 1 p.m. April 18: Pike, 5:30 p.m. April 19: Tipton, 5 p.m. April 20: at Tipton, 5 p.m. April 22: at Elwood, 5 p.m. April 25: at Yorktown, 5:30 p.m. April 26: Northwestern, 5:30 p.m. April 27: at Northwestern, 6 p.m.
April 30: Lady Apache Classic, 11 April 30: Lady Apache Classic, 11 a.m nd 3 p.m. at Wabash
May 3: at Lewis Cass, $5: 30 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$ May 4: Lewis Cass, 5:30 p.m. May 7: Mount Vernon, 10 a.m.
May 10: at Guerin Catholic, 5:30 p.m.
May 11: at Westfield, $5: 30$ p.m.
May 13: at Hoosier Conference playof game, 5:30 p.m.
May 16: at Sheridan, 5 p.m.
May 18: Frankfort, 5:30 p.m

## HAMILTON SOUTHEASTERN

 March 22: Carmel, 5:30 p.m. March 23: North Central, 5:30 p.m March 24: Brownsburg, 6 p.m. March 29: Greenfield-Central, 6 p.m. April 8: Lady Braves Bash, 6 p.m. Terre Haute SouthApril 9: Lady Braves Bash, 10 a.m. a Terre Haute South Aprii 11: at Mount Vernon, 5:30 p.m
April 14: at New Palestine
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April 16: Crown Point, 1 p.m. at Harrison
April 19: at Avon, 6 p.m.
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April 26: Fishers, 6 p.m. Aprii 27: at Kokomo, 6 p.m.
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May 3: Noblesville, 6 p.m.
May 9: at Anderson, 5:30 p.m.

May 10: at Westfield, 6 p.m.
May 11: Richmond, 6 p.m. May 14: Fort Wayne Carroll, 11 a.m May 17: Franklin Central, 6 p.m May 19: Ben Davis, 6 p.m.
May 20: at Yorktown, 6 p.m.

## NOBLESVILLE

 March 22: at Western Boone, 5:30 p.m. April 11: at Greenfield-Central, 6 p.m. April 12: at Fishers, 6 p.m. April 13: Carmel, 5:30 p.m. April 16: Lawrence North, 10 a.m. April 18: Harrison, 6 p.m.April 19: Franklin Central, April 19: Franklin Central, 6 p.m. April 22: Lake Central, 6 p.m. at Carmel Invitational
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April 28: at Pendleton Heights, 5:30 | p.m. |
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## SHERIDAN

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Park
March 23: at North Montgomery, 5:30 p.m.

March 24: Western Boone, 5:30 p.m April 11: at Lapel, $5: 30$ p.m Aprii 12: at Clinton Prairie, 5:30 p.m
April 16: Clinton Central, 10 a April 19: at Delphi, 6 p.m.

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## Homestead's Ayanna Patterson voted Indiana Miss Basketball for 2022 <br> Ayanna Patterson has earned the top in- 2.5 assists and 2.0 blocks as a senior while as a four-time first-team all-Summit Athlet- 1990: Patricia Babcock, Culver Acad

dividual award in Indiana high school girls basketball.
Patterson, a 6-3 forward from HomedyStar Indiana Miss Basketball for 2022 in online voting of media and girls' varsity coaches conducted by the Indiana Basketball Coaches Association and All-Star game director Mike Broughton, it was announced Friday (March 11).
The Miss Basketball result means Patterson will wear the No. 1 jersey for the
Indiana All-Stars in their annual series with Indiana All-Stars in their annual series with to the top girls' basketball senior in the state. The Miss Basketball and Mr. Basketball wards are part of the IndyStar Indiana AllStar program that dates to 1939. The Miss Basketball award, along with the girls AllStars, was added to the All-Star program in
The remainder of the 2022 Girls AllStar team will be announced later. The 2022 eam also will be announced later. And the 2022 Junior All-Star teams, girls and boys, will be announced later.
Patterson earned the girls' top honor af er being named on 115 ballots submitted to Broughton in balloting that ran from Feb. 14 through March 1. Jessica Carrothers of Crown Point was runner-up with 42 votes. mila Reynolds of South Bend WashingCrockett of Westfield was fourth with 10 votes. In total, 16 players received at least one Miss Basketball vote.
A University of Connecticut recruit, Paterson averaged 25.8 points, 11.8 rebounds,

## leading Homestead to a 23-2 season that in-

 cluded a sectional championship. She con432) and 70.6 percent on free throws ( 96 of 136) as the Spartans captured their fourth consecutive sectional during Patterson's time in the program.For her career, Patterson totaled 1,912 points, 1,005 rebounds, 149 assists and 18 blocked shots in 105 games while Home stead amassed an aggregate record of 94-1 over her four seasons ( $25-4,26-2,20-6$ and
$23-2$ ). She holds school records for points in a game (43 as a junior against Fort Wayne a game ( 43 as a junior against Fort Wayn Sourh), single-season rebounds ( 286 as a ju-
nior), single-season blocks ( 60 as a junior), career rebounds and career blocks. Her scoring total stands second on the school list, behind only the 2,586 points tallied by Karissa McLaughlin, a 2017 graduate who
was that year's Miss Basketball. was that year's Miss Basketball.
Patterson is the third Homestead player
to wear the All-Stars' coveted No. 1 jersey to wear the All-Stars' coveted No. 1 jersey,
She joins McLaughlin and the Spartans Caleb Swanigan, who was voted Mr Bas ketball in 2015. Patterson also becomes her school's 10th All-Star selection, joining five previous girls (McLaughlin; Candi Crawford, 1997; Sydney Buck, 2014; Madise Parker, 2017; and Sydney Graber, 2020) and four previous boys (Swanigan; Tracy Foster, 1982; Grant Leiendecker, 2006; and Luke Goode, 2021)
While in high school, Patterson also has been a three-time invitee to USA Basketball
National Team Trials (U16, U17 and U19) and played on the USA Basketball $3 \times 3$ team that was the 2021 FIBA U18 World Cup Champion. She also has been recognized b
ic Conference honoree, a three-time IBCA Underclass Supreme 15 selection, a 2022
IBCA Senior Supreme 15 choice, a 2022 IBCA Senior Supreme 15 choice, a 2022
first-team Naismith All-American and a 2022 McDonald's All-American.
Mr. Basketball and Miss Basketbal traditionally wear No. 1 jerseys for the re spective Indiana Boys All-Stars and Indiana Girls All-Stars in the annual series with Kentucky. The All-Stars will face the Indiana Junior All-Stars in an exhibition double-
header on June 8 at a site to be announced. header on June 8 at a site to be announced.
The All-Stars follow with their home-andhome doubleheaders with Kentucky June 10 at the Owensboro SportsCenter in Owensboro, Ky., and June 11 at Southport Fieldhouse in Indianapolis.
A list of Miss Basketball honorees fol
Indiana Miss Basketball honores
1976: Judi Warren, Warsaw
1977: Teri Rosinski, Norwell
1979: LaTaunya Pollard, East Chicago Roosevelt
1980: Maria Stack, Columbus East 1981: Cheryl Cook, Indianapolis Wash ington
1982: Trena Keys, Marion 1983: Jody Beerman, Heritage 1984: Sharon Versyp, Mishawaka 985: Jodie Whitaker, Austin 1987: Lori Meinerding, Fort Wayn Northrop
1988: Vicki Hall, Brebeuf Jesuit 989: Renee Westmoreland burg

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1991: Jennifer Jacoby, Rossville 1992: Marla Inman, Bedford North Lawrence
1993: Abby Conklin, Charlestown 1994: Tiffany Gooden, Fort Wayne Snider
1995: Stephanie White, Seeger 1996: Lisa Winter, Huntington North 1997: Lisa Shepherd, Richmond 1998: Kelly Komara, Lake Central 1999: April McDivitt, Connersville 2000: Sara Nord, Jeffersonville 2001: Shyra Ely, Ben Davis 2003: Katie Gearlds, Beech Grove 2004: Jaclyn Leininger Warsaw 2005: Jodi Howell, Alexandria 2006: Amber Harris, North Central 2007: Ta'Shia Phillips, Brebeuf Jesuit 2008: Brittany Rayburn, Attica 2009: Skylar Diggins, South Bend Washington
2010: Courtney Moses, Oak Hill 2011: Bria Goss, Ben Davis 2012: Jessica Rupright, Norwell 2013: Stephanie Mavunga, Brownsburg
2014: Whitney 2014: Whitney Jennings, Loganspor 2016: Jackie Young, Princeton 2017: Karissa McLaughlin, Homestead 2018: Amy Dilk, Carmel 2019: Jorie Allen, Bedford North Lawrence
2020: Sydney Parrish, Hamilton Southeastern
2021: Jayla Smith, Lawrence North 2022: Ayanna Patterson, Homestead

## SOFTBALL

April 20: Delphi, 5:30 p.m. April 21: Tipton, 5:30 p.m. Aprii 25: at Westfield, 5 p.m Aprii 30: Taylor, 11 a.m.
May 2: Guerin Catholic, $5: 30$ p.m. May 3: at Eastern, 5 p.m. May 6: Alexandria, 5 p.m. May 7: Carroll, 10 a.m. May 9: Traders Point Christian, 5:30 May 10: Tri-Central, 5 p.m. May 11: at Tri-Central, 5 p.m.

May 14: at Madison-Grant Argyll Classic, 9 a.m
May 16: Hamilton Heights, 5 p.m May 17: at Rossville, 5 p.m May 19: Frankton, 5 p.m.

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April 18: Shortridge $5: 30$ pm at Arling ton Middle School
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April 21: Greenwood Christian Acade my, 5 p.m. April 26: at Liberty Christian, 5:30 p.m. April 27: at Traders Point Christian, 5 p.m. at RoundTripper

April 28: at Clinton Central, 5 p.m. May 2: at Bethesda Christian, 5 p.m. May 7: at Heritage Christian, 11 a.m. May 16: Indiana School for the Deaf May 16: Indiana School for the Deaf,
p.m.
May 20: Living Water Marlins, 6 p.m. at Shambaugh Park

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March 21: Monrovia, 5:30 p.m. March 24: Taylor, 5:30 p.m. March 28: at Carmel, 5:30 p.m. March 29: Frankin Central, 6 p.m.
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April 12: at Brownsburg, 6 p.m. April 13: at Greenfield-Central, 6 p.m. April 15: at Lawrence Central, $5: 30$ p.m.
April 16: at Lake Central Classic, 10 April
April 19: Fishers, 6 p.m.
April 22: Guerin Catholic, 5:30 p.m. April 23: at Kokomo, 10 a.m. April 23: Huntington North, noon at Ko-
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April 23: Silver Creek, 2 p.m. at Kokomo April 25: Sheridan, 5 p.m. April 26: at Noblesville, 6 p.m. April 29: at Decatur Central, 6 p.m May 2: at Lawrence North, 5:30 p.m. May 3: at Zionsville, 6 p.m. May 9: at Cathedral, 5:30 p.m. May 10: Hamilton Southeastern, 6 p.m. May 11: Hamilton Heights, 5:30 p.m. May 14: Southmont doubleheader, 10 a.m.

May 16: Western, 5:30 p.m May 17: at Avon, 6 p.m May 19: at McCutcheon, 5:30 p.m.


## NBA standings

| Eastern Conference |  |  |  |  | Western Conference |  |  |  |  |
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| Atlantic | w | L | РСт. | GB | Northwest | w | L | PCT. | GB |
| Philadelphia | 40 | 25 | . 615 | - | Utah | 41 | 24 | . 631 | - |
| Boston | 40 | 27 | . 597 | 1.0 | Denver | 40 | 27 | . 597 | 2.0 |
| Toronto | 35 | 30 | . 538 | 5.0 | Minnesota | 38 | 29 | . 567 | 4.0 |
| Brooklyn | 34 | 33 | . 507 | 7.0 | Portland | 25 | 40 | . 385 | 16.0 |
| New York | 28 | 38 | . 424 | 13.0 | Oklahoma City | 20 | 46 | . 303 | 21.5 |
| Central | W | L | РСт. | GB | Pacific | w | L | PCT. | GB |
| Milwaukee | 42 | 25 | . 627 | - | x-Phoenix | 53 | 13 | . 803 | - |
| Chicago | 40 | 26 | . 606 | 1.5 | Golden State | 45 | 22 | . 672 | 8.5 |
| Cleveland | 38 | 27 | . 585 | 3.0 | L.A. Clippers | 35 | 33 | . 515 | 19.0 |
| Indiana | 22 | 45 | . 328 | 20.0 | L.A. Lakers | 28 | 37 | . 431 | 24.5 |
| Detroit | 18 | 48 | . 273 | 23.5 | Sacramento | 24 | 44 | . 353 | 30.0 |
| Southeast | W | L | PCT. | GB | Southwest | W | L | PCT. | GB |
| Miami | 44 | 23 | . 657 | - | Memphis | 45 | 22 | . 672 | - |
| Charlotte | 32 | 35 | . 478 | 12.0 | Dallas | 40 | 26 | . 606 | 4.5 |
| Atlanta | 31 | 34 | . 477 | 12.0 | New Orleans | 27 | 39 | . 409 | 17.5 |
| Washington | 29 | 35 | . 453 | 13.5 | San Antonio | 25 | 41 | . 379 | 19.5 |
| Orlando | 17 | 50 | . 254 | 27.0 | Houston | 17 | 49 | . 258 | 27.5 |

## Westfield college signings

Brette Hanavan, golf Grace College


Kai Connor, track/cross country University of Alabama

Darcy Andrzejewski, rugby
Lander University


Madi Kerrigan, basketball Missouri S\&T


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