### **THURSDAY, MAY 19, 2022**

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Today: Mostly sunny. Humidity increases.

Tonight: Partly cloudy and muggy. Isolated shower or storm possible.



# Rotary Club of Westfield inducts two new members





The Rotary Club of Westfield met Tuesday and inducted two new members: Laura Demeter, VP Regional Manager at Centier Bank, and retired AT&T executive Bill Black. (From left) Bruce Watson (Demeter's sponsor), Laura Demeter, President-elect Lance Wonderlin, Bill Black, Jim Ake (Black's sponsor), and President Melody Jones. (Above right) The guest speaker at Tuesday's meeting was Old Town Companies CEO Justin Moffett, who shared his company's philosophy and many of the present projects about to start in Westfield. Many guests attended to hear from Moffett. Next Tuesday's speaker will be IBJ Corp. Chairman Mickey Maurer. Guests are always welcome. The Rotary Club meets at 7:30 a.m. on Tuesdays at the Bridgewater Club, 3535 E. 161st St.

# Noblesville to enhance its western gateway with \$72M Midland Pointe development

Common Council to discuss proposal at next Tuesday's meeting

The REPORTER

Noblesville Mayor Chris way of Noblesville.

effort to enhance its gateways and tie quality of place to economsoutheast corner of State Road ment along the Midland Trace comes of the 2020 Noblesville

32 and Hazel Dell Parkway.

The proposal Jensen on Wednesday an- 40,000 square feet of high-qualnounced a partnership between ity commercial/retail space that Midland Pointe development and dining, and enhance multi-Secure Holdings, LLC and Old will leverage the visibility and will catalyze development at use transportation options, in-Town Companies, LLC to cre-proximity to State Road 32 and the intersection of two major cluding pedestrian connectivity ate a \$72 million mixed-use de- the Midland Trace Trail. The roadways on the western side of to the nearby trail system." velopment on the western gate- plan includes a variety of com- the city and along the Midland City officials say Midland Car Wash, fuel station, bank, brings immediate density and use off the Midland Trace Trail, Pointe is part of the city's overall and in-line retail. A restaurant energy, connecting the trail to marked by a trail head and augwith outdoor dining is suggest- an eclectic mix of commercial, mented by several art pieces ed at the eastern edge for access residential and green space," ic and workforce growth. The to the Midland Trace Trail. The Jensen said. "Midland Pointe opment. The Midland Pointe development is proposed at the southern portion of the develop- also achieves the desired out-

Trail will include stacked flats Comprehensive Plan by creatincludes and townhomes.

ing mixed development nodes "The 34-acre, mixed-use that offer convenient shopping

Midland Pointe will provide Ind., was a mercial uses including a Crew Trace Trail. Midland Pointe a trail spur available for public recent highalong the length of the devel-

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### Old-time wisdom still applies today

An interesting recent lunch topic concerned some of the old-time statements made by my father. He once said, "To get a corn crop, you have to plant corn." He went on to ex-



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plain how everything produces according to its own kind. If you

want soybeans, you have to plant soybeans. As he expanded, he mentioned that to have a friend, you needed to be a friend, and to make money, you often have to spend money.

Ancient Jewish wisdom had a similar instruction. "Give, and it will be given to you. Good measure, pressed down, shaken together, running over, will be put into your lap. For with the measure you use it will be measured back to you." What is the "it" in the ancient wisdom? The "it" refers to what you gave. Give friendship to receive friendship. Give money and you will receive money or, as it was explained by my father, "It takes money to make money."

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### Reporter columnist's latest book details Vietnam veteran's, wife's love letters

#### The REPORTER

It is perhaps the greatest, true love story never told - until now.

U.S. Marine Bill Young of Lock Haven, Pa., was a 20-year-old machine gunner in the thick of things in Vietnam, not sure if he

would live to see the next sunset.

NancyMarket of Newburgh, school graduate headed for nursing school, enjoying her last idyllic



teenage Southern Indiana summer.

At first, they were virtual strangers, patriotic pen pals, sending scores of letters to each other. Soon, without Bill and Nancy ever meeting in person or even hearing each other's voices on the phone, the letters became love letters. In 2021, Bill and Nancy celebrated their 53rd wedding anniversary.

Vietnam War Love Story: The Love Letters of Bill and Nancy Young, co-edited by Scott Saalman and his daughter, Delaney Saalman, tells the Youngs' uniquely intimate story of war and love, a true story told through the very letters they wrote in 1967.

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# **Carmel among 21 finalists across North America** for Urban Land Institute's Awards for Excellence

Monon Boulevard & Midtown Plaza could get city global recognition

### The REPORTER

The Urban Land Institute (ULI) today announced 21 finalists for its 2022 ULI Americas Awards for Excellence, one of the most prestigious awards programs in the real estate industry. This year's finalists include 19 developments in the United States and two in Canada.

Monon Boulevard Midtown Plaza are what could take Carmel to the ULI Global Awards for Excellent, should the city take the Americas Awards.

As part of the 2012 Midtown Master Plan, Monon Boulevard expands the former "rails-to-trails" Monon Greenway project into a complete street, providing accessibility and multi-modal transportation options through dedicated sidewalks, high speed and local bike lanes, and roadway. Often referred to as Carmel's "beach-front property," Monon Boulevard is the backbone of Carmel spurring the rebirth of a formerly abandoned industrial corridor into the thriving Midtown redevelopment area. Providing a local connection from Carmel's Art & Design District to City Center and bikeable connection to neighboring Indianapolis, Westfield, and Sheridan, the district now hosts a diverse mix of residents, workers, and visitors with opportunities to engage with the community in mean-

ingful and accessible ways.



Photo by Hadley Fruits, Rundell Ernstberger

Monon Boulevard is a highly engaging linear greenspace system with connected active and passive activity zones formed in the eddies of the meandering pedestrian and bicycle paths. At the boulevard's midpoint, Midtown Plaza is the energetic civic hub of the entire district.

recreation area integrated into cal brewery or taproom. Teens and Asia Pacific Awards for Exthe project, has become the "backyard" for the many apartment dwellers and workers in the district and a popular destination for more remote Carmel residents and visitors. Carmel provided 124 events in 2021, from Movies at Midtown and lunchtime concerts to the International Arts Festival, Holiday Trolley rides, and talent competitions open to people of all ages. Every day, children can be found playing on the lawn while their parents play out-Midtown Plaza, the largest door billiards and enjoy the lo- with the winners of the Europe visit uli.org/gae.

are often spotted playing pingpong or chatting with friends on the adult swings.

This year, awards categories included Equitable Development, Low-carbon Development, Resilient Development, Development, Small-Scale and Urban Open Space, in addition to an open category that considers projects of all types. Winners will be announced this summer and will become finalists in the 2022 ULI Global Awards for Excellence, along

cellence. Winners of the Global Awards will be announced in

The Awards for Excellence program, established in 1979 and subsequently expanded globally, is the centerpiece of ULI's efforts to identify and promote best practices in all types of real estate development. For more information about the ULI Americas Awards for Excellence, visit uli.org/aae. For more information about the ULI Global Awards for Excellence,

### Two Noblesville students earn coveted 'Next Generation' educator scholarship

The REPORTER

Noblesville High School students Callie Mitchell and Delaney Shoemaker, who are preparing to become teachers, are among this year's recipients of the state's Next Generation Hoosier Educators Scholarship, according to State Rep. Chuck Goodrich (R-Noblesville).

The scholarship program, established in 2016 through legislation supported by the Indiana General Assembly, awards \$7,500 per year to 200 high-achieving students. Recipients must commit to teaching in Indiana for a minimum of five years after graduating college. Current high school seniors or college students are eligible to apply.

"This scholarship program encourages our highly motivated recent graduates to stay in Indiana for their post-secondary education, and teach in Hoosier classrooms," said Goodrich, a member of the House Education Committee. "I look forward to seeing the impact Callie and Delaney make on young Hoosier students and wish them success with their studies."

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it is, has proven invaluable through my own life. But it has also been demonstrably true in the corporate world.

Take Walmart for example. Walmart's mission statement, which is displayed at its Bentonville, Ark., headquarters is to "save people money so they can live better." Walmart's slogan famously stated, "Always Low Prices. Always." Thus, Walmart "gave" by way of providing more products to more people at a lesser cost. In return, Walmart reaped a tremendous reward and has become one of the most successful corporations in the United States. Recently, Amazon has taken up this philosophy and provides low-cost home delivery for nearly any product noblesvilleattorney.com imaginable. In return, Am- with questions or comazon has become one of. *ments*.

This idea, as simple as if not, the most successful spur will include an event Hamilton County and Nocorporations in the world.

> out of charity merely with a central park-like ameniself-interested tions, but the words in the amenity to the residents and Book carry practical truth engage the Midland Trace as well metaphysical truth Trail with the commercial about our world. That is options proposed with the why it is better to give than development. to receive. If you receive only have one kernel of corn. But, if you give one the west side of Noblesyou get a whole ear of corn to showcase the best that Trace Trail." in return.

It is better to give than receive because those who give often have it to give ... whereas those who receive, many times, do not.

Educational material and not legal advice, written by the team at Adler attorneys. Email andrea@

### MIDLAND

lawn space, a pond overlook Not that we should act and lead to "The Grove," motiva- ty intended to serve as an

"We view Midland one kernel of corn, you Pointe as a dynamic, place-making addition to

blesville have to offer," Jim Adams said. "We have an exciting partnership proud to play a small role with Old Town Companies in that success by creating and together we have the walkable, resident-focused opportunity to transform a communities built with dynamic intersection in No- our focus on 'Outstanding engage with local retailers signs'," Old Town Comand unique restaurants and connect them with current said. "The combination of and new residents on the residential and commercial kernel of corn to the soil, ville. It's the perfect place west side along the Midland uses, along with greenspa-

"The City of Noblesville continues to experi-Secure Holdings President ence vibrant growth and Old Town Companies is blesville. We are excited to Locations, Timeless Depanies CEO Justin Moffett ces and trail connectivity,

bring a synergy to the community that will certainly improve the quality of life for our residents, and hopefully will serve as a benefit to our neighbors. Our team is privileged to be invited to co-develop Midland Pointe with Jim Adams and Secure Holdings."

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The proposal will be presented to the Noblesville Common Council at its May 24 meeting. If approved, construction is anticipated to start later this year.

### **SCHOLARSHIP**

More than 600 students the renewable scholarship on the SAT or ACT or have scholarships opening in year's 200 scholarship re-

est 20 percent of their high a 4.0 scale. school class, earn a score Those qualifying for in the top 20th percentile ply for the next round of in.gov.

applied, and Mitchell and totaling up to \$30,000 a cumulative grade-point the fall, visit LearnMore-Shoemaker are among this must graduate in the high-average of at least a 3.5 on Indiana.org/nextteacher. Questions may be direct-To learn more and ap- ed to NextTeacher@che.

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# Love Letters

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Valentine's Day in 2016. After the interview, he pop culture time capsule of was surprised to learn that Bill and Nancy had saved every letter they wrote to

each other.

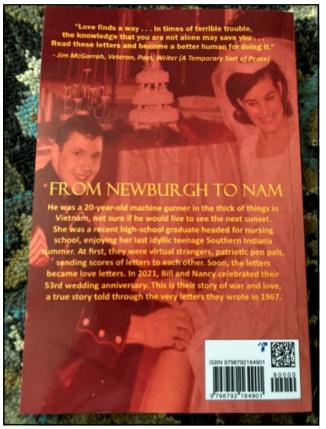
come true. I couldn't believe my luck," Saalman recalled. "I took a few bags home with me, reading them for the first time under a bed lamp's glow and was struck by the dichotomy of that time period captured by two future lovers. The letters were well written and heartfelt, even poetic at times. One batch detailed the dreamy summer of an 18-year-old girl in small-town Indiana: Fourth of July fireworks, slumber parties, peaceful times spent along the river, a girl's dream of becoming a nurse. The other batch detailed the horrors of the dense jungle,

record, a soldier's dismay upon hearing about civil unrest in the very country he was fighting for, and the deepest inner thoughts of a man unsure if he'd see tomorrow. Their

letters were also a 1967, what with many references to the music and movies of that time."

Reading the scores of "It was a writer's dream letters also caused Saalman to reflect upon the long-lost art of letter writing.

"Remember, these were actual handwritten letters, signed, sealed and delivered to the other side of the world, still smelling of Nancy's perfume, one containing a locket of hair, from Newburgh to Nam, from Nam to Newburgh," Saalman said. "It could be several days before those letters reached their target audience. Somehow Nancy's letters found Bill wherever he was in the jungle. When Nancy's mail-



rived (though that wasn't a foolproof convincer that he was alive the day she read his letters). Compare that to today, how our emails and tweets, if not immediately box remained empty for an replied to, cause great conabnormal period of time, she sternation and frustration would assume the worst, but — the need for speed, the monsoons, a personal kill eventually Bill's letters ar- lack thereof, breeding im- and to order it on Amazon.

patience and doubt, possibly jeopardizing the bloom of love. We need to write more love letters by hand; true love endures within the simmer, not the boil."

The book was published in May of 2022.

Click here to learn more



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

- Mike Bragg, GM of Tom Wood Volkswagen in Noblesville

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

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- Lysol
- Hand sanitizer
- Disinfecting wipes

Drop off items at Tom Wood Volkswagen in Noblesville. 14701 Tom Wood Way.







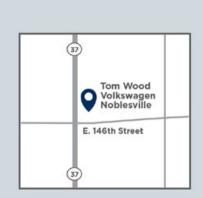
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# Sample grapes from 15 Indiana wineries at Carmel's Art of Wine event this Saturday

#### The REPORTER

A diverse group of 15 Indiana wineries spanning the Hoosier state from the Ohio River region to northern Indiana will take over Main Street from 5 to 10 p.m. on Saturday, May 21. Admission is free, but visitors can purchase a souvenir wine glass for \$30 and enjoy unlimited tastings from the wineries.

All ages are welcome to attend the event, which will also feature street musicians, food vendors and more scattered across the District where unique art, gift shops and restaurants will be open.

Enhance your experience with a VIP Prime Hour ticket that gives you the 4 to 5 p.m. as well as a few

extras. Those VIP tickets are available online now through Friday, May 20.

### Main Stage music

Come to the Main Stage, located on Range Line Road at 1st Street South, and enjoy the high-energy sounds of Magnolia Soul as they entertain with a large variety of hits from pop, rock, funk and modern country. Magnolia Soul performs music that makes you move.

#### Street musicians

Listen to a variety of sounds as you sample your way from tent to tent along Main Street and Range Line Road. The street musicians will include Jeremiah Cosner, Elliott Ferguson, Joseph Filipow, Elizabeth Lee, Typ-"first hour" of tasting from ical Summer, and Hannah holder

#### **Tickets**

Wine sampling tickets can be purchased on Eventbrite prior to the event or onsite the day of the event. Credit cards only; no cash onsite. Wine tasting tickets are \$30 each and allow patrons to sample wine from all the wineries present. A valid ID is required upon arrival, and you will receive a commemorative Art of Wine tasting glass.

\$50 VIP Prime Hour

- tickets include: Early entry and unlimited wine tastings at participating wineries beginning at 4 p.m. General Admission for public begins at 5 p.m.
  - Souvenir wine glass • Plate with wine glass
  - - Custom wine stopper

· Insulated lunch tote (that conveniently fits wine bottles)

• ... and more!

The Art of Wine VIP Prime Hour ticket sales close Friday, May 20 and are limited to the first 350 purchased. Guests must show their tickets and photo ID for check-in. All guests participating in wine tastings and attending the VIP Prime Hour must be age 21 or over.

#### Special offerings

Special offerings from Arts & Design District merchants include:

• Xchocol'Art will offer a chocolate tasting. Guests can pick up the tasting with suggestions as to what wine goes with flavor. Register online at this link.

#### Indiana Wineries at Carmel's Art of Wine

Belgian Horse Winery, Middletown Best Vineyards Winery, Elizabeth Blackhawk Winery & Vineyard, Sheridan Daniel's Family Vineyard & Winery, McCordsville Heagy Vineyards, Roann Lambstone Cellars Winery, Valparaiso Mallow Run Winery, Bargersville Peace Water Winery, Carmel Sip & Share Wines, Indianapolis Spencer Farm Winery, Noblesville Sugar Creek Winery, Carmel TJ Haase Winery, Clinton Tippy Creek Winery, Leesburg Whyte Horse Winery, Monticello Winery, Bristow

• Indiana Artisan will open with a variety of ofhold an event called Indiana Artisan al Fresco in the garden, where several food arti-

sans will be offering samples. charcuterie boards and wine • Art on Main will be glass coasters.

ferings that appeal to wine lovers, including paintings of wine and wine bottles,

# County Council working to mitigate inflation's pressure on SR 37 cost overruns

May in Indiana is always fun. Mini-Marathon and activities at the track seem to be the announcement that summer is almost here. I hope the changing seasons do not have the same impact on

you that they do on me. This year it was a bit different as I sought my first re-election to the Hamilton County Council. I did not have an opponent, which was nice as I managed through a very busy time at work, but it did not stop me from being involved in some of the primary cam-

paigns. This month's County Council was a short agenda, which will allow me to also share some insights on the primary.

If you remember, I was asked by the full Council to represent them on a review committee of the RFPs for the Baker's Corner Sewer and Water Utility. I started off the meeting in my VP comments to announce that we received multiple responses that varied from developer-led teams to proposals that only covered operations. We had further follow-up with a few responders to clarify their RFPs and score the proposals individually. This project will have a huge impact on the county and expand our tax base up the U.S. 31 corridor. The results of our scores will be tabulated by the project engineer under the oversight of the county's legal team and then present-

ed to the Commissioners. The agenda had several grant appropriations and multiple "Additional Appropriations" that were approved unanimously. We also went through budget instructions. During the budget instructions, two items were communicated that differ from years past. One was how non-profit requests will be incorporated, which has been in discussion for some time. The other was an issue

plans agement for all county buildings, equipment, and vehi-Previously, cles. the Council asked that when funds were needed for maintenance that

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requests would be made of Council, but this does not support good fiscal planning. I've spoken to many departments, and they are prepared to honor this nessed showed a growth request with many already doing this on their own.

These new budget instructions will help us reduce the risk of unplanned capital outlays and maintenance expenses by including maintenance and obsolesce plans with their budget requests. This is a sound business practice and one that will better inform the Counthat we can incorporate into

our fiscal plan. ify was the request of the this project already and we Superior Court 7, which has based on our county's detwo locations because as an additional appropriation it must be advertised, so we put it in our two funds which gives the Council the opporwhich fund to utilize as they have different impacts on our tax levy. We unanimouscounty's general fund.

The last items to address are the road project requests. There was one project, 276th Street, that you will have noticed had several requests. This was done as we utilize the existing funds before going for additional from our county reserves. The other was appropriating funds for the anticipated from people about what can State Road 37 overrun at the be done to increase voter intersection of 141st Street turnout and/or educate votand SR 37. I had made quite ers on the issues at large. It an issue of this of late, as I is a quandary. The exchange I raised months ago that we am worried that the infla- of unfounded claims and

need to create as- tion we are experiencing in campaign rhetoric turn peoset life cycle man- all aspects of life will have a detrimental impact on these major projects.

> As a person familiar with the construction industry, we have seen material and fuel inflation that exceeds double digits in just the first quarter of this year alone. We generally plan for project cost escalation due to inflation at about 3 percent annually. To put that in perspective during 2021, the construction pricing that I have witmore than 12 percent, which has impacted construction projects across the country. The project, a collaboration between INDOT, the City of Fishers, and Hamilton County, bid on May 5 and the initial indications are that inflation and project cost escalation have again exceeded expectations.

I am working hard with cil of upcoming expenses all parties to address this issue, as it is my belief that the county for funds to build out need to work to live within the project budget even in been required of the state these difficult times. Everymographic profile. You will needs to be rebid with some have seen this new Court changes to scope, and we on your primary ballot. The have not ruled out drastic funding was requested in changes to design to avoid additional appropriations from the county or city of Fishers.

Lastly, I want to address the primary elections. The tunity to make a choice of county participation was roughly 11 percent, which is a 20-year low. I cannot state enough how important ly agreed to fund it out of the local elections are, whether it be the school board, a council position, the county prosecutor, or a judge. These decisions have immediate impacts on you and our community. Changes in Washington, D.C., and even the Statehouse take time to be implemented, but the deappropriations cisions local bodies make are immediate.

I would love to hear

ple off, and elections suffer. I hope that on a local level we can do better. Hamilton County is a great place because of all of us, and it is incumbent on us all to participate and make sure that the right people are representing you. I ask that you work with me and others to

create a better medium for

the public debate.

If items mentioned above are of interest, please reach out to me or any member of the County Council. As always, I am thankful that the Hamilton County Reporter for publishing my Council updates and a special thanks to you, the readers and residents of Hamilton County, for reading it and being engaged in the discussion. Our county is better because of you all. I welcome your questions at ken.alexander@hamiltoncounty.in.gov.

Ken Alexander is servcitizens of Hamilton Coun- ing in his first term on the The next item to clar- ty have funded enough of Hamilton County Council, representing District 4, which includes Adams and Washington townships, and part of Clay Township. He one agrees that the project currently serves as the Vice President of the County

### Letter to the Editor

# Heights track team honors Westfield track student who passed away last fall

I wanted to reach out and let you know of a special act of kindness done by the Hamilton Heights Unified

They were our guests at Westfield High School's senior night. WHS lost one of our senior team members, Dominic Strain, last fall to a tragic accident. We were honoring him along with his fellow classmates Tuesday night.

I let the HHHS Unified Track Coach know what we were doing, as it would create a bit longer of an evening. When they arrived, they brought custom-made green wrist bands with a white Shamrock on them. In the middle of the Shamrock was a "D" for Dominic. Their entire team wore them, and they gave one to each of our seniors and coaches.

There are a lot of difficult things happening in the world, I just wanted to shine a light on something good and compassionate in our community.

**Tamie Gipe** Westfield

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### Nonprofit to hold first 'Softball Slamfest' at Morse Park & Beach

The REPORTER

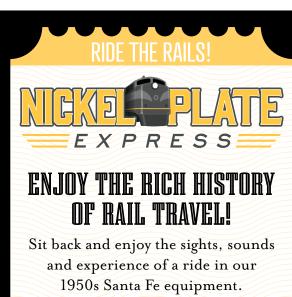
Universal Cares, a 501(c)(3) not-for-profit, will hold its first Universal Cares Softball Slamfest on Saturday, June 18 at Morse Park & Beach, 19777 Morse Park Lane, Noblesville.

Universal Cares has partnered with the Hamilton County Sheriff's Community Foundation, Hamilton County Parks and Recreation, and Friends of Hamilton County Parks to split funds equally between the four organizations.

"Over the past year, Universal Cares has collaborated with the Hamilton County Sheriff's Community Foundation, Hamilton County Parks and Recreation, and community service.

Friends of Hamilton County Parks in various capacities," Katie Cubberley, Director of Marketing and Community Engagement, said. "In the initial brainstorming sessions for this year's fundraisers, the logistics of planning a softball tournament involved contacting each of the other organizations. At that point it only seemed fitting for everyone to come together for the Universal Cares Softball Slamfest to benefit all our organizations."

Universal Cares' mission is to actively support Indiana communities as engaged citizens by connecting friends and neighbors through compassionate



The Nickel Plate Express operates on 12.5 miles of the former Nickel Plate Road between Noblesville and Atlanta.

Excursions board out of Noblesville at 825 Forest Park Drive.





Be one of the first to depart from our new Hobbs Station at Forest Park Depot. Take a celebratory 45-minute ride on our historic train while enjoying the scenic countryside. Plan for some extra time before and after the ride to browse the new gift shop and play at the railroad themed playground.

Saturday, June 11, 2022

11:15am 12:30pm

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rosé in our 1956 Santa Fe Dining car.

Saturday, June 18, 2022 1pm 3pm

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# **County GOP shares May** breakfast, talk at Mill Top

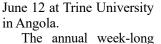


Reporter photos by Denise Moe (Above) County Commissioner Steve Dillinger was the featured speaker for this month's Hamilton County Republican Party Breakfast held Wednesday morning at Mill Top Banquet and Conference Center in Noblesville. Commissioner Dillinger spoke about the State of the County and what a strong economic and quality of life position Hamilton County is in for the foreseeable future. (From left) Commissioner Steve Dillinger, County Republican Party Chair Mario Massillamany, and Commissioner Mark Heirbrandt were gracious enough to take a moment to pose for Reporter **Events Photographer Denise Moe.** 



# County will have 24 high school seniors at Boys State

Hamilton County will have 24 delegates to this year's Hoosier Boys State, one of the larger delegations the 85th annual conference. Chosen by their high schools, delegates will meet





for incoming seniors who show leadership skills academic achievement.

allows participants to learn and practice the elecpublic officials at

levels. Top performers will advance to Boys Nation Indiana Department of the in the summer, along with son and Owen O'Rourke.

American Legion delegates from the other

Delegates from Noblesville are Jacob Norris, Henry Wasemann, Samuel Landers, Sayna Jeong, John The program David Wax and Thomas

Delegates from Carmel are Jacob Bailey, Leonard tive process for Rubchinsky, Charles Meyer, Julien Doty, Jordan Seigel, the state, county, and local Leim Courtney, Shinwoo Lee and Jaxon Lyon.

Delegates from Hamilton event is sponsored by the in Washington, D.C., later Southeastern are Kaleb John-

Others include Aidan Benner of Westfield; Brayden Dack, Hamilton Heights; Caden Leonard, International High School; Vincent Mann, Guerin Catholic; Grant Homerickhouse, Lapel; and Elijah DeKryter, Luke Tiernon, and Wade Wahlin of Heritage Christian.

Girls State will convene June 19 also on the Trine campus. following a similar format as Boys State. It is sponsored by the Indiana American Legion Auxiliary.

### Serious crash in Carmel closes southbound Keystone Parkway just south of 116th Street

By ALEXIS MITCHELL

WISH-TV | wishtv.com

Southbound lanes of Keystone Parkway in the area of East 116th Street were closed Wednesday afternoon for a serious crash at 3:36 p.m. on Wednesday.

involving a single vehicle into a tree with entrapment, according to the Carmel Fire Department (CFD).

son from the vehicle. CFD first tweeted about the crash

The Carmel Police Department (CPD) said the crash was south of 116th Street. At 5:04 p.m. Wednes-Crews removed one per- day, CPD tweeted one lane East 116th Street exit. of Keystone Parkway had reopened.

Carmel police initially

asked motorists to use an alternate route and said southbound traffic was being diverted at the Carmel Drive/

Carmel authorities have provided no additional information about the crash.



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# Come honor servicemembers at Fishers Memorial Day ceremony

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In partnership with the Fishers Armed Services Commission, join the City of Fishers to honor the servicemen and women who have made the ultimate sacrifice for freedom at this special ceremony from 10 to 11 a.m. on Monday, May 30 at the Gold Star Families Memorial Monument on the Central Green in front of Fishers City Hall, 1 Municipal Drive.

is Fishers resident Re-

tired Brigadier General Don to the north of City Hall to ors initiative at fishers.in-Canaday.

weather, the event will be moved to an indoor location, which will be announced in the coming days. Registration for the event is not required, but by filling out this online form, attendees will be notified of the cancellabe livestreamed on the City of Fishers Facebook page.

While at the ceremo-This year's guest speak- ny, take a stroll around the

see the light pole banners In the event of severe on display honoring local veterans and active duty servicemembers. Meet local heroes and honor a veteran on a pole banner by completing this online form.

The Fishers Armed Services Commission stands to further Fishers in becoming tion. The ceremony will also a community in which military service is honored and recognized as a key component to the city's vibrancy.

Learn more about the Nickel Plate Amphitheater event and the Fishers Hon-

.us/FishersHonors.

#### Veteran **Contact List**

The City of Fishers is proud to play host to several events to honor local servicemembers throughout the year. The city is building its contact list of local veterans to ensure communication about these events.

Veterans are encouraged to complete this online **form** to be added to the con-

# **Community News**

Wayne-Fall Lions Club Fish Fry

The Wayne-Fall Lions Club, 11940 E. 191st St., Noblesville, will have its fish fry on Saturday, May 21. Meals will be served from 4 to 7 pm. Cost is \$12 for adults and \$6 for children under age 12.

The menu will feature good North Atlantic cod, fries, baked beans, coleslaw and drinks. Coney dogs and desserts will also be available.

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# **Spring butters up Hamilton County**



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The Reporter's local lensman, nature-nut and flower-friend John Geiger caught this shot of a bounty of butterweed this week in a field along State Road 32 just east of State Road 37. Thanks, John, not only for this sprig of springtime for our pages, but for finding a flowery field suitably shaded in Miller hues. Would you call that yellow, or Singapore sunset saffron? According to Geiger, as a member of the aster or daisy family, butterweed's beautiful striking yellow stands are an important early spring source of nectar for bees and other pollinators.

# AG Todd Rokita pledges to defend Hoosier girls' rights to fair competition in athletics

When Governor Holcomb vetoed commonsense protections for girls sports and equality, he suggested the state would face hurdles. legal He said lawsuits were already bedrawn up

**TODD ROKITA** Ind. Attorney General

to challenge the law. This are a core part of our kids' is why he claimed he had to veto the protections for Hoosier girls.

for Indiana, I can tell you that this reasoning is BS.

As legislators reconvene this month to override the gates for biological males to over 270 high school boys governor's veto, my office stands ready to uphold the law and defend any challenges. Hoosiers won't be bullied by woke groups threatening girls sports. We won't kowtow to left-wing special interests and the Biden administration undermining equality in our state. if and hopefully when the

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youth sports and has been championed by my office. Athletics

development and growth. They provide a safe, beneficial outlet for children while As the chief legal officer also engraining a healthy competitive spirit in our future generation.

we are not only discouraging young women and girls from joining a team in the stripping them of scholarship opportunities, starting positions, and a chance to fairly compete.

The world watched as We stand by the law and will biological male Lia Thom- the legislature's commitvigorously defend it in court as, who previously competed in men's collegiate swim-General Assembly overrides ming as the 462nd-ranked

swimmer, won gold in the equality for decades and to The passage women's Ivy League Cham- receive the same opportuniof **HEA 1041** to pionships. Thomas took ties as men in sports – and ban males from qualifying positions and yet, our country seems to competing on fe- podium spots away from have turned its back on male sports teams female athletes who trained these efforts. The pressure is an important their whole lives to reach step in protecting these competitions, only to compete on an unfair playing field.

There are vast biological differences when it comes to women and men. Men have higher bone density, muscle mass, and cardiovascular capacity. This creates an unsafe and unfair atmosphere for young female athletes working to improve their By opening the flood- athletic prowess. In 2018, participate in female sports, crushed U.S. Olympian Allyson Felix's time in the 400-meter in track and field.

The many examples first place, but we are also of biological male athletes dominating female sports across the country show we are failing our girls. This is why leadership is so desperately needed, and I applaud ment to getting this legislation across the finish line.

to cave is immense as woke corporations, Joe Biden, Hollywood, and cultural elites push their radical gender agenda. By caving and vetoing this bill, the governor made clear that appeasing these woke special interests means more to him than equal opportunity for Hoosier girls.

I am proud to see legislators' commitment to this commonsense policy with their pledge to return to the Statehouse on May 24 to override this veto. Hoosiers can count on me to defend it

once it becomes law. Indiana needs to join the nearly dozen other states that have similar laws to protect women's and girls' right to compete on an equal playing field, and once we do, I will eagerly fight any lawsuit that comes our way.

Todd Rokita serves as Women have fought for Indiana's attorney general.

Pork Chop / Chicken Dinner

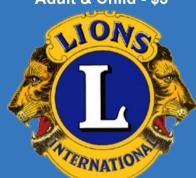
FRIDAY, June 3rd

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# Rep. Victoria Spartz returns from Ukraine's frontlines, co-chairs classified House oversight hearing on aid spending

The REPORTER

Rep. Victoria Spartz returned to Washington, D.C., after spending the weekend in Ukraine where she traveled to the frontlines of the ongoing conflict and met with local authorities.

This is Rep. Spartz's third trip to Ukraine since the Russian invasion began on Feb. 24 and follows her recent calls for proper oversight of the U.S. aid being sent into the country following the signing of the Ukraine Defense Lend-Lease Act of 2022.

"The American people are generous people, but as a Congress, we must ensure taxpayer resources are reaching those in need and being used efficiently," Rep. Spartz said. "We also need to understand the situation on the ground to implement proper strategies."

Rep. Spartz has led those voices calling for Congressional oversight of all U.S. aid to Ukraine, and she has and Reform Chairwoman called on House Committee on Government Oversight

# Thanks for



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Carolyn Maloney (D-N.Y.) to hold a hearing to evaluate the federal government's performance in the distribution of U.S. humanitarian and security assistance. Rep. Spartz on Wednesday co-chaired the first classified oversight House hearing on Ukraine, with more hearings expected in the future.

Since the start of the conflict, Rep. Spartz has visited numerous regions in Europe asking tough questions of government officials in each place. She has remained committed to ensuring U.S. resources are directed where they are needed the most to prevent a worsening crisis and help Ukraine defend itself and the international order.

### Sen. Mike Braun sounds off on spending \$40B in Ukraine aid package

The REPORTER

U.S. Senator

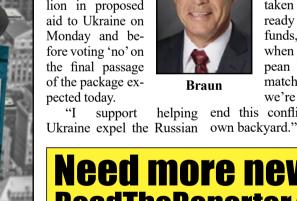
statement on the Ukraine spending package after voting 'no' to advance the \$40 bil-

invasion, but as inflation, Mike gas prices, and shortages Braun released the following wallop Americans here at

home I can't support \$40 billion of new spending unless it's offset with cuts or taken from already authorized funds, especially when the European Union isn't matching what we're doing to

Braun

"I support helping end this conflict in their



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# Pro-abortion protestors go downtown in Noblesville to spread their message

In case you missed it, abortion activists flocked to the Government and Judicial Center Saturday afternoon to spread their message. The event had signs, banners, speakers and more than a few drivers honking as they passed.

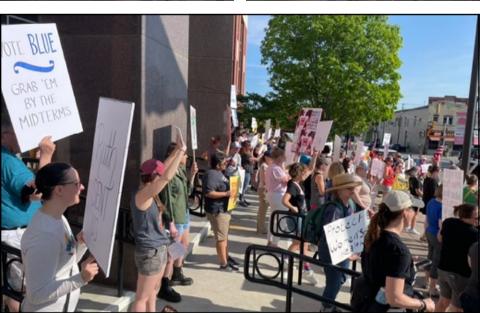












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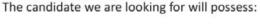
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# **CCHA** welcomes associate attorney Cassie Heeke

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Church Church Hittle + Antrim (CCHA) welcomes Cassie Heeke to the firm. She will be an Associate in the Litigation practice anapolis, group.

Heeke has experience representing clients in administrative proceedings as well as trial courts throughout the State of Indiana. She practiced health care law prior to joining CCHA and is dedicated to being a strong advocate for her cli-

der Pinegar said. "Her expein administrative proceedings and litigation will serve CCHA clients well."

IU Bloomington, where my clients."

she also studied political science sociology. and She attended law school in Indinow calling the city home. During law school, she served as Managing Editor of

Heeke and was a member of the Phi Delta Phi Legal Honor Society and the Environmental Law Society. She worked part-time as a law "We are very excited to clerk for a local firm and welcome Cassie," CCHA was a legislative assistant Managing Partner Alexan- for a statewide trade association during two sessions rience representing clients of the Indiana General Assembly.

"Joining CCHA is a tremendous achievement," Heeke is a native of Heeke said. "I look forward Dubois County, Ind. She to working alongside some obtained her bachelor's of the greatest attorneys in degree in Journalism from Indiana and advocating for

Founded 1880, CCHA is the oldest law firm in Hamilton County. As a full-service law firm, CCHA provides myriad legal services to clients across a wide va-

the Indiana Law Review riety of practice areas including: Complex litigation, personal injury, governmental entity and municipal law, education, business formation and representation, divorce and family law, estate planning and administration, real estate law, criminal law, labor and employment law, mediation services and appellate litigation. Church Church Hittle + Antrim serves clients across the state with offices in Noblesville, Fishers, Fort Wayne, Tipton, Merrillville and Westfield. Learn more about CCHA at cchalaw.com.

### Fishers-based INCOG BioPharma listed among best places to work in Indiana

#### The REPORTER

INCOG BioPharma Services, a Fishers-based contract development and manufacturing organization (CDMO) specializing in sterile injectables, was recently named as one of the Best Places to Work in Indiana, winning sixth place in the company's size category.

This 17th annual program was created by the tently demonstrate to their Indiana Chamber of Commerce, and this year's list included 125 companies. The statewide survey and awards program is designed to evaluate participating organizations and honor those with the highest levels of employee satisfaction and

engagement in the work- the state entered the two-

"We have many tremendous employers in the state, so it's great to see more and more companies take part in this effort to evaluate their workplace cultures and gain the recognition they deserve," Indiana Chamber President Kevin Brinegar. "These companies consisemployees how much they value their contributions."

To be considered for participation, companies had to fulfill the following eligibility requirements:

- Be a for-profit, not-forprofit business or government organization;
- Be a publicly or privately held organization;
- Have a physical operation in Indiana;
- Have at least 15 full- or part-time permanent em-
- ployees working in Indiana; • Have been in business program registration deadline.

"Receiving this recognition, just after our first year of establishing our business, is a wonderful endorsement of the culture we are creating, employees we are attracting and our commitment to outstanding customer service," INCOG BioPharma Services Founder and CEO Cory Lewis said. "We are honored to be Hoosier organizations."

part survey process to determine the Best Places to Work in Indiana. The first part consisted of evaluating each nominated company's workplace policies, practices, philosophy, systems and demographics. This part of the process, the Employer Assessment, was worth approximately 20 percent of the total evaluation. The second part consisted of an employee survey to measure the employee experience. This part of the process, the Employee Feedback Survey, was worth approximately 80 percent of the total evaluation. The combined scores determined the top companies and the final rankings. Workforce Research Group managed the overall registration and survey process in Indiana, analyzed the data, and determined the final rankings.

INCOG BioPharma Serfor at least one year, at the vices plans to create more than 150 high-paying jobs by the end of 2024. Actively hiring, INCOG provides an entrepreneurial environment that fosters innovation and promotes genuine teamwork to impact the life sciences sector for patients and influence the way things are done. For more information about open positions and a career at INCOG, visit INCOGBioPharma.com.

For more information on named among these great the Best Places to Work in Indiana program, visit Best-Companies from across PlacestoWorkIndiana.com.

### **Meeting Notices**

The Carmel Clay Schools Board of Trustees will meet in an executive session at 5:30 p.m. on Monday, May 23, 2022.

A regular meeting will follow at 7 p.m. at Clay Middle School, 5150 E. 126th St., Carmel.

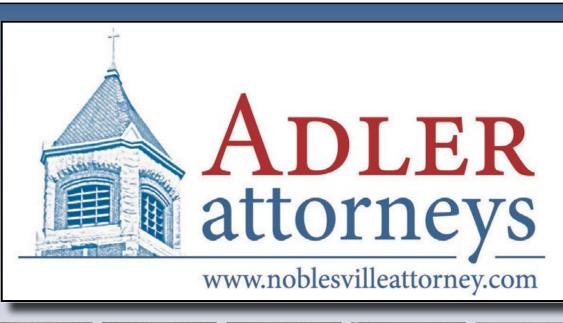
The Hamilton County Commissioners will meet at noon on Monday, May 23, 2022, in the Commissioners' Courtroom at the Hamilton County Government and Judicial Center, 1 Hamilton County Square, Noblesville.



PM at the Red Bridge Community Building, 697 W. Jackson Street, Cicero, IN according to Indiana Code IC 5-14-1.5-6.1(b)(4)(D)(ii and vi): A real property ransaction including a lease as lessor or a sale by the governing body up to the ime a contract or option is executed by the parties. This clause does not affect a political subdivision's duty to comply with any other statute that governs the conduct of the real property transaction, including IC 36-1-10 or IC 36-1-11.

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### Susan Elizabeth Cox November 14, 1946 - May 12, 2022

Susan Elizabeth Cox, born on November 14, 1946, to



William and Betty (Barnard) Peck in Lancaster, Pa., passed away peacefully on May 12, 2022, surrounded by her loving family in Noblesville.

Susan graduated from Park Forest Hill High School in Illinois in 1964 and attended Churchman Business College. Her father's job took the fam-

ily to many places, including Argentina during Susan's high school years.

She met her husband of 54 years, Bruce Warren Cox, on a blind date and they knew right away they were meant for one another. Susan started raising her family while Bruce was a First Lieutenant in the Vietnam War. She lived with family and on military bases while Bruce was in service.

To support her family and have time with her children, Susan worked at Greenbriar Elementary School as a Librarian and at North Central High School as an Administrative

An artist at heart, she could always be seen working creatively on paintings, flower arrangements, jewelry, crochet, or baking. Her hands were never empty; they were always busy in either crafting, or care for another.

She was an avid collector of antiques, specializing in handmade pottery, and a member of the Red Wing Collection Society and secretary of Indy Wingers. This passion led to a great many cherished friends and relationships. This tight-knit group traveled together to pottery events to enjoy craftsmanship and fellowship.

She deeply enjoyed time with family, reading, Colts and Pacers games, and was a member of Noblesville First United Methodist Church.

Quick with a laugh, assistance, or a supportive hug, friends and family knew they could always call on Susan in time of need.

She is survived by her husband, Bruce Cox; children, Jennifer (Matt) Jones of Westfield and Jeff (Kelly) Cox of Noblesville; grandchildren, Grady Britt, Kayleigh Britt, and Derek Jones; siblings, Debbie (Jim) Youngkin and Gregg Peck; brother-in-law, Gary Cox; sister-in-law, Sylvia (Ken) Barr; several nieces, nephews, great-nieces, and great-nephews; and her beloved dog, Maxx.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her sisters-in-law, Kathy Peck and Judith Hoog.

Memorial services will be held at 11:30 a.m. on Friday May 20, 2022, at Noblesville First United Methodist Church, 2051 Monument St., Noblesville. Visitation will be from 10 to 11:30 a.m. at the church. Internment will be at Eagle Creek Cemetery in Westfield.

A heartfelt thank you to the staff of Riverview Health, Paradigm Health, and Noblesville First United Methodist Church for their care and gracious support.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to National Kidney Foundation of Indiana, 911 E. 86th St., Suite #100, Indianapolis, IN 46240; or Tunnel to Towers Foundation for Fallen First Responder Home Program at t2t.org.

Condolences: randallroberts.com

### TODAY'S BIBLE READING

We have come to share in Christ, if indeed we hold our original conviction firmly to the very end. As has just been said:

"Today, if you hear his voice, do not harden your hearts as you did in the rebellion."

Who were they who heard and rebelled? Were they not all those Moses led out of Egypt? And with whom was he angry for forty years? Was it not with those who sinned, whose bodies perished in the wilderness? And to whom did God swear that they would never enter his rest if not to those who disobeyed? So we see that they were not able to enter, because of their unbelief.

Hebrews 3:14-19 (NIV)

### David S. Kinnaman July 30, 1947 - May 16, 2022

David S. Kinnaman, 74, Westfield, passed away on Monday, May 16, 2022, at Ascension St. Vincent Hospital in Indianapolis. He was born on July 30, 1947, to Frank and Lavonne "Bonnie" (Erp)

> Kinnaman in Noblesville. David retired after 30 plus years from General Motors. He enjoyed watching basketball and football, especially cheering on his favorite teams, the Pacers and the Pittsburgh Steelers.

David loved to support his grandchildren by attending their games and activities.

He is survived by his son, Shawn Kinnaman; son, Mike (Renita) Kinnaman; daughter, Tonia (Alvin) Harris; son, Rodney (Heather) Case; brothers, Allen Kinnaman and Kenneth Campbell; sister, Ellen (Gary) Kinney; 13 grandchildren; five great-grandchildren; and many nieces, nephews, and cousins.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his wife, Sandra Kinnaman; brothers, Clarence Campbell and James Campbell; sister and brother-in-law, Barbara and Richard Grimes; sister-in-law, Joyce Kinnaman; and nephew, David Kinney.

Visitation will be from 4 to 8 p.m. on Monday, May 23, 2022, at Randall & Roberts Funeral Home, 1150 Logan St., Noblesville. Services will be held at 11 a.m. on Tuesday, May 24, 2022, at the funeral home, with Rev. JR Moffatt officiating. Burial will be at Oaklawn Memorial Gardens in Indianapolis.

Memorial contributions may be made to Shriners Hospitals for Children Processing Center, P.O. Box 863765, Orlando, FL 32886 (shrinershospitalsforchildren.org/shc).

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### Michelle Kamnikar Simon February 23, 1958 – May 15, 2022

Michelle Kamnikar Simon, 64, Fishers, passed away on Sunday, May 15, 2022, at her home after a long battle with breast cancer. She was born on February 23, 1958, to



John and Marie (D'Alessio) Kamnikar in Joliet, Ill. Michelle grew up in Hinsdale, Ill.,

and was a 1976 graduate of Hinsdale

South High School. She was an Amer-

ican Airlines flight attendant for 38 years before retiring last year. Michelle loved to travel, especially to Paris, St. Thomas, and any beach. She enjoyed Peloton workouts and riding her bike through Naperville. Michelle was an active member of Chicago Area Families for Adoption (CAFFA). Michelle was a devout Catholic. She served as a Eucharist Minister, religious education teacher and on the funeral luncheon min-

Catholic Church since moving to Fishers last year. Michelle was a caring and loving mother and friend. She would do anything at the drop of a hat to support or help those in need.

istry at Holy Spirit Catholic Community in Naperville, Ill.

Michelle became a member of Holy Spirit Parish at Geist

She is survived by her husband, Timothy Robert Simon, married July 14, 1990; parents, John Francis and Marie Therese (D'Alessio) Kamnikar; daughter, Madeline Therese Simon; son, Mitchell John Simon; and sister, Deborah Marie (Phil Kodman) Kamnikar.

Visitation will be from 4 to 8 p.m. ET on Thursday, May 26, 2022, at Randall & Roberts Fishers Mortuary, 12010 Allisonville Road, Fishers. Memorial mass will be held at 11 a.m. ET on Friday, May 27, 2022, at Holy Spirit Parish at Geist Catholic Church, 10350 Glaser Way, Fishers.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to: St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38105-9959 (stjude.org); American Cancer Society, P.O. Box 681405, Indianapolis, IN 46268-1405 (cancer.org); or Catholic Charities USA (catholiccharitiesusa.org).

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Track and field prepares for next round . . .

# Forty county athletes earn regional callbacks

As expected, a large number of Hamilton County track and field athletes received callbacks to Tuesday's Lafayette Jefferson regional after their performances at the Hamilton Southeastern sectional this past

A total of 40 county athletes advanced to the next round of the post-season. That includes eight each from Fishers and Hamilton Southeastern, seven from Carmel and six from Westfield. Noblesville received five callbacks, with Hamilton Heights getting four. Guerin Catholic's Kori Dues got a callback in the high jump, while University's Abby Hannon received one in the shot

The performance list for the regional was published on the IHSAA website on Wednesday. Noblesville is the top seed in the 4x800 relay, with Ally Elsbury listed first in the 100 hurdles. Kiana Siefert is top-seeded in the 300 hurdles and second in the 100 hurdles.

Carmel freshman Olivia Cebalo has the first seed in the 400 dash, with the Millers' Summer Rempe and Brinkley Cooper listed as 1-2 in the 800 run. Guerin Catholic's Bridget Gallagher is the top seed in the 3200 run, and Carmel is seeded No. 1 in the 4x400 relay.

Fishers' Ella Scally has the top seed in the long jump, with Hamilton Heights' Kelsey Smith rated first in the high jump. Noblesville's Hannah Alexander is top-seeded in

A complete list of Hamilton County callbacks now follows.

4x800 relay: Fishers (Megan Mybeck, Vera Schafer, Aubrey Baldwin, Anna Runion), Westfield (Nezira Djour, Ava Britton-Heitz, Sydney Klinglesmith, Angelina Abriani).

100 hurdles: Ella Ewing (Hamilton Heights), Sophia Sullivan (Carmel), Madison Clary (Westfield).

100 dash: Genesis Bowers (Fishers),



Reporter photo by Kent Graham

Hamilton Southeastern's Elia Blackmore (blue) and Noblesville's Kiana Siefert (black) battled it out to the end in the 300 hurdles race at Tuesday's sectional at the Royals' TCU Field. Siefert won the race and is the top seed at next Tuesday's Lafayette Jefferson regional, with Blackmore finishing as runner-up and the regional's second seed.

Sanai Smith (Hamilton Southeastern). 1600 run: Paige Hazelrigg (Noblesville), Elizabeth Butler (Southeastern), Kelly Pesyna (Westfield), Kennedy Ap-

plegate (Noblesville).

**4x100 relay:** Hamilton Heights (Victoria Lopez, Samera Henson, Lizzy Smith, Ewing).

400 dash: Ciara Kepner (Southeast-

300 hurdles: Lucy Hauser (Westfield),

(Fishers), Clary (Westfield).

800 run: Allie Latta (Southeastern), Jasmine Klopstad (Carmel), Audrey Ricketts (Carmel), Baldwin (Fishers). 200 dash: Kya Hoskins (Fishers).

3200 run: Maggie Powers (Southeastern), Nadia Perez (Noblesville), Liz ory (Fishers). Smith (Westfield), Brooke Lahee (Noblesville).

4x400 relay: Hamilton Heights (Lopez, Ewing, Kelsey Smith, Camryn Runner). Ava Sinex (Carmel), Anna Williams High jump: Makenzie Holcomb (Car- sa Fuller (Carmel).

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mel), Mia Kemp (Southeastern), Kori Dues (Guerin Catholic), Kenley Johnson (Southeastern), Mallory Kixmiller (Fishers).

**Discus:** Marina Alphin (Southeastern), Audrey Dickson (Carmel), Kayla Greg-

Shot put: Macey Miller (Fishers), Abby Hannon (University).

Pole vault: Taylor Standridge (Heights), Delaney Teachnor (Noblesville), Caris-

Baseball

# Westfield goes 3-for-3 to start the week

in three days.

On Monday, the Shamrocks beat Kokothe third inning, starting with a single from Trey Dorton to send Keaton Mahan home. Collin Lindsey doubled in Dorton and Maximus Webster, then Cole Ballard hit an RBI double to send home Evan Russ, who came in to run for Lindsey.

Ballard and Lindsey both finished the game with two hits. Jacob Culp pitched three and two-thirds innings for the win, allowing one hit while striking out seven. Ballard got the save, only needing four try would steal home on a double steal when pitches to get the final two outs.

Westfield began a Hoosier Crossroads Conference series with Avon Tuesday, first beating the Orioles 14-4 in a six-inning road game. The 'Rocks scored three runs in the first inning, then added five more in the third to take control of the contest.

Ballard drove in four runs, while Dorton batted in three runs and scored three more. lected two hits, including a double each by Mahan also scored three runs, with Tyler Gentry driving in another three. Gage Stanifer got the win, with seven strikeouts in two and 6-8 in HCC play. and two-thirds innings.

game of their HCC series with Avon riding high from the big win on the Orioles turf. The 'Rocks had a big second inning, with

The Westfield baseball team has had a six touching home plate in their 8-3 win busy, yet productive week, with three wins over Avon to sweep the two-game conference series.

Westfield was able to score its first coumo 4-2. Westfield scored all of its runs in ple of runs on a wild pitch and a sacrifice bunt. Mahan's single scored Gentry and then Mahan would score on another wild pitch for a quick 4-0 start.

> Dorton would keep with the trend, scoring on a third wild pitch of the inning. The Shamrocks scoring was capped off at six runs on a Mac Clarke single to right sent Maximus Webster home to give the 'Rocks a comfortable 6-0 lead through two.

> Westfield would run it to 7-0 when Gen-Mahan stole second.

Kade Robinson would pitch a solid four and two-thirds innings for the win. The Orioles chased Robinson in the top of the fifth, getting three runs across, but that wouldn't be enough as Westfield held on for the win,

Mahan, Dorton and Clarke all three col-Mahan and Clarke.

The loss drops Avon to 12-13 overall

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Westfield improved to 16-8 and finished The Shamrocks came into the second 8-6 in its HCC schedule. The 'Rocks hit the road at Jeffersonville (12-6) on Saturday for a noon game before competing in the Class 4A Sectional 8 tournament next week.

Westfield	ÁΒ	R	Н	RBI
Keaton Mahan	3	1	0	0
Trey Dorton	3	1	1	1
Maximus Webster	2	1	0	0
Collin Lindsey	3	0	2	2
Mac Clarke	3	0	0	0
Cole Ballard	2	0	2	1
Luke Starr	1	0	0	0
Jack Woodard	3	0	0	0
Brayden Hibler	1	0	0	0
Gage Stanifer	1	0	0	0
Evan Russ	0	1	0	0
Totals	22	4	5	4
Score by Innings				
Kokomo 00	00 00	2	- 23	2
Westfield 00	000 000	) x	- 45	2
2B: Ballard, Lindse	y. SB:	Ba	llard,	Dorton,
Hibler, Mahan, Webs	ster. HB	P: B	allard	l, Starr.
Westfield pitching	ΙP	R	ER	Н
Jacob Culp	3.2	0	0	1
Matt Morris	2.1	0		0
Shane Coy	0.1	2		2
Ballard	0.2	0	0	0
Strikeouts: Culp 7, N	Norris 3	, Bal	lard 1	I. Walks:

Culp 4, Coy 1.						
WESTFIELD 14, AVON 4 (6 innings)						
Westfield	AB	R	Н	RBI		
Keaton Mahan	4	3	1	0		
Trey Dorton	3	3	2	3		
Maximus Webster	3	2	1	0		
Jack Woodard	0	0	0	0		
Collin Lindsey	3	0	2	1		
Nick Alm	1	0	0	0		
Mac Clarke	3	0	1	0		

Cole Ballard	3	1	2	4	
Evan Russ	2	1	1	0	
Luke Starr	1	3	0	0	
Tyler Gentry	4	0	1	3	
Brayden Hibler	4	1	0	1	
Totals	31	14	11	12	
Score by Innings					
Westfield	315 04	1 - 14	11	2	
Avon	003 01	0 - 4	2	6	
2B: Dorton, Gent	ry. SB:	Starr	2,	Webster.	
SAC: Dorton. HBP	: Webste	er 2, E	Balla	ırd.	
Westfield pitching	j IP	R	ER	H	
Gage Stanifer (W)	2.2	3	1	1	
Matt Morris	2.0	1	1	1	
Andrew Nicholson	1.1	0	0	0	
Strikeouts: Stanife		nolsor	1 3,	Morris 1.	
Strikeouts: Stanife Walks: Stanifer 5, I	r 7, Nich	olsor	1 3,	Morris 1.	

**WESTFIELD 8. AVON 3** 

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Westfield

Keaton Mahan

#### 2 0 Trev Dorton Maximus Webster 0 Collin Lindsey Nick Alm Mac Clarke Cole Ballard **Evan Russ** Luke Starr 0 Tyler Gentry Jack Woodard 0 Brayden Hibler 0 0 8 Totals Score by Innings 000 030 0-3 70 Avon 061 010 x-8 10 2 Westfield 2B: Clarke, Mahan. SB: Gentry 2, Dorton, Mahan. SAC: Hibler. HBP: Ballard, Hibler. Westfield pitching IP R ER H Kade Robinson (W) Ballard 1.1 0 Ty Anderson 1.0 0 0 Strikeouts: Robinson 3, Ballard 2, Anderson 1. Walks: Robinson 2, Ballard 1.

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# 'Blazers, 'Hounds get huge victories

Carmel

Nathan MacLaren

**Hunter Snow** 

Case Sullivan

Cody Kantz

Griffin Wolf

victories to start the week.

First, the Class 2A No. 4 Trailblazers beat Speedway 16-0 in a five-inning Monday game. University erupted for 11 runs in the top of the fifth inning, finishing with a three-run double by Seth Hogg.

Weber Morse was 3-for-3 and batted in six runs, including a two-run double in the first inning and a two-run single in the fifth. Thomas Price was 3-for-4 and scored three

Hogg got the pitching win, going five innings.

On Tuesday, the 'Blazers cruised past Liberty Christian 10-0 in five innings. University scored three runs each in both the first and second innings, including an RBI double by Jasper Owens. The Trailblazers ended the game in the fifth inning when Grayson Knight hit a two-run single, scoring Jake Hooker and Zane Kampmeier.

Thomas Price threw four innings, striking out seven and allowing one hit.

University is 18-4 and hosts Cathedral this afternoon.

### **UNIVERSITY 16. SPEEDWAY 0**

CHIVEROIT TO, OF ELDINAL O							
(6 innings)							
University `	Α	ΒŔ	Н	RB	l		
Jake Hooker	4	2	1	2			
Thomas Price	4	3	3	1			
Seth Hogg	5	0	1	3			
Mark Hamby	3	0	2	1			
Gabe Mervis	1	0	0	0			
Weber Morse	3	1	3	6			
Brady Redman	3 2 3	1	1	0			
Owen Schellhase	3	1	0	0			
Sam Woodward	2	2	0	1			
Jasper Owens	3	2	1	0			
Cooper Burnett	0	4	0	0			
Totals	30	) 16	12	14			
Score by Innings							
University	201	02(11)	- 16 <sup>^</sup>	13 2			
Speedway	000	000	- 0	3 1			
2B: Hamby, Hogg,	Mors	e, Price	, Red	man.	SB:		
Burnett 2, Owens.							
<b>University pitchir</b>	ng IP	R	ER	Н			
Hogg (W)	5	0	0	3			
Hooker	1	0	0	0			
Strikeouts: Hogg 4	l, Hoo	ker 3. V	Valks:	Hog	g 1.		

#### **UNIVERSITY 10, LIBERTY CHRISTIAN 0**

(5	(5 innings)					
University	AB	R	Н	RBI		
Jake Hooker	1	2	0	0		
Thomas Price	3	0	1	0		
lan Smitley	0	0	0	0		
Seth Hogg	0	1	0	0		
Grayson Knight	1	0	1	2		
Mark Hamby	2	1	1	2		
Mitchell Price	0	0	0	0		
Weber Morse	3	1	0	1		
Jasper Owens	2	0	1	1		
Brady Redman	2	0	0	0		
Owen Schellhase	2	1	0	0		
Sam Woodward	1	2	0	0		
Cooper Burnett	0	1	0	0		
Zane Kampmeier	0	1	0	0		
Totals	17	10	4	6		
Score by Innings						
Liberty Christian	000 00	- 0	15			
University	331 12	2 - 10	40			

University scored two overwhelming 2B: Owens. SB: Hooker 2, Owens 2, Woodward 2, Morse, Price, Redman. HBP: Hamby,

Hooker, Woodward. University pitching IP R ER H Price (W) 0 0 Strikeouts: Price 7, Smitley 1. Walks: Price 1.

Carmel also picked up two big wins ear-

The Grevhounds started with an 18-7 Monday victory at Mount Vernon. Carmruns, while Cooper Burnett scored four el scored four runs in the first inning, then rolled through the middle innings, culminating with seven runs in the top of the sixth. JD Stein and Alvaro Rincon both hit RBI doubles, and Hunter Snow smashed a tworun home run for a 16-1 lead. The Marauders scored six runs in the bottom of the sixth to avoid the run-rule, but the 'Hounds added two more runs in the seventh, starting with a triple by Nathan Williams to score Griffin Wolf. Snow then singled in Williams.

> Wolf also hit a triple. Snow, Tripp Schroeder and Wolf all had three hits, with Snow batting four runs, Schroeder driving in three and Wolf scoring four runs. Williams had three runs. Cam Heaney pitched three innings for the win, striking out seven.

Carmel returned home to Hartman Field on Tuesday, where it beat Warren Central 16-3 in five innings. The Greyhounds took care of this one early, scoring five runs in the first inning and seven more in the third.

Nathan MacLaren and Dan Cunningham both had three hits, with Cody Kantz and Wolf both scoring three runs. Carter Klein got the pitching win.

Carmel is 14-7 and hosts its own Greyhound Invitational on Saturday to finish the regular season.

### **CARMEL 18, MOUNT VERNON 7**

Carmei	A	D	ĸ	п	KDI
Nathan MacLaren	4		2	2	1
Drew Fouts	0		0	0	0
Hunter Snow	5		3	3	4
Cody Kantz	3		0	1	0
Case Sullivan	1		0	0	0
Dan Cunningham	3		1	1	1
Tripp Schroeder	5		0	3	0
Griffin Wolf	3		4	3	3
JD Stein	3		1	1	1
Cam Carmichael	3		1	0	0
Alvaro Rincon	1		1	1	1
Adam Buczkowski	4		2	2	2
Riley Thoren	0		0	0	0
Nathan Williams	1		3	1	1
Totals	36	3	18	18	14
Score by Innings					
Carmel	400	327	2 -	18	18 2
Mount Vernon	100	006	0 -	. 7	63

HR: Snow. 3B: Williams, Wolf. 2B: Buczkowski, Kantz, Rincon, Stein, Wolf. SB: Carmichael, MacLaren, Snow. HBP: MacLaren. Carmel pitching R ER H Cam Heaney (W) 3.0 1 0 3 Max Winders 2.0 0 0 1

Buczkowski 0.1 6 5 0.2 Thoren 0 0 Strikeouts: Heaney 7, Winders 2, Thoren 2,

Williams 2, Buczkowski 1. Walks: Heaney 3, Buczkowski 2.

Kenny Bruntlett 0 0 0 Tripp Schroeder 0 Tim Haas Dan Cunningham Alvaro Rincon 0 JD Stein Adam Buczkowski 0 0 Drew Fouts 1 Nathan Williams 3 0 16 13 **Totals** Score by Innings 100 02 - 3 61 Warren Central 547 0x - 16 14 1 Carmel 2B: Cunningham 2. SB: Kantz 4, Snow 3, Wolf 3, MacLaren 2, Cunningham, Williams. SAC: Buczkowski, Fouts, Stein. HBP: MacLaren, **Carmel pitching** 1

**CARMEL 16, WARREN CENTRAL 3** 

(5 innings)

AB

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3 3

0 0 2

Carter Klein (W) 2 James Ross 0 Aidan McConnell 2 Cunningham 1 Strikeouts: McConnell 2, Klein 1. Walks: Mc-

Fishers dropped a tough home game on Monday, as Columbus North scored a comeback victory on the Tigers 8-7.

The Tigers got off to a great start, scoring six runs in the bottom of the first for a 6-1 lead. Jack Brown singled in Joey Brenczewski for the first run, then scored when Dom Oliverio reached on error. Gavin Clayton doubled in Jack Backofen and Oliverio, then Huey Dunn's single sent JP Preston and Clayton home.

Backofen scored a second-inning run on an error, putting Fishers up 7-2. But the Bull Dogs kept chipping away at the lead, tying the game with three runs in the fifth inning, then getting the go-ahead run in the sixth.

Brown was 3-for-4 at the plate, including a double. Cody Jones threw five strikeouts in four innings.

The Tigers are 20-6 and play a Hoosier Crossroads Conference game at Brownsburg tonight.

### FISHERS 8, COLUMBUS NORTH 7

Joev Brenczewski

AB R H RBI

docy Dichozewski	-			U	
Carson Dunn	3	0	1	0	
Jack Brown	4	2	3	1	
Caulin Brown	4	0	0	0	
Dom Oliverio	3	1	2	1	
Curtis Kearschner	4	0	0	0	
JP Preston	1	1	0	0	
Joe Hietpas	1	0	1	0	
Quinn Seefeldt	1	0	0	0	
Gavin Clayton	3	1	1	2	
Huey Dunn	2	0	1	2	
Evan Allbright	1	0	0	0	
Jack Backofen	0	1	0	0	
Totals	31	7	10	6	
Score by Innings					
Columbus North	112 03	1 0	- 89	4	
Fishers	610 00	0 0	- 79	4	
2B: J. Brown, Clay	yton. SB:	Bre	nczev	vski,	Oli-
verio. SAC: C. Dur	nn. HBP:	Olive	erio.		
Fishers pitching	ΙP	R	ER	Н	
Cody Jones	1	1	1	5	

Cody Jones Jacob Kohlman Kyle Manship Gavin Kuzniewski Joev Wilmoth 1.0 0 0 Strikeouts: Jones 5, Kuzniewski 2, Kohlman 1,

Wilmoth 1. Walks: Jones 2, Kohlman 1, Manship 1, Kuzniewski 1.

Hamilton Heights lost a 6-3 game at Kokomo on Tuesday.

The Huskies scored all of their runs in the third inning. Dean Mason singled in Sam Allen for the first run, then Hulen stole home plate. Drew VanOeveren smacked a triple to send Kaleb Murray (running for

Heights is 12-6 and hosts Yorktown on Friday.

KOKOMO 6, HAMILTON HEIGHTS 3						
Heights	ON HE	IGN R	10 ·	RBI		
Sam Allen	3	1	1	0		
Nick Hulen		1	Ó	0		
	2 3 1 3	0	1			
Dean Mason	o o			1		
Drew VanOeveren	1 3	0	1	1		
Alex Eubanks	3	0	0	0		
Kaleb Murray	0	1	0	0		
Cooper Vondersaa	ar 3	0	1	0		
James Lacey	1	0	0	0		
Colin Kuhn	1	0	0	0		
Braulio Pena	3	0	1	0		
Alex Rickey	2	0	0	0		
Harrison Hochsted	dler 1	0	0	0		
Totals	25	3	5	2		
Score by Innings						
Heights	003 00	0 0	-3 :	5 1		
Kokomo	300 02	1 x	- 6 12	2 0		
3B: VanOeveren.	SB: Mu	rrav.	Hule	en. HE	3F	
Hulen.		,				
Heights pitching	ΙP	R	ER	н		
Rickey	3.2	3	3	7		

Sheridan fell to Rossville 4-1 in an away Hoosier Heartland Conference game on Tuesday.

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Strikeouts: Rickey 1. Walks: none.

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The Hornets scored three runs in the first inning and held the lead from there. The Blackhawks scored in the seventh inning; Camden Spencer got on base with a double and eventually scored on an error.

Sheridan is 8-11 and hosts Tri-West to-

### **ROSSVILLE 4. SHERIDAN 1**

Sheridan	A	D	ĸ	п	ΚÞ
Dayne Voege	3		0	0	0
Cole Macintosh	4		0	0	0
Sebastian Salazar	1		0	0	0
Zach Bales	3		0	0	0
Silas DeVaney	3		0	0	0
Jack Crail	2		0	0	0
Camden Spencer	3		1	1	0
Ty Macy	1		0	0	0
Caleb Alexander	3		0	0	0
Totals	23	3	1	1	0
Score by Innings					
Sheridan	000	000	1 -	115	5
Rossville	300	001	<b>x</b> -	442	2
2B: Spencer.					
Sheridan pitching	g IP	)	R	ER	Н
Clinton Slopsema	6		4	0	4
Strikeouts: Slopse	ma 3.	Walk	ເຣ: n	one.	

Hamilton Southeastern dropped a 5-0 game to Columbus North Tuesday at Ken Seitz Field.

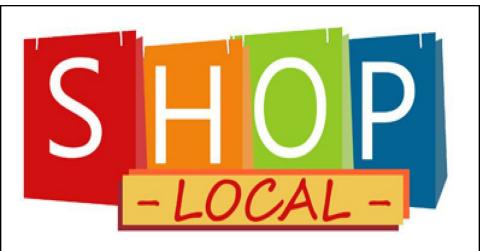
Eli Lantz threw four strikeouts for the Royals in two and one-third innings.

Southeastern is 8-17 and plays at Franklin Central tonight to begin a Hoosier Crossroads Conference series.

#### **COLUMBUS NORTH 5, HAMILTON SOUTHEASTERN 0**

Southeastern

Landon Riekhof	3	0	0	0	
Eli Miller	3	0	1	0	
Christian Beal	0	0	0	0	
Ty Bradle	3	0	0	0	
Chugga Rosario	1	0	0	0	
Hunter Wright	1	0	0	0	
Cole Earlewine	2	0	0	0	
lan Bucher	1	0	0	0	
Clayton Wilke	2	0	0	0	
Griffen Haas	1	0	1	0	
Michael Hoog	3	0	1	0	
Maddux Bach	3	0	1	0	
Zach Wagner	2	0	0	0	
Totals	25	0	4	0	
Score by Innings					
Columbus North	302 000	0 (	- 54	0	
Southeastern	000 000	0 (	- 0 4	2	
HSE pitching	IP	R	ER	Н	
Colin St. Clair	2.2	5	2	2	
Eli Lantz	2.1	0	0	1	
Jax O'Haver	2.0	0	0	1	
Strikeouts: Lantz 4	1, St. Clair	2. V	/alks:	St. Cl	aiir
5, O'Haver 2.					







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# Huskies win all-county softball game

Hamilton Heights beat Sheridan 10-0

Bella Neiling led the Huskies at the plate with three doubles, scoring three runs and batting in two more. Lily Roush also scored three runs, and had a dominant outing in the circle, striking out 18 and allowing only one hit.

Makayla Clark had the hit for the Black-

Sheridan fell to Rossville 13-1 Tuesday in a five-inning Hoosier Heartland Conference game. Jacquellynne Bates scored the Blackhawks' run in the fourth inning.

Heights dropped a 22-0 game at Yorktown on Tuesday. The Tigers held the Huskies to two hits, one each from Alayna Baber and Kaylee Rhoton.

On Wednesday, Heights rebounded to beat Frankfort in a 9-2 home game. The Huskies got on the board right away, as Baber scored in the first inning when Neiling reached on error.

Rhoton singled in Faith Hittle for a third-inning run, then Hittle hit a sacrifice fly in the fourth inning to send Emma Blanton home. In the fifth inning, Roush scored on a passed ball, then Neiling got home on an error, putting Heights up 5-0.

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The Huskies put up four runs in the in a six-inning all-county softball game on sixth inning. Roush's right field line drive brought in Hittle, Baber was scored when Neiling reached on error. Roush got home for Heights' eighth run, then Rhoton batted in Neiling.

Rhoton had two hits, while Neiling smacked a double. Roush pitched a complete game, striking out 11.

The Huskies are 9-13 and finish the regular season Friday by hosting Alexandria.

#### **HAMILTON HEIGHTS 10,** SHERIDAN 0

(6 innings)							
Heights	AB	Ŕ	Н	RBI			
Faith Hittle	4	1	1	2			
Alayna Baber	4	0	0	0			
Lily Roush	1	3	1	0			
Bella Neiling	4	3	3	2			
Kaylee Rhoton	3	0	1	2			
Ashlyn Fletcher	3	0	0	0			
Savannah Warwick	1	0	0	1			
Kassidy Schakel	4	1	1	0			
Jessa Steffen	2	0	0	0			
Natalie Newman	1	1	0	0			
Emma Blanton	2	1	1	0			
Morgan Ottinger	1	0	0	0			
Totals	30	10	8	7			
2B: Neiling 3, Rhot	on. SE	3: Hitt	tle 3,	Roush.			
SAC: Rhoton.							
Heights pitching	ΙP	R	ER	Н			
Daniel	^	^	^	4			

Strikeouts: Roush 18	3. Walk	s: no	ne.	
Sheridan	AB	R	Н	RBI
Jacquellynne Bates	3	0	0	0
Claudia Headlee	3	0	0	0
Maelei Casler	3	0	0	0
Taylor Bates	2	0	0	0
Kendra Blankenship	0	0	0	0
Boise Moore	2	0	0	0
Makayla Clark	2	0	1	0
Emma Settles	2	0	0	0
Chaney Smith	2	0	0	0
Randie Pitts	0	0	0	0
Totals	19	0	1	0
HBP: Blankenship 2.				
Sheridan pitching	ΙP	R	Н	
Casler	2	3	4	
Blankenship	4	7	8	
Strikeouts: Blankens	hin 4	Walks	: Bla	nkensl

### **ROSSVILLE 13, SHERIDAN 1**

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Score by Innings

Heights

Settles

(5 innings)						
Sheridan	AB	Ŕ	Н	RBI		
Jacquellynne Bate	s 2	1	1	0		
Emma Settles	2	0	0	0		
Maelei Casler	2	0	0	0		
Bosie Moore	2	0	0	0		
Kaylee McDonald	2	0	0	0		
Makayla Clark	2	0	1	0		
Claudia Headlee	2	0	0	0		
Chaney Smith	1	0	0	0		
Randie Pitts	1	0	0	0		
Totals	16	1	2	0		
Score by Innings						
Sheridan	000 10	- 1	22			
Rossville	049 0x	- 13	8 0			
Sheridan pitching	j IP	R	Н			

#### YORKTOWN 22, **HAMILTON HEIGHTS 0** (5 innings)

Strikeouts: Clark 2. Walks: Clark 4.

(5 iiiiiigs)						
leights `	AB	Ŕ	Н	RBI		
Faith Hittle	3	0	0	0		
Alayna Baber	3	0	1	0		
_ily Roush	1	0	0	0		
Bella Neiling	2	0	0	0		
Kaylee Rhoton	2	0	1	0		
Ashlyn Fletcher	2	0	0	0		
Kassidy Schakel	1	0	0	0		
Savannah Warwick	1	0	0	0		
Jessa Steffen	0	0	0	0		
Morgan Ottinger	1	0	0	0		
Natalie Newman	1	0	0	0		
Totals	17	0	2	0		
Score by Innings						
	00			0 2 10		
	1)74	0x	- 2	22 15 1		
SAC: Steffen.		_				
HH pitching	ΙP	R	EF			
Baber 	2	15	5	10		
Veiling .	1	7	6	5		
Schakel	1	0	0	_ 0		
Strikeouts: Schakel Schakel 1.	1.	Walk	S:	Baber '		

#### **HAMILTON HEIGHTS 9. FRANKFORT 2**

Heights	AB	R	Н	RBI
Faith Hittle	2	2	1	0
Alayna Baber	4	2	1	0
Lily Roush	3	2	0	0
Bella Neiling	2	2	1	1
Natalie Newman	0	0	0	0
Kaylee Rhoton	4	0	2	2
Ashlyn Fletcher	4	0	0	0
Kassidy Schakel	4	0	0	0
Emma Blanton	3	1	1	0
Morgan Ottinger	2	0	0	0
Totals	28	9	6	3
Score by Innings				
Frankfort	000 001	1	-23	10
Heights	101 124	Χ	- 97	2
2B: Neiling. SB: H	little. SAC:	Ot	tinger	, Neiling,
Hittle. HBP: Hittle.				
<b>Heights pitching</b>	IP	R	ER	Н
Roush	7	2	1	3
Strikeouts: Roush	11. Walks:	R	oush 2	<u>2</u> .

Fishers picked up a walk-off win in its Hoosier Crossroads Conference finale on Tuesday, beating Brownsburg 3-2 in an eight-inning home game.

Hailey Trueblood batted in the winning run for the Tigers, scoring Hannah Abbott with an RBI fielder's choice. Abbott scored two runs and hit a double for Fishers, with Abby Gavin getting the other run. Hannah Trueblood had two hits.

Kate Murray pitched the complete Maggie Roh

game, tossing 12 strikeouts. Fishers finished HCC play 3-4 and is 8-13 overall. The Tigers play this afternoon

### **FISHERS 3, BROWNSBURG 2**

at Anderson.

(8 innings)						
Fishers	AB	Ŕ	Н	RBI		
Karyn Trice	1	0	0	0		
Sophie Schoch	2	0	0	1		
Hannah Trueblood	4	0	2	0		
Jenna Grubb	3	0	1	0		
Abby Gavin	1	1	0	0		
Hailey Trueblood	4	0	0	1		
Nyah Duplessis	0	0	0	0		
Hannah Abbott	3	2	1	1		

Madison Flanery	1	0	0	0	
Ashtin Grubb	0	0	0	0	
Kaylee Kardash	3	0	1	0	
Kendall Jordan	3	0	0	0	
Totals	25	3	5	3	
Score by Innings					
Brownsburg	000 002	2 00	- 26	1	
Fishers	000 10	1 01	1 - 3 5	5 1	
2B: Abbott. SB: Tr	rice. HBF	e: So	choch	i, Ga	IVİ
Kardash.					
Fishers pitching	IP	R	ER	Н	
Kate Murray	8	2	2	5	

Strikeouts: Murray 12. Walks: Murray 1.

Izzy Kemp threw a no-hitter for Guerin Catholic Monday in its 4-0 win at North

Kemp allowed only two base-runners for the entire game, both on walks. She finished her no-hitter with a strikeout for the third out in the seventh inning, giving her 13 strikeouts for the contest.

The Golden Eagles scored their first run in the first inning when Lucy Kemp stole home plate. Guerin Catholic then added three runs in the sixth: Lucy Kemp got home when Madi Cain reached on error, Cain scored on an Anna Mauch single, then Izzy Kemp got home on an error.

Guerin Catholic is 8-10 for the season.

#### **GUERIN CATHOLIC 4, NORTH CENTRAL 0**

<b>Guerin Catholic</b>	AB	R	Н	RBI
Lucy Kemp	4	2	1	0
Madi Cain	2	1	0	0
Anna Mauch	2	0	1	1
Izzy Kemp	2	1	1	0
Kirsten Mascari	3	0	0	0
Lillian Everts	3	0	0	0
Natalie Eiler	3	0	1	0
Olivia Spomer	3	0	0	0
Zoey Bussick	3	0	0	0
Totals	25	4	4	1
Score by Innings				
Guerin Catholic	100 003	3 0	- 4 4	0
North Central	000 000	0 0	-00	3
SB: L. Kemp, Cair	١.			
GC pitching	IP	R	ER	Н
I. Kemp	7	0	0	0
Strikeouts: I. Kem	p 13. Wal	ks: I.	Ken	np 2.

Westfield dropped a pair of games earlier in the week.

The Shamrocks lost to Western 5-2 in eight innings on Monday. Both teams scored one run in both the sixth and seventh innings. Cara Snedeker got Westfield's first run when she was sent home by Allie Dolenc's sacrifice fly. Sam Breaux led off the seventh inning with a home run to tie the game. But the Panthers scored three runs in the eighth to get the win.

Avery Parker was 3-for-4 at the plate, 1, including a double. Chloe Tanner struck out six in five innings, allowing just one hit.

On Tuesday, the 'Rocks dropped a 5-2 Hoosier Crossroads Conference game at Avon. Parker scored a run in the fourth inning when Breaux singled her in. Avery Banas batted in Breaux with a left field hit in the seventh inning.

Westfield is 14-9 and finishes the regular season today at McCutcheon.

### **WESTERN 5, WESTFIELD 2**

(8 innings)						
Westfield	AB	R	Н	RBI		
Maggie Roh	4	0	0	0		
Cara Snedeker	4	1	1	0		
Avery Parker	4	0	3	0		
Allie Dolenc	3	0	0	1		
Ava Kainrath	2	0	0	0		
Sam Breaux	3	1	1	1		
Natalie Deck	3	0	0	0		
Avery Banas	3	0	0	0		
Mya Hughes	3	0	0	0		
Totals	29	2	5	2		
Score by Innings						
Western	000 001	13	3 - 5 5	1		
Westfield	000 001	10	0 - 25	3		
HR: Breaux. 2B: P	arker. SA	C: E	)olenc			
Westfield pitching	g IP	R	ER	Н		
Chloe Tanner	5	0	0	1		
Kenzie Hiatt	3	5	2	4		
Strikeouts: Tanner Hiatt 1.	6, Hiatt 1.	. Wa	alks: T	anner	1	

#### Westfield Cara Snedeker 0 Avery Parker Allie Dolenc Sam Breaux

**AVON 5, WESTFIELD 2** 

Ava Kainrath Natalie Deck Grace Feltz Avery Banas **Chloe Tanner** Totals Score by Innings 000 100 1-262 Westfield 001 040 x - 581 Avon SB: Parker. HBP: Parker 2. Westfield pitching IP Tanner

Strikeouts: Tanner 2. Walks: Tanner 4.

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# **Major League Baseball standings**

Wednesday's games Tampa Bay 6, Detroit 1 Milwaukee 7, Atlanta 6, 11 innings Colorado 5, San Francisco 3 Minnesota 14, Oakland 4 L.A. Dodgers 5, Arizona 3 Boston 5, Houston 1 Washington 5, Miami 4, 10 innings Philadelphia 3, San Diego 0

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N.Y. Yankees 3, Baltimore 2 Seattle 5, Toronto 1 N.Y. Mets 11, St. Louis 4 Pittsburgh 3, Chicago Cubs 2 Texas 6, L.A. Angels 5 Kansas City 6, Chicago White Sox 2 Cincinnati at Cleveland, postponed

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N.Y. Yankees	28	9	.757	-
Tampa Bay	23	15	.605	5.5
Toronto	20	18	.526	8.5
Baltimore	15	22	.405	13.0
Boston	14	24	.368	14.5
Central	W	L	PCT.	GB
Minnesota	22	16	.579	-
Chi. White Sox	18	19	.486	3.5
Cleveland	16	18	.471	4.0
Kansas City	14	22	.389	7.0
Detroit	13	25	.342	9.0
West	W	L	PCT.	GB
Houston	24	14	.632	-
L.A. Angels	24	16	.600	1.0
Texas	17	19	.472	6.0
Seattle	17	21	.447	7.0
Oakland	16	24	.400	9.0

### Lacrosse

**East** 

Miami

Atlanta Washington

Central

Milwaukee

St. Louis

Pittsburgh

Chi. Cubs

Cincinnati

L.A. Dodgers

San Francisco

San Diego

Colorado

Arizona

West

N.Y. Mets

Philadelphia

# Carmel girls win sectional opener, host Penn Friday for championship

The Carmel girls lacrosse team won its first-round sectional game Wednesday, 19-5 over Culver Academies.

Culver jumped out to a 2-0 lead, but the Greyhounds took over from there, leading 13-3 at halftime. Tori Tomalia led Carmel with four goals, one assist and seven draw controls. Other scorers for the 'Hounds were Avery Goehl (four goals), Hollis Rang (three goals), Sophie Mock (two goals and two assists), Pey Henney (two goals), Sophia Hann (one goal), Anna Dumke (one goal), Elle Tomalia (one goal and one assist) and Breckin Hare (one goal and one assist). Sophia Nour made one assist.

Carmel will host Penn Friday in the sectional championship game at 6 p.m. Friday. The Kingsmen beat Zionsville 16-13 in the other first-round game.

Hamilton Southeastern's boys team won its regular-season finale on Tuesday, beating Zionsville 18-5 in an away game.

Garrett Smith, recently committed to play at Ohio Wesleyan University, scored five goals, handed out five assists, and collected one ground ball to lead the offense. Connor Ruhnow helped out with four goals and a ground ball. Michael Mattalino added three goals and two ground balls, while Kai Trott scored two goals, dished out an assist and collected one ground ball.

On defense, freshman Dillon O'Rourke had a huge game with four ground balls and a caused turnover. Hayden Holmes was solid with three ground balls, while Hayden Grace had two ground balls and a caused turnover. Nolan Knies and Aidan Hoener both collected a ground ball, while Gavin Wright had two ground balls.

# WNBA update

Wednesday score Seattle 74, Chicago 71

Overall standings						
Team	W	L	PCT.	GB		
Atlanta	4	1	.800	-		
Washington	4	1	.800	-		
Las Vegas	4	1	.800	-		
Connecticut	2	1	.667	1.0		
Chicago	2	2	.500	1.5		
Dallas	2	2	.500	1.5		
Phoenix	2	2	.500	1.5		
Los Angeles	2	3	.400	2.0		
Seattle	2	3	.400	2.0		
Indiana	2	4	.333	2.5		
Minnesota	1	4	.200	3.0		
New York	1	4	.200	3.0		



