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TODAY'S WEATHER

Today: Mostly cloudy, with a few lingering showers.
Tonight: Partly cloudy.

HIGH: 69 LOW: 52



Westfield Education Foundation gives 11 'Rock Strong' awards

The REPORTER

The Rock Strong Award is a quarterly award given out by the Westfield Education Foundation (WEF) highlighting district staff who exemplify what it means to be Rock Strong. Staff members are nominated by their colleagues, students, families, and community members. They receive a commemorative plaque and a \$50 gift card from the WEF.

Congratulations to this quarter's award winners:

- Carey Ridge Elementary School – Chris Otsu
- Maple Glen Elementary School – Jamie Myers
- Monon Trail Elementary School – Margo Hoaglan
- Oak Trace Elementary School – Janet Schuetter
- Shamrock Springs Elementary School – Paula Bates
- Washington Woods Elementary School – Janet Roller



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- Westfield Middle School – Nikki Hefflin
- Westfield Elementary School – Zach Zimmer
- Westfield High School – Joyce Ross
- Westfield Elementary School – Amy Ruddy
- BAC/TOTS – Joyce Ross
- Operations – Austin Dollens

88 Carmel High School grads earn \$126,000 in scholarships

The REPORTER

On May 18, the Carmel Education Foundation (CEF) awarded 88 scholarships totaling over \$126,000 to Carmel High School's (CHS) Class of 2022. CEF scholarships represent the legacy of area educators, athletes, scholars, performers, school and civic leaders, and families who have invested in a scholarship to promote the life-long learning of CHS seniors.

The Brett Ryan Finbloom Memorial Scholarship was established in 2013 after he passed away from alcohol intoxication just days before starting college. The Finbloom family has since been active in the promotion of the Indiana Lifeline Law and the Make Good Decisions Campaign. Andrew Caito and Andrew Valdez each received this scholarship for their part in promoting the campaign throughout Carmel High School, presented by Shane Schmidt, who coached Finbloom as a CHS varsity soccer player.

Dawn Finbloom, Brett's mom, along with her husband Norm and daughter Jenna, shared the following: "The Brett Ryan Finbloom Memorial Scholarship gives our family HOPE for the future. Every year since 2013 we have had many remarkable CHS students who work to make sure that Brett's story is known and understood. We know of several young lives saved as a direct result of their



Photo provided

State Bank President Andy Pinegar greets scholars at the 2022 Carmel High School Community Scholarship Night held on May 18.

dedication. This is the most important legacy that our son has."

Two students, Grant Herrmann and Luca Kim, received the Jon Teuscher Memorial Scholarship. Teuscher was a beloved educator in Carmel Clay Schools and long-time principal of College Wood Elementary. Upon his passing in 2016, the College Wood Elementary Parent Teacher Organization, along with Jon's wife, Deb Teuscher, founded this scholarship to honor his legacy.

"The Jon Teuscher Memorial Scholarship is a win/win: two former College Wood Elementary students receive financial assistance from the endowed scholarship fund and Jon's contributions as a Carmel Clay teacher and principal are

remembered and honored," Deb Teuscher said.

There were two new scholarships awarded this year. One was the Joseph del Busto Memorial Scholarship, awarded to first-generation college student and first-generation immigrant, Austin Guo. The Tadikonda Family Scholarship was awarded to Kathleen Lemme in recognition of her active involvement in performing arts and athletics while maintaining academic excellence.

More than 50 donors and selection committee members selected recipients from nearly 400 applications. A full listing of the Carmel High School CEF Scholarship recipients can be found at ccs.k12.in.us/foundation/scholarships.

CEF Executive Director Jennifer Penix congratulated all 88 extraordinary young adults on their scholarships.

"CEF is proud to recognize these students not only for their involvement in philanthropy, school and community organizations," Penix said, "but for their character as it was expressed through their applications."

Scholarships were presented at the CHS Community Scholarship Night at Creekside Middle School. Many donors presented their awards in person, while others joined by video to share the story of their scholarship and to honor the recipient. Jim Streisel, a CHS teacher and

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An adoption & reunion journey

As I shared last week, this column is going in some new directions, one of which will be my adoption and reunion story. I wasn't able to previously share much about this for fear of hurting my mom.

According to adoptionnetwork.com,

around seven million Americans are adopted. Families adopt around 140,000 children each year. The site goes on to say that over half of Americans have had personal experience with it, meaning that they themselves, a family member, or a close friend was adopted, had adopted a child, or had placed a child up for adoption.

My story, one of many, has practically cried out to be written. It's haunted my waking thoughts. I believe it has the potential to create change for others.

I remember watching reunion shows such as TLC's *Long Lost Family* a few years ago. While I loved the show and others like it, I'd like to share something deeper with you all and reveal the complexities of this kind of journey. There are so many things to think about and countless lives affected. At times my heart has broken along the way – and at other times it has soared. And my story isn't finished yet.

This is the story of four brave individuals sacrificing much in order to give a good life to one person. An incredible, blessed life. But I know it's just one of millions of similar stories that illustrates why changes are being made regarding adoption records in every state across our nation – changes that will not only save hearts and minds, but lives as well.

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Gleaners Food Bank of Indiana names Fred Glass President & CEO

The REPORTER

After a six-month search, the Board of Directors is pleased to announce the selection of Fred Glass as the new President & CEO for Gleaners Food Bank of Indiana. He will succeed John Elliott upon his retirement on Sept. 30.

"The interest in this incredibly important leadership position was tremendous," Gleaners Board Chair Chad Mayer said. "The significant response from over 100 qualified applicants is evidence of how important Gleaners Food Bank is to Indiana and across the national food bank network."

Glass is a proud graduate of Indiana University and its McKinney School of Law. He brings a wealth of experience to Gleaners, including high-profile stints as Chief of Staff to former Governor Evan Bayh, President of the Capital Improvement Board, and his leadership of the 2011 Super Bowl Bid Committee that laid the foundation for the 2012 Super Bowl coming to Indianapolis. He served as the Indiana University Athletic Director from 2009 to 2020, returning to private legal practice at Taft Law in 2020.

"I am grateful and honored for this tremendous opportunity to lead Gleaners as we work together to lead the fight against hunger," Glass said. "Feeding the hungry is one of the most fundamental and impactful actions we can take as good neighbors and responsible citizens, and I'm thrilled to be joining the Gleaners team to be a part of doing just that. My dad modeled feeding the hungry for me at his skid row bar when I was a kid. Entering this new chapter feels like I'm coming full circle."

Robert J. Hicks, Taft Chairman and Managing Partner, expressed his strong support.

"Fred is a tremendous talent and the ideal leader to take on the challenge of food scarcity in Central Indiana," Hicks said. "He has been a great asset and contributor at Taft, and we will miss him. I am confident that Fred's creativity, resolve, and work ethic will take Gleaners Food Bank to the next level in meeting the community's needs."

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Get fit with Westfield Welcome & Westfield YMCA this summer

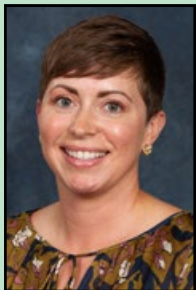
The REPORTER

Westfield Welcome will continue to offer special programming at Grand Junction Plaza this summer. In partnership with the Westfield YMCA, Workout Wednesdays is a series of fitness classes taking place at the Plaza.

Workout Wednesdays will be offered from 5:30 to 6:30 p.m. each Wednesday from June 1 through Aug. 3 in the Wetland Amphitheatre at Grand Junction Plaza, 225 S. Union St. There will be three different types of classes offered through the summer including HIIT, which is an effective and quick

total body workout; Cardio, which is a fun, fast-paced class combining cardio exercises with body weight; and Flow, which combines yoga, Tai Chi and Pilates to help build flexibility and leaves the participant centered and calm.

"Our team continues to look for ways to engage with the community through different programming at Grand Junction Plaza," Westfield Welcome Director Kayla Arnold said. "When we asked for



Arnold

feedback through a survey earlier this year, fitness offerings continued to be a program that people were interested in. We are excited to partner with the Westfield Y to provide these classes free of charge."

Additional information can be found at westfieldwelcome.com/gjp-programming.

Public parking for the event is available in the gravel lot directly east of Grand Junction Plaza, in the parking lot at the southwest corner of Pop-

Workout Schedule	
June 1 – HIIT	July 6 – HIIT
June 8 – Flow	July 13 – Flow
June 15 – Cardio	July 20 – Cardio
June 22 – Flow	July 27 – Flow
June 29 – Cardio	Aug. 3 – HIIT

lar Street and Park Street and in designated on-street spots. [Click here](#) to see a parking map.

Westfield Welcome focuses on community engagement and hospitality for residents, businesses and visitors. As a department of the City of Westfield, Westfield Welcome hosts more than 25 annual events and provides hundreds of volunteer opportunities each year.

CARMEL

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Hello, Hamilton County!



**Hobbs Station Sneak Peek!**
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Photo provided by Carmel Education Foundation
Andrew Caito and Andrew Valdez won the Brett Ryan Finbloom Memorial Scholarship, which was presented by Shane Schmidt.

2012 Carmel Clay Schools Teacher of the Year served as the Master of Ceremonies. State Bank generously

sponsored the evening which allowed for a reception for all honorees and their guests. State Bank President Andy Pinegar congratulated students and announced the Start Me Up Cup, an entrepreneurial scholarship to be funded by State Bank and awarded in 2023.

CEF is the non-profit partner of Carmel Clay Schools and is governed by a volunteer board of directors who raise funds to support the scholarship program, to fund teacher and school grants, and to provide resources for Carmel Clay Schools. The CEF scholarship program is the largest public education foundation scholarship program in Indiana. For more information visit ccs.k12.in.us/foundation/scholarships or contact Executive Director Jennifer Penix at jpenix1@ccs.k12.in.us or (317) 844-9961 ext. 2680.

About the Carmel Education Foundation

One of the oldest foundations of its kind, the Carmel Education Foundation was created to help Carmel Clay students achieve their full potential. Since 1966, CEF has awarded over \$2.1 million in college scholarships to Carmel High School seniors



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Luca Kim and Grant Herrmann won the Jon Teuscher Memorial Scholarship, which was presented by Deb Teuscher.



Photo provided by Carmel Education Foundation
Austin Guo won the Joseph del Busto Memorials Scholarship.



Photo provided by Carmel Education Foundation
Kathleen Lemme won the Tadikonda Family Scholarship, which was presented by Venkata and Padmaja Tadikonda.

and over \$850,000 in education grants to inspire lifelong learning for Carmel Clay students. CEF is governed by a volunteer board of directors who give their time and en-

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

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

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TODAY: Carmel honors sacrifices of our veterans

The REPORTER

The City of Carmel will honor and remember those who paid the ultimate price in service to our country this morning at 9 a.m. at the Carmel Clay Veterans Memorial Plaza, 800 3rd Ave. SW, across from the Center for the Performing Arts. The Memorial Day Ceremony is free and open to the public.

Join Carmel City Councilor Jeff Worrell, American Legion Post 155, Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 10003,

keynote speaker Dennis Wimer, Director of the Indiana Department of Veterans Affairs and a variety of musical performances.

The rain location will be the Tarkington Theater at The Center for The Performing Arts, 3 Carter Green.

The City of Carmel's annual Memorial Day Ceremony is a special event to honor the sacrifices of all the brave military personnel who have served and thank them for all they have given us.

JOURNEY

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Before I begin, I want to thank the people and groups who helped make this story possible, starting with my husband, John, who has always stood by my side and supported me in this journey. Thank you to my friend and former coworker Michelle, who helped me get serious about my search and patiently notarized numerous documents.

Troy Dunn a.k.a. "the Locator" and his team deserve appreciation. They have reunited thousands of individuals with their family members and inspired people to conduct their own

successful searches — including my own.

Finally, I have to thank the Ohio Department of Health for opening up Ohio's adoption records in March of 2015 for those of us born between Jan. 1, 1964, and Sept. 18, 1996. They've added more options since then. I saw that Indiana did something similar in July of 2018. Other states have gradually been doing the same.

May even more states follow suit soon and help millions of people find the missing pieces of their life stories.

GLEANERS CEO

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Mayer noted that the leadership team currently in place was a consideration for the committee.

"The Board recognizes that Gleaners has a strong leadership team, dedicated employees, and an amazing network of organizations that have supported our Neighbors," Mayer said. "This appointment of Fred as the fourth CEO builds on the strength of the organization and brings another, talented leader into our fight against hunger and food insecurity."

Melissa Hill, Chief Human Resources and Administrative Officer, stated that the leadership team is excited to work with Glass.

"I think our entire team, from leadership throughout all areas of the organization, will be thrilled to have a leader of Fred's caliber step into this role," Hill said. "Over John's tenure, we've built a strong culture of collaboration and teamwork within the organization. I think Fred's focus on values-based leadership will help us achieve an even greater culture — one of excellence — at Gleaners and in the communities we serve."

Glass will be just the fourth President & CEO in Gleaners' 42-year history. The organization was founded by Pam Altmeyer. She was succeeded by Cynthia Hubert in 2010. John Elliott took over the helm in 2016 after serving on Gleaners' Board for four years.

Glass was unanimously recommended by the search committee and confirmed by the full Board. He will begin full-time work at Gleaners on Sept. 1, allowing for transition between him and Elliott.

About Gleaners Food Bank of Indiana, Inc.

Gleaners was founded in 1980 and is a respected leader within Feeding America, the nation's food bank network. Since that time, Gleaners has distributed more than 700 million pounds of food and critical grocery products through nearly 250 hunger relief agencies, schools and community partners serving needy Hoosiers. In addition to food distribution to agencies, Gleaners serves the area's most vulnerable populations, seniors and children, through specialty programs such as Gleaners2Go, Home Delivery, School-Based Pantries, Mobile Pantries, Summer Meals for Kids, and Senior Hunger Initiative programs. Charity Navigator has recognized Gleaners as a 4-Star organization, the highest rating for charity demonstrating fiscal management and accountability. In addition, Gleaners is an accredited charity with the Better Business Bureau and has earned a Platinum Seal of Transparency from GuideStar. To learn more, visit gleaners.org.

Thanks for reading!

Waterpark in Carmel opening this weekend

The REPORTER

The Waterpark in Carmel, located at 1195 Central Park Drive W., will open at 11 a.m. on Saturday, May 28. Splash into summer with fun for all ages and abilities on the FlowRider, AquaClimb, kiddie pool, lazy river, and adventure slides.

The Waterpark will open daily from 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. from May 28 to Aug. 7. Guests may purchase day passes in person at The Waterpark, which are \$15

for adults (ages 16 to 64) and \$12 for youth and seniors (ages 3 to 15 and 65 and over). Season passes are available in-person or online at carmelclayparks.com.

Want to enhance your experience at The Waterpark? Check out the 14 cabanas featuring a refreshed look with new furniture. Reserve your cabana online at carmelclayparks.com using your laptop, computer, or tablet. Additional information about cabana rentals

can be found at [this link](#).

Important info

- The Waterpark will operate at regular capacity without any COVID-related capacity restrictions.

- Lawn chairs will be available. As always, guests are welcome to bring their own seating.

- The public is encouraged to join The Waterpark Updates [Facebook group](#) to stay informed on the latest news and updates. This group will share informa-

tion on closures, capacity numbers, events, and more.

- All amenities will open this summer; however, lifeguard staffing could impact amenity availability. Carmel Clay Parks & Recreation values safety and strives to provide exceptional experiences. Lifeguard staffing numbers will be monitored closely to ensure a safe and enjoyable visit.

For more information about The Waterpark please visit carmelclayparks.com/the-waterpark.

Attorney General Todd Rokita seeks reconsideration on 9th Circuit decision on climate change policy

The REPORTER

Indiana Attorney General Todd Rokita is leading a national legal challenge in the effort to prevent some local government leaders from using state courts to impose climate change policy on Indiana and all other states.

On Tuesday, [Rokita filed a 15-state amicus brief](#) arguing that federal rather than state courts should hear common-law nuisance claims lodged against fossil fuel companies by several California

communities.

"It is absurd to enable a single state's judiciary to set policy on a global issue that affects all 50 states," Rokita said. "A California court's finding against the energy companies would require the companies to change the way they operate not just in California but everywhere in the world they do business."

Rokita also has led mul-



Rokita

tistate coalitions against similar efforts by other local governments — including in Maryland and New Jersey — to use their own state courts to impose climate change policies nationwide.

The U.S. Supreme Court has previously recognized that cases involving interstate emissions affect unique national interests that implicate the principle of federalism. Nonetheless, a panel of

the 9th Circuit U.S. Court of Appeals recently ruled that California courts applying California law must decide the claims.

Rokita's brief seeks a reconsideration of that decision by the full appellate court.

"Permitting 50 different state judiciaries to set global emissions standards would lead to utter chaos," Rokita said. "I will keep fighting for Hoosiers on this issue. We must preserve common sense, the rule of law and sound legal precedents."

Noblesville Lions Club

Pork Chop / Chicken Dinner

FRIDAY, June 3rd

Dinner
11:00AM to 8:00PM
Adult - \$10 (w/Ticket) \$12 (at Door)
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SATURDAY, June 4th

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Samuel Schmidt
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New Works performances will premiere in Carmel

Center's commission project supports local performing artists

The REPORTER

The three winning proposals from the Center for the Performing Arts' inaugural New Works commission project will premiere onstage Saturday, June 4, at the Tarkington in Carmel.

New Works, planned to be an annual program, is designed to promote and sustain Central Indiana's working artists and artistic communities – especially those from underrepresented groups – by supporting the creation of new works across all performing arts disciplines. Each winning proposal is receiving a \$2,500 cash award, technical support in adapting the performance for the stage, and onstage rehearsal time prior to the performance. The themes of the proposed works reflect the Center's organizational core values of integrity, excellence, innovation, collaboration and inclusion.

The performance at 8 p.m. on Saturday, June 4 will be followed by a talk-back session with the artists. Tickets are \$25, available at the Center's Fifth Third Bank Box Office, online at TheCenterPresents.org and by phone at (317) 843-3800. Livestreamed coverage of the event will be available free on the Center's website and social media channels.

The winning proposals selected by the judging panel are:

Women's Work

Callie Burk-Hartz and Alicia LaMagdeleine with Betty Rage Productions

This short play will explore the complexities women face as they navigate external and internal challenges in the workplace. Six actors – three younger and three older – will represent three characters at the begin-



Photos provided
(Top left) Zackary Herzig performs on the Cyr wheel. (Top right) Callie Burk-Hartz (left) and Alicia LaMagdeleine of Betty Rage Productions. (Bottom) Dancers from Kenyettá Dance Company.

ning and end of their careers in medicine, education and business, showing how their stories evolved over a 50-year span. Burk-Hartz and LaMagdeleine will write and direct the piece, which also will include musical accompaniment by guitarist Dave Pelsue.

Fly High

Monika Herzig Trio and Zackary Herzig

Award-winning jazz pianist-composer Monika Herzig and her son Zackary will create music and choreography inspired by the family's journey through Zackary's gender transition. Zackary, a recent graduate of the Circadium School of Contemporary Circus in Philadelphia, will design the costuming and perform to the live musical accompaniment on the Cyr wheel, a large metal hoop that the performer stands inside to

roll, spin and perform acrobatic moves.

A Place in Time

Nicholas A. Owens and Lalah Ayan Hazelwood with Kenyettá Dance Company

Under artistic directors Owens and Hazelwood, Kenyettá Dance Company presents work that sparks conversation around social, political and spiritual topics. This four-part piece will incorporate contemporary, modern, ballet and African dance, along with creative costuming, video projections and live and recorded music, to address systemic oppression with a message of hope and promise that empowers audiences.

New Works is supported by the Allen Whitehill Clowes Charitable Foundation and by Doug and Jayne Ann Wilson.

Sen. Young introduces bipartisan bill to help Americans build savings

The REPORTER

U.S. Senators Todd Young (R-Ind.) and Cory Booker (D-N.J.) on Wednesday introduced the Emergency Savings Act of 2022 to help Americans save for unexpected expenses without having to tap into their retirement accounts. The bill would facilitate convenient and affordable access to workplace emergency savings accounts, improving financial security and reducing retirement savings leakage.

According to a report by the Federal Reserve, almost half of Americans would struggle to cover an unexpected \$400 expense. A recent study found that, in the past year, almost 60 percent of retirement account participants who lack emergency savings tapped into their long-term retirement savings, compared to

only nine percent of those who had at least a month of emergency savings on hand.

The Emergency Savings Account Act of 2022 builds upon work by Senators Young and Booker to develop this concept over the last several years, including the [Strengthening Financial Security Through Short-Term Savings Accounts Act of 2021](#).

"We can't always predict the future, and too many Hoosier families encounter situations where they struggle to cover unexpected expenses through no fault of their own," Sen. Young said. "Unfortunately, this can cause families to dip into their retirement savings, which harms their financial



Young

future. Our bipartisan bill would help families create stable emergency savings for unforeseen expenses, while keeping retirement accounts intact for the future."

Separating emergency savings from one's retirement savings account will provide participants a better understanding that one account is for short-term emergency needs and the other is for long-term retirement savings, thus empowering employees to handle unexpected financial shocks without jeopardizing their long-term financial security in retirement through emergency hardship withdrawals.

[Click here](#) to read the full text of the bill.



Noblesville

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June 21st – June 24th
Mon-Thu mornings at Forest Park Aquatic Center and nights at Noblesville HS

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Mon-Thu mornings at Forest Park Aquatic Center

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This fine adoptable feline you see here, named Meowzers, has been at the Humane Society for Hamilton County (HSHC) for more than 160 days, and he's noticed a few things that the animals need.

The most urgent needs include items such as foam soap dispenser refills, kitten formula, peanut butter, dog toys, plastic storage bins, and pet waste bags.

HSHC maintains an Amazon Wish List, which you can view at [this link](#).



Meowzers

Meeting Notice

The Jackson Township Board will hold a regular public meeting at 10 a.m. on Thursday, June 2, 2022, at the Jackson Township Trustee's Office, 506 W. Main St., Arcadia.

Send Meeting Notices to:

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— WESTFIELD —

NOTICE OF REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS

Notice is hereby given that Westfield Washington Schools ("School"), is requesting proposals from qualified organizations to conduct a programmatic facility study ("Project").

The proposals will be received until June 20, 2022, at 1:00 p.m. (EST) Proposals must be delivered via Brian Tomamichel, Westfield Washington Schools, 1143 E 181st Street, Westfield, IN 46074 and tomamichelb@wws.k12.in.us. All proposals received after such time will not be considered and returned to the respective submitter unopened.

Discussions may be conducted with, and best and final offers obtained from, responsible offerors who submit proposals determined to be reasonably susceptible of being selected for award. Following evaluation of best and final offers, School may select for final contract negotiations/execution the offers which are most advantageous to School, considering price and the evaluation factors in the Request for Proposals ("RFP Documents").

Contracts may be made with more than one offeror whose proposals are determined to be advantageous to School, taking into consideration price and other evaluation factors set forth in the RFP Documents. The factors and criteria that will be used in evaluating the proposals and the relative importance of price and the other evaluation factors are set forth in the RFP Documents. The proposals must be submitted according to the requirements outlined in the RFP Documents and properly executed.

The RFP Documents for the Project are on file with School and may also be examined at <https://www.wws.k12.in.us/Page/1002>

All offerors must comply with applicable laws and requirements outlined in the RFP Documents. Offerors must also be able to meet all requirements found in applicable federal procurement (e.g. 2 CFR§ 200; 48 CFR § 52), public purchasing (e.g. Ind. Code § 5-22), and public contract statutes.

Prior to approval and execution of School's contract(s), the responsible offeror who submits proposals determined to be reasonably susceptible of being selected for award must furnish satisfactory evidence showing evidence of financial responsibility, and it can faithfully perform the contract, timely delivery, and all obligations arising hereunder.

School expects to award the contract(s) for the Project at its July 12, 2022 Board meeting to the responsible offeror(s) whose proposal is determined in writing to be the most advantageous to School, taking into consideration price and the other evaluation factors set forth in the RFP Documents. School reserves the right to hold proposals, including any alternates, for up to 60 days from the date of the opening. School reserves in its sole discretion the right to cancel the solicitation, reject any and all proposals in whole or part, delay the opening, ask for new proposals, is not obligated to accept the lowest or any other proposal, and may waive any irregularities, discrepancies, omissions, variances or informalities in the request for proposal procedure.

Questions regarding the contract(s) or requests for fair and equal treatment, can be directed in writing to: Brian Tomamichel, Westfield Washington Schools, 1143 E 181st Street, Westfield, IN 46074 and tomamichelb@wws.k12.in.us

R744 5/20/22, 5/23/22, 5/27/22, 5/30/22

PUBLIC NOTICE

Please be advised that the Westfield-Washington Township Advisory Plan Commission will meet at 7:00 p.m., Monday, June 6, 2022, at Westfield City Hall, 130 Penn Street, Westfield, Indiana, or in a virtual format viewable at <https://www.youtube.com/user/CityofWestfieldIN>, for the purposes of holding a public hearing and reviewing and acting on the following petitions:

- 2206-ODP-05 & 2206-SPP-05: Midtown at Westfield; Northwest corner of 191st Street & East Street; Henke Development Group by Weihe Engineers requests Overall Development Plan and Primary Plat approval for three (3) Lots and two (2) Blocks on 37.78 acres +/- in the Midtown at Westfield PUD District.
- 2206-ODP-06 & 2206-SPP-06: Springwater; East side of Westfield Blvd/Union Street, North of 161st Street; Apollo Developers, LLC by HWC Engineering requests Overall Development Plan and Primary Plat approval for 90 Single-family Attached residential Lots on 50.5 acres +/- in the Springwater PUD District.
- 2206-PUD-11; Towne Road Crossing PUD Amendment I; South of SR 32, west of Little Eagle Creek Avenue; H&H Stables, LLC by Nelson & Frankenberger, LLC requests an amendment to the Towne Road Crossing PUD to permit an Equestrian Facility and a maximum of thirty (30) residential Lots on 69 acres +/- in the Towne Road Crossing PUD District.
- 2206-PUD-12; Andover PUD Amendment - Parcel "I" Daycare; East Side of Grassy Branch Rd., Approx. 200 feet south of Mere Blvd.; NVS Properties 20, LLC by Murphy Real Estate Services requests an amendment to the Development and Architectural Standards of Parcel I of the Andover PUD District.

Specific details regarding the requests may be obtained from the Westfield Community Development Department, 2728 East 171st Street, Westfield, Indiana 46074 or by calling (317) 804-3170.

Written suggestions or objections relative to the requests may be filed with the Secretary of the Commission at the Westfield Community Development Department, 2728 East 171st Street, Westfield, Indiana 46074 at or before the hearing will be considered. Oral comments concerning the proposals will be heard at the aforementioned public hearing. In the case of a virtual meeting, written comments concerning the proposals can be provided before and during the aforementioned public hearing by emailing planners@westfield.in.gov. Such hearing may be continued from time to time as may be found necessary.

Westfield-Washington Township Advisory Plan Commission
Westfield Community Development Department
2728 East 171st Street, Westfield, Indiana 46074
www.westfield.in.gov

R775 5/27/22, 5/30/22

— NOBLESVILLE —

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS OF ADDITIONAL APPROPRIATION

Notice is hereby given to the taxpayers of Noblesville Schools, Hamilton County, Indiana, that the proper fiscal body will consider the following additional appropriation in excess of the budget for the current year at the location of the Education Services Center, 18025 River Road, Noblesville, IN 46062 at six o'clock p.m., on the 8th day of June 2022.

Fund Name: Operations Fund	AMOUNT
Major Budget Classification:	
Personal Services	\$ _____
Supplies	\$ _____
Other Services & Charges	\$279,000
Township Assistance	\$ _____
Debt Service	\$ _____
Capital Outlays	\$628,943
TOTAL for Operations Fund:	\$907,943

Taxpayers appearing at the meeting shall have a right to be heard. The additional appropriation(s) as finally made will be referred to the Department of Local Government Finance (Department). The Department will make a written determination as to the sufficiency of funds to support the appropriation(s) within fifteen (15) days of receipt of a Certified Copy of the action taken.

Dated: May 27, 2022

David Hortemiller
(Fiscal Officer)
5/27/22, 5/30/22

R761

— SHERIDAN —

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Sheridan Metropolitan Police Commissioners will be meeting on Tuesday, May 31, 2022, at 4:30 pm at the Sheridan Community Center located at 300 East 6th Street, Sheridan, IN 46069.

Elizabeth A. Walden, IAMC, CMO, CMC
Clerk-Treasurer Town of Sheridan

R764 5/27/22, 5/30/22

Indy 500 fans can get closer than ever to race day action

Verizon 5G gives fans multiple real-time camera angles

The REPORTER

The 106th Indianapolis 500 takes place this Sunday, May 29 at the iconic Indianapolis Motor Speedway (IMS) – which happens to be the largest sports venue with Verizon 5G Ultra Wideband.

For the more than 300,000 people expected to attend, Verizon 5G Ultra Wideband will power a transformative experience in and around the Racing Capital of the World. For fans at IMS with a 5G-capable device, Verizon 5G Multi-View will offer them up to seven unique, live camera angles in high definition, including the live NBC broadcast. They get to pick their best view of the action, so they can all have the best seat in the house.

"With 5G Ultra Wideband's massive capacity, low latency and super-fast speeds, we're giving racing fans new immersive experiences that will let them per-

sonalize how they're watching the race whether they're at the track or at home," said Srini Kalapala, Senior Vice President of Verizon Technology and Product Development. "Verizon 5G Ultra Wideband has the area covered so attendees can stream, tweet, and share their experiences quickly and reliably. In fact, in all of Indianapolis, 52 percent of Verizon's network traffic is on 5G Ultra Wideband."

"Verizon's 5G Ultra Wideband network is providing fans at IMS and around the country a first-person and immersive content experience at this year's Indy 500," said Jonathan Gibson, Executive Vice President at Penske Corp. "Once again, Verizon's reliable and industry-leading technology is powering innovation on the biggest stage at the Racing Capital of the World and beyond."

Verizon 5G Multi-View, available on the official IN-

DYCAR App, lets fans at the track customize their viewing experience in real-time. With seven different live camera angles, fans with a 5G device can toggle between the action in the pit to see who's in the lead coming out of the first turn. So whenever they are connected in the grandstands, they'll never miss a moment of the action even if they leave their seat to grab a drink. Fans using 5G Multi-View on Verizon 5G Ultra Wideband can have a truly exceptional experience, letting them curate their own personal experience in real-time.

Fans at home can also be transported into the center of the action during the live race with an Augmented Reality (AR) portal powered by 5G called Verizon's 5G Ultra Pass. The AR portal offers an immersive second screen experience bringing them onto the track and into the pit. When they visit [verizon.com/5gportal](#), they'll

enter the portal giving them 360-degree views from IMS with exclusive camera positions. Fans can control their view, choose their favorite angles or perspectives, and get a unique, front row-style, viewing experience from the comfort of their own home.

With the return of a traditional in-person Public Drivers' Meeting this year, BlueJeans by Verizon will once again be used to stream the live event. All 33 NTT INDYCAR SERIES drivers who have qualified for the race will participate in the meeting, which takes place at 10:30 a.m. on Saturday, May 28. Fans can join the action by visiting [indycar.com/500drivers-meeting](#) or on Twitter at [@BlueJeansNet](#).

Verizon's super-fast 5G Ultra Wideband provides a broadband-like connection in more than 75 stadiums and arenas and to over 1,700 cities around the country. [Click here](#) to learn more.



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Jerry Gardner

October 6, 1940 – May 24, 2022

Jerry Gardner, 81, Westfield, passed away on Tuesday, May 24, 2022, at Riverview Health in Noblesville. He was born on October 6, 1940, to George and Lelia (Essex) Gardner in Lebanon, Ind.

Jerry proudly served in the United States Marines. He graduated from Westfield High School in 1958 and was very involved with FFA in his younger years. Jerry was a member of Venture Christian Church and attended Community Bible Fellowship. He worked for Western Electric as a pipe fitter and also spent time farming. Jerry enjoyed being outside, taking care of his property, and going to coffee with his friends. He loved attending and supporting his grandchildren at their sporting events.

He is survived by his wife of 61 years, Patricia Gardner; daughters, Wendy (Mark) Pickett and Kerri (Steve) Brown; son, Gary (Gretchen) Gardner; grandchildren, Whitney (Ryan) Robinette, Ian Pickett, Madison Pickett, Ashley (Andrew) Wozniowski, Kelsey Brown, Lindsey Brown, and Evan (Maxie) Gardner; sister, Becky Mike-sell; great-grandchildren, Jackson Wozniowski and Valerie Gardner; step-grandchildren, Rudi Willock, Abi Willock, and Macey Davis; and step-great-grandchildren, Blake Thompson.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by two brothers; two sisters; and great-grandchild, Emma Wozniowski.

Visitation will be from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. on Tuesday, May 31, 2022, at Randall & Roberts Funeral Center, 1685 Westfield Road, Noblesville. A graveside service will be held at 2:30 p.m. on Tuesday, May 31, 2022, at Eagle Creek Cemetery, 15812 Little Eagle Creek Ave., Westfield.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Wounded Warrior Project, P.O. Box 758516, Topeka, KS 66675 (support.woundedwarriorproject.org), or Ronald McDonald House of Indiana, 435 Limestone St., Indianapolis, IN 46202 (rmhccin.org).

Condolences: randallroberts.com

Stanley William Fitzgerald

November 11, 1951 – May 16, 2022

Stanley William Fitzgerald (Stan), 70, passed away on Monday, May 16, 2022, at his home with his family and friends by his side. Stanley was born on November 11, 1951, in Indianapolis to Joseph D. and Ruth E. (Hughes) Fitzgerald who preceded him in death. Stanley attended St. Andrew Catholic School, Seccina High School in Indianapolis, and Carmel High School Class of 1969.

Stanley is survived by his fiancée, Linda Schneider; his two children, Shayre Rivotto and Bryce Fitzgerald; and his four grandchildren, Nicholas, Trai, Mason, and Maxwell. Stanley deeply loved and influenced his family and everyone who was close to him.

Stanley began his career with Indiana Bell in 1970, which later became AT&T, where he continued working for over 40 years and eventually retired. He was a deeply religious Christian and lovingly passed his faith on to others. His faith supported him throughout his life, which he experienced to the fullest.

Stanley loved the outdoors and was an avid hunter, boater, photographer, and traveler. He earned his pilot's license in the 1980s and spent many summers flying and attending air shows. After retirement he loved spending time on his boat in New Buffalo, Mich., where he had many friends. He was also a proud member of the United States Coast Guard Auxiliary where he volunteered many hours to help keep the waters safe. He loved his country and was a true patriot.

Chandler Funeral Home of Ellettsville, Ind., is assisting the family with arrangements. A memorial service will be held on Saturday, June 4, 2022, to celebrate the life of Stanley. Share condolences, memories and more with Stanley's family by visiting his tribute page at chandlerfh.com.

Thanks for reading!

TODAY'S BIBLE READING

Therefore let us move beyond the elementary teachings about Christ and be taken forward to maturity, not laying again the foundation of repentance from acts that lead to death, and of faith in God, instruction about cleansing rites, the laying on of hands, the resurrection of the dead, and eternal judgment. And God permitting, we will do so.

It is impossible for those who have once been enlightened, who have tasted the heavenly gift, who have shared in the Holy Spirit, who have tasted the goodness of the word of God and the powers of the coming age and who have fallen away, to be brought back to repentance. To their loss they are crucifying the Son of God all over again and subjecting him to public disgrace. Land that drinks in the rain often falling on it and that produces a crop useful to those for whom it is farmed receives the blessing of God. But land that produces thorns and thistles is worthless and is in danger of being cursed. In the end it will be burned.

Hebrews 6:1-8 (NIV)



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Will resume Saturday afternoon at Lafayette Jeff . . .

Boys track regional halted by storms

The runners at Thursday's Lafayette Jefferson boys track and field regional were already off to a super fast start during the first event of what was supposed to be an exciting night of competition.

But the weather took over the track. Rain, lightning and nearby tornado warnings forced the meet to pause a couple times, then to finally be postponed once a solid line of storms moved in. The track regional at Lafayette Jeff will resume at 5 p.m. Saturday afternoon.

Two events were completed before the meet was halted. The first was the 4x800 relay, which was an outrageously fast event. The top seven teams all finished under the state standard of 7 minutes, 58.67 seconds, which means all seven teams qualify for the state finals, which take place June 4 at Indiana University in Bloomington.

Fishers won the 4x800, with the team of Matthew Kim, Colin Simons, Alec Foster and Keefer Soehngen, clocking in at 7:48.70. Zionsville was the runner-up at 7:51.15, while Noblesville's squad of Noah Bushong, Alec Moor, Luke Shinneman and Jack Strong took third in 7:51.70.

Normally only the top three teams advance from regional to state, but this was not a normal race. Fourth-place Hamilton Southeastern's team of Nolan Satterfield, Ian Ross, Noah Anderson and Bennett DuBois finished in 7:53.06, over five seconds ahead of the standard. The Carmel group of Charlie Leedke,

Drew Grogan, Thomas Biltimier and Connor Heagy was fifth in 7:53.50, easily besting the standard as well. Brownsburg took sixth in 7:54.08, while Avon was seventh, finishing in 7:57.30.

Westfield's 4x800 team of Josh Barnett, Sam Hinds, Owen Flynn and Charles Naas placed ninth in 8:02.74.

The other event run to completion was the discus. Carmel's Nolan Ring placed third with a best toss of 159 feet, 7 inches, qualifying him for state.

Hamilton Heights' Colin Wilson was fourth (158-0), followed by Southeastern's Jackson Constantine in sixth place (155-0). The Royals' Spencer Lotz placed 14th (137-11).

Meanwhile, the three running events to have time trials all got those preliminary events completed. Carmel's James Philpott and Southeastern's Mason Alexander qualified for the final of the 100 dash. Philpott also reached the final in the 200 dash, along with Fishers' Dawson Scally. Three county athletes made the final of the 110 hurdles: Fishers' Tyler Tarter, Southeastern's Will Gerig and Carmel's Adom Quist.

Three more county athletes are in the finals of the long jump. Southeastern's Lamine Sall is the leader so far, and has already qualified for state: His best jump of 22 feet, 5.75 inches beat the state standard by three inches. The Royals' Michael Griffith and Carmel's Christian Peterson also reached the finals.



Carmel's James Philpott (left) qualified for the finals of the 100 and 200 dashes at the Lafayette Jefferson boys track and field regional on Thursday. The tournament was halted by storms and will resume on Saturday afternoon.

CALLBACKS FOR GIRLS STATE

As expected, a number of Hamilton County girls track and field athletes received callbacks to the state meet, which will take place next Friday, June 3 at IU-Bloomington.

Hamilton Southeastern's Jocelyn Davis got a callback in the 200 dash, as did Elizabeth Butler in the 1600 run and Regan Wans in the 400 dash.

Carmel's Olivia Mundt and Jamie Klavon both got callbacks in the 1600, with Jasmine Klopstad re-

ceiving one in the 800 run. Westfield's Liz Smith got a callback in the 3200 run, as did Noblesville's Brooke Lahee.

The Shamrocks' Princess Campbell received a callback in the 100 dash. The Millers' 4x400 team earned a callback as well. Southeastern's Ella Wilhelm and Noblesville's Laina Lillge both received callbacks in the pole vault.

Here is a complete list of state qualifiers from Hamilton County.

4x800 relay: Carmel, Noblesville, Fishers, Hamilton Southeastern.
100 hurdles: Ally Elsbury (HSE), Kiana Siefert

(N).
100 dash: Ella Scally (F), Princess Campbell (Westfield).
1600 run: Bridget Gallagher (Guerin Catholic), Paige Hazelrigg (N), Olivia Mundt (C), Jamie Klavon (C), Elizabeth Butler (HSE).
4x100 relay: Hamilton Southeastern, Carmel.
400 dash: Olivia Cebalo (C), Cambell Wamsley (C), Regan Wans (HSE).
300 hurdles: Siefert (N), Elia Blackmore (HSE), Elsbury (HSE).
800 run: Summer Rempe (N), Vera Schafer (F), Brinkley Cooper (N), Jasmine Klopstad (C).
200 dash: Scally (F),

Jocelyn Davis (HSE).
3200 run: Gallagher (GC), Alivia Romanuk (C), Maggie Powers (HSE), Liz Smith (W), Brooke Lahee (N).
4x400 relay: Carmel, Hamilton Southeastern, Noblesville.
High jump: Malina Miller (N), Kelsey Smith (Hamilton Heights), Rylee Hassan (N).
Long jump: Scally (F), Siefert (N), Elsbury (HSE).
Discus: Taylor Reagor (C), Hannah Alexander (N), Rosiebella Fiabema (HSE).
Shot put: Alexander (N).
Pole vault: Ella Wilhelm (HSE), Laina Lillge (N).

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Fishers' Tyler Tarter qualified for the finals in the 100 hurdles.

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Indianapolis 500 presented by Gainbridge fans encouraged to arrive early, 'plan ahead' with IMS.com

As the largest crowd since 2016 plans to gather at the Indianapolis Motor Speedway for the 106th Running of the Indianapolis 500 presented by Gainbridge on Sunday, May 29, fans should plan ahead and arrive early.

Fewer than 10,000 grandstand seats remain unsold for this year's Indy 500. With more than 325,000 race fans returning to the Racing Capital of the World for the first time since the start of the COVID-19 pandemic, to ensure a smooth entry into the facility fans are encouraged to arrive earlier than usual, even as early as 6 a.m. when gates open. This is the best way to ensure a smooth and quicker entry into the facility with time to visit activations and be in seats for the green flag.

"Ticket sales for the Indianapolis 500 continue to ride a surge of momentum as fans realize they can't miss the full return of 'The Greatest Spectacle in Racing,'" IMS President J. Douglas Boles said. "With one of the largest crowds in history, we know Race Day will be fantastic.

"With the expected crowd, it's important for fans to arrive as early as possible with plenty of time to park and patiently make their way in through the gates. The earlier you can arrive, the better. There's no shortage of things to do at the track, even several hours before the green flag. I hope everyone will treat this like the 100th Running and come out in the early morning hours ready



for an epic day."

Race fans coming "Back Home Again" are encouraged to "Plan Ahead" through IMS.com/PlanAhead, an interactive web page that serves as a home base for fans headed to the track this weekend.

The "Plan Ahead" page features detailed information about the entire fan experience at IMS, including directions, parking, schedule, gate regulations, digital ticket

guide, ADA accessibility and much more.

Race fans are encouraged to download the IMS App and use brand new technology from NTT INDYCAR SERIES title sponsor NTT and its Smart Solutions platform, which will update the IMS App every 30 seconds with wait time information at each gate to allow race fans smoother entry into the facility.

IMS is offering a whole morning of thrills and entertainment for ticketholders looking to beat traffic and avoid longer lines by coming to the track early. Gates open at 6 a.m. following the traditional infield blast.

Many enjoyable opportunities are available to fans right as the gates open or shortly after, including:

Indianapolis Motor Speedway Museum Open at 6 a.m.

Located inside Gate 2 of the Indianapolis Motor Speedway, the Museum will be open from 6 a.m. to 4 p.m. Admission is \$15 for adults, \$14 for guests over the age of 62 and \$8 for guests ages 6-15. Children 5 and under and Museum members are free.

Race fans can walk to the IMS Museum from the Speedway's infield, and a free shuttle will run between the IMS Museum and tram stops located at 6th and Hulman and Tunnel 10. Pedestrians on the south end of the racetrack can access the IMS Museum via Gate 2.

Exhibits at the Museum this year include "Traditions," which offers a unique look at the iconic moments that lead up to the Indianapolis 500, as well as "Roadsters to Records" that allows race fans to experience the 12 years that revolutionized the Indy 500.

Enhanced Midway Experience Open at 6 a.m.

This year's fan Midway features several exciting attractions, including the INDYCAR Rookie Zone for kids, the action-packed Chevy stage and more.

Shopping and Food

Exclusive and commemorative 106th Running attire will go fast, so don't miss out! Grab breakfast at one of the many concession stands open all throughout the facility, and then shop for family and friends while supplies last. Retail and food options are available at 6 a.m.

Cashless Operations

All IMS concession stands and merchandise locations are cashless this year. Tap-to-pay phone payments will be accepted, as will credit and debit transactions. Cash-to-Card machines, which convert paper money onto a temporary debit card, will be located throughout the facility. These funds can be spent inside the venue, outside the venue, online or anywhere in the world where Mastercard/Visa debit cards are accepted.

Cash is accepted at gates and ticket remotes for ticket sales.

Cooling/Water Stations

With sunny skies and temperatures expected to be in the mid-80s on Race Day, IMS will have cooling buses located near the IMS Museum, outside Turns 1 and 4, and near the Turn 4 parking lot in the IMS infield. There will also be six water bottle filling stations located throughout the facility on Race Day in each of the four turns, as well as in Pagoda Plaza and behind Tower Terrace.

Borg-Warner Trophy March to the Yard of Bricks at 8 a.m.

The iconic Borg-Warner Trophy will begin an epic march to the Yard of Bricks at 8 a.m. from the basement doors of the IMS Museum. Line up outside the Museum for

a chance to see the Trophy – escorted by the Gordon Pipers – begin its journey. From the IMS Museum, the Borg-Warner Trophy will head toward the South Pit Gate, Pagoda Plaza and IMS Midway before reaching the famed Yard of Bricks.

Caesars Sportsbook Lounge at Pagoda Plaza

Don't miss the opportunity to place your bets for the 106th Running of the Indianapolis 500 presented by Gainbridge by visiting the all-new Caesars Sportsbook Lounge at Pagoda Plaza. As the Official Sports Betting Partner of the Indy 500 and IMS, this lounge will provide Caesars Sportsbook app users with an elevated viewing experience with complimentary food and drink, live entertainment and racing games to go along with branded giveaways. In celebration of the 106th Running, Caesars Sportsbook will offer new customers an exciting promotion: download the Caesars Sportsbook app and make a first-time deposit of \$20 to receive \$106 in free bets along with entry into the Caesars Sportsbook Lounge at Pagoda Plaza.

Epic Pre-Race, Be in Your Seat for It!

This year's pre-race festivities for the Indianapolis 500 are a carefully organized and choreographed show that will entertain race fans at any moment they are in their seats. It will feature two fantastic flyovers, military tributes, a DJ on the Pagoda 3 stage, former Indy 500 winner and historic race car laps around the famed 2.5-mile oval, the heartfelt singing of "Back Home Again in Indiana" by Jim Cornelson, the national anthem sung by Broadway star Jordan Fisher, blockbuster actor Miles Teller waving the green flag to start "The Greatest Spectacle in Racing" and so much more.

Additionally, all Speedway patrons should be aware of the following facility information and regulations to ensure a successful day at the track:

Public Parking

Parking for the Indianapolis 500 is sold out, including ADA and motorcycle parking. All IMS exterior parking lots open at 5 a.m. on Race Morning, while interior lots open at 6 a.m.

Bike to the 500 and Bike Parking

IMS and Bike Indianapolis have collaborated to offer race fans a safe and healthy way to commute to the track on Race Day. The commute starts at the AMP at 16 Tech and follows a police escort to the racetrack, where cyclists will then park outside the famed Gate 1. Race fans can register for Bike to the 500 here.

Bike parking is available for all cyclists at Gates 1, 6 and 9.

Rideshare Location

Race fans who are not planning to park at the racetrack should consider using a rideshare program, such as Uber or Lyft, when traveling to or from the facility on Indianapolis 500 Race Day. Guests using rideshare services like Uber, Lyft or taxis will be dropped off at the corner of 10th & Polco Streets. Guests also will be picked up at this location after the race. IMS also offers a Race Day round-trip shuttle service that provides a stress-free trip to the Indianapolis 500. Shuttle services pick up and drop off from the Indianapolis International Airport or at Gate Ten Events and Parking, located across the street from Lucas Oil Stadium. Those riding the shuttle will be dropped off

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