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Noblesville Elks fill Fox Prairie with record number of golfers



Reporter photo by Stu Clampitt

The Noblesville Elks' 36th annual golf outing benefiting cancer research was a bigger success than anticipated. The event was held Saturday morning at Fox Prairie Golf Course, 8465 E. 196th St., Noblesville. The largest fundraiser to date had 50 teams of four golfers each and began with an 8 a.m. shotgun start. So many people signed up that the Elks had to rent an extra nine holes, thus taking the entire 27-hole facility. See more photos online at ReadTheReporter.com.

Carmel PD expansion now underway

The REPORTER

The City of Carmel officially broke ground on a new building project that will provide an expanded Carmel Police Department headquarters and a new home for the Carmel City Court and Clerk's Office. City Council President Kevin Rider was joined by Envoy Construction's Rich Taylor, Police Chief Jim Barlow and



Finding goodness

I love your voice You have led me through the fire *In the darkest night*

You are close like no other I've known you as a

Father I've known you as a

Friend And I have lived in



the goodness of God. (Bethel Music)

There is just something about a worship song that is a balm to my weary soul.

On Wednesday evening, as I sat in the ninth pew of the Anderson First Church of the Nazarene, I heard music my soul needed to hear.

When the song "The Goodness of God" was sung, I admit ... the tears fell. That song has hugged my heart since the first time I heard it.

Why?

Because I know the goodness of God.

It was a wait of 58 years to find the love of my life. Many mornings, my husband, Chuck, fixes my coffee with just the right amount of sweet cream. I watch as he goes out to the birdfeeders. He fills them with birdseed so I can sit at our kitchen table and watch the redbirds come and greet us. He knows how I like my coffee and he knows my love of redbirds. He also knows if he doesn't go out there, I will ... in my pajamas.

We go for our Sunday afternoon drives. I rest my hand on the gearshift. He gently places his hand on mine. Without any words being said ... I know I am loved.

I never want to be so busy that I fail to see the goodness of God.

I never want to take for granted the love Chuck and I share. It's in the simple moments and in the small gestures where love is found. It's not ever hiding; it's just taking the time to see it ... and appreciate it.

Chuck knows my love language is words of affirmation. I tell him, "Forget giving me the fancy gifts. Just tell me I make the best homemade chocolate pie. Tell me I don't look 66. Tell me you appreciate how I fold the laundry."

Judge Brian Poindexter at the groundbreaking on Thursday.

The project, located on South Range Line Road and Gradle Drive, will help meet the pressures of the ever-growing city for generations to come. This renovation and building addition will effectively triple the original capacity of the existing structure and provide space for future growth.

"I want to thank the Mayor, Council and all those who worked hard to get this project going," said Kevin "Woody" Rider, City Council President. "This building behind me was built in 1988 when our population was 18,000 to 40,000 people. Today we are at more than 100,000 and the new building will serve our residents today and for the next 50 years."

Photo provided by City of Carmel

(From left) Director of Administration Jim Crider, Carmel Police Chief Jim Barlow, City Council President Kevin "Woody" Rider, Judge Brian Poindexter, City Councilor Jeff Worrell, and City Councilor Laura Campbell break ground Thursday on the Carmel Police Department HQ expansion. The new building will also serve as the home of the City Court and Clerk.

part of this important project addition to the east end of the buildings. to support one of the top law existing police station, as well enforcement agencies and as renovation of significant clude lockers, tactical training city court systems in the state portions of the existing buildof Indiana," said Rich Taylor ing. It also includes a one-stoof Envoy Companies. "This ry addition on the north side of project will deliver cutting the existing building, the inedge technology and space filling of a small courtyard, a for officers and staff members mezzanine/mechanical equipof all the departments while ment level above the third stowill proudly call this their ry of the addition, a vehicular home office."

garage on the ground floor existing building to improve The project involves con- and a partial second level con- functionality in staff areas.

"Envoy is honored to be a struction of a new three-story necting the new and existing

The ground floor will inareas and related staff functions. The main level includes a new east public entrance, a large training room and administrative space. The third level will include a courtroom and related functions in the addition, with renovations in the



Photo provided

Sheridan's own Kathy Bell in costume as her character "Ma Bell."

The man behind Westfield's new old cabin

By STU CLAMPITT news@readthereporter.com

Mike Bailey is the man hired by the Westfield Washington Historical Society & Museum to rebuild the historic cabin in downtown Westfield at 136 Penn St., near City Hall.

The Reporter sat down with Bailey to talk about the cabin, his interesting life, and how you can help see this project to completion.

"Jim and Diane Peyton and the Historical Society saved the cabin about four years ago," Bailey told The Reporter. "They had some volunteers take it down. They sorted it. At the time they were about to start they had already raised significant funds in tandem with the city."

According to the Historical Society, this cabin was built by Nicholas Barker about 1835. He was a member of the Quaker Meeting of Friends, and Historical Society members are convinced he was involved in the Underground Railroad. This 22-by-20-foot cabin has 23 to 25 inches tall. some extra special hand-planed wooden beams that are more me because I purchased some That was a full two-story cabfinely crafted than most cabins of the day. It is a one room cabin



Reporter photo by Stu Clampitt

Mike Bailey stands in the entrance to the as-yet-unfinished cabin in Westfield.

with a huge fireplace. Some of "They called me. I just hapthe native hand-hewn logs are pened to be in Kokomo build-

products from Perma-Chink in Noblesville," Bailey said.

ing an 1830 log cabin for their "The Peytons heard about outdoor learning program. in, bigger than the one we're doing out here. I came and

met with the historical society, but I was booked for five years, which is not uncommon in my business. That was two years ago."

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Meet Ma Bell ... and **Sheridan's Kathy Bell**

By STU CLAMPITT

news@readthereporter.com

Sheridan's own Kathy Bell may be one of the best kept secrets in Hamilton County. She is a singer, songwriter and karaoke DJ whose accolades include two singles that have been downloaded enough to qualify as platinum.

Kathy Bell was born and raised in Indiana. She began singing and playing the piano at the age of 10.

"I began playing in Sheridan where my grandfather was a preacher for 57 years at the Church of God," Bell told The Reporter. "I went on to band where I played flute and eventually played the big bass drum in band."

Growing up, Kathy joined "The Parsons Family Band" as well as the "Spiritual Praise Band." It was there that she played the keyboard and sang harmony.

While music has always been a part of her life, Bell said her real dream was to be on stage.

"I always had a desire in my heart to perform and entertain, but I was a little scared and I listened to a lot of the wrong people saying, 'You're not good enough,"" Bell said. "One day a friend believed in me enough. I had gone through a lot of sickness and when I wrote my first song I was considering checking out. I was starting to write a note about how I was done with

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Kathy Bell



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Chuck has learned to appreciate the life, and that's where my motto words I make up when I tell a story. He says, "Honey, you know that's not a word." I wink at him and say, "Well, it is now." Then we laugh. Oh, the blessing of laughter.

Life is hard, but it is softer when you have someone to share the burdens, hurts, and disappointments. The moments of celebration are sweeter when you have someone to celebrate with. Even vintage people like us know how to "high five" each other.

Often, while cruising the back roads of Hamilton County, we listen to the music of the 70s. You know, when music was listenable. (I know, it's not a word.) A sweet love song comes on. I know the words. Chuck knows the words. But most of all ... we know the love. It's not just our voices that sing, but our hearts. We look at each other and say, "Have I told you lately?"

All this is so schmaltzy, but it is how I write. It is who I am. Just an older lady who has been through enough stuff to appreciate all the goodness in my life.

It was nine years ago this week, while her into entering a DJ competisitting in the waiting room where I worked, that Chuck asked me, "If you're not seeing anyone, would you want to go to lunch?" I sure am glad he asked that question. I'm even more glad that I said, "Yes." I sure "waited" a long time for him.

And yes, as the words in the song "The confidence to pursue her dreams Goodness of God" say ...

With every breath that I am able *Oh, I will sing of the goodness of God.*

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'Never too old to dream,' came Bell to singer, songwriter, profrom."

those who are afraid to chase written several songs. They their dreams.

After years of illness, she finally gained her health back and started going to "Song Fest" in Nashville, Tenn. There she met many songwriters and sang their songs and was inspired to start writing her own.

She said she be-

and give it all she had to see her dreams come true. She realizes she began late in life, but that does not deter her motivation and drive. Bell said an old friend talked

tion in which costumes were a component of the performance. She said she realized people were looking at the costume - the character - rather than at her, and that helped her build the of performing.

With some lessons and help her first DJ system. It was then and other venues. that Kattin Round Mobile DJ and Karaoke services was born. "Kattin Round Music" is

now a popular DJ service.

Later, someone introduced ducer and sound engineer Bob Bell now tries to inspire McGilpin, with whom she has

have two platinum recordings, "America She's Cryin'" and "Freedom Truckers." Bell primarily performs in character as

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"Ma Bell." "I tend to talk about us as two separate people because when I'm in costume I never know

came determined to work hard what that person's going to do," Bell said. "I never know what I'm going to do when I'm in costume. But my goals then are always to bring the audience in to have fun with me. I like to involve them and not just treat them like has written or sang are: a crowd, but to make them a part of whatever I'm doing. As an example, I may go out and dance with them."

Ma Bell sings cover songs as well as songs written by Kathy Bell. While performing she may sing country, rock n roll, or gospel. Ma Bell has performed at from her friend, Bell purchased live radio shows, fundraisers

> Kathy Bell continues to Bell write and record in Nashville, Tenn. She is now working on Platinum single with airplay exseveral new songs she has writ-



Photo provided

Bell's friend and creative partner Bob McGilpin, who is a singer, songwriter, producer and sound engineer.

ten and will be back in the re- Bob McGilpin cording studio soon.

• "Oh, What A Friend"

• "Fishing Blues (Ma Bell's theme song)'

• "Break the Ice"

Care" – co-written with Danny Hardin

• "Talking to the Wind" written by Amy Bell

• "Tobakki Barn" – written by Bob McGilpin and Kathy

• "America She's Cryin" – a press written by Kathy Bell and ingblues.

• "Freedom Truckers" -Some songs that Kathy Bell written by Bob McGilpin and

Kathy Bell and dedicated to the Freedom Truckers Convoy. It is available on Amazon, Spotify, iTunes, CD Baby and YouTube.

Bell said she has accom-• "I Don't Know and I Don't plished more in her musical career than she ever thought possible. She told The Reporter being able to have friends all over the world and to be given the honor and privilege to sing in the Nashville area means a lot to her.

> You can find Ma Bell online at facebook.com/mabellfish-



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.



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- Mike Bragg, GM of Tom Wood Volkswagen in Noblesville

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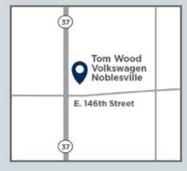
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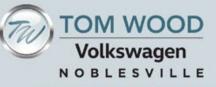
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Noblesville Lions support Indiana **Lions Foundation at State Fair**



Photo provided by Noblesville Lions Club

On Friday, the Noblesville Lions returned to work the Indiana State Fair by supporting the Indiana Lions Foundation. The Foundation recently funded a grant to help purchase new trees for Noblesville High School. The Foundation will also provide funding for future grants. (Above, from left) Lions Julia Kozicki, Jen Carr, Tim Baker, and Jeff Kozicki.

CABIN

In the intervening years, a project Bailey was working on in Kokomo was canceled, leaving him the opportunity to work with the Westfield Washington Historical Society on this project.

According to Bailey, there are only a handful of people throughout the nation who do the kind of work he does, which is why he has been booked for five years in advance for the last 15 solid years.

"I have been in business full time doing this for about 21 years," Bailey said. "I take all my buildings down in southern Indiana because that was the highway of the pioneers. The earliest and best cabins are along the Ohio River in Indiana, Kentucky and Ohio. They are everywhere. They are inside of farmhouses. Up here your history is maybe 20 years newer, so you don't have as many log cabins up here in farmhouses. They were doing a lot of stick-frame construction because in those 20 years the industry developed sawmills. I personally have moved - taken down and put up - 55 log cabins."

Due to the massive increase in material costs in the last few years, this cab- ence at it prior, but that nevin project is in danger of er stopped me from doing not being completed before something." the funds run out. Bailey was planning to be in Westfield to work on this project through Nov. 1, but unless public and private donors step up, he may have to leave in mid-September. You can help by visiting the Westfield Washington Historical Society & Museum website at wwhs.us. That page has information on the cabin itself and ways for you to donate.

there I was a youth pastor at different churches," Bailey told The Reporter. "I had a wonderful experience at Bible college, but I didn't feel called to ministry. When I got out, I started an ad agency in about said. "It's very Christian-ori-1982."

Bailey called himself an "idea guy" during that time. He had neither experience nor any formal education in marketing or advertising.

"The business took off business for 20 years," Bailey said. "I moved it from Grand Rapids, Mich., to Toledo, Ohio, to Indianapolis where my agency was located on East Washington, just east of downtown. It was fun and creative. I was a specialist in cross-promotions."

One of the clients he worked with was Putt-Putt golf courses across the country.

I ran for U.S. Congress four times," Bailey said. "After my last race in 2000, I was ready for a life change. But tradesmen and not letting while I was still in advertising, I turned a barn into a house to live in for myself. They are fascinating. I loved building. I had no experi-

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are obviously significantly experienced now."

Bailey's second book, which should be published in the next year, is called Old Man Bailey.

"It's my story," Bailey ented, but it's really targeted toward young people before they get into debt. I'm trying to inspire young people that they can build a house debtfree out of historic barns and cabins. And I show them in short order and I ran that how in this book. It's 350 pages. It's a textbook, but it's also my story."

Bailey's story has deep roots in his Christian faith and spirituality.

"When I first started building the barn house, I didn't know jack," Bailey said. "My boys were like 10, 8 and 6 at the time. We're going to go up on a roof – we'd never done any construction work – and our prayer was, 'Lord, send your angels or "In the course of all that we're gonna die.' And we prayed for wisdom outside of our pay grade."

> Bailey learned by hiring them work, but rather paying them to instruct him.

"I'd say, 'You can sit in that chair and have a cigar for all I care, but I'm doing all the work'," Bailey told The Reporter. "You can't learn by not doing it – by just watching. That's how I learned my trade. I have been a part of the restoration of over 55 cabins and 25 homes now. Most of these we have turned into livable houses. This project is unusual. We don't normally work for towns or for historical societies. Most of our clients are independent businessmen." You can follow Mike Bai-"I'm changing gears ley on Facebook at facebook. now," Bailey said. "I wrote com/theoldmanbailey.



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Bailey's life

college in Grand Rapids Baptist College in the seminary – it is now called Cornerstone University in all the years I was up

Bailey had six sons he

and his wife were homeschooling, and he wanted to be able to spend time with them every day. He started taking one to work with him on day, then another the next day.

"For 21 years I have been taking my boys to work," Bailey said. "That's been my crew. I am running out of sons now!"

Bailey's next chapter

"When I first went to a book. It will be my second book. I wrote a book during cabin project and how you the campaign years. So, after can help see it to completion the last campaign I started on the Westfield Washington this business in about 2001. Historical Society & Muse-We are in our 22nd year. We um's website at wwhs.us.

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Opinion & News

Is all progress ... pleasant?

conser-Avative is someone who stands athwart history, yelling 'Stop!' at a time when no one is inclined to do so, or to have much patience with those who so urge it." - William F. Buckley

I'm not much for the neoconservative Buckley, but lately and with increasing frequency I find this quote echoing in my head when thinking about more and more things happening in our world.

Change is the natural order. Life is a process of growth. Stagnation occurs in death.

So goes the argument for progress.

But is it a good argument? Is it a conclusive argument? Are there any other factors to consider when one works to make progress?

You could say since progress is inevitable, it's foolish to stand in the way. I disagree.

To say all progress is inevitable necessarily ignores moral questions about the development of particular instances of progress. If the concept of progress is impervious to moral judgment because progress itself is unstoppable, then "progress" must be understood as wholly correct in all cases; therefore, those who question it are by default wrong. (Or backward, uncultured, uneducated naysayers - perhaps worst of all ... biased! The horror!)

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Things That Matter



Alex Norris / webcomicname.com Illustrating an argument against "progress for the sake of progress."

What utter nonsense. Simple enough, right? The politics of good de-Reasonable people understand that sometimes it cision-making is far more

in general.

That said, to make a per-

fect decision in a world of

nonstop conflicting interests

is literally impossible. Po-

litical perfection can only

come about in an environ-

ment with no countervailing

forces. Does that sound like

decisions over the past 35

years that led to the mud-

died situation with Pleasant

Street in Noblesville. While

one can imagine we happen

to live in the version of re-

ality where the **Reimagine**

Pleasant Street plan tru-

ly is the best of all possi-

ble plans to fix the Conner

Street traffic nightmare,

that's little consolation for

people who have lost or will

lose their homes and busi-

nesses for the purpose of

That's not to excuse the

society to you?

is preferable to preserve a challenging than that of thing rather than destroy it perfect decision-making. In for the sake of a new thing. fact, it's so complicated it's often not achieved. There As it turns out, not all progare reasons people don't like ress is progress. politics or the political class

The difficult question of when to make progress arises when a community undergoes rapid-fire change, seemingly without a previously agreed-upon plan. Suddenly, the community must hastily direct its own destiny instead of simply "letting things happen." Of course, individuals within any community will never come into full agreement about how their community should look and the kinds of things it should provide for its members.

Put another way: is the progress of the community worth more than the interests of the individual?

Of course! Sometimes. Of course not! Sometimes

What does a growing city do when it has horrible traffic but no clear space to build an actual bypass to almaking room for "progress" leviate the problem? It finds the best alternative and cre- - even if those folks will get comments on his columns at ates a plan to bring it to life. some degree of compensa- ReadTheReporter.com.

tion from their city.

We're back to the primary purpose of politics: weighing the individual's interests against those of the community.

I'm not sure which is the right way forward.

What I do know is this: it's easy to demand progress when you will bear none of its costs. Those who so flippantly boast about how grand it is for those "old," "run down," "dilapidated" homes and businesses to be bulldozed in order to make room for a so-called reimagined Pleasant Street ought to consider how gleeful they'd be if and when a beautiful new road must pass right through their own front doors. You could say it would be a rather unpleasant experience.

I doubt they'd demand that kind of progress.

Isaac Taylor is one of the owners of the Hamilton County Reporter, as well as the Circulation Director and page designer. You won't find him anywhere online, so don't bother looking. However, he welcomes your

New fundraiser spotlighting art will benefit local children The REPORTER

Esther Lakes, Chairwoman and Founder of Spotlight on Art, has a long history of supporting children and families of Hamilton County.

Mrs. Lakes and her husband, O'Dell, were the long-time owners of Smith's Jewelers, well-known for their generous support of many or-

community ganizations and charities. Mrs. Lakes serves on several boards, all of which focus on supporting children - whether they suffer from sexual and domestic violence,

simply need homework help and a hot meal. She sees the importance of helping children face life's challenges. She has dreamed of creating an evening of art that raises funds for improving the lives of children.

at the Hotel Carmichael in Carmel, Spotlight on Art gaarden@msn.com the Boys & Girls Club of webpage.



Benefiting Children

Noblesville, Children's TherAplay, and Prevail, Inc. - will play host to a premier evening of art and philanthropy. Award-winning artists will commission their work at the event

Lakes

struggle with a disability, or with shopping, cocktails and hors d'oeuvres included in the \$50 ticket price. With a bit of support from many, it's possible to make so many dreams come true by enriching the lives of these diverse groups of kids.

To learn more about On Thursday, Nov. 10 Spotlight on Art, please email Esther Lakes at evanor benefiting children from click here to visit the event

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Sheridan Historical Society members visit Roberts Chapel



Photo provided by Sheridan Historical Society

Members and friends of the Sheridan Historical Society recently gathered at the Roberts Chapel in northern Hamilton County for a history lesson. The Chapel is part of the historic Roberts Settlement, a community founded by freed Black Americans in the early 1830s. A few descendants of the original settlers still reside in the area.

AG Todd Rokita warns Hoosiers of identity theft victims' vulnerability to mental illness

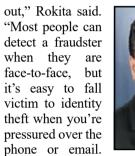
Rokita

The REPORTER

Indiana Attorney General Todd Rokita is warning Hoosiers of the risk of identity theft victims developing a range of mental illnesses after scammers target and steal their hardearned money.

Identity theft is a constant threat to all Americans. In 2020, nearly 50 percent of the country was financially harmed by identity theft, according to a study done by the Aite Group.

"In today's world, we are tied to technology, whether it's our phones or our computers, and we often feel obligated to stay connected and respond to anyone and everyone who reaches



What is not rec-

this is an emotional rollercoaster for people, and it can result in depression, anxiety, and other mental illnesses."

perience fear, exhaustion, theft: and anger. When people have the stress of financial loss combined with these feelings, long-lasting mental chases on financial statehealth conditions are more ments

likely to arise if left untreated.

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According to the Federal Trade Commission, Americans' ported losses from identity theft grew from \$3.3 billion in 2020 to \$5.8 billion in 2021.

ognized often enough is that This creates an even larger pool of victims at risk of developing mental illness.

Rokita warns Hoosiers of the following red flags Injured parties often ex- that could lead to identity

• Stolen checks, credit cards, or debit cards

• Unfamiliar online pur-

• Mysterious medical charges

· Emails asking for personal information • Phone calls or text mes-

sages seeking credit card or bank account information · Scammers using com-

puter programs that track your personal information • Scammers digging

through household trash to find private information.

If you believe you have encountered identity theft, please visit IndianaConsumer.com.

If signs of anxiety, depression, or any other form of mental illness develop, contact a physician immediately or visit in.gov/be wellindiana.

Nine tips for college students to avoid ID theft

The REPORTER

As college students prepare to head back to campus, fighting fraud may not be at the top of their list of priorities. However, college students are very susceptible to identity theft; by establishing good habits for monitoring and detecting fraud, students can lay a path for healthy financial practices for the rest of their lives.

Better Business Bureau recommends that college-bound students take the following nine steps to fight identity theft on campus:

1. Send sensitive mail to your permanent home or a post office box. School mailboxes are not always secure and often can be accessed easily in a dorm or apartment. 2. Important documents

should be stored away safely. This includes your U.S. Social Security card, passport, and bank and credit card statements. Shred credit card offers and any paper documents that have sensitive financial information rather than just tossing them out.

3. Never lend your credit or debit card to anyone. Just say no if your friend wants to borrow your card or asks you to co-sign for a loan or financing for items like a TV. When using an ATM or credit card machine, don't let anyone "shoulder surf" your personal identification number (PIN).

4. Guard your passwords and don't give them out to anyone. Use strong

passwords and don't use the same password for all sites.

5. Watch for phishing. Be vigilant and be careful of clicking on links in emails and texts; verify the content with the website. Click here for more information on phishing scams.

6. Make sure your computer has up-to-date antivirus and spyware software. Always install any updates and patches to your computer's operating system or browser software, which help keep your computer safe from any new advances by identity thieves online.

7. Always check your credit or debit card statements closely for any suspicious activity. The sooner you identify any potential fraud, the less you'll suffer in the long run.

8. Be careful when shopping online. Check out businesses on **BBB.org**. Look for the BBB Accredited Business seal; click on the seals to confirm that they are legitimate. See BBB's tips for smart shopping online.

9. Check your credit report at least once a year. You are entitled to one free report a year from each of the three reporting bureaus: TransUnion, Experian and Equifax. Look for any suspicious activity or inaccuracies. You can do this for free by visiting Annual-CreditReport.com.

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Come let us reason together (Isa. 1:18).

In Isaiah 1, God was extending to His people an invitation to think. To reason is the power of the mind to think, understand, and form judgments by a process of logic. The Lord concluded His case against Israel by offering them the opportunity to be forgiven and by setting before them the alternatives of renewed blessing and final judgment.

God expects us to use our ability to reason and think. Words have meaning and meanings have consequences. God calls upon man to gather facts and in light of those facts reach conclusions.

Come let us reason...let us join together in earnest, sincere Bible study so that we might understand God's revelation to man. Thought our sins be as scarlet they can be white as wool. That is God's invitation and promise to those who will reason with Him.



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6 News **Carmel announces Rain on** Main art competition winners

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If you have been to the Carmel Arts & Design District recently, you may have noticed brightly painted rain barrels in front of many of the stores.

WISH-TV's Life.Style. Live! recently took a stroll along Main Street with Claire Lane of Hamilton County Soil and Water Conservation District and rain barrel artist Carolyn Martens.

Click here to watch WISH-TV's coverage with George Mallet.

Art Competition Results

Congratulations to the winners of the 2022 Rain on Main Barrel Art Competition:

• Kim Dax (Barrel #15 – Vibration of Life) is the winner of this year's art compe-



tition. (\$200)

goes to Carolyn Martens (Barrel #3 – Sunflowers in the Starry Garden)

Guerin High School (Bar-• Second place (\$100) rel #1 – Water Under the Bridge)

The barrels are judged • Third place (\$50) is the Carmel Arts Council, a ket on Saturday.

Photo provided by WISH-TV Rain on Main sponsor and

a Carmel Arts & Design merchant. Rain on Main concluded by a representative from at the Carmel Farmers Mar-

Fishers road construction updates

The REPORTER

State Road 37 & 146th Street

All left-turn lanes are currently restricted on SR 37 and on 146th Street with traffic moved to the interior lanes. Thru traffic and right turns on SR 37 and 146th Street will remain open. Drivers are encouraged to seek alternate routes for all left-turn access. View an alternate route map here.

From Monday, Aug. 22 through Friday, Aug. 26, there will be single-lane restrictions for northbound and southbound SR 37 and

146th Street for milling and resurfacing of the ramps and 146th Street.

State Road 37 & 131st/135th Streets

135th Street west of SR 37 is currently closed as work progresses on the project. SR 37 will remain open both northbound and southbound and allow right in/right out be in place between 9 a.m. access at 131st Street. View and 3 p.m. the detour map here.

Please drive with caution through these areas. To learn more about the State Road 37 Improvement Project and sign up to receive text up-

eastbound and westbound dates, visit 37Thrives.com. 116th Street

> Comcast will have daily lane restrictions in place on westbound 116th Street between Cameron Drive and Allisonville Road and northbound Allisonville Road from 116th Street to the Kroger signal for overhead work. Restrictions will

Resurfacing projects

ADA ramp and curb reconstruction has started taking place in Brookston Place as part of the 2022 Resurfacing Project. Home-

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owners will be notified via door hangers prior to any curb reconstruction near their home. After ADA ramp and curb reconstruction is completed, those areas will be restored with topsoil and seed. It is the responsibility of the homeowner to water the seed for the seed to germinate. Prior to road resurfacing, residents will be notified via street signage for street parking restrictions. **Development Dashboard**

The Fishers Planning & Zoning Department has a new Development Dashboard where you can view all development projects that are under construction or in the process of being reviewed. Find it on the Planning & Zoning homepage here.

Merchants Mortgage welcomes two loan officers to Carmel HQ

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Merchants Mortgage, a division of Merchants Bank of Indiana, an-

nounced on Friday the hiring of Damian London and Jeffery Frieman as Mortgage Officers. Loan London and Frieman will join the Merchants Mortgage office at the company's headquarters in Carmel.

London brings nearly a decade of mortgage experience to his new role at Merchants Bank, having most recently served as a loan officer at Carrington Mort-

gage in Westfield, where he focused on structuring full documentation loans for a variety of clients. In his time at Carrington Mortgage, he originated conventional Federal Housing Administration (FHA) and Veterans Affairs (VA) mortgages, totaling more than \$14.2 million in 2021. Prior to Carrington, he worked at Royal United Mortgage/Freedom Mortgage in Indianapolis.

Frieman joins the Merchants Mortgage team with more than 20 years of experience, most recently as a senior loan officer at AmeriSave Mortgage Corporation. During his tenure with AmeriSave, he consulted with borrowers looking to purchase properties nationwide, specializing in originations with first-time buyers. He was also an active participant in the new hire training program, assisting

new employees with application, guidelines and company policy as well as the Mortgage Loan Origination

System (LOS) platform.

In their new capacities at Merchants Bank, London and Frieman will be responsible for developing new residential mortgage business with local and national clients, along with analyzing credit worthiness of applicants and negotiating terms, repayment and collateral requirements for a variety of loan types.

"We are ex-

Frieman

London

cited to welcome Damian and Jeffery as the newest members of the Merchants Mortgage team," said Ron Berry, Vice President of Retail Mortgage Sales. "Their extensive experience in the industry proves each of their abilities to support our growing team and will undoubtedly push our company to the next level as we continue to put our mortgage clients at the forefront. Both Damian and Jeffery's ties to Hamilton County will be an incredible asset, as our team works to expand its reach both locally and nationally."

London holds a bachelor's degree in finance from the University of Phoenix. Frieman is a graduate of Vanguard University with a degree in business administration.

To learn more about Merchants Bank of Indiana, visit merchantsbankofindiana.com.

Carmel road construction updates

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works diligently with consultants, contractors, utilities and others to develop schedules and complete projects in a timely manthere are times that delays, issues can have impacts to these schedules beyond the city's control. Your patience is appreciated while the city works to make the roadways safer and more efficient.

ning of October, barring un- way will be closed to gen-The City of Carmel foreseen circumstances like eral public motorist and weather or other delays.

Keystone Parkway & Main Street Bridge dor will continue into the There will be a full

pedestrians. Work along this corri-

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116th Street & Range Line Road roundabout

The roundabout is expected to be substantially complete for the public on or after midday Monday, Aug. 22. This means that vehicles will have access to has experienced delays, but all legs of the roundabout, and it should be functional for the public motorist in all directions.

the intersection and in the right-of-way and is expected to be complete the begin-

closure of the Main Street tion of all plantings and resner. Despite these efforts bridge over Keystone from Aug. 26 to 28 for overconflicts and procurement lay and resurfacing of the bridge deck. Expect the bridge to close Friday evening and be open to traffic early Monday morning. Keystone Parkway will remain open.

West Smoky Row reconstruction

reconstruction the of Smoky Row Road west of Range Line Road, including a new bridge over Little Cool Creek. This project Smoky Row is expected to be open in December.

The roundabout at the west end is expected to start Work will continue at in September for a 60-day period of work. During this time, local traffic will be maintained, but the road-

spring with a final completoration expected in May of 2023.

East Smoky Row slip lane at Keystone Parkway

This work will continue through October with no scheduled closures of the intersection.

106th Street & College Avenue roundabout

On or after Sept. 6, ex-This project includes pect a full closure of the intersection for the construction of a roundabout. This 60-day full closure will be substantially complete in November. Running ahead of this project is the multiuse path from Pennsylvania Parkway to College Avenue along 106th Street.

> The construction of this path is in the city's existing right-of-way and should not cause a closure of 106th Street.



News

Noblesville & Carmel Lions continue supporting Gleaners



Photo provided by Noblesville Lions Club On Thursday, the Noblesville Lions and Carmel Lions assisted Gleaners in passing out food to deserving needy. This was done at the Six Point Church in Sheridan. (Above) Those assisting were Noblesville Lions Joe Connerley, Mark Bachar, Ron Williamson, Lyneen Burrow, Brent Burrow, and Dale Unger. Carmel Lions were Lane Sims and Bob Yunker.



WISH-TV I-Team 8 Reporter Jasmine Minor promoted to weekend anchor

By MEGAN STRATTON WISH-TV | wishtv.com

Al Carl, Vice President/ News Director of WISH-

that award-winning I-Team 8 Investigative Reporter Jasmine Minor will add anchoring WISH-TV's weekend 6 p.m., 10 p.m. and 11 p.m. newscasts to her responsibilities. This position previously was

held by Nina Criscuolo. tinguished herself as an erage of NCAA Division I

evate the weekend shows to new heights. The sky is the limit!" Minor said.

Minor says she is passionate about fighting child TV, announced on Friday exploitation in underserved

communities and volunteers her time at local domestic battery shelters. Prior to join-

WISH-TV ing last year, Minor held reporting and anchoring positions in Cin-

cinnati and Ft. Myers. She also worked as "Jasmine has dis- an analyst for ESPN's cov-I-Team 8 reporter over tennis. As a young athlete,



the past year garnering an she competed in national Emmy nomination for her tennis tournaments locally work while creating many new fans throughout Indiana," Carl said.

and sports department to el- take effect Oct. 1.

at North Central and Carmel High Schools.

Minor also serves on the "I'm excited to work board of the Indianapolis with our talented producers, Association of Black Jourproduction team, reporters, nalists. This change will

New at Hamilton East Public Library

Minor

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Here are the new library items lists for the week of Aug. 15:

New Adult Fiction Books 1. Seven Steeples, by

Sara Baume 2. 24 hours in Paris, by

Romi Moondi 3. Remarkably bright

creatures, by Shelby Van Pelt

4. Something wicked, by David Housewright

5. Black tide, by K.C. Jones

book people, by Phaedra Patrick

by Chris Pavone

8. Tom Clancy's Op-Center. Call of duty, by Jeff Rovin

9. The seaplane on final approach, by Rebecca Rukeyser

10. The shore, by Katie Runde

New Adult Nonfiction

1. How to think like a The complete 11th season lawyer - and why: a common-sense guide to everyday dilemmas, by Kim Wehle

2. Whispers of the gods: tales from baseball's golden age, told by the men who played it, by Peter Bolenbock

3. Good east 4: the final years, by Alton Brown

4. Conversations on love: lovers, strangers, parents, friends, endings, beginnings, by Natasha Lunn

5. The hangman and his wife: the life and death of

Reinhard Heydrich, by Nancy Dougherty

6. The last days of Roger Federer: and other endings, by Geoff Dyer

7. Lily's promise: holding on to hope through Auschwitz and beyond – a story for all generations, by Lily Ebert

8. Somewhere we are human: authentic voices on migration, survival, and new beginnings, by Reyna Grande

9. Raising antiracist chil-6. The messy lives of dren: a practical parenting guide, by Britt Hawthorne

10. Game: an autobiog-7. Two nights in Lisbon, raphy, by Grant Hill

New DVDs

1. That dirty black bag

2. Umbrella academy. Season 2

3. Huda's salon

4. Infinite storm

5. Killing Eve. Season 4

6. After Yang

7. Billions. Season 6 8. Curb your enthusiasm.

9. Dashcam

10. DC's legends of tomorrow. The 7th and final season

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Congratulating GOP Women of the Year



Photo provided by Hamilton County Republican Women

The Indiana Federation of Republican Women (IFRW) held its 41st Tribute to Women on Friday at the Ritz Charles, 12156 N. Meridian St., Carmel. Among the awardees were Fishers City Council member Cecilia Coble and Indiana State Treasurer Kelly Mitchell of Carmel. Coble was named the Hamilton County Republican Woman of the Year, and Mitchell was awarded the title of IFRW Woman of the Year. (Above) Hamilton County always makes a strong showing at IFRW events. (From left) Tina Mangos, Dawn Overend, Dawn Lang, Sheryl Clifford, Cecilia Coble, Adrienne Rogers, Victoria Spartz, Laura Campbell, Lisa Everling, Donna Schaibley, Nancy Smith, Laura Alerding, Emily Pearson, and Teresa Amick.



Photos provided by Hamilton County Republican Women

(Above left) Mike and Cecilia Coble. (Above right) IFRW President Jodi Smith and Cecilia Coble. (Right) Monica Bowles Kozlowski, Lisa Everling, IFRW Woman of the Year and Indiana State Treasurer Kelly Mitchell, Dawn Lang, Emily Pearson, and Cecilia Coble.



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Community support to promote lifelong recovery



substance use disorder. Addressing the array

of care and service options from prevention and screening to early intervention and treatment for mental health and substance use disorders leads to higher quality of care and advancement of health equity.

To meaningfully improve the health of our members and communities, we must take a broad, holistic view of health. This includes using data and resources to understand and address the physical, behavioral, and social drivers of health. As we approach National Recovery Month in September, we champion this holistic, wholehealth approach. Substance use disorder remains a key area of focus for our Foundation, which will invest up to \$30 million over the next three years to address this problem across the nation. More than \$450,000 is being invested right here in Indiana to help programs that support prevention and early intervention, crisis response and interventions, long-term intervention, and community resources and recovery supports.

der and a men- support local women with Evansville to just south of **GUEST COLUMNIST** tal illness, with substance DR. KIMBERLY ROOP

disorders affecting over 20 developmentally approprimillion Ameri- ate discipline strategies and cans aged 12 and creation of early positive exover. These star- periences for their children to partner with

organizations who deliver solutions both on a local and a national level. To ensure our funding reaches the communities in which it is needed most, we are focusing on programs specifically working to prevent diana Schools program. and treat mental health and/ or substance use disorders, improve access and equity through trauma-informed approaches, and implement harm reduction strategies to reduce the morbidity and mortality of substance use disorder.

Anthem Blue Cross and Blue Shield Foundation knows a more personalized approach to improving health lies within communities, and it is our communities which hold the keys to making real progress. We continue to work with our local community partners across Indiana, including Overdose Lifeline, Youth First, and YWCA of Northeast Indiana, to provide meaningful solutions to achieve better health and to advance health equity.

Our work with Overdose Lifeline in Indianapolis will be for the implementation of the 'Making Our Moms Stronger' program which Today, 9.5 million adults will better prepare pregnant in the U.S. report having and parenting women for both a substance use disor- recovery. This program will



America went on offense against the Chinese Communist Party (CCP) earlier this month.

Legislation I worked on for years to out-inno-SEN. TODD YOUNG vate and outcompete China was signed into law on Aug. 9. The legislation went by many titles – the Endless Frontier Act, the U.S. Innovation and Competition Act, and finally the CHIPS and Science Act.

that we are in an **GUEST COLUMNIST** ongoing global power competition with China. In many crucial areas, Beijing is gaining ground or even ahead of the U.S. The CCP has invested \$14 trillion in the frontier technologies that will shape our modern economy and decide winners of future wars – technologies like quantum computing, robotics, and Artificial Intelligence. China has even made advances in hypersonic technology, which allows missiles carrying nuclear projectiles to travel at five times the speed of sound

This initiative will provide placement and supervision of 83 social workers in 109 rural, suburban, and urban schools stretching from

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tling figures drive to ensure a strong, lasting our commitment family bond. In Evansville, we have worked with Youth First for many years supporting local youth through a variety of programs and once again we are coming together to expand their Prevention & Early Intervention in In-

self-esteem and self-efficacy

skills including stress man-

alone agement coping techniques,

at risk by economic and health disparities, practitioner scarcity, substance availability, family addiction, and COVID-related stress and loss. The benefits of this program to our local youth will

be immeasurable given the U.S. Surgeon General's declaration of a youth mental health crisis, and Indiana's rank of last among all states for aggregated rates of depression, anxiety, psychosis, trauma, and suicide.

Indianapolis. These mental

health mentors will sup-

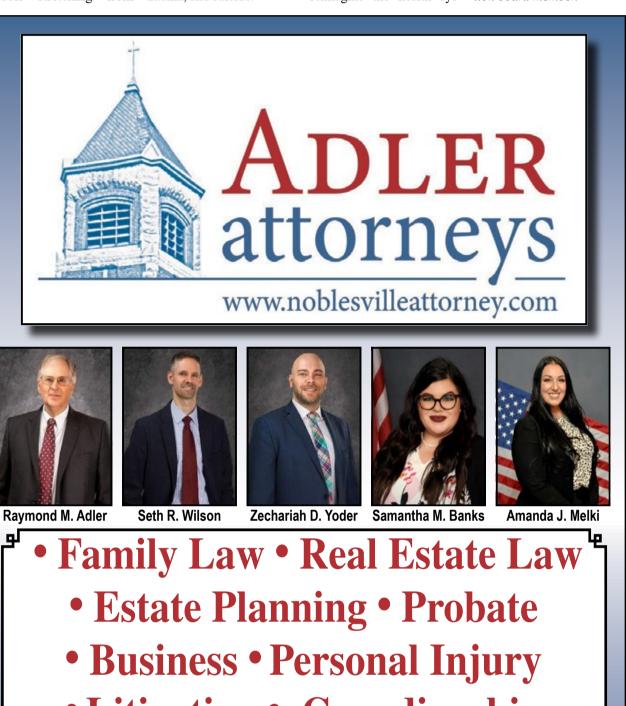
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Finally, our collabora- tem, we create connections, tion with YWCA Northeast Indiana will boost their Hope & Harriet Addiction evidence-based prevention Recovery program, supprograms in 13 counties porting women in pursuit siers to join us in supporting and will be accessible to of recovery from chemi-48,000 Indiana youth put cal dependency in a subacute medical setting. This program integrates high-quality, person-centered care and is guided by evidence-based addiction recovery practices tailored to treat adult women living with substance use disorder.

We continue to foster a longstanding and deep local presence across our Indiana communities while focusing on community health and becoming a lifetime, trusted health partner. When we reimagine the health sysremove barriers, advance health equity, and support health holistically.

We encourage all Hoothose experiencing mental health challenges or facing addiction now, during National Recovery Month, and throughout the year.

Dr. Kimberly Roop is the Medicaid Plan President for Anthem Blue Cross and Blue Shield in Indiana which serves more than 750.000 Medicaid members through the state's Hoosier Healthwise (HHW), Hoosier Care Connect (HCC) and Healthy Indiana Plan (HIP) health insurance programs, as well as a Foundation board member.



No matter its name, enacting this legislation into law is a win for Indiana and a bold investment in America's national security.

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sion of this bill recognizing See Offense ... Page 10

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TODAY'S BIBLE READING

Now listen, you rich people, weep and wail because of the misery that is coming on you. Your wealth has rotted, and moths have eaten your clothes. Your gold and silver are corroded. Their corrosion will testify against you and eat your flesh like fire. You have hoarded wealth in the last days. Look! The wages you failed to pay the workers who mowed your fields are crying out against you. The cries of the harvesters have reached the ears of the Lord Almighty. You have lived on earth in luxury and self-indulgence. You have fattened yourselves in the day of slaughter. You have condemned and murdered the innocent one, who was not opposing you. James 5:1-6 (NIV)

Donald E. Wethington July 21, 1939 – August 20, 2022

Donald E. Wethington, 83, Noblesville, passed away



on Saturday, August 20, 2022, at Riverview Health in Noblesville. He was born on July 21, 1939, to Joseph and Gertrude (Woodrum) Wethington in Clementsville, Ky.

Donald graduated from Sheridan High School and was a farmer his whole life for Purdue University Lynnwood Farms. He was a past member of Our Lady of Mount Carmel Catholic

Church. Donald liked to frequent flea markets and garage sales. He loved his T-bucket, which he called "The Green Ghost," enjoyed taking his tractors to tractor shows and looked forward to playing Santa Claus for local Noblesville businesses during the holiday season. Donald was dearly loved and will be missed by many.

He is survived by his wife of 62 years, Juanita Wethington; sons, Gene Wethington (Denise) and Daniel Wethington (Janet); son-in-law, Jeffrey Ogle; six grandchildren, Nicholas Ogle (Danielle), Brandon Ogle, Amber Petrisin (Tyler), Amanda Wethington (Jeff Tucker), Neal Wethington (Erin), and Kyle Wethington (Alexis); five great-grandchildren, Jacob, Alivia, Lauren, Emmett and Levi; sisters, Louise Eaton (James) and Rosie Wethington; brother-inlaw, Charlie Stapleton; sister-in-law, Beth Roudebush; as well as many nieces and nephews.

In addition to his parents, Donald was preceded in death by his daughter, Mary Ann Ogle; brothers, Marvin, Hurley and Joseph "Ted" Wethington; and his sister, Sue Stapleton.

The Wethington family has entrusted Randall & Roberts Funeral Home with Donald's cremation.

Condolences: randallroberts.com

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What Cheers actress is a Hoosier?

The REPORTER

This week in Indiana's history ..

1922 – Liberty Market on East Washington Street in Indianapolis was listed as the biggest retail grocery in Indiana. August ads included five pounds of sugar for 42¢, large potatoes at 29¢ per peck, Heinz white vinegar at 50¢ a gallon, Wisconsin cream cheese for 26¢ a pound, Norwegian mackerel marked at 10¢ each, and Armour Star Hams sold at 27¢ a pound.

1924 - Indiana Governor Forrest Branch and former Governor James P. Goodrich were present for the in Indianapolis to compete known for her role as Diane

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defense systems.

In the last year, Hoosiers saw just how vulnerable militarily and economically – America is to an increasingly technologically superior China. First, China tested a nuclear-capable hypersonic missile capable of circling the earth before speeding towards and hitting a target.

Then, closer to home America's supply chain ground to a halt because of a shortage of semiconductors, leaving plants like General Motors in Fort Wayne sitting idle.

These tiny chips bring life to our cellphones, cars, appliances - almost anything with a motor or a plug, including our military platforms. Many of our major domestic industries were put on pause because we are so reliant on other nations for computer chips.

America makes only 12





dedication of the Clifty Inn in the United Golf Assoat Clifty Falls State Park. ciation Tournament at the Branch said that the new state park system should be Louis, formidable on the a "chain of places of scenic links as well as in the ring, interest conserving the natural beauty of Indiana."

1948 - Joe Louis, former heavyweight boxing champion of the world, was

while evading our current ply of semiconductors, and chain stoppages and safe-China is investing heavily in semiconductor production. China accounted for less than 4 percent of the market half a decade ago, but is now on pace to control roughly 20 percent of the market by 2024. If China produces more

and more of the world's supply of semiconductors, America's economy and security could be at the mercy of the CCP, especially in the event of another pandemic or war. After all, 90 percent the chips in our military hardware are currently made overseas.

This is all part of Beijing's bet to beat America. But the CHIPS and Science Act helps America counter that bet.

This new law provides \$52.7 billion to jumpstart office in Odon, near Crane. semiconductor production here in the United States. A thriving domestic chip induspercent of the global sup- try will prevent future supply

guard our military readiness.

Coffin Municipal Course.

took time to visit patients at

ley Long was born in Fort

Wayne. She became best

1949 - Actress Shel-

Veterans Hospital.

And it will benefit the Heartland economy. A corridor of the semiconductor industry will run through Indiana. Thanks to this law, SkyWater Technology is moving forward with plans to partner with Purdue to build a \$1.8 billion dollar facility in West Lafayette that will manufacture semiconductor chips and create an estimated 750 jobs.

The CHIPS and Science Act also provides \$2 billion for Department of Defense semiconductors. NSWC Crane, with its expertise in chip manufacturing, is expected to play a significant role in this effort, in turn creating economic opportunities across southern Indiana. SkyWater already opened an

The new law also supercharges funding of basic scientific research and significantly expands STEM education opportunities. And it will establish regional tech hubs across our country to help launch innovative companies, revive American manufacturing, and lay the foundation for new jobs to jumpstart our local com- the United States Senate.

Chambers on Cheers, for which she won an Emmy Award.

1961 - Veteran actor Charles Coburn set new box office records at Avondale Playhouse in Indianapolis. The play You Can't Take It With You entertained large crowds at the theater in the Meadows on East 38th Street. It was to be the last performance for Mr. Coburn, 84, who died five days later in New York City.

2010 – Walnut Grove, an historical park, was dedicated in Vincennes. The park was located at Grouseland, the home of Territorial Governor William Henry Harrison.

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munities. Indiana will have an opportunity to apply for a tech hub designation, and Hoosiers have good reason to be optimistic about our state's chance of success.

These Heartland investments are incredibly important at a time when just a handful of American cities account for nearly 90 percent of job growth in advanced sectors like tech, computer manufacturing, biotech, and telecom.

The truth is our country faces a defense deficit, in large part because the Chinese government is heavily subsidizing industries and the development of mission critical technologies that the CCP hopes will give it an upper hand, both militarily and economically. It is simply not a level playing field.

Given this reality, we face two choices: do nothing and cede the future or make smart investments in the American people and our national security to win the future.

By passing the CHIPS and Science Act, we are building a more prosperous and secure tomorrow for all Americans.

Todd Young, a Republican, represents Indiana in





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Carmel boys tennis beats Noblesville to end their marathon week of dual meets

By RICHIE HALL sports@readthereporter.com

To say it's been a busy week for both the Carmel and Noblesville boys tennis teams would be an understatement.

Both teams played five dual meets over the past six days, doing so against tough competition. The Grevhounds and the Millers could include each other in their respective lists, as the two teams met at Carmel's Todd Witsken Tennis Center Saturday morning for a meet that was part of the Greyhounds' Round Robin tournament.

In addition to the busy schedules, both Carmel and Noblesville have new coaches this season. Dan Brunette, the veteran coach who spent over a decade at North Central, is now supervising the Greyhounds, going from one powerhouse program to another. The Millers' new coach is Chris Pyle, who previously mentored the Speedway program before coming to Noblesville.

Carmel won the Saturday dual between the two teams 5-0. The Greyhounds were led by senior Jack Jentz, one of the 2021 state doubles champions along with now-graduated Srisanth Malpeddi. Jentz played No. 1 singles on Saturday and got a victory there.

"He's willing to really do what he needs to do for the team," said Brunette. "Great team player."



Reporter photos by Richie Hall Carmel's Aarit Musilannagari (left) and Noblesville's Jack Gigante (right) played each other in the No. 3 singles match during the Greyhounds-Millers dual at Carmel on Saturday.

Rocky Li picked a win at No. 2 singles, while freshman Aarit Musliannagari was victorious at No. 3 singles. In doubles, Carmel's winners were the No. 1 team of Braedon McIntyre and Michael Bao, and the No. 2 team of Hayden Kress and Krishay Arora.

The 'Hounds are sixtime defending state champions and expected to be the No. 1-ranked team in the state when the Indiana High School Tennis Coaches Association releases its first rankings on Monday.

Pyle was pleased with his team's effort in taking on the Greyhounds. He said No. 3 singles Jack Gigante "played a tough match," and that No. 1 singles Ethan Feliciano "played really well against Jack Jentz." Noblesville's No. 1 doubles team of Rory Bushong and Liam Shepard stretched McIntyre and Bao to 6-4 in the first set before the Greyhound team won the second set 6-0.

The Millers were about to take on Bloomington South for their second match when a thunderstorm forced the Round Robin to move to Indianapolis Racquet Club. Noblesville gave another strong effort, but the Panthers edged out the Millers 3-2.

Noblesville got both of their wins in doubles. Bushong and Shepard picked up a close victory at No. 1 doubles, 11-9 in the third-set super tiebreak. The Millers won the first set 6-1 and dropped the second set 6-3. At No. 2 doubles, Gigante and Caden David got a straight-set win, 7-5, 6-2.

Before the season began, Pyle told the Reporter that he things "we're going to be really solid in doubles all the way through," and the team proved it on Saturday.

a close No. 3 singles match against the Panthers before ready. falling to Alex Busch 6-4,

team," said Pyle after the who are really helping me meet. "I think our guys learned a lot about themselves in that one, that we are a really good team."

look at the teams the Millers have played to start their season. Noblesville opened at Harrison, expected to be No. 2 in the first IHSTeCA again this week. The Millrankings list. The Millers ers host Lawrence North on then played Avon and Brebeuf Jesuit, both of whom finished last season rated in the top 15. Then came Carmel and Bloomington South.

"Our whole schedule is a Tennis Invitational. good test," said Pyle, in his pre-season remarks. He also meets on the schedule. The said that the Millers "have a lot of talented guys that rison Wednesday for the can play in a lot of different likely 1-2 matchup, then places. It might take some travel to North Central for time to figure out where ev- the John Shirley Invitationeryone's perfect spot is."

'HOUNDS START PERFECT

Carmel finished up its Round Robin by beating Bloomington South 4-1. Jentz moved to No. 2 singles and won in three sets. At No. 1 singles, Jonathan Yang battled with the Panthers' Michael Asplund before falling in three sets.

The Greyhounds are thus 5-0 to begin the season, and they have played a tough schedule as well. The first two victories came against Hamilton Southeastern and West Lafayette, both of whom finished in the top five of the IHSTeCa rankings last fall. Carmel then played Cathedral, another state-ranked team from last year, before its Saturday round robin.

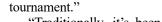
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Brunette said they are

"We have a lot of depth," said Brunette. "We "That's a state-ranked have a lot of great seniors understand how the program works." Brunette also said the players are embracing the team aspect, as they Noblesville is 0-5, but are "sacrificing some of their individual desires for the team, which is exactly what we need."

Noblesville will be busy Monday, plays at Fishers on Tuesday, then returns home to face Zionsville Thursday before hosting Northwestern and New Palestine Saturday for the Noblesville

Carmel has a pair of big Greyhounds play at Haral, which Brunette said is



see where your team needs ready for the tournament "Traditionally, it's been to go and what you need to run," said Brunette.



Janet would love the opportunity to meet you and chat. Plan on coming to one of her upcoming speaking engagements or reach out to schedule a date for her to join your group or organization.

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Sports

Running Millers sweep top 3 positions at Saturday's Early Bird 4K meet in Zionsville

The REPORTER

Hamilton County's young runners took center stage at the John Cleland Zionsville Early Bird 4K meet, which was run Saturday morning at Northview Church in Carmel.

The Carmel boys team and the Noblesville girls team both won their respective Freshman/Sophomore races at the meet. The Millers' victory was impressive because the team swept the top three positions.

Freshman Ansley Applegate took first place in the girls race, clocking in at 15 minutes, 24.79 seconds. Right behind her were sophomores Riley Flynn in second place and Brinkley Cooper in third place.

The Millers finished with 36 points, just ahead of Hamilton Southeastern. The Royals scored 46 points, with four runners placing in the top 10. Elizabeth Butler finished fourth, Addison Smith was sixth, Catey Campbell took eighth and Anaya Lammie placed ninth.

Carmel's girls took third in that race by scoring 60 points. Charlotte Konow finished in fifth place, with Ella Gaddis in 10th.

In the boys race, the Greyhounds scored 42 points to win the team title. Jack Capes was the individual champion, finishing in 12:44.94. Carmel had two more top-10 placers: Kiefer Jay took sixth and Carter Buhr was seventh.

Southeastern was a strong second, totaling 52 points. The Royals got a 3-4 finish from Liam Powers and Nicolas Vega, while Zach Swedarsky took 10th.

In the junior/senior races, Noblesville's girls finished as runner-up to Zionsville. The Eagles won with 61 points, with the Millers scoring 69 points. Nadia Perez was second with Paige Hazelrigg finished eighth.

Carmel took third with points and had three top-10 runners. Jasmine Klopstad led the 'Hounds by placing fourth, Audrey Ricketts was seventh and Kara Wenzler placed 10th.



Reporter photos by Kent Graham

Three Hamilton County runners won their respective races at the John Cleland Zionsville Early Bird 4K Invitational, which took place Saturday at Northview Church. Pictured are Noblesville's Ansley Applegate (above, winner of the girls freshman/sophomore race), Carmel's Jack Capes (top right, winner of the boys freshman/sophomore race) and Hamilton Southeastern's Maggie Powers (right, winner of the girls junior/senior race).

Davis 137, West Lafayette 15:39.94, 12. Kennedy Apple-142, Center Grove 169, Carmel 173, Lebanon 175, Pike 255, New Palestine 297, Herron 317, University 352.

Race winner: Nate Killeen (North Central) 12:30.18.

Southeastern top eight runners: 6. Ash Caylor 13:04.29, 8. Ian Ross 13:23.91, 13. Joe Augustine 13:35.97, 14. Andrew Smith 13:37.57, 18. Adam Warski 13:46.13, 22. Brayden Gebhard 13:52.05, 25. Matthew Hemmerling 13:57.90, 34. Drew Kennedy 14:09.42.

Carmel eight top runners: 26. Alex Mundt top eight runners: 19. 14:00.07, 31. Julien Gour- Grace Newton 16:19.54. 21. gue 14:06.95, 42. Neil Fairman 14:20.46, 56. Patton Lee 14:48.47, 57. Ryland Hill 14:48.66, 65. Nate Dierckman 14:54.33, 67. Everett Carlisle 14:55.73, 71. Josh Goedde 14:56.75.

University runners: 70. Ben Gleason 14:56.33, 126. Comparini 19:44.00, 133. CC

gate 15:49.01, 17. Summer Rempe 16:17.62, 31. Dana Behlmer 16:58.50, 37. Siri Koszyk 17:08.77, 39. Brooke Lahee 17:18.79, 43. Allie Stamm 17:25.25

Carmel top eight runners: 4. Jasmine Klopstad 15:07.30, 7. Audrey Ricketts 15:38.94, 10. Kara Wenzler 15:46.73, 25. Emersyn Weaver 16:43.84, 28. Christina McCollum 16:53.49, 33. Madeline Weisner 1700.74, Savannah Paulson 35. 17:06.63, 53. Sophia Hudak 17:52.29.

Other Southeastern Elise Herman 16:28.50, 27. Jackie Hurlock 16:49.70, 32 Angie Anglum 16:59.21, 38. Julianne McLean 17:11.33, 60. Haley Johnson 18:12.41, 62. Diana Tekeste 18:17.19. University runners: 63. LJ

Gregory 18:17.68, 95. Emily Brown 21:03.09, 152. Emma Laborsky 23:06.44, 161. Kendall Booth 23:45.00, 174. Sam Cooper 27:03.64





Hamilton Southeastern was fifth as a team, and had the race winner: Maggie Powers took first place by clocking in at 14:49.94.

The Royals also placed second in the boys junior/ senior race by scoring 59 points. Ash Caylor finished in sixth place while Ian Ross took eighth.

BOYS JUNIOR/ **SENIOR 4K**

Team scores: Zionsville 28. Hamilton Southeastern 59. North Central 108. Ben

Wilson 16:21.47, Foster 153. Owen Ascioti 17:48.49, 154. Will Besinger 17:49.10, Alfonzo Gallanosa 179 20:10.35, 180. David Beaty 188. Christian 20:21.19. Gray 27:34.79.

GIRLS JUNIOR/ SENIOR 4K

Team scores: Zionsville 61, Noblesville 69, Carmel 72, North Central 79, Hamilton Southeastern 98, West Lafayette 176. Center Grove 188. Lebanon 265, New Palestine 281, Pike 289, Rushville 326, Herron 354, Ben Davis 360, University 360.

Race winner: Maggie Powers (Hamilton Southeastern) 14:49.94

Noblesville top eight runners: 2. Nadia Perez 14:50.55, 8. Paige Hazelrigg

BOYS FRESHMAN/ **SOPHOMORE 4K**

Team scores: Carmel 42, Hamilton Southeastern 52, Zionsville 80, Center Grove 150, North Central 152, West Lafavette 188. Pike 198. Rushville 222, Ben Davis 264, New Palestine 271, Lewis Cass 272, Horizon Christian 277, Herron 399, University 447, New Castle 458.

Race winner: Jack Capes (Carmel) 12:44.94.

Other Carmel top Kiefeight runners: 6. er Jay 13:28.29, 7. Carter Buhr 13:28.33, 13. Eli Gomez 13:40.78, 15. Josh Cale 13:45.15, 19. Will Gilhooly

13:53.45, 24. Cohen Levy 14:08.11, 29. Lucas Mallon 14:14.69.

Southeastern top eight runners: 3. Liam Powers 13:11.59, 4. Nicolas Vega 13:22.18, 10. Zach Swedarsky 13:32.85, 17. Michael Chalfant 13:47.80, 18. Zeke Benedict 13:49.86, 23, Ben Tuckis 14:06.26, 25. William Henning 14:08.14, 26. Tate Watson 14:10.51.

University runners: Philip Berebitsky 157. 17:12.11, 182. Charlie Coffey 17:46.12, 189. Ked Laborsky 17:57.13, 202. Mikey Cardwell 18:30.30, 205. Dominic Poulter 18:33.14, 208. Noah Moshe 18:37.39, 241. Mason Svrek 22:15.01, 243. Brody McMurtray 24:30.08.



GIRLS FRESHMAN/ **SOPHOMORE 4K**

Team scores: Noblesville 36, Hamilton Southeastern 46, Carmel 60, Zionsville 114, Center Grove 131, North Central 172, West Lafayette 188, New Castle 274, Herron 278, New Palestine 302, Ben Davis 313, University 342.

winner: Ans-Race ley Applegate (Noblesville) 15:24.79

Other Noblesville top eight runners: 2. Riley Flynn 15:30.91, 3. Brinkley Cooper 15:32.61, 14. Gretchen Graham 16:11.39, 18. Ella Wirkner 16:17.79, 36. Brooklyn Couch 17:19.92, 37. Addi Émerson 17:20.74, 42. Annabelle Kemerling 17:29.70.

Southeastern top eight runners: 4. Elizabeth Butler 15:33.03, 6. Addison Smith 15:41.51, 8. Catey Campbell 15:45.25, 9. Anaya Lammie 15:51.29, 20. Ava Powers 16:22.09, 28. Ciara Kepner 16:50.54, 44. Kayla Brinley 17:38.72, 47. Daisy Dayberry 17:41.74.

Carmel top eight runners: 5. Charlotte Konow 15:38.28, 10. Ella Gaddis 15:53.68, 15. Rava Chauhan 16:13.04, 16. Kaitlyn Oshimura 16:13.47, 17. Nola Elling 16:14.63, 22. Sadie Foley 16:31.77, 23. Ellie Smith 16:40.33, 26. Ronni Strzynski 16:42.74

University runners: 127. Kelley Trowbridge 20:14.10, 138. Polina Nix 20:44.17, 175. Karmen Bond 22:53.21, 189. Eleanor Dillman 25:15.71, 190. Evie King 30:32.47.

Guerin Catholic hosted the All-Catholic meet on Saturday.

In the boys race, the Golden Eagles were the team runner-up, scoring 53 points. Brebeuf Jesuit won the meet with a total of 35 points, led by a 1-2-3 sweep. Ethan Hines and Jack Weber took fourth and fifth respectively for Guerin Catholic, and all of GC's top five runners placed in the top 16.

The Golden Eagles' girls team placed third, scoring 50 points. It was a close meet, with Bishop Chatard 17:30.1).

scoring 45 points to take the team win. Brebeuf was second with 48 points.

Bridget Gallagher finished third for Guerin, followed by Bailey Freese in fifth place. The Trojans took the top two spots, with Lily Cridge running an astonishing 17:11.0 for the win. Cridge outdistanced her teammate, runner-up Julia Score, by 1 minute and 18 seconds.

BOYS RACE

Race winner: Cameron Todd (Brebeuf Jesuit) 16:07.9.

Guerin Catholic runners: 4. Ethan Hines 16:17.6, 5. Jack Weber 16:27.8, 13. Johnny King 17:33.5, 15. Crocker James 17:40.6, 16. Maxwell Fish 17:42.4, 18. Hunter Kinzle-Gorman 17:50.4, 20. Luke Moster 18:03.6, 23. Nathan Traub 18:23.2, 27. William Gebhardt 18:37.9, 38. John Constantino 20:37.2.

GIRLS RACE

Race winner: Lily Cridge (Bishop Chatard) 17:11.0.

Guerin Catholic runners: 3. Bridget Gallagher 18:50.6, 5. Bailey Freese 19:55.5, 11. Rosie Barrett 20:38.2, 14. Katherine Kolb 21:01.0, 17. Claire Milam 21:14.4, 21. Camille Morrow 21:22.8, 22. Keira Hines 21:27.2, 24. Eva Parr 21:36.0, 27. Sophia Galvin 21:50.3, 28. Ada Mertes 21:51.9.

The Noblesville boys team scored a dominant victory at the Huntington North Invitational on Saturday.

The Millers took five of the top seven spots to total 19 points, well ahead of runner-up Northridge's 83 points. Asher Propst won the race in a time of 16:06.7, Jack Strong was second in 16:06.8, and Ronnie Neal placed third in 16:18.7.

Other Noblesville top seven runners were Caden Click (sixth, 16:27.9), Sam Rinker (seventh, 16:30.4), Alec Moore (11th, 16:43.3) and Ashton Burns (38th,

Thanks for reading The Reporter!



Photo provided

The Carmel girls golf team won the Center Grove Trojan Classic Saturday at Hickory Stick Golf Course, with a team score of 290.

Greyhound girls golfers win **Center Grove Trojan Classic**

The REPORTER

The Carmel girls golf team had another outstanding day on Saturday, winning the Center Grove Trojan Classic at Hickory Stick Golf Club in Greenwood.

The Greyhounds totaled a team score of 290 and had three players finish in the top seven. Ava Nguyen was the individual runner-up with a one-under par 70, Sophie Mock tied for third with a 71 and Michaela Headlee tied for fifth with a 73

Westfield finished third as a team with a score of 302. Samantha Brown's 71 also tied her third place, while Kelsey Haverluck by scoring 73.

Hamilton Southeastern placed sixth with a Kamryn Williams 79.

336. Janelle Garcia tied for eighth individually with a 74. Guerin Catholic scored a 356; Sydney Delagrange was the Golden Eagles' low woman with a 79.

Team scores: Carmel 290, Center Grove Red 299, Westfield 302, Franklin Community 314, Center Grove White 328, Hamilton Southeastern 336, Columbus North 341, Plainfield 348, Guerin Catholic 356, Franklin Central 364, Martinsville 378, Park Tudor 380, Avon 414, Roncalli 420, Whiteland 420, Tipton 425, Southport 426, Cathedral 486.

Medalist: Sage Parsetich (Center Grove) 69.

Carmel scores: Ava was part of the fifth-place tie Nguyen 70, Sophie Mock 71, Michaela Headlee 73, Claire Swathwood 76,

Westfield scores: Samantha Brown 71, Kelsey Haverluck 73, Allie McKeown 78, Addi Kooi 80, Claire Thompson 88.

Southeastern scores: Janelle Garcia 74, Ella Bui 91, Laci Hart 90, Alaina Sumner 91, Emily Vandall 95.

Catholic Guerin scores: Sydney Delagrange 79, ĺzzy Pinon 87, Sarah Rigg 94, Ali Scott 96. Gracie Navarro 100.

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Noblesville was the runner-up at the 14-team Connersville Invitational on Saturday.

The Millers scored a 331, behind only champion Batesville's 327. Caroline Whallon was the individual runner-up with a score of 76. Other Noblesville scores were Josie Kelley 80, Jordan Adam 87, Karis Shields 88 and Olivia Anderson 96.

Hamilton County soccer teams stand out in weekend matches

The REPORTER

The Hamilton Southeastern girls soccer team had an one goal scored against them outstanding performance at this weekend's South Bend St. Joseph Invitational, going 3-0 against very tough competition.

The Class 3A No. 2 Royals started their run Friday night with a 2-0 win over Homestead, the defending state champion and No. 1-ranked team in 3A. Alya Conn scored Southminutes into the game, with Caroline Kelley making the assist. The Royals added another goal early in the secwas handled in the goal box, giving HSE a penalty kick that Kelley put in. Hailey Wade got the Southeastern goalkeeper shutout.

The Royals began Saturday play with a 5-1 win over 3A No. 14 Penn. The score was tied 1-1 at halftime, but Southeastern took control by scoring four goals in the first 15 minutes of the second half. they had the run of play and Conn scored two goals,

with Tatum Coleman, Norah Wans and Kelley each scoring one. Coleman dished out two assists, with Wans, Chloe Count and Lance all handing out one.

The Royals wrapped up the event with a 6-0 win over crossbar. We will continue Warsaw. Kelley and Wans both scored two goals, while Count and Conn each added one goal. Coleman had three assists for the game, with Count and Mya Burow both getting one.

Southeastern coach Greg ened contest. Davidson said that the Roy-

tournament and only had "against ranked opponents and storied programs. Congrats on a great start to the season," he said.

Meanwhile. Hamilton Southeastern's boys team picked up a county rivalry win at Carmel, by the score of 2-1 at the 3A No. 3 Greyhounds' Murray Stadium.

Carmel led 1-0 at halfeastern's first goal just three time, with William Latham scoring the goal. A thunderstorm delayed the second half by an hour. The 3A No. 8 Royals broke through with ond half; Cole Lance's shot 10 minutes left when Logan Puls scored from an assist by Grady Garrard. Then with two minutes left, Evan Shideler sent a free kick into the goal box. Rodrigo Silvestre Muniz won the ball and played it to Rex Randy, who scored to give Southeastern the win.

> "It was a good game," said HSE coach Chris White. "Both teams had times when created several chances."

"I thought we transitioned into our attack and possessed the ball well," said Carmel coach Shane Schmidt. "We were unfortunate to not find the back of the net in the second half, hitting the post and work hard on training and get guys healthy."

Carmel's girls team also won an all-county game, beating 2A No. 3 Guerin Catholic 1-0 in a storm-short-

The 3A No. 4 Grey- goal.

als scored 13 goals for the hounds scored their goal nearly 12 minutes into the first half, when Olivia Cebalo put in a cross from Sophie Shepherd. The game was halted about five minutes into the second half, and eventually called after over an hour due to lightning.

"The front line of Sophie Shepherd, Megan Hamm and Olivia Cebalo were the beneficiaries of great service from both the midfielders and the backs," said Carmel coach Frank Dixon.

The Greyhounds are 3-1 and host their own Carmel Invitational next Saturday.

Noblesville's girls soccer team took care of 2A No. 9 West Lafayette 3-0 on Saturday.

The 3A No. 3 Millers scored twice in the eighth minute. Ava Bramblett put in the first goal, then assisted Meskerem James on the second goal. Bramblett also assisted Noblesville's third goal, which was scored in the 50th minute by Lily Ault.

The Millers' boys team hosted 3A No. 19 Plainfield on Saturday, but had to abandon the game due to the storms right before halftime. Noblesville, ranked No. 5 in 3A, was leading 1-0 with Jake Johns scoring the goal. * * *

Fishers' boys team, ranked No. 1 in 3A, beat Harrison 5-1 on Saturday in its Senior Day game.

Noah Reinhart and Santi Morales both scored two goals for the Tigers, with Kyle Clayton adding one

Volleyball: Noblesville takes trophy at Bishop **Chatard Invitational**

The REPORTER

The Noblesville volleyball team swept to the championship at the Bishop Chatard Invitational on Saturday.

The Millers won three matches at the event, all of them in straight sets. In their first match, Noblesville took care of Delta 25-16, 25-19. The Millers then beat Union

25-20, 26-24, 25-17 in their first game of the day, also getting their first win of the season. In its second match, Carmel fought hard before dropping a tough match to Brebeuf Jesuit, 25-22, 25-22, 25-18.

The 'Hounds host Avon Tuesday.

* * * Hamilton Heights went

Tournament on Saturday.

MLB standings

Saturday's games N.Y. Mets 8, Philadelphia 2 Philadelphia 4, N.Y. Mets 1 Toronto 5, N.Y. Yankees 2 Detroit 4, L.A. Angels 3 Chicago Cubs 6, Milwaukee 5, 11 innings Boston 4, Baltimore 3 Tampa Bay 5, Kansas City 2 Chicago White Sox 2, Cleveland 0

Cincinnati 10, Pittsburgh 1 Texas 4, Minnesota 3, 10 innings Oakland 4, Seattle 3, 10 innings Atlanta 5, Houston 4, 11 innings Colorado 4, San Francisco 3, 10 innings St. Louis 16, Arizona 7 San Diego 2, Washington 1 L.A. Dodgers 7, Miami 0

County 25-18, 25-19 in its second match, then beat the 1-2 at the Western Boone host Trojans 25-14, 25-11 to claim the trophy.

Noblesville hosts Pendleton Heights on Tuesday. * * *

Carmel went 1-1 at its own Round Robin tournament on Saturday.

The Greyhounds beat Warsaw in four sets, 16-25,

The Huskies played the host Stars first, dropping that match 25-14, 25-11. Heights rebounded to score a three-set win over Heri-

tage Christian 16-25, 25-20, 15-9. Heights fell in its third match to Mount Vernon 25-15, 25-16.

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N.Y. Yankees	73	48	0.603	-	N.Y. Mets	7
Toronto	65	54	0.546	7.0	Atlanta	7
Tampa Bay	64	55	0.538	8.0	Philadelphia	6
Baltimore	62	58	0.517	10.5	Miami	5
Boston	60	61	0.496	13.0	Washington	4
Central	W	L	PCT.	GB	Central	\ \
Cleveland	64	56	0.533	-	St. Louis	6
Minnesota	62	56	0.525	1.0	Milwaukee	6
Chicago White Sox		59	0.512	2.5	Chicago Cubs	5
Kansas City	49	73	0.402	16.0	Cincinnati	4
Detroit	46	76	0.377	19.0	Pittsburgh	4
West	W	L	PCT.	GB	West	\
Houston	77	45	0.631	-	L.A. Dodgers	8
Seattle	66	55	0.545	10.5	San Diego	6
Texas	54	66	0.450	22.0	San Francisco	5
L.A. Angels	52	68	0.433	24.0	Arizona	5
Oakland	44	77	0.364	32.5	Colorado	5



CT.	GB	East	W	L	PCT.	GB
603	-	N.Y. Mets	78	44	0.639	-
546	7.0	Atlanta	75	47	0.615	3.0
538	8.0	Philadelphia	66	54	0.550	11.0
517	10.5	Miami	52	68	0.433	25.0
496	13.0	Washington	41	81	0.336	37.0
CT.	GB	Central	W	L	PCT.	GB
533	-	St. Louis	68	51	0.571	-
525	1.0	Milwaukee	63	56	0.529	5.0
512	2.5	Chicago Cubs	52	67	0.437	16.0
402	16.0	Cincinnati	47	71	0.398	20.5
377	19.0	Pittsburgh	47	73	0.392	21.5
CT.	GB	West	W	L	PCT.	GB
631	-	L.A. Dodgers	83	36	0.697	-
545	10.5	San Diego	67	56	0.545	18.0
450	22.0	San Francisco	59	61	0.492	24.5
433	24.0	Arizona	55	65	0.458	28.5
364	32.5	Colorado	53	69	0.434	31.5



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