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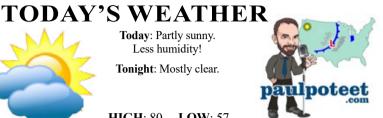






Today: Partly sunny. Less humidity! Tonight: Mostly clear.

**HIGH**: 80 **LOW**: 57



### Labor Day done in Cicero style





Reporter photos by Stu Clampitt

(Above left) Three-year-old Maddox was so happy with the Jurassic Park jeep at Monday's car show at Red Bridge Park in Cicero that his mom was having a hard time getting him to hop off the Triceratops. But really, who doesn't like dinosaurs . . . and cars? The 31st annual Cicero Labor Day Car Show was Monday afternoon at Red Bridge Park on Morse Reservoir. (Above right) In a rare moment when they were not taking care of car fans who wanted to buy grilled hot dogs and the famous Cicero pork chop on a stick, Emily Pearson, Adrienne Rogers and Amy Wolfe were kind enough to pose for The Reporter's camera. See more photos on Page 4 and online at ReadTheReporter.com.

### Football: more than sport for Sheridan, it's about celebrating community's past

Submitted

Football is a big deal in the town of Sheridan. After all, the high school has sported a football team since 1900 and held the first football Homecoming in the state of Indiana in 1923. That made last Friday's Homecoming number 99 for Sheridan!

"One of the many things I love about Sheridan is its rich tradition, which blends into our bright future," Sheridan High School Principal Rick Davis said. "We are proud of our past, but also always looking forward. Homecoming is the perfect opportunity to celebrate both."

This year's Homecomcelebration culminated last Friday night as the Black-



Photo provided by Sheridan Community Schools

The 2022 Sheridan Homecoming Court accompanied King Peyton and Queen Jac.

of planning. Keeping up the the football teams of the 1972,

hawks took on the Trojans from tradition of honoring past foot- 1997, and 2012 seasons were Tri-Central, following a week- ball teams from 10, 25, and 50 long celebration and weeks years in the past, SHS cheer and

honored. A Homecoming court

See Football . . . Page 3

### Last call for Westfield's Dinner Party on Union

The REPORTER

The Downtown Westfield hours begins Association (DWA) will hold at 6 p.m. with the fifth annual Dinner Party on Union on Saturday, Sept. 17 - and this is the last call to get your tickets.

As of Tuesday, only 42 seats remained for the biggest party of the year in the heart of Downtown Westfield. Click **here** to get your tickets before and a live auction. the event is sold out.

Cocktail dinner being served at 7:30

p.m. Guests

will enjoy a three-course meal Westfield. In years past, DWA from Prime 47 Carmel. The has donated to projects in Bishops will provided live en- Grand Junction Plaza and to tertainment, and guests can the Basile Westfield Playhouse. also participate in both a silent



Downtown

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Invite your friends, family, neighbors and coworkers to

event go to- ner parties in the state. Click ward DWA's here to get tickets now.

One more thing . . . Don't forget to show at Evereve at Clay Terrace in Carmel on Thursday, Sept. 8. A total of 10 percent of all sales will be given to DWA. Now is the time to add a few new items to your fall wardrobe or pick something to wear to the Dinner Party on Union. Be sure to mention you All proceeds from this one of the largest outdoor din- are shopping to support DWA.

### **Hamilton County Council discussing 2023 budget**

### Salaries & highway projects top list of new expenditures

#### The REPORTER

Hamilton County Council fits for the members, the financial stewards of county government, county began budget hearings at the employees Judicial Center on Tuesday, as well as Sept. 6. They are working highway to set a budget of just under improve-\$100 million for the 2023 fis- ment proj-

'It's a big budget. It's a big

800-plus

**Schwartz** T h e operation," Council President Council will also be pre- plan for their departments,"



Alexander

that we changed this year is building in equipment obsolescence and maintenance planning. This type of planning during the budget prom on ths cess is one of the many ways before Hamilton County attained these dates the designation as the only as the de-Indiana County with AAA partments bond rating." lay out a

Once approved, the budget will be sent to the State of Steve Schwartz said. "Our sented with budget requests Council Vice President Ken Indiana for approval before biggest expenses are salaries from every department in the Alexander said. "One thing going into effect Jan. 1, 2023.

### Sunbeams of hope

"Come with me into the field of sunflowers; they are far more wonderful than any words about them."

American Mary Oliver, so eloquently describes the golden sunbeams that extend toward the sky, leaving the shadows behind them. Sun-



flowers are utterly striking both en masse and on their own. Many only think of the brilliant, well-known golden faces of sunflowers, but with a wide range of varieties, they come in many other colors besides yellow. Sunflowers not only add beauty to our gardens, but pollinators also love them, making the joyful flower a wonderful addition to backyard habitats looking to promote pollination.

Sunflowers are heliotropic, meaning their flowers follow the daily movement of the sun. Sunflowers provide a long bloom time throughout the summer and are tolerant of heat and resistant to many pests, making them a practical and gorgeous addition to any garden.

These majestic flowers are fast growing, typically reaching maturity in 80 to 95 days. Sunflowers are annuals; they do not come back the following season. However, their seeds may be harvested from the spent blooms and replanted for years to come or enjoyed as a delicious snack by both you and birds.

Many start sunflowers from seed, but you can also purchase starter plants. They do best when planted after the last frost of the season. Some varieties can grow 14 to 16 feet tall, so it is best to plant them in the back of a garden. Given their tall stature, they can provide shade in a garden, so be mindful of what you plant around the sunflowers in your garden, particularly the plants surrounding them that require full sun as their tall stalks may shade other plants in your garden.

See Sunbeams . . . Page 2

### Father & son killed in crash Saturday east of Noblesville

#### The REPORTER

At approximately 12:48 a.m. on Saturday, a Hamilton County Sheriff's Deputy, after observing heavy black smoke in the area, found the scene of a single car crash on State Road 32 east of Deshane Avenue. A dark-colored Chevy Camaro was located on the creek bed where SR 32 crosses Stony Creek. The bridge is currently being replaced by INDOT and was removed earlier in the year.

The Chevy was completely engulfed in flames and heavily damaged. Once the fire was put out by Wayne Township VFD and Noblesville FD, the bodies of an adult male and an unknown child were found

Preliminary investigation shows the vehicle was traveling westbound on State Road 32, and multiple road closure signs were posted. The vehicle continued westbound past those signs and struck a sign stating "Road Closed" that was in the lane of travel. The vehicle continued to where the bridge had been removed and became airborne. The vehicle would have been traveling at a high rate of speed as it crossed the creek and struck the abutment on the other side.

After a tireless investigation, the driver has been identified as Christopher A. Edwards, 28. He likely lived in Tennessee and is originally from Anderson, Ind. Also in the car was his 4-year-old son. Next of kin has been notified by the Red Cross.

This crash is under investigation by the Hamilton County Crash Investigation 2 Opinion

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#### Correction

In a story published on Sunday, Sept. 4 about Carmel Clay School Board candidates Greg Brown, Jenny Brake, and Dr. Adam Sharp, the authorship was incorrectly attributed to the Carmel Education Foundation. In fact, it was submitted by their campaign manager. The Reporter regrets the error.

### **Kummage Sale**

Noblesville Elks #576 will be holding a rummage sale for charity that is open to the public.

We will have household items, tools, kitchen items and more.

Saturday Sept. 10 9 a.m. - 2 p.m. Saturday Sept. 17 9 a.m.- 1 p.m.



**Elks Lodge** 35 S. 9th St.

All proceeds from this event will go to our annual charity campaign

### SUNBEAMS

If you are looking for a local spot in Hamilton County offering sunflower sights, check out Stuckey Farm's Sunflower Festival Sept. 9 to 11 where you can walk through acres of sunflowers and get the perfect fall family photo! You can also stop by your local Hamilton County Farmer's Market and pick up a stalk or bouquet to enjoy inside your home. Make sure to harvest the seeds!

Sunflowers are often the subject for paintings and photography. Vincent Van Gogh painted a series of well-known sunflower paintings, and when asked about their significance, he stated that sunflowers "communicated gratitude." The notion of nature lending itself for us to show our gratitude is something that strikes me.

for Ukraine, which during a time when a country who so desperately yearns for Sunflowers also happen peace, this is so meaning-

to be the national flower ful. I find such symbolism light that they add to a garthat the proud sunflower, which stands tall among others and is a source of brightness in our gardens, can represent a country who needs hope amid such dev- through these sun blossoms astation and destruction.

> I, too, am very grateful for sunflowers. I am thankful for their optimistic symtall and keep shadows to their back, but mostly I am grateful for the beacon of

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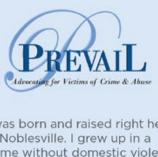


den. The next time you see a sunflower, be grateful and keep those in the Ukraine in vour heart.

Nature is speaking in our garden. It is giving us a reason to have hope and be grateful. Are you listening?

Megan Rathz is a wife, bolism, their ability to stand mother and teacher. She says everything she has ever learned in life came from her Master Gardener mother.





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

- Mike Bragg, GM of Tom Wood Volkswagen in Noblesville

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

- Individually packaged snacks
- Lysol
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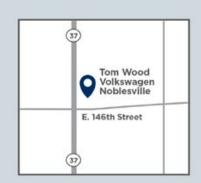
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THE SYLLABUS

Football in S. H. S.

Sheridan has long been known as a "football town." As Heze Clark once wrote, "They give babies footballs there, instead of rattles." From the time a boy is big enough to walk, it is drilled

into him that he must make the high school football team.

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Photos provided by Sheridan Community Schools

(Above) The 1925 Sheridan High School football team. (Right) This excerpt from the 1925 Sheridan High School yearbook gives a glimpse into the rich history of football in Sheridan. (Below) Sheridan students voted to crown King Peyton and Queen Jac at this year's Homecoming festivities.

and queen from the senior rector Beth DeVinney said. unfolded." class were crowned. The "Revisiting old memories team brought home a victory with a decisive 54-7 win.

"Homecoming is like looking through your mind's eye from where your way to celebrate your youth

was presented, and a king story began," Athletic Di- and embrace how your story with friends, teammates and coaches, and sharing your past with your present and future families. What a great

In a small school corporation, Homecoming is not just for high school students; it is a special week for all students, as well as the entire community. Elementary students shared in dress-up day fun and enjoyed the parade.

Abby Williams and Mathew Hewitt, SHS teachers and Student Council sponsors, helped students organize a parade, alumni recognition, powderpuff game, and dress days. This year, Student Council members chose vacation destinations as the theme of the Homecoming parade and produced impressive floats for the annual parade. Like in the past, each class made a float for the parade and competed to win best float prize, and the Class of 2022 took home the prize for students to be involved in the dress-up days. In addithis year.

In the past, all the materials were just thrown away afterward. This year, the

school eleven.

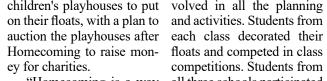
Football has been played in Sheridan high school since 1900, the 1925 season being the twenty-fifth. Since 1905, when football began to be played more generally throughout the state, Sheridan has had nine teams

with a clear claim to the state title and they always have had a team among the first ten of the state. Also, the time has never been known when Sheridan failed to get a man some-

where on the mythical all-state high

In the twenty-five years of football, Sheridan has turned out many future college and independent stars, more perhaps, than any other town in the state and they have gained quite a reputa-tion for so doing. Through the efforts of some of these old stars and others not so famous, a High School Athletic Association has been formed, and in operation for the last two years. The purpose of this organization is to foster high school athletics, especially football. In doing so, in the past two years, they have, among other things, instituted an annual high school homecom-

The first of these was held in 1923 and was the first of its kind in the state. The occasion is always a good football game and old "grads" come from far and near to renew their high school friendships. There are always other forms of entertainment for the affair, which lasts the greater part of two days. This is certainly a big thing for the school and town in general and the association should be praised for their excellent work.



school," Sponsor Abby Williams said. She went on to explain that Student Counstudents built and decorated cil members are highly in-

children's playhouses to put volved in all the planning competitions. Students from "Homecoming is a way all three schools participated and feel connected to their tion to class floats, students from fall sports rode with their teams in the parade. The SHS marching band participated in the parade, makes a difference."

and many FFA members drove the tractors pulling the floats. Many students attended the football game.

"Homecoming, like so many things in Sheridan, is a community event," Superintendent Dave Mundy said. "This community comes together to support their schools and students, and it



# State Senator Jim Buck

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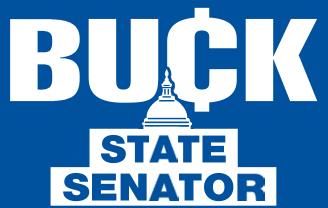


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### 155 cars & countless good memories

Cicero's 31st annual Labor Day Car Show was a big success, even with the threat of rain on Monday afternoon. A total of 155 cars were entered into the show, lining nearly every square foot of space at Red Bridge Park on the shores of Morse Reservoir. (Reporter photos by Stu Clampitt)









Reporter photos by Stu Clampitt

(Above) The community center at Red Bridge Park was filled with craft vendors Monday afternoon. (Above right) The lines for freshly grilled food were often long on Labor Day at Red Bridge Park, and with good reason. We will take our hot dogs cooked until they start to char, please.







(Above left) Connie and Mike Thistlethwaite from Connie's Creations were among the many craft vendors at Cicero's Labor Day event. (Above center) The Reporter found Roberta Bear in the craft area at Cicero's 31st Annual Labor Day Car Show. She runs an interesting little business called Oh Sew Cute by Roberta. Roberta makes memory pillows and teddy bears from the shirts of loved ones. All her keepsake pillows and bears, like the one she is holding in this photo, are handmade. If you'd like one of these unique remembrances, you can reach her at (317) 376-2218. (Above right) Jean Crusenberry and Nancy Redd were working the bake sale booth for Cicero's Friends of the Library Monday. By 2 p.m. they had already sold out of many options, which speaks very well to the friends who donated their time to bake for this fundraiser.





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### Heights' own Doug Ozolins continues serving on ISBA legislative committee

ton Heights school board lows:

member, has been appointed to the Legislative Committee of the Indiana School Boards Association (ISBA) to help direct the development of the Association's advocacy agenda for 2023.



**Ozolins** 

"Serving on the Indiana School Board Association Legislative Committee (ISBA) has been a huge honor," Ozolins said as he readies for his fifth year on the committee. "As a member of the Heights community, it has been an added privilege to work on this committee during Indiana State Representative Tony Cook's time at the Statehouse. I am currently one of the longest serving members of the committee, which gives Heights a strong voice in the legislative process."

The committee members held a day-long meeting on July 15 at the ISBA main offices in Indianapolis to identify and discuss the annual Legislative Priorities and Foundational Statements.

Topics considered by the committee included student learning progress, school funding and inflation, school safety and security, teacher retention, school resource officer training, bus driver shortages, and student mental and behavioral health services.

State Budget & Tuition Support – Increase Teacher Pay & Retention

An annual in-Support at a percentage matching or surpassing the rate of inflation. The Indiana

General Assembly is asked to continue its recent significant effort (during the 2019-2021 and 2021-2023 biennia) to boost state tuition support to help fund increases in teacher compensation and classroom operational expenses.

#### Indiana Secured Schools Safety Grant -School Safety

ISBA supports a significant appropriation increase from \$19 million to \$30 million annually for this grant program. This increase will offset funding shortfalls of unfunded requests in the 2022 grant award cycle. Ensuring safe, secure, and supportive classroom learning environments have escalated in urgency and priority given the rash of tragic school shootings across the nation.

#### Stop Arm Violation Fine & Penalty Enforcement -**Bus Safety**

Enhanced efforts are needed to enforce school bus stop arm violation penalties and fines to better protect students in school bus zones. Legislation introduced in the 2021 and 2022 sessions proposed Some of the topics that that a registered owner of

would lessen the burden of proof to identify the driver of the vehicle.

The final recommendacrease in Tuition tions will be presented to the ISBA Delegate Assembly for formal approval at stake for Hoosier children excellent ideas for change,

state legislators from this an infraction if the owner's the annual ISBA-IAPSS in the 2023 budget session," Doug Ozolins, Hamil- year's activity are as fol- vehicle is used to violate the Fall Conference, which is ISBA Executive Director school bus stop arm law. scheduled for Oct. 3 and 4 Passage of this legislation at the Indiana Convention Center.

> ISBA's Committee is comprised of members on our Legislative two school board members Committee play a vital role from each of ISBA's 10 in helping shape sound edugeographic regions.

Terry Spradlin said. "We all need to be ready to be strong Legislative education. The school board cation policy. We thank them "There will be much at for bringing forward so many

and we appreciate their dedicated public service." About ISBA

The Indiana School champions for K-12 public Boards Association is proud to support excellence in local school board governance through policy resources, legal services, advocacy, and professional development and training. For more information, visit **isba-ind.org**.





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#### Letter to the Editor —

### You can help fund Alzheimer's research by running in Race to Remember 5K

Dear Editor:

Presented by:

Where am I? Who are these people? I don't recognize anyone. What are these marks on this paper? I feel like someone is out to get me. I am angry, confused, disorganized, losing my speech, losing my sense of self, losing my mind.

These are often what people afflicted with Alzheimer's Disease experience. They may be the smartest, most tenacious, hardworking person you know. Perhaps they are soft-spoken, educated, and the kindest person you know. Then personality changes occur, memory loss, paranoia, loss of bodily control and function. They are no longer the person you knew.

Alzheimer's robs them of their memories of loved ones, or special occasions, their speech, sense of self and eventually their identity. This disease invades and plunders every aspect of the individual: their mobility, speech, personality, and cognition.

On Saturday, Sept. 17, we invite the community to join us for the Race to Remember 5K run/walk benefitting the Cure Alzheimer's Fund. All proceeds will go to this amazing research organization that has earned Charity Navigator's highest rank for transparent and efficient use of funds to find a cure.

We will meet at Witten Park in Saxony of Fishers with a start time of 8 a.m. (Race T-shirt pick-up and sign-in starts at 7:15 a.m.) We welcome participants to bring pictures of Alzheimer's warriors past and present. We will celebrate caregivers as well.

All race packets will be filled with organizations and business that help Alzheimer's patients and their families. If you have a support group, extended care facility, home health agency, or church support group, we want to include your information in our race packets. No monetary contribution is necessary to be included in race packet. Thank you to the Hamilton County Reporter for its amazing support.

We welcome all to join us in this effort to end Alzheimer's disease. Sign up at tinyurl.com/alzrun or email race2rememeberinfo@gmail.com.

In hope of a Cure to Alzheimer's Disease, Irene Young, RN, BSN

Race to Remember 5K Community Coordinator

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one letter per person per week.









### Fishers Safety Day

Scout Pack 190 returns to help with Sheriff's Bicycle Rodeo

#### The REPORTER

It's almost time for Fishers Safety Day, and that using fun activities. This is means the return of the Bicycle Rodeo. Bring your bicycle and helmet and head over to the Nickel Plate District AMP on Saturday, Sept. 10. Registration opens at 8 a.m. and the Bicycle Rodeo will take place from 9 to 11 a.m.

The brainchild of Chris Zuber, a Scout Leader in Pack 190 in Fishers, this event was created to teach bike safety on a grand scale pack190fishers.org/spety through a cooperative know you are coming.

effort with the Hamilton County Sheriff's Office by the second year that Scouts will participate in the Fishers Safety Day.

What bike rodeo would be complete without a bike check? This event will have one, so be sure to bring your bike by the repair station and the Scouts will do their best to get the bike into working order.

Be sure to register at to the Fishers communi- cial-events so they will





### **Hamilton County** Bicentennial seeks volunteer hosts for 2023 traveling exhibit

#### The REPORTER

The Hamilton County Bicentennial Commission, the governing body of the Bicentennial Celebration, is seeking exhibit hosts for its upcoming traveling exhibit in 2023. Becoming a host is free and allows local businesses and organizations to couraged to view and sign connect to Hamilton County's 200th anniversary.

Businesses, nonprofits, schools, libraries, retirement communities, and any organization with an indoor space capable of housing the gible to nost.

County Community Foundation, the traveling exhibit it. The support provided will include two 8-by-8-foot, one-sided, free-standing panels with educational and historical information about Hamilton County's history. A team of local historians will produce the exhibit content, and a local graphic designer will design it.

compass all five themes of sion was established by the the 2023 Bicentennial: Art, Diversity/Inclusion, Education, Historic Preservation, Parks/Environment. The historical content based on these themes will educate It will do so in partnership the public about history topics that even long-time citizens might not be aware of.

opening reception in hamcoturns200.com.

February 2023 (date to be determined) and will run from March through the end of October. Each host will receive the exhibit for one week, Saturday to Saturday; pickup and drop-off are to be arranged with the host.

Potential hosts are enup online for an exhibition date. Exhibition dates are awarded on a first-come, first-served basis. The deadline for sign-up is Oct. 1,

The Bicentennial aims exhibit for one week are eli- to create valuable, context-driven conversations Funded by the Hamilton about Hamilton County history through this exhibby the Hamilton County Community Foundation, as well as lead sponsor Duke Energy, allows the Bicentennial to bring this project to the public.

#### About the Hamilton County Bicentennial The Hamilton Coun-

The exhibit will en- ty Bicentennial Commis-Hamilton County Board of Commissioners as the official oversight agency for the upcoming 200th anniversary of the county in 2023. with the Hamilton County Historical Society and Hamilton County Tourism, Inc. The exhibit will have For more information, visit



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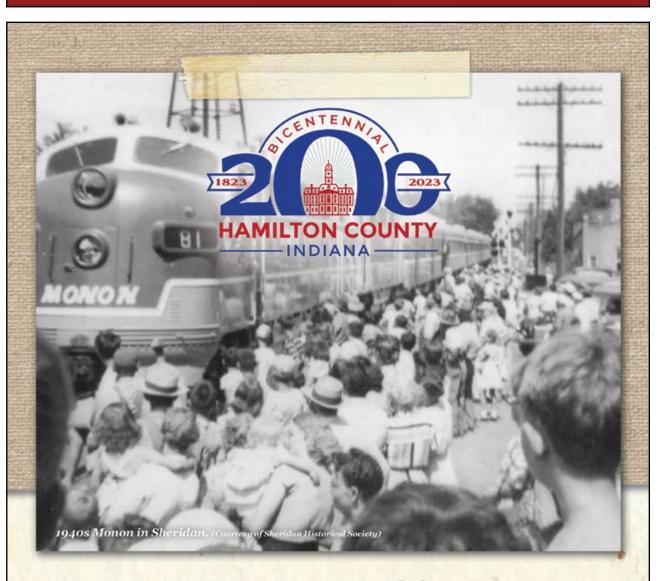




### October 8, 2022 9am-3pm

Fishers High School, 13000 Promise Road

A portion of proceeds supports the band department and their student opportunities like 2023 Macy's Thanksgiving Day Parade participation!



Draw a Crowd for Hamilton County's 200th Anniversary

### **BECOME A BICENTENNIAL** TRAVELING EXHIBIT HOST!

Sign up to connect your local business or organization to the official Bicentennial celebration.

- FREE for hosts to participate!
- Traveling exhibit runs March October 2023
  - Schedule your 1-week exhibit time slot

Businesses, nonprofits, schools, libraries, retirement communities, and any organization with an indoor space capable of housing the exhibit for one week are eligible to host. (Deadline October 1, 2022.)



Potential hosts are encouraged to sign up online for an exhibition date: visit https://bit.ly/3dAvf4i or scan the QR code. Exhibition dates are awarded on a first-come-first-served basis.

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# SIGN UP NOW! REMEMBER 5K WALK/RUN



Saturday September 17th

8 AM (registration begins at 7:15 am) 13256 Saxony Blvd, Fishers, IN 46037

This is the first year for Race to Remember. We will celebrate both survivors and victims of Alzheimer's disease and their families. Bring your photos for display to celebrate their lives.

All donations are fully tax-deductible and go to support the Cure Alzheimer's Fund. Cure Alzheimer's Fund is a non-profit dedicated to funding research with the highest probability of preventing, slowing, or reversing Alzheimer's disease.

Sign up: HTTPS://TINYURL.COM/ALZRUN

**SIGN UP HERE:** 

### Learn more about Westfield Schools operating referendum

The REPORTER

This coming Election Day, Nov. 8, Washington Township voters will have the opportunity to renew the Westfield Washington Schools (WWS) operating referendum at a lower tax community clearly underrate. Funds will be used to retain current staff, keep teacher compensation competitive, avoid increasing class size, and add programming for agricultural science and performing arts.

**Upcoming Community Meetings** 

Wednesday, Sept. 7 at 7 p.m. at Westfield High School Wednesday, Sept. 28 at 7 p.m. at Westfield Middle School Wednesday, Oct. 5 at 7 p.m. at Westfield Intermediate School

stand the facts, WWS administrators will hold three community meetings, the first of which takes place tonight at 7 p.m. at Westfield High School.

Want more information?

In order to help the Click here to read FAQs, calculate your exact tax impact, and more.

> Make sure you're registered to vote at IndianaVoters.com. There you can also update your registration if you've moved since the last

### Rock Garage & 1205 Distillery North in Westfield partner for autism & special needs families

#### The REPORTER

located in Castleton, is partnering with 1205 Distillery North, 120 Camilla Court, Westfield, in a month-long fundraiser to support the special needs and autism communities.

For the four Tuesdays in September, anyone over age 21 is invited to join Rock

Rock Garage, a music 1205 Distillery North for cians to become part of the school and band program food, games, raffle prizes, 50/50 drawings and, of course, great music.

The event itself is free. However, there will be many ways to help raise money to give back to Special Needs Living Indiana (SNL) Autism Nonprofit Partners. A new featured cocktail will be crafted each week with \$10 from each cocktail going toward the fundraiser. In addition, 10 percent of food sales from 1205 Distillery will be donated. All money raised from games and raffles will go directly to the fundraiser.

Each week, doors will open at 4:30 p.m. and will close at 10 p.m. Lu Dog's Grilled Dogs will be featured each week. Mini Sweets will be there Sept. 13 and 27. Becky the Bakester will be there Sept. 20. You can enjoy the various Rock Garage Bands each week as they share different genres of music with you.

Rock Garage is a band program built upon the principles of band chemistry, live experience, and fun. Rock Garage members can join a band then choose and even create their own music to perform at local venues. The goal of Rock Garage is to help young and old, expe-

Garage and their bands at rienced and beginner musimusical excitement around Indianapolis. Rock Garage offers online or in-person lessons in guitar, bass, drums, ukulele, mandolin, banjo and vocals.

Rock Garage is also very active in the community, becoming involved in many events such as this fundraiser. The public is invited to join Rock Garage in this latest venture to give their support.

For more information on Rock Garage, call (317) 610-0111 or go to RockGarageMusic.com.

About Rock Garage

Rock Garage was born out of the pandemic shutdown when Dave & Kate Foellinger, Steve & Kimberly Klinger and Preston & Rocky Nash joined forces to start a Facebook group for musicians to talk about music, upload their songs and share ideas. The group grew to more than 800 members from all over the world and eventually led to establishing a new website and a physical location in the summer of 2020. The Castleton business, located at 8115 Center Run Road, has three large rooms for bands to rehearse and record their music, and smaller rooms for private lessons.

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### Volunteer with Carmel Clay Parks & Rec

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Recreation (CCPR) invites the community to attend

10 at the Monon Commu- of equipment used in proj-Carmel Clay Parks & nity Center, 1235 Central ects, and see how CCPR Park Drive East.

its annual Volunteer Open opportunity to meet staff, work. House event from 11 a.m. learn about volunteer proto 1 p.m. on Saturday, Sept. grams, explore the types teer Open House event Coordinator Caitlin May Community members can away items.

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because it's an intimate, said. "We have so many stop by anytime between interactive way for inter- wonderful ways to get in- 11 a.m. and 1 p.m. the day ested community mem- volved. There's something bers to explore all that our for everyone!" volunteer programs have "We love the Volun- to offer," CCPR Volunteer House is free to attend.

The Volunteer Open

of the event. Attendees who register for upcoming volunteer events will be entered to win fun give-

### IU Health will continue abortion services within confines of law

**By GARRETT BERGQUIST** ready at 90 percent capacity, tients, to preserve the bounds WISH-TV | wishtv.com

Officials with Indiana's largest health care system on Thursday indicated they will

use every loophole in the new

abortion law they can find. Beginning Sept. 15, abortion will be banned in Indiana. The only exceptions will be for rape, incest, to save the mother's life, health or in the case of fatal fetal anomalies. The rape and incest exception runs out 10 weeks into pregnancy, while the medical exceptions are only good for the first 20 weeks of pregnancy or when the fetus attains viability, whichever happens

Hospitals and ambulatory surgical centers will be the only facilities allowed to perform abortions.

IU Health Chief Medical Executive Dr. David Ingram said that the health system officials began investigating how to navigate the new law as soon as Gov. Eric Holcomb signed it on Aug. 5. Besides the legal implications, Ingram said the law has numerous practical effects. For example about 10 percent of pregnancies require specialized care such as a neonatal intensive care unit. Ingram said IU Health's NICU system is alpressure from an increased this new law." number of pregnancies.

they decide whether to remain in Indiana after they complete their residency. There also have been cases where out-of-state recruits have withdrawn their applications due to the new law. Ingram said no current IU Health employees have quit due to the new law so far but the human resources department will specifically ask available to give to patients about this during future exit who are seeking those serinterviews.

Ingram said IU Health will have support teams available around the clock to help doctors determine whether they would run afoul of the new abortion law for any particular patient's case. Each team consists of a clinician, a lawyer and a medical preparations on the assumpethics expert.

we feel that this process has block the law, IU Health will served us well," Ingram said. "The highest priority for us is to provide services to our pa-

so doctors have had to work of the patient physician relaout ways to deal with the tionship within the bounds of

Dr. Caroline Rouse, med-Then there are the staff- ical director of maternity sering effects. Ingram said that vices at IU Riley Hospital for according to a survey, IU Children, said IU Health will medical school residents continue to provide abortion showed 85 percent of them services to the extent the new are taking the passage of the law allows. She said doctors abortion law into account as will not turn patients away and will provide referrals for services it cannot provide, though it will not provide transportation to other states with more permissive abortion laws.

"Providing information to patients is permitted in order to obtain legal abortion services," Rouse said. "And so we have that information vices who do not meet the exception criteria set forth in Senate Bill 1."

The ACLU on Tuesday sued on behalf of Planned Parenthood in an effort to block the law from going into effect. Ingram said IU Health will continue its tion the law become effective "We're prepared and as scheduled. If the courts do continue to provide abortion services in accordance with Indiana's current law.



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### Jocelyn Vare secures education endorsements in State Senate race

#### Submitted by **Vare for State Senate**

Jocelyn Vare, Democratic candidate for Indiana She is also known State Senate District 31, has for her personal secured two leading public and public service education The American Federation From of Teachers (AFT), Indiana and Dr. Jennifer McCormick, Indiana's 44th State Superintendent of Public Schools, officially support Vare. The endorsements recognize Vare's continued advocacy and call for fair and equal investment in Indiana public education.

"Jocelyn Vare has proven to be a tireless advocate for students, showing her incredible support for public school students, educators, staff and administrators," Dr. McCormick said. "Her voice in the State Senate is essential and will have a promising impact on Indiana's future."

Vare is the daughter of two Indiana public school educators and mother to

a current Indiana public highschool teacher. endorsements. to public schools. showing consistently up at local school board meetings to

standing with teachers at the Statehouse, Vare makes the connection between dedicated teachers and community development.

"A community is only as strong as its public schools," Vare said. "And public schools are only as strong as the community that supports them. I support them." During the 2022 legis-

lative session, Vare joined teachers and administrators in opposition to House Bill 1134. According to Vare, the bill threatened educators with legal burdens, ignored student learning loss during the pandemic, and exacerbated Indiana's teacher shortage.

"I am committed to strengthening our public schools," Vare said. "The fact that the Supermajority championed such a destructive bill provides insight into how out-of-touch they have become with their own communities."

After completing more than 3,000 citizen conversations and listening sessions with Indiana State Senate District 31 voters, Vare says she knows people recognize lative session.

dorsements allow me to amplify the voices of parents and students I serve."

Vare

Vare is a business owner who is dedicated to public service. She proves it through her active roles

with community non-profits, public education advocacy organizations, and as an at-large member of Fishers City Council. She was the first Democrat elected to municipal office in the City of Fishers and won her election with strong bipartisan support, including an endorsement from the Fiscal Conservatives of Hamilton County.

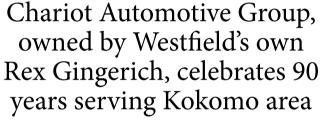
Vare maintains clear focus on ideals of transparency, balance, and representation. She achieves the ideals by listening to neighbors, residents, and constituents she serves. She embraces her reputation for shining a light on decisions others would prefer to leave behind closed doors. An unapologetic independent thinker, she always returns to and keeps the promises she made to those who elected her.

#### About Jocelyn Vare

Jocelyn Vare is an atlarge member of the Fishers City Council and a candidate for Indiana Senate District 31 in 2022. State Senate District 31 was redrawn for the 2022 election and includes all of Fishers, Geist, parts of Noblesville, and the Northeast Side of Indianapolis. Follow Vare on Facebook, Instagram and

For more information diana State Senate District 31, please visit the **Jocelyn** Vare for Indiana website.





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Locally-owned Chariot **Automotive Group (CAG)** is celebrating 90 years of unparalleled service at Button Chrysler Jeep Dodge Ram in Kokomo.

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"We are so proud to have Button in the Chariot Family," Chariot Automotive Group CEO Rex Gingerich. "It's incredible to

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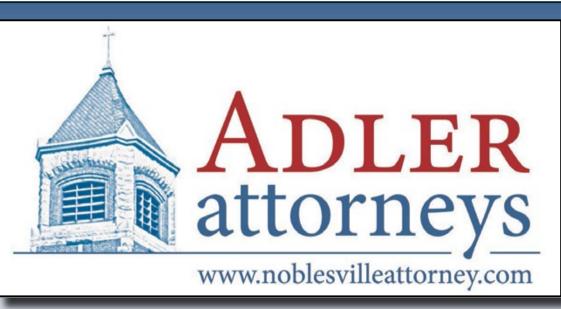
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achieve nearly a century of service. Button is a staple in the Kokomo community and it's an honor to know our customers have trusted us for generations. We are excited to serve them for years to come."

Gingerich lives in Westnity since 1932 when the field and raised his family in the area.

Chariot Automotive Group will mark the occasion with a community celebration at the Button dealership, located at 1220 family when Rex Gingerich E Blvd., Kokomo, from 5 to 9 p.m. on Friday, Sept. 9. There will be a car show, a silent auction, food, and a live band. The Greater Kokomo Chamber of Commerce will honor the historic achievements of Button Chrysler Jeep Dodge Ram through a ceremonial ribbon cutting to begin the celebration at 5 p.m.

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Photos provided by Westfield Library Foundation

Anna Dilley (above left), Margo Greyvenstein (above center) and Amy Adams (above right) were the winners of the Westfield Washington Public Library's Children's Book Writing contest.

### Westfield Library Foundation to hold book shelving ceremony

### Winners of children's book writing contest to be recognized

The REPORTER

Foundation will hold a book lished author and people I read about this contest, I

a.m. on Saturday, Sept. 17 at the Westfield Wash-**Public** ington Library, 333 W. Hoover St. The ceremony will celebrate three Westfield residents-turned-au-



Downey

"Back in April we partnered with Community First Bank of Indiana to host a children's book writing contest in celebration of the library's 120th birthday," explained Foundation Executive Director Erin Downey. "Three winners were chosen, and their books have since been published. We're now inviting those authors back to the library to help us place their books on the

shelves." Anna Dilley, 12, won the Youth Category. Her book, Rocky Goes to the Library, is about a puppy learning to read. An avid reader herself, Dilley says she enjoys writing fiction and fantasy stories.

"I screamed and jumped

out I won," Dilley said. "I and I absolutely love histo-

her \$100 prize in her savings ac-

Margo egory. Her book, An Adventure to Dream For, tells the tale of a young boy who loses

himself in a library book during a storm.

"I was thrilled to win because it's the first time I've ever entered a writing contest," Greyvenstein said. She said she plans to put her \$250 prize toward the purchase of a baby grand piano.

Amy Adams won the Adult Category. Her book, A Book for My Birthday, is written from the perspective of the library and all the books it has received as "gifts" throughout its lifetime. A former journalist, Adams has even ghostwritten a number of books, but this is the first time she'll be credited as the author of

"I've always dreamed up and down when I found of writing a children's book

shelving ceremony at 11 will be able to check out my knew it was time to finally book." She put put pen to paper." Adams won a \$250 prize.

> About Westfield Library **Foundation**

The Westfield Library Greyvenstein, 16, Foundation is a 501(c)(3) won the Teen Cat- non-profit organization sup-

porting innovative programs The Westfield Library can't believe I'm a pub- ry," Adams said. "So, when and services for the Westfield Washington Public Library and its patrons through major gifts, bequests, corporate sponsorships, naming rights and private donations. For more information on the Westfield Library Foundation visit westfieldlibraryfoundation.com.







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### Consumer alert: Products recalled during August

#### The REPORTER

Indiana Attorney General Todd Rokita reminds from Future Motion Hoosiers to be aware of products that were recalled in July. Consumers should take full advantage of the solutions available for those who purchased the recalled items.

"Even though fall is around the corner, there is aRoo Infant Swings and plenty of warm weather left and that means lots of time spent outdoors. Whether Z690 Hero Motherboards it's for yard work or to keep kids busy outdoors, Hoosiers need to know if the products they are using are Sweatshirts with Drawflawed," Rokita said. "Protecting consumers is a priority of my office. If you have difficulty finding a solution for your recalled product, please contact my office immediately."

According to the Con- so Makers from IKEA sumer Product Safety Commission, the following consumer products were recalled in August:

- Cordless Hedge Trimmers from Makita U.S.A.
- Children's Outdoor Kitchens from Big Game
- cle Handlebar/ Stems from Trek Bicycle Corporation
- Ride-On Toys from replacement product. **Huffy Corporation**
- Navitas Vehicle Systems

- Footpads for Onewheel GT Electric Skateboards
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- Children's Hooded strings from Hard Rock
- Patriot Boost Snowmobiles from Polaris Industries
- Kidoozie<sup>TM</sup> Activity Desk Toys from Epoch Ev-
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erlasting Play

If you believe you recently purchased a recalled product, stop using it and check its recall notice. Then follow the notice's instructions, including where to return the product, how to get the product fixed, how to dispose of the product, • Road Bikes and Bicy- how to receive a refund for the product, or what steps must be taken to receive a

To view recalls issued • Steel Rolling Chassis prior to July, visit the Confor Utility Vehicles from sumer Protection Safety Commission website.



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1 Peter 1:22-25 (NIV)

#### Michael Troy Kirby February 10, 1970 - September 4, 2022

Michael Troy Kirby, 52, Noblesville, passed away on Sunday, September 4, 2022. He was born on February 10, 1970, to Mike J. and Cyndi K. (Marcum) Kirby in Noblesville.

Michael was a 1988 graduate of Noblesville High School and worked

as a chef for Meijer Corporation. He is survived by his parents, Mike & Cyndi Kirby; companion of

21 years, Paulette Lochard; children,

Cameron Michael Kirby, Tiffany Nicole (Caleb) Cook, Randy Taylor, and Brandon Cory Lochard; brother, Christopher L. (Kathy) Kirby; and his grandchildren, Emelia Grace Cook, Bensyn Able Cook, and Linkon Wayne Cook. Visitation will be from 11 a.m. to noon on Tuesday, Sep-

tember 13, 2022, at Randall & Roberts Funeral Home, 1150 Logan St., Noblesville. A private family burial will be held. Memorial contributions may be made to Humane Soci-

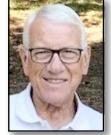
ety for Hamilton County, 10501 Hague Road, Fishers, IN 46038 (hamiltonhumane.com).

Condolences: randallroberts.com



#### Robert F. Sterioti 1945 – September 3, 2022

Robert F. "Bob" Sterioti, 77, Shorewood, Ill., the father of a Noblesville woman, passed away



peacefully in his sleep on Saturday, September 3, 2022, at home. Bob and his wife were the well-

known and popular owners of Bob and Sis' Italian Restaurant and later, Bob and Sis' Catering, both in Joliet, Ill., where many lifelong and enduring friendships were made over the years. Bob was a loving and caring hus-

band, father and grandfather who was devoted to his family and lived for his grandsons. Fondly known as "Pa," he was actively involved in all their sporting events, band concerts and school activities. As an involved and active member of the Cathedral of St. Raymond, he was a man of faith, and his faith served as a guide to others.

Bob's story includes more than the accomplishments and landmarks of his life. Many people looked up to him and he was a father figure to many. He led an active life filled with fun and laughter. Affectionately known also as "Chunk," he had a warm and outgoing personality which allowed him to meet you as a stranger but leave as a friend.

Bob is survived by his beloved wife of 56 years, Anna Marie "Sis" Sterioti of Shorewood; two devoted children, Robert (Wendy) Sterioti of Shorewood, and Rebecca (David) Talarico of Noblesville; six adoring grandsons, Samuel (Elli) and Maximos Sterioti, and David (Samantha), Robert, Joseph (fiancée Erin Stock), and Thomas Talarico; and his sweet great-granddaughter, Emerson Talarico. He is also survived by his brother, Richard (Janice) Sterioti; his wife's siblings; and a number of nieces and nephews.

Visitation for Robert Sterioti was held on Wednesday, September 7, 2022, at the Fred C. Dames Funeral Home, 3200 Black Road, Joliet. Funeral services will be held on Thursday, September 8, 2022 at the Cathedral of St. Raymond Nonnatus in Joliet, where Bob was an active member.

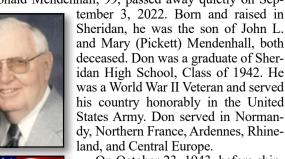
In lieu of flowers, memorials in his name to the Cathedral of St. Raymond Nonnatus would be appreciated.

For more information, please call (815) 741-5500 or visit his Memorial Tribute at **fredcdames.com**.

### List your group's events on The Reporter's **Events Calendar!** READTHEREPORTER.COM/EVENTS

#### Donald William Mendenhall June 25, 1923 – September 3, 2022

Donald Mendenhall, 99, passed away quietly on Sep-





On October 23, 1943, before shipping overseas, he married the love of his life, Roberta Mae (Cottingham) Mendenhall, who preceded him in death in 2016. They were married for

over 72 years. They raised five children: Neil (Pamela) Mendenhall, Mark (Roberta) Mendenhall, Marcia (Allen) Pettigrew, Ann (Ronald) Granville, and Nancy (Mitchell) Cain. Don was a proud granddad to 12, great-granddad to 26, and great-granddad to seven.

When Don returned home from the service, he took a job with Chrysler in Indianapolis and farmed his family farm until retiring. Don was a member of UAW Local 1226 and was a 50+ year member of the Sheridan Fidelity Masonic Lodge 309.

Don and Roberta "Bobbie" enjoyed their monthly euchre club card games with their lifelong friends for 70 years. They spent many of their retirement years wintering in Florida. Don enjoyed woodworking and made some beautiful pieces of furniture. He was incredibly talented at making toys for his grandchildren.

Preceding Don in death was his wife, Roberta, in 2016; and his siblings, Louise Hines, Howard "Joe" Mendenhall, George Mendenhall, and Harold "Red" Mendenhall.

A graveside service will take place at 11 a.m. on Friday, September 9 at Crown View Cemetery located on State Road 38 in Sheridan, where interment will be. The Rev. John Meunier will be officiating.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made in his memory to Crown Pointe Assisted Living, 610 Crown Pointe Drive, Lebanon, IN 46052; or Sheridan United Methodist Church, 207 E. 2nd St., Sheridan, IN 46069, in memory of Donald and Roberta (Bobbie) Mendenhall.

Fisher Family Funeral Services is honored to serve the Mendenhall Family. You may leave condolences at fisher-

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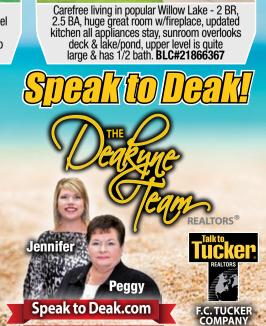


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Tennis -



Reporter photo by Richie Hall

The Hamilton Southeastern boys tennis team beat Fishers 4-1 to win the Mudsock trophy on Tuesday. The Royals picked up wins at Nos. 1 and 2 singles and No. 2 doubles, then took the No. 1 doubles match in two tiebreak sets.

### Mudsock begins: HSE takes victory

By RICHIE HALL

sports@readthereporter.com

FISHERS - Mudsock week began at the Hamilton Southeastern tennis courts on Tuesday, and the host Royals came away with the victory.

Southeastern beat Fishers 4-1 to claim the Mudsock trophy in boys tennis, the first in several competitions taking place this week. All of the matches were decided in straight sets, but first-year Royals coach Graham McMullen understands that this dual meet will be hard-fought, no matter what.

"Fishers is a great team," said McMullen. "They're competitive at every single position. Always a fun team to play.'

Southeastern's first three victories came at Nos. 1 and 2 singles and No. 2 doubles. The No. 1 singles match was between two of the area's best players, the Royals' Rohan Golla winning 6-3, 6-2.

The closest match of the meet was at No. 1 doubles. Southeastern's Abhi Chaddha and Nolan Houseman prevailed in two tiebreaks over Fishers' Thomas Beuler and Jack Butler. Even though the meet had already been decided, the two teams were still intense throughout the close second set.

"It's a school that's two and a half miles west of us, and all these kids know each other from growing up with each other, hanging out on the weekends, etc.," said McMullen. "It's just an electric match all across the board."

In this week's Indiana High School Tennis Coaches Association rankings, Southeastern is rated No. 5 and Fishers is ranked No. 6. It's been a new experience for the Tigers, who coach Dave Heffern said have five new starters on this year's team, representing both doubles teams and No. 3 singles.

"Hopefully, we can do something about it and try to get better so we can have a chance at the conference," said Heffern.

The Royals are 8-3 and travel to No. 19 Avon Thursday. The Tigers are 6-3 and play another all-county meet Thursday at West-

#### **HAMILTON SOUTHEASTERN 4,** FISHERS 1

No. 1 singles: Rohan Golla (HSE) def. Reese Knoderer (F) 6-3, 6-2

No. 2 singles: Paul Schneider (HSE) def. Matthew Kordesh (F) 6-1,

No. 3 singles: Aidan Foley (F) def. Leo McVeigh (HSE) n/a

No. 1 doubles: Abhi Chaddha and Nolan Houseman (HSE) def. Thomas Beuler and Jack Butler (F) 7-6 (3), 7-6

No. 2 doubles: Logan Bill and Elliot Cox (HSE) def. Quinn Perusse and John Wells (F) 6-1, 6-2

Westfield, ranked No. 21 in the state, Golla and the Tigers' Reese Knoderer, with beat No. 24 Noblesville 4-1 Tuesday at the Miller's tennis courts.

> The Shamrocks swept all three singles positions, with No. 1 Mitch Amenta, No. 2 Ben Jones and No. 3 Matt Drozlek getting the victories. Westfield's No. 1 doubles team of Jack Dietz and Gavin Dietz also won. The Millers' lone victory came from No. 2 doubles Camden David and Caden David.

> The 'Rocks host No. 13 Brebeuf Jesuit this afternoon before their match with Fishers. Noblesville returns to action Thursday, taking on Franklin Central.

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Noblesville's Ethan Feliciano (left) and Westfield's Mitch Amenta (right) played No. 1 singles for their respective teams during the Millers-Shamrocks dual meet on Tuesday.

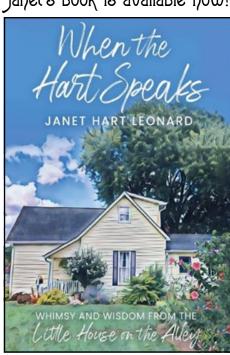
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#### **Meeting Notices**

The Hamilton East Public Library Board meeting scheduled to discuss the Library's Collection Development Policy at 4 p.m. on Thursday, Sept. 8, in the Noblesville Library has been canceled. Future date TBD.

Pursuant to IC 5-14-1.5-5 (a) The Hamilton County Board of Commissioners have rescheduled the Sept. 30, 2022 highway meeting. They will now meet at 8:30 a.m. on Friday, Sept. 9, 2022, at the Hamilton County Highway Department, 1700 S. 10th St., Noblesville. The purpose of the meeting is for discussion of highway projects and other county business.

TriCo Regional Sewer Utility will hold its monthly Board of Trustees meeting at 6 p.m. on Monday, Sept. 12, 2022, at 7236 Mayflower Park Drive, Zionsville.

The Hamilton East Public Library Board of Trustees Building and Grounds Committee meet ing has been rescheduled from Wednesday, Sept. 7 to Thursday, Sept. 15 at 4 p.m. in the East Meeting Room of the Fishers Public Library, 5 Municipal Drive, Fishers

The Carmel Historic Preserva tion Commission will meet at 6 p.m. on Thursday, Sept. 8, 2022 in the Caucus Room on the sec ond floor of the Carmel City Hall, 1 Civic Square, Carmel.

The Sheridan Public Library Board will hold a public meeting to discuss the 2023 budget at 6 p.m. on Monday, Sept. 12, 2022, in the Community Room of the library, located at 103 W. 1st St., Sheridan. The regular monthly meeting will follow at 6:15 p.m.

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Soccer

### Fishers boys take Mudsock trophy

By RICHIE HALL

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FISHERS – A soccer team will never say "no" to an early lead, but playing with that lead can also be a big test.

The Fishers boys soccer team passed that test Tuesday night when it hosted Hamilton Southeastern in the Mudsock game. The Tigers scored during the 14th minute, then held on for the other 66 minutes to eventually claim a 1-0 victory, and thus retain the Mudsock trophy for another year.

The game was played on the Fishers football field, in front of over 1,000 fans. Both teams are ranked very high in the Indiana Soccer Coaches Association's latest Class 3A poll, with the Tigers No. 6 and the Royals No. 4.

"I thought that was a really great game between two good high school teams battling the whole night," said Fishers coach Phil Schmidt. "A lot of credit to the HSE boys, they played their hearts out. We were fortunate to get the one and then keep our net clean, so proud of the effort from both teams. I thought it was really well-coached and really well-played."

Kyle Clayton scored the Tigers' goal, off an assist by Noah Reinhart. Both teams Lawrence North 8-0 on Lawrence North on Tueshad their chances, with each one making several shots in the second half.

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ally good teams close," said Schmidt. "Close loss last week, tied Noblesville, so we really needed a good win against a good team. I hope it propels us. This is the start of the second half of the season. And we talked about it propelling us tonight."

plined that us tonight."

Hoosier Crossroads Conference play and 5-2-2 overall. Fishers' next game is Saturday at Columbus East. The Royals are 2-1-1 in the conference and 6-1-2 overall, and host 2A No. 14 Guerin Catholic Thursday for their Senior Night game.

In another all-county boys soccer game, 3A No. 18 Westfield beat 3A No. 3 Noblesville 1-0 on Tuesday.

Stats were not available. HCC play and 2-2-3 overall, and play next Tuesday at Hamilton Southeastern. The Millers are 1-1-1 in the conference and 3-1-2 overall, Thursday.

Carmel's boys, ranked Tuesday.

Will Latham and Colin Fettig both scored two

"Fishers is a good team," said HSE coach Chris White. "I think this game came down to toughness and discipline and they were tougher and more disci-The Tigers are 2-1-2 in

> Hamilton Southeastern. The Tigers scored an early goal and held the lead from there. Brody Harlan, Josiah Shepson and Hayden Warneke each getting one goal. Fettig made two assists, followed by one each for Dilling, Alex Kaczmarek, Barden Thomson, James Gilbert, Drew Thomson and Chris Gabriel. Adam Keleher and Jacob Havice combined for the goalkeeper shutout.

Tonight we did a good The Shamrocks are 2-0-2 in job of switching the point of attack and finding the far runner with an angled ball," said Greyhounds coach Shane Schmidt.

Carmel is 5-2-2 and and travel to Southport on plays Friday at 3A No. 7 Columbus North.

No. 5 in 3A, sailed past also got an easy win over day, beating the Wildcats

Ava Cabellon scored the "We've played some regoals, with Davis Dilling, 3A No. 3 Greyhounds' first

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goal, with Megan Hamm emy on Thursday. making the assist. Olivia Cebalo put in Carmel's second goal, off a Sophie Shepherd assist. Cebalo has scored six goals this season. Greta Heyl scored on a free kick in the 34th minute, and Carmel had a 3-0 halftime lead.

Shepherd added the Greyhounds' fourth goal, off an assist by Emma Barrett. Hamm finished the Carmel scoring by putting in a ball of a Camryn Love pass.

The Greyhounds are 7-1-1 and plays at 3A No. 12 Chesterton Saturday afternoon.

The University boys The Carmel girls team team beat Bishop Chatard 2-1 in a Tuesday game.

> Chris Millen and Remy Lance scored both of the 1A No. 3 Trailblazers' goals. University is 5-2-1 and hosts Anderson Prep Acad-

The Fishers boys soccer team won the Mudsock trophy Tuesday with a hard-fought 1-0 win over

a 2-1 game to 2A No. 4 els to 3A No. 1 Noblesville Bishop Chatard on Tuesday. tonight for an HCC game.

Ari Williams scored the 3A No. 17 Shamrocks' goal. Westfield's girls dropped Westfield is 4-3-1 and trav-

Reporter photo by Richie Hall

### **Soccer Polls**

**3A GIRLS** 

1. Noblesville

3. Carmel

4. Castle

7. Zionsville

8. Cathedral

10. Homestead

12. Chesterton

14. Crown Point

15. East Central

16. North Central

18. Mount Vernon

20. Lake Central

**2A GIRLS** 

4. Chatard

7.

8. Leo 9. Bellmont

Tri West

10. Silver Creek

13. Batesville

12. Hanover Central

14. Gibson Southern

17. Hamilton Heights

15. West Lafayette

16. Northwestern

18. Heritage Hills

19. Northwood 20. Jasper

**1A GIRLS** 

3. Heritage Christian

4. Evansville Christian 5. Faith Christian

6. Evansville Mater Dei

8. Oldenburg Academy

9. Switzerland County

1. Park Tudor

2. Providence

2. Brebeuf Jesuit

1. Evansville Memorial

3. Mishawaka Marian

Guerin Catholic 6. Bishop Dwenger

17. Westfield

19. Warsaw

13. Fishers

11. Evansville Reitz

2. Hamilton Southeastern

South Bend St. Joseph

Center Grove

9. Bloomington South

Here are the Indiana Soccer Coaches Association polls for the week of Sept. 5.

#### **3A BOYS**

- Zionsville
- 2. Chesterton Noblesville
- Hamilton SE
- Carmel 6. Fishers
- Columbus North
- Castle
- 9. Valparaiso 10. Penn
- 11. Perry Meridian 12. Bloomington South
- 13. Warsaw
- 14. Lake Central
- 15. Pike
- 16. Munster
- 17. Elkhart
- 18. Westfield
- 19. Goshen
- 20. Center Grove

#### **2A BOYS**

- West Lafayette
- **Evansville Memorial**
- Brebeuf Jesuit Canterbury
- Mishawaka Marian Concordia Lutheran
- Heritage Christian
- **Culver Academies**
- Speedway 10. South Bend St. Joseph
- 12. Bishop Dwenger
- 13. Heritage Hills
- 14. Guerin Catholic
- 15. Lawrenceburg
- 16. Providence 17. Yorktown
- 18. Batesville
- 19. Cascade
- 20. Leo

#### **1A BOYS**

- Park Tudor 2. Westview
- 3. University
- Faith Christian
- Carroll 6. Kouts
- Forest Park
- **Covenant Christian**
- Switzerland County
- 10. South Knox
- 11. Providence Cristo Rev 12. North White
- 13. Bethany Christian
- 14. Southwestern (Hanover)
- 15. Wheeler
- 16. Oldenburg Academy
- 17. Lafayette Central Catholic
- 18. North Putnam
- 19. Southwestern (Shelby)
- 20. Blackhawk Christian
- 10. Trinity 11. Westview

7. Andrean

- 12. Covenant Christian
- 13. Argos
- 14. Canterbury
- 15. Blackhawk Christian 16. Northeast Dubois
- 17. DeMotte Christian
- 18. Forest Park
- 19. Muncie Burris
- 20. Sullivan

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Weekly Indiana Golf Rankings





(Above left) Sheridan's Senne IJzer had powerful hits for the Blackhawks, who won their first Hoosier Heartland Conference match of the season Tuesday by beating Taylor. (Above right) Macy Hinshaw helped Hamilton Southeastern to a five-set win at Yorktown on Tuesday.

### HSE gets big win ahead of Thursday's Mudsock match

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The Hamilton Southeastern volleyball team got a big win on Tuesday, edging out Yorktown in five sets at the Tigers' gym.

The Royals won 25-19, 25-17, 14-25, 23-25, 15-10. With the victory, Southeastern is 10-1 for the season.

"That's a great team that we played tonight," said Royals coach Jason Young. "What we told them beforehand is play with confidence. Take swings. You got to win with swings. Set one and two, and then in five, we swung our way out of trouble.

"Sets three and four we got ourselves in trouble by trying to tip the ball a little bit, get a little cute. We made too many errors in set three and let them back in;

point, so we've got to be all served five aces for the a little bit cleaner on that. Blackhawks. IJzer hit 12 We're still a young team, and we're still learning and figuring things out. It's still solo block and collected 10 early in the season, but it's digs. Cross handed out 21 nice to get a test. It's nice to assists. Bates and Meredith get a five-set test."

Southeastern travels to Fishers on Thursday for the conference and 2-7 overall, Mudsock match.

Fishers also got a victory prior to the Mudsock match, sweeping Lawrence North 25-23, 25-14, 25-17 on Tuesday.

The Tigers are 9-4 for 16, 25-23. the season.

first Hoosier Heartland Conference win of the season the Zionsville hitters, while Tuesday, sweeping Taylor setter Callie Thomson cov-25-21, 25-17, 25-13.

kills, while Cross put down five. IJzer also made one Krupp both had six digs.

Sheridan is 1-2 in the and hosts International at 6:30 p.m. tonight.

Hamilton Heights dropped a straight-set, but hard-fought match at Zionsville on Tuesday, 25-9, 25-

After a slow start, the Huskies played the Eagles Sheridan picked up its better in the third set. Libero Kennedy Cherry shut down ered the court well. Lauren Nova Cross, Senne IJzer Lewis scored several points

## we made six in a row at one and Jacquellynne Bates in the outside position.

Tuesday's games Pittsburgh 8, N.Y. Mets 2 Tampa Bay 8, Boston 4 Philadelphia 3, Miami 2 Baltimore 9, Toronto 6

Chicago Cubs 9, Cincinnati 3 St. Louis 4, Washington 1 Cleveland 4, Kansas City 1

Texas 4, Houston 3 Colorado 10, Milwaukee 7 L.A. Angels 5, Detroit 4 San Deigo 6, Arizona 5 Atlanta 10, Oakland 9 Seattle 3, Chicago White Sox 0 L.A. Dodgers 6, San Francisco 3 Postponed: Minnesota at N.Y. Yankees

#### American League

American League					National League					
East	W	L	PCT.	GB	East	W	L	PCT.	GB	
N.Y. Yankees	81	54	0.600	-	Atlanta	85	51	0.625	0	
Tampa Bay	76	58	0.567	4.5	N.Y. Mets	85	51	0.625	-	
Toronto	75	60	0.556	6.0	Philadelphia	74	61	0.548	10.5	
Baltimore	72	64	0.529	9.5	Miami <sup>·</sup>	55	79	0.410	29.0	
Boston	67	70	0.489	15.0	Washington	48	88	0.353	37.0	
Central	W	L	PCT.	GB	Central	W	L	PCT.	GB	
Cleveland	70	64	0.522	-	St. Louis	80	56	0.588	-	
Minnesota	68	65	0.511	1.5	Milwaukee	71	64	0.526	8.5	
Chicago White Sox	68	68	0.500	3.0	Chicago Cubs	57	78	0.422	22.5	
Kansas City	55	82	0.401	16.5	Cincinnati	53	80	0.398	25.5	
Detroit	51	85	0.375	20.0	Pittsburgh	50	84	0.373	29.0	
West	W	L	PCT.	GB	West	W	L	PCT.	GB	
Houston	87	49	0.640	-	L.A. Dodgers	99	42	0.689	-	
Seattle	77	59	0.566	10.0	San Diego	75	62	0.547	19.0	
L.A. Angels	60	76	0.441	27.0	San Francisco	65	69	0.485	27.5	
Texas	59	76	0.437	27.5	Arizona	65	70	0.481	28.0	
Oakland	50	86	0.368	37.0	Colorado	58	79	0.423	36.0	

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6:40 Cathedral at Chatard IIndiana SRN 6:40 South Bend Adams at South Bend St Joseph | Indiana SRN

6:40 Eastern Hancock at Heritage Christian | Indiana SRN 7:00 Westfield at Noblesville | Hamilton County TV Sports 7:00 Sheridan at Delphi | Bragg Sports Media

7:40 Evansville Mater Dei vs Evansville Memorial | Indiana SRN

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