



Frank Grunwald shares his story of surviving Holocaust

The REPORTER

From 11 a.m. to just after 1 p.m. last Thursday, more than 200 people gathered at IMMI Conference Center, 18880 N. East St., Westfield, to listen to Holocaust survivor Frank Grunwald talk about his experience surviving the Terezin ghetto and three concentration camps, including Auschwitz, after the Nazi occupation of Czechoslovakia when he was a child.

No text summary of this event would do even the one-hour synopsis of Grunwald's story justice, but for those who would like to learn more, his life story became the 2012 documentary *Misa's Fugue*.

Thursday's event was a special presentation of the West-



(From left) Westfield Chamber CEO Steve Latour, Frank Grunwald, and Mayor Andy Cook.

field Chamber of Commerce, Metro North. Student tables Carmel were sponsored by sponsored by The Hamilton County Reporter and The Zulu Guerin Catholic High School Werks and Community First Group at Keller Williams Indy and Coram Deo Academy in Bank of Indiana.

Riverview Health implements visit restrictions for flu

The REPORTER

As the number of flu cases is increasing, Riverview Health is taking added precautions to protect patients, families, staff members and community from unnecessary exposure to influenza.

As of Monday, Dec. 5, Riverview Health will implement these temporary visitation restrictions:

- No visitors with influenza-like illness, fever, or cough.
- No visitors under the age of 16 unless special arrangements are made.
- No visitors except immediate family, partner or significant other.

As Riverview Health works to provide a safe environment for patients and staff, please excuse any inconvenience this visitation restriction may cause. Riverview Health will continue to monitor conditions and remove the restrictions as soon as it is safe to do so.

Duke employee steps up to help local agency close to her heart

By DAGNY ZUPIN
Duke Energy

A group of Duke Energy employees donated their time to the Humane Society for Hamilton County (HSHC) during a company volunteer event last Wednesday.

The group worked alongside approximately 60 other individuals who volunteer at the humane society on a daily basis.

Jennifer Hatcher, director of development at HSHC, says the nonprofit utilizes 70 to 90 volunteers a day to ensure facilities stay clean and animals receive the love and care they need. The organization re-



(From left) Susan Wilde, Caitlin Gorman, Brittany Burdine, and Janna McCardel volunteered their time at the Humane Society.



Bicentennial book will launch Dec. 10

The REPORTER

The Hamilton County Bicentennial Commission proudly announces the release of *Celebrating Hamilton County, Indiana: 200 Years of Change*, the official commemorative book of Hamilton County's 2023 bicentennial.

The public is invited to a holiday open house and book launch party from noon to 5 p.m. on Saturday, Dec. 10 at the Hamilton County Historical Society, 810 Conner St., Noblesville. Meet the authors, enjoy refreshments, and tour the museum. Limited quantities of the book will be available for purchase with cash.

Buyers who preordered and chose pick-up rather than delivery can get their books during the launch party. Books will also be available for pickup on Dec. 17 during regular business hours, noon to 5 p.m. (Please call the Bicentennial at (317) 674-3150 to make other arrangements if this is not convenient for you.) People who pre-ordered the book and chose to have it shipped can expect their order to arrive in early December.

The glossy, 9-by-12-inch, full-color book features events and figures many people know and love, as well as never-before-published photographs, stories, and oral histories. Read about Hamilton County's earliest inhabitants and each of its nine townships.

Celebrating Hamilton County, Indiana: 200 Years of Change is available on Amazon and through MT Publishing Co. (mtpublishing.com). Visit at hamcoturns200.com/our-book for an updated list of local retail stores carrying the book in the coming weeks.

About the Bicentennial

The Hamilton County Bicentennial Commission was established by the Hamilton County Commissioners as the official oversight agency for the 200th anniversary of the county in 2023. It will do so in partnership with the Hamilton County Historical Society, Hamilton County Tourism Inc., and lead sponsor Duke Energy. For more information, visit hamcoturns200.com.

Hamilton Co. Republican Women gather & give back for Christmas



Hamilton County Republican Women (HCRW) held their annual holiday lunch meeting last Saturday at Stone Creek Dining, 13904 Town Center Blvd., Noblesville. HCRW members and guests were asked to bring gift cards to be distributed to local youth service organizations. Over \$900 was collected by this group of gals. The guest speaker was retired judge and current at-large County Councilman Steve Nation, who talked about the Hamilton County Comprehensive Mental Health Plan. Keep reading The Reporter to learn more about that important project in an upcoming edition.

Uh-oh! Christmas is about to hit the stage in Carmel

By STU CLAMPITT
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Kate Hinman had taken a little break from theater before agreeing to direct *Uh-Oh, Here Comes Christmas!* for Carmel Community Players (CCP). Hinman told The Reporter she got a copy of the script from Lori Raffel to help her decide if this was the show to bring her back into the community theater world.

"It is a series of vignettes, and after the third vignette I knew I wanted to do it because it is just a wonderful show," Hinman said.

Get Your Tickets

When: Dec. 9 to 18. Thursday, Friday and Saturday shows at 7:30 p.m. Sunday shows at 2:30 p.m.

Where: The Cat, 254 Veterans Way, Carmel

Cost: \$18 for adults 18 and older, \$16 for seniors 62 and older and for students with ID

Where to buy: Go to carmelplayers.org/tickets or call (317) 815-9387 for tickets.

This charming show takes a funny, heartwarming and often poignant look at the struggle to find the spirit of the holidays amid the avalanche of commercialism, stress and chaos that crashes down every December.

The play is a collection of Christmas stories taken from Robert Fulghum's books. Fulghum is the best-selling author of *All I Really Need to Know I Learned in Kindergarten*.

With a cast of five, there are several characters who only exist in the imagination.

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The cast of Uh-Oh, Here Comes Christmas! (all five of them) are ready to offer audiences a fun, heartwarming experience at The Cat, 254 Veterans Way, Carmel.

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Don't miss Northern Chamber's Charity Bottle Auction

The REPORTER

One of the Northern Hamilton County Chamber of Commerce's (NHCCC) most popular events, the annual Charity Bottle Auction, is coming up.

The event will take place from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Thursday, Dec. 8 at United Animal Health, 4310 W. State Road 38, Sheridan. A wide assortment of wrapped bottles will be given to the highest bidder. In addition, guests will enjoy a special holiday performance from the Hamilton Heights choir.

As in previous years, NHCCC is asking its members to giftwrap a bottle or

two of something to donate. This could be your favorite alcoholic beverage or something disguised to surprise the highest bidder such as a bottle of salad dressing. The only limits are your imagination!

Collections for bottles for this year's auction are currently underway. All proceeds from this year's auction will be allocated to NHCCC's not-for-profit members. If you would like to donate a bottle, please email jesy.ide@nhccc.org.

Register at tinyurl.com/NHCCCCharityBottleAuction2022.

County officials tour Parks & Rec



Photo provided by Hamilton County Parks & Recreation

During their recent tour of several Hamilton County public service departments, Hamilton County Council Member Sue Maki and newly elected Council Member Tim Griffin met with county parks leadership. Parks Director Chris Stice and Deputy Director Bruce Oldham welcomed the elected officials at the parks administrative office and familiarized them with departmental operations. Details regarding future parks projects and developments were also shared during the visit. To learn more, visit MyHamiltonCountyParks.com, call (317) 770-4400 or follow Hamilton County Parks at [Facebook.com/MyHCPR](https://www.facebook.com/MyHCPR). (Above) Hamilton County Parks and Recreation leaders greeting county council members. (From left) HCPR Deputy Director Bruce Oldham, County Council Member-elect Tim Griffin, County Council Member Sue Maki, and HCPR Director Chris Stice.

Hamilton County's own Mark Heirbrandt named Commissioner of the Year



Photo provided

Hamilton County Commissioner Mark Heirbrandt was recently honored as the Commissioner of the Year by the Indiana Association of Counties. "I am incredibly honored to have been awarded Commissioner of the Year at the Indiana Association of County Commissioners Conference," he said. "The organization also elected me President of the Association. I look forward to serving in this capacity."

Sheriff's Office thanks these fine folks for taking part in Citizens Academy



Photo provided by Hamilton County Sheriff's Office

Last Friday, the Hamilton County Sheriff's Office (HCSO) Citizens Academy graduated Class 2022-25 after 12 weeks of curriculum, hands-on experiences and ride-alongs. HCSO thanks participants for taking time out of their busy work schedules and personal lives to take part in the program. If the HCSO Citizens Academy is something you would like to attend, go to hamiltoncounty.in.gov/546/Citizens-Academy to fill out an application. Please be advised that this course is popular and does fill quickly.

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by Robert Fulghum

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Westfield Fire & Secret Families Charity helping neighbors in need



Photos provided by Westfield Fire Department / Facebook

Westfield Fire Department has partnered with Secret Families Christmas Charity of Hamilton County to help neighbors in need this holiday season. If you wish to donate gifts, personal care items or gift cards, please stop by one of the Westfield fire stations through Saturday, Dec. 10. All items will be hand-delivered to participating families in Hamilton County. Station 81 is located at 17535 Dartown Road, Station 82 at 1920 E. 151st St., and Station 83 at 17944 Grassy Branch Road. If you have any questions, please contact WFD Operations Manager Peg Strass at (317) 379-7680 or pstrass@westfield.in.gov.

Noblesville Fire working to make Christmas bright for local kids

The REPORTER

The Noblesville Fire Department (NFD) is seeking assistance from the community to ensure local families have a joyous holiday season. The fire department is currently accepting donations for its annual food and toy drive to benefit approximately 100 less-fortunate families in Noblesville.

2022 marks the 45th anniversary since the program started. The fire department has partnered with Kroger for food needs and Meijer for toys.

NFD is accepting canned goods, non-perishable food items and new, unwrapped toys through Friday, Dec. 9. Donations may be dropped off at any of the Noblesville Fire Stations or at Noblesville City Hall, 16 S. 10th St.

Deliveries to the families will take place on Saturday, Dec. 17.

NFD also is accepting monetary donations. Checks are preferred, and they can be made payable to the NFD Hamilton County Community Foundation. Secure online donations may be made through the Central Indiana Community Foundation donor portal at cicf.org/giving/give-now/existing-fund. If making an online donation, please type in "Noblesville Firefighters Fund" under the Fund Name section.

"For four and a half decades, the Noblesville Fire Department has had the honor of delivering food and toys on behalf of the generous citizens and businesses of Noblesville," said Noblesville Fire Chief Matt Mitchell. "We truly appreciate the opportunity to impact families in our community around the holidays with the assistance of our residents."

For more information, call the Noblesville Fire Department at (317) 776-6336.

Sogility to hold coat drive in Westfield

The REPORTER

Sogility will hold a coat drive in Westfield to provide free winter essentials to children and adults in need during December.

Winter essentials can include coats, hats, and gloves. Donated items must be clean, wearable, and gently worn with no holes or stains of any kind. The coat drive will run from Monday, Dec. 5 through Saturday, Dec. 31. Participants can drop off donations at Sogility, 16500 Southpark Drive, Westfield.

"This time of year it is important to give back. Many of our families look for ways to pay it forward to ensure all kids have a warm coat during the winter months," Sogility CEO Jim-my Carson said.

Through One Warm Coat, Sogility's items will go to Dodson Legacy. Dodson Legacy is a not-for-profit organization whose mission is to provide solutions to those facing life's challenges and lend a helping hand toward achievement and success.

To learn about how you can help with Sogility's coat drive contact Sam Wade, Director of Marketing & Communications, at sam@sogility.net.

Sogility's mission is to increase soccer players' skills, confidence, and physical development with personalized training through the use of technology and individualized data monitoring. Learn more at sogility.net.

Toy & Food Drive Drop-off Locations

Station 1 – 135 S. 9th St. (Downtown at 9th & Maple Ave.)
Station 2 – 400 S. Harbour Drive (South Harbour)
Station 3 – 2101 Greenfield Ave. (The Wellingtons)
Station 4 – 20777 Hague Road (North & East Harbour)
Station 5 – 10170 E. 191st St. (The Meadows)
Station 6 – 16800 Hazel Dell Road (Hazel Dell)
Station 7 – 15251 Olio Road (Behind Ruoff Music Center)
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Noblesville Friends welcome you to Candlelight Service

Submitted
Everyone is invited to come to Noblesville First Friends Church for a Christmas Candlelight service at 6:30 p.m. on Sunday, Dec. 11. The hour-long program will consist of scripture readings telling the Christmas story, solos by talented musicians playing trumpet and violin and two vocal soloists accompanied by piano. The congregation will be invited to sing well-known Christmas carols and enjoy the beautiful candlelight and share the joy of the season. Please plan to attend this Christmas program and enjoy refreshments afterward

in Fellowship Hall. The meetinghouse is located at 1055 E. Division St. across from Seminary Park in Noblesville. As you arrive and leave the Candlelight Service, you will be able to enjoy the lighted Christmas nativity in front of the meetinghouse and the lighted objects in Seminary Park across the street. The Preservation Alliance sponsored the refurbishing of the lighted Nativity that was part of the Christmas decorations on the downtown courthouse square many years ago. Learn more at noblesvillefriends.org.

Noblesville First UMC offers ‘Blue Christmas’ service for those hurting this holiday season

Submitted
Noblesville First United Methodist Church’s Blue Christmas service is offered especially for those hurting during the holidays and is held on or near the winter solstice, the longest night of the year. This Blue Christmas worship opportunity will take place at 7 p.m. on Tuesday, Dec. 20 in Whitcomb Chapel. Please enter through Door 1. Some come because they are mourning the death of a loved one. Some are far from home. Some suffer

from illness, addiction, or estrangement. Some are lonely, struggling financially, or in conflict with another. Some hurt because of the great pain, need, and violence in our nation and world. The reasons for coming are many. We gather in the midst of suffering to remember God is good. God is strong. God is near. We are not alone, and we have every reason to hold on to hope. Please join for prayerful time, music, and community with one another. Come as you are! Learn more at noblesvillefirst.com.

UH-OH!

“For example, there is a wedding scene where a Catholic man and a Jewish girl get married,” Hinman said. “You never actually see them, but you know that they’re there. Truly, this is an actor’s show. There is no fourth wall. They are constantly moving between narrating and interacting with these unseen characters on stage. It has very minimal props and a lot of good stuff is mimed.” Hinman said she was blessed with easy casting for this show. “The second night of auditions, four people showed up and they were all perfect,” Hinman said. “So, I just cast them that night. It took me about another week to find the fifth person. After the first readthrough, they just meshed. We are having a ball in rehearsals. We laugh so much every night.” There are abundant of laughs to be found in this show, but there are also some deeply touching moments. “I have already said we

need to have Kleenex in the auditorium,” Hinman said. “These are stories people are going to relate to. It’s a very human show. It’s not like any play I have ever directed. It’s not a story that starts at one end and ends at the other.” It is also a show that will bring audiences both the magic of Christmas and of good theater. “It is a very non-standard show,” Hinman said. “I want the audience to know they are going to experience magic and to use their imaginations. I’m working very hard with the cast to make sure as they are miming things that the interact with the unseen characters. We know they are supposed to be there, but the audience has to ‘see’ them. I think that will come very easily to audiences once the show begins.” *Uh-Oh, Here Comes Christmas!* stages for two weekends from Dec. 9 to 18 at The Cat, 254 Veterans Way, Carmel. Go to carmelplayers.org/tickets or call (317) 815-9387 for tickets.

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Going nuts for Movember!



Photo provided by Carmel Fire Department
The following was posted on the Carmel Fire Department Facebook page early last Wednesday morning, and The Reporter commends them for their cleverness: “We’d be nuts not to finish November with one more men’s health post. A few Carmel Firefighters met to grab this important mustachioed picture rounding out #movember. #iykyk We hope you smiled seeing this, but more importantly we hope it raises awareness for men’s health! Although we let the mustaches grow for Movember, we hope it remains a serious conversation year round. Know the early signs of prostate and testicular cancer! Don’t be afraid to speak up!” Great work, Carmel fire fighters!

Hamilton County Surveyor’s Office staff graduate from AIC program

The REPORTER
Recent graduates of the Association of Indiana Counties (AIC) Institute for Excellence in County Government included three staff of the Hamilton County Surveyor’s Office. Executive Secretary Lynette Mosbaugh, Survey Manager Brian Rayl, and Project Engineer Gary Duncan graduated from the program after accruing 30 credit hours of study within a consecutive two-year period. The program is geared specifically to county government and include courses on Leadership, Human Resources, Legal and Ethical Issues, Budget and Finance, Cybersecurity and Communications to name a few. Graduation was during the AIC’s annual conference in South Bend. AIC is made up of elected county officials and was founded in 1957 for the betterment of county government. Each of Indiana’s 92 counties are members of the association. The AIC Board of Directors is responsible for overall AIC policy and management. AIC serves its members through lobbying, education, publications, research, and technical assistance.



Photo provided
(From left) Hamilton County Surveyor and AIC President Kenton Ward, Brian Rayl, Lynette Mosbaugh, and Gary Duncan.

Carmel High School Planetarium to hold family-friendly “Season of Light” event

The REPORTER
Join the Carmel High School Planetarium Club for “Season of Light,” a delightful multimedia presentation celebrating the world’s most endearing holiday customs, including candy canes, candles, Yule logs, holly wreaths, gift giving, and merrymaking. Learn about the changing seasons, winter constellations, star phenomena, and much more. “Season of Light” is suitable for audiences of all ages, so bring the entire family to this multicultural holiday planetarium event. The presentation will take place at 7 p.m. and again at 8 p.m. on Friday, Dec. 9 in the Carmel High School Planetarium. (Running time: 40 minutes.) Enter through the main entrance of the school on Main Street, walk past the Dale Graham Auditorium, and turn right. Doors will open 30 minutes before show time. *No one will be admitted after the program begins. Children aged 12 years and under should be accompanied by an adult.* Tickets are available in advance at the CHS Bookstore from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. on weekdays. Tickets for adults are \$5 and \$3 for children, senior citizens, and CHS students. Learn more at ccs.k12.in.us/chs/academics/planetarium.

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New Fishers food & beverage tax takes effect

By ASHLEY FOWLER
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It now costs a little bit more to eat and drink at restaurants and Fishers. The city’s 1 percent food and beverage tax, approved by the city council in October, went into effect last Thursday. The extra cash will be used to fund a \$170 million event center at Fishers District that would house the Indy Fuel minor league hockey team starting in the fall of 2024. “When we came up with the concept of this event center, we thought, ‘Here’s an example of an amenity that really does support the local restaurant community,’ and, so, we’re willing to contemplate raising that 1 percent to pay for the event center,” Fishers Mayor Scott Fadness told News 8 in October. The city government says the tax will be added to customers’ bills at restaurants, including fast-food locations. It does not apply to grocery sales except for food prepared, cooked, and sold at stores. When calculated, the tax will add \$1 to a \$100 tab, city leaders said in a hand-out issued in October. For an average lunch tab of \$15, the tax will add 15 cents. The new tax is in addition to the 1 percent food and beverage tax that is already collected by Hamilton County. With state taxes also added in, the total tax rate on food and drinks in Fishers is now 9 percent.

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Reindeer Express rides are a big hit!



Photos provided by Nickel Plate Express

All aboard for a magical Christmas experience on the Nickel Plate Express! The Reindeer Express is rolling through Hamilton County, and all tickets are sold out. This little fella sure had a great time, and he says he wants to become a conductor when he grows up. To learn more about the Nickel Plate Express and purchase tickets for many other upcoming rides, go to NickelPlateExpress.com.

Westfield Welcome & Family Promise join forces to help fight homelessness



Photo provided by Westfield Welcome

Last Tuesday, the Westfield Welcome team presented a \$1,500 donation to Family Promise of Hamilton County from this year's Trick or Treating in the Plaza event. Family Promise helps transform the lives of families experiencing homelessness or housing insecurity. From October 2021 to September 2022, Family Promise of Hamilton County ended homelessness for 36 families, prevented homelessness for 77 families, and received 488 crisis calls for housing help. (From left) Nancy Ramsey, Executive Director of Family Promise; Chelsea McCarty, Community Events Coordinator for Westfield Welcome; and Kayla Arnold, Director of Westfield Welcome.

With roundabout delayed, 141st Street crossing at State Road 37 to become right-in, right-out

By GREGG MONTGOMERY
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State Road 37 at 141st Street on the Fishers-Noblesville border will be temporarily changed to a right-in, right-out intersection after a delay in converting it into a roundabout as part of a larger project, the 37Thrives group announced last Wednesday night on Zoom.

The project has already converted the State Road 37 intersections of 126th, 131st and 146th streets into roundabouts, and the 135th Street intersection to a right-in, right-out inter-

section. Previously, all had stoplights. Currently, northbound motorists exiting I-69 onto State Road 37 in Fishers have no stoplights until 141st Street.

The stoplights remained last Wednesday at 141st Street, but they will be removed as part of the temporary change, said Hatem Mekky, assistant director of engineering for Fishers city government, during the Zoom presentation. He also says detours will be posted for motorists who had wanted to turn left at the 141st Street intersection.

In July, News 8's Camila Fernandez reported soaring

construction costs forced an indefinite delay on the 141st Street roundabout. Engineers initially estimated the cost of the 141st Street roundabout at \$26.6 million, but the three bids the Fishers government received were for \$49.4 million, \$39.9 million and \$32.9 million. Pausing the project was the best way possible to use taxpayer dollars, city leaders had decided. Overall construction had been slated to end in 2023.

Mekky says numerous motorists have reported near-crashes — some motorists have had to drive into the shoulder to avoid colli-

sions — and complained about the backups during rush-hours. In response, traffic engineers tried to adjust timing on the stoplights at 141st and State Road 37 without success.

For the 141st Street conversion to a roundabout, work has already begun and will continue through the spring to relocate utilities. New bids for the roundabout could be sought in autumn.

37Thrives also is planning a December advertising campaign to increase awareness and to promote access to businesses at 141st Street.

Nominations open for Westfield Lantern Awards

The REPORTER

The Westfield Lantern Awards is a time-honored tradition of the Westfield Chamber of Commerce. The signature community recognition event began in 1982.

The event celebrates the community of Westfield and is a semi-formal cocktail reception designed to bring the community together for an evening of fellowship while recognizing and honoring outstanding residents and businesses. This year's Awards Ceremony will take place on Thursday, Jan. 19 at the Prairie Waters Event Center, 4180 Westfield Road (State Road 32), Westfield.

Individual Awards

- Westfield Chamber Distinguished Service Award
- Westfield Citizen of the Year Award
- Community Volunteer Award of Distinction
- Westfield Young Professional of the Year &

Westfield Young Professionals Hall of Fame

Industry Awards

- Westfield Washington Schools Award of Distinction
- Healthcare Awards of Distinction
- First Responders Award of Distinction

Community Awards

- Community Event of the Year

Business & Non-Profit Awards

- Westfield Chamber Board of Directors Business of the Year Cup: Large Business: 26 or more employees or more than \$10MM gross annual revenue; Mid-level Business: 8 to 25 employees or less than \$10MM yearly gross revenue; Small Business: 1 to 7 employees or less than \$1MM yearly gross revenue
- New Partner Award of Distinction
- Community Leadership Award of Distinction

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There are Chamber Partner and Non-Partner tickets available. This event will sell out, so purchase your tickets as soon as possible. Tickets include three food stations, dessert station, and a complementary glass of wine. Cash bar will also be available.

Tickets are being held for award winners and their families/company. A discounted price will be offered to individual award winners.

To purchase tickets or become a sponsor, go to tinyurl.com/Lantern-2023Tickets.

Four Hamilton County students nominated to U.S. service academies

The REPORTER

U.S. Senator Todd Young (R-Ind.) recently announced his nominations for U.S. service academy appointments. Applications were received from 150 students, and a select group was interviewed by an advisory board chosen by Senator Young. Out of 70 offered interviews, 47 exemplary young men and women from across Indiana received a nomination from Senator Young.

Locally, four students from Hamilton County were nominated by the senator.

A nomination does not guarantee admission to a service academy but is required in order to be considered. Nominees are chosen based on personal merit. Criteria considered include evidence of character, leadership, academic excellence, physical aptitude, and extracurricular activities.

"I had the privilege of recommending a talent-

ed group of Hoosiers for admission to the United States service academies this year," Sen. Young said. "These young men and women are highly qualified to serve our country, and I'm very proud of their hard work. I wish them the best of luck in their application process."

Sen. Young's service academy nominees are listed below:

U.S. Air Force Academy

- Kaleb Johnson, Hamilton Southeastern High School (Also nominated to the United States Military Academy)

U.S. Military Academy

- Megan Cobb, St. Theodore Guerin High School

U.S. Merchant Marine Academy

- Kevin Sweeney, Carmel High School

U.S. Naval Academy

- Owen O'Rourke, Hamilton Southeastern High School

Victoria Spartz: Indiana's own Iron Lady

The REPORTER

Last week, Congresswoman Victoria Spartz was presented with the prestigious Iron Lady Award from the American Legislative Exchange Council (ALEC).

"As a strong believer in the power of the states and power of the people, I am honored to be recognized by the organization of state legislators," Rep. Spartz said. "Margaret Thatcher said that Europe was created by history and America was created by philosophy. I would just add by philosophy of freedom."

"It has been a pleasure working with Rep. Victoria Spartz during my tenure at ALEC," ALEC CEO Lisa B. Nelson said. "Just as former British Prime Minister Margaret Thatcher faced down the communist threat in her day, so has Victoria Spartz in our day. We need more female freedom fighters like Spartz serving in all levels of government. She is



Photo provided

a fierce defender of limited governments, free markets, and federalism. I know she wants these principles embraced not only in America, but around the world. I can think of no one more deserving of the 2022 Iron Lady Award."

ALEC is the largest non-partisan, voluntary membership organization of state legislators in the United States.

Carmel Public Library supports Kids Coats through winter reading

The REPORTER

Readers of all ages will enjoy books and supporting Hamilton County Kids Coats during this year's Carmel Clay Public Library (CCPL) Winter Reading Program. The program runs begins Dec. 16 and runs through Jan. 31, 2023.

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Christmas spirit fills streets & warms hearts

Cicero Tree Lighting Festival & Parade



It was a cold day and a colder night last Saturday, but the spirit of Christmas drew impressive crowds in downtown Cicero. People bundled up and braved the cold to – among other things – give the kiddos a first glimpse of Santa, see the official lighting of the town tree, support local vendors, and, of course, to pack the streets for a good, old-fashioned small town American parade. Well done, Cicero . . . even if one of your trucks did have to drive it home with one headlight. Well done.

Reporter photos by Nik Roberts

Arcadia Christmas Tree Lighting & Market

Noblesville's Home for the Holidays Tour



Reporter photos by Stu Clamplitt

No cold temps or chilly winds could keep Arcadia's holiday spirits down! (Above left) Mrs. Claus wisely sat inside where she was ready to help kids write their letters to the Jolly Old Elf himself. (Top right) Rudolph spent his time dancing in the street with a group of talented young ladies and a gingerbread man. Watch this week's "Hello, Hamilton County" with Paul Poteet to see video of Rudolph's sweet moves. (Below left) Chael and Isabel told Santa exactly what they want for Christmas. (Below left) This is Indiana, so chilly temps call for . . . CHILI! Arcadia offered a chili supper to help take the chill out of your bones.



Reporter photos by Nik Roberts

The Reporter did the math on the maps accompanying a recent press release about Noblesville's Home for the Holidays Tour, and we came up with just under 90 miles of Santa driving last weekend. That's a lot of Claus! A total of 1.4 of those miles were the traditional parade route through downtown on Saturday afternoon. While there were no red-nosed reindeer (probably due to supply chain issues), the Noblesville Street Department did pull out a big red truck to chauffeur Saint Nick around town.

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Basketball

Millers dunk Tigers in conference win

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NOBLESVILLE – Another game, another fine defensive performance for the Noblesville boys basketball team.

The Millers hosted Fishers last Friday night, and the two teams put on a show for the near-capacity crowd at The Mill. Noblesville got off to a solid start and carried that momentum all the way to the end for a 55-47 Hoosier Crossroads Conference win.

It was the first time the Millers had beaten the Tigers since Dec. 1, 2017. Noblesville never trailed in the game, and while the Tigers stayed in it for the entire contest, the Millers used solid defense and timely play-making to secure the victory.

“We knew that if we were going to have a decent year, we had to get a lot better on the defensive end,” said Noblesville coach Scott McClelland. The coach said that defense became an emphasis during the pre-season, which included putting the team in tough situations in practice.

“I thought we did a pretty good job,” said McClelland.

The game was only tied once at 2-2. The Millers’ Aaron Fine scored the opening basket, which was answered by a layin from Fishers’ JonAnthony Hall. After that, Noblesville skipped off on a 7-0 run: Luke Almodovar scored, then Cooper Bean threw in a 3-pointer and followed that with a layin, and the Millers were up 9-2.

Noblesville’s Hunter Walston hit a 3 during the late stages of the quarter to make it 12-4, and a layin from the Tigers’ Jalen Haralson to finish the period cut it to 12-6. That set the stage for a big second quarter for the sophomore, as he scored 12 points for Fishers.

But the Millers were able to stay ahead with timely baskets of their own. An early quick five points from a Fine basket and another Walston triple gave the Millers a 17-8 lead. Fine made a traditional three-point play with 4:32 left in the quarter to put Noblesville up 22-12. That would be the Millers’ largest lead, but they achieved that 10-point margin several times in the game.

Noblesville led 26-22



Noblesville’s Luke Davis comes out of a tunnel made by the Millers’ youth basketball players prior to Noblesville’s high school game with Fishers last Friday night at The Mill. The Millers won 55-47.

at halftime. Aiden Brewer, a 6-3 forward starting as a sophomore, opened the second half with a layin. Almodovar got going for the Millers in the third quarter with seven points, including a 3. Fine hit a 3 as well. Bean added the final four points of the quarter, which ended with Noblesville up 42-32.

“I thought Cooper had a really nice drive there at the end of the third quarter, kept some momentum for us,” said McClelland.

The Millers still led 46-36 early in the fourth quarter. The Tigers then went on a 7-0 run to cut that advantage to 46-43. Parker Perdue hit a 3 (his second of the game), Haralson was good on a layin, then Keenan Garner, a 6-6 junior, made a layin.

Fine and Haralson traded layins, and the score was 48-45 with three minutes to go. But Noblesville was able to get some separation during the next couple minutes, as Fine made two free throws, and an Almodovar layin put the Millers up 52-45. Haralson kept Fishers close with a dunk to cut it to 52-47, but that would be all. The last basket summed up the game: Walston made a steal, which Bean took to the basket for a layin.

Noblesville had solid

balance, with four players in double figures. Bean and Fine each scored 15 points, Almodovar added 13 points and Walston totaled 10, including two 3-pointers.

“Just a good win over a very good team, well-coached team with one of the best players in the state, maybe the country,” said McClelland.

Haralson led the Tigers with 25 points.

“It’s a young team,” said Fishers coach Garrett Winegar, who noted the Tigers have one starter back from last year’s squad.

“They’re good kids, they’re going to keep trying,” said Winegar. “They’re going to keep learning. Coaches are going to keep trying. I’m confident we’re going to figure it out, but right now, we haven’t figured it out.”

Noblesville is 2-0 for the season, while Fishers is 3-2. Both teams will host Carmel with this week, with the Greyhounds playing at the Tiger Den on Tuesday and The Mill on Friday. On Saturday, Fishers plays Bloomington North at the Forum Tip-Off Classic in Southport, while the Millers host Anderson.

Tigers win other games

Fishers won two other games last week.

The Tigers cruised to a 91-46 victory against Metropolitan last Tuesday at the Tiger Den. Fishers led



(Above) Fishers’ Jalen Haralson scored 25 points for the Tigers. (Below) Noblesville’s Hunter Walston takes control of a rebound. Walston scored 10 points for the Millers.

17-5 after one quarter, then zoomed through the second period, pouring in 30 points to take a 47-13 halftime lead. Haralson scored 19 points during the first half, with Hall adding six points.

Bryson Seymour threw in two 3-pointers during the second quarter, and he was just getting started. Seymour nailed four more 3s in the second half, giving him a total of six for the game and 18 points. As a team, Fishers put up 22 points in both the third and fourth periods.

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NOBLESVILLE 55, FISHERS 47				
Fishers	FG	FT	TP	PF
Taden Metzger	1	0-0	2	3
Jalen Haralson	11	3-4	25	2
Parker Perdue	2	0-0	6	1
JonAnthony Hall	2	1-2	5	3
Keenan Garner	2	0-0	4	4
Bryson Seymour	0	0-0	0	1
Aidan Zimmer	0	0-0	0	0
James Stasey	0	0-0	0	0
Millen McCartney	1	0-0	2	0
Grant Haworth	1	1-2	3	1
Grant Ables	0	0-0	0	0
Totals	20	5-8	47	15
Fishers 3-pointers (2) Perdue 2.				
Noblesville	FG	FT	TP	PF
Luke Almodovar	6	0-1	13	5
Hunter Walston	2	4-5	10	2
Aiden Brewer	1	0-0	2	3
Cooper Bean	7	0-0	15	1
Aaron Fine	5	4-7	15	3
Will Smits	0	0-1	0	2
Justin Curry	0	0-0	0	0
Totals	21	8-16	55	16
Noblesville 3-pointers (5) Walston 2, Almodovar, Bean, Fine.				
Score by Quarters				
Fishers	6	16	10	15-47
Noblesville	12	14	16	13-55

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Basketball

Golden Eagles best Huskies, but both teams grateful for learning experience

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ARCADIA — The Guerin Catholic-Hamilton Heights boys basketball game last Saturday would be described as a learning experience for both teams, and that’s a good thing.

The Golden Eagles toughed out a win over the Huskies 60-58 at the Heights gym in front of a good-sized crowd. It was a hard-fought rivalry game that featured several lead changes and momentum swings, and both coaches focused on the positives once the contest had finished.

“Extremely happy to get the win,” said Guerin Catholic coach Bobby Allen. His team took the lead for good at the end of the third quarter on a 3-pointer from Robert Sorensen, and the Golden Eagles were able to hang on in the face of a tough-minded Huskies team.

“We gutted some things out at the end,” said Allen. “They played extremely hard throughout. We had a couple opportunities to pull away from them and they stayed in the game.”

Heights skipped out to a 5-0 lead, with all five points coming from Evan Williamson. Sorensen got GC on the board with a triple, and that was followed by the Huskies’ Cooper Vondersaar making a traditional three-point play. Heights led 8-3 at the 4:33 mark of the first.

The Golden Eagles then took off on an 11-0 run, which would be the longest run of the game. Sorensen added five points, Julian Melendez scored on back-to-back baskets, and a put-back by Ty Sanders gave Guerin Catholic a 14-8 lead. Williamson hit a jumper at the end of the quarter to cut that lead to 14-10.

The second period was nothing but lead changes — eight of them, in fact. Heights’ Maddox Bohland scored the first five points of the game to push the Huskies in front 15-14, then Lucas Parker got the Golden Eagles ahead 16-15 with a floater.

The back and forth continued all the way to the halftime buzzer. Bohland drained a pair of free throws

to give Heights a 24-21 lead, then Kyle Shadoan tied it up with a 3-pointer. Bohland made a layin to get the Huskies up 26-24, but Shadoan struck again, with another triple. Guerin Catholic thus led 27-26 at halftime.

The Golden Eagles led 36-31 late in the third quarter; Sorensen hit another 3 and Kamea Chandler got going with six points. Williamson got hot again late in the third by pouring in nine points: Two 3s followed by an and-1. The Huskies led 37-36, but Sorensen’s fourth triple of the game gave GC a 39-37 lead to end the third.

Guerin Catholic enjoyed its largest lead of the game with under five minutes to go, getting ahead 46-38 after Dylan Murans made a dunk. Heights made a 6-0 run to quickly cut that advantage to 46-44; Bohland made a free throw and layin, then Williamson was good on his second and-1 of the game.

But the Golden Eagles answered that with a 6-0 run of their own. Sorensen started it with a layin, then Chandler scored off a steal and followed that with a layin. Guerin had matched its biggest lead at 52-44.

Heights got that lead down to 56-54 with under a minute to go after John Irion made a layin. The Golden Eagles finished the game from the free-throw line — or more specifically, Jack Cherry did. The junior, playing for the first time this year, went 4-of-4 from the line in the final 32.7 seconds to seal the win.

“We kept fighting,” said Allen. “We talked in the locker room. I’m proud of them for the win. We told our guys to put themselves in the back seat and put the team in the front seat and that’s what we did tonight.”

Sorensen finished the game with five 3-pointers on his way to 21 points, while Chandler added 12 points. Sorensen collected seven rebounds, followed by Ty Sanders with six and Melendez with five. Cherry dished out six assists.

Bohland led the Huskies with 20 points, with Williamson adding 19, including three 3s. Irion had four rebounds.



(Above left) Guerin Catholic’s Ty Sanders gets in a defensive stance during the Golden Eagles’ game at Hamilton Heights last Saturday. Guerin Catholic won 60-58. (Above right) Hamilton Heights’ Maddox Bohland scored 20 points for the Huskies.

Heights coach Chad Ballenger was happy with the effort, saying his team “grew up a lot this week” — after last Tuesday’s win over Clinton Central where they weren’t satisfied with their efforts, the Huskies had “really good practices” on Wednesday and Thursday, then gave good fights against New Castle on Friday and the Golden Eagles on Saturday.

“With this group, there’s just a lot of inexperience,” said Ballenger. “We don’t have a lot of returners. Most years we got a lot of guys back, and now we don’t. So, we’re learning. But Friday we grew up, and we took another step tonight. We defended well and started putting the pieces together.”

Ballenger also said he really liked the team’s effort. “Our attitude was great,” he said.

The Golden Eagles are 2-2 and play at Westfield next Saturday. Heights is 1-3 and hosts Lewis Cass on Friday to open Hoosier Conference East Division play.

Busy Huskies

Hamilton Heights had a busy week last week, as the Huskies played two other games prior to hosting Guerin Catholic.

First, Heights picked up its first win of the season last Tuesday by beating Clinton Central 64-56 in its home opener.

The Huskies burst out to a 24-12 lead after one quarter, and at point led by 18 during the first half. Heights enjoyed a 39-28 advantage at halftime. The

Bulldogs closed to within 50-46 by the end of the third quarter, but the Huskies were able to hold on in the fourth.

“We’re a learning experience,” said Ballenger. We were up 18 in the first half and just didn’t really close the deal. We got to learn to play with a lead.”

Ballenger said his team “played well in spurts,” and Heights had good balance. Tillman Etchison had a great game, with 25 points and five assists. Bohland was solid on both ends, with 17 points, seven steals and five rebounds. Sam Dawson added 12 points, including three 3-pointers.

“It was a great learning experience,” said Ballenger. “We just have to get better defensively and rebounding.”

Heights traveled to New Castle last Friday, and the Trojans appeared to fully be in the mode to defend their home court. It took everything that the Huskies had, but the host Trojans held off the Huskies in overtime, 54-53.

The Trojans started off the game on fire, leading 22-11 through one, but that didn’t seem to bother Heights.

Hamilton Heights came back to take the second 15-9 to trail just 31-26 at halftime.

The Huskies had an even better third period with a 21-11 score to take a 47-42 lead.

New Castle kept the scoring low in the fourth and put forth a solid defensive effort in limiting the

GUERIN CATHOLIC 60, HAMILTON HEIGHTS 58				
Guerin Catholic	FG	FT	TP	PF
Robert Sorensen	7-11	2-2	21	3
Kamea Chandler	5-9	2-2	12	3
Josh Holba	0-1	0-0	0	1
Lucas Parker	1-4	0-0	2	1
Dylan Murans	2-5	0-0	4	3
Jack Cherry	0-2	4-6	4	2
Ty Sanders	2-3	0-0	4	1
Julian Melendez	2-2	1-2	5	1
Malcolm Houze	0-1	0-0	0	1
Kyle Shadoan	2-2	2-2	8	1
Bryson Cardinal	0-0	0-0	0	0
Ben Grissom	0-2	0-0	0	1
Totals	21-42	11-14	60	18
Guerin Catholic 3-point shooting (7-21) Sorensen 5-9, Shadoan 2-2, Parker 0-3, Cherry 0-2, Murans 0-2, Houze 0-1, Chandler 0-1, Grissom 0-1.				
Guerin Catholic rebounds (30) Sorensen 7, Sanders 6, Melendez 5, Houze 3, Holba 2, Parker 2, Cherry 1, Chandler 1, Murans 1, Cardinal 1, team 1.				
Heights	FG	FT	TP	PF
Cooper Vondersaar	2-6	2-3	6	4
Maddox Bohland	6-12	7-11	20	3
John Irion	2-6	0-0	4	3
Sam Dawson	0-3	0-0	0	0
Evan Williamson	7-11	2-2	19	1
Phoenix Vondersaar	2-2	2-2	7	1
Simon Knott	0-0	2-2	2	2
Colin Kuhn	0-0	0-0	0	1
Totals	19-40	15-20	58	15
Heights 3-point shooting (5-14) Williamson 3-6, Bohland 1-3, P. Vondersaar 1-1, Dawson 0-3, C. Vondersaar 0-1.				
Heights rebounds (16) Irion 4, Bohland 3, Dawson 3, Knott 3, Williamson 2, C. Vondersaar 1.				
Score by Quarters				
Guerin Catholic	14	13	12	21 – 60
Hamilton Heights	10	16	11	21 – 58

Huskies to just two points for a 7-2 quarter. This sent it to overtime where the Trojans would outlast Heights 5-4 for a 54-53 win over the Huskies.

Etchison led the Huskies with 18, while Bohland had 14 points and Williamson added 12 to put three in double figures for Heights.

In another earlier game, Guerin Catholic dropped

a 55-47 contest at Muncie Central on Wednesday.

The Bearcats leaped out to a 16-3 lead after one quarter. The Golden Eagles cut that advantage to 22-15 at halftime, but Muncie Central was able to stay comfortably ahead of Guerin Catholic in the second half.

Sorensen led the Golden Eagles with 18 points.

Week in Review: Carmel, University, Westfield & Sheridan

The REPORTER

The Carmel boys basketball team got two wins last week.

The Greyhounds took no time at all to grab their second win of the young season last Friday, as they made easy work at the Eric Clark Activity Center with a rout of the Lawrence Central Bears, 62-34.

The ‘Hounds stormed out in the first with a lead of 18-6 and never looked back. The second quarter would mirror about the same output at 16-8 for a convincing halftime lead of 34-14.

Carmel kept up its consistency by outscoring the Bears in the second 28-20 to fully push away its former MIC foes for a dominating 62-34 win.

Senior Sam Orme led all scorers with 21 points on 9-of-11 shooting, including making all three of his attempts outside the arc. Orme also grabbed a game-high eight rebounds.

Senior Jared Bonds and Alex Couto each added 10 points while combining for seven for seven shooting. Logan Reinhart also chipped in nine, knocking down all three of his shots from three-point range.

Consistency proved a lot for the Greyhounds on Fri-

day, as they shot extremely well from the floor at 67 percent, making 25 of their 37 field goal attempts.

Carmel had to go to double overtime to get another win last Saturday, but pulled it out at Plainfield 53-51. This game was tight from the start, with the Quakers leading 15-13 after one quarter and 25-24 at halftime.

The Greyhounds tied things up at 33-33 after three quarters. Both teams scored 13 points in the fourth period, making the score 46-46 at the end of regulation. Neither team scored in the first overtime, but Carmel won the second OT 7-5, and thus the game.

Orme had a sensational effort, scoring 25 points and collecting seven rebounds.

The ‘Hounds are 3-1 and go on the road to play two county rivals next week, taking on Fishers Tuesday and Noblesville Friday.

University boys opened their home season last Saturday night at The U Center with a 61-45 win over Greenwood Christian Academy to improve to 2-0 on the season.

The Trailblazers came out firing, jumping to a 25-13 lead after the first

quarter. The Blazers never trailed in the contest, taking the lead for good 58 seconds in to the game on a Sabien Cain three pointer from the right corner off a Kahmi Bracey assist. Andre Ozlowski scored on a pair of reverse layings before Rob Russell made the score 11-7. Cain and Bryce Gray added two three pointers each in a 11-4 University run to close the period.

The scoring pace slowed in the second quarter but the Blazers added to their lead and led 36-22 at halftime. Ozlowski’s 12-footer off an offensive rebound at the third-quarter buzzer gave the Trailblazers their first 20-point lead of the night at 49-29 and the Blazers coasted home.

Coach Brandon Lafferman was proud of his team’s effort. “We really followed the game plan we worked on in practice. Our focus was there from the beginning. Our ball movement was outstanding. We played a really good game as a team.”

“I thought Sabien did a good job with the pressure they put on him and keeping his cool and getting everyone else involved in the offense,” Lafferman concluded.

Cain led University with

19 points and Ozlowski had 16. Gray had nine points and Russell eight.

University’s game at Shenandoah last Friday was postponed due to illness in the Raiders program. The reschedule date has yet to be determined. The Blazers have a pair of games next weekend, traveling to Seecina on Friday before starting PAAC North play against Liberty Christian Saturday at The U Center.

Westfield split a pair of games last week.

The Shamrocks went on the road for the first time this season last Tuesday, and came home with a 49-39 win over Pendleton Heights. The ‘Rocks sailed to a 15-0 lead in the first quarter, then held off a run by the Arabians to stay ahead 17-9 at the end of the period.

The other three quarters were more evenly played, but Westfield maintained a 26-19 lead at halftime. The ‘Rocks were up 34-25 after a defensive third quarter, holding Pendleton to only six points.

Alex Romack led Westfield with 17 points, including nine in the fourth quarter to help keep the ‘Rocks in front. Armani Middlebrooks added 12 points.



Photo by Si DeVaney III

Sheridan’s Caleb Wright scored 21 points for the Blackhawks boys team during Sheridan’s Hoosier Heartland Conference doubleheader with Clinton Prairie last Friday.

Westfield dropped its first game of the season in tough fashion last Friday, falling at Zionsville 43-40 in an overtime Hoosier

Crossroads Conference game, the HCC opener for the Shamrocks.

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Basketball

Amazing milestone Two University players hit 1,000 points in same game

The REPORTER

Seniors Payton Seay and Kelsey DuBois became the fourth and fifth University Trailblazers to score 1,000 career points last Saturday in the Trailblazers 67-47 loss at Roncalli.

Seay reached the milestone late in the first quarter, fittingly on an offensive rebound basket. DuBois converted an old fashioned three-point play 16 seconds in to the second quarter with the made free throw her 1,000th point.

Seay finished with a game-high 20 points. The 5-5 guard had seven rebounds, five of which were on the offensive boards. Seay also had four steals. DuBois finished with 13 points and eight rebounds.

University struggled in the first quarter, falling behind the Royals 22-2 late in the period. The Blazers answered with 13 straight points to get back within 22-15, but Roncalli was able to push the lead back to 38-23 at halftime and University was never able to get the lead to single digits the rest of the way.

The Blazers shot just 25 percent from the field and had a season low five assists.

Seay and DuBois join Lindsey Syrek (Class of 2020 - 1,812 points), Katie Adlam (Class of 2009 - 1,626 points) and Bria Sneed (Class of 2010 - 1,432 points) in University's 1,000-point club.

University's record falls to 6-4 on the season. The Blazers will host Bethesda Christian Monday night at the U Center in a varsity only contest. Tip-off is 7 p.m. University hosts Muncie Burris Friday in a Pioneer Academic Athletic Conference North game.

Easy victories

University had two easy wins earlier last week.

First, the dynamic senior duo of Payton Seay and DuBois led the way last Tuesday night as the Trailblazers cruised to a 59-33 win at Clinton Prairie.

Seay scored 25 points, handed out seven assists and recorded four steals. DuBois controlled the paint and had a double-double with 15 points and 10 rebounds while blocking a half dozen shots.

University overwhelmed the Gophers in the first quarter with a swarming pressure



Photo provided

University's Payton Seay (left) and Kelsey DuBois were both honored after the Trailblazers' game last Saturday game at Roncalli, as both players reached the 1,000-point level during the game.

defense and a balanced scoring attack to lead 20-9 at the end of the first and gradually increased their advantage throughout the contest.

Prairie's Sydney Swan hit a three pointer to open the scoring but the Blazers ran off the next 13 points. Payton Seay got things started with a steal and lay-in before Jordan Patterson fed DuBois for a bucket. Payton Seay scored again for a 6-3 lead before Taylor Seay scored after Alex Feeney grabbed a rebound. The leased went to 11-3 on a Patterson old-fashioned three-point play after a Payton Seay steal. Seay ended the run at 13-3 at the midway mark of the quarter off a Patterson steal. Six different Trailblazers scored in the opening quarter.

University stretched their lead to 34-15 at halftime. Payton Seay had six in the quarter and DuBois added four. University led by 22 late in the quarter when Anyah Jordan-Turley found Payton Seay off an inbound play for an old-fashioned three-point play.

University maintained their lead at 19 through three quarters, leading 45-26 entering the final period. Payton Seay scored eight quick points in the fourth quarter as University led by as many as 31 points.

University pulled down 39 rebounds - in addition to 10 from DuBois, Feeney gathered nine caroms and

RONCALLI 67, UNIVERSITY 47				
University	FG	FT	TP	PF
Kelsey DuBois	3-10	7-11	13	0
Keira Bright	0-7	0-0	0	0
Payton Seay	6-13	8-12	20	4
Taylor Seay	2-7	1-1	5	4
Jordan Patterson	1-9	3-4	6	1
Leah Norvell	0-0	0-0	0	0
Anyah Jordan-Turley	1-2	0-0	2	2
Charlotte Conyers	0-1	0-0	0	0
Hannah Grubbs	0-0	1-2	1	1
Alex Feeney	0-0	0-0	0	1
Mack Feeney	0-2	0-0	0	2
Totals	13-51	20-30	47	15
Score by Quarters not available				
University 3-point-shooting (1-13) Patterson 1-2, Bright 0-4, P. Seay 0-4, DuBois 0-2, T. Seay 0-1.				
University rebounds (30) DuBois 8, P. Seay 7, Patterson 4, Bright 3, A. Feeney 3, T. Seay 2, Norvell 1, Conyers 1, Grubbs 1.				

Taylor Seay seven. Patterson handed out four assists.

All five starters scored in double figures as the University girls opened Pioneer Academic Athletic Conference (PAAC) North play last Thursday with an easy 74-18 win over Anderson Preparatory Academy.

The Trailblazers were never threatened in the contest, jumping out to leads of 7-0 and 17-3 in the first quarter before holding a 24-5 lead at the end of the first quarter. University held the Jets to just one point in the second quarter and stretched its lead to 51-6 at the half as 11 Blazers saw action. University

scored 32 consecutive points over an eight-minute stretch spanning the first and second quarters.

Kelsey DuBois led University with 17 points and 13 rebounds. Payton Seay tallied 16 points, four assists and three steals. Junior Kiera Bright added 12 points and handed out four assists. Jordan Patterson contributed 10 points with Taylor Seay adding 10 points and six steals. Sophomore Anyah Jordan-Turley had five steals.

University has won 19 consecutive PAAC North games and is 25-2 all time in division games.

Review

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The score was tied at 7-7 after one period, with Romack scoring all seven of Westfield's points. The Shamrocks edged ahead 19-17 by halftime, and were up 31-28 after three quarters. Trey Buchanan gave the 'Rocks a lift with two 3-pointers in the second quarter and seven more points in the third.

The Eagles came back to tie the game at 38-38 by the end of regulation. Zionsville then outscored Westfield 5-2 in the extra period.

Romack finished the game with 21 points, while Buchanan scored 13.

The Shamrocks are 2-1 and host Guerin Catholic next Saturday, Dec. 10.

Sheridan's boys team fell to Clinton Prairie 54-52 in a Hoosier Heartland Conference girls-boys double-header with Clinton Prairie last Friday at Larry Hobbs Hall.

The game was close all the way to the end, with Clinton Prairie winning 54-52. The Gophers steadily

built a lead throughout the first three quarters, going up 15-10 after one period, then leading 42-32 after three quarters. Sheridan poured in 20 points in the fourth, including seven points from Owen Bell, but Prairie was able to hold on for the win.

Caleb Wright scored 21 points for the 'Hawks, draining four 3-pointers. Trent DeCraene contributed 11 points. Parker Williams led the rebounds with five.

The Blackhawks rebounded the next night, beating Anderson Prep Academy 60-45 in an away game. Sheridan led 25-19 at halftime, then completely took over in the third quarter by outscoring the Jets 23-9.

Wright had another huge game, scoring 26 points and collecting five rebounds. DeCraene added 15 points, dished out six assists and made four steals, while Carsen Aleman had 10 points and eight rebounds.

Sheridan is 2-2 and plays Tuesday at Faith Christian, then hosts Clinton Central Friday in an HHC game.

DUNK

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Haralson was the leading scorer with 28 points. Taden Metzger also had a hot-shooting night, draining four 3s for 12 points, including three in the fourth period.

Fishers took a trip to Mount Vernon last Saturday and came home with a 73-56 victory. The Tigers outscored the Marauders in all four quarters, leading 15-13 after one period and 32-27

at halftime.

Fishers poured in 23 points in the third quarter, with Haralson scoring 13 points. Haralson then added another 12 in the fourth period, and finished the game with 33 points, going 7-of-7 from the free-throw line.

Two more Tigers reached double figures. Garner added 14 points, while Metzger hit three 3-pointers on his way to 11 points.

COURT NOTICES

STATE OF INDIANA
COUNTY OF HAMILTON
IN THE HAMILTON SUPERIOR COURT
Docket: 29D03-2112-EU-000577
IN THE MATTER OF THE)
UNSUPERVISED)
ADMINISTRATION OF THE)
ESTATE OF)
HARLENE F. SWANSON,)
DECEASED.)
NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION
Notice is hereby given that on December 13, 2021, Kirsten Swanson was appointed personal representative of the estate of Harlene F. Swanson, deceased, who died on October 2, 2021.
All persons having claims against this estate, whether or not now due, must file the claim in the office of the Clerk of this Court within three (3) months from the date of the first publication of this notice, or within nine (9) months after the decedent's death, whichever is earlier, or the claims will be forever barred.
Dated at Noblesville, Indiana, this 11/18/2022.
Kathy Kragg Williams
Clerk of the Superior Court of Hamilton County
R1729 12/5, 12/12/22

29D03-2211-EU-000586
Steven R. Latterell, #25672-49 Sarah A. Sweet, #34023-45
ICE MILLER LLP
One American Square, Suite 2900
Indianapolis, Indiana 46282-0200
NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION
In the Hamilton Superior Court,
In the Matter of the Estate of Barry E. Turvy, deceased.
Notice is hereby given that John R. Andis was on the 30th day of November, 2022, appointed personal representative of the estate of Barry E. Turvy, deceased, who died on October 30, 2022.
All persons who have claims against the estate, whether or not now due, must file the claim in the office of the clerk of this Court within three (3) months from the date of the first publication of this notice, or within nine (9) months after the decedent's death, whichever is earlier, or the claims will be forever barred.
Dated at Noblesville, Indiana, this 30th day of November, 2022.
Kathy Kragg Williams
Clerk of the Hamilton Superior Court Probate Division
R1727 12/5/22, 12/12/22

29D03-2211-EU-000578
Webster & Garino, LLC
209 E. 175th Street, Suite A
Westfield, IN 46074
317-565-1818
NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION
Cause Number:
29D03-2211-EU-000578
In the Hamilton County Superior Court, Indiana. Notice is hereby given that Julia Rajski was on the 23rd day of November, 2022, appointed Personal Representative of the Estate of Joyce C. Rajski, deceased, who died on August 1, 2022.
All persons who have claims against the estate, whether or not now due, must file the claim in the Office of the Clerk of this Court within three (3) months from the date of first publication of this notice, or within nine (9) months after the decedent's death, whichever is earlier, or the claims will be forever barred.
Dated at Noblesville, Indiana this 23rd day of November, 2022.
Kathy Kragg Williams
Clerk of the Hamilton County Superior Court
R1726 12/5/22, 12/12/22

STATE OF INDIANA)
SS:)
COUNTY OF HAMILTON)
IN THE HAMILTON COURT)
Cause No. 29C01-2211-MI-8889)
IN RE THE NAME CHANGE OF)
Leanne Nicole Roberts)
Petitioner.)
NOTICE OF PETITION FOR)
CHANGE OF NAME)
Leanne Nicole Roberts, whose)
mailing address and residence address)
is: 9831 Mystic Sun Court, Fishers,)
IN 46040, in HAMILTON County,)
Indiana, hereby gives notice that)
Leanne Nicole Roberts has filed a)
petition in the Hamilton Court)
requesting that name be changed to)
Leanne Nicole van de Bossche)
Roberts.)
Notice is further given that the)
hearing will be held on said Petition)
on: February 3, 2023 at 10:00 a.m.)
One Hamilton County Square, Suite)
337, Noblesville, IN, 46060)
Leanne Nicole Roberts)
Petitioner)
Date: November 10, 2022)
Kathy Kragg Williams)
Clerk of Courts)
R1730 12/5, 12/12, 12/19/22

STATE OF INDIANA)
SS:)
COUNTY OF HAMILTON)
IN THE HAMILTON COURT)
Cause No. 29C01-2210-MI-007861)
IN RE THE NAME CHANGE OF)
Kelly Lynn May)
Petitioner.)
NOTICE OF PETITION FOR)
CHANGE OF NAME)
Kelly Lynn May, whose mailing)
address and residence address is:)
14481 Stanley Terrace, Fishers, IN)
46037, in HAMILTON County,)
Indiana, hereby gives notice that)
Kelly Lynn May has filed a petition)
in the Hamilton Court requesting)
that name be changed to Kelly Lynn)
Howells-Dawson.)
Notice is further given that the)
hearing will be held on said Petition)
on: March 3, 2023 at 10:00 a.m. One)
Hamilton County Square, Suite 337,)
Noblesville, IN, 46060)
Kelly Lynn May)
Petitioner)
Date: October 6, 2022)
Kathy Kragg Williams)
Judicial Officer)
R1728 12/5, 12/12, 12/19/22

STATE OF INDIANA)
SS:)
COUNTY OF HAMILTON)
IN THE HAMILTON COURT)
Cause No. 29C01-2210-MI-8127)
IN RE THE NAME CHANGE OF)
ANGELA MICHELLE SMITSON)
Petitioner.)
NOTICE OF PETITION FOR)
CHANGE OF NAME)
ANGELA MICHELLE SMITSON,)
whose mailing address and residence)
address is: 9710 COVINGTON)
BLVD. FISHERS IN 46037, in)
HAMILTON County, Indiana,)
hereby gives notice that ANGELA)
MICHELLE SMITSON has filed a)
petition in the Hamilton Court)
requesting that name be changed to)
ANGELA MICHELLE MAGEE)
LEWIS.)
Notice is further given that the)
hearing will be held on said Petition)
on: February 3, 2023 at 10:00 a.m.)
One Hamilton County Square, Suite)
337, Noblesville, IN, 46060)
ANGELA MICHELLE SMITSON)
Petitioner)
Date: October 14, 2022)
Kathy Kragg Williams)
Clerk of Courts)
R1731 12/5, 12/12, 12/19/22

— COUNTY —
BEFORE THE HAMILTON COUNTY DRAINAGE BOARD
IN THE MATTER OF
Long Branch Drain
Waterfront at West Clay Section 5B Arm
NOTICE
Notice is hereby given pursuant to Section 405 of the 1965 Indiana Drainage Code that this Board, prior to final adjournment on November 28, 2022 has issued an order adopting the Schedule of Assessments, filed the same and made public announcement thereof at the hearing and ordered publication. If judicial review of the findings and order of the Board is not requested pursuant to Article Eight of this code within twenty (20) days from the date of this publication, the order shall be conclusive.
Hamilton County Drainage Board
Attest: Lynette Mosbaugh
R1720 12/5/22

— NOBLESVILLE —
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON ADDITIONAL APPROPRIATION
Notice is hereby given that the City of Noblesville Common Council will hold a public hearing during its regular meeting at 7:00 p.m. on December 20, 2022, in the Council Chambers at City Hall, 16 South 10th Street, Noblesville, Indiana.
The purpose of the public hearing is to consider additional appropriation authority in the Cumulative Capital Development Fund to appropriate insurance proceeds for replacement of two irreparably damaged police vehicles.
The foregoing appropriations are in addition to all appropriations provided for in the existing budget and tax levy.
Taxpayers of the City of Noblesville appearing at the hearing shall have a right to be heard in respect to this additional appropriation.
Dated this 7th day of December, 2022.
CITY OF NOBLESVILLE
/s/ Evelyn L. Lees, Clerk
R1741 12/5/22

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON ADDITIONAL APPROPRIATION
Notice is hereby given that the City of Noblesville Common Council will hold a public hearing during its regular meeting at 7:00 p.m. on December 20, 2022, in the Council Chambers at City Hall, 16 South 10th Street, Noblesville, Indiana.
The purpose of the public hearing is to consider additional appropriation authority in the Parking Meter Fund to cover costs for parking enforcement services.
The foregoing appropriations are in addition to all appropriations provided for in the existing budget and tax levy.
Taxpayers of the City of Noblesville appearing at the hearing shall have a right to be heard in respect to this additional appropriation.
Dated this 7th day of December, 2022.
CITY OF NOBLESVILLE
/s/ Evelyn L. Lees, Clerk
R1742 12/5/22

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON ADDITIONAL APPROPRIATION
Notice is hereby given that the City of Noblesville Common Council will hold a public hearing during its regular meeting at 7:00 p.m. on December 20, 2022, in the Council Chambers at City Hall, 16 South 10th Street, Noblesville, Indiana.
The purpose of the public hearing is to consider additional appropriation authority in the Parks Program Fund to appropriate additional golf revenue to cover additional costs.
The foregoing appropriations are in addition to all appropriations provided for in the existing budget and tax levy.
Taxpayers of the City of Noblesville appearing at the hearing shall have a right to be heard in respect to this additional appropriation.
Dated this 7th day of December, 2022.
CITY OF NOBLESVILLE
/s/ Evelyn L. Lees, Clerk
R1743 12/5/22

STATE OF INDIANA)
SS:)
COUNTY OF HAMILTON)
IN THE HAMILTON SUPERIOR)
CIRCUIT COURT)
CAUSE NO 29D01-2209-DN-6963)
Andrew Longwe)
Petitioner)
V)
Dominique Finess Woods)
Respondent)
SUMMONS
The State of Indiana to Respondent:)
Dominique Finess Woods)
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and time stated on the Order Setting)
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stated on the Notice of Provisional)
Hearing.)
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parenting time, property (real or)
personal), and other distribution of)
assets and debts, attorney fees and)
costs.)
Dated: Sept. 8, 2022)
Kathy Kragg Williams)
Clerk, Hamilton County)
R1734 12/5, 12/12, 12/19/22

STATE OF INDIANA)
SS:)
COUNTY OF HAMILTON)
IN THE HAMILTON COURT)
Cause No. 29C01-2211-MI-9069)
IN RE THE NAME CHANGE OF)
Linda Mary Quartucio)
Petitioner.)
NOTICE OF PETITION FOR)
CHANGE OF NAME)
Linda Mary Quartucio, whose)
mailing address and residence address)
is: 1223 Clairet Dr., Westfield, IN)
46074, in HAMILTON County,)
Indiana, hereby gives notice that)
Linda Mary Quartucio has filed a)
petition in the Hamilton Court)
requesting that name be changed to)
Linda Mary Quartucio.)
Notice is further given that the)
hearing will be held on said Petition)
on: February 3, 2023 at 10:00 a.m.)
One Hamilton County Square, Suite)
337, Noblesville, IN, 46060)
Linda Mary Quartucio)
Petitioner)
Date: November 21, 2022)
Kathy Kragg Williams)
Clerk of Courts)
R1732 12/5, 12/12, 12/19/22

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Basketball

Royals give life to roaring season opener



Photo by Joshua Hurd
Hamilton Southeastern's Reph Stevenson reached double-double status during the Royals' season-opening game last Friday. Stevenson scored 20 points and collected 13 rebounds, helping Southeastern to a win over Avon.

HAMILTON SOUTHEASTERN 59, AVON 47				
Southeastern	FG	FT	TP	PF
Donovan Hamilton	2-6	2-2	8	5
Reph Stevenson	8-13	4-8	20	2
Deion Miles	4-9	0-0	8	2
Michael Griffith	1-4	0-0	2	5
Eli Robinson	4-9	0-0	12	3
Braeden Totten	1-5	0-0	2	2
Joe Karwowski	2-4	1-2	7	0
Myles Holman	0-0	0-0	0	2
Christian Pfeifer	0-0	0-0	0	0
Totals	22-50	7-12	59	21
Score by Quarters				
Avon	6	15	11	15-47
Southeastern	9	15	15	20-59
Southeastern 3-point shooting (8-19) Robinson 4-8, Hamilton 2-3, Karwowski 2-2, Stevenson 0-2, Totten 0-2, Miles 0-1, Griffith 0-1.				
Southeastern rebounds (34) Stevenson 13, Hamilton 5, Miles 4, Robinson 4, Karwowski 3, Griffith 2, Holman 1, team 2.				

By RICHARD TORRES
For The Reporter

FISHERS – Reph Stevenson and the Hamilton Southeastern Royals waited nine months for last Friday night’s season opener, and once the ball was finally tipped, they dropped the hammer.

Stevenson threw down a thunderous breakaway dunk for an and-1 play in the game’s final seconds to finish with game-high 20 points and 13 rebounds, as the host Royals won convincingly against Hoosier Crossroads Conference rival Avon, 59-47.

“We’ve been waiting for this for a long time. Our first few games got rescheduled because of football, so we’ve been hungry this whole time,” Stevenson said. “The guys have been ready, and we brought the energy tonight.”

The Royals last played on March 4, falling to rival Westfield in the sectional, and their initial season-opening game was postponed due to the football team’s deep state tournament run.

At home to launch the 2022-23 campaign, the HSE defense rose to the occasion early, Stevenson attacked the rim throughout and the Royals’ sharpshooting tandem of senior Joe Karwowski and junior Eli Robinson provided a combined six clutch 3-pointers.

Stevenson, a 6-foot-7 senior, provided four of HSE’s first nine points and eight overall in the first half with seven boards.

The Royals kicked off the first quarter with a 9-0 lead, while the Avon Orioles went 0-for-5 from the field and 0-for-2 from the

foul line before finding the scoreboard with 1 minute, 13 seconds left in the frame.

“That was huge. Coach said our defense was great. We held them scoreless for around six minutes. That got us off to a great start and really pumped up our energy and got our confidence up for the whole game,” Stevenson said.

The Orioles responded following senior Keilyn Moore’s pair of free throws 6:47 into the game, slicing the deficit to 13-12 midway through the second quarter.

Junior Donovan Hamilton and Stevenson answered and increased the margin 18-12. The Orioles charged back to take a 19-18 lead, but Karwowski found his shot from long range, burying back-to-back 3-pointers to put the Royals on top where they remained the rest of the way.

The Royals had a pair of double-digit leads against Avon behind the hot-shooting hand of Robinson, who finished with 12 points and four rebounds on 4 of 9 shooting from the field and 4 of 8 from beyond the arc.

Robinson’s first wave of back-to-back 3s pushed HSE ahead 32-21 in the third quarter and later the 6-4 forward drilled another in the fourth quarter to bolster the advantage, 46-34.

“We had some guys that stepped up off the bench. Joe Karwowski came in and hit some big threes in the second quarter. In the second half, Eli Robinson hit some shots that really helped us, but again, I’m really proud of our effort and finding a way to win,” HSE head coach John Ash-

worth said. “Any conference game is going to be a tough game, a hard-fought game, so you just have to find a way.”

Hamilton and junior Deion Miles both had eight points with the latter dishing out eight assists. Hamilton hauled in five rebounds and shot 2 of 3 from deep and was a perfect 2-for-2 from the charity stripe. Miles had four boards.

Karwowski added seven points with three rebounds, as the Royals shot 44 percent from the field compared to Avon’s 33.3.

“We knew early on there were going to be some jitters, and it was our first game. We’ve been waiting about a month to play, so for us to really lean on our defense and get stops early, I think, really helped us settle into the game,” Ashworth said. “If you can hold a team scoreless for about six minutes, that’s a really good recipe for success.”

Stevenson slammed down a two-handed dunk early in the second quarter, but his final aerial display made a statement.

“That one felt great. I love getting the crowd hyped,” Stevenson said. “I enjoy it. When my teammates get me going. When

they find me in opportunities, I always finish. Every time I get a dunk, I do that because it brings the hype. I feel like that brings the juice.”

The Royals tried to complete the back-to-back weekend sweep at Marion last Saturday, but a come-back fell short as Southeastern dropped the away contest to the Giants 63-61.

Marion led 14-12 after one quarter and 30-25 at halftime. The Royals cut the Giants’ lead to 43-41 after three periods, but Marion went on a big run to take a 59-49 lead, its biggest of the game. Southeastern went on a 12-4 run to finish the game, but the Giants held on for the win.

Hamilton led the scoring with 13 points, with Stevenson contributing 11 points. The Royals outrebounded Marion 47-36; Stevenson collected nine, Hamilton and Christian Pfeifer both had six, and Miles, Braeden Totten and Michael Griffith all pulled four. Stevenson blocked two shots.

Southeastern is 1-1 and hosts North Central on Friday.



Photo by Joshua Hurd
Southeastern coach John Ashworth began his second season as the coach of the Royals.

Week in Review: Fishers, Heights, Guerin, Westfield & Carmel

The REPORTER

Fishers won two games last Saturday at the Evansville North Basketball Showcase.

First, the Tigers beat Castle 62-50. The Knights led 27-24 at halftime, but Fishers soared back in the third quarter, outscoring Castle 24-6 to take control of the game.

Olivia Smith scored 15 points to lead the Tigers, while Talia Harris added 12 points.

In its second game, Fishers beat La Lumiere 61-38. Karina Scott led the Tigers with 12 points.

The Tigers are 8-2 and host Noblesville Friday in a Hoosier Crossroads Conference game.

Hamilton Heights picked up two wins last week.

First, the Huskies toughed out a home win against North Miami in overtime last Wednesday, 45-43. Heights led 22-15 at halftime, but North Miami came back to tie the game in regulation by outscoring Heights 15-9 in the fourth quarter. The Huskies won the extra period 9-7 to get the victory.

Camryn Runner scored 21 points to lead Heights, while Cassidy Schakel scored 10 points.

Heights went up to Fort Wayne last Saturday to play Bishop Luers, and scored a 38-25 win, its fifth consecutive victory. Runner led the Huskies with 19 points.

“We were so undersized today and completely neutralized that disadvantage by being nearly perfect in our defensive rotations, great blocking out and controlled tempo for 32 minutes,” said Heights coach Keegan Cherry.

The coach said Hadleigh Cherry (who made two early 3-pointers) and Cassidy Schakel “were fantastic in their roles. Ella Hickok was a tremendous floor general. Camryn Runner is so efficient and does so much. Made free throws down the stretch. And Kaylee Rhoton had timely contributions.”

“Today was everything our program is about,” said Keegan Cherry.

The Huskies are 8-1 and open Hoosier Conference East Division play Tuesday at Northwestern, then host Concordia Lutheran on Saturday afternoon.

Guerin Catholic won two out of three games last week.

After beginning the week with a 42-22 win at Shortridge last Tuesday, the Golden Eagles went on the road to Yorktown last Thursday, where they fell to the Tigers 52-40. Guerin led 17-10 after one quarter, with Reagan Haines scoring six points. Guerin Catholic led 26-22 at halftime.

The Tigers cut that lead to 34-33 after three periods, then took control of the game by outscoring GC 19-6 in the fourth. Natalie Fernandez led the Golden Eagles with 19 points.

Guerin Catholic picked up its first Circle City Conference win of the season last Saturday, beating Covenant Christian 35-27 at the Eagles Nest.

The Golden Eagles used stellar defense to get the victory. Guerin Catholic trailed 6-5 after one quarter, but then outscored the Warriors 18-5 over the next two periods. That gave GC a 14-8 halftime lead and a 23-11 advantage after three quarters.

Guerin Catholic add-

ed another 12 points in the fourth to seal the win. Fernandez led the Golden Eagles with 14 points.

Guerin Catholic is 1-1 in CCC play and 4-5 overall, and hosts Cathedral on Thursday.

Westfield split a pair of games last week.

First, the Shamrocks won a defensive game over Mount Vernon last Tuesday, beating the Marauders 39-26 at CSI Gymnasium. Mount Vernon led the ‘Rocks 4-3 after the first quarter. Westfield came back to take a 14-12 lead at halftime, then zoomed through the third period, outscoring the Marauders 17-5 for a 31-17 advantage going into the fourth quarter.

Ellie Kelleher led the Shamrocks’ scoring with 11 points, while Reagan Lorenzen hit three 3-pointers for nine points. Aubrey Crockett collected seven rebounds.

The Tiger Den at Warsaw has always been known as a very tough place to play, especially for the road team.

That seemed to be the case last Saturday evening as the host Warsaw Tigers

outscored the Shamrocks by five in the first and fourth to hold on for a 48-41 win.

Warsaw led 9-4 through one, but the Tigers knew Westfield would not be going away quietly.

The Shamrocks took the second 14-13 to trail just 22-18 at halftime and were well within reach to come back.

Westfield again were able to put more points on the board in the third than Warsaw, 13-11 and were down just 33-31 heading to the fourth.

The host Tigers defended their home floor and scored 15 to Westfield’s 10 in the final period to create some space to win 48-41.

Ellie Kelleher led all scorers with a game-high 15 points. Kelleher also had five rebounds and four assists, all while shooting six of 11 from the floor.

Aubrey Crockett had a solid game for the ‘Rocks with nine points, eight boards, three assists and three blocked shots. Lindsey Van Dyke chipped in with six points.

Westfield (5-3) has a home date on Tuesday when it hosts Carmel (0-9) in an all-county matchup. The Shamrocks then host Zionsville Friday in an HCC contest.

Carmel continued its tough start to the season with three games last week.

First, the Greyhounds dropped a 65-44 contest to Lawrence North last Tuesday at the Eric Clark Activity Center. The Wildcats jumped out to a 25-6 lead after one quarter, then went up 41-19 at halftime. Mackenzie Woods scored nine points to lead the ‘Hounds, with Mallory Bourquein pulling five rebounds. Hannah Lach had five rebounds and two blocked shots.

Carmel played tough against a good West Lafayette team last Thursday be-

fore falling 64-59 at the Red Devils’ gym.

The Greyhounds led 11-9 after the first quarter and 28-24 at halftime. Bourquein scored eight points in the half, while Izzy Shepherd and Hannah Lach both had two 3-pointers. West Lafayette came back in the third quarter to take a 44-41 lead into the fourth period; Shepherd nailed three more 3s to keep Carmel close. But the Red Devils edged out the ‘Hounds in the fourth quarter to get the win.

Shepherd finished the game with five triples on her way to 18 points. Lach totaled 13 points and Bourquein scored 10.

A rough first quarter put the Greyhounds in a hole that they couldn’t quite dig themselves out of on last Friday night, dropping their ninth in a row, 79-64 at Warren Central.

Warren Central got off to a hot start, leading Carmel 33-12 after one quarter. That made it an uphill climb for the remaining three quarters.

The visiting Greyhounds were able to outscore the Warriors in the final three periods 52-46, but that still wouldn’t be enough of a comeback.

The bright side for Carmel is that it keeps getting a very balanced effort offensively. The Greyhounds were able to get four into double figures.

Izzy Shepherd led the ‘Hounds with 13, Mallory Bourquein had 12, Jamie Elliott 11 and Hannah Lach (10) rounded out the four in double digits. Mackenzie Woods also added seven.

Carmel (0-9) continues to play one of the toughest schedules in the state on Tuesday, as it goes on the road to neighboring Westfield (5-3), then plays Saturday afternoon at Fort Wayne Snider.

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Basketball

Royals' experience holds off Millers

By **RICHIE HALL**
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NOBLESVILLE — Experience is serving the Hamilton Southeastern girls basketball team well this season.

The Royals ran their record to 9-0 last Wednesday with a 60-48 victory over Noblesville in a Hoosier Crossroads Conference game at The Mill. Southeastern took the lead early and held off a Millers comeback in the second half.

Southeastern built a 13-7 lead by the end of the first quarter. Senior Olivia Brown scored six points. The Royals then broke away even further in the second quarter, using an 8-0 run to take a 27-13 lead with 2:22 left in the half. Senior Teegan Acres scored four of those points, and sophomore Maya Makalusky drilled a 3.

“We have different people stepping up,” said HSE coach Brian Satterfield. “Yeah, we got our leading scorers, but we feel confident in everybody that’s out there to be able to step up and hit shots.”

Lauren Stewart’s triple right before halftime, and it put Southeastern up 32-16 at the break. The Makalusky sisters then took over during the first part of the third quarter, with both Riley and Maya both scoring seven points. That pushed the Royals ahead 46-24.

The Millers came blasting back after that, going on a 14-0 run to get within 46-38. Reagan Wilson scored nine of those points. But Stewart threw in her third 3-pointer of the game at the buzzer, so the Royals led 49-38 going into the fourth. Southeastern then finished the game on a 9-1 run.

Riley Makalusky and Maya Makalusky both scored 14 points for Southeastern, followed by Brown’s 11 and Acres’ 10. Brown also collected 10 rebounds for a double-double and also had eight assists.

“When I was a freshman, I looked up to Sydney (Parrish) and Jackie Maulucci for sure,” said Brown. “And I think looking up to them as amazing leaders really just put me in the position I am now, and hopefully I can be that leader for them as well.”

Wilson finished the game with 22 points, while Kaitlyn Shoemaker added 15 points. The Millers were without Ava Shoemaker, while Meredith Tippner had to leave the game in the first half after getting injured.

“We battled for sure,” said Noblesville coach Donna Buckley. “But when you’re going against a team that’s that talented, you got to have more weapons to be able to do some things.”

Another tough opponent
Noblesville righted the ship after its loss by overcoming a physical Northrop squad for a 59-52 road win last Saturday.

The Bruins led after one quarter 13-12. Wilson scored eight of the 12 first-quarter points to help keep Northrop honest.

The second quarter was where Noblesville leaned on Dani Mendez. The senior forward muscled her way to eight of her 11 points in the period and more importantly, the Millers were able to grab a 25-23 lead at halftime.

Down two to start the third period, the Bruins went on a run and were up eight twice in the middle to latter part of the period and were tied with the Millers 41-41 after three.

After leaving with an injury early in last Wednesday’s game, Tippner was poised to get back into action. She scored seven in the third to get back to normal.

Wilson would have another dominating quarter to help the Millers seal the deal in the fourth, scoring nine of Noblesville’s 18 points.

Noblesville was able to outrebound Northrop 31-29 and it also forced 18 Bruin turnovers, 16 of those were steals.

Wilson and Tippner tied for game-high honors with 20 points each. Wilson also had three steals and shot four for six from three-point range. Tippner was able to grab nine boards while adding five steals to her credit. Mendez finished with 11 points and seven rebounds.

Southeastern is now 3-0 in conference play. The Royals are off until Tuesday when they host Pendleton Heights, then play an HCC game Friday at Avon. The Millers are 2-1 in conference play and 6-3 overall, and play an HCC game Friday at Fishers.



Photos by Mike Kepner
(Above left) Noblesville’s Kaitlyn Shoemaker scored 15 points for the Millers. In the background is Reagan Wilson, who led all scorers with 22 points. (Above right) Hamilton Southeastern’s Maya Makalusky scored 14 points for the Royals in their 60-48 win over Noblesville last Wednesday. Makalusky was one of four players to reach double figures scoring during the game.

HAMILTON SOUTHEASTERN 60, NOBLESVILLE 48				
Southeastern	FG	FT	TP	PF
Maya Makalusky	4-7	4-5	14	4
Teegan Acres	4-5	2-2	10	1
Riley Makalusky	5-15	3-4	14	2
Olivia Brown	4-7	3-4	11	3
Maine Hooks	0-0	0-0	0	3
Kennedy Holman	1-5	0-0	2	2
Lauren Stewart	3-10	0-0	9	2
Kayla Stidham	0-0	0-0	0	0
Totals	21-49	12-15	60	17
Southeastern 3-pointers (6-19) Stewart 3-9, M. Makalusky 2-4, R. Makalusky 1-3, Holman 0-2, Acres 0-1.				
Southeastern rebounds (32) Brown 10, Holman 4, Acres 4, Stewart 4, R. Makalusky 3, M. Makalusky 2, team 5.				
Noblesville	FG	FT	TP	PF
Kaitlyn Shoemaker	4-7	7-9	15	2
Reagan Wilson	8-19	4-5	22	1
Meredith Tippner	1-5	1-2	3	0
Kate Rollins	2-6	0-0	5	2
Dani Mendez	1-1	1-2	3	4
C.C. Quigley	0-0	0-0	0	4
Brooklyn Ely	0-2	0-0	0	1
Carly Motz	0-0	0-0	0	0
Totals	16-40	13-18	48	14
Noblesville 3-pointers (3-15) Wilson 2-7, Rollins 1-3, Shoemaker 0-2, Ely 0-2, Tippner 0-1.				
Noblesville rebounds (24) Wilson 5, Shoemaker 4, Tippner 4, Rollins 4, Mendez 4, Quigley 1, team 2.				
Score by Quarters				
Hamilton Southeastern	13	19	17	11 – 60
Noblesville	7	9	22	10 – 48

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Basketball



Sheridan's Kenzie Garner (right, 12) scored 22 points for the Blackhawks during their big win over Frankfort last Tuesday. Garner was one of three Sheridan players to reach double figures. At left is Ashley Webel, who scored 19 points. Both had three 3-pointers.

Reporter photo by Richie Hall

Blackhawks run Hot Dogs off court

By RICHIE HALL
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SHERIDAN – Back home at Larry Hobbs Hall for the first time in two weeks, the Sheridan girls basketball team got a big win last Tuesday.

The Blackhawks rolled past Frankfort 72-33. Sheridan outscored the Hot Dogs in all four quarters, although the first one was close. The ‘Hawks led 15-9 at the close of the opening period, with Kenzie Garner and Chaney Smith both scoring six points.

“It was a rough start in the first quarter,” said Sheridan coach Jaidlin Bradshaw. “Frankfort did a nice job of pressuring us and making us uncomfortable. I think then once we figured

out how to make those adjustments, it got a little easier for us.”

Sheridan got going in the second period, outscoring Frankfort 26-6 for a 41-15 halftime lead. Garner threw in two 3-pointers during the quarter; she had nine overall in the period. Smith added eight second-quarter points, while Ashley Webel put in seven points.

“It’s taken seven games, but we’re definitely starting to find our roles and figure out how to put the ball in the basket and playing a little bit of defense, which we didn’t do a whole of the first couple of games,” said Bradshaw. “It’s really nice to see them pull it all together and play together and get a nice team win.”

The third quarter was a

little close, as the Hot Dogs continued to fight. But Sheridan was able to extend its lead, going up 60-21. Webel added another seven points; both she and Smith drained one 3 each in the second quarter, and Webel nailed another triple in the third.

By the fourth quarter, a running clock was in effect, and the Blackhawks outscored Frankfort 12-2. Garner had five more points, finishing the game with 22 points, including three 3s. Smith scored 21, while Webel also made three 3s total on her way to 19 points.

Sheridan had seven players score in the game, a nice showcase for the Blackhawks’ balance. The team is playing without

Cecilia Timme, who is out with an injury. While it’s never fun to not have a player, Bradshaw said it’s “definitely forcing people to step up more,” and Timme is finding ways to help the team as well.

“She’s a great coach,” said Bradshaw. “She sits right at the front of my bench and helps me keep track of stats. She sees things from a player’s perspective, so it’s nice to have those eyes and ears just right next to me during games, as well as the coaches’ eyes and ears.”

Sheridan dropped a Hoosier Heartland Conference game to Clinton Prairie 54-32 last Friday. Prairie led 21-7 after one quarter and 42-11 at halftime. Sheridan cut into the

SHERIDAN 72, FRANKFORT 33				
Sheridan	FG	FT	TP	PF
Lilly Chesney	1	0-0	2	0
Ashley Webel	8	0-0	19	0
Kenzie Garner	8	4-5	22	4
Chaney Smith	9	2-3	21	0
Jacquelynne Bates	0	0-0	0	4
Nova Cross	1	0-0	2	2
Shelby Eaton	1	2-2	4	2
Mac Smith	0	0-2	0	0
Makaley Terry	1	0-0	2	1
Kennedy Zachery	0	0-0	0	0
Totals	29	8-12	72	13
Score by Quarters				
Frankfort	9	6	16	2 – 33
Sheridan	15	26	19	12 – 72
Sheridan 3-pointers (7) Webel 3, Garner 3, C. Smith.				

Gophers’ lead during the second half, outscoring them 21-12.

Garner hit two 3-pointers in the third quarter, and scored 14 of her team-leading 17 points in the second half. Webel added 11 points, including three triples.

The Blackhawks are 0-2 in conference play and 3-5 overall, and travel to Rossville Thursday for another HHC contest.

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Roger Forest Rew

September 4, 1939 – November 25, 2022

Roger Forest Rew, 83, Noblesville, passed away on Friday, November 25, 2022. He was born on September 4, 1939, in Glen Rock, N.J., son of John Henry and Ethel May (Wilhelm) Rew.

Following high school graduation, Roger attended Seton Hall University in South Orange, N.J., where he received his BS degree in Finance. He then proceeded to obtain his MS degree at Fairleigh Dickinson University in Madison/Florham Park, N.J.

During his working years, Roger was employed at the Westinghouse Light Division in Bloomfield, N.J., as well as RCA in Lancaster, Pa., and most recently, Woodmizer in Indianapolis.

A Veteran of the U.S. Navy, Roger served his country as a Submariner from 1957 to 1961.

Roger was a member of the Carmel Golden K Kiwanis Club as well as Central Indiana Woodworkers.

Roger enjoyed spending time golfing, fishing, wood-working, and making toys for children. He was a Cub and Scout Leader and Baseball Coach with (PAL).

In addition to his parents, Roger was preceded in death by his brothers, Harold Rew and Norman Rew; and sister, Janice Dubois.

Survivors include his wife of 57 years, Patricia (Conboy) Rew; children, Michael (Erin) Rew, Brian (Christine) Rew, David (Kerry Evensong) Rew, Liz (John) Moyer; seven grandchildren, Nicholas Rew, Braden Rew, Sebastian Rew, Lyla Rew, Ruby Rew, Anna Moyer, and Jane Moyer; and brother, John Henry Rew, Jr.

A Celebration of Life Service will be held at a later date.

Bussell Family Funerals is privileged to assist the family in arrangements.

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Nancy Sue Morris

June 13, 1939 – November 27, 2022

Nancy Sue Morris, 83, Noblesville, passed away surrounded by family on Sunday morning, November 27, 2022, at Copper Trace in Westfield. Born in Boone County, Ind., on June 13, 1939, she was the daughter of the late Clarence B. and Edna Mae (Wills) Reddick.

Sue was a 1958 graduate of Sheridan High School. She began her career working for Western Electric on the assembly line. She worked in the cafeteria at Westfield High School for several years while her daughters were in school. She later hired on with the Carmel Clay School System as a bus aide.

Her strong faith and servant's heart helped guide her throughout her life. She was a member of the Sheridan First Christian Church, the Little Eagle Creek Christian Church and the Venture Christian Church. Always taking an active role in church activities, she served as the CWF President for several years. Another example of her servant's heart was her participation in many church missionary trips throughout the United States to help rebuild people's homes.

For Sue, there was nothing in this world more important than her family. She was never very interested in activities that she couldn't share in with those she loved. For over 30 years, she and her husband Darrell were active square dancers. They belonged to the Do-Si-Squares, where they took on the extra responsibility of serving as the President, Vice President, and Secretary for the club throughout the years. She also enjoyed sewing and knitting and would make Barbie clothes for her kids and grandchildren. Her grandchildren and great-grandchildren were her pride and joy. She loved following all their activities.

Sue had a special bond with her twin sister, Lou. For many years, the two of them painted and wallpapered houses as a team. Later in life they began attending the Twin Days Festival celebrating multiple births in Twinsburg, Ohio. They always looked forward to this special time they got to spend with each other. More recently, their sister, Mary Rose started coming along to join in the fun.

Yard work and fussing over flowers was a labor of love for Sue. And when it came to her favorite movie stars, nobody even came close to Elvis. If Elvis was in it, Sue had seen it ... multiple times. Sue also loved Christmas. For her, this was the holiday of holidays. She loved decorating for Christmas, and as soon as it was time for the decorations to come down (usually under protest), she was already thinking ahead to next year.

Her sweet and gentle nature will truly be missed by everyone who had the pleasure of knowing her.

Sue is survived by the love of her life, her husband Darrell E. Morris. She and Darrell met at church camp, fell in love, and spent the rest of their lives by each other's side. Sue and Darrell were married on June 5, 1960. She is also survived by her daughters, Tammy Gray (Don) of Fishers, Sherry Gould of Noblesville, and Sheila Boles (Frank) of Sheridan; four grandchildren, Kevin Gould (Katy) of Sheridan, Katie Sue Osborne of Westfield, Chelsea Lynn Lara of Noblesville, and Austin Gould (Bianca) of Sheridan; three bonus grandchildren, Draya Boles of Indianapolis, Larissa Boles of McCordsville, and Mariah Skirvin (Trevor) of Portland, Ind.; nine great-grandchildren, Alivia Gould, Liam Gould, Lincoln Gould, Waylon Gould, Gabe Lara, Coralyn Lara, Abel Skirvin, Zoey Skirvin, and Eme Skirvin; brother, Lyle Richard Reddick (Pat) of Noblesville; sisters, Mary Rose Martin of Indianapolis, Marcella Ann Edwards (John) of New Palestine, Beverly I. Trencher of Kokomo, and by her twin sister, Linda Lou Lewis (Jim) of Cicero; sisters-in-law, Maxine Reddick of Noblesville and Donna Reddick of Greenfield; many nieces and nephews; and her feline BFF and guardian angel, Gretta.

She is preceded in death by her parents, Clarence B. and Edna Mae (Wills) Reddick; brothers, Wayne, Larry, Donald Gene, Alonzo, Carroll, and William Reddick; sisters, Virginia Miller and Phyllis Manier; and by her feline furbabies, Amos and Andy.

Services and visitation were held on Monday, December 5, 2022, at Kercheval Funeral Home, 306 E. 10th St., Sheridan. Burial followed at Little Eagle Creek Cemetery in Westfield. Pastor Mike Berry officiated.

In lieu of flowers, Memorial Contributions may be presented to the Lewy Body Dementia Association, or to the Humane Society for Hamilton County.

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Leslie Dale "Les" Pence

August 30, 1934 – November 25, 2022

Leslie Dale "Les" Pence, 88, Sheridan, passed away on Friday, November 25, 2022, surrounded by his loving family. Les was born on August 30, 1934, in Ft. Wayne, Ind. He was the son of the late Charles Laver and Nellie Dell (Karns) Pence.

Les was a graduate of Columbia City High School with the Class of 1952. He went on to attend Morehead State University where he received a full-ride scholarship into the School of Music program. He graduated in 1956 with a B.A. in Music Education. While at Morehead State, he was in a quartet that toured around the state and was honored as official "Kentucky Colonels" by the Governor. He would later go on to earn a M.Ed. degree and an Ed.S. degree from Indiana University. Les served in the U.S. Army Reserves where he spent his service time performing with the U.S. Army Band.

After his service in the Army, he took a position with Shipshewana Schools in 1957. This move led him to meeting the love of his life, Martha Ann Prough. Les and Martha were married on June 7, 1958. They were married for 64 years. Les and Martha had three sons, Randy, Terry, and Mike. Together they also have five grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

Les worked as a music teacher and high school principal in various locations around Indiana before they eventually settled in Sheridan. He took the position of Superintendent of Sheridan Community Schools and was later the Director of Transportation for Carmel and Danville Schools. He retired in 1994 and enjoyed serving in various volunteer opportunities in Sheridan. Most notably he served as the statewide director for the AARP Safe Driver Program in Indiana. Les was a member of the Sheridan United Methodist Church, where he enjoyed directing the choir. For the last decade he enjoyed his weekly volunteering gig in his granddaughters' kindergarten classroom.

Of all the things Les has done throughout his lifetime, spending quality time with his family was always his number one priority. He loved to travel with his family, study history, attend classic car shows and even collect a few of his own, too. The entire family enjoyed many memory-making summers at Loon Lake in northern Indiana. More recently, Les loved driving his golf cart with the great-grandchildren to get ice cream. Les lived a life dedicated to the service of others: his country, community, church, and most of all to his family. He will be greatly missed and always remembered.

Les is survived by his wife, Martha Ann (Prough) Pence; two sons, Randy D. Pence (Karen) of Noblesville and Terry L. Pence (Helena) of California; five grandchildren, Desiree' Pauley (Andrew), Dr. Orey Pence (Christy), Allie Deal (Aaron), Elyse Clark (Henry), and Ian Pence; nine great-grandchildren, Logan Pauley, Cora Pauley, Lincoln Pauley, Leo Pauley, Luca Deal, Livi Deal, Tori Clark, Gabe Clark, and Alex Clark; and many nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Charles Laver and Nellie Dell (Karns) Pence; son, Mike E. Pence; two grandsons, Richard Andrew "Andy" Pence and Erik M. Pence; and his brother, Richard Pence.

Visitation took place from 4 to 7 p.m. on Friday, December 2, 2022, at the Sheridan First United Methodist Church. Funeral services and an additional visitation were held on Saturday, December 3, 2022, at the Sheridan First United Methodist Church, 207 E. 2nd Street, Sheridan. Burial followed at Crown View Cemetery in Sheridan. Rev. John Meunier will officiate.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be presented to the Sheridan Fire Department or to the Sheridan First United Methodist Church.

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Elizabeth Ann Calvin

February 19, 1955 – November 28, 2022

Elizabeth Ann Calvin, 67, Indianapolis, passed away on Monday, November 28, 2022, at Allison Pointe Health Center in Indianapolis. She was born on February 19, 1955, to the late Edwin and Catherine (Brown) Matherly in Noblesville.

Elizabeth graduated from Hamilton Southeastern High School where she was a Better Business Student of the Year. She worked for Comprehensive Accounting. Elizabeth loved horses, sewing, and playing the autoharp. She loved her nieces and nephews and enjoyed buying gifts for them.

She is survived by her sisters, Carol Franklin and Janet Bragg; brother, Philip Matherly; and several nieces and nephews, Christina Gilley, Jon Bragg, Jennifer Medler, Scott Franklin, Amber Franklin, and Heather Yule.

Elizabeth was preceded in death by her parents; and a nephew, Dustin Matherly.

Visitation and services were held on Monday, December 5, 2022, at Randall & Roberts Funeral Center, 1685 Westfield Road, Noblesville. Rev. Andrew Colaw officiated. Burial was at Oaklawn Memorial Gardens in Indianapolis.

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Zoe Terhune

February 5, 1946 – November 28, 2022

Zoe Terhune, 76, Noblesville, passed away on Monday, November 28, 2022. She was born on February 5, 1946, to Hugh and Florence Eloise (Hobbs) Baughman in Zanesville, Ohio. Zoe married John Terhune on July 6, 1974.

Zoe graduated from Capital University in 1968 and Indiana University Graduate School in 1973. She was a math teacher at Lapel High School for 39 years. While teaching at Lapel, Zoe was a class sponsor, and sponsored the Student Council and the National Honor Society. She received numerous outstanding teacher awards from her students.

Zoe was a member of Noblesville First United Methodist Church, the United Methodist Women, Rebecca Circle, and the church choir.

She is survived by her husband, John Terhune; son, Chris Terhune (Mary Cox); three grandchildren, Bell, Gabe, and Sam; and her brother, Tom (Becky) Baughman.

In addition to her parents, Zoe was preceded in death by her son, Scott Terhune.

Visitation was held on Sunday, December 4 at Randall & Roberts Funeral Home, 1150 Logan St., Noblesville. Services and an additional visitation were held, on Monday, December 5 at Noblesville First United Methodist Church, 2051 Monument St., Noblesville. Pastor Nicole Caldwell-Gross and Pastor Dick Judson officiated. Burial followed at Crownland Cemetery in Noblesville.

Memorial contributions may be made to Noblesville First United Methodist Church Music Fund, 2051 Monument St., Noblesville, IN 46060.

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Phyllis J. Rinkenberg

October 1, 1930 – November 22, 2022

Phyllis J. Rinkenberg, 92, Sheridan, passed away in the afternoon of Tuesday, November 22, 2022, at Maple Park Village in Westfield following a battle with recently identified cancer. Born on October 1, 1930, in Plymouth, Ind., she was the daughter of the late Floyd and Zula (Kaufman) Maxson.

She attended and graduated from Plymouth schools. During her senior year she began a two-year employment at a local ice cream and cottage cheese factory.

Phyllis married Robert L. Rinkenberg on June 13, 1948, in Plymouth, Ind. They celebrated 64 wonderful years of marriage prior to his passing on Easter Sunday, March 31, 2013. Together they journeyed through life as a Wesleyan pastor and wife, serving Indiana churches. Their journey began in 1955 at Plummer's Chapel, and would later include serving congregations at Fowler, LaOtto, and Fairmount before settling in Sheridan, where they served for 19 years, retiring in 1990. During this time, she served in numerous capacities, including Sunday school teacher, women's group leader, church office secretary, and Central Indiana Camp office manager.

Phyllis was best known by her grandchildren for making excellent pies and sugar cookies. Her family and friends benefitted from her gentle smile and dedicated prayer life. She enjoyed crocheting afghan blankets and doll clothes and had an extensive doll collection encompassing several rooms of their small house.

Phyllis is survived by her sons, J. Stephen (Melanie) Rinkenberg of Milford, Del., Bud (Sue) Rinkenberg of Kokomo, Ind., and Keith (Ellen) Rinkenberg of Sheridan; brother, Dennis (Lettie) Maxson of Plymouth, Ind.; grandchildren, Tiffany, Samantha, Andrea, Laura, Jennifer, Jodi, James, Jacob and Joel; and more than a dozen great-grandchildren (with another great-grandchild due very soon).

She was preceded in death by her parents, Floyd and Zula (Kaufman) Maxson; sisters, Vivian Rankert, Audrey Keller, and Marjorie Bowen; brothers, Floyd Maxson, Jr. and Richard Maxson; granddaughter, Kathryn Rinkenberg; and by her husband, Reverend Robert Rinkenberg.

Services will be held at 7:30 p.m. on Monday, November 28, 2022, at Six Points Church, 1545 W. 226th St., Sheridan, with visitation from 3 p.m. until the time of service.

An Interment Service will be held at 2 p.m. on Tuesday, November 29, 2022, in the Chapel at New Oak Hill Cemetery, 1300 Chester St., Plymouth, Ind. Pastor Scott McDermid will be officiating.

In lieu of flowers, Memorial Contributions may be presented to the Six Points Wesleyan Church, 1545 W. 226th St., Sheridan, IN 46069.

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Obituaries

Carolyn Kay Milam
September 7, 1939 – November 29, 2022

Carolyn Kay Milam, 83, Noblesville, passed away peacefully at home on November 29, 2022, with her family at her side.

She was born on September 7, 1939, in Clarinda, Iowa, to Calvin and Helen (Alberry) Warrick. She attended schools at Clarinda and graduated with the Class of 1957 at Clarinda High School.

On May 12, 1962, she married the love of her life, George Paul Milam and she began her role as wife and homemaker. Living in Indiana she became employed at Erik's Chevrolet in Kokomo, Ind. She worked there for over 38 years as their accountant and payroll lady.

She was an active member of United Family Wesleyan Church in Cicero. She loved helping at the Church, and friends and family said she would always put others first and would do anything to assist or help someone. She was also a member of the Red Hat Society.

She loved to cook and bake and became an excellent cook. And she looked forward to sharing her culinary skills with family gatherings. She liked to watch cooking shows on TV. Other favorites were Westerns and Hallmark stories. On a personal note, she enjoyed getting her hair and nails professionally done.

Surviving her are her daughters, Cindy Lee Schutt of Council Bluffs, Iowa, and Michele Rene Frick of Noblesville; sisters, Delores Lee Pearson of Denver, Colo., and Sandra Sue Prather of Clarinda, Iowa; four grandchildren, and 10 great-grandchildren.

In addition to her parents and her husband, she was preceded in death by a son, Troy Milam; granddaughter, Nicole Milam; sisters, Darlene Howe and Betty Wohler; plus brothers, Darrell, Darwin, Kenneth, Jack, Donald, and Larry Warrick.

Funeral services and visitation were held on Monday, December 5, 2022, at Hartley Funeral Home Cicero Chapel, 209 W. Jackson St., Cicero, with burial to following at Cicero Cemetery. Pastor Allen Brown officiated.

Memorial contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society. Donation envelopes will be available at the Funeral Home. You may send condolences at hartleyfuneralhomes.com.

Nancy Lou Chapman
May 26, 1934 – December 1, 2022

Nancy Lou Chapman, 88, passed away in her home on Thursday, December 1, 2022, surrounded by loved ones. She was born on May 26, 1934, in Hortonville, Ind., to Merrill and Esther Horney.

Nancy grew up on a dairy farm near Westfield and belonged to the Quaker Friends Church in Hortonville. She belonged to Job's Daughters, was active in 4-H, and was valedictorian of her graduating class. After high school she went on to attend nursing school but was just shy of graduation when she married Joseph Lee Chapman on September 4, 1953.

Together they started a career in dairy farming on a rented farm in Noblesville. In 1961, they purchased a farm of their own in Eminence, Ind., where they continued to milk cows, every morning and night, for the next 25 years when they sold off the dairy cows in 1986. They continued to farm the ground until Nancy sold the farm in 2000 and moved to Indianapolis to be closer to her children. Despite the time constraints of owning a dairy, Nancy grew beautiful gardens and canned all the family's vegetables. On Sundays and special occasions, she made good use of the fresh cream from their dairy to make delicious pies, whipped cream, and homemade ice cream to share with family and friends. She loved to cook and sew and passed those skills on to her daughter. She was a true partner in the farming business spending time in the barn milking cows regularly and time in the tractor when needed. In addition, she also served as a school room mother, a den mom for cub scouts, assisted with fundraisers and sewed uniforms for cheerleaders and costumes for 4-H members in "Share the Fun." She made and delivered meals for families in need, prepared communion for church, and taught Vacation Bible School. Her volunteerism and service to the community was unparalleled.

Dairy farmers aren't afforded many vacations, so the couple built a pond at the back of their property for camping, fishing, swimming, hayrides, ice skating, and family reunions. She cherished the year-round memories with family and friends. Nancy loved, supported, and cared for her husband, until his untimely death at the age of 63. Afterwards, she continued to take care of her mother several times a week until her illness prevailed.

Nancy was preceded in death by her parents, Merrill and Esther Horney, and husband, Joe Chapman.

She is survived by two sons, Michael Chapman and wife Misty, and Gary Chapman and wife Betty; and daughter, Kathryn McEntire. Also surviving are 11 grandchildren, Cole Chapman and wife Jourdan, Kyla McEntire, Grant Chapman and his wife Lara, Cassie Swinney and husband Christian, Anna Whitaker and husband Quinn, Clair Black and husband Michael, Chandler Chapman, Carly Chapman, McKenzie Chapman, Jace Chapman, and Jesse Chapman; and four great-grandchildren, Ford, Henley, and Arabelle Chapman, and Levi Black. Other survivors include a sister, Linda Makowski, nephew, Greg Makowski, and niece, Laura Quist; a brother, Gordon Horney and wife Vicki, along with their children, Suzi Stokell and her husband Dave, Nikki DeGrave and husband Ray, and AJ Horney and wife Katie.

She also leaves behind several loving caregivers who have provided for her the past 15 years: Jill Burger; Julie, Rachel, and Kyle Salmon; Adrien, Candace, Melanie, Erica, Odalys, Alyssa, Tinisha, Juliany, Julio, Kerra, Jayla, and Cristina.

Services will be held at 10 a.m. on December 10, 2022, at Randall & Roberts Funeral Home, 1685 Westfield Road, Noblesville. Visitation will be at 9 a.m. prior to the service. Lunch will follow at The Palamino, 481 S. 1200 E., Zionsville.

In lieu of flowers, the family asks that you consider donating in Nancy's memory to the Alzheimer's Association at act.alz.org. "The disease might hide the person underneath, but there's still a person in there who needs your love and attention." – Jamie Calandriello

Condolences: randallroberts.com

Thanks for reading
The Reporter!

Showing at the State Fair

The Sheridan Student Column is brought to readers by Sheridan High School's 10th grade English class, taught by Abby Williams.

The Indiana State Fair takes place during the month of August. During the fair, I show meat type goats and swine. This year we did not have a swine barn due to construction. Swine got bumped up over the weekend and showed in the cattle barn. They put gilts and barrows on the same weekend, which isn't usual. The swine was the only species that was affected with the construction.

To get ready to take our pigs to the state fair we had to get a lot done. We had to pack the tack part of the trailer with our showbox, feed cart, feeders, fans,

extension cords, feeder hangers, water buckets, feed buckets, cut gates, and shavings. In the showbox we pack shampoo, brushes, whips, zip ties, zip tie cutters, towels, conditioner and oil.

While we had to get everything packed in the trailer, we also had to clip some of our pigs. We cut their hair shorter to make them look better in the show ring. We will give them Vanilla Wafers to keep them calm while they get their haircut.

At the state fair, to get our pigs ready to show, we wash them so they are all clean. We then put oil on them and brush it in. We also spray water on them to keep them cool. After the show, we wash them again to get all of the oil off

of them and to keep them cool. We then let them lie down in their pens.

I am the only one in our family who shows goats. I have to pack the trailer with our show box, feed buckets, feeders, feeder hangers, water buckets, stands, fans, extension cords, blowers, and shavings. In my show box I pack adhesive, powderful, drench gun, zip ties, soap, hose, show halter, hoof trimmers, conditioner, show coat, and towels. A few days before we left for the state fair, I cut my goats' hair with shears to make their hair coat shorter for the show. After I shear them, I put a blanket on them to keep them clean.

To get goats ready for a show, we rinse their legs and then dry them with a blower. After we get their legs dry, we use adhesive, powderful, and a comb to fit their legs. We also

put baby powder on their bodies. Once we are done showing, we use a break-away to get the glue out of the goats' legs and we wash their legs. We then dry their legs, and they get to go lay down in their pens.

At the state fair I took three pigs, a Hereford gilt, cross barrow, and a duroc barrow. With my Hereford gilt, I won my class and got reserve Hereford gilt. With my cross barrow, I won my class. With my duroc barrow, I got eighth in class.

Overall, it was a really good state fair for the pig side of things. For the goat side, I took three market goats. I took a market doe who got second in her class. Along with my market doe, I brought two weathers: one got fifth in class while the other one got seventh in class. I also did showmanship and made the cut.

Overall, I had a really good state fair.



ASHLEY WEBEL
Sheridan High School Student

Is Hamilton County bucking the trend in fentanyl-related deaths?

We hear in the news that the overdose deaths attributed to the very dangerous drug fentanyl is killing thousands across the nation. So, how bad is this national tragedy here in Hamilton County?

The figures indicate that thus far in 2022 there has not been any dramatic increase in the number of local deaths due to this deadly drug, a drug that is usually mixed with cocaine or other

dangerous drugs.

As of Oct. 17, there were 31 drug overdose deaths attributed to fentanyl compared with 36 fatalities in all of 2021. While this is not good, officials believe this year's death toll

by year's end is not going to be much, if any, higher than last year.

This can be considered good news only when compared with the national trend of so many more such deaths

each year. County Coroner John Chalfin says the fentanyl supply continues to come from China by way of Mexico where the drug is processed for shipment across the porous southern border to the U.S.

The reason Hamilton County appears to be holding the line on drug deaths is uncertain. But, Chief Deputy Coroner Jeff Jellison believes that first responders equipped with Narcan and the proximity of most residents to good hospitals is a major factor.

Narcan is a drug that

counteracts the effects of certain other drugs including fentanyl if administered quickly after a person suffers first effects.

This year, the coroner's office has been called to investigate a total of 524 cases as of last month. They included mostly cases of non-drug related deaths: suicides, homicides, traffic crashes, etc.

Columnist Fred Swift has worked in newspapers for decades. He has been sharing his opinions in the pages of The Reporter since it began.



FRED SWIFT
The County Line

Don't stop now, Boomers! Your health is more important than ever before

"I intend to live forever or die trying." – Groucho Marx

Baby Boomers – the term assigned to the temporary increase in the birth rate after World War II, Baby Boomers were born between the years 1946 and 1964 and began turning 65 in 2011.

By 2030, one in five Americans will be a senior citizen. Exercise programs for adults 50 and older are becoming more available, as Baby Boomers usher in their retirement years by keeping physically active and fit. As a group, Boomers are the wealthiest, most active, and the most physically fit generation to date, with the tendency to think of themselves as different from those who came before them.

With Baby Boomers reaching retirement age, why should their fitness accomplishments be any different? I teach a fitness class twice weekly at an

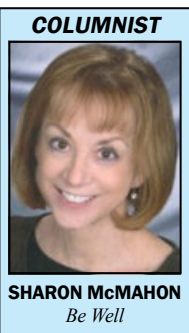
assisted living facility and I can share with you, dear readers, that I have been told many times by the folks participating in the class that they wish they had started "sooner" to incorporate exercise into their lives. While most of these participants are slightly older than us "Boomers" they tell the tale to which we should all listen!

Fitness trainers and health professionals are developing programs to cater to the aging yet on-the-go generation with programs that include everything from mild, non-impact aerobics to strength training, to yoga as well as the more extreme triathlon training. This range of training programs can extend longevity

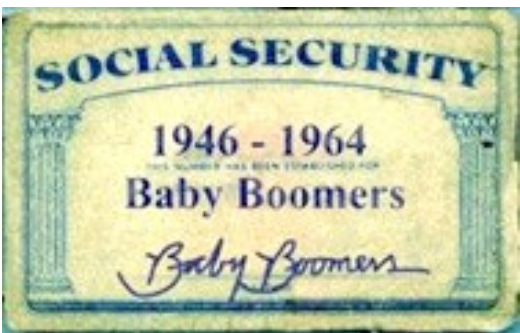
and help Boomers maintain mobility while slowing the onset of age-related illnesses, including cognitive decline. The many benefits of regular exercise – weight maintenance, improved immune function and heart health, and enhanced flexibility and sleep – are even more important as one ages. Clearly, committing to a routine of physical activity is one of the healthiest decisions Boomers can make.

Here are some guidelines for baby Boomers before engaging a workout program for safety and effectiveness:

- Get medical clearance from your doctor before starting an exercise program, especially if there is a pre-existing condition.



SHARON MCMAHON
Be Well



- Never continue an exercise activity if something feels wrong such as sharp pain, dizziness, or shortness of breath.

- Start slowly, especially if you're just beginning an exercise regimen; it's best to build up your fitness program a little at a time. Even breaking workouts into short increments several times a day is much better than doing nothing.

Fellow Boomers, don't let a few gray hairs or those aches and pains cause you to give up of feeling better, looking better, and spending more time with your loved ones. And those of you who are the son or daughter of a Boomer, or those who have a special Boomer in your life ... encourage that person to live life fully and as actively as possible.

Sharon McMahon, CNWC

The opinions expressed in this article are not intended to replace advice of your personal physician or licensed health professional. Please consult your physician for any issues you may have related to nutrition or fitness activity.

CRATs, CRUTs, FLIPCRUTs & NIMCRUTs

I recently heard my law partner talking about CRATs, CRUTs, and NIMCRUTs. It sounded like a foreign language. I assumed it had something to do with estate planning as that is an area of focus for him. He gave me a quick explanation.

I think I have it right when I say that a CRUT is a shorthand way of identifying a charitable remainder unitrust. That is a type of charitable remainder trust that typically offers greater

returns and distributions than its cousin the charitable remainder annuity trust, a CRAT.

A CRUT is a tax-exempt structure well suited for appreciated assets that have not yet been sold.

In exchange for donating some of the money in the trust to a charity, at the end of the trust's term you may be allowed to defer the taxes you would otherwise pay when selling an asset and be able to grow your asset tax-free inside the

trust. Plus, CRUTs carry an immediate charitable income tax deduction. It is designed to incentivize charitable giving.

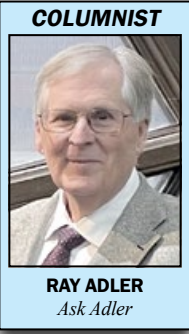
With a standard CRUT, you may receive a set percentage of the trust assets each year. A NIMCRUT is a net income with makeup provisions charitable remainder unitrust with a spigot and flip provision to the standard charitable remainder trust after two years. A NIMCRUT allows you to defer distributions to future years.

FLIPCRUTs flip from a NIMCRUT structure to a standard CRUT after a pre-determined event. The IRS

has pointed some potentially abusive arrangements with the CRATs involving SPIAs, or single premium immediate annuities.

I may have to ask him again to make sure I have all this correct. As my college chemistry professor said "Ray, half of what I tell you is false, I just don't know which half." The key in all of this is to find a trusted advisor so your eleemosynary leanings are not abused.

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RAY ADLER
Ask Adler



Photos provided
This project is an example of the work done by the kids from Group Mission Trips and CrossRoads Church at Westfield.

CrossRoads Church at Westfield opens 2023 applications for free home repairs

The REPORTER

CrossRoads Church at Westfield will bring 300 high school students to Westfield in June 2023 for a week to provide free home repairs for 30 to 40 families in need in Hamilton County. This program is being offered in partnership with Group Mission Trips, a youth mission organization based in Ft. Collins, Colo. CrossRoads is currently seeking applications for home repairs. This program is geared primarily toward older adults, veterans, and any low-income families who live in the community and own their own homes. Applications are due by March 1, 2023 and can be obtained at cchurch.org/for-our-neighbor/homerepairapplication. Building or repairing wheelchair ramps, constructing decks, doing mobile home skirting, and exterior and interior painting are being offered. Once you apply, people from CrossRoads Church at Westfield will assess the needed repairs

and determine if they have the skills and people power to meet the need. Not all who apply will be guaranteed repairs because students many not have the skills to properly repair the home. “We want to help people stay in their homes for as long as possible,” said Eric Lohe, who is the lead pastor of CrossRoads Church at Westfield. “During the week of June 19 to 23, 2023, a total of 300 high school students from across the country and their adult leaders will come to the Westfield community, live at Westfield Middle School, and go out in smaller groups of six people to serve in Westfield and the surrounding communities. They will serve at 30 to 40 home sites where each of those small groups will spend a week doing repairs for the people and families.” During one week in the summer of 2021, the students and adults repaired 26 homes in northern Hamilton County. “Group Mission Trips serves in 25 communities in the United States each summer and does

week-long youth mission home repair camps,” Lohe explained. “I have been attending these camps since 2005 working as staff and a volunteer. Our church has sent a number of students and adults to these work camps. In Group Mission Trips’ 32 years, they have repaired over 56,000 homes.” Learn more about Group Mission Trips at groupmissiontrips.com. Lohe continued, “This effort is one of four church initiatives called, ‘For Our Neighbor.’ We are trying to meet, know, enjoy, and serve our local neighbors. Our next community event is our annual Pizza and Punchlines, a free family friendly comedy event held at 6 p.m. on Feb. 18, 2023, for pizza with the show at 7 p.m. at Westfield High School.” CrossRoads wants both to be good neighbors and also engage others in helping neighbors in the community. “In addition to seeking applications for repair sites, we are

also seeking businesses or service organizations to serve with us,” Lohe said. “Can you cook up some hot dogs and have them available when the kids come back from sites? Or take out popsicles or water to a couple of work sites during the week to say, ‘Thank you. We’re glad you are here and thanks for what you are doing’? It is not just about us as a church trying to do something for our neighbor, it’s also about engaging people in our community to be the best neighbors we can be. We have been blessed to have the support to aid in material costs by the Central Indiana Community Foundation and the Westfield-Washington Schools for hosting our students for the week.” If you would like to serve with CrossRoads, email forourneighborinfo@gmail.com or call Lohe at (317) 402-6574. Go to ForOurNeighbor.org for more information on all of the Westfield CrossRoads Church “For Our Neighbor” community outreach programs.

Pondering the unexpected

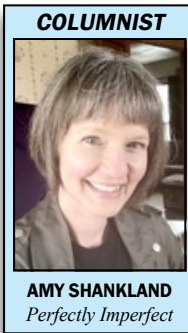
Tis the season to ponder. We are just a few days into December. I have a challenge for you. Did you know that the book of Luke in the Old Testament has 24 chapters? That’s one for every day leading up to the celebration of the birth of Jesus. No one knows the exact date, in fact, many Bible scholars say it is most likely in June. You will have to play catch-up for a few days, but trust me, it will be so worth it. I am such a Bible nerd. I love the beauty of how the scriptures paint such a vivid picture of not only facts but the customs and perspectives of Jesus’ birth. So much was unexpected. What do we do with our own unexpected events?



Imagine having an angel appear before you to tell you what you need to know. Three times in the first two chapters of Luke an angel appears and the first thing the angel says is, “Fear not.” Would you just not have a bit of fear and trepidation if an angel appeared before you? The shepherds were known to be humble, holy, and honest truth-tellers. They would be believed. They were loyal and dedicated. When told of Jesus’ birth, they picked up and went ... without hesitation. Loyalty to their sheep meant they would leave their 99 to go after one lost sheep. This would have great significance as Jesus would be likened to a shepherd, going after his lost sheep. Scripture tells us that we are his sheep. It is said that Elizabeth, who is spoken about in the first chapter, was Mary’s cousin. The angel, Gabriel, told her she would become pregnant and bear a son. She was well beyond child-bearing age. Her husband doubted what the angel said was true, that he would become a father. Because he doubted, he was left speechless until his son, John, was born. Imagine what he had to say after John’s birth. Joseph and Mary had an arranged marriage. Imagine a very young Mary, explaining her being “with child” to Joseph and then Joseph explaining it to his family. Imagine Joseph, telling Mary, who was very pregnant, “we both have to go to Bethlehem to pay our taxes. Look Mary, I know it’s a long way and you are about ready to give birth, but we have no choice.” Then when they get there, telling Mary, there is no room in the inn. Stables were often caves. Modern-day nativities show them as small simple wooden structures. We don’t really know. It really doesn’t matter. While there is a lot that we don’t know, those particulars do not change the fact that Jesus did not come as expected. He was not born to royalty or in a palace. As I discussed my column with Chuck, I told him that this is not the Gospel according to Janet, but scripture is very real to me. I was raised and taught by my mother and those Sunday School teachers at the little Nazarene Church at 10th and Grant streets in Noblesville. I was not only taught but shown who Jesus could be in my life. I might not be Mary, but I can still ponder. And for the next 20-some days I will do just that ... ponder. You see, it’s not about the facts of Jesus’s birth but what his birth means to each and every person. Whether you are the lost sheep or one of the 99. He came to make a difference in your life. So much of the story of the birth of Jesus makes no sense. Maybe things in your life do not make sense. In the hands of Jesus, they will someday. Jesus was long expected as his birth was foretold in the Old Testament. Yet, he did not arrive as expected. What are your expectations this Christmas? Is life not what you planned it to be? Are you weary? I challenge you to read the book of Luke. Find an app on your phone. Read a version of the Bible that you can understand. I usually read the NIV, NLT or Passion translations. As the Bible nerd I am, I enjoy comparing them. It’s not about what you read but what you come to know as you are reading the Bible. It will change your mindset, your perspective but most of all, your heart. Tis the season to ponder. Why not start with Luke? In just a few days you will see life differently. Trust me on this. Janet Hart Leonard can be contacted at janethartleonard@gmail.com or followed on Facebook or Instagram (@janethartleonard). Visit janethartleonard.com.

Telling my sons about my discovery

As my adoption and reunion story continues, I’ve changed some names, places, and dates.



I believe the various emotions I felt the day I met my birth father are what most adoptees and birthparents go through frequently throughout a reunion journey. Despite it all not being 100 percent perfectly happy and comfortable, I would definitely do the same thing again. When you have this type of reunion, it’s difficult to be patient. As an adoptee, you wait decades to find out your history and other information. You want to see, do, and hear as much as possible all at once. But you have to remember that you are strangers in the begin-

ning, and like any relationship, you need to take time to get to know one another. I scared my birth mother Linda one time after I had met Jack by mentioning the possibility of me meeting her soon. She wasn’t ready for that step yet, and it wasn’t right for me to rush her into the thought of it. I have felt mostly joy throughout this experience, however. The day after meeting Jack I took a long look at my oldest son when we went to church. I experienced what I call a “lightning” moment. I realized he looked just like my birth father. I smiled to myself. We had commented many times as he was growing up about his thick hair. Now I

knew where Jonathon had gotten it. He probably wouldn’t have to worry about losing it at a young age! This and other realizations made me start to consider telling my sons about my experience. I asked my husband John for his thoughts one day when we went out to lunch. “I’ve never had a problem with you telling them,” John said. “I think they’re old enough to not say anything to your mother.” At this point the boys were 13 and 14. Like typical teenagers, you had to practically drag words out of their mouth at times. This was the case in our own home, let alone when Jonathon and Jacob were at family gatherings. I told them the story that evening at dinner, my heart pounding the whole time. It was such a relief for me to

know I wouldn’t have to hide during phone conversations with Jack or Linda anymore. “So THAT’S what your next book is going to be about,” Jacob said triumphantly. I grinned and nodded. Up until that moment I hadn’t told them any details about my next project. “Mom, why do you think we’d ever say anything?” Jonathon asked. “Geez, we’ll probably forget all about it later anyway.” “It’s not that I don’t trust you both,” I replied. “It’s just that this is a big a secret to keep. I didn’t want to burden you with that.” I showed them pictures of both Linda and Jack, and they accepted everything well. Their response was quite mature, and I was proud of them that evening.

Obituaries

Joyce Smith Watson Frese July 16, 1932 – November 23, 2022

Joyce Smith Watson Frese, 90, Carmel, passed away on Wednesday, November 23, 2022, at Ascension St. Vincent in Carmel. She was born in Tipton County on July 16, 1932, to Fred and Matie (Hinkle) Smith. In 1988, Joyce married Jerry Frese; he preceded her in death in 2016. Joyce was a member of the East 91st Street Christian Church in Indianapolis. She was very involved and always looked forward to attending services. Joyce enjoyed playing bridge, belonged to several bridge clubs over the years and was a member of Tri-Kappa Sorority. She was a 1950 graduate of Jefferson Township High School, Kempton, and attended Indiana University. She was a loving stay-at-home mother who inherited her talent for cooking from her mother, Matie. Joyce’s greatest gift to her family was her unwavering love. She made sure each of her girls, grandchildren, nieces and nephews felt her love. She would often speak of her parents and siblings, and how she would rejoice when they were all reunited. Joyce is survived by her daughters, Cindy Lunsford, Marta Elliott, and Marianne Brophy. She has six grandchildren, Sarah Grimm, Andy Lunsford, Katie Elliott, Roxie Elliott, Mac Elliott Jr., and Gannon Brophy; and four great-grandchildren, Colin Lunsford, Max Lunsford, Jackson Grimm, and Ella Grimm. She was preceded in death by her husband, Jerry; and siblings, Virginia (Smith) Hahn, Phillip H. Smith, Clyde Smith, and Dr. Chub Smith. A memorial service will be held at noon on Saturday, December 10 at Young-Nichols Funeral Home, 216 W. Jefferson St., Tipton. The family will receive friends from 11 a.m. until noon on Saturday. Burial will be in Tetersburg Cemetery. Memorial donations may be made to the Tipton Community Foundation, 1020 W. Jefferson St., Tipton, IN 46072; or Bosma Visionary Opportunities Foundation, 7223 Woodland Dr., Indianapolis, IN 46278. Condolences: young-nichols.com

Anna Swain-Boughner March 31, 1929 – November 27, 2022

On November 27, 2022, Anna Swain-Boughner passed away peacefully in her sleep. She was 93 years young, born on March 31, 1929. A lifelong Indiana and Florida native, Anna was well-loved by her family and friends. Anna was the mother of six children. Despite her large family, Anna always made time for everyone. She loved getting together for birthdays, holidays, and celebrations for all. She always provided support and love for her family. She would proudly boast about how close her family was and how great it was to have the entire group of over 50 family members together for Christmas every year! Anna was a daughter, sister, friend, mother, grandmother, great-grandmother, and GiGi. She loved playing card games and would play any chance she got. Dancing at the square in the Villages of Florida with her friends is something Anna really enjoyed! She worked as a property manager for Gene B. Glick in Indianapolis. Anna was preceded in death by her husband, George William Swain; her second husband, Don Boughner; by her sons, Ronald Swain and Richard Swain; and her daughter, Connie Swain. She is survived by three children, Timothy Swain (Dena), Terry Swain, and Christopher Swain (Sheila); her two sisters, Betty Silvers and Sherry Sanders; 13 grandchildren; 27 great-grandchildren; and one great-great-grandson. Visitation will be from 10 a.m. to noon, with services at noon, on Thursday, December 1, 2022, at Randall & Roberts Funeral Home, 1150 Logan St., Noblesville. Burial will be at Crownland Cemetery in Noblesville. In lieu of flowers, you may make donations to St. Jude Children’s Research Hospital, 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38105-9959 (stjude.org). Condolences: randallroberts.com

HAMILTON COUNTY
REPORTER

— SHERIFF SALES —

TO THE OWNERS OF THE WITHIN DESCRIBED REAL ESTATE AND ALL INTEREST PARTIES
NOTICE
OF SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a certified copy of a decree to me directed from the Clerk of Superior Court of Hamilton County, Indiana, in Cause No.: 29C01-1911-MF-011192, wherein *Specialized Loan Servicing LLC, was Plaintiff, and Sheila J. Triplett, was/were Defendant(s)*, requiring me to make the sum as provided for in said Decree with interest and costs, I will expose at public sale to the highest bidder, on the **5th day of January, 2023**, at the hour(s) of 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m., said day, at the Hamilton County Sheriff's Office, 18100 Cumberland Rd; Noblesville, Indiana, the fee simple of the whole body of Real Estate, in Hamilton County, Indiana:

Lot Numbered 1303, Block 13, in Providence at Old Meridian - Phase Two, a subdivision in the City of Carmel, Indiana, as per plat thereof recorded November 19, 2003, as Instrument No. 2003-118575, in Plat Cabinet 3, Slide 300, and thereafter replatted July 13, 2004, as Instrument 200400048644, in Plat Cabinet 3, Slide 442, in the Office of the Recorder of Hamilton County, Indiana

More Commonly Known As: 424 Beverly Court, Carmel, IN 46032
29-09-26-013-013.003-018

Together with rents, issues, income and profits thereof, said sale will be made without relief from valuation or appraisalment laws.

Dennis J. Ouakenbush II
Sheriff of Hamilton County

City of Carmel
Township: Clay

424 Beverly Court, Carmel, IN 46032
Street Address

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TO THE OWNERS OF THE WITHIN DESCRIBED REAL ESTATE AND ALL INTERESTED PARTIES
NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a certified copy of a decree to me directed from the Clerk of Superior Court of Hamilton County, Indiana, in Cause No. 29D01-2110-MF-007758 wherein *Town of Atlanta was Plaintiff, and Fennis S. Bledsoe, Kevin J. Cocquyt Individually, and as Agent for American Estate & Trust, LC, FBO Kevin Cocquyt Traditional IRA, Beth Bledsoe, Paul & Associates Business Consultants, LLC, Brent Kirby, Old National Bank, Provident Funding Associates LP, were Defendants*, requiring me to make the sum as provided for in said Decree with interest and cost, I will expose at public auction to the highest bidder, on **January 05, 2023**, at the hour of 10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. or as soon thereafter as is possible at the Hamilton County Sheriff's Department located at 18100 Cumberland Road, Noblesville, IN, of said County at public auction, the fee simple of the whole body of Real Estate in Hamilton County, Indiana.

Lot numbered 2, 3, and North Half of Lot 4 in Square Number 9 in Atlanta Improvement Company's Addition and Walton's Second Addition, an addition to the Town of Atlanta in Hamilton County Indiana, as per plat thereof recorded in Book 58, page 15, in the Office of the Recorder of Hamilton County, Indiana.

More commonly known as: 315 South Railroad Street, Atlanta, Indiana 46031

Together with rents, issues, income, and profits thereof, said sale will be made without relief from valuation or appraisalment laws.

Dennis J. Ouakenbush II
Sheriff of Hamilton County, Indiana

315 South Railroad Street, Atlanta, Indiana 46031

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TO THE OWNERS OF THE WITHIN DESCRIBED REAL ESTATE AND ALL INTERESTED PARTIES
NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a certified copy of a decree directed to me from the Clerk of the Superior Court of Hamilton County, Indiana, in Cause No. 29C01-1706-MF-005866, wherein *Wells Fargo Bank, N.A., as Trustee for Carrington Mortgage Loan Trust, Series 2007-RFC1, Asset-Backed Pass-Through Certificates was Plaintiff and Juli A. Stansberry, et. al., were the Defendants*, requiring me to make the sum as provided for in said Decree with interest and costs, I will expose at public sale to the highest bidder on the **5th day of January 2023, at the hour of 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.** of said day at the Hamilton County Sheriff's Department the fee simple of the whole body of real estate in Hamilton County, Indiana:

LOT NUMBER 187 IN BROOKSTON PLACE ADDITION, SECTION 2, AS PER PLAT THEREOF, RECORDED JANUARY 21, 1998 AS INSTRUMENT NUMBER 98-03087, IN THE OFFICE OF THE RECORDER OF HAMILTON COUNTY, INDIANA.

State Parcel No. 29-15-10-015-036.000-020

More commonly known as: 10185 Lothbury Circle, Fishers, IN 46037
Township: Fall Creek

Together with rents, issues, income, and profits thereof, said sale will be made without relief from valuation or appraisalment laws.

All sales are subject to any first and prior liens, taxes and assessments legally levied and assessed thereon. Neither the Sheriff nor the Plaintiff in this case warrants either expressly or implied any title, location or legal description of any real estate sold at the sale. Any prospective bidder should obtain their own title evidence before making any bid on any properties subject to this sale.

Dennis J. Ouakenbush II
Hamilton County Sheriff

DATE: November 7, 2022
Brian K. Tekulve (30882-49)

Law Office of Gerald M. Shapiro, LLP
4805 Montgomery Road, Suite 320

Norwood, OH 45212

(513)396-8100 Fax: (847)627-8805
btekulve@logs.com

The Sheriff's Department does not warrant the accuracy of the street address published herein

R1664

11/21/22, 11/28/22, 12/5/22

— COURT NOTICES —

STATE OF INDIANA)
SS:)

COUNTY OF HAMILTON)
IN THE HAMILTON COURT)

Cause No. 29C01-2210-MI-008311)
IN RE THE NAME CHANGE OF)
Dorothy Oleda McMillan)

Petitioner.)
NOTICE OF PETITION FOR)
CHANGE OF NAME)

Dorothy Oleda McMillan, whose)
mailing address and residence address)
is: 17090 Mill Creek Rd., Noblesville,)
IN 46062, in HAMILTON County,)
Indiana, hereby gives notice that)
Dorothy Oleda McMillan has filed a)
petition in the Hamilton Court)
requesting that name be changed to)
Dorothy Oleda Malone.

Notice is further given that the)
hearing will be held on said Petition)
on: February 3, 2023 at 10:00 a.m.)
One Hamilton County Square, Suite)
337, Noblesville, IN. 46060)
Dorothy Oleda McMillan)
Petitioner)
Date: October 27, 2022)

Kathy Kreag Williams)
Judicial Officer)
R1665 11/21, 11/28, 12/5/22

STATE OF INDIANA)
SS:)

COUNTY OF HAMILTON)
IN THE HAMILTON CIRCUIT)
COURT)

Cause No. 29C01-2206-MI-4788)
IN RE NAME CHANGE OF)
NAME OF MINOR:)
LEONARDO MAXWELL)
HERRING)

NOTICE OF HEARING)
Notice is hereby given that Petitioner)
LAURA McCABE, filed a Verified)
Petition for Change of Name of)
Minor to change his name from)
LEONARDO MAXWELL HERRING to)
LEONARDO MAXWELL)
McCABE.

The petition is scheduled for hearing)
in the Hamilton Circuit Court on)
January 6, 2023 at 10:00 a.m. which)
is more than thirty (30) days after the)
third notice of publication. Any person)
has the right to appear at the hearing)
and to file written objections on or)
before the hearing date.

The parties shall report to One)
Hamilton County Square, Suite 337,)
Noblesville, IN 46060.)
Date: October 4, 2022)

Kathy Kreag Williams)
Clerk of Hamilton County)
R1496 11/28, 12/5, 12/12/22

STATE OF INDIANA)
SS:)

COUNTY OF HAMILTON)
IN THE HAMILTON COURT)

Cause No. 29C01-2210-MI-007874)
IN RE THE NAME CHANGE OF)
Grant David Thatcher)

Petitioner.)
NOTICE OF PETITION FOR)
CHANGE OF NAME)

Grant David Thatcher, whose)
mailing address and residence address)
is: 135 Pineview Dr. Apartment 4,)
Carmel, IN 46032, in HAMILTON)
County, Indiana, hereby gives notice)
that Grant David Thatcher has filed a)
petition in the Hamilton Court)
requesting that name be changed to)
Grant David Popov.

Notice is further given that the)
hearing will be held on said Petition)
on: January 6, 2023 at 10:00 a.m. One)
Hamilton County Square, Suite 337,)
Noblesville, IN. 46060)
Grant David Thatcher)
Petitioner)
Date: October 7, 2022)

Kathy Kreag Williams)
Judicial Officer)
R1666 11/21, 11/28, 12/5/22

STATE OF INDIANA)
SS:)

COUNTY OF HAMILTON)
IN THE HAMILTON COURT)

Cause No. 29C01-2206-MI-4788)
IN RE NAME CHANGE OF)
NAME OF MINOR:)
LEONARDO MAXWELL)
HERRING)

NOTICE OF HEARING)
Notice is hereby given that Petitioner)
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Petition for Change of Name of)
Minor to change his name from)
LEONARDO MAXWELL HERRING to)
LEONARDO MAXWELL)
McCABE.

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and to file written objections on or)
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Hamilton County Square, Suite 337,)
Noblesville, IN 46060.)
Date: October 4, 2022)

Kathy Kreag Williams)
Clerk of Hamilton County)
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— COUNTY —

HAMILTON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
MEETING NOTICE

Pursuant to IC 5-14-1.5-5 (a) the Hamilton County Board of Commissioners will meet on Monday, December 19, 2022 at 10:00 a.m. in the Hamilton County Government and Judicial Center, One Hamilton County Square, Noblesville, Indiana 46060. This meeting is to discuss county business.

/s/ Robin M. Mills
Hamilton County Auditor

R1708

12/5/22

— NOBLESVILLE —

Notice

1.01 SUMMARY
Notice is hereby given that SEALED BIDS will be received:

BY AND AT:

Hagerman, Inc.
C/O Noblesville Schools
18025 River Road
Noblesville, IN 46062
Attn. David Hortemiller
Noblesville High School Athletics Addition
18111 Cumberland Road
Noblesville, IN 46060

FOR:

UNTIL: 2:00 P.M., local time, December 22, 2022.

DESCRIPTION OF PROJECT: WWork includes a new Athletics Addition to the existing Noblesville High School and renovations to some existing classrooms.

RECEIPT OF BIDS: Bids received by mail or other carrier must be addressed to: Hagerman, Inc. c/o David Hortemiller, Noblesville Schools, 18025 River Road, Noblesville, IN 46062 and received on or before 2:00 pm, Tuesday, December 22, 2022 to be valid. Bids received after the designated day and time listed above will be returned unopened. Any postal/courier service is the agent of the Bidder.

BID OPENING: Bids will be publicly opened and read aloud on Tuesday, December 22, 2022 2:00 pm local time in the Board Room of the Noblesville Schools Educational Services Center located at 18025 River Road, Noblesville, IN 46062.

PRE-BID MEETING: A pre-bid meeting for interested parties will be held on Tuesday, December 13, 2022 at 1:00 PM local time. We will plan to meet at the project site at South End of Noblesville High School located at 18111 Cumberland Road, Noblesville, IN 46060. This meeting is not mandatory, but all interested Bidders are encouraged to attend.

CONTRACT TYPE: The project(s) will be constructed utilizing the Construction Manager as Constructor (CMc) delivery method for public work. The Construction Manager will contract with multiple First Tier Subcontractors for the Bid items listed below, with bids received on a lump sum basis for each bid item. Each proposal shall include all labor, equipment, and materials necessary to complete the project in strict accordance with the Construction Drawings, Project Schedule, Project Manual and Technical Specifications.

The Construction Manager will receive sealed Bids for the following Bid Items of work:

Bid Item #02: Site Excavation and Utility Work
Bid Item #03: Asphalt Paving Work
Bid Item #04: Landscape and Seeding Work
Bid Item #05: Concrete Work
Bid Item #06: Masonry Work
Bid Item #07: Roofing Work
Bid Item #08: Aluminum Window and Door and Fiberglass Sandwich Panel Work

Bid Item #09: Metal Stud, Drywall, Insulation and Acoustical Ceilings Work
Bid Item #10: General Trades and Selective Demo Work
Bid Item #11: Painting Work
Bid Item #12: Carpet, LVT and Base Work
Bid Item #13: Tile Work
Bid Item #14: Epoxy Resinous Flooring Work
Bid Item #15: Athletic Flooring Work
Bid Item #16: Locker Work
Bid Item #17: Gymnasium Equipment Work
Bid Item #18: Manufactured Casework and Tops Work
Bid Item #19: Fire Protection Work
Bid Item #20: Plumbing, Mechanical, HVAC Ductwork and Temperature Controls Work

Bid Item #21: Electrical and Fire Alarm Work

SUBCONTRACTOR PREQUALIFICATION: All subcontractors must be pre-qualified prior to submission of the bid. Pre-qualification forms can be obtained by contacting Misael Ramirez, Hagerman, Inc., 317-577-6836, MRamirez@HagermanGC.com. The completed pre-qualification forms with attachments shall be submitted to Misael Ramirez by 5:00 pm Tuesday, December 6, 2022. Completed forms may be emailed to Misael Ramirez or a hard copy delivered to Hagerman's office (10315 Allisonville Road) in a sealed envelope. Financial information will be kept confidential. Pre-qualified subcontractors will be notified of approval by 5:00 pm on Wednesday, December 8, 2022.

Documents Prepared by:

CSO Architects, Inc.
8831 Keystone Crossing

Indianapolis, IN 46240

Construction Manager as Constructor (CMc):

Hagerman, Inc.
10315 Allisonville Road

Fishers, IN 46038

BID DOCUMENTS: Interested Prime Bidders may purchase Bidding Documents at Eastern Engineering. Documents will be available on or after November 28, 2022. Documents are available electronically by contacting: Misael Ramirez, Hagerman, Inc., MRamirez@HagermanGC.com

Mike Holtkamp, Hagerman, Inc., MHoltkamp@HagermanGC.com
Hagerman, Inc. Main Office (Fishers, IN): (317) 577-6836.

Eastern Engineering
http://distribution.easternengineering.com/View/Default.aspx
Office: (317) 598-0661

Any questions concerning bidding this project, project completion, scheduling, project administration, etc. shall be directed to:

Mike Holtkamp, Hagerman, Inc. MHoltkamp@HagermanGC.com
Hagerman, Inc. Main Office (Fishers, IN): (317) 577-6836

BID DOCUMENTS - REVIEW: Construction will be in accordance with the bid documents, which may be viewed at the following locations, as well as local plan rooms:

1. Noblesville Schools
18025 River Road

Noblesville, IN 46062

2. Hagerman, Inc.
10315 Allisonville Road

Fishers, IN 46038

3. CSO Architects
8831 Keystone Crossing

Indianapolis, IN 46240

BID SECURITY: Bids are not required to include a Bid Security or Bid Bond or Certified Check.

PERFORMANCE BOND AND PAYMENT BOND: A Performance Bond and Payment Bond in the amount of one hundred percent (100%) of the Contract Amount may be required of the successful bidder. Bidders will provide a cost for this bond on the bid form.

E-VERIFY AND BACKGROUND CHECKS: The Contractor and subcontractors shall fully comply with all the E-Verify requirements set forth in Ind. Code 22-5-1.7. https://www.uscis.gov/e-verify and background checks.

SAFETY: All Contractors shall comply with OSHA and IOWA rules and regulations regarding Safety for this project and all contractors shall abide by the 2020 Hagerman Safety Manual. The safety manual can be found accessible at www.thehagermangroup.com using password "safety."

TAXES, PERMITS, INSPECTIONS: All Bids shall be submitted without inclusion in the bid price for the amounts, if any, of Indiana State Gross Retail and Use Tax (generally called the "Sales Tax") for materials and properties that are to be purchased by the Bidder that will become a permanent part of the Project.

Owner will provide a tax-exempt form.

R1686

11/28/22, 12/5/22

NOTICE OF SALE

The City of Noblesville Board of Public Works ("Noblesville") has determined to sell the following real property:

Acreage .00, Section 1, Township 18, Range 4, RIVER PARK, Lot Pt 7, Block 2

It is further described as the following within closing documents related to a June 2, 2016 sale: TWENTY TWO AND ONE HALF (22 1/4) FEET OFF THE WEST SIDE OF LOT SEVEN (7), SQUARE TWO (2), IN RIVER PARK

ADDITION TO THE CITY OF NOBLESVILLE, AS PER PLAT THEREOF RECORDED IN DEED RECORD 50, PAGES 1-4, IN THE OFFICE OF THE RECORDER OF HAMILTON COUNTY, INDIANA

Commonly known as: 608 Pleasant Street, Noblesville, IN 46060

The minimum bid for the property is \$145,000 Dollars. Noblesville will begin receiving bids of \$145,000 or higher on December 21, 2022 at 8:00 a.m. Bids should be delivered unsealed to the Clerk's office at City Hall, 16 South 10th Street, and will be made available for public inspection. The sale will continue from day to day until February 20, 2022, which period is not more than sixty (60) days from the start of the receipt of bids. Noblesville may stop the sale and accept the then present highest and best bid at any time prior to February 20, 2022.

A person ineligible under Indiana Code § 36-1-11-4 may not purchase the property. A bid submitted by a trust (as defined in Indiana Code § 30-4-1-1(a)) must identify each: (a) beneficiary of the trust; and (b) settlor empowered to revoke or modify the trust.

All bids will be open to public inspection. A bidder may raise the bidder's bid, and that raise takes effect after Noblesville has given written notice of that raise to other bidders. The City may at any time before February 20, 2022, sell the property to the highest and best bidder who complies with this notice.

Noblesville reserves the right to reject any bids and to stop a sale. All sales are subject to a Disclaimer of Warranties and shall take the property by Quit Claim Deed via title company of Noblesville's choosing. Buyer shall be responsible for all closing costs including, but not limited to, title work, title insurance, deed costs, etc. DISCLAIMER OF WARRANTIES: The winning bidder accepts the property and all property is provided "AS IS, WHERE IS, AND WITH ALL FAULTS." THE CITY OF NOBLESVILLE, THE CITY OF NOBLESVILLE BOARD OF WORKS, AND ITS AGENTS MAKE NO WARRANTIES, DISCLAIMERS, OR STATEMENTS, EXPRESS, IMPLIED OR OTHERWISE, WITH RESPECT TO THE PROPERTY, INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, WARRANTIES OF TITLE, MERCHANTABILITY, FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE, RESIDENTIAL DISCLOSURES, OR ANY OTHER CLAIMS.

R1705 12/5/22, 12/12/22

— CICERO —

Sale of Surplus Vehicle

Notice is hereby given that the Town of Cicero proposes to sell the following vehicle:

1)2004 GMC Sierra 2500 HD Regular Cab (Boss Snowplow)
a. Approximately 61,000 miles
b. Vehicle #1GTHK24U04E170731
c. Minimum bid of \$7200.00

Deadline to Submit Bid: The bidder should submit in a sealed envelope clearly marked "Bid for White Sierra" no later than 4pm on December 20th, 2022. Please mail or hand-deliver your bid to: Clerk Treasurer, Town of Cicero, PO Box 650, 331 E Jackson Street, Cicero IN 46034. Bids may also be presented on the night of the opening prior to 7pm. Bids will be opened at the December 20th, 2022, meeting of the Cicero Town Council at 697 W Jackson Street, Cicero IN 46034.

Bid Proposal: Bidder understands that the bid is for the vehicle in an As-Is condition and there are no expressed or implied warranties. The Bidder agrees that this bid shall remain valid for a period of seven (7) days from the due date, and the successful bid may be accepted at any time during this seven (7) day period. Bids not accepted within said seven (7) daytime period shall be deemed rejected.

Time Completion: The Bidder agrees that if awarded the contract, he or she will pick up the vehicle within five (5) business days from the time of notification.

Method of Payment: The Bidder agrees that the acceptable method of payment shall be cash, certified check, or money order.

General Agreements: The Bidder agrees that he or she has examined this Notice of Bid, had the opportunity to examine the vehicles, had the opportunity to review other relevant documents which may have been requested by Bidder, and that he or she has carefully prepared for his or her bid. The Bidder states that the amount set forth in his or her bid is correct and that no mistake or error has occurred in the bid or computations. The Bidder agrees he or she will make no claim for reformation after the scheduled closing time to the receipt of proposals. The sale of said vehicle shall be made to the highest responsible and responsive bidder. The Town of Cicero expressly reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Rhonda Gary- Cicero Clerk Treasurer

R1703

12/5/22

— NOBLESVILLE —

PUBLIC NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS
WITHIN AND NEAR THE CITY OF NOBLESVILLE, INDIANA
Midland Overlook Annexation

At its November 9, 2022 meeting, the City of Noblesville, Indiana adopted Ordinance No. 45-07-22, which annexes into Noblesville approximately 63.02 acres of land generally located northeast of the intersection of the 171st Street and Mill Creek Road. A copy of the Ordinance, with its attachments, is also available for review at the Noblesville City Hall, Planning & Development Department, 16 South 10th Street, Noblesville, Indiana 46060. The Ordinance (without attachments) is as follows:

**CITY OF NOBLESVILLE, INDIANA
ORDINANCE # 45-07-22
AN ORDINANCE ANNEXING TERRITORY TO THE CITY OF NOBLESVILLE,
PLACING THE SAME WITHIN THE CORPORATE BOUNDARIES THEREOF,
AND MAKING THE SAME A PART OF THE CITY OF NOBLESVILLE
Midland Overlook Annexation**

WHEREAS, the City of Noblesville ("City") has evaluated the City's municipal boundaries, surrounding territory, provision of local government service, existing developments, agreements for annexation, and opportunities for growth and development of the City and its surrounding community; and

WHEREAS, the City has identified an area west and south of the City's current municipal boundaries for annexation to the City, generally known as the "Midland Overlook Annexation Area"; and

WHEREAS, a map and legal description of the Midland Overlook Annexation Area is attached hereto as Exhibit A and Exhibit B, respectively ("Annexation Territory"); and

WHEREAS, where the legal description attached as Exhibit B describes land that is contiguous to a public highway right-of-way that has not previously been annexed, the Annexation Territory shall include the contiguous public highway right-of-way even if it is not described in Exhibit B, except to the extent prohibited by I.C. § 36-4-3-1.5(c); and

WHEREAS, where the parcel of property within the Annexation Territory is adjacent to a parcel of property within the existing City limits, the Annexation Territory boundary shall conform to and match the boundary of the existing City limits so long as it does not result in adding or removing parcels of property from the Annexation Territory depicted in Exhibit A; and

WHEREAS, the Annexation Territory consists of approximately sixty-three and two hundredths (63.02) acres, and is contiguous to the existing City limits; and

WHEREAS, prior to the introduction of this Ordinance, the City has provided notice to landowners and conducted an outreach program to inform citizens regarding the annexation;

— COUNTY —

BEFORE THE HAMILTON COUNTY DRAINAGE BOARD
IN THE MATTER OF
Jacob Yansel Drain, Maintenance Assessment Increase
NOTICE

Notice is hereby given pursuant to Section 405 of the 1965 Indiana Drainage Code that this Board, prior to final adjournment on **November 28, 2022** has issued an order adopting the Schedule of Assessments, filed the same and made public announcement thereof at the hearing and ordered publication. If judicial review of the findings and order of the Board is not requested pursuant to Article Eight of this code within twenty (20) days from the date of this publication, the order shall be conclusive.

Hamilton County Drainage Board

Attest: Lynette Mosbaugh
R1714 12/5/22

BEFORE THE HAMILTON COUNTY DRAINAGE BOARD
IN THE MATTER OF
Little Eagle Creek Drain, Albany Village
NOTICE

Notice is hereby given pursuant to Section 405 of the 1965 Indiana Drainage Code that this Board, prior to final adjournment on **November 28, 2022** has issued an order adopting the Schedule of Assessments, filed the same and made public announcement thereof at the hearing and ordered publication. If judicial review of the findings and order of the Board is not requested pursuant to Article Eight of this code within twenty (20) days from the date of this publication, the order shall be conclusive.

Hamilton County Drainage Board

Attest: Lynette Mosbaugh
R1715 12/5/22

BEFORE THE HAMILTON COUNTY DRAINAGE BOARD
IN THE MATTER OF
Bellevood Drain, Maintenance Assessment Increase
NOTICE

Notice is hereby given pursuant to Section 405 of the 1965 Indiana Drainage Code that this Board, prior to final adjournment on **November 28, 2022** has issued an order adopting the Schedule of Assessments, filed the same and made public announcement thereof at the hearing and ordered publication. If judicial review of the findings and order of the Board is not requested pursuant to Article Eight of this code within twenty (20) days from the date of this publication, the order shall be conclusive.

Hamilton County Drainage Board

Attest: Lynette Mosbaugh
R1716 12/5/22

BEFORE THE HAMILTON COUNTY DRAINAGE BOARD
IN THE MATTER OF
Revis-Carson Drain, Maintenance Assessment Increase
NOTICE

Notice is hereby given pursuant to Section 405 of the 1965 Indiana Drainage Code that this Board, prior to final adjournment on **November 28, 2022** has issued an order adopting the Schedule of Assessments, filed the same and made public announcement thereof at the hearing and ordered publication. If judicial review of the findings and order of the Board is not requested pursuant to Article Eight of this code within twenty (20) days from the date of this publication, the order shall be conclusive.

Hamilton County Drainage Board

Attest: Lynette Mosbaugh
R1717 12/5/22

BEFORE THE HAMILTON COUNTY DRAINAGE BOARD
IN THE MATTER OF
Ross & Mann Drain, Maintenance Assessment Increase
NOTICE

Notice is hereby given pursuant to Section 405 of the 1965 Indiana Drainage Code that this Board, prior to final adjournment on **November 28, 2022** has issued an order adopting the Schedule of Assessments, filed the same and made public announcement thereof at the hearing and ordered publication. If judicial review of the findings and order of the Board is not requested pursuant to Article Eight of this code within twenty (20) days from the date of this publication, the order shall be conclusive.

Hamilton County Drainage Board

Attest: Lynette Mosbaugh
R1718 12/5/22

BEFORE THE HAMILTON COUNTY DRAINAGE BOARD
IN THE MATTER OF
William Baker Drain, Maintenance Assessment Increase
NOTICE

Notice is hereby given pursuant to Section 405 of the 1965 Indiana Drainage Code that this Board, prior to final adjournment on **November 28, 2022** has issued an order adopting the Schedule of Assessments, filed the same and made public announcement thereof at the hearing and ordered publication. If judicial review of the findings and order of the Board is not requested pursuant to Article Eight of this code within twenty (20) days from the date of this publication, the order shall be conclusive.

Hamilton County Drainage Board

Attest: Lynette Mosbaugh
R1719 12/5/22

STATE OF INDIANA)
) SS BEFORE THE HAMILTON
COUNTY OF HAMILTON)
) DRAINAGE BOARD
IN THE MATTER OF **2022 Reconstruction of the LN Joseph & Eli Brooks Arm of the William Lehr Drain**
NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Hamilton County Drainage Board at its regular meeting **November 28, 2022** adopted the reconstruction report of the Surveyor and the Amended Schedule of damages and assessments including annual assessment for periodic maintenance, finding that the costs, damages and expense of the proposed improvement would be less than the benefits which will result to the owner of lands benefited thereby.

The Board issued an order declaring the proposed improvement established. Such findings and order were marked filed and are available for inspection in the Office of the Hamilton County Surveyor.

If judicial review of the findings and order of the Board is not requested pursuant to Article VIII of the 1965 Indiana Drainage Code as amended within twenty (20) days from the date of publication of this notice, the findings and order shall become conclusive.

HAMILTON COUNTY DRAINAGE BOARD

BY: Christine Altman
PRESIDENT
ATTEST: Lynette Mosbaugh
SECRETARY
R1722 12/5/22

STATE OF INDIANA)
) SS BEFORE THE HAMILTON
COUNTY OF HAMILTON)
) DRAINAGE BOARD
IN THE MATTER OF **Vestal/Kirkendall Drainage Area, Russell Shugart Arm, Midland Pointe OffSite Reconstruction**
NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Hamilton County Drainage Board at its regular meeting **November 28, 2022** adopted the reconstruction report of the Surveyor and the Amended Schedule of damages and assessments including annual assessment for periodic maintenance, finding that the costs, damages and expense of the proposed improvement would be less than the benefits which will result to the owner of lands benefited thereby.

The Board issued an order declaring the proposed improvement established. Such findings and order were marked filed and are available for inspection in the Office of the Hamilton County Surveyor.

If judicial review of the findings and order of the Board is not requested pursuant to Article VIII of the 1965 Indiana Drainage Code as amended within twenty (20) days from the date of publication of this notice, the findings and order shall become conclusive.

HAMILTON COUNTY DRAINAGE BOARD

BY: Christine Altman
PRESIDENT
ATTEST: Lynette Mosbaugh
SECRETARY
R1721 12/5/22

INVITING SEALED PROPOSALS FOR ANNUAL DRAIN MAINTENANCE LABOR, MATERIAL & EQUIPMENT RATES FOR BIG CICERO CREEK REGULATED OPEN DRAIN

Pursuant to 36-9-27-78 the Big Cicero Creek Joint Drainage Board, Tipton County, Indiana will receive sealed bid proposals until the hour of 3:00 p.m., December 20th, 2022 in the Tipton County Surveyor's office, Courthouse, Room 102, 101 East Jefferson Street, Tipton, Indiana 46072 for "ANNUAL DRAIN MAINTENANCE FOR BIG CICERO CREEK 2023".

Each bid shall be submitted in a sealed envelope, identified as "Annual Drain Maintenance of Big Cicero Creek 2023", shall bear the name and address of the bidder and must be filed in the office of the Tipton County Surveyor (or designee) prior to the bid opening.

As required by IC 36-9-27-78(c), At 10:30 a.m. on December 21st, 2022 all bids, received by the above date and time, will be publicly opened and read aloud in the Conference Room on the first floor of the Tipton County Courthouse. Any bid received after the designated time stated above will be returned unopened.

Copies of the specifications are available to interested bidders in the offices of the Tipton, Hamilton, Boone and Clinton County Surveyors.

Bids shall be submitted on a fully and properly executed "General Bid Form 96" which includes a Non-Collusion Affidavit, as prescribed by the Indiana State Board of Accounts and in accordance with I.C. 36-1-12-4(b, 6 & 12) and all acts amendatory thereto and shall include the required "Plan & Equipment Questionnaire" and "Contractor's Financial Statement".

The bid shall also include an executed Non-Discrimination Clause, and Certificate of NonSegregated Facilities.

Pursuant to I.C. 36-9-27-78(b), the bidder shall be required to file with his or her bid proposal, at his or her option, either a certified check or cashier's check made payable to the Big Cicero Joint Drainage Board in the amount of \$500.00 or acceptable bid bond with sufficient sureties. The bond must be conditioned upon the bidder's execution of a contract in accordance with his or her bid if accepted by the Board and must provide for the forfeiture of the bond upon his or her failure to do so. The Big Cicero Creek Joint Drainage Board shall return all checks and bonds submitted by unsuccessful bidders, and shall return the successful bidders' checks or bonds upon entering into a contract with the Board.

Pursuant to IC 36-9-27-78(c), at the time specified the Big Cicero Creek Joint Drainage Board shall open and examine all bids. The Board shall then promptly award the contract to the lowest bidder or bidders it finds qualified. In determining whether a bidder is qualified, the Board shall consider the complexity and magnitude of the work to be performed, and the skill and experience of the bidder.

A Performance Bond in the amount of \$10,000.00 will be required of the successful bidder. The bond must be conditioned on the faithful performance of the contract and the payment of all expenses and damages incurred under the contract, including payment of all suppliers, laborers, and subcontractors. The bond shall remain valid and in full force and effect during the term of this contract.

The Big Cicero Creek Joint Drainage Board reserves the right to waive informalities or accept or to reject any and all bids, all to the advantage of said Board.

BIG CICERO CREEK JOINT DRAINAGE BOARD TIPTON COUNTY, INDIANA
MARK HEIRBRANDT
DON LAWSON
JORDAN BREWER
BRAD BAGWELL
AUSTIN HENDERSON
R1723 12/5/22

— FISHERS —

NOTICE TO BIDDERS
Solicitation documents for purchasing
SURPLUS TECHNOLOGY EQUIPMENT

from the Hamilton Southeastern School Corporation are available on the web site www.hseschools.org. (Please refer to the link near the bottom of the HSE home page referencing "Technology Surplus Auction"). This website is the official source for all documents related to this solicitation. Hamilton Southeastern School Corporation is not responsible for documents distributed through any other means.

iPAD SURPLUS FOR PURCHASE:

Model	iPad 2	iPad 4 Retina	iPad Air 1	iPad Air 2	iPad Air 2	iPad 5th Gen.	iPad 6th Gen.	iPad 7th Gen.	iPad 8th Gen.	iPad Pro 1st Gen.	iPad Pro 4th Gen.
Quantity in working condition	18	13	7	2	3	2	1319	0	0	2	0
Damaged	0	1	1	0	1	19	44	1	0	0	0
Non-Repairable	0	0	0	0	0	0	19	8	3	0	1
Memory	16 GB	16 GB	16 GB	64 GB	16GB	32 GB	32 GB	32 GB	32 GB	32 GB	32 GB

Devices categorized as "Damaged" are believed to be repairable. A basic description of the damage for each iPad will be provided on the HSE website. All devices were kept in protective cases and do not contain any engravings. The majority of the devices were used by staff members.

LAPTOP SURPLUS FOR PURCHASE.

Following are the minimum specifications for each device. Several of the devices will have newer configurations with slightly updated features but are very similar to the minimum specifications provided.

Model	MacBook Air 13-inch
Quantity in working condition	2183
Damaged	99
Minimum Processor	1.6GHz i5
Memory	8 GB
Hard Drive	128 GB – Flash Storage

Laptops were kept in a protective case and used by students. There are no engravings on the devices. Damaged devices have not been inspected to verify if they can be repaired.

DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION: prior to 12:00 pm local time (EST) December 12, 2022

RECORDING OF PROPOSERS: 2:00 pm local time (EST) December 12, 2022

Vendors shall submit bids according to the Instructions, Provisions and Specifications stated in the solicitation documents. Questions should be addressed via email to HSE's Director of Infrastructure Technologies, Tom Kouns (tkouns@hse.k12.in.us)

R1725 12/5/22, 12/12/22

— WESTFIELD —

LEGAL NOTICE OF EVIDENTIARY HEARING
INDIANA UTILITY REGULATORY COMMISSION CAUSE NO. 45761
VERIFIED PETITION OF WESTFIELD GAS, L.L.C. D/B/A CITIZENS GAS OF WESTFIELD FOR (1) AUTHORITY TO INCREASE RATES AND CHARGES FOR GAS UTILITY SERVICE AND APPROVAL OF A NEW SCHEDULE OF RATES AND CHARGES; (2) APPROVAL OF CERTAIN REVISIONS TO ITS TERMS AND CONDITIONS APPLICABLE TO GAS UTILITY SERVICE; AND (3) APPROVAL PURSUANT TO INDIANA CODE SECTION 8-1-2.5-6 OF AN ALTERNATIVE REGULATORY PLAN UNDER WHICH IT WOULD CONTINUE ITS ENERGY EFFICIENCY PROGRAM PORTFOLIO AND ENERGY EFFICIENCY RIDER

Notice is hereby given that the Indiana Utility Regulatory Commission will conduct a public Evidentiary Hearing in the above-captioned Cause in **Room 222 of the PNC Center, 101 W. Washington Street, Indianapolis, Indiana, commencing at 9:30 AM on January 26, 2023.** This hearing is open to the public.

If an accommodation is required to allow an individual with a disability to participate, please contact the Office of the Executive Secretary of the IURC at 317.232.2701 or TDD 317. 232.8556 at least 48 hours in advance.

INDIANA UTILITY REGULATORY COMMISSION
OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE SECRETARY
317.232.2701
BY: IURC – Sparks Drake, ALJ

DATE: November 28, 2022
R1704 12/5/22

PUBLIC NOTICE

Please be advised that the Westfield-Washington Township Board of Zoning Appeals will meet at 7:00 p.m. on Tuesday, December 13, 2022, at Westfield City Hall, 130 Penn Street, Westfield, Indiana, or in a virtual format viewable at <https://www.youtube.com/user/CityofWestfieldIN>, for the purposes of holding a public hearing and reviewing and acting on the following petitions for the purpose of reviewing and acting on the following petitions:

- 2212-VS-36; 20253 Willenhall Court, Lennar Homes of Indiana, LLC requests a Variance of Development Standard to encroach five (5) inches into the five (5) foot Minimum Side Yard Setback (south) on 0.2 acres +/- in the Northpoint Planned Unit Development (PUD) District due to a foundation error;
- 2212-VU-16; 605 Hillcrest Drive, Dennis A Hunt Insurance and Financial Services requests a Variance of Use to permit a Professional Office use (Insurance and Finance Institution) in the SF3: Single-Family Medium Density District (Chapter 13);
- 2212-VU-17; 758 N. Union Street, Achieve Therapy Services, Inc. requests a Variance of Use to permit a Professional Office use (Physical Rehabilitation Service) in the MF-1: Multi-Family Low Density District (Chapter 13); and
- 2212-VU-18 & 2212-VS-37; 17925 Sun Park Drive, Practical Property Group requests the extension of an existing Variance of Use and existing Variance of Development Standards to permit temporary relief from the US Highway 31 Overlay Zone for a landscaping contractor use (Construction Trade Office) (Article 5.2 & Chapter 13).

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

Westfield-Washington Township Board of Zoning Appeals
Westfield Economic and Community Development Department
2728 East 171st Street, Westfield, Indiana 46074
www.westfield.in.gov
R1706 12/2/22, 12/5/22

NOTICE OF DETERMINATION BY WESTFIELD WASHINGTON TOWNSHIP, HAMILTON COUNTY, INDIANA TO ENTER INTO A BUILD OPERATE TRANSFER AGREEMENT

Owners of real property within Westfield Washington Township, Hamilton County, Indiana (the "Township"), are hereby given notice that the Township Board of the Township has determined, at its meeting held on November 30, 2022, that the Township will enter into a buildoperate-transfer agreement with GM Development Companies for the purposes of providing for the development, construction, financing, operation, and transfer of a new office building (the "Project") to be used by the Township as its headquarters. Such determination is the result of a request for proposals and qualifications process undertaken by the Township for the development, construction, financing, operation, and transfer of the Project pursuant to Indiana Code § 5-23. Payments to be made under the build-operate-transfer agreement will be payable from proceeds generated by ad valorem property taxes levied by the Township on all real property located within the Township. This Notice of Determination is being given pursuant to Ind. Code § 6-1-20-5.

Dated this 30th day of November, 2022.

WESTFIELD WASHINGTON TOWNSHIP, HAMILTON COUNTY, INDIANA
R1709 12/5/22, 12/12/22

— CARMEL —

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
BEFORE THE COMMON COUNCIL
OF THE CITY OF CARMEL, INDIANA
Ordinance No. D-2656-22

Notice is hereby given that the Carmel Common Council, on December 21, 2022 at 6:00 PM in the Carmel City Hall Council Chambers, One Civic Square, Carmel, Indiana 46032, will hold a Public Hearing to consider proposed Ordinance D-2656-22 which would vacate certain public rights-of-way abutting the Petitioner's (JR Farmer Finance SC, LLC) Old Meridian and Main redevelopment project. The rights-of-way to be vacated are located entirely within the City of Carmel, Hamilton County, Indiana.

A copy of the proposed Ordinance is on file and open to inspection in the Office of the Clerk, City of Carmel, One Civic Square, Carmel, Indiana 46032.

All interested persons desiring to present their views on the proposed ordinance will be given an opportunity to be heard at the above-mentioned time and place. The hearing may be continued from time to time as may be found necessary.

Sue Wolfgang, Clerk
November 29, 2022
R1707 12/5/22

— COUNTY —

NOTICE OF ADOPTION OF ORDINANCE NO. 11-14-22-B

Notice is given that the Board of Commissioners of Hamilton County, on November 14, 2022, adopted Ordinance 11-14-22-B ("the Ordinance"), which amended Ordinance No. 10-12-20-A. The Ordinance: 1) prohibits structures within regulated drains and the corresponding easements, whether the easements are recorded or unrecorded; 2) provides for the payment of costs of removal or repair of drainage structures within drainage easements; 3) imposes fines and prohibits persons from placing or maintaining structures or improvement of any kind within a drainage easement; 4) provides for representatives of the Hamilton County Drainage Board or the Hamilton County Surveyor to require landowners to remove any improvement within a Drainage Easement; 5) and permits fines and payment of costs to be collected from landowners who fail to comply with the Ordinance.

The Ordinance is effective on the 15th day of February, 2023, and thereafter.

Copies of the Ordinance are available for review and copies may be purchased from the Hamilton County Auditor in the basement of the Historic County Courthouse at 33 North 9th Street, Suite L-21, Noblesville, Indiana. A copy of the Ordinance is also available on the Hamilton County, Indiana, website by searching County Ordinances and scrolling to the Ordinance number.

Dated this 29th day of November, 2022.

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF
HAMILTON COUNTY
BY: Robin Mills,
Auditor of Hamilton County
R1736 12/5/22, 12/12/22

NOTICE OF ADOPTION OF ORDINANCE NO. 11-14-22-C

Notice is given that the Board of Commissioners of Hamilton County, on November 14, 2022, adopted Ordinance 11-14-22-C ("the Ordinance"), which amends Ordinance No. 12-09-19-A. The Ordinance prohibits structures within drainage easements regulated by the Hamilton County Drainage Board; provides for payment of costs of removal or repair of drainage structures within drainage easements; and imposes penalties for failure to remove structures prohibited within drainage easements.

The Ordinance prohibits landowners from placing structures, shrubs, trees, or any material which would restrict water flow or obstruct access by authorized personnel across or through the drainage easement. The Ordinance also defines procedures for landowners to seek exceptions to the prohibitions within the Ordinance. The Ordinance provides penalties and fines for violations of the Ordinance.

The Ordinance shall be effective on the 15th day of February, 2023, and thereafter.

Copies of the Ordinance are available for review and copies may be purchased from the Hamilton County Auditor in the basement of the Historic County Courthouse at 33 North 9th Street, Suite L-21, Noblesville, Indiana. A copy of the Ordinance is also available on the Hamilton County, Indiana, website by searching County Ordinances and scrolling to the Ordinance number.

Dated this 29th day of November, 2022.

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF
HAMILTON COUNTY
BY: Robin Mills,
Auditor of Hamilton County
R1737 12/5/22, 12/12/22

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— SHERIFF SALES —

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a certified copy of a decree to me directed from the Clerk of Hamilton Superior Court 2 of Hamilton County, Indiana, in Cause No. *29D01-2206-MF-004179 wherein Lakeview Loan Servicing, LLC was Plaintiff and Megan L. Porter, Nelson Trump Jr. and Stoney Creek Village Homeowners' Association, Inc. were Defendants*, required me to make the sum as provided for in said Decree with interest and cost, I will expose at public sale to the highest bidder, on the **19th day of January, 2023**, at the hour of **10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.** or as soon thereafter as is possible, at 18100 Cumberland Road, Noblesville, IN 46060 the fee simple of the whole body of Real Estate in Hamilton County, Indiana.

Lot Numbered 16 in Stoney Creek Village, Section One, a Subdivision in Hamilton County, Indiana, as per plat thereof recorded May 28,1997 as Instrument Number 9709720575 with Surveyor's Report recorded April 5, 2001 as Instrument No. 200100017881, in the Office of the Recorder of Hamilton County, Indiana.

More commonly known as 16742 Aulton Dr, Noblesville, IN 46060-3949 Parcel No. 29-11-06-001-016,000-013

Together with rents, issues, income and profits thereof, said sale will be made without relief from valuation or appraisalment laws.

Dennis J. Quakenbush II
Sheriff

BRYAN K. REDMOND
Plaintiff Attorney
Attorney # 22108-29
FEIWELL & HANNOY, P.C.
8415 Allison Pointe Boulevard, Suite 400
Indianapolis, IN 46250
(317) 237-2727

Jackson
Township

The Sheriff's Department does not warrant the accuracy of the street address published herein.

NOTICE
FEIWELL & HANNOY, P.C. IS A DEBT COLLECTOR.
R1738 12/5, 12/12, 12/19/22

TO THE OWNERS OF THE WITHIN DESCRIBED REAL ESTATE AND ALL INTERESTED PARTIES
NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a certified copy of a decree to me directed from the Clerk of Superior Court of Hamilton County, Indiana, in Cause No. *29D03-2106-CC-004591, wherein Harbour Woods Homeowners' Association, Inc. was Plaintiff, and Michael P. Sharkey and Susan Marlene Sharkey, et al., was the Defendant*, required me to make the sum as provided for in said Decree with interest and cost, I will expose a public sale to the highest bidder, on the **19th day of January, 2023** between the hours of 10:00 a.m. and 12:00 p.m. of said day, at the Hamilton County Sheriff's Office, 18100 Cumberland Road, Noblesville, IN 46060, fee simple of the whole body of Real Estate in Hamilton County, Indiana:

Lot Number 64 in Harbour Woods Subdivision, Section 2, a subdivision in Hamilton County, Indiana, as per plat thereof, recorded December 30, 2003, as Instrument No. 200300127710, in the Office of the Recorder of Hamilton County, Indiana.

NOTE: This sale is subject to the Mortgage of HSBC Bank USA, National Association, as Trustee for Nomura Home Equity Loan, Inc., Asset-Backed Certificates, Series 2006-FM2, its successors and assigns, dated May 1,2006, and filed with the Hamilton County Recorder's Office on May 8, 2006, as Instrument No. 200600024845.

Together with rents, issues, income and profits thereof, said sale will be made without relief from valuation or appraisalment laws.

Gregory A. Chandler, Attorney #27057-49
EADS MURRAY & PUGH P.C.
Date: November 16, 2022

Dennis J. Quakenbush II
Sheriff of Hamilton County
Noblesville
Township
Street Address: **5674 Doe Way**
Noblesville, IN **46062**

The Sheriff's Department does not warrant the accuracy of the street address herein.

This is a communication from a debt collector. This is an attempt to collect a debt. Any information obtained will be used for that purpose.
R1739 12/5, 12/12, 12/19/22

TO THE OWNERS OF THE WITHIN DESCRIBED REAL ESTATE AND ALL INTERESTED PARTIES
NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a certified copy of a decree to me directed from the Clerk of Superior Court of Hamilton County, Indiana, in Cause No. *29D02-2208-CC-006081, wherein Spring Farms Homeowners Association, Inc. was Plaintiff, and Christine Wheeler, et al., was the Defendant*, required me to make the sum as provided for in said Decree with interest and cost, I will expose a public sale to the highest bidder, on the **19th day of January, 2023** between the hours of 10:00 a.m. and 12:00 p.m. of said day, at the Hamilton County Sheriff's Office, 18100 Cumberland Road, Noblesville, IN 46060, fee simple of the whole body of Real Estate in Hamilton County, Indiana:

Lot Numbered 54 in Spring Farms Section Two the plat of which is recorded as Instrument No. 9709701948 in Plat Cabinet 1 Slide 758 in the Office of the Recorder of Hamilton County, Indiana. EXCEPT a part of Lot 54 in Spring Farms Section Two per plat thereof, recorded in Instrument No. 9709701948 Plat Cabinet 1, Slide 758, in the Office of the Recorder of Hamilton County, Indiana, described as follows: Beginning at the northeast corner of said Lot 54; thence South 00 degrees 00 minutes 01 seconds West along the east line of said Lot a distance of 106.05 feet; thence North 05 degrees 48 minutes 03 seconds West a distance of 98.93 feet to the north line of said Lot; thence North 52 degrees 40 minutes 45 seconds East a distance of 12.57 feet to the Point of Beginning, containing 530 square feet, more or less.

NOTE: This sale is subject to the lien and indebtedness due on the Mortgage to PNC Bank, National Association, as successor of National City Bank, its successors and assigns, dated June 15, 2007, and filed with the Hamilton County Recorder's Office on June 22, 2007, as Instrument No. 2007034768.

Together with rents, issues, income and profits thereof, said sale will be made without relief from valuation or appraisalment laws.

Gregory A. Chandler, Attorney #27057-49
EADS MURRAY & PUGH P.C.
Date: November 15, 2022

Dennis J. Quakenbush II
Sheriff of Hamilton County
Clay
Township
Street Address: **401 Lois Way**
Carmel, IN **46032**

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R1740 12/5, 12/12, 12/19/22

— COUNTY —

NOTICE OF ADOPTION OF ORDINANCE NO.11-14-22-A

Notice is given that the Board of Commissioners of Hamilton County, on November 14, 2022, adopted Ordinance 11-14-22-A ("the Ordinance"), which amends Ordinance No. 08-23-21-B. The Ordinance provides for procedures to permit and restrict the use of Drainage Easements by utilities as authorized by Indiana Code 36-9-27-15. The Ordinance establishes procedures for the payment of costs of repairs and relocation of facilities of encroachments within a Drainage Easement. The Ordinance also provides for fines and penalties for violation of the Ordinance.

The Ordinance concerns the location of utility facilities within drainage easements regulated by the Hamilton County Drainage Board.

The Ordinance shall be effective after the 15th day of February, 2023.

Copies of the Ordinance are available for review and copies may be purchased from the Hamilton County Auditor in the basement of the Historic County Courthouse at 33 North 9th Street, Suite L-21, Noblesville, Indiana. A copy of the Ordinance is also available on the Hamilton County, Indiana, website by searching County Ordinances and scrolling to the Ordinance Number.

Dated this 29th day of November, 2022.

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF
HAMILTON COUNTY
BY: Robin Mills,
Auditor of Hamilton County
R1735 12/5/22, 12/12/22

— NOBLESVILLE —

NOTICE OF PROPOSED CONSTRUCTION ACTIVITY

Notice is hereby given in accordance with 327 IAC 15-5 (Rule 5) that construction activity is to commence on or about December, 2022, and to end on or before December, 2027, for improvements related to a proposed building and parking addition to the office/warehouse at 9740 E. 148th St. Noblesville, Indiana. More specifically, the site is part of the SE 1/4 Sec 18-T18N-R05E in Hamilton County, Indiana. Stormwater from the site will be discharged into White River via Mallery Granger Ditch. Questions can be directed to Mr. Dan Ryan, JDJ Realty Investments LLC., 9740 E. 148th St. Noblesville, IN 46060, (317) 770-7100.

R1724 12/5/22

A year of concerts in a roundabout way

Last April, Brynne and I saw Billy Joel at Madison Square Garden, another bucket list concert for us to check off. For months, we were excited to see the Piano Man on his home turf. Unfortunately, it was a “meh” experience.

Still, New York City, being the great city that it is, has ways of making it up to you. Two nights later we were at the intimate, Off-Broadway, 179-seat Cherry Lane Theatre to see *Coal Country*, an under-the-radar musical based on the 2010 Upper Big Branch Mine explosion that killed 29 miners in West Virginia. The gut-punch-of-a-show featured country/folk legend Steve Earle, a national treasure.

If blowing a big wad of cash like Big Shots just to see Billy Joel in the Big Apple taught us anything, it's that we are fortunate to live in the Indy area where there is so much musical entertainment to enjoy so close to home.

I always joke that the only reason I married Brynne was because, at the time of our online courtship, she lived only one mile or so from “I Still Call It Deer Creek” amphitheater. Before Brynne, I used to live three hours south of Deer Creek. Now, I'm five minutes away. Or, as the locals like to say, “the distance of two roundabouts.” We don't have roundabouts at the bottom of Indiana. Well, we do ... but they're called crop circles. Hamilton County is clearly an alien invasion hotbed.

I'm happy to be a full-time Fishers resident. A few



COLUMNIST
SCOTT SAALMAN
Scaramouch

months ago, I saw Earth, Wind & Fire and Santana at Deer Creek. If music is religion, then Carlos Santana is the high priest of prayer service. I always feel reborn after a Santana show. While I've seen the Doobie Brothers several times, this summer, Deer Creek provided my first opportunity to see Michael McDonald in the lineup.

When I moved here about a year ago, I soon realized how lucky I was to be living near many other music venues as well. The Jazz Kitchen gave us the opportunity to sit several feet away from the great trumpeter/composer/Renaissance music man Terence Blanchard, Spike Lee's movie soundtrack wingman. We are fortunate to have a premier jazz club nearby. Next up, Chuchito Valdés, this January.

Earlier this year, I wrote a column about my failure to land tickets to see Sting at the Palladium at the Center for the Performing Arts in Carmel. The thought of not seeing Sting in the 1,600-seat concert hall crown jewel that is only 30 minutes (an estimated one dozen roundabouts) away was just too much to bear. Somehow, Sting's management read my column, reached out, and offered us sixth row, center seats (free!). Every little thing Sting did that night was magic!

We saw A.J. Croce perform his “Croce Plays Croce” act live at the Tarkington Civic Center, also in Carmel, last March. Even if the show hadn't been an homage to A.J.'s famous old man, I would've seen him anyway. I liked his



Scott Saalman and his wife Brynne have seen concerts, albeit in a roundabout way! (Above left) Sting performed earlier this year at the Palladium in Carmel. (Above right) Terence Blanchard gave an up-close show at The Jazz Kitchen. (Below left) According to Scott, if music is religion, then Carlos Santana is the “high priest of prayer service.” (Below right) The Yacht Rock Revue was at the TCU Amphitheater at White River State Park.

whimsical chatter between songs, the Juke joint aura of his act, and his reverent references to Big Easy gold standard gods like Allen Toussaint and Dr. John. He delivered a Crescent City state of mind to Carmelites. Mostly at piano, A.J. delivered a melting pot of musical styles, from jazz to blues to rock to soul, with a bit of boogie-woogie to boot.

“He's a good guy and a major talent,” says my friend, singer-songwriter Jen Chapin, who is the off-spring of another famous '70s singer-songwriter, Harry Chapin. Harry, like Jim, left us way too soon. “I relate to how he is inspired by the legacy of his legendary dad but honors, in his case, very funky influences,” adds Jen, who once toured with him. “A.J.'s music is very much his own.” The same can be said about Jen.

That night, he played his own songs, plus covers written by others not named the Croce. Mostly, though, he sang the songs written by Papa Jim, a recent departure from his traditional repertoire. I'm not so sure I've seen anyone more



musically gifted than A.J. Croce. He is talented with a capital T. Bring him back to the Tark, please.

Thanks to Rock The Ruins at Holliday Park in Indy, we attended another bucket list concert, Bruce Hornsby, and became instant fans of opening act Bonny Light Horseman. This fall, The Cyrus Place in downtown Indy provided us the unique opportunity to enjoy a live quartet performing selections from Vivaldi's *The Four Seasons* within the



romantic glow of hundreds of candles.

The TCU amphitheater at White River State Park proved to be a pleasant surprise this summer. The last time I was there, pre-pandemic, the venue was nothing worth writing home about, merely a hilly lawn with Porta Potties. Now, it is roofed and has real seats and restrooms. This gorgeous, intimate venue's robust 2022 summer concert lineup was the best of any in Indy. We saw Lyle Lovett

and John Hiatt there, but our highlight shows were blues god Buddy Guy (who might be older than God) and Chris Isaak, the poster child of stage presence.

Of course, no show we saw in the past year was as fun and nutso as Yacht Rock Revue, also at TCU! Yes, the professional, touring musicians of Yacht Rock Revue did perform mostly cover songs, but it's still rock and roll to me.

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