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# You're invited to Heights' Pink Out for Breast Cancer Awareness games

**The REPORTER**  
Put on your pink and plan to attend the third annual Pink Out Breast Cancer Awareness Games at Hamilton Heights on Saturday, Jan. 7 when the Huskies play the Northwestern Tigers. The Lady Huskies Basketball team will play host to the event. Tip off for junior varsity starts at 12:30 p.m. followed by varsity play at 2 p.m.

Local survivors of breast cancer will be in attendance, and they will be recognized and honored for their fight prior to the start of the varsity game. During the halftime festivities, the popular Chuck a Duck event (\$5 for three ducks) will return. Guests will have the opportunity to chuck their way to a chance at prizes donated by local businesses. The ducks can be purchased at the game or through a player or player's parent.

All proceeds from the event will be donated to the IWIN Foundation based in Indianapolis. IWIN supports individuals statewide receiving treatment



Members of the Hamilton Heights Girls Basketball team cordially invite the community to wear pink and come out in force in support of breast cancer survivors at the third annual Pink Out on Saturday, Jan. 7 at Hamilton Heights. Proceeds from this event will be donated to the IWIN Foundation.

for breast cancer by relieving emotional, physical, financial burdens, and much more for over two decades. The purpose of the IWIN Program is to give these courageous individuals the strength to endure treatment, empower them to continue their fight

## Word for 2023: Strength

For 2023, I have chosen STRENGTH as my word for the year.

As I pondered over what word I would choose to focus on in 2023, I kept coming back to STRENGTH.

Strength comes with age and experience and, well, life. I cannot measure it. I can only feel it. Sometimes I feel it more when I am at my weakest. Strange, I know.

Strength comes from the whys, what-ifs, tests, trials, hurts, aggravations, and actual bone-tired weariness. It sounds like an oxymoron to say weary strength, but it's underneath the questions and hurts and hardships of life where I find my strength. I can tell you with all certainty ... my strength is weary.

My strength looks like a beaten-down old warrior with a broken sword and bruises from the battles it has waged. It has a limp and sometimes struggles to look up. But ... it responds to hope when even the tiniest bit is found.

My strength remains steadfast though a bit worn in places. It knows it can get through any battle because it has been through many worst of the what-ifs. It knows that Goliath



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## Upgrading Basile Westfield Playhouse

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Main Street Productions, Inc. (MSP) and the Basile Westfield Playhouse recently announced it has received a \$100,000 capital improvements grant from the Allen Whitehill Clowes Charitable Foundation, Inc.

"We had received a grant from them before when we first built the building for some capital projects in the inside," MSP President and Facilities Director Bill Miller said. "Frank Basile suggested we contact them again after he found out we might qualify for another capital improvements grant this year."

Basile was correct. After a long application process, MSP received the grant money this month.

Miller told The Reporter he will be using the grant money for a variety of upgrades to make the audience experience better when visiting the playhouse.

The improvements MSP originally requested were:

- New black rear operable curtain
- Security gates for Concession and box office
- Electric for new front light bars
- Sound baffles for the Rehearsal Room
- Additional stage lighting
- 10 Shure wireless microphones and distribution antenna
- Moveable foot/floor lighting
- Two new moving head spotlights
- New countertops, cabinets, mirrors, and lights for the dressing rooms
- Moveable black side teaser curtains
- An improved staircase for the stage
- Front fill speakers and amplifier
- New signage
- New computers for the tech booth, office, and box office

The lighting improvements will allow for special effects lighting and a stage with no shadows during shows.

"This was on the original grant request," Miller said. "Due to the pricing increases in the past year, some of this may need to be pared back a bit."

The grant application was a full-year process.

"We were notified in February that we might qualify," Miller said. "We put the grant together and submitted it in June. We were notified in October that we were approved and received the funds December."

**About Allen Whitehill Clowes Charitable Foundation**

The mission of the Allen Whitehill Clowes Charitable Foundation is to support charitable organizations that promote or preserve the arts and humanities. MSP will use the grant to continue making improvements to its theater and provide high-quality entertainment. For more information about the Foundation, visit [awclowescf.org](http://awclowescf.org).

## Clay Township Trustee Doug Callahan named Sagamore of the Wabash



Retiring Clay Township Trustee Doug Callahan (left) was presented with the prestigious Sagamore of the Wabash award at a recent reception held in his honor. Carmel Mayor Jim Brainard presented the document at the reception, which was attended by dozens of friends and co-workers at the Monon Center. Callahan served 16 years as trustee.

Photo by Megan Harrison

## Fishers Arts Council seeks talented artists with disabilities

**The REPORTER**  
During the month of March 2023, the City of Fishers Advisory Committee on Disability, Fishers Arts Council (FAC), and Conner Prairie are looking to invite small performing arts groups featuring individuals with developmental or intellectual disabilities to show off their talent at Conner Prairie and at FAC's Collaboration Hub Gallery.

These events are a way to demonstrate the importance of all artists in celebrating "Building Our Future Together" during 2023 March Disability Awareness Month in the City of Fishers.

**Submission deadline**  
Performing Artists interested in participating must submit a request by 3 p.m. on Friday, Jan. 13, 2023, to [info@fishersartscouncil.org](mailto:info@fishersartscouncil.org) indicating their desire to participate. All submissions should include in the

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[info@fishersartscouncil.org](mailto:info@fishersartscouncil.org)

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# Prosecutor recognizes Officers of the Year

**The REPORTER**  
Each year, Hamilton County Prosecuting Attorney D. Lee Buckingham II recognizes two officers in honor of each of their distinguished service to the community and the pursuit of justice.

One investigator (usually holding an assignment as a detective) and one patrol officer are selected from the nominations garnered from within the Prosecuting Attorney's Office.

At a ceremony held last Tuesday at the Hamilton County Government and Judicial Center in Noblesville, Buckingham spoke before a crowd of law enforcement officers, prosecutor's office staff, and members of the awardees' families.

Hamilton County and its communities have consistently been recognized among the safest places to work, live, and raise a family. This has been all the more remarkable when during the last 12 years the county has added almost 85,000 people to its population – a number that would by itself be in the top 20 counties in Indiana by population.



(From left) Officer Jensen Marie Fionda of Cicero PD, Sergeant Wade Burtron of Westfield PD, Hamilton County Prosecuting Attorney D. Lee Buckingham II, and Detective Gregory Loveall of Carmel PD.

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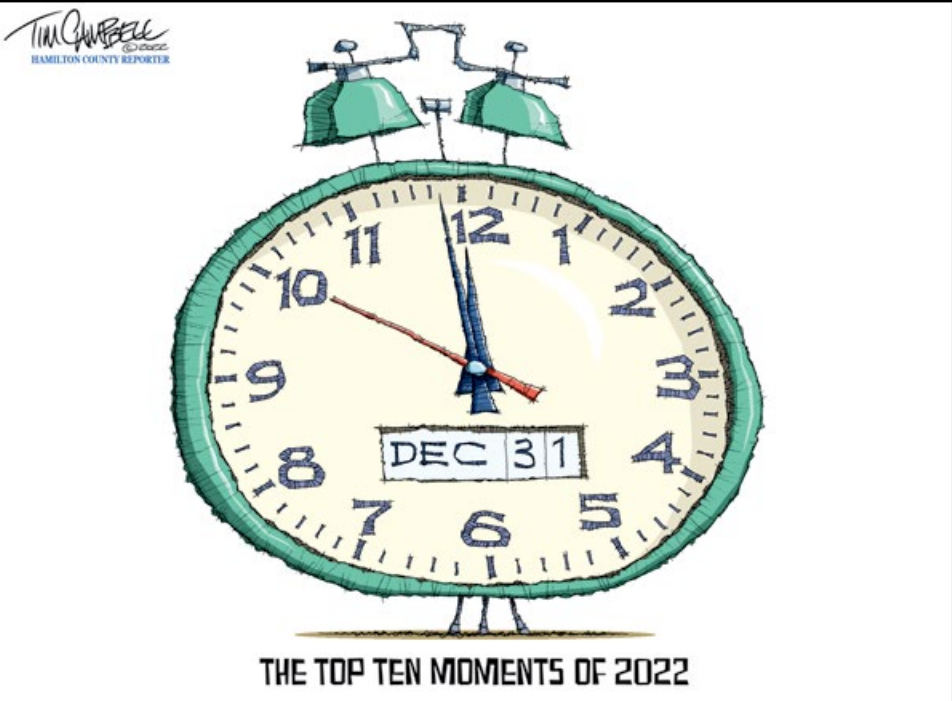


Photo by David Dixon, Rocks Media House  
Westfield High School's Signature Sound choir provided entertainment for nearly 150 guests at the Westfield Education Foundation's Bourbon & Bling event.

# Westfield raises over \$42K for education in one magical night

The REPORTER

The Westfield Education Foundation (WEF) on Dec. 14 held its first-ever Bourbon & Bling event, a night of entertainment and fundraising, that culminated in a rare bourbon raffle that raised more than \$42,000 – a new, single-event record for the foundation. Funds will go directly towards funding scholarships for graduating Rocks and supporting classroom initiatives for district teachers.

The event filled Moyer Fine Jewelers and featured bourbon tasting from Indiana Liquor Group, Jeff Loeser performing up-close magic, Westfield High School's Signature Sound choir, a silent auction and appetizers prepared by the Westfield High School Culinary Arts program and Prime 47.

WEF Executive Director Ashley Knott said she is thankful for the community support.

"We are thrilled to have such an engaged and supportive community here in Westfield," Knott said. "It's the holiday season, everything is expensive, people might be traveling to see family, so there is every reason to hold tight to money. But, it makes me so proud that the community believes in our mission and wants to see our kids succeed so much that they are giving in record numbers."

WEF's mission is to empower and invest in Westfield students, teachers, and staff. To date, WEF has



Photo by David Dixon, Rocks Media House  
Magician Jeff Loeser performs his "Deliberate Deceptions" for a table full of guests, including Westfield Education Foundation board member Joshua Andrews and his wife Seema Andrews.

given out nearly \$2 million in scholarships and grants to provide opportunities to help create lifelong learners.

Brian Tomamichel, who serves a dual role as a board member for WEF and the assistant superintendent for business and operations for Westfield Washington Schools, is keenly aware of the importance of this event.

"Westfield educators work extremely hard to meet the needs of all of our students," Tomamichel said, "including the more than 720 new students who have enrolled in the last two years. As a nonprofit organization, events like this are critical to the foundation achieving its goals. These funds will have the potential to help every student become life-ready while also helping them continue their educational journey after graduation."

Lauren Kasparian, marketing director for Moyer Fine Jewelers, said their team was honored to be a part of such an impactful event.

"We pride ourselves on really interacting with our community and the various philanthropic organizations that help enrich Westfield," Kasparian said. "After speaking to Ashley [Knott] about this event, we knew that Moyer could assist in making the event even more successful. We are so proud of the impact the funds will have in our community, especially for the students and teachers in Westfield."

WEF once again thanks the community partners who were integral in the success of this record-breaking event: Moyer Fine Jewelers, Indiana Liquor Group, Noble Wine & Spirits, Edgerock Development, Prime 47, WHS Culinary Arts – Foodies Rock, The Dalton Family, The Reiff Family, Deliberate Deception, WHS Signature Sound, Walmart, and all who participated by attending the event purchasing a raffle ticket.

For more information on the Westfield Education Foundation, visit [www.wsef.org](http://www.wsef.org).



Photo provided by CrossRoads Church at Westfield  
CrossRoads Church at Westfield proves that caring folks can do great things.

# CrossRoads never stops giving back to neighbors

The REPORTER

CrossRoads Church at Westfield provided two weeks' worth of food for 19 families in Westfield for the school winter break.

Families vary in number from four and 10 members, and though other helping agencies in the area provide food, these families run short of healthy and nutritious food to sustain them for the entire break.

As part of the church's For Our Neighbor ini-

tiatives to care for the community, CrossRoads Church adopted its local neighborhood Washington Woods Elementary School providing help in areas that other groups don't offer. During the fall, winter, and spring school breaks when students do not get food at school, CrossRoads provides food for the students and their families. CrossRoads also provides new athletic shoes in August each year for any

of the students who need them.

Find out more about CrossRoads Church's For Our Neighbor Initiatives online at [ForOurNeighbor.Life](http://ForOurNeighbor.Life) or by email at [forourneighbor-info@gmail.com](mailto:forourneighbor-info@gmail.com). CrossRoads provides a weekly Celebrate Recovery, free Zumba, free pet food and supplies, and will provide free repairs for over 40 homes in the area in June 2023.

# Hamilton County trustees hold first Holiday Luncheon

## Two awards given for Partners in Service & Lifetime Servant-Leader

The REPORTER

The Hamilton County Trustees Association (HCTA) held an inaugural Holiday Luncheon on Dec. 1 at the Delaware Township Government Center.

This was a time for the elected officials and non-profits in Hamilton County to network and celebrate the outstanding leadership and collaboration efforts over the past year. Hamilton County trustees, local nonprofits and elected officials across the county were in attendance for this new event.

"With the increased challenges we have faced over the past couple years, the trustees wanted to honor all the hard work and dedication of our amazing nonprofit partners," said Danielle Carey Tolan, HCTA President and Westfield Washington Township



Photo provided  
Hamilton County's Township Trustees gathered for their first Holiday Luncheon on Dec. 1.

Trustee. "As needs continue to grow, we are extremely grateful for these strong partnerships which help the residents of our community overcome so many challenges each year."

There were two awards presented at the event. Family Promise of Hamilton County was presented with the Partners in Service Award for its outstanding

work in providing financial literacy classes for recipients of Emergency Rental Assistance funding.

Additionally, Hamilton County Councilman Steve Nation was given the Lifetime Servant-Leader Award for his leadership within the county and his support of the Hamilton County Trustees and their programs and services.

# PINK

Pink Out for Breast Cancer is designed to help raise awareness and money for those battling breast cancer. According to the National Cancer Society:

- About one in eight U.S. women (or 13 percent) will be diagnosed with breast cancer in her lifetime.
- About 287,850 new

cases of invasive breast cancer will be diagnosed in women.

- About 51,400 new cases of ductal carcinoma in situ (DCIS) will be diagnosed

- About 43,250 women will die from breast cancer. Breast cancer mainly occurs in middle-aged and older women.

- The median age at the time of breast cancer diagnosis is 62. This means half of the women who developed breast cancer are 62 years of age or younger when they are diagnosed.
- A small number of women diagnosed with breast cancer are younger than 45.

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# Even without the skates, Mark Jones is still Santa!





Photos provided by Prevail, Inc. Santa Claus visited Prevail last Wednesday to drop off over 100 cases of water and 200 gift cards. Thank you Tom Wood Volkswagen Noblesville for your continuous support and making sure Santa's sleigh was full. Prevail's clients will appreciate this more than you know.



Photo provided by City of Carmel (From left) Erin Kong, PorchFest Board President Joshua Kirsh, Taehee Kim, and Brayden Meng.

## Carmel PorchFest creates new grant program to support aspiring musicians

**The REPORTER**

Carmel PorchFest has announced a new grant program designed to provide financial support for up-and-coming musicians in the community to cover items such as new instruments, lessons, schooling and other musical opportunities in exchange for volunteer hours.

As part of the program, students must volunteer four hours at a Carmel PorchFest event to become eligible for the grant.

PorchFest awarded its first three grants at Holiday PorchFest on Dec. 10 at Midtown Plaza. The recipients were Erin Kong, Taehee Kim, and Brayden Meng – all from Carmel High School.

Carmel PorchFest is a free, family-friendly event with a variety of local musical acts performing live on neighborhood porches. PorchFest was established in 2014 to promote the Arts & Design District homes, as well as highlight local and statewide musicians. PorchFest also runs the community's favorite block party, Late Night on Main, hosting a handful of concerts every year.

Carmel PorchFest Inc. is run by a Board of Directors along with a committee of Carmel volunteers and business owners. The events are supported by local sponsors and donors who make the events possible.

As PorchFest continues to grow, the board and sponsors want to extend their reach to young, aspiring musicians in the community. Zotec Partners, Duke Energy, and other sponsors made donations to create the new grant program.

**Who can apply?**

Students aged 6 to 18 can apply for financial assistance in return for volunteering time at events held throughout the year. Students aged 13 and under will need a parent or guardian to volunteer with them.

Learn more at [carmel-porchfest.org](http://carmel-porchfest.org).

# Heights' 2<sup>nd</sup> IDES Meal Pack yields 15,960 meals bound for Honduras

**The REPORTER**

The second annual International Disaster Emergency Services Team (IDES) Meal Pack, sponsored by the Hamilton Heights School Corporation Wellness Team, took place last week.

This gathering and service project was designed to focus on staff social/emotional wellness in this season of giving. In traditional Heights fashion, several student teams joined in bringing together a total of 90 staff, some of their families, and students who packed and boxed 15,960 meals that will be sent to Honduras.

Emily Beechler, Media Center Specialist at Hamilton Heights Middle School, has helped spearhead the event for a second year in a row. She said it's a privilege and honor to support a local ministry that serves with heart, soul, and resources that make a life-changing impact around the world.

**About IDES**

The Noblesville-based International Disaster Emergency Service (IDES) is a 501(c)(3) non-profit that seeks to meet the physical and spiritual needs of suffering people throughout the world by partnering with Christian Churches / Churches of Christ and their missionaries. Since its founding, IDES has carried out relief projects in more than 100 nations around the globe averaging more than 200 projects in 30 to 35 nations annually.

Photo provided

Staff and students from Hamilton Heights gathered for fellowship and service assembling and packaging nearly 16,000 meals as part of the second annual IDES Meal Pack in partnership with the Noblesville-based nonprofit.



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Subject Line: March Disability Awareness Month and include the following:

- Artist/performance group name
- City of residence
- Phone number
- Email address
- One or two sentences regarding their performance art area (for example: poetry reading, vocal, instrument performance, etc.)
- How much space is needed for the performance art
- A video link or social media link showcasing your talent (if available)

**Eligibility**

Performing artists must:

- Have one or more members who have a disability
- Be a performance artist
- Be able to appear at the Conner Prairie Arts Reception (March 3, 2023) or at the FAC Collaboration Hub Gallery Second Friday Arts Reception (March 10, 2023)
- Provide their own equipment necessary for the performance (speakers, music, microphones, etc.)

**Agree that the Committee may adjust the size and or length of your performance if said performance does not properly fit the space and or time allotment**

**Selection process**

The Fishers Advisory Committee on Disability will review all submissions and select the participating artists for the receptions.

**Notification**

Artists will be notified of their acceptance into the exhibit by Jan. 20, 2023, via email.

**Compensation**

A small compensation stipend will be awarded.

**Performance**

Artists will be required to arrive at the designated performance venue at least 30 minutes before they are scheduled to perform.

**Questions**

For more information, email [info@fishers-arts-council.org](mailto:info@fishers-arts-council.org).

# Sara Gutting retires after 28 years of service at County Sheriff's Office



Photos provided by Hamilton County Sheriff's Office / Twitter

Congratulations to Mrs. Sara Gutting on her retirement from the Hamilton County Sheriff's Office after 28 years of service. She was a great teacher in the jail and literally helped hundreds of incarcerated adults obtain their High School Equivalency (HSE). Great job, Mrs. Gutting!

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# A box of hope – just in time for Christmas

December 1955

Until the age of eight, when my brother was born, I was an “only child” and spent a great deal of time playing or reading by myself; though my other favorite pastime was hanging out with my father, following him around like a little shadow.

My dad was the person who taught me the importance of giving to others. Mom was more focused on running the house and keeping things organized. On Saturdays I would go with my dad on his “rounds” – we visited the bank, the hardware store, filled up the car with gas, etc. I always looked forward to those Saturday times just to “pal around” with Dad in Noblesville. (Some of you will remember American National, Western Auto, Phillips 66, etc.)

When I was around the age of five, near the holidays, Dad asked me if I wanted to accompany him on a very special errand. Daddy was a member of a lodge in our town, whose members decided that they wanted to help some local families in need during the holiday season. Names and addresses were distributed, and Dad and I stopped at the local grocery store to pick up some food items and at the “five and dime” store (similar to a tiny Walmart I suppose!) to purchase some small toys.

Though I thought it was a neat adventure, I did not, of course, have an understanding of what real human need was. My world was secure and cozy; that was all I knew. So, we purchased our items and off we went ... to an area of town where I had never visited.

My dad parked the Buick (he always drove a Buick) on the street and lifted a large box out of the trunk and carried it to the front door. My first impression was that the door was very dirty. (An odd thing to remember, specifically after so many years, but there you go.) We were loaded down with packages and waited patiently for the door to be answered, and it was.

My experience with people in general at that point in my life



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Be Well

was pretty much limited to my immediate and extended families and Disney television programs. After so many years, I can still visualize the appearance of the mother who answered the door.

To me, as a child, she looked both frightened and frightening.

Her eyes were red, her face drawn, hair unkempt, and I recall that she was very thin. Behind her were several small children, and nearby in the room were a couple of older kids – older than me at least. I could see that someone was lying on the threadbare sofa, but the mother and children were mostly blocking my view from the doorway. I don’t recall exactly what my dad said to her, but I am sure he was indicating who we were, why we were there, etc.

I am also sure that my mouth dropped open completely because still today I recall how shocked I was. When my eyes left the dirt floor, I was able to see more clearly the form on the sofa in the tiny house. It was a man, who was obviously ill. Although of course I never learned what his illness was, only that he seemed quite incapacitated. He may have sat up, but I don’t recall that he ever actually stood up; I believe he was unable to do so.

I now realize as an adult how utterly humiliated he must have been as well. The time frame was the mid-1950s and it was widely considered at that time that a man was the sole provider of his home and family.

The children – and I am guessing at this time, of course, but I believe there were at least five of them – were barefoot (recall that this is just before Christmas – in Indiana!) and were wearing thin and dirty clothes. There was no Christmas tree and I think at that time to me that was just as shocking as anything else!

The large box we delivered was mostly fruit – oranges, apples, pears – and the children immediately began digging into the box, which included staples such as bread and milk, as well as some

small toys for boys and girls. I consequently learned that Dad had a list of all the genders and ages provided by the coordinators at his Lodge. I then saw the children opening some packages, and the contents really surprised me as I did not know we even had these items with us – underwear and socks! (I suppose my mother was in charge of purchasing those.) I could not imagine at the time why anyone would get underwear and socks for Christmas!

The house was cold, there was newspaper taped up to the wall in several places. Now, of course, I know that was to help keep out the cold air. I am sure there was little if any heat in the house. It was so different from anything I had seen in my short life, though the images that day made such a lasting impression that I can still close my eyes and see it all again.

My dad was born in the 1920s, one of four children, and his father was a coal miner in Kentucky. Most of Dad’s growing up years were rather poor, I am certain. The financial woes of the Great Depression lingered for many years throughout this country. I believe, though he never said so, that the visit that day had some familiar overtones from his own youth. Members of what Tom Brokaw has often referred to as the “Greatest Generation” seldom talked about their Depression-era experiences – they just used them to make a better life for themselves and their families, and to reach out to others in need. Fortunately for our family, my dad secured a job as a young man with General Motors and we had ample income for our needs.

That cold December day in 1955 revealed to me in no uncertain terms the meaning of love – the purest form of love which is that for fellow suffering human beings – the love that causes people to step out of their own comfort zone with a heart and hand for others. As often happens, significant childhood memories stay somewhat buried through our teenage and young adult years, and then settle into our psyches as we become more mature adults.



Photo provided by Sharon McMahon

Seeing for the first time my dad’s compassion for these people (and other instances through the years) made a lasting impression upon me – and one that I will always cherish. I firmly believe that it is due to my dad’s example that I do have a heart and a motivation to help those in need, both human beings and others – all God’s creatures!

There were many similar examples throughout my childhood, but this one is truly memorable to me.

Love is about what we can do to reduce others’ suffering, to give them a reason to hope and a reason to believe that their lives are significant, and that others care about them. From serving those in the greatest need around the world to those who may live around the corner in our own neighborhoods, love manifests itself in its greatest form by each of us, individually. I feel so completely blessed that growing up I knew that I was loved by my family, and as an adult I have found committed and romantic love with my spouse. I am both thankful and humbled by this.

And I am very grateful that although Dad is no longer here,

he left to me the greatest legacy a parent could provide – an example of how to love others and give of yourself because, to me, that is the meaning of love. I hope that I, too, have modeled that behavior to my own children and that they will continue that legacy to my grandchildren and beyond. Generations of love and compassion will give us the power to truly change our world for the better.

What are you doing? In the 1950s, there were few organized efforts to reach out to those in need of shelter, food, clothing and yes – toys for Christmas. Thankfully, today there are many organizations, and the need is great. Most of us are blessed with some level of resources to make a difference in our communities and our world. Whether it is your financial resources, your volunteer time, the extra goodies you prepare for family, friends and neighbors ... and the time you take to smile and wish a stranger well, know that you have made a difference in this world and have shined a light which can radiate onward to others.

Sharon McMahon  
“Small Town Girl”

## Noblesville School Board votes to approve new high school courses, adopts policy on public comment

The last meeting of the 2022 Noblesville School Board was held Tuesday, Dec. 20. This was also the last meeting before the newly elected board members are sworn in.

It was an agenda-packed meeting beginning with the recognition of many of our athletic championship teams. For the sake of brevity, I will skip through several of the agenda items.

Once the meeting progressed to Consent agenda items, votes were approved for claims, donations, overnight trips, and personnel changes. There was also the approval of Action items under the proposed NHS course additions, which I would encourage the reader to review. In addition, approval was received for the resolution establishing supplemental payment for teachers as well as the



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bid for the high school athletic addition project.

Of note was the speed with which the board moved through the second reading of 19 policies and straight to the adoption of such.

The policy on Participation at Board Meetings was finally amended to reflect that public comment must be allowed as enacted by our state legislature at the last session. There were several changes to the policy on Mandatory Curriculum, including the addition of the requirement for civics education in grades 6, 7, or 8 as per state law. New policies were adopted on Dress and Grooming, Staff Dress and Grooming, as well as Staff-Student Relations.

Missing from any new policy was a means to address many of the concerns expressed by parents and other community members

during the last year of meetings. Some of the concerns arose out of the revelations brought to light during the virtual learning of the COVID-19 shutdowns.

Other concerns were a result of the direct knowledge of parents regarding the quality or bias in the instruction of their children. Although the 2023 board will see the return of the incumbent president and one newly elected member, let’s hope that the makeup of the new school board will lead to improved responsiveness, greater communication, and more transparency with the Noblesville community.

The first School Board meeting of 2023 will be at 7 p.m. on Tuesday, Jan. 10 in the ESC Board Room. The newly elected members of the board will be sworn in, followed by a regular meeting.

Read the NHS course additions at [tinyurl.com/NHS23-24newcourses](https://tinyurl.com/NHS23-24newcourses).

## Articles, columns, editorials & letters

The Reporter’s editor and I were recently talking about how an opinion is not a fact, no matter how hard someone wants to believe otherwise.

Facts can be verified.

I enjoy the presence of cats. It is a fact that I wrote that.

If I were to say cats are good pets, that’s not a fact at all. It’s just an opinion. With apologies to Paul Poteet, there is no world in which it is objectively true that cats are good pets.

This is relevant because, like many newspapers, The Reporter publishes both opinion pieces and fact-based reporting.

This, for example, is a column. It is, by definition, an opinion piece. The opinion being expressed is mine, speaking solely in my capacity as a man who has been chasing wisdom for decades. (*Editor’s note: the cat thing belies the wisdom chasing.*)

News articles deal with facts. Thing X happened on a particular day and time at a particular location.

Many news articles will have quotes from someone who was interviewed, and in those quotes, there may be opinions expressed. When asked about thing X, person Y said they think or feel something.



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Publisher’s Perspective

It is still fact-based reporting because it is a fact that the person quoted said the thing inside the quotation marks.

An editorial is a piece of writing that expresses the viewpoint of the publication itself. Like a

column, it is an opinion piece. It exists to give you the perspective of the owners or the editorial board rather than that of any individual writer. In this newspaper, our rare editorials are clearly labeled as such.

A column, like this one, expresses an individual writer’s perspective. This is not necessarily the perspective of the newspaper, but it is an opinion that The Reporter finds value in sharing with our readers.

Letters to the Editor are opinion pieces published because a reader has something to say that the newspaper thinks has value to other readers or to the community at large. The Reporter does not always agree with the content of letters published in these pages, but unless they border on libel or contain inappropriate language, we usually publish them.

We call this newspaper The Hamilton County Reporter for a reason. It is your newspaper, Hamilton County, and your voice has a place here.

Before things hit the page, those lines can get a little fuzzy. Our editor sometimes wears his U.S. Supreme Court Justice Potter Stewart hat when explaining why a particular piece gets published as a column or a letter instead of a submitted piece of news content, saying of the difference. “I can’t always explain it, but I know it when I see it.”

By the time words are on pages for you, dear readers, we make the distinction as clear as we can.

The Reporter publishes letters on a background that looks like a yellow notepad. They begin with “Dear Editor,” and they end with the name and city of residence of the author.

Columns, like this one, have a headshot of the author, above which COLUMNIST or GUEST COLUMNIST, appears.

Columns by Janet Hart Leonard, Amy Shankland, Megan Rathz and Scott Saalman are rarely – if ever – mistaken for being fact-based news reporting.

Ray Adler and I sometime blur that line a bit. Especially when our columns, like this one, contain some facts.

This column also contains my personal opinions, which are not necessarily the perspective of this newspaper, but which The Reporter finds value in sharing with our readers. (*Editor’s note: except the thing about cats being good pets.*)



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# Merry Christmas & God bless us, each & everyone

This month's column is being written during the aftermath of the storm ensuring that Hamilton County gets a White Christmas. It's minus 7 degrees this morning, and the pantries are stocked for the Christmas weekend. The pantries are in use even today.

You see, hunger in its cruelty doesn't care about the weather. Hunger doesn't care that it's the Christmas season either. Hunger is simply a fact of life for far too many of our neighbor's.

This is the season of giving. We give because we care about the people in our lives, and we give to support our community, too. We are pleased to report that this month has been one of the most generous in our history. Between individual donations, the reverse advent program, and corporations running food collection programs, we have been blessed to receive thousands of meals in donations.



**MARK HALL**  
*The Feeding Team Feature*

Many of these contributions from the community have already made their way into pantries and then to neighbors in need. Many more meals will be deployed over the weeks ahead. This past month we exceeded 10,000 meals placed in pantries.

In Hamilton County, an ever-changing group of neighbors in need use Feeding Team pantries to supplement what they can obtain elsewhere. As a no-questions-asked food source, some neighbors use the pantries as the primary source of food for their families. This is a big challenge for Feeding Team, as we are designed to provide a few meals for many, rather than many meals for a few.

In the spirit of Christmas, your giving makes a tremendous difference in the lives of hundreds of people every week. We are thankful for your partnership with Feeding Team. We wish a Merry Christmas to our

hosts, neighbors who use the pantries, volunteers, and donors (those known and unknown). May your holiday season be one of peace and joy. May your new year be filled with good health.

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With over 27,000 food-challenged neighbors in Hamilton County, [FeedingTeam.org](https://FeedingTeam.org) is a registered 501(c)(3) not-for-profit organization that provides outdoor 24/7/365 no-questions-asked free food pantries throughout the county.

The pantries exist to meet the food insecurity needs of gap families, neighbors who may not qualify for public assistance and could use a few meals before payday. The pantries serve as many food-challenged neighbors as possible, and our hearts are with those who, like my family, could not always make ends meet.

Thank you for embracing the pantries. We love serving

with so many neighbors across Hamilton County. In future columns, we will share more stories about how your generosity served neighbors in times of need. The face of hunger in Hamilton County is not what you may think.

In practical terms, this straightforward way to help neighbors is having real impact on lives, families, and our communities. Thank you. A few meals can change the course of a person's life. A can of green beans means so much more when you have nothing to feed your kids.

Would you like to get involved? Volunteer opportunities are available. We are evaluating new pantry locations. If you think you have a potential location, please contact us.

*Mark and Lisa Hall are the Founders of Feeding Team. They may be reached at [lisa@feedingteam.org](mailto:lisa@feedingteam.org) and [mark@feedingteam.org](mailto:mark@feedingteam.org) or by calling (317) 832-1123.*

# The differences between school & travel basketball

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

Growing up, I would always think about how high school basketball was going to be the best thing that would ever happen to me. That was until I started to play travel basketball (AAU).

Travel basketball is a different type of basketball: it isn't like your normal high school basketball or your leagues, and it is very intense and competitive. You could have the country's best players on a team, and they could still lose by 20; you never know the outcome, you just play until the buzzer sounds.

On the other hand, with high school basketball you typically can guess the outcomes. If you have the best team in the state against a couple of good people, you can tell who is going to win based on experience and skill. This is why I believe that school and travel sports are completely different from one another.

I have played both high school and travel basketball in



**KENZIE GARNER**  
*Sheridan High School Student*

my career, and personally, I enjoy travel basketball way more than school ball. However, there are many good things that school basketball has to offer. During school basketball, you have cheer blocks, you can play with your friends,

there are more people cheering you on, and you can get rewards for your stats or your team making it far in the state tournament. Unlike school basketball, in AAU you don't have these things. Yes, you have people cheering you on, but it's not like your hometown rooting for you to win your home games. You also don't get awards for playing AAU unless you win a tournament.

Another difference between school and AAU basketball is the level of competition. In school basketball you may not play against the level of competition that you play against in an AAU game. In AAU, depending on the bracket or age group that you play in, you can play against some of the best players in the country of that age group. During school ball, you may not always play against the

best competition there is. Most people who play school basketball don't do AAU because they want to focus on another sport, or they don't want to play basketball at a higher level.

The ways that you prepare yourself for school basketball and AAU basketball also vary. During school ball, you can prepare yourself a lot more efficiently than you can during an AAU game. For example, during school basketball we watch film, break down different players' strengths and weaknesses, as well as practicing against what they would most likely do while playing against us.

This is not the same for AAU; you can't really prepare yourself for what the team will do, you just have to go out and play and respond to what they do. That is what I like most about AAU: the fact that you can just go out and play and not have to worry about what certain players are good at. For me, I find it a lot easier to go out and play than watch film on the other team and break it down because when I play, I don't think about what I am going to do, I just do it in that moment.

Although school basketball and AAU have many similari-

ties, the differences are the easiest things to pick out when you go to an AAU tournament.

One of the biggest differences that you can see is the way you play the game. During an AAU game, the refs let you play. What I mean by that is they don't necessarily call fouls, they let you hack other people and only call it every once in a while. Sometimes this can cause the game to get very out of control, but most of the time the referees know when to start calling fouls and tell people to settle down. This may also be one of my favorite parts because unlike school basketball, instead of getting five fouls you get six. This can make a big difference because it allows you to play more and not get in foul trouble if you have three or four fouls in the third quarter.

Overall, I think that both school basketball and AAU are useful to anyone who wants to play basketball at any level. However, if you plan on playing basketball at a higher level, it is smarter and more beneficial to play AAU instead of just playing school basketball. Playing AAU gives you the opportunity to play in front of college coaches who can recruit you to play for them.

# Noblesville First United Methodist Church's 14-week GriefShare program begins Jan. 8

## The REPORTER

Have you lost a loved one or know someone that will find it difficult to face each new day?

Noblesville First United Methodist Church announces its next GriefShare program, which is open to everyone in the community.

The winter session will meet on Sundays from 4 to 6 p.m. be-

ginning Jan. 8. The meetings will be held at Noblesville First United Methodist Church, 2051 Monument St. You are invited to join anytime during the 14 weeks of meetings. A one-time registration fee of \$20 is appreciated, but scholarships are available.

GriefShare is a 14-week non-denominational Christ-cen-

tered program focusing on grief topics associated with the death of a loved one. The DVD seminar features nationally respected grief experts and real-life stories of people, followed by a small group discussion about what was seen on the DVD. Daily work in the GriefShare workbook also helps one look thoughtfully at their grief expe-

rience and helps in the healing process. GriefShare is led by caring people who have experienced grief and have successfully rebuilt their lives.

To learn more about GriefShare, visit [noblesvillefirst.com](https://noblesvillefirst.com), email Coleen Albright at [coleen.albright58@gmail.com](mailto:coleen.albright58@gmail.com), or call the church office at (317) 773-2500.

## STRENGTH

looks different with each battle. He's always big and scary, no matter the battle.

There is strength in my brokenness. I think hope bonds the shards of brokenness together. There is beauty in those shards. Beautiful brokenness. Another oxymoron.

While pondering strength for 2023, I need to see it in a new light. It needs to be nurtured.

How will I go about nurturing my strength? Here are my thoughts so far ...

Give grace to my time. It's okay to stop and rest and read and just sit and ponder. I don't have to stay busy.

Lower my expectations. Do

what I can do and let others do what they can. Janet, read that again. You do not have superpowers.

Do not take the opinions of others so personally. Okay, this one will take some work. I cannot control what others think about me or my writing.

Don't put undue pressure upon myself to live up to the expectations of others. Oh, how I hate to disappoint the people I love.

Don't engage in battles that I am not supposed to be a part of. Turn down the invitation to engage in conversations that will only end in frustration. Remember that boundaries are a good thing.

People-pleasing is not a sign of love. Janet, read that three times.

I can't fix everything, for everyone, all the time. I will always be a recovering fixer.

Do not dwell on what I cannot control. It is futile. Janet, the Serenity Prayer is your go-to prayer.

Get off the worry wheel. It didn't change the past and won't change the future. I will always struggle with this one.

If my strength is not nurtured, I will find myself exhausted. Physically, emotionally, mentally, and spiritually.

I have found it is okay to ask for help. I have a very wise thera-

pist. His words give me strength.

And of course, I will pray. My faith is so much a part of who I am.

Maybe there is more to be learned while nurturing STRENGTH. I think I have a lot to learn. It may take all year. Stay tuned, I have more to say.

Happy New Year and thank you for all your support this past year for my book, *When the Hart Speaks*, and for the speaking opportunities. I am blessed.

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# A rose in snow

We are in the eleventh hour of the hustle and bustle this Christmas season. We find ourselves scrambling to get last-minute gifts, work and school parties, holiday menus finalized, and the perfect touches added to our events to ensure a memorable celebration for whom we love.

For little ones, this time of year is one filled with hopeful excitement of Santa's upcoming arrival and the surprises he may bring. My daughter is hoping that he brings her a green fairy doll! For many of us, it is a chance to see loved ones and uphold beloved traditions from years prior. When I think of the holidays, I think about having our loved ones over and gathering together to celebrate – a time I treasure not only for myself, but I love that my children will grow up with the memories of family gathering at our home.

One of my favorite things about hosting an event is the table decor. Anyone who knows me knows how much I adore decorating a table and making it special for a holiday. I love the details and special touches that make it the focal point for our family to share a memorable meal together. The holidays are the perfect time to incorporate nature in your table setting. Adding a touch of nature during the holidays softens your table and adds a coziness that is unmatched any other time of year.

Pinecones, evergreens, holly, mistletoe, cinnamon sticks, and various fruits such as oranges are all beautiful accompaniments to a holiday table setting. Even a sprig of rosemary on the table can offer a wonderful aroma and provide a softness to your holiday table. I also love driftwood and find so many uses for it throughout the year in decoration. The more candlelight added to a table, the more ambiance it provides your guests. An assortment of pine trimmings from your Christmas tree, along with winterberries, pinecones and an orange covered in cloves is just the centerpiece your holiday table is calling for this year.

There is power in nature. When my mom was a little girl, she came down with scarlet fever and she still remembers that while recovering in bed, there had been a big snow and she could hear the sound of the neighborhood children outside playing. Her Mema Hudson took snow from her yard and placed it in a glass brandy snifter for her with a single rose. My mom was desperately longing to feel the cold snow and play with the other children.

As the snow melted, the warmth of my mother's room allowed the aroma of the rose to fill the space, and to this day, she still reflects on the powerful impact that small act of kindness and element of nature did to her spirit all those years ago. She was able to feel the snow on her very fingertips and know that she had not been forgotten. It has been nearly 50 years and my mom can still smell the scent of that single pink rose in her lavender bedroom.

Winter is not often a time we often associate with being outdoors. In fact, it is a time many of us hibernate ourselves, which is exactly why your guests will love the added touch of nature to your holiday celebration. Perhaps you are not hosting an event this year but are planning to be a guest at someone else's home; all of these are also wonderful hostess gift ideas!

In a matter of days, this holiday season will be a memory. Those of us with little ones will blink and our children will grow up and have families of their own. We will yearn for the very days we are experiencing right now. We will ache for the chaos and wonder where the time went.

For many though, this is a hard season filled with many complex emotions. Nothing exacerbates the feeling of loss and loneliness like the holidays. Perhaps your celebration looks different this year because of an illness and you are feeling isolated. Perhaps it is you in need of the rose in snow this year. Whether you are the one receiving the rose or giving it, take time to pause the next few days.

Nature is speaking to us. It is affording us the chance to add the perfect touch to our holiday celebrations, and more importantly, it is affording us the chance to show kindness to others and let them know we have not forgotten them. Is there someone in your life needing a rose in the snow?

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



**MEGAN RATHZ**  
*When Nature Speaks*



Photo provided by Megan Rathz  
**A rose from my mom's garden.**

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# Simply having a wonderful WHAMAGEDDON time

I started the current Christmas season trying to avoid “Last Christmas” by Wham!.

You see, my brother-in-law, Tim, texted an invitation to participate in WHAM-AGEDDON, a

game making the rounds in social media circles. The objective is to see how long you can go without actually hearing the holiday heart-breaker “Last Christmas,” which is sappier than a cut, live Christmas tree. If you hear it between Dec. 1 and Dec. 24, you lose. The game hinges on the honor system.

Tim’s invitation arrived Dec. 2. My wife Brynne admitted to already hearing the song the day before. “Does that mean I’m out?” she asked. That Brynne heard “Last Christmas” Dec. 1 gives you an idea of how hard it is to avoid the song. We granted her a GET OUT OF WHAMAGEDDON JAIL FREE CARD, allowing her to be part of the WHAMAGEDDON thrill ride.

Brynne and I did our best to avoid playing Christmas music at home, even though there were times that we accidentally turned on our favorite Indy radio station during a meal, totally forgetting about WHAMAGEDDON, thus posing the risk of us being eliminated simultaneously. A WHAMAGEDDON DOUBLE WHAMMY!

Soon, I developed a gambler’s thrill from intentionally turning on the radio when alone – odds being good that “Last Christmas”



**COLUMNIST**  
**SCOTT SAALMAN**  
*Scaramouch*

was the bullet in the chamber of the station’s rotation – but then experiencing a sigh of relief when a different song aired, thus remaining a contest contender. It was akin to Russian Roulette – Radio

Roulette in this case.

On Dec. 7, Tim’s wife Shannon texted to us a “LAST CHRISTMAS I GAVE YOU MY HEART” GIF, followed by a second text stating, “I am out of #whamageddon.”

Then there were three.

WHAMAGEDDON taught me that you can’t avoid Christmas music while in public. The holiday songs play overhead incessantly in grocery stores, big box stores, medical offices, restaurants – even at the gas pump. I caught myself speed shopping through the local grocery store while staring up at the ceiling speakers in fear, as if fleeing that mouthy, floating predator in Jordan Peel’s “Nope.”

Aisle 1: “Deck the halls with boughs of holly . . .” Aisle 7: “I’m dreaming of a white Christmas . . .” Aisle 13: “Simply having a wonderful Christmastime . . .” I’d rather have heard “Last Christmas” in Aisle 13 and cut my WHAMAGEDDON losses than hear “Wonderful Christmastime” one more time. I hate how the song’s saccharine synth sound worms through my ear holes, oozes its syrupy “oohs” and “doo doo doos” into my head, and parasitically latches onto my psy-

che with its “ding dong, ding dong, ding dong, ding” lyrics.

When I hear Paul McCartney sing, “Simply having a wonderful Christmastime,” my holiday spirit becomes humbugged. It’s too much sugar for the ears. I’m all for happy holidays . . . but not THAT HAPPY! It puts me in such a foul mood that I begin wishing The Beatles had never even been hatched just to avoid Sir Paul’s later solo career resulting in this song.

Fab Four fans, before you hate, hate me do, please note that I LOVE THE BEATLES! I simply hate “Wonderful Christmastime” more than I love The Beatles. It is the coal chunk in Santa’s sack of tunes, the audible, cringy fruitcake of holiday music.

On Dec. 11, I took my stepson Zach to a restaurant. He’s 18. I explained WHAMAGEDDON to him.

“If you hear ‘Last Christmas’ by Wham! then you lose,” I said.

“What’s Wham!?”

“They’re from the ‘80s.”

He looked at me like I was making the whole thing up, including the ‘80s.

“You know, ‘Wake Me Up Before You Go-Go.’”

“Nope.”

I opened the Spotify app on my cellphone.

“You haven’t heard this song?” I asked and hit play. “Last Christmas I gave you my heart . . .”

“I’ve never heard that song in my life,” he said.

A few nearby customers gave me the stink-eye. Perhaps they were participating in a WHAMAGEDDON

of their own. It sucks to be them, I thought.

“Doesn’t that mean you lose?” Zach said. “You just heard the song.”

What Zach said was akin to hearing a turntable’s needle scratch across the grooves of spinning wax. Had Zach feigned Wham! ignorance? Had Brynne plotted this out? Yes, I had played Wham! a moment before but it felt like I was the one being played.

I outed myself to Brynne and Tim. Brynne texted a GIF showing George Michael twerking in a black and white Choose Life T-shirt. Tim responded, “I’m going to leave you hanging solo.”

Then there were two.

On Dec. 16, Brynne sent an audio text to us. It was a recorded snippet of Wham! in mid-song: “Last Christmas I gave you my heart . . .” I suspected it was Brynne’s attempt to WHAMBUSH her brother, Tim, with the audio link, the lowest of WHAMAGEDDON lows. But then she texted, “Whammit!”

Her snippet of “Last Christmas” had been recorded from her car radio on I-465. It was her way of announcing to us that she’d been Whammed while driving home, not a booby trap meant for her brother. It meant Tim was the WHAMAGEDDON winner.

In hindsight, WHAMAGEDON proved how even the worst of holiday songs can be fun. I can’t wait for Christmas 2023 just so I can try not to hear “Last Christmas” all over again.

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## Nature vs. nurture

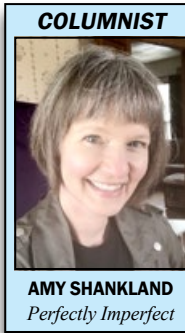
As my adoption and reunion story continues, I’ve changed some names, places, and dates.

Seeing my birth father’s sister, June, in the fall of 2015 was another lightening moment for me. Adoptees typically don’t look like anyone else in their family. That certainly had been the case for me.

My mother used to have a picture hanging on her wall from my nephew’s wedding in 1996. It’s one of the rare photos of Mom and all three of her children. Mom, Mark, and Vicky all look tan as usual. I’ve always joked over the years that I look like the poor white child from Alaska.

Looking at June on my iPad that evening was almost like gazing into a mirror. Her hair was shorter than mine, but other than that we looked like twins. For the next couple of weeks, I kept thinking, I look like someone! I look like someone! It felt like the final piece of my life puzzle had fallen into place.

As I scrolled through her Facebook page, I was also struck by the fact that we had similar interests and passions. I could tell she was concerned about the environment. June also had a strong faith in God and seemed quite spiritual. She had even attended Indiana



**COLUMNIST**  
**AMY SHANKLAND**  
*Perfectly Imperfect*

University, just like me!

Of course, I showed my husband and sons her picture and shared it with friends as well. Everyone was completely stunned by the resemblance.

"I felt like I was looking at your page," my dear friend Stacey said. "She looks like you and her interests are the same as well. It's remarkable."

The whole nature versus nurture debate popped up in my head once again. Here was a case where genes played a strong part in who I am. The whole experience made me want to meet her.

I brought up that desire the next time I spoke to my birth father Jack right before Thanksgiving. I knew he had never told his siblings about me. I wondered if that could change in the future.

"Until my wife Dawn is more comfortable about this, I just can't tell them right now," Jack replied. I understood, although it was hard to hear. Every time I looked June up on Facebook it was difficult to not request to be her friend. But obviously I had to, once again, be patient.

It was also difficult for me to be patient about someday meeting my birth mother Linda, although another Thanksgiving conversation helped me in this area.

## Obituaries

### Kyle Thomas Whiteaker February 8, 1967 – December 19, 2022

Kyle Thomas Whiteaker, Pendleton, Ind., lost his battle with pancreatic cancer and passed away peacefully on Monday, December 19, 2022, at age 55.

Kyle was born on February 8, 1967, in Springfield, Ohio, to Patricia (Patton) Wilson and Paul Whiteaker.

He is survived by his wife of 36 years, Marlena Whiteaker; mother, Patricia (Patton) Wilson; daughters, Ashley Whiteaker and Elizabeth Cobb; sons, Tyler Whiteaker and Cory Whiteaker; 10 grandchildren; 12 siblings; numerous cousins, nieces, and nephews; and many friends. He was preceded in death by his father, Paul Whiteaker and his brother, Paul Richard Whiteaker Jr.

Kyle will not only be remembered as a loving and devoted husband to his wife, his children, and his grandchildren, but he will be remembered by so many others for being a kind and compassionate man who gave his time serving not only those close to him but his community too.

He worked as a carpenter for over 30 years and loved working with his hands. He was a Scout Leader of Pack 116 and Troop 101 for over 13 years, and during that time he never missed an opportunity to volunteer for the White River Clean-Up. Kyle was most known for his fondness of being outdoors and playing the guitar. He was a man of admirable faith and an Ordained Minister.

Kyle will be remembered in the hearts of everyone as a selfless and courageous man.

Visitation and services were held on Thursday, December 22, 2022, at Randall & Roberts Funeral Center, 1685 Westfield Road, Noblesville. Pastor Harold Collins officiated. Burial was at Riverside Cemetery in Noblesville.

Condolences: [randallroberts.com](http://randallroberts.com)

### Richard Keith “Rick” Mahoney March 24, 1955 – December 20, 2022

Richard Keith “Rick” Mahoney, 67, Noblesville, passed away on December 20, 2022, surrounded by his family. He was born March 24, 1955, in Madison, Ind., the son of Norman Delbert and Bonnie Jean (Andrew) Mahoney.

Rick graduated from Tell City High School, Class of 1973. He went on to receive a Bachelor of Science in Industrial Management degree from Purdue University and a Master of Business Administration from Butler University.

Rick recently retired as Assistant Vice President of Technology from Pension Fund of the Christian Church. Rick is survived by his wife of 43 years, Cheri (Rowe); his daughter, Courtney; son Cameron, and his wife, Joanna (Yarbrough); his loving grandchildren, Bella and Beau; his grand-pup, Mac; his brother, David M. Mahoney and his wife, Diane of Tell City, Ind.; his brother, Darrell Mahoney of Madison, Ind.; his sister, Norma Jean Mahoney of Madison, Ind.; his brother, Patrick Mahoney of Jackson, Tenn.; as well as many nieces, nephews, aunts, uncles, and other relatives. He was preceded in death by his parents and eldest brother, Ron Mahoney of Indianapolis.

Rick suffered from amyloidosis for the past six years, despite the care and support of a wonderful team of doctors.

Family and friends may visit at 10 a.m. on Friday, December 30, 2022, until the 11 a.m. service at Randall & Roberts Fishers Mortuary, 12010 Allisonville Road, Fishers.

In lieu of flowers, Rick had requested that memorial contributions be made to the Amyloidosis Foundation in hopes there would one day be a cure for this disease. The family of Richard Mahoney requests donations be made to the Indiana University School of Medicine to support the amyloidosis research and education fund. Please make memorial gifts payable to “IU Foundation – amyloidosis research” and mail to Indiana University School of Medicine, c/o IU Foundation, P.O. Box 7072, Indianapolis, IN 46207. Please indicate “In memory of Richard Mahoney” on your gift. You can also give online at [give.myu.edu/iupui/1320002916.html](http://give.myu.edu/iupui/1320002916.html).

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## Where do I file my complaint?

I heard some readers of the Hamilton County Reporter are having the newspaper email filtered by their service provider, Comcast.

I wanted to reach out to Comcast to find

the truth of the matter, as The Reporter wants all of its customers to be able to receive the paper. Unfortunately, the Indiana Secretary of State has 111 businesses containing the name Comcast.

I first looked at CIMCO, a division of Comcast Business Services, but it



**COLUMNIST**  
**RAY ADLER**  
*Ask Adler*

had a canceled status. Comcast ABB Management Corporation had withdrawn, as had Comcast ABB Management LLC. Comcast ABB Network Solutions Inc. had merged while Comcast Advertising Sales Inc. was withdrawn.

Comcast Business Communications Online Inc. was withdrawn, and Comcast Business Communications Inc. had merged. Comcast Business Communications LLC was listed as a nonqualified merge.

Comcast Broadband

Security LLC and Comcast Business Class Security LLC and Comcast Business Communications LLC were all shown active, as was Comcast Business Smart Office, but it was only shown as an assumed name.

Comcast Cable Communications LLC was a nonqualified merge. Comcast Cable Communications Management LLC was active, while Comcast Cable Communications of Pennsylvania Inc. was withdrawn. Comcast Cable Communications LLC was a nonqualified merge while Comcast Cable Connect Your Home Inc. was revoked.

Comcast Cable Leas-

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5. Expanding fitness awareness to all kids

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## OFFICERS

Citing the analysis conducted by SafeWise, Prosecutor Buckingham said, “Year after year, Hamilton County has remained at or near the top of the list of safest places in the entire state of Indiana. There is one thing that has not changed: that is the fact that Hamilton County generally has very high standards for their law enforcement officers and high-quality individuals who live up to those standards serving most of those roles.”

Buckingham recognized Sergeant Wade Burtron of the Westfield Police

Department and Officer Jensen Marie Fionda of the Cicero Police Department for their exemplary work throughout the year.

Sgt. Burtron has served the City of Westfield as a police officer for six years, relying upon his degree from St. Joseph’s College in his work. Sgt. Burtron distinguished himself through his eagerness to continue to learn and grow as an officer and his detailed, well-written reports.

Ofc. Fionda, a two-and-a-half-year veteran of the Cicero Police Department, graduated from Ball State University and

distinguished herself with diligent attention to detail. In her cases, Ofc. Fionda is always willing to listen, learn, and go above and beyond to get it right.

Buckingham recognized Detective Gregory Loveall of the Carmel Police Department for his exemplary work throughout the year. A graduate of Central Bible College in Missouri, Det. Loveall has served as a police officer in the City of Carmel for 15 years with two years of prior experience with the Los Angeles Police Department. Det. Loveall distinguished himself with

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efforts in several cases, including the murder of Francis Kelly in January 2021, which culminated in the seven-day jury trial of one of the three co-defendants in August 2022.

Buckingham said, “I am very thankful that I have been able to spend the last 12 years in a rewarding position that is always interesting and enables me to work with the fine law enforcement of Hamilton County and the dedicated staff of professionals at the HCPAO to help keep Hamilton County a safe and wonderful place to live, work, and raise a family.”

Thanks for reading  
The Reporter!







# Champs get together over breakfast at Ginger’s Café



Indiana Boys Soccer Coach of the Year Ken Dollaske and Miller Boys Soccer team captains Owen Mejia and Landon Huber were featured speakers last Tuesday morning at the Noblesville Sunrisers Kiwanis meeting at Ginger’s Café. They spoke about their back-to-back state championships and the culture of soccer excellence they’ve built at Noblesville High School. (Above, from left) Mejia, Kiwanian Ted Mahnensmith, Huber, and Dollaske.



Photo provided by Duke Energy  
Duke Energy’s donation is also supporting the planting of trees at Conner Prairie near the 3.3 miles of river that run through its property. The new trees will provide habitat for local wildlife and support the local ecosystem.

## Duke Energy invests \$20K in White River Alliance

**The REPORTER**  
Duke Energy is donating \$20,000 to the White River Alliance to boost the non-profit’s efforts to improve and protect water resources throughout central Indiana. “We understand the importance of environmental stewardship and the benefits it provides to the communities we serve,” said Mark LaBarr, government and community relations manager at Duke Energy. “We’re proud to invest in organizations like the White River Alliance that are creating resources and educational programs that promote, protect and enhance the biological, chemical and physical integrity of the White River ecosystem.”  
Duke Energy’s financial support will fund the installation of two new White River Art Canoes – one at Conner Prairie in Fishers and one near Duke Energy’s substation in Noblesville – to raise awareness of the importance of the White River to the local economy and the quality of life for area residents. Each canoe will be hand-painted by a different local artist from either Marion County or Hamilton County to reflect the unique elements of the river at each location.  
The funding will also support the White River Alliance’s River Assessment Field Teams (RAFTs), which are groups of trained volunteers who serve as citizen scientists, gathering data on local water quality that aids in state and local pollution prevention strategies and resource allocation. In addition, the funding will support the White River Alliance’s annual Clean-Up Paddle Days, in which hundreds of local residents collect up to two tons of trash and debris along the White River while enjoying a day of paddling in a canoe or kayak.  
“Our organization has spent nearly two decades improving the White River’s water quality,” said Bryan Grotz, president of the White River Alliance. “Partnerships with companies like Duke Energy have been key in enabling us to expand our impact and protect our vital water resources.”

# Noblesville & Carmel Lions help Gleaners feed 80 families



Photo provided by Noblesville Lions Club  
On Dec. 15, the Noblesville and Carmel Lions helped Gleaners distribute food to 80 families. It was a very cold evening at Six Points Church in Sheridan. (From left) Lions Jeff Kozicki, Jerry Baker, Mark Bachar, Bill Ryan (Carmel), Joe Connerley, Ron Williamson, Steve of Gleaners, and Steve Shaw.

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# Huskies slam eight teams in two days

By **RICHIE HALL**  
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**NOBLESVILLE** – The Hamilton Heights wrestling team won an all-county dual meet last Tuesday, beating Guerin Catholic 66-6 at the Eagles Nest.

The Huskies, ranked No. 5 in the IndianaMat.com's Class 2A state team rankings, won 11 of the 13 contested matches (195 pounds was a double forfeit). Jaylyn Pugh began the meet at 126 pounds with a fall, then Heights took the next three weight classes by forfeit.

The Golden Eagles' Isaac Richardson got the first of GC's two victories, outlasting the Huskies' Blain Zachary in a 9-7 overtime win. After that, Heights cruised through the meet with seven straight falls, all of them coming in the first period.

The fastest pin in that series went to Michael Cain, who won the 160-pound bout in 29 seconds. Evan Tilton needed 1 minute, 6 seconds to get his pin at 182 pounds; Tilton is ranked No. 5 in the state in that weight class.

Guerin Catholic's Peter Nguyen finished the meet with the Golden Eagles' second win, taking the 120-pound division in an 8-2 decision. Nguyen is state-ranked No. 17 in that weight division.

"Overall, I was pleased," said Huskies coach Gary Myers. "Everybody wrestled well."

Immediately after the meet, Heights was getting ready for a quick turnaround, as the Huskies made a long trip to the Joe Burvan Holiday Duals at Rensselaer Central the next day. The Huskies wrestled other small-but-tough teams, such as Cascade, the No. 3 team in Class 1A, and the host Bombers.

"We're 14-0, Cascade's 14-0," said Myers. "So, we're going to find out the pecking order really quick."

**Not much room**

As it turned out, there was not much room between any of those teams. Cascade edged out Heights 36-35 when the two teams met in Round 1 of the tournament. The Huskies then got past Rensselaer 36-33 in Round 2.



Reporter photo by Richie Hall  
**Hamilton Heights' Evan Tilton won the 182-pound match during the Huskies' dual meet at Guerin Catholic last Tuesday. Tilton is ranked fifth in that weight class.**

After those two duals, Heights cruised through the remainder of their schedule at the meet. The Huskies had no problem beating six other teams: Jennings County 57-16, Southport 49-25, Frankfort 78-6, North Montgomery 67-12, South Dearborn 72-3 and Kokomo 52-15.

At the end of the day, Heights compiled a 7-1

record at Rensselaer. The Huskies are now off until after the new year, returning to action with two big meets: The girls regional on Friday, Jan. 6 and the Team State Duals on Jan. 7.

The Golden Eagles return to action this week, when they participate in the Mooresville Classic Wednesday and Thursday. That one will also contain some tough competition, including two local schools: Class 4A No. 7 Carmel and Hamilton Southeastern.

"If you want to be one of the best, you got to start wrestling with the best, right?" said Guerin Catholic coach Dan Hubbard. "So, that's what we'll do.



Reporter photo by Richie Hall  
**Guerin Catholic's Peter Nguyen, ranked No. 17 at 120 pounds, got one of two wins for the Golden Eagles.**

We'll keep wrestling as good of teams as we can get in and we'll try and do some more off-season stuff. We have a lot of work to do, but we'll get there."

## Huskies bounce back to beat Seton Catholic in Franklin Co. tourney

**The REPORTER**

It was a crazy day for the Hamilton Heights boys basketball team last Thursday at the Franklin County Tournament, including a memorable finish.

The Huskies played Seton Catholic in the third-place game of the tournament, and the two teams went to overtime. Heights trailed 74-72 with 0.7 seconds left, but Phoenix Vondersaar threw up a three-quarter court shot that went in the basket, and gave the Huskies a 75-74 victory.

"Just a great memory for Phoenix and our whole team," said Huskies coach Chad Ballenger. "They stormed the court. We're going crazy in the locker room. It was great to get a win and head into the holidays. Made the bus ride home a lot more enjoyable."

Heights did get home safely from the tournament, which was rushed to completion in order to get everyone home before the anticipated winter storm arrived.

The Huskies' game with Seton Catholic was close all the way through. The Cardinals led 15-11 after one quarter and 29-24 at halftime. Tillman Etchison helped keep Heights in the game with 10 points in the first half, including two 3-pointers.

The Huskies cut Seton Catholic's lead to 44-42 by the end of the third quarter, and pulled even with the Cardinals at 63-63 at the end of regulation. Heights was on fire from long range, as the team had drained 14 3-pointers through four quarters, including five from Sam Dawson, and three each

from Etchison and Evan Williamson.

Of course, Vondersaar's long 3-pointer was the biggest one of all. That was the 15th triple of the game for the Huskies, which tied the school record.

"That's what kept us in the game," said Ballenger.

Etchison had an outstanding game, with a double-double of 22 points and 10 assists.

"Tillman played awesome," said Ballenger. "He finally took the initiative to score." The coach said Etchison is "really trying to get people involved" and he "played the way we think he can. He can really be a scorer and lead the team in assists."

Three more Heights players reached double figures. Dawson's five 3s gave him 15 points. Maddox Bohland also reached double-double status with 13 points and 10 rebounds. John Irion contributed 10 points and five rebounds.

The Huskies played Triton Central in their first-round game, falling 53-48. Heights led 13-9 after the first quarter, but the Tigers took over in the second period, outscoring the Huskies 19-7 for a 28-20 lead. Triton Central then led 43-31 after three quarters.

Irion had 13 points for Heights, followed by Dawson with 12. Bohland led the rebounds with seven, while Etchison dished out six assists.

The Huskies are 3-7 and will take a couple weeks off before returning to action on Jan. 6, when they play a Hoosier Conference East Division game at North-western.

## Royals wrestle win away from Avon

See them this week as they compete in Mooresville Classic

**The REPORTER**

The Hamilton Southeastern wrestling team came out on top of a hard-fought dual meet with Avon last Wednesday at the Royals gym.

Southeastern won the Hoosier Crossroads Conference battle 40-36, in a meet that saw both teams go back and forth with the lead. The Orioles started the meet with three straight pins at 126, 132 and 138 pounds, giving them an 18-0 lead.

After that, the Royals took over. Adam Gerstner won the 145-pound match by major decision, then Zach Lang got a fall at 152 pounds. Landon Hicks, stepping in at 160 pounds, set the HSE crowd wild by getting a pin in his match. The Royals were now only down by 18-16.

Southeastern's 170-pounder, Said Soufiyane, put his team in the

lead for the first time with a first-period pin at 170. The Royals kept rolling, with Zack Wagner getting a fall at 182 and Evan Lawhead winning by decision at 195 to push Southeastern ahead 31-18.

The most dramatic match of the night came at 220 pounds, as HSE's Jackson Goodyear battled Avon's Enoch Shodeinde. The match was tied at 3-3 after all three periods, sending it to overtime. Neither wrestler scored in the first extra period. In the second OT, Shodeinde chose "down" and scored a point with an escape. Goodyear then chose "down" and made a reversal, giving the Royals the match 5-4.

Southeastern clinched the match when Dom Burgett, the No. 3-ranked wrestler at 285 pounds, won his match with a second-period pin to stay unbeaten for the

### Wrestling meets this week

*Hamilton County's wrestling teams will be all over the state this week competing in holiday tournaments. Here's a quick glance of where your favorite teams will be.*

- Wednesday, Dec. 28**  
Carmel, Guerin Catholic, Hamilton Southeastern at Mooresville Holiday Classic, 9 a.m.
- Thursday, Dec. 29**  
Carmel, Guerin Catholic, Hamilton Southeastern at Mooresville Holiday Classic, 9 a.m.  
Fishers at Connersville Spartan Classic, 9 a.m.  
Noblesville at North Montgomery Holiday Duals, 9 a.m.  
Sheridan at Eastern Classic, 9 a.m.  
Westfield at Mishawaka Tournament, 10 a.m.
- Friday, Dec. 30**  
Fishers at Connersville Spartan Classic, 8:30 a.m.  
Noblesville at North Montgomery Duals, 9 a.m.  
Sheridan at Eastern Classic, 9 a.m.  
Westfield at Mishawaka Tournament, 9 a.m.

win. That gave the Royals an insurmountable lead at 40-18; the Orioles won by fall at 106 and 113 and by forfeit at 120 to bring the score to its final margin. Southeastern is 10-3 for the year and will compete at the Mooresville Classic this week.

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# The Boys of the Old Southside

Recently, I watched the movie *Invincible*. It was about the life of Vince Papale who grew up on the south side of Philadelphia and played tackle football (without pads on) with his grade school to high school friends.

When Dick Vermeil became the football coach of the Philadelphia Eagles in 1976, the Eagles were in the midst of several losing seasons. He called for an open tryout of men in Philadelphia. He wanted to let the veterans know he expected some growing up and toughing up! Thirty-year-old Vince Papale tried out. He was the only player from many trying out that made the team! In the try out, Papale ran a 4.5 second 40-yard dash! That was fast and that got Vermeil's attention. Each week Papale and his friends, who were lifelong friends, to now grown men, played tackle football each week on a park field. They played in the rain, cold, and all the elements. Papale and his friends lined up each week to beat the tar out of each other! These were tough guys! Papale went on to play three seasons with the Eagles. Unheard of! As I watched the film I told my wife Kim, who grew up on the northside of Noblesville, "Wow, that reminds me of the old Southside Park in Noblesville!"

From the 1950s until Jan. 1, 1991, the boys from the Old Southside of Noblesville played whatever sport was in season. I am going to apologize up front if I forget anybody's name or I did not remember their contribution.

I can tell you one thing, these boys were tough and yes, we played tackle football without pads! There were some sprains, broken bones, some blood on the shirts, and extra-curricular activity after the plays! The boys of the Old Southside also made their marks on Noblesville High School sports as well. The playground of learning was Old Southside Park.

When I think of the Old Southside Park, the first name that comes to my mind was Jimmy Camp. The Camp boys were all tough kids, but Jimmy was an outstanding athlete. He was fast, played hard and gave it all he had. He was a great football player at Noblesville High School and held some records for quite a while. His brothers and cousins were tough and good athletes too!

I remember a tackle football game that was precipitated by the Bradfield boys and the Camp boys. We chose up sides and it was tackle football at its best! Jim Belden and Phil Shelby would have been proud! We lined up and hit each other. There was some vicious tackling, great blocks, and some great drawn up offensive plays. You know you go left; you go right, and I will hit you over the middle and heaven help the kid who caught the ball!

Some of the guys who played sports that I remember were: Denny Russ, Ray Dixon,



**GUEST COLUMNIST**  
**DR. TERRY COOMER**

Jim Tittle, Tom and Tim Netherly, Genie Bradfield, Bertie and Sammy Camp and (Camp cousins and brothers), Joe and Donnie McKinley, the Schoolcraft boys (several of them), Jimmy Atwell, Steve Coverdale, Randy Hatfield, Steve King, Larry and Theron Howard, Tom and Bill Cowart, Roger and Tommy Sharp, Danny Gray, Larry Castetter, Larry Stidham, Gary Holt, Sam Jamison, and Dennis Hampton to mention a few.

I am very thankful for all the guys who played at Southside Park. They challenged me! In the summer we played baseball daily. Hit one into Fourth Street on the fly and it was a home run! Mr. Lockridge had a fence around his garden in center field. The only house in Southside Park itself. Let's just say when we jumped the fence to get the ball and got into his garden he was not amused! Sometimes we even got a tomato or two!

I learned to play baseball, basketball, and football from these guys, and I got a lot better playing against the older boys. Jimmy Atwell, who lived one house down from me, and I made a pitching mound right off Fourth Street and put a home plate right in front of Mr. Lockridge's fence to stop the ball when we missed it! Jimmy and I threw for hours at a time to each other. When we threw to each other, we would put the glove at a certain place. So, it was not a strike if it did not hit the glove spot. We made it a game! Jimmy ended up being a pretty good pitcher and athlete at NHS. I ended up being drafted by the San Francisco Giants as the 78th player taken in the 1973 Major League Baseball draft, the first player from Indiana taken that year. We won the Advanced Babe Ruth Indiana State Championship and some of the players from the Old Southside played in 1969 (Noblesville's population was 7,548) on the first baseball team ever in Noblesville High School history to win the baseball sectional. Larry Howard pitched for NHS and did a fantastic job! You got it, Larry was from the Old Southside of Noblesville!

Just after Christmas 1990 on New Year's Eve 1990 and New Year's Day 1991 everything changed for the Old Southside of Noblesville. A devastating flood took place. Everyone had to evacuate their homes if you lived west of Fifth Street. It was a 100-year flood per the National Weather Service. The weather service says White River crested around midnight Dec. 31,1990 at 21 feet, with 14 feet being flood stage. There were about 4 to 8 inches of snow on the ground. Some of the flood waters froze due to the bitter cold. My dad lived on Fourth Street and on the afternoon of Dec. 30, the Noblesville Police came to tell him to evacuate. He called me and I went to help. His house was destroyed after living there since 1951.



**File photo provided**  
**Terry Coomer's success as a Noblesville High School athlete (shown here after pitching a perfect game against Tipton in the 1971 baseball sectional championship) was developed by many years of playing with the Boys from the Old Southside. Coomer and his friends played many sports at the Old Southside park.**

On the morning of Jan. 1, 1991, the Old Southside was changed forever. Many houses were destroyed. Everyone that lived below the hill had their home totally flooded. My father's home had water inside to the top of the windows. All the people, many who had grown up there and others who had lived there for years stood on the top of the hill, at Fifth and Washington Street, and looked at the devastation below. Many of us boys and girls who were now men and women, looked below at their lives washed away by the flooding of White River. Friends who had not seen each other for years, wept and hugged each other that day and the boys and girls from the Old Southside were coming to the aid of their parents and grandparents who had made their lives around Southside Park. Memories were shared and friendships were revisited from years gone by.

Yes, there were heroics that day. We were told that the gas company had turned off the gas to the homes. I noticed smoke coming from my father's chimney and mentioned it to a fireman, Mr. Reddick. He took a boat down and I gave him the keys to the house. He got in somehow and said the gas was not off and the water was hitting the heating unit. He said, "It will blow soon." My childhood friend, and neighbor one house down, Gary Holt, one of the boys of the Old Southside, did some heroics. Gary at that time owned his own heating and cooling company asked me where the gas meter was, and I told him. He went down in a boat with a fireman. He had to go underwater to get to it, but he turned off the gas and saved what was left of the house and probably others. The Noblesville fireman, Mr. Reddick, courageous as he was, contacted the gas company immediately to get them to turn off gas to the area. Obviously, it could have been a lot worse! Some of the Noblesville firemen and police officers watched from the hill with us and sought to help the elderly and comfort people. We greatly appreciated their help and kindness.

As we tried to clean up and sort through items in the houses, I was hauling carpet out to

a dumpster and standing at our sidewalk was Bob Harber, fifth grade teacher at Third Ward School, who was in tears looking at me. He had volunteered to go through the neighborhood for the Red Cross and give cleaner, buckets, and mops. If you needed something, you told Bob, and he would try to get it for you. We did not have water, electricity or heat and it was cold! We found what we could to heat, but Bob Harber was another hero for the folks of the Old Southside with words of comfort and showing compassion for all that were hurting. After all, he had taught most of the boys and girls from the Old Southside at Third Ward School. He knew all the boys of the Old Southside as he refereed our murder ball games every day at recess, and we had some wicked murder ball games! We could really throw the ball! When you got hit it rattled you!

The city of Noblesville got grants and the first buy of houses from the owners of 44 homes were purchased. Other homes were purchased later. I remember signing the papers for my father who was seriously ill. It stated, "that no one could put a house back on the property. It would be torn down and would become part of the park area." I was sad as I signed those papers that day because I knew a way of life was over.

While there are a few homes still there in the area, the neighborhood as it had been known for all those years was now over. Thankfully, Old Southside Park is still there, and some children still play there today. Any time I am back in Noblesville, I drive down there and look at where my parents' home and my friends' homes were. There is still a tree in the yard that my father and I planted together when I was a young boy 60 years ago. I always sit there and look for things I remember, especially that tree. I look out over the old Southside Park and think about the Boys of the Old Southside.

I will never forget the Boys of the Old Southside, the sports we played, and how much fun and good times we had down there in the Old Southside of Noblesville.

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# It's a busy week for high school basketball across the Hoosier State

## The REPORTER

This upcoming week is arguably the busiest basketball week of the season, with several local teams participating in tournaments across the state.

The Reporter now presents a day-by-day schedule, allowing you to see where your favorite team will be playing next week. And as always, you can expect to find results from the tournaments in our email editions this week, and at [ReadTheReporter.com](http://ReadTheReporter.com).

In addition to the tournaments, three teams will be playing regular games this week. On Wednesday, Carmel's boys host Anderson in a 4:30 p.m. tipoff, while the Fishers girls travel to Jeffersonville for a 5:30 p.m. game. On Thursday, the Carmel girls host Penn, with a start time of 1:30 p.m.

## Tuesday, Dec. 27

### BOYS BASKETBALL

- Alexandria Tournament**
  - Sheridan vs. Cardinal Ritter, 10 a.m.
  - Southwestern Shelbyville vs. Alexandria, noon
  - Third-place game, 6 p.m.
  - Championship game, 8 p.m.
- Noblesville Holiday Tournament**
  - Lawrence Central vs. Chesterton, 11 a.m.
  - Columbus North vs. Norwell, 12:45 p.m.
  - Crown Point vs. Castle, 2:30 p.m.
  - Northridge vs. Noblesville, 4:15 p.m.
  - Consolation games, 6 & 7:45 p.m.
- GIRLS BASKETBALL**
  - Twin Lakes Tournament**
    - North White vs. Rochester, 3 p.m.
    - Mount Vernon vs. Crown Point, 4:30 p.m.
    - Westfield vs. Kankakee Valley, 6 p.m.
    - Clinton Prairie vs. Twin Lakes, 7:30 p.m.

## Wednesday, Dec. 28

### BOYS BASKETBALL

- Homestead Tournament**
  - Pool A:**
    - Hamilton Southeastern vs. South Bend St. Joseph, 10 a.m.
    - Munster vs. Homestead, 11:30 a.m.
    - Munster vs. Hamilton Southeastern, 6 p.m.
    - South Bend St. Joseph vs. Homestead, 7:30 p.m.
  - Pool B:**
    - Fishers vs. Mishawaka Marian, 10 a.m.
    - Bishop Dwenger vs. Valparaiso, 11:30 a.m.
    - Valparaiso vs. Fishers, 6 p.m.
    - Mishawaka Marian vs. Bishop Dwenger, 7:30 p.m.
- Noblesville Holiday Tournament**
  - Semi-final games, 11 a.m. & 12:45 p.m.
  - Seventh-place game, 2:30 p.m.
  - Fifth-place game, 4:15 p.m.
  - Third-place game, 6 p.m.
  - Championship, 7:45 p.m.
- GIRLS BASKETBALL**
  - Alexandria Tournament**
    - Tri-Central vs. Alexandria, 10 a.m.
    - Seeger vs. Sheridan, noon
    - Third-place game, 6 p.m.
    - Championship game, 8 p.m.
  - Paul Loggan Memorial Invitational, North Central**
    - Avon vs. North Central, 10 a.m.
    - Henderson County (Ky.) vs. Gibson Southern, 11:45 a.m.
    - Springboro (Ohio) vs. Hamilton Southeastern, 1:30 p.m.
  - Twin Lakes Tournament**
    - Semi-finals & consolation games, 11 a.m. & 12:30 p.m.
    - Seventh-place game, 4 p.m.
    - Fifth-place game, 5:30 p.m.
    - Third-place game, 6 p.m.
    - Championship game, 7:30 p.m.

## Thursday, Dec. 29

### BOYS BASKETBALL

- Homestead Tournament**
  - Pool A:**
    - Munster vs. South Bend St. Joseph, 10 a.m.
    - Hamilton Southeastern vs. Homestead, 11:30 a.m.
  - Pool B:**
    - Mishawaka Marian vs. Valparaiso, 10 a.m.
    - Fishers vs. Bishop Dwenger, 11:30 a.m.
  - Placement games:**
    - Seventh place, 6 p.m.
    - Fifth place, 6 p.m.
    - Third place, 7:30 p.m.
    - Championship, 7:30 p.m.
- Phil Cox Memorial Tournament, Kokomo**
  - Warren Central vs. Guerin Catholic, 10 a.m.
  - Columbia City vs. Brownsburg, noon
  - Center Grove vs. South Bend Riley, 6 p.m.
  - Bishop Luers vs. Kokomo, 8 p.m.
- Roncalli Tournament**
  - University vs. Roncalli, 10:30 a.m.
  - Floyd Central vs. Mount Vernon, noon
  - Third-place game, 6 p.m.
  - Championship game, 7:30 p.m.
- GIRLS BASKETBALL**
  - Hall of Fame Classic, New Castle**
    - Bedford North Lawrence vs. Mishawaka Marian, 10 a.m.
    - Noblesville vs. East Central, 11:30 a.m.
    - Third-place game, 6 p.m.
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    - Gibson Southern vs. Avon, 10 a.m.
    - Henderson County (Ky.) vs. Hamilton Southeastern, 11:45 a.m.
    - Springboro (Ohio) vs. North Central, 1:30 p.m.

## Friday, Dec. 30

### BOYS BASKETBALL

- Phil Cox Memorial Tournament, Kokomo**
  - Consolation games, 10 a.m. & noon
  - Semi-finals, 10 a.m. & noon
  - Seventh-place game, 4 p.m.
  - Fifth-place game, 4 p.m.
  - Third-place game, 6 p.m.
  - Championship game, 7:30 p.m.

# Hamilton County girls basketball week in reievew

## The REPORTER

The Westfield girls basketball team pulled away from Franklin Central in the fourth quarter last Tuesday, and that led to a 49-44 Hoosier Crossroads Conference victory for the Shamrocks at CSI Gymnasium.

Westfield led 9-8 after the first quarter. The Flashes took the lead by halftime, up 17-16, then extended that advantage to 35-31 after three periods. But the Rocks came back in the fourth quarter, outscoring Franklin Central 18-9.

Ellie Kelleher scored 16 points for Westfield, with Lindsey Van Dyke adding 14 points. Aubrey Crockett made three 3-pointers on her way to 11 points and led the rebounds with seven. Kelleher collected five rebounds.

The Shamrocks are 2-3 in HCC play and 7-6 overall. Westfield competes in the Twin Lakes Tournament this week; its first game is 6 p.m. Tuesday against Kankakee Valley.

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Sheridan got a big win on its home floor last Tuesday, beating Lebanon 36-34.

The Blackhawks had a strong defensive start, leading 8-2 after one quarter. The Tigers came back to go ahead 22-19 at halftime, but Sheridan got its defense going again in the third period, enabling it to take a 32-29 lead going into the fourth. The Blackhawks then hung on in a low-scoring fourth quarter to get the win.

Kenzie Garner reached double-double status, scoring 15 points and pulling 10 rebounds. Ashley Weibel added five points, while Nova Cross, Jacquellynne Bates and Shelby Eaton all scored four points. Eaton collected five rebounds.

Sheridan is 5-7 and plays Wednesday at the Alexandria Tournament. The Hawks play Seeger in the first round, then either Tri-Central or Alexandria in their second game.

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Hamilton Heights took care of business in the second half to score a 46-38 victory over Lapel last Tuesday in a home game.

The Bulldogs led 24-21 at halftime, scoring 12 points in each quarter. The Huskies turned that around in the second half, holding Lapel to seven points in the next quarters, while scoring 25 of their own.

"Very gritty performance by our girls tonight," said Heights coach Keegan Cherry. "Really proud of the toughness we showed. Lapel has a nice team."

Camryn Runner had 12 points in the second half, while Ella Hickok scored seven, including a 5-of-5 effort from the free-throw line. Runner finished with 19 points and was 4 of 4 from the line. Hickok and Kaylee Rhoton both had nine points, with Rhoton making three 3-pointers. Katie Brown had two 3s.

Cherry said that Heights' ability to offset the Bulldogs' size with Hadleigh Cherry and

Kassidy Schakel was a key to the game.

"Kaylee Rhoton provided timely scoring early," said Keegan Cherry. "Ella was great leading us at the point and her on ball defense was excellent. Katie Brown provided nice minutes and opened some things up with her ability to stretch the floor. We battled some foul trouble and got a key stop with Taylor Harley on the floor. Camryn Runner was great again. Her ability to score at all three levels is phenomenal, especially against the defense she faces. But credit to her teammates, they are simply about winning. With zero care who gets the credit."

The Huskies are 11-2. Heights' game with Blackford that was scheduled for last Thursday was postponed. The Huskies are off until Thursday, Jan. 5 when they play at Lewis Cass.

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# Noblesville girls gearing up for next week’s Hall of Fame Classic

The REPORTER

The Noblesville girls basketball team will be traveling to New Castle this week to play in the biggest holiday tournament of all: The Hall of Fame Classic.

The girls tournament is set for Thursday at the famed New Castle Fieldhouse. The Millers open play against East Central in the second semi-final game, which will start at approximately 11:45 a.m. The first semi-final, between Bedford North Lawrence and Mishawaka Marian, begins at 10 a.m. The consolation game begins at 6 p.m., with the championship game immediately following.

This will be the second time Noblesville has played in the Hall of Fame over the past 10 years. The Millers played in the 2015 edition, beating Benton Central in the semi-finals before falling in the championship game to Princeton.

“It’s a neat event,” said Noblesville coach Donna Buckley. “We’re excited to play in it. Four great teams.

It’s just such a cool gym.” The Millers are also looking forward to seeing the nearby Hall of Fame and the exhibits there.

Noblesville has a solid first-round opponent in East Central. The Trojans are 11-5 this season, and are leading the Eastern Indiana Conference standings at 4-0. In conference play, East Central has beaten South Dearborn 63-23, Franklin County 57-26, Greensburg 53-42 and Batesville 60-38.

“I know their coach does a great job,” said Buckley. She also mentioned the Trojans’ “big kid” – Josie Trabel, a 6-foot senior who is averaging 21.6 points and 8.9 rebounds per game. Trabel had a 40-point game during East Central’s 68-35 victory over the Indianapolis HomeSchool Wildcats on Dec. 13, then put up another 37 points on Dec. 17 in the Trojan’s win over Batesville. Trabel has committed to Wofford College, a Division I school.

“We will definitely have to play well,” said Buck-

ley. “We’re going to have to do a great job of controlling the big kid and making sure she doesn’t get going. That’s definitely a team that we will have to play well to beat.”

Another player to watch is senior Laney Baker, who is averaging 12.9 points per game. Sophomore Emily Klem collects 3.9 rebounds per contest, while Trabel leads in assists (3.4), steals (2.7) and blocks (1.5).

Noblesville is doing well this season, too. The Millers are 11-3, including a four-game winning streak. Sophomore Meredith Tippner is leading the way with 15.9 points, 9.6 rebounds and 3.6 assists per game. Junior Reagan Wilson adds 13.1 points, 3.3 assists and leads in steals with 3.0 per contest. Senior Dani Mendez is on top of the rebounds with 4.9 per game, and senior Kaitlyn Shoemaker puts in 8.8 points per game.

In the first semi-final, Bedford North Lawrence comes into that game with a 13-2 record, while Mishawa-

ka Marian is 12-2. The Millers played BNL at the Stars’ tournament on Wednesday, winning 54-44.

Junior Chloe Spreen is the top scorer for Bedford North Lawrence at 20.5 points per game, followed by senior Karsyn Norman at 16.3 points. Senior Mallory Pride leads the rebounds at 6.2 per game, with Spreen pulling 5.5 and junior Madisyn Bailey collecting 5.3. Norman also leads in assists (4.6) and steals (3.2).

As for Marian, senior Neveah Foster has been scoring at an impressive clip, 26.6 points per game. Foster, a Western Kentucky commit, scored a Marian school record 42 points in the Knights’ recent win over Portage. Two more seniors, Aliyah Hersberger and Shayla Alexander, are averaging 11.5 and 10.4 points respectively. Sophomore Christa Porter is the top rebounder with 7.9 per game, followed by Foster (6.9) and Alexander (5.4). Foster also leads in assists (4.1) and steals (4.3).



Reporter photo by Kent Graham

**Noblesville’s Meredith Tippner is averaging 15.9 points and 9.6 rebounds for the Millers this season. Noblesville travels to New Castle on Thursday to compete in the Hall of Fame Classic.**

## Noblesville girls come out on top at Limestone Classic

The REPORTER

The Noblesville girls basketball team got two victories at the Limestone Classic at Bedford North Lawrence last week.

The Millers won their first game last Wednesday by beating the host Stars 54-44. It was a roller-coaster first half, as Noblesville jumped ahead 14-4 after one quarter, but BNL came back to cut the Millers’ lead to 24-23 by halftime. Noblesville had an-

other fine defensive period in the third quarter, holding the Stars to seven points to take a 38-30 lead. The Millers clinched the game with a 16-point fourth quarter.

Three Noblesville players reached double figures: Reagan Wilson scored 16 points, Kaitlyn Shoemaker added 14 points, and Meredith Tippner earned a double-double with 11 rebounds and 10 points. Shoemaker had five rebounds.

The Millers followed up

that victory by beating Lake Central 54-32 last Thursday morning. As a result, Noblesville returned home from Bedford just in time to beat the weather.

“It went well,” said Millers coach Donna Buckley of the tournament. “The kids played really well against two very good basketball teams. Playing at Bedford is always a challenge.”

The challenge last Wednesday was timing.

Noblesville had finals that day, then had to hop on the bus for a two-hour drive to Bedford.

“I wasn’t sure what to expect, but our kids, they came out and played well, a ton of energy,” said Buckley.

The next day, the Millers had little trouble with Lake Central. Noblesville led by 11 points after one quarter, and maintained that margin at halftime, leading 29-18. The Millers increased their advan-

tage to 42-28 after three periods, then held the Indians to only four points in the fourth.

“Our defensive pressure really took them out of anything they wanted to do,” said Buckley.

The coach said her team “played well from start to finish in that game. Kaitlyn Shoemaker, Reagan Wilson, Meredith Tippner, those three, they had an incredible tournament for us.”

All three of those players

reached double figures in scoring: Tippner had 17 points, Wilson 14 and Shoemaker 13. Tippner collected 10 rebounds for a double-double, with Wilson pulling five rebounds. Shoemaker also got a double-double, as she made 10 steals. Shoemaker and Wilson both dished out four assists.

“It was great to watch these kids go out and make a statement this weekend,” said Buckley.

The Millers are 11-3.



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Basketball

University boys top PAAC North

The REPORTER

University's boys took control of the Pioneer Academic Athletic Conference North division standings with a 51-38 win at Seton Catholic last Monday night. Junior Sabien Cain poured in 25 points while seniors Kahmi Bracey (13 points) and Seth Hogg (10 points) also reached double figures for the Trailblazers who remained undefeated in six games this season.

University used its full-court pressure to jump out to a 15-4 lead in the first quarter and the Blazers led throughout.

Robert Russell got the Blazers on the board first with a three-point shot from the right wing. Cain followed with a score off a rebound for a 5-0 lead. University then scored seven points in 30 seconds. Cain hit a three pointer off a Russell assist, then added a pair of foul shots after a Hogg steal. Bracey had a steal and layin to make it 12-2 University. Cain followed with another three-pointer to put University up 15-4 with 3:31 left in the period. The Blazers did not score again the period, but held Seton Catholic to just a pair of foul shots.

University stretched its lead to 31-16 at halftime. Cain had seven points in the period with Hogg adding six. Bracey hit a buzzer beating three-pointer for the 15-point halftime advantage.

The Blazers maintained the pressure in the third quarter pushing their advantage

to 44-20 with 2:45 remaining in the third quarter. The Cardinals would not go away as they ran off 16 straight points over the end of third quarter and start of the fourth quarter to cut the lead to 44-36 with 6:50 left in the game.

University's defense and patient offense stabilized the lead. Cain stemmed the run with a pair of free throws with 4:12 left. University held Seton Catholic scoreless for the last 3:05 of the game and made its free throws down the stretch.

Trailblazer mentor Brandon Lafferman was excited to get a road win. "Traveling to Richmond to play Seton is always tough," he said. "Coach Juergen's teams always play hard and are well coached. I'm thrilled with our effort and ability to get a tough win on the road. Our boys will enjoy a few days off before we begin preparing for some tough 4A competition in the Roncalli tournament."

University is now 2-0 in the PAAC North. Seton Catholic falls to 5-2 overall, 1-1 in conference. The win was University's 28th consecutive PAAC North triumph. The Blazers can clinch their seventh consecutive division title Jan. 13 at Muncie Burriss. University has won five straight PAAC championship games.

The Trailblazers will play the host Royals in the opening game of the Roncalli Holiday Tournament on Dec. 29. Floyd Central and Mount Vernon complete the tournament field.

REVIEW

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The Guerin Catholic girls basketball team finished as runner-up at the Casey Pohlenz Memorial Tournament last Thursday at Richmond.

In their first game, the Golden Eagles beat the host Red Devils 55-41. Guerin Catholic got off to a strong start by outscoring Richmond 18-8 in the first quarter. Six different Golden Eagles players scored at least two points during that period. Guerin Catholic led 30-16 at halftime; Annie Murphy made a pair of 3-pointers, then threw in two more triples in the third quarter.

Murphy led the GC scoring with 16 points, totaling four 3-pointers. Ava Bills added 13 points and Natalie Fernandez scored 12 points; both players had six in the fourth quarter.

The Golden Eagles fell to Purdue Polytechnic 52-48 in the championship game. Guerin Catholic led 32-26 at halftime, with Fernan-

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dez pouring in nine points during the first half. The Techies cut the GC advantage to 42-39 after three periods, then outscored the Golden Eagles 13-6 in the fourth.

Fernandez scored 14 points, while Bills had 13 points.

Guerin Catholic is 5-8 and is off until Wednesday, Jan. 4, when it plays at Park Tudor.

COURT NOTICES

STATE OF INDIANA )  
SS: )  
COUNTY OF HAMILTON )  
IN THE HAMILTON COURT )  
Cause No. 29C01-2212-MI-9522 )  
IN RE THE NAME CHANGE OF )  
Harry Ben Marcus )  
Petitioner. )  
**NOTICE OF PETITION FOR CHANGE OF NAME**  
Harry Ben Marcus, whose mailing address and residence address is: 8572 N. Cabana Dr. #213, Fishers, IN 46038 in HAMILTON County, Indiana, hereby gives notice that Harry Ben Marcus has filed a petition in the Hamilton Court requesting that name be changed to Brian Harry Marcus.  
Notice is further given that the hearing will be held on said Petition on: March 3, 2023 at 10:00 a.m.  
*Harry Ben Marcus*  
Petitioner  
Date: December 13, 2022  
*Kathy Kreaag Williams*  
Clerk of Courts  
R1812 12/26/22, 1/2/23, 1/9/23

COUNTY

**2023 MEETING SCHEDULE**  
Pursuant to IC 5-14-1.5-5(c) the Hamilton County Airport Authority will meet the following dates in 2023:  
Time: 6:30 p.m., unless otherwise noted  
Location: Commissioners' Courtroom  
Hamilton County Government and Judicial Center  
One Hamilton County Square  
Noblesville, Indiana  
Meeting dates, times, and location are subject to change.  
January 11, 2023  
February 8, 2023  
March 8, 2023  
April 12, 2023 (Indy Exec)  
May 10, 2023  
June 14, 2023  
July 12, 2023  
August 9, 2023  
September 13, 2023  
October 11, 2023 (Indy Exec)  
November 8, 2023  
December 13, 2023  
R1807 12/26/22

**2023 MEETING SCHEDULE**  
Pursuant to IC 5-14-1.5-5(c) the Hamilton County Solid Waste Board will meet the following dates in 2023:  
Time: 12:00 noon, unless otherwise noted  
Location: Commissioners' Courtroom  
Hamilton County Government and Judicial Center  
One Hamilton County Square  
Noblesville, Indiana  
Meeting dates and times are subject to change.  
January 23, 2023 (Joint with Advisory Committee)  
February 27, 2023  
March 27, 2023  
April 24, 2023  
May 22, 2023  
June 26, 2023 (Joint with Advisory Committee)  
July 24, 2023  
August 28, 2023  
September 25, 2023  
October 23, 2023  
November 27, 2023  
R1808 12/26/22

SHERIFF SALES

**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. 29D02-2207-CC-005565, wherein *The Villas at Saxony Association, Inc. was Plaintiff, and First Start, LLC, 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 **2nd day of February, 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 58, in Parcel CC/DD of Saxony Planned Development, as per plat thereof recorded on July 22, 2016, in plat Book 5, Slide 521, as Instrument Number 2016035718; Affidavit of Scrivener's Error recorded as Instrument No. 2016053451, in the Office of the Recorder of Hamilton County, Indiana**  
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: December 6, 2022  
*Dennis J. Quakenbush II*  
Sheriff of Hamilton County  
**Fall Creek Township**  
Street Address: 13324 Lieder Way  
Fishers, IN 46037  
*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.**  
R1792 12/19/22, 12/25/22, 1/2/23

**NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE**  
By virtue of a certified copy of a decree to me directed from the Clerk of Hamilton Circuit Court of Hamilton County, Indiana, in Cause No. 29C01-2208-MF-006468 wherein *Lakeview Loan Servicing, LLC was Plaintiff, and Crest View Homeowners Association, Inc. and Shannon Judkins 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 **2nd day of February, 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 219 in Crestview, Section 5, a subdivision in Hamilton County, Indiana, as per plat thereof recorded December 23, 2002 in Plat Cabinet 3, Slide 116 as Instrument No. 2002-100117 in the Office of the Recorder of Hamilton County, Indiana.**  
**More commonly known as 4615 Elicia Ct, Westfield, IN 46062-6555 Parcel No. 29-10-05-004-018.000-015**  
Together with rents, issues, income and profits thereof, said sale will be made without relief from valuation or appraisalment laws.  
*Dennis J. Quakenbush II*  
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**BRYAN K. REDMOND**  
Plaintiff Attorney  
Attorney # 22108-29  
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8415 Allison Pointe Boulevard, Suite 400  
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**Washington Township**  
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**NOTICE**  
**FEIWELL & HANNOY, P.C. IS A DEBT COLLECTOR.**  
R1790 12/19/22, 12/25/22, 1/2/23

**NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE**  
By virtue of a certified copy of a decree to me directed from the Clerk of the Superior Court of Hamilton County, Indiana, in Cause No. 29D02-2002-CC-001269, wherein *Freedom Mortgage Corporation was Crossclaim/Counterclaim/ Third-Party Plaintiff, and Andrea L. Ligler, Forum Credit Union and Limestone Springs Condominium Owners Association, Inc., 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 **2nd day of February, 2023, at 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.** of said day, at the 18100 Cumberland Road, Noblesville, IN 46060, the fee simple of the whole body of Real Estate in Hamilton County, Indiana:  
**Land situated in the County of Hamilton, State of Indiana, is described as follows: Unit Number 300, in Building Number 6, in Phase 6, in Limestone Springs Condominiums, established per Declaration of Covenantns, Conditions and Restrictions Limestone Springs Condominiums recorded August 5, 2005 as Instrument Number 200500049840, and re-recorded August 10, 2005 as Instrument Number 200500051449, as amended by First Amendment to Declaration of Covenantns, Conditions and Restrictions Limestone Springs Condominiums recorded March 21, 2006 as Instrument Number 200600015079, and Surveyor's Correction recorded March 21, 2006 as Instrument Number 200600015080, and Limestone Springs Condominiums grantor dedication exhibit recorded August 5, 2005 in Plat Cabinet 3, Slide 684, and as Instrument Number 200500049841, and together with Supplemental Declaration (creates Phase 6), recorded August 23, 2006 as Instrument Number 200600049686, and Plat and as-built plans recorded August 23, 2006 in Plat Cabinet 4, Slide 135, and as Instrument Number 200600049685, and any further Supplemental Amendments thereto, in the Office of the Recorder of Hamilton County, Indiana. Together with an undivided percentage interest in the common arears as set forth in the declaration.**  
**29-11-27-106-003.000-020**  
**and commonly known as: 12235 Bubbling Brook Drive, Unit 300, Fishers, IN 46038.**  
Subject to all liens, encumbrances, rights of redemption, easements and restrictions of record not otherwise foreclosed and extinguished in the proceedings known as Cause # **29D02-2002-CC-001269** in the Superior Court of the County of Hamilton Indiana, and subject to all real estate taxes, and assessments currently due, delinquent or which are to become a lien.  
Said sale will be made without relief from valuation or appraisalment laws. If the sale is set aside for any reason, the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled only to a return of the deposit paid. The Purchaser shall have no further recourse against the Mortgagor, the Mortgagee, or the Mortgagee's Attorney.  
*Dennis J. Quakenbush II*  
Hamilton County Sheriff  
**DOYLE & FOUTTY, P.C.**  
41 E Washington St., Suite 400  
Indianapolis, IN 46204  
**Fall Creek Township**  
**12235 Bubbling Brook Drive, Unit 300, Fishers, IN 46038**  
Street Address  
**The Sheriff's Department does not warrant the accuracy of the street address published herein.**  
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R1795 12/19/22, 12/25/22, 1/2/23

FISHERS

**Invitation to Bid**  
**Hamilton Southeastern Schools Lantern Road Elementary School Renovations**  
Notice is hereby given that Pepper Construction, LLC will receive bids for the Hamilton Southeastern Schools Lantern Road Elementary School Renovations project located at 10595 Lantern Rd, Fishers, IN 46037.  
**The following bid packages are out for bid:** BP-01: Selective Demolition, BP-02: General Trades; BP-03: Architectural Woodwork; BP-04: Roofing (Alternate); BP-05: Doors, Frames and Hardware (supply only); BP-06: Glass & Glazing; BP-07: Gypsum Board Assemblies & Acoustical Ceilings; BP-08: Tiling; BP-09: Flooring; BP-10: Fluid-Applied Flooring; BP-11: Painting & Finishing; BP-12: Window Coverings; BP-13: Food Service Equipment; BP-14: Fire Suppression; BP-15: Plumbing; BP-16: HVAC; and BP-17: Electrical/Low-Voltage.  
Work will begin June 2023 and conclude by July 31, 2024.  
All bidders must complete & submit prequalification documents prior to the bid submission deadline.  
A pre-bid meeting (not mandatory but encouraged) will take place **Thursday, January 12, 2023, 3:00 PM ET**.  
All bidders are required to be prequalified with Pepper Construction prior to the bid submission deadline.  
**Bids are due electronically: Thursday, January 19, 2023, 2:00 PM ET.**  
Bidders may request electronic prequalification and bidding documents by emailing Caitlin Poe at cpoe@pepperconstruction.com  
R1802 12/26/22, 1/2/23, 1/9/23

**NOTICE OF HEARINGS**  
Pursuant to Indiana Code § 20-26-7-37 and Indiana Code § 6-1-1-20-3-1, notice is hereby given that the Board of School Trustees (the "Board") of Hamilton Southeastern Schools (the "School Corporation") will meet at 7:00 p.m. on January 11, 2023 and at 7:00 p.m. on January 25, 2023, at the School Corporation's Administration Office, 13485 Cumberland Road, Fishers, Indiana, to hold public hearings. On January 11, 2023, the Board will hold a public hearing to discuss and hear objections and support regarding the proposed renovation of and improvements to the School Corporation's Transportation Center (the "Project"). On January 25, 2023, the Board will hold a second public hearing to discuss and hear objections and support regarding the proposed Project and will also consider the adoption of a resolution making a preliminary determination to issue bonds to finance the Project. You are invited to attend and participate in the public hearings.  
Dated December 21, 2022.  
*/s/ Janet Pritchett, Secretary*  
Board of School Trustees  
Hamilton Southeastern Schools  
R1801 12/26/22

**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 January 9, 2023 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  
December 22, 2022  
R1809 12/26/22

SHERIFF SALES

**NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE**  
By virtue of a certified copy of a decree to me directed from the Clerk of Hamilton Circuit Court of Hamilton County, Indiana, in Cause No. 29C01-2204-MF-002532 wherein *U.S. Bank National Association as Indenture Trustee for Towd Point Mortgage Trust 2015-4 was Plaintiff, and Gregory A. Townsend and Kathryn Townsend 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 **2nd day of February, 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.  
**Part of the Southeast Quarter of the Northwest Quarter of Section 10, Township 19 North, Range 3 East of the Second Principal Meridian, in Adams Township, Hamilton County, Indiana, described as follows: Beginning at a PK Nail on the South line of said Quarter-Quarter section being South 89 Degrees 59 Minutes 13 Seconds West (assumed bearing) 1062.60 feet from the Southeast corner thereof; thence South 89 Degrees 59 Minutes 13 Seconds West 265.00 feet to the Southwest corner of said Quarter-Quarter Section; thence North 00 Degrees 08 Minutes 34 Seconds West 822.00 feet to a 5/8" Rebar with red plastic cap; thence North 89 Degrees 59 Minutes 13 Seconds East 265.00 feet to a 5/8" Rebar with red plastic cap; thence South 00 Degrees 08 Minutes 34 Seconds East 822.00 feet to the point of beginning and containing 5.00 acres, more or less.**  
**More commonly known as 1124 W 221st St, Sheridan, IN 46069-9141 Parcel No. 29-05-10-000-003.002-001**  
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  
**MATTHEW S. LOVE**  
Plaintiff Attorney  
Attorney # 18762-29  
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**NOTICE**  
**FEIWELL & HANNOY, P.C. IS A DEBT COLLECTOR.**  
R1789 12/19/22, 12/25/22, 1/2/23

**NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE**  
By virtue of a certified copy of a decree to me directed from the Clerk of Hamilton Superior Court 1 of Hamilton County, Indiana, in Cause No. 29D01-1901-MF-000673 wherein *OneMain Financial Services, Inc. was Plaintiff, and Cynthia R. Turner a/k/a Cynthia Turner, Teddy M. Turner a/k/a Teddy Turner, Beneficial Financial 1 Inc., successor in interest to Beneficial Mortgage Co. of Indiana and The Unknown Tenant 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 **2nd day of February, 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.  
**A part of the Southeast Quarter of Section 3, Township 19 North, Range 5 East, located in White River Township, Hamilton County, Indiana, being bounded as follows: Commencing at the southeast corner of the southeast quarter of Section 3, Township 19 North, Range 5 East; thence South 88 Degrees 23 Minutes 40 Seconds West (assumed bearing) 2,291.46 feet along the South line of said Southeast Quarter to the Centerline of State Road #37; thence North 37 degrees 41 minutes 00 seconds East 1,765.66 feet along the Centerline of State Road #37; thence South 80 degrees 08 minutes 19 seconds east 239.34 feet; thence North 88 degrees 25 minutes 40 seconds East 156.42 feet parallel with the South line of said Southeast quarter; thence north 43 degrees 25 minutes 40 seconds East 149.21 feet; thence north 88 degrees 25 minutes 40 seconds East 344.53 feet parallel with the South line of said Southeast Quarter to the point of beginning of this description; thence North 01 degree 44 minutes 54 seconds west 265.16 feet parallel with the east line of said southeast quarter; thence north 88 degrees 23 minutes 40 seconds East 164.28 feet parallel with the south line of said southeast quarter; thence south 01 degree 44 minutes 34 seconds east 265.16 feet parallel with the east line of said southeast quarter; thence south 88 degrees 25 minutes 40 seconds west 16428 feet parallel with the south line of said southeast quarter to the point of beginning.**  
**More commonly known as 22855 Craig Ave, Noblesville, IN 46060-6978 Parcel No. 07-07-03-04-07-007.601**  
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  
**MATTHEW S. LOVE**  
Plaintiff Attorney  
Attorney # 18762-29  
FEIWELL & HANNOY, P.C.  
8415 Allison Pointe Boulevard, Suite 400  
Indianapolis, IN 46250  
(317) 237-2727  
**White River Township**  
*The Sheriff's Department does not warrant the accuracy of the street addressed published herein.*  
**NOTICE**  
**FEIWELL & HANNOY, P.C. IS A DEBT COLLECTOR.**  
R1791 12/19/22, 12/25/22, 1/2/23

**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 the Superior Court of Hamilton County, Indiana, in Cause No.: 29D04-2205-MF-003295 wherein *Lakeview Loan Servicing, LLC, was Plaintiff, and Tyler C. Childers, et al were the Defendants*, requiring 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 **2nd day of February, 2023** at the hour of 10:00 a.m. - 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.  
**PART OF THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF SECTION 15, TOWNSHIP 20 NORTH, RANGE 3 EAST, ADAMS TOWNSHIP, HAMILTON COUNTY, INDIANA, DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: COMMENCING AT THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF SAID QUARTER; THENCE NORTH 1768.66' ALONG THE EAST LINE OF SAID QUARTER TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING; THENCE NORTH 187.19' ALONG SAID LINE; THENCE WEST 232.70'; THENCE SOUTH 187.19'; THENCE EAST 232.70' TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING.**  
**More Commonly Known as: 27440 Six Points Rd, Sheridan, IN 46069 Parcel No. 29-01-15-000-003.000-001**  
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 of Hamilton County  
**Adams Township**  
**27440 Six Points Rd. Sheridan. IN 46069**  
Street Address  
*Phillip A. Norman #13734-64*  
PHILLIP A. NORMAN P.C.  
**December 12, 2022**  
Date  
*The Sheriff's Department does not warrant the accuracy of the street address published herein.*  
R1793 12/19/22, 12/25/22, 1/2/23

**TO THE OWNERS OF THE WITHIN DESCRIBED REAL ESTATE AND ALL INTERESTED PARTIES**  
STATE OF INDIANA )  
SS: ) IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF  
COUNTY OF HAMILTON ) HAMILTON COUNTY  
COUNTY OF HAMILTON ) NOBLESVILLE, INDIANA  
CAUSE NO. 29D01-2208-MF-006579  
**PHH MORTGAGE CORPORATION** )  
**PLAINTIFF** )  
**vs** )  
**HEATH DUBBELD; STATE OF INDIANA** )  
**DEFENDANTS** )  
**NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE**  
By virtue of an Order of Sale, directed to me from the Clerk of the Hamilton Circuit Court and pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure entered on **10/27/2022**, I will expose to public sale to the highest bidder for cash in hand, at the office of the Sheriff of Hamilton County, in Hamilton County, Indiana, located at 18100 Cumberland Rd., Noblesville, IN 46060 on **February 2, 2023, at 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.** Local time, the fee simple title together with the rents, profits, issues and income or so much thereof as may be sufficient to satisfy said judgment, interest, costs and accruing costs of the following described real estate located in Hamilton County, Indiana, to-wit:  
**Part of Lots Numbered Seventeen (17) and Eighteen (18) in Original Plat of Clarksville, an Addition in Hamilton County, Indiana, as per plat thereof, recorded September 18, 1849 in Deed Record "N", page 23 in the Office of the Recorder of Hamilton County, Indiana, described as follows:**  
**Beginning at the Northwest corner of Lot Number 17 in the Original Plat of the Town of Clarksville; run thence South 165 feet; thence East 66 One Half feet; thence North 165 feet; thence West 66 One Half feet to the place of beginning.**  
**Also, commencing one rod West of the Northeast corner of Lot Number 17 in Original Plat of the Town of Clarksville, Hamilton County, Indiana and run South 36 feet; thence East 39 feet; thence North 36 feet; thence West 39 feet to the place of beginning.**  
**Commonly known as: 14055 State Road 38 East, Noblesville, IN 46060 State Parcel Number: 29-11-01-302-007.000-016; 29-11-01-302-010.000-016 Township: Wayne**  
This sale is to be made in all respects pursuant to an act of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana, approved March 7, 1931, and entitled An act concerning proceedings in actions to foreclose real estate mortgages, providing for the sale and custody of the mortgaged premises and repealing all laws conflicting therewith (see Indiana Code)  
It is further provided by law that there shall be no redemption from such sale, and the purchaser at such sale, upon complying with the terms of his purchase, shall be entitled to immediately receive from the undersigned, Sheriff of Hamilton County, a deed conveying to him, the purchaser, the fee simple title in and to said real estate.  
*Taken as the property of the Defendant(s) stated above at the suit of PHH Mortgage Corporation.* Said sale to be without relief from valuation and/or appraisalment laws.  
**THE SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT DOES NOT WARRANT THE ACCURACY OF THE STREET ADDRESS PUBLISHED HEREIN.**  
*Dennis J. Quakenbush II*  
Sheriff of Hamilton County  
Attorney for Plaintiff  
Codilis Law, LLC  
8050 Cleveland Place  
Merrillville, IN 46410  
(219) 736-5579  
15-22-01176  
**NOTE: This law firm is a debt collector.**  
R1794 12/19/22, 12/25/22, 1/2/23



— COURT NOTICES —

STATE OF INDIANA )  
SS: )  
COUNTY OF HAMILTON )  
IN THE HAMILTON COURT )  
CASE NO. 29C01-2209-MI-7781 )  
IN RE: NAME CHANGE OF: )  
MARLENE MARIA DURAN PEREZ )  
**NOTICE OF HEARING** )  
Notice is hereby given that )  
Petitioner, MARLENE MARIA )  
DURAN PEREZ, pro se, filed a )  
Verified Petition for Change of Name )  
to change her name from MARLENE )  
MARIA DURAN PEREZ to )  
MARLENE MILU MILLER DURAN )  
The petition is scheduled for hearing )  
in the Hamilton Circuit Court on )  
March 3, 2023 at 10:00 am. 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: November 30, 2022 )  
*Kathy Kragg Williams* )  
Clerk, Hamilton Circuit Court )  
R1782 12/19/22, 12/25/22, 1/2/23

STATE OF INDIANA )  
SS: )  
COUNTY OF HAMILTON )  
IN THE HAMILTON COURT )  
CASE NO. 29C01-2211-MI-9489 )  
IN RE THE NAME CHANGE OF )  
MIRANDA MARIE NELSON )  
Petitioner )  
**NOTICE OF PETITION FOR )  
CHANGE OF NAME** )  
MIRANDA MARIE NELSON, )  
whose mailing address and residence )  
address is: 792 GRACE DR. )  
CARMEL, IN 46032, in HAMILTON )  
County, Indiana, hereby gives notice )  
that MIRANDA MARIE NELSON )  
has filed a petition in the Hamilton )  
Court requesting that name be )  
changed to MIRANDA MARIE )  
PURCELL. )  
Notice is further given that the )  
hearing will be held on said Petition )  
on: March 31, 2023 at 10:00 a.m. )  
*MIRANDA MARIE NELSON* )  
Petitioner )  
Date: December 16, 2022 )  
*Kathy Kragg Williams* )  
Judicial Officer )  
R1784 12/19/22, 12/25/22, 1/2/23

STATE OF INDIANA )  
SS: )  
COUNTY OF HAMILTON )  
IN THE HAMILTON SUPERIOR )  
COURT )  
Cause No. 29C01-2209-MI-007625 )  
IN RE THE NAME CHANGE OF )  
CAMILA PARTENZA )  
SANDRA ROSAS, )  
Petitioner )  
**NOTICE OF PETITION FOR )  
CHANGE OF NAME** )  
Petitioner, Sandra Rosas, who's )  
mailing address is 12490 Old Pond )  
Road, Noblesville, Indiana 46060, )  
Hamilton County, Indiana hereby )  
gives notice that she has petitioned )  
the Hamilton County Circuit Court )  
to change the name of her minor )  
daughter, Camila Partenza, to Camila )  
Rosas. )  
Notice is further given that a hearing )  
will be held on said Petition on the 6th )  
day of January, 2022, at 10:00 a.m. )  
*/s/Justin D. Pelkey* )  
Justin D. Pelkey, #36214-30 )  
HOLT LEGAL GROUP )  
198 S. 9th Street )  
Noblesville, IN 46060 )  
317-773-5997 Office )  
jpelkey@holtlegal.com )  
R1788 12/19/22, 12/25/22, 1/2/23

**29D01-2107-EU-000365** )  
STATE OF INDIANA )  
COUNTY OF HAMILTON )  
IN THE HAMILTON SUPERIOR )  
COURT DIVISION I )  
CAUSE NO. 29D01-2107-EU-000365 )  
IN THE MATTER OF THE )  
UNSUPERVISED ESTATE OF )  
JAMES H. GALE, Deceased. )  
**NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION** )  
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF )  
HAMILTON COUNTY, INDIANA )  
IN RE: THE ESTATE OF JAMES )  
H. GALE, DECEASED ESTATE )  
DOCKET: 29D01-2107-EU- 361 )  
Notice is hereby given that Roberta )  
L. Gale was on the 2 day of August, )  
2021 appointed Administratrix and )  
Personal Representative of the Estate )  
of James H. Gale, deceased, who died )  
on the 7th day of November, 2020. )  
All people who have 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 in Noblesville, Hamilton )  
County, Indiana: August 2, 2021 )  
*Kathy Kragg Williams* )  
Clerk, )  
Hamilton County Superior Court )  
Alan R. Miller (#11629-48) )  
Attorney at Law )  
1003 Meridian Street )  
Anderson, IN 46016 )  
Telephone: (765) 622-9768 )  
R1777 12/19, 12/26/22

**29D01-2212-EU-000609** )  
*Victoria L. Howard, #34642-49* )  
Church Church Hittle & Antrim )  
Two North Ninth Street )  
Noblesville, IN 46060 )  
(317)773-2190; FAX (317) 773-5320 )  
**NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION** )  
In the Superior Court of Hamilton )  
County, Indiana. )  
Notice is hereby given that Chris M. )  
Fread was, on December 20, 2022 , )  
appointed Personal Representative of )  
the Estate of NORMA M. FREAD, )  
deceased, who died December 2, 2022. )  
All persons who have 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 on )  
December 20, 2022. )  
*Kathy Kragg Williams* )  
Clerk of the Superior Court of )  
Hamilton County, Indiana )  
R1804 12/26/22, 1/2/23

**29D01-2212-EU-000618** )  
Altman, Poindexter & Wyatt LLC )  
Anne Hensley Poindexter )  
90 Executive Drive, Suite G )  
Carmel, IN 46032 )  
(317)350-1000 )  
**NOTICE OF UNSUPERVISED )  
ADMINISTRATION** )  
Cause No. 29D01-2212-EU-000618 )  
In the Superior Court of Hamilton )  
County, Indiana. )  
Notice is hereby given that Wayne )  
Cross was, on the date of December )  
22, 2022 appointed Personal )  
Representative of the Estate of Clifford )  
C. Cross, deceased, who died on the )  
26th day of November, 2022. )  
All persons who have 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 )  
date: December 22, 2022. )  
*Kathy Kragg Williams* )  
Clerk of the Superior Court for )  
Hamilton County, Indiana )  
R1811 12/26/22, 1/2/23

STATE OF INDIANA )  
COUNTY OF MARION )  
IN THE SUPERIOR COURT )  
CASE NO. 49D08-2210-GU-034448 )  
IN RE THE GUARDIANSHIP OF )  
Malachi Tindal, )  
Adult. )  
**NOTICE OF SUIT – SUMMONS )  
SERVICE BY PUBLICATION** )  
The State of Indiana to the )  
Respondent above named and any )  
other person who may be concerned. )  
You are notified, due to your interest )  
and relationship to Malachi Tindal )  
that suit has been filed in the Court )  
above named. The nature of the suit )  
is: Guardianship of the Person of )  
Malachi Tindal. This summons by )  
publication is specifically directed to )  
the following Respondent: MICHAEL )  
A. TINDAL. And to the following )  
Respondent whose whereabouts are: )  
Unknown. In addition to the above )  
Respondent being served by this )  
summons there may be others who )  
have an interest in this lawsuit. The )  
Petitioner, Renee Brooks, is being )  
represented by Attorney Krista )  
Howard, and contact information is )  
represented below. If you do not take )  
any action in this case after receipt )  
of this summons, the court can make )  
a determination regarding any of the )  
following: Guardianship of the Person )  
of Malachi Tindal on or before the 1st )  
day of February, 2023 (the same being )  
within thirty (30) days after the Third )  
Notice of Suit). )  
Krista E. Howard, )  
Attorney for Petitioner )  
Attorney No. 34273-29 )  
Indiana Legal Services, Inc. )  
1200 Madison Ave. Suite 300 )  
Indianapolis, IN 46225 )  
(317) 744-6254 | krista.howard@ilsni.net )  
R1783 12/19/22, 12/25/22, 1/2/23

STATE OF INDIANA )  
SS: )  
COUNTY OF HAMILTON )  
IN THE HAMILTON SUPERIOR )  
COURT )  
Cause No. 29C01-2209-MI-007623 )  
IN RE THE NAME CHANGE OF )  
VICTORIA PARTENZA )  
SANDRA ROSAS, )  
Petitioner. )  
**NOTICE OF PETITION FOR )  
CHANGE OF NAME** )  
Petitioner, Sandra Rosas, who's )  
mailing address is 12490 Old Pond )  
Road, Noblesville, Indiana 46060, )  
Hamilton County, Indiana hereby )  
gives notice that she has petitioned )  
the Hamilton County Circuit Court )  
to change the name of her minor )  
daughter, Victoria Partenza, to victoria )  
Rosas. )  
Notice is further given that a hearing )  
will be held on said Petition on the 6th )  
day of January, 2022, at 10:00 a.m. )  
*/s/Justin D. Pelkey* )  
Justin D. Pelkey, #36214-30 )  
HOLT LEGAL GROUP )  
198 S. 9th Street )  
Noblesville, IN 46060 )  
317-773-5997 Office )  
jpelkey@holtlegal.com )  
R1787 12/19/22, 12/25/22, 1/2/23

**29D03-2212-EU-000592** )  
STATE OF INDIANA )  
COUNTY OF HAMILTON )  
IN THE HAMILTON SUPERIOR )  
COURT NO. 3 )  
CAUSE NO. 29D03-2212-EU-000592 )  
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE )  
OF RUTH J. MOORHOUS )  
**NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION** )  
Notice is hereby given that on the )  
15 day of December , 2022, Katherine )  
E. Moorhous was appointed personal )  
representative of the estate of Ruth J. )  
Moorhous deceased, who died on the )  
24th day of October, 2022. )  
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 6 )  
day of December, 2022. )  
*Kathy Kragg Williams* )  
Clerk of the Hamilton Circuit/ )  
Superior Court, Indiana )  
Hamilton County, Indiana )  
R1776 12/19, 12/26/22

**29D03-2212-EU-000605** )  
STATE OF INDIANA )  
COUNTY OF HAMILTON )  
IN THE HAMILTON SUPERIOR )  
COURT )  
CAUSE NO. 29D03-2212-EU-000605 )  
IN THE MATTER OF )  
THE UNSUPERVISED )  
ADMINISTRATION OF THE )  
ESTATE OF )  
JACOB L. KING, DECEASED )  
**NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION )  
IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF )  
HAMILTON COUNTY, INDIANA** )  
Notice is hereby given that Jay )  
King was, on December 15, 2022, )  
appointed personal representative of )  
the estate of Jacob L. King, deceased, )  
who died on the 29th day of June, )  
2022. )  
All persons having claims against )  
this estate, whether or not now due, )  
must file the same 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 )  
December 15, 2022 )  
*Kathy Kragg Williams* )  
Clerk of the Hamilton County Court )  
Prepared by: )  
Allison W. Weber, No. 36399-53 )  
FERGUSON LAW )  
403 E. Sixth St. )  
Bloomington, IN 47408 )  
Tel. (812) 332-2113 )  
AVW@ferglaw.com )  
R1785 12/19, 12/26/22

STATE OF INDIANA )  
SS: )  
COUNTY OF HAMILTON )  
IN THE HAMILTON SUPERIOR )  
COURT )  
Cause No. 29C01-2212-MI-9828 )  
IN RE THE NAME CHANGE OF )  
Ekaterina Lyalka )  
Petitioner. )  
**NOTICE OF PETITION FOR )  
CHANGE OF NAME** )  
Ekaterina Lyalka, whose mailing )  
address and residence address is: )  
2610 Maple Creek Dr., Westfield, )  
IN 47074, in HAMILTON County, )  
Indiana, hereby gives notice that )  
Ekaterina Lyalka has filed a petition )  
in the Hamilton Court requesting that )  
name be changed to Katherine Miller. )  
Notice is further given that a hearing )  
will be held on said Petition on March )  
31, 2023, at 10:00 a.m. )  
*Ekaterina Lyalka* )  
Petitioner )  
Date: December 19, 2022 )  
*Kathy Kragg Williams* )  
Judicial Officer )  
R1810 12/26/22, 1/2/23, 1/9/23

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— NOBLESVILLE —

**NOTICE OF OFFERING: )  
REAL ESTATE FOR SALE** )  
Notice is hereby given by the City of Noblesville Redevelopment Commission (the "Commission") that on January 12, 2023, at 9:00 a.m. local time (EDT), at the )  
Noblesville City Hall, 16 S. 10th Street, Noblesville, Indiana 46060, the Commission will open and consider written offers for the purchase and development of certain )  
real estate with an address at approximately 14501 Brooks School Road, Noblesville, Indiana 46060, generally located near the southwest corner of the Brooks School )  
Road and Campus Parkway intersection (the "Property"). )  
The Commission is willing to entertain proposals for the purchase and development of all of the Property for the purposes described in this notice and the Offering )  
Packet. Responsible offers may consist of cash, other property, or a combination of cash and other property, and should meet the conditions set forth in the Offering )  
Packet. Note, proposals will only be considered for the purchase and development of all of the Property. )  
**Legal Description and Property Information** )  
A. The Property to be sold has the following general descriptions: )  
**The Property** )  
**Legal Description:** )  
PART OF THE NORTHEAST QUARTER OF SECTION 22, TOWNSHIP 18 NORTH, RANGE 5 EAST OF THE SECOND PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, HAMILTON )  
COUNTY, INDIANA, DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: )  
COMMENCING AT A HARRISON MONUMENT MARKING THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF THE NORTHEAST QUARTER; THENCE ALONG THE EAST )  
LINE THEREOF NORTH 00 DEGREES 05 MINUTES 55 SECONDS WEST (BASIS OF BEARINGS) 793.84 FEET; THENCE NORTH 89 DEGREES 59 MINUTES )  
51 SECONDS WEST 65.00 FEET TO THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF THE LAND OF MAB CAPITAL INVESTMENTS LLC AS DESCRIBED IN TRACT )  
II OF INSTRUMENT NO 2019059131 IN THE OFFICE OF THE RECORDER OF HAMILTON COUNTY, INDIANA; THENCE ALONG THE EAST LINE OF )  
SAID TRACT II SOUTH 00 DEGREES 05 MINUTES 55 SECONDS EAST 200.00 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING; THENCE CONTINUING SOUTH 00 )  
DEGREES 05 MINUTES 55 SECONDS EAST 134.51 FEET; THENCE NORTH 90 DEGREES 00 MINUTES 00 SECONDS WEST 292.69 FEET; THENCE SOUTH )  
27 DEGREES 40 MINUTES 42 SECONDS WEST 60.68 FEET; THENCE NORTH 90 DEGREES 00 MINUTES 00 SECONDS WEST 98.67 FEET; THENCE NORTH )  
00 DEGREES 00 MINUTES 00 SECONDS EAST 100.88 FEET; THENCE NORTH 90 DEGREES 00 MINUTES 00 SECONDS EAST 41.50 FEET; THENCE NORTH )  
00 DEGREES 00 MINUTES 00 SECONDS EAST 80.99 FEET TO THE SOUTH LINE OF THE AFORESAID TRACT II IN INSTRUMENT NO. 2019059131 AND )  
A POINT ON A CURVE CONCAVE NORTHEASTERLY HAVING A RADIUS OF 1075.00 FEET AND A CHORD BEARING SOUTH 82 DEGREES 22 MINUTES )  
08 SECONDS EAST 114.28 FEET; THENCE THE FOLLOWING FOUR (4) COURSES ALONG THE SOUTH LINE OF SAID TRACT II; (1) SOUTHEASTERLY )  
ALONG SAID CURVE 114.33 FEET; (2) NORTH 04 DEGREES 35 MINUTES 03 SECONDS EAST 25.00 FEET TO A POINT ON A CURVE CONCAVE )  
NORTHEASTERLY HAVING A RADIUS OF 1050.00 FEET AND A CHORD BEARING SOUTH 87 DEGREES 42 MINUTES 24 SECONDS EAST 83.94 FEET; )  
(3) SOUTHEASTERLY ALONG SAID CURVE 83.96 FEET; (4) SOUTH 89 DEGREES 59 MINUTES 51 SECONDS EAST 178.68 FEET TO THE POINT OF )  
BEGINNING, CONTAINING 1.31 ACRES MORE OR LESS. )  
Parcel ID: 29-11-22-000-007.101-021. )  
Acreage: 1.31 )  
NOTE: For purposes of the preparation of this description, no surveys of the described real estate were performed and no monuments were set. Legal descriptions are )  
from an appraisal of the Property commissioned by Noblesville. A map showing the location of the Property is attached to the Offering Packet. )  
B. The real estate is currently zoned as follows (note, the Property may be rezoned by the City of Noblesville consistent with approved development plans): )  
**The Property** )  
Per the City of Noblesville zoning map, the Property is zoned CCPD, Corporate Campus Planned Development. The Property also falls within the FH, Flood Hazard )  
district, which also requires approval from the Board of Zoning Appeals prior to any construction or alteration of the site commences. )  
**Offering Packet and Bid Deadline** )  
Offering Packets may be obtained electronically or picked up in the Noblesville City Hall, Economic Development Department between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 )  
p.m. weekdays beginning on December 12, 2022. Please direct questions about receiving Packets to Andrew Murray, Director of Economic Development, (317) 776- )  
6345, 16 S. 10th Street, A206, Noblesville, Indiana 46060, or by email at amurray@noblesville.in.us. Items included in the Offering Packet are: this Notice of Offering, )  
the Offering Sheet, and Instructions to Bidders. )  
All offers must be received by the Commission no later than 9:00 a.m. EDT on January 12, 2023 and should be in the form described in the Instructions to Bidders. )  
Proposals submitted or received after that date may not be considered. Responses may be delivered to the Commission at 16 S. 10th Street, A206, Noblesville, Indiana )  
46060. Alternatively, responses may also be emailed to amurray@noblesville.in.us. )  
**Development Standards and Limitations** )  
1. The Property currently consists of a portion of property located in the Hyde Park Development in Noblesville, Indiana consisting largely of an undeveloped flood )  
plain. The Commission anticipates that the Property will be developed as a part of a long-term vision for mixed-use commercial development on and nearby the Property, )  
with facilities and operations that can be used to attract additional investment, recreational, economic development, and redevelopment opportunities for the Noblesville )  
community. The Commission envisions development of the Property to include a mix of first class, high quality, multi-family housing, with associated parking and )  
amenities, with retail and commercial components (e.g., first floor retail/commercial space for usage such as restaurants, office space, and retail). The Commission )  
expects the development of the Property to benefit the surrounding community through enhancement of the Property, including aesthetic improvement, and improvements )  
to infrastructure that will foster and promote future development and vibrancy in the surrounding area of the Town. Bidders should bear in mind the goals of the )  
Commission with respect to the development of the Property as noted above and overall as well by submitting proposals that may: (i) improve the overall community )  
and generate growth in the Property and surrounding area; (ii) redevelop the Property through first class, high quality development; (iii) provide opportunities for retail/ )  
commercial space on the ground floor to serve as an amenity for tenants, as well as patrons who may not otherwise visit the area; (iv) serve as a catalyst for future )  
development around the Property; and (v) provide for timely completion of the development of the Property with high value investment for comparable developments. )  
Bidders shall submit proposals for the purchase and development of all of the Property. )  
2. A successful bidder will be expected to enter into an Economic Development Agreement with the Commission, and will begin and complete its development with )  
reasonable promptness. Additional terms and requirements will be addressed in the Economic Development Agreement, including a commitment from the bidder for )  
construction and operation costs net of the purchase price. )  
3. A bid submitted by a trust (as defined in Indiana Code 30-4-1-1(a)) must identify each beneficiary of the trust and each settlor empowered to revoke or modify the )  
trust. )  
**Selection** )  
The Commission reserves the right to reject any or all offers. Offers may consist of cash, other property, or a combination of cash and other property. In determining )  
the best offer, the Commission may take into account price and other considerations; the size and character of the improvements proposed to be made by the bidder; )  
the timing of the transaction and development or redevelopment of the Property; source of debt and equity funds; requested development incentives for the project; )  
development resume; the proposed redevelopment plan and future uses; how the offer and intended use(s) contribute to the revitalization of the surrounding area; how )  
the plan may advance the vision and goals of the Commission; any factors that will assure the Commission that the sale, if made, will further the execution of the )  
redevelopment of the area and serve the best interest of the community; whether the bidder will immediately be able to incorporate the Property into existing planned )  
development in the area; and any other statutory criteria in Indiana Code 36-7-14. A successful bidder may be required to show proof of financing of up to three (3) times )  
the offering price, as well as the ability to secure the necessary financing for the proposed development of the Property. The successful bidder must demonstrate that they )  
are a responsible property owner. A successful bidder will be required to enter into an Economic Development Agreement with the Commission with respect to these and )  
other matters. For a period of (30) days after the opening of the written offers, no sale may be made at a price less than that shown on the Offering Sheet. After that, the )  
Commission may adjust the offering price and other terms in the manner the Commission considers necessary to further the Property's development. )  
This notice is given pursuant to Indiana 36-7-14-22(d) and Indiana Code 5-3-1-2(c). )  
Dated December 1, 2022 )  
  
CITY OF NOBLESVILLE )  
REDEVELOPMENT COMMISSION )  
12/12/22, 12/26/22 )  
R1744

— NOBLESVILLE —

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING )  
Noblesville Plan Commission )  
Noblesville, Indiana** )  
The Noblesville Plan Commission will hold a Public Hearing on Application )  
No. **LEGP 0240-2022 on Tuesday, January 17, 2023 at 6:00 PM in the City )  
Council Chambers, City Hall Building, 16 South 10th Street, Noblesville, IN )  
46060.** The application submitted by Thomas A. Grant, Inc. (Owners) and Patch )  
Development (Developer) is for a requested waiver from any vehicle parking, )  
loading, and/or drives between the building and the front property line adjacent )  
to an arterial roadway, all a part of the Corporate Campus Planned Development )  
District and a part of the Cumberland Pointe Planned Development and located at )  
9855 and 9895 Cumberland Pointe Boulevard, all within the zoning jurisdiction of )  
the City of Noblesville, Hamilton County, Indiana. )  
Written suggestions or objections relative to the applications above may be filed )  
with the Department of Planning and Development, at or before such meeting and )  
will be heard by the Noblesville Plan Commission. Interested persons desiring )  
to present their views, either in writing or verbally, will be given the opportunity )  
to be heard at the above-mentioned time and place. These hearings may be )  
continued from time to time as found necessary by the Plan Commission. )  
Copies of the proposals are on file in the Department of Planning and )  
Development located at 16 S. 10th Street for examination before the meeting )  
during business hours between 8:00 AM and 4:30 PM, Monday – Friday. A )  
copy of the proposal will appear on the web page at www.cityofnoblesville.org, )  
agendas, Plan Commission – January 17, 2023 prior to the meeting date. )  
NOBLESVILLE PLAN COMMISSION )  
Caleb P. Gutshall, Secretary )  
R1799 12/26/22

— COUNTY —

**HAMILTON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS )  
2023 Meeting Schedule** )  
Pursuant to ICS-14-1.5-5(c) the Hamilton County Board of Commissioners )  
have scheduled the following meetings in 2023. Meetings are held in the )  
Commissioners Courtroom in the Hamilton County Government and Judicial )  
Center, One Hamilton County Square, Noblesville, Indiana. Meeting dates and )  
times are subject to change. )  
January 9, 2023 1:00 p.m. )  
January 23, 2023 12:15 p.m. )  
February 13, 2023 1:00 p.m. )  
February 27, 2023 12:15 p.m. )  
March 13, 2023 1:00 p.m. )  
March 27, 2023 12:15 p.m. )  
April 10, 2023 1:00 p.m. )  
April 24, 2023 12:15 p.m. )  
May 8, 2023 1:00 p.m. )  
May 22, 2023 12:15 p.m. )  
June 12, 2023 1:00 p.m. )  
June 26, 2023 12:15 p.m. )  
July 10, 2023 1:00 p.m. )  
July 24, 2023 12:15 p.m. )  
August 14, 2023 1:00 p.m. )  
August 28, 2023 12:15 p.m. )  
September 11, 2023 1:00 p.m. )  
September 25, 2023 12:15 p.m. )  
October 9, 2023 1:00 p.m. )  
October 23, 2023 12:15 p.m. )  
November 13, 2023 1:00 p.m. )  
November 27, 2023 12:15 p.m. )  
December 11, 2023 1:00 p.m. )  
December 25, 2023(?) 12:15 p.m. TBD )  
The Hamilton County Board of Commissioners will (tentatively) meet with the )  
Hamilton County Highway Department staff at 8:30 a.m. on the following dates. )  
Meetings will be held at the Hamilton County Highway Department, 1700 S. 10th )  
Street, Noblesville, Indiana. Meeting dates and/or times are subject to change. )  
January 6, 2023 )  
February 3, 2023 )  
March 3, 2023 )  
April 6, 2023 (Thursday) )  
May 3, 2023 )  
June 2, 2023 )  
July 7, 2023 )  
August 4, 2023 )  
September 1, 2023 )  
October 6, 2023 )  
November 3, 2023 )  
December 1, 2023 )  
*/s/ Robin M. Mills* )  
Hamilton County Auditor )  
R1805 12/26/22

**2023 Hamilton County Council )  
Meeting Dates** )  
Pursuant to ICS-14-1.5-5(c) the Hamilton County Council have scheduled the )  
following meetings in 2023. Meetings are held in the Commissioners/Council )  
Courtroom in the Hamilton County Government and Judicial Center, One )  
Hamilton County Square, Noblesville, Indiana. Meeting dates and times are )  
subject to change. )  
January 4, 2023 7:00 p.m. )  
February 1, 2023 7:00 p.m. )  
March 1, 2023 7:00 p.m. )  
April 5, 2023 7:00 p.m. )  
May 3, 2023 7:00 p.m. )  
June 7, 2023 7:00 p.m. )  
July 5, 2023 7:00 p.m. )  
August 2, 2023 7:00 p.m. )  
September 5, 2023 8:30 a.m. )  
September 6, 2023 8:30 a.m. )  
September 6, 2023 5:00 p.m. )  
October 4, 2023 7:00 p.m. )  
October 16, 2023 8:30 a.m. )  
November 1, 2023 7:00 p.m. )  
December 6, 2023 7:00 p.m. )  
December 28, 2023 9:00 a.m. )  
*/s/ Robin M. Mills* )  
Hamilton County Auditor )  
R1806 12/26/22

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PublicNotices@ReadTheReporter.com** )  
R1806 12/26/22

— NOBLESVILLE —

**NOTICE OF ADOPTION OF SUPPLEMENTAL PRELIMINARY )  
DETERMINATION** )  
Notice is hereby given pursuant to Indiana Code § 6-1.1-20-3.5 that the Board )  
of Trustees (the "Board") of Hamilton East Public Library (the "Library") did on )  
December 15, 2022 make a supplemental preliminary determination regarding )  
the funding of the renovation of and improvements to Fishers Public Library, )  
including site improvements and the purchase of real estate, equipment and )  
technology (the "Project"). )  
The Board of the Library on April 23, 2020 (the "Original Hearing"), previously )  
made a preliminary determination to issue bonds for Project. The Library has )  
issued such bonds; however, the Library has determined that in order to construct )  
the Project as needed, it anticipates that it will spend cash to fund the balance of )  
the Project and therefore supplemental hearings and preliminary determination )  
was needed. No additional bonds will be issued. )  
At that Original Hearing, and as presented at the supplemental hearing, it was )  
determined that bonds would have a maximum maturity of 21 years with no one )  
bond series exceeding a maturity of 20 years, a maximum principal amount of )  
\$16,050,000 and estimated interest rates ranging from 1.30% to 4.20% resulting )  
in total estimated interest costs of \$6,166,874. )  
As required by Indiana Code § 6-1.1-20-3.5(b)(1), the following information )  
was available to the public at the public hearings on the preliminary )  
determination: (i) the Library's current and projected annual debt service )  
payments divided by the net assessed value of taxable property within the library )  
district, which is 0.033%; and (ii) the sum of the Library's outstanding long term )  
debt plus the outstanding long term debt of other taxing units that include any )  
other territory of the Library divided by the net assessed value of taxable property )  
within the Library, which is 9.66%. )  
At the time of the Original Hearing, the Library's current debt service levy was )  
\$2,293,077 and the current rate was \$0.0208. After the bonds are issued, the debt )  
service levy was projected to increase by a maximum of \$2,293,077 and the debt )  
service rate was projected to increase by a maximum of \$0.0280. However, as )  
existing obligations mature, the anticipated increase to the )  
Debt Service Fund tax rate was expected to be \$0.00. The Library reported at )  
this supplemental hearing that the issuance of bonds has actually resulted in no )  
increase to the Library's debt service tax rate, as anticipated. )  
At the time of the Originally Hearing, the estimated amount of the Library's debt )  
service levy and rate that would result during the following 10 years if the Library )  
issued the bonds, after considering any changes that will occur to the debt service )  
levy and rate during that period on account of any outstanding bonds or lease )  
obligations that will mature or terminate during that period: )  
Year Estimated Total Debt Service Levy Estimated Total Debt Service Tax Rate )  
2020 \$2,293,077 \$0.0208 )  
2021 2,293,077 0.0208 )  
2022 2,293,077 0.0208 )  
2023 2,264,267 0.0205 )  
2024 2,188,361 0.0199 )  
2025 2,190,074 0.0199 )  
2026 2,187,457 0.0198 )  
2027 2,190,265 0.0199 )  
2028 2,187,878 0.0198 )  
2029 2,188,052 0.0198 )  
2030 2,189,599 0.0199 )  
The purpose of the bonds was to provide for the Project. No additional bonds )  
will be issued to finance the Project; however, the Library anticipates spending )  
cash in the amount of approximately \$900,000 on the Project, resulting in a total )  
project cost of more than \$16,050,000. )  
If a valid petition pursuant to Indiana Code § 6-1.1-20-3.5 is received within 30 )  
days from the publication of this notice, in order for the larger Project to move )  
forward, the debt service payment must be approved in an election on a local )  
public question held under Indiana Code § 61.1-20-3.6 )  
DATED December 26, 2022. )  
*Dr. Ray Maddalone* Secretary, Board of Trustees )  
Hamilton East Public Library )  
R1797 12/26/22

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING )  
Noblesville Plan Commission )  
Noblesville, Indiana** )  
The Noblesville Plan Commission will hold a Public Hearing on Application )  
No. **LEGP 0243-2022 on Tuesday, January 17, 2023 at 6:00 PM in the City )  
Council Chambers, City Hall Building, 16 South 10th Street, Noblesville, IN )  
46060.** The application submitted by Noblesville Redevelopment Commission )  
(Owners) and Indiana Joint Replacement Institute (Applicants) is for requested )  
waivers relating to front yard building setback reduction, landscape buffer )  
reduction, location of accessory structures (trash receptacle enclosure/generator )  
enclosure) adjacent to an arterial roadway - E. 141st Street, reduction of the )  
minimum required building size and reduction of minimum parking island size, )  
all a part of the Corporate Campus Planned Development District and a part of )  
Corporate Enterprise Planned Development and located at 14065 BorgWarner )  
Drive, all within the zoning jurisdiction of the City of Noblesville, Hamilton )  
County, Indiana. )  
Written suggestions or objections relative to the applications above may be filed )  
with the Department of Planning and Development, at or before such meeting and )  
will be heard by the Noblesville Plan Commission. Interested persons desiring )  
to present their views, either in writing or verbally, will be given the opportunity )  
to be heard at the above-mentioned time and place. These hearings may be )  
continued from time to time as found necessary by the Plan Commission. )  
Copies of the proposals are on file in the Department of Planning and )  
Development located at 16 S. 10th Street for examination before the meeting )  
during business hours between 8:00 AM and 4:30 PM, Monday – Friday.





Reporter photos by Kent Graham  
(Above left) Donovan Hamilton scored 19 points for the Southeastern boys team during its game with Carroll. (Above right) Hamilton Southeastern's Riley Makalusky led all scorers with 27 points during the Royals' win over Fort Wayne Carroll last Thursday.

# Southeastern girls get big lead early, but boys fall behind in doubleheader

## The REPORTER

The Hamilton Southeastern girls basketball team ran away from Fort Wayne Carroll 58-44 last Thursday in the first game of a morning girls-boys doubleheader between the host Royals and the Chargers.

Southeastern took care of things quickly by outscoring Carroll 20-3 in the first quarter. Riley Makalusky scored eight points during that period, with Maya Makalusky adding six points. The Royals then steadily added to their lead over the next two quarters, going up 35-15 by halftime and 48-25 after three periods.

Riley Makalusky added another nine points in the second quarter and six more in the third. She finished with a game-high 27 points, while Maya Makalusky added 14 points, including two 3-pointers.

Riley Makalusky led the rebounds with seven, followed by Teegan Acres with

six and Maya Makalusky with five. Olivia Brown dished out 11 assists, while Maya Makalusky made four steals and blocked two shots.

In an earlier home game, Southeastern got a hard-fought win over Cathedral last Tuesday, 55-51 in a home game.

The Royals took an early lead, going up 15-8 after one quarter. Southeastern steadily added to that total, leading 28-20 at halftime and 45-33 after three periods. The Irish made a comeback in the fourth quarter, but the Royals were able to hold them off.

Maya Makalusky and Riley Makalusky both scored 17 points, with Riley Makalusky collecting seven rebounds and dishing out four assists. Brown had another solid game, with nine points, eight steals, seven assists and five rebounds. Kennedy Holman made two blocked shots.

Southeastern is 13-1 and will play next week at the Paul Loggan Memorial

Tournament at North Central. The Royals will take on two out-of-state teams, playing Springsboro (Ohio) on Wednesday and Henderson County (Ky.) the next day.

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Hamilton Southeastern's boys team fell to Carroll 69-46 in the second game of the doubleheader on Thursday.

The Chargers outscored the Royals in all four quarters of the game, leading 16-10 after one period and 33-19 at halftime. Southeastern did score 19 points in the third quarter, including 11 from Donovan Hamilton. He would hit two 3s during that period.

Hamilton totaled three 3s for the game and led the Royals scoring with 19 points. Braeden Totten made two triples on his way to nine points.

Southeastern is 2-4 and plays next week at the Homestead Tournament. The Royals begin play Wednesday by taking on South Bend St. Joseph at 10 a.m.

# Millers make mincemeat of Marion, Carmel & Westfield cruise to victory

## The REPORTER

The Noblesville boys basketball team bounced back from its loss of the season in impressive fashion last Tuesday, dominating Marion 83-46 at The Mill.

The Millers blasted through the first quarter, going up 28-11 on the Giants. Luke Almodovar scored 12 points in that period, hitting two 3-pointers. Hunter Walston, Cooper Bean and Preston Roberts each nailed a triple as well.

Noblesville led 45-30 at halftime, with Walston making another 3 during the second quarter. The Millers then distanced themselves further in the third period, outscoring Marion 22-9 to take a 67-39 lead into the fourth quarter. Walston drained two more triples, giving him four for the night. Noblesville added 16 more points in the fourth, with six different players contributing points.

Almodovar led the Millers parade of four double-digit scorers, pouring in 24 points. Walston totaled 18 points, followed by Roberts with 17 points and Bean with 15 points. Those 83 total points was the highest total of the season for Noblesville.



Reporter photo by Kent Graham  
Noblesville's Hunter Walston goes up for a basket during the Millers' game with Marion last Tuesday at The Mill. Walston scored 18 points in the game, including four 3-pointers.

The Millers are 4-1 and host their Holiday Tournament next week. Noblesville hosts Northridge at 4:15 p.m. Tuesday in its first game.

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Carmel took a trip to the Region last Wednesday and came home with a 46-33 win over Valparaiso.

The Greyhounds led 14-5 after one quarter, then weathered a comeback by the Vikings in the second period, to lead 20-16 at halftime. Carmel pulled away

again in the third quarter to take a 32-22 lead going into the fourth period.

Sam Orme led the Greyhounds with 15 points and nine rebounds, while Alex Couto drained three 3-pointers on his way to 13 points. Jared Bonds collected seven rebounds, with Ryan Clevenger pulling five rebounds. Carmel had 16 assists as a team; Spencer White dished out six and Clevenger handed out four.

The Hounds are 5-3 and

host Anderson next Wednesday, Dec. 28.

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Westfield cruised to a 56-20 victory over Muncie Burris last Wednesday at CSI Gymnasium.

The Shamrocks were led by Alex Romack, who scored 15 points. Max McComb added 10 points, while Will Harvey scored nine.

Westfield is 5-1 and plays its next game Tuesday, Jan. 3 at Mount Vernon.

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

- Mike Bragg, GM of Tom Wood Volkswagen in Noblesville

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