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TODAY'S WEATHER Today: Early morning rain, perhaps

mixing with, and ending with a few snow showers. Some clearing in the afternoon. Wind gusts to 35 mph. Chills in the 20s.

Tonight: Partly cloudy. Chills in the teens and single digits. **HIGH**: 39 LOW: 22



Happy 80th birthday!



Eighty years ago today, his Lairdship John Sampson arrived on the planet. Last weekend, a long list of friends, only a fraction of whom you see above, gathered to celebrate John's most recent trip around the sun and wish him well on his next. Being born on St. Patrick's Day, John is obviously the one in the green hat. See more photos on Page 5 and at ReadTheReporter.com.

Need companionship as an empty nester? Pets may be the answer

I've read that one great way to deal with the loneliness some people feel as an empty nester is to adopt a pet. My husband John and I already have that covered - we've had all kinds of pets ever since we first got together over 25 years ago.



My past columns

have described these critters, who have ranged from cats and dogs to a fish, lizard, rat, and guinea pig. We're now down to "just" three dogs and one cat.

Believe me, I didn't originally want that many animals in our house. We inherited my mom's dog, a Cairn Terrier named Rex, five years ago when he got kicked out of her facility. With my sons in college now, all four animals have truly become my babies.

Two of the dogs, Rex and our Cockapoo Terrier Loki, fall into the elderly (or, as I teasingly call them, geriatric) category. Rex has a heart issue and battles arthritis in his back legs.

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Indiana Senate congratulates Fishers "We the People" team



Photo provided

The Fishers High School We the People team members were recognized Thursday for their 2021-2022 State Championship and 2022 National Runner-Up achievements through Indiana Senate Concurrent Resolution 28, authored by Sen. Kyle Walker (R-Lawrence) and sponsored by Speaker of the House Rep. Todd Huston (R-Fishers). Students and coaches met with Rep. Huston, were introduced on the Senate floor by Sen. Walker, and met and had their picture taken with Lt. Governor Suzanne Crouch (above, center rear). "The Foundation is proud of our We the People program, our students, educators, and school communities," said Foundation President & CEO Charles Dunlap (above, far right). "Fishers High School is a model program and a great ambassador for Indiana's We the People program." Click here to learn more about the We the People program.

Advocate • Connect • Empower WYAP offers \$9K

in scholarships The REPORTER

The Westfield Youth Assistance Program (WYAP) will offer four \$1,000 scholarships and one \$5,002 scholarship to graduating seniors or adults up to 25 years old who are continuing their education. This is the first year WYAP is offering scholarships.

You can find more information at youthassistance.org/wyapscholarships.

During WYAP's 14-year history, the program has connected hundreds of youth in Westfield with mentoring, tutoring, mental health counseling, medical services, enrichment activities, and more. The scholarships highlight WYAP's emphasis on giving back to young people in Westfield and Washington Township. WYAP's long-term goal is to give local youth every advantage to be successful and grow into adults who contribute in large measure to the community.

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Gaylor Electric's Jared Foster named ABC 2023 National Craft Professional of the Year

The REPORTER

Gaylor Electric announced on Thursday that employee Jared Foster, senior general superintendent, was named Associated Builders and Contractors (ABC) 2023 Craft Professional of the Year. Foster was honored Wednesday at ABC Convention 2023 in Orlando, Fla.

ABC presents the annual Craft Professional of the Year professional who excels in their field, demonstrating a commitment to safety, workforce development and the merit shop philosophy.

"Jared Foster embodies and upholds every value that is defined in the Merit-Shop Philos-

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ophy of the Associated Builders was described as embodying and Contractors (ABC)," Gay- and upholding 'every value that lor Electric President & CEO is defined in the merit shop phi-Chuck Goodrich said. "He has losophy of ABC, proving time proven time and time again that and time again that one truly one truly dedicated and inspiraward to a construction craft ing leader can help shape the can help shape the future of the est quality of craft work - on future of the Electrical trade. electrical trade," said 2023 Na-Coming full circle, Jared continues to donate his time to the of Directors Milton Graugnard, professional ABC programs that helped shape him into the Industries LLC, Baton Rouge, high-performing merit-shop craft professional he is today."

tional Chair of the ABC Board executive vice president, Cajun Jared is a construction indus-"In his nomination, Jared try leader, excelling in total

human health, quality, innovation, and attitude. With more than 17 years of experience in the construction industry, Jared exemplifies the best of the best among his colleagues, who are building their local community stronger through the electrical trade."

In his current role at Gaylor, Foster ensures that every projdedicated and inspiring leader ect is completed with the highschedule and with safety as the highest priority. Senior general superintendents must possess leadership abilities in project controls, including safety com-La. "On and off the jobsite, pliance, schedule, materials

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The REPORTER

On recent murder mystery dinner train rides, the Big Caboose Players and the Nickel Plate Express have killed people in the 1920s and the 1980s. This June, someone dies in Hawaii and everybody gets lei'd!

The summertime luau party will definitely turn deadly. Who lives, who dies, and who dunnit?

This will be memorable train journey that's sure to keep you guessing. Get your tickets now at NickelPlateExpress. com/murder-on-the-luau-express.

Ride the rails instead of the waves as you enjoy Indiana's scenic countryside and enjoy live music in Atlanta with The Stompers. Dinner for the evening will be prepared by 9th Street Bistro.

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COMPANION

Loki has suffered from what I call "doggy dementia" over the past year. She's 15 ½, while Rex is supposedly 12, but we're not 100 percent certain about that. Our cat is the young one at age 8.

Loki now exhibits some odd behavior, such as pacing, crying and whining excessively at mealtime, and sitting in her dog bed staring at the wall. In fact, we call the last action "Loki time out" because it looks like we sent her there as some sort of punishment.

I used to be able to walk all three dogs together but started to notice that our still-lively dog, Elli (who really IS 12) was kind of dragging the others along. Now I have to walk Elli separately from Rex and Loki. So, I go from speed walking her solo to practically crawling around the block with the other two.

Last week I left Elli in the backyard and asked my son Jacob to let her back in once I had walked out the front door with Rex and Loki. I didn't want Elli to see me walking the others, because she gets upset and wonders why she's left out. Jacob, who was home from Ball State on spring break, thought it was cute that I was protecting Elli's feelings.



Photo provided by Amy Shankland Loki in her "time out" spot.

These are the crazy things you have to do with geriatric dogs in the house ... or the things I feel like I have to do. What can I say, all our animals make John and me happy and we love them to pieces.

I think they've helped keep us occupied since they boys went off to college, especially in the evenings when things quiet down and we're done working. If you're battling loneliness as an empty nester, I highly recommend a pet ... or two ... or four if you're crazy like us.

FOSTER

mentorship. He also travability to bring teams together.

During his career in conindustry experts, and clients form genuine connections. helper, Foster is now a journey-level electrician, the highest-ranking field title in the industry, all while being under the age of 40.

helping people reach their potential," Foster said. "This award means everything to the 'why' behind the work utive magazine.

management, labor projec- I do. This award represents tion and jobsite personnel the countless craft professionals who help mentor me. els the Midwest to provide My hope is to inspire a new leadership to construction generation of craft profesprojects and leans into his sionals who will take pride in working with their hands and building America."

As Craft Professionstruction, Foster has been al of the Year, Foster rerecognized by colleagues, ceived a \$10,000 cash prize. Co-sponsors of Craft Pronationwide for his ability to fessional of the Year are the National Center for Moving up the ranks from a **Construction Education** and Research, the training, assessment, certification and career development standard for the construction industry, and Tradesmen Inter-"I deeply believe in national, North America's premier craft professional staffing resource. Foster will also be profiled in the June me. It shows my daughters issue of Construction Execfrom Page 1

About Gaylor Electric

Gaylor Electric delivers on its Cornerstone of Reliable Resources, Outcomes, Insights and Genuine Care for People; dedicated to Innovation, Quality and being Measurement-Centric accountable. Gaylor Electric is comprised of multiple national production and innovation-driven locations that provide innovative industry expertise, and client-focused solutions. As the Highest Performing National Contractor of Excellence, Gaylor Electric offers design-build electrical construction, 24/7 on-demand electrical support, and utility service. Gaylor Electric's teams provide an unparalleled commitment to cultivating strong business relationships, resulting in continued client loyalty. Learn more at gaylor.com.



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

- Mike Bragg, GM of Tom Wood Volkswagen in Noblesville

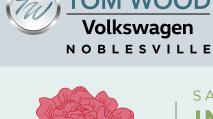
To help Hamilton County families affected by domestic violence and sexual abuse, you can donate the following items:

- Individually packaged snacks
- Lysol
- Hand sanitizer
- Disinfecting wipes

Drop off items at Tom Wood Volkswagen in Noblesville, 14701 Tom Wood Way.







TomWoodVolkswagenNoblesville.com



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Check back often for updates to the Indiana Peony Festival's weekend of events. The Indiana Peony Festival is grateful for the continued support of Tom Wood Volkswagen in Noblesville

From the desk of Hamilton Heights Superintendent Dr. Derek Arrowood

Update No. 103 Hamilton Heights is extremely fortunate to have the Hamilton Heights Educational Foundation (HHEF).

The Foundation was initially created as an opportunity

ronment by raising funds to support learning across our campus. The local visionaries who founded the organization, many of whom still live and work in the community, certainly knew it would be a worthwhile endeavor but could not have possibly known how very essential the Foundation would become in the more than three decades since it was established.

Today, the Foundation raises money to return to the classroom in the form of grants that demonstrate innovative and effective ways to meet students' needs, enhance student achievement, and increase Schools Month, which or history, the arts are a way



DR. DEREK ARROWOOD

Heights Superintendent

Last week, I was asked to be part of a TransformEd Consulting podcast on the subject of foundations and had the pleasure of being interviewed by

elevate the learning envi- This gave me the opportuni-Watch the podcast here or go to hhschuskies.org/hhef to learn more about how HHEF makes a difference in our classrooms.

I would like to give HS/HHMS), Billy a shoutout to our unified bowling team, which will nifer Kitzmiller (Choir-HHcompete at the 2023 Unified HS/HHMS), and Morgan Bowling High School State Dennhardt (Music-HHES) Tournament this weekend – a first! The combined score with life-changing and of the three teams that competed ranked them at No. 15 ences at Heights. in the state. Good luck!

celebrate the importance of music in a child's education. Our award-winning band and choir along with our robust elementary music program offer a diverse array of musical experiences in a supportive environment that fosters learning, helps build character, ca-David Johnson. maraderie, and valuable life skills. In addition, muty to share the value and im- sic education contributes pact of HHEF and pick up a to a well-rounded educafew tips from another guest. tional experience, higher achievement in school, and improved psychological wellbeing.

> Thank you to our incredible music educators, Mark Snelson (Band-HH-Cox (Band-HHHS/HHMS), Jenfor providing our students far-reaching musical experi-

March is also Youth Art This is Music In Our Month. Like math, science,

to gives us an opportunity to of knowing and understanding the world and the complexity of the human experience. Arts education builds an appreciation for the arts, and provides students with an introduction to artistic disciplines, techniques, and major movements that serves as a foundation for lifelong engagement.

> Our amazing art educators, Taylor Myers (HHHS), Erin Goodman (HHMS), Trachtman Cheri (HHES), open the door to the unlimited possibilities of creative expression at Heights.

> Through their leadership, they advocate for the power of art and its impact on student achievement. Learning how to draw. paint, mold clay, or just appreciate the works made by others can help students become happier, healthier, and better people overall. The displays of students' creativity, which can be found on the walls throughout our campus, inspire, lift, and connect us all.

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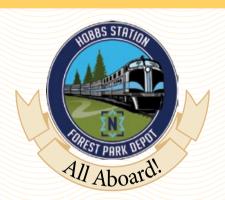
Sit back and enjoy the sights, sounds and experience of a ride in our 1950s Santa Fe equipment.

OF RAIL TRAVEL!

The Nickel Plate Express operates on 12.5 miles of the former Nickel Plate Road between Noblesville and Atlanta.

Excursions board out of Noblesville at 825 Forest Park Drive.





Easter Express

A farmer has misplaced some eggs and is

pretty sure they are somewhere on the train! Come share in a little rail adventure as you roll through the countryside to see the trees in bloom while enjoying a snack and a springtime story. Family Rides that last 65 minutes and include the train ride and on-board story, a special signature drink and cookie.

April 1, 2 & 8

NickelPlateExpress.com for Tickets

Cinco de Mayo Express

All aboard for a 2-hour train ride featuring tacos from Texy Mexy and a special tequila tasting. A limited drink menu featuring margaritas, beer and wine will be available for additional drink purchases.

May 5 at 6 p.m.

NickelPlateExpress.com for Tickets

Murder

exit the train for a buffet-service three-course dinner and music. Will there be a murder during dinner? If so, who did it? Guests will mingle and ask questions as they sleuth their way through finding out what happened.

After dinner, guests will board the train and head back towards Hobbs Station at Noblesville's Forest Park while continuing to solve the evening's mystery.

The Nickel Plate Express is partnering with your favorite local actors from Big Caboose Players to bring you this murderous adventure produced by

Special luau guests will 4th Hawk Media where you will get to ride the rails and help solve a crime.

> Prepare to immerse yourself in the intrigue as you participate in this ever-popular murder mystery.

Your ticket includes round-trip train ride from Hobbs Station to Earthly Endearments in Atlanta. **Dinner Menu**

Kālua Pork: slow-

- cooked shredded pork topped with sesame seeds
- Huli Huli Chicken: Hawaiian-Style barbecued chicken, marinated, grilled

- Coconut-Braised Greens
- Pineapple Slaw: shredded green & purple cabbage, pineapple & ginger in a creamy dressing topped with black sesame seeds
- Hawaiian Mac Salad: It's a dinner you won't for- elbow macaroni, carrots, scallion & hard-boiled egg mixed in a creamy dressing
 - Pineapple upside-down
 - Dinner includes two drink tickets with both alcoholic and non-alcoholic options available.

Dress Code

Guests are encouraged to dress for a luau party. Have fun with it! A prize will be awarded to the best

outfit of the night. You will be disappointed if you don't dress the part.

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Seating Options

 Diamond Seating on the Duke Dining Car: The dining car offers social, 4-top booth seating. Individual tickets are sold as part of a 4-top. Taller or larger passengers should purchase tickets in the platinum seating for maximum comfort. Ages 21 and over.

• Platinum Seating of private 4-top tables on The Reporter Lounge Car: Offers social, four-top table and chair seating. These offer a better choice for taller and larger passengers.

SCHOLARSHIPS

ing and planning, we are now in a position to offer \$4,000 in scholarships to youth who have participated in our program that want to further their education," WYAP President Steve Latour said, "and out of the tragedy of losing such a remarkable woman, Christine Brown, our program is also able to offer an additional \$5,002 scholarship annually as recognition of her commitment to the youth in our community. While I would prefer for our friend to still be with us, the opportunity to significantly support youth over her 10 years with Westfield youth with such a substantial scholarship is a fantastic tribute to her and a compliment to her legacy. It This annual scholarship will is determined to make the

"After years of fundrais- was important to Christine's ensure that her legacy con- climb and sees that furtherthat the award be substanmaking her proud."

> WYAP Early Intervention Advocate Christine Brown, who passed away in August 2022, her family, the WYAP board of directors, and generous donors have established the Christine D. **Brown Memorial Scholar**ship with one \$5,002 scholarship.

WYAP and touched countless lives in the Westfield This scholarship will be community and beyond. awarded to a student who

family, our board, and the tinues and is funded partly donors who contributed to by the annual Yellow Tie the scholarship in her name Gala proceeds. The scholarship is open to all current tial. I am certain we are and former graduates aged 25 and under who attend-In honor of former ed Westfield Washington Schools or resided in the township.

The second application offers up to four \$1,000 scholarships and is available to current or past participants of WYAP. WYAP looks to support those youth who won't be defined by things that have happened Brown worked with 502 in their lives and who know who they are and how they want to impact the world.

ing their education will better their future.

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Individuals are welcome to apply for both scholarship opportunities if they feel they qualify; however, they are only eligible to receive one of the scholarships.

The application deadline for both scholarships is Saturday, April 15. Recipients will be notified by May 1 and invited to attend the WYAP Youth Recognition Breakfast from 7 to 9 a.m. on Wednesday, May 10, at IMMI, where the scholarship recipients will be announced and awarded.

Learn more about the Westfield Youth Assistance Program at vouthassistance.org/westfield.

*APY is Annual Percentage Yield. APY is effective as of 3/16 /2023 and is subject to change without notice. Minimum balance to open account and obtain APY is \$1,000.00. Early withdrawal may be subject to penalty. Fees may reduce earnings on the account. Other standard and special rate maturity terms are available. **CFBindiana.com/cd-ira-rates**





Saturday, March 25 1-4 PM

Taylor Center of Natural History at Strawtown Koteewi Park

Hamilton County Parks and Recreation is partnering with the Miami Tribe of Oklahoma for a day of learning about Indiana's First Farmers. Enjoy these educational and entertaining activities:

- Visit with members of the Miami Tribe of Oklahoma to discuss historic gardens, planting corn, and other farming practices
- Talk with a paleoethnobotanist to learn how plant remains are recovered on archaeological sites

 View demonstrations on processing Chenopodium and other previously domesticated plants

 Observe clay pot cooking and learn about the technology involved in making clay cooking vessels

*Pre-registration preferred at MyHamiltonCountyParks.com

Taylor Center of Natural History 12308 Strawtown Ave, Noblesville, IN 46060 (317) 774-2574



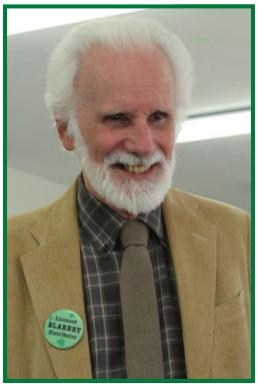
For a list of events visit hamcoturns 200.com



Only 20 more years to the Century Club

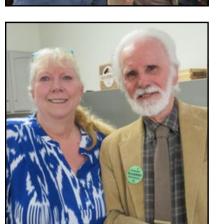
It takes more than the luck of the Irish to make it to 80 while still seeming spry. Maybe John Sampson's title of Scottish Laird helped make him stubborn enough. Either way, The Reporter hopes you have the happiest of all possible birthdays! Here are few photos from your pre-birthday bash. (Editor's note: In years past John's friends used to take him out to dinner for occasions like this, but with this many friends and loved ones, we've long since exceeded the capacity of any restaurant.) Photos by Bill Miller.







































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Registration open for County GOP Lincoln Day Dinner Westfield Foodies take home state-level awards

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County Republican Party's Lincoln Day Dinner are selling fast. In just 10 days, over 600 tickets have been sold. Register today to make sure Doden. you don't miss out.

April 10 at Embassy Suites Conference Center, 13700 Conference Center Drive about the Lincoln Day Din-South, Noblesville. The guest speaker will be Congressman Jim Jordan of Ohio, who is the Chairman of the House Judiciary Committee. Indiana's three **countygop.org**.

Republican gubernatorial The REPORTER Tickets for the Hamilton candidates will be in atten-Mike Braun, Lt. Governor Wayne businessman Eric

The VIP Reception be-The Lincoln Day Dingins at 5 p.m. and dinner bener will be on Monday, gins at 6:30 p.m. Click here events that represented all to register.

For more information ner, or if you would like to sponsor, contact the Hamilton County Republican Party at (317) 849-9600 or email hcrp@hamilton-

The Westfield High dance as well: U.S. Senator School and Westfield Middle School Family, Career Suzanne Crouch, and Fort and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA) chapters had a great showing at the FCCLA State Conference.

> Students competed in 17 subject areas within family and consumer sciences, from interior design to early childhood education to culinary arts. The ProStart Culinary teams ranked in the Top 3 in all three categories (culinary, baking, management) and was the only high school in the state to make the stage for all three events.

> · Gold medal and placing third in Culinary Arts: Natalia Gaffney, Lila



Photo provided by Westfield Washington Schools

Many students won awards of various degrees at the FCCLA State Conference.

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COMMON GOOD

James, Ellie Hoffman, Olivia Jones, and Luke Sullivan

· Luke Sullivan won a special award for student with overall Best Knife Skills for the competition.

 Gold Medal and placing second place in Baking and Pastry, and a National Qualifier: Jada

· Gold Medal and placing second in Hospitality Management: Helena Michael and Ellie Veith

· Gold medal and National Qualifiers in Hospitality, Tourism and Recreation, and National Qualifiers: Katie Peddycord and Lucas Bornman

 Gold Medal and National Qualifier in Nutrition and Dietetics: Alana Raymond

· Gold Medal in Focus on Chil-

dren: Daniella Solares Silver Medal and National Qualifiers in Event Management: Olivia Jones and Ellie Veith

 Silver Medal and Alternate Nationals Qualifier in Sustainability: Kaylee Bowers

· Silver Medal and Alternate National Qualifier in Repurpose and Redesign: Margi Foland

· Silver Medal in Baking and Pastry: Hayden Netral · Silver Medal in Baking and

Pastry: Abbigail Pahls · Silver Medal in Food Innovations: MJ Mercer and Alex Quiroz

· Bronze Medal in Interior Design: Jayden Belyew

Need a caterer for your event?

FCCLA Foodies Rock is a fully functioning foodservice operation that student-centered and fostered through the Westfield High School Culinary Arts program.

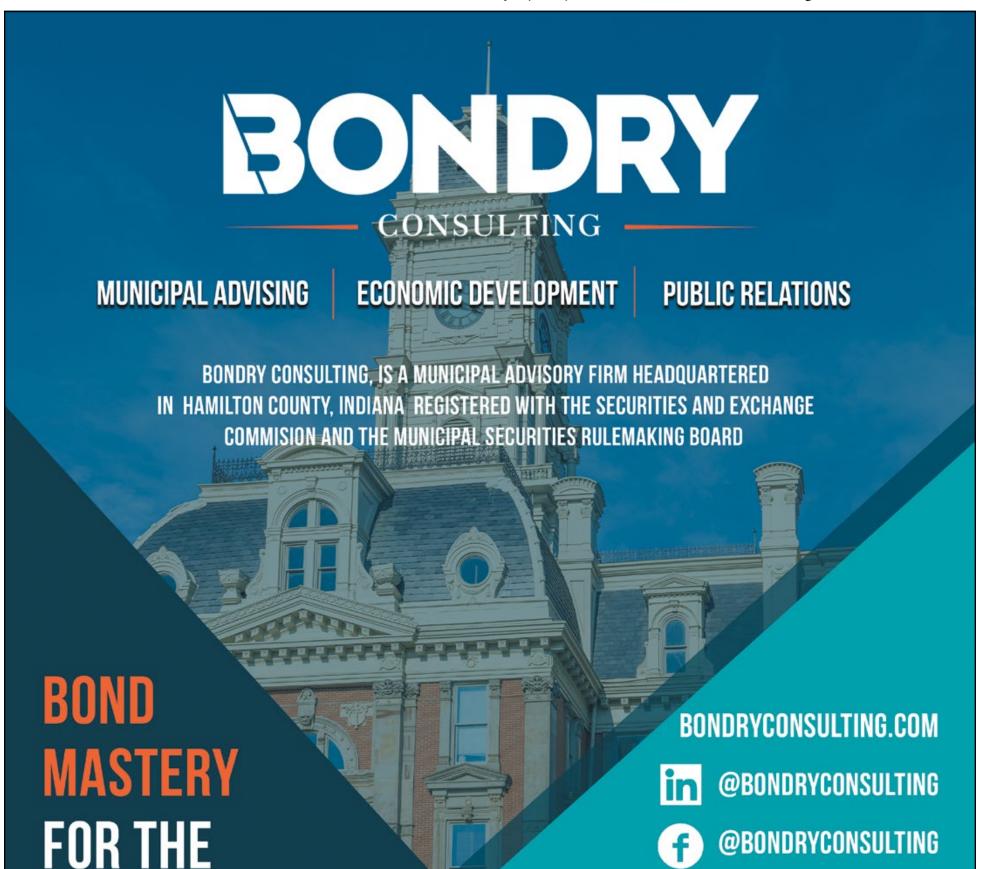
Members are highly trained in customer service, hospitality, culinary techniques, food safety and sanitation. Foodies Rock holds a Food Permit by the Hamilton County Board of Health. Advisors Nikki Heflin and Bryan Ferreira are ServSafe Manager certified and will follow the National Restaurant Association's Guidelines for

food preparation. Chef Heflin and Chef Ferreira each have over 20 years of industry experience, and they love guiding email their students in making wws.k12.in.us.



Photo provided by WWS Nikki Heflin received the Spirit of Advising award and will be recognized at the **FCCLA National Leadership** Conference on behalf of Indiana FCCLA and Westfield High School.

both the optics and cuisine for your event out of this world. Inquire with Chef Heflin about booking by calling (317) 701-4440 or whsfoodiesrock@



Carmel artist's mosaics to be installed on high-tech Civic Square parking garage

Submitted by **City of Carmel**

Carmel's new Civic Square parking garage is not only one of the most hightech parking garages in Indiana, but it will also be one of the most beautiful after a local artist installs mosaic murals on the exterior walls.

The garage is located on Veterans Way, just west of Range Line Road near the Old Spaghetti Factory. The murals will be visible to motorists, bicyclists, and pedestrians making their way through the area.

The larger-than-life mosaics are scheduled to be installed next week, weather permitting. The artist, Nancy Keating, titled this new design "Cosmic Flow" to represent the "infinite flow

of energy in the universe." Rivers of bold color waves undulate through contrasting black space while luminescent white orbs appear to float in the shimmering black. The mosaic was created with

a combination of mirror, residential installations. Her glass tiles and opaque art sheet glass.

Keating

The mosaic is the latest addition of public art that permeates Civic Square, City Center, Midtown, and the Arts & Design District - the primary entertainment districts that make up Carmel's vibrant central corridor.

mosaic, is so important to a city's quality of life, not simply because it is nice to beautiful exterior of this sumption in the garage, and look at, but because it provides an opportunity for its high-tech features. The our residents and visitors to Civic Square Garage adds integrated LED



Renderings provided by City of Carmel

experience unique and inspiring art on a daily basis," Mayor Jim Brainard said.

A professional artist, Keating works in her Carmel art studio and has created countless mosaic works of art, private commissions, public works of art, community mosaics and architectural

artwork can be found all around Carmel and at juried art exhibitions, shows, galleries, and on her website. Some of you may have worked with Keating on one of the Chip-in-Mosaics set up annually as part of the city's Meet Me on Main gallery walk activities. These Chip-in-Mosaics are cur-"Public art, like this new rently displayed in the Sophia Square breezeways.

> Complimenting new parking garage are security cameras.



303 more parking spaces and a covered public bike storage and service area to Carmel's walkable central core. It is the most technologically advanced garage the Carmel Redevelopment Commission has ever built. It includes public electric vehicle charging stations, a solar canopy interconnectthe ed to offset the power con-

"The garage features

and camera technology that shows drivers where spots are open and exterior signage that indicates the number of available spots," said Henry Mestetsky, Director of the Carmel Redevelopment Commission. "Also, we are working on a public-private partnership with a Carmel-based developer to wrap the north and west side of this garage with for-sale condo units to further integrate it into the surrounding lighting urban neighborhood."



ICPYAS to welcome Sherrie Allsup to 'Rise Up For Kids' Breakfast in Carmel

The REPORTER

welcome Sherrie Allsup as the keynote speaker for the Rise Up For Kids Breakfast. Allsup is a childhood sexual abuse survivor and founder of Courage Starts With You.

St., Carmel.

Allsup The breakfast will take place from 7:30 to Eventbrite. While there is Charles, 12156 N. Meridian tration is required.

have Sherrie joining us this year," said Maggie Owens, Director of Education and Community Relations at ICPYAS. "She is coming to us from Corpus Christi, Texas, and I think everyone is excited to hear her story of hope."

ICPYAS invites everyone to this educational breakfast. This event supports the organization's youth abuse and suicide programs in central Indiana, as well as provide an opportunity to network and hear more about how ICPYAS' programs impact the community.

'We have our breakfast annually in April because it is Child Abuse Prevention Awareness month," Owens

said, "and by educating oth-The Indiana Center for ers on prevention education Prevention of Youth Abuse and the positive outcomes it and Suicide (ICPYAS) will has on a community is so rewarding.'

> Are you Interested in attending this free breakfast or sponsoring the event? Contact Maggie Owens at maggie@indianaprevention. You can also click here to register on

9 a.m. on April 27 at the Ritz no cost to attend, but regis-

For more information on "We are thrilled to ICPYAS, visit IndianaPrevention.org.

About Indiana Center for Prevention of Youth Abuse and Suicide

Founded in ICPYAS works passionately to end youth abuse and suicide through educational programs. With almost two decades of experience, ICPYAS provides evidence-based programming to educate youth and adults, empowering them to recognize, react and locate the appropriate resources available for help. ICPYAS offers five comprehensive programs that support the organization's mission while actively working towards a day when there will be no more abuse or suicide in the lives of Hoosier children.







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- IRS questions

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Noblesville OK's plan to establish Advisory Council on Disabilities

The REPORTER

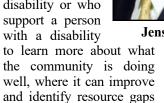
Mayor Chris Jensen council will be presented a resolution at Wednesday night's Common Council meeting establishing the City of Noblesville Advisory Council residents on Disabilities.

The advisory council's aim is to increase overall community awareness of challenges faced by persons with disabilities and opportunities for support by more effectively mobilizing persons and institutions who are involved with education, outreach, support, and advocacy on behalf of persons with disabilities.

"When we look at census data for Noblesville, we see that we have around 8 percent of our residents that have one or more disabilities," Mayor Jensen said. "We saw a need to increase overall community awareness of challenges faced by persons with disabilities and opportunities for support."

for the advisory scheduling listening sessions with nonprofit organizations and area who are living with a disability or who support a person with a disability

Jensen



and considerations. ating a dedicated entity to disabilities," mobilize the community Council President Aaron around our mission, we Smith said. "We are happy envision a more inclusive, to be working together so supportive, and vibrant fu- that everyone in Noblesture in our city."

The advisory council thrive." will develop a website to and community event in-An initial area of focus vices, Same As U, Noble of cus and collaboration.

Indiana, and other organizations, as well as accessibility in relation community facilities and autism awareness training by first responders.

"The Noblesville Common

to learn more about what Council is pleased to partthe community is doing ner with the administration well, where it can improve and community stakeholders to accommodate, lift up, and promote the en-Jensen added, "By cre- gagement of persons with Common ville has the opportunity to

Further, the advisory provide resources, referral, council will explore development of an Ally Toolkit formation of relevance. The using best practices and macouncil will also highlight terial implemented in other ongoing efforts and initia- communities. The council tives within the city through will work to develop plans Janus Developmental Ser- for longer term areas of fo-

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Fishers man arrested for possession of child pornography

By JAY ADKINS

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for seven counts of possession of child pornography on Wednesday.

Nathaniel Cornelius, 40, was investigated by the Hamilton County Metro Child Exploitation Task Force. The task force focuses on internet crimes against children Thursday at the Hamilton County and investigates child exploita- Jail.

tion cases in Hamilton, Hancock, Madison, and Tipton counties.

Investigators received a tip A Fishers man was arrested from the National Center for Missing and Exploited Children. Evidence was collected from Cornelius' home and child sex abuse material was located on his computer.

Cornelius was being held



Cornelius



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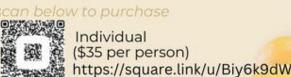
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Westfield Winter Market returns this Saturday

Submitted by **Westfield Chamber** of Commerce

The Winter Market of takes place from 9 a.m. to noon every Saturday through April 1 at West Fork Whiskey, 10 E. 191st St., Westfield.

Stop by for baked treats, meat, fresh eggs, cheese, dog treats, honey, jams, fresh flowers, handcrafted items and so much more. The market is free and open to the public.

Vendor news

Revolt CBD introduces its brand-new whole bean coffee with introductory pricing for one time or a subscription. When it comes to making coffee at home, fresh whole beans are a must. Whole beans yield far more flavorful, fresher, and more aromatic coffee than anything made with grounds from a bag.

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Meeting Notice

The Atlanta Plan Commission will meet at 5 p.m. on Monday, April 10, 2023, at the Atlanta Town Hall, 105 E. Main St., Atlanta

Send Meeting Notices to: Notices@ ReadTheReporter.com

ARCADIA •

The Arcadia Town Council will met in an Executive Session on Monday, March 20, 2023 at 6:30 p.m. located at the Arcadia Town Hall 208 W. Main Street Arcadia, In 46030 to discuss (IC5-14-1.5-6.1(b)(9) a job performance evaluation of individual employees. This subdivision does not apply to a discussion of the salary, compensation, or benefits of employees during a budget process Fiscal Officer: Rhonda Gary



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Hamilton Heights Indoor Percussion competing at state prelims Saturday

Submitted

Last weekend, the Hamilton Heights Indoor Percussion unit traveled to Pendleton Heights High School.

In only the unit's second season of existence, the students were promoted to the next level of competition. These kids have been performing at a high level, winning Regional A shows and setting themselves up to win the class. However, they were demonstrating skill sets beyond their class (musically, visually, and conceptually), and therefore were promoted to PSA class.

This is quite the accomplishment, given that the unit's most veteran members have played for only two

with student members who have four years of experience plus years of tradition - not to mention groups who train to march and play during their fall competitive marching seasons.

This Saturday, Heights Indoor Percussion will perform at 12:57 p.m. the I.P.A. State Prelims Contest at Avon High School.

Anyone interested is invited to attend and support the group at this Saturday's competition. There are 21 PSA groups, and the top groups advance to the I.P.A. State Finals competition on Saturday, April 1 in Terre Haute at the Hulman Center at Indiana State University.

Information provided by seasons versus other groups Band Director Mark Snelson.

Business Cards





Reimagine Pleasant Street project detour map released



Graphic provided by American Structurepoint / City of Noblesville As part of the Reimagine Pleasant Street project, a detour route was designed to remain consistent during the various road closures. The official detour route can be used during the entirety of the closure, which is anticipated to last throughout the 2023 construction season. Sixth Street between Vine Street and north of Walnut Street will be closed permanently to through traffic on or after Friday, March 17. Click here to stay up to date on the Reimagine Pleasant Street project.

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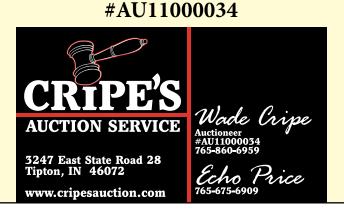
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96th Street under Interstate 465 closed overnight Monday

By DAJA STOWE

WISH-TV | wishtv.com

Motorists will need to search for an alternate route traveling on 96th Street under Interstate 465 due to an overnight closure for bridge work, the Indiana Depart-

der I-465 for milling. Once completed, crews will begin resurfacing Tuesday from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Robison Road access starting Monday night when will be maintained from the west. Hoosier Village Drive access will be maintained from the east.

INDOT encourages ment of Transportation says. drivers to be extremely cau-From 11 p.m. Monday tious and consider worker to 6 a.m. Tuesday, crews safety by driving slowly in will close 96th Street un- and around all work zones.

Obituary -

Muriel Lynn Wilson October 23, 1949 - March 12, 2023

Muriel Lynn Wilson, 73, Cicero, passed away on March



12, 2023, at Harbour Manor Living in Noblesville. She was born October 23, 1949, in Benton Harbor, Mich., to Phillip and Carol (Bujack) Hopkins.

She attended school at Andrews Academy in Berrien Springs, Mich., then furthered her education at Andrews University where she earned her Registered Nursing Degree. A few years later she became a Nurse Prac-

titioner. In that capacity she accepted a position with the Barry-Easton County Health Department as their Women's Health Nurse Practitioner.

Muriel also believed in holistic health care where she could make a difference in people's lives. She enjoyed walking and hiking and just being outdoors. She also enjoyed playing the piano, reading, studying her Bible, and sharing her faith.

She married James Robert Wilson on October 15, 1972, and they were blessed with three children, Katrina Wright-Rayhill of Sturgis, Mich., Cherry Bayley of St. Joseph, Mich., and Lisa Barnwell of Mackinac, Island, Mich.; brothers, Jim Hopkins and Mike Hopkins; sisters, Holly Roy and Linda Vanveldhuizen; and four grandchildren, Gavin, Carter, Seth, and Chance.

She was preceded in death by her parents.

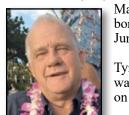
Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. on Sunday, March 26, 2023, at Cicero Seventh Day Adventist Church, 24445 State Road 19, Cicero. Memorial contributions may be made to Adventist Foreign Missions, P.O. Box 286, Berrien Springs, MI 49103.

Hartley Funeral Home is entrusted with Mrs. Wilson's care. You may send condolences at hartleyfuneralhomes.com.

Thanks for reading!

Steve Fox

April 3, 1957 – March 14, 2023



Steve Fox, 65, Noblesville, passed away on Tuesday, March 14, 2023, at his home. He was born on April 3, 1957, to Kenneth and June (Bowen) Fox in Atlanta, Ind.

> Steve was born in 1957 to June Fox Tyner and the late Kenneth Fox. Steve was one of seven children, growing up on the family farm in Atlanta.

Steve met the love of his life Ronda and married her in 1975 in Arcadia. They were blessed with a daughter,

Angela (Orton), the next year. Steve did factory work and also worked at Agratech Seed Corn and Pioneer Hybrid. In 2001, he started his own business, Fox's Carpentry and Woodworking, and enjoyed success as a sought-after handyman. In later years Steve worked as a manager at Northwind Electrical until his retirement in 2019. In his spare time, Steve could be found in the garage tinkering on his latest projects or fixing his truck (again).

Steve was most proud as a dad and grandfather. Better known as Pap, he could be seen on the sidelines of soccer gamers or helping around the house. Pap never learned to say no to his grandkids and loved every moment spent with them. Steve and Ronda loved their time with family at their cabin near Patoka Lake, with countless hours spent on the water and exploring southern Indiana with and without the kids and grandkids. During Angela's illness Steve was there every day with loving support.

Steve was loved by everyone he encountered and would give you the shirt off his back if you asked. Memories will be cherished by friends and family, of whom Steve was fiercely loyal.

He is survived by his wife, Ronda (Thatcher) Fox; son, Bryan Orton and grandchildren, Evan and Ellie of Fishers; mother, June Fox-Tyner; brothers, Ken Fox and Gary Fox; sisters, Donnetta (Terry) Williams, Joann Fox, and Cindy Brunes; mother-in-law, Aggie Thatcher; sisters-in-law, Neila Teal and Carolyn Friend; and several nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his daughter, Angela Anne Orton; and father, Kenneth Fox. A celebration of life will be held from noon to 3 p.m.

on Saturday, March 25, 2023, at the Hampton Inn, 11575 Commercial Drive, Fishers.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Hamilton County 4-H, 2003 Pleasant St., Noblesville, IN 46060; or Colorectal Cancer Alliance, 1025 Vermont Ave. NW, Suite 1066, Washington, DC 20005 (ccalliance.org). Condolences: randallroberts.com

Thanks for reading!

TODAY'S BIBLE READING

Then I saw a second beast, coming out of the earth. It had two horns like a lamb, but it spoke like a dragon. It exercised all the authority of the first beast on its behalf, and made the earth and its inhabitants worship the first beast, whose fatal wound had been healed. And it performed great signs, even causing fire to come down from heaven to the earth in full view of the people. Because of the signs it was given power to perform on behalf of the first beast, it deceived the inhabitants of the earth. It ordered them to set up an image in honor of the beast who was wounded by the sword and yet lived.

Revelation 13:11-14 (NIV)

Bobby Morelock May 14, 1974 - March 7, 2023

Bobby Morelock, 48, Noblesville, passed away on Tuesday, March 7, 2023, at Communi-

ty Hospital North in Indianapolis. He was born on May 14, 1974, to the late Roger and Barbara (Wright) Morelock in Noblesville.

Bobby was a member of the Eagles and Sons of the American Legion. He loved being on the river, fishing, boating, and kayaking. Bobby is survived by his beloved

dog and companion, Gracie; his brother, Chip Morelock (Amy Nicholson); along with several other family, close friends, and acquaintances.

Visitation will be from 4 to 7 p.m. on Thursday, March 16, 2023, at Randall & Roberts Funeral Center, 1685 Westfield Road, Noblesville.

Memorial contributions may be made to Stepping Stones Behavior Solutions LLC, 7405 Westfield Blvd., Indianapolis, IN 46205.

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Mary Louise Petruzelli-Gal September 2, 1939 - March 10, 2023

Mary Louise Petruzelli-Gal, 83, Carmel, passed away on March 10, 2023, at Hooverwood



Living in Indianapolis. She was born on September 2, 1939, in Gary, Ind., to James Patrick and Lillian Bernice (Moore) Muldoon. Her young years were lived in Gary

with her parents. She attended Gary schools and graduated from Edison High School in East Gary, Ind., with the Class of 1957. She had worked as a bookkeeper for various companies.

Mary was an active member of the Cicero Seventh Day Adventist Church where she served as a greeter and also enjoyed working at the Church's thrift retail store. She loved to read, study the Bible, and share her faith with others.

Mary loved her family and friends and always wanted to host a gathering. She made sure everyone felt welcome. Her family described her as the sweetest, kindest, caring person and was always there to help them. She took pride in the smallest items and made everything special! She encouraged her family to dream and work to achieve their dreams.

She married Alexander Dennis Gal on February 21, 1998. He preceded her in death January 31, 2022. In addition to her husband, she was also preceded in death by her parents and a brother; William Lee Muldoon.

Surviving her is a son, Mark Anthony Petruzelli of Peach Tree, Ga.; daughter, Deanna Louise Petruzelli of Carmel; sister, Patti Roman of Ocala, Fla.; and brother, James E. Muldoon of Ormond Beach, Fla.; plus five grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held at 6 p.m. on March 20, 2023, at Cicero Seventh Day Adventist Church, 24445 State Road 19, Cicero, with visitation from 4 p.m. until time of the services. Burial will take place at a later date at Marion National Cemetery.

Hartley Funeral Home Cicero Chapel is entrusted with Mrs. Petruzelli-Gal's services. You may send condolences at hartleyfuneralhomes.com.





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Guerin cracks semi-state ceiling

Golden Eagles & Hornets face off Saturday leading into semi-state championship

By RICHIE HALL

sports@readthereporter.com

On Saturday morning, the Guerin Catholic boys basketball team will head south to Seymour for a date with the defending Class 3A state champions.

The two teams will play in the second semi-final game of the Seymour semi-state. The Golden Eagles and Hornets face off at around noon, following the first semi between Scottsburg and North Daviess. That game tips off at 10 a.m. The two semi-final winners advance to the championship, to be played at 8 p.m., with a trip to the state finals on the line.

Guerin Catholic has gotten to play in the Seymour gym a few times over the years. The Golden Eagles won a semi-state title there in 2012, and played in the semi-state game in 2021. Guerin Catholic coach Bobby Allen spoke with the Reporter on Thursday, having just arrived home after a practice session at Seymour.

"It was really cool," said Allen. "Jack Cherry is the one player who was a starter on that team two years ago as a freshman who played at the gym. Everyone's eyes opened a little bit with how big that gym is. It's pretty yourself."

> **Sectional streak** Beech Grove is having adds 10.1 points.

a nice post-season run over 2022, beating Mishawaka to work," he said. Marian last season for its state title.

rienced team," said Allen. Alexander also hands out "They're the returning 4.2 assists per contest, folstate champions and they lowed by Tate with 3.4. got a lot of guys back from that group. They want to for the season. The Golden play at a fast place, and Eagles defeated two fellow they want to try to get easy buckets off your turnovers, and they are all 3-point tridge sectional, beating threats. They are a danger- Brebeuf Jesuit 58-45 and ous team."

This season, the Hornets come into the semistate record with a 17-6 record. Beech Grove started its post-season by triumphing at the Christel House Danville. Manual sectional, cruising past Speedway 71-50 in its is the Golden Eagles' leadfirst game, then edging out ing scorer at 14.5 points Cardinal Ritter 51-50 in the per game, and is also on championship. The Hor- top of the rebounds list at nets won the Regional 14 4.6. Senior Kamea Chantitle at Lebanon by defeat- dler adds 11.4 points ing Indian Creek 65-56.

players averaging double figures in scoring. Senior Jeremiah Alexander puts in 12.7 points per game, with senior Jeremiah Tate just sophomore Bryson Cardicool being in that place by a fraction behind at 12.6 points per game. Another senior, Jaleel Edwards, best to control the tempo,"

"They have five or six the past three years. The different players that could Hornets have won five congo for 20 on any night," secutive sectional champi- said Allen. The coach said onships, a streak dating BG is well-balanced and back to 2018. Beech Grove committee to its style of then went all the way in play. "Their style is proven

Senior Cam Brown is first ever boys basketball the Hornets' top rebounder with 4.6 per game, fol-"They are a very expellowed by Alexander at 4.0.

Guerin Catholic is 18-8 Circle City Conference schools to win the Shor-Bishop Chatard 53-41, in both cases avenging regular-season losses. Guerin Catholic then won the Regional 13 title at Lebanon with a 66-52 victory over

Junior Robert Sorensen and 3.4 assists per game. Beech Grove has three Cherry is the leading assister with 3.9 per contest. Senior Ty Sanders helps out with 3.9 rebounds per game, followed closely by nal with 3.8.

> "We're going to do our said Allen. "We feel that if

Kent Graham / File photo

Guerin Catholic's Robert Sorensen is the leading scorer and rebounder for the Golden Eagles, who travel to Seymour on Saturday to take on Beech Grove in the semi-finals of the Class 3A south semi-state.

we can limit our turnovers, now, so we feel good about the last couple weeks, we

we feel like we're going to our game plan. We have to feel like we'll have an opget open shots. We're play- show up and execute. If our portunity to put ourselves ing with confidence right guard play is what it's been in a position to win."

Three county football players selected for 57th Murat Shrine All Star Classic

The REPORTER

Three football players with Hamilton County connections have been selected to play in the 57th annual Murat Shrine North/South Football All Star Classic.

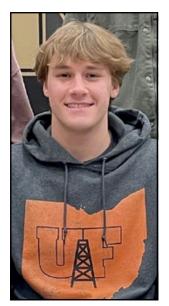
The game takes place on July 14 at Decatur Central High School and is the culmination of the Indiana ation's All-Star week. All three local players will play for the South team.

Hamilton Southeastern cornerback Peyton Daniels and Noblesville outside linebacker Trey Speek will play on defense. Daniels helped the Royals to a regional championship and an be found at this link.

undefeated Hoosier Crossroads Conference season, while Speek was part of a Millers squad that reached the sectional championship game. Daniels has committed to play football at Butler University, while Speek is committed to the University of Findlay.

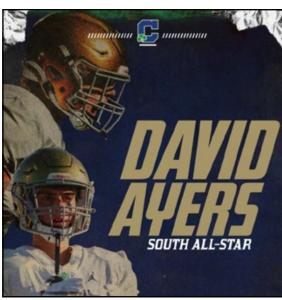
Cathedral wide receiver Football Coaches Associ- David Ayers will play on offense for the South team. Ayers, a Fishers resident, was part of the Irish's Class 6A regional championship team. He is committed to Butler University on a baseball scholarship.

Information about the IFCA's All-Star Week can



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Noblesville outside linebacker Trey Speek (left) and Hamilton Southeastern cornerback Peyton Daniels (center) will play on defense. Cathedral wide receiver David Ayers will play on offense.













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Panthers pounce Millers in three matches Wednesday

The REPORTER

The Noblesville volleyball team hosted North Central on Wednesday, but the Panthers swept the Millers in all three matches.

Noblesville's varsity team lost 25-19, 25-22, 25-14 in a hard-fought match. Senior Dylan Blackwell led the team with five kills, four service points (including three aces), and six digs,

Barrow had two blocks.

In the junior varsity matches, Noblesville JV 24-25, 25-23, 15-7. Soph- a loss to North Central, 15omore Brian Bzdyl led the 25, 25-10, 15-10. Setter Eli-

queda added eight service had four service aces and points and six digs. Senior nine service points overall, Koy Hendrich contributed as well as three kills and one four kills and senior Ethan block. Sophomore setter Ben Sandahl had 10 assists, two blocks, and three points.

The Millers' JV Gold Black also fell in three sets. team opened its season with team with six kills, three jah Reynolds led the team a tournament at Hamilton

while sophomore Gael Es- points, while Anas Sakkah including a run of eight consecutive points to close the first set, while Eli Chevillet and Eli McNamara each posted five points.

> All three teams will be back in action on Saturday, with the varsity and JV Black teams hosting the Miller Classic in The Mill, while JV Gold will play in Southeastern.

blocks, and two service with nine service points, MORE ACTION. MORE RACING. MORE ACCESS. ON SALE NOW! Illustration provided

Indianapolis 500 pole winner Carpenter unveils 2023 Bronze Badge

The REPORTER

NTT INDYCAR SE-RIES owner-driver and three-time Indianapolis 500 pole winner Ed Carpenter unveiled the design of the 2023 Bronze Badge on March 16 at Stout Field in Indianapolis, the Joint Forces Headquarters of the Indiana National Guard.

The Indianapolis 500 is steeped in military traditions, from the playing of "Taps" and singing of the national anthem to the signature flyover as part of the pre-race ceremonies. The 107th Indianapolis 500 presented by Gainbridge is Bronze Badge, which allows scheduled for Sunday, May 28 at Indianapolis Motor Speedway.

This year's Bronze Badge design features the historic Pagoda during the flyover, which has been performed by the United States Air Force Thunderbirds in recent years. In addition to celebrating an epic Race Day tradition, the badge honors the 110th anniversary of the Pagoda.

Click here to see more about the Bronze Badge.

"The Bronze Badge, which has represented pit and garage access at Indianapolis Motor Speedway for decades, is one of the most treasured keepsakes for our fans," IMS President J. Douglas Boles said. "The '500' doesn't happen without the men and women who serve our country and keep us free, and we honor

design."

badges were used from the inaugural Indianapolis 500 in 1911 through 1937, assigned only to event participants. Beginning in 1938, more durable metal badges were used before IMS Bronze Badges made their debut in 1947 and were initially sold to the general public in the early 1990s, immediately becoming a coveted motorsports collectible.

Fans can purchase a them access to Gasoline Alley on selected dates during the Month of May. Bronze Badges will be honored for gate admission and garage access May 12, May 16-22 and May 26-27 during public gate hours and as directed by IMS personnel (Race Day tickets are required on May 13 for the GMR Grand Prix and May 28 for the Indianapolis 500 presented by Gainbridge).

Bronze Badges can be purchased at IMS.com/ **BronzeBadge** for \$150 each through March 31. The price increases to \$160 on April 1, so order today while supplies last. Each Bronze Badge holder must be 18 or older and is required to sign a release.

A limited number of Silver Badges also are available for \$500 each. Silver Badges add pit lane access

their service by featuring to the same perks as the tional \$1,000. the flyover on this year's Bronze Badge. Pre-race (cold) pit passes for GMR Cardboard or laminate Grand Prix and Indianapolis 500 Race Day can be added

SPORTS SCHEDULE

Friday, March 17 BOYS LACROSSE

Park Tudor at Westfield, 6 p.m. Hamilton Southeastern at Cincinnati St. Xavier, TBA

Saturday, March 18

BOYS BASKETBALL Semi-state at Seymour

Scottsburg vs. North Daviess, 10 a.m. Guerin Catholic vs. Beech Grove, noon Championship, 8 p.m.

BOYS LACROSSE

Brebeuf Jesuit at Carmel, 11 a.m. Kettle Moraine (Wis.) at Westfield, 11 a.m. St. Rita at Guerin Catholic, 1 p.m. Kettle Moraine (Wis.) at Carmel, 3 p.m. Crown Point at Fishers, 6 p.m.

Hamilton Southeastern at Cincinnati Moeller, TBA **GIRLS LACROSSE**

Carmel at Penn, 2:30 p.m.

Westfield vs. Louisville Christian Academy, 2:30 p.m. at Brebeuf Jesuit TRACK AND FIELD

Carmel at Red Devil Last Chance Qualifier, 10 a.m. at Ben Davis

Guerin Catholic, Hamilton Heights, Noblesville boys, Westfield at Hamilton Southeastern Relays, 1 p.m. at Anderson University

VOLLEYBALL

Noblesville Miller Classic, 8 a.m. Guerin Catholic, Hamilton Southeastern, Westfield at Fishers March Madness, 9 a.m.

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