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The Reporter

CHAMBERS MERGE

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“We are excited to welcome Northern Hamilton County to OneZone Chamber as an affiliate,” Russell said. “As we began to discuss what this relationship would look like, it was important to keep the identity and the culture of both organizations. We look forward to providing new programming, initiatives, and advocacy work for the Northern part of the county.”

“The Northern Hamilton County Chamber Board feels the time is right to merge with OneZone Chamber,” noted Liz Foley Nelson, past President of the Northern Hamilton County Chamber of Commerce. “The ability to retain our identity while offering our members the wider scope of services OneZone can provide gives our businesses access to more tools to increase their success. Add to that the presence of an Executive Director with offices here locally will further serve the needs of our businesses and the community at large.”

The Executive Director position is posted on OneZone Chamber’s job board at OneZoneChamber.com. A membership survey will be sent to all Northern Hamilton County members to identify key needs and what they are looking for from their chamber.

WORD NERD

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“So, what word should I use?” I asked the group. We finally concluded that saying “top” was more current. But, of course, that will probably change in the next couple of years.

Naturally, being the loving people that they are, the topic kept cropping up for the rest of the evening. And Our Gang member Greg had to text us all Tuesday to say that his family was going shopping that evening for a blouse for his daughter’s interview the next day. With a great big smiley face emoji, of course.

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SCOUTING

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The impact of the Scouting for Food initiative extends far beyond the food collected. It serves as a catalyst for teaching scouts valuable life skills, fostering teamwork, and instilling a sense of responsibility. Through this experience, these young individuals are empowered to make a positive impact on society and develop into future leaders who understand the importance of service to others.

As the Scouting for Food program continues to flourish in Noblesville and other communities across the nation, it serves as a reminder of the power of unity and the significance of coming together to support those in need. The dedication displayed by these scouts and their families stands as a shining example of how a small act of kindness can make a tremendous difference.

The success of this year's Scouting for Food campaign in Noblesville is a testament to the remarkable individuals who volunteered their time and energy to make a lasting impact. It is through their unwavering commitment to service that they have exemplified the true spirit of scouting and inspired others to follow in their footsteps.

To all the scouting families in Noblesville who participated in this year's Scouting for Food, thank you for your incredible efforts. Your dedication and compassion have made a tangible difference in the lives of those who need it most. Together, you have shown the true power of a united community working towards a common goal.

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Earn sweet treats on Westfield Donut Trail

The REPORTER

A Westfield week-end tradition returns today, June 2, with the annual Donut Trail and runs through Friday, June 9.

The Donut Trail was started in 2017 and continues to grow each year. In conjunction with National Donut Day and National Trails Day, Donut Trail was founded to encourage residents to get to know the Westfield Parks Trail system with a sweet reward at the end.



Arnold



Friday, June 9, except for DonutNV Hamilton County, which will ONLY be available from 5 to 8 p.m. on Thursday, June 8 at the Westfield Farmer's Market at Grand Junction Plaza, 225 S. Union St.

Offers include:

- Titus Bakery: six donut holes
- Quack Daddy Donuts: six donut holes
- Jack's Donuts: one free donut
- DonutNV Hamilton County: four mini donuts (valid on Thursday, June 8 only)

"We are excited about the return of the Donut Trail to Westfield," Westfield Welcome Director Kayla Arnold. "Combining National Donut Day and National Trails Day is always a winning combination. We love hearing stories and receiving pictures from participants about how it's their first or hundredth time on the trails."

About Westfield Welcome

Westfield Welcome focuses on community engagement and hospitality for residents, businesses, and visitors. As a department of the City of Westfield, Westfield Welcome hosts more than 30 annual events and provides hundreds of volunteer opportunities yearly.

Here's how it works:

Participants will use their cell phones to download the digital passport on the Westfield Welcome website at westfieldwelcome.com/donut-trail.

They will then complete a few quick registration questions, then the passport will be instantly delivered via text message and email.

Starting on Friday, June 2, contestants will use passports to locate all 12 donut-shaped signs along Westfield's trail system. Once a donut-shaped sign has been found, players will digitally "check in" on the passport. Checking in at all 12 donut-shaped signs unlocks offers for free donuts from each local donut shop.

To redeem free offers, contestants will "claim" their prize in the digital passport and receive an email showing successful completion, which will be displayed at each donut shop.

Offers are available Friday, June 2 to

YMCA rolls out Summer Bucket List Challenge

The REPORTER

The YMCA of Greater Indianapolis has issued the community a Summer Bucket List Challenge. Participants who check off 20 or more activities will be eligible to win a grand prize of \$2,000.

Join by texting SUMMER to 844-889-6222. You'll find more than 50 activities that will get you outside and having summer fun. Prizes will be offered throughout the summer.

With challenges ranging from getting lost in a book to volunteering at a non-profit organization to participating in a YMCA group exercise class, everyone can find some fun and interesting things to get them out of their comfort zones.

"We want everyone in our community to have a screen-free summer. Y members and non-members alike are encouraged to join the Summer Bucket List Challenge!" said Anne Dishman, vice president of programs at the YMCA of Greater Indianapolis. "The Summer Bucket List is part of the Strong Life community, where we are changing thousands of lives every day. We strengthen people in spirit, mind, and body, and we inspire and motivate each other every day to be better than the day before."



For more information, visit stronglife.org/bucketlist.

About the YMCA of Greater Indianapolis

With locations in Indianapolis, Avon, Fishers, and Lebanon, wellness and aquatics programs in Westfield,

a 240-acre overnight camp, and a Youth Development service branch, the YMCA of Greater Indianapolis helps individuals and families build healthy spirits, minds, and bodies. Every day, the YMCA of Greater Indianapolis gives our neighbors the support they need to learn, grow, and thrive. As a nonprofit organization, the YMCA is able to provide opportunities to the community because of the generosity of donors. Learn more at indymca.org.

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Seven Hamilton Co. students awarded \$3K scholarships from Master Gardeners Association

The REPORTER

The **Hamilton County Master Gardeners Association** (HCMGA) presents annual scholarships to county residents – or children/grandchildren of an HCMGA member – with an intent to major in horticulture, botany, landscape architecture/design, or an agriculture or environmental science that includes a plant-focused component.

Candidates must be full-time college students in the fall of 2023. The scholarship cannot be deferred a year.

Congratulations to the latest recipients of the Barney Hobbs Memorial Scholarship. This year, HCMGA awarded \$3,000 scholarships to each of seven outstanding students.

Grace Brisco

Visiting national parks can be ho-hum to some children, but their raw beauty was not lost on a young Grace Brisco. She is a third-time recipient from Noblesville and attends Ball State. She majors in Landscape Architecture with a minor in Natural Resources and Environmental Management.

Meredith Dodson

A seventh-generation

Hoosier farmer clutching her John Deere Barbie doll ... imagine that! Dodson is a first-time Hobbs Scholarship recipient and a 2023 Hamilton Heights High School graduate. This Arcadia native will attend Purdue majoring in Sustainable Food & Farming Systems.

Breanna Hudson

Curious about why her first-time plant collection was only semi-successful, Hudson searched for answers, which led to an environmental awakening. She is a 2023 Hamilton Southeastern High School grad and a first-time recipient. The Fishers resident will attend Purdue majoring in Natural Resources and Environmental Science.

Abigail Krent

From hemp production to coffee growing to farming on Mars, Krent already has a wide range of academic experience. She is a two-time Hobbs Scholar from Noblesville and attends Western Kentucky University, majoring in Agronomy with a Plant Science Concentration and Spanish Language and Culture.

Samuel Landers

A love for cooking

drove this Noblesville resident to transform a fallow garden into a “major success” of a veggie garden. Landers, a first-time Hobbs Scholar and 2023 Noblesville High School graduate, will attend Purdue majoring in Biological Engineering (with a possible double in Computer Engineering).

Bethany Madore

A high school experience with the World Food Prize Youth Institute helped inspire Madore to pursue plant science during her academic career. She is a first-time recipient from Fishers and will be a senior at Purdue. She majors in Plant Science with minors in Horticulture and Plant Pathology.

Madeline Rockey

A study-abroad trip to Costa Rica provided Rockey with experience in organic, sustainable farming and solidified her interest in environmental conservation. She is a two-time recipient from Fishers and attends Purdue majoring in Natural Resources and minoring in Environmental Science, Sustainable Farming, or Horticulture.

Spartz: Congress once again abandons American people

The REPORTER

Rep. Victoria Spartz (R-Ind.-05) issued the following statement on her ‘no’ vote on the Fiscal Responsibility Act of 2023:

“The fiscal state of our nation: over \$30T (\$30,000,000,000,000) of current debt, over \$100T of obligations, over \$6T spent annually with no real budgets, completely unauditible financials, hundreds of billions of improper payments, and a -\$1.5T shortfall just in 2023, increasing to a -\$2.8T annual shortfall by 2033,” Rep. Spartz said. “The so-called Fiscal Responsibility Act punts this issue till 2025 with a total enforceable (FY23-25) effect of less than \$200B, and not even a discussion of our path forward. Why would we even bother coming to D.C.? We can do demagoguery from home or perform in a traveling circus instead.”



Spartz

Morrison of Fishers named to Muskingum University President's List

The REPORTER

Seth Morrison of Fishers has been named to the Spring 2023 President's List at Muskingum University in New Concord, Ohio.

To be named to the President's List, students must earn a term grade-point average of 3.90 or above on a minimum load of 12 completed semester hours of A-F graded coursework.

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Monon Mixer tickets on sale now

Adult-only events return to The Waterpark in Carmel this summer

The REPORTER

The fun doesn't stop at closing time! Carmel Clay Parks & Recreation (CCPR) is holding adults only, after-hours Monon Mixers at The Waterpark in Carmel, 1195 Central Park Drive West.

Mixers will be held throughout the summer on June 8, June 23, July 7, July 21, and Aug. 4. These events are for adults over the age of 21 and will take place from 8 to 10 p.m.

This year during specific Monon Mixer events, participants can look forward to even more fun with different themes, including Luau Night (June 8), Emo Night/2000s (July 7), and Decades Day (Aug. 4). Dressing for each night's theme is encouraged but not required.

Each event costs \$20 per person and includes access to all The Waterpark's amenities, including The Wall,



Photo provided by Carmel Parks & Recreation
Several adults-only mixers at The Waterpark in Carmel will be held this summer.

plunge slides, and FlowRider, as well as planned activities throughout the night like aqua Zumba and log rolling. Alcoholic beverages will be available for purchase from a variety of lo-

cal vendors, in addition to concessions (limited menu). The Waterpark staff reminds guests to please drink responsibly.

In case of inclement weather, guests will be au-

tomatically enrolled in the next Mixer offered. If there is inclement weather on the day of the final Mixer (Aug. 4), a refund will be issued.

Space is limited and [pre-registration is required](#).



Westfield Washington Public Library earns national AFS-USA Community Changemaker Award

The REPORTER

Thirteen winners across the United State have been distinguished by AFS-USA as the first winners of the Community Changemaker Awards, including the Westfield Washington Public Library.

The Community Changemaker Awards were created by AFS-USA as part of the organization's 75th Anniversary. AFS-USA, a leader in international high school exchange, is a non-profit educational organization that is volunteer-based, with more than 3,000 volunteers across the country.

Westfield Washington Public Library won an award for allowing AFS-USA to use its spaces – particularly for interviews of students who want to study abroad through an AFS-USA program.

Reflecting on its 75th Anniversary, the organization wanted to recognize the people, groups, organizations, and companies that support the work of the AFS-USA volunteer teams and its mission of developing active global citizens, through delivering meaningful intercultural experiences, to create a more just and peaceful world. It is a prestigious award that acknowledges and honors the exceptional work of these Community Changemakers.

“The theme of our 75th Anniversary is Your Story is Our Story: 75 Years of Creating Global Citizens,” AFS-USA President and CEO Tara Hofmann said. “While it’s impossible to measure the impact AFS-USA continues to have in communities now and over the last 75 years, we know there are thousands of individuals and groups outside of AFS that support our work and mission in creating global citizens who help to build a more just and peaceful world.”

Each individual or organization has contributed to their community and AFS's mission to help people develop the knowledge, skills, and understanding needed to create a more just and peaceful world.

AFS-USA has a more than 50-year partnership with the U.S. Department of State's Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs (ECA). AFS maintains an alum network of more than 500,000 individuals across the globe and is supported by over 50,000 AFS volunteers worldwide.

Over the past 75 years, AFS has impacted hundreds of thousands of people. Some accomplishments include:

- More than 150,000 international high school students have participated in exchange programs with

the U.S.

- Over 81,000 U.S. families have hosted an exchange student.

- More than 50,000 volunteers across the globe have dedicated their time to creating a more just and peaceful world.

Hosting exchange students

AFS-USA arranges host families for international high school exchange students annually. These young people represent more than 80 countries, including Kenya, Thailand, Turkey, Egypt, Denmark, Italy, Germany, and more. They are among the more than 1,000 international AFS students hosted in the U.S. yearly.

“We are universal creatures. It’s very easy to be comfortable staying with our own tribes, but the more you get out and meet others from around the world, the more you understand how alike we are and cut through the rhetoric and what our differences are,” said Tim, a host parent of a French student named Lison. “You start really appreciating others, and not only appreciating, but wanting to interact more ... the more people that host, the more we can spread friendliness among everyone.”

All types of individuals and families are encouraged to host, including those from multi-national backgrounds, those with and without chil-

dren, those who are members of the LGBTQ+ community, and more.

Through AFS-USA's partnership with the Department of State, AFS-USA is able to host students awarded exchange opportunities to the U.S. through one of the following programs: The [Congress-Bundestag Youth Exchange \(CBYX\)](#) program, the [Kennedy-Lugar Youth Exchange and Study Abroad \(YES\)](#) program, and the [Future Leaders Exchange Program \(FLEX\)](#). American students can apply to go abroad through the YES Abroad and [National Security Language Initiative for Youth \(NSLI-Y\)](#) programs.

For more information on AFS-USA, to welcome or host an exchange student in your community, or to volunteer with AFS-USA, visit [afsusa.org](#).

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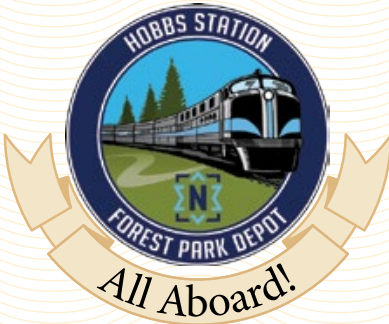
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WASHINGTON TOWNSHIP

FIND THE OLDEST TREE IN YOUR NEIGHBORHOOD

June 1, 5-8 p.m., and June 2, 5-7 p.m.
Grand Junction Plaza | FREE

Hear about the winners of the Westfield Green Together contest! See posters about tree contestants and pick up a driving-tour map. Hear stories about what life might have been like when the trees were planted.

A DAY IN THE LIFE “ROCKS!”

June 2, 5-7 p.m., *Grand Junction Plaza | FREE*

Join Student Impact for a Pioneer-themed event of games, food and activities focused on a day in the life of a student in the 1830s in Hamilton County.

MAINSTREET PRODUCTIONS’ WESTFIELD FOUNDERS

June 3, 10 a.m.-6 p.m., *Basile Playhouse
220 N. Union St., Westfield | FREE*

Performances dramatize the lives of some of Westfield’s founding families. Refreshments served. Performances run every hour beginning at 1 p.m.

WEEKENDS AT BARKER CABIN

June 3, 10 a.m.-7 p.m., *Westfield Washington
Historical Society, 130 Penn St., Westfield | FREE*

Find out how things got done during the time when the Barker family lived in their cabin in the 1830s. Ribbon-cutting and ceremony for the recently restored home is at 10 a.m., followed by old-fashioned cooking, demos by interpreters, the Rusty Muskets Band, a re-enactor show and car show. Food trucks, vendors, pony rides and more for families!

HISTORIC DOWNTOWN WALKING TOUR

June 3, 10 a.m.-2 p.m., *Cave & Co Printing (tour
starting point), 104 W. Main St., Westfield | FREE*

Join the Westfield Preservation Alliance on a self-guided walking tour of Westfield’s Downtown National Register Historic District. Use the FREE mobile app “U R HERE - Historic Westfield, IN.”

FAMILY HISTORY AND ART ACTIVITY DAY

June 23, 10 a.m.-4 p.m., *Westfield Washington
Public Library, 338 W. Hoover St., Westfield | FREE*

Speakers discuss genealogy topics, including getting started, Quaker records, military records, and information on how to use Ancestry.com and Indiana State Library sources. Take part in local arts and crafts demonstration fair. During the week leading up to the program, the library will host a vintage board game tournament. (Sign up for parts of the event on the library’s website.)



WASHINGTON TOWNSHIP SIGNATURE EVENT

WESTFIELD BASH!

June 1, 5-8 p.m.; June 2, 8-10 a.m. and 6-9 p.m.,
Grand Junction Plaza, 225 S. Union St., Westfield | FREE

June 1, 5-8 p.m. At the Westfield Farmer’s Market, enjoy free entertainment, dozens of vendors and Westfield Washington Schools’ American Pie concert (“Coming Back to Indiana”).
June 2, 8-10 a.m. Enjoy the Westfield Fire Department’s Pancake Breakfast on Park Street and check out vintage vehicles! (Cost for breakfast.)
June 2, 6-9 p.m. Before they head out on their international tour, Reverend Peyton’s Big Damn Band takes the stage at Grand Junction Plaza! Local artist Kassey King opens for this FREE concert.

COOL CREEK BICENTENNIAL CONCERT

June 30, 6-9:15 p.m., *Cool Creek Park, 2000 E. 151st St.,
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HAMILTON CO. BICENTENNIAL TRAVELING EXHIBIT

Westfield:
June 3-9, *Westfield Playhouse, Union St.*
June 10-16, *Westfield Wash. Historical Society, Penn St.*
June 17-23, *Westfield Wash. Public Library, Hoover St.*
June 24-30, *Washington Township Trustee, Greyhound Pass*
FREE | Learn about all five of our Bicentennial themes: Arts, Diversity/Inclusion, Education, Historic Preservation, and Parks/Environment. Contact the hosting organization for information on when the exhibit is open to the public.

ALSO IN JUNE

WE THE FREE?: PEOPLE OF COLOR - MOVEMENTS AND IDENTITY

June 29, 7-8:30 p.m., *Roberts Chapel, 3102 E. 276th St, Atlanta*
FREE | Three history scholars whose academic research has provided rich insight into the under-told story of free people of color headline a panel discussion at Roberts Settlement. Learn about Indiana’s free people of color — their Southern roots, migration, settlement in Indiana and faith. (RSVPs required. A live stream of the event will be available. Visit [HamCoTurns200](#) for details and registration.)

Access the entire **2023 Bicentennial Event Lineup**
and get event/program details: ***HamCoTurns200.com***

Bicentennial Partners



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Ivy Tech to provide free Google Career Certificates through Ivy+ IT Academy

The REPORTER

Ivy Tech Community College, in partnership with national nonprofit Jobs for the Future (JFF), will offer five **Google Certificates** at no cost to students as part of the College's Ivy+ IT Academy.

The Google Career Certificates program prepares learners for entry-level jobs in the in-demand fields of cybersecurity, data analytics, digital marketing and e-commerce, IT support, project management, and UX design. This offering will equip students with job-ready skills as they pursue their degree, while also connecting them to career resources and a network of over **150 companies** through the program's employer consortium.

"Our partnership with Google and Jobs for the Future will bring more tech jobs and innovation to Indiana, providing Hoosiers with a unique opportunity to contribute to a high-wage, high-demand industry that is generating impact at scale for the state," said Chief Information Officer and Senior Vice President Matt Etchison.

"Google is proud to offer our Google Career Certificates to Ivy Tech Community College," Grow with Google Founder Lisa Gevelber said. "This continues our long standing support for Jobs for the Future and will help more people throughout Indiana qualify for the state's in-demand tech jobs."

In collaboration with corporate partner, TechPoint, Ivy+ IT Academy's offering of the Google Career Certificates will sup-

port the company's goal of **increasing the state's tech workforce** by 41,000 by 2030 and solidify Indiana's national reputation as a vibrant tech hub. Designed and taught by Google employees, each certificate includes over 150 practice and graded assessments, quizzes, or writing assignments to ensure rigor and mastery. To help prepare learners for jobs, the program provides resources including resume templates, coaching from Career Circle and interview practice with Big Interview. Graduates are also connected with an **employer consortium** of over 150 companies – including American Express, Ford, Verizon, Walmart, and Google – that hire in the certificate fields.

Launched in 2018, over 150,000 people have graduated from the Google Career Certificates program in the U.S. A total of 75 percent of them report a positive career impact – such as a new job, higher pay, or a promotion – within six months of completion.

To learn more about the Google Career Certificates program or to enroll, visit the **Ivy+ IT Academy webpage** or follow the IT Academy on LinkedIn.

About Grow with Google
Grow with Google was started in 2017 to help Americans grow their skills, careers and businesses. It provides training, tools and expertise to help small business owners, veterans and military families, jobseekers and students, educators, startups and developers. Since Grow with Google's inception, it has helped more than nine mil-

lion Americans develop new skills. Grow with Google has a network of more than 9,500 partner organizations like libraries, schools, small business development centers, chambers of commerce and nonprofits to help people coast-to-coast.

About Jobs for the Future

Jobs for the Future (JFF) is a national nonprofit driving transformation of the U.S. education and workforce systems to achieve equitable economic advancement for all. With support from Google, JFF is partnering with 100 community colleges nationwide to embed the Google Career Certificates in credit and noncredit-bearing programs.

About Ivy Tech Community College

Ivy Tech Community College is Indiana's largest public postsecondary institution and the nation's largest singly accredited statewide community college system, accredited by the Higher Learning Commission. Ivy Tech has campuses throughout Indiana and also serves thousands of students annually online. It serves as the state's engine of workforce development, offering associate degrees, short-term certificate programs, industry certifications, and training that aligns to the needs of the community. The College provides seamless transfer to other colleges and universities in Indiana, as well as out of state, for a more affordable route to a Bachelor's degree. Follow Ivy Tech on **Facebook**, **Twitter**, **Instagram**, and **LinkedIn** for the most up-to-date information.



A Warm Friendly Welcome Awaits You!



Jesus calls us to love all people and extend good to all men. He wants us to respect all people. He tells us not to make distinctions between people. Those are the kind of people you will meet at the Stony Creek Church of Christ. We are simply people wanting to go to heaven and take others with us. We want to be Christians like you can read about in the New Testament – nothing more and nothing else. If that sounds like the kind of people with whom you desire to assemble – check us out!

At the **Stony Creek Church of Christ**, we assemble on Sundays and Wednesdays to seek a better understanding of Jesus and His ways. You are encouraged and invited to join us for those studies or call for a private study.



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Sunday Bible Study 10:00 am

Sunday Worship 11:00 am

Wednesday Bible Study 7:00 pm

Fishers adds 7th fire station & baby rescue box

Wednesday was a big day for the Fishers Fire Department.

It opened the city's seventh fire station and a **Safe Haven Baby Box**. The boxes were designed to prevent the illegal abandonment of newborns, and it's the first of its kind in Fishers.

Capt. John Mehling says it's all about better serving a community that's been good to them.

“We water programs out here,” Mehling said. “They’re always the first to invite us out, to come out and teach water rescue

to their kids at the neighborhood pools, such an amazing community where neighbors know neighbors out here, which is a kind of a thing that isn't experienced everywhere anymore. It's kind of like that small-town feel, and this station is really a part of the communities out here versus just being a resource."

Mehling also says the new station will help them improve response times and manpower.

The fire station is at 15109 E. 136th St., which is south of Interstate 69 about a mile east of the roundabout for 136th Street and Southeastern Parkway.

Franciscan Health Indianapolis is only Indiana hospital to be named one of America's 250 Best Hospitals

The REPORTER

Franciscan Health Indianapolis announced on Thursday that it is one of America's 250 Best Hospitals for 2023, according to new research released by [Healthgrades](#), the leading marketplace connecting doctors and patients.

This achievement puts Franciscan Health Indianapolis in the top 5 percent of hospitals nationwide for overall clinical performance across the most common conditions and procedures. Franciscan Health Indianapolis is the only hospital in Indiana to receive this distinction in 2023.

"I'm delighted in this significant recognition, which places Franciscan Health Indianapolis among the elite healthcare organizations across the country," said Franciscan Health Indianapolis President and CEO Lori Price. "Our commitment to providing compassionate care in our Franciscan tradition has created a culture centered on our patients' needs, resulting in better outcomes, which bears out in this award from Healthgrades."

Healthgrades evaluated patient mortality and complication rates for 31 of the most common conditions and procedures at nearly 4,500 hospitals across the country to identify the top-performing hospitals. This year's analysis revealed significant variation between America's Best 250 Hospitals and hospitals



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that did not receive the distinction. In fact, if all hospitals performed similarly to America's 250 Best, over 160,000 lives could have been saved.* For example: Patients treated at one of the 2023 America's 250 Best Hospitals have, on average, a 28.7 percent lower risk of dying than if they were treated at a hospital that did not receive the America's 250 Best Hospitals award.*

In addition to being recognized as One of America's 250 Best Hospitals, Franciscan Health Indianapolis has also been recognized as One of Healthgrades America's 100 Best Hospitals for Stroke Care™ for 2 Years in a Row (2022-2023), One of Healthgrades America's 100 Best Hospitals for Pulmonary Care™ in 2023, One of Healthgrades America's 50 Best Hospitals for Vascular Surgery™ for 4 Years in a Row (2020-2023), and One

of Healthgrades America's
100 Best Hospitals for Gas-
trointestinal Care™ in 2023.

Franciscan Health Indianapolis features the only full-service heart and vascular care program on the south side of Indianapolis. Earlier this year, the hospital introduced the Essenz™ Heart-Lung Machine, a device used during complex cardiac surgical procedures. The hospital has earned Get with the Guidelines Gold Plus Status for heart failure and stroke care; the Chest Pain – MI Registry Gold Performance Achievement Award; and the American Association of Critical-care Nurses Beacon Award for nursing excellence.

Franciscan's Gold Status from the International Cardio-oncology Society Center of Excellence highlights the hospital's specialized work in cardio-oncology. In the area of cancer care,

Franciscan Health holds FACT (Foundation for the Accreditation of Cellular Therapy) accreditation, the threshold for excellence in cellular therapy including blood and marrow or cord blood transplant, along with accreditation from the Commission on Cancer, National Accreditation Program for Breast Centers and National Accreditation Program for Rectal Cancers, accrediting bodies focused on setting standards for high-quality care for cancer patients.

“We’re proud to recognize Franciscan Health Indianapolis as one of America’s 250 Best Hospitals for 2023,” said Brad Bowman MD, Chief Medical Officer and Head of Data Science at Healthgrades. “As one of America’s 250 Best Hospitals, Franciscan Health Indianapolis consistently de-

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Applications open now for Arago Honors nonprofit innovation awards

Indy-area nonprofits eligible for non-restricted cash prize of \$10,000

The REPORTER

Indianapolis-based Meridian Foundation announced Thursday it will select its third cohort of innovating nonprofits in central Indiana. Arago Honor nonprofits receive \$10,000 in unrestricted funds by demonstrating they are creatively solving problems while enacting community change.

Since 2021, a total 15 recipients of the Arago Honor have been honored by the Meridian Foundation. Creative solutions have focused on food insecurity, health, aging assistance, early learning education, workforce development, new business acceleration, art entrepreneurship, and racial equity. Honorees last year includ-

ed: **Be Nimble Foundation, Conner Prairie Museum, Joy's House, Latinas Welding Guild, Meals on Wheels Central Indiana, Overdose Lifeline, Inc., and Patchwork Indy.**

"The Meridian Foundation's approach to identifying innovative best practices is based on genuine curiosity and a desire to elevate the many talented nonprofit leaders in our community," Founder Donna Oklak said. "We see social innovation as a linchpin for change and by celebrating the risks nonprofits take, we are also saluting their flexibility and quick responses to critical issues."

Arago Honor award applications are due by 11:59 p.m. on Aug. 1, 2023. Non-profit organizations are en-



couraged to review their eligibility requirements on the **Meridian Foundation's website**. A learning Zoom session will be held at 1:30 p.m. on June 23. Applicants must be a nonprofit organization under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code and be based in Marion County or the six donut counties of Hamilton, Hancock, Hendricks, Johnson, Morgan, or Shelby. Applicants may self-nominate or apply on their own behalf.

Honorees will be announced in November 2023. To find information on how to apply, visit **IndyMeridianFoundation.org**.

About the Meridian Foundation

Founded in 2019, the Meridian Foundation aims to support, accelerate, and celebrate nonprofit innovation in Central Indiana. For more information about the Meridian Foundation or the Arago Honors program, visit **IndyMeridianFoundation.org**.

AG Todd Rokita sues company allegedly responsible for billions of illegal robocalls

The REPORTER

Indiana Attorney General Todd Rokita has filed a lawsuit against an Arizona-based company allegedly responsible for facilitating billions of robocalls.

As part of a coalition of 48 states and the District of Columbia, AG Rokita sued Michael D. Lansky LLC – which does business under the name Avid Telecom. The lawsuit also names owner Michael Lansky and a vice president, Stacey S. Reeves.

"Hoosiers are sick and tired of these annoying robocalls that not only interrupt their lives but also violate state and federal laws," AG Rokita said. "Rest assured that we will keep going after these illegal robocallers with the same dogged aggressiveness that we've shown since Day One."

The complaint alleges that Avid Telecom sent or transmitted more than 7.5

billion calls to telephone numbers on the National Do Not Call Registry – violating the Telephone Consumer Protection Act, the Telemarketing Sales Rule, and other federal and state telemarketing and consumer laws.

Avid Telecom is a Voice over Internet Protocol (VoIP) service provider that sells data, phone numbers, dialing software, and/or expertise to help its customers make mass robocalls.

The company allegedly sent or transmitted scam calls representing Social Security Administration scams, Medicare scams, auto warranty scams, Amazon scams, DirecTV scams, credit card interest rate reduction scams, and employment scams. You may



Rokita

listen to examples of some of these scam calls here and here.

The USTelecom-led Industry Traceback Group, which notifies providers about known and suspected illegal robocalls sent across their networks, sent at least 329 notifications to Avid Telecom that it was transmitting these calls, but Avid Telecom continued to do so.

AG Rokita has already sued one of Avid Telecom's customers in Texas federal court. Avid Telecom helped that customer send more than 4 billion robocalls between May 2019 and March 2021.

This legal action arises from the nationwide Anti-Robocall Multistate Litigation Task Force of 51 bipartisan attorneys general. Indiana, Ohio, and North Carolina lead the task force, which is investigating and taking legal action against those responsible for routing significant volumes of illegal robocall traffic into and across the United States.

The Federal Trade Commission and the Social Security Administration's Office of the Inspector General provided investigative assistance in this matter.

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livers better-than-expected outcomes for the patients in their community and is setting a high national standard for clinical excellence."

Franciscan Health Indianapolis Vice President of Medical Affairs Christopher Doehring, MD, said, "Our designation as one of America's 250 Best Hospitals is a testament to the collaborative work done by physicians, nurses and staff members through the challenges of the COVID-19 pandemic. We could not be prouder of their efforts and their ongoing commitment to the highest standards for our patients."

Visit **Healthgrades.com/quality/americanas-best-hospitals** for an in-depth look at Franciscan Health Indianapolis's performance and profile to explore the highest quality care in Indianapolis today. Consumers can also visit **Healthgrades.com** for more information on how Healthgrades measures hospital quality, and access the complete methodology **here**. A patient-friendly overview of the complete methodology is available **here**.

**Statistics are based on Healthgrades analysis of MedPAR data for years 2019 through 2021 and represent three-year estimates for Medicare patients only.*

About Franciscan Alliance

The Franciscan Alliance healthcare ministry began in Lafayette, Ind., in 1875. Today, Franciscan Alliance is one of the largest Catholic health care systems in the Midwest with 11 hospital campuses, more than 19,000 employees and a number of nationally recognized Centers of Health Care Excellence. Hospitals

include: Franciscan Health Carmel; Franciscan Health Crawfordsville; Franciscan Health Crown Point; Franciscan Health Dyer; Franciscan Health Indianapolis; Franciscan Health Lafayette; Franciscan Health Michigan City; Franciscan Health Mooresville; Franciscan Health Munster; Franciscan Health Olympia Fields (Ill.); and Franciscan Health Rensselaer.

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Then God said, "I give you every seed-bearing plant on the face of the whole earth and every tree that has fruit with seed in it. They will be yours for food. And to all the beasts of the earth and all the birds in the sky and all the creatures that move along the ground—everything that has the breath of life in it—I give every green plant for food." And it was so.

God saw all that he had made, and it was very good. And there was evening, and there was morning—the sixth day.

Genesis 1:27-31 (NIV)

Jerry A. Belzer

December 2, 1933 – May 10, 2023

We are sad to announce the passing of Jerry A. Belzer of Noblesville, Indiana. He died at Harcourt Terrace in Indianapolis on May 10, 2023, after a brief episode of dementia. He was born on December 2, 1933, in Arcadia.



He is survived by his wife of 69 years, I. Charlene Belzer (Morelock); and his sister, Evedean Bayliff, his daughters, Nancy, Barbara, Pamela, and Brenda; 10 grandchildren; numerous great-grandchildren; and two great-great-grandchildren. May he rest in peace.



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The camp will take place Monday, June 5 to Friday, June 9 at the Michael A. Evans Center for Health Sciences at Marian University, 3200 Cold Spring Road, Indianapolis.

The cost is \$100, which includes lunch, snacks, and one overnight stay in a residence hall with dinner and activities. Thanks to the generous funding from the Tom & Julie Wood Family

Foundation, the \$100 registration fee is covered for campers demonstrating financial need.

Learn more and register at marian.edu/health-professions/healthcare-camp.

Lt. Gov. Crouch & Department of Agriculture welcome 2023 AgriVision award nominations

The REPORTER

Nominations are now being accepted for the 2023 **AgriVision Award**, the highest agricultural honor presented by the State of Indiana.

This award, now in its 17th year, was established by the Lt. Governor and the Indiana State Department of Agriculture to recognize Indiana's agricultural leaders who are ensuring Indiana is, and remains, a global center for food and agricultural innovation and commercialization.

The AgriVision Award is open to any Indiana resident and all sectors of the agriculture industry – from bioenergy to livestock to the agbiosciences. Any person or organization may submit

a nomination through July 1, 2023.

"It is my honor to serve as Indiana's Secretary of Agriculture and to work alongside some of the best and brightest leaders in the state," said Lt. Gov. Suzanne Crouch, who also serves as the Secretary of Agriculture and Rural Development. "This award is a way to recognize those who are ensuring agriculture continues to be a driving force in our state."

Previous AgriVision Award winners have included individuals who have made significant contributions to the agriculture industry, whether it's developing a new technology, managing an agribusiness or organization, or working to

address a global issue.

"Indiana is a supercenter for agricultural production thanks to leaders across the state," said Don Lamb, director of the State Department of Agriculture. "I look forward to honoring this year's award recipients for their leadership and commitment in August."

Award nominations will be accepted through July 1. To nominate an individual, you must **complete a form** found on the **ISDA website** and email it to the department. Once a winner has been selected, the award will be presented by Lt. Gov. Crouch and ISDA Director Lamb during the Celebration of Agriculture at the 2023 Indiana State Fair.

Pervious AgriVision Award winners include:

- Gary Truitt and Dr. Karen Plaut (2022)
- Doug Leman and Dr. Robert Waltz (2021)
- Garwood Orchards and MPS Egg Farms (2020)
- Stan Poe family and Terry L. Tucker (2019)
- Jerry Seger family and Tim and Jim Craig (2018)
- Beth Bechdol and Dr. Jay Akridge (2017)
- Dr. Bret Marsh and John Hardin (2016)
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Get to Carmel Racquet Club to see Midwest Clay Court Championship

By **RICHIE HALL**
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CARMEL – Walking through the lobby of the Carmel Racquet Club, the televisions are all tuned to the French Open, the major clay court tournament that is currently being played at Stade Roland Garros in Paris.

For those tennis fans who are interested in seeing competition on clay, but can't just jet off to Paris at a moment's notice, don't worry. The CRC is giving you another option: The 2023 Midwest Clay Court Championship, which the club is hosting now through Sunday.

The Midwest Clay is a long-time event on the calendar, and as a United States Tennis Association (USTA) Level 3 tournament, it's an important one, too. The USTA divides tournaments into categories from Level 7, which offers the lowest amount of ranking points, to Level 1, which offers the highest. (A winner at a Level 3 tournament receives 1,800 ranking points, compared to 3,000 for Level 1 and 150 for Level 7.)

Since having a good result at this tournament can help out a player's ranking, the Midwest Clay attracts a field of top-level players.

"We get some of the best in the country in each of the different age groups," said Denise Boehnlein, the tournament chair. Both singles and doubles competition are offered at this tournament, with singles brackets rang-



Lyle Schaefer of Madison, Wis. (left) and Tim Greist of Indianapolis played a tough three-set match in the 75's singles category during first-day play at the Midwest Clay Court Championship on Thursday. Carmel Racquet Club is hosting the annual tournament again this year, a Level 3 USTA event that gathers top players from across the country. Matches continue through Sunday.

ing from 35's to 80's, and doubles ranging from 55's to 80's. Each age group is separated by five-year intervals (35's, 40's, 45's etc.)

There are around 135 participants in this year's tournament. These players come from all over the country, from Florida to California.

"A lot of them are coaches or pros from their area," said Boehnlein. "So it's really high-caliber."

Play began Thursday at CRC with several of the older categories taking to the courts, including matches in the 75's and 80's singles bracket. (There were also some singles matches being played at Highland

Golf and Country Club in Indianapolis, and that facility will be used for singles matches today as well.) Boehnlein said that those older players serve as inspirations.

"They're playing at a high level, of course," said Boehnlein. "I've gotten a lot of inspiring stories and speeches about how important it is to keep going, never stop playing. Their little routines that they do to stay healthy and stay on the courts, like their stretches, their exercises, their swimming, what they eat."



Hayes

One of those older players is J.B. Hayes, a Carmel Racquet Club member who is still actively playing at age 87. While Hayes isn't playing in the Midwest Clay this year, he had been a regular participant in the tournament for 10 to 15 years – "too many to count," he said. "But I started at the younger ages and worked my way up through the 80s. Even when I was 85, I played it one year. I actually made it to the finals that year."

Hayes said he began playing tennis in Danville at

age 9, taking part in junior tournaments until he went to college. He was still out watching the tournament, as he knows people that are participating this year.

"There's a lot of good national players that come in here, and you like to watch them play," said Hayes. "You might learn something."

Boehnlein also noted the camaraderie between players.

"They enjoy hanging out, especially on Friday,

when we have drinks and we have pizza," she said. "They love to sit around and chat and watch the other matches go on. So that's something they really look forward to."

The tournament welcomes spectators, with no admission. The Midwest Clay will continue with matches today, Saturday and Sunday at Carmel Racquet Club, with play beginning each day at 8 a.m. For a schedule of matches in each age group, [click on this link](#).

Shamrocks' Josh Miracle receives Broyles Award

The REPORTER

Westfield assistant football coach Josh Miracle was named as the Indiana recipient of the High School Broyles Award.

This award is given annually to the top high school assistant coach from each participating state, as selected by each state's coaching associations.

The 2023 class is the largest class to date, taking the Broyles Award closer to the goal of celebrating excellence in assistant coaching in all 50 states. All 2023 winners are invited to the High School Broyles Award Honoree Dinner to be held on Sunday, December 3 in Little Rock. This event precedes the annual

collegiate Broyles Award ceremony.

In 2018, the Broyles Award added to its 25-year tradition of honoring the nation's best collegiate assistant football coaches through the creation of the High School Broyles Award. This award honors the top high school assistant

football coach in every participating state, projecting their excellence onto the national stage.

The Broyles Award was created in 1996 recognizing Coach Frank Broyles' legacy of selecting and developing great assistants during his almost two decades as head coach at Arkansas.

Westfield player, coach at North South Tennis Cup

The REPORTER

A Westfield senior player and her coach will compete at the 2023 ICGSA North South Senior Tennis All-Star Cup next weekend.

The Shamrocks' Alana Raymond was one of 12 players selected to play on the North Team. Westfield coach Trudy Coler is one of the three coaches on the North squad.

The All-Star Cup takes place June 11 at Commu-

nity Sports & Wellness in Pendleton. Both the North and South teams were selected by the ICGSA selection committee. The event begins at 10:10 a.m. with each player competing in three rounds. The event will honor senior players from across the state who have excelled on the tennis courts. The teams will be coached by the 2022 ICGSA District Coaches of the Year.

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'Rocks Rugby teams dominate at state



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This past weekend at the Rugby Indiana state tournament, the girls and boys Shamrocks Rugby Club were crowned Rugby Indiana Division 2 Challenge Cup Champions. The girls defeated Pendleton 88-0 on Saturday, and the boys defeated Homestead 17-5 on Monday. With the girls team being reorganized less than two years ago and the boys team graduating 12 seniors last year, these accomplishments are monumental.

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A lot of famous race car drivers have come from the state of Indiana.

There are two more up-and-coming drivers who hope to add their names to that list in the near future.

"Open-wheel racing always had my heart," said USF2000 driver Al Morey IV. "I'd watch IndyCar and Formula 1 with my dad."

Morey is a student at Hamilton Southeastern High School in Fishers. He competes in USF2000

presented by Cooper Tires. That series is on the "Road to Indy" ladder.

"I'd love to be in IndyCar one day," Morey said. "You know, some sports car racing, I wouldn't turn down. A lot of my friends actually have done some European sports cars and some American sports cars. I think that'd be a lot of fun. But ultimately, I'd like to be in IndyCar."

He's not the only central Indiana student who competes in that series because Franklin Central High School's Elliot Cox

competes with Morey in USF2000.

"I started racing when I was 5 years old," the Indianapolis high schooler said. "I originally wanted a dirt bike, but nobody in my family thought that was a good idea. So my grandpap took me to a go-kart store for the first time, bought me a go-kart and I just fell in love with it."

Both Cox and Morey competed on the Indianapolis Motor Speedway Road Course and the Lucas Oil Indianapolis Raceway Park oval in May.

"I couldn't be more thankful to be here," Cox said. "Couldn't be more thankful for the opportunities I have. I just love it."

Morey is currently 11th in the championship standings, while Cox is one spot behind him in 12th.



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Noblesville’s Luke Almodovar & Lyza Saunders commit to college teams



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(ABOVE LEFT) Noblesville’s Luke Almodovar has committed to play basketball at the University of Saint Francis. (Front row, from left) Dan Buckland (grandfather), Luke Almodovar, and Chris Buckland (grandmother). (Back row, from left) Scott McClelland (Noblesville Boys Basketball Head Coach) and Jill Almodovar (mother). (ABOVE RIGHT) Lyza Saunders has committed to the University of Missouri cheerleading team. (Front row, from left) Melissa Saunders (mother), Lyza Saunders, and Scott Saunders (father). (Back row, from left) Ali Alvey (Noblesville Cheerleading Co-Head Coach), Susan Rosenberg (grandmother), Carli Saunders (sister), Lexie Saunders (sister), and Crystal Scott (Noblesville Cheerleading Co-Head Coach).

Sogility to showcase new outdoor turf this summer

The REPORTER

With summer slowly approaching, Sogility’s outdoor turf adds more space to host training sessions, leagues and other events. The outdoor turf is 18,000 square feet. It was installed on the backside of Sogility’s 13,000-square-foot indoor facility, which was finalized in August 2022. “Adding the outdoor space will add to our abilities to help train players. We look forward to adding new

programming to utilize the additional space, finishing and goalkeeper training,” states the CEO of Sogility, Jimmy Carson. A 6v6-style field is an excellent entry point for coaches to teach players about formations. Goalkeepers have more opportunities to practice facing crosses and aerial balls than they do in 5-a-side games. From June 19 through July 28, the turf will host Sogility’s 6v6 High School Outdoor Leagues. The three

separate leagues are boys Tuesday nights, girls Thursday nights and co-ed Friday nights. For more information on Sogility’s new outdoor turf and leagues visit sogility.net or email info@sogility.net. **About Sogility** Sogility’s mission is to increase soccer players’ skills, confidence, and physical development with personalized training through the use of technology and individualized data monitoring.



SPORTS SCHEDULE

Friday, June 2
BOYS TRACK
IHSAA state finals, 3 p.m. at Indiana University
TENNIS STATE QUARTERFINALS
At Carmel, noon
Sullivan vs. Fishers
Delta vs. Carmel

Saturday, June 3
BASEBALL
Regional 4 championship
Hamilton Southeastern vs. Harrison,
3 p.m. at Lafayette Jefferson
BOYS LACROSSE
Class 2A state championship game
Carmel vs. Hamilton Southeastern, 3:30 p.m. at Roncalli
GIRLS LACROSSE
Class 2A state championship game
Carmel vs. Guerin Catholic,
4:30 p.m. at Heritage Christian
GIRLS TRACK
IHSAA state finals, 3 p.m. at Indiana University
UNIFIED TRACK
IHSAA state finals, 11 a.m. at Indiana University

Monday, June 5
GOLF SECTIONALS
Carmel, Guerin Catholic, Sheridan, University,
Westfield at Ulen Country Club, 9 a.m.
Fishers, Hamilton Heights, Hamilton Southeastern,
Noblesville at Harbour Trees, 9 a.m.

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