



Lt. Shultz thanks Duke Energy for helping him serve his country

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Lieutenant Jon Shultz is a reservist in the Army National Guard. Shultz is both a marksman who has competed at the national level in the Guard and a medevac pilot who flies Blackhawk helicopters. He is also a Duke Energy district engineering working out of the Noblesville Operations Center.

Because of the level of unquestioning support he gets from his supervisors and co-workers, the Office of the Secretary of Defense Employer Support of the Guard and Reserve (ESGR) recently awarded Bill Oldham and Zach Wright with Patriotic Employer recognition.

The Reporter sat down with Shultz, Oldham, Wright and Duke Energy Government and Community Relations Manager Mark LaBarr to talk about the award and the many roles Shultz fills for his country and his



(From left) Lt. Jon Shultz, Zach Wright, Mark LaBarr, and Bill Oldham took a moment to pose for The Reporter's outside Duke Energy's Noblesville Operations Center.

company.

"From time to time, he [Shultz] is called into duty somewhere that takes him away from his job," LaBarr told The Reporter. "His peers and his

leaders cover for him while he's away and he can be confident that his job is still here for him when he returns."

Given that Shultz is both an officer and a pilot, sometimes

his ongoing training for the military can be both time-intensive and scheduling changes can be a challenge.

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Love it or let it go?

This has been the summer of purging and cleaning out at the Little House on the Alley. It's been brutal. My brain tells me to let go, but my heart tells me to keep it.

You need to understand I have an even littler house on the alley a few blocks from my house. It is the house where I grew up. The first place I knew what it felt like to be loved was in that 1950s National Home. It, and others like it, were built for factory workers. Tucked inside are things people would call antique and vintage. I call them memories.

A few weeks ago, my grandson, Matthew, and his family moved to Northwest Illinois for a job promotion. This left the house empty . . . or so I thought. While

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Noblesville Rotary makes largest ever donation to Ivy Tech scholarship fund

The REPORTER

The Rotary Club of Noblesville held its annual scholarship breakfast last Thursday at Ginger's Café in Noblesville.

For the past six years, the club has dedicated the proceeds from its primary fundraiser, the BrewBQ, to support students at Ivy Tech. Marking its biggest contribution ever, the Rotary Club presented a check for \$20,000 to the Ivy Tech Hamilton County scholarship fund. This money will cover the full cost of one semester of tuition for up to eight students.

"We believe in the power of education to transform lives," Club President Carrie Dixon said. "To us this isn't a donation, but rather an investment in the future of Hamilton County. Our BrewBQ exceeded all expectations, and we are humbled to be able to support so many of our local students."

The 2023 BrewBQ was attended by more than 500 local

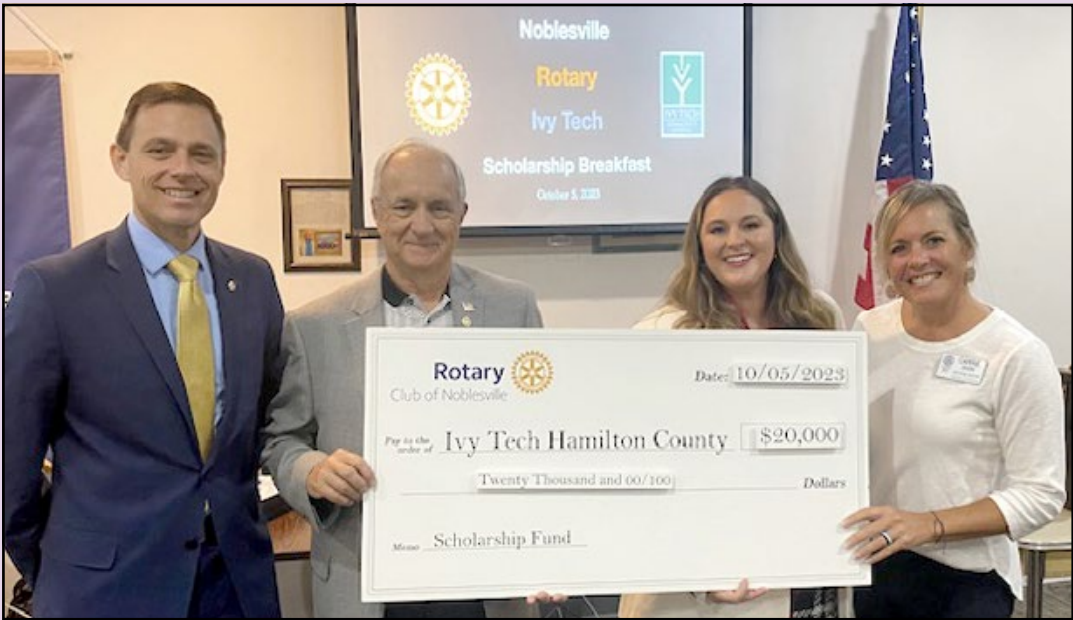


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(From left) Rotary District Treasurer Jack Kreman, Noblesville Rotarian Jeff Derda, Ivy Tech Hamilton County Director of Development Kathryn Shema, and Noblesville Rotary Club President Carrie Dixon.

residents. The single largest amateur barbecue competition in central Indiana, the BrewBQ has become the high-

light of the summer schedule for many grillers.

The 2024 BrewBQ is already scheduled for Aug. 17,

2024. To enter a grill team or learn how you can support the scholarship fund, please email noblesvillerotary@gmail.com.

Lilly Endowment awards \$675K grant to Brooke's Place to support central Indiana youth living with grief

The REPORTER

Brooke's Place for Grieving Young People, Inc. has received a grant of \$675,436 from Lilly Endowment Inc. to help significantly expand programs and services to support youth living with grief in central Indiana.

The program is being funded through Lilly Endowment's initiative, Strengthening Youth Programs in Indiana. The aim of the competitive initiative is to help youth-serving organizations working throughout In-

diana improve their abilities to promote the academic, physical, and social well-being of young people, ages 5 through 18.

Brooke's Place is central Indiana's only organization addressing the need for ongoing and comprehensive support services for children and families living with grief. This grant will support the nonprofit's plan to greatly extend the reach of its services to additional grieving youth in central Indiana, proactively serving diverse popu-

lations and young people who have fewer resources and options to address their grief.

The funding will facilitate the expansion of ongoing grief support groups, Camp Healing Tree, family grief expression days, and the provision of care packages to the recently bereaved. Additionally, it will enable the organization to increase marketing efforts to create greater understanding about childhood grief in the community.

"This grant represents an

incredible opportunity for Brooke's Place, and we are poised and committed to expanding our support programs and increasing our capacity to serve more grieving children and families in Central Indiana," said Theresa Brun, Executive Director of Brooke's Place. "The support of Lilly Endowment will enable Brooke's Place to recruit additional volunteers, create additional community

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IHSAA sanctions Fishers basketball

The REPORTER

The Fishers High School boys basketball program is on probation through the summer of 2024 as a result of a findings by the Indiana High School Athletic Association (IHSAA) Executive Committee on Thursday, Oct. 5 that a former coach violated IHSAA recruitment rules.

According to the IHSAA, the violation concerns Rule 20-1: "Recruiting a prospective student-athlete prior to the student's enrollment at Fishers High School."

Fishers High School Athletic Director Rob Seymour told The Reporter the school did its own investigation at the IHSAA's request.

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Go Purple with Prevail!

During October, The Reporter is recognizing Domestic Violence Prevention Month by Going Purple with Prevail, Inc. As a Hamilton County-based nonprofit, Prevail advocates for victims of crime and abuse. Everyone is invited to take part in the "Go Purple" campaign by wearing purple and letting victims know they aren't alone.

Today's Fact
One in 15 children are exposed to intimate partner violence each year, and 90 percent of those children are eyewitnesses.

Learn how you can Go Purple with Prevail at prevailinc.org.

Worship the god of comedy with Carmel Community Players

By **STU CLAMPITT**
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The Carmel Community Players (CCP) are stepping out of their comfort zone with their latest production by staging a local writer's work, and the gods are pleased.

Amused was written by local playwright Megan Ann Jacobs and will be on stage Oct. 13 to 22 at The Switch Theatre, 10029 E. 126th St., Fishers. The show is being directed by Kelly Keller, who was kind enough to speak with The Reporter about this very human tale featuring the Greek god of comedy.

This is the first time anyone in Indiana will see the full play. A short version was previously staged at Indy Fringe.

"The story itself is about a Muse," Keller told The Reporter. "He is a second-generation Muse and during the play he tells the story how he became a second-generation Muse. The original Muses were women. They got fed up with humanity and decided to stop and he was one of the ones that replaced them."

In this show, the Muse has been working with an older woman – an author with whom the Muse has collaborated on several books during her career. Before she dies with one last book in progress, she asks the Muse to find a new human to inspire to finish her work.

"He stays in the apartment that the woman that passed away lived in," Keller said. "He meets a new wom-

an. He chases off a whole bunch of people before the new woman shows up. They interact and there are a lot of humorous scenes where he introduces her to the fact that he's a Muse and he makes himself unavailable and invisible to certain people. Eventually he becomes her Muse."

Keller met Megan Ann Jacobs when he was an actor in a different play she had written. She gave him a copy of the script for Amused as a gift, and Keller enjoyed it enough to submit it to the CCP board for consideration.

"Megan writes great scripts," Keller said. "This one has got quite a bit of humor to it. It's a tough subject, but it also has a lot of humor."

Keller is calling this the equivalent of a PG production due to the

nature of the work.

I think it's family-friendly," Keller said. "I think the only part that is a little challenging is one of the characters passes away, but there's nothing, you know, vulgar about it. She is on a couch and the lights go down, so you never really see anything. She just disappears."

If you like a heartfelt story with a bit of humor along the way (it is about the god of comedy being melancholy, after all) or if you want to see a community theater company performing the work of a local author, then this is the play for you.

Get amused with CCP between Oct. 13 and 22 at The Switch Theatre, 10029 E. 126th St., Fishers. Call (317) 815-9378 or go online to CarmelPlayers.org for tickets.


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Downtown Noblesville business builds video from the ground up

By **STU CLAMPITT**
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Ground Level Studios by Adam Grubb Media lives up to its name in more ways than one.

Located at 210 N. 10th St., Suite 40, Noblesville, it is literally on the ground level. You walk down a few steps to get to the entrance, where you will have an almost eye-level view of the sidewalk.

It is also a space for people to get in on the ground level of media production with no investment on equipment or studio space other than a very clear tiered monthly fee that provides access to the Ground Level Studios producers, studio sets, video production and editing services, podcast recording and other services.

Think of it like a co-working space for streaming media.

On Wednesday, Oct. 4, Adam Grubb and his team introduced themselves to the community with an open house at their 10th

Reporter photo by Stu Clampitt
It was a full house when Ground Level Studios let the public come in to see the magic behind the lens.

Street location.

Guests included local elected officials, the Noblesville Chamber of Commerce, business owners, clients, potential clients, and members of the public.

“Our ideal client is a small business that that knows they need video,” Grubb told The Reporter. “They know they need content, but they don’t have the time, they don’t have the resources and they don’t have the equipment to do that.”

According to Grubb, that content could range from human resources to employee training creating content and video for promoting their business.

“We have directors and producers,” Grubb said. “They’re going to create the content for clients. They just show up we record we edit and off they go! It’s a membership base, so they know exactly what they’re getting – what they have access to.”

You can learn more about Ground Level Studios by Adam Grubb Media online at agmgroundlevel.com.

County Health Department invests in EKG simulator

The REPORTER

The Hamilton County Health Department has purchased and deployed a new EKG simulator designed to train fire and emergency medical teams throughout Hamilton County.

The state-of-the-art device replicates the functionality of an electrocardiogram (EKG) machine, providing fire and EMS professionals with a realistic platform to practice interpreting and analyzing EKG readings.

“This device will help first responders improve their diagnostic skills and decision-making abilities,” said Christian Walker, the Health Department’s public health preparedness coordinator. “By mimicking the various cardiac rhythms and abnormalities that medical professionals encounter in the field in a safe and controlled environment, it can improve health outcomes.”

The simulator guides users through different scenarios and analyzes their performance, providing detailed feedback and performance metrics.

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The simulator guides users through different scenarios and analyzes their performance, providing detailed feedback and performance metrics.

“It allows us to identify areas for improvement and track our progress over time,” Cicero Fire Chief Lance Overholser said. “The machine provides us a safe and realistic environment to refine our interpretation skills and should ultimately lead to more accurate diagnoses and improved patient care.”

The lightweight, portable machine cost over \$9,000 and was funded through a public health preparedness grant. It will be housed at the Cicero Fire Department but shared by all eight of Hamilton County’s fire departments.

“Training devices like these help us provide the best patient care we can,” Chief Overholser added. “And in sharing it, you know you’ll get the same quality care no matter where you live in Hamilton County.”

Walker

Overholser

County Health Dept. to hold QPR class to raise awareness about suicide prevention

The REPORTER

Fresh off Suicide Prevention Month, the Hamilton County Health Department will play host to a free QPR Training at 6 p.m. on Wednesday, Oct. 18 at Trinity Free Clinic in Carmel.

QPR stands for Question, Persuade, and Refer. The event aims to raise awareness about suicide prevention and equip community members with the knowledge and skills necessary to help those in crisis.

“Knowing how to listen and what to ask a person in crisis could save a life,” said Jim Ginder, health education

specialist. “Most people in crisis just need someone to listen to them. This class teaches non-judgmental listening techniques and the critical questions to ask someone considering suicide.”

Students in the QPR training will learn how to recognize the signs of suicide, engage with individuals in crisis, and connect them to appropriate resources and support.

“One of the toughest questions you may ever

ask someone is if they’re considering suicide,” Ginder added. “But it’s critical that you ask. It’s a common misconception that asking the question will give someone the idea to take their life. That’s simply not true. By the time someone is seriously considering suicide, they’ve been thinking about it for many months and maybe years.”

All Hamilton County residents are invited and encouraged to attend the training. Pre-registration is required due to limited space. Please visit ow.ly/TSlc50PRzfn to register for the class.

“Everyone has the ability to reduce the number of lives lost to suicide,” Ginder said. “Together, we can raise awareness, reduce stigma, and work towards a healthier, safer community.”

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Wilson Farm Market lives on

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The Indiana Department of Transportation (INDOT) has reportedly withdrawn its interest in filing eminent domain on the land under Wilson Farm Market, 720 E. 256th St., Arcadia. INDOT's original plan would have replaced this beloved business with a cul-de-sac. The new plan may place a cul-de-sac beside the market, but owner Scott Wilson says that is not enough and the fight is not over. “We’re not really fighting for our building,” Wilson said in a Facebook Live video. “We’re fighting for an exchange out here at 256th Street.”

According to Wilson, he and others still want an exchange at the intersection, rather than a cul-de-sac without access to U.S. 31. Wilson said there are various reasons for that including public safety and school access. “It’s really not about the building; it never has been,” Wilson said. “It’s about the need for an exchange for the township, for the public safety of those in the township, for the public safety of the school. Of course, those higher up than us don’t see that.” Wilson was clear that the plan to demolish the business for U.S. 31 projects was



Photo provided by Wilson Farm Market

neither an idea that came from nor was supported by Hamilton County officials. Wilson called on Facebook viewers and the market’s supporters to email INDOT and local public safety agencies, the school board and their other elected officials to push for support to build an exchange at the intersection instead of turning it into a cul-de-sac. “This township needs an exchange,” Wilson said. “We’re not going anywhere, and I’m gonna keep raising all kinds of hell.”

Hamilton County Prosecutor’s Office launches Special Victims’ Team

Team will seek justice for victims of sexual assault, domestic violence & child abuse

The REPORTER

The Hamilton County Prosecutor's Office has launched a Special Victims' Team (SVT) in an effort to provide justice for victims of sexual assault, domestic violence, child abuse, and other related crimes. The SVT is comprised of a highly trained and specialized team of prosecutors and support staff who will collaborate to address the unique needs of victims in these sensitive cases. The initiative underscores the Hamilton County Prosecutor's commitment to prioritize the safety and well-being of its community members. “The creation of the Special Victims' Team is a significant step forward in our ongoing efforts to provide the highest level of care and support to survivors of sexual assault, domestic violence, and child abuse in our community,” Hamilton County Prosecutor Greg Garrison said. “This special-

ized unit will enable us to better investigate, prosecute, and support victims, ensuring they receive the justice they deserve.” Hamilton County’s SVT is made up of three sex crimes deputy prosecutors, two domestic violence deputy prosecutors, a victim assistant, and a secretary. Its members have undergone specialized training to effectively handle the unique challenges presented by cases like these. “Our team is here to ensure survivors receive the support they need throughout the legal process, from reporting the crime to the resolution of their cases,” says Rachel Jefferson, Deputy Prosecuting Attorney and supervisor of the SVT. “These crimes often go unreported due to the sensitive nature of the cases and the fear and trauma experienced by survivors. We hope the creation of this team will better educate the public, encourage reporting, and



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(Center front) Rachel Jefferson (sex crimes deputy prosecutor and SVT supervisor). (Back row, from left) Mary Hutchison (sex crimes deputy prosecutor), Elizabeth Pagel (sex crimes deputy prosecutor), Shari Blessing (domestic violence deputy prosecutor), and Jana Teter (domestic violence deputy prosecutor). improve case outcomes so survivors and better hold of- we can seek justice for these fenders accountable.”

Community News

Christ Lutheran Church of Noblesville to hold Trunk-or-Treat

Christ Lutheran Church, 10055 E. 186th St., Noblesville, will hold a Trunk-or-Treat event from 5 to 8 p.m. on Saturday, Oct. 28.

Noblesville teacher Andrew Wilkins earns national STEM honor

The REPORTER

Noblesville Schools announced last Thursday that Noblesville High School (NHS) teacher Andrew Wilkins has been nationally recognized with an Outstanding Teacher Award from Project Lead the Way (PLTW). The science, technology, engineering, and math (STEM) organization awarded the distinction to only 38 educators in the United States in recognition of the teachers’ transformative college and career classroom learning experiences. Wilkins has been an NHS educator for over 18 years and is currently an engineering teacher and chair of the NHS Applied STEM department. Under his leadership, PLTW student enrollment has grown by 140 percent, and NHS has been recognized for six consecutive years as a national PLTW distinguished school. Wilkins is also responsible for earning NHS over \$400,000 in funding to expand STEM pathways and has developed strong relationships with area STEM businesses and organiza-

tions in support of students. “Andy is a strong education leader who is passionate about growing students’ abilities to succeed in the careers of today and tomorrow,” said Dr. Craig McCaffrey, principal of Noblesville High School. “We are so fortunate that he chooses to share his gifts with our students and are proud to see him recognized in this way.” In addition to dozens of traditional math and science courses, Noblesville Schools offers 17 different PLTW courses across all grade levels K-12 with students exploring robotics, biomedical, cybersecurity, aerospace engineering, construction, energy, weather and much more. All 10 of the district’s schools are recognized as PLTW Distinguished Schools, with Noblesville High School and Noblesville East Middle School receiving the top national honor for six years in a row. Wilkins holds a bachelor’s degree in mathematics education from Taylor University and a master’s in education from Indiana Wesleyan University.



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Cook named Noble Crossing principal

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Noblesville Schools announced last Tuesday the promotion of Renee Cook to the role of principal of Noble Crossing Elementary, pending formal board approval on Oct. 24.

Cook will replace Pat Haney, who recently announced his departure to lead the East Central Educational Services Center after serving Noblesville Schools for over 25 years.

Cook brings 16 years of

experience in education, including her most recent role as the assistant principal of Noble Crossing Elementary since 2017.

“Renee has been a strong partner in leading Noble Crossing for the last six years and is more than ready to step into this next level,” said Dr. Heather Hendrich, assistant superintendent of human re-



Cook

sources and safety for Noblesville Schools. “I’m confident she will continue to guide Noble Crossing to even greater heights.”

“Pat Haney has made a lasting impact on me and our whole school community and we are all so incredibly grateful for his service to Noble Crossing,” Cook said. “I am truly humbled

to take on this new opportunity and excited to continue the great work that our team has accomplished together to best serve our students, staff and families.”

Cook is a Noblesville resident and has three children who attend Noble Crossing Elementary. She holds a master’s degree in Educational Administration from Ball State University and a bachelor’s degree in Elementary Education from Indiana University.



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IHSAA

“We were asked by the IHSAA to have an investigation of our boys basketball program in regards to a recruitment violation and we did a thorough investigation,” Seymour said. “Through that investigation, we found that one of our former coaches had violated a recruitment by-law by the IHSAA. Once we concluded our investigation, then yes, we did give our findings back to the IHSAA.”

The IHSAA calls this probation “a severe type of warning. It is official no-

tice that unacceptable and serious violations have occurred, are a matter of record and future incidents by the head coach, assistant coaches, or any individual involved in the Fishers program may result in the team being suspended from future IHSAA Boys Basketball Tournament(s).”

Head Coach Garrett Winegar and former Assistant Coach Derrick Williams were both placed on probation through the summer of 2024.

IHSAA commissioner Paul Neidig confirmed the

Fishers violation was committed by someone who is not with the program anymore.

“Fishers was forthcoming with information and placed on probation,” Neidig said.

Given Fishers’ openness and compliance with IHSAA requests, it appears unlikely there will be further incidents or sanctions.

By way of comparison, the Heritage Christian boys basketball program is in a much more difficult situation.

The IHSAA has found

that program guilty of violating both Rule 20-1, “Recruiting transfer students prior to their enrollment to Heritage Christian,” and Rule 20-2, “Allowing student-athletes to participate on the boys varsity basketball team after transferring with a past link to the program.”

That school must vacate all its wins for the 2021-22 and 2022-23 seasons, may not participate in any tournament during their probation period of at least one year, and faces various other sanctions, some of which are financial.

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awareness about the ramifications of unresolved childhood grief, and help more children, teens, and young adults and their families to thrive in the midst of grief.”

Brooke’s Place is one of 187 organizations receiving grants through Strengthening Youth Programs in Indiana.

“Indiana’s youth-serving organizations are crucial to the healthy development of children and youth across the state,” said Ted Maple, Lilly Endowment’s vice president for education. “The challenges these organizations have faced in meeting the needs of young

people in recent years have made their work increasingly difficult. Lilly Endowment is pleased to support their efforts to strengthen programs and serve more youth more effectively.”

Lilly Endowment launched Strengthening Youth Programs in Indiana Initiative in 2022 with an invitational round of grants to nine national youth-serving organizations to help them expand and enhance the work of their Indiana affiliates or chapters.

About Brooke’s Place for Grieving Young People, Inc.

Established in 1999,

Brooke’s Place provides ongoing grief support groups, therapy services, and community education to empower children, teens, young adults, and their families to thrive in the midst of grief. For the last 24 years, Brooke’s Place has served more than 27,000 individuals. With an estimated 73,000 children expected to go through the death of a loved one in central Indiana before the age of 20, there will always be an ongoing need in our community for the programs provided at Brooke’s Place. To learn more, please visit BrookesPlace.org.

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About Lilly Endowment Inc.

Lilly Endowment Inc. is a private foundation created in 1937 by J.K. Lilly Sr. and his sons Eli and J.K. Jr. through gifts of stock in their pharmaceutical business, Eli Lilly and Company. While those gifts remain the financial bedrock of the Endowment, it is a separate entity from the company, with a distinct governing board, staff, and location. Although the Endowment funds programs throughout the United States, especially in the field of religion, it maintains a special commitment to its hometown, Indianapolis, and home state, Indiana.

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“Being in the National Guard, we’re still a part of the military in the Department of Defense,” Shultz said. “We still can be called away for a deployment for a year, year and a half.”

Shultz has been with e Guard for nearly ten years and with Duke for almost two years.

“I’ve been away on orders four times for anywhere from one week to up to six weeks,” Shultz said. “But I’m also a medevac pilot as well. And so frequently throughout the month – typically it’s about two to three days a month – I’m going up and flying during the work

week as well. That’s on top of our drill weekend.”

According to Zach Wright, Shultz is very good about keeping Duke informed of his shifting schedule.

“But what happens, just like any other organization, sometimes the military cancels that week because it’s just not going to work or whatever, and it’s going to be rescheduled,” Wright said. “And sometimes it is last minute or within the week, it pops back up and that’s when we work to make adjustments.”

While those quick adjustments do happen, they

are not frequent.

“The only one that I really remember, like the quick turnaround, was when you qualified for that shooting competition,” Oldham said. “And that was a pretty quick turnaround.”

Schultz was in a shooting competition with the National Guard last fall at the state level. He did well enough that they allowed him to go to the national level.

“It was in the middle of April that I got told about it and the competition was the first week of May,” Shultz said. “Just two weeks ago I was scheduled to go fly on a Thursday afternoon and I found out Wednesday afternoon the day before that training was canceled. Then rescheduled for the next Wednesday. It was just kind of a last-minute change all of a sudden.”

All this is in addition to Shultz’s work as a Duke district engineer serving the Westfield area.

Duke has a veteran hiring mission because, according to LaBarr, they see great value in both the skills these workers bring to the job and also in supporting the American military – which, in the Army’s case, is made up of over 50 percent Guard and

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Reserve personnel now.

For Shultz, the support he gets goes above and beyond simple company policy, which is why he asked the Pentagon for recognition for his supervisors.

“ESGR is an organization with the Pentagon that is specifically there to help support the soldiers and airmen that are in the Guard and the Reserve,” Shultz said. “They provide resources such as, hey, you have a soldier that’s getting ready to go on a deployment or returning from a deployment. Another piece of what they do is what we did for Zach and Bill doing employer recognition. The big picture with Duke is that I’ve been really appreciative of their support. They give me hours, 120 hours a year that I can report military training. More of a small picture, looking at my environment around me, Zach, and Bill have both been super supportive and just letting me take time off to go meet those requirements for the military. And I just I very much appreciate that. Duke is just such a good team environment where I can definitely count on my co-workers and my teammates to help cover for me while I’m gone.”



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Ensuring integrity of our local elections



The Hamilton County Election Board recently conducted a random test of the county’s voting machines. A total of 5 percent of the 500 machines were selected for testing. These tests are performed prior to the start of early voting in each election. In Hamilton County, early voting begins Wednesday, Oct. 11 for the Nov. 7 general election. See the information below for complete times, dates, and locations.

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Early voting starts this week in Hamilton County

Noblesville
Judicial Center, 1 Hamilton Co. Square

- Oct. 11 to 13: 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.
- Oct. 16 to 20: 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.
- Oct. 23 to 27: 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.
- Oct. 28: 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.
- Oct. 30 to Nov. 3: 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.
- Nov. 4: 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.
- Nov. 6: 8 a.m. to noon

4-H Fairgrounds, 2003 Pleasant St.

- Oct. 11 to 13: 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.
- Oct. 16 to 20: 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.
- Oct. 23 to 28: 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.
- Oct. 30 to Nov. 4: 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.
- Nov. 6: 8 a.m. to noon

Carmel
Wilfong Pavilion, 1675 Hazel Dell Pkwy., Building A & Jill Perelman Pavilion, 3000 W 116th St.

- Oct. 25 & 26: 2 to 7 p.m.
- Oct. 27 & 28: 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.
- Nov. 1 & 2: 2 to 7 p.m.
- Nov. 3 & 4: 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Fishers
Roy G. Holland Memorial Park Building, 1 Park Drive & Billericay Park Building, 12690 Promise Road

- Oct. 25 & 26: 2 to 7 p.m.
- Oct. 27 & 28: 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.
- Nov. 1 & 2: 2 to 7 p.m.
- Nov. 3 & 4: 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Westfield
Westfield City Hall, 130 Penn St. & Cool Creek Nature Center, 2000-1 E. 151st St.

- Oct. 25 & 26: 2 to 7 p.m.
- Oct. 27 & 28: 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.
- Nov. 1 & 2: 2 to 7 p.m.
- Nov. 3 & 4: 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Any voter registered in Hamilton County can vote early in-person. No application is necessary. Bring your ID (Indiana Driver’s License, Indiana State ID, U.S. Passport, or U.S. Military ID).

If you need to check the status of your voter registration, visit [IndianaVoters.com](#). You can also call the Hamilton County Elections Office at (317) 776-8476.

All mailed-in and dropped-off absentee ballots must be received by the Elections Office in Noblesville on or before 6 p.m. on Election Day.

Noblesville school shooter released

By GREGG MONTGOMERY
WISH-TV | [wistv.com](#)

The Noblesville middle school shooter was to be released from the Hamilton County Juvenile Center. A Hamilton County court says the now-18-year-old has reached the statutory time limit.

He will be closely moni-

tored by GPS and be unable to use computers unless they can be monitored by a probation officer. He is also not allowed to visit college or school campuses without prior approval.

The shooter, whose name has never been publicly released, shot a classmate and teacher in 2018 when he was 13 years old.

Noblesville BZA approves Beaver gravel pit project

The REPORTER
Editor’s note: On Oct. 2, City of Noblesville Press Secretary Robert Herrington released the following statement.

The City of Noblesville Board of Zoning Appeals has voted to approve the Beaver Materials’ land use variance application with a 3-2 vote at tonight’s [Monday, Oct. 2] meeting.

City staff’s focus was on reviewing the petition, remonstrance, and associated materials and ensuring that procedural requirements were adhered to and all interested persons had

an opportunity to have their voices heard. The approved land use variance includes several conditions that have to be followed during excavation and transporting activities on the site, including a prohibition on blasting or the use of explosives, site watering to limit dust pollution, and timing limitations.

Because the proposal is a land use variance, this item will not go before the city’s plan commission or common council. Final decisions of the board are subject to judicial review in superior court as provided by applicable state law.

Sheridan & Adams Township explore reorganization into single unit of government

The REPORTER
The Sheridan Town Council and the Adams Township Advisory Board have taken the first steps toward exploring reorganizing into a single unit of local government.

“The Town of Sheridan and Adams Township are a single community, in large part because of our school corporation,” Sheridan Town Council President Silas DeVaney III said. “We feel it is in the best interest of our community to explore how reorganizing into a single unit of government can best serve our community well into the future.

Adams Township Trustee Michelle Junkins agrees.

“This is a major step first step in the process of planning for the growth and impacts spurred by the investments along the U.S. 31 corridor,” Junkins said.

Indiana law allows two or more local government units to explore combining services to operate more efficiently by eliminating restrictions under existing law. The process required by law includes a fiscal analysis, redefinition of the service levels, establishment of new boundaries, and voter approval before a reorganization can take effect.

“We look forward to the work ahead as we collaborate with our fellow elected officials and the communi-

ty,” DeVaney said.

Junkins reiterated the effort can only be approved by voters.

“The Sheridan community is unique, and we want to be able to control our destiny,” Junkins said. “Our community will have the final say whether we reorganize.”

Both Town and Township officials will coordinate the creation of a committee that will gather data and produce a plan that voters can review and ultimately vote on whether to approve.

For further information, please email sdevaney@sheridan.in.gov or michelle@adamstownship.net.

Indiana Public Access Counselor: HEPL board coffee shop meeting violated Open Door Law

The REPORTER
Hamilton East Public Library (HEPL) Board Secretary Ray Maddalone has resigned.

The resignation came only hours after Indiana Public Access Counselor Luke H. Britt issued an opinion that Maddalone, then-board president Laura Alerding, and two attorneys from Barnes and Thornburg violated Indiana’s Open Door Law by meeting in a coffee shop in August to discuss HEPL business.

On Tuesday, Aug. 15, at a Noblesville School Board meeting, the board chose to replace Alerding as one of their appointments to the HEPL board with Noblesville High School English teacher Bill Kenley. Alerding’s term on the HEPL board expired on Aug. 26. Her last meeting as president of the HEPL board was on Aug. 24.

One of the items on the agenda at the Aug. 24 HEPL board meeting was the appointment of new officers.

On Aug. 18, Maddalone, Alerding, and Barnes and Thornburg attorneys Mark Crandley and Chris Greisl were observed meeting in a coffee shop and were reportedly discussing the upcoming board meeting about appointment of new officers.

At the time, Alerding

and Maddalone were two members of the three-member nominating committee on the HEPL board.

According to Public Access Counselor Britt, “Since official action under the ODL [Open Door Law] includes discussion and deliberation, if the issue of officer positions was indeed broached by Maddalone, an Open Door Law violation occurred because public notice was not given of the discussion and two-thirds of the Nominating Committee was present.”

Britt’s official opinion goes on to say that while his office cannot order sworn testimony or authenticate evidence, “the totality of the circumstances make it nearly impossible to conclude that the discussion did not involve – at least in part – HEPL Nominating Committee business.”

Britt’s opinion, which can be read in its entirety at [readthereporter.com/Public_Files/23-FC-79.pdf](#), also states, “Ultimately, it simply strains credulity that the purpose of the coffee shop get-together was not, at least to some degree, for the purpose of planning for officer vacancies and consider potential nominations.”

Britt’s opinion concludes that and ODL viola-

tion did occur and recommends that the HEPL board and all its committees act in accordance with both the law and his official opinion in the future.

Maddalone was appointed to the HEPL board by the

Being proactive about state’s Open Door Law

Prior to Maddalone’s resignation from the HEPL board, current board president Tiffanie Ditlevson reached out to The Reporter and other media with the following statement about the Open Door Law violation and how, under her tenure, she will work to ensure nothing like this happens in the future.

We appreciate the opinion of the Public Legal Counsel. I can assure the patrons, stakeholders, parents, and taxpayers that this information is received in the highest regard and corrective measures are planned.

The HEPL Board of



Ditlevson

Trustees will participate in a full day of training on 16 October 2023, to include Open Door Law training. We will ensure we will follow both the law and spirit of the law as we work to serve the entire HEPL community.

I am certain the heightened attention of all board members will ensure the recommendation of the Public Legal Counselor is wholeheartedly followed. We concur with his statement: “This office recommends the HEPL Board, and all related committees act in accordance with the law and this opinion going forward.”

Bicentennial Bash tickets available now

The REPORTER
As the ultimate celebration of 2023, the Hamilton County Bicentennial Commission will hold the Bicentennial Bash to round out an incredible year of 200th anniversary happenings. This free, open-house style event is family-friendly and designed to celebrate all that Hamilton County has to offer.

The event will take place from 1 to 5 p.m. on Dec. 3 at Ivy Tech Hamilton County, 300 N. 17th St., Noblesville.

Here is some of what will be available:

- Free food
- Live music
- Short film commemorating the Bicentennial year
- Free raffle - to get more tickets, bring canned goods

to the event benefiting the Hamilton County Harvest Food Bank

- Art show in partnership with Nickel Plate Arts that includes commissioned works from the Bicentennial book, *200 Years of Change: Celebrating Hamilton County, Indiana*
- Displays from non-profits around the coun-

ty, many of whom hosted Bicentennial events

- Fun photo opportunities
- Limited-edition merchandise including the Bicentennial book
- Free giveaways

Free tickets are available online at [HamCoTurns200.com](#). Tickets required for entry, so get yours before they’re gone.

Hamilton County’s own Mark Heirbrandt honored as Commissioner of the Year

The REPORTER
Hamilton County Commissioner Mark Heirbrandt was awarded “County Commissioner of the Year” at the Association of Indiana Counties’ (AIC) annual conference. This prestigious award celebrates dedication and exceptional service.

“Commissioner Heirbrandt’s accomplishments truly stand out among the rest,” AIC Executive Director David Bottorff said. “This award reflects his outstanding contributions and his tireless commitment to his county.”

This is Heirbrandt’s second award recognizing his unwavering passion for improving Hamilton County and the lives of the people he encounters every day. In 2022, Heirbrandt was bestowed the award of “County Commissioner of the Year”

by the Indiana Association of County Commissioners (IACC).

Heirbrandt took office as Commissioner in 2013. Throughout his tenure, he has spearheaded numerous transformational county projects that have significantly impacted Hamilton County’s constituents and visitors.

One of Heirbrandt’s main initiatives is energy efficiency, and he has played an instrumental role in securing major funding and fostering extensive partnership collaborations towards this goal. Thanks to his dedication, Hamilton County taxpayers now en-



County Commissioner Mark Heirbrandt

joy a savings of \$25 million over a span of 25 years. Moreover, the county currently maintains over 600 miles of roads and more than 300 bridges.

In addition to Heirbrandt’s accomplishments, he is an active member of numerous boards and organizations, including the Indiana Association of County Commissioners (IACC), where he currently serves as President. In this capacity, Heirbrandt represents elected county commissioners from all 92 counties in Indiana and leads the IACC’s Board of Directors in shaping policies and legislative goals.

Heirbrandt’s dedication to public service extends to his involvement with organizations such as the Humane Society or Hamilton County, the Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO), the City of Westfield Public Safety Merit Board, and the Big Cicero Regional Drainage Board. His contributions have earned him recognition as Advocate of the Year by the Humane Society for Hamilton County and the Exceptional Leadership and Service Award from the Hamilton County Leadership Academy.

Under Commissioner Heirbrandt’s leadership, the Hamilton County Board of Commissioners has received five statewide awards, a testament to their outstanding accomplishments in service to the community.

Hamilton County marks National Recovery Month with anniversary of C.O.P.E.

Interagency program helps guide three dozen residents to recovery

The REPORTER

On the heels of National Recovery Month in September, the Hamilton County Council on Alcohol and Other Drugs has a lot to celebrate. The county’s Community Overdose Prevention Effort (C.O.P.E.) coalition identified and helped 35 residents battling substance use disorders get the treatment they needed in its first year being funded by a Division of Mental Health and Addiction grant.

“Our Quick Response Team is dispatched to the home of someone who has survived an overdose within 24 to 72 hours after the event,” said Program Coordinator Kelly Gunn. “The non-emergency, multidisciplinary team is made up of a law enforcement officer for safety, a medical first responder for vitals, and a peer recovery specialist who is in active recovery themselves. Together they offer to set up treatment for the person.”

Last year, 170 people were referred to C.O.P.E., the Quick Response Team

made 121 home visits, and 35 people enrolled in the program.

One of those participants, 70-year-old Marsha (name changed to protect privacy), contemplated suicide after she was arrested for drunk driving. “I’ve been an alcoholic my entire life,” she said. “I thought it was incurable and I would eventually die from the disease. I just didn’t want to live like that anymore.”

Help came in the form of a Quick Response Team.

“I looked out my window and there stood a police officer, a firefighter, and a woman,” Marsha said. “I thought they were coming back to get me, but it turns out they were there to help. If it weren’t for them, I wouldn’t be here now.”

The Quick Response Team helped Marsha find online treatment at Aspire Indiana Health. She has been sober since November. Marsha now has a network of



Gunn

tight-knit friends, goes to support meetings several times a week, and is working to repair a fractured relationship with her daughter.

“If this team shows up at your front door, please let them in,” Marsha implored. “Listen to what they have to say. You don’t have to fight for your sobriety alone. Isn’t it worth your life to give it a try?”

More than 115 members representing more than 50 agencies and businesses now support Hamilton County’s C.O.P.E. program. Peer recovery coach Jennifer Bellah says it’s that kind of support that makes it possible for individuals to recover.

“The days following an overdose are very dark days and to have a hand to reach out to and offer support can be just the help you need,” Bellah said. “I know it was for me. There is a better way and together we can offer love and support to those lost in addiction.”



Photo provided

Hamilton Heights High School September Coffee Bean Award recipients include (from left) Ethyn Huffman, Lizzy Smith, Andrea Ward, and Kegan Barr. Not pictured: Olivia Goldfarb, Riley Gillam, and Kamy Messer. Congratulations!

Hamilton Heights names Coffee Bean Award recipients for September

The REPORTER

Hamilton Heights High School recognizes the following students who were named as Coffee Bean Award recipients for the month of September. They include Kegan Barr, Riley Gillam, Olivia Goldfarb, Kamy Messer, Ethyn Huffman, Lizzy Smith, and Andrea Ward.

The name and award, inspired by *The Coffee Bean*, a

book written by Jon Gordon and Damon West, delivers a simple, yet powerful message on positive change. All students nominated receive a certificate of recognition. At the end of the month, the names of the students who were nominated during the month are included in a drawing where the first five to seven names drawn are called down to the office to

enjoy a hot chocolate or coffee and a donut.

The monthly award objective is to encourage more acts of kindness, positivity, school spirit, and help foster a closer sense of community at the high school. Students and staff can nominate students. Nomination forms can be downloaded at hhschuskie.org/d-main/82.

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Last Tuesday, the Massillamany, Jeter and Carson Law Firm gave the Fishers Police Department \$12,000 to fund the purchase and training of the department’s new K9 Archer. K9 Archer is a 16-month-old Belgian Malinois. He and his handler, K9 Officer Sam Ralph, are currently training. You’ll see Archer on the streets working narcotics and apprehension by the end of the month. Thank you to the MJC Law Firm for their partnership to help Fishers police protect and serve the community.

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(LEFT) Bassists Alrik Mansberger and Preston Retif rehearse at Indianapolis Opera. (CENTER) Cellists Carson Adams and Evan Feliciano follow Philharmonic Conductor Eric Baker’s lead during rehearsal. (RIGHT) (Front row, from left) Addison Davis, Joanna Hong, Joy Chen, and Ananya Jain. (Back row, from left) Sam Strawhacker, Owen Ludwig, and Elijah Fishback.

Hamilton County students play with Indianapolis Youth Orchestra

By AMY ADAMS
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Begun in the mid-1980s as the New World Chamber Orchestra with around 20 musicians, the Indianapolis Youth Orchestra has grown to include more than 200 students from all over the area playing in three leveled ensembles.

Selected by audition, musicians ages 9 to 18 commit to between one-and-a-half to three hours of rehearsal per week at Butler University or the Indianapolis Opera. This rehearsal comes in addition to personal lessons, practice, and participation in school music programs.

Hamilton County students playing in the 2023-24 Indianapolis Youth Orchestra include:

- In Symphony Orchestra**
 - Liam Batchelor, Double Bass, Noblesville Schools
 - Chaz Chapman, Tuba, Carmel Clay Schools
 - Ian Dugger, Viola, Hamilton Southeastern Schools
 - Charlie Epstein, Trumpet, Westfield Washington Schools
- In Philharmonic Orchestra**
 - Carson Adams, Cello, Westfield Washington Schools
 - Evan Feliciano, Cello, Noblesville Schools
 - Jackson Fuller, Violin, Hamilton Southeastern Schools
 - Arabella Kimball, Violin, Hamilton Southeastern Schools

- Audrey Ko, Violin, University High School
- Calvin Kocal, Cello, Hamilton Southeastern Schools
- Tayla Koenig, Cello, Hamilton Southeastern Schools
- Kaitlyn Probst, Double Bass, Hamilton Southeastern Schools

- Diego Rowley, Trumpet, Carmel Clay Schools
- Andrew Strawhacker, Violin, Hamilton Southeastern Schools
- Noah Strawhacker, Cello, Hamilton Southeastern Schools
- Nathan Vaught, Violin, Hamilton Southeastern Schools
- Vincent Won, Cello, Carmel Clay Schools
- Alex Woolston, Percussion, Carmel Clay Schools

- Alrik Mansberger, Double Bass, Carmel Clay Schools
- Cooper McGriff, Violin, Mission Christian Academy
- Preston Retif, Double Bass, Carmel Clay Schools

- In Concert Orchestra**
 - Joy Chen, Violin, Carmel Clay Schools
 - Addison Davis, Cello, Heritage Christian School
 - Elijah Fishback, Violin, Hamilton Southeastern Schools
 - Joanna Hong, Violin, Carmel Clay Schools
 - Ananya Jain, Cello, Carmel Clay Schools
 - Owen Ludwig, Viola, Park Tudor
 - Sam Strawhacker, Cello, Hamilton Southeastern Schools
- These students aren’t the only Hamilton County connection in IYO.
- Westfield resident Adam Bodony serves as the artistic director as well as conducting the IYO Symphony Orchestra. Johanna Kitchell, orchestra director at Riverside Intermediate and Junior High Schools in Fishers, conducts the IYO Concert Orchestra.
- This summer, Cara Pet-

tinger of Noblesville was named IYO’s new executive director. Having served as executive director of the Carmel Symphony Orchestra, Pettinger is no stranger to the role.

“I am truly excited to help continue and lead further growth of this amazing organization as we continue to develop high artistic excellence in our young musicians,” Pettinger said.

The 42nd Season Premier Concert of the IYO Symphony and Philharmonic Orchestras will be at 5 p.m. on Sunday, Oct. 29 at Hilbert Circle Theater, 45 Monument Circle, Indianapolis.

The IYO Concert Orchestra will perform at 5 p.m. on Sunday, Nov. 12, at the Frank and Katrina Basile Theater at the Indiana History Center, 450 W. Ohio St., Indianapolis.

Tickets for both events are available through the Indianapolis Symphony Orchestra Box Office at [indianapolissymphony.org/event/iyo-2-19-23](#).

The IYO is accepting late auditions until Oct. 15. Visit [indianapolisyouthorchestra.org/about/auditions](#) for more information.

Noble PC offers free PC tune-ups for Breast Cancer Awareness Month

The REPORTER

In a heartfelt move this October, Noble PC of Noblesville has announced a special initiative in honor of Breast Cancer Awareness Month, effectively intertwining technology with a cause that touches so many.

With an entire month dedicated to bringing attention to breast cancer, its impact, and the vital need for research and support, Noble PC will provide **free PC tune-ups** to the community. This initiative aims not only to ensure your computers are operating at their optimal performance but also to stand in unity with those affected, either directly or indirectly, by breast cancer.

A noble cause with Susan G. Komen
Beyond the compli-

mentary tune-ups, Noble PC takes a step further towards making a difference. A generous percentage of all sales throughout October will be donated to **Susan G. Komen for the Cure**, one of the largest and most widely-known breast cancer organizations in the United States. Through its robust research, community health, global outreach, and public policy initiatives, Susan G. Komen has made substantial impacts in the fight against breast cancer.

“We are deeply moved to partake in this significant initiative,” Noble PC Founder Nik Roberts said. “Our goal is to rally the community together in support and awareness while contributing to a cause that seeks to provide hope, research, and support

for individuals impacted by breast cancer.”

Leveraging technology for a cause

This October, Noble PC is harnessing its technical expertise as a tool for change and awareness. The complimentary PC tune-ups not only represent an invitation for community members to experience top-tier tech services but also a pathway to contribute to a pivotal cause.

Customers are welcomed to visit Noble PC, situated at 935 Maple Ave., Noblesville, throughout October to avail themselves of this complimentary service and to join hands in supporting a worthwhile cause.

Inviting community participation
Noble PC extends a heart-

felt invitation to the Noblesville community and beyond to participate in this initiative. Your involvement – whether through utilizing services, purchasing products, or spreading the word – actively contributes to the broader battle against breast cancer.

In addition to ensuring your PC runs smoothly, your engagement throughout the month will be part of a collective effort to support, raise awareness, and most importantly, uplift those in our community affected by breast cancer.

Together, let’s embody the spirit of the pink ribbon and move forward with hope, strength, and unity.

For more details on the initiative or to schedule your free PC tune-up, please call (317) 560-0579.

Meals on Wheels of Hamilton County & Jiffy Lube roll out another fundraising partnership

The REPORTER

Meals on Wheels of Hamilton County and area Jiffy Lubes are entering a second year of partnership in order to impact the lives of those in need.

Jiffy Lube’s “Drive to Do More for Meals on Wheels” campaign aims to raise both funds and awareness to support the vital mission of ensuring that seniors and homebound individuals remain nourished and cared for.

When customers visit participating Jiffy Lube service centers for oil changes, tire rotation, or other vehicle maintenance now through Oct. 31, they’ll be asked to donate \$3 to Meals on Wheels when they check out, and 100 percent of the funds raised will be distributed to Meals on Wheels

programs.

Additionally, Meals on Wheels program volunteers and staff are eligible to receive a 15 percent service discount on personal and fleet vehicles at any Jiffy Lube location.

Participating Jiffy Lube locations include:

- Noblesville: 2390 Conner St.
- Fishers: 13855 Olivia Way
- Carmel, 14837 N. Meridian St.
- Carmel, 1840 E. 151st St.
- Carmel/Zionsville: 10390 N. Michigan Road

Meals on Wheels of Hamilton County and Jiffy Lube are united by a common goal: to make a difference in the lives of those facing the challenges of aging, disabilities, and food insecurity. This collaborative effort leverages the collective voices and networks

of all partners, demonstrating the power of working together to create lasting change.

For more information, call Meals on Wheels of Hamilton County at (317) 776-7159.

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November 11 - December 23

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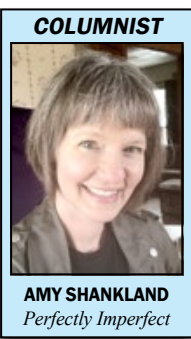
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Reducing the mental load at home: housecleaning

This week we’re continuing our discussion about how to reduce the mental load of housecleaning. I mentioned that I’ve hired someone to do a deep clean of our home once a month and my reasons for doing so.

Paying someone to clean your home may not be as costly as you think. If you go out to eat a little less often or give up some material goods, you may be able to create some room in your budget. And it’s worth it. According to research from Ashley Whillans, assistant professor at Harvard Business School, people who spend money to save time are happier than those who spend it on material goods – significantly happier.

Even with cutting out certain things in our budget, we certainly haven’t always been able to afford this option. When my sons were little, I would occasionally hire a “mother’s helper” – a teenage girl from our neighborhood who would spend three or four hours entertaining Jonathon and Jacob while I cleaned.



COLUMNIST
AMY SHANKLAND
Perfectly Imperfect

Since I was still at home, technically it wasn’t babysitting, so it wasn’t as expensive as a night out. And the kids enjoyed someone new to play with.

Alyssa’s wonderful service is a huge help nowadays. However, there’s still plenty of cleaning left. There’s always the picking up and straightening that I need to do the night before she arrives. My husband laughs and calls it the “cleaning before the cleaning.” But, to put it simply, housecleaners can’t do an effective job for you if they can’t reach what needs to be cleaned.

Of course, I do small touch-up cleaning jobs between sessions such as scrubbing toilets and wiping down the kitchen sink, stove, and counters. And there’s no escaping the everyday jobs like laundry, dishes, etc.

Some people can’t afford or simply won’t pay someone to clean or help clean their house. I’m sure some of you are shaking your head thinking about my situation wondering why I haven’t asked my husband and kids to

pitch in. The crazy answer is that years ago I never even thought about it. It goes back to what I discussed earlier in this series.

My mother managed and implemented almost all the household tasks. I know her mother did the same thing, as my grandpa both worked on his farm and ran a barbershop in downtown South Bend, Ind.

So, when I first married John, I just automatically filled that same role. And even with working a full-time job outside the home at the time, I think I handled things well. I’m an organized, energetic person, which helps. When the boys came along, I was fortunate to find a part-time job working from home for a local nonprofit. John worked a lot of hours at the time, including evenings and weekends, so it just made sense for me to continue to be in charge of the home front.

I did have a lightbulb moment when my sons reached kindergarten and first grade. I read an article in a magazine talking about how you could teach your toddlers and preschoolers to always put away one toy before getting out an-

other one to. Unfortunately, my kids were past that stage at the time, but I remember thinking it was a brilliant concept.

Don’t get me wrong, I did start to give the boys some simple chores back then. And when I found a full-time job at City Hall and John became a stay-at-home dad around this time, he had them doing even more things such as feeding our pets, putting away their own laundry and helping him with yard work.

But when John went back to work full-time, most of the mental labor for housecleaning and other duties fell back on me. But it doesn’t have to be that way – and lately I’ve been realizing it *shouldn’t* be that way. A lot of people are with me!

So how do we lighten the burden of the mental labor of housecleaning, which typically falls on one person, without paying somebody? We’ll tackle that subject next week!

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Photos provided by Megan Rathz

Raising friends

I look at my two- and four-year-old son and daughter and see the closeness they share. I so frequently wish that time would just stand still. I see their friendship and excitement for each other and am so grateful for the bond they have. It makes two pregnancies in the span of two years worth it when I see the two of them growing up together and experiencing their childhoods together.

Having two toddlers is not easy all the time. In fact, it’s never easy, but it’s fun. Well, most of the time it is. We have this beautiful chaos that my husband and I have grown so accustomed to we don’t even realize how crazy it is until we are around other people.

I absolutely love being a mom. I always knew I wanted to be a mother and when we were blessed with our daughter in 2019, I knew someday that we would want to have another one, but maybe not as soon as we did. This is coming off the heels of my daughter’s delivery where the epidural did not work, so I was really in no hurry for a repeat of that delivery. Kudos if you want to do that drug free, but that was not something I ever care to repeat again.

2020 hit and we really wanted to round out the stereotypical COVID-19 experience by having a baby, getting a puppy, and buying a house. Oh yes, we did it all in the same year. I pictured us waiting another year or so before having another baby, but after a few weeks of being cooped up in the house, a canceled vacation, a game of dominos, and a shared bottle of wine, we figured, eh, why wait? Neither of us is getting any younger and it would be fun to have two close in age. Why not throw a puppy into the mix? What else do we have to do?

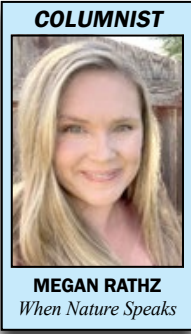
I think it’s safe to say that most mothers wish for nothing more than their children to be friends when they are adults. They want their children to come home and still allow them to play an active role in their lives. I imagine my kids as adults from time to time. I wonder what they will do, who they will marry, what their lives will look like. I see their closeness and the friendship they share and pray that life never gets in the way to allow for anything to break that bond. I know there will come a time when my husband and I are no longer here and I want them to know and show love, but most importantly, I want them to be loved.

I see the excitement each morning when they see each other, or the way Mary grabs Pat’s hand when we are out in public. She is his little Mother Hen. I’m sure that will be more than entertaining when they are both in high school at the same time and neither of them will get away with anything. I love how Mary is the only one to call him Patrick. She even calls him Patrick Timothy if she’s really upset with him. He calls her “May Me” because he can’t pronounce the R sound in her name. They always tattle on each other if they think they’ve been wronged or the other has gotten away with something. I love how even though she’s only 23 months older than him, she truly thinks she is his second mother.

My wish for my kids is that they remain close and look out for each other. I hope they still get into trouble and come up with schemes well into their adulthood. I hope they giggle like they do now when they’re grown up. I hope Pat checks on Mary to make sure she got home safely and always reminds her the kind of man she deserves. I hope Pat marries someone who fosters a sense of family and is Mary’s friend. I hope Pat and Mary’s husband one day like to go golfing and help each other build a deck. I hope they are both there for each other and their children just like my sister and I are. I hope they never lose their sense of closeness, laughter, mischief, and protectiveness.

I hope I’m around long enough to soak up every moment of it and be a spectator in their lives and cheer them on no matter what they do. I hope when they are too old to walk down the street hand in hand with their brother or sister, that they have someone in their life that holds their hand and loves them just as much as I do.

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



COLUMNIST
MEGAN RATHZ
When Nature Speaks

Great gratitude for great writers in his life

Sometimes I must remind myself of the “why.” Delete that ... not sometimes, many times. Still self-doubting after all these years. The writer’s plague. My own private dark ages.



COLUMNIST
SCOTT SAALMAN
Scaramouch

About the mood shifts ... the fine line between heavenliness and hellishness ... let’s not delve too deeply. This is a family newspaper, after all.

I still have to remind myself about 2012, way back when one of my essays was mentioned on a lengthy list of other writers’ essays also referenced on the “Notable Essays” list in *The Best American Essays 2012* book. Never mind that the essay referenced was not actually published in that best essays book. Only its title, “History of the Kiss,” appeared. Only the best of the best essays were fully published in that golden collection, not the notables. Always the bridesmaid, never the bride. That’s me. An unnoticed notable to the end. Still, a little victory goes a long way. Hello obscurity, my old friend. Obscure, yes ... but at least not invisible.

Such remembrance serves as the strike of a mental match.

The return of spark, the call of the creative.

A dance of light in a very dark tunnel, a small much-needed sense of ascension before the dreaded descent.

A reminder of the why.

At race with the flame, the final flicker, the fade to black.

I still remind myself about an essay, “Swing Shift Kisses,” which reminisces about a parents’ kiss, that appeared in an anthology, *This I Believe: On Love* (John Wiley & Sons, 2011). A warm glow of endur-



(LEFT) Scott with Frances Park (middle) and his wife, Brynne, at a book launch party in Washington, D.C. last month. (RIGHT) Scott with current Indiana Poet Laureate Matthew Graham during a Will Read and Sing For Food benefit show at the Lincoln Amphitheatre in 2020.



Photos provided

ing gratitude remains for a real writer friend, Margaret McMullan, who encouraged my submission. Never mind that my mother was the only other person who purchased the anthology to read my story. Now that she’s dead, there are two copies on my bookshelf that will not be read by anyone again ... except for, maybe, a ghost. I fantasize about the spectral flicking of those pages, my mother’s paranormal pleasure in finding her enduring kiss in print, words not yet faded.

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I recall an essay about my grandfather making apple cider in *Home Again: Essays and Memoirs from Indiana* (Indiana Historical Society Press, 2006), and the enduring gratitude I feel for a real writer friend, Jim McGarrah, who, as editor, asked for a story. Kurt Vonnegut also had a story in the collection. I shared spine with fellow Hoosier KV. You can’t take that away from me. Never mind that it happened 17 years ago. So it goes.

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I remind myself of something one of my newspaper editors, Stu Clampitt, wrote that

sums up my column writing: “You never know what you’re going to get. Scott sometimes gives us high comedy, sometimes he tugs the heartstrings and brings a tear to the eye, and sometimes he pushes the envelope so far it annoys people. And that, dear readers, is exactly the way a good columnist should be.”

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I remind myself about my friendship with real deal writer Frances Park. I recently attended her book release party in Washington, D.C. to celebrate her wonderful new novel, *The Summer My Sister Was Cleopatra Moon*. It marked our first in-person meeting following a two-year correspondence that consisted of a lot of writer talk. Frances was as cool in person as I’d hoped. I was even referenced in the acknowledgements section of *Cleopatra Moon*: “Finally, to my friend and columnist Scott Saalman, who pored over every page of the draft, offering valuable advice, errata, and laughs.” I had to look up errata ... it’s a pretty funky word. Recently, Frances helped me get published in a couple of national magazines. I am grateful for Frances, not only for the opportunities she provided, but for

Frances simply being Frances.

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I periodically re-read a fairly recent email received from my favorite poet, Indiana Poet Laureate Matthew Graham, who lit the spark for me during college in the mid-80s. We remain in touch. Recently, he surprised me with an email containing unsolicited kindness: “I’ve never told you this, but when you were my student and I was a young teacher not knowing what the hell I was doing or why I was in Indiana, you gave me hope. I saw great potential in you as a writer and as a person and I realized there was a good reason for me to be here. And that I could get better at what I wanted to do – be an O.K. teacher. And a fairly decent person. Thank you!” I remain grateful to Matthew for his almost 40-year encouragement.

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Write on.

Why not?

Email Scott at scottsaalman@gmail.com.

The Room no one in my family knew what to do with

As my mother grew up, she became acquainted with kitchens, dining rooms, living rooms, bathrooms, bedrooms, plus a few others. Not until she was a bride and moved across the state did she become familiar with The Room.

At grandmother’s house we ate in the kitchen, then went into The Room to relax. The overflow, which happened after there were grandchildren, went into the next room.

About 1967, Mom felt the need for expansion. The architecture of our house did not allow many possibilities – we



COLUMNIST
RAY ADLER
Ask Adler

had already added two bedrooms, a utility room, a bath, and a basement – but we could extend northward. Dad said, “It will just be a mud room.” And so it was that the mudroom became a reality. Even if you don’t know anything about farm life, you know about mud. Still that name did not seem to fit.

True we put a boot caddy inside the door during muddy or snowy weather, but the room also became a greenhouse when our neighbors went to California for the winter. Unless you saw it, you wouldn’t believe the

number of plants. They overflowed into the living room and kitchen, too.

That winter we had holiday guests. We put twin beds in the mud room and two guests slept among the posies. One guest had to sleep halfway under the table (at least his feet) for that was the only way we could fit two beds, large kitchen table, and the other furniture into the room.

Later, beds were removed, the flowers went home, and the table was graced with a white linen cloth. Yes, The Room was used for dining whenever there were more than 12 here at mealtime. After the last child left home, the extra dining room was seldom needed. The table

was sold.

However there wasn’t much empty space, for a hide-a-bed again converted The Room into a bedroom. Grandmother lived here six years. For convenience we put her in the bedroom. Dad and Mom slept in The Room.

Did I forget to mention that one daughter used The Room as a sewing room?

Such a variety of uses! And I haven’t even mentioned the library, or the organ, or several other things. The sofa is an ideal spot for having an early morning (5:00 a.m.) cup of coffee. Dad and Mom did that lots of times. So The Room never had

Hall talks budgets & taxes in this Timesheet

Welcome to the Timesheet. This column is a report of work done on behalf of the people of Hamilton County. It's to be informative, too – a place to learn about projects and how our county government works.

As your employee, it's important to me that you know what is being worked on as transparently as possible in government. You hired me as your County Councilman, and my hope is that you'll choose to be informed by regularly reading this column, getting involved, and by asking questions. Council meetings are at 7 p.m. the first Wednesday of every month at the Judicial Center in downtown Noblesville. They are also available to watch online for those unable to attend in person.

Here is where my time this past month has been



MARK HALL
The Timesheet

spent, part one. September in Indiana is known for the changing of the seasons, the excitement of football, cool evening winds and our thoughts beginning to turn to the holiday season – except if you work in Hamilton County Government.

Inside your county offices September also means budget meetings. The fulfillment of months of budget planning by dozens of departments culminates in lots of buzz, presentations, needs analysis, questions, anxiety, justifications, and occasionally difficult conversations.

This is where the rubber meets the road. The council sets the county tax rate, and through a process of reviewing and approving the annual budget, it is one of the primary responsibilities of your county council. Once the

budget is approved, detailed allocation of the funding gets approved at monthly meetings. The council reviews expenses against budgets for allocations and approval. It is a complete series of ongoing checks and balances. Some county government functions, like tourism, parks, and libraries, have their own tax rates. It is still the responsibility of the council to oversee these departments' tax rates and spending.

You can check the breakdown on your property tax rates in 2022 at tinyurl.com/2022HamCoTaxRates. Find the city, town, or township where you live, and you can see the detailed property tax percentages broken apart as you read the column.

As an example, if you lived in Noblesville last year, you may be surprised to learn that your county tax rate is 0.27440 percent, but your school tax rate is 1.33710 percent. When it comes to our property taxes, every property can be

unique with exceptions and deductions, but it strikes me as important to inform you that much less of your property taxes go towards county government services than most people think. Over the past 10 years, the county tax rate has gone from 0.3074 percent in 2013 to the present rate in 2021. The same rate continues to be in place to this date. As the volume and values of properties in the county have increased so has the county revenue.

As part of the budget approval process, every staff addition and every dollar requested was examined. All department budget requests were analyzed, including submittals for new personnel, benefits modifications, pay increases, facility renovations, highway projects and capital expenses. The review process included several rounds of department and line-item cost reviews by the entire council. Each subsequent round completed additional budget revisions.

Frankly, it's difficult to make these decisions individually, let alone as a group. Arriving at dozens of departments budgets requires a majority vote to obtain the council's approval. Doing so while keeping in mind the bigger picture of the overall county budget is a difficult balancing act. With a submitted budget request that exceeded \$272 million, up nearly \$50 million from 2023's submitted budget request, it's critical that we look closely at any reoccurring expense that exceeds the 8.7 percent growth in the county tax base. That is exactly what we did.

There is so much to report from last month, it's broken down into two reports this time. This is my Timesheet, but please look for my Overtime Timesheet published soon to get the remainder of last month's report. There are several large projects in the queue, including expanding the

Judicial Center, a new 911 Operations Center, the Wastewater treatment plant at Bakers Corner and a new Domestic Violence Shelter to name a few.

My job is primarily the financial oversight of the county budget; however, it is important to understand the Board of Commissioners priorities and balance them with the stewardship of taxpayer dollars. That is the job, and I am excited to do the people's business.

As a taxpayer myself, and listening to so many of you, our employers, it's important for the taxpayers to have access to all the information you want. I work for you and although you may not choose to do a deep dive into what your County Council does, it's important that you can always do so.

Feel free to contact me at (317) 832-1104 or mark.hall@hamiltoncounty.in.gov with questions, feedback or if you would like to talk about county business.

Give & take is needed with HEPL's collection policy

Anyone visiting the Hamilton East Public Libraries, whether in Noblesville or Fishers, can see that the revamping of the buildings is near completion and the changes are dramatic.

While the external changes to the building are positive, things on the inside are not.

For almost a year now there has been division on how the operation of the library should proceed. The community appears to be splintered between the function of the library board versus the function of the library director and staff.



MELBA KISER

There are three main factions:

1. Parents who believe they should determine what their child sees and reads and that the board was out of line with their Collection Development Policy (CDP).

2. Parents who feel that their kids should not be exposed to explicitly obscene material and approve of the CDP.

3. Parents and community members who feel that the library director is best suited to decide what books to buy and where they should be placed in the library.

At times the public comment got heated, and rather than being conciliatory the comments got personal and accusatory, especially as it referred to the last president of the library board, Laura Alerding. Those who did not like the policy seem to have focused their dislike on one person instead of acknowledging that the decision was reached by a majority of the seven-member board. Those board members were selected or appointed by elected officials in the community. In addition, the policy was developed not by one person, but after meetings with local leaders, legal counsel, and other personnel from other libraries.

Unable to ease the concerns of the varying groups, and with no consensus reached, the library board decided to pause the new collection policy for further review. During the last meeting, there was a discussion on moving forward with more public hearings that would be run by a facilitator. I agree that having listening groups is a good idea but I would ask if anything can improve if divergent groups are not open to thinking more critically and inclusively.

For example, how do you develop a policy that is agreeable to opposing groups of parental rights believers, the pro versus con on the CDP? Does this

policy put any more restrictions on access to content than the school library books and iPad safeguards or the library computer guidelines that are in place for young children? Or, how do you reconcile the beliefs of those who feel parents decide with the beliefs of others who feel the librarians are professionals and should decide how to handle the books?

I believe the current policy addresses the concerns of parents who believe it is their right to determine the content their child can see. I have not heard or seen anything that restricts the ability of the library director to purchase the books she feels should be added to the library.

Simply stated, young children, those of elementary school age, will be shielded from seeing or reading content that is of concern to some parents. The books that contain more "graphic" or explicit content are still accessible to all children, just in a different section of the library. Should any community member feel that a book has been shelved in the wrong section, a complaint process form has been added to the policy for easy access.

Can the CDP be streamlined or worded better? Sure. But that will not happen unless we are willing to listen to one another and have some give and take.

Deaf vs. deaf Hamilton County breaks ground on Regional Utility District

This column is brought to readers by Sheridan High School dual-credit program students and Human Services teacher Abby Williams.

Deafness is officially defined as a severe loss of hearing ability of 81 or more decibels. To be hard of hearing, one must have a loss of at least 20 decibels.

Deaf culture is completely unique and wonderfully different; it has its own socially accepted behaviors, slang, norms, etc. It is important to realize and respect that.

From a hearing person's point of view, it is nearly impossible to imagine having never, or having once and then never again, heard the twitter of birds overhead or your mother's voice telling you she loves you. Yet, many Deaf people have overcome and even embraced their unique opportunity.

There are some Deaf people who resent their inability to hear and refuse to accept it. That is their choice, and it is completely understandable. However, there are others who not only accept it, but graft it into their whole being: they make it their way of life. Deafness is not only a medical term, it is a beautiful lifestyle characterized by community, gratitude, and acceptance.

Deaf people are proud to be called Deaf because they recognize and appreciate this wonderful aspect of their personality and culture. The 'd' in Deaf is capitalized because it is more than a medical situation ... they are not confined by their inability to hear, but defined by it! Deafness is not a plight that should be viewed negatively; instead, it is a window into a beautiful community of close-knit, compassionate people who are proud of their heritage and stories. Many hearing people struggle to see it this way, but once you realize all the resources available for Deaf people and see the wonderful culture they have created, there is no other way to view it.

Deafness can be a blessed miracle. It all depends on how you look at it.

As someone who has had extremely limited contact with the Deaf community, I never learned about this as a child. I have, however, become increasingly aware of my ignorance throughout this school year. I am taking an American Sign Language class and am thoroughly enjoying it! Additionally, a fellow Blackhawk student who grew up in the Deaf community guided me as I explored this new topic.

I am fascinated by the distinct culture surrounding these resilient people and am very excited to continue learning about and engaging with Deaf culture.



LIBERTY COYLE-PADDACK
Sheridan High School Student

Water & sewer service expected to spur development in Bakers Corner area

The REPORTER

Hamilton County and Indiana broke ground last Wednesday on the Baker's Corner/U.S. 31 Infrastructure Investment Project. The \$45 million project will extend sewer and water utilities to the Baker's Corner area, just north of Westfield on U.S. 31.

"This is the beginning of a transformational project to the northern part of Hamilton County," County Commissioner Mark Heirbrandt said. "We envision this bringing high quality development that capitalizes the U.S. 31 Corridor and brings in high earning jobs. We're talking commercial, residential, and potential mixed-use development."

The Indiana Economic Development Corporation has already designated 80 acres of land in the area for agricultural businesses. The project's district boundaries for water and sewer will stretch from 216th Street north to 296th Street and from U.S. 31 west to Spring Mill Road. In total, the area will encompass 42 square miles. For comparison, Carmel is 49 square miles, Noblesville is 36 square miles, and Westfield is 32 square miles.

The utility expansion will be funded with \$25 million from Hamilton County's share of the American Rescue Plan Act, \$10 million in bonds, and \$10 million from the State of Indiana.

"The State Revolving Fund is a perfect match for projects like this and helps support communities in furthering economic and residential development," says Jim McGoff, Indiana Finance Authority chief operations officer, who also oversees Indiana's SRF program.



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(Above, from left) Wessler Engineering President Marty Wessler, Reynolds Construction President Les Archer, Beck's Superior Hybrids President Sonny Beck, Commissioner Christine Altman, Lt. Governor Suzanne Crouch, Commissioner Mark Heirbrandt, County Council President Ken Alexander, and Indiana Finance Authority CEO Jim McGoff.



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(Above left, from left) County Councilmembers Mark Hall and Tim Griffin, former County Administrator Dan Stevens, and County Councilmembers Brad Beaver, Sue Maki, and Ken Alexander. (Above right) Commissioner Mark Heirbrandt speaks to attendees of last Wednesday's groundbreaking as Commissioner Christine Altman and Lt. Governor Suzanne Crouch look on.

ana's SRF program.

An additional \$20 million from the state will allow Hamilton County to create the

Hamilton County Regional Utility District which is working with Indiana American Water to pump water from the

Sheridan area.

The project is expected to be complete by the end of 2024.

Room

an official name. Someplace along the line it became The Room or The North Room. At Christmas time this year the youngest and grandmother sat

in the rocker (yes, there's plenty of room for a rocker) and giggled until others came to see what was so much fun!

Now a new idea has arisen.

During the holidays one guest spoke of coming through the hall. Perhaps we don't have "The Room" – it may be we had "The Hall."

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Photos provided by Hamilton Southeastern Schools
These young students were happy to learn about bike safety, which included new helmets! Lookin’ sharp!

INDOT & Fishers Fire are keeping young bikers safe

The REPORTER

The Indiana Department of Transportation (INDOT) has partnered with Fishers Fire and Emergency Services to provide bike helmets to all first- and second-grade students in Hamilton Southeastern Schools.

Through the Bike IN Safe

program, funded by the Federal Highway Administration, INDOT has been able to work with local governments across Indiana to promote road safety to our youngest “motoring” Hoosiers.

INDOT received 75,000 helmets to distribute to local schools as well as give presentations on

how to properly wear a helmet, the rules of the road, how to avoid distractions, what to wear, and safety tips. Bike IN Safe has allowed federal, state, and local governments to work together to encourage road safety for young cyclists.

The donation is especially meaningful to Fishers

Elementary School Principal Brian Behrman, who was involved in a serious collision while biking – days before the new school year began. Behrman, an avid cyclist, is back on the job leading FES while he continues to heal. He is a testament to the importance of wearing a bike helmet.

Too many tomatoes for one person? You got that ripe!



Reporter photos by Nik Roberts
Lowell Wilson of Noblesville has a cherry tomato plant that has delusions of grandeur and is trying to be a tree. According to Wilson, it is growing out of control and has far exceeded the record for tomato plants. “It was over eight feet tall and six feet wide before its mere size was too much for the stakes to support and caused it to fall over,” Wilson told The Reporter. This Little Shop of Horrors wannabe has nearly taken over the front deck of his house and has reportedly been given no special fertilizer or any water other than what nature provides.

Couple has a \$10K day & another \$10K to give away



Reporter photos by Nik Roberts

Noblesville resident Kathleen Guiliam (above left) is the most recent winner of the #Get10Give10 campaign from TCC, a wireless retailer with Round Room, one of the nation’s largest Verizon Authorized Retailers that’s based in Fishers. Each quarter, one TCC customer is chosen to win \$20,000, which includes \$10,000 to use on themselves and another \$10,000 to be given to a nonprofit of their choice. Guiliam will donate \$10,000 to the Indiana Parkinson Foundation (IPF). Kathleen’s husband, John, has Parkinson’s disease, and she credits IPF with being instrumental to her husband’s wellbeing, as he’s very involved with the CLIMB exercise program, a critical part of IPF. She says this program is the only thing that slows down Parkinson’s, and when she learned she won #Get10Give10, the choice to donate to IPF was a no-brainer. She is incredibly thankful to TCC for this humbling honor.

Riverview Health Physicians welcomes new podiatrist

The REPORTER

Riverview Health Physicians is pleased to welcome Matthew Lining, DPM to Riverview Health Physicians Orthopedics & Sports Medicine.

As a podiatrist, Dr. Lining enjoys the diversity a typical day can provide – treating everything from ingrown toenails, bunions, and wound care to extensive traumatic/reconstructive surgery. His clinical interests include diabetic care, pediatric flat feet, trau-

matic care, limb salvage and conservative and surgical treatments of general podiatry conditions.

Dr. Lining graduated from Kent State University College of Podiatric Medicine. In his free time, he enjoys spending time with his wife and children, golfing, watching sports and traveling.



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For more information, visit riverview.org. To schedule an appointment with Dr. Lining, call (317) 770-3777.



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Christopher Lynn Mayfield

January 26, 1987 – October 1, 2023

Christopher Lynn Mayfield, 36, Cicero, passed away on October 1, 2023, at his residence.

He was born on January 26, 1987, in Noblesville. He was raised in Keller, Texas where he attended school and graduated from Keller High School with the Class of 2005.

Christopher had worked for several years as an account manager for Walmart. His family related that he had a kind heart, had a good sense of humor, and loved to help others. He was great interacting with kids, dearly loved his family, and made sure they were cared for. He always told them personally that he loved them.

He loved working with electronics, customizing his Camaro, target shooting, listening to music, and watching movies. As a young child he began sketching and drawing and continued with this kind of art his entire life.

He is survived by his mother, Dana Marie (Eddie) (Leer) Smith of Tipton, Ind., and his father, Tracy Lynn (Beth) Mayfield of Haltom City, Texas; grandmothers, Shirley Townsend and Cindy Leer; brother, Eric Mayfield; sisters, Brittany Meek, Brooke Mayfield, and Emma Smith; step sister, Azia Ramirez; stepbrothers, Jamison Mayfield and Payton Ernest; and two nieces and one nephew.

Preceding him in death were his grandfathers, Ted Townsend and Martin Leer.

Visitation and funeral services were held on Friday, October 6, 2023, at Hartley Funeral Home Cicero Chapel, 209 W. Jackson St., Cicero, with Pastor Mark Knapp officiating. Burial followed at Cicero Cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Lupus Foundation of America, 9302 N. Meridian St., Suite 203, Indianapolis, IN 46260. You may send condolences at hartleyfuneralhomes.com.

Mr. Terrell Lynn “Terry” Bradley

August 4, 1947 – September 18, 2023

Let us pause to honor the memory of Mr. Terrell Lynn “Terry” Bradley, 76, Hanover, Ind., and formerly of Noblesville, who entered this life on August 4, 1947, in Frankfort, Ind. He was the loving son of the late Raymond David and Lena Leon Lewis Bradley.

Terry was raised in Frankfort and was a 1965 graduate of Frankfort High School where he wrestled and was involved with music. Terry resided most of his adult life in the Noblesville community. He was first employed with Fred’s Fine Foods in maintenance for 18 years. Terry then began working for Red Gold in maintenance for six years. Terry and his long-term fiancée Stephanie Stutzman were blessed with one daughter, Emily. Terry was an actor, a stagehand, and a set builder for Black Curtain Dinner Theatre in Indianapolis for many years. He was also a professional piano player in Noblesville for several years.

Terry moved to southern Indiana to be closer to his family in 2019 and has resided there since. He enjoyed flight simulators, a good debate, and playing music. Terry died on Monday, September 18, 2023, at 4:55 p.m. at the Hanover Health & Rehab Center in Hanover, Ind.

Terry will be missed by his children, Emily Bradley-Messer and her husband, Robert of Ghent, Ky., Jamar Lemerand, and Evan Lemerand; his grandchildren, Malachi Bradley, Mace Evans, Taylor Messer, Sharee Lemerand, Charles Delehanty, and Nadia Delehanty; his sister, Cheryl Bradley of Carmel; his brother, David Lee Bradley and his wife Trixie of Toronto, Canada; his long term fiancée, Stephanie Stutzman of Florence, Ky.; and numerous cousins, nieces, nephews, and other relatives.

He was preceded in death by his father, Raymond David Bradley, died April 27, 1996; his mother, Lena Leon Lewis Bradley, died December 17, 2008; his brothers, Donald Ray Bradley, died April 4, 1992, William “Bill” Edwin Bradley, died February 14, 2022, and Robert Bradley.

Funeral services were conducted on Saturday, October 7, 2023, at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre, 325 Demaree Drive, Madison, Ind. Interment will be held at a later date in the Bunnell Cemetery, Frankfort, Ind.

Friends visited on Saturday, October 7 at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre, 325 Demaree Drive, Madison, Ind.

Memorial contributions may be made to the International Crane Foundation. Cards are available at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centres of Madison and Hanover. Online condolences, remembrances, and memorials can be left at morgan-nay.com.

A. Joan Stoops

November 10, 1942 – October 2, 2023

A. Joan Stoops, a beloved and cherished member of her community, sadly passed away on October 2, 2023, due to an extended illness. Born on November 10, 1942, in Noblesville, she was the daughter of Gordon Mills and Mazie L. Noltton Mills.

Joan was a graduate of Noblesville High School and went on to make a lasting impact through her career. She dedicated many years of hard work at Walmart, among other places, leaving behind a legacy of diligence and commitment.

Beyond her professional achievements, Joan held a deep love for her family and friends. As a devoted caregiver, she spent her life ensuring that everyone around her was taken care of. Her nurturing spirit extended beyond blood ties as well; she was known for being a child of God and considered faith to be of the utmost importance in her life.

A devout Christian and an active member of Victory Baptist Church in Noblesville, Joan found solace and strength in her faith. Her church community provided support throughout her life journey.

In her leisure time, Joan enjoyed indulging in various hobbies and interests that brought joy to her life. Whether it was crocheting or knitting beautiful creations or immersing herself in the addictive world of Candy Crush, these activities brought moments of relaxation and contentment to her.

Playing board games – be it dice or poker – with loved ones held a special place in Joan’s heart. These cherished memories will forever hold a bond amongst family members as they recall the laughter and friendly competition shared around the table.

Joan Stoops leaves behind a profound impact on those who were fortunate enough to have known her. She will be remembered as the rock of the family – someone who selflessly put others before herself. Her unquestionable dedication to providing care and support will continue to inspire generations to come.

Joan was preceded in death by her parents Gordon Mills and Mazie L. Noltton Mills, her brothers Roy Mills and Willie Mills, her sister Naomi “Sue” Butche, and her husbands Thomas Zion Sr. and Leroy Stoops.

Her memory will forever be treasured by her surviving family: her son Thomas Zion Jr. (Tamarra), her daughters Naomi Crecelius, Melissa Mullins (Charlie), and Debbie Mounts (Ryan). Additionally, she leaves behind numerous grandchildren including Amy Cran, CJ Zion, Tommy Zion, Joshua Sutton, Jessica Longest (Clinton), Jonny Peters, Steven Crecelius, Christopher Dormady (Crystal), Austin Dormady, Jacob Mullins, Amber Houghtalen (Justin), Brittany Mack, Lakin Howard (Tucker), Corey Mounts, Chelsea Mounts and a multitude of great-grandchildren as well as several great-great-grandchildren. Her presence will be deeply missed not only by her immediate family but also by her nieces, nephews, and countless friends.

To honor Joan’s life and pay tribute to the impact she had on those around her, visitation services were held on Thursday, Oct. 5 and on Friday, Oct. 6 at Legacy Cremation and Funeral Service, 504 W. 9th St., Anderson, Ind. A funeral service followed on Friday, Oct. 6 at the same location.

Joan Stoops’ departure leaves an irreplaceable void in the hearts of those who knew her. Although she may no longer be physically present with us, her spirit and legacy will continue to shine brightly through the countless lives she touched. May we all find solace in our cherished memories of Joan as we navigate through this difficult time together.

Condolences: legacycremationfuneral.com

Richard John Farrell

January 7, 1931 – October 3, 2023

Richard John Farrell, 92, Noblesville, formerly from Worcester, Mass., died peacefully in his home on Tuesday, October 3, 2023, after a battle with stomach cancer surrounded by his loving family.

He leaves his wife of 63 years, Lucy E. (Gadaire) Farrell; two daughters, Kathleen A. (Farrell) Corrigan of Noblesville, and Ellen C. (Farrell/Risotti) Hinkle and her husband Lonnie Hinkle of Brownsburg, Ind.; and the pride and joy of his life, his two grandchildren, Gabriella Lucy-Ann Risotti of Indianapolis and Colby Richard Thomas Risotti of Brownsburg. He also leaves three step-grandchildren, Travis, Catherine and Samantha Hinkle; his sister, Pauline C. (Farrell) Wambach of Auburn, Mass.; sister-in-law, Lillian Farrell of Auburn, Mass.; and many nieces and nephews.

Richard was the son of Thomas E. Farrell, and Florence I. (Haggerty) Farrell of Worcester. He was predeceased by his sister, Mary (Farrell) Quercio; his brother, Paul T. Farrell; and sister, Frances A. (Farrell) Phelan.

He was born in Worcester, Mass., on January 7, 1931. Richard attended South High School in Worcester and enlisted in the Army in 1948 during the Korean conflict. He was stationed in Alaska, San Francisco, Calif., and then spent 44 days sailing from San Francisco to the Brooklyn Navy Yard, and then on to England, where he was stationed for the next 20 months. He was honorably discharged as a Sergeant in 1951 after four years of service to his country.

Richard worked at the Wyman Gordon Plants in Grafton and Worcester, Mass. He was an avid bowler and golfer and was manager of the West Boylston Bowl tenpin lanes and Bowling Green Central Street candlepin house before managing the Thunderbird Bowl in Auburn, Mass., for the next 25 years, retiring in 1991. After retirement, Richard drove part time for Yellow Cab in Worcester for seven years. He moved to Indiana in 2004 to be near his two daughters and grandchildren.

Richard loved the game of golf beginning from when he caddied at Worcester Country Club in MA at the age of 14. He started to play on a regular basis at 25. He was an avid golfer for some 65 years, at one point having a handicap of 2. After moving to Indiana, he joined a group of retirees at Fox Prairie Golf Course in Noblesville until 2022. He enjoyed the course and the friendship of his fellow golfers and the pro.

Visitation and services were held on Saturday, October 7, 2023, at Randall & Roberts Funeral Center, 1685 Westfield Road, Noblesville. Memorial contributions may be made to Shriners Hospitals for Children, P.O. Box 947765, Atlanta, GA 30394 (shrinerschildrens.org/en).

Condolences: randallroberts.com

Blythe Marie Alderton

April 29, 1974 – September 29, 2023

Blythe Marie Alderton, 49, Fishers, passed away on Friday, September 29, 2023, at her home. She was born on April 29, 1974, in Terre Haute, Ind. She fought cancer for three and a half years and in the most noble way.

She was the baby of the family but also “the boss,” arranging family vacations and celebrations. Her home became the family home, swimming pool and all. Her nieces and nephews were her children, they would not be where they are today without her love, guidance, and support. The loneliness and emptiness will be great in our family without her. She wants no funeral but a celebration of life at a place she chose which we will arrange in the near future. In lieu of flowers a donation to the American Cancer Society would be appreciated.

Blythe was a graduate of South Vigo High School and Indiana University. She was an operations director for Charles Schwab for 25 years.

She is survived by her mother, Marianne (Decker) Alderton; brothers, Scott (Teresa) Alderton and Andrew Alderton; best friend, Jennifer (David) Griffin; nieces and nephews, Noah, Sarah, Rosemary, and Samuel Alderton; and her dogs, Jacques and Julio.

She was preceded in death by her father, L. Scott Alderton; and grandparents, Rev. R. Louis Alderton, Mary Margaret Alderton, Claude Decker, and Mary Decker.

The Alderton Family has entrusted Randall & Roberts Funeral Home with Blythe’s care.

Condolences: randallroberts.com

Julia A. Whitley

August 31, 1955 – October 2, 2023

Julia A. Whitley, Fishers, passed away on October 2, 2023. She was born on August 31, 1955, in Indianapolis to the late Frank and Betty Rabb.

Julia graduated from Ladywood – St. Agnes in 1974. She then followed up her education with a Bachelor of Science degree from the University of Indianapolis. She was a dedicated student throughout her time in college.

One of Julia’s greatest joys came from spending time with her husband of many years, Terry Whitley. Together they created a joyful home filled with laughter and love.

She was also exceptionally proud of her daughter Amy Sheller, and granddaughters, Annie, Abby, and Alayna. Julia loved nothing more than showering them with affection and creating beautiful memories together, especially while doing all sorts of crafts.

In addition to being dedicated to her family, Julia pursued various hobbies, such as crocheting, sewing, playing Bunco, and swimming. In her younger days, she had a passion for softball.

Julia brightened any room she was in and never failed to put a smile on someone’s face. She was a devoted mother and grandmother, and was always kind, generous, and willing to drop anything to help others.

Julia is survived by her loving husband, Terry; daughter, Amy (Adam) Sheller; and granddaughters, Annie, Abby, and Alayna.

A visitation will be held from noon to 2 p.m. on October 12, 2023, with a Funeral Service to follow at 2 p.m., both at Hamilton Memorial Park (Prairie Waters) in Westfield. Julia’s Final Resting Place will be at Hamilton Memorial Park Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, please make a memorial contribution in Julia’s name to the Hamilton County Humane Society.

Condolences: flannerbuchanan.com

Joseph Everett Robbins

October 31, 1942 – October 1, 2023

Joseph Everett Robbins, 80, Arcadia, passed away peacefully at his home on October 1, 2023, surrounded by his family.

Joe was born on October 31, 1942, in Madison, Ind., to parents William Smith Robbins and Ruth Marie (Richards) Robbins.

Joe served in the U.S. Army from 1964 to 1967 and was a combat veteran of Vietnam where he earned numerous awards and medals for gallantry, including the Bronze Star and the Distinguished Flying Cross. After being honorably discharged Joe went into law enforcement which he absolutely loved. He served 30 years with the Noblesville Police Department before retiring on April 4, 2007. He rose in rank from a patrolman to Sergeant, Lieutenant, and eventually Deputy Chief. Joe also trained with the FBI in Quantico, Va., in 1984. Before moving to the Arcadia, area Joe was a Deputy with the Madison Sheriff’s department in the early 1970s. After relocating to central Indiana, Joe accepted the position of Town Marshall for Ingalls and after retiring from Noblesville he served as the town Marshall for Atlanta, Ind. Joe continued his dedicated service to law enforcement with the FOP where he served as President.

Joe was a committed servant of his hometown of Arcadia where he served as Fire Chief of the Jackson Township Fire Department. Joe also held the position of Jackson Township Trustee. Joe was also an active member of the Cicero Kiwanis Club and served a term as President.

Surviving Joe is his wife Pamela “Pam” Robbins. He is also survived by his children: his son, Joseph Robbins (wife Jana), two daughters, Dana Lipps (husband Randy) and Kimberly Robbins, a stepdaughter, Jenny Miller, and stepson, Patrick Miller.

Joe is also survived by 16 grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held at 3 p.m. on Saturday, October 14, 2023, with visitation from noon until time of services at the Cicero Christian Church on Stringtown Pike in Cicero. A celebration of life service will follow officiated by Pastor and friend Jody Brown of the Atlanta Christian Church.

Memorial contributions can be made in his memory to the Cicero American Legion, P.O. Box 256, Cicero, IN 46034.

Arrangements are entrusted to Hartley Funeral Homes Cicero Chapel, Cicero. You may leave condolences at hartleyfuneralhomes.com.

Kevin W. Emmert

March 6, 1949 – September 30, 2023

Kevin W. Emmert of Cicero passed away Saturday evening, September 30, 2023, after an extended battle with cancer. He left this world peacefully, surrounded by his family and in his own home, free from pain.

Kevin was born on March 6, 1949, in Noblesville to Bonnie L. and William “Bill” F. Emmert and was a lifelong resident of Hamilton County. He graduated from Noblesville High School in 1967 and followed in his father’s footsteps, becoming a carpenter and working in various commercial and residential construction jobs. From 1974 through 1979 he worked for Conner Prairie Pioneer Settlement, helping to build “the Village.” He loved this job and learned much about historic preservation and construction methods which he used throughout his career. He later became a contractor and built custom homes in Hamilton and surrounding counties. There are many beautiful homes throughout the area that stand as a legacy to his skills and talent.

Kevin was an adventurer. He loved to travel, ride motorcycles, and find unique, out of the way spots no matter where he went. He had a lifetime of stories about a around the world backpacking trip with his wife, his solo motorcycle trips to Mexico, Guatemala, and around the U.S. and so much more. Many trips became an “adventure,” even if it was a quick trip to a state park.

Other than his family, perhaps Kevin’s greatest legacy is the number and quality of friendships he had. He made friends easily and maintained his friendships well. He had many lifelong friendships. Since retiring in 2019, he has played pickleball, often five days a week and developed a great circle of friends whom he cherished and who cherished him. He always had a joke or a story to tell. The world is a little less funny without Kevin.

Kevin is survived by his wife of 44 years, Denise; sons, Dylan of Cicero and Logan of Portland, Ore.; sisters, Linda Stern of Noblesville and Kim LeCount of Chandler, Texas; sister-in-law, Diana Schmid of Carmel; an exchange student sister, Judith (John) Stewart of Auckland, New Zealand; nephew, Bill Stern (Laura) of Keller, Texas; niece, Amanda Williams (Norm) of Noblesville; niece, Brooke LeCount of Shreveport, La.; and nephew, Cory LeCount (Erin) of Tyler, Texas; as well as multiple cousins with whom he shared many childhood memories.

A celebration of Kevin’s life is planned for mid-December. Information will be provided as plans are made. Arrangements entrusted to Aaron Ruben Nelson Mortuary. Friends may leave a memory or message of condolence by visiting the online obituary at armortuary.com.

State Rep. Jerry Torr

announces he will retire

The REPORTER

State Rep. Jerry Torr (R-Carmel) announced on Tuesday his plans to retire from the legislature after serving 28 years in the Indiana House of Representatives. Torr said he intends to serve out his current term but not seek re-election.

“It’s been an honor of a lifetime to serve my friends and neighbors in House



Torr

District 39,” Torr said. “During my time as a state representative, we’ve made Indiana one of the most attractive places in the country to start and grow a business, and our local communities continue to reap the rewards through record growth in population, development, and opportunity.”

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Cicero celebrates public safety personnel



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On Sept. 17, Cicero Friends of the Park held its second annual spaghetti dinner fundraiser for Cicero Police, Fire and Public Safety personnel. There was also a Jeep cruise-in and a Concert on the Pier. This event was the idea of Lisa Stokes-Bear, who also coordinated the fundraiser. Cicero Friends of the Park thanks the many community volunteers who made this possible and the public who came out to support the town's heroes. Special thanks to the people and businesses who furnished the food: Jama Fernung – DeLullo's Trattoria, Matt Hall – The Boathouse, and Wes Turner and Brett Morrow – Cicero Market. The event raised \$4,000, which was divided between the Cicero Police and Fire Departments. If you would like to donate, please send a check to: Cicero Friends of the Park, P.O. Box 754, Cicero, IN 46034.

Heights 7th & 8th grade volleyball teams win Mid-Indiana Conference championship

The REPORTER

Hamilton Heights Middle School's seventh- and eighth-grade volleyball teams rose to the challenge of tournament competition to each capture and bring home their first Mid-Indiana Conference (MIC) Championship title.

The Lady Huskies seventh-grade team beat Northwestern in two sets 25-10 and 25-8 and Kokomo 25-4 and 25-3 to reach the final bracket. The Huskies went on to beat Western 25-9 and 25-14.

"The girls played aggressively and most importantly, had fun while playing," said

Coach Shalyn Garrison.

The Lady Huskies eighth-grade team beat Northwestern in two sets 25-16 and 25-13. The second game of the day they bested Kokomo in two close sets 25-21 and 25-21. The team fought hard to take down Western in three sets 16-25, 25 to 21. They started off the third set down 2 – 8 with rallying for a comeback win 15-11.

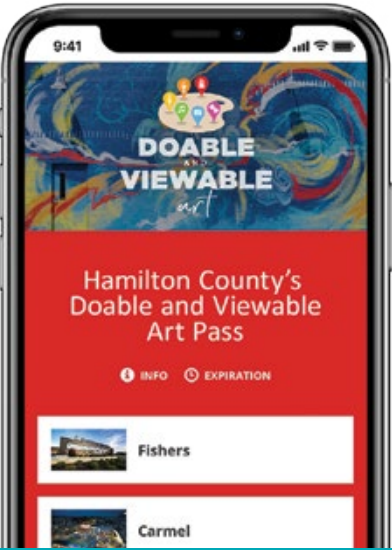
"The eighth-grade team fought back several times during the day to get the win," said Coach Kelly Smith. "The girls never gave up!"



Photos provided

(ABOVE LEFT) HHMS seventh-grade volleyball team coaches and members. (Front row, from left) Chloe Stuart, Klaeh Griffith, Olivia Mackey, Megan Waldron, Reagan Van Kirk, and Lovaiyah Miller. (Back row, from left) Coach Shay Garrison, Camille Powell, Elena Tebbe, Mila Mann, Riley Suarez, Olivia Murphy, and Coach Sami Rash. (ABOVE RIGHT) HHMS eighth-grade volleyball team coaches and members. (From left) Coach Kelly Smith, Maddie Jewell, Katie Uhrick, Peyton King, Lillian Frahn, Audriella Cento, Celeste Wiegman, Illiana Boyer, Kylie Hilton, Caitlin Dougherty, Grace Knoll, and Aleaha Trump.

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Hamilton County High School Football, Week 8

Shamrocks go the distance to take down conference opponent Fishers

The REPORTER

Here is the long and the short of it: The Westfield football team was a Week 8 winner.

The Shamrocks used a couple of long pass plays and a couple of short runs into the end zone to put together a 28-14 win over county and Hoosier Crossroads Conference opponent Fishers last Friday night at Riverview Health Stadium.

The ‘Rocks got on the board first with one of those long passes. Jackson Gilbert threw to Gabe Arambolles, and that turned into a 72-yard touchdown reception. Brody Boehm added the extra point, and Westfield led 7-0 after a quarter.

Mikeah Webster punched in the ball from the one-yard line in the second quarter to give the Shamrocks a 13-0 lead, but Fishers quickly answered with a seven-yard run from Khobie Martin. Jonathan Tangara kicked the extra point for the Tigers.

“He’s going to IU for a reason,” said Westfield coach Jake Gilbert about Martin. “I have so much respect for him and their offensive line, great run

blockers. So I thought our defense played pretty darn well overall. We got the takeaway. We didn’t really give up the explosive long run like they’ve had sometimes, and so I feel pretty good about that.”

Neither team scored in the third quarter, with both sides making some nice defensive plays. Drew Law grabbed an interception for the Shamrocks, while Fishers’ Jev Hutton made a sack and teammate Brady Wolf blocked a punt.

Gilbert would step up again in the fourth quarter, and so would Maximus Nosler. Gilbert threw to Nosler, who took off and kept running all the way to the end zone.

“We were just hoping to get a first down at third-and-6,” said Westfield coach Jake Gilbert. “We wanted to get it to a guy who could break a tackle, and he broke a tackle and then some. It was fortuitous, but that’s what great players do.”

It was a 70-yard touchdown reception, and the duo teamed up again for a two-point conversion pass that put Westfield up 21-7.

The Tigers made a big



Photos by Joshua Herd

(Left) Westfield’s Maximus Nosler turned a short pass into a 70-yard touchdown run during the Shamrocks’ 28-14 win over Fishers last Friday. (Right) Fishers’ Gage Sturgill (10) stepped in as quarterback and went 13-of-27 for 122 yards and a touchdown. Pictured at left is Khobie Martin, who rushed for 122 yards and scored one touchdown.

play of their own later in the quarter. Gage Sturgill, filling in for quarterback Bennett Gorak, teamed with Millen McCartney for a 29-yard touchdown reception, and Tangara’s kick got Fishers within 21-14.

But the ‘Rocks would have the last word. They got the ball into the red zone, and Kendall Garnett made a big run to the one-yard line. On the next play, Garnett ran the ball in for the game’s final touchdown. Boehm added the

extra-point kick.

“We struggled to finish some drives there in the game in the first and second half,” said Fishers coach Curt Funk. “But our kids showed good effort.”

Gilbert had a nice night, totaling 200 yards over the air on a 7-of-13 passing rate. Arambolles had the most catches with three. Garnett totaled 80 yards rushing. Webster led the defense with 11 tackles, including two for a loss, with Andrew Lieske making nine stops. Alex Arambolles had one sack.

Sturgill did well in his first quarterback start, going 13-for-27 and compiling in 122 yards.

“I thought Gage Sturgill, as a sophomore, did a great job stepping in for Bennett at quarterback,” said Funk. “You could never replace a senior quarterback, but I thought our sophomore quarterback did a great job. He had a week to get ready for this against a top-ranked Westfield

team. He gave us chances to possibly win the game.”

Martin had 122 yards on the ground, with Ryan Thembulembu adding 25. JonAnthony Hall totaled five receptions. Carter Imes made seven tackles; both he and Hutton had one sack.

Westfield is 5-1 in conference play and 7-1 overall, and plays next Friday at Franklin Central. Fishers is 3-3 in the HCC and 5-3 overall, and hosts Zionsville next Friday.

No. 2 Guerin Catholic has no trouble in Homecoming shutout of Terre Haute North

By **CRAIG ADKINS**
For The Reporter

NOBLESVILLE – All of the pieces were in place for what became a tremendous fall atmosphere for Guerin Catholic’s football Homecoming game last Friday. The fans were out in full force tailgating prior to the game and filled the stands just before kickoff.

At halftime, seniors Katie Scott and Peyton Lemberg would be named homecoming queen and king, respectively.

Everything went right in all facets of the game for Guerin Catholic, as they shut out Terre Haute North on Homecoming, 42-0.

On the first drive, the Golden Eagles made quick work with a short field. Starting at the Patriots’ 45, it didn’t take long. Peter Rooney ran for four yards, followed by sophomore Aiden Ferry catching a 16-

yard pass from Ryan Zimmerman. On the third play, Rooney found room up the middle and ran 25-yards untouched into the end zone for a touchdown for an early 7-0 edge.

After the Patriots turned the ball over on downs at their own 44, Guerin wasted no time in capitalizing on another opportunity to score. Sophomore Jack Linden got the call three times on the short series. His third carry would be for a 26-yard scoring scamper and a 14-0 lead with 3:19 left in the first.

“Both are good quality backs. They have gotten much better throughout the season. They’re both physical, take care of the ball and are good downhill runners. But, the offensive line was obviously making a lot of that happen, too,” said Guerin Catholic head coach Tom Dilley.

North running back Josiah Bennett fumbled with

Nick Bauman recovering the ball at the Patriot 39 and in great field position once again.

This drive would be Rooney’s on the ground. The senior running back ran five times for 25 on the way to his second score of the night, from two yards out, pushing it to a three-score advantage, 21-0.

Forcing Terre Haute North to punt, punt returner Aaron Keller nearly ran back the punt, but was knocked out of bounds at the Patriot 26.

On the first play, Ryan Zimmerman connected with senior Luke Baldwin for a 26-yard touchdown strike in the right corner of the end zone, extending the lead to 28-0 with 8:49 left until halftime.

“Along with the receivers on the outside, we’ve got everything built in. Where, if they overload the box, we can spit the ball out. Every-

body’s responsible for making sure that those positive running opportunities were there,” continued Dilley.

Another North punt and another opportunity to put points on the board for the Golden Eagles.

Jack Linden would find the end zone for the second time of the night for Guerin’s fifth touchdown, this one from nine yards away, giving the GC a 35-0 comfortable lead at halftime.

As much as the Guerin Catholic offense excelled all night, in a game where the opponent is held scoreless, the defense is obviously doing everything right.

“Coaches did a nice job of keeping the game plan simple and letting our guys be loose and free, flying around and having a lot of confidence in what they’re doing. And, the kids executed the defense pretty well,” stated Dilley.

Executing on defense is

an understatement. On 34 offensive plays, Guerin allowed the Patriots to gain just 70 total yards of offense and only nine rushing yards.

The Golden Eagles put together one more solid drive that would put this game away. The entire second half had a running clock.

Zimmerman would give it one last effort for a second passing TD and it couldn’t have been a better result.

The senior quarterback found junior receiver Hayden Cler in the front left corner of the end zone for a one-handed grab to score from 13-yards. Freshman kicker James Hokanson booted the extra point for what became the final score of 42-0.

“He (Zimmerman) was clean most of the night. A lot of the balls that he threw were actually called run plays. It was favorable on the outside and he took

advantage of what he was supposed to do, but he delivered, and executed real well and the receivers on the outside made some good plays. We know how good Ryan is, and can be and I thought he played well tonight,” said Dilley.

The Golden Eagles (6-2) proved why they stand firm as one of the top teams in Class 3A. Guerin Catholic hits the road at Culver Academy (3-5) to finish the regular season Friday.

Jack Linden led the Guerin ground attack with 110 yards on 16 carries and scored twice. Leading rusher Peter Rooney ran nine times for 69 yards and a pair of TDs. Zimmerman had another solid night in the pocket, completing 8-for-11 for 132 yards and two touchdowns. Malcolm Houze led the receiving corps with three catches and 65 yards, with Baldwin and Cler each scoring.

Eastern breaks Blackhawks’ perfect conference record

The REPORTER

Sheridan’s unbeaten record in 2023 Hoosier Heartland Conference play was broken at Eastern last Friday.

The host Comets scored a late touchdown to upset the Blackhawks 19-14. Eastern led 7-0 after one quarter, then scored with 2:44 left in the second period to go up 13-0.

Sheridan got on the board right before halftime, as Nolan Page blasted off on a 54-yard run to score a touchdown. Owen Bell made the extra-point kick, and the ‘Hawks were within 14-7.

Sheridan took the lead in

the third quarter, with Page making another 54-yard touchdown run. Bell again kicked the extra point, and the Blackhawks were in front 14-13. But the Comets took the lead with 2:13 left in the fourth period on a 20-yard passing touchdown.

Page led the rushing with 106 yards in six carries. Zach Bales added 92 yards rushing, while Eli Kolb gained 89 yards on the ground.

The ‘Hawks are 5-1 in conference play and 6-2 overall. Sheridan hosts undefeated Carroll Friday. The Cougars are 6-0 in the HHC standings and 8-0 overall.

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Royals pulls out all stops to take down Flashes

The REPORTER

Hamilton Southeastern sprinted to the finish line in its Hoosier Crossroads Conference game with Franklin Central last Friday.

The Royals beat Franklin Central 19-3. It was slow going for the first three quarters, as neither team could get into the end zone. But Southeastern stepped it up in the fourth period, grabbing two touchdowns and setting itself up for a big date with Brownsburg this week.

Hugo Belmonte provided the Royals’ points during the first half. He made last-minute field goals in both the first and second quarters; the first one from 28 yards and the second from 32 yards. The

Flashes made a field goal in between, so Southeastern went into halftime with a 6-3 lead.

The Royals finally broke through early in the fourth quarter, when Chandler Weston made an eight-yard run into the end zone. Southeastern’s defense then pushed Franklin Central back 12 yards on a fourth-and-7 play, giving HSE the ball in excellent field position.

The Royals needed only two plays, with Jalen Alexander rushing in for a 10-yard touchdown to finish the job. Belmonte made the extra-point kick. Southeastern’s defense also stepped up, as Braden Myers made an interception late in the quarter to



Photo provided by Julie Brown
Hamilton Southeastern’s Jalen Alexander rushed for 116 yards and a touchdown during the Royals’ win over Franklin Central last Friday.

ice the game for HSE. Alexander totaled 116 yards rushing to lead Southeastern.

The Royals are 5-1 in the conference and 7-1 overall. Southeastern travels to Brownsburg Friday for a game with the unbeaten Bulldogs.

Huskies chew through South Bend Washington for huge 51-6 victory

The REPORTER

Hamilton Heights’ extraordinary season continued last Friday with the Huskies putting together their best offensive production to date.

Heights roared past South Bend Washington 51-6 in a home game. The Huskies were merciless in this game, scoring in each quarter and eating up serious ground on their many trips to the end zone.

Six of Heights’ touchdowns were by run. Eric Balcom had half of those scores, racking up three in the first two quarters with short runs. In between, Dean Mason made a tackle for a safety, giving the Huskies two extra first-quarter points.

Jaylyn Pugh helped out with a tremendous touchdown in the second quarter, taking a punt re-

turn 63 yards to the end zone. Balcom also made a two-point run and Teigan Scoles kicked three extra points, adding it all up to a 31-0 Heights halftime lead.

In the third quarter, the Panthers did something no team has been able to do since August: Score against the Huskies. That touchdown ended Heights’ shutout streak at 22 quarters. But the Huskies were unbothered, adding two more touchdowns in the third period from Nathan Flanders and Logan Hickman. Scoles made both extra-point kicks.

Quarterback Bodie Derrer added another touchdown in the fourth quarter. Derrer had a solid game, going 7-of-14 from the air. Balcom led the rushing with 156 yards. Meanwhile, Heights’ de-



Photo by Bob Cross
Hamilton Heights’ Eric Balcom rushed for three touchdowns and 156 yards during the Huskies’ 51-6 win over South Bend Washington last Friday.

fense played outstanding perfect for the year at 8-0, and play at West Lafayette Friday in the Hoosier Conference championship game.

The Huskies are still

‘Hounds kick Warriors off home turf

The REPORTER

A clutch fourth-quarter kick by Josh Placzek sent Carmel past one of its biggest rivals last Friday.

The Greyhounds beat Warren Central 17-14 at Carmel Stadium. The Warriors scored first on the ‘Hounds with an interception return midway through the first period, and held that opening lead well into the second quarter.

Carmel got on the board with 7:59 left in the second when Anthony Coellner zoomed to the end zone on a 59-yard run. Placzek’s extra-point kick tied the game, and it would stay tied at 7-

at halftime.

James Clark’s nine-yard run in the third quarter put Warren up 14-7. The Greyhounds tied the game again late in the fourth period when Christian Peterson caught a 20-yard touchdown pass from Coellner. Placzek again tied the game with an extra-point kick. Carmel got the ball back, took it to the 20-yard line, and Placzek made a 37-yard field goal with 1:19 left to seal the game.

Coellner led the Greyhounds’ rushing with 96 yards.

Carmel is 5-3 and plays Friday at Lawrence Central.



Reporter photo by Richie Hall
Carmel’s Josh Placzek, shown here right before kickoff, made a 37-yard field goal with 1:19 left to play that sent the Greyhounds to a 17-14 victory.



Photo by Emma Pearce
(Left) Noblesville’s Aiden Brewer listens during a huddle at the Millers’ game with Brownsburg last Friday. (Right) The Noblesville student section was out in force.



Photo by Landon Denison

Noblesville falls to undefeated Brownsburg

The REPORTER

Noblesville gave one of the best teams in the state a serious run for its money last Friday.

The Millers played undefeated Brownsburg and held a 22-21 lead on the Bulldogs going into the fourth quarter, but Brownsburg scored a touchdown to move ahead and eventually win the Hoosier Crossroads Conference game 27-22.

The Bulldogs scored in the first quarter on a three-yard run by Garrett Sherrell, but the Millers answered that later in the period when Gage Gulley punched the ball in from the one, making the first-quarter score a 7-7 tie. Brownsburg jumped ahead 21-13 at halftime with a pair of end-zone runs, but Gage Gulley kept Noblesville within shouting dis-

tance by scoring from two yards.

The Millers outscored the Bulldogs 9-0 in the third quarter. Jack Letourneau kicked a 31-yard field goal with just under four minutes to go, then Logan Shoffner put Noblesville ahead with a 10-yard run, scoring with 50 seconds left in the period.

With that, the Millers led by one point. But

Brownsburg immediately took the lead back on the first play of the fourth quarter, with Sherrell making a 75-yard touchdown run. Neither team scored again.

Shoffner had an outstanding game, with 190 yards in 26 rushes. Quarterback Jacob Baker totaled 62 yards passing.

Noblesville is 1-5 in the conference and 3-5 overall, and plays Friday at Avon.

Soccer — Millers boys secure third sectional title

By RICHIE HALL

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NOBLESVILLE – The Noblesville boys soccer team continued its sectional championship streak last week, collecting a third straight Class 3A Sectional 8 title by beating Fishers 2-1 last Saturday at the Millers’ Hallmark Orthodontic Soccer Complex.

Top-ranked and defending state champion Noblesville was expecting a tough battle with No. 6-ranked Tigers, and that’s what the game turned out to be. It took until the very end of the first half for the Millers to get on the board, but they did so 23 seconds before halftime. Caden Rice sent a shot into the goal; it was deflected back to Brady Frayer, who kicked it into the net.

sisted by Tucker on the first score and by Sam Holland on the second. Ben Hewitt put in the Millers’ sixth goal, then Max Tucker completed the scoring in the 66th minute.

Next up was a dramatic second semifinal between the Tigers and No. 17 Hamilton Southeastern. The score was tied 2-2 at the end of regulation and looked like it would go to penalty kicks, but Reid Spittler put in a header with 45 seconds left in overtime and sent Fishers to a 3-2 victory.

“They had some opportunities late in regulation that could have settled it, so we were fortunate on a couple plays,” said Schmidt. “We were playing our heart out and just running and chasing and trying to make things tough for them. They’re a really good team. Don’t let the record fool you. They played a tough schedule. That’s a really good team that’s really well-coached. So, we knew it was going to be really tough tonight and we’re fortunate to be the one that made one more play than they did.”

Neither team scored in the first half, but both sides more than made up for it in the second half. blasted in a free kick from around 23 yards in the 49th minute for Fishers’ first goal. The Royals answered in the 57th minute when Blake Braden scored, and it was 1-1.

Ellis Shaner then stepped up for Fishers, putting in his first-ever varsity goal in the 63rd minute. Clayton made the assist. But Southeastern got it back again, as Logan Puls made a header in the 72nd minute.

“We get scored on, it doesn’t matter,” said Clayton. “We just go out and fight, work our hardest and we work our way up like we did.”

With that, the game went to overtime, which consists of two seven-minute periods. The first overtime was scoreless, but Spittler saved the day for the Tigers with his last-minute goal.

“That was a great play there,” said Schmidt. “We got the free kick, and coach was just like ‘Send everybody up,’” said Spittler. “And we were just hoping for a lucky bounce and it was going my way.”

The Royals finish their season at 7-6-3.

Noblesville opened sectional play last Monday by beating a tough Muncie Central team 2-0.

The Bearcats held the Millers scoreless in the first half with difficult defense, and their goalkeeper saved a penalty kick during that half. Noblesville broke through in the second half, when Pursch sent a cross from the left flank to Craig on the back post. Craig made a header to send the ball into the net.

Less than a minute later, Ben Hewitt scored. He collected the ball near midfield, dribbled 40 yards, then blasted the ball into the net with a left-foot kick.

Guerin Catholic girls will head to regional semifinals

The REPORTER

The Guerin Catholic girls soccer team navigated the toughest sectional in Class 2A last week, and came through as Sectional 24 champions at Speedway.

Last Thursday, the No. 3-ranked Golden Eagles got past No. 1-ranked Brebeuf Jesuit in a penalty kick shootout to win a semifinal game. The contest was tied at 2-2 after regulation and overtime, so it went to PKs, where Guerin Catholic won 4-2.

Alex Soucie and Maureen Johns scored goals in

regulation for GC, with Anabel Wright and Mia Gatz making assists.

In the sectional final, the Golden Eagles beat No. 2 Bishop Chatard in a 2-1 overtime game. Guerin Catholic led 1-0 at halftime before the Trojans tied it up in the second half, but the Golden Eagles scored in overtime to get the win.

Stats were not available at press time.

Guerin Catholic is 12-4-1 and plays at No. 19 Tri-West Thursday in the regional semifinals.

Soccer



The Sheridan girls soccer team won its first-ever sectional championship last Saturday. The host Blackhawks cruised to the Sectional 37 title by beating Eastern 3-0.

FIRST EVER: Blackhawks get sectional championship

By **RICHIE HALL**
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SHERIDAN – For the first time in Sheridan history, the Blackhawks have a soccer sectional champion team. Sheridan’s girls soccer team hosted and won Class 1A Sectional 37 last week, finishing out the week with a 3-0 victory over Eastern last Saturday. The Blackhawks won in front of a large crowd, and when it was over there were happy soccer players and a feeling of “relief” for longtime Sheridan coach Brian Prange. “This is phenomenal,” said Prange. “I can’t say enough about the seniors, the juniors, freshmen, sophomores. It all came together. It was awesome.” The ‘Hawks had beaten

the Comets 4-0 early in the season in a Hoosier Heartland Conference game, quickly taking a 3-0 lead. Eastern gave Sheridan a tough first half, playing solid defense and denying the Blackhawks several close shots. “It’s hard to play them twice,” said Prange. “It’s a conference team. They were solid for us the first time we played them and they were just as focused (tonight) because this was a sectional championship. They were playing tough. Their goalie played really well.” But the Blackhawks were undeterred. They kept the pressure on, breaking through in the 36th minute when sophomore Lucy Hester scored off an assist from classmate Ji Warren. Then with five seconds left until

halftime, freshman Sadie Timme put another goal in, giving Sheridan a 2-0 lead. The Blackhawks sailed through the second half, getting a third goal when freshman Brielle Garner put the ball in the net during the 67th minute. Meanwhile, the defense was doing its job, rarely letting Eastern near the Sheridan goal. Senior Emma Alexander led the way on defense. “The real anchor was our defense with Emma again,” said Prange. “She’s the one that controlled everything. She’s the one that set the tone in the back, with Cecilia (Timme) as the other captain in the middle.” Prange also acknowledged the seniors: Alexander, Kennedy Zachary and Isabel Nunez. Sheridan is now 12-5-

1 and hosts Faith Christian Thursday in the regional semifinal. In earlier games, Sheridan cruised past Taylor 6-0 last Tuesday in the first round. The Blackhawks got on the board 12 minutes in the game, when Norah Stites scored off an Alexander corner kick. Sheridan began to roll after that: Cecelia Timme put in a goal, with Sadie Timme making the assist, then Stites scored again to give the ‘Hawks a 3-0 lead. Alexander scored two goals for Sheridan in the second half. Makenzy Terry earned another shutout as goalkeeper. Last Thursday, the Blackhawks beat Tipton 1-0 in the semifinals. Hester scored the game’s only goal during the third minute.

Other soccer sectional results

The REPORTER
The Guerin Catholic boys soccer hosted the first round of Class 2A Sectional 26 on Monday. The No. 13-ranked Golden Eagles had a difficult assignment, playing No. 2-ranked Brebeuf Jesuit. The Braves won 4-1. Gavin Rieck scored Guerin Catholic’s goal in the second half, with Carson Prather making the assist. In the second game, No. 10 Hamilton Heights lost a tough one to No. 9 Heritage Christian, 2-1 in overtime. After a scoreless first half, the Eagles broke through with a goal in the 43rd minute. The Huskies came back with 12:11 left in the half, as Phoenix Vondersaar scored off an assist by Micah Col-

vin. Heritage got the winning goal with 1:20 left in the second overtime, then held on from there. The Golden Eagles finished 5-10-1, while Heights completed an 11-2-5 season. * * * The Hamilton Heights girls lost a tough championship match at Class 2A Sectional 24 at Yorktown last Saturday, falling to the host Tigers in penalty kicks. Neither team scored in regulation or overtime. The shootout needed seven rounds of penalty kicks before Yorktown won 5-4. In earlier games, the Huskies beat Jay County 3-0 in last Tuesday’s first round. Addyson Ferguson, Lizzy Smith, and Ella Hickok all scored goals. The Huskies beat Delta

5-0 in last Thursday’s semifinals. Sarah Toll Ella Hickok both scored two goals, with Natalie Marcum adding one goal. Heights finished its season 11-5-3. * * * The Class 1A Sectional 39 host Sheridan boys advanced to the championship game with a 3-2 win over Liberty Christian last Wednesday. Evan Krup, Carsen Aleman, and Conner Stuartall scored goals for the Blackhawks. The ‘Hawks played No. 14-ranked Muncie Burris in last Saturday’s championship, falling 6-0. Sheridan finished its season 5-9-2. * * * University’s boys, ranked No. 16, dropped

a 3-0 sectional semifinal game to No. 9 Park Tudor on Wednesday. The Trailblazers finished their season 6-6-2. * * * The University girls lost a tough first-round game in Class 1A Sectional 42 Tuesday at Cardinal Ritter, as the Trailblazers were beaten in penalty kicks by Bethesda Christian. The Patriots led 2-0 during the first half before University came back to tie the game at 2-2 by the end of regulation. Kierra Bright and Mack Feeney both scored for the ‘Blazers. Neither team scored in overtime, which sent the game to the shootout, which Bethesda won 3-1. University finished its season 5-7-2.

Boys Tennis Regionals — Millers & ‘Hounds advance to state

By **RICHIE HALL**
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NOBLESVILLE - The Noblesville boys tennis team has entered uncharted territory, and the Millers are happy to enjoy the ride. Noblesville claimed its first-ever regional championship last Wednesday at its tennis complex. The No. 24-ranked Millers came back from 2-0 down to beat Delta 3-2. That sent Noblesville into its first-ever semi-state, and the Millers won that one, beating Leo 3-2 and advancing to the IHSAA state finals. The Eagles won at No. 2 singles and No. 1 doubles. The Millers got on the board a couple minutes later, as No. 2 doubles Jake Brenneman and Dane Campbell won 6-2, 6-4. About 10 minutes after that, No. 1 singles Ethan Feliciano wrapped his 7-5, 6-4 win. The match came down to No. 3 singles, and once again, Zane Panning stepped up to the challenge. After winning the first set, he fell behind 3-2 in the second set, but won four of the next five games to clinch the match.

At Homestead, the Millers got victories from Panning 6-3, 6-0 at No. 3 singles, Bushong and Shepard at 6-2, 6-2 at No. 1 doubles, and from Brenneman and Campbell 6-3, 7-6 (3) at No. 2 doubles. Noblesville takes on No. 13 Jasper Friday in the state quarterfinals at Center Grove. * * * Top-ranked Carmel got its regional and semi-state titles back last week. Carmel beat No. 9 Park Tudor 3-2 last Wednesday to win the Lebanon regional. This is the 20th regional title for the Greyhounds. Carmel then beat South Bend St. Joseph 5-0 to win the Culver Academics 2 semi-state. The Greyhounds won their 19th semi-state title with that victory. Carmel hosts No. 5 North Central Friday in the state quarterfinals. * * * Fishers also claimed its first-ever regional title last Wednesday, beating No. 30 Greenfield-Central 5-0 in the final at Mount Vernon. The No. 14 Tigers won all five matches in straight sets. In singles, No. 1 Aidan Foley was a 6-1, 6-1 winner,

while No. 2 Gavin Conrad and No. 3 Cooper Vallance both were victorious 6-2, 6-2. In doubles, No. 1 Jack Butler and Thomas Bender were 6-3, 6-2 winners, while No. 2 Vaughan Curtis and Jonathan Mills won 6-2, 6-2. The victory sent Fishers to the Center Grove 2 semi-state championship. The Tigers’ run came to an end there, as they lost to North Central 3-2 in a tough match. Fishers

won at No. 2 singles, with Gavin Conrad victorious 6-2, 6-4, and at No. 3 singles, with Cooper Vallance coming back to win 1-6, 6-2, 6-3. * * * In last week’s individual action, Guerin Catholic’s Max Fuller won the Lebanon sectional and Westfield’s Alex Sagarra won the Noblesville sectional. Both Fuller and Sagarra will play in the individual regionals this Saturday.

Carmel boys, girls sweep Sectional 10

The REPORTER

The Carmel boys and girls soccer teams both triumphed at their respective Sectional 10 sites last Saturday. The No. 1-ranked Greyhound girls won at their home field of Murray Stadium, beating Zionsville 2-0 in the championship. The game was scoreless at halftime, but Carmel broke through in the 63rd minute when Ashlyn Anderson kicked in a 15-foot shot. Olivia Cebalo made the assist. Cebalo then added the second goal with 1:49 left in the game, kicking the ball in from 20 yards. The ‘Hounds soon had the sectional trophy, their third in a row, and improved to 16-0-3 on the season. Carmel plays at Brownsburg Thursday in the regional semifinals.

In last Tuesday’s first round, the Greyhounds defeated Crispus Attucks 9-0. The Greyhounds led 6-0 at halftime; Megan Hamm scored two goals during the first eight minutes. Other first-half goals came from Adalyn Cameron, Clare Simmonds, Olivia Joyce and Elsie Flanders. Emma Ehret scored two goals in the second half, then Olivia Ade put in the ninth goal to end the game.

Lindsey’s hat trick

No. 5-ranked Westfield played the second opening-round contest. The Shamrocks had a tougher game, as they took on North Central. Neither team scored in the first half, but Westfield broke it open in the second half, scoring four goals for a 4-0 victory. Lindsey Cassady led the way for the ‘Rocks. She scored the first goal in the 44th minute on a penalty kick, then used a header to send a second ball into the net in the 48th minute. Cassady then blasted a 25-yard rocket into the net a couple minutes later, and Westfield had a 3-0 lead.

Kate Malin put in the Shamrocks’ final goal of the game, nailing a PK in the 71st minute. Meanwhile, Westfield’s defense did its job, with Kate Pallante and the back line stopping any of the Panthers’ opportunities. Carmel and Westfield met in last Thursday’s semifinals, with the Greyhounds winning 5-1. Carmel scored first, with Adalyn Cameron getting her team on the board. The Shamrocks’ Ava Smith tied it up in the 12th minute, with Kate Malin making the assist. After that, it was all Greyhounds, with goals scored by Hamm, Simmonds, Cebalo, and Ander-

son. Westfield finished its season 10-3-5. **Boys at Zionsville**
The No. 2-ranked Carmel boys beat North Central 3-1 last Saturday to claim their third straight sectional championship. Connor Dora scored the Greyhounds’ first goal during the 18th minute, and that 1-0 score would stand at halftime. The Panthers tied the game with under 19 minutes left in the second half, but Ryan Barrett immediately put Carmel back in the lead in the 66th minute. Christian Nielsen then scored with under nine minutes to play, and the ‘Hounds held on from there. “For a good chunk of the game, I think we were under control,” said Carmel coach Shane Schmidt. “In the state tournament, anything can happen. The credit to them, they had a game plan that worked for them for a long time. I told the boys we just need to stick to the task and do what we need to do.”

The Greyhounds are 16-1-2 and play at No. 4 Pike Wednesday in the regional semifinals. In last Monday’s first-round game, Carmel beat Westfield 5-1. Nielsen scored the Greyhounds’ first goal, off an assist by Hayden Warneke. Johnny Gourley added a goal during the 21st minute, with Nielsen assisting, and Carmel led 2-0 at halftime. The Shamrocks scored during the 57th minute; Grant Myers scored the goal with Oliver Smith making the assist. Gourley put in a goal five minutes later to give the ‘Hounds a 3-1 lead. John Gilbert put an assist from Dora into the net for Carmel’s fourth goal, and Warneke added the fifth goal, with Nielsen making his second assist of the night.

Westfield finished its season 9-6-2. In last Wednesday’s semifinals, the Greyhounds beat No. 5 Zionsville 3-1. The Greyhounds scored their first goal in the 27th minute. Warneke sent a corner kick to Barrett, who tapped it in to get Carmel on the board. That would be the only score of the first half. Barrett struck again in the second half, putting another corner kick into the net with 10 minutes left in the game. Zionsville made a penalty kick in the 76th minute, but Gourley put the game away with a goal two minutes later. *Read the full version of this story on our website, ReadTheReporter.com.*

— CARMEL —

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

City of Carmel, Indiana

Department: Carmel Street Department

3400 W. 131st Street

Carmel, IN 46074

Project: 23-STR-09 TARKINGTON LIGHTING

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Public Works and Safety for the City of Carmel, Hamilton County, Indiana, will receive sealed bids, during regular business hours, up to, but not later than 10:00 A.M., Wednesday, November 15th, 2023 at the office of the Clerk, One Civic Square, 3rd Floor, Carmel, Indiana, 46032.

All bids and proposals shall be properly and completely executed on the proposal forms provided with the plans and specifications, and shall include the non-collusion affidavit required by the State of Indiana. **The bid envelope must be sealed and have the following words only written in ink on the outside of the envelope:**

Bid: 23-STR-09 TARKINGTON LIGHTING

Project manuals may be obtained from the Carmel Street Department, 3400 W. 131st Street, Carmel, IN 46074. Bid packets will be available after October 20th, 2023.

All bids are to be sealed with the word “**BPW – 23-STR-09 TARKINGTON LIGHTING BID**” on the lower left hand corner of the envelope. Bids will be opened and read aloud at 10:00 a.m. on November 15th, 2023 at the Board of Public Works and Safety meeting on the 2nd floor of Carmel City Hall, One Civic Square, Carmel, IN. All persons interested in bidding shall register a contact name and address with the Street Department to ensure that all changes or questions and answers are available for review by all interested parties.

No bidder may withdraw any bid or proposal within a period of thirty (30) days following the date set for receiving bids or proposals. The Carmel Board of Public Works and Safety reserves the right to hold any or all bids and proposals for a period of not more than thirty (30) days, such bids and proposals to remain in full force and effect during said time period. The City of Carmel reserves the right to reject and/or cancel any and all bids, solicitations and/or offers in whole or in part as specified in the solicitation for bids when, in the City’s sole discretion, it believes that it is in the best interests of the City to do so, as determined by the purchasing agency in accordance with IC 5-22-18-2.

There will be a mandatory pre-bid meeting at 9:00 A.M. EST on Thursday, October 26th, 2023. The address is Council Chambers, Carmel City Hall, 1 Civic Square, Carmel, IN 46032. Site tour will follow pre-bid meeting. Any questions regarding this pre-bid meeting can email Crystal Edmondson at cedmondson@carmel.in.gov.

Matt Higginbotham

Street Commissioner

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10/9/23, 10/16/23

— COURT NOTICES —

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In the Hamilton County Superior Court 3, Indiana

Notice is hereby given that Tanya Melissa Elise Kozak, on August 14, 2023 was appointed Personal Representative of the Unsupervised Estate of the above named Decedent, who died on 2022-04-15.

All persons who have claims against this Estate, whether now due, must file the claim in the office of the clerk of this court within three (3) months from the date of the first publication of this notice or within nine (9) months of Decedent’s death whichever is earlier, or the claims will be forever barred.

Dated at Noblesville, Indiana,

August 14, 2023

Kathy Kregg Williams

Clerk of the Hamilton County Superior Court #3

for Hamilton County, Indiana

R3228

10/9/23, 10/16/23

STATE OF INDIANA)

COUNTY OF HAMILTON)

IN THE HAMILTON COUNTY)

CIRCUIT COURT)

Cause No. 29C01-2308-MI-7473)

INRE NAME CHANGE OF:)

AMY NIGELLE HOLLOWAY)

NOTICE OF HEARING)

Notice is hereby given that)

Petitioner, AMY NIGELLE)

HOLLOWAY, pro se, filed a Verified)

Petition for Change of Name to)

change her name from AMY)

NIGELLE HOLLOWAY to NIGELLE)

HOLLOWAY BENJAMIN.)

The petition is scheduled for hearing)

in the Hamilton Circuit Court on)

December 1, 2023 at 10:00 am, which)

is more than thirty (30) days after the)

third notice of publication. Any person)

has the right to appear at the hearing)

and to file written objections on or)

before the hearing date. The parties)

shall report to One Hamilton County)

Square, Suite 337, Noblesville, IN)

46060.)

Date: September 26, 2023)

Kathy Kregg Williams)

Clerk, Hamilton Circuit Court)

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NOTICE TO VOTERS OF HAMILTON COUNTY, INDIANA									
Notice is hereby given that the following locations are to be used as voting places for the Municipal Election to be held in Hamilton County, Indiana on Tuesday, November 7, 2023. Polls will be open from 6:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. All polling places are located in an accessible facility.									
Adams									
0101	Sheridan 01	300 E 6th St	Sheridan		0320	Delaware 20	2 Municipal Dr	Fishers,	
	Sheridan Community Center	Sheridan Room				Fishers Fire Station 91	1st Floor Training Room		
0102	Sheridan 02	24185 N Hinesley Rd	Sheridan		0321	Delaware 21	10598 Eller Rd	Fishers,	
	Sheridan High School	HS Conference Room				The Historic Ambassador House	Front Family Room		
0103	Sheridan 03	1545 W 226th St	Sheridan,		0322	Delaware 22	9094 E 131st St	Fishers	
	Six Points Church	Lobby				Delaware Township Community Center - Back			
0104	Sheridan 04	506 S Main St	Sheridan	Fall Creek	0401	Delaware 23	13875 Trade Center Dr	Fishers,	
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						The Balmoral House	Inside, main floor		
0201	Clay 01	2500 E 98th St	Carmel,		0402	Fall Creek 01	14842 E 136th St	Fishers,	
	Hope Church	Fellowship Hall				Northview Church - Fishers Campus	Student Room		
0202	Clay 02	12120 Brookshire Pkwy	Carmel		0403	Fall Creek 02	13490 Howe Rd	Fishers,	
	Brookshire Golf Club	Banquet Room				Legacy Bible Church	Foyer/Main Entrance		
0203	Clay 03	4770 E Main St	Carmel		0404	Fall Creek 03	10748 E 116th St	Fishers	
	Christ Community Church	Lobby/Sanctuary				St George Orthodox Christian Church	Fellowship Hall		
0204	Clay 04	2000 North New Market	Carmel		0405	Fall Creek 04	12900 Fall Creek Rd	McCordsville,	
	The Meeting House of West Clay	Second Floor				Indianapolis Yacht Club	Main Hall		
0205	Clay 05	3650 W 106th St	Carmel		0406	Fall Creek 05	13222 E 126th St	Fishers,	
	Pilgrim Lutheran Church	Fellowship Hall				Pennington Park Church	Church Lobby		
* 0206	Clay 06	1605 E 106th St	Carmel,		0407	Fall Creek 06	12213 Lantern Rd	Fishers,	
	Orchard Park Presbyterian Church	Lounge/Main Street				AlHuda Center	Gym		
0207	Clay 07	4770 E Main St	Carmel		0408	Fall Creek 07	12213 Lantern Rd	Fishers,	
	Christ Community Church	Lobby/Sanctuary				AlHuda Center	Gym		
0208	Clay 08	621 S Rangeline Rd	Carmel,	*	0409	Fall Creek 08	10748 E 116th St	Fishers	
	Carmel United Methodist Church	Family Life Center				St George Orthodox Christian Church	Fellowship Hall		
0209	Clay 09	1010 E 126th St	Carmel,		0410	Fall Creek 09	8850 E 106th St	Fishers	
	Trinity Baptist Church	Gym				Eastern Star Church			
0210	Clay 10	3405 E 116th St	Carmel		0411	Fall Creek 10	13222 E 126th St	Fishers	
	Chinese Community Church of Indianapolis	Gym				Pennington Park Church	Church Lobby		
0211	Clay 11	651 W Main St	Carmel,		0412	Fall Creek 11	13222 E 126th St	Fishers,	
	Carmel Friends Church	Inside Building				Pennington Park Church	Church Lobby		
0212	Clay 12	1605 E 106th St	Carmel,		0413	Fall Creek 12	11565 Brooks School Rd	Fishers,	
	Orchard Park Presbyterian Church	Lounge/Main Street				Fall Creek Township - Building 2	basement		
0213	Clay 13	2381 Pointe Pkwy	Carmel		0414	Fall Creek 13	14842 E 136th St	Fishers,	
	Mercy Road Church	Lobby				Northview Church - Fishers Campus	Student Room		
0214	Clay 14	2381 Pointe Pkwy	Carmel		0415	Fall Creek 14	9820 E 141st St	Fishers	
	Mercy Road Church	Lobby				Life Church - Fishers	Worship Center		
0215	Clay 15	10701 N College Ave	Carmel,		0416	Fall Creek 15	13450 E 116th St	Fishers,	
	John Hensel Government Center	Community Room				Cornerstone Lutheran Church - Fishers	East Side Hallway		
0217	Clay 17	13200 Old Meridian St	Carmel,		0417	Fall Creek 16	9820 E 141st St	Fishers	
	Genesis Church	Lobby				Life Church - Fishers	Worship Center		
0219	Clay 19	10701 N College Ave	Carmel,		0418	Fall Creek 17	12690 Promise Rd	Fishers,	
	John Hensel Government Center	Community Room				Billericay Park Building	Main Hall		
0220	Clay 20	621 S Rangeline Rd	Carmel,		0419	Fall Creek 18	12690 Promise Rd	Fishers,	
	Carmel United Methodist Church	Family Life Center				Billericay Park Building	Main Hall		
0222	Clay 22	2606 W 96th St	Indianapolis,		0420	Fall Creek 19	13678 Silverstone Dr	Fishers	
	College Park Church	Gym				Crosspoint Church	Entry way		
0223	Clay 23	12401 Lynnwood Blvd	Carmel,		0421	Fall Creek 20	12450 Olivo Rd	Fishers	
	Plum Creek Golf Club	Banquet Room				Grace Church - Fishers	Room 122		
0224	Clay 24	12900 Hazel Dell Pkwy	Carmel,		0422	Fall Creek 21	12900 Fall Creek Rd	McCordsville,	
	Northview Church - Carmel	Atrium				Indianapolis Yacht Club	Main Hall		
0227	Clay 27	3450 W 131st St	Carmel		0423	Fall Creek 22	12450 Olivo Rd	Fishers	
	Carmel Water Distribution	Truck Bays				Grace Church - Fishers	Room 122		
0228	Clay 28	2606 W 96th St	Indianapolis,		0424	Fall Creek 23	13678 Silverstone Dr	Fishers	
	College Park Church	Gym				Crosspoint Church	Entry way		
0229	Clay 29	2900 E 136th St	Carmel,		0425	Fall Creek 24	12690 Promise Rd	Fishers,	
	Carmel High School Stadium	Community/Hospitality Room				Billericay Park Building	Main Hall		
0230	Clay 30	10701 N College Ave	Carmel,		0426	Fall Creek 25	12450 Olivo Rd	Fishers	
	John Hensel Government Center	Community Room				Grace Church - Fishers	Room 122		
0231	Clay 31	12156 N Meridian St	Carmel		0427	Fall Creek 26	13450 E 116th St	Fishers,	
	Ritz Charles	Ballroom, Chapel, Pavilion				Cornerstone Lutheran Church - Fishers	East Side Hallway		
0232	Clay 32	651 W Main St	Carmel,		0428	Fall Creek 27	13151 Cyntheanne Rd	Fishers,	
	Carmel Friends Church	Inside Building				Cyntheanne Christian Church	Youth Center		
0233	Clay 33	3450 W 131st St	Carmel		0429	Fall Creek 28	14842 E 136th St	Fishers,	
	Carmel Water Distribution	Truck Bays				Northview Church - Fishers Campus	Student Room		
0235	Clay 35	14501 Hazel Dell Pkwy	Carmel,		0430	Fall Creek 29	10748 E 116th St	Fishers	
	Venture Christian Church	Auditorium				St George Orthodox Christian Church	Fellowship Hall		
0236	Clay 36	14550 River Rd	Carmel,		0431	Fall Creek 30	13490 Howe Rd	Fishers,	
	Harvest Church	Lobby				Legacy Bible Church	Foyer/Main Entrance		
0237	Clay 37	12156 N Meridian St	Carmel		0432	Fall Creek 31	11595 Brooks School Rd	Fishers,	
	Ritz Charles	Ballroom, Chapel, Pavilion				Fall Creek Township Office	Community Room		
0238	Clay 38	3405 E 116th St	Carmel		0433	Fall Creek 32	13490 Howe Rd	Fishers,	
	Chinese Community Church of Indianapolis	Gym				Legacy Bible Church	Foyer/Main Entrance		
0239	Clay 39	3131 Marallice Dr	Carmel,		0434	Fall Creek 33	13450 E 116th St	Fishers,	
	Foster Estates Clubhouse	Clubhouse				Cornerstone Lutheran Church - Fishers	East Side Hallway		
0240	Clay 40	2500 E 98th St	Carmel,		0435	Fall Creek 34	13678 Silverstone Dr	Fishers	
	Hope Church	Fellowship Hall				Crosspoint Church	Entry way		
0241	Clay 41	13200 Old Meridian St	Carmel,		0436	Fall Creek 35	13151 Cyntheanne Rd	Fishers,	
	Genesis Church	Lobby				Cyntheanne Christian Church	Youth Center		
0242	Clay 42	10655 Haverstick Rd	Carmel	*	0437	Fall Creek 36	9820 E 141st St	Fishers	
	St. Elizabeth Seton Catholic Church	Ministry Rooms B108- B110				Life Church - Fishers	Worship Center		
0243	Clay 43	1605 E 106th St	Carmel,		0438	Fall Creek 37	13079 Del Webb Parkway	Fishers,	
	Orchard Park Presbyterian Church	Lounge/Main Street				Britton Falls Chateau	Ballrooms A-C		
0246	Clay 46	1484 W Main St	Carmel,		0439	Fall Creek 38	12900 Fall Creek Rd	McCordsville,	
	Bethlehem Lutheran Church	Fellowship Hall				Indianapolis Yacht Club	Main Hall		
0247	Clay 47	1010 E 126th St	Carmel,		0440	Fall Creek 39	11595 Brooks School Rd	Fishers,	
	Trinity Baptist Church	Gym				Fall Creek Township Office	Community Room		
0248	Clay 48	5201 E Main St	Carmel,		0441	Fall Creek 40	13490 Howe Rd	Fishers,	
	Carmel Clay Schools Educational Services Center	Public Meeting Room				Legacy Bible Church	Foyer/Main Entrance		
0249	Clay 49	14501 Hazel Dell Pkwy	Carmel,		0442	Fall Creek 41	12450 Olivo Rd	Fishers	
	Venture Christian Church	Auditorium				Grace Church - Fishers	Room 122		
0251	Clay 51	10655 Haverstick Rd	Carmel		0443	Fall Creek 42	14842 E 136th St	Fishers,	
	St. Elizabeth Seton Catholic Church	Ministry Rooms B108- B110				Northview Church - Fishers Campus	Student Room		
0252	Clay 52	1242 W 136th St	Carne,			Fall Creek 43	12690 Promise Rd	Fishers,	
	Traders Point Christian Church - North Campus	Main Lobby		Jackson	0503	Billericay Park Building	Main Hall		
0253	Clay 53	4770 E Main St	Carmel	Noblesville		Jackson 03	130 Walton St	Atlanta,	
	Christ Community Church	Lobby/Sanctuary			0603	Dolles Park Shelter House	Main Room		
0254	Clay 54	3450 W 131st St	Carmel		0605	Noblesville 03	1413 Westfield Rd	Noblesville,	
	Carmel Water Distribution	Truck Bays				Pilgrim Holiness Church - Family Life Center	Conference Room		
0255	Clay 55	12900 Hazel Dell Pkwy	Carmel,		0606	Noblesville 05	701 Cicero Rd	Noblesville,	
	Northview Church - Carmel	Atrium				Forest Park Inn	Overlook Room		
0256	Clay 56	3500 W 106th St	Carmel		0607	Noblesville 06	1399 Greenfield Ave	Noblesville,	
	Holy Trinity Greek Orthodox Cathedral	Founders' Walk or Library				Noblesville 07	Lobby		
0257	Clay 57	12156 N Meridian St	Carmel		0608	Life Church - Noblesville	2200 Sheridan Rd	Noblesville,	
	Ritz Charles	Ballroom, Chapel, Pavilion				Noblesville 08	Auditorium		
0258	Clay 58	11675 Hazel Dell Pkwy	Carmel,		0609	First Christian Church	16377 Herriman Blvd	Noblesville,	
	Wilfong Pavilion @ Founders Park, Bldg A	Pavilion Rooms A & B				Noblesville 09	Narhex		
0259	Clay 59	5201 E Main St	Carmel,		0610	Noblesville 10	1207 Conner St	Noblesville,	
	Carmel Clay Schools Educational Services Center	Public Meeting Room				First Presbyterian Church	Fellowship Hall		
0260	Clay 60	11675 Hazel Dell Pkwy	Carmel,		0611	Noblesville 11	772 N 10th St	Noblesville,	
	Wilfong Pavilion @ Founders Park, Bldg A	Pavilion Rooms A & B				Restoration Church/Harvest Church Annex	Fellowship Hall		
0261	Clay 61	3500 W 106th St	Carmel		0612	Noblesville 12	1413 Westfield Rd	Noblesville,	
	Holy Trinity Greek Orthodox Cathedral	Founders' Walk or Library				Pilgrim Holiness Church - Family Life Center	Conference Room		
0262	Clay 62	1242 W 136th St	Carne,		0613	Noblesville 13	1 Hamilton County Square	Noblesville,	
	Traders Point Christian Church - North Campus	Main Lobby				Hamilton County Government/Judicial Center	West Hallway, 1st Floor		
0263	Clay 63	2000 North New Market	Carmel		0614	Noblesville 14	772 N 10th St	Noblesville,	
	The Meeting House of West Clay	Second Floor				Restoration Church/Harvest Church Annex	Fellowship Hall		
0264	Clay 64	1242 W 136th St	Carne,		0616	Noblesville 16	333 Regents Park Ln	Noblesville,	
	Traders Point Christian Church - North Campus	Main Lobby				Harbour Trees Golf Club	Ballroom		
0265	Clay 65	14550 River Rd	Carmel,		0617	Noblesville 17	400 South Harbour Dr	Noblesville,	
	Harvest Church	Lobby				Noblesville Fire Station 72	Apparatus Bay		
0266	Clay 66	3000 W 116th St	Carmel,		0618	Noblesville 18	21070 Schullley Rd	Noblesville,	
	Jill Perelman Pavilion	Pavilion Rooms A,B,C				White Rock Fellowship	Worship Center		
0267	Clay 67	2000 North New Market	Carmel		0620	Noblesville 19	7160 Oxfordshire Blvd	Noblesville,	
	The Meeting House of West Clay	Second Floor				Noblesville 20	Clubroom		
0268	Clay 68	3650 W 106th St	Carmel		0621	Noblesville 21	18336 Cumbreland Rd	Noblesville,	
	Pilgrim Lutheran Church	Fellowship Hall				Senior Citizens Organization, Inc	Main Room		
0269	Clay								

—COUNTY—			
BEFORE THE HAMILTON COUNTY DRAINAGE BOARD IN THE MATTER OF Camden Walk Drain NOTICE		BEFORE THE HAMILTON COUNTY DRAINAGE BOARD IN THE MATTER OF Hampton Cove Drain NOTICE	
Notice is hereby given of the hearing of the Hamilton County Drainage Board on the Camden Walk Drain on October 23, 2023 at 9:00 A.M. in Commissioners Court, Hamilton County Judicial Center, One Hamilton County Square, Noblesville, Indiana. The purpose of the hearing is for the Board to increase the amount of the maximum unencumbered amount of the maintenance fund for the Camden Walk Drain to be increased from four (4) times the estimated annual cost of periodic maintenance of the drain to eight (8) times the estimated annual cost of periodic maintenance. The Board will not consider an increase in annual maintenance assessments at the meeting. The previously established Schedule of Assessments made by the Drainage Board have been previously approved and are available for public inspection in the office of the Hamilton County Surveyor.		Notice is hereby given of the hearing of the Hamilton County Drainage Board on the Hampton Cove Drain on October 23, 2023 at 9:00 A.M. in Commissioners Court, Hamilton County Judicial Center, One Hamilton County Square, Noblesville, Indiana. The purpose of the hearing is for the Board to increase the amount of the maximum unencumbered amount of the maintenance fund for the Hampton Cove Drain to be increased from four (4) times the estimated annual cost of periodic maintenance of the drain to eight (8) times the estimated annual cost of periodic maintenance. The Board will not consider an increase in annual maintenance assessments at the meeting. The previously established Schedule of Assessments made by the Drainage Board have been previously approved and are available for public inspection in the office of the Hamilton County Surveyor.	
Hamilton County Drainage Board Attest: <u>Lynette Mosbaugh</u>		Hamilton County Drainage Board Attest: <u>Lynette Mosbaugh</u>	
R3217		R3216	
10/9/23		10/9/23	

BEFORE THE HAMILTON COUNTY DRAINAGE BOARD IN THE MATTER OF Highland Prairie Drain NOTICE		BEFORE THE HAMILTON COUNTY DRAINAGE BOARD IN THE MATTER OF Highland Prairie Drain NOTICE	
Notice is hereby given of the hearing of the Hamilton County Drainage Board on the Highland Prairie Drain on October 23, 2023 at 9:15 A.M. in Commissioners Court, Hamilton County Judicial Center, One Hamilton County Square, Noblesville, Indiana. The purpose of the hearing is for the Board to increase the amount of the maximum unencumbered amount of the maintenance fund for the Highland Prairie Drain to be increased from four (4) times the estimated annual cost of periodic maintenance of the drain to eight (8) times the estimated annual cost of periodic maintenance. The Board will not consider an increase in annual maintenance assessments at the meeting. The previously established Schedule of Assessments made by the Drainage Board have been previously approved and are available for public inspection in the office of the Hamilton County Surveyor.		Notice is hereby given of the hearing of the Hamilton County Drainage Board on the Highland Prairie Drain on October 23, 2023 at 9:15 A.M. in Commissioners Court, Hamilton County Judicial Center, One Hamilton County Square, Noblesville, Indiana. The purpose of the hearing is for the Board to increase the amount of the maximum unencumbered amount of the maintenance fund for the Highland Prairie Drain to be increased from four (4) times the estimated annual cost of periodic maintenance of the drain to eight (8) times the estimated annual cost of periodic maintenance. The Board will not consider an increase in annual maintenance assessments at the meeting. The previously established Schedule of Assessments made by the Drainage Board have been previously approved and are available for public inspection in the office of the Hamilton County Surveyor.	
Hamilton County Drainage Board Attest: <u>Lynette Mosbaugh</u>		Hamilton County Drainage Board Attest: <u>Lynette Mosbaugh</u>	
R3220		R3220	
10/9/23		10/9/23	

— COUNTY —									
NOTICE TO VOTERS OF HAMILTON COUNTY, INDIANA (Continued)									
Washington	0701	Westfield 01 Westfield City Building	130 E Penn St Council Chambers (front)	Westfield,	0720	Westfield 19 Village Park Bible Methodist Church	219 W 161st St Conference Room & Foyer	Westfield,	
	0702	Westfield 02 Westfield Washington Public Library	333 W Hoover St Community Room	Westfield,	0721	Westfield 20 Village Park Bible Methodist Church	219 W 161st St Conference Room & Foyer	Westfield,	
	0703	Westfield 03 Lifepointe Church	3233 W 166th St Inside Right Corridor	Westfield,	0722	Westfield 21 Smith Memorial Complex @ Union Bible College	208 College Ave Gymnasium	Westfield,	
	0704	Westfield 04 Fuel Church	18686 Eagletown Rd Lobby	Westfield,	0723	Westfield 22 Westfield Washington Twp Offices	1549 E Greyhound Pass Basement	Carmel,	
	0705	Westfield 05 Westfield Washington Public Library	333 W Hoover St Community Room	Westfield,	0724	Westfield 23 Lifepointe Church	3233 W 166th St Inside Right Corridor	Westfield,	
	0706	Westfield 06 Countryside Clubhouse	250 E 169th St Main Room	Westfield,	0725	Westfield 24 Cool Creek Park Nature Center	2000-1 E 151st St Auditorium	Carmel,	
	0708	Westfield 08 Smith Memorial Complex @ Union Bible College	208 College Ave Gymnasium	Westfield,	0727	Westfield 25 Village Park Bible Methodist Church	219 W 161st St Conference Room & Foyer	Westfield,	
	0709	Westfield 09 Village Farms Clubhouse	453 Greyhound Pass Clubhouse	Carmel,	0728	Westfield 27 Thrive Christian Church	15091 Towne Rd Lobby	Westfield,	
	0710	Westfield 10 Westfield Washington Twp Offices	1549 E Greyhound Pass Basement	Carmel,	0729	Westfield 28 Cross Roads Church @ Westfield	19201 Grassy Branch Rd Auditorium	Westfield,	
	0711	Westfield 11 Cool Creek Park Nature Center	2000-1 E 151st St Auditorium	Carmel,	0730	Westfield 29 Cross Roads Church @ Westfield	19201 Grassy Branch Rd Auditorium	Westfield,	
	0712	Westfield 12 Village Farms Clubhouse	453 Greyhound Pass Clubhouse	Carmel,	Wayne	0801	Wayne 01 Clarksville Christian Church	16600 Lehr St Basement (Fellowship Hall)	Noblesville,
	0713	Westfield 13 Cool Creek Park Nature Center	2000-1 E 151st St Auditorium	Carmel,		0802	Wayne 02 Refuge Christian Church	11772 E 196th St	Noblesville,
	0714	Westfield 14 Epiphany Evangelical Lutheran Church	15605 Ditch Rd Fellowship Hall	Westfield,		0803	Wayne 03 Wayne Township Government Center	18441 Durbin Rd Community Room	Noblesville,
	0715	Westfield 15 Cross Roads Church @ Westfield	19201 Grassy Branch Rd Auditorium	Westfield,	0804	Wayne 04 Noblesville Fire Station 77	15251 Olio Rd Apparatus Bay	Noblesville,	
	0716	Westfield 16 Westfield Lions Club	1031 E 169th St Main Building	Westfield,	0805	Wayne 05 Noblesville Fire Station 77	15251 Olio Rd Apparatus Bay	Noblesville,	
	0717	Westfield 17 Fuel Church	18686 Eagletown Rd Lobby	Westfield,	0807	Wayne 07 Wayne Township Government Center	18441 Durbin Rd Community Room	Noblesville,	
	0718	Westfield 18 Epiphany Evangelical Lutheran Church	15605 Ditch Rd Fellowship Hall	Westfield,	Dated this 6th day of October, 2023. Hamilton County Election Board				
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— NOBLESVILLE —

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS
OF ADDITIONAL APPROPRIATION

Notice is hereby given to the taxpayers of the City of Noblesville, Indiana (“City”) that the Common Council of the City will meet in the Noblesville City Hall, Council Chambers, 16 S. 10th Street, Noblesville, Indiana, at the hour of 7:00 p.m. (Local Time) on October 24, 2023, to conduct public hearings and consider: (a) an appropriation in the estimated amount of Five Million Four Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$5,400,000), but not to exceed Six Million One Hundred Six Thousand Two Hundred Sixteen Dollars (\$6,106,216) for the purpose of providing funds for the costs of funding capital improvements to City owned property and the acquisition of capital equipment to serve City needs, together with all necessary appurtenances, related improvements and equipment, and incidental expenses in connection therewith and on account of the issuance of a certain series of general obligation bonds therefor; and (b) an appropriation in an estimated amount of Five Million Four Hundred Ninety Thousand Eight Hundred Forty-five Dollars (\$5,490,845), but not to exceed Thirteen Million Five Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$13,500,000) for the purpose of providing funds for the costs of funding capital improvements to Pleasant Street, a significant east-west thoroughfare in the City, and other road and street capital improvements to serve City needs, together with all necessary appurtenances, related improvements and equipment, and incidental expenses in connection therewith and on account of the issuance of a certain series of general obligation bonds therefor. The funds to meet such additional appropriations are to be provided by the issuance and sale of each series of bonds by the City.

The foregoing appropriations are in addition to all appropriations provided for in the existing budget and tax levy.

Taxpayers of the City appearing at said meeting shall have the right to be heard in respect to said additional appropriations.

Dated October 9, 2023.

/s/ Jeff Spalding, Controller
City of Noblesville, Indiana

R320610/9/23

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON ADDITIONAL APPROPRIATION

Notice is hereby given that the City of Noblesville Common Council will hold a public hearing during its regular meeting at 7:00 p.m. on October 24, 2023, in the Council Chambers at City Hall, 16 South 10th Street, Noblesville, Indiana.

The purpose of the public hearing is to consider additional appropriation authority in the Parks Program Fund to appropriate additional golf revenue to cover additional costs.

The foregoing appropriations are in addition to all appropriations provided for in the existing budget and tax levy.

Taxpayers of the City of Noblesville appearing at the hearing shall have a right to be heard in respect to this additional appropriation.

Dated this 11th day of October, 2023.

CITY OF NOBLESVILLE
/s/ Evelyn L. Lees, Clerk

R321310/9/23

— WESTFIELD —

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS
OF ADDITIONAL APPROPRIATION HEARING

Notice is hereby given to the taxpayers of City of Westfield, Hamilton County, Indiana (the “City”) under Ind. Code § 6-1.1-18-5, and Ind. Code § 5-3-1-2(b) that the Common Council of the City (the “Common Council”) will meet at the City Hall located at 130 Penn Street, Westfield, Indiana, at the hour of 7:00 p.m. (Local Time) on October 23, 2023, to conduct a public hearing and consider an additional appropriation and budget transfers which the Common Council has determined to be necessary and which is in excess of the budget for the current year.

Fund Name	Budget Classification	Appropriation
302	GO Bond 2022	352013474 - Construction Services

The additional appropriation will be an appropriation of the proceeds of the City of Westfield, out of proceeds from the 2022 GO Bond in an amount of \$5,732,500, and which expenditure will not exceed the amount of the 2022 GO Bond to be applied toward permissible expenditures under the 2022 GO Bond to incur this budget year. You are invited to attend and participate in the public hearing. The additional appropriation as finally made will be referred to the Department of Local Government Finance if necessary, which shall make a written determination as to the sufficiency of funds to support the appropriation as required by law.

At said public hearing, all persons shall have the right to appear and be heard on the necessity of said additional appropriation.

Dated this 13th day of October, 2023

WESTFIELD COMMON COUNCIL
130 Penn Street
Westfield, IN 46074

R321210/9/23

— SHERIDAN —

ATTENTION

Pursuant to IC 4-32.3-4-13, the *American Legion Unit No. 67 Auxiliary* is publishing notice that an application for annual bingo activities has been filed by:

American Legion Unit No. 67 Auxiliary
406 E. 10th St.
Sheridan, IN 46069

Location of Bingo Activities:
406 E. 10th St.
Sheridan, IN 46069

Operators:
Deborah Burtron Angela Callahan Leslie Clausen Angel Cooper
Brandy Cooper Landyn P Cooper Pamela Duff Katherine Foster
Pacha Hogan Tiffany S Jolly Jennifer McMillan Yvonne N Nuckols
Rachel E Pollard Nicole Randall Julie Rayle

Officers of Organization:
Angela Callahan (President), Rachel Pollard (Vice President),
Brandy Cooper (2nd Vice President), Tiffany Jolly (Secretary),
Angel Cooper (Treasurer), Jennifer McMillan (Chaplain),
Leslie Clausen (Historian), Landyn Cooper (Srg. Of Arms).

Any person may protest the proposed issuance of the annual activity license. Protest letters must be postmarked within fifteen (15) days from the date the posting appears. The Commission shall hold a public hearing if ten (10) written and signed protest letters are received.

Protest letters should be sent:
INDIANA GAMING COMMISSION
Attention: Mark Mason
Charity Gaming Division
East Tower Suite 1600
101 W. Washington St.
Indianapolis, Indiana 46204

R321410/9/23

— COURT NOTICES —

STATE OF INDIANA)
COUNTY OF HAMILTON)
IN THE HAMILTON)
SUPERIOR COURT)
CAUSE NO.: 29D03-2308-EU-000375)
IN THE MATTER OF THE)
UNSUPERVISED)
ADMINISTRATION OF THE)
ESTATE OF)
KIMBERLY LYNN McMURTRY,)
DECEASED.)
NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION)
Notice is hereby given that on)
September 7th, 2023, Diane Kelso)
was appointed personal representative)
of the estate of KIMBERLY LYNN)
McMURTRY, deceased, who died on)
July 7, 2023.)
All persons having claims against)
this estate, whether or not now due,)
must file the claim in the office of)
the Clerk of this Court within three)
(3) months from the date of the first)
publication of this notice, or within)
nine (9) months after the decedent's)
death, whichever is earlier, or the)
claims will be forever barred)
Dated at Noblesville, Indiana, this)
7th day of September, 2023.)
Kathy Kreag Williams)
Clerk, Hamilton County)
Patrick C. Badell, Atty No. 2506-70)
BADELL & WILSON, P.C.)
Attorney for Personal Representative)
110 Perkins Street)
Rushville, Indiana 46173)
(765) 932-3951)
R320810/9/23, 10/16/23

29D02-2305-EU-000248
Attorney:
8777 Purdue Road Suite 380
Indianapolis, Indiana 46268
(317) 251-6266
STATE OF INDIANA)
COUNTY OF HAMILTON)
IN THE HAMILTON)
SUPERIOR COURT)
Cause Number 29D02-2310-EU-000455)
IN THE MATTER OF THE)
UNSUPERVISED ESTATE)
OF DECEDENT,)
VIRGIE L. MULL.)
NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION)
Notice is hereby given that Linda)
I. Akin was on the 3rd day of)
October, 2023, appointed Personal)
Representative of the Estate of Virgie)
L. Mull, deceased.)
All persons having claims against)
this estate, whether or not now due,)
must file the claim in the office of)
the Clerk of this Court within three)
(3) months from the date of the first)
publication of this notice, or within)
nine (9) months after the decedent's)
death, whichever is earlier, or the)
claims will be forever barred.)
Dated in Warsaw, Hamilton County,)
Indiana, this 3rd day of October, 2023.)
Kathy Kreag Williams)
Clerk of the Hamilton Superior Court)
R321110/9/23, 10/16/23

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— COUNTY —

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

Notice is hereby given of the hearing of the Hamilton County Drainage Board on the **Harry Herr Drain, Maintenance Assessment Increase on October 23, 2023 at 9:00 A.M.** in Commissioners Court, Hamilton County Judicial Center, One Hamilton County Square, Noblesville, Indiana, and which construction and maintenance reports of the Surveyor and the Schedule of Assessments made by the Drainage Board have been filed and are available for public inspection in the office of the Hamilton County Surveyor.

Hamilton County Drainage Board
Attest: Lynette Mosbaugh

R321510/9/23

BEFORE THE HAMILTON COUNTY DRAINAGE BOARD
IN THE MATTER OF
Andrew Tucker Drain
NOTICE

Notice is hereby given of the hearing of the Hamilton County Drainage Board on the **Andrew Tucker Drain on October 23, 2023 at 9:00 A.M.** in Commissioners Court, Hamilton County Judicial Center, One Hamilton County Square, Noblesville, Indiana, and which construction and maintenance reports of the Surveyor and the Schedule of Assessments made by the Drainage Board have been filed and are available for public inspection in the office of the Hamilton County Surveyor.

Hamilton County Drainage Board
Attest: Lynette Mosbaugh

R321810/9/23

BEFORE THE HAMILTON COUNTY DRAINAGE BOARD
IN THE MATTER OF
Fox Hollow Drain
NOTICE

Notice is hereby given of the hearing of the Hamilton County Drainage Board on the **Fox Hollow Drain on October 23, 2023 at 9:15 A.M.** in Commissioners Court, Hamilton County Judicial Center, One Hamilton County Square, Noblesville, Indiana. The purpose of the hearing is for the Board to increase the amount of the maximum unencumbered amount of the maintenance fund for the **Fox Hollow Drain** to be increased from four (4) times the estimated annual cost of periodic maintenance of the drain to eight (8) times the estimated annual cost of periodic maintenance. The Board will not consider an increase in annual maintenance assessments at the meeting. The previously established Schedule of Assessments made by the Drainage Board have been previously approved and are available for public inspection in the office of the Hamilton County Surveyor.

Hamilton County Drainage Board
Attest: Lynette Mosbaugh

R321910/9/23

BEFORE THE HAMILTON COUNTY DRAINAGE BOARD
IN THE MATTER OF
Little Eagle Creek Drain, Cove Horney Arm
Monon Corner Section 3
NOTICE

Notice is hereby given of the hearing of the Hamilton County Drainage Board concerning the reconstruction of the **Little Eagle Creek Drain, Cove Horney Arm, Monon Corner Section 3 on October 23, 2023 at 9:30 A.M.** in Commissioners Court, Hamilton County Judicial Center, One Hamilton County Square, Noblesville, Indiana. Construction and maintenance reports of the Surveyor and the Schedule of Assessments proposed by the Drainage Board have been filed and are available for public inspection in the office of the Hamilton County Surveyor.

Hamilton County Drainage Board
Attest: Lynette Mosbaugh

R322610/9/23

BEFORE THE HAMILTON COUNTY DRAINAGE BOARD
IN THE MATTER OF
Lynnwood Hills Drain
NOTICE

Notice is hereby given of the hearing of the Hamilton County Drainage Board on the **Lynnwood Hills Drain on October 23, 2023 at 9:15 A.M.** in Commissioners Court, Hamilton County Judicial Center, One Hamilton County Square, Noblesville, Indiana, and which construction and maintenance reports of the Surveyor and the Schedule of Assessments made by the Drainage Board have been filed and are available for public inspection in the office of the Hamilton County Surveyor.

Hamilton County Drainage Board
Attest: Lynette Mosbaugh

R322110/9/23

BEFORE THE HAMILTON COUNTY DRAINAGE BOARD
IN THE MATTER OF
Little Cicero Creek Drain
NOTICE

Notice is hereby given of the hearing of the Hamilton County Drainage Board on the **Little Cicero Creek Drain on October 23, 2023 at 9:15 A.M.** in Commissioners Court, Hamilton County Judicial Center, One Hamilton County Square, Noblesville, Indiana, and which construction and maintenance reports of the Surveyor and the Schedule of Assessments made by the Drainage Board have been filed and are available for public inspection in the office of the Hamilton County Surveyor.

Hamilton County Drainage Board
Attest: Lynette Mosbaugh

R322310/9/23

BEFORE THE HAMILTON COUNTY DRAINAGE BOARD
IN THE MATTER OF
Little Eagle Creek Drain, Cove Horney Arm
Osborne Trails Section 10
NOTICE

Notice is hereby given of the hearing of the Hamilton County Drainage Board concerning the reconstruction of the **Little Eagle Creek Drain, Cove Horney Arm, Osborne Trails Section 10 Arm on October 23, 2023 at 9:30 A.M.** in Commissioners Court, Hamilton County Judicial Center, One Hamilton County Square, Noblesville, Indiana. Construction and maintenance reports of the Surveyor and the Schedule of Assessments proposed by the Drainage Board have been filed and are available for public inspection in the office of the Hamilton County Surveyor.

Hamilton County Drainage Board
Attest: Lynette Mosbaugh

R322410/9/23

BEFORE THE HAMILTON COUNTY DRAINAGE BOARD
IN THE MATTER OF
Treedale Drain
NOTICE

Notice is hereby given of the hearing of the Hamilton County Drainage Board on the **Treedale Drain on October 23, 2023 at 9:30 A.M.** in Commissioners Court, Hamilton County Judicial Center, One Hamilton County Square, Noblesville, Indiana. The purpose of the hearing is for the Board to increase the amount of the maximum unencumbered amount of the maintenance fund for the **Treedale Drain** to be increased from four (4) times the estimated annual cost of periodic maintenance of the drain to eight (8) times the estimated annual cost of periodic maintenance. The Board will not consider an increase in annual maintenance assessments at the meeting. The previously established Schedule of Assessments made by the Drainage Board have been previously approved and are available for public inspection in the office of the Hamilton County Surveyor.

Hamilton County Drainage Board
Attest: Lynette Mosbaugh

R322510/9/23

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— FISHERS —

NOTICE

According to the lease by and between #1008: Debra Johnson and TKG-StorageMart and its related parties, assigns, and affiliates in order to perfect the Lien on the goods contained in their storage unit. The Manager has cut the lock on their unit and upon cursory inspection, the unit was found to contain: Television Sets, Clothing, Blankets, Luggage, Totes, Cooking Supplies, Furniture, Assorted Household Goods, misc. Items will be sold online at www.storage treasures.com or otherwise disposed of on November 3rd at 10:00 a.m., at the location listed below to satisfy the owner's lien in accordance with state statutes.

StorageMart @0373 147 West Carmel Drive Carmel, Indiana 46032
317-483-8800 Option 2
R320310/9/23

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Notice is hereby given that SEALED BIDS will be received:
BY AND AT: Hamilton Southeastern Schools
Central Office
13485 Cumberland Road
Fishers, IN 46038
(317) 594-4100
ATTN: Logan Nunn
FOR: Fishers Junior High School Chilled Water Plant Replacement
PROJECT LOCATION: Fishers Junior High School
13257 Cumberland Road
Fishers, IN 46038

RECEIPT OF BIDS: Bids received after the designated day and time listed above will be returned unopened. Any postal/courier service is the agent of the Bidder. Bids are to be submitted on the Bid Form as provided in the Project Manual and on Indiana State Board of Accounts Form No. 96 (revised 2013) as required by the statutes of the State of Indiana. Bidders shall also submit financial data and a properly signed Affidavit of Non-Collusion as required by Form No. 96. Bids shall be submitted in a sealed envelope, marked with the name and address of the bidder, and clearly identified as follows:

Fishers Junior High School Chilled Water Plant Replacement
BID OPENING: Each bid will be opened at the HSE Administration Building, 13485 Cumberland Road Fishers, IN 46038 by the Owner on **Wednesday, November 15, 2023 at 1:30 PM local time**. Deliver Bid in a sealed envelope showing the project name and Bidder's name and address.

PRE-BID MEETING: A pre-bid meeting for interested parties will be held on **Tuesday, October 24th, 2023, at 2:00 PM** at Fishers Junior High School. Meet at main entry doors. The meeting will include an opportunity to tour the mechanical and electrical room. To arrange site visits after this meeting, contact Logan Nunn, email: lnunn@hse.k12.in.us phone: (317) 495-4135. Drawings and specifications shall be available at the Eastern Engineering online plan room.

CONTRACT TYPE:
Project will be constructed under a Single Prime Contract with bids received on a lump sum basis. Each proposal shall include all labor, material, and services necessary to complete the project in full accordance with the Construction Drawings and Project Manual. Prime bidders and their subcontractors must be certified and in compliance with the Indiana General Assembly's House Enrollment Act #1019.

Where trade names, brand names, or manufacturer's names are used in the Project Manual, it is for the purpose of establishing kind and quality and not for the purpose of limiting competition. Bidders may offer items or materials equal in quality and having the same durability and efficiency if the Bidder first receives written approval from the Architect/Engineer prior to the date and time of the Bid Opening and complying with requirements indicated in Document 00 21 00, "Instructions to Bidders." The Bidder shall identify such substitutions by name, kind, and type with the Bid.

A contract will be awarded to the lowest responsible and responsive bidder, complying with the conditions of the Instructions to Bidders and Advertisements for Public Bids. The Owner, however, reserves the right to reject any and all bids, and waive any informalities, discrepancies, omissions, variances, or irregularities in bids received in its sole discretion. If a contract is awarded, it will be to the "lowest responsible and responsive bidder" in accordance with Indiana's Public Work Projects Act, Indiana Code 36-1-12. The bidder agrees to hold open its bid for a minimum of sixty (60) days from the date of the bid opening.

The Contract to which the Owner will be a party will contain a provision prohibiting the other party to the Contract, and their subcontractors, from engaging in employment practice that constitutes a discrimination against a person because of the person's race, color, sex, religion, national origin or ancestry. The successful Bidder shall provide an affidavit with each billing assuring the Owner that this provision has not been violated.

Any questions concerning this project shall be directed to RE Dimond and Associates, Inc, 317-634-4672. Contact Mike East mike.east@redimond.com.

BID SECURITY: Each bid shall be accompanied by a bid security for five percent (5%) of the base bid in the form of a certified check or a bid bond. Bid bonds shall be executed by the bidder and a surety company qualified to do business in the State of Indiana. The check or bid bond shall be made payable to Hamilton Southeastern Schools. Should a successful Bidder withdraw the bid, or fail to execute a satisfactory Contract, the Owner may then declare the Bid deposit forfeited as liquidated damages.

PERFORMANCE BOND AND LABOR AND MATERIAL PAYMENT BOND:
The successful bidder shall, upon acceptance of his bid, be required to procure and pay for a 100% Performance Bond/Labor and Material Payment Bond in the amount equal to the contract price, which shall cover faithful performance of the Contract and the payment of all obligations. The cost of the bonds shall be at the expense of the Bidder and be included in the Bidder's bid. The bonds shall be executed by a surety company approved by the Owner and qualified to do business in the State of Indiana.

R320510/9/23, 10/16/23

— ARCADIA —


TOWN OF ARCADIA
PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

On or about December 22, 2023, Town of Arcadia intends to apply to the Indiana Office of Community and Rural Affairs for a grant from the Office of Community and Rural Affairs's Community Focus Fund of the State Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) program. This program is funded by Title I of the federal Housing and Community Development Act of 1974, as amended. These funds are to be used for a community development project that will include the following activities: Stormwater Improvements for the Town of Arcadia involving the Wilson-Nagle Drain and West Arcadia Drain. The total amount of CDBG funds to be requested is \$600,000.00. The amount of CDBG funds proposed to be used for activities that will benefit low- and moderate-income persons is \$306,000.00. The Applicant also proposes to expend an estimated \$6,650,000.00 in non-CDBG funds on the project. "These non-CDBG funds will be derived from the following sources: the process to fund regulated drain reconstruction projects dictated by State statute and the Hamilton County American Recovery Program (ARP) funds."

Town of Arcadia will hold a public hearing on October 20, 2023, at 9:00am, in Arcadia Town Hall, 208 W Main Street to provide interested parties an opportunity to express their views on the proposed federally funded CDBG project. Persons with disabilities or non-English speaking persons who wish to attend the public hearing and need assistance should contact Tina Henderson, P.O. Box 428, Arcadia, Indiana 46030 or call 317-984-8639 not later than October 19, 2023. Every effort will be made to provide reasonable accommodation for these people.

Information related to this project will be available for review prior to the public hearing as of October 19, 2023, at the Arcadia Town Hall located at 208 W Main Street between the hours of 9am to 12pm Monday through Friday. Interested citizens are invited to provide comments regarding these issues either at the public hearing or by prior written statement. Written comments should be submitted to Tina Henderson no later than October 19, 2023, in order to ensure placement of such comments in the official record of the public hearing proceedings. This project will result in no displacement of any persons or businesses. For additional information concerning the proposed project, please contact Jennifer Pickett 317-984-3512 from 9am to 3pm or write to Tina Henderson - P. O. Box 428, Arcadia, Indiana 46030.

R322710/9/23



“Technology is great...
until it’s not.”
– Stanley (like the power drill) Clampitt, 1989

— COURT NOTICES —

UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
Southern District of Indiana
46 E Ohio St Rm 116
Indianapolis, IN 46204

In re:
Debtor
Deborah J. Caruso,
Plaintiff,
vs.
Kyle Owen
Defendant.

Case No. 21-03197-JMC-11
Adv. Proc. No. 23-50054


All documents regarding this matter must be identified by both adversary and bankruptcy case numbers.

SUMMONS IN AN ADVERSARY PROCEEDING
TO KYLE OWEN, a person whose whereabouts are unknown:
A complaint was filed against you in this Court on June 26, 2023, by Plaintiff Deborah J. Caruso. The counts of the complaint include (1) avoidance of fraudulent transfer under 11 U.S.C. sections 548 and 550; (2) avoidance of fraudulent transfer under 11 U.S.C. sections 544 and 550 and the Indiana Uniform Fraudulent Transfer Act; (3) recovery and avoidance of post-petition transfers pursuant to 11 U.S.C. section 549; (4) unjust enrichment; and (5) disallowance of claims. The claims arise from Mr. Owen's alleged conduct as president, managing member and sole owner of Dealer Accessories, LLC and draws, wages and/or transfers made from the assets of Dealer Accessories, LLC to Mr. Owen.
YOU ARE SUMMONED and required to file a motion or answer to the attached complaint within 30 days after the last notice of the action is published. **If you fail to timely file a motion or answer, judgment by default may be entered against you for the relief demanded in the complaint.**
ANSWER DUE: November 8, 2023 which is 30 days after October 9, 2023, the date the last notice of the action is to be published in The Hamilton County Reporter, pursuant to the Order Granting Motion for Authority to Conduct Service by Publication and for Extension of Service Deadline entered by this Court on September 20, 2023.
You must serve a copy of the motion or answer on the plaintiffs attorney. If you file a motion, your time to answer is determined by Fed.R.Bankr.P. 7012.

Plaintiffs attorney:
John M. Rogers
Rubin & Levin, P.C.
135 North Pennsylvania Street
Suite 1400
Indianapolis, IN 46204

You may have the right to have your case decided by the district court. Your failure to respond timely will be deemed your consent to entry of judgment by the bankruptcy court, and judgment by default may be taken against you for the relief demanded in the complaint.

/s/ Eric R. Kleis
Clerk, U.S. Bankruptcy Court



Dated: September 20, 2023
R3155

9/25/23, 10/2/23, 10/9/23

STATE OF INDIANA)
COUNTY OF HAMILTON)
IN THE HAMILTON COUNTY)
CIRCUIT COURT)
Cause No. 29C01-2304-MI-3792)
INRENAME CHANGE OF:)
ISAAC DAVID WEBB)

NOTICE OF HEARING
Notice is hereby given that Petitioner, ISAAC DAVID WEBB, pro se, filed a Verified Petition for Change of Name to change his name from ISAAC DAVID WEBB to ISABELLE JOY WEBB.
The petition is scheduled for hearing in the Hamilton Circuit Court on December 1, 2023 at 10:00 a.m., which is more than thirty (30) days after the third notice of publication. Any person has the right to appear at the hearing and to file written objections on or before the hearing date.
The parties shall report to One Hamilton County Square, Suite 337, Noblesville, IN 46060.
Date: August 29, 2023
Kathy Kreag Williams
Clerk, Hamilton Circuit Court
R3126

9/25/23, 10/2/23, 10/9/23

STATE OF INDIANA)
COUNTY OF HAMILTON)
IN THE HAMILTON COUNTY)
CIRCUIT COURT)
Cause No. 29C01-2306-MI-5401)
INRE NAME CHANGE OF:)
VICTORIA RENEE LEVERICH)

NOTICE OF HEARING
Notice is hereby given that Petitioner, VICTORIA RENEE LEVERICH, pro se, filed a Verified Petition for Change of Name to change her name from VICTORIA RENEE LEVERICH to VICTORIA RENEE GAVI.
The petition is scheduled for hearing in the Hamilton Circuit Court on January 12, 2024 at 10:00 a.m., which is more than thirty (30) days after the third notice of publication. Any person has the right to appear at the hearing and to file written objections on or before the hearing date. The parties shall report to One Hamilton County Square, Suite 337, Noblesville, IN 46060.
Date: September 21, 2023
Kathy Kreag Williams
Clerk, Hamilton Circuit Court
R3154

9/25/23, 10/2/23, 10/9/23

29D03-2309-EU-000440
Hamilton Superior Court 3

STATE OF INDIANA)
COUNTY OF HAMILTON)
IN THE HAMILTON)
SUPERIOR COURT 3)
CAUSE NO.: 29D03-2309-EU-000440)
IN THE MATTER OF THE)
ESTATE OF)
DEBBIE SUSAN STEVENS,)
Deceased)

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION
Notice is hereby given that on the 18th day of September, 2023, Jonas M. Stevens was appointed personal representative of the estate of Debbie Susan Stevens, deceased, who died on July 21, 2023.
All persons having claims against this estate, whether or not now due, must file the claim in the office of the Clerk of this Court within three (3) months from the date of the first publication of this notice or the claims will be forever barred.
Dated at Noblesville, Indiana, this 18th day of September, 2023.
Kathy Kreag Williams
Clerk of Hamilton County
R3169

10/2/23, 10/9/23

STATE OF INDIANA)
COUNTY OF HAMILTON)
IN THE HAMILTON)
SUPERIOR COURT)
CAUSE NO.: 29D01-1910-EU-000417)
IN THE MATTER OF THE)
UNSUPERVISED)
ADMINISTRATION OF THE)
ESTATE OF)
ANNA MARIE MATHIEU,)
DECEASED.)
FROM: WILLIAM J. GREEN,)
Attorney)
GREEN LAW OFFICES, P.C.)
6904 S. East St., Ste. B)
Indianapolis, IN 46227)

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION
IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF
HAMILTON COUNTY, INDIANA
In the matter of the Estate of ANNA MARIE MATHIEU, Deceased.
Estate Docket: 29D01-1910-EU-000417
Notice is hereby given that JACQUELINE M. BENTSON was on the 21st day of October 2019 appointed Personal Representative of the Estate of ANNA MARIE MATHIEU, Deceased, who died on the 17th day of November 2018.
All persons having claims against said estate, whether or not now due, must file the claim in the office of the Clerk of this Court within three (3) months from the date of the first publication of this notice, or within nine (9) months after the decedent's death, whichever is earlier, or the claims will be forever barred.
Dated at Noblesville, Indiana, this June 21, 2023.
Kathy Kreag Williams
Clerk, Superior Court of Hamilton County, Indiana
R3210

10/9/23, 10/16/23

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— WESTFIELD —

NOTICE TO BIDDERS
Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received for a public Cmc project under IC 5-32:
By: **CORE Construction**, 9001 Wesleyan Road Suite #110, Indianapolis, IN 46268 (Cmc)
On behalf of: Westfield Washington Schools
For: **Westfield Washington Schools Tennis Facility**
17695 Shamrock Blvd. Westfield, IN 46074
Sealed Proposals accepted until: 1:00 pm (EDT), October 27, 2023
Sealed bids will be received up to 1:00 pm (EDT) on October 27, 2023. Bids received after that time will be returned unopened.
Public Bid Opening will be held on **October 27, 2023, at 1:00 pm (EDT)** at the following location:
Westfield Washington Schools Administration Building
19500 Tomlinson Road, Suite B, Westfield, IN 46074
Bids for each individual subcontractor/ material supplier trade package are requested. Refer to Instructions to Bidders, for the complete list of all bid packages.
All work for the complete construction of the project will be under multiple subcontracts with the Construction Manager based on bids received from pre-qualified tier 1 bidders. Award of contracts will be in accordance with Indiana Public Bidding laws.
Construction shall be in full accordance with the Bidding Documents.
All Tier 1 bidders must request an invitation to prequalify, submit and complete the Pre-qualification process prior to bid submission deadline.
Bidders may request the **Pre-Qualification Form** and the **Bid Documents** electronically by emailing such requests to ryanalbright@coreconstruction.com and are also encouraged to sign up with **Building Connected**. There is no cost for electronically downloaded documents.
Bid Security in the amount of five (5) % of the amount of the Bid, must accompany each Bid in accordance with the Instructions to Bidders.
The Owner and the Construction Manager reserve their rights to accept or reject any bid (or combination of bids) and to waive any irregularities or omissions in bidding.
All bids may be held for a period not to exceed 60 days before subcontract awards.
Dated the 4th day of October 2023
R3125

10/9/23, 10/16/23

— FISHERS —

City Of Fishers Health Department Marketing Services Request For Proposals And Qualifications (RFPO) To Enter Into A Professional Services Agreement For Marketing Services
The City of Fishers ("City") seeks to retain a consultant to enter into a professional services agreement to provide marketing support to the City's Health Department, and specifically, concerning its external communications needs, including, but not limited to, social media, earned media opportunities, developing materials for educational and outreach activities, and general marketing and communications.
RESPONSES DUE: October 25, 2023 at 12:00 p.m.
PROJECT OVERVIEW. The winning officer will be required to provide marketing services for the Health Department that including the following: (1) brand development; (2) strategic guidance; (3) earned media; (4) content creation for outreach events and programs; (5) digital communications strategy for development and creative use of digital communication tools to further public health messages; (6) manage and procure photography and video of the community to utilize for communications; (7) campaign monitoring and results tracking; and (8) consider customer/patient experience communications including patient satisfaction surveys.
Max. Budget: The maximum budget for delivery of the services is \$95,000.00.
EVALUATION: Proposal will be evaluated based on the following:
• Business Experience & Expertise: 35%
• Plan: 25%
• Price: 20%
• Interview 20%
The full text and additional information concerning the RFPO is available by contacting the City of Fishers at 317-595-3338 or at the City's website at https://fishers.in.us/Bids.aspx
R3179

10/2/23, 10/9/23

— SHERIDAN —

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
BOARD OF ZONING APPEALS DOCKET NO. 23-V-05
The **Town of Sheridan Board of Zoning Appeals** will hold a public hearing on **Thursday, October 12, 2023, at 6 PM.** The meeting will be held at the **Sheridan Community Center**, 300 East 6th Street, Sheridan, IN 46069.
The hearing is to act upon a variance request by **Andy & Jennifer Stites, to allow a single-family home in the AG-2, Agricultural Business Zoning District on 4 acres, instead of the 5-acre minimum lot size required in Section 5.3 (D) of the Town's Unified Development Ordinance.**
The property is located at **1703 W 226th ST, Sheridan, IN 46064**, on the south side of 226th Street, approximately 3000' west of Six Points Road.
Interested persons desiring to present their views about this petition, either in writing or verbally, will be given the opportunity to be heard at the above-mentioned time and place.
Specific details regarding the request, including the application, file, and property legal description, may be referred to the Town's Planning Consultant: KK@theplanningworkshop.com or reviewed in-person Monday – Friday, 8 AM – 5 PM, except holidays, at Sheridan Town Hall, 506 S. Main Street, Sheridan, IN 46069.
R3190

10/5/23, 10/9/23

— JACKSON TOWNSHIP —

LEGAL NOTICE
Board of zoning appeals
The Cicero/Jackson Township Board of Zoning Appeals will meet on October 19th, at 7:00 PM at the Cicero Town Hall building located at 70 North Byron Street, Cicero Indiana 46034, in order to hear the following petitions:
Docket No. BZA-1023-62-R3
A Development Standards Variance application has been submitted regarding the property located at 1240 Shoreline Drive, Cicero Indiana, 46034 concerning Article 7.5 of the Cicero/Jackson Township Zoning Ordinance to: Allow an accessory structure in the front of the primary structure. Whereas Article 7.5 of the Cicero/Jackson Township Zoning Ordinance states that an accessory structure shall be located to the rear or side of the primary structure.
Project Address: 1240 Shoreline Drive, Cicero Indiana 46034
Legal Descriptions: Acreage :37 Section 1, Township 19, Range 4
Parcel numbers: 05-06-01-04-01-011-000
The petition may be examined at the office of the Cicero/Jackson Township Plan Commission, 331 E. Jackson St., Cicero, IN 46034.
Interested parties may offer an oral opinion at the Hearing. Comments may be mailed to Cicero/Jackson Planning Commission at P.O. Box 650 Cicero, IN 46034. Comments may also be dropped off in the Cicero Utilities payment drop box located at 331 E. Jackson St. Cicero, IN. Comments may also be emailed to fzawadzki@townofcicero.in.gov. Comments must be received by 3:00 pm on the date of the hearing. Written comments will be read aloud during the public hearing and entered into the record of the Hearing.
The Hearing may be continued from time to time as may be found necessary.
Petitioner: Theodore Lenze
R3192

September 25th, 2023
10/5/23, 10/9/23

LEGAL NOTICE
Board of zoning appeals
The Cicero/Jackson Township Board of Zoning Appeals will meet on October 19th, at 7:00 PM at the Cicero Town Hall building located at 70 North Byron Street, Cicero Indiana 46034, in order to hear the following petition:
Docket No. BZA-1023-57-AG
A Development Standards Variance application has been submitted regarding the property located at 23770 Anthony Road, Cicero Indiana 46034 concerning Article 3.2 of the Cicero/Jackson Township Zoning Ordinance to: Build an Accessory Structure with a 20-foot side yard setback, Whereas Article 3.2 states that the side and rear yard setback should not be less than 35 feet.
Docket No. BZA-1023-60-AG
A Development Standards Variance application has been submitted regarding the property located at 23770 Anthony Road, Cicero Indiana 46034 concerning Article 3.2 of the Cicero/Jackson Township Zoning Ordinance to: Build an Accessory Structure with a 20-foot rear yard setback, Whereas Article 3.2 states that the side and rear yard setback should not be less than 35 feet.
Project Addresses: 23770 Anthony Road. Cicero Indiana, 46034
Legal Descriptions: Acreage :52 Section 31, Township 20 Range 4
Parcel numbers: 03-02-31-00-00-012-001
The petition may be examined at the office of the Cicero/Jackson Township Plan Commission, 331 E. Jackson St., Cicero, IN 46034.
Interested parties may offer an oral opinion at the Hearing. Comments may be mailed to Cicero/Jackson Planning Commission at P.O. Box 650 Cicero, IN 46034. Comments may also be dropped off in the Cicero Utilities payment drop box located at 331 E. Jackson St. Cicero, IN. Comments may also be emailed to fzawadzki@townofcicero.in.gov. Comments must be received by 3:00 pm on the date of the hearing. Written comments will be read aloud during the public hearing and entered into the record of the Hearing.
The Hearing may be continued from time to time as may be found necessary.
Petitioner: David Speckman
R3198

October 19th, 2023
10/6/23, 10/9/23

LEGAL NOTICE
Board of zoning appeals
The Cicero/Jackson Township Board of Zoning Appeals will meet on October 19th, at 7:00 PM at the Cicero Town Hall building located at 70 North Byron Street, Cicero Indiana 46034, in order to hear the following petition:
Docket No. BZA-1023-63-NC
A Development Standards Variance application has been submitted regarding the property located at 7800 East 236th Street, Cicero Indiana, 46034 concerning Article 10.5 of the Cicero/Jackson Township Zoning Ordinance to: Allow two hundred four (204) square feet of signage. Whereas Article 10.5 of the Cicero/Jackson Township Zoning Ordinance states that the maximum allowable cumulative square footage of signage is one hundred (100) square feet.
Docket No. BZA-1023-64-NC
A Development Standards Variance application has been submitted regarding the property located at 7800 East 236th Street, Cicero Indiana, 46034 concerning Article 10.5 of the Cicero/Jackson Township Zoning Ordinance to: Allow two (2) signs per facade. Whereas Article 10.5 of the Cicero/Jackson Township Zoning Ordinance states that the maximum allowable number of signs per facade is 1.
Project Address: 7800 East 236th Street, Cicero Indiana 46034
Legal Descriptions: Acreage :230 Section 36, Township 20, Range 4
Parcel numbers: 03-02-36-00-00-046-000
The petition may be examined at the office of the Cicero/Jackson Township Plan Commission, 331 E. Jackson St., Cicero, IN 46034.
Interested parties may offer an oral opinion at the Hearing. Comments may be mailed to Cicero/Jackson Planning Commission at P.O. Box 650 Cicero, IN 46034. Comments may also be dropped off in the Cicero Utilities payment drop box located at 331 E. Jackson St. Cicero, IN. Comments may also be emailed to fzawadzki@townofcicero.in.gov. Comments must be received by 3:00 pm on the date of the hearing. Written comments will be read aloud during the public hearing and entered into the record of the Hearing.
Petitioner: Comprehensive Financial
R3199

September 29th, 2023
10/6/23, 10/9/23

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— SHERIFF SALES —

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE
By virtue of a certified copy of a decree to me directed from the Clerk of the Superior Court of Hamilton County, Indiana, in Cause No. 29D02-1112-MF-013138, wherein Bank of America, N.A., Successor by Merger to BAC Home Loans Servicing, LP FKA Countrywide Home Loans Servicing, LP was Plaintiff, Nationstar Mortgage, LLC is Judgment Assignee, and Thomas K. Megehard, Discover Bank, Capital One Bank (USA) N.A., Brighton Woods Homeowners Association, Inc., American Express Bank FSB, Scott J. Browning, Charlton Browning, Virginia H. Browning and Stock Yards Bank & Trust Company, were Defendants, Stock Yards Bank & Trust Company was Cross-Claimant & Third-Party Plaintiff, Thomas K. Megehard, Discover Bank, Capital One Bank (USA) N.A., Brighton Woods Homeowners Association, Inc., Charlton Browning were Cross-Claim Defendants, and Department of Workforce Development was Third-Party Defendant, requiring me to make the sum as provided for in said Decree with interest and costs, I will expose at public sale to the highest bidder, on the **16th day of November, 2023, at 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.** of said day, at the 18100 Cumberland Road, Noblesville, IN 46060, the fee simple of the whole body of Real Estate in Hamilton County, Indiana:
Lot Number 33 in Brighton Woods, Section 2, a subdivision in Hamilton County, Indiana, as per plat thereof, recorded June 27, 2002 as Instrument No. 200200045713 in the Office of the Recorder of Hamilton County, Indiana. 29-10-33-034-006.000-018
and commonly known as: 11938 Eastwick Circle, Carmel, IN 46033.
Subject to all liens, encumbrances, rights of redemption, easements and restrictions of record not otherwise foreclosed and extinguished in the proceedings known as Cause # **29D02-1112-MF-013138** in the Superior Court of the County of Hamilton Indiana, and subject to all real estate taxes, and assessments currently due, delinquent or which are to become a lien.
Said sale will be made without relief from valuation or appraisal laws. If the sale is set aside for any reason, the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled only to a return of the deposit paid. The Purchaser shall have no further recourse against the Mortgagor, the Mortgagee, or the Mortgagee's Attorney.
Dennis J. Quakenbush II
Hamilton County Sheriff

DOYLE & FOUTTY, P.C.
41 E Washington St., Suite 400
Indianapolis, IN 46204

Clay
Township
11938 Eastwick Circle, Carmel, IN 46033
Street Address

The Sheriffs Department does not warrant the accuracy of the street address published herein.
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10/2/23, 10/9/23, 10/16/23

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE
By virtue of a certified copy of a decree to me directed from the Clerk of the Superior Court of Hamilton County, Indiana, in Cause No. 29C01-2208-MF-006633, wherein MidFirst Bank was Plaintiff, and Deshawn L. Byers, Malinda M. Byers, Westminster at Fishers Property Owners Association, Inc., State of Indiana, Department of Revenue and Secretary of Housing and Urban Development, were the Defendants, requiring me to make the sum as provided for in said Decree with interest and costs, I will expose at public sale to the highest bidder, on the **16th day of November, 2023, at 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.** of said day, at the 18100 Cumberland Road, Noblesville, IN 46060, the fee simple of the whole body of Real Estate in Hamilton County, Indiana:
The following described property located in the county of Hamilton, state of Indiana: Lot Number 31 in Westminster at Fishers, Section 1, a subdivision in the town of Fishers, Hamilton County, Indiana, as per plat thereof, recorded December 15, 2004 as Instrument Number 200400084480, and in Plat Cabinet 3, Slide 540, and corrected in Surveyors Affidavit recorded October 10, 2005 as Instrument Number 200500066567, in the Office of the Recorder of Hamilton County, Indiana. 29-11 -22-004-031.000-020
and commonly known as: 13754 Luxor Chase, Fishers, IN 46038.
Subject to all liens, encumbrances, rights of redemption, easements and restrictions of record not otherwise foreclosed and extinguished in the proceedings known as Cause # **29C01-2208-MF-006633** in the Superior Court of the County of Hamilton Indiana, and subject to all real estate taxes, and assessments currently due, delinquent or which are to become a lien.
Said sale will be made without relief from valuation or appraisal laws. If the sale is set aside for any reason, the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled only to a return of the deposit paid. The Purchaser shall have no further recourse against the Mortgagor, the Mortgagee, or the Mortgagee's Attorney.
Dennis J. Quakenbush II
Hamilton County Sheriff

DOYLE & FOUTTY, P.C.
41 E Washington St., Suite 400
Indianapolis, IN 46204

Fall Creek
Township
13754 Luxor Chase, Fishers, IN 46038
Street Address

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TO THE OWNERS OF THE WITHIN DESCRIBED REAL ESTATE AND ALL INTERESTED PARTIES
STATE OF INDIANA)
COUNTY OF HAMILTON)
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF)
HAMILTON COUNTY)
COUNTY OF HAMILTON) SS:)
NOBLESVILLE, INDIANA)
CAUSE NO. 29C01-2304-MF-003451)

PLAZA HOME MORTGAGE, INC)
PLAINTIFF)
vs)
THOMAS MCKINNEY GREEN A/K/A THOMAS M.)
GREEN; VILLAGE FARMS, INC.; FINANCIAL)
CENTER FIRST CREDIT UNION A/K/A FINANCIAL)
CENTER FEDERAL CREDIT UNION: STATE OF)
INDIANA)
DEFENDANTS)

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE
By virtue of an Order of Sale, directed to me from the Clerk of the Hamilton Circuit Court and pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure entered on **09/14/2023**, I will expose to public sale to the highest bidder for cash in hand, at the office of the Sheriff of Hamilton County, in Hamilton County, Indiana, located at 18100 Cumberland Rd., Noblesville, IN 46060 on **November 16, 2023, at 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.** Local Time, the fee simple title together with the rents, profits, issues and income or so much thereof as may be sufficient to satisfy said judgment, interest, costs and accruing costs of the following described real estate located in Hamilton County, Indiana, to-wit:
Lot Numbered Three Hundred Thirty-two (332) in The Village Farms, Fifth Section, an addition in Hamilton County, Indiana, as per plat thereof recorded in Plat Book 11, Pages 138-140 and corrected by Certificate of Correction recorded in Miscellaneous Record 182, Page 575, in the Office of the Recorder of Hamilton County, Indiana.
Commonly known as: 14839 Senator Way, Carmel, IN 46032
State Parcel Number 29-09-14-403-010.000-015
Township: Washington
This sale is to be made in all respects pursuant to an act of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana, approved March 7, 1931, and entitled An act concerning proceedings in actions to foreclose real estate mortgages, providing for the sale and custody of the mortgaged premises and repealing all laws conflicting therewith (see Indiana Code).
It is further provided by law that there shall be no redemption from such sale, and the purchaser at such sale, upon complying with the terms of his purchase, shall be entitled to immediately receive from the undersigned, Sheriff of Hamilton County, a deed conveying to him, the purchaser, the fee simple title in and to said real estate.
Taken as the property of the Defendant(s) stated above at the suit of Plaza Home Mortgage, Inc. Said sale to be without relief from valuation and/or appraisal laws.
THE SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT DOES NOT WARRANT THE ACCURACY OF THE STREET ADDRESS PUBLISHED HEREIN.
Dennis J. Quakenbush II
Sheriff of Hamilton County

Attorney for Plaintiff
Codilis Law, LLC
8050 Cleveland Place
Merrillville, IN 46410
(219) 736-5579
15-23-00498

NOTE: This law firm is a debt collector.
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HAMILTON COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE
TO THE OWNERS OF THE WITHIN DESCRIBED REAL ESTATE AND ALL INTERESTED PARTIES
NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE
Date of Sale: November 16, 2023
Sale Location: 18100 Cumberland Road, Noblesville, IN 46060
Publisher's Name/County: The Hamilton County Reporter - Hamilton County
Judgment to be Satisfied: \$130,900.61
By virtue of a certified copy of a decree to me directed from the Clerk of Superior Court of Hamilton County, Indiana, in Cause No. 29D01-1909-MF-008803
Plaintiff: Caliber Home Loans, Inc.
Defendant: Nathan Huffman and Nathan Huffman, et al.
Required me to make the sum as provided for in said Decree with interest and cost, I will expose at public sale to the highest bidder, at the hour of 10:00 AM of said day as listed above, at, fee simple of the whole body of Real Estate in Hamilton County, Indiana:
LEGAL DESCRIPTION
LOT NUMBER 504 IN SECTION 10 OF CICERO SHORES, AS PER PLAT THEREOF, RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 7, PAGES 168-173, IN THE OFFICE OF THE RECORDER OF HAMILTON COUNTY, INDIANA, TOGETHER WITH AN UNDIVIDED PERCENTAGE INTEREST IN BLOCK II, AS DESIGNATED ON THE RECORD PLAT OF SECTION 6, CICERO SHORES, THE PLAT OF WHICH WAS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 5, PAGES 38-40, IN THE OFFICE OF THE RECORDER OF HAMILTON COUNTY, INDIANA, WHICH UNDIVIDED PERCENTAGE INTEREST SHALL NOT BE SEPARATELY CONVEYABLE BUT SHALL PASS TITLE WITH LOT NUMBER 504.
SUBJECT TO ALL LIENS, EASEMENTS AND ENCUMBRANCES OF RECORD.
Parcel No. 29-06-12-104-032.000-011
Commonly Known as: 1170 GRANT CIRCLE, CICERO, IN 46034
Together with rents, issues, income and profits thereof, said sale will be made without relief from valuation or appraisal laws. This Notice shall also represent service of Notice of Sale of the above-described real estate upon the owners, pursuant to requirements of IC 32-29-7-3.
Dennis J. Quakenbush II
Sheriff of Hamilton County

Matthew C. Gladwell (30493-49)
Christopher J. Arlinghaus (31680-15)
Aaron Rodgers (28418-84)
Attorney
Reisenfeld & Associates, LPA LLC
Attorneys' Law Firm
(513) 322-7000
Contact Telephone Number

Jackson
Township
1170 Grant Circle, Cicero, IN 46034
Street Address

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R3187

10/2/23, 10/9/23, 10/16/23

— COUNTY —

LEGAL NOTICE OF GENERAL ELECTION

The voters of HAMILTON County are notified by the county election board in accordance with Indiana Code 3-10-2-2 that a general (or special) election will be held in the county on November 7, 2023, with the polls open for voting from 6:00 a.m. until 6:00 p.m., prevailing local time.

In accordance with the list of candidates and the public questions certified to me by the State of Indiana or this county's election board, and the certificates of candidate selection filed in the office of the circuit court clerk of this county (or the Lake or Porter County election director), the following offices and public questions or judicial retention questions, if applicable, will be on the general (or special) election ballot:

Candidates For 2023 Municipal			
Last Name	First Name	Middle Name	Office Sought
Finkam	Sue		Carmel Mayor
Nelson	Miles		Carmel Mayor
Quinn	Jacob	W.	Carmel City Clerk
Poindexter	Brian	G.	Carmel City Court Judge
Ayers	Teressa		Carmel City Council, District NC
Culver	Courtney		Carmel City Council, District NC
Minnaar	Shannon		Carmel City Council, District NE
Aasen	Adam		Carmel City Council, District SE
Eltz	Jeremy		Carmel City Council, District SE
Locke	Ryan		Carmel City Council, District NW
Green	Anthony (Tony)		Carmel City Council, District SC
Irvine	Jessica		Carmel City Council, District SC
Joshi	Anita		Carmel City Council, District W
Mathes	Loren		Carmel City Council, District W
Draper	Sara		Carmel City Council, At Large
Madore	Jake		Carmel City Council, At Large
Snyder	Matthew	J.	Carmel City Council, At Large
Taylor	Rich		Carmel City Council, At Large
Worrell	Jeff		Carmel City Council, At Large
Fadness	Scott		Fishers Mayor
Kehl	Jennifer	L.	Fishers City Clerk
Pritchett	Janet		Fishers City Clerk
Henke	Daniel	E.	Fishers City Court Judge
Peterson	Pete		Fishers City Council, District SE
McLellan	Bill		Fishers City Council, District NW
Stoller	Selina		Fishers City Council, District NW
DeLucia	John	P.	Fishers City Council, District NC
Neumann	Crystal		Fishers City Council, District NC
Skeeters	Lane		Fishers City Council, District SC
Weingardt	John	W.	Fishers City Council, District SC
Giffel	David		Fishers City Council, District SW
Stuart	Bill		Fishers City Council, District SW
Chapman	Samantha	R.	Fishers City Council, District NE
DeReamer	Brad		Fishers City Council, District NE
Coble	Cecilia		Fishers City Council, At Large
Ditlevson	Tiffany		Fishers City Council, At Large
Stevenson	Howard		Fishers City Council, At Large
Vare	Jocelyn		Fishers City Council, At Large
Zimmerman	Todd		Fishers City Council, At Large
Jensen	Chris	L.	Noblesville Mayor
Lees	Evelyn		Noblesville City Clerk
Cook	Matt		Noblesville City Court Judge
Davis	Mike		Noblesville Common Council, District 1
Thurston	Todd		Noblesville Common Council, District 2
Smith	Aaron		Noblesville Common Council, District 3
Boice	Mark	W.	Noblesville Common Council, District 4
Johnson	Dave		Noblesville Common Council, District 5
Wiles	Megan	G.	Noblesville Common Council, District 6
Elliott	Evan		Noblesville Common Council, At Large
Gilliam	Paula	Jo.	Noblesville Common Council, At Large
Peterson	Darren		Noblesville Common Council, At Large
Schwartz	Pete		Noblesville Common Council, At Large
Willis	Scott		Westfield Mayor
Ailor	Marla		Westfield City Clerk-Treasurer
Dartt	Jon		Westfield City Council, District 1
McCarthy	Victor		Westfield City Council, District 2
Duepner	Joe		Westfield City Council, District 3
Lowry	Alexis		Westfield City Council, District 4
Tamm	Patrick	T.	Westfield City Council, District 4
Herron	Noah		Westfield City Council, District 5
Huff	Chad		Westfield City Council, At Large
Lane	Gary		Westfield City Council, At Large
Wanninger	Kurt		Westfield City Council, At Large
Pickett	Jennifer	S.	Arcadia Town Clerk-Treasurer
Versprille	Rich		Arcadia Town Council, District 1
Farley	Jennifer		Atlanta Town Clerk-Treasurer
Johnson	Timothy		Atlanta Town Council, District 2
Price	Jody		Atlanta Town Council, District 2
VanHook	Pam		Atlanta Town Council, District 3
Gary	Rhonda		Cicero Town Clerk-Treasurer
Johnson	Dennis	D.	Cicero Town Council, District 1
Pearson	Emily	K.	Cicero Town Council, District 2
Lutz	Christopher	A.	Cicero Town Council, District 3
Walden	Elizabeth (Liz)	J.	Sheridan Town Clerk-Treasurer
Kinkead	David	W.	Sheridan Town Council, District 1
DeVaney III	Silas		Sheridan Town Council, District 2

PUBLIC QUESTIONS TO BE SUBMITTED TO VOTERS

The text of public questions submitted to voters, if applicable, are as follows:

Carmel Clay Schools

Shall Carmel Clay Schools continue to impose increased property taxes paid to the school corporation by homeowners and businesses for eight (8) years immediately following the holding of the referendum for the purpose of retaining and attracting teachers, educational staff, and other support staff and fund educationally related programs at the current maximum referendum tax rate of \$0.19 per one hundred dollars (\$100) of assessed valuation? The property tax increase requested in this referendum was originally approved by the voters in 2017 and if extended will increase the average property tax paid to the school corporation per year on a residence within the school corporation by 28.3% and if extended will increase the average property tax paid to the school corporation per year on a business property within the school corporation by 28.3%.

Hamilton Southeastern Schools

Shall Hamilton Southeastern Schools continue to impose increased property taxes paid to the school corporation by homeowners and businesses for eight (8) years immediately following the holding of the referendum for the purpose of funding academic and educationally related programs, maintaining class sizes, retaining and attracting of teachers, essential safety initiatives, and changing the previously approved maximum referendum tax rate from \$0.2275 to \$0.1995? The property tax increase requested in this referendum was originally approved by the voters in May, 2016 and if extended will increase the average property tax paid to the school corporation per year on a residence within the school corporation by 20.8% and if extended will increase the average property tax paid to the school corporation per year on a business property within the school corporation by 20.8%.

Sheridan Community Schools

Shall Sheridan Community Schools continue to impose increased property taxes paid to the school corporation by homeowners and businesses for eight (8) years immediately following the holding of the referendum for the purpose of funding the retention and attraction of teachers and staff, academic related programs and operational expenses at the current maximum referendum tax rate of \$0.25? The property tax increase requested in this referendum was originally approved by the voters in 2017 and if extended will increase the average property tax paid to the school corporation per year on a residence within the school corporation by 23.05% and if extended will increase the average property tax paid to the school corporation per year on a business property within the school corporation by 23.05%.

IN-PERSON ABSENTEE OR "EARLY" VOTING INFORMATION

The dates, times and locations of in-person voting at the circuit court clerk's office and, if applicable, at satellite offices are as follows:

Location Address	Location Hours
COOL CREEK NATURE CENTER 2000-1 E 151ST ST CARMEL, IN 46033	Open Wednesday 10/25/2023 until Thursday 10/26/2023 from 2:00PM to 7:00PM Open Friday 10/27/2023 until Saturday 10/28/2023 from 10:00AM to 3:00PM Open Wednesday 11/01/2023 until Thursday 11/02/2023 from 2:00PM to 7:00PM Open Friday 11/03/2023 until Saturday 11/04/2023 from 10:00AM to 3:00PM
JILL PERELMAN PAVILION 3000 W 116TH ST CARMEL, IN 46032	Open Wednesday 10/25/2023 until Thursday 10/26/2023 from 2:00PM to 7:00PM Open Friday 10/27/2023 until Saturday 10/28/2023 from 10:00AM to 3:00PM Open Wednesday 11/01/2023 until Thursday 11/02/2023 from 2:00PM to 7:00PM Open Friday 11/03/2023 until Saturday 11/04/2023 from 10:00AM to 3:00PM
WILFONG PAVILION AT FOUNDERS PARK 11675 HAZEL DELL PKWY CARMEL, IN 46033	Open Wednesday 10/25/2023 until Thursday 10/26/2023 from 2:00PM to 7:00PM Open Friday 10/27/2023 until Saturday 10/28/2023 from 10:00AM to 3:00PM Open Wednesday 11/01/2023 until Thursday 11/02/2023 from 2:00PM to 7:00PM Open Friday 11/03/2023 until Saturday 11/04/2023 from 10:00AM to 3:00PM
BILLERICAY PARK BUILDING 12690 PROMISE RD FISHERS, IN 46038	Open Wednesday 10/25/2023 until Thursday 10/26/2023 from 2:00PM to 7:00PM Open Friday 10/27/2023 until Saturday 10/28/2023 from 10:00AM to 3:00PM Open Wednesday 11/01/2023 until Thursday 11/02/2023 from 2:00PM to 7:00PM Open Friday 11/03/2023 until Saturday 11/04/2023 from 10:00AM to 3:00PM
ROY G HOLLAND MEMORIAL PARK BUILDING 1 PARK DRIVE FISHERS, IN 46038	Open Wednesday 10/25/2023 until Thursday 10/26/2023 from 2:00PM to 7:00PM Open Friday 10/27/2023 until Saturday 10/28/2023 from 10:00AM to 3:00PM Open Wednesday 11/01/2023 until Thursday 11/02/2023 from 2:00PM to 7:00PM Open Friday 11/03/2023 until Saturday 11/04/2023 from 10:00AM to 3:00PM
HAMILTON COUNTY ELECTION OFFICE ONE HAMILTON COUNTY SQUARE NOBLESVILLE, IN 460602233	Open Wednesday 10/11/2023 until Friday 10/13/2023 from 8:00AM to 4:30PM Open Monday 10/16/2023 until Friday 10/20/2023 from 8:00AM to 4:30PM Open Monday 10/23/2023 until Friday 10/27/2023 from 8:00AM to 4:30PM Open Saturday 10/28/2023 until Saturday 10/28/2023 from 9:00AM to 4:00PM Open Monday 10/30/2023 until Friday 11/03/2023 from 8:00AM to 4:30PM Open Saturday 11/04/2023 until Saturday 11/04/2023 from 9:00AM to 4:00PM Open Monday 11/06/2023 until Monday 11/06/2023 from 8:00AM to 12:00PM
HAMILTON COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS 2003 PLEASANT STREET NOBLESVILLE, IN 46060	Open Wednesday 10/11/2023 until Friday 10/13/2023 from 9:00AM to 4:00PM Open Monday 10/16/2023 until Friday 10/20/2023 from 9:00AM to 4:00PM Open Monday 10/23/2023 until Saturday 10/28/2023 from 9:00AM to 4:00PM Open Monday 10/30/2023 until Saturday 11/04/2023 from 9:00AM to 4:00PM
WESTFIELD CITY HALL 130 E PENN ST WESTFIELD, IN 46074	Open Wednesday 10/25/2023 until Thursday 10/26/2023 from 2:00PM to 7:00PM Open Friday 10/27/2023 until Saturday 10/28/2023 from 10:00AM to 3:00PM Open Wednesday 11/01/2023 until Thursday 11/02/2023 from 2:00PM to 7:00PM Open Friday 11/03/2023 until Saturday 11/04/2023 from 10:00AM to 3:00PM

DATED, THIS 29th DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 2023.
Kathy Kragg Williams, Circuit Court Clerk

Precincts Not Voting

The following precincts will not be voting in the 2023 Municipal Election:

Jackson 01
Jackson 02
Jackson 04
Jackson 05
Jackson 06
Jackson 07
Jackson 08
Noblesville 15
Noblesville 19

There are other precincts in which the precincts consist of both city/town voters and voters in unincorporated areas. Some voters in the unincorporated areas will also not be voting in the Municipal Election. However, there are precincts that have unincorporated voters who will be voting only on a referendum question. These precincts are those voters in the Sheridan and HSE School Corporation Districts.

Please look up your information on www.indianavoters.com or call the Elections Office at 317-776-8476 if you are unsure if you are eligible to vote in the 2023 Municipal Election.



“Once you start working you’ll pretty much be doing it for the rest of your life. If you want to put off starting that for a little while, that would be ok.”

– Stanley (like the power drill) Clampitt, 1989

— NOBLESVILLE —

Public Notice

Patch Co LLC (400 Alpha Drive, Westfield, IN 46074) is submitting a Notice of Intent to the Indiana Department of Environmental Management of our intent to comply with the requirements of Construction Stormwater General Permit to discharge stormwater from construction activities associated with Cumberland Pointe, located in Hamilton County, Indiana. More specifically, the project is located at 9855 and 9895 Cumberland Pointe Blvd. in Noblesville, Indiana, part of the NW Quarter, Section 17, Township 18 N, Range 5 E. The West Fork White River will receive run-off from the project site. Please direct questions to Nathan Winslow, PE of American Structurepoint at 317-547-5580 or by email at nwinslow@structurepoint.com.

R3201 10/9/23

Public Notice

Patch Innovation Mile LLC (6950 E. 96th Street, Fishers, IN 46038) is submitting a Notice of Intent to the Indiana Department of Environmental Management of our intent to comply with the requirements of Construction Stormwater General Permit to discharge stormwater from construction activities associated with Innovation Mile - Project Scoreboard Mass Grading, located in Hamilton County, Indiana. More specifically, the project is located along E 141st Street, just east of the Ohio Road intersection in Noblesville, Indiana, part of the NE Quarter, Section 24, Township 18 N, Range 5 E. Fall Creek will receive run-off from the project site. Please direct questions to Nick Everhart, PE of American Structurepoint at 317-547-5580 or by email at neverhart@structurepoint.com.

R3202 10/9/23

— NOBLESVILLE —

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Ivy Tech Community College of Indiana, Indianapolis Indiana, will receive bids from contractors for the Window Replacement Project located at 300 N 17th St, Noblesville, IN 46060. The Owner intends to enter into one contract with the Contractor that submitted the lowest responsive and responsible bid and who will be fully responsible for coordination of all required work between all trades. Bidding Documents may be obtained via Ivy Tech Community College Bonfire website <https://ivytech.bonfirehub.com/projects/104946/details>. All bids must be received uploaded to Bonfire prior to 1 PM., EST, on October 24, 2023. The virtual bid opening will directly follow at 1:30 PM EST via zoom. <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/2238266899?pwd=U9INFN4M3h0bThxMQWQ5dSsZb1BLdz09>

Evaluation of the proposals and award will be at a later date. A highly recommended, but optional pre-bid walkthrough meetings will be held at 3 PM., EST on October 10, 2023. Bidder questions are due by Noon EST on October 13, 2023. All bidders are required to furnish Bid Security in the amount of ten (10%) of the base bid. All prices shall be free of all Federal Excise Taxes and State Sales Tax. The bid forms, Form 96, and other required documents related to the bid must be completed, signed and notarized where indicated. The successful bidder shall be required to comply with the requirement of State Board of Trustees Resolution No. 2017-4 as it relates to use of apprentices. The owner reserves the right to reject all bids and to waive any irregularities or informalities in the bid. Bids to shall remain firm for sixty (60) days from date of Bid Opening. All inquiries shall be directed to GMB Architecture and Engineer, Katy Candau katyc@gmb.com and Liz Barrett lizb@gmb.com.

R3162 9/29/23, 10/2/23, 10/6/23, 1/9/23

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

1.01 SUMMARY

Notice is hereby given that SEALED BIDS will be received:

BY AND AT: Hagerman, Inc.
C/O Noblesville Schools
18025 River Road
Noblesville, IN 46062 Attn.
Dr. David Hortemiller

FOR A NEW: Noblesville High School
Academic Addition &
Renovation Project
18111 Cumberland Road
Noblesville, IN 46060

UNTIL: 1:00 P.M., local time, November 2, 2023.

DESCRIPTION OF PROJECT: Work includes a new Academic Addition and Renovation to the existing Noblesville High School.

RECEIPT OF BIDS: Bids received by mail, or another carrier, must be addressed to: Hagerman, Inc. c/o David Hortemiller, Noblesville Schools 18025 River Road, Noblesville, IN 46062 and received on or before 1:00 pm, Tuesday November 2, 2023, to be valid. Bids received after the designated day and time listed above will be returned unopened. Any postal/courier service is the agent of the Bidder.

BID OPENING: Bids will be publicly opened and read aloud on Tuesday, November 2, 2023, at 1:00 pm local time in the Board Room of the Noblesville School Educational Services Center located at 18025 River Road, Noblesville, IN 46062.

PRE-BID MEETING: A pre-bid meeting for interested parties will be held on Wednesday, October 18, 2023, at 1:00 PM local time. We will meet at the main entrance (labelled door #1), at the Noblesville High School located at 18111 Cumberland Road, Noblesville, IN 46060. This meeting is not mandatory, but all Interested Bidders are encouraged to attend.

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

The Construction Manager will receive sealed Bids for the following Bid Item(s) of work:

Bid Item #01: Site Excavation and Utility Work
Bid Item #02: Asphalt Paving Work
Bid Item #03: Landscape Plantings and Seeding Work
Bid Item #04: Concrete Work
Bid Item #05: Steel Work
Bid Item #06: Masonry Work
Bid Item #07: Roofing and Metal Panel Work
Bid Item #08: Aluminum Curtainwall, Window, Door, and Folding Door Work
Bid Item #09: Metal Stud, Drywall, Insulation and Acoustical Ceilings, Sound Panel Work
Bid Item #10: General Trades and Select Demo Work
Bid Item #11: Painting and Wall Covering Work
Bid Item #12: Tile Work
Bid Item #13: Carpet, LVT and Base Work
Bid Item #14: Epoxy Resinous Flooring Work
Bid Item #15: Manufactured Casework and Top Work
Bid Item #16: Food Service Equipment
Bid Item #17: Fire Protection Work
Bid Item #18: Plumbing, Mechanical, HVAC Ductwork and Temperature Controls Work
Bid Item #19: Electrical, Fire Alarm, and Technology Work

SUBCONTRACTOR PREQUALIFICATION: All subcontractors must be pre-qualified prior to submission of the bid. Pre-qualification forms can be obtained by contacting Dylan Flannery, Hagerman, Inc., 812-363-2407, dflannery@hagermange.com, or Mike Holtkamp, Hagerman, Inc., 317-577-6836, mholtkamp@hagermange.com. The completed pre-qualification forms with attachments shall be submitted to Mike Holtkamp by 5:00 PM October 13, 2023. Completed forms may also be emailed to Dylan Flannery or via hard copy delivered to Hagerman's office (10315 Allisonville Road) in a sealed envelope. Financial information will be kept confidential. Pre-qualified subcontractors will be notified of approval by 5:00 PM October 17, 2023.

Documents Prepared by:

CSO Architects, Inc.
8831 Keystone Crossing
Indianapolis, IN 46240

Construction Manager as Constructor (CMc):

Hagerman, Inc.
10315 Allisonville Road
Fishers, IN 46038

BID DOCUMENTS: Interested Prime Bidders may purchase Bidding Documents at Eastern Engineering. Documents will be available on or after October 2, 2023. Documents are available electronically by contacting:

Dylan Flannery, Hagerman, Inc., dflannery@hagermange.com
Mike Holtkamp, Hagerman, Inc., mholtkamp@hagermange.com
Michael Schwartz, Hagerman, Inc., mschwartz@hagermange.com
Hagerman, Inc. Main Office (Fishers, IN): (317) 577-6836.

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

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

Dylan Flannery, Hagerman, Inc., DFlannery@HagermanGC.com
Mike Holtkamp, Hagerman, Inc., MHoltkamp@HagermanGC.com
Michael Schwartz, Hagerman, Inc., MSchwartz@hagermange.com
Hagerman, Inc. Main Office (Fishers, IN): (317) 577-6836.

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

- Noblesville Schools
18025 River Road
Noblesville, IN 46062
- Hagerman, Inc.
10315 Allisonville Road
Fishers, IN 46038
- CSO Architects, Inc.
8831 Keystone Crossing
Indianapolis, IN 46240

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

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

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

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

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

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— NOBLESVILLE TOWNSHIP —

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS OF ADDITIONAL APPROPRIATIONS

Notice is hereby given to the taxpayers of Noblesville Township, Hamilton County, Indiana that the proper legal officers will consider the following additional appropriations in excess of the budget for the current year at their regular meeting place at 836 Division Street, Noblesville, IN, at 4:00pm, on the 18th day of October 2023.

Fund Name Township Assistance
Major Budget Classification Township Assistance
Proposed Additional Appropriation Amount \$200,000.00

Taxpayers appearing at the meeting shall have a right to be heard. The additional appropriations as finally made will be referred to the Department of Local Government Finance (Department). The Department will make a written determination as to the sufficiency of funds to support the appropriations within fifteen (15) days of receipt of a Certified Copy of the action taken.

Dated October 5, 2023 /s/ Theresa Caldwell, Trustee
Township Trustee
R3191 10/5/23, 10/9/23

— STATE OF INDIANA —

LEGAL NOTICE OF EVIDENTIARY HEARING

INDIANA UTILITY REGULATORY COMMISSION CAUSE NO. 45949
VERIFIED JOINT PETITION FOR ALL JURISDICTIONAL GAS
DISTRIBUTION UTILITIES FOR APPROVAL OF AMENDMENTS TO
THE CURRENT GAS COST ADJUSTMENT PROCEDURES UTILIZED
BY GAS DISTRIBUTION UTILITIES WITHIN THE STATE OF INDIANA
APPROVED IN THE COMMISSION'S AUGUST 27, 2014 ORDER IN
CAUSE NO. 44374, PURSUANT TO IND. CODE § 8-1-2-72.

Notice is hereby given that the Indiana Utility Regulatory Commission will conduct a public Evidentiary Hearing in the above-captioned Cause in Room 222 of the PNC Center, 101 W. Washington Street, Indianapolis, Indiana, commencing at 1:30 PM on November 15, 2023. This hearing is open to the public.

If an accommodation is required to allow an individual with a disability to participate, please contact the Office of the Executive Secretary of the IURC at 317.232.2701 or TDD 317.232.8556 at least 48 hours in advance.

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

DATE: October 3, 2023
R3204 10/9/23

Girls Soccer Sectional Championships

Millers shut out Tigers for fifth straight title

By **RICHARD TORRES**
For The Reporter

FISHERS – With tradition comes expectation, and for the Noblesville girls soccer team both seemingly go hand-in-hand, even when counted out.

On Saturday, the Class 3A third-ranked Millers showcased both during the Sectional 8 championship game at Hamilton Southeastern, shutting out rival Fishers, 5-0, to net their fifth straight title and 14th in program history.

After losing hold of the Hoosier Crossroads Conference title this season for the first time since 2018, the rebuilding Millers (13-1-3) weren’t predicted to keep their sectional streak alive.

Yet, despite seven new

starters in the lineup, the Millers are demonstrating that time, patience, and persistence pays off, especially once the state tournament arrives.

Junior Meredith Tippner scored a hat trick for the Millers in the first half Saturday, and juniors Atley Pittman and Olivia Olszewski buried two more goals in the second half, as Noblesville continued its revenge tour this October.

On Thursday, the Millers avenged their 3-2 regular-season loss against key rival second-ranked Hamilton Southeastern with a 2-1 sectional semifinal victory.

“Honestly, we lost a lot of seniors that aren’t replaceable. They were a great part of this program, and we had a lot of younger

kids that had to step up and figure out their new role on this team,” Tippner said. “A lot of upperclassmen had to take on leadership roles, and I don’t think we were where we needed to be at the beginning of the season.”

The Millers are tournament-ready now, and Tippner’s 19 goals in 17 games put them in position to win their seventh sectional title in eight years.

Tippner’s first goal put the Millers ahead 1-0 in the 11th minute with the assist credited to senior Syndey Elliott. A corner-kick by junior Atley Pittman four minutes later led to Tippner’s second goal before she posted her hat trick in the 24th minute for a 3-0 Millers’ advantage.

Faced with two inter-county foes and two

conference opponents they couldn’t cleanly beat during the regular season, the Millers came out renewed, re-focused and determined to keep their winning tradition going.

“It was a big motivator for us. I know a lot of us were kind of ready to see what we truly had in us to play in postseason. We always say that October is when it really matters,” Pittman said.

Last year, Noblesville won its third state title all time and first since going back-to-back in 2019 and 2020. With only four returning starters from last year’s state finals lineup – Tippner, Pittman, Elliott and goalkeeper Bella Wyatt – the team had to develop their chemistry in season.

While Tippner tallied the most goals, the Millers clamped down defensively to limit the Tigers (4-10-3) to 10 shots on goal.

Wyatt logged seven saves for the shutout before both sides made substantial substitutions after Olszewski’s goal in the 61st minute initiated a running clock.

Fishers recorded the first shot of the game in the initial 30 seconds, but the Millers responded immediately to control possession a majority of the first half and first 20 minutes of the second.

The Millers will now seek to add a 10th regional title in program history with five to their credit since 2016, including four in 3A.

“I really like this team and what it’s done the last two months to get us where

we are. But we know, we still have a lot of good teams ahead of us,” said Noblesville head coach Mike Brady, who is in his 21st season at the helm. “That’s a good Fishers team. They can certainly play and that game against HSE was against a very good team that we had to get through.”

In Brady’s tenure, the Millers have won six regional titles, nine sectionals and three state championships.

“I’m just fortunate. The support of the community, the school, and again, just the culture that has been created. It’s not me. It’s just one that’s been created by the players,” Brady said.

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Looking back at what brought Noblesville & Fishers head-to-head

By **RICHIE HALL**
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FISHERS - Early goals sent the Noblesville and Fishers girls soccer teams into the Sectional 8 championship last Thursday.

The No. 3-ranked and defending Class 3A state champion Millers used the momentum from their early score to get past No. 2-ranked and sectional host Hamilton Southeastern in the first semifinal game. In the second contest, the Tigers scored early, and then often, to beat Pendleton Heights 3-0.

Less than a minute

The Millers got on the

board in the first minute of play when junior Meredith Tippner put in a short goal. Noblesville played with the lead for the other 79 minutes, holding that 1-0 lead at halftime.

Freshman Delaney Stone scored the Millers’ second goal during the 56th minute.

“We just had to work together as a unit and we were able to get the second goal,” said Stone.

The Royals continued to push during the later minutes of the game and broke through with less than three minutes left when Abby Straus got a goal. Southeastern kept the intensity until

the end with one last corner kick, but Noblesville was able to hang on.

The Royals won the regular-season game, and Millers coach Mike Brady said that being aggressive was the key to win the rematch.

“We talked about it, knowing that it was going to be HSE,” said Brady. “If we weren’t aggressive, there’s no way we win this game tonight.”

Southeastern finished with a 13-2-3 record.

The Tigers also got a goal during the first minute, with Madeline Meier breaking through. McKinley Boland added a second goal in the 16th minute, and Fishers

held a 2-0 lead. Delaney Allgeier opened the second half with a goal, and the Tigers cruised from there.

“I was really happy we scored in the first minute, because scoring goals has been an issue for us,” said Fishers coach Harold Spooner. “We knew we have talent, we’ve just been struggling to put it in the back of the net.” The coach said his team was focused on “playing hard and making sure we get early goals to take a little bit of the pressure off.”

In first-round play, the Royals defeated Anderson 9-0 and the Millers were also 9-0 winners over Muncie Central.



Reporter photo by Richie Hall
McKinley Boland (17), Madeline Meier (8) and Delaney Allgeier (4) scored goals for Fishers during its sectional win over Pendleton Heights last Thursday.



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