

WEDNESDAY, Nov. 22, 2023

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TODAY'S WEATHER

Today: Becoming partly sunny.
 Tonight: Partly cloudy evening.
 Mostly clear overnight.
 HIGH: 46 LOW: 31



Hamilton County Bicentennial Bash less than two weeks away

The REPORTER

People of all ages interested in Hamilton County history are invited to attend the ultimate celebration of 2023 – the Hamilton County Bicentennial Bash. 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 Sunday, Dec. 3 at Ivy Tech Hamilton County, 300 N. 17th St., Noblesville. The event will include:

- Free raffle with prizes from vendors – To get more tickets, bring non-perishable goods, benefiting the Hamilton County Harvest Food Bank.
- Free food from Quality Ingredients Cooking
- Live music from local artists Andy Schomburg and Emily Ann Thompson
- Short film commemorating the Bicentennial year by Adam Grubb Media
- Art show in partnership with Nickel Plate Arts that in-



cludes commissioned works from the Bicentennial book, *200 Years of Change: Celebrating Hamilton County, Indiana*

- Displays from over a dozen non-profits around the county, many of which hosted Bicentennial events
- Fun photo opportunities



Limited-edition merchandise, including the Bicentennial book, available for purchase

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Potential medical use of psilocybin mushrooms

“Magic mushrooms” for the treatment of resistant depression and anxiety? Really?

Recent studies conducted by respected institutions on psychedelic-drug treatment of emotional and substance-abuse disorders have been reported in mainstream medical journals. Example publications are the *New England Journal of Medicine*, the *Journal of Psychopharmacology*, and the *Journal of the American Medical Association*. Authoring institutions include Harvard, Johns Hopkins, and New York University. This is in no way fringe science.

Various psychedelics demonstrate efficacy. However, the major research and treatment focus is on psilocybin, the psychoactive component in magic mushrooms.

Research on the therapeutic uses of psychedelics is not new, originating in the 1950s. It ended in 1970 with President Nixon’s “War on Drugs” (the Controlled Substances Act) when psilocybin and other drugs became illegal.

Treatment-resistant depression is the major condition studied. Also researched are resistant anxiety and PTSD; obsessive-compulsive disorder; alcohol, tobacco, and opioid abuse disorders; and end-of-life anxiety and depression, all with promising results.

Model psilocybin-treatment protocols for depression are very structured with pre-treatment preparatory consultations and very controlled treatment sessions. Medication administration is monitored by facilitators in a safe environment to eliminate harm from induced cognitive, psychological, and perceptual alterations followed importantly by post-treatment supportive psychotherapy.

The advantages of psilocybin treatment are that a single low dose (or possibly a second dose) produces long-term benefit ranging from months to years and that the medication is not given to the patient for home use, greatly reducing the potential for abuse and diversion. Also, psilocybin is a physiologically safe medication having an unattainable lethal dose and is non-addictive. It’s generally well tolerated, and side effects



RICHARD D. FELDMAN, M.D.
State of Our Health

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Noblesville, Carmel & Westfield Lions take pride in helping Gleaners



Photos provided
 On Nov. 16, Gleaners Mobile Pantry was supported by Lions from Noblesville (NLC), Carmel (CLC), and Westfield (WLC). Food was passed out at the Hamilton County 4-H Fairgrounds to those in need, as has been on a monthly basis. (LEFT, FRONT ROW) Lions Lane Sims (CLC), Mark Bachar (NLC), Bob Yunker (CLC), Bill Ryan (CLC), Matt Best (CLC), and Paul Cardinal (CLC). (BACK ROW) Lions Jeff Schneider (WLC), Hayden Parsons (NLC), George Long (NLC), Joe Connerley (NLC), Jeff Kozicki (NLC), Jerry Baker (NLC), Ron Williamson (NLC), and Ed Shea (NLC).

The Farmers Bank coming to Westfield

Former Westfield Chamber CEO Steve Latour will lead the team

The REPORTER

The Farmers Bank has announced the opening of its newest location at 360 N. Tricia Lane, Westfield, on Friday, Dec. 15.

The location, just south of Meijer off Spring Mill Road, will be led by former Westfield Chamber CEO Steve Latour, who will serve as the Financial Center Director. He will bring his extensive experience and deep understanding of the local business landscape to the team. Joining him is Brittany Hall, a seasoned financial veteran with two decades of expertise in the banking industry, who will serve as the Financial Center Assistant Director.

to bring the personal service and community approach it’s been known for since 1876 to Westfield,” said bank President and CEO Chris Cook, who is also a Westfield resident. “With locations in Noblesville, Fishers, Sheridan, and a loan office in Carmel, we look forward to continuing our investment in the Hamilton County community.”

The dynamic leadership team is eager to bring Hoosier values and the personal service only a community bank can provide to the Westfield community. Latour and Hall say they are committed to creating a welcoming space for Westfield’s residents and businesses.

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Photo provided
 Former Westfield Chamber CEO Steve Latour (left) will serve as the Financial Center Director, and Brittany Hall, a seasoned financial veteran with two decades of expertise in the banking industry, will serve as the Financial Center Assistant Director.

Doc Dillon was one of the great ones

Hamilton County lost one of its greatest last week when Dr. Jim Dillon passed away at the age of 83.

Doc Dillon was a true leader in the medical field and local government. He was born and raised in Noblesville where his family has deep roots.

He graduated from DePauw University and the IU School of Medicine before serving two years in the U.S. Navy, then returning to the IU Medical School to become a professor. He took a major role in establishing the Interventional Cardiology Program and served as its director until 2004.

In Marion County, Jim joined the Wayne Township Volunteer Fire Department, always promoting emergency medical services and eventually serving on the Indiana Emergency Medical Commission, even chairing the commission for six years.

In 1985, Jim and his wife, Sue, moved to Carmel. Within a few years, he and Sue were instrumental in creating the award-winning Carmel Clay Parks system. Jim also served for 17 years on the Clay Township Board, always supporting the fire department and its emergency medical service.

He also served a year on the Hamilton County Council. Jim was always modest about his accomplishments, but certainly must have approved of his township board successor, Matt Snyder, for taking a leadership role in continuing a legacy of promoting park expansion and fire department facilities.

Jim was always encouraging to this writer in matters brought to the readers’ attention in the County Line column. While it may sound trite to say “he will be missed,” but in the case of Jim Dillon, it is so extremely true.

Columnist Fred Swift has worked in newspapers for decades. He has been sharing his opinions in the pages of *The Reporter* since it began. Email him at swiffred19@gmail.com.



FRED SWIFT
The County Line

Boys & Girls Club of Noblesville to receive matching donations on Giving Tuesday

Multiple donors team up to make a “World of Difference”

The REPORTER

Now through Nov. 28, the Tom & Soni Sheehan Boys & Girls Club of Noblesville will participate in #GivingTuesday, a global day of giving that encourages and celebrates philanthropy worldwide.

The Club is hosting a campaign to Make a “World of Difference” in the lives of local kids. The first \$13,500 in donations to the campaign will be generously matched by multiple donors.

“We are immensely grateful for the incredible generosity of our donors,” BGCN

Executive Director, Becky Terry said. “Their selfless contributions not only provide much-needed support but also serve as a testament to the power of compassion and community. Together, we are making a meaningful impact and creating positive change. Our heartfelt thanks go out to each and every donor for their kindness and commitment to making the world a better place. The world is complicated, but helping kids is simple.”

This year, the Club’s goal is to surpass last year’s total



TOM & SONI SHEEHAN BOYS & GIRLS CLUB OF NOBLESVILLE

of \$32,722 that was raised on #GivingTuesday.

In 2022, BGCN served 1,803 local youth with its affordable, high-impact after school programs while serving more than 23,000 healthy snacks and nutritious meals. As a community staple for 70 years, the Club has offered local kids after school programs

and opportunities to experience new things and be themselves in a place they can call their own.

A peer-to-peer fundraising campaign is taking place now through Nov. 28. Donations can be made by calling the Club, dropping off a donation, or donating online by visiting bit.ly/BGCNworldofdifference.

BASH

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• Free giveaways and door prizes
Free tickets are available online at hamcoturns200.com and find the link on the home page. Tickets required for entry, so get yours before they're gone.
About the Bicentennial
The Hamilton County Bicentennial Commission was established by the

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

FARMERS

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Latour will spearhead business development opportunities across Westfield and Carmel and lead the team at the Westfield location.

Hall will oversee daily operations, facilitate the opening of new accounts, and actively engage in community events.

Together, their aim is to exceed expectations of how a community bank can serve the needs of the Westfield community, financial and otherwise.

Operating hours will be from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Thursday, and 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. on Friday. A grand opening celebration is planned for January; look for more information soon.

Recognized as the fastest-growing city in Indiana for three years in a row, Westfield has become a focal point for businesses and residents alike, making it an ideal location for The Farmers Bank to grow its presence.

The new facility will offer services tailored to suit your lifestyle and your business and non-profit needs. From in-person service to video ATMs and virtual banking experiences, The Farmers Bank offers everything you'd expect from a bank today, with the personal service that is harder and harder to find. Offering a secure place to deposit business of personal funds, competitive CDs, mortgages, and a range of loans including commercial and home equity options, The Farmers Bank is committed to providing you with a one-stop destination for all your financial aspirations.

The Westfield branch will also feature a state-of-the-art Smartflower, harnessing solar power to contribute to the facility's energy needs while offering a hands-on educational experience for local schools. This innovation aligns with The Farmers Bank's commitment to sustainable practices.



Photo provided

The new Westfield location will open on Dec. 15.

The Farmers Bank is eager to welcome the community to this new location, where a community-centered approach will be offered that is efficient and reliable with personalized banking services that empower individuals and businesses to achieve their financial goals.

About The Farmers Bank

The Farmers Bank is an Indiana community bank serving our neighbors since its establishment in 1876 in Clinton County, Ind. You

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PSILOCYBIN

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are transient. It's safer than many other psychoactive medications.

A study by Johns Hopkins School of Medicine published in the *Journal of Psychopharmacology* is representative of studies demonstrating psilocybin's durable efficacy for treatment-resistant depression. Significant decreases in depression were seen immediately and persisted during the 12-month duration of the study. Average severity of depression decreased by 300 percent at 12 months with a 75 percent response rate and a 58 percent remission rate.

Psilocybin acts on a specific serotonin receptor

in the brain, which enables therapeutic benefits by producing a neurophysiologic window of "brain plasticity" creating greater receptiveness to healthy self-reflection, new ideas, and thought patterns. This underscores the importance of adding supportive psychotherapy to the medication treatment.

In 2018, the Federal Food and Drug Administration designated psilocybin as a "breakthrough medication" (having potential medical benefits beyond current therapies). This opened the door to permissible therapeutic use and FDA-approved research protocols.

In September the General Assembly's Interim Pub-

lic Health Study Committee, of which I am a lay member, heard compelling testimony regarding the therapeutic potential of psilocybin. The Committee voted to recommend that the legislature authorize "Indiana state research institutions to conduct a pilot clinical study ... to explore the efficacy, safety, and feasibility of psilocybin-assisted therapy in Indiana."

The breakthrough status also facilitates states in reclassifying psilocybin from an illegal schedule I drug (no accepted medical use with high potential for harm) to a legal schedule II drug even though the Drug Enforcement Agency has

not reclassified its schedule I status federally. Reclassification also would support therapeutic use and research efforts.

At least 30 percent of depression is treatment-resistant and something I clinically see routinely. Many states are moving to make statutory changes to either decriminalize or more appropriately enable psilocybin research and treatment availability. Indiana should be one of them.

Richard D. Feldman, M.D. is an Indianapolis family physician and former Indiana State Health Commissioner who served in the administration of Governor Frank O'Bannon.

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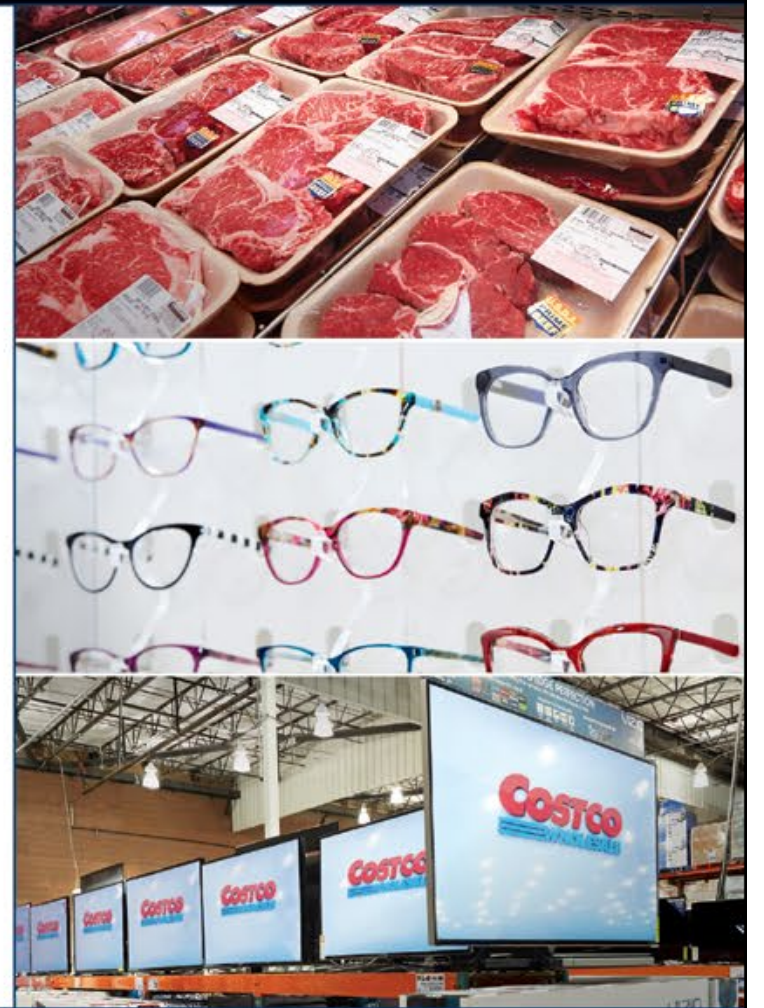


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Westfield Chamber Calendar of Events

NOVEMBER

Pastry with a Planner

8 to 9 a.m., Tuesday, Nov. 28
Location: The Bridgewater Club

Coffee with the Chamber

8 to 9 a.m., Thursday, Nov. 30
Location: The Bridgewater Club

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BGCN grateful for Elks' support of Meals2Members



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Recently, Noblesville Elks Lodge #576 presented the Boys & Girls Club of Noblesville with a \$4,000 grant to support its Meals2Members programming. In 2014, Lodge #576 began providing funding for monthly meals to the members of BGCN. Originally established and led by Randy King and the late Steve McKee, the local lodge applies for an Elks National grant to support this effort. Today, the Elks volunteers are providing Club Kids with pizza the first Monday and third Thursday of every month. The Elks have been a committed supporter of the Club for decades with their mission for the children of our community. (Above) Elks Members with BGCN Club Kids during Meals2Members pizza night.

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Carmel establishes Sister City relationship with Seiffen, Germany

The REPORTER

The City of Carmel has established a new Sister City relationship with the city of Seiffen, Germany, a city that is often referred to as “Spielzeugstadt” or “toy town.” Carmel Mayor Jim Brainard visited and met with Seiffen Mayor Martin Wittig earlier this month to sign the official paperwork.

Seiffen is located in the heart of the Ore Mountains in Saxony near the Czech border. It is most famous for its woodworking industry. The town is the birthplace of many wooden toys and Christmas decorations such as nutcrackers, Schwibbogen (candle arches) and Räuchermän-

ner (incense smokers).

“Carmel and Seiffen have built lasting relationships since the inception of the Carmel Christkindmarkt, so it's a natural progression to become sister cities,” said Mayor Brainard. “Every year, the Market vendors shop from businesses in Seiffen and woodworkers from Seiffen visit the Market.”

Under the Sister City agreement, both cities plan to foster new and additional business, cultural and educational relationships between its citizens. Seiffen is Carmel's seventh Sister City relationship.

Click here to learn more about the City's other Sister City relationships.



Photo provided by City of Carmel
Mayor Martin Wittig of Seiffen, Saxony, Germany (left) and Carmel Mayor Jim Brainard.

Working to increase awareness & understanding of Alzheimer's disease

By DR. KIMBERLY ROOP & BETH KEYSER

Guest Columnists

The last few years have been exciting in terms of the research and treatment landscape for Alzheimer's disease. Encouraging new compounds are being developed and approved to slow the disease's progression. This is incredible, life-changing news, providing hope that just a few years ago, we could only imagine.

At the same time, this condition is affecting more people than ever – a true epidemic – and the number of those affected, those with the disease and their caregivers, will continue to increase.

November is National Alzheimer's Awareness Month. This month and throughout the year, while excited about research developments, we must continue to address the complexity of the condition today and keep the utmost attention on providing support to those with Alzheimer's disease and their caregivers.

Research and support for those affected by Alzheimer's disease is deeply personal to both of us, as caregivers for family members with Alzheimer's disease. It's heartbreaking to witness

how one's quality of life can deteriorate very quickly, and as a result, we clearly understand the importance of support for those affected. We were proud to participate in the Walk to End Alzheimer's and recently, Anthem Blue Cross and Blue Shield participated in a panel discussion titled, “Helping People with Alzheimer's and Their Families” at the Indiana Life Sciences BioCrossroads Summit.

One major issue addressed on the panel was the need for increased public awareness and understanding of the condition. Getting connected to the right programs, resources, and supports is the most important factor related to health outcomes for those living with Alzheimer's and their caregivers, to maximize quality of life and independence.

More than six million Americans are living with Alzheimer's disease. In Indiana alone, 110,000 people aged 65 and older are living with Alzheimer's and 11 percent of people aged 45 and older have subjective

cognitive decline. Nearly 217,000 Hoosier family caregivers share the burden of the disease.

There has never been a more important time or more feasible opportunity to step up and fight this disease. We are both very proud to work for Anthem Blue Cross and Blue Shield, as they have given us a platform to speak on important issues like Alzheimer's disease, while stepping up to help end the disease by forming teams and raising funds.

We invite all of you to join us. Every dollar raised benefits the care, support, and research efforts of the Alzheimer's Association in our community and beyond. Amazing progress is being made, and if we all come together, we can help find a cure for this devastating disease that is impacting far too many.

Dr. Kimberly Roop is Medicaid President of Anthem Blue Cross and Blue Shield in Indiana and Beth Keyser is Commercial President of Anthem Blue Cross and Blue Shield in Indiana.



Roop



Keyser

David Weekley Homes now selling in two communities in Fishers & Westfield

Submitted

David Weekley Homes, one of the largest privately-held national home builders, has opened two new communities in Hamilton County – The Lakes at Grantham in Fishers and Chatham Village – Classic Series in Westfield.

The Lakes at Grantham

Located in Fishers and priced from the mid-\$600,000s, The Lakes at Grantham is an exclusive David Weekley Homes community featuring 90-foot homesites. The community has seven floor plans to select from, ranging from 2,470 to 4,740 square-feet of living space with four to six bedrooms, three to five full baths, one half bath, three-car garages, and included basements.

Buyers in The Lakes at Grantham will soon enjoy the future amenity center with pool, indoor pickleball and basketball courts, and can enjoy the community's woods, creeks, and walking trails on the more than 42 acres of natural preserve.

Residents also have proximity to parks, a marina and outdoor entertainment at Ruoff Music Center, easy access to boating, fishing, and swimming at Geist Waterfront Park, convenience to Interstate 69, and nearby shopping, dining and entertainment at Hamilton Town Center and Marketplace at Saxony. Students within the community attend Hamilton Southeastern Schools.

The model home, The Fairbanks, is located at 15976 Forewood Lane in Fishers, and is open for tours



Photos provided

(TOP) David Weekley's new model, The Whitmore, in Chatham Village – Classic Series is open for tours. (ABOVE) The Fairbanks model home from David Weekley Homes is open for tours in The Lakes at Grantham.

from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday to Saturday and noon to 6 p.m. on Sunday.

Chatham Village Classic Series

Chatham Village – Classic Series is located in Westfield and priced from the high \$700,000s. Situated on 90-foot homesites, Weekley's four floor plans feature 2,500 to 5,670 square-feet of living space with three to six bedrooms, two to five full baths, one half bath, three-car garages, and unfinished basements.

Homeowners in Chatham Village – Classic Series

have access to the fully equipped fitness center, outdoor recreation park, playground, dog park, tennis and pickleball courts, the community center with a bowling alley and outdoor swimming pools, and miles of walking and jogging trails. Residents also have a free sport and social membership at the onsite golf club, The Club at Chatham Hills. Students within the community attend Westfield Washington Schools.

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Santa House returning to Courthouse Square Sunday

The REPORTER

A decades-old tradition continues with Santa returning to his house on the Noblesville Courthouse Square this Sunday, Nov. 26.

The free, donations-based Santa House will be open for visitors throughout December. The Hamilton County Historical Society is grateful to Smith Legal for helping Santa's elves get the house ready

for the busy holiday season.

The Historical Society, which runs the Santa House each year, is looking for sponsors and donations for candy canes (given to every visitor after their visit) and for the general Santa House fund to continue to keep the tradition alive on the courthouse square.

If you have questions or would like to donate, please reach out to Katie Murray at (317) 379-0096.

Santa House Schedule

- Sunday, Nov. 26: 2 to 6 p.m.
- Friday, Dec. 1: 5 to 9 p.m. (Noblesville First Friday)
- Saturday, Dec. 2: 2 to 5 p.m.
- Sunday, Dec. 3: noon to 3 p.m.
- Friday, Dec. 8: 5 to 8 p.m.
- Saturday, Dec. 9: noon to 5 p.m.
- Sunday, Dec. 10: noon to 3 p.m.
- Thursday, Dec. 14: 5 to 8 p.m.
- Friday, Dec. 15: 5 to 8 p.m.
- Saturday, Dec. 16: noon to 5 p.m.
- Sunday, Dec. 17: noon to 5 p.m.
- Thursday, Dec. 21: 5 to 8 p.m.
- Friday, Dec. 22: 5 to 8 p.m.
- Saturday, Dec. 23: noon to 5 p.m.
- Sunday, Dec. 24: noon to 5 p.m.

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HOMES

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The community's model home, The Whitmore, is located at 1419 Chatham Hills Blvd. in Westfield and is open for tours from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday to Saturday and

noon to 6 p.m. on Sunday. For more information about David Weekley Homes in Indianapolis, call (317) 644-0909 or visit DavidWeekleyHomes.com.

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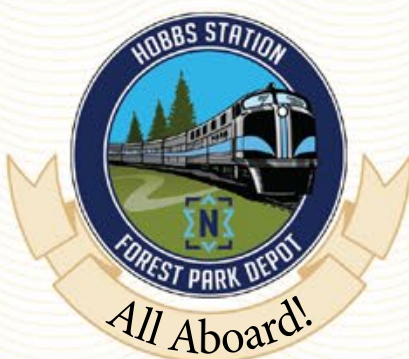
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Letter to the Editor

Prevail Executive Director issues 'Gratitude Challenge'

Dear Editor:

As I go about my daily routine, I often forget the reason why we do what we do. I am reminded to slow down and relish in the moment, appreciating those around me.

With this being the season of giving and gratitude, this is the time where I pause and take notice of everything happening around me. I remind myself of the importance of appreciating the people who not only support me, but inspire me.

I take an intentional moment and realize the overwhelming feeling of all the amazing staff, volunteers, do-

nors, and community partners who champion Prevail's mission. I am grateful to be surrounded by a passionate team of dedicated staff that make Prevail a better place.

Volunteers, donors, and community partners are always asking what they can do to support our wonderful organization. The simple answer: **Prevail needs your continued support!** Our need for assistance is greater than ever before because our resources are limited.

Giving Tuesday is a wonderful time of year to give back to Prevail. Your gift, no matter the size, helps

make a difference in the lives of those that we serve. Your dollars help fund support groups for children, teens and adults, as well as interpreter services, snacks for our clients, gas and grocery cards and so much more.

Please join me in participating in our Gratitude Challenge by donating to Prevail. In this time of giving thanks, I'd like to give a big THANKS to our generous donors for believing in Prevail. I am grateful to you all in helping us to meet those needs.

Tami Wanninger, MPA
Executive Director
Prevail, Inc.

Letter to the Editor

Reader calls for protection of Sheridan business in face of parking lot project

Dear Editor:

Parking! This always seems to be an issue for small towns. There are not always easy or inexpensive answers. But tying up a piece of property is not always the answer. You can turn pieces of land into sheets of asphalt, but does that generate property taxes? Don't property taxes increase the revenue of a town? Then there is the environmental/stormwater question.

Now let's address the **Sheridan town website and the values stated on the home page**: "... local values for education, shared vision and values for good work and the long history of businesses making progress in our town."

Does the plan to acquire a piece

of property owned by a business follow such values? It does not seem to. Is the property owned by Chef Karyn LLC the only parking option you have? These thoughts are being sent to you, the Town Council, and also to members of your RDC, EDC, and EAC. The RDC especially has an obligation and responsibility given to it by state law to generate tax revenue. This revenue is to be used to promote economic development. So what should be better from the RDC's perspective, promoting a business or a parking lot?

Now to the grant. The FHL Bank of Indianapolis, awarded Chef Karyn LLC an Elevate Small Business

Grant 2023. This is awarded to help small businesses throughout Indiana and Michigan. **From the grant website**: "We believe that strong small businesses generate more economic opportunities for everyone."

Does any board or commission for the Town of Sheridan plan on applying for any grants in the future? How will this lack of support for a grant winner come across? Would any organization want to award a grant to the Town?

This business should be protected, promoted, and celebrated by all!

Linda Monk
Former RDC member
Danville, Ind.

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200K pounds of poultry donated to Hoosiers in need this year

The REPORTER

On Monday, Gov. Eric Holcomb, Indiana State Department of Agriculture Director Don Lamb, and the **Indiana State Poultry Association** recognized the generosity of Indiana's poultry producers at the 76th annual Governor's Poultry Presentation at the Indiana Statehouse.

Over the past year, Indiana poultry farmers and businesses have donated 200,000 pounds of duck, turkey and chicken and 172,000 dozen eggs to Hoosiers in need.

In addition to the 200,000 pounds of poultry protein, Indiana farmers and businesses have donated \$340,000 to organizations fighting food insecurity.

"Hoosier generosity is second to none, and our poultry producers are always quick to assist their neighbors," Gov. Holcomb said. "It was an honor to be a part of this annual donation event and to recognize these outstanding businesses going above and beyond in their communities."

For decades, Indiana's poultry producers have been working to address food insecurity in their local communities by providing pro-



Photo provided by ISDA Communications

The 17-member board of the Indiana State Poultry Association with Gov. Eric Holcomb, ISDA Director Don Lamb, and ISPA President Becky Joniskan.

tein to food banks across the state. Some of the main products that were donated over the course of this year include eggs, chicken, duck, and turkey.

The strength of Indiana's poultry sector was also recognized during the ceremony as Indiana is one of the top poultry producing states in the country. According to the USDA National Agriculture Statistics Service, Indiana ranks No. 1 in duck production, No. 2 in egg production, No. 4 in turkey production and is home to high-quality broiler chicken production as well.

The poultry industry is a substantial economic driver for the state contributing more than \$15 billion in to-

tal economic activity. Additionally, this sector employs more than 12,500 Hoosiers.

Indiana State Poultry Association (ISPA) members continually give back to their local communities throughout the year. According to ISPA President Becky Joniskan, the large poultry donations come from farming families in small communities across Indiana that these producers call home.

"Indiana's poultry farmers show their care and concern for the communities within which they operate and to all Hoosiers through their generous donations," Joniskan said. "Whether through direct financial contributions or donations of

eggs, duck, turkey, or chicken products, they model the spirit of giving throughout the year, and especially at Thanksgiving."

The items on display Monday were donated to **Second Helpings**, a hunger relief agency in Indianapolis.

This ceremony marks an annual tradition that dates back to the late 1940s. Organized by ISPA, one of the oldest poultry organizations in the nation, it was designed to recognize the strength of Indiana's poultry industry, as well as the annual donations made by its members, who are responsible for more than 95 percent of the chicken, duck, turkey and eggs produced in Indiana.

OfficeWorks ready for 28th annual 'We Care' event

The REPORTER

Fishers-based OfficeWorks, a leading provider of workspace solutions, has announced its 28th annual We Care event, a heartwarming initiative in collaboration with MillerKnoll.

The event, scheduled for Dec. 7, will bring together Architect and Design (A&D) firms from central Indiana to spread holiday cheer to children at the Lilly Boys & Girls Club.

"We are excited to continue the tradition of our We Care event," OfficeWorks President Larry Martin said. "Collaborating with A&D firms and partners

like MillerKnoll allows us to bring the community together and create lasting memories for the children at the Boys & Girls Clubs."

This unique collaboration engages A&D firms in a meaningful way, as they take on the responsibility of planning a festive craft suitable for the children. Additionally, participating firms will recruit volunteers from their teams to staff the crafting tables, guiding and assisting the children in creating special holiday gifts for their loved ones.

The main event, taking place at the Lilly Boys & Girls Club, 801 S. State Ave.,

Indianapolis, will see OfficeWorks and other A&D firms creating a joyful atmosphere for the children. The kids will have the opportunity to move from table to table, completing various crafts, enjoying snacks, balloon art, face painting, and engaging in other exciting activities throughout the evening.

Traditionally, prior to the challenges presented by COVID-19, OfficeWorks would collaborate with a Boys & Girls Club, bringing gifts and craft bags for the children to enjoy on their own. This year, on Dec. 12, OfficeWorks will continue this tradition by delivering

carefully crafted gifts and craft bags to the Keenan-Stahl Boys & Girls Club, 1949 E. Troy Ave., Indianapolis. The items, created with care and dedication by the OfficeWorks team, will provide the children with a moment of joy during the holiday season.

OfficeWorks remains committed to fostering community connections and spreading joy, ensuring that children in the central Indiana community have a festive and memorable experience during the holiday season.

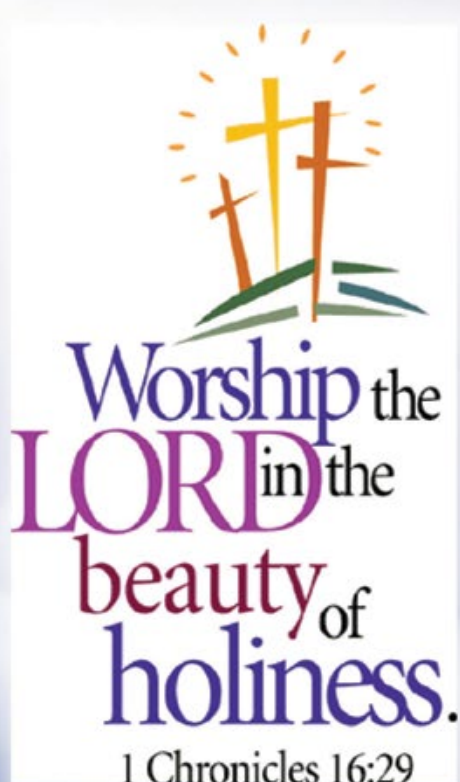
Learn more at OfficeWorks.net.

Thanksgiving & Christmas: powered by trees

Good Samaritan Network (GSN) of Hamilton County, Inc. held its 10th annual Festival of Trees celebration last Friday evening at the Renaissance Indianapolis North Hotel in Carmel. The event raises funds so GSN can continue to help unserved, at-risk, and underserved Hamilton County families with critical programming for shelter, holiday, and food assistance. Last year's Holiday Assistance Program served over 46,000 people with (1) Thanksgiving Distribution of food boxes, (2) Thanksgiving Day Meals (drive-thru and delivery), (3) Christmas Distribution of food boxes and holiday toys, and (4) delivery of 791 holiday meals for shut-ins on Christmas Eve. Learn more about how you can help GSN throughout the year at gsnlive.org. (Photos provided)



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Raju Chinthala kicks off Congressional campaign

Submitted by Raju for Congress

Last Friday at a kickoff event, Raju Chinthala's congressional campaign saw an overwhelming response with more than 300 enthusiastic supporters filling the room to capacity. The diverse program, marked by prominent speakers and a compelling speech by Chinthala, set an inspiring tone for his bid for the U.S. Congress.

The event commenced with Suzie Jaworowski, an energy policy expert and former Chief of Staff at the U.S. Department of Energy's Office of Nuclear Energy in the Trump administration, leading the Pledge of Allegiance.

Following this, Jerry Zehr, the Carmel Christian Church Pastor and 2023 Interfaith Ambassador of the Year Award winner, delivered a heartfelt prayer.

Bharat Patel, the Co-Founder, Chairman, and CEO of Sun Development and Management Company, took the stage to address the guests. Patel, who oversees 32 hotels, including the Embassy Suites Hotel in Noblesville, urged supporters to contribute to Chinthala's campaign.

The endorsement from Gregory A. Ballard, the 48th Mayor of Indianapolis and a retired Lieutenant Colonel from the United States Marine Corps, added significant weight to Chinthala's candidacy. Ballard highlighted Chinthala's achievements in building cultural and economic ties between Indiana and India, resulting

in the creation of thousands of jobs in the Hoosier State. Former State Senator Jim Meritt introduced Chinthala to the crowd, emphasizing his qualifications as a successful businessman and community leader. Chinthala, a two-time recipient of the Sagamore of the Wabash Award and the 2022 Presidential Lifetime Achievement Award recipient, shared his journey and the impact of his grandmother's wisdom on his family's success.

In his speech, Chinthala expressed his commitment to the Republican Party and outlined his extensive public service, including roles as a Precinct Committeeman and Treasurer of the Hamilton County Republican Party. He reiterated his principles of upholding the U.S. Constitution, serving the people, and advocating for smaller, more efficient government.

Chinthala outlined key policy priorities, emphasizing a strong military, robust economic development, and a focus on solving the illegal immigration issue. He energized the crowd with a rallying cry to "Defend Constitutional rights, Protect the American Dream, Support Small Businesses, Advocate for Veterans, and Safeguard the Next Generation."

The campaign's slogan, "I AM RAJU, and I am FOR YOU," resonated strongly with the audience. Chinthala urged a collective effort to stop stealing from future generations, emphasizing the responsibility of the present to safeguard the



Photos provided Fifth District Congressional candidate Raju Chinthala enjoys the support of many movers and shakers at the local, state, and federal level, including energy policy expert Suzie Jaworowski, Carmel Christian Church Pastor Jerry Zehr, Sun Development Management Chairman & CEO Bharat Patel, former Indianapolis Mayor Greg Ballard, former State Senator Jim Meritt. Hamilton County Republican Party Chairman Mario Massillmani was also present at Chinthala's campaign kickoff.

needs and interests of both present and future citizens. As Chinthala embarks

on his congressional journey, the kickoff event's success signals a promising

start to his campaign, fueled by a diverse and dedicated group of supporters.

Learn more about the candidate at RajuForCongress.com.

Sen. Braun calls on NLRB to reconsider joint employer rule

The REPORTER

Last Friday, U.S. Senators Mike Braun (R-Ind.), Tim Scott (R-S.C.), Marco Rubio (R-Fla.), and Pete Ricketts (R-Neb.) sent a letter to the National Labor Relations Board sharing significant concerns with the 2023 Joint Employer Rule and its effect on older Americans.

The Senators say this rule would not only increase liability for all businesses that contract with other entities, but also make senior living arrangements particularly vulnerable as they often rely on contracts with outside service providers.

Read the full letter below.

Dear Chairman McFerran:

As the Ranking Member of the Special Committee on Aging, I write to share significant concerns with a final rule's effects on older Americans. The National Labor Relations Board's (NLRB or "Board") October 27, 2023 final rule, "Joint Employer Status Under the National Labor Relations Act," will likely inflict harm over large sections of the economy, and it will have a particularly negative impact on senior living arrangements, critical services on which older Americans rely for basic needs and daily support.

Long-term care organizations frequently depend on stable contracts with a broad set of partners for effective operations. These contracts cover vital residential supports, from nutrition services and maintenance to staffing arrangements. The Board's switch to considering employers jointly responsible for employees even when they only have indirect input into management will disrupt long-term care organizations' stable relationships and longstanding practices that have provided many older adults with high levels of support and satisfaction.

Under the rule, long-term care organizations would face expanded liability for their contracts with other service providers and the accompanying high regulatory costs would introduce considerable uncertainty for the aging community. They would also have to navigate onerous new collective bargaining standards that

threaten their viability and introduce risks to everyday operations. In fact, aging services stakeholders have repeatedly commented on escalating risks and challenges presented by the rule, and there is little evidence that the Board has specifically accounted for the threat the rule poses to older Americans.

By contrast, stakeholders have noted that the Board's 2020 Joint Employer rule offered much-needed clarity and flexibility for service provision, including fair standards for workplace policies that must intrinsically focus on the individual needs and interests of older Americans. Losing these beneficial workplace dynamics could cause wider damage for the industry, with long-term care organizations, their partners, and other stakeholders forced to reassess commonsense assumptions about the best path to providing services.

Policymakers often overlook the unique needs of older Americans when examining the implications of a given change, and the Board's rule is an unfortunate signal that vulnerable groups will continue to be excluded from appropriate consideration. At an August 2023 Aging Committee field hearing in Indianapolis, Indiana, I heard testimony from a franchise community employer deeply troubled by the rule's consequences for his operations and for the older adults who directly benefit from them as employees. The rule has not taken account of this population of older workers and now appears set on dodging serious questions about senior living.

Older Americans have grappled in recent years with a pandemic, a volatile economy, and ever-changing workplace technology. They



Braun

should not have to fear significant interference to their daily lives, in jobs or housing, on top of other ongoing challenges. I urge the Board to reconsider the impact of its rule, reengage with aging services stakeholders, and return to the 2020 rule's fairness and flexibility.

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State Senator Walker: General Assembly kicks off 2024 session

The REPORTER

State Sen. Kyle Walker (R-Lawrence) gathered with fellow legislators Tuesday at the Statehouse for Organization Day, the ceremonial start of the Indiana General Assembly.

Organization Day marks the annual first roll call of all state lawmakers. This day also provides members of the Senate and House of

Representatives with the opportunity to meet before session officially reconvenes in January. By state law, the 2024 session will conclude on or before March 14.

“Last session, we passed a number of meaningful bills I authored



Walker

to improve public safety, bolster our local economy and more,” Walker said. “This session I hope to continue work in these areas to make Indiana an even better place to live, work, visit and raise a family.”

As the 2024 session gets underway, Walker encourag-

es residents of Senate District 31 to contact him with any questions or comments they may have. Walker can be reached via email at Senator.Kyle.Walker@iga.in.gov or by phone at (800) 382-9467.

State Sen. Kyle Walker (R-Lawrence) represents Senate District 31, which includes portions of Hamilton and Marion counties.

Operation Santa letter adoption now underway

The REPORTER

Are you interested in sending children and families some holiday magic this season? You can now adopt a letter written to Santa by going to USPSOperationSanta.com. In response to customer requests, this is the first time the U.S. Postal Service has opened the program before Black Friday.

USPS Operation Santa turns 111 years old this year. The program relies solely on random acts of kindness and the generosity of strangers. It allows people to help children and families have a magical holiday when they otherwise might not – safely and securely. USPS Operation Santa is not a guaranteed gift-giving program.

Since Sept. 18, the Postal Service has received letters from across the country and has been delivering them to Santa’s U.S. workshop at 123 Elf Road, North Pole 88888. Letters sent with First-Class Mail postage and complete, accurate and legible return addresses have been opened, reviewed, and posted on USPSOperationSanta.com. People can now read and adopt letters.

Instructions for letter adopters

- Visit USPSOperationSanta.com, register, and have your identity verified.
- If potential adopters are unable to complete their ID verification online, they will be provided with a code and given instructions on how to complete verification in person at a local Post Office.
- Once verified, the adopter will receive a welcome email with detailed information on how to participate in the program.

• Potential adopters can read letters and choose one or more to fulfill. Once a letter is chosen, adopters must follow the directions they were sent in their welcome email to ship gifts.

• Packages must be shipped via Priority Mail service, but gifts do not need to be in Priority Mail-branded boxes.

• Letter adopters are responsible for postage fees to ship the gift packages.

Tips for reducing shipping costs

Postage to ship packages is based on size, weight, and distance. Here are some tips to lower costs:

- Use Priority Mail Flat Rate boxes, free at your local Post Office. Take a box with you when shopping and only purchase items that can fit in the box.
- Adopt a letter from your state or a nearby state.
- Pay careful attention to the dimensions of the gift – especially the size and weight. Shipping heavy, oversized packages can be expensive.
- Consider a gift card instead of purchasing larger, heavier items. Gift cards need to be sent in a Priority Mail envelope, 4-by-6 inches or larger, to accommodate the shipping label.

• **Accept no imitations**
There is only one USPS Operation Santa program, sanctioned by the U.S. Postal Service. Fulfilling wishes through the official Postal Service program is voluntary, and any organization asking for money to adopt letters is in violation of the laws under which the Postal Service operates and is not condoned by or affiliated with the Postal Service.

AG Todd Rokita selects James Barta as Indiana’s second-ever Solicitor General

Submitted by

AG Rokita’s Press Office

Indiana Attorney General Todd Rokita has selected constitutional stalwart James Barta from a national pool of top-notch attorneys as Indiana’s new Solicitor General. The veteran attorney who litigated cases before the U.S. Supreme Court and argued in front of the Indiana Supreme Court, federal courts of appeals, and both federal and state courts will now work alongside the attorney general as the chief defenders of Indiana law.

Barta is only the second Solicitor General to serve the state of Indiana, a role which oversees litigation involving constitutional challenges and other issues of vital interest to the state government. He graduated magna cum laude from Georgetown University Law Center in Washington, D.C., where he later taught constitutional theory. He graduated summa cum laude from Patrick Henry College, one of the

top Christian conservative schools in the country.

Barta has litigated a wide variety of cases before the U.S. Supreme Court, lower federal courts, and state courts. In a 2021 case before the country’s highest court, Barta helped lead litigation on *United States v. Arthrex Inc.* – a check on presidential appointment power.

“After a national search, we selected a Hoosier with top credentials and national experience to fill this important role. I know James Barta is the right choice for Indiana,” AG Rokita said. “James is not only brilliant, he is tenacious and excited to represent Hoosiers in this new role before the highest courts of the land.”

Barta clerked for the



Barta



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Honorable Stephen J. Murphy, III, of the U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of Michigan, and the Honorable Raymond M. Kethledge of the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Sixth Circuit before joining one of the nation’s top litigation boutique firms in Washington, D.C.

In 2017 through *Ziglar v. Abbasi*, Barta secured dismissal of a Bivens claim against prison officials who confined foreign nationals detained during 9/11 terrorism investigations. Also in 2017, he successfully challenged federal rules adopted to govern the nation’s largest wholesale capacity market in *NRG Power Mktg. LLC v. FERC*. Barta in 2018 went on to successfully overturn a ruling which subjected coal

ash to overreaching portions of the Clean Water Act as part of *Sierra Club v. Virginia Electric & Power Co.*

“I am incredibly grateful and humbled by this opportunity to serve my state and my fellow Hoosiers,” Solicitor General Barta said. “Ever since first studying our nation’s history and ideals, I have desired to advance the rule of law, preserve our system of government, and defend Americans’ liberties. It is a privilege to serve those causes in this new role.”

Barta returned to Indiana in 2022 to serve as Indiana’s Deputy Solicitor General and played a leading role in defending the constitutionality of Indiana’s laws regarding sanctuary cities, in protecting Indiana’s statutory scheme on absentee voting, and in defending its requirement for sex offenders to register with the state.

Barta has been consistently praised for his creativity, excellent advocacy, and dedication to the preservation of ordered liberty.

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Sarah Jane McSwain

December 1, 1947 – November 15, 2023



Sarah Jane McSwain, 75, Sheridan, passed away peacefully on Wednesday evening, November 15, 2023, at her daughter's home, surrounded by her loving family and caregivers. Born on December 1, 1947, in Sparta, Tenn., she was the daughter of the late William D. and Lou Edna (Kinnard) Qualls.

She was a 1966 graduate of Belmont High School in Dayton, Ohio. After high school, Sarah earned her LPN certification and began a career path dedicated to helping those in need. She spent her early years at St. Elizabeth Hospital and Good Samaritan (now Miami Valley) Hospital in Dayton before making the transition to Centeon Bio Services. She served as the company's lead phlebotomist for 20 years, retiring in 2004.

Sarah enjoyed fishing and camping and had a deep appreciation for music. She was also VERY loyal to her teams of choice. She would always root for Tennessee; however, Ohio quickly earned a place in her heart. She soon became a part of the Bengals "Who Dey" Nation, as well as a one of the proud Buckeye faithful of The Ohio State University.

Sarah's most important team of choice was her family. She was the family "party" person and was always at the ready for a family reunion or get-together. Many of these would happen at the old schoolhouse, which Sarah would rent out every year for the special occasion. While everyone enjoyed catching up with family, Sarah's food was the real star of the show. In addition to being the party planner, she was the family grill master. She always enjoyed sitting down to a good meal and loved treating people to the same experience. There is a long (and delicious) history of good food and wonderful cooks in her family tree. Those mountain women knew how to cook, and Sarah was no exception.

She is survived by her three sons, Anthony McSwain (Melissa) of Indianapolis, Charles McSwain (Michelle) of Dayton, Ohio, and Edward McSwain of Indianapolis; daughter, Deborah Louise Crist (Kenneth) of Sheridan; nine grandchildren, Sean McSwain, Kyle McSwain, Michael McSwain, Ashley Doherty, Sarah McSwain, Jasmin McSwain, Jordan McSwain, Jessica McSwain, and Anthony McSwain, Jr.; three great-grandchildren; brother, Terry Qualls of Bellbrook, Ohio; three nephews, Ryan Qualls, Benjamin Qualls, and Jonathan Qualls; and niece, Rachel Qualls.

She was preceded in death by her parents, William D. and Lou Edna (Kinnard) Qualls; brother, Larry Qualls; and three grandchildren.

Services will be held at 7 p.m. on Monday, November 20, 2023, at Kercheval Funeral Home, 306 E. 10th St., Sheridan, with visitation from 5 p.m. until the time of service. Chaplain Wayne Grumbling will be officiating.

Condolences: kerchevalfuneralhome.com

TODAY'S BIBLE READING

ISAAC AND ABIMELEK

Meanwhile, Abimelek had come to him from Gerar, with Ahuzzath his personal adviser and Phicol the commander of his forces. Isaac asked them, "Why have you come to me, since you were hostile to me and sent me away?"

They answered, "We saw clearly that the Lord was with you; so we said, 'There ought to be a sworn agreement between us'—between us and you. Let us make a treaty with you that you will do us no harm, just as we did not harm you but always treated you well and sent you away peacefully. And now you are blessed by the Lord."

Genesis 26:26-29 (NIV)

Joanne Robertson Stark

March 19, 1936 – November 15, 2023

Joanne Robertson Stark, 87, Cicero, passed away on November 15, 2023, after a short illness.

She was born on March 19, 1936, to Dan and Dollie Robertson in St. Louis, Mo. Early in her life she used to love to play sports and was an accomplished pianist. After graduating from Brentwood High School in 1954, she began dating Harold (Bud) Stark, Jr. and was married to him in November 1956. She and Bud were married 67 years.

For their first few years of marriage, Joanne worked to help support the two of them and put Bud through college. In 1959, they welcomed their first daughter, Debby, and then Scott in 1962, Kathy in 1964, and in 1969 welcomed Steve into their family. Once their children were old enough, Joanne started working for Avon and was a Regional Manager in Kokomo for 10 years. The main reason for working at Avon was to be able to take her whole family on Ambassador Vacation trips. After the children grew up, they added grandchildren, Lyndsay (Aaron) Link, Erin (Chad) Hunt, Casy (Ryan) Flatley, KC Foster, Megan (Brandon) Foutz, Michael (Katie) Stark, and Brittany Stark, as well as great-grandchildren Gracie, Claire, Vaughn, Ava, Breah, Owen, and Remy.

She couldn't do enough for her family. Once a month she would have a birthday party for that month's worth of birthdays. She loved cooking and planning birthdays and holidays.

Joanne was preceded in death by her husband, Bud; both her parents; her sister, Susie Robertson; brother-in-law, Joe (Shorty) Stark; and son-in-law, Dave Arens. She is survived by Debby Stark, Scott (Kaye) Stark, Kathy Arens, Steve (Bambi) Stark, her sister-in-law, Barbie Stark, as well as Barbie's children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren.

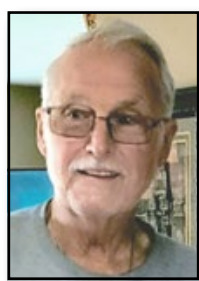
Joanne and Bud were members of Noblesville First Presbyterian Church, 1207 Conner St., Noblesville. Services will be held on Tuesday, November 28, 2023, with visitation from 10 a.m. to noon and funeral service at noon. Refreshments and further gathering time available after service.

In lieu of flowers, please consider a contribution to the church.

Funeral arrangements are entrusted to Hartley Funeral Home Cicero Chapel, 209 W. Jackson St., Cicero, IN 46034. You may send condolences at hartleyfuneralhomes.com.

Charles Cleveland "Chuck" Moore, Jr.

June 25, 1950 – November 15, 2023



Charles Cleveland "Chuck" Moore, Jr., 73, Tipton, passed away on Wednesday morning, November 15, 2023, at Riverview Hospital in Noblesville. Born June 25, 1950, in Indianapolis, he was the son of the late Charles Cleveland Moore, Sr. and Ema Jean (Morris) Moore. He was a graduate of Arsenal Technical High School in Indianapolis.

Chuck worked in sales, and later management, for most of his life. He honed his skills at various hardware and auto parts stores before hiring on with Lowe's. He was a valuable part of their lawn and garden department, both in sales and service, for 16 years.

He attended Fall Creek Nazarene. He especially enjoyed his years as their church bus driver, and he treasured the friendships he made along the way.

Chuck occasionally managed to carve out some time for himself. He loved getting lost in the great outdoors. Camping, along with a little hunting and fishing, was always at the top of the list. Throw in some canoeing and kayaking and it was heaven on earth. Chuck tried (unsuccessfully) for years to convert his wife into an outdoor enthusiast; he was bound and determined she was going to have fun during their outdoor exploits.

Chuck also loved to travel, often hitting the open road on his Honda with the Beach Boys and the Eagles blasting. Other times, a hike in the woods fit the bill. He had fond memories of the time he spent on the Appalachian Trail. Sadly, skydiving is one of Chuck's bucket list items that never became a reality. Chuck lived life on his terms, which might very well be the reason he was such a huge Bob Knight (not to mention IU basketball) fan.

Though Chuck had many interests, none came ahead of his family (and that included his four-legged family members as well). He loved being a family man, especially when it came to his grandchildren. No matter what was going on in his life, there was always time for Chuck to show those he loved most in this world how to lose the shirt off your back during a family poker game.

Chuck is survived by his loving wife, Bonnie D. (Heinzman) Harvey-Moore. Bonnie and Chuck have been by each other's side for 10 years. They decided to make it official and were married on November 5, 2023. He is also survived by his son, Timothy Moore (Christy) of Bethpage, Tenn.; stepson, Steve Harvey (Heather) of Kokomo; two daughters, Amy Corlette of Indianapolis and Sabrina Moore of Lafayette; seven grandchildren, Mike Moore (Sammi), Josh Moore, Nick Tillman (Lindsay), Brandy Tillman, Hayley Young (Cy), Morgan Corlette, and Madison Roberts (Conner); step-grandchildren, Christian Harvey and Cassidy Anthony (Nick); great-grandchildren, Mason Moore, Kinsley Moore, Brady Crook, Maelee Crook, Jackson Tillman, Leilani Corlette, and one great-granddaughter on the way; step-great-grandchild, Dean Harvey; brothers, Darrell "Marty," Fred, Marvin, and Bobby; sisters, Sissy and Francis; and by his canine BFF, Emily.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Charles Cleveland Moore, Sr. and Ema Jean (Morris) Moore; sister, Marcella; stepdaughter, Lalainya Harvey; and his dogs, Sadie, and Boomer.

Services will be held at 7 p.m. on Wednesday, November 22, 2023, at Kercheval Funeral Home, 306 E. 10th St., Sheridan, with visitation from 4 p.m. until the time of service. Reverend V.J. Stover will be officiating.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be presented to the American Cancer Society.

Condolences: kerchevalfuneralhome.com

Meeting Notices

The Atlanta Plan Commission will meet at 5 p.m. on Monday, Nov. 27, 2023, at Atlanta Town Hall, 105 E. Main St., Atlanta.

The Carmel Clay Schools Board of Trustees will meet at 8 a.m. on Monday, Nov. 27, 2023, at the Carmel Clay Schools Educational Services Center, 5201 E. Main St., Carmel.

The Hamilton County Solid Waste Management District Board will meet at noon on Monday, Nov. 27, 2023, in the Commissioners' Courtroom at the Hamilton County Government & Judicial Center, 1 Hamilton County Square, Noblesville.

The Jackson Township Board will meet to discuss general township business at 8:30 a.m. on Thursday, Dec. 14, 2023, at the Trustee's Office, 506 W. Main St., Arcadia.

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NOTICE OF HEARING

The Hamilton East Public Library Board of Trustees will meet to discuss the search for a new director on Monday, November 27, 2023 at 4:00 p.m. in the Center Meeting Room at the Fishers Library, located at 5 Municipal Dr., Fishers, IN 46034. *11/22/23, 11/27/23*

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Girls Basketball

'Hounds bounce back to beat Millers

By **RICHIE HALL**
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CARMEL – The Carmel girls basketball team came back from a double-digit deficit on Tuesday against one of its biggest rivals.

The Greyhounds trailed Noblesville by 10 in the third quarter, but roared back to take a one-point lead by the end of the period. Carmel then held on in the fourth quarter to score a 54-50 win over the Class 4A No. 6 Millers at the Eric Clark Activity Center.

It was the first time the 'Hounds had beaten Noblesville since Nov. 26, 2019.

"It was just a really good win," said Greyhounds senior Mallory Bourquein. "At the four-minute mark (of the fourth quarter) we had to start slowing the game down because we were up. And it just felt really good to get this win because ever since I've been at Carmel we haven't beat Noblesville."

"We're starting to have a little bit of success," said Carmel coach Rick Risinger. "We're not quite there yet, but they're starting to believe that they can play basketball and win games." Risinger said the Greyhounds "all played together great as a team, ball movement, the offenses and defenses, they were supporting each other."

The Millers led 17-13 after one quarter, with Mer-

dith Tippner and C.C. Quigley both scoring six points. Noblesville enjoyed a 29-26 halftime advantage, with Ava Shoemaker adding five points. Mackenzie Woods scored five for the 'Hounds.

The Millers opened the second half with a 7-0 run to lead 36-26; Tippner scored four points of that run. That's when Carmel's Megan Hamm made her move. The senior, a soccer star for the Greyhounds, put together an eight-point burst that quickly got Carmel within 36-34. Hamm made a 3-pointer, was good on a traditional three-point play, and finished with a layin.

"Megan is a warrior," said Risinger. "She's a soccer player, she's going to college on a soccer scholarship. She didn't play basketball last year. She just knows how to compete. And a little bit of the soccer came out with her aggressiveness. It worked out. She's a bulldog out there. And she just enjoys it and that's what we asked her to do."

Ava Carter also stepped up, hitting two 3-pointers during the final three minutes of the quarter. Her second triple put Carmel ahead 41-40 at the break.

A Woods 3 gave Carmel a 44-42 lead early in the fourth, then Tippner made back-to-back baskets to get Noblesville ahead 46-44. The Greyhounds then went on a 7-0 spurt and never



(Left) Noblesville's Meredith Tippner scored 20 points for the Millers. (Right) Carmel's Mallory Bourquein was one of three Greyhounds in double figures Tuesday in the Greyhounds' win over Noblesville.

Reporter photos by Richie Hall

trailed again. Jamie Elliott began the run with a 3, then Carmel took care of business from the line, making 7 of 8 free throws.

"I think just before the game, we thought that we could win," said Hamm. "But now actually seeing it, we actually believe that we can beat the top teams in the state."

Woods led the 'Hounds with 12 points, followed by Hamm with 11 and Bourquein with 10. Carter made three 3s for nine points. Bourquein also had seven rebounds and six assists.

Tippner reached double-double status with 20 points and 14 rebounds, also making four steals. Shoemaker scored 15 points, including three 3s. Kate Rollins dished out five assists.

"We missed some opportunities and they did a good job on defense of taking away Reagan," said Millers coach Donna Buckley. "I just didn't do a very good job getting Reagan opportunities to get touches, to get her in the flow. We didn't do a good job of getting back and they did a great job in transition."

Carmel is 4-2 and plays at 4A No. 1 Hamilton Southeastern on Friday afternoon. Noblesville is also 4-2 and plays Bolingbrook (Ill.) Saturday afternoon at the Sneakers for Santa event at Brownsburg.

CARMEL 54, NOBLESVILLE 50

Noblesville	FG	FT	TP	PF
Ava Shoemaker	6-16	0-0	15	4
Reagan Wilson	2-12	1-2	5	2
Meredith Tippner	10-18	0-0	20	3
Kate Rollins	1-6	0-4	2	5
C.C. Quigley	4-8	0-0	8	2
Brookelyn Grayson	0-1	0-0	0	1
Ally Hutchinson	0-1	0-0	0	0
Totals	23-62	1-6	50	17

Noblesville 3-point shooting (3-21) Shoemaker 3-11, Wilson 0-6, Tippner 0-2, Rollins 0-2. Noblesville rebounds (35) Tippner 14, Quigley 6, Wilson 5, Rollins 4, Shoemaker 2, Hutchinson 1, team 3.

Carmel	FG	FT	TP	PF
Izzy Shepherd	0-6	1-2	1	0
Mackenzie Woods	3-5	4-4	12	1
Lauren Perry	0-3	0-0	0	1
Taryn Fisher	1-4	0-0	2	1
Mallory Bourquein	4-6	2-2	10	4
Keaton Gatlin	1-3	1-2	4	0
Jamie Elliott	2-3	0-0	5	0
Megan Hamm	4-4	2-3	11	2
Ava Carter	3-3	0-0	9	0
Totals	18-37	10-13	54	9

Carmel 3-point shooting (8-19) Carter 3-3, Woods 2-3, Gatlin 1-3, Elliott 1-2, Hamm 1-1, Shepherd 0-3, Perry 0-3, Bourquein 0-1. Carmel rebounds (27) Bourquein 7, Woods 4, Fisher 3, Shepherd 2, Elliott 2, Carter 2, Gatlin 1, Perry 1, Hamm 1, team 4.

Score by Quarters				
Noblesville	17	12	11	10-50
Carmel	13	13	15	13-54

Boys Basketball

Fishers takes down last year's champions

The REPORTER

The Fishers boys basketball team took down last year's Class 4A state champions on the road to begin its season Tuesday.

The Tigers defeated Ben Davis 74-61. Fishers put together a tremendous defensive effort in the first quarter, leading the Giants 17-8. Senior Keenan Garner, one of the key returners for the team, scored six points in that period.

"We played with a ton of energy and effort," said Fishers coach Garrett Winegar. "That was our focus night one. The first quarter, our defense was really solid, held them in check."

In the second quarter, the Tigers poured in 23 points for a 40-24 halftime

lead. Garner added another six points. Senior Taden Metzger, another returner, and Cooper Zachary, who starts as a freshman, both made two 3-pointers in the first half, one in each quarter.

"After Keenan got us going, we knocked down some outside shots," said Winegar.

Fishers extended its lead to 57-37 after three periods. Ben Davis cut into that lead during the fourth quarter, but the Tigers stayed comfortably in front.

Three players reached double figures: Garner scored 21, Metzger had 13 and freshman Jason Gardner came off the bench to also score 13. Zachary and JonAnthony Hall both added

FISHERS 74, BEN DAVIS 61				
Fishers	FG	FT	TP	PF
Taden Metzger	4	2-2	13	0
Millen McCartney	2	0-0	5	3
Cooper Zachary	3	0-0	9	2
JonAnthony Hall	4	1-2	9	3
Keenan Garner	8	5-7	21	5
Jason Gardner	4	5-6	13	0
Justin Kirby	0	0-2	0	1
Parker Perdue	0	0-0	0	0
Nathan Baker	2	0-0	4	4
Logan Sigler	0	0-0	0	0
Totals	27	13-19	74	18

nine points.

"That's going to be our strength this year," said Winegar. "Our depth and our balance. We can be a team that's hard to prepare for, because we have nine

or 10 guys that can hurt you." The coach said the team's goal is to be unselfish and focus on who gets the best shot.

Fishers plays Saturday afternoon at La Porte.

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SPORTS SCHEDULE

Wednesday, Nov. 22
BOYS BASKETBALL
Hamilton Southeastern at Brebeuf Jesuit, 7:30 p.m.
Noblesville at Hamilton Heights, 7:30 p.m.
Park Tudor at Guerin Catholic, 7:30 p.m.

Friday, Nov. 24
GIRLS BASKETBALL
Carmel at Hamilton Southeastern, 1:30 p.m.

Saturday, Nov. 25
BOYS BASKETBALL
Fishers at La Porte, 1:30 p.m.
Franklin Community at Noblesville, 1:30 p.m.
Guerrin Catholic at Cardinal Ritter, 7:30 p.m.
Pike at Hamilton Southeastern, 7:30 p.m.
Westfield at Kokomo, 7:30 p.m.

GIRLS BASKETBALL
Noblesville vs. Bolingbrook (Ill.), 4:45 p.m. at Brownsburg
Guerrin Catholic at Cardinal Ritter, 5:30 p.m.
Fishers at Fort Wayne Snider, 7:30 p.m.
Hamilton Southeastern vs. Columbia City, 6:30 p.m. at Brownsburg

SWIMMING/DIVING
Westfield and Brownsburg at Fishers, noon

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Girls Basketball

University girls win first home game, boys team falls to Bethesda Christian

The REPORTER

It was an Opening Night doubleheader at The U Center Tuesday in front of a capacity crowd. The University girls played their first home game of the season while the Trailblazer boys played their first game. The twist for Opening Night? The teams played different schools.

Both squads got off to hot starts in their games taking early leads. The girls came away with a 54-42 win over Brebeuf Jesuit, while the boys could not maintain their start and lost 52-40 to Bethesda Christian.

The girls scored the first eight points of the game. Hannah Grubbs, who finished with a team-high 16 points, opened the scoring before Anyah Jordan-Turley added a basket on a nifty spin more down the lane. Mack Feeney added a basket and Grubbs scored on a rebound. University built their advantage to 17-4 at the end of the opening quarter on four consecutive assisted baskets.

The teams traded baskets early in the second quarter and University led 19-6 with six minutes left in the half. Brebeuf began climbing back in the game, holding University to a Keira Bright layin off a steal for the rest of the half. The Trailblazer lead at halftime was 22-18.

Bright nailed a three pointer to open the second half, but Brebeuf rattled off seven consecutive points to tie the game at 25 on a pair of Audra Kendall free throws.

University responded to retake control of the game by scoring the next eight points and ending the third stanza on a 16-4 run. Bright put the Blazers ahead for good with a three-pointer from the left corner off a Norvell pass. Jordan-Turley

made a lay-in before Norvell took a pass from Feeney and made a three ball from the right corner for a 33-25 lead.

Grubbs scored eight points in the last 52 seconds of the quarter, including two old fashioned three-point plays for a 41-29 lead after three.

After Brebeuf pulled within five, Charlotte Conyers hit a huge corner three pointer with 2:35 left for a 46-38 lead. Pate scored four points to cut the lead to 46-42 with 1:36 left. Conyers quickly answered with a basket with 1:30 left and University made four of six foul shots to close it out.

Bright finished with 10 points while Jordan-Turley and Conyers each had nine. Feeney dominated the paint, pulling down a game-high 15 rebounds and blocking five shots. Grubbs had eight rebounds.

University improves to 2-2 on the season while Brebeuf lost for just the second time in five games.

The boys had the fast start they wanted, jumping out to a 9-2 lead by making the first three three-point shots they attempted. Bryce Gray opened the scoring with a triple up top before Max McComb hit from the left corner. Gray made a steal and came down for another three-pointer from the top of the key for a 9-2 lead at the 5:47 mark.

McComb's foul shot with 4:01 left put University up 10-3 but the Blazers would score just seven points over the next 18 minutes of game action. University led 12-9 at the quarter.

The second period was a defensive slugfest. The Patriots scored the first four points to take their first lead at 13-12. Zion Bland put University back in front at 14-13 with 5:17 left on a pair of free throws.

GIRLS GAME				
UNIVERSITY 54, BREBEUF JESUIT 42				
University	FG	FT	TP	PF
Hannah Grubbs	7-9	2-2	16	5
Keira Bright	3-8	2-2	10	3
Leah Norvell	2-7	0-0	6	1
Anyah Jordan-Turley	4-12	1-2	9	2
Mack Feeney	2-5	0-0	4	2
Charlotte Conyers	2-7	4-6	9	4
Meg Rohloff	0-0	0-0	0	0
Totals	20-48	9-12	54	17
Score by Quarters				
Brebeuf Jesuit	4	14	11	13-42
University	17	5	19	13-54
University 3-point shooting (5-12) Bright 2-4, Norvell 2-4, Conyers 1-3, Jordan-Turley 0-1.				
University rebounds (34) Feeney 15, Grubbs 8, Norvell 4, Bright 3, Conyers 3, Jordan-Turley 1.				

BOYS GAME				
BETHESDA CHRISTIAN 52, UNIVERSITY 40				
University	FG	FT	TP	PF
Bryce Gray	5-12	1-1	14	2
Zien Bland	1-3	3-4	5	2
Max McComb	2-9	3-6	8	2
Robert Russell	3-9	1-1	7	4
Cooper Cammack	1-2	2-4	4	2
Jackson Bledsoe	1-3	0-0	2	2
Blake Gray	0-2	0-0	0	2
Montgomery Holland	0-0	0-0	0	1
Totals	13-40	10-16	40	17
Score by Quarters				
Bethesda Christian	9	11	14	18-52
University	12	4	8	16-40
University 3-point shooting (4-21) Br. Gray 3-7, McComb 1-7, Russell 0-3, Bledsoe 0-2, Bl. Gray 0-2.				
University rebounds (18) Cammack 5, Br. Gray 3, Bland 3, Bl. Gray 2, McComb 2, Holland 2, Russell 1.				

Cooper Jackson put Bethesda Christian in front for good with five minutes left in the half, setting off a 6-0 run for the Patriots. The visitors led 20-16 at the half.

University could manage only a single foul shot by Bland in the first six minutes of the second half as Bethesda Christian built a 29-17 lead. A pair of and one plays by Gray and Robert Russell gave the Trailblazers hope as the lead was cut to 29-23 with 54 seconds left in the period.

Bethesda Christian pushed its advantage back to 34-24 after three quarters. The Patriots never trailed by less than nine the rest of the

way and made 10 of 14 free throws in the quarter to seal the victory.

Bethesda coach Jon Grubaums, a 2013 University graduate, secured the win in his first game against his alma mater.

Gray led University with 14 points. Cooper Cammack had five rebounds for University while Gray had three steals.

The University girls return to action Nov. 30 at The U Center, hosting Anderson Prep in the Pioneer Academic Athletic Conference North opener at 6:30 p.m. The boys will open PAAC North play Dec. 1 at home against Seton Catholic.

Huskies win dual wrestling meet over Lapel

The REPORTER

The Hamilton Heights boys wrestling team won a dual meet 54-6 over Lapel on Monday.

The Huskies are back in action Dec. 2 at the Howard County Super Six.

Westfield's boys placed second at the Capital City Classic last Saturday at Beech Grove.

The Shamrocks scored 181 team points; Perry Me-

ridian won the team championship by scoring 249.5 points. Three Westfield wrestlers won their weight classes, starting with Porter Temples at 120 pounds. Alic Washburn won at 126 pounds, while Eli Turner was the champion at 157 pounds.

Full results now follow:
106: Keegan Carson, 3rd place
113: Abe O'Neill, 4th place
120: Porter Temples, 1st place
126: Alic Washburn, 1st place

132: Chase Camire, 5th place
138: Jake Saez, 3rd place
144: Gavin Humburg, 5th place
150: Graydon Staley, 5th place
157: Eli Turner, 1st place
165: Hunter Lancaster, 3rd place
175: Hunter Jones, 4th place
190: Pierce Glodowski, 6th place
215: Forfeited
285: Aiden Padgett, 6th place

Noblesville placed eighth at the Ben Davis

Girls Wrestling Invitational last Saturday.

The Millers had three place winners, including one champion. Kyra Tomlinson finished 7-1 at 130 pounds, winning the championship match with a second-period fall.

Evangeline Howard placed second at 140 pounds, while Brooke Butler placed fourth at 140. Jordan Stevens won three matches at 120 pounds.

Westfield girls swimmers start season with win

The REPORTER

The Westfield girls swimming and diving team opened its season by winning the annual Kristen Rice Invitational last Saturday at the Shamrocks' Aquatic Center.

Westfield won 10 of the 12 events, including a sweep of all three relays. Seven different swimmers won individual events.

Complete results appear below.

Team scores: Westfield 637, Yorktown 468, Jay County 400, Roncalli 290.

200 medley relay (names not available): 1. Westfield "A"

1:58.03, 3. Westfield "B" 2:05.33, 4. Westfield "C" 2:14.20, 8. Westfield "E" 2:34.35.

200 freestyle: 1. Kate Cassidy 2:03.41, 2. Gracie Alley 2:04.48, 9. Ava DeCraene 2:31.61.

200 individual medley: 1. Maggie Alley 2:19.63, 2. Alex Irvin 2:21.29, 3. Ellie Hill 2:22.77, 5. Alina Reuter 2:36.53, 7. Dani Montgomery 2:47.99.

50 freestyle: 1. Anna McKeown 27.06, 3. Macy Brown 27.52, 6. Maggie Naas 29.12, 9. Eliana Colon 31.77.

One-meter diving (scores not available): 2. Alexis Ball, 3. Gabriele Lippert.

100 butterfly: 2. Nora Sperry 1:03.79, 3. M. Alley 1:04.66, 5. Brown 1:06.23, 6. Reuter 1:11.05, 7. Ellana Morse 1:14.28.

100 freestyle: 1. Marie Rocca 1:00.39, 3. McKeown 1:03.73.

500 freestyle: 1. G. Alley 5:29.70, 2. Greta Smith 5:51.21, 3. Bella McNally 6:00.58, 7. Naas 6:35.70.

200 freestyle relay: 1. Westfield (Kiarra Thomas, Reuter, Brown, M. Alley) 1:47.84, 2. Westfield "B" (McKeown, Rocca, Naas, G. Alley) 1:51.01, 6. Westfield "C" (Charlotte Willhite, Morse, Ava Brandau, Izzy Reece) 2:06.77, 7. Westfield "E"

(Ella Bozarth, Jenna McConaha, Georja Cherf, Colon) 2:11.69, 9. Westfield "D" (DeCraene, Hailley Noirot, Eliana Wilcox, Ada Clevinger) 2:18.71.

100 backstroke: 1. Hill 1:05.35, 5. McNally 1:14.22, 9. Morse 1:20.42.

100 breaststroke: 1. Irvin 1:13.59, 2. Sperry 1:15.41, 4. Rocca 1:20.45, 8. Willhite 1:26.50.

400 freestyle relay: 1. Westfield "A" (Sperry, G. Alley, Kate Cassidy, Irvin) 3:59.90, 4. Westfield "C" (Morse, Naas, Brianna Howard, Willhite) 4:40.87, 8. Westfield "D" (Montgomery, Reece, Clevinger, Wilcox) 5:05.08.

IBCA girls basketball poll – Week of Nov. 19

Rank	School	Points	Record
1	Hamilton Southeastern (17)	397	5-0
2	Bedford North Lawrence (2)	347	6-0
3	Lawrence Central (1)	344	4-0
4	Center Grove	329	6-0
5	Columbia City	309	5-0
6	Noblesville	293	4-1
7	Fort Wayne Snider	238	6-1
8	Zionsville	230	5-1
9	South Bend Washington	226	5-1
10	Homestead	207	3-1
11	Lawrence North	196	2-1
12	Lake Central	172	4-1
13	Plainfield	160	5-0
14	Indian Creek	101	4-1
15	Jennings County	90	5-1
16	Northridge	86	5-1
17	Brownsburg	75	4-2
T18	Fishers	53	4-2
T18	Franklin Community	53	5-2
T18	Twin Lakes	53	5-1

First place votes are in parentheses.

Other schools receiving votes, with records

Borden (7-0), Carroll (4-0), Caston (6-0), Evansville Memorial (2-0), Fort Wayne Northrop (3-1), Franklin Central (2-3), Gibson Southern (3-1), Hamilton Heights (5-1), Lanesville (6-0), Merrillville (2-2), Mooresville (5-2), North Knox (7-0), Norwell (4-2), Orleans (5-0), Rensselaer Central (8-0), Roncalli (4-1), Silver Creek (4-1), South Knox (5-0), Valparaiso (3-2), Warsaw (3-2), Western (6-0), Westfield (4-1).

IBCA boys basketball poll – Week of Nov. 19

Rank	School	Points	Record
1	Ben Davis (16)	426	0-0
2	Kokomo (1)	405	0-0
3	Lawrence North (4)	351	0-0
4	Indianapolis Attucks (1)	283	0-0
5	Brownsburg	256	0-0
6	Fort Wayne Wayne	235	0-0
7	Center Grove	229	0-0
8	Noblesville	206	0-0
9	Indianapolis Cathedral	199	0-0
10	Fishers	190	0-0
11	Brownstown Central	183	0-0
T12	Jeffersonville	154	0-0
T12	Westfield	154	0-0
14	Chesterton	150	0-0
15	Carmel	143	0-0
16	Guerin Catholic	115	0-0
17	Fort Wayne Blackhawk Christian	101	0-0
18	Scottsburg	93	0-0
19	Mt. Vernon (Fortville)	87	0-0
20	NorthWood	86	0-0

First place votes are in parentheses.

Other schools receiving votes, with records

Anderson, Avon, Bloomington North, Bloomington South, Brebeuf Jesuit, Carroll (Fort Wayne), Delta, Evansville Bosse, Evansville F. J. Reitz, Evansville Memorial, Fort Wayne North Side, Franklin Community, Greenfield-Central, Hamilton Southeastern, Hammond Central, Heritage Hills, Indianapolis Lutheran, LaVie, Lawrence Central, Leo, Linton-Stockton, Marion, Mishawaka Marian, Munster, North Central (Indianapolis), North Posey, Northridge, Norwell, Orleans, Park Tudor, Penn, Peru, Pike, Plainfield, Portage, Providence, Richmond, South Bend Riley, South Bend St. Joseph, South Bend Washington, Terre Haute North Vigo, Tindley, Tipton, Wapahani, Warren Central, Warsaw Community, West Noble, Westview, Zionsville, 21st Century Charter School - Gary





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Girls Basketball

Busy Tuesday for Hamilton County teams

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Hamilton Southeastern kept its season perfect Tuesday with a 69-57 Hoosier Crossroads Conference win at Brownsburg.

The Class 4A No. 1 Royals led 19-17 after the first quarter, then pulled ahead in the second by outscoring the Bulldogs 20-11 for a 39-28 halftime lead. Southeastern then stayed firmly ahead of Brownsburg for the second half.

Maya Makalusky had another tremendous game, scoring 35 points, a total that included four 3-pointers. Kayla Stidham added 13 points. Makalusky and Kennedy Holman both collected eight rebounds. Holman dished out eight assists, while Stidham made six steals and Makalusky had four.

The Royals are 2-0 in HCC play and 6-0 overall, and host Carmel Friday afternoon.

Westfield ran its win streak to three on Tuesday with a 49-42 victory over Pike at CSI Gymnasium.

The Red Devils led 12-10 after one quarter, but the Shamrocks came back to lead 24-21 at halftime.

Reagan Lorenzen poured in seven points in the second period, giving her 10 for the half. Pike moved ahead 33-32 at the end of three, but Westfield outscored the Red Devils 17-9 in the fourth quarter. Ellie Kelleher went 7 of 8 from the free-throw line in that last period.

Kelleher finished with 21 points, while Lorenzen scored 17.

The Shamrocks are 5-1 and are off until Dec. 2 when they host Warsaw.

Sheridan blasted past Western Boone 72-32 Tuesday at Larry Hobbs Gymnasium.

The Blackhawks outscored the Stars in all four quarters, leading 25-8 after one period and 39-17 at halftime. Sheridan ran away with the game in the fourth quarter, outscoring WeBo



Photo by Dwight Casler

Sheridan's Nova Cross scored 22 points for the Blackhawks in their Tuesday win over Western Boone.

21-6. Four Blackhawks reached double figures, led by Nova Cross with 22 points. Shelby Eaton added 16. Kenzie Garner came close to a triple-double with 14 points, 12 assists and nine rebounds; she also had seven steals. Cecilia Timme added 10 points and seven steals, with Eaton making six steals.

Sheridan is 3-2 and plays next Tuesday at Frankfort.

Fishers won a hard-fought HCC game 46-38 at Zionsville Tuesday.

The Tigers led 13-11 after one quarter, then 18-15 at halftime. Allison Scheu scored seven points in the first half, while Talia Harris had six points. Fishers continued to grind out the game in the second half, scoring 13 in the

SHERIDAN 72, ELWOOD 32				
Sheridan	FG	FT	TP	PF
Cecelia Timme	4	2-2	10	2
Kenzie Garner	6	2-2	14	2
Shelby Eaton	6	3-3	16	2
Nova Cross	10	0-0	22	2
Brielle Garner	3	0-0	6	0
Sadie Timme	0	0-0	0	3
Mac Smith	1	0-0	2	2
Makenzy Terry	1	0-0	2	0
Kennedy Zachary	0	0-0	0	0
Totals	31	7-7	72	13
Score by Quarters				
Western Boone	8	9	9	6 - 32
Sheridan	25	14	12	21 - 72
Sheridan 3-pointers (3) Cross 2, Eaton.				
Sheridan rebounds (30) K. Garner 9, Cross 5, Terry 4, C. Timme 4, Eaton 3, S. Timme 2, Smith 2, B. Garner 1.				

fourth quarter to clinch the win.

Scheu and Harris both finished with 13 points.

The Tigers are 1-1 in the conference and 5-2 overall, and play Saturday at Fort Wayne Snider.

Guerin Catholic dropped a 56-23 game to Lapel Tuesday at the Eagles Nest.

Gianna Morelli led the Golden Eagles with nine points.

Guerin Catholic is 1-5 and plays Saturday at Cardinal Ritter.

HAMILTON SOUTHEASTERN 69, BROWNSBURG 57				
Southeastern	FG	FT	TP	PF
Maya Makalusky	11-24	9-10	35	3
Kayla Stidham	5-11	2-2	13	4
Addison Van Hoesen	3-7	0-0	8	1
Kennedy Holman	3-13	0-0	6	4
Zoe Lawless	2-5	0-0	4	0
Antonette Green	1-2	0-0	3	1
Kayla Brinley	0-0	0-2	0	0
Kenley Johnson	0-0	0-0	0	0
Totals	25-62	11-14	69	13
Score by Quarters				
Southeastern	19	20	13	17 - 69
Brownsburg	17	11	12	17 - 57
Southeastern 3-point shooting (8-23) Makalusky 4-10, Van Hoesen 2-4, Stidham 1-4, Green 1-2, Holman 0-2, Lawless 0-1.				
Southeastern rebounds (30) Makalusky 8, Holman 8, Van Hoesen 4, Lawless 4, Johnson 3, Stidham 1, Green 1, Brinley 1.				

WESTFIELD 49, PIKE 42				
Westfield	FG	FT	TP	PF
Ellie Kelleher	5	8-9	21	3
Aubrey Crockett	0	1-2	1	3
Kiki Loveless	0	0-2	0	2
Reagan Lorenzen	7	0-0	17	1
Lindsey Van Dyke	2	1-2	5	0
MaKayla Hatcher	1	1-4	3	1
Sam Price	1	0-0	2	1
Totals	16	11-19	49	11
Score by Quarters				
Pike	12	9	12	9 - 42
Westfield	10	14	8	17 - 49
Westfield 3-pointers (5) Lorenzen 3, Kelleher 2.				

FISHERS 46, ZIONSVILLE 38				
Fishers	FG	FT	TP	PF
Joordyn Smith	1	0-0	3	1
Talia Harris	4	5-8	13	0
Kate Thomas	0	0-0	0	0
Nevaeh Dickman	3	2-3	8	3
Allison Scheu	4	4-4	13	1
Morgan Roberts	3	1-2	9	2
Olivia Brookshire	0	0-0	0	0
Alanna Anthony	0	0-0	0	0
Totals	15	12-17	46	7
Score by Quarters				
Fishers	13	5	15	13 - 46
Zionsville	11	4	14	9 - 38
Fishers 3-pointers (4) Roberts 2, Smith 1, Scheu 1.				

LAPEL 56, GUERIN CATHOLIC 23				
Guerin Catholic	FG	FT	TP	PF
Annie Murphy	1	0-0	2	1
Gianna Morelli	4	1-1	9	2
Reagan Haines	2	0-0	4	3
Ava Bills	1	2-2	4	2
Lillian Behrle	0	1-2	1	2
Eme Cardinal	0	0-0	0	2
Kori Dues	0	0-0	0	0
Lucy Collins	0	0-0	0	0
Caroline Ford	1	1-2	3	0
Dana Dues	0	0-0	0	0
Madi Cain	0	0-0	0	0
Totals	9	5-7	23	12
Score by Quarters				
Lapel	16	11	14	15 - 56
Guerin Catholic	2	8	6	7 - 23

Two more Noblesville athletes sign to college teams



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ABOVE LEFT: Noblesville's Claire Cullen has committed to play softball at Taylor University. (Front row, from left) Shadd Cullen (father), Claire Cullen, and Jennifer Cullen (mother). (Back row, from left) Jen Thompson (Noblesville Softball Assistant Coach), Tim Back (Travel Coach), Noah Cullen (brother), and Deke Bullard (Noblesville Softball Head Coach). **ABOVE RIGHT:** Noblesville's Delaney Martin has committed to play soccer at Saginaw Valley State University. (Front row, from left) Kathleen Martin (mother), Delaney Martin, and Tim Martin (father). (Back row, from left) Kristin Hetzel (Noblesville Girls Soccer Assistant Coach), Jake Hart (Noblesville Soccer Goalkeepers Coach), and Abby Martin (sister).

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