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TODAY'S WEATHER

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Westfield rocks the arts

If you plant it, they will come

By AMY ADAMS
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Westfield Washington Schools hosted its annual Rock the Arts K-12 Student Art Show on Saturday, April 20, at Westfield High School.

Westfield High School (WHS) art teacher Lindsay Frey said every school participated, contributing elements to the exhibit, and the crowd was steady from noon to 3 p.m.

The art on display included 2-D and 3-D pieces in a wide array of media, as well as edible creations from WHS culinary art students in the form of cheese and dessert trays.

In addition to painting, Frey teaches Advanced Placement 2-D Art and Design. Her students displayed artwork created throughout the course.

"I had a lot of fun with it," senior Basil Swartz said. "I do entirely digital art."

Swartz plans to attend Ball State University to become a digital art teacher.

Kiley Hurst teaches Intro-



(ABOVE LEFT) Seventh-grader Kayleigh Terrell sculpted a giraffe in Lara VanMatre's class at Westfield Middle School. (ABOVE RIGHT) WHS Senior Basil Swartz displayed digital artwork from throughout the school year.

duction to 3-D Art at WHS, which amounts to around 100 students in four different classes.

"3-D is my personal medium, so I love being able to share something that I'm passionate

about," Hurst said. "I love to see kids start to think about art in a different way."

Hurst said she chose work for the exhibit in which students followed the guidelines but were able to create unique pieces.

Natalie Messmore has taught art at WHS for her entire career. In her 19th year, she teaches AP 3-D Studio Art along with ceramics and sculpture classes.

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Do you want your home garden to attract pollinators? Fuzzy bumblebees? Gorgeous butterflies? Of course you do! The best way to do this is by planting native plants.

Native plants and pollinators have developed over eons to create a mutually beneficial relationship. If you're looking to create a welcoming environment for our fluttering friends, you won't get many visitors with non-native plants.

For instance: do you want to attract monarch butterflies to your home landscape? Easy – plant some brilliant orange butterfly weed (*Asclepias tuberosa*). It will look great in any suburban garden bed. Monarchs only lay their eggs on milkweed leaves, and monarch caterpillars exclusively eat milkweed. Other native milkweed species to consider include swamp milkweed, purple milkweed, and common milkweed. If you plant milkweed, you'll get monarchs. And, by the way, they need your help!

If you're looking for some other ways to establish native plants in your landscape, but aren't sure where to start, here are some attractive, no-nonsense plants to try. They are adapted to the local climate and soil conditions, requiring less maintenance than non-natives.

One native flower we see all the time in central Indiana is purple coneflower (*Echinacea purpurea*). It thrives in full sun and well-drained soil. Once established, purple coneflower is drought tolerant and requires minimal watering. It blooms from mid-summer to late summer, providing a long season of bright purple color in your garden. The daisy-like flowers with prominent central cones add a touch of prairie charm to any landscape. Purple coneflower will attract bees, butterflies and even an occasional hummingbird.

Black-eyed Susan (*Rudbeckia hirta*) is another classic wildflower that thrives in Hamilton County home gardens. Here's why it should be a top contender for your planting list. Black-eyed Susan is a cheerful, daisy-like wildflower, featuring bright



CURTIS HONEYCUTT
Wild by Design

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Love of cross country team inspires Eagle Scout project for Heights

The REPORTER

When Will Monnin moved to the Hamilton Heights School district in 2019, he didn't know anyone.

Monnin, a member of Boy Scout Troop #183, soon found friends and a place to belong when he joined the Hamilton Heights Cross Country team in the fifth grade. Since then, his love of the sport and for his teammates has only grown.

When he was thinking about starting his Eagle Scout project, Monnin knew exactly what he wanted to do – help improve Hamilton Heights' 3.1-mile Cross Country course.

"My Eagle Scout project plan includes adding more directional and distance signage, a course map, and an enclosed

case for the team roster, records, and pictures," he explained.

Heights' Cross Country program involves some 65 boys and girls in grades 5 through 12. This project will benefit the district and current and future cross country team members. To make this happen, Monnin has created a website and has embarked on a marketing campaign to help raise interest and support in the form of donations, in-kind service, and money to purchase materials for the project. To learn more about this project and how you can help go to monnineagleproject.com.

Monnin's goal is to raise at least \$3,000 and complete the project before the start of the 2024-25 season.



Will Monnin, a Hamilton Heights eighth grader, has set his sights on a project to improve the Hamilton Heights Cross Country course to earn his rank as an Eagle Scout. #RunWithTheDawgs

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Celebrate Cinco de Mayo with tequila tasting aboard Nickel Plate Express

The REPORTER

Experience Cinco de Mayo in a unique way this year with a one-of-a-kind train ride on Saturday, May 4. Passengers ages 21 and over are invited to board the historic train cars for an afternoon filled with tequila tasting, snacks, and quintessential views of northern Hamilton County.

During the 90-minute ride, passengers will enjoy sampling tequila from Don Pilar. Enjoy both an educational and entertaining ride as you learn about the nuances of Blanco, Reposado, and Anejo tequila varieties as you sample each distinct flavor profile.

Snacks for the ride will be provided by local catering company Cloud 9. Enjoy a Cinco de Mayo-themed snack box with chips, queso, and salsa. In addition to the tequila tasting, a variety of margaritas and beer will be available for purchase onboard the train.

"This Cinco de Mayo celebration offers a unique opportunity for our guests to relax and enjoy a special afternoon aboard the Nickel Plate Express while learning more about the types of tequila," Nickel Plate Heritage Railroad Executive Director Emily Reynolds said. "We're thrilled to partner with Don Pilar and Cloud 9 to create an unforgettable experience for our passengers."

Two departure times are available for this one-day-only ride: 3 p.m. and 5:30 p.m. on May 4. Due to the limited availability of tickets, advanced purchase is required. To secure your spot and for more information, please visit NickelPlateExpress.org.

About Nickel Plate Express

Founded in 2017 by the non-profit organization Nickel Plate Heritage Railroad, the Nickel Plate Express operates historic trains from Hobbs Station at Forest Park Depot in Nobles-



Photo provided by Nickel Plate Express

ville with excursions through Cicero, Arcadia, and Atlanta on 12.5 miles of track owned by the

Hoosier Heritage Port Authority. For more information, visit NickelPlateExpress.org.

Fishers invites youth to explore local government through citizen academies

The REPORTER

Fishers' youth are invited to explore the inner workings of local government and careers with several upcoming opportunities, including: Mayor's Youth Academy, the Fishers Police Department Teen Academy, and the Fishers Health Department Teen Public Health Academy. Registration is currently open for all programs and participation is free.

"Investing in the education and engagement of our youth is essential for cultivating the next generation of community leaders," Mayor Scott Fadness said. "The City of Fishers is proud to offer these unique academies as a gateway for young people to gain hands-on experience in careers in government operations and public service. Through these programs, students have the opportunity to understand and contribute to the city they call home."

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ARTS

"In AP Studio, I get to have the students for the whole year," Messmore said. "The goal in the AP curriculum is that students have a question they want to answer, and their art answers it."

One of Messmore's students, senior Eli Marti, showcased a ceramic creation entitled "Anatomy of Self." Rather than designing a portfolio of individual works, Marti spent the year on one 14-piece human form.

"My question is how do outside forces impact my identity," Marti said. "Every single part has meaning. It covers a lot of deeply personal topics."

Marti worked one to two hours each day on the project, and each limb took approximately a month to complete.

"They have just blossomed and embraced challenges and, obviously, had



Reporter photo by Amy Adams
WHS Senior Eli Marti, left, created a 14-piece human form in ceramics in the AP 3-D Art and Design class taught by Natalie Messmore, right.

a vision for what this could be," Messmore said. "I love just stepping back and

watching how they problem solved."

Marti plans to study psy-

chiatry and go into the medical profession but will continue to invest time into art.

ACADEMIES

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Mayor's Youth Academy

The free Mayor's Youth Academy program invites local high school students to work alongside Mayor Fadness and other city leaders to address important issues facing the community. Students will take behind-the-scenes tours, discuss thought-provoking policy questions, and explore career opportunities within the public sector.

In coordination with local schools, students meet monthly on Wednesdays from 9 a.m. until 2 p.m. at various locations around Fishers. Mayor's Youth Academy participants will conclude the program by presenting to Fishers City Council in spring 2025.

Registration for the 2024-2025 Mayor's Youth Academy is open through Friday, June 28. Applicants must be a Fishers resident and a junior or senior in high school with a minimum grade-point average of 3.0. Students with a passion for public service are encouraged to apply. Register at [FishersIN.gov/MYA](https://fishersIN.gov/MYA).

Fishers Health Department Teen Public Health Academy

This one-week health academy provides an interactive experience for high school students to explore a variety of public health disciplines while learning how the Fishers Health Department works to protect and promote the health and well-being of residents.

Students will work with department leadership, public health nurses, environmental health inspectors, communicable disease investigators, public health clinical staff, City of Fishers

officials, and community partners to learn the science of public health and engage in interactive public health protection activities including retail food inspections, water sampling, vector (pest) control, and more.

The 2024 Teen Public Health Academy takes place from 8:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Monday, July 15 through Saturday, July 20. Registration is open through May 31. Applicants must be a Fishers resident and an incoming freshman through senior in high school. Register at [this link](#).

Fishers Police Dept. Teen Academy

The Fishers Police Department Teen Academy provides law enforcement-type training for teens to better understand how law enforcement works and strengthen the relationship between Fishers Police Department officers and the community.

The program provides an overview of roles and responsibilities of officers, as well as insight into specialized units and skills, including the K-9 Unit, the Fishers Dive Team, Crime Scene Investigation and Patrol.

The four-day program will take place from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Monday, July 8 through Friday, July 12 at Sand Creek Intermediate School. Applications are open through Thursday, May 17 for students entering seventh through 12th grades attending Fishers-based schools. Students must also pass a background check. Register at [this link](#).

To learn more and to apply for programs, visit [FishersIN.gov/CitizenAcademies](https://fishersIN.gov/CitizenAcademies).

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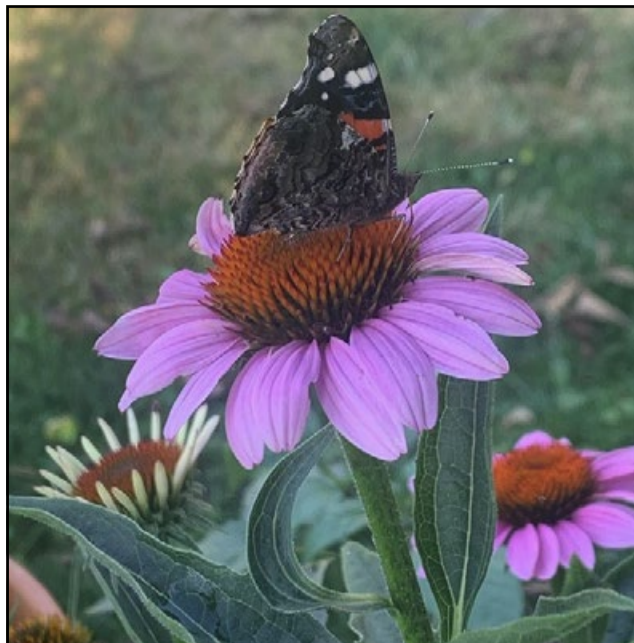
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PLANT IT

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Excellent native plant options include the common milkweed (above), the purple coneflower (right), and the Black-eyed Susan (below).

yellow petals with a dark brown center to create a vibrant display throughout the summer and into fall. This easy-going wildflower readily self-seeds, potentially expanding your floral display without much effort on your part. Its abundant nectar and pollen provide a valuable food source for pollinators, supporting the local ecosystem while adding beauty to your garden.

Dense blazing star (*Liatris spicata*) adds a unique and striking element to any home garden. Despite its striking appearance, dense blazing star is a low-maintenance plant. It prefers full sun and well-drained soil, tolerating drought well once established. Dense blazing star grows in a tall, slender form with vibrant purple flowers that bloom in spikes along the stalk. The star of the show – the flowers – bloom from mid to late summer, offering a long season of interest in your garden. Dense blazing star's vertical element adds a distinctive touch to borders and beds, helping to break up horizontal lines. Its flowers are a magnet for butterflies, bees, and other pollinators, creating a buzz of activity in your garden.

Those are just a few "classic" full-sun native plants that will not only look great, but thrive, in your home garden. These flowers will attract butterflies and beneficial bees to your yard. However, if you spray your yard and beds with pesticides or hire a mosquito fogging service to blan-

ket your outdoor areas with chemicals, nearly all insect life will die out. If we want to encourage winged visitors, we simply can't spray harmful chemicals. There's really no way to sugarcoat that message.

The primary question I get is: where can I buy these plants? Since I am still unfamiliar with our area nurseries, I won't comment on them other than saying if you are seeking out native plants from local nurseries, try your best to select straight-species natives as opposed to a hybrids. Hybrids will generally have a flashy name in quotes after the species name (e.g., *Echinacea* 'Pixie Meadowbrite'). In general, as straight native species have codeveloped with native insects, they do the best job of giving native insects the exact food they need.

Finding native plants at a big box store like Lowe's

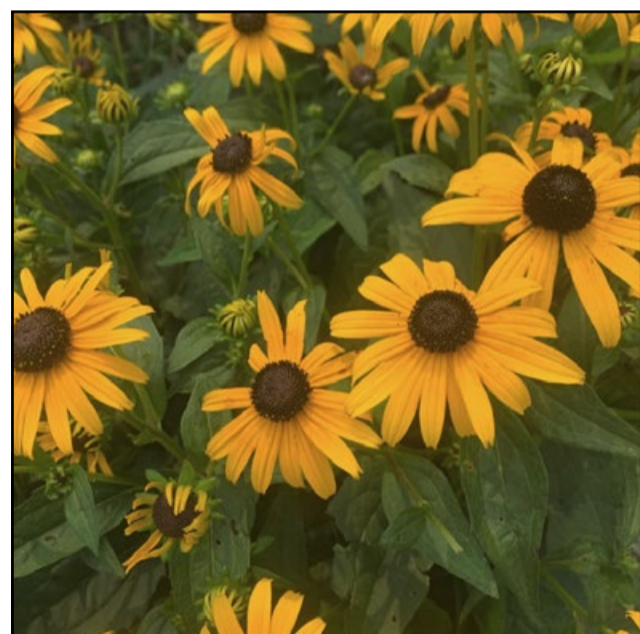
or Home Depot is like finding a needle in a haystack; when/if you do, there's a high probability the plant has been sprayed with harmful chemicals. Pesticides are designed to kill insects, and this includes both harmful pests and beneficial pollinators like bees, butterflies, and hummingbirds.

I encourage you to visit **Native Plants Unlimited** at Geist Nursery in Fishers. Its spring sale starts on Friday, May 10. You'll find scores of native plant species, including the ones I mentioned above, along with an incredibly helpful, knowledgeable staff. Buy multiples of each flower (three to five) and plant them in a mass to create a spectacular, natural summer firework display.

If you plant native plants, beneficial pollinators will come. Together, we can

create a vibrant world for these essential creatures, right in our own backyards.

Curtis Honeycutt is a Noblesville-based columnist and author. Send him your questions, comments and suggestions at curtis@curtishoneycutt.com.



Springmill Trails Spring Garage Sale

Clean out the garage, basement, and under the kids beds, because it's time for the **Spring Garage Sale!** Water's Edge, Spring Orchard, William Trace, and Shelton Cove's annual Spring Garage Sale is **Saturday, April 27th 9:00am to 3:00pm** (or whenever you're done selling your stuff)

ATTENTION VOTERS!

Following the Sports Section, you can read candidate bios submitted to The Reporter. You'll also find a list of all candidates as well as where you can vote early & on Election Day.

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Westfield High School Marching Band invited to perform in 500 Festival Parade

The REPORTER

The 500 Festival has selected 12 marching bands from across Indiana, as well as three from other states, to perform in the 68th annual AES 500 Festival Parade on Saturday, May 25, in downtown Indianapolis.

Westfield Marching Band from Hamilton County has been invited to perform again and help celebrate this year's theme, "Iconic Moments in Indy."

On the day before the Indianapolis 500, these 15

nationally recognized bands will march the streets of downtown Indianapolis for one of the nation's largest parades, the AES 500 Festival Parade. The selected marching bands will perform for more than 200,000 spectators lining the two-mile parade route. An additional one million TV viewers from around the country will tune in to the AES 500 Festival Parade's Indianapolis market broadcast on WTHR, Channel 13 and national broadcast on Peacock.

Hoosiers bands to perform in the 2024 AES 500 Festival Parade include:

- Westfield Marching Band, Westfield High School
- Pendleton Heights Marching Band, Pendleton Heights High School
- Western Marching Panthers, Western High School (Russiaville)
- Mater Dei Marching Wildcats, Mater Dei High School (Evansville)
- Purdue All-American Marching Band, Purdue University (West Lafayette)

Indianapolis Public Schools All City Marching Band

• Indiana All-Star Marching Band, National Band Association (Indianapolis)

• 38th Infantry Division Band, Indiana National Guard (Indianapolis)

• Speedway 500 Regiment, Speedway High School

• Sound of Brownsburg Marching Band, Brownsburg High School

• Spirit of Muncie Marching Band, Muncie Central High School

• Golden Pride Marching Band, Washington Community Schools

"We're thrilled for these

talented musicians to join us at the AES 500 Festival Parade" 500 Festival President & CEO Bob Bryant said. "Their energy will be an amazing addition to the spirit of the best weekend in Indiana!"

One of the 500 Festival's original events, the AES 500 Festival Parade is one of the nation's largest, most respected parades, consistently earning national acclaim alongside the Pasadena Tournament of Roses Parade and the Macy's Thanksgiving Day Parade. More than 200,000 people will line the streets of downtown Indianapolis to experience the magic, fanfare, and excite-

ment of the AES 500 Festival Parade. An iconic race-weekend tradition, the Parade will feature spectacular floats, larger-than-life helium balloons, marching bands from across the country, celebrities and everyday heroes, and the 33 drivers who will compete in the 108th Running of the Indianapolis 500, presented by Gainbridge.

The 2024 AES 500 Festival Parade will take place on Saturday, May 25, with festivities starting at 11:45 a.m. in downtown Indianapolis, and the Parade starting at noon.

AES 500 Festival Parade tickets can be purchased at 500festival.com/tickets.

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Indy 500 Princess speaks to Noblesville Lions Club



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On Wednesday, the Noblesville Lions Club welcomed Elizabeth Baker, Indy 500 Princess 2024. She is an IU Medical School student, and she explained the 500 Festival Volunteer Program to the club. There are many areas and events needing volunteers for helping or participating. You can learn more at 500Festival.com/Volunteer. (ABOVE) Lions Club VP Jeff Kozicki presents a Certificate of Appreciation to Elizabeth Baker.

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Carmel renews three-year sponsorship agreement with Allied Solutions

The REPORTER

The City of Carmel announced on Thursday the renewal of a corporate partnership with Allied Solutions, a financial services company headquartered in Midtown Plaza. A three-year sponsorship agreement, with a nearly \$500,000 investment, will support the delivery of more than a dozen of the city's annual events.

"The City of Carmel is our home, and we are pleased to enhance our partnership with the city to support this vibrant community for employees, residents and visitors," Allied Solutions CEO Pete Hilger said. "The city's events from the Ice at Carter Green to Brews on the Boulevard bring the community together and encourage visitors to experience all the city has to offer."

Among the events to be included under this sponsorship agreement: Meet Me on Main, The Arts in Autumn, Movies at Midtown, Brews on the Boulevard, Holidays in Carmel, Magnificent Monon, Shop Small Saturday, Holiday Trolley, Santa Saturdays, The Ice at Carter Green, Festival of Ice, Sensory Skate Nights, and other potential events to come.

"Carmel's corporate citizens play a critical role in creating and maintaining the



Photo provided
Allied Solutions CEO Pete Hilger and Carmel Mayor Sue Finkam.

highest quality of life for our residents to enjoy," Mayor Sue Finkam said. "We are grateful to Allied Solutions for their partnership and thrilled for their continued support of world-class events in our city. The events Allied Solutions will make possible help us to continue attracting businesses with high-paying jobs filled by a workforce that is eager to be here. They will also provide additional customers for our local businesses and restaur-

rants and add to the overall fabric of our community."

Allied Solutions has been part of the Carmel community for 23 years, growing to a company of more than 1,800 employees. With a demonstrated commitment to the community, Allied Solutions continues to further its support of the communities where employees live and work. The company recently published a Community Impact Report outlining its philanthropic

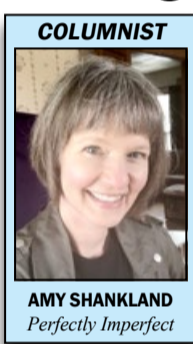
and volunteer contributions.

About Allied Solutions
Allied Solutions is one of the largest providers of insurance, lending, risk management, and data driven solutions to financial institutions. Allied Solutions uses technology-based solutions customized to meet the needs of 6,000 clients along with a portfolio of innovative products and services from a wide variety of providers. Visit alliedsolutions.net to learn more.

Celebrating special occasions at work

We are continuing our series on bringing joy to the workplace. Last week we talked about giving co-workers good old-fashioned cards to make their day. But now, with working from home and other unique work situations, sometimes it's not possible for everyone to sign a card.

That's the case with my current job where all five of us work from home - in Indiana and beyond. So, the



AMY SHANKLAND
Perfectly Imperfect

best way to recognize everyone's birthday is via email. The internet has thousands of free or low-cost e-cards you can send.

I like e-cards. But being the creative person that I am, I love to use email to send my own unique message and copy my co-workers. For example, I sometimes create news releases for our clients. I once wrote a fake news release to honor my friend Mike's birthday, com-

plete with a big headline and quotes of praise about him from our director. He loved it.

No matter what you do, even if your email takes just a minute, your coworker will greatly appreciate that someone took the time to recognize him or her.

Perhaps a real card just isn't an option due to time or money. Or not everyone at your company or department has email. A sign posted in a common area or on an office door or cubicle can still make someone feel special and show that you care. Once again, the Internet has

you covered.

Birthday banners, signs, templates, posters, flyers, you name it, you can find it online for free. In just two minutes you can find a perfect sign, print it out, and tape it to a wall.

Dressing up is another fun way to enjoy celebrations at work. Just a short note for Halloween - unless you have religious reasons for not enjoying it, I think dressing up in an appropriate costume at work is super awesome and fun! It makes the day seem special and

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Thursday to Saturday we will meet at 7:00 pm. Saturday at 6:00 pm we will have an hour devoted to singing hymns prior to Max's lesson. Sunday we will meet at our regular times.

At the **Stony Creek Church of Christ**, we assemble on Sundays and Wednesdays to seek a better understanding of Jesus and His ways. You are encouraged and invited to join us for those studies or call for a private study. We will soon offer bible Studies in Spanish on Sunday afternoons.



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 Wednesday Bible Study 7:00 pm

McCormick speaks with voters at Fishers town hall



Photos provided

Democratic gubernatorial candidate Jennifer McCormick held first of three town halls in the state to discuss reproductive rights on Wednesday evening at Holy Family Episcopal Church, 11445 Fishers Point Blvd., Fishers. She had invited the seven other gubernatorial candidates to the town hall, but none showed. The former Indiana Superintendent of Public Instruction spoke to a standing-room only crowd about several issues regarding reproductive healthcare, including access to OBGYNs and importance of men being involved in family planning decisions. McCormick pointed out that 33 percent of Hoosier counties do not have an OBGYN. She also said that citizen-led ballot initiatives are needed to address these issues.



Graphic provided by INDOT

Phase 2 of State Road 32 project now underway in Noblesville

The REPORTER

The Indiana Department of Transportation announced Thursday that construction has begun on Phase 2 of the Reconstructing State Road 32 project in Noblesville.

Construction crews are replacing pavement and reconstructing storm sewer lines along SR 32 (Conner Street) between 9th and 14th streets. Construction will last until sometime in June, weather permitting.

Access to businesses along the route will remain open, and pedestrian detours are available. To maintain access to local businesses, 8th Street, 10th Street, and 16th Street will not be closed at the same time.

"We have been working with our local partners and businesses to minimize the construction impact as much as possible," INDOT Project Manager Jennifer Beck said. "The project is needed due to the pavement

reaching the end of its useful life. When complete, SR 32 will be an improved roadway for downtown Noblesville."

A key component of the project is preserving the historic downtown district of Noblesville. Crews will preserve existing trees and sidewalks to the best extent possible.

INDOT reminds drivers to help keep construction workers safe by slowing down, using caution, and

avoiding distractions when traveling in and near work zones. All work is weather-dependent, and schedules are subject to change. Changes will be announced on the project social media channels and website.

Phase 1 of the project was recently completed with the improvements made at the intersection of SR 32 and 16th Street.

Visit reconstructingsr32.com for more information.

Seven Fathers of the Bride come to Belfry

Submitted

Hamilton County Theatre Guild and The Belfry Theatre present the family comedy *Father of the Bride* opening tonight, April 26, and running through Sunday, May 5, at Noblesville First United Methodist Church, 2051 Monument St.

This comedy features a cast of 14 and is set in spring 1953.

Mr. Banks learns that one of the young men he has seen occasionally about the house is will soon become his son-in-law. Daughter Kay announces the engagement out of nowhere and the little girl in pigtails is still how George Banks thinks of her. Mrs. Banks and her sons are happy, but George is in a dither. Kay and the groom-to-be, Buckley, insist they don't want a big wedding. But what starts out as a simple affair with a few friends soon grows with a larger guest list each day and that is when the real trouble and fun arises.

Cast

- Mr. Banks – Dave Hoffman, Indianapolis
- Mrs. Banks – Debbie Underwood, Carmel
- Kay Banks – Lizzie Schultz, Westfield
- Buckley Dunstan – Daniel Alejos, Indianapolis
- Ben Banks – Gideon Roark, Yorktown
- Tommy Banks – Drake Lockwood, Noblesville
- Delilah – Kim O'Mara, Indianapolis
- Miss Bellamy – Dana Lesh, Indianapolis
- Peggy Swift – Grace McKinnies, Pendleton
- Buzz Taylor – Jericho Franke, Indianapolis

- Mr. Massoula – Rob Lawson, Noblesville
- Joe – Jericho Franke, Indianapolis
- Mrs. Pulitzki – Beth Popplewell, Indianapolis
- Red – Robert Fimreite, Noblesville
- The Wedding Singer – Addie McMillan, Noblesville

Crew

- Director – Barcia Alejos, Indianapolis
- Assistant Director – Frank Knapp, Noblesville
- Producer – Diane Wilson, Carmel
- Set Design – Jay Ganz, Fishers
- Set Construction – Jose Alejos, Indianapolis
- Set Decoration – Danielle Huberts, Indianapolis
- Lighting Design – Angie Baker, Noblesville
- Sound Design and Sound Board Operator – Marshall Long, Franklin
- Costumes – Gail Sanders, Greenwood
- Props – Heidi Moranski, Fishers
- Stage Manager – Anne Auwaerter, Fishers

Show times are 8 p.m. Friday, April 26, 2 p.m. Saturday, April 27, and Sunday, April 28; 8 p.m. Thursday, May 2, and Friday, May 3; 2 p.m. Saturday, May 4, and Sunday, May 5.

Doors open 30 minutes before show time with special pre-show Wedding Singer entertainment.

Tickets are \$20 for adults, \$15 for students, seniors or military. Use INDYNOW5 code for \$5 discount per adult ticket.

For tickets or more about The Belfry's 59th season, visit thebelfrytheatre.com or call (317) 773-1085.

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happy. Just make certain it's OK with your company or organization and that others are doing the same thing.

If you see customers on Halloween, you can bring them a joyful surprise with your costume. Be careful that it doesn't hamper your work in any way. Sometimes my former offices have been more conservative in this area, so I just add a touch of Halloween in my attire such as some fun jack o' lantern socks, spider earrings, or funky eye makeup.


Grown-ups can have a blast with this holiday! It's a great time for potlucks and of course, yummy treats. You can dress up around Christmas time if you celebrate it as well. We always put on festive attire for our Christmas party potlucks at both the City of Nobles-

ville and the soil and water conservation district. This ranged from ugly Christmas sweaters to ties featuring Santa and his reindeer to sparkly sequined tops.

Dressing up for either or both holidays is a great way to build camaraderie and a sense of being a team.

No matter what you choose – wearing something different, passing around a card, creating an on usual email or putting together a sign – it all just minutes to do, but can have a huge impact on your team or for the recipient.


Amy Shankland is a writer and fundraising professional living in Noblesville with her husband John, two sons, two dogs and a cat. You can reach her via email at amys@greenavenue.info.



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Breath of fresh air in Westfield

By AMY ADAMS
news@readthereporter.com

Amidst all the hustle and bustle on Main Street in Westfield, there is now an oasis of calm – Scented Oasis Candle Co., to be exact.

Kayla Gaines-Talbott has been pouring candles for a couple of years.

“For the longest time, I operated my business from home,” Gaines-Talbott said, “navigating the challenge of limited space and managing numerous orders.”

As of her official grand opening Saturday, April 20, Scented Oasis Candle Co. has opened a storefront at 110 E. Main St. The entrance sits between The Wine Vault to the west and Dance Innovations to the east, and the shop is situated on the second floor.

A light, fresh aroma greets patrons, who will find shelves neatly lined with candles, like Black Sea and Love Spell, plus mattress sprays, wax melts, and more fragrant finds. The shop also features goods from other area vendors such as S&L crafts, CUREageous Aromas, and A Couple Kids Family Farm.

“Transitioning to have my own shop marks an incredible milestone for me,” Gaines-Talbott said.



Reporter photo by Amy Adams
Kayla Gaines-Talbott has opened Scented Oasis Candle Co. in Westfield.

A location dedicated to Scented Oasis means that Gaines-Talbott now has the space to host the personalized candle pouring classes for which she has become known throughout the community.

Scented Oasis Candle Co. is open noon to 6 p.m. Wednesdays through Fridays and 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Saturdays. A wide variety of classes can be booked in advance for Mondays through Fridays, such as the upcoming Mother’s Day mom-and-child classes which cost \$50 for one mother and one child and \$7 for each additional child. Reach out at (317) 610-9404 for more information.

The Great American Songbook Foundation sets *StageStruck! Conference* film screenings to celebrate 100th anniversary of MGM musicals

The REPORTER

The Great American Songbook Foundation will hold two special film screening events as part of its *StageStruck! Conference* to honor the 100th anniversary of MGM. This celebration will feature participation by distinguished guests including Patricia Ward Kelly and Lorna Luft to shed light on the life and legacies of film icons Gene Kelly and Judy Garland.

The first event will take place on May 14 and will highlight the enduring impact of Gene Kelly and his contributions to classic films like *Singin’ in the Rain*. The Songbook Foundation will welcome Patricia Ward Kelly, wife and official biographer of the legendary dancer, director, and choreographer. Mrs. Kelly will host a prescreening presentation featuring behind-the-scenes stories about the production process of *Singin’ in the Rain* and Gene Kelly’s experience starring in and co-directing the film.

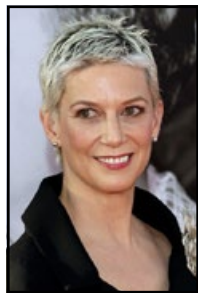
On May 15, the Songbook Foundation will welcome esteemed actress and singer Lorna Luft, known for her versatile talents and rich family legacy in the entertainment industry. Luft will share memories of her mother, Judy Garland, and insights into her work and legacy, including her starring role in the film *Meet Me in St. Louis*. This screening event is part of a yearlong celebration of Judy Garland as a recent inductee to the Songbook Hall of Fame.

Both screenings will take place on the campus of the Center for the Performing Arts in Carmel, the home of the Great American Songbook Foundation. Free general admission tickets may be reserved online at [the-songbook.org/stagestruck-screenings](https://www.songbook.org/stagestruck-screenings) or through the Center’s Fifth Third Bank Box Office at Tickets@TheCenterPresents.org or (317) 843-3800.

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“We are thrilled to explore and celebrate the rich legacy of MGM Musicals through these iconic films,” said Christopher Lewis, Executive Director of the Great American Songbook Foundation. “With our special guest presenters, Patricia Ward Kelly and Lorna Luft, these screenings promise to be unforgettable experiences for fans of classic cinema and the American Songbook.”



Kelly



Luft


the University of Sheffield (U.K.), the conference attracts scholars and students from around the world, with sessions hosted in a hybrid format offering interactive online participation as well as on-site attendance. More information can be found at [the-songbook.org/stagestruck2024](https://www.songbook.org/stagestruck2024).

In addition to the screening and discussions with industry guests, attendees will have the opportunity to view treasured artifacts from the Songbook Library & Archives and browse newly published books authored by visiting conference presenters exploring the evolution of Hollywood.

- May 14 Screening At the Tarkington**
- 5:45 p.m.: Lobby doors open | Patricia Ward Kelly available to meet & greet attendees
 - 6:15 p.m.: Prescreening presentation by Patricia Ward Kelly
 - 7 p.m.: Screening begins
 - 8:45 p.m.: Post screening Q&A with Patricia Ward Kelly

- May 15 Screening At the Palladium**
- 5:45 p.m.: Lobby doors open
 - 6:15 p.m.: Prescreening Q&A and discussion with Lorna Luft
 - 7 p.m.: Screening begins


These free public events will be held in conjunction with the *StageStruck! Conference* taking place May 15 to 17. “Nostalgia and the Hollywood Musical” is the theme for this international academic conference. Hosted by the Great American Songbook Foundation in partnership with



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Carmel HS students dive deep into history at National History Day state contest

Top finishers in junior & senior categories will appear at national contest in June

The REPORTER

The Indiana Historical Society (IHS) recently welcomed 375 students from 37 schools across the state who took part in the 2024 National History Day in Indiana (NHDI) State Contest on Saturday, April 20 at Marian University in Indianapolis.

NHDI is a yearlong program dedicated to enhancing history education in Indiana's schools. Students in grades four through 12 explore a historical subject that fits under the annual theme. This year's theme is "Turning Points in History," inviting students to research and select turning points in U.S. history that interest them the most. Students use their research to create a documentary, exhibit, paper, performance, or website.

Click here to see a list of NHDI State Contest winners, including student names, school names, project categories and project names. The top finishers in each junior and senior category are now eligible to compete in the National Contest for National History Day held June 9 to 13 at the University of Maryland,

College Park.

Educators and students alike use NHDI because it allows them to build critical thinking, inquiry, analysis, and presentation skills through subjects the students are passionate about. Whether students create mini projects in class or go all the way to regional and state contests, educators and students share control of the project.

Students qualified for state by taking part in regional contests where volunteer judges worked in teams to assess projects, give feedback, and rank winners. All regional finalists advanced to the state contest, where students also had the chance to win special prizes for Indiana history topics.

NHDI is presented by Indiana Constructors, Inc., with support from Rooker Family Foundation and Vigran Family Foundation and made possible through a grant from Indiana Humanities in cooperation with the National Endowment for the Humanities.

For more information, visit indianahistory.org/historyday or call (317) 232-1882.

Winners from Carmel High School

Senior Individual Documentary

3rd - "The Dick, Ladies: Opening Opportunities For Women's Soccer" - Charlotte Hunter

Senior Group Documentary

1st - "Making the Invisible Visible: Lewis Hine's Social Photography as a Turning Point in the Fight Against Child Labor" - Divya Ariyur, Shawn Feng
2nd - "The Haber Process: The Blade that Cut Wheat and Killed Men" - Alex Mi, Benjamin Lu
3rd - "America's Tooth Fairy: Louise Reiss and the Baby Tooth Survey" - Alice Mayer, Annalise Taller

Senior Individual Performance

1st - "The POP Heard Around the World: How Popcorn Revolutionized American Society" - Grace Nie
3rd - "The Spinning Wheel" - Ainsley Schwerdtfeger-Jones

Senior Group Performance

2nd - "Josephine Cochrane and the Advent of the Dishwasher" - Siyu Pei, Tiffany Gao, Zaina Khan
3rd - "A Little Liquid Called Insulin" - Ananya Yemme, Ellie Purvis

Senior Individual Website

1st - "Virtuosity, Op. 1: Paganini Composes a New Movement in Classical Music" - Rebecca Li
2nd - "L'ENCYCLOPÉDIE: Presenting the Enlightenment Through the Collection of Thought" - Katelyn Chen
3rd - "The Spindletop Oil Discovery: Fueling America's Petroleum Revolution" - Valerie Fu

Senior Group Website

1st - "Mokusatsu: The Deadliest Mistake" - Katie Zhao, Stephanie Tan
Senior Individual Exhibit
2nd - "The People v. O.J. Simpson" - Katie Ashley
3rd - "Interstate 465: The Overlooked Beltway at the Heart of America" - Carson Kent

Senior Group Exhibit

1st - "DNA: Clues in the Code" - Ava Reita, Evelyn Vanderpool
2nd - "Nellie Bly and the Rise of Stunt Journalism" - Lily Flint, Monica Powers (also won the Bill Curran Memorial Prize for Irish Heritage)
3rd - "Bromine Therapy: From Battlefield Hospitals to the Public" - Emma An, Olivia Lim

Roy F. Stringer Memorial Prize for Labor Unions in Indiana

Sophia Fu, Senior Individual Documentary - "The Delano Grape Strike: A Turning Point in Agriculture and Labor History"

Ayres Prize for Commerce in Indiana

Grace Nie, Senior Individual Performance - "The Pop Heard 'Round the World: How Popcorn Was a Turning Point in Movie Theater History and American Society"

Ayres Prize for Indiana Transportation

Carson Kent, Senior Individual Exhibit - "Interstate I-465: The Overlooked Beltway at the Heart of America"

Attorney General Todd Rokita defends states' pro-life laws

Submitted

Indiana Attorney General Todd Rokita is fighting efforts by the federal government to counteract state laws which have the intent protecting life and prohibiting abortions.

This week, AG Rokita is supporting Idaho as it argues before the Supreme Court to protect

its Defense of Life Act from preemption under the federal Emergency Medical Treatment and Labor Act (EMTALA). In February, Rokita led a **22-state amicus brief** backing Idaho's stance.

"Hoosiers know that when federal bureaucrats come after pro-life laws in Idaho or any other state, they will soon be coming after pro-life laws here in Indiana," AG Rokita said. "Under the Biden administration, the federal government remains determined to advance a pro-abortion culture of death - and it's perfectly willing to usurp states' rights in order to do so."

Under the U.S. system of federalism, the power to regulate health, safety, and medicine rests largely with the states. And in the *Dobbs* decision, the Supreme Court returned the issue of abortion to the states as well - overturning the 1973 *Roe v. Wade* decision.

Federal attorneys, however, claim EMTALA allows emergency room physicians to ignore state medical regulations whenever they think it necessary to do so - including by performing abortions that are otherwise banned. In reality, however, EMTALA nowhere mentions the topic of abortion - and was never intended to be construed as the federal government now claims.

"The law is on our side," Rokita said. "Here in Indiana and across the nation, we can continue building a culture of life that respects the precious value not only of unborn children but also their moms and dads. And that's what we're going to do."



Rokita

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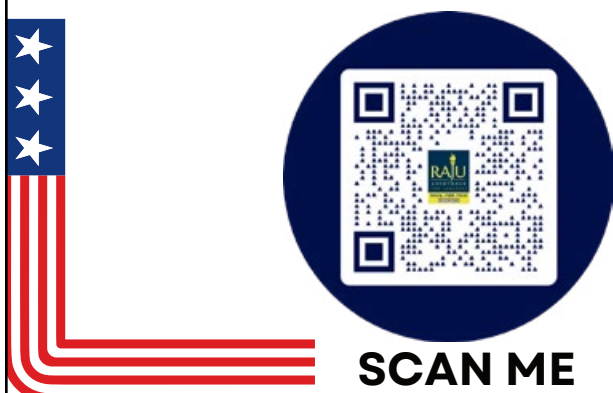
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- Recipient of The President's Lifetime Achievement Award in 2022
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Young artists thank lineworkers



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Carmel natives Elijah Carter, 11, and Carmen Latimore, 9, created these pieces of artwork to honor the sacrifices, integrity, and service of Indiana's lineworkers. Their mother, Caroline Carter, serves as a human resources consultant working out of Duke Energy's Noblesville Operations Center. Their artwork will be displayed at Duke Energy's 2024 Midwest Lineman's Rodeo, which will be held this Saturday, April 27 in Plainfield, Ind. Elijah's piece is pictured above left and Carmen's is above right.

Indiana Grown members connect local food buyers

The REPORTER

Indiana Grown held a member event Tuesday focused on encouraging schools, hospitals, restaurants and more to buy local. The event featured 57 Indiana Grown members who are ready and able to expand into larger markets.

Members who attended the showcase were highlighting their locally grown, raised, processed, and crafted items, like wagyu beef, pork, Indiana wine, craft spirits, specialty produce, sauces, spices, coffee, and more.

The event featured guests from Indiana, Ohio, and Kentucky shopping for their specialty store, distribution business, hospital or school cafeteria, restaurant, or grocery store.

Indiana Grown was excited to play host to this first-time event said Indiana Grown Director Caroline Patrick.

"This brand-new event for Indiana Grown was a huge success and we are so thankful to the many members who attended," Patrick said. "When expanding your small business, it can be hard to be connected with the right audience and this was a great opportunity for our members and for our food buying attendees to feature locally grown, made and crafted products in their schools, hospitals, restaurants, catering services and more across the state."

Tamika Catchings with Tea's Me Café from Indianapolis stated she appreciated her fellow members and Indiana Grown teammates.

"Being an Indiana Grown member for only a year and a half, we were grateful to be invited to this first-ever event," Catchings said. "Walking around and visiting with other Indiana Grown members has been a huge asset because we can seek other members who want to work with us and leverage both of our products for greater success."

Jennifer Wiese of BeeFree, whose company was started by a mom looking for gluten free snacks for her son who was diagnosed with autism, highlighted that this event was a great success.

"We loved the opportunity to introduce our products to new customers, and we love sharing our story that our snacks were created by a mom on a mission and our products are sweetened with honey, contain real ingredients that are the perfect on-the-go snack," Wiese said.

Companies who attended the showcase included:

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- Apricot Sun - Carmel
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 - Bee Great - Churubusco
 - Kim's Key Lime Products - Indianapolis
 - Little Family Foods - Terre Haute
 - Indiana Soap Company - Greenfield
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 - Tulip Tree Creamery - Indianapolis
 - West Fork Whiskey Co. - Indianapolis
 - Fungi Meadows - Logansport
 - Miller's Orchard - Nappanee
 - Fish Lake Organic - Goshen
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 - MKONO Farm - Bloomington
 - Needmore Coffee Roasters - Bloomington
 - Garcia's Gardens - Indianapolis
 - Metal Honey Foods - Indianapolis
 - Pure Memory Water - Indianapolis
 - Risin' Creek Creamery - Martinsville
 - Linneweber's Sauce Company - Vincennes
 - Hunt Family Farm - Amboy
 - Brick House Vinaigrettes - Indianapolis
 - Healthy Hoosier Oil - Converse
 - Nature's Tea Company - Indianapolis
 - Aahaa Chai - Indianapolis
 - Bloomington Farm Stop Collective - Bloomington
 - Celtic Glen Heritage Livestock - Spencer
 - Middle Davids Candles - Franklin
 - Kei2Health - Indianapolis
 - Eat Surreal - Indianapolis
 - Wild Spirit Coffee Co - Bloomfield
 - Slaughter Orchard & Cidery - Bloomington
 - Beehive Body Co - Mount Summit
 - Tea's Me Cafe - Indianapolis
 - Culver Duck - Middlebury
 - Bread & Roses Gardens - Bloomington
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- Indiana Grown will continue this showcase into 2025 and beyond.

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State Rep. Garcia Wilburn applauds FTC ruling banning most noncompete agreements

The REPORTER

On Tuesday, the Federal Trade Commission (FTC) finalized a new rule to promote competition by banning most noncompete agreements, which are used to restrict employees from leaving one company to work for another competing company.

This will grant more American workers the freedom to pursue employment that pays and treats them the best.

“Noncompetes stifle competition, keep work-

er pay down and hamper market innovation,” State Rep. Victoria Garcia Wilburn (D-Fishers) said. “I am grateful the Federal Trade Commission is cracking down on this antiquat-

ed practice that does not serve workers and their interests. During Indiana's 2023 legislative session, I voted for Senate Enrolled Act 7, which bans primary care physicians from



Garcia Wilburn

being forced to enter noncompete agreements. While that was one small step to make health-care work better for patients and providers, I will continue looking for ways to keep costs low and promote competition in Indiana's health-care system. Ultimately, banning noncompetes benefits workers, businesses, and the economy – all wins in my book.”

Commissioners Mark Heirbrandt & Steve Dillinger endorse Bill Gutrich for State Representative District 24

Submitted

Bill Gutrich, candidate for Indiana State Representative District 24, has received endorsements from Hamilton County Commissioners Mark Heirbrandt and Steve Dillinger.

“Bill Gutrich's experience as a business leader will serve the constituents of District 24 well,” Dillinger said.

Both Heirbrandt and Dillinger recognize Gutrich's dedication to serving the community and his strong leadership qualities.

“Bill Gutrich embodies the values we hold dear: a dedicated family man, deeply rooted in faith, and committed to doing what's right,” Heirbrandt said. “His unwavering integrity and genuine compassion make him the ideal choice to represent us at the state level.”

Gutrich expressed gratitude for the endorsements. “I am honored to receive the support of Commission-



Gutrich

ers Heirbrandt and Dillinger, two distinguished leaders who have dedicated their careers to serving the people of Hamilton County,” he said. “Their endorsements reaffirm my commitment to representing the best interests of our community and working tirelessly to address the needs of our residents.”

Learn more about the candidate at gutrichforindiana.com.

Seven Hoosier prosecutors endorse Braun for governor

Submitted

On Thursday, the Mike Braun for Indiana campaign announced that seven prosecutors from across the state have endorsed him for governor.

Braun said he believes Indiana needs prosecutors who will enforce laws instead of “these George Soros-supported progressive prosecutors who pick which laws to enforce based on their ideology.”

“I am proud to have the endorsement of prosecutors across the state, as they are the individuals tasked with enforcing our laws, standing up for victims, and putting criminals behind bars,” Braun said. “If we want to reduce crime, it starts with prosecutors who are tough on repeat criminals and willing to enforce our laws, and I will make sure these prosecutors have the resources to do their job.”

“As county prosecutor, I appreciate Mike Braun's tough-on-crime public safe-



Braun

ty plan,” Decatur County Prosecutor Nate Harter said. “Additionally, Mike has demonstrated that he understands the link between a porous border and the drug epidemic our local communities face. Further, Braun is committed to making sure that prosecutors' offices like mine have the state resources we need to protect the public effectively and to seek justice for victims.”

Former President Donald Trump, the Indiana State Police Alliance, and the National Troopers Coalition have also endorsed Braun.

Hoosier prosecutors endorsing Mike Braun

- Jeremy Brown, Adams County
- Nate Harter, Decatur County
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Robert Barrett White Jr.
November 30, 1954 – April 20, 2024

Even Robert White knew that all good journeys must eventually come to an end. Robert Barrett White, Jr., 69, Cicero, passed away on Saturday, April 20, 2024.



Robert was born in South Pittsburgh, Tenn., on November 30, 1954, to the late Robert and Marguerite (Robinson) White.

Robert attended South Pittsburgh High School and after graduating attended the University of Tennessee where he graduated with a bachelor's degree in engineering. Robert worked as a Senior Analyst for Midcontinent Independent System Operator (MISO). Robert enjoyed his job and made many friends within the workforce that became more like family. Robert loved to entertain and have a good time with his friends. If Robert was around, he always made sure others were having a good time. He enjoyed fast cars, boating, going to the beach, and recently picked up golf. At a young age, he had a love for boats and restored three different live-on boats in California. He was a big UT football fan and enjoyed both NASCAR & NHRA. In his spare time, he liked to work in his yard and do projects around the house. Robert lived every day to the fullest and will be missed by many.

Robert is survived by his son, Robert Barrett (Laurie) White, III of Birmingham, Ala.; granddaughters, Maggie & Emerson White of Birmingham, Ala.; the love of his life, Madison Moses of Cicero; and best friend, Hernan (Temple) Rodriguez of Cicero.

Robert was preceded in death by his parents, Robert & Marguerite White, and brother, Jack White.

Robert's wish was to be cremated and the family has entrusted his care to Hartley Funeral Homes.

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TODAY'S BIBLE READING

THE SECOND JOURNEY TO EGYPT

So the men took the gifts and double the amount of silver, and Benjamin also. They hurried down to Egypt and presented themselves to Joseph. When Joseph saw Benjamin with them, he said to the steward of his house, "Take these men to my house, slaughter an animal and prepare a meal; they are to eat with me at noon."

The man did as Joseph told him and took the men to Joseph's house. Now the men were frightened when they were taken to his house. They thought, "We were brought here because of the silver that was put back into our sacks the first time. He wants to attack us and overpower us and seize us as slaves and take our donkeys."

So they went up to Joseph's steward and spoke to him at the entrance to the house. "We beg your pardon, our lord," they said, "we came down here the first time to buy food. But at the place where we stopped for the night we opened our sacks and each of us found his silver—the exact weight—in the mouth of his sack. So we have brought it back with us. We have also brought additional silver with us to buy food. We don't know who put our silver in our sacks."

"It's all right," he said. "Don't be afraid. Your God, the God of your father, has given you treasure in your sacks; I received your silver." Then he brought Simeon out to them.

The steward took the men into Joseph's house, gave them water to wash their feet and provided fodder for their donkeys. They prepared their gifts for Joseph's arrival at noon, because they had heard that they were to eat there.

Genesis 43:15-25 (NIV)

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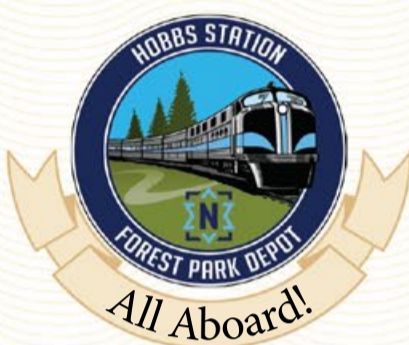
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Baseball

Fishers edges out HSE in first Mudsock game, Noblesville & Guerin Catholic get all-county victories, Sheridan shuts out Tri-Central

The REPORTER

A big second inning propelled Fishers to a 7-6 win over Hamilton Southeastern Thursday in the first game of the Mudsock series, which was played at the Tigers' field.

The Royals scored first, with a run in the top of the first inning. Kam Seitz got on base with a one-out double, moved to third base on a passed ball, then scored on Parker O'Steen's RBI groundout.

Fishers took control in the second inning with five runs. The Tigers loaded the bases, then hit back-to-back RBI bunt singles: Jase Ruggles brought in Evan Doran, then Caulin Brown sent Trevor Hall home. Later, Deagan Repp singled Ruggles home, then Brady Carman and Repp scored when Huston Dunn reached on error.

With that, Fishers led 5-1. Southeastern got two runs back in the top of the third. A Colin Goley left field hit sent Drew LaFleur home, then Seitz scored his second run of the game on a wild pitch.

The Tigers then added two runs in the bottom of the third. Doran scored after a balk, then Hall was brought in by Brown's sacrifice fly.

The Royals put up three runs in the fourth inning. Nolan Colbert got home on a wild pitch, Evan Haas scored on Seitz's RBI groundout, then O'Steen batted LaFleur home with a right field hit. But Jack Brown ended the inning with a strikeout, and Fishers

held the lead until the game finished.

Doran was 2-for-3 at the plate for the Tigers, while Jack Brown got the pitching win with four strikeouts in four innings. Alex Billman and Seitz both had two hits for Southeastern. Ethan Lund pitched a complete game, striking out nine.

The Tigers are 4-3 in Hoosier Crossroads Conference play and 11-6 overall, while the Royals are 3-4 in the conference and 7-8 overall. Southeastern will host the second game of the Mudsock series at 6 p.m. tonight.

Noblesville picked up an HCC and all-county win at Westfield Thursday, beating the Shamrocks 4-2.

The Millers scored a run in the third inning when Brady Bishop got home after Trevor Corbett reached on error. Westfield got both of its runs in the fifth inning. Ethan Colling cracked a triple into right field to bring Nick Fero home. Jake Russell came in to run for Colling and was scored by Beck Jordan's right field hit.

Noblesville surged ahead in the sixth inning. Nolan Decker, Aiden Ramsey and McCoy Fulk hit singles to load the bases, and Decker got home on Joe Glander's RBI groundout. Tanner Miller came up next and he sent a base hit into left field, bringing in Ramsey and Fulk.

Beckett Doane pitched six and two-thirds innings for the Millers, striking out seven. Jordan had two hits for Westfield. Ty Anderson



(ABOVE LEFT) Noblesville's Nolan Decker scored one of four sixth-inning runs for the Millers during their 4-2 Hoosier Crossroads Conference win at Westfield Thursday. (ABOVE RIGHT) Westfield's Tyler Gentry prepares to bat for the Shamrocks.

Reporter photos by Richie Hall

went five innings, striking out nine.

Noblesville is 5-0 in the conference and 12-3 overall, while the Rocks are 4-3 in HCC play and 9-6 overall. The two teams play at the Millers' Don Dunker Field at 6:30 p.m. tonight to finish the series.

Guerin Catholic beat Carmel 5-1 Thursday in an all-county game at the Greyhounds' Hartman Field.

The Golden Eagles

scored two runs in the fourth inning. Daulton Phillips smacked a two-out double into right field to score Davis Wagner and AJ Nunley.

Guerin Catholic added three runs in the sixth inning: Wagner got home on Cuinn Morrow's RBI groundout, then Phillips hit another two-RBI double to bring in Nunley and Nate Gremel-spacher. Carmel scored its run in the seventh inning when Gabriel Silva doubled in Joe Cunningham.

The Golden Eagles' Ryan Zimmerman pitched a complete game, striking out three. JD Stein had two hits for the Greyhounds, including a double. Max Winders pitched five and two-thirds innings, tossing six strikeouts.

Guerin Catholic is 11-2 and hosts Zionsville Monday. Carmel is 9-5 and hosts Hamilton Heights at 5:30 p.m. this afternoon.

Sheridan picked up

a 10-0 Hoosier Heartland Conference win over Tri-Central on Thursday.

Clinton Slopsema and Caleb Alexander both had three hits for the Blackhawks, while Chance Spencer got two hits. Dayne Voegel cracked a triple. Cole Mackintosh got the pitching win.

Sheridan is 2-1 in conference play and 7-4 overall. The Hawks continue HHC action this afternoon at Clinton Central.

Softball

Millers cool off red-hot Arabians, win second straight

By RICHARD TORRES
For The Reporter

PENDLETON – Noblesville head coach Deke Bullard was thinking line drive. Frosh Reese Newsom just wanted to put the ball in play.

Neither were exactly right on Thursday night at Pendleton Heights' Legends Field, but nonetheless the result ended up being perfect-perfect.

With two runners on base, one out and Noblesville trailing 1-0, Newsom pinch hit for classmate Izzy Zapp in the top of the third, and she made coach Bullard look like a genius.

Newsom connected on Pendleton Heights' Shelby Messer's first pitch of the at-bat and laced it over the left-field fence, flipping the margin, 3-1, and powering the Millers to a 6-4 victory.

The three-run blast was Newsom's first home run of the season, and it turned the tide, as the Millers (8-7) totaled eight hits, drew three walks and plated three more runs in the top of the fifth

and sixth innings.

"I bring her in to pinch hit and she hits a home run, I'm like, 'Hey, I look so smart,'" Bullard joked. "I knew I could bring her in just one time, and Reese has shown power, so that's why I brought her in."

The timing was ideal with Messer struggling with her command in the circle and three runners reaching base before Newsom's number was called.

Following a fielder's choice by Delaney Rundle (1-for-4), Newsom stepped up to the plate, and she wasted little time to put Noblesville up 3-1.

"It felt really good. Having runners on base I was just looking to put the bat on the ball somewhere," Newsom said. "I was running to second (when it cleared the fence). I really didn't think it went that far, but then I heard everyone start screaming, and I was like, 'Oh.'"

The 11th-ranked Class 4A Arabians (11-5), who had won seven straight games entering Thursday, were equally as surprised by

Newsom's extra-base hit — only her second this spring.

But for a Millers' lineup that showcases seven hitters with batting averages of .300 or better and several reserves on the same level, it was simply finding the right opportunity.

"She hasn't hit home runs this year. She's hit good line drives, so with runners on we had already been talking about it coming up in that situation. If we had runners on, then it would be a good opportunity for her to come in and hit her typical line drive in the gap," Bullard said. "She decides to just hit it over the fence and

then run a five-second home run trot. She was a little fast (around the bases)."

The Arabians jumped out quick and led 1-0 after a solo home run by Alana Smith in the bottom of the second.

Pendleton Heights posted a three-run bottom of the fifth to cut the deficit 5-4, but Noblesville's pitching trio of Lulu Van Beek, Emme Yee and Claire Cullen protected the advantage, while the lineup produced three late insurance runs.

"Pendleton is always a good team. They're always a well hitting team, so we knew they were going to hit well, and we were going to have to

hold them on defense. I think we did a good job," Bullard said. "We made some mistakes, but the mistakes did not cost us as much when we made those mistakes."

Other than a mistake pitch by Van Beek to Smith in the second inning, the right-hander cruised through the first four frames, retiring five straight hitters at one point.

The Arabians chased Van Beek in the bottom of the fifth following a leadoff single, a throwing error and an RBI double by Kiah Hubble (1-for-4). Van Beek earned the win with one strikeout, two walks and four hits al-

lowed in 4.0 innings pitched. Yee pitched 2.0 innings of relief, walking three with three hits and no runs permitted. Cullen recorded the save with a perfect bottom of the seventh, striking out one.

Pendleton Heights plated three runs in the bottom of the fifth despite loading the bases four times in the inning and five times overall, including with two outs in the sixth.

Both times Yee induced inning-ending pop ups. The Arabians stranded nine runners on base. Five were in scoring position.

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Softball

Roundup: Tigers take walk-off win; Westfield, Carmel, Sheridan drop games

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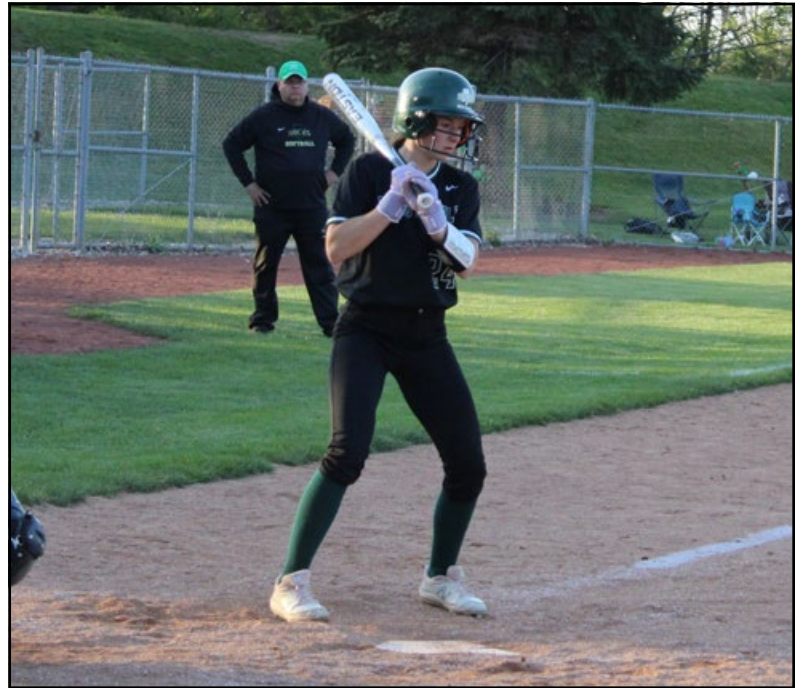
The Fishers softball team got a walk-off victory Thursday, as Brooke Johnson's two-run home run sent the Tigers past Mount Vernon 6-5.

The Marauders led 2-0 after scoring one run each in the first and second innings. Fishers came back with three runs in the bottom of the second: Azstryd Alexander hit a two-RBI double into left field to bring home Kendall Jordan and Hailey Kinder, then Jenna Grubb's sacrifice fly scored Brooke Clayton, giving the Tigers a 3-2 lead.

Mount Vernon tied the game at 3-3 with a run in the top of the third, then scored two in the fifth inning to go up 5-3. Fishers took care of business in the seventh inning. Alexander drew a lead-off walk, then moved to third base on Grubb's double. Alexander scored on Hailey Trueblood's RBI



(ABOVE LEFT) Sheridan's Shelby Eaton had two hits for the Blackhawks during their Thursday game with Tri-Central.



(ABOVE RIGHT) Westfield's Reese Mahannah had two hits for the Shamrocks during their game with Yorktown on Thursday.

Reporter photos by Richie Hall

groundout. Johnson came up next and sent a 1-0 pitch over the center field fence to score Grubb, then herself. Johnson, Grubb and Kinder all finished the game with two hits; Johnson also hit a double.

Kate Murray pitched two and two-thirds innings for the win, tossing five strikeouts.

The Tigers are 10-6 and play a Hoosier Crossroads Conference game this evening at Zionsville.

Westfield fell to Yorktown 3-2 in a Thursday home game.

The Tigers led 2-0 midway through the fifth inning. The Shamrocks scored both of their runs in the bottom of the fifth. Cara Snedeker bunted Reese Mahannah in for the first run, then Sofia Easterhaus got home on Ava Kainrath's RBI fielder's choice. Yorktown scored the go-ahead run in the seventh inning and turned a double

play in the bottom of the seventh to end the game.

Mahannah went 2-for-3 at the plate.

Westfield is 7-7 and plays tonight at Tri-West.

Carmel dropped a 4-3 game to Tri-West Thursday at Cherry Tree Softball Complex.

Jayden Kleiner got the Greyhounds on the board in the first inning with a solo home run. Both teams scored a second-inning run; Katherine Smith bunted Paxton Law home to give Carmel a 2-1 lead.

Kleiner scored her second run of the game in the third inning, getting home on a passed ball. That gave

the Hounds a 3-1 lead, but the Bruins scored twice in the sixth inning and got the go-ahead run in the seventh.

Carmel is 4-13 and plays this afternoon at Guerin Catholic.

Sheridan dropped a 10-1 Hoosier Heartland Conference game to Tri-Central Thursday at Biddle Park.

The Blackhawks scored their run in the first inning, when Abbi Merritt doubled Emma Settles home. Merritt and Shelby Eaton both had two hits.

Maelei Casler pitched a complete game, striking out eight.

Sheridan is 2-9 and hosts Guerin Catholic on Monday.

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Girls Tennis

Westfield beats Noblesville, University falls to Cathedral

The REPORTER

The Westfield girls tennis team beat Noblesville 4-1 Wednesday in a dual meet.

The Shamrocks got singles wins from No. 2 Juliette Grilliot 6-2, 6-4 and No. 3 Addi Kooi 7-5, 6-4. In doubles, No. 1 Jenna Berry and Bella Rivera were 6-3, 6-3 winners and No. 2 doubles Bri Saylor and Carlie Lukowiak won 6-1, 6-1.

No. 1 singles Bella Duncan won for the Millers; she was tied 3-3 with Isabella Norris when Norris retired due to injury.

University fell to No. 16 Cathedral 3-2 on Thursday.

The Trailblazers' wins came from No. 3 singles Anisha Patel 4-6, 6-4, 11-9, and No. 1 doubles Claire Kilgore and Kara Wang 6-4, 6-2. No. 1 singles Laurel Buttrick fell to Izzy Carrillo 5-7, 6-0, 6-2. No. 2 singles Duygu Arseven fell 6-4, 6-3 and No. 2 doubles Sruti Atluri and Lauren Quinto lost 6-4, 6-0.

COOL

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The Millers increased their lead 5-1 in the top of the fifth off a Rundle RBI double that chased Messer, and an Arabians' error to score Zapp (1-for-3) from third base with one out.

The Millers had two runners on base before Pendleton Heights turned a double play to escape further damage.

An RBI single by Chloe Vetter (2-for-3) in the top of the sixth pushed Noblesville's margin to two runs before Cullen came in to slam the door.

Cullen, the Millers' ace, now has two saves this season. Her first save came against Lawrence North on April 12.

"Claire threw a great game last night (against Westfield). She threw about 160 pitches last night. My plan was not to go to her, but then we made the decision late in the game. I said,

"If we're up in the seventh, I'm going to bring her in to close. I figured she could do it in 20 pitches or less," Bullard said. "She's just a different animal this year, and when you have her on the mound, she without a doubt makes us better."

Cullen only needed 14 pitches to get the Arabians to ground out twice and fly out for a three-up, three-down bottom of the seventh.

Prior to Noblesville's 8-5 win over Westfield on Wednesday, the Millers had lost five straight games.

"We try to be somewhat strategic in some of the games that we play. Obviously, conference games are the most important to us, so we're always going to throw our best and everything else," Bullard said.

The Millers face Decatur Central and Plainfield on Saturday before hosting Mt. Vernon on Monday.

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Friday, April 26

BASEBALL

Fishers at Hamilton Southeastern, 6 p.m.
Hamilton Heights at Carmel, 6 p.m.
Seton Catholic at University, 6 p.m.
Westfield at Noblesville, 6:30 p.m.

BOYS LACROSSE

Hamilton Southeastern at Upper Arlington, 7:30 p.m.
North Central at Westfield, 7:30 p.m.

GIRLS LACROSSE

Lincoln Way West (Ill.) at Carmel, 5 p.m.
Castle at Westfield, 6:30 p.m.
Lincoln Way West (Ill.) at Guerin Catholic, 7:30 p.m.

SOFTBALL

Carmel at Guerin Catholic, 5:30 p.m.
Hamilton Southeastern at Pendleton Heights, 5:30 p.m.
Beech Grove at Hamilton Heights, 6 p.m.
Fishers at Zionsville, 6 p.m.
Westfield at Tri-West, 6 p.m.

TENNIS

Guerin Catholic at Park Tudor, 4:30 p.m.
Fishers at Noblesville, 5:30 p.m.

TRACK AND FIELD

Circle City Conference meet, 5:30 p.m. at Guerin Catholic
Hamilton Heights at Tipton Invitational, 5:30 p.m.
Hamilton Heights, Noblesville girls, Westfield at Zionsville Invitational, 5:30 p.m.
Carmel boys at Max Truex Invitational, 6 p.m. at Warsaw
Fishers at Hamilton Southeastern, 6 p.m.

VOLLEYBALL

Fishers at Lincoln-Way East (Ill.) Tournament, 6 p.m.
Southport at Noblesville, 7:30 p.m.

Saturday, April 27

BASEBALL

Carmel at Zionsville, noon
Daleville at Hamilton Heights, noon
Bishop Luers at University doubleheader, 2 p.m.
Brebeuf Jesuit at Noblesville, 3 p.m.
Hamilton Southeastern at Fishers, 6 p.m.

BOYS LACROSSE

Chaminade College Preparatory School at Guerin Catholic, 1 p.m.
Evansville North at Noblesville, 3 p.m.
Wheaton Academy (Ill.) at Carmel, 1 p.m.

GIRLS LACROSSE

Noblesville vs. Penn, noon at Culver Academies
Noblesville at Culver Academies, 2:30 p.m.
Carmel at Kentucky Country Day School, 3 p.m.

GOLF

Noblesville, Westfield at Winchester Invitational, 8 a.m. at Winchester Golf Club
Carmel, Guerin Catholic, Westfield at Ulen Invitational, 9 a.m.
Fishers at Cougar Invitational, 9 a.m.
Hamilton Southeastern at Hall of Fame, 10 a.m.

SOFTBALL

Guerin Catholic at Danville, 9 a.m.
Noblesville Miller Invitational, 10 a.m.

TENNIS

Hamilton Southeastern at Delta Invitational, 8:30 a.m. at Muncie Burriss
Carmel at Homestead Invitational, 9 a.m.
University at Whiteland Invitational, 9 a.m.
Westfield at Guerin Catholic, 10 a.m.

TRACK AND FIELD

Sheridan at Shenandoah, 9 a.m.
Carmel girls, Noblesville at Kokomo Relays, 11:30 a.m.

VOLLEYBALL

Fishers at Lincoln-Way East (Ill.) Tournament, 8 a.m.
North Central at Hamilton Southeastern, 9 a.m.
Brebeuf Jesuit at Hamilton Southeastern, 1 p.m.

Sunday, April 28

BASEBALL

Tournament draw date

SOFTBALL

Tournament draw date

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Miller Lite Carb Day Schedule

NTT INDYCAR SERIES Indy 500 Final Practice | 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. ET
Trackside Intermission | 1 to 2:30 p.m.
U.S. Air Force Thunderbirds Practice Demonstration
Red Bull Air Force
Indy 500 Pit Stop Challenge with DJ Mystro | 2:30 to 4 p.m.
Miller Lite Carb Day Concert | 3 to 6 p.m. (gates open at 2 p.m.)
Warmup: Kid Quill
Opener: Gin Blossoms
Headliner: George Thorogood and The Destroyers

since 1977. Pit crews compete head-to-head in single eliminations for the opening rounds, meeting for a best-of-three showdown in the final. During each round, the crews conduct a standard pit stop, which includes switching all four tires and simulating refueling, in the shortest possible time on a specially constructed dual pit lane.

Scott Dixon of Chip Ganassi Racing won his fourth Indy 500 Pit Stop Challenge in 2023 by besting Team Penske's Will Power in the best-of-three finals.

The 2024 Indy Pit Stop Challenge will feature the high-energy style and versatile genre range of DJ Mystro, who has been recognized as one of the Midwest's most promising breakout DJs. Mystro, an Indianapolis native, is a party starter and a lifelong musician and drummer. He's taken his music

knowledge and transitioned those abilities to bring the heat to weddings, corporate events, clubs, concerts and festivals across the world. Mystro also performs as an official DJ for the Indiana Pacers and Indianapolis Colts.

Gates for the Miller Lite Carb Day Concert will open at 2 p.m. this year, allowing for more entertainment, including Indianapolis recording artist Kid Quill. Headliner George Thorogood & The Destroyers will be joined by special guest Gin Blossoms, which will open the show.

Miller Lite Carb Day general admission tickets

start at just \$45. All general admission, concert pit and VIP Deck concert tickets include admission to the concert and to on-track activities that day at IMS, which include the final practice for the 108th Indianapolis 500 presented by Gainbridge and the Indy 500 Pit Stop Challenge. Children 15 and under are free with a paying adult.

The 108th Indianapolis 500 presented by Gainbridge is scheduled for Sunday, May 26. Tickets are on sale now at IMS.com, by calling 317-492-6700 or by visiting the IMS Ticket Office at the IMS Administration Building.



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Meet the Candidates

Dear Readers,

It's primary election season, and we have a fine selection of candidates for you to get to know.

In these pages you will read all about the candidates who have chosen to respond to The Hamilton County Reporter's request to share their information and help you make an informed decision at the polls on or before May 7. Candidate information is presented as it was submitted.

The Reporter takes no responsibility for any typographical, grammatical or factual errors. These are the candidates speaking to you in their own words (or in the words of duly designated campaign staff). The only edits we have made have been to cut down those statements that were submitted over the 200-word limit we set to ensure everyone had equal space in our pages.

Candidates vying for the same office are grouped together in a shaded box.

Sincerely, The Hamilton County Reporter

COUNTY

Robert (Bob) Bragg

Republican for Hamilton County Treasurer

My objectives:

1. Maximize return on investments with minimal risk:

Hamilton County's rate of return was 3.95% in 2023 and 0.99% in 2022 compared to 5.30% and 1.48% for the State of Indiana's Investment fund (www.TrustIndiana.in.gov). Matching the state fund would have resulted in an additional \$8.7 million in investment income over 2 years.

2. Adopt benchmarks to evaluate investment performance:

Currently, there is no stated benchmark for investment returns. I will adopt the US Treasury three-month Bill ETF (TBIL) and the "Trust Indiana" fund as our benchmarks to properly evaluate performance.

3. Increase transparency in investments:

Currently, there is no data on invested funds on the Treasurer's web page. I will post investment returns and investment composition every quarter.

4. Increase adoption rates for E-billing of property tax statements:

The Treasurer mailed 125,000 paper copies of property tax bills in 2023. E-billing has been available for 12 years but I do not believe it has been communicated effectively. I believe we can save over \$50,000 a year by reducing paper statements.

I am a lifelong investor and a fiscal conservative with over 30 years' service to Hamilton County. I am a 1989 graduate of Taylor University.

Connect with Bragg on Facebook.



Susan Byer

Republican for County Treasurer

Susan Byer is a lifelong Hamilton County resident who has served Hamilton County for over 18 years in the Treasurer's office. She is the current Hamilton County Treasurer. Along with her role as Treasurer she has continued to serve her community as the 4-h Horse & Pony Project Superintendent and Hamilton County Horsemen's Club President.

In the last 4 years as Treasurer Byer has changed print vendors for County Tax Statements that saved the county \$15,150 in 2021.

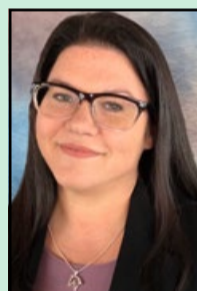
Byer manages 35-40 accounts within state statute throughout the year with safety and liquidity as a priority. Her adept ability to invest have earned the County \$19.7 million in interest income in 2023 alone. Her average of 3.95% last year includes all County accounts. Investment accounts ranged from 4.9%-5.69%, well above TrustIndiana's 2023 YTD average of 5.04%.

As Treasurer she completes a Monthly Treasurer's Report and an Annual Investment Report that is accessible to the public on the County's website.

Byer puts the public first and is always available and willing to answer questions. Her experience, integrity, and customer service makes her the best candidate this year.

Please cast your vote for Susan Byer for Hamilton County Treasurer on May 7th.

Connect with Byer on Facebook or by emailing susanbyerforhtreasurer@gmail.com.



Steve Dillinger

Republican for County Commissioner District 2

Steve Dillinger was inspired to run for the position of Hamilton County Commissioner because of his deep-rooted commitment to the growth and prosperity of the community. His passion for proactive planning and his dedication to staying ahead of the curve in anticipating and accommodating growth have been the driving forces behind his decision to seek re-election.

Steve's extensive experience in public service, coupled with his background as a successful business owner, has equipped him with the skills necessary to lead effectively. Over the years, Steve has demonstrated a knack for executing a vision, building consensus, and promoting teamwork to achieve tangible results. From spearheading major infrastructure projects like Lowe's Way and the Symons & Krause Drainage Project to bringing Ivy Tech Community College to Noblesville, his track record speaks volumes about his ability to deliver on promises and make strategic decisions that benefit Hamilton County.

He understands the intricacies of local governance and possesses a deep understanding of the needs and aspirations of residents. As a lifelong resident of Noblesville, his roots run deep, and he is committed to continuing to serve with integrity, dedication, and a steadfast focus on the well-being of the county.

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Gary Duncan

Republican for County Surveyor

I look forward to being the next Hamilton County Surveyor. I have been a Professional Engineer since 1999, with a broad and diverse background that includes 10-years as a consulting engineer and project manager, 11-years as the Assistant City Engineer in the City of Carmel, and 9-years as the Staff Engineer in the Hamilton County Surveyor's Office.

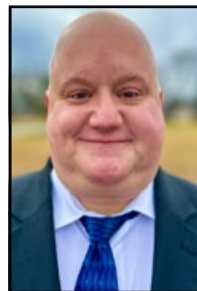
I am 53-years old. I live in Carmel with my wife Rachel who is a graduate of Purdue University and a Professional Engineer. We have two sons. A graduate of Ball State and a sophomore at Purdue.

I hold a Bachelor's of Science in Civil Engineering from Norwich University and a Master of Science in Civil Engineering from Purdue University.

I have extensive knowledge of urban drainage, agricultural drainage, public project development, budgeting, funding, design, construction, and project management which allows me to make cost effective decisions regarding drainage infrastructure.

While not an official position, I act as the Deputy Surveyor, which has allowed me to learn all aspects of the position, work with each member of the current staff, other elected officials, and department heads, and immediately assume the responsibilities of County Surveyor at the start of the next term.

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Mark Heirbrandt

Republican for County Commissioner District 3

Throughout his tenure, Mark Heirbrandt has consistently demonstrated a deep-rooted commitment to making a positive difference at the local level. As a testament to his dedication and contributions during his time in office, Mark was honored with the prestigious title of "Commissioner of the Year" by the Indiana Association of County Commissioners in 2022 and earned the Indiana Association of Counties "Commissioner of the Year Award" in 2023.

As an active member on various leadership boards, Mark served as President of the Indiana County Commissioners (a statewide association supporting County Commissioners in Indiana), serves as a Board Member for the Humane Society for Hamilton County, the Hamilton County Community Foundation, and is a member of the Big Cicero Regional Board. Mark also serves as an Executive Board Member for the Metropolitan Planning Organization, and he was previously on the Westfield Public Safety Merit Board for six years.

Mark's campaign for re-election is multi-faceted in its approach, focusing on: public safety, road safety, cost savings, and communication & transparency. Connecting with Hamilton County residents has always been his most-valued part of serving. Mark looks forward to doing just that in the coming months to continue understanding the county's ever-changing needs.

Connect with Heirbrandt at MarkHeirbrandt.com, on Facebook, or by emailing mark@markheirbrandt.com.



Todd Clevenger

Republican for County Auditor

Sue and I have called Hamilton County home for almost 30 years, living in both Carmel and Cicero. We raised our sons here, all three of which graduated from Hamilton Heights High School.

I began working in the Auditor's Office in March 2018 as the County Grant Administrator. In this position, I provide centralized oversight and management of millions of dollars in grant funding obtained by the county each year, ensuring compliance with federal, state and local regulations.

As a member of the Auditor's staff, I have developed strong, positive relationships with key elected officials and department heads. I have also gained practical, hands-on experience that will allow me to manage and administer the responsibilities of the office on day one, which is vital for a position so critical to the financial operations of the county.

Prior to serving in Hamilton County government, I served as a Legislative Chief of Staff, Nonprofit Administrator and a Senior Partner in a marketing and communications firm. I graduated from Indiana University, double majoring in Journalism and Criminal Justice. I hold an MBA from Indiana Wesleyan University and I am a graduate of the National Association of Counties High Performance Leadership Academy.

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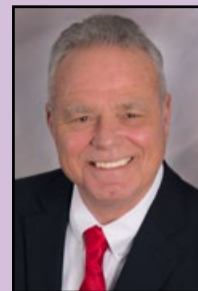


Brandon "Brad" Beaver

Republican for County Council At-Large

I have had the honor of serving on the county council for many years. The reason I should be re-elected is my track record. As one of seven members of the council, which is the finance body of county government. We have been rewarded with a AAA bond rating. The highest in the state, which keeps our borrowing cost low. WE have balanced budget, cash reserves, and have maintained a flat property rate for 10years, it even went down a few cents this year. We have well funded the sheriff and the jail, parks department and many hiway and bridge projects. I have been conservative with your tax dollars. Re-elect Brad Beaver to Hamilton County Council.

Connect with Beaver that BradBeaver.com.



Sue Maki

Republican for County Council At-Large

Sue Maki is currently serving as Hamilton County Councilor At-Large where she holds the position of Vice President. Sue has been active in the Hamilton County civic community for many years. Her leadership roles include past president of Hamilton County Tourism Commission, Carmel Rotary, Carmel Middle School PTO and the Hamilton County Solid Waste Board. She currently serves on the board of Invest Hamilton County, the Economic Development Organization for the County.

Her professional experience includes 18 years in the insurance industry with most of the time in a management capacity. She worked for the City of Carmel Utilities for 15 years, retiring from them in 2022 to devote her time to County Council work and other volunteer endeavors.

Making an impact across all towns and cities in Hamilton County, Sue served as Executive Director of the Hamilton County Leadership Academy from 2000 - 2003. She is also a 1999 graduate.

Sue holds a Master of Business Administration degree from Anderson University and a bachelor's degree in political science from Baldwin-Wallace University Berea, Ohio.

Sue lives in Carmel with her husband of 41 years, Tom Kapostasy. They have two grown sons, a daughter-in-law and a Cairn Terrier dog, Cooper.

Connect with Maki at SueMaki.com, on Facebook, or by emailing suemaki4council@gmail.com.



Steve Nation

Republican for County Council At-Large

Judge Steve Nation has dedicated his life to protecting and serving our community. In 1979, Steve became Prosecuting Attorney of Hamilton County and served four consecutive terms. In 1995, he became Hamilton County Judge and served four terms in office, and then retired in 2018. Steve's legacy and impact go far beyond the courtroom and extend far into the community.

Most notably, the conception of Hamilton County's Youth Assistance Programs started with Steve. Steve saw the common challenges that the community, schools, and families were having with youth. After several conversations within the community, it was clear that more needed to be done to help youth reach their highest potential. Westfield's Youth Assistance Program quickly began. Soon other school systems and local governments came together in Hamilton County to start their own programs. Today, Steve continues to support and work for families and children in Hamilton County.

Through Steve's leadership, he has been able to move programs forward that support mental health, child and victim abuse, and substance abuse. In his re-election bid, Steve is focused on public safety, mental health, collaboration, and completing the work that has been started.

Connect with Nation at NationForCouncil.com, on Facebook, or by emailing campaign@nationforcouncil.com.



Stephenie K. Gookins

Republican for Hamilton Superior Court 6 Judge

I was appointed to the bench by Governor Holcomb on August 9, 2022. Since that time I have been the presiding judge of Superior 6, a court of general jurisdiction. The Court handles small claims cases, a misdemeanor/level 6 felony criminal docket, as well as a substantial family law/civil docket. Prior to joining the judiciary, I practiced law in Hamilton County for over 22 years in the areas of criminal and family law, and mediation. I continue to serve as the coordinator for the Hamilton County Bar Association Mock Trial program for area high school students. For more information visit my Facebook page, Stephenie Gookins for Judge.

Connect with Gookins on Facebook.

STATE

Laura Alerding

Republican for State Representative District 29

I am a Conservative Republican serving my fourth year on the Noblesville School Board. My conservative record makes it clear that I stand up for Parents Rights, children, family and faith.

As a twenty-year business owner, I understand budgets, and working with client's of all sizes from Eli Lilly to an individual's small project. Working with clients begins with listening followed by asking questions to learn their goals. I provide solutions and products within budget. This is how I will work as your State House Representative.

I will show my gratitude for your vote by working long hours with grit and determination to find solutions to issues that affect your daily life. I am pro-life, pro-business, pro-family, and pro-first responders and I will stand strong to protect each group. You may see me knocking on doors introducing myself to voters, or meeting with business owners, elected officials, residents, or community leaders to learn their concerns, or perhaps at a school board meeting where our work affects the \$160 Million Dollar budget, 10,300+ students and 1500+ employees.

My husband Jim and I love Noblesville and living close-by to many of our children and grandchildren!

Connect with Alerding on Facebook, at [AlerdingForStateRep29.info](https://www.facebook.com/AlerdingForStateRep29), or by emailing Laura@AlerdingForStateRep29.info.



Dr. Chris Hartig

Democrat for State Representative District 29

Dr. Chris Hartig was raised by a Vietnam Veteran Marine who taught him that "you must put in the work to get the results," and a mother who gave him the values to "do the right thing, especially when it seems like a hard choice." He is ready to put in the work as the Democratic candidate for Indiana House Representative, District 29 (Noblesville and part of Fishers).

Dr. Hartig worked 15 years in the mortgage and finance industry and spent the last decade as a Management and Leadership professor at WGU Indiana, supporting working Hoosiers to upskill to earn training and certifications to improve their lives. He earned a Doctor of Education in Organizational Leadership from Northcentral University, an MBA in Management and Strategy from Western Governors University, and a BA in Economics from Ball State University.

His legislative priorities are to serve as a guardrail against the unchecked extreme supermajority, protect personal freedoms, and support public schools.

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Alaina Shonkwiler

Republican for State Representative District 29

Alaina Shonkwiler has lived in Noblesville for most of her life, is a Noblesville High School alumna, and a conservative Republican candidate for House District 29.

Having served in numerous economic development roles throughout her career, Alaina has the experience to tackle our challenges and ensure Hoosier communities continue to thrive. Currently serving as a Manager in Government Advisory for Katz Sapper Miller, she helps communities achieve their goals, and is a longtime public servant, having previously held roles with the Noblesville Chamber of Commerce, City of Noblesville, and Noblesville Schools.

She is pro-life, will always defend the Second Amendment, and has been endorsed by the Hamilton County FOP #103 and Noblesville FOP #198 for her commitment to supporting law enforcement. She is supported by the business community through the Indiana Business for Responsive Governance PAC, the Indiana Manufacturers PAC, the Indy Chamber BAC, and Hamilton County's OneZone Chamber BAC for her economic growth experience and policies.

Alaina supports a lower tax environment that protects families and seniors from rising taxes including property taxes. Alaina is ready to fight for us.

She lives in Noblesville with her husband, Jason, a Noblesville Police Sergeant, and their children, Hannah and Kyle.

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Victoria Garcia Wilburn

Democrat for State Representative District 32

Victoria Garcia Wilburn's experience as a healthcare clinician and health researcher and advocate has earned the respect of her colleagues in the Statehouse upon being elected in 2022.

She is centered on improving the lives of Hoosiers through policies that advance health outcomes for all Hoosiers. She has championed initiatives for public safety (police, fire, EMT), increasing the safety and accountability of vulnerable children who are part of the Indiana Department of Child Services system, and is proud of her track record promoting the values of House District 32 to include a high quality of life and strong economic growth.

She serves on the Indiana Behavioral Health Commission, Indiana Commission on Hispanic/Latino Affairs, Employment Labor and Pension Committee, Family Children and Human Affairs, and the Judiciary Committee in her role as State Representative.

This campaign cycle she has received the endorsement of OneZone Chamber of Commerce, Vote Mama, and AgElect of the Indiana Farm Bureau. Dr. Garcia Wilburn has also received a distinction as a Mom's Demand Gun Sense Candidate.

Victoria, her husband Chris, a retired police officer, and her three children are the reason first ran for State Representative and remain her most cherished legacy.

Connect with Wilburn on Facebook, at [WilburnForIndiana.com](https://www.wilburnforindiana.com), or by emailing vicтория@wilburnforindiana.com.



Bill Gutrich

Republican for State Representative District 24

Bill Gutrich's vision prioritizes understanding your needs. He will fight for fiscally responsible government & lower taxes, excellence in education & parent empowerment, public safety, and smart development. Bill's overarching goal is to be your voice, not just a legislator making decisions on your behalf.

Bill is a 35-year corporate executive, small business owner, and community servant with a commitment to serve in representing District 24 as Indiana State Representative. With his strong business acumen, Bill possesses the skills, passion, and experience to ensure our hard-earned tax dollars are well-invested in the public good and drive meaningful change in our laws, as needed. His background includes leading major partnerships for industry giants like The Coca-Cola Company and Conagra Foods, along with extensive experience in agriculture through his tenure with Indiana-based Elanco Animal Health.

Bill and his wife, Janet, moved to Hamilton County in 1996 to pursue their careers and raise their three children, Eric, Emily, and Alexander. Their shared Catholic faith continues to shape their lives, providing them with a strong sense of purpose and a passion for serving others. Bill is dedicated to being an advocate for the people, placing their needs at the forefront of his public service.

Connect with Gutrich on Facebook, at [GutrichForIndiana.com](https://www.facebook.com/GutrichForIndiana.com), or by emailing bill@gutrichforindiana.com.



Josh Lowry

Democrat for State Representative District 24

Josh was born and raised in Martinsville, Indiana. He attended Indiana University where he met his wife, Alexis. He then pursued his childhood dream of becoming a professional wrestler, before settling down and attending law school. Josh spent five years as a Deputy Attorney General practicing constitutional law, where he defended state agencies such as the Department of Child Services and Indiana State Police. Josh has argued in front of the Seventh Circuit Court of Appeals and conducted jury trials.

As your representative, Josh will advocate for:

- Reproductive rights
- Empowering teachers
- Thriving local economies
- Investment in childcare
- Protected environment

Josh and Alexis moved to Westfield in 2009, where Alexis grew up. Alexis's family has lived in Westfield for generations and she is currently the president of the Westfield Alumni Association.

Josh and Alexis have fostered 12 kids, 5 of which they adopted. When not driving one of his children to practice or work, they enjoy staying active, playing basketball and volunteering with community organizations like the Lions Club of Westfield, Kiwanis of Westfield, the Humane Society and Westfield Youth Assistance.

Connect with Lowry on Facebook and at [LowryForIndiana.com](https://www.LowryForIndiana.com).



Joel Levi

Democrat for State Senate District 20

Joel was born and raised in Anderson, Indiana. He attended Anderson University where he met his wife Megan. After getting married they lived in Nashville, Tennessee from 2013-2020. Upon moving back home, they settled in Cicero, Indiana where they now live with their five year old son Mitchell. Joel's son currently attends the Little Huskies Pre-K at Hamilton Heights.

Megan and Joel have always had a heart for healthcare. His wife is a nurse practitioner at Community Health. Joel is a pharmacy technician in the Coumadin Clinic and Outpatient Pharmacy at Riverview Health in Noblesville.

Levi is running for State Senate so that our children can live in the Indiana they deserve. This starts with our kids feeling safe at school. The simplest way to ensure this is with common sense gun laws.

If elected into the Indiana State Senate, Levi's top priority would be spearheading legislation so that Democrats and Republicans can join together to keep our Hoosier children safe. His goal is to reach across the aisle and find Republican legislators that believe in the Second Amendment, but that also believe in requiring background checks at gun shows and on third party sales.

Connect with Levi at [JoelLeviForIndiana.com](https://www.JoelLeviForIndiana.com), on Facebook, or by emailing joellevivforindiana@gmail.com.



Stephanie Jo Yocum

Democrat for State Representative District 88

Stephanie Jo Yocum was born and raised in Marion, Indiana and attended college at Hanover College in Hanover, Indiana. A daughter of a school teacher and a police officer, public service was a consistent feature of Stephanie Jo's upbringing. She proudly followed her parents' example, by joining AmeriCorps after college.

Stephanie Jo's career has centered around public service, with over 20 years in leadership roles for large non-profits focused on healthcare and education. Stephanie Jo is the Chair of the governor-appointed commission on volunteerism and service, Serve Indiana, and a member of Chief, a national network that connects and empowers women leaders. She currently resides on the northeast side of Indianapolis with her spouse, Jim and daughter, Betti.

Stephanie Jo is running for State Representative because she believes Indiana needs more balanced and fair representation in the Statehouse. Indiana's current representation reflects the most extreme ideas and beliefs of its harmful supermajority; it does not accurately reflect the people of Indiana. Stephanie Jo is dedicated to providing access for all to quality education and healthcare. She will work to strengthen reproductive rights and public safety. She will be a fair and honest voice for all Hoosiers.

Connect with Yocum at [StephanieJoYocum.com](https://www.StephanieJoYocum.com), on Facebook, or by emailing info@stephaniejoyocum.com.



Brad Chambers

Republican for Governor

Hoosier-born and raised and the only conservative candidate for governor who has never run for office before, Brad Chambers started a business to help pay his way through college at Indiana University. Over the past 40 years, he has grown that business from its first rental property into a multi-billion dollar real estate portfolio and employs hundreds of Hoosiers.

Brad recently concluded a two-year tenure as Indiana's Secretary of Commerce, where he stepped away from his business and crafted a strategic plan that ushered in unprecedented committed capital investment and tens of thousands of jobs paying wages 30% higher than any time in state history – for only \$1 a year. As Secretary of Commerce, Brad also oversaw quality of life investments in communities across the state through the READI program and placed a renewed focus on entrepreneurship and small businesses. He and his wife, Carol, are parents to their son, Nick.

Connect with Chambers on Facebook and at [ChambersForIndiana.com](https://www.ChambersForIndiana.com).



Suzanne Crouch

Republican for Governor

Suzanne Crouch will lead the fight to eliminate our state's individual income tax, address Indiana's mental health crisis, and fight the criminals and drug dealers who are killing Hoosiers.

"Axe the Tax" is Suzanne's plan to put more money back in Hoosiers' pockets, reduce the burden of Bidenflation, create jobs, and grow Indiana's economy.

Suzanne will never forget or abandon our most vulnerable Hoosiers. She is co-founder of the Indiana Mental Health Roundtable and received the 2024 Mental Health America of Indiana Government Leader of the Year award.

As governor, Suzanne will work to secure the border, battle the fentanyl epidemic, and treat drug dealers like the murderers they are. She also will never turn her back on our law enforcement professionals.

Suzanne is the only gubernatorial candidate who has received the endorsement of more than 170 grassroots leaders in Indiana – including more than 25 law enforcement elected officials. Suzanne also received the endorsement from Indiana Right to Life and an "A" rating from the National Rifle Association.

Having an incredible depth of experience and knowledge from local government to statewide leadership, Suzanne has served in numerous offices at the executive, legislative, and local levels.

Connect with Crouch at [CrouchForIndiana.com](https://www.CrouchForIndiana.com), on Facebook, or by emailing info@crouchforindiana.com.



Curtis Hill

Republican for Governor

Curtis Theophilus Hill Jr. is a prosecutor who served as the 43rd Attorney General of Indiana. Hill was born in Elkhart, Indiana on February 21, 1961 and raised there. He graduated from Elkhart High School and then Indiana University. He received his Juris Doctoral degree from Indiana University School of Law in 1987.

Early in his career, Hill served as a part-time deputy prosecuting attorney for Elkhart County where he also maintained a private law practice. In 2002, Hill ran for his first public office, and was elected Elkhart County Prosecutor. Thereafter, Hill won four consecutive elections as Prosecuting Attorney with nearly 80 percent of the vote. With more than 1.64 million votes, Hill was elected Attorney General for the State of Indiana in 2016 receiving the largest number of votes of any elected official in Indiana history. In office, he defended life, liberty, and individual rights even when it wasn't popular. He is the only battle-tested conservative in this race and will take rural Hoosier values to Indianapolis.

Connect with Hill at [CurtisHill.com](https://www.CurtisHill.com).

Danny Lopez

Republican for State Representative District 39

Danny Lopez is a husband, father, and Republican candidate for House District 39.

As a leader in the civic, corporate, and public sectors, Danny Lopez has spent his 20-year career championing efforts to strengthen families, build communities, and create sound public policy in education, economic development, and healthcare. He has held leadership positions in the Daniels, Pence, and Holcomb Administrations and was state Director for Indiana Senator Dan Coats. Lopez has also served on the boards of directors of a long list of impactful not-for-profit organizations and currently serves as a senior executive with Pacers Sports & Entertainment.

Danny is running for State Representative to tackle the issues Hamilton County families care about, from fighting inflation and keeping taxes low, to fully funding public safety, supporting our veterans, students and seniors, and ensuring our workforce prepared to help enable our communities to thrive.

Danny and his wife, Sofia, live in Carmel with their children, Daniel and Alexandra.

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Matt McNally

Democrat for State Representative District 39

Matt is a veteran of Afghanistan, airline pilot, union member, and proud husband and father. He served in the military for over 22 years and retired in 2022 after attaining the rank of lieutenant colonel. Matt currently serves the Carmel and Westfield communities as the Senior Vice Commander of VFW Post 10003, on the board of the Westfield Kiwanis Club, and was an English as a second language instructor with Exodus Refugee. He and his wife, Brooke, have two children who attended Westfield public schools.

Matt first ran in 2022, when his campaign connected with more than 30,000 voters on their doorsteps. Matt is running because, after talking to many community members, he knows the policies pushed by the current super-majority are out of step with Hoosiers in the 39th District. Matt is ready to start working together for Indiana.

Connect with McNally at [McNallyForIndiana.com](https://www.McNallyForIndiana.com), on Facebook, or by emailing matt.mcnally@mcnallyforindiana.com.



Candidates, click this box to submit your information to The Reporter.

Thanks for reading!

FEDERAL

Raju Chinthala

Republican for Fifth Congressional District

Raju emerges as a compelling candidate for Congress, epitomizing experience, dedication, and a profound commitment to serving Indiana's 5th Congressional District.

Originating from India, Raju's path to citizenship in 2010 stands as a testament to his unwavering faith in the American dream. As a legal immigrant, he navigated a 16-year journey, showcasing resilience and determination. Nurtured by his grandmother's emphasis on education, he obtained dual master's degrees, laying the foundation for a distinguished 30-year career as a Speech-Language Pathologist and businessman in America.

Raju's leadership has drawn thousands of jobs and billions in investment from international corporations to central Indiana. He champions pro-life values, Second Amendment rights, and the legalization of medical marijuana. His extensive involvement in the Republican Party since 2003 underscores his dedication to constitutional principles, public service, and veteran support.

Raju's exemplary leadership has earned him prestigious awards like the Sagamore of the Wabash and The Presidential Lifetime Achievement Award. Centered on building partnerships and fostering investments to empower 5th District residents, Raju symbolizes progress and opportunity. He pledges to be a resolute voice in Congress, dedicated to representing constituents' needs and ensuring a brighter future for all Hoosiers. RAJU. FOR YOU!

Connect with Chinthala at RajuForCongress.com, on Facebook, or by emailing raju@rajuforcongress.com.



Max Engling

Republican for Fifth Congressional District

Max Engling is a devoted public servant and Congressional candidate, who champions conservative principles: fiscal responsibility, limited government, family values, and the rule of law.

There are too many big challenges to waste any time after this election – whether it's the rising cost of living, the crisis at the southern border, or our exploding national debt – the 5th district needs a CONSERVATIVE FIGHTER, with FRESH IDEAS, that can get to work on DAY ONE. That's Max Engling.

Historically speaking, there will only be 1.5 years to fix our country after this election. Max will hold to his conservative values, use his experience to work with President Trump, and get our country back on track right away. WE CANNOT WASTE THIS OPPORTUNITY.

As a Christian and family-oriented Hoosier, Max is committed to reducing government intrusion, fostering prosperity for Indiana families, and bringing sanity back to Washington. With over a decade of experience in conservative politics, he's dedicated to defending the sanctity of life, securing our borders, and curbing reckless spending. Max Engling embodies faith, family, and a brighter future for Indiana and the United States.

Please visit MAXFORINDIANA.COM for more information and to watch the most recent candidate debate.

Connect with Engling at MaxForIndiana.com, on Facebook, or by emailing max4@maxforindiana.com.



Chuck Goodrich

Republican for Fifth Congressional District

Chuck Goodrich is a Conservative businessman who has built a career at Gaylor Electric. Goodrich began as an intern and worked his way up through the organization and eventually bought the company in 2014. Chuck lives in Noblesville, is married Trisha, and has 4 children.

We are experiencing an invasion at our southern border. As your next Congressman, Chuck will fight to secure our border. Without borders, we are not a nation & we must return to President Trump's immigration policies.

Chuck will work to cut reckless government spending. American families are living by the consequences of the Democrats reckless spending by paying higher prices in groceries, gas, housing, & everyday expenses. We must balance the budget & return to fiscal sanity.

Chuck will oppose blank checks to Ukraine. We have sent over \$100B to Ukraine while neglecting to secure our border. This conflict is in Europe's backyard; It is time for European countries to step up & support Ukraine in its war against Russia.

Chuck is proudly pro-life & fought to make Indiana one of the most pro-life states in the nation. Chuck has an A rating with the NRA and voted to make Indiana a Constitutional Carry State.

Connect with Goodrich on Facebook, at GoWithChuckGoodrich.com, or by emailing team@gowithchuckgoodrich.com.



Mark Hurt

Republican for Fifth Congressional District

Mark is Conservative Republican with over 25 years' experience in the practice of law with offices in Noblesville and Kokomo. Mark also served as one small brick in the wall of justice when serving as a part time prosecuting attorney in Howard County. Mark was born and raised in the 5th Congressional district and graduated from Madison Grant High School, Taylor University (teaching/coaching), Baylor University (foreign policy) and Michigan State University (law).

Mark is uniquely positioned to make a difference and start the job running. At the federal level, Mark served as a professional staff-person for United States Senator, Dan Coats, helping create health care savings accounts and assisting on committee activity on pharmaceutical/medical device issues and for United States Congressman, Fred Grandy, where Mark assisted in the management of floor activity on education and labor issues, and developing private sector health care reform. At the state level, Mark served Michigan Governor, John Engler as a health care policy advisor, worked with the auto industry and National Governors Association in defeating the Clinton health care reforms.

Mark is committed to the Reagan 11th Commandment, standing up for convictions and also treating people with respect when solving problems.

Connect with Hurt at MarkHurt.org and on Facebook.



Matthew B Peiffer

Republican for Fifth Congressional District

Matthew Peiffer was raised in the Grant County Van Buren area attending church in Miami Indiana. Matthew got into foster care at 16 years old and aged out at 18 years old and has been pushing policies ever since. After losing his sister to suicide at 19 Matthew has become passionate about being the voice for others.

Matthew has received congressional and National awards for the work he has done helping others across the United States as featured in USA TODAY. Being a kidney donor in Nov 2022 Matthew has seen firsthand the challenges that face living donors. Matthew is currently a Police Officer and has worked closely with immigration visas. He will work for Hoosier all across the 5th district to ensure their voice is heard and ensure their tax dollars go back to serving them.

Matthew has always been passionate about problem solving and taking care of his community. Matthew currently sits on the Muncie Housing Board and numerous other positions in Advocacy.

To see the work he does for his community check out on Facebook Muncie's Smile Man.

Connect with Peiffer on Facebook.



L.D. Powell

Republican for Fifth Congressional District

L.D. Powell, a Navy Veteran, is ready to safeguard America and the American Dream for all Hoosiers. A lifelong resident of Indiana, Powell is committed to bringing his diverse educational background, and leadership skills to serving the 5th district.

L.D. Powell, enlisted in the Navy at 17. After his Navy service, he earned a Bachelor of Science in Business Administration from Huntington University, an MBA from Indiana Wesleyan University and a Masters in Ministry from Bethel College, showcasing his comprehensive approach to personal and professional growth.

Civic involvement includes founding roles at The Chapel in Fort Wayne and serving on the board of the Allen County Juvenile Center, highlighting his dedication to community welfare.

With over 18 years of personal recovery experience, Powell's resilience and transformation demonstrate his ability to overcome challenges and inspire others. His number one priority is securing our borders and combating the flow of illegal drugs that are killing over 100,000 Americans each year.

L.D. Powell is also a certified flight instructor and enjoys empowering others to achieve their aviation goals.

With extensive experience, unwavering dedication, and a clear vision for positive change, L.D. Powell is prepared to represent Indiana's 5th District with integrity and determination.

Connect with Powell on Facebook, at LDPowellForCongress.com, or by emailing ldpowell4congress@gmail.com.



Dr. Valerie McCray

Democrat for United States Senate

My name is Dr. Valerie McCray and I'm working hard to become your next U.S. Senator representing Indiana.

As a Psychologist, I've witnessed how U.S. policies profoundly affect the mental well-being of our people. I've worked directly with veterans struggling with PTSD, incarcerated individuals in desperate need of support and rehabilitation, and youth struggling to overcome the effects of violence. It's clear that mental health must be a national priority and we cannot address our nation's challenges one crisis at a time. That's why I'm running for U.S. Senate.

Relentlessly, I will fight for beyond-subsistence wages, unions, healthcare for all, women's rights to choose, equal rights for everyone, strengthening public education, and repealing Citizens United so people (not corporations) can be truly represented. In addition, I will champion student loan debt reduction, closing the wealth gap, and funding environmental restoration efforts.

I am both compassionate and fierce, and can relate to the struggles of working class Hoosiers. I will break barriers and build a brighter future for Indiana. Together, we can build a movement for change – one that prioritizes mental health and ensures every individual has access to resources needed and policies that help us thrive.

Connect with McCray on Facebook and at ValerieMcCray.org.



Victoria is a natural leader who has a proven track record in the business world, civic organizations and the public sector.

In many ways, she embodies the American Dream: born overseas, immigrating to the United States over 20 years ago after meeting her husband, a born and raised Hoosier, on a train in Europe, becoming a US Citizen, and working her way up from bank teller to a CPA, finance executive and successful business owner.

Growing up in socialist-controlled Ukraine, she experienced firsthand the dark side of socialism. Living through this molded her conservative political philosophy: limited government is always better, and financial and healthcare decisions should be made by individuals in the free market, not bureaucrats and special interests.

In 2020, she was elected to Congress from Indiana's 5th District. Re-elected in 2022. In an era of politicians with sound bites, Congresswoman Spartz is a policy leader who is already make a legislative difference even in her first two terms – 12 bills signed into law and many policies developed from scratch.

Connect with Spartz at SpartzForCongress.com, on Facebook, or by emailing info@spartzforcongress.com.



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LEGAL NOTICE OF PRIMARY ELECTION

The voters of HAMILTON County are notified in accordance with Indiana Code 3-8-2-19 that a primary election will be held within the county on May 7, 2024, with the polls open from 6:00 a.m. until 6:00 p.m., prevailing local time. I certify that based on the declarations of candidacy filed in the office of the county election board (or the Lake, Porter, or Tippecanoe County Boards of Elections and Registration), and the public questions certified to me by the State of Indiana or this county's election board, the following individuals and public questions will be placed on the primary election ballot:

DEMOCRATIC PARTY PRIMARY CANDIDATES

Candidate name and address	Office sought
Joseph R Biden Jr. PO Box 58174 Philadelphia, PA 19102	US President
Marc Carmichael 3251 N. Pennsylvania St. Apt. C Indianapolis, IN 46205	United States Senator from Indiana
Valerie McCray 1075 Broad Ripple Ave #220 Indianapolis, IN 46220	United States Senator from Indiana
Jennifer G. McCormick 1341 W County Road 50 N New Castle, IN 47362	Governor
Ryan Pfenninger 12928 Brighton Lane Carmel, IN 46032	United States Representative, Fifth District
Deborah A Pickett 11668 Rosemeade Dr. Carmel, IN 46032	United States Representative, Fifth District
Joel Levi 263 Alvov Court Cicero, IN 46034	State Senator, District 20
Josh Lowry 521 Jet Stream Blvd Westfield, IN 46074	State Representative, District 024
Christopher Hartig 1512 Maple Avenue Noblesville, IN 46060	State Representative, District 029
Victoria Garcia Wilburn 9277 N Temple Ave Indianapolis, IN 46240	State Representative, District 032
Matt McNally 303 Fox Court Carmel, IN 46032	State Representative, District 039
Starr Joy Hairston 10302 Lakeland St Fishers, IN 46037	State Representative, District 088
Stephanie Jo Yocum 8783 Bay Pointe Circle Indianapolis, IN 46236	State Representative, District 088
Keely J. Gladieux 4913 Rustling Ridge Ct Noblesville, IN 46062-5001	Hamilton County Council, At Large

REPUBLICAN PARTY PRIMARY CANDIDATES

Candidate name and address	Office sought
Nikki R. Haley 186 Seven Farms Drive, Suite F-370 Daniel Island, SC 29492	US President
Donald J. Trump P.O. Box 13570 Arlington, VA 22219	US President
Jim Banks 341 N. Chauncey Street Columbia City, IN 46725	United States Senator from Indiana
Mike Braun 2080 W. 600 N Jasper, IN 47546	Governor
Brad Chambers 6986 Washington Boulevard W. Indianapolis, IN 46220	Governor
Suzanne Crouch 12345 Browning Road Evansville, IN 47725	Governor
Eric Doden 8830 Notestine Road Fort Wayne, IN 46835	Governor
Curtis Hill 3314 East Lake Drive South Elkhart, IN 46514	Governor
Jamie Reitenour 6711 Colville Place Indianapolis, IN 46236	Governor
Raju Chinthala 3557 Corsham Circle Carmel, IN 46032	United States Representative, Fifth District
Max Engling P.O. Box 2151 Noblesville, IN 46061	United States Representative, Fifth District
Chuck Goodrich 6842 Harbour Woods Overlook Noblesville, IN 46062	United States Representative, Fifth District
Mark Hurt 1536 Quail Run Drive Kokomo, IN 46902	United States Representative, Fifth District
Patrick Malayter 12955 Water Ridge Drive Fishers, IN 46055	United States Representative, Fifth District
Matthew Peiffer 119 S. Dill Street Muncie, IN 47303	United States Representative, Fifth District
LD Powell 5474 Cayman Court Carmel, IN 46033	United States Representative, Fifth District
Larry L. Savage Jr. 1734 Broadway Street Anderson, IN 46012	United States Representative, Fifth District
Victoria Spartz 102 Natasha Drive Noblesville, IN 46062	United States Representative, Fifth District
Scott A. Baldwin 11360 Hanbury Manor Boulevard Noblesville, IN 46060	State Senator, District 20
Bill Gutrich 16121 Haddam Lane Westfield, IN 46062	State Representative, District 024
Hunter Smith 2140 S. US 421 Zionsville, IN 46077	State Representative, District 024
Laura L. Alerding P.O. Box 340 Noblesville, IN 46061	State Representative, District 029
Alaina Shonkwiler 344 Banbury Road Noblesville, IN 46062	State Representative, District 029
Patricia Bratton 11535 Ralston Avenue Carmel, IN 46032	State Representative, District 032
Todd Huston 13378 Silverston Drive Fishers, IN 46037	State Representative, District 037
Daniel (Danny) Lopez 4591 Camborne Carmel, IN 46033	State Representative, District 039
Chris Jeter 14611 Normandy Way Fishers, IN 46040	State Representative, District 088
Andrew R. Bloch 16126 Creeks Bend Court Westfield, IN 46074	Judge of the Hamilton Circuit Court, 24th Judicial Circuit
Michael A. Casati 3008 Woodshore Court Carmel, IN 46033	Judge of the Hamilton Superior Court, No. 1
Stephenie K. Gookins 3508 W. 206th Street Sheridan, IN 46069	Judge of the Hamilton Superior Court, No. 6
Todd Clevenger 1120 Cape Coral Dr Cicero, IN 46034-9374	Hamilton County Auditor
Robert (Bob) Bragg 404 Westchester Blvd Noblesville, IN 46062-9070	Hamilton County Treasurer
Susan Byer 10925 E 266th St Arcadia, IN 46030-9723	Hamilton County Treasurer
Gary Duncan 13129 Foster Ct Carmel, IN 46033-4615	Hamilton County Surveyor
Steven C. Dillinger Hamilton County Commissioner, District 2 19905 WAGON TRAIL DR NOBLESVILLE, IN 46060-1144	
Mark E. Heirbrandt 16121 Chancellors Ridge Way Westfield, IN 46062-7137	Hamilton County Commissioner, District 3
Brandon (Brad) Beaver 20755 Riverwood Ave Noblesville, IN 46062-8812	Hamilton County Council, At Large
Elizabeth Fouch 4949 E 246th St Arcadia, IN 46030-9668	Hamilton County Council, At Large
Sue Makl 317 2nd Ave NE Carmel, IN 46032-1813	Hamilton County Council, At Large
Steven R. Nation 6977 Willow Pond Dr Noblesville, IN 46062-8416	Hamilton County Council, At Large

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
CARMEL LIBRARY 425 E MAIN ST CARMEL IN, 46032	Open Wednesday 04/24/2024 until Thursday 04/25/2024 from 2:00PM to 7:00PM Open Friday 04/26/2024 until Saturday 04/27/2024 from 10:00AM to 3:00PM Open Wednesday 05/01/2024 until Thursday 05/02/2024 from 2:00PM to 7:00PM Open Friday 05/03/2024 until Saturday 05/04/2024 from 10:00AM to 3:00PM
COOL CREEK NATURE CENTER 2000-1 E 151ST ST CARMEL IN, 46033	Open Wednesday 04/24/2024 until Thursday 04/25/2024 from 2:00PM to 7:00PM Open Friday 04/26/2024 until Saturday 04/27/2024 from 10:00AM to 3:00PM Open Wednesday 05/01/2024 until Thursday 05/02/2024 from 2:00PM to 7:00PM Open Friday 05/03/2024 until Saturday 05/04/2024 from 10:00AM to 3:00PM
JILL PERELMAN PAVILION 3000 W 116TH ST CARMEL IN, 46032	Open Wednesday 04/24/2024 until Thursday 04/25/2024 from 2:00PM to 7:00PM Open Friday 04/26/2024 until Saturday 04/27/2024 from 10:00AM to 3:00PM Open Wednesday 05/01/2024 until Thursday 05/02/2024 from 2:00PM to 7:00PM Open Friday 05/03/2024 until Saturday 05/04/2024 from 10:00AM to 3:00PM
WILFONG PAVILION AT FOUNDERS PARK 11675 HAZEL DELL PKWY CARMEL IN, 46033	Open Wednesday 04/24/2024 until Thursday 04/25/2024 from 2:00PM to 7:00PM Open Friday 04/26/2024 until Saturday 04/27/2024 from 10:00AM to 3:00PM Open Wednesday 05/01/2024 until Thursday 05/02/2024 from 2:00PM to 7:00PM Open Friday 05/03/2024 until Saturday 05/04/2024 from 10:00AM to 3:00PM
BILLERICAY PARK BUILDING 12690 PROMISE RD FISHERS IN, 46038	Open Wednesday 04/24/2024 until Thursday 04/25/2024 from 2:00PM to 7:00PM Open Friday 04/26/2024 until Saturday 04/27/2024 from 10:00AM to 3:00PM Open Wednesday 05/01/2024 until Thursday 05/02/2024 from 2:00PM to 7:00PM Open Friday 05/03/2024 until Saturday 05/04/2024 from 10:00AM to 3:00PM
ROY G HOLLAND MEMORIAL PARK BUILDING 1 PARK DRIVE FISHERS IN, 46038	Open Wednesday 04/24/2024 until Thursday 04/25/2024 from 2:00PM to 7:00PM Open Friday 04/26/2024 until Saturday 04/27/2024 from 10:00AM to 3:00PM Open Wednesday 05/01/2024 until Thursday 05/02/2024 from 2:00PM to 7:00PM Open Friday 05/03/2024 until Saturday 05/04/2024 from 10:00AM to 3:00PM
HAMILTON COUNTY ELECTION OFFICE ONE HAMILTON COUNTY SQUARE NOBLESVILLE IN, 460602233	Open Tuesday 04/09/2024 until Friday 04/12/2024 from 8:00AM to 4:30PM Open Monday 04/15/2024 until Friday 04/19/2024 from 8:00AM to 4:30PM Open Monday 04/22/2024 until Friday 04/26/2024 from 8:00AM to 4:30PM Open Saturday 04/27/2024 until Saturday 04/27/2024 from 9:00AM to 4:00PM Open Monday 04/29/2024 until Friday 05/03/2024 from 8:00AM to 4:30PM Open Saturday 05/04/2024 until Saturday 05/04/2024 from 9:00AM to 4:00PM Open Monday 05/06/2024 until Monday 05/06/2024 from 8:00AM to 12:00PM
HAMILTON COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS 2003 PLEASANT STREET NOBLESVILLE IN, 46060	Open Tuesday 04/09/2024 until Friday 04/12/2024 from 9:00AM to 4:00PM Open Monday 04/15/2024 until Friday 04/19/2024 from 9:00AM to 4:00PM Open Monday 04/22/2024 until Saturday 04/27/2024 from 9:00AM to 4:00PM Open Monday 04/29/2024 until Saturday 05/04/2024 from 9:00AM to 4:00PM Open Monday 05/06/2024 until Monday 05/06/2024 from 8:00AM to 12:00PM
WESTFIELD CITY HALL 130 E PENN ST WESTFIELD IN, 46074	Open Wednesday 04/24/2024 until Thursday 04/25/2024 from 2:00PM to 7:00PM Open Friday 04/26/2024 until Saturday 04/27/2024 from 10:00AM to 3:00PM Open Wednesday 05/01/2024 until Thursday 05/02/2024 from 2:00PM to 7:00PM Open Friday 05/03/2024 until Saturday 05/04/2024 from 10:00AM to 3:00PM

DATED, THIS 22nd DAY OF MARCH, 2024.
Kathy Kream Williams, Circuit Court Clerk



2024 PRIMARY POLL SITES							
Site Name	Voting Location	Address	Add City/State/Zip	Precinct 1	Precinct 2	Precinct 3	Precinct 4
Sheridan Community Center	Sheridan Room	300 E 6th St	Sheridan IN, 46069	0101 Sheridan 01			
Sheridan High School	HS Conference Room	24185 N Hinesley Rd	Sheridan IN, 46069	0102 Sheridan 02			
Six Points Church	Main Lobby	1545 W 226th St	Sheridan IN, 46069	0103 Sheridan 03			
Sheridan Town Hall	Meeting Room	506 S Main St	Sheridan IN, 46069	0104 Sheridan 04			
Hope Church	Fellowship Hall	2500 E 98th St	Carmel IN, 46280	0201 Clay 01	0240 Clay 40		
Brookshire Golf Club	Banquet Room	12120 Brookshire Pkwy	Carmel IN, 46033	0202 Clay 02			
Christ Community Church	Lobby/Sanctuary	4770 E Main St	Carmel IN, 46033	0203 Clay 03	0207 Clay 07	0253 Clay 53	
The Meeting House of West Clay	Second Floor	2000 North New Market	Carmel IN, 46032	0204 Clay 04	0262 Clay 62*	0263 Clay 63	0267 Clay 67
Pilgrim Lutheran Church	Fellowship Hall	3650 W 106th St	Carmel IN, 46032	0205 Clay 05	0268 Clay 68		
Orchard Park Presbyterian Church	Lounge/Main Street	1605 E 106th St	Carmel IN, 46280	0206 Clay 06	0212 Clay 12	243 Clay 43	
Carmel United Methodist Church	Gathering Place	621 S Rangeline Rd	Carmel IN, 46032	0208 Clay 08	0220 Clay 20		
Trinity Baptist Church	Gym	1010 E 126th St	Carmel IN, 46033	0209 Clay 09	0247 Clay 47		
Chinese Community Church of Indianapolis	Gym	3405 E 116th St	Carmel IN, 46033	0210 Clay 10	0238 Clay 38		
Carmel Friends Church	Lobby	651 W Main St	Carmel IN, 46032	0211 Clay 11	0232 Clay 32		
Mercy Road Church	Lobby	2381 Pointe Pkwy	Carmel IN, 46032	0213 Clay 13	0214 Clay 14		
John Hensel Government Center	Community Room	10701 N College Ave	Carmel IN, 46280	0215 Clay 15	0219 Clay 19	230 Clay 30	
Genesis Church	Lobby	13200 Old Meridian St	Carmel IN, 46032	0217 Clay 17	0241 Clay 41		
College Park Church	Gym	2606 W 96th St	Indianapolis IN 46268	0222 Clay 22	0228 Clay 28	0261 Clay 61	
Plum Creek Golf Club	Banquet Room	12401 Lynnwood Blvd	Carmel IN, 46033	0223 Clay 23			
Northview Church - Carmel	Atrium	12900 Hazel Dell Pkwy	Carmel IN, 46033	0224 Clay 24	0255 Clay 55		
Carmel Water Distribution	Truck Bays	3450 W 131st St	Carmel IN, 46033	0227 Clay 27	0233 Clay 33	0254 Clay 54	
Carmel High School Stadium	Community/Hospitality Room	2900 E 136th St	Carmel IN, 46032	0229 Clay 29			
Ritz Charles	Ballroom, Chapel, Pavilion	12156 N Meridian St	Carmel IN, 46032	0231 Clay 31	0237 Clay 37	0257 Clay 57	
Venture Christian Church	Auditorium	14501 Hazel Dell Pkwy	Carmel, IN 46033	0235 Clay 35	0249 Clay 49		
Harvest Church	Lobby	14550 River Rd	Carmel, IN 46033	0236 Clay 36	0265 Clay 65		
Foster Estates Clubhouse	Clubhouse	3131 Maralice Dr	Carmel IN, 46033	0239 Clay 39			
St. Elizabeth Seton Catholic Church	Ministry Room B108- B110	10655 Haverstick Rd	Carmel IN, 46033	0242 Clay 42	0251 Clay 51		
Bethlehem Lutheran Church	Fellowship Hall	1484 W Main St	Carmel IN, 46032	0246 Clay 46	0270 Clay 70		
Carmel Clay Schools Educational Services Ctr	Public Meeting Room	5201 E Main St	Carmel IN, 46033	0248 Clay 48	0259 Clay 59		
Wilfong Pavilion at Founders Park	Room A & B	11675 Hazel Dell Pkwy	Carmel IN, 46033	0258 Clay 58	0260 Clay 60		
Jill Perelman Pavilion	Room A, B, & C	3000 W 116th St	Carmel IN, 46032	0256 Clay 56*	0266 Clay 66*	0269 Clay 69	0271 Clay 71
Carmel Library*		425 E Main St	Carmel IN 46033	0252 Clay 52*	0264 Clay 64*		
Prairie View Christian Church	Sanctuary	8350 E 141st St	Fishers IN, 46038	0301 Delaware 01	0302 Delaware 02	0317 Delaware 17	
Roy G. Holland Memorial Park Building	One Main Space	1 Park Dr	Fishers IN, 46038	0303 Delaware 03	0306 Delaware 06	0310 Delaware 10	
Delaware Township Community Center - Back	Inside Building	9094 E 131st St	Fishers IN 46038	0304 Delaware 04	0305 Delaware 05	0308 Delaware 08*	0322 Delaware 22
The Balmoral House	Main Floor	10101 Hamilton Hills Ln, Ste 100	Fishers IN, 46038	0307 Delaware 07	0314 Delaware 14*	0315 Delaware 15	0325 Delaware 25
Delaware Township Government Center - Front	Inside Building	9090 East 131st Street	Fishers, IN 46038	0309 Delaware 09	0318 Delaware 18		
The Historic Ambassador House	Front Family Room	10598 Eller Rd	Fishers, IN 46038	0312 Delaware 12	0313 Delaware 13	0321 Delaware 21	
Shirley Brothers Fishers-Castleton Chapel	Chapel	9900 N Allisonville Rd	Fishers IN 46038	0316 Delaware 16			
Eastern Star Church	Chapel	8850 E 106th St	Fishers IN 46037	0319 Delaware 19	0409 Fall Creek 09		
Fishers Fire Station 91	1st Floor Training Room	2 Municipal Dr	Fishers, IN 46038	0320 Delaware 20			
Alderman Automotive	Customer Waiting Room	13875 Trade Center Dr	Fishers IN, 46038	0323 Delaware 23			
Northview Church - Fishers Campus	Student Center	14842 E 136th St	Fishers IN, 46037	0401 Fall Creek 01	0413 Fall Creek 13	0428 Fall Creek 28	0442 Fall Creek 42
Legacy Bible Church	Foyer	13490 Howe Rd	Fishers, IN 46038	0402 Fall Creek 02	0430 Fall Creek 30	0432 Fall Creek 32	0440 Fall Creek 40
St George Orthodox Christian Church	ground level Fellowship Hall	10748 E 116th St	Fishers IN, 46037	0403 Fall Creek 03	0408 Fall Creek 08	0422 Fall Creek 22*	0429 Fall Creek 29
Indianapolis Yacht Club	Main Hall	12900 Fall Creek Rd	McCordsville, IN 46055	0404 Fall Creek 04	0421 Fall Creek 21		
Pennington Park Church	Church Lobby	13222 E 126th St	Fishers, IN 46037	0405 Fall Creek 05	0410 Fall Creek 10	0411 Fall Creek 11	
Al-Huda Foundation	Gym	12213 Lantern Rd	Fishers IN, 46038	0406 Fall Creek 06	0407 Fall Creek 07		
Fall Creek Township Building #2	Basement	11565 Brooks School Rd	Fishers IN 46037	0412 Fall Creek 12			
Life Church - Fishers	Worship Center	9820 E 141st St	Fishers IN, 46038	0414 Fall Creek 14	0416 Fall Creek 16	0436 Fall Creek 36	
Cornerstone Lutheran Church - Fishers	Hallway - East Side	13450 E 116th St	Fishers IN, 46037	0415 Fall Creek 15	0426 Fall Creek 26	0433 Fall Creek 33	0444 Fall Creek 44
Billerica Park Building	Main Hall	12690 Promise Rd	Fishers IN, 46038	0417 Fall Creek 17	0418 Fall Creek 18	0424 Fall Creek 24	0443 Fall Creek 43
Crosspoint Church	Inside front doors	13678 Silverstone Dr	Fishers IN, 46037	0419 Fall Creek 19	0423 Fall Creek 23	0434 Fall Creek 34	
Grace Church - Fishers	Room 122	12450 Ohio Rd	Fishers IN, 46037	0420 Fall Creek 20	0425 Fall Creek 25	0441 Fall Creek 41	
Cyntheanne Christian Church	Youth Center Gym	13151 Cyntheanne Rd	Fishers IN 46037	0427 Fall Creek 27	0435 Fall Creek 35		
Fall Creek Township Office	Community Room	11595 Brooks School Rd	Fishers IN, 46037	0431 Fall Creek 31	0439 Fall Creek 39		
The Chateau @ Britton Falls	Ballroom A-C	13079 Del Webb Pkwy	Fishers, IN 46037	0437 Fall Creek 37			
Arcadia Town Hall	Schaffer Room	208 W Main St	Arcadia IN 46030	0501 Jackson 01			
Arcadia Church of the Brethren	Fellowship Hall	8989 E 266th St	Arcadia IN 46030	0502 Jackson 02			
Dolles Park Shelter House	Main Room	130 Walton St	Atlanta IN, 46031	0503 Jackson 03			
Hinkle Lodge #310	First Floor	22520 Gifford Ave	Cicero IN 46034	0504 Jackson 04			
Cicero Street Department	Garage	1159 Stringtown Pike	Cicero IN 46034	0505 Jackson 05			
Cicero Christian Church	Gym	1715 Stringtown Pike	Cicero IN 46034	0506 Jackson 06			
Cicero Library - Hamilton North	Jenkins Meeting Room	209 W Brinton St	Cicero IN 46034	0507 Jackson 07			
Red Bridge Community Building	Main Room	695 W Jackson St	Cicero IN 46034	0508 Jackson 08			
Bethel Lutheran Church	Fellowship Hall	20650 Cumberland Rd	Noblesville IN 46062	0601 Noblesville 01*	0615 Noblesville 15		
Harbour Shores Church	Family Life Center	8011 E 216th St	Cicero IN 46034	0602 Noblesville 02	0624 Noblesville 24		
Noblesville Fire Station 76	Apparatus Bay	16800 Hazel Dell Rd	Noblesville IN 46062	0603 Noblesville 03			
Noblesville Baptist Church	Gymnasium	1338 Pleasant St	Noblesville IN 46060	0604 Noblesville 04	0640 Noblesville 40		
Forest Park Inn	Overlook Room	701 Cicero Rd	Noblesville IN, 46060	0605 Noblesville 05	0610 Noblesville 10*		
The Mill Church	Lobby	1399 Greenfield Ave	Noblesville IN, 46060	0606 Noblesville 06	0626 Noblesville 26		
Life Church - Noblesville	Auditorium	2200 Sheridan Rd	Noblesville IN, 46062	0607 Noblesville 07	0617 Noblesville 17*	0627 Noblesville 27	0636 Noblesville 36
First Christian Church	Narthex	16377 Herriman Blvd	Noblesville IN, 46060	0608 Noblesville 08	0621 Noblesville 21*	0639 Noblesville 39	
First Presbyterian Church	Fellowship Hall	1207 Conner St	Noblesville IN, 46060	0609 Noblesville 09			
Pilgrim Holiness Church - Family Life Center	Conference Room	1413 Westfield Rd	Noblesville IN, 46062	0611 Noblesville 11	0631 Noblesville 31*		
Hamilton County Government/Judicial Center	West Hallway, 1st Floor	1 Hamilton County Square	Noblesville IN, 46060	0612 Noblesville 12			
Forest Park Lodge	Main Room	701 Cicero Rd	Noblesville IN 46060	0613 Noblesville 13*			
Harbour Trees Golf Club	Ballroom	333 Regents Park Ln	Noblesville, IN 46062	0614 Noblesville 14			
Osprey Pointe Pavilion @ Morse Beach	Entire Building	19777 Morse Park Ln	Noblesville IN, 46062	0616 Noblesville 16*	0623 Noblesville 23		
Grey Stone of Noblesville	Clubroom	7160 Oxfordshire Blvd	Noblesville, IN 46062	0618 Noblesville 18			
Green Valley Church of Christ	Gymnasium	19005 Cumberland Rd	Noblesville IN 46060	0619 Noblesville 19	0629 Noblesville 29	0637 Noblesville 37*	
Senior Citizens Organization	Main Room	18336 Cumberland Rd	Noblesville, IN 46060	0620 Noblesville 20			
Talent Logistix & Feedingteam.org	Back Lobby	415 Sheridan Rd	Noblesville, IN 46060	0622 Noblesville 22			
White Rock Fellowship	Worship Center	20870 Schulley Rd	Noblesville IN, 46062	0625 Noblesville 25			
Noblesville Fire Station 75	Apparatus Bay	10170 E 191st St	Noblesville IN, 46060	0628 Noblesville 28			
Bethel A.M.E. Church	Foyer	17777 Little Chicago Rd	Noblesville IN, 46062	0630 Noblesville 30	0634 Noblesville 34	0642 Noblesville 42	
Hamilton County Fairgrounds	Hall C	2003 E Pleasant St	Noblesville IN, 46060	0632 Noblesville 32	0638 Noblesville 38		
Grace Church - 146th St Campus	Multi-Purpose East (door 12)	5504 E 146th St	Noblesville IN, 46062	0633 Noblesville 33	0641 Noblesville 41		
Hamilton East Public Library	Meeting Room 1st Floor	One Library Plaza	Noblesville IN 46060	0644 Noblesville 44			
Westfield City Hall	Council Chambers (front)	130 E Penn St	Westfield IN, 46074	0701 Westfield 01			
Cross Roads Church @ Westfield	Auditorium	19201 Grassy Branch Rd	Westfield IN, 46074	0702 Westfield 02*	0715 Westfield 15	0728 Westfield 28	0729 Westfield 29
Lifepointe Church	Right corridor	3233 W 166th St	Westfield IN, 46074	0703 Westfield 03	0723 Westfield 23		
The Palomino	Arabian Room	17111 Hamilton Boone Rd	Westfield IN, 46074	0704 Westfield 04			
The Clubhouse at Chatham Hills	Gymnasium	1100 Chatham Hills Blvd	Westfield IN 46074	0705 Westfield 05			
Countryside Clubhouse	Main Room	250 E 169th St	Westfield IN, 46074	0706 Westfield 06	0716 Westfield 16*		
North Circle Church	Main Auditorium	20101 Grassy Branch	Westfield IN 46074	0707 Westfield 07			
Smith Memorial Complex @ Union Bible College	Gymnasium	208 College Ave	Westfield IN, 46074	0708 Westfield 08	0721 Westfield 21	0730 Westfield 30	
Village Farms Clubhouse	Clubhouse	453 Greyhound Pass	Carmel IN, 46032	0709 Westfield 09	0712 Westfield 12	0722 Westfield 22*	
Cool Creek Park Nature Center	Auditorium	2000-1 E 151st St	Carmel IN, 46033	0710 Westfield 10*	0711 Westfield 11	0713 Westfield 13	0724 Westfield 24
Epiphany Evangelical Lutheran Church	Fellowship Hall	15605 Ditch Rd	Westfield IN, 46074	0714 Westfield 14	0718 Westfield 18		
The Fuel Church	Lobby	18686 Eagletown Rd	Westfield IN 46074	0717 Westfield 17	0731 Westfield 31		
Village Park Bible Methodist Church	Conference Room	219 W 161st St	Westfield IN, 46074	0719 Westfield 19	0720 Westfield 20	0725 Westfield 25	0726 Westfield 26
Thrive Christian Church	Lobby	15091 Towne Rd	Westfield, IN 46074	0727 Westfield 27			
Clarksville Christian Church	Basement	16600 Lehr St	Noblesville IN, 46060	0801 Wayne 01			
Refuge Christian Church	Main Hall	11772 E 196th St	Noblesville IN 46060	0802 Wayne 02			
Wayne Township Government Center	Community Room	18441 Durbin Rd	Noblesville, IN 46060	0803 Wayne 03	0807 Wayne 07		
Noblesville Fire Station 77	Apparatus Bay	15251 Ohio Rd	Noblesville IN, 46060	0804 Wayne 04	0805 Wayne 05		
White River Township Community Building	Big Room	12695 E 256th St	Cicero IN 46034	0901 White River			

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Commissioners of Hamilton County has approved these locations as voting places for the Primary Election to be held in Hamilton County, Indiana on Tuesday, May 7, 2024. Polls will be open from 6:00 am to 6:00 p.m. Dated this 23rd day of February 2024.
Kathy Kreag Williams, Clerk of the Hamilton Circuit Court

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