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# Saturday scholarship surprise

*Fishers graduate gets college help in mother's memory*

By GRACE GREEN  
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The Indiana Donor Network (IDN) Foundation presented Fishers High School graduate Lainey Akins with a surprise academic scholarship on Saturday, June 7.

IDN facilitates organ and tissue donation in Indiana and acts as a link between donors and those who are waiting for a transplant. The IDN Foundation usually awards five scholarships a year totaling \$25,000. This year, the Foundation was able to give seven scholarships.

The scholarships are open to a variety of individuals involved with IDN.

"This particular scholarship is available for immediate family members of donor heroes, as well as to families whose loved ones are either a transplant recipient or a patient who is waiting," Courtney Tillotta, chair of IDN's scholarship committee, said. "It could also be a transplant recipient themselves, or a patient who is waiting."

Akins' connection to IDN is through her mother, Rinda Akins, a tissue donor hero.

The selection process considers a variety of factors when picking recipients.

"There is academic criteria that is involved in judging, as well as their extracurricular involvement, volunteering in the community, those kinds of things are also taken into account," Tillotta said.

Akins played rugby for Fishers and was also a soccer referee, which are only a few of the reasons why her application stood out to IDN.

"It was a combination of her



Photos provided (ABOVE, from left) Chloe (sister), Tony (father), Lainey, and Kelsey Akins (sister). (BELOW, from left) Courtney Tillotta, manager of aftercare services for Indiana Donor Network and leader of Indiana Donor Network Foundation's annual scholarship program; Lainey Akins; and Christine Ryan, aftercare support coordinator at Indiana Donor Network.

essay, her academic achievements, and her involvement in school, the community and volunteering," Tillotta said.

To surprise Akins, IDN came to her graduation party to present her with the scholarship.

"We were able to arrive a little early and present her award," Tillotta said. "It was really beautiful. It was an intimate moment with her immediate family."

Akins was indeed surprised. "It was really cool," Akins said. "When they came in, I wasn't expecting it at all. I loved that my family was there because they got to see me accept it and take pictures."

Akins earned the first-place scholarship of \$7,000 and although she can't reapply for the scholarship again, she plans to stay involved with IDN.

"They mentioned that there would be opportunities for in-



ternships or jobs, which I am going to do because I think it would be really cool to get some experience in the field," Akins said.

Akins plans to study nursing at Ball State University in the fall and will use the scholarship as a way to honor her mom.

"She always valued her education and wanted us to pursue higher education," Akins said.

"I think it's really going to help with supporting my funds for college."

Motivated to help others, the Akins family chose tissue donation as a way to honor her memory.

"We thought that even if she couldn't support us for the rest of her life that she would still be able to help other people," Akins said.

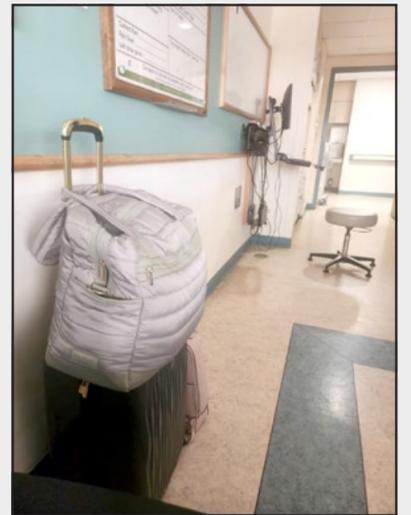


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## Packing Faith

*She will have no fear of bad news; her heart is steadfast, trusting in the Lord. Psalm 112:7*

I watched my friend as she walked into the hospital this week. She was entering a battle she never imagined fighting.

As I parked the car, I prayed, "Please, Lord..."

Her bags were stuffed for a several-week stay. She carried a heavy load in her luggage, but even more so in her mind and heart. Cancer does that.

What she carried, which could not be seen, was her Faith. Her Faith had been proven time and time again. It made her the strong woman she is today.

The scriptures remind her of who God is in her life. Her history with God has proven His word to be true. Her life hasn't been easy, but God has been faithful.

*I sought the Lord and He answered me; he delivered me from all my fears. Psalms 34:4*

She knows the scriptures, which are full of hope and comfort. During this part of her journey, they will become soft pillows at night and life vests during the day.

My friend can name a hymn in five notes. She knows the words to just about every Bill Gaither song. So many times, she raised her hand as she sang "The Goodness of God."

As a child, she chose to be a follower of Jesus. Her faith would give her strength she never knew was possible or that she would need.

In the days ahead, she will need to remember the times she has seen God's goodness, especially in the hard places.

Today, her gratitude sits with her sorrow there in that hospital room. We both question, "Why God?" Why this? Why now?

Why do bad things happen to good people? The truth is ... I don't know. I've asked that question time and time again, throughout my adult life. Even without an answer, I've held onto my Faith, and so has my friend.

As I sat in that hospital room this week watching doctors, nurses, and therapists come and go, I saw it – the Goodness of God. I heard their soft, caring words describing what the next few weeks would be like. They reassured her they would walk this journey alongside her and help her fight this battle.

Even as I write, the chemo drugs are being administered. They will rage against the cancer. I pray my friend feels the love and prayers of all of us who love her.

This is hard. I want to make it all better for her. I brought her a small soft blanket and prayed over it. Later, I'll head to the

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JANET HART LEONARD  
 From the Hart

# She won the trip to Florida, but she earned the healthy life

By STU CLAMPITT  
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Barbara Campbell is going on an all-expense-paid trip to Florida, more than 70 pounds lighter and immeasurably happier with her life. Thanks in part to the many readers of The Reporter who voted for her, Campbell won the national Medi-Weightloss Transformation Vacation Getaway. There are 108 Medi-Weightloss locations in 28 states, and thousands of other people were involved in this contest.

Campbell worked with the team at the Noblesville/Fishers Medi-Weightloss Clinic, 14350 Mundy Drive #500, Noblesville, and was able to reverse obesity, elevated triglycerides, pre-diabetes symptoms, and metabolic syndrome on a safe, medically supervised program.

Campbell told The Reporter she is grateful for all the support she had to make both the win

*"If you're not mentally ready to do anything there is no program in the world that's going to help you."*  
 – Barb Campbell

and the weight loss happen.

"When it comes down to it, quite honestly, it wasn't it's not based on the amount of weight loss because there were people that lost a lot more than I did," Campbell said. "I think it was really based on the story and social media. At the end of the day I have a lot of people that got out there and voted for me. I felt the love."

Campbell credits her husband, Editorial Cartoonist Tim Campbell, with the support that helped her reach her goal. She also gives credit to the fine folks at Pasto Italiano, 3150 E. State Road 32, Westfield.

"Tim was very very supportive, and I know it was hard for him," Campbell said. "Kent and



Photos provided Because she took an axe to her BMI, Barb Campbell and her husband Tim (Chaplin, above right) will soon be enjoying their trip to Florida.

Patsy [former owners of Pasto Italiano] and the girls up there held me accountable. They even helped me with my choices of what I was eating up there. That was helpful. I didn't even have to think about it. They just knew 'Barb can't have x, y, and z. This is what she can have.' If you don't have that support system,

that can also break you as well. I didn't want to let them down either because they knew how hard I had worked."

Campbell said it was a mental journey as much as a physical one.

"It's probably one of the hardest things I've ever done in

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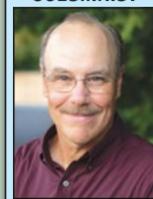
## Westfield's Anti-slavery Friends Cemetery Tour

The roots of the American Civil War grew deep in the soil of Hamilton County 200 years ago. Indiana was a free state – one that did not allow slavery to exist within its borders. However, that did not mean that everyone in the state was an abolitionist – far from it.

It has been 160 years since slavery was outlawed by the Thirteenth Amendment. How did the residents of Hamilton County play a role in the slavery debate? Let's take a look back at our history.

On July 13, 1787, a very significant paper was signed by the leaders

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KEVIN YANEY  
 History Right Here

of the fledgling government of the United States. The Northwest Ordinance was a document that defined how the territory that eventually made up all or part of six states was to be governed, how the land would be divided, and defined the rights of the people living there. Indiana was one of those states. In particular, the Northwest Ordinance banned slavery in the territory, but did not prohibit fugitives from slavery from being captured and returned to their owners in other states.

Those two items would come into conflict right here in Hamilton Coun-

ty, Ind., in the decades that followed.

As land deeds were parceled out to pioneers who settled in the Territory, a group of Christians from the Society of Friends, or Quakers, began to show up in the early part of the 19th century.

Quakers believed in hard work and living simple lives. Many of them were farmers. They were non-violent and they believed strongly in helping the downtrodden. They had come to a belief that no one should be enslaved by another. Those Quakers who were living in states where slavery was legal – particularly Virginia and North Carolina – were attracted to the Northwest Territory because of its prohibition of slavery. So were other Christians who had anti-slavery leanings.

However, some of these Christians had taken their anti-slavery beliefs to another level. One of those was George Boxley who, in 1816, was living in Virginia and was arrested and accused of leading a slave rebellion. He was found guilty and sentenced to be hanged. As the story goes, his wife sewed a saw blade in the hem of her dress and went to see her husband in jail. The night before he was to be executed, George Boxley cut his way out of his jail cell and escaped. After several years on the lam, George and his family settled in Hamilton County in 1828. The Boxley cabin was built over a rather large cellar.

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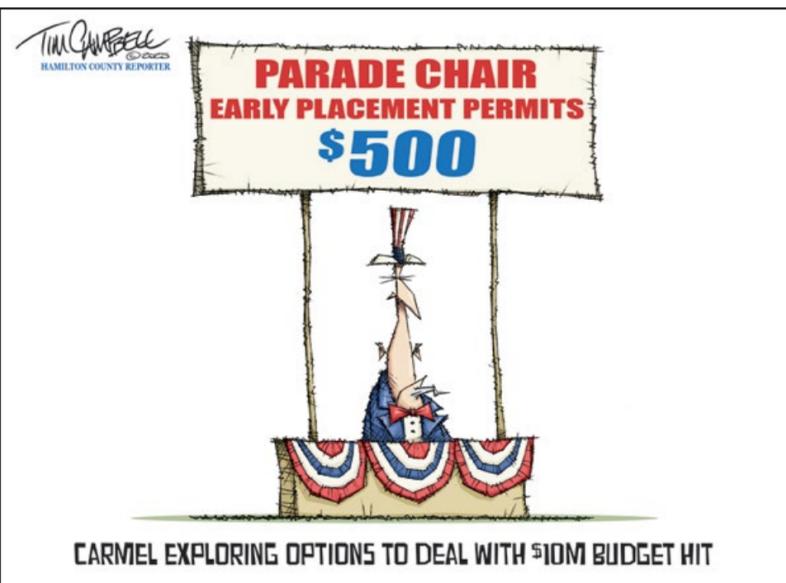


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A three-day mini camp returned for its fourth year to offer students entering grades 4 through 8 the opportunity to have fun while connecting with local professionals who serve the school district and community with law enforcement and emergency services.

## Hamilton Heights Mini Camp inspires, educates & engages students

### Submitted

The Hamilton Heights Youth Assistance Program (HHYAP) and the Hamilton County Sheriff's Office School Resource Officers (SRO) teamed up once again to host the fourth annual mini camp at Hamilton Heights Elementary School in Arcadia.

This three-day interactive camp welcomed nearly 30 students entering grades 4 through 8, offering them a unique and exciting way to kick off their summer.

Guest presenters included representatives from the Hamilton County Sheriff's Office, the Hamilton County SWAT team, Jim Ginder, Health Education Specialist at the Hamilton County

Health Department, and Emily Beechler, Secondary Instructional Coach at Hamilton Heights. These presenters captivated and inspired students through demonstrations, presentations, interactive activities, services, and games designed to educate and engage.

"The camp provided a meaningful opportunity for Heights' SROs and YAP staff to connect with students, build relationships, and enjoy time together while learning more about the emergency and law enforcement services that support their school and community," Mary Ann Haymaker said. "We look forward to this event every year!"

Thank you to Hamilton Heights SROs Josh Ireland, Jon Tindal, and Kevin Neal and HHYAP's Mary Ann Haymaker for leading this year's camp.

Special thanks to the Hamilton County Sheriff's Office, Jim Ginder (Hamilton County Health Department), Emily Beechler (Hamilton Heights School Corporation), and these incredible volunteers: Nicole Prater, Rachel Baldwin, Cassandra Whitesell (Hamilton County Juvenile Department), and Summer Bailey (HHYAP).

The camp is traditionally held the first or second week of June. Camp signups take place in May.



Photos provided by Westfield Lions Club

(LEFT, from left) Council Chair Julia Kozicki, Carrie Larrison, Jacqui Lloyd, Dennis Lloyd, Cheryl Hochgesang, and Linda Hallett. (RIGHT, from left) Jeff Larrison, Dan Stevens, and Past District Governor Bob Benson.

## Westfield Lions hear about middle schoolers' D.C. trip, induct four new members & install officers

By JEFF LARRISON  
Westfield Lions Club

At the Westfield Lions' June 5 program night meeting, four Westfield Middle School (WMS) students gave presentations on their class trip to Washington, D.C., this past spring.

Each year, the Lions sponsor one student from each of the WMS teams to attend the trip. For years there were only two teams, but as Westfield has grown, so has the number of teams at WMS. They are now up to five teams, and the Lions continue to sponsor one from each of them.

Neel Patel, Estelle Stroup, Angelina Parrish, and Scarlett Finnigan each talked about their experiences during the trip and what really stood out to them. They each also thanked the

Lions for the opportunity they were given to go on the trip.

Along with hearing from the middle schoolers, the Lions also installed the Club's 2025-2026 officers. Council Chair Julia Kozicki from the Noblesville Lions Club administered the oaths to Craig Cooley (president), Gary Smith (1st vice president), Chris Bluto (2nd vice president), Keith Sanborn (treasurer), Jeff Larrison (secretary), Ron Mangus (Lion Tamer), Tom Balchik (Tail Twister). The Directors are Rodney Benson, Bill Nesbitt, Mark Hallett, and Ted Engelbrecht.

Also at the meeting, the



Club welcomed four new Lions. Dan Stevens (sponsored by Jeff Larrison), Jacqui and Dennis Lloyd (sponsored by Carrie Larrison), and Cheryl Hochgesang (sponsored by Linda Hallett) are now members of the longest-serving service club in Hamilton County. The Westfield Lions are now up to 72 members, and they continue to look for more to help them serve the citizens of Westfield and Hamilton County.

To find out more about the Westfield Lions Club and how to become a member, go to [Westfield-Lions.org](http://Westfield-Lions.org).

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store to purchase some of her favorite healthy candy bars. I told her I was not familiar with healthy ones. We laugh.

Sometimes, we sit in silence. Words don't have to be spoken. Sometimes, it's just our presence that speaks volumes. When I turned over my calendar and looked at June, I saw nothing on my agenda for three weeks. That never happens. On Friday, I got the call. I knew God had kept those days open so I could be there with my friend.

I admit I have asked God why, told Him it's unfair, and been angry. The Bible tells me Job asked why, as did David, Habakkuk, and others. We may not be given answers to the questions, but we are taught who God is. I'm no theologian. I've just lived long enough and been through enough to know that I know — God is a good God.

Even my anger does not surprise God. God's way of thinking is not my way. Scripture tells me not to lean on my understanding.

Trust in the Lord with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding. Proverbs 3:3-5 NIV

Faith was packed on Tuesday. It was invisible but beautiful.

I believe we will see the Goodness of God in many ways. You may even hear us singing on the sixth floor of the hospital. With every breath that we are able, we will sing of the Goodness of God.

If you could whisper a prayer ... Please, Lord, be with Janet's friend, Barb.

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## EARNED

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my life, but it's been so well worth it," Campbell said. "I was on the floor today with my granddaughter, and I got up off the floor with her in my arms with no help — not holding on to a wall, not holding on to a piece of furniture. I could not have done that two years ago. It's all mental, you know. If you're not mentally ready to do anything there is no program in the world that's going to help you."

Campbell said once she made that choice, Medi-Weightloss staff went above and beyond to help her.

"They saw me as a person," Campbell said. "I wasn't just a cash cow coming in to get on a scale, then pay you money and you tell me you know how bad I am because of my habits. It wasn't like a shock system — it was all baby steps. They were holding me accountable, but it wasn't unreasonable. They saw me for me, and I got to know everybody. They're there to support you, and that made all the difference."

Campbell has successfully maintained her weight loss with weekly visits to Medi-Weightloss for ongoing counseling and support.

Recent lab work revealed her triglycerides are normal and she is no longer pre-diabetic. The program has enabled her to not only drop unwanted pounds, but to dramatically improve her health in the process.

"We're thrilled that our patient, Barbara Campbell, was voted the Transformation Vacation Getaway winner by Medi-Weightloss patients nationwide," Noblesville/Fishers Medi-Weightloss Owners John and Margaret Baranowski said. "Barbara's desire to reach her personal wellness goal in time for her daughter's wedding inspired her weight loss journey and was relatable to many. She was determined to get healthy and chose Medi-Weightloss Noblesville/Fishers to help her lose weight safely and keep it off by making sustainable lifestyle changes."

On her trip to Florida, Campbell will attend a professional photo shoot at the Medi-Weightloss headquarters. Keep reading The Reporter for some forthcoming Florida photos.

You can learn about Medi-Weightloss and perhaps choose to start your own journey to a more healthy life online at [mediweightloss.com](http://mediweightloss.com). You can visit the very location that helped Campbell at 14350 Mundy Drive #500, Noblesville.

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Hamilton Heights High School was among just 22 high schools in the state to be named the recipient of the 2024-25 High School All-Music Award for the achievements in the band department by the Indiana State School Music Association. This recognition is a history-making first for the Hamilton Heights Music Department.

# Heights Band makes history with ISSMA All-Music Award

Submitted by Hamilton Heights School Corporation

The incredible student musicians at Hamilton Heights High School (HHHS) have received the prestigious 2024-2025 ISSMA All-Music Award – a history-making first for the music department.

This honor is awarded

ed to schools that achieve Gold/Superior ratings in every area of performance throughout the school year, including the marching band, solo and ensemble, jazz band, and concert band. This recognition celebrates not just musical excellence, but commitment, teamwork, and passion.

“This outstanding achievement is a testament to the dedication, talent, and hard work of every member of our band program – our Marching Huskies, the solo and ensemble members who advanced to state, our jazz band, and our concert band,” HHHS Band Director Mark Snelson. “Each of

our musicians played a vital role in making this moment possible, and we couldn’t be prouder!”

Congratulations to dedicated music educators Mark Snelson (Band Director), Billy Cox (Assistant Band Director), and the amazing young musicians for this well-earned recognition.



Photo by Jen Kauffman

Connor James, CTE Business and Preparing for College and Careers Teacher and Reaching New Heights Contact at HHMS, was selected as the corporation’s Teacher of the Year. He will represent Heights at the State Teacher of the Year competition in Indianapolis this fall. (From left) Cameron James (brother), Lorri James (mother), Michael James (son), Megan James (wife), and Connor James.

# Connor James named Hamilton Heights’ Teacher of the Year

Submitted by Hamilton Heights School Corporation

Hamilton Heights School Corporation recently announced that Connor James has been selected as its Teacher of the Year.

James is the CTE Business and Preparing For College and Careers Teacher at Hamilton Heights Middle School. He is also the Reaching New Heights Contact. He was among three outstanding professionals from the district nominated as the top pick for their building this year. He will represent Hamilton Heights at the state Teacher of the Year competition in Indianapolis in the fall.

In addition to James, this year’s building-level nominees included Erin Spaulding (Heights Elementary School, Kindergarten Teacher) and

Landi Lockwood (Heights High School, Science Teacher). Honorees for the Building Level Support Staff of the Year were Natalie Watson Barnett (HHES, Instructional Assistant), Joelle Bolen (HHMS, Instructional Assistant – HBM Mosaics), and Lori Rickey (HHHS, Instruction). Tyler Stewart (HHSC Facilities Manager) was recognized as the first District Level Support Staff Member of the Year.

James, who begins his fifth year at HHMS in August, is deeply committed to building a strong curriculum that fosters essential communication skills, encourages problem-solving, and broadens students’ perspectives. His work goes beyond the

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# County thanks Ward, Habig & Clover for decades of service



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The Hamilton County Commissioners recognized three long-serving members of the Hamilton County Plan Commission on June 9 for their incredible commitment to the county: Kent Ward, 37 years of service as County Surveyor; Chip Habig, 24 years, representing Adams Township; and Tom Clover, 17 years and now stepping into a new role on the Parks Board. These men helped shape the future of Hamilton County through thoughtful planning and leadership. Their impact will be felt for generations to come. (From left) Habig, Commissioner Christine Altman, Commissioner Steve Dillinger, Ward, Commissioner Mark Heirbrandt, and Clover.



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# CAMPAIGN NEWS

## Sweeney running for Superior Court 9 judge

### Submitted

Paul C. Sweeney, a long-time Carmel resident and attorney with over 28 years of legal experience, has announced his candidacy for Judge of the newly established Hamilton County Superior Court 9.

Sweeney's decision to run reflects his long-standing commitment to public service and his desire to give back to the community.

Sweeney is a graduate of Carmel High School, Indiana University, and the I.U. Robert H. McKinney School of Law, magna cum laude. His career spans representing individuals to Fortune 500 companies, with more than 60 trials and arbitra-

tions across the country. He currently serves as Senior Counsel at Ice Miller LLP, focusing on commercial, labor, employment, wage and hour, and non-compete litigation, as well as general business counsel and advice.



Sweeney

Sweeney plans to bring his extensive litigation experience to the bench and supports expanding the problem-solving courts in Hamilton County, including a mental health court.

Learn more at [SweeneyForJudge.com](https://www.SweeneyForJudge.com).

*Editor's note: You can read Sweeney's full campaign announcement online at [tinyurl.com/SweeneyAnnounces](https://tinyurl.com/SweeneyAnnounces).*

## Swenson running for Superior Court 4 judge

### Submitted

Angela Swenson, a proud Army Veteran and dedicated attorney, has announced her candidacy for the position of judge in Hamilton County Superior Court 4.

With a life-long commitment to the law and a passion for community service, Swenson aims to bring her experience, advocacy skills, and dedication to justice to the bench.

Over the past 12 years, she has dedicated herself to volunteer work – contributing more than 800 hours of pro bono and modest-means service in just the last five – demonstrating her deep, on-

going commitment to helping those in need.

Swenson's extensive legal experience as a Guardian ad Litem and her active engagement in the community reflect the trust placed in her by both the courts and the public.



Swenson

As she embarks on her campaign for Superior Court 4, Swenson looks forward to engaging with the community and sharing her vision for justice and service.

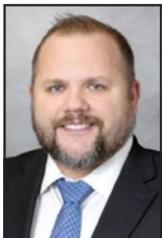
For more information, visit [SwensonForJudge.com](https://www.SwensonForJudge.com).

*Editor's note: You can read Swenson's full campaign announcement online at [tinyurl.com/SwensonAnnounces](https://tinyurl.com/SwensonAnnounces).*

## Whalin running for Superior Court 4 judge

### Submitted

Trampas Whalin, a seasoned attorney and community advocate, has announced his candidacy for Superior Court 4, pledging to bring a continued steady, principled voice to the bench. He is running in the Republican Primary, which will take place on May 5, 2026.



Whalin

career to serving the people of Hamilton County. He began his practice at Adler Law Office in Noblesville after graduating with honors from the Indiana University Robert H. McKinney School of Law in 2010. Today, he leads his own firm, Whalin Legal, where he continues to advocate for clients

in the very areas of law that Superior Court 4 handles: Criminal Law, Civil (Small Claims), and Family Law.

*Editor's note: You can read Whalin's full campaign announcement online at [tinyurl.com/WhalinAnnounces](https://tinyurl.com/WhalinAnnounces).*

With years of legal experience and deep roots in the community, Whalin pledges to bring integrity, transparency, and balance to the courtroom.

Whalin is a conservative Republican who has dedicated his entire legal

# Westfield's own Ron Mangus celebrates 30 years of dedicated service to Indiana Bond Bank

### The REPORTER

The Indiana Bond Bank (IBB) is celebrating a significant milestone as Director of Operations Ron Mangus marks 30 years of dedicated service to the organization.

Since joining IBB in 1995, Mangus has played a pivotal role in advancing the organization's mission to provide cost-effective financing solutions to local units of government across Indiana. Over the last three decades, the Indiana Bond Bank has delivered more than \$21 billion in loans to Hoosier communities – and his steady leadership has been central to that success.

In his role as Director of Operations, Mangus oversees the daily operations and business functions of the Bond Bank. He brings unmatched bond experience and technical expertise to the agency. His responsibilities include managing IBB programs, working directly with clients, procuring and managing contractual relationships, and providing guidance and training to IBB staff – all in support of the Bond Bank's strategic mission.

To top it off, Indiana Treasurer Daniel Elliott honored Mangus on June



Photos provided Office of Treasurer Daniel Elliott

(LEFT) Treasurer Daniel Elliott and Indiana Bond Bank Director of Operations Ron Mangus. (RIGHT, from left) Indiana Bond Bank staff members Josie Conrad (Office Manager and Executive Assistant), Jacob Blasdel (IBB Executive Director), Aaron Barnett (Compliance Officer), Ron Mangus (Director of Operations), and Marisa Weimer (Marketing and Business Development Director).

11 with the Sentinel of the Vault. The Sentinel of the Vault is an award given by the State Treasurer to those who demonstrate an extraordinary commitment to investing in Hoosiers' lives and serve as trusted stewards in their respective fields.

"Ron's leadership and dedication have been instrumental in shaping the Indiana Bond Bank into what it is today," said Elliott, who serves as Chair of the IBB Board. "His decades of service reflect not only professional excellence, but a heart for public service and a deep commitment to Indiana's local communities."

Former Indiana State Treasurer Tim Berry also praised

Mangus' contributions. "Ron's dedication and commitment to serving Indiana has played a major role in the continued growth and stability of the Indiana Bond Bank and its mission of helping communities access low-interest financing opportunities in a simple and efficient manner," Berry said.

Throughout his tenure, Mangus has been a trusted resource for Indiana's cities, towns, schools, libraries, and other local entities. His work has helped bring critical infrastructure, equipment, and capital improvement projects to life while maintaining a commitment to fiscal responsibility.

Outside of the office, Mangus is a devoted family man. He and his wife Heidi are residents of Westfield and longtime residents of Hamilton County. They enjoy spending time with their children Josh (Sarah), Hannah (Kevin), and Rachel, and their grandchildren Jack, Alaina, Ben, and Abby. A proud Boilermaker, he is a lifelong fan of Purdue University, and you'll often find him and his family cheering on the Boilermakers at Mackey Arena or Ross-Ade Stadium.

The Indiana Bond Bank extends its deepest gratitude to Ron Mangus for his exceptional service, unwavering dedication, and leadership over the past 30 years.

## JAMES

classroom – he actively connects students with real-world experiences that help them develop career readiness. His efforts extend to broader initiatives where students explore college programs and career pathways. His passion and dedication to student development underscores the profound impact that strong mentorship and innovative education can have on shaping tomorrow's leaders.

Through James' leadership, HHMS has been able to offer enriching opportunities that ensure students are prepared to confidently navigate academic challenges, make informed decisions about their future, and engage in meaningful career exploration. By fostering a learning environment that emphasizes real-world applications and personal growth, he ensures that students transition into

high school equipped with the tools to succeed – not just in the classroom, but in life. His work exemplifies the power of education in shaping confident, capable individuals ready to take on the world.

"I felt humbled and honored," James said upon being selected with this honor. "Authentically, I felt the weight and gravity of the moment. I'm sitting in a room full of former and current educators and support staff who relentlessly serve students. I was thinking to myself these are truly brilliant people. To have my name called was just such an honor."

James continued, "This weight was instantly lifted when I saw my almost three-year-old sprinting toward me with my HHSC TOR plague. I was so proud of him for not dropping it and his joy was

contagious. I was also grateful to my wife, Megan, my mother, Lorri James, and my brother, Cameron, for being there to help share this news with me. Each of them (and others who were unable to be there) have all played a crucial role in helping me pour my heart and soul into students.

"I also thought about how grateful I am for our HHSC students. None of this would be possible without amazing students. I'm so grateful for the wonderful former and current students I have had the honor of teaching. They inspire me to keep pushing. It was a remarkable moment that will stay imprinted on my heart for a very long time."

HHMS Principal Dr. Bret Bailey said that James understands the importance of his career and does whatever is necessary to positively influence students' lives.

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"Mr. James is an outstanding teacher who transitioned into teaching from the private sector for the purpose of making a difference for students," Bailey said. "He works collaboratively with a number of community business partners to create transformative and immersive learning experiences for all students at HHMS. While he impacts the school, community, and his classroom through hard work, creativity, and vision, he also finds innovative ways to reach and support individual students who can be disengaged and difficult to motivate at times. He cares deeply about each student and does not give up. He does what it takes to inspire and encourage them to be their best. We are honored to recognize and celebrate Mr. James as our HHMS and HHSC Teacher of the Year."

## TOUR

Four years later, Asa Bales and his wife, Susannah, arrived in Hamilton County. They attracted more Quakers to the area and called their settlement Westfield. Soon, the town of Westfield began to attract more and more Quakers.

That was not all the area attracted.

Fugitive slaves were known to travel through the area. Several Quakers were known to give aid and shelter to them. Asa Bales became an outspoken abolitionist. He took to the lecturing circuit, became politically active, wrote in abolitionist publications, and in 1840, became the president of the Hamilton County Anti-slavery Society. But there was a problem growing in the church. Could you be a good Quaker if you were breaking the law? Remember, the North-

west Ordinance made slavery illegal, but it also stated that if runaway slaves were apprehended in the territory, they would be returned to their owners. The Westfield Friends split over this issue. More than 100 families were disowned by the Westfield Monthly Fellowship for their actions in helping fugitive slaves. These families formed the Westfield Anti-slavery Society of Friends Yearly Fellowship. Their meeting house and cemetery are on the property owned by Asa and Susannah Bales.

The Quakers were not the only abolitionists in Indiana. Nationally, the Methodists, Baptists, and Presbyterians all had church splits over the slavery issue. In Hamilton County, the Anti-slavery Friends began to cooperate with Wesleyan Methodists, in particular, to move free-

dom-seeking fugitives in and out of the area. There was a rather large swamp north of Westfield known as the Dismal Swamp, where fugitives were often hidden.

As time went on, the laws concerning runaway slaves became more stringent. The 1850 Fugitive Slave Act made it a federal crime to resist the capture and return of escaped slaves to their owners. In response, Indiana passed a law denying access to the state if you were of African descent – whether you were free or enslaved. Abolitionists were outraged and their actions became more radicalized.

When violence broke out in Kansas over the slavery issue, many abolitionists took more militant actions. This led to the killing of both anti-slavery and pro-slavery proponents in Kansas.

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What were non-violent Quakers to do? When war broke out and there was a call for volunteers in Indiana to take up arms against the South, there were several members of the Westfield Anti-slavery Fellowship who volunteered for service in the war.

There are 11 Civil War veterans buried in the Anti-slavery Friends Cemetery at Asa Bales Park in Westfield. On June 21 at 10 a.m., I will be leading a walking tour of the cemetery and will be talking about these men who served in these most difficult days.

If you want to hear more about the people who were a part of aiding fugitive slaves in gaining their freedom, you are invited to the event. The tour is free, but you need to register. You can do so at [CivilWarVeteransWalkingTour.com](https://www.CivilWarVeteransWalkingTour.com).

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# Altrusa Club serves far & wide in Hamilton County



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Service never stops for Altrusa Club of Hamilton County. (LEFT) Club members recently delivered wish list items to the Hamilton North Public Library in Cicero. (From left) Anna Chambley, Gloria DelGreco, Elaine Roberts, Club President Pam Wesley, Staci Treece, and Carol Rader. (RIGHT) The Club held its June meeting at Sunrise. (Seated) Joanne Kemp and (standing, from left) Sharon Porter, Gloria DelGreco, Pam Wesley, and Carol Rader. *Not pictured: Kari Disney.*

# Comcast Heartland & BCGN TeamUP to build bicycles for local Club Kids



Photo provided by Boys & Girls Club of Noblesville

Recently, Comcast Heartland leaders from Indiana, Kentucky, and Michigan held their annual Field Operations Manager and Above meeting, which consisted of 36 Managers, Directors, and Senior Leadership. During this time, Comcast also hosted a TeamUP event to give back to the Boys & Girls Club of Noblesville. With collaboration as the central theme of their annual meetings, local leaders fully embodied that spirit than by coming together to build bicycles for Club Kids. TeamUP is Comcast's year-round volunteerism and employee engagement program – active 365 days a year. It unites teams and creates meaningful opportunities for everyone to connect with and contribute to local communities.



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## First-ever

Recently, I was invited to be a part of something new. Something close to my heart.

I live with a type of muscular dystrophy called Bethlem Myopathy. Bethlem Myopathy is caused by a mutation in the collagen VI gene. These genes affect a protein called collagen VI, which is responsible for keeping our muscles strong and flexible. It is a rare disease, progressive in nature. It causes issues not only with muscles but also affects the joints, causing stiffness and contractures, which can be painful and disruptive to functionality.

Collagen VI disorders affect strength, movement, and independence.

Living with dignity is of utmost importance. That can be hard to do when living with a disability. It is hard to convince those around you that while you may not be independent in a few areas, that is not a blanket statement for our lives.

June 6 was the first-ever World Collagen 6 Awareness Day. Being asked to create an informational video, to bring awareness to this overlooked rare condition, was an honor. It was not that long ago, that even though this lived in my body for the entirety of my life, I was introduced to this disease. I am still learning more about it all the time.

My video that I made in collaboration with the Mus-



AMY SHINNEMAN  
Disability in the City

cular Dystrophy Association was shared all around the world. Getting messages from others who live in different countries as well as my own, was emotional for me.

Some of the most heart-warming messages I have received are from parents of children living with Bethlem Myopathy. It gives them hope to see someone my age, and the life I have created right along with my disability.

I realized how far I have come, and what it looks like to put myself out there, with the goal of reaching and helping others. Each of our stories matter to someone!

Living with a rare disease, that gets little to no attention because it is so rare, you can feel lost, alone and forgotten about.

That is why these types of awareness days are so important. This day highlighted members form our community sharing their stories. Showing our strength is about more than just muscle strength.

Living with muscle weakness, every activity throughout our days takes more energy than those who do not live with muscle weakness. This is a challenging way to live but showing how we learn to live well along with our condition is so empowering and important.

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# My papa, my world

I don't know about you, but my papa is my very best friend. He may live thousands of miles away, yet our bond feels like he's always right beside me – stronger than Wi-Fi, and deeper than words can say.

Papa isn't just a father or a husband. He's the kind of built-in friend life quietly gifts you. With him, I can laugh till my belly hurts, cry without judgment, be bossy without resistance, and pour my heart out with no filter. Whether we're shopping together, sharing a spicy aloo patty, sipping fresh juice, or splitting a pastry slice – these tiny moments feel larger than life. We have so much in common when it comes to flavors and even fashion. He's totally "my type" of guy.

And yet, he's such a quiet soul – wholesome, thoughtful, and deeply kind. He never expects anything from anyone, and yet he gives everything. In contrast, I'm outspoken, full of life, and unafraid to be fully me. I chase dreams boldly and don't wait for doors to open – I build my own. But it was papa who gave me that direction. My dreams were mine, but he lit the path for them to unfold.

There were days when the pockets were empty, but his heart never said no. That's true wealth – the kind that

doesn't show in bank accounts but shines in values. To me, he's the richest man alive. And now, he's not only my papa, but also "Papaw" to my daughters – a title he holds with joy and gentleness.

The privilege of spending time with our parents, especially those who have played double roles like my papa, is one of life's most priceless gifts. These are the same people who spent decades building our brighter future. Now, as they grow older, they don't need money from us – they need moments, warmth, and time. Our elders are the keepers of our roots, our culture, and our stories. Papa is the strongest puzzle piece that holds our family together, keeping us grounded and united. Our family runs on Papa Power.

I feel blessed that my daughters found their best friend in their "Daddio." Watching their bond blossom year after year gives me a quiet sense of joy and gratitude. My husband might be outnumbered in our girl gang, but he's also the most loved and playfully spoiled. While others might pity him, we know the truth – he's the king of our hearts, doing tutus and tiaras with pride and laughter.

The journey of a man – from a husband, to a dad, and then to a granddad – is filled with milestones of love. And



POOJA THAKKAR  
Taste of Community



Photos provided by Pooja Thakkar

“પપ્પા એ તો એમના ભલે શાંત હોય,  
પણ એનું વહાલું અસ્તિત્વ ઘરમાં  
સૂરજની કિરણો જેવું તેજ લાવે છે.”

*Papa may be quiet, but his loving presence lights up the house like morning sunlight.*

in each of those roles, Papa has only grown richer in character and deeper in love.

To hold onto these moments forever, I stitched "Papa, I love you" along with his heartbeat onto the handkerchief he used daily. I repurposed his shirt and my father-in-law's shirt to create a memory pillow that says:

"When you need a hug, hold me tight – I'm here. — Dada ♥ Nana."

Because love like theirs deserves to be felt even in their softest silences.

*Pooja Thakkar is working to build connections through cuisine. You can read her column each week in the pages of The Reporter.*

## Your Rx for sleep

One thing that surprised me about middle age is losing the ability to sleep well. From conversations I've had with many of my friends, I know I'm not alone.

We don't prioritize sleep in our society. How many times have you said, or heard, "I'll sleep when I'm dead." In fact, a lot of us wear getting too little sleep like a badge of honor. As a Highly Sensitive Person, however, that doesn't work for me. And really, it shouldn't be the case for anyone.

When I approached menopause in 2020, sleep became elusive. As if that year weren't tough enough, I started to barely function due to lack of it. I tried multiple supplements, and even attempted to sleep in a hammock the following summer hoping it would help. (It didn't.) Thankfully things improved, although nowhere near back to my good old days.

Lately I've been grateful to get mostly decent sleep. But when I saw *The Sleep Prescription: Seven Days to Unlocking Your Best Rest* by Aric A. Prather, PhD, at a bookstore in Florida recently, I snagged it! And it has changed my life already.

As the title suggests, within a week, I was doing much better with my sleep. I was astonished. With better sleep came better days, filled with less stress, more productivity, and calm. When I finished the book, I started over! I didn't want to forget all the things I'd learned, and I also wanted to complete the sleep diary Dr. Prather recommends. It's been enlightening.

The book helps you overhaul what you do during the day to get better sleep at



AMY SHANKLAND  
Perfectly Imperfect

night. It also tells you what NOT to do at nighttime, which includes getting out of bed to do a relaxing activity if you've been awake for 20 minutes or longer. I used to struggle greatly with that recommendation.

But even better than the behaviors is the new attitude Dr. Prather gives us regarding sleep. He stresses that even with following every single step in the book, we'll still have the occasional "eh" or bad

night – and that's okay. In fact, I had a "meh" night recently, but with my new knowledge, I was okay the next day. (And had a great night after that!)

Finally, the author makes a strong case for changes in our society regarding our attitude towards sleep. It shouldn't be something we make last in our life, but rather should be as important as good food, water, exercise, and other healthy habits. And sleep affects all those things – we make healthier decisions when we've had the sleep we need.

If you're struggling with your sleep, this book is an easy, quick read that can help almost immediately. Of course, talking to your doctor along with reading this book is ideal.

*The Sleep Prescription* is available at many libraries and online. I'm sure our local bookstores would be happy to order it if they don't have it in stock. I hope you'll give it a try and start enjoying wonderful nights soon!

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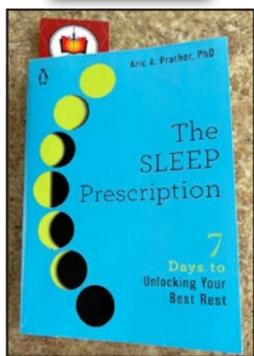


Photo provided by Amy Shankland  
Our columnist has already worn out this excellent book and hopes you'll read it soon.

## Morphing into nerd dad

If you've seen the Dr. Rick commercials for Progressive Insurance, you may be able to relate to some of the scenarios. The commercials are about a doctor who is trying to help "patients" from turning into their parents in a process called "Parentomorphosis." They are filled with some stereotypes of getting older. I laugh and laugh when I see them ... until I realize that these commercials are about me!

The commercials have opened my eyes to some of my own nerd dad behaviors that began when I became a homeowner and accelerated after having children. With every passing day, I find myself getting worse. My kids are still young enough that they don't yet feel the full force of the embarrassment. But in a few years, they will be older and very aware of the horrors of having parents. By then, my condition will have worsened, and I'll be beyond help.

**DIY**  
There was a time in my life that I'd never consider any sort of DIY home repairs. If something broke, it was either time to call in a professional or learn to live without it. Eh, who needs hot water, anyway? Now, when that day comes



TIM RATHZ  
Forty-something in Fishers

calling, I strap on my tool belt, fill it with all four of my tools and pull up YouTube on my phone. The last step is to pray to God I don't get electrocuted or burn the house down.

**Grilling**  
Another sign of my age is my obsession with grilling and smoking meats. While my family has benefited greatly from this passion, I constantly feel myself slipping into the dad zone. I have every tool and unnecessary gadget known to man for this summertime nightly grunt-fest. And of course, I don't take any advice for this, oh no. Surely, I'm the world's foremost expert on animal carcasses and fire. All I have to do is throw on my "License to Grill" apron and get to work.

**Weather**  
Does any other 40-something out there have a weather obsession that never existed in your 20s? Oh, I do. If the news (yes, nowadays I watch the news at night) says there are potential storms coming next week, you can find me staring up at the sky or analyzing weather data online that I don't actually understand but pretend that I do. If a cumulonimbus cloud forms, you can bet I'll be the first to let you know!

**Lawn**  
Another joy in my life is pretending I'm a lawn expert. It is my goal to make sure my grass is always a perfect three inches tall. I often fail at this, but it's good to have goals. There are several bare patches that I will plan to seed, but never will. And when those dandelions bloom every spring, I swear this is the last year I let that happen.

But when I do cut my grass, the best part is sitting on my porch judging everyone else who didn't cut theirs on that particular day. I have half a mind to complain to the HOA right now!

**Practicality**  
I stopped buying clothing for style years ago. Some would claim that I have never been in style. But things have gotten worse in recent years and by the time my kids hit middle school, they will most likely never want to be seen with me in public. All my clothes have a practical purpose. Cargo shorts now allow me to carry my unnecessary things with me at all times, visors block the sun while letting heat escape my head and Hawaiian shirts allow for armpit air flow. Brand names left my vocabulary a long time ago. My only update would be moving from white, New Balance shoes to Hokas. It's like walking on clouds!

**Strength in numbers**  
I have a text string with some of my buddies that we usually use for talking about sports. Recently, it's been all about the Pacers. The other day, during a Pacers finals game, we were spewing our usual man grunts when, out of nowhere, the conversation turned from complaining about the refs to prepping for a colonoscopy. To this day, I can't tell you how that happened. I just know we all contributed to the topic.

My beautiful wife, Megan, has also joined my ranks. We were driving around running errands one day and she told me we need to stop by Target to pick up an order. I asked what we were getting. It turned out to be only two items: a muscle pain relief cream and Werther's Original hard candies. Dr. Rick is not impressed.

In conclusion, it is futile to think we won't start doing kid-embarrassing things as we grow older. It's best to just embrace it and enjoy the process of making them hide their faces.

The moral of the story is: If my kids start to get a little too comfortable ... it's time to bust out the dad jokes.

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## Westfield to Rock the 4<sup>th</sup> with city's biggest Independence Day celebration

### The REPORTER

Get ready to Rock, Westfield!

Westfield's signature Independence Day celebration, Westfield Rocks the 4th, presented by Citizens Energy Group, returns to Grand Park Sports Campus from 4 to 10:30 p.m. Friday, July 4. The patriotic bash will feature live music, inflatables, competitive eating contests, and a spectacular drone and fireworks show beginning at 10 p.m.

"Westfield Rocks the

4th is one of our city's most popular and highly anticipated events for a reason," Mayor Scott Willis said. "It's an incredible opportunity to celebrate our nation while gathering as a community for great food, fun, and great company."

Main Stage entertainment includes two sets by Jai Baker (5 to 7 p.m. and 8 to 10 p.m.), the National Anthem, an Honor Guard Presentation of Colors, and the fan-favorite hot dog eating contest. At the Kids Stage, families

can enjoy performances by Mik the Music Man, a magic show, and a kids' watermelon eating contest.

Kids Zone wristbands, which grant access to face painting, balloon twisting, bounce houses, obstacle courses, inflatable slides and more, are available online for \$10 per child (ages 4 and up). Children aged 3 and younger are free but also require a ticket. Kids Zone wristbands will be available for advanced purchase online starting June 19.

Preferred parking is available in Lot G for \$15 per vehicle (limited availability). This guarantees a close parking space to all the action. Free parking is available in Grand Park's other parking lots on a first-come, first-served basis. Preferred parking sign-ups will be available online starting June 19.

To purchase a preferred parking pass, Kids Zone wristband, or to register for the hot dog or watermelon eating contests, visit [westfield.in.gov/rocksthe4th](http://westfield.in.gov/rocksthe4th).

# Register now for WYAP's second annual "The Double" walk/run

**The REPORTER**

Westfield Youth Assistance Program (WYAP) has announced its second annual walk/run, "The Double," which will be held from 8 to 10 a.m. Saturday, Aug. 9 at Cool Creek Park, 2000 E. 151st St.

"The Double" is a two-mile family-friendly walk/run, with the name referring to both the two-mile closed-loop course and WYAP's desire to double its impact in Westfield. Overall, "The Double" aims to be a vibrant event that brings together residents of Hamilton County and Westfield to support WYAP. "The Dou-

ble" is expected to have more than 200 participants and will feature a bounce house for the first time this year.

"This is our second year hosting 'The Double,' and we're proud to see it becoming a tradition that brings the Westfield community together," explained Dan Morrow, WYAP Board Member and "The Double" Committee Chair. "It's a simple event with a big pur-



pose: raising critical funds to support the youth and families we serve every day through mentoring, tutoring, and early intervention." Registration is now open online at [runsignup.com/Race/IN/Carmel/TheDouble](https://runsignup.com/Race/IN/Carmel/TheDouble), with special early-bird pricing of \$30 per individual through July 20. The competitive division was eliminated this year; however, registrants can choose the pace they

prefer for the course. Registering families can select 'Multi-Person Pricing' to receive a discount on registrations for three to six people.

Proceeds from "The Double" will help support WYAP's services, including mentoring, tutoring, mental health supports, camps, and other enrichment activities. There has been a drastic increase in need as Westfield continues to expand rapidly. "The Double" is a great way to help continue to meet this growing need and is a phenomenal opportunity to connect with the community.

# Hamilton County Historical Society gets \$3,700 grant to create Levinson Story Walk

**The REPORTER**

Through its Heritage Support Grants program, the Indiana Historical Society (IHS) awarded more than \$49,000 to 16 history organizations representing 14 Indiana counties.



Locally, the Hamilton County Historical Society received \$3,700 to create the Levinson Story Walk, a self-guided walking tour with signage and QR codes that highlight Noblesville landmarks connected with the influential Levinson family.

The program provides funding for high-priority projects in the areas of collections stewardship, capacity building, sustainability, and planning at local, county, and regional historical societies, museums, and sites across Indiana.

Heritage Support Grants are provided by the Indiana Historical Society and made possible by Lilly Endowment Inc. Guidelines and applications are available at [IndianaHistory.org/grants](https://IndianaHistory.org/grants) or by calling (317) 232-1882.

# Northern GOP Club to welcome Speaker Huston & Feeding Team

**The REPORTER**

The Northern Hamilton County GOP invites you to dinner at 6 p.m. Monday, June 23 at the Fraternal Order of Police Lodge, 7201 E. 196th St., Noblesville.

The speakers this month will be Indiana House Speaker Todd Huston. Speaker Huston will provide updates on legislative changes as well as Senate Bill 1.



Mark & Lisa Hall from The Feeding Team will also speak about their new program and how the Northern GOP can help.

The cost is free for members and sponsors, and \$10 for non-members. Please bring a

donation of canned or boxed food or non-perishables for The Feeding Team.

Please RSVP to [emily.pearson317@gmail.com](mailto:emily.pearson317@gmail.com) by Sunday, June 22 if you plan to attend.



Huston

# See "The Art of Calligraphy" in Fishers at Art Gallery at City Hall

**The REPORTER**

*The Art of Calligraphy*, an exhibit created by the members of the Calligraphy Guild of Indiana (CGI), has arrived in Fishers at the Art Gallery at City Hall.

The exhibit opened on May 24. Come learn about *The Art of Calligraphy* and enjoy community connections through art.

CGI is dedicated to educating, nurturing, and promoting the art of calligraphy and related art forms. Its collective of calligraphers comes from across Indiana, united in a shared passion for the letter arts and a desire to grow as artists.

CGI members range in

age from 14 to 84 and represent a wide spectrum of experience, from nationally recognized professionals to enthusiastic beginners just starting their journey into beautiful lettering. This diversity of skill creates a vibrant, supportive learning environment where everyone thrives.

This current show at The Art Gallery at City Hall in Fishers runs through June 28 and features over 80 works that showcase a wide variety of alphabets and creative presentations, demonstrating the depth and breadth of modern calligraphy.

CGI meets bimonthly in Zionsville, with additional

teaching sessions held at local libraries in alternating months. Visit [calligin.org](https://calligin.org) to learn more about events, hire a calligrapher, or become a member of this dynamic, creative community.

**About Fishers Arts Council**

Fishers Arts Council is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit arts organization whose mission is to support, advocate, and cultivate visual and performing arts opportunities that educate and/or enhance the lives of those who live,



work, and visit Fishers. Visit the gallery space inside Fishers Municipal Center at 1 Municipal Drive. FAC also maintains its Hub Gallery at the Collaboration Hub at Hamilton County Community Foundation, 11810 Technology Drive, Fishers. Check out [FishersArtsCouncil.org](https://FishersArtsCouncil.org) or call or text (317) 537-1670 for more information.



# Ivy Tech Hamilton County establishes Timothy J. Burton Memorial Scholarship

**The REPORTER**

Ivy Tech Community College Hamilton County has announced the Timothy J. Burton Memorial Scholarship, a newly established fund that will support Sheridan High School graduates pursuing careers in the skilled trades.

The initial funding was started by Brian Myers, a close friend of Burton, to honor a remarkable life and lasting friendship. Since then, other friends and family members touched by Tim's life and legacy have contributed additional funds. This outpouring of support is a powerful testament to the impact he had on those around him.

"I literally woke up one morning and decided I wanted to create a scholarship to forever honor the memory of his life," Myers said. "Ivy Tech seemed like the most appropriate place to do so."

Burton passed away in October 2024. A gifted carpenter and beloved friend, his passion for the trades and his lifelong work ethic left a lasting impact on those around him. Myers and Burton shared over 50 years of friendship – a bond built on mutual respect, dedication, and the joy of skilled craftsmanship.

"Tim was one hell of a carpenter and a great and loyal friend," Myers said. "I wanted to give someone the opportunity to learn a skilled trade like he did, and to contribute those skills over a lifetime."

The scholarship is designed for Sheridan High School seniors who are committed to entering the trades.

It will support recipients with their tuition costs at Ivy Tech, reducing financial barriers and encouraging students to take pride in their hands-on skills and future careers.

"I hope they graduate with less debt and strive to be the best at their trade, like Tim was his whole career," Myers said. "I want students to know that they don't have to attend a four-year university. Ivy Tech is a hidden gem in our community."

The scholarship recognizes and supports students who demonstrate a strong work ethic, a commitment to learning a trade, and the humility that defined Burton's own life. Myers emphasized that Ivy Tech was the right partner for this effort, noting that Burton got his start learning construction skills at J. Everett Light Career Center.

"Ivy Tech will do the same for today's students – equip them with the skills and confidence to build meaningful careers," Myers said.

As students benefit from this memorial scholarship, Myers said he hopes they take the opportunity seriously and recognize the deep intention behind the gift.

"His legacy will live on in them," he said. "And if Tim were here, he'd say it wasn't necessary to honor him – but I know he'd appreciate that it's making a difference."

To learn more about scholarships at Ivy Tech Hamilton County, visit [link. ivytech.edu/HamCoScholarships](https://ivytech.edu/HamCoScholarships).

To contribute to the Timothy J. Burton Memorial Scholarship Fund, visit [ivytech.edu/givenow](https://ivytech.edu/givenow).

# Piano Man returns to MashCraft



Photo provided by MashCraft Brewing

Bruce Barker, a true Purdue University legend known as the "Piano Man," will perform live this month at MashCraft Fishers, 11069 Allisonville Road. This ticketed, 21-and-over concert will take place from 5 to 11 p.m. Saturday, June 21. Attendees will be able to enjoy food, and a full bar will be available. Lawn chairs are recommended and no pets will be allowed. Get your tickets now at [tinyurl.com/PianoManJune2025](https://tinyurl.com/PianoManJune2025).

# Have an all-American night 'Up on the Roof'

Stars, stripes, fireworks, food, family & fun on July 4 in Noblesville

**The REPORTER**

The Good Samaritan Network and Hamilton County have announced the "July 4 – Up on the Roof" private parking event from 8:30 until 11 p.m. on Independence Day at the Hamilton County Parking Garage, 225 N. 9th St., Noblesville.

This is a private parking ticketed event. A ticket purchase is per-vehicle advance registration is required. Limited event tickets are available.

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Hamilton County fireworks at their best. A panoramic display of Fishers fireworks to the south, Potter's Bridge to the north, homes and farms to the east, and Forest Park's grand display to the west. Top the evening off with an amazing picture-perfect view of downtown Noblesville at night. You can see it all ... Up on the Roof.



the fireworks displays, not later than 11 p.m. Your ticket includes an American hot dog, condiments, unlimited popcorn, chips, and water.

Security will be provided and enforced. Participants will be able to bring their lawn chairs and coolers. However, no alcohol, no fireworks, and no pets are allowed on the premises. Advance registration is required. Visit [gsnlive.org](https://gsnlive.org).

"General Entry" with a maximum of eight people per vehicle and an "Entry Food" ticket with a maximum of eight people per vehicle. A food ticket includes an American hot dog, condiments, unlimited popcorn, chips, and water.

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The sense of community erases the loneliness. It is not only helpful for those of us living with the condition, but for our families as well. That is something my family never had, and it was hard on each of us in our own way.

What I have learned through my diagnostic journey and finally having a group people "just like me" to connect with, is how powerful community can be. This applies to all of us, no matter how we live. We all need community as a sense of belonging and having value to add to the world.

Having a community to discuss concerns, hardships, triumphs, and ways of adapting with, has been incredibly powerful and motivating.

Living with a rare disease, it is easy to drown in a sea of anxious and scary

thoughts, not knowing what is going on inside of my body. Now, connected with this community, I hear stories of others who are dealing with exactly what I am. That is comforting beyond words.

It thrills me to think about the number of connections made on the first-ever World Collagen 6 Awareness Day. I am so grateful to have been a part of this day.

Find your community and immerse yourself in it. There is so much to gain and so much to give when surrounded by our "perfect fit" community.

Until next time ...  
*Amy Shinneman is a former National Ambassador for the Muscular Dystrophy Association, disability blogger, freelance writer, wife, and mom of two boys. You can find her blog at [humblycourageous.com](https://humblycourageous.com) and reach her on Instagram @ashinneman.*

# Hamilton County Parks & Recreation to cut the ribbon on Bell Ford Bridge at Geist Park

## The REPORTER

Hamilton County Parks and Recreation (HCPR) will soon hold a ribbon-cutting ceremony for the newly restored Bell Ford Bridge at Geist Park, 10979 Florida Road, at 10 a.m. Thursday, June 19.

The public is invited to attend and celebrate the preservation of this one-of-a-kind historic structure and its integration into the region's expanding trail system.

Originally built in 1869 to span the East Fork of the White River in Jackson County, the Bell Ford Bridge is the only known Combination Post Truss Bridge remaining in the world. After severe storm damage caused its collapse in 2006, the bridge was carefully disassembled and stored. In 2018, Hamilton County Commissioner Mark Heirbrandt and HCPR collaborated with the Jackson County Commissioners to acquire the bridge

in exchange for a \$25,000 donation to the Jackson County Round Barn Restoration Fund. Hamilton County then stored the bridge components in a secure area of the county jail until plans for reconstruction could be finalized. Now, after a remarkable multi-agency restoration and relocation effort, the bridge has been reconstructed as a pedestrian bridge across Fall Creek at Geist Park.

"Having been involved from the initial concept to the completion of this project, I am extremely proud of this accomplishment," Heirbrandt said. "This monumental undertaking required extensive collaboration and communi-



Heirbrandt



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cation across multiple committees. The restored Bell Ford Bridge will serve as a source of pride and a sought-after destination for residents and visitors."

The project was led by HCPR and the County Highway Department and was made possible through a unique collaboration with Jackson County, the City of Fishers, INDOT, Fall Creek Township Trustee Doug All-

man, and the Indianapolis Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO), which provided \$2.77 million in funding.

Despite the complex nature of the restoration – including the reuse of 90 percent of the original cast iron



Photos provided

After sustaining severe storm damage in Jackson County and being in storage for many years, the Bell Ford Bridge is now ready to open.

components – the team overcame significant engineering and logistical challenges to bring the bridge back to life.

"We're incredibly proud to give the Bell Ford Bridge a new home at Geist Park," HCPR Director Chris Stice said. "It's rare that a park feature can offer beauty, function, and historical significance all in one. "We

look forward to welcoming the public to walk across this one-of-a-kind bridge."

The bridge also connects with the new Geist Greenway, a federally supported pedestrian trail that links neighborhoods from 96th Street to 131st Street in Fishers. The joint planning effort ensures both infrastructure and recreation are enhanced for future generations.

Attendees at the ceremony will hear brief remarks from representatives from partnering organizations, witness the official ribbon cutting, and have the opportunity to walk across the restored bridge.

For more information about the event or HCPR programs, visit [MyHamiltonCountyParks.com](http://MyHamiltonCountyParks.com) or call (317) 770-4400.

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## Hamilton County jail holds two suspects in Fishers home invasion

By GREGG MONTGOMERY  
WISH-TV | [wistv.com](http://wistv.com)

Two Indianapolis men remained in the Hamilton County jail last Friday after a home burglary last Thursday morning and attack in Fishers, authorities say.

No formal charges had been filed as of Friday afternoon, according to online court records.

Fishers Police Department said in a news release shared Friday afternoon that a 911 call from the homeowner about 6:30 a.m. Thursday sent officers to her home in the 16000 block of Brookmere Avenue. That's in the Britton Falls subdivision southeast of 126th Street and Cyntheanne Road.

"The victim stated that two men entered her home and attacked her," the release said. "The men left the home after stealing property from the victim and fled the area in a vehicle."

The woman was taken to a hospital for a medical evaluation and later released, the release said.

Elijah J Oates, 24, was arrested Thursday afternoon, and Daquez Stockdale, 25, was arrested Friday morning, the release said.

According to online jail records, both men face these preliminary charges:

a high-level felony count of robbery by putting someone in fear and resulting in serious bodily injury to someone; and a mid-level felony count of burglary resulting in bodily injury. Both also face a preliminary misdemeanor count of basic theft of offense involving embezzlement.

Oates also faces these additional preliminary charges: a mid-level felony count of criminal confinement with moderate bodily injury; a low-level felony count of sexual battery by force or threat of force; a low-level felony count of residential entry,

breaking and entering the dwelling of another with no other criminal intent; and a misdemeanor count of fraud with intent to obtain property, data or benefit through a false statement or impression.

Stockdale also faces these additional preliminary charges: a low-level felony count of residential entry, breaking and entering the dwelling of another with the intent to commit another crime; and a low-level felony count of criminal confinement.

This story was originally published by WISH-TV at [wistv.com/news/crime-watch-8/hamilton-county-jail-holds-2-suspects-in-fishers-home-invasion](http://wistv.com/news/crime-watch-8/hamilton-county-jail-holds-2-suspects-in-fishers-home-invasion).



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# Mobley named Noblesville H.S. principal

**Submitted by Noblesville Schools**

Noblesville Schools announced June 13 that, pending board approval, assistant principal Dr. Janae Mobley will be the new head principal of Noblesville High School (NHS), replacing previous principal Dr. Craig McCaffrey.

Mobley, who holds a doctorate in education leadership from the University of Kentucky, has been an assistant principal at NHS since 2019. Prior to that she served as a dean of students at NHS, an assistant principal at Yorktown High School, and a teacher in Carmel Clay

Schools.

She was recently named the Assistant Principal of the Year for north central Indiana (region 5) by the Indiana Association of School Principals (IASP).

In addition to overseeing graduation, Mobley has had responsibility for collaborative teacher and leadership academic teams at the high school and spearheaded the adoption of the new Indiana high school diploma.

“The high school principal position is one of the most demanding and



**Mobley**

visible leadership roles in a school district,” Superintendent Dr. Dan Hile said. “We were fortunate to have many candidates apply for this opening and held a competitive and comprehensive selection process with dozens of different voices offering input. Janae rose to the top thanks to her strong communication and interpersonal skills, deep care for Noblesville students, staff and families, and enduring focus on academic excellence. I have every confidence that she is ready to

lead NHS with a fresh vision for the future.”

Mobley says she is ready to keep serving Noblesville Schools.

“I am deeply honored and truly humbled to step into the role of principal at Noblesville High School, a school that means so much to me,” Mobley said. “Being part of this community has been one of the greatest privileges of my career. I’m ready to continue serving in this new capacity – working side by side with students, staff, and families to build on our successes and opportunities for every student to grow in themselves, their learning, and their community.”

# Omer Jacob “Jake” Waterman

April 19, 1943 – June 6, 2025



Omer Jacob “Jake” Waterman, 82, Noblesville, passed away on Friday, June 6, 2025, at Riverview Health in Noblesville. He was born on April 19, 1943, to Ralph and Lelah (Crickmore) Waterman in Noblesville.

Jake was a 1961 graduate of Noblesville High School. He spent his childhood as the 10th child of 11 children on his family farm on the east side of Noblesville. Jake had many careers in his lifetime, beginning right out of high school working for a man in Hartford City who built milk coolers for dairy farmers all over the state of Indiana and taught Jake to fly. From there he worked at Firestone, Public Service, Delco Remy, and Arbutckle’s Railroad Place. For the next 33 years, Jake owned and operated Compton & Waterman Heating & Air Conditioning until he sold his business. He then became a bus driver for 10 years for Noblesville Schools and helped his nephew, Jerry Lee, farm. Jake was a 50-year member of the Noblesville Masonic Lodge #57, where he served as Past Master. He was also a 50-year member of the Scottish Rite and Shriners.

Jake’s family always came first and his roles as Husband, Dad and Papaw were the most important. Jake was also the “favorite uncle” to everyone. He had many favorite nieces and nephews, and he loved them all. He never knew a stranger and made friends wherever he went.

He is survived by his wife of 47 years, Sandy Waterman; children, Michelle Stephenson, Jessie Waterman, Tim Adams, and Joey Adams (Brett Cantrell); sisters, Janet Wilson and Jane Christman; and nine grandchildren, Rachelle Cummins, Luke Stephenson, Levi Stephenson, Max Barnes, Audrey Barnes, Tori Adams, Nick Adams, Ethan Cantrell, and Graham Cantrell.

In addition to his parents, Jake was preceded in death by his grandson, Isaac Beeson; and his siblings, Joy, June, Jean, Jerry, Jack, Joe, Julia Ann, and John.

Visitation will be from 5 to 7 p.m. with Masonic services to follow on Friday, June 20, 2025, at Randall & Roberts Funeral Center, 1685 Westfield Road, Noblesville. An additional visitation will be held from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., with funeral services at 1 p.m., on Saturday, June 21, 2025, at the funeral home. Dr. Richard Bailey will officiate. Burial will be at Crownland Cemetery in Noblesville.

Memorial contributions may be made to Masonic Angel Fund, c/o Noblesville Masonic Lodge #57 F&AM, 295 S. 9th St., Noblesville. Condolences: randallroberts.com

# Linda Funkhouser

June 15, 1939 – June 7, 2025

Linda Funkhouser, devoted wife, mother, grandmother, and great-grandmother, passed away peacefully on June 7, 2025, at Community Hospital North in Indianapolis. She was 85.

She was born Linda Davidson on June 15, 1939, in a coal mining town in Raleigh County, W.V., to Henry Davidson and Pearl Plumley Bennett Davidson. She was the fourth of five siblings – Gilbert, Forrest, Helen, and Ann – all of whom preceded her in death. When her father developed black lung disease, the family relocated to Indianapolis to be near extended relatives.

Linda graduated from George Washington High School, where she met the love of her life, Harold Funkhouser. They married in 1959 and were together for 63 years until Harold’s death in 2023. They built a life rooted in laughter, devotion, and faith. In 1984, when the Western Electric plant in Indianapolis closed, they moved to Mechanicsville, Va. After Harold’s retirement, they returned to Indiana and settled in McCordsville to be near their daughter Lynn.

A stay-at-home mother to her two children, Neil Funkhouser of New York City and Lynn England of Fishers, Linda gave herself fully to family life. She took special delight in her grandchildren – Caitlin England (Brendan Smith) of Fishers and Matthew England (Katie) of Roland, Iowa – and was overjoyed to become a great-grandmother. She cherished each of her great-grandchildren, including Charlotte, who preceded her in death, and Andrew and Evelyn, whose lives brought her deep joy and pride.

Her home was one of warmth, humor, and steady love. She and Harold shared a tender, enduring love throughout their long marriage – a love often witnessed in their daily kisses, warm words, and constant affection. It was a love that never faded and remained the quiet foundation of their family.

Linda loved to laugh and delighted in making others laugh, too, often with a wry, slightly mischievous remark, never unkind, always delivered with a twinkle in her eye. She was accepting of others, never judgmental, and always attuned to people’s humanity. She faced life’s hardships with unflinching calm, never indulging in self-pity, and was always ready to help others with no thought of recognition or repayment.

Faith was the cornerstone of her life. She and Harold became Christians in high school and were faithful members of the churches they attended in each city they called home. Linda believed deeply in God’s love and in the truth of Scripture, and she passed that faith along to her children through both words and quiet example-teaching patience, forgiveness, mercy, and kindness.

Linda gardened wherever she lived, growing vegetables and flowers with pride and joy. Even in the city, she kept tomatoes and blooms flourishing, and her garden was an extension of her care for the world around her. Many will remember the abundance of tomatoes and other vegetables she gladly shared with friends, church members, and neighbors.

Following Harold’s death in December 2023, Linda moved to Traditions at Brookside in McCordsville. In her final months, as she faced the challenges of Alzheimer’s disease, she remained gentle and full of grace. Even when words no longer came easily, she was always ready with a smile and radiated warmth and pleasure at the sight of friends and family.

In addition to her children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren, Linda is also survived by her beloved sister-in-law, Peggy Stotts of Danville, Ind.

The family offers heartfelt thanks to the staff of Traditions, each of whom made life a little easier for her in her last year. Linda’s ashes will be inurned alongside Harold’s at Crown Hill Cemetery.

Condolences: randallroberts.com

# Obituaries

## Lois Ann Hungate

June 28, 1929 – June 12, 2025

Lois Ann Hungate, 95, Indianapolis, passed away on Thursday, June 12, 2025, at Marquette Manor in Indianapolis. She was born on June 28, 1929, to Sterling and Fayetta (Fitch) Simonds in Lakewood, Ohio.

Lois graduated from OSU with a bachelor’s degree, Master’s degree, and a PhD. For 31 years, she taught at Ohio State University, retiring as Associate Professor of Agricultural Economics. Lois was a member of the American Marketing Association and the American Agricultural Economics Association. She was a sponsor of American Agricultural Economics Club at OSU for several years, and was a 10-year 4-H member (food and clothing).

Lois traveled all over the world with the Alumni Association of OSU (Africa, Asia, Europe, South America, the Caribbean). She also enjoyed traveling to South Africa on safari, Brazil, Japan, Taiwan, and Russia. Lois cruised the Rhine, the Caribbean, and China. She attended numerous OSU bowl games; took a three-month sabbatical with OSU at University of Hawaii (Oahu); was an accomplished quilter and tailor; made doll clothes and sold them at craft fairs; grew up on a vegetable farm (beans, berries, and tomatoes); hosted a weekly radio show at OSU on Food Economics; and was a co-author of a book named Food Economics.

The family would like to thank the staff at Marquette Manor for the many years of caring for Lois. Also, most recently, the help from Senior Home Companions was much appreciated.

She is survived by her niece, Bonnie Benson; nephews, Randall Benson and Rodney (Kara) Benson; great nephew, Grayson Benson; and her brother-in-law, Robert Benson.

In addition to her parents, Lois was preceded in death by her husband, Walter J. Hungate; brother, Glenn Simonds; and her sister, Florence Benson.

Randall & Roberts Funeral Home has been entrusted with her care. Memorial contributions may be made to Marquette Manor Foundation, 8140 Township Line Road, Indianapolis, IN 46260. Condolences: randallroberts.com

## Charlotte Anne Walter

August 31, 1937 – May 13, 2025

Charlotte Anne Walter, 87, Noblesville, passed away on Tuesday, May 13, 2025. She lived a spirited life full of love and caregiving.

Charlotte was born on August 31, 1937, to Alexander and Henrietta (Michalak) Balough in South Bend, Ind., where she learned to carry on the family work ethic.

Charlotte graduated from Central High School in South Bend. She married and raised three children while working numerous jobs. Charlotte found the love of her life and married Ken Walter, welcoming his five children, Jackie, Marsha, Patty Jo (deceased), K.G. (deceased) and Celeste.

She continued her education by graduating from Ancilla College and attending Purdue University. Charlotte moved to Indianapolis to be closer to her family, eventually settling in Noblesville. She was a member of Our Lady of Grace Catholic Church in Noblesville where she served as past president of the Rosary Society, and was a dedicated volunteer for the parish funeral lunch. Charlotte’s famous blankets were made on the church’s tables. She was generous with her time and material donations to the people of Berea, Kentucky, and other local pantries.

Later in life, Charlotte took up caregiving and made many friends. She enjoyed arts and crafts, as well as retail therapy, especially QVC shopping. Most of all, she was a very giving person and loved taking care of others.

We would be remiss if we did not mention Charlotte’s world travels as a member of the “3 Musketeers” with her friends, Brenda and Ellen, and numerous other travels with her grandchildren.

Charlotte is survived by her children, Carol Catanzarite and David Horvath; grandchildren, Melissa Lockany, Travis (Claire) Faas, and Matthew (Whitney) Catanzarite; great-grandchild, Chloe Colf; sister, Patricia Badur; and stepdaughter, Celeste (Tom) Shepard.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, Kenneth Walter; and daughter, Cheryl A. Faas.

A celebration of Charlotte’s life will be held on Saturday, August 30, 2025, at St. Mary of the Lake Catholic Church, 124 College Ave., Culver, Ind. The Rosary will be held at 9:30 a.m., followed by Mass at 10 a.m.

Memorial contributions may be made to Wheeler Mission Ministries, P.O. Box 3085, Indianapolis, IN 46204 (wheelermission.org). Condolences: randallroberts.com

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## Bonnie L. Fesmire

September 27, 1934 – June 6, 2025

Bonnie L. Fesmire, 90, Noblesville, passed away on Friday, June 6, 2025, at Riverview Health in Noblesville. She was born on September 27, 1934, to Walter and Lula (Golden) Teter in Sheridan.

Bonnie was a 1953 graduate of Westfield High School and worked in the banking business for over 45 years, retiring at the age of 80. She was a member of the Kiwanis and enjoyed home decorating, cooking, gardening, knitting, cross-stitch, and going antiquing. Bonnie was an avid reader and a wonderful seamstress. Most of all, Bonnie loved watching a good movie and spending time with her family. She was one classy lady.

She is survived by her daughter, Terri Fesmire; son, Steve (Mary) Fesmire; grandsons, Josh (Amanda) Fesmire and Jake Fesmire; great-grandson, Jackson Fesmire; sister, Carolyn Fitzgerald; sister-in-law, Maxine Teter; as well as many nephews and nieces.

In addition to her parents, Bonnie was preceded in death by her husband, Robert Fesmire; brother, Floyd Teter; and her sister, Evelyn Baber. Private family services will be held.

Memorial contributions may be made to St. Jude Children’s Research Hospital, 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38105-9959 (stjude.org).

Condolences: randallroberts.com

## Neal A. Godby

November 22, 1939 – June 4, 2025

Neal A. Godby, Sr., Brimley, Mich., passed away peacefully on June 4, 2025, at the age of 85. He was a devoted husband, father, grandfather, great-grandfather, son, brother, uncle, friend, and public servant. He lived a life marked by integrity, service, and deep love for his family and community.

Neal was born in Sheridan to the late Harold and Mary Alice Godby. He was raised on his family’s farm where he developed a strong work ethic. He earned degrees from both Ball State University and the University of Michigan, achievements that laid the foundation for a distinguished career in public administration. He served as Assistant City Manager of Kalamazoo, Mich., and later as City Manager of Albion, Mich., and Sault Ste. Marie, Mich. His public service continued through his role as the Director of the International Bridge. Neal was known for his commitment to civic improvement; he will be remembered for his judgment, wisdom, and leadership. His service to the public was also evident in his roles as president/chair of many civic organizations, including Rotary International Club (Sault Ste. Marie), Michigan Municipal League, the International City Management Association, and the United Way.

Neal’s family brought him immense joy and pride. He is survived by his beloved wife of 59 years, Marjorie Bennett Godby. Together, they raised three children: Lara Johnston (Steven), Dana Smith (Daniel), and Neal Godby, Jr. He was the proud and loving grandfather and great-grandfather to Mary DeMoss (Michael), Emily Smith, Shae Johnston, Thomas Johnston, Madison Luce, and Melissa DeMoss. He is also survived by his siblings Gail Godby (Melanie), James Godby, and Betty Ayers, along with his stepmother, Rosemary Godby, and his nieces and nephews.

Neal had a keen curiosity in the world around him, a wonderful laugh, a wry sense of humor, and a kindness and regard for all who crossed his path. His family is grateful that he had more than two decades of retirement, in which he enjoyed extended trips to Gulf Shores/Orange Beach, Ala., and St. Simons Island, Ga. He was also blessed with trips to Indiana to gather with family, and spent many wonderful winters in Kalamazoo, Mich. He enjoyed snowmobiling with friends, golf outings, and trips to National Parks. Most importantly, he had years of peace, happiness and love with Marjorie at the lake in their cabin home.

A private family service will be held in his honor. Neal’s family wishes to express their appreciation for the encouragement, support, respect, and love that has been extended.

His legacy is one of service, wisdom and quiet strength. He will be truly missed by his family, friends, and community.

Family Life Funeral Homes Sault Ste Marie assisted the family with arrangements. Condolences may be left to the family at familylifefh.com.

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# Hamilton County Veterans Community Page

## What a Great Time to Live In Hamilton County

Hamilton County, Indiana, already one of the best counties to live in the USA and we are just beginning to bring the resources to our community. You have already read the Reporter from May 21<sup>st</sup> talking about the new Rely Urgent Care Center coming to the ASPIRE Campus, which is where they also have the Aspire Mobile Crisis Team. To access the mobile crisis team, please contact Aspire's Crisis line at (317) 574-1252 or call 988. Between these local crises care units, Hamilton County is better served to meet people where they are – when in crisis – and giving them the compassionate care and connections they need to recover. With this and what we are bringing below, we are becoming more poised to lead the nation in not only caring for our Military Veteran Community but for all residents in Hamilton County as we build Stronger Veterans and Stronger Communities.

## Stronger Veterans Stronger Communities Coalition

In 2020, the Hamilton County Health Department and our local leaders saw a spike in our Veteran suicide numbers so we started bringing together city, county and state departments, as well as people and organizations who wanted to step up and make a difference. We created the Stronger Veterans Stronger Communities Coalition (SVSC) for the prevention of suicide in our Military, Veterans, their families and caregivers. This new non-profit was created under A Healthier Hamilton County: Systems of Care with Kristen Ludeker-Seibert as our leader.

With our development of foundational leadership, who have ties all across the state, we created partnerships and affiliations with many Veteran-serving and community-serving entities which has built a robust, ever-growing Coalition working to connect our Hamilton County Military Veteran community (MVC) and ALL residents to the resources they need in their time of that need. We know that to reach those of our MVC who are not connected – they don't go to their American Legions or VFWs, they don't wear Veteran related hats and they don't know of the benefits, services they have earned – we need to reach into our whole community to inform all residents of what resources, services are here and how to connect with them so we all can get answers to our questions, needs and concerns. The hope is that as we all gain a better understanding of how to find the resources needed, we will also be more open with our neighbors, cousins, aunts and uncles so we may assist them in their time of need, thus creating stronger communities because we are creating stronger Veterans.....



Please check their website to learn more about the great things they are doing here in Hamilton County and see how you too may join this awesome coalition. Website is <https://hamiltoncountyinsvsc.org/> and contact is at [info@hamiltoncountyinsvsc.org](mailto:info@hamiltoncountyinsvsc.org).



Start navigating your resource connections here <https://www.navigatehc.org>. This FREE NavigateHC website will connect all Hamilton County residents to the resources and services closest to your home zip code. As we fill in more resources, it will better direct our Military Veteran community to the appropriate departments within the VA system to assist in healthcare, mental health issues, suicide prevention, transitioning to civilian life, home assistance, caregiver support,,,,, you name it, we hope to bring it.



Stronger Veterans Stronger Communities engages our Military Veteran community by keeping them connected, educated about local resources, and fostering bonds to a greater community where we all can live a more fulfilled life here at home, Hamilton County!

## Hamilton County Veteran Service Organizations

### American Legion Posts

**Carmel Post 155** Kim Kilburn  
852 West Main St Breakfast Sat & Sun 8-12  
Carmel, In 46032 Treasure Hunt Fri 7p  
317-846-0001 Tx Holdem Thurs & Sat  
M,Tu 3-10pm, W,Th 10a-10p, F 10a-11a, Sa 8a-11p,  
Su 8a-8p.  
Restaurant –Sa 8a-8p, Su 8a-12p Lunch W-F 11a-2p, Dinner W-F 5-8p

**Cicero Post 341** Tye Anderson  
50 Washington Ave Treasure Hunt Tues 7p  
Cicero, In 46034 Weekly Draw Su 6p,W 7p  
317-984-4441 Bingo Fri 6p, Weekly Draw 8p  
M-Th 3-10p, F-Sa 12-11p, Su 12-10p.  
Restaurant Tu, W, F 4-8pm, Public P/U Tu-W, F eat in or carry out

**Fishers Post 470** Pat Menc  
9091 E 126<sup>th</sup> St Treasure Hunt Fri 8pm \$25K  
Fishers, in 46038 Trivia Wed 6pm  
317-842-5944 Breakfast 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Sun 8-11  
M 3-10p, Tu-Su 12-10pm or when empty.  
Restaurant Breakfast 1<sup>st</sup>&3<sup>rd</sup> Sun 9-12, Food 12-8  
Tu, 5-9 W, 12-9 Th, F 3-8 Sa, 12-5 Su

**Noblesville Post 45** Gil Soria  
273 S 8<sup>th</sup> St Fri 645pm Treasure Hunt  
Noblesville, in 46060  
317-773-9985 Trivia every 1 & 3 Sat 7pm  
M-Th 11a-10p, F11a-12p, Sa 12p-12a, Su 12p-8p  
Restaurant M 6-8pm wings, Tu-F 530-830p,  
Sat 9/14, 9/21, 9/28, 10/12 Breakfast 730-930a  
Dinner 530-830p, Su 12-8p

**Sheridan Post 67** Tom DeShon  
406 E 10<sup>th</sup> St  
Sheridan, In 46069  
317-758-5007  
M 3-9p, Tu-Th 11-9p, F Sa 11-10p, Su 1-6p  
Restaurant Lunch Tu-F 11a-2p, food service till close

### VFW Posts

**Carmel Post 10003** Darin Bibeau  
12863 Old Meridian St  
Carmel, In 46032 Breakfast 2 & 4 Sat 8-11  
317-846-0917 Thurs Treasure Hunt 7pm  
Su-Sa 11a-11p.  
Restaurant - Breakfast 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Sa 8a-11a, Lunch 11a-2p & food service till 8p daily

**Noblesville Post 6246** Eric Behrends  
654 S 9<sup>th</sup> St  
Noblesville, In 46060  
317-773-9956  
M-Th 11a-10p, F 11a-12a, Sa 12p-12a, Su 12p-8p  
Restaurant M-F 6-9p

### Non-Profit Veteran Orgs

**Hamilton County Veterans Corp**  
P.O. Box 503  
Noblesville, in 46061  
[secretary@hamiltoncountyveterans.com](mailto:secretary@hamiltoncountyveterans.com)  
Meets 7pm the 1<sup>st</sup> Monday Monthly at the Fishers American Legion. Our website <https://www.hamiltoncountyveterans.com/> has 40 pages of resources for our Military Veteran community

**Navy Club Hamilton County Ship 29**  
Meets 4<sup>th</sup> Wed 530pm dinner 630pm meeting at Gingers Cafe 1111 S 10<sup>th</sup> St Noblesville

## Hamilton County Military Veteran Off Base Transition Training For our Military, Veteran Community MVC, Resume, Job Fair - Enroll Now



### Career Workshops That Get Results!

The Off-Base Transition Training (OBTT) pilot program is an opportunity for veterans, veterans currently serving in the National Guard and Reserve, and their spouses to take control of their career through workshops to help meet their employment goals. OBTT provides employment preparation, education and opportunities that allow attendees to maximize their career potential.

#### ENROLL IN A WORKSHOP NEAR YOU:

**Tuesday, July 15, 2025**

- Resume Basics**  
Learn to recognize the elements of an effective resume. This is your quick-start guide to building a document that will help you get noticed and hired.  
Time: 10:00AM-12:00PM
- Job Fair Networking**  
Craft your professional introduction and improve your networking skills. This one-hour seminar reveals how to maximize your time when you attend a job fair.  
Time: 1:15PM-2:15PM
- Job Fair Strategies**  
Dig deeper into job fair strategies. This one-hour seminar demonstrates how to handle on-the-spot interviews like a pro and actions to take following the event.  
Time: 2:15PM-3:15PM



**Location:** Easterseals Crossroads  
4740 Kingsway Drive  
4th Floor Conference Room  
Indianapolis, IN 46205

Register online @ [www.signupgenius.com/go/OBTTIndianapolis](http://www.signupgenius.com/go/OBTTIndianapolis)  
For more information, contact: James Holden  
OBTT Employment Resource Coordinator  
[james.holden@serco-na.com](mailto:james.holden@serco-na.com) | 317-719-8376



## Get Your Team Signed Up OR Sponsor the Sheridan American Legion Auxiliary Golf Outing July 19



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Contact Name and Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
Check for \$150 # \_\_\_\_\_ ATTACHED

## Hamilton County Veteran Service Officers

317-776-9610 Hours – 9am-4pm Weekdays  
CVSO – Tom Logan  
[Tom.logan@hamiltoncounty.in.gov](mailto:Tom.logan@hamiltoncounty.in.gov)  
Assistant CVSO – Robin Wilson  
[robin.wilson@hamiltoncounty.in.gov](mailto:robin.wilson@hamiltoncounty.in.gov)  
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Admin Assistant – Christina Ellis  
[christina.ellis@hamiltoncounty.in.gov](mailto:christina.ellis@hamiltoncounty.in.gov)

## Activities & Events

Off Base Transition Training for our MVC – Resume Basics and Writing



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#### ENROLL IN A WORKSHOP NEAR YOU:



**Wednesday, July 16, 2025**

Operation: Job Ready Veterans  
8604 Allisonville Road, Suite 220  
Indianapolis, IN 46250



**Resume Basics**  
Learn to recognize the elements of an effective resume. This is your quick-start guide to building a document that will help you get noticed and hired.  
Time: 10:00AM-12:00PM

**Resume Writing**  
Craft an initial resume or revise a current one in this workshop. Highlight your work history in a resume targeted to a specific job posting.  
Time: 1:15PM-3:15PM

Register online @ [www.signupgenius.com/go/OBTTIndianapolis](http://www.signupgenius.com/go/OBTTIndianapolis)



For more information, contact: James Holden at 317-719-8376 or [james.holden@serco-na.com](mailto:james.holden@serco-na.com)

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Doors Open 30 Min. before the Event

## Weekend Breakfast at the Carmel American Legion 8am-12pm



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Carmel, IN 46032

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*Girls Tennis*

# “The players are the ones that are doing the work”

*Coler reflects on winning HCC coach of the year*

**The REPORTER**

The 2025 season marked the second year in a row that Westfield’s Trudy Coler won the Hoosier Crossroads Conference Coach of the Year award in girls tennis.

Coler tied with Zionsville’s Alex Wittenbaum for the award last year. This year, in her 18th season coaching the Shamrocks, Coler has the award all to herself.

“I’m just really proud of the program that we have built over the years,” said Coler. “Each year we build. We just keep building, and the players are the ones that are doing the work. They’re doing the hard work in the off-season and they’re putting the time in.”

Westfield qualified for the team state finals for the second consecutive year this season, winning a 5-0 quarterfinal over Bishop Chatard before falling to eventual



Reporter photo by Richie Hall  
**Westfield girls tennis coach Trudy Coler has coached the Shamrocks to back-to-back appearances at the IHSAA state meet.**

state champion Jasper 4-1 in the semifinals, completing their season with a 22-2 record.

“This season, we had such a great group of girls that were just ready to play, and they were really focused on wanting to get back to state and were able to accomplish that goal,” said Coler.

# Grilliot finishes as state runner-up

By **RICHIE HALL**  
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**INDIANAPOLIS** — Westfield’s Alexandra Grilliot finished her freshman tennis season as state runner-up last weekend.

Grilliot began her run with a quarterfinal match last Friday, where she cruised to a 6-0, 6-0 victory over Lakeland senior Emma Danihelova. The matches were to be played at Park Tudor, but rainy conditions moved them to the University of Indianapolis Tennis Center on Indy’s south side.

Grilliot was unbothered by the change of venue, making quick work of her opponent. She played with variety, mixing her groundstrokes with soft shots, slice backhands and more than a few trips to the net for volley winners.

“I’ve been drop-shotting since I was 9, and I’ve always loved to come to the net, serve and volley,” said Grilliot. “It’s what makes tennis fun.”

The victory was Grilliot’s 20th of the season and kept her undefeated. Playing No. 1 singles for



Reporter photos by Richie Hall  
**(ABOVE LEFT) Westfield freshman Alexandra Grilliot won her IHSAA state quarterfinal match 6-0, 6-0 last Friday to advance to the semifinals. (ABOVE RIGHT) University junior Laurel Buttrick fell to Warren Central’s Samaya Smith 6-1, 6-1 in the quarterfinals, finishing her season 15-3.**

one of the top teams in Indiana is a big responsibility, but Grilliot is enjoying the ride, saying the experience is “not that stressful. It’s been fun.”

“The matches are definitely going to get harder, but the team experience has been really fun,” said Grilliot. “I’m looking forward to all the cheering.”

Grilliot was part of a semifinal lineup where all four players were unbeaten for the season. She played Providence senior Riley

Trinkle in the semifinals last Saturday and prevailed in a three-set match.

Trinkle won the first set 7-6, with the tiebreaker going to 7-2. Grilliot came back to win the second set 7-5, then ran away with the third set by winning 6-0.

That victory moved Grilliot into the championship match, where she took on Warren Central junior Samaya Smith. Grilliot won the first set 6-2, but Smith took over in the next two sets, winning them 6-1, 6-2

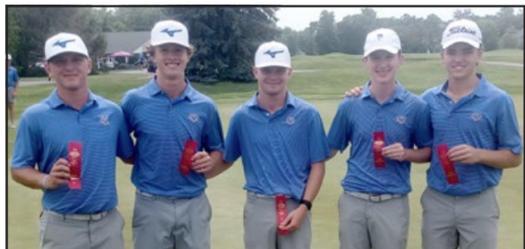
to complete an undefeated season at 25-0. Grilliot finished her season 29-1.

Smith beat University junior Laurel Buttrick 6-1, 6-1 in the quarterfinals. Buttrick finished her season 15-3.

“I just think she’s really good and I tried my best, and I think it was a good match,” said Buttrick, who was making her first appearance at the state meet.

“It was a good season,” said Buttrick. “I made it pretty far.”

*Boys Golf*



Reporter photos by Richie Hall  
**(ABOVE) Hamilton Southeastern placed second at The Players Club to qualify for state for the seventh consecutive year. (BELOW) Fishers’ Tommy Klinker placed second individually and advanced to state.**

# Millers & Royals go 1-2 at regional

*Fishers’ Tommy Klinker makes state as individual*

By **RICHIE HALL**  
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**YORKTOWN** — After his Millers proved it at the sectional tournament, Noblesville boys golf coach Gary Deakyne reiterated the reason his team has been so successful during the post-season.

“It’s a team effort and they do a great job,” said Deakyne.

The Millers used their depth to win their first regional title since 2019 last Thursday, claiming the Muncie Central regional at The Players Club in Yorktown. Just like at the sectional, Noblesville had to hold off Hamilton Southeastern to



win, 295-298.

The regional win was the eighth in program history for the Millers and also qualified them for the IHSAA state finals, which begin Tuesday at Prairie View Golf Club in Carmel. The Royals are also

See *Regional... Page B2*

*Boys Golf*

# Shamrocks defend regional, Guerin Catholic’s Wessel is medalist

*Greyhounds place second to return to state*

**The REPORTER**

The Westfield boys golf team kept its regional championship streak going on Friday.

The Shamrocks won the Harrison regional, which took place at Coyote Crossing Golf Course in Lafayette. Westfield scored 294 for a comfortable team victory, with three of its players finishing in the top six individually, and a ticket to next week’s IHSAA state finals at Prairie View.

Seniors Will Harvey and Jake Cesare led the way for the Rocks, with both of them scoring 72. The two Westfield golfers tied for low round with Guerin Catholic’s Eli Wessel, who won a playoff for medalist honors.

Jake Cesare totaled two birdies, while Harvey made one. Hudson Kutchna drained five birdies on his way to a score of 73. Ryan Cesare scored 77 with one birdie and Mitchell Keene made three birdies while posting a 79.



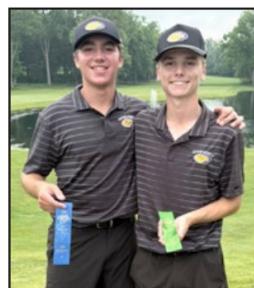
Photos provided  
**(ABOVE) The Carmel boys golf team finished second at the Harrison regional last Friday, punching a ticket to the state meet for the first time since 2021. (BELOW) Guerin Catholic’s Eli Wessel (left) finished as individual medalist after winning a three-way playoff. Wessel and Robbie Burt (right) both qualified for state as individuals. See photos of the Noblesville and Westfield teams on Page B2.**

The top three teams advance to state from regional. Carmel claimed a place at state by finishing as team runner-up with a score of 304. The Greyhounds qualified for the first time since 2021, breaking a four-year drought.

Ethan Hoagland and Alex Gardner both scored 75, with Hoagland making three birdies and Johnson draining one. Noah Johnson

totaled 77 with one birdie, while Davis Hutchins posted 77 with two birdies. Patrick Wolf scored 78.

Wessel totaled four birdies on his way to post 72 before winning the medalist playoff. He qualifies for state as one of three individuals not on an advancing team. Wessel will be joined by Golden Eagles teammate Robbie Burt, who scored 73 to take one of the other ad-



vancing places. Burt made two birdies in his round.

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<p>May 2025 Median Sale Price</p> <p>↑ <b>\$320,000*</b></p> <p><small>compared to this time last year</small></p>	<p>Sales Increased</p> <p>May pending home sales compared to this time last year</p> <p>↑ <b>8.1%</b></p>	<p>↑ <b>1,548</b></p> <p>More Homes For Sale</p> <p>5/24 vs. 5/25</p>
<p>↑ <b>0.9%</b></p> <p>Price Increase</p> <p>5/24 vs. 5/25</p>	<p>Months of Inventory Change</p> <p>↑ <b>30.6%</b></p> <p>5/24 vs. 5/25</p>	<p>Interest Rates</p> <p>30-Year Fixed</p> <p><b>7.0%</b></p> <p><small>With an APR of 7.146%</small></p>

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Sales- 0

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ORDINANCE NO. 06-09-2025-A

AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF HAMILTON COUNTY CONCERNING REVISIONS TO THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT FEE SCHEDULE

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners of Hamilton County ("the County") has a duty to ensure the public health and safety of the citizens of Hamilton County; and,

WHEREAS, the Hamilton County Health Department is the responsible County department to ensure the County is in compliance with Indiana Code and enforcing provisions required to ensure the health and safety of residents in Hamilton County; and,

WHEREAS, from time to time, the County needs to update and amend its ordinances to reflect changes in legislation, occupational practices, and costs; and,

WHEREAS, the County finds that it is desirous and necessary to amend the existing Ordinance for Health Department fees.

IT IS THEREBY ORDAINED by the Board of Commissioners of Hamilton County as follows:

- 1. The Ordinance language ("Ordinance") is attached to this ordinance as "Attachment A" and is hereby incorporated by reference.
2. This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect on July 1, 2025.
3. The Hamilton County Auditor is instructed to publish notice of this Ordinance pursuant to law.

ALL OF WHICH IS ORDAINED by the Board of Commissioners of Hamilton County this 9th day of June, 2025. BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF HAMILTON COUNTY

ATTEST: Todd Clevenger, Auditor

ATTACHMENT A

IT IS HEREBY ORDAINED THAT HAMILTON COUNTY CODE 16-20-1-27 IS HEREBY AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS:

Table with multiple columns listing health department fees. Includes sections for Schedule A (Vital Record Service), Schedule B (Personal Health Services), Schedule C (Food Establishments), Schedule D (On-site Sewage Systems), Schedule E (Public and Semi-public Swimming Pool, Wading Pool, and Spa Fees), Schedule F (Private Well Fees), Schedule H (Body Art Fees), and Schedule I (Accounting or Disposition). Fees range from \$15.00 to \$500.00.

State law reference(s)—Fees for local health services and records, IC 16-20-1-27. 6/14/25, 6/16/25

Boys Golf

Millers, Rocks claim close sectional titles

By RICHIE HALL sports@readthereporter.com

Every score on a five-man golf team is important, a lesson the Noblesville boys golf team was happy to remind everyone of last Monday.

The Millers reclaimed their own sectional championship, which they hosted at Harbour Trees. It came down to the fifth-man scored before Noblesville edged out Hamilton Southeastern.

Both teams scored 296, with the Millers getting the win by one stroke. Noblesville also got help from its No. 4 golfer Dustin Turpin.

He wound up as the Millers' low man, carding an even-par 72 to tie for second place individually. Drew Werkley and Tyler Marucci both scored 73s, while Lance Decker and Jackson Umthum each totaled 78.

"It's one of those things where we try to make sure that those kids understand that, it doesn't matter whether you're playing No. 1 or No. 5, you're just as important," said Noblesville coach Gary Deakyne.

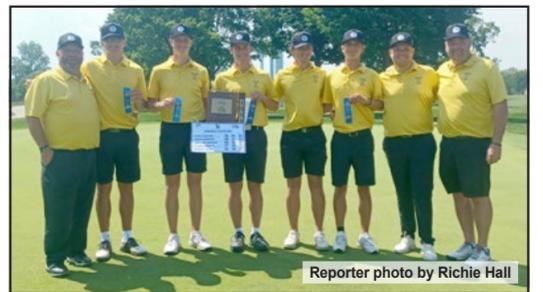
"All of our kids understand that, and when somebody's down, they pick them back up." The top three teams advance to Thursday's regional at The Players Club in Yorktown, so the Royals will join the Millers there.

Pendleton Heights claimed the third spot with a score of 310.

Southeastern's Kai Warner won medalist honors with a one-under par score of 71. He made a clutch putt on the 18th green to clinch the one-stroke victory.

"I feel like I hung in there really well," said Warner. "I hit so many good putts all day and I just knew if I stayed patient, they'd go in."

Mattingly Upchurch



Reporter photo by Richie Hall

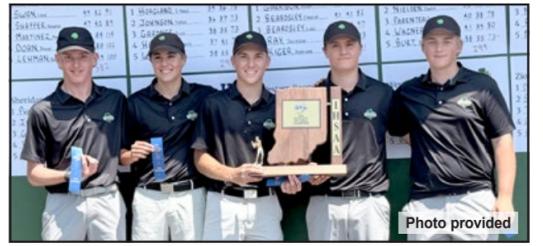


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(TOP) The Noblesville boys golf team won its first sectional title since 2022 last Monday at Harbour Trees. The Millers edged out Hamilton Southeastern on the fifth-man score; both teams scored 296. (ABOVE) Westfield won its own sectional, scoring 287 to triumph at Ulen Golf & Country Club.

scored 74 for the Royals, followed by Dane Starnes with 75, Brody Colburn with 76 and Blake Babb with 79.

Fishers placed fourth with a team score of 312. Tommy Klinker led the Tigers with a 73; he will advance to regional as one of the three low individuals not on an advancing team.

Lucas Brown added 77. Hamilton Heights finished with 352. Kole Kirtley led the Huskies with 80.

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Westfield also won its own sectional last Monday, taking the trophy at Ulen Golf & Country Club in Yorktown.

The Shamrocks scored 287 for their first sectional title since 2023 and third in four years. Westfield joined Carmel (294) and Zionsville (297) in advancing to Friday's regional at Coyote Crossing.

Will Harvey won med-

alist honors with a score of 67. Ryan Cesare tied for third place with 72, while Mitchell Keene was part of a five-way tie for fifth, scoring 73. Jake Cesare and Hudson Kutchma both totaled 75s.

Three Greyhounds golfers were also part of the fifth-place tie. Noah Johnson, Alex Gardner and Patrick Wolf each scored 73s. Ethan Hoagland's 75 and Davis Hutchins' 78 rounded out the Carmel scoring.

Guerin Catholic placed fourth as a team with 299. Two Golden Eagles players will advance to regional as individuals: Eli Wessel was second overall with 70, while Robbie Burt joined the fifth-place tie with 73.

University scored 374, led by Emmett White and Kedrick Laborsky's scores of 89. Sheridan totaled 393; Luke Inman led the Black-hawks with 93.

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going to state, along with Cathedral, which placed third with 301.

Tyler Marucci was Noblesville's low man at The Players Club, scoring a one-under par 71. He made five birdies in his round and tied for second individually.

"Whenever someone is playing bad, there's always someone else playing good," said Marucci. "I feel like there's never a round that we play where we don't have each other. We're really close off the course, too and on the course, which is really beneficial for us on the course."

"My No. 5 (Dustin Turpin) was low at sectional and my No. 4 is low at the regional," said Deakyne. "It's like I said the other day, we have a team, a full team and it's not about No. 1 or No. 2 that have to best, they have to go the lowest. We're strong

one through five and that's what makes us a good team."

Lance Decker was next in line for Noblesville with 73, making three birdies. Drew Werkley totaled 75 with five birdies. Jackson Umthum scored 76 and Dustin Turpin carded 81, both with two birdies.

Southeastern also had solid scores across the board, with everyone finishing lower than 80. Dane Starnes led the Royals with 72, tying him for fourth individually. Starnes collected three birdies during his round.

"We had high expectations coming into here and we did pretty well," said Starnes. "We've been close to Noblesville all year, but fell behind them with three shots."

"All that really matters is we're going to state," said Starnes. The Royals advanced to state for the seventh consecutive year.

Blake Babb scored 73, including three birdies, followed by Mattingly Upchurch with 76. He made two birdies. Brody Colburn's 77 and Kai Warner's 79 rounded out the HSE scoring, both made one birdie.

"That's the name of the game is survive and advance, so we did that to represent our school and community one more year at the state finals," said Royals coach David Young.

Fishers' Tommy Klinker is also heading to state. His score of 72 tied him for second individually and made him one of the three low scorers not on an advancing team. Klinker totaled three birdies in his round.

"Being in Hamilton County, a lot of great teams, a lot of great players, so it's great to play with them and really test my abilities," said Klinker.

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Baseball

Golden Eagles fall in semi-state championship

The REPORTER

The Guerin Catholic baseball team's historic post-season run came to an end last Saturday in the Class 3A Jasper semi-state championship game.

The Golden Eagles began the day with a tough victory in the semifinals at Ruxer Field. Guerin Catholic beat New Palestine 2-1, continuing their deepest run ever in the state tournament.

Playing as the visiting team, the Golden Eagles scored one run in both of the first two innings. Karson Smith got the first run, heading home after a balk call on the Dragons' pitcher. Luke Gremelspacher batted in the second-inning run, with his right field double scoring Liam Zorger.

New Palestine scored in the fourth inning, also with an RBI double. But that would be the Dragons' only run. Tate Troxell pitched a dominant game, going six innings while striking out 11 and allowing only two hits. Finn Holden got the save, getting three straight outs (sacrifice bunt and two groundouts) after a leadoff hit by pitch.

Guerin Catholic played the host Jasper Wildcats in the championship and lost 5-0. Jasper did not allow the Golden Eagles any hits, while scoring two runs in the third and fourth innings and one run in the fifth.

Guerin Catholic only gave up two hits in the game, with Gremelspacher allowing one hit in four innings while striking out four.

The Golden Eagles finished their season 19-13, winning their first ever sectional and regional titles.

Westfield dropped its semifinal game to Goshen 5-2 last Saturday in the Class 4A north semi-state at Lafayette's Loeb Stadium. The Shamrocks scored a run in the first inning;

Drew Law got home on Beck Jordan's RBI ground-out. Ethan Colling led off the second inning with a double, then Andrew Noble came in to run for him. Nick Fero batted next and sent a base hit into right field to score Noble and give Westfield a 2-0 lead.

But the RedHawks, who upset No. 1-ranked Penn to win the regional, took control in the third inning by scoring four runs. Goshen added its fifth run in the fourth inning and held the lead from there.

Lincoln Hoffman also hit a double for the Rocks, who totaled six hits.

Westfield finished its season 22-10, but not before defending its Sectional 8 and regional championships.

University fell to Providence 13-5 in a Class 2A south semi-state semifinal game at the University of Evansville.

The Pioneers put up eight runs in the top of the second inning. The Trailblazers scored one run in the bottom of the second; Ryan Castetter singled in Philip Jacobs.

Providence scored one run in both the third and fourth innings to take a 10-1 lead. University rallied in the bottom of the fourth by scoring four runs. Castetter batted in Oliver Kingery, then Ethan Cutsinger scored when Cooper Cammack was hit by a pitch with the bases loaded.

Cooper Burnett later hit a two-run single, bringing home Castetter and Beckett Suh, cutting the Pioneer's lead to 10-5. But Providence held on, and finished the game with a three-run double in the top of the seventh inning.

Castetter had two of University's six this.

The Trailblazers finished their season 20-12, in addition to winning sectional and regional titles.

Huskies Summer Basketball Camp set for June 23-26

The REPORTER

Hamilton Heights boys basketball coach Chad Ballenger is hosting his annual Summer Camp later next week.

The camp is for boys who are entering grades 5 through 8 this school year. The camp takes place from 10 to 11:30 a.m. June 23 to 26 at the Hamilton Heights High School gym. Enter through Door H, on the north side of the gym.

The cost is \$40, with a family discount of \$5 for each additional child. If any

boy cannot afford to pay the camp fee at this time, call Ballenger at (765) 438-2016.

"The basic requirement in developing a strong basketball program is to instill in all our boys a desire to improve themselves so that some day they can become part of the Husky Basketball team," said Ballenger. "This can be best accomplished by developing the proper fundamentals and pride in themselves and their school at an early age."

For more information, contact Ballenger at [cbalenger@hhschuskies.org](mailto:cbalenger@hhschuskies.org).

FISHERS

Notice Zayo Group, LLC proposes to build a 44.2-foot pole communications structure at the approx. vicinity of 10510 East 131st Street, Fishers, Hamilton County, IN 46037. Public comments regarding potential effects from this site on historic properties may be submitted within 30 days from the date of this publication to: Trileaf Corp, Edward Reynolds, e.reynolds@trileaf.com, 1515 Des Peres Road, Suite 200, St. Louis, MO 63131, 314-997-6111.

LEGAL NOTICE DUKE ENERGY INDIANA, LLC AND INDIANAPOLIS POWER & LIGHT COMPANY D/B/A AES INDIANA NOTICE OF INTENT TO FILE CHANGE IN BOUNDARY LINES DUKE ENERGY INDIANA, LLC ("Duke Energy Indiana") and Indianapolis Power & Light Company d/b/a AES Indiana ("AES Indiana") hereby give notice that on April 30, 2025, a Joint Petition was filed with the Indiana Utility Regulatory Commission for approval to modify service area boundaries between Duke Energy Indiana and AES Indiana associated with an area along the north side of East 96th Street between the White River and River Place Drive in Fishers, Indiana located on U.S.G.S. Facet Map P-16-1 in Hamilton County, Indiana pursuant to Ind. Code § 8-1-2.3-6.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING FISHERS BOARD OF METROPOLITAN FIRE MERIT COMMISSIONERS In accordance with Ind. Code §§36-8-3.5-10 and 5-3-1, the Fishers Board of Metropolitan Fire Merit Commissioners (the "Commission") hereby provides NOTICE that on June 26, 2025, at 12:00 pm at the City of Fishers Fire Department, 2 Municipal Drive, Fishers, IN, 46038, the Commission will conduct a public hearing during its duly noticed public meeting to consider an amendment to its merit rules. The amendments is in furtherance of the Commission's stated purpose to establish the process for selection and promotion of merit firefghter and to provide review and oversight of those processes, and to modernize certain administrative language with current terminology and practices. At the hearing, any interested person of the unit, district, or territory and any member of the department must be given an opportunity to present both oral and written evidence on any matter relating to the adoption of the proposed rules. The commission shall give due consideration to this evidence in making the commission's final decision concerning the adoption of the proposed rules. A copy of the proposed amendment is available for inspection at the City of Fishers Fire Department.

HAMILTON COUNTY

BEFORE THE HAMILTON COUNTY DRAINAGE BOARD IN THE MATTER OF Thistlethwaite Drain, Aaron Rawlings Arm Vacant & Relocation for Maple Run Section 7 NOTICE Notice is hereby given of the hearing of the Hamilton County Drainage Board concerning the reconstruction of the Thistlethwaite Drain, Aaron Rawlings Arm, Vacant & Relocation for Maple Run Section 7 on June 23, 2025 at 9:00 A.M. in Commissioners Court, Hamilton County Judicial Center, One Hamilton County Square, Noblesville, Indiana. Construction and maintenance reports of the Surveyor and the Schedule of Assessments proposed by the Drainage Board have been filed and are available for public inspection in the office of the Hamilton County Surveyor.

MEETING NOTICE Pursuant to IC 5-14-1.5-5 (a) The Hamilton County Board of Commissioners and the Hamilton County Council will meet on Wednesday, July 2, 2025, at 5:00 p.m. in Conference Room 1A in the Hamilton County Government and Judicial Center, One Hamilton County Square Noblesville, Indiana 46060. Meeting will begin with Executive Session for Implementation of Security Systems IC 5-14-1.5-6.1(b)(C), Purchase or Lease of Real Estate IC 5-14-1.5-6.1(b)(2)(D), Discussion of Pending Litigation IC 5-14-1.5-6.1(b)(2)(B), and Discussion of Personnel Pursuant to IC 5-14-1.5-6.1(b)(7). Public session to discuss county business will immediately follow the Executive Session.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS Pursuant to IC 5-3-1-2(b) Notice is hereby given that the Hamilton County Council of Hamilton County, Indiana will meet Wednesday, July 2, 2025 at their regular meeting place of One Hamilton County Square, Noblesville, Indiana. The regular meeting of the Hamilton County Council will begin at 7:00 p.m. in the Commissioners Courtroom. Purpose of this meeting if for consideration of transfer of funds, 144 amendments, reduction of funds and to consider the following additional appropriations in excess of the budget for the current year. The Council will hold a public hearing for the additional appropriations. Any person having concerns or questions on said appropriations shall be heard at the public hearing.

ARCADIA

Notice The Arcadia Town Council has moved the time of their meeting on Monday, June 16th to 6:00 p.m. still located at the same place. The Arcadia Town Council will meet in a special meeting on Monday, June 16th at 7:00 p.m. located at 208 W. Main Street Arcadia, In 46030 to discuss annexation.

ATLANTA

NOTICE The Town of Atlanta will hold an Executive Session on June 16 at 9 a.m. in the Atlanta Town Hall, 105 E. Main St., Atlanta, to discuss Initiation of litigation or litigation that is either pending or has been threatened specifically in writing, in accordance with with IC 5-14-1.5-6.1 (b)

CICERO

NOTICE On June, 18, 2025, the Cicero Police Pension Board will hold an Executive Session at 10:30 AM at Cicero Town Hall, 70 N Byron Street, Cicero, IN according to Indiana Code IC 5-14-1.5-6.1(b)(7) for discussion of records classified as confidential by state or federal statute. On June 18, 2025, the Cicero Police Pension Board will meet at 11:00 A.M. or immediately following the Executive Session (whichever is later) at Cicero Town Hall, 70 N. Byron Street, Cicero, IN 46034.

NOBLESVILLE

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING AND INVITATION TO COMMENT ON THE HAMILTON COUNTY COMMISSIONERS PROPOSED PY2025 COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT ACTION PLAN Hamilton County, in cooperation with the cities of Carmel, Fishers, Noblesville and Westfield, is an entitlement jurisdiction participating in the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development's (HUD's) Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Program. Hamilton County's CDBG program covers the unincorporated areas of the County and the cities of Carmel, Fishers, Noblesville and Westfield, collectively known as the "Urban County" for CDBG purposes. The Noblesville Housing Authority (NHA) is the administrator of the CDBG Program on behalf of the County. Hamilton County anticipates receiving approximately \$1,146,153 in funding for Program Year 2025. The Annual Action Plan identifies how these funds will be allocated for the Program Year, running from October 1, 2025 to September 30, 2026. Eligible activities for entitlement CDBG funding must meet one of the following national objectives: 1) principally benefit low- and moderate- income persons, 2) eliminate slums and blight, and 3) meet an urgent need. The types of projects and programs which may be considered for funding, subject to national objectives compliance, are summarized as follows: Acquisition and/or disposition of real property; construction and rehabilitation of publicly owned facilities; improvements to public and privately owned buildings to make them accessible to people with disabilities; infrastructure improvements including sidewalks, street, drainage, and water and sewer systems; and the rehabilitation of public or privately owned housing for low- and moderate-income households.

COURT NOTICES

SUMMONS - SERVICE BY PUBLICATION STATE OF INDIANA ) IN THE HAMILTON COUNTY ) COUNTY OF HAMILTON ) SS: SUPERIOR COURT ) Clerk ) CAUSE NO. 29D02-2406-MF-006854 ) Hamilton Circuit/Superior Court ) One Hamilton Square, Room Suite 106 ) Noblesville, IN 46060 ) (317) 776-9629 ) CARRINGTON MORTGAGE SERVICES, LLC ) Plaintiff ) Vs. ) UNKNOWN HEIRS AT LAW AND DEVISEES OF LADONNA ROSE; DEER PATH HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION, INC.; DREW ROSE; UNKNOWN OCCUPANTS; AARON ROSE; ) Defendant )

NOTICE OF SUIT The State of Indiana to the Defendant above named and any other person who may be concerned. You are notified that you have been sued in the Court above named. The nature of the suit against you is: Complaint on Note and to Foreclose Mortgage on Real Estate against the property described in Exhibit B of the Complaint as set out below: Legal Description: THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED REAL ESTATE IN HAMILTON COUNTY, IN THE STATE OF INDIANA, TO WIT: LOT NUMBER 542 IN DEER PATH, SECTION FOURTEEN, AN ADDITION IN HAMILTON COUNTY, INDIANA, AS PER PLAT THEREOF RECORDED JANUARY 12, 2004 AS INSTRUMENT NO. 2004-2652 IN THE OFFICE OF THE RECORDER OF HAMILTON COUNTY, INDIANA. More commonly known as 15454 Dusty Trail, Noblesville, Indiana 46060 This summons by publication is specifically directed to the following named defendants: UNKNOWN HEIRS AT LAW AND DEVISEES OF LADONNA ROSE; DEER PATH HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION, INC.; DREW ROSE; UNKNOWN OCCUPANTS; AARON ROSE This summons by publication is specifically directed to the following named defendant whose whereabouts is unknown: UNKNOWN HEIRS AT LAW AND DEVISEES OF LADONNA ROSE; DEER PATH HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION, INC.; DREW ROSE; UNKNOWN OCCUPANTS; AARON ROSE If you have a claim for relief against the plaintiff arising from the same transaction or occurrence, you must assert it in your written answer or response. You must answer the Complaint in writing, by you or your attorney, within thirty (30) days after the Third Notice of Suit, and if you fail to do so a judgment by default may be entered against you for the relief demanded by the plaintiff. Roy Hong Attorney No. 38651-45 Johnson, Blumberg, & Associates, LLC 500 W. Lincoln Hwy., Suite J Merrillville, IN 46410 Ph. 312-541-9710 Fax 312-541-9711 Indianapolis@johnsonblumberg.com JBA#IN 24 7928

COURT NOTICES

STATE OF INDIANA ) IN THE HAMILTON SUPERIOR COURT ) COUNTY OF HAMILTON ) ) SS: ) CAUSE NO.: 29D01-2504-AD-501 ) IN THE MATTER OF THE ADOPTION OF ) GIDEON LOWELL GEISE, MINOR ) ) NOTICE OF ADOPTION The grandparents of Gideon Lowell Geise are notified that a petition for adoption of the child was filed in the office of the clerk of Hamilton Superior Court 1, 1 Hamilton County Square, Noblesville, Indiana 46060. This notice complies with Indiana Code 31-19-2.5(a)(3) and Indiana Code 31-19-4.5-1.5 but does not exhaustively set forth a person's legal obligations under the Indiana adoption statutes. The grandparents of the child are being served with this notice because their rights to visitation may be impacted by the adoption. This notice is limited to the issue of grandparent visitation and may not be used to contest the adoption. A person being served with this notice should consult the Indiana adoption and grandparent visitation statutes. Kathy Kreg Williams, Clerk, Hamilton Superior Court 1 Prepared by: Nathan A. Leach (Attorney #25673-49) HERRIN & LEACH, LLC 3815 River Crossing Parkway, Suite 100 Indianapolis, IN 46240 (317) 566-2174 Nate@IndianaAdoptionLawyer.com R6305 6/9/25, 6/16/25, 6/23/2025

29D02-2504-EU-000173 Webster & Garino, LLC 209 E. 175th Street, Suite A Westfield, IN 46074 NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION Cause No.: 29D2-2504-EU-000173 Notice is hereby given that Nicholas Koehl was, on the 23rd day of April, 2025, appointed Personal Representative of the Estate of Joellen Kemper deceased, who died on the 22nd day of August, 2024. All persons who have claims against this estate, whether or not now due, must file the claim in the office of the clerk of this court within three (3) months from the date of the first publication of this notice, or within nine (9) months after the decedent's death, whichever is earlier, or the claims will be forever barred. Dated at Noblesville, Indiana, this 23rd day of April, 2025. Kathy Kreg Williams Hamilton County Clerk 6/9/25, 6/16/25 R6295

STATE OF INDIANA ) COUNTY OF HAMILTON ) IN THE HAMILTON ) CIRCUIT COURT ) Cause No. 29C01-2505-MI-005439 IN RE THE NAME CHANGE OF: Domenic Tyler Riley Petitioner NOTICE OF PETITION FOR CHANGE OF NAME Domenic Tyler Riley, whose mailing address is: 4403 Dourou Trail Westfield, Indiana 46062 in HAMILTON County, Indiana, hereby gives notice that Domenic Tyler Riley has filed a petition in the Hamilton County Circuit Court requesting that name be changed Domenic Triolo Kasper. Notice is further given that the hearing will be held on said Petition on: October 20, 2025 at 10:00 a.m. Domenic Tyler Riley Petitioner May 19, 2025 Kathy Kreg Williams Hamilton County Clerk 6/9/25, 6/16/25, 6/23/2025 R6303

STATE OF INDIANA ) COUNTY OF HAMILTON ) IN THE HAMILTON ) CIRCUIT COURT ) Cause No. 29C01-2505-MI-005763 IN RE THE NAME CHANGE OF: Abby Nicole Bailey Petitioner NOTICE OF PETITION FOR CHANGE OF NAME Abby Nicole Bailey, whose mailing address is: 130 Overston Ct., Cicero, IN 46030 in HAMILTON County, Indiana, hereby gives notice that Abby Nicole Bailey has filed a petition in the Hamilton County Circuit Court requesting that name be changed Abby Nicole. Notice is further given that the hearing will be held on said Petition on: October 20, 2025 at 10:00 a.m. Abby Nicole Bailey Petitioner May 28, 2025 Kathy Kreg Williams Hamilton County Clerk 6/9/25, 6/16/25, 6/23/2025 R6300

29D03-2504-EU-000162 NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION In re the Unsupervised Estate of Robert R. Lloyd ADLER Attorneys - Noblesville 136 South 9th Street Noblesville, IN 46060-2614 (317) 773-1974 Seth R. Wilson, #26647-49 sseth@noblesvilleattorney.com In the Superior Court 3 of Hamilton County, Indiana Notice is given that Melissa Stultz was appointed Personal Representative of the Estate of the above-named Decedent, who died on 04/11/2022. All persons who have claims against this Estate, whether now due, must file the claim in the office of the clerk of this court within three (3) months from the date of the first publication of this notice or within nine (9) months of Decedent's death whichever is earlier, or the claims will be forever barred. Dated: April 21, 2025 Kathy Kreg Williams Clerk for Hamilton County, Indiana R6319 6/16/25, 6/23/25.

80C01-2506-EU-000046 IN THE TIPTON COUNTY CIRCUIT COURT STATE OF INDIANA IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF GARY DAN CROUCH NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION In the Circuit Court of Tipton County, Indiana. Notice is hereby given that JANE E. CROUCH was, on June 10, 2025, appointed Personal Representative of the Estate of GARY DAN CROUCH, deceased, who died April 27, 2025. All persons who have claims against this Estate, whether or not now due, must file the claim in the office of the Clerk of this Court within three (3) months from the date of the first publication of this Notice, or within nine (9) months after the decedent's death, whichever is earlier, or the claims will be forever barred. Dated at Tipton, Indiana on 10th day of June 2025. Christy Crawford Clerk of the Tipton County Circuit Court Tipton, Indiana R6320 6/16/25, 6/23/25.

STATE OF INDIANA ) COUNTY OF HAMILTON ) IN THE HAMILTON ) CIRCUIT COURT ) Cause No. 29C01-2503-MI-3210 IN RE THE NAME CHANGE OF: Gabrielle Gertrude Luke Petitioner NOTICE OF PETITION FOR CHANGE OF NAME Gabrielle Gertrude Luke, whose mailing address is: 1915 Deerbrook Dr., Fishers, Indiana 46038 in HAMILTON County, Indiana, hereby gives notice that Gabrielle Gertrude Luke has filed a petition in the Hamilton County Circuit Court requesting that name be changed Gabrielle Gertrude Ivers. Notice is further given that the hearing will be held on said Petition on: August 4, 2025 at 10:00 a.m. Gabrielle Gertrude Luke Petitioner March 24, 2025 Kathy Kreg Williams Hamilton County Clerk 6/16/25, 6/23/25, 6/30/25 R6324

STATE OF INDIANA ) COUNTY OF HAMILTON ) IN THE HAMILTON ) CIRCUIT COURT ) Cause No. 29C01-2505-MI-5020 IN RE THE MATTER OF: Noureldin Omar Petitioner NOTICE OF PETITION FOR CHANGE OF NAME Noureldin Omar, whose mailing address is: 12334 Brandamore Lane Fishers, Indiana 46037 in HAMILTON County, Indiana, hereby gives notice that Noureldin Omar has filed a petition in the Hamilton County Circuit Court requesting that name be changed to Noureldin Attallah. Notice is further given that the hearing will be held on said Petition on: October 20, 2025 at 10:00 a.m. Noureldin Omar Petitioner May 21, 2025 Kathy Kreg Williams Hamilton County Clerk 6/9/25, 6/16/25, 6/23/2025 R6279

STATE OF INDIANA ) COUNTY OF HAMILTON ) IN THE HAMILTON ) CIRCUIT COURT ) Cause No. 29C01-2505-MI-5664 IN RE THE MATTER OF: Lisa Diane Pitts Petitioner NOTICE OF PETITION FOR CHANGE OF NAME Lisa Diane Pitts, whose mailing address is: 204 Catherine Dr., Westfield Indiana 46074 in HAMILTON County, Indiana, hereby gives notice that Lisa Diane Pitts has filed a petition in the Hamilton County Circuit Court requesting that name be changed to Lisa Diane Hurlock. Notice is further given that the hearing will be held on said Petition on: October 20, 2025 at 10:00 a.m. Lisa Diane Pitts Petitioner May 16, 2025 Kathy Kreg Williams Hamilton County Clerk 6/9/25, 6/16/25, 6/23/2025 R6299

STATE OF INDIANA ) COUNTY OF HAMILTON ) IN THE HAMILTON ) CIRCUIT COURT ) Cause No. 29C01-2504-MI-004766 IN RE THE NAME CHANGE OF: Ashlee Christine Bauman Petitioner NOTICE OF PETITION FOR CHANGE OF NAME Ashlee Christine Bauman, whose mailing address is: 12587 Brady Lane Noblesville, Indiana 46060 in HAMILTON County, Indiana, hereby gives notice that Ashlee Christine Bauman has filed a petition in the Hamilton County Circuit Court requesting that name be changed Ashlee Christine Corbin. Notice is further given that the hearing will be held on said Petition on: October 13, 2025 at 10:00 a.m. Ashlee Christine Bauman Petitioner May 2, 2025 Kathy Kreg Williams Hamilton County Clerk 6/9/25, 6/16/25, 6/23/2025 R6302

29D03-2505-EU-000233 STATE OF INDIANA ) COUNTY OF HAMILTON ) IN THE HAMILTON ) SUPERIOR COURT ) IN THE MATTER OF THE ) UNSUPERVISED ESTATE OF ) MAXINE S. HELBURN, ) DECEASED ) NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION In the Hamilton Superior 3 Court of Hamilton County, Indiana. Notice is hereby given that Joem M. Schumm was on the 6th day of June, 2025, appointed Personal Representative of the Estate of Maxine S. Helburn, deceased, who died on the 5th day of April, 2025. All persons who have claims against this estate, whether or not now due, must file the claim in the Office of the Clerk of this Court within three (3) months from the date of the first publication of this notice, or within nine (9) months after the decedent's death, whichever is earlier, or the claims will be forever barred. DATED at Noblesville, Indiana, this 6th day of June, 2025. Kathy Kreg Williams Clerk of the Hamilton Superior Court of Hamilton County, Indiana

Attorneys: Grace E. Dillow #36222-49 Cynthia A. Bedrick #21547-49 McNeelyLaw LLP 2177 Intelliplex Drive, Suite 251 Shelbyville, IN 46176 Phone: (317) 825-5110 Facsimile: (317) 825-5109 GDillow@McNeelyLaw.com R6317 6/16/25, 6/23/25.

29D02-2505-ES-000229 Hamilton Superior Court 2 DECLUE LAW OFFICES LLC 380 Main Street Beech Grove, IN 46107 (317) 588-3301 NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION In the Superior Court of Hamilton County, Indiana. In the Matter of the Estate of SHAMSHER SINGH, deceased. Cause No. 29D02-2505-ES-000229 Notice is hereby given that GURMEET K. BADHESA was, on the 2nd day of June, 2025, appointed personal representative of the estate of SHAMSHER SINGH, deceased, who died on the 1st day of May, 2025. All persons who have claims against this estate, whether or not now due, must file the claim in the office of the clerk of this court within three (3) months from the date of the first publication of this notice, or within nine (9) months after the decedent's death, whichever is earlier, or the claims will be forever barred. Dated at Hamilton County, Indiana, this 2nd day of June, 2025. Kathy Kreg Williams Clerk of the Hamilton County Superior Court R6318 6/16/25, 6/23/25.



ARCADIA

Annual Drinking Water Quality Report

ARCADIA WATER DEPARTMENT

Public Water System ID: IN5229001

We are pleased to present to you the Annual Water Quality Report (Consumer Confidence Report) for the year, for the period of January 1 to December 31, 2024. This report is intended to provide you with important information about your drinking water and the efforts made by the water system to provide safe drinking water.

For more information regarding this report, contact: Name: Allen Schultz Phone: 317-984-3512

Arcadia Town Board meets at the town hall the first and third Monday of the month at 7:00 p.m. Sources of Drinking Water

ARCADIA WATER DEPARTMENT is Ground water. Our water source(s) and source water assessment information are listed below:

Table with 4 columns: Source Name, Type of Water, Report Status, Location. Rows include WELL #1 (Ground water, Water Treatment Plant) and WELL #2 (Ground water, Water Treatment Plant).

The sources of drinking water (both tap water and bottled water) include rivers, lakes, streams, ponds, reservoirs, springs, and wells. As water travels over the surface of land or through the ground, it dissolves naturally occurring minerals and, in some cases, radioactive material, and can pick up substances resulting from the presence of animals or from human activity.

Drinking water, including bottled water, may reasonably be expected to contain at least small amounts of some contaminants. The presence of contaminants does not necessarily indicate that water poses a health risk. More information about contaminants and potential health effects can be obtained by calling the EPA's Safe Drinking Water Hotline at (800) 426-4791.

Microbial Contaminants - such as viruses and bacteria, which may come from sewage treatment plants, septic systems, agricultural livestock operations, and wildlife. Inorganic Contaminants - such as salts and metals, which can be naturally occurring or result from urban stormwater runoff, industrial, or domestic wastewater discharges, oil and gas production, mining, or farming.

Pesticides and Herbicides - which may come from a variety of sources such as agriculture, urban stormwater runoff, and residential uses. Organic Chemical Contaminants - including synthetic and volatile organic chemicals, which are by-products of industrial processes and petroleum production, and can also come from gas stations, urban stormwater runoff, and septic systems.

Radioactive Contaminants - which can be naturally-occurring or be the result of oil and gas production and mining activities. In order to ensure that tap water is safe to drink, EPA prescribes regulations which limit the amount of certain contaminants in water provided by public water systems. FDA regulations establish limits for contaminants in bottled water which must provide the same protection for public health.

Some people may be more vulnerable to contaminants in drinking water than the general population. Contaminants may be found in drinking water that may cause taste, color, or odor problems. These types of problems are not necessarily causes for health concerns. For more information on taste, odor, or color of drinking water, please contact the system's business office.

Immuno-compromised persons such as persons with cancer undergoing chemotherapy, persons who have undergone organ transplants, people with HIV/AIDS or other immune system disorders, some elderly and infants can be particularly at risk from infections. These people should seek advice about drinking water from their health care providers. EPA/CDC guidelines on appropriate means to lessen the risk of infection by Cryptosporidium and other microbial contaminants are available from the Safe Drinking Water Hotline (800-426-4791).

If present, elevated levels of lead can cause serious health problems, especially for pregnant women and young children. Lead in drinking water is primarily from materials and components associated with service lines and home plumbing. We are responsible for providing high quality drinking water, but we cannot control the variety of materials used in plumbing components. When your water has been sitting for several hours, you can minimize the potential for lead exposure by flushing your tap for 30 seconds to 2 minutes before using water for drinking or cooking.

Information on lead in drinking water, testing methods, and steps you can take to minimize exposure is available from the Safe Drinking Water Hotline or at http://www.epa.gov/safewater/lead.

In the tables below, you will find many terms and abbreviations you might not be familiar with. To help you better understand these terms, we've provided the following definitions: Action Level (AL): The concentration of a contaminant which, if exceeded, triggers treatment or other requirements which a water system must follow.

Action Level Goal (ALG): The level of a contaminant in drinking water below which there is no known or expected risk to health. ALGs allow for a margin of safety. Level 1 Assessment: A Level 1 assessment is a study of the water system to identify potential problems and determine (if possible) why total coliform bacteria have been found in our water system.

Level 2 Assessment: A Level 2 assessment is a very detailed study of the water system to identify potential problems and determine (if possible) why an E. coli MCL violation has occurred and/or why total coliform bacteria have been found in our water system on multiple occasions.

Maximum Contaminant Level or MCL: The highest level of a contaminant that is allowed in drinking water. MCLs are set as close to the MCLGs as feasible using the best available treatment technology.

Maximum Contaminant Level Goal or MCLG: The level of a contaminant in drinking water below which there is no known or expected risk to health. MCLGs allow for a margin of safety.

Maximum residual disinfectant level goal or MRDLG: The level of a drinking water disinfectant below which there is no known or expected risk to health. MRDLGs do not reflect the benefits of the use of disinfectants to control microbial contamination.

Maximum residual disinfectant level or MRDL: The highest level of a disinfectant allowed in drinking water. There is convincing evidence that addition of a disinfectant is necessary for control of microbial contaminants.

Treatment Technique or TT: A required process intended to reduce the level of a contaminant in drinking water. Variances and Exemptions: State or EPA permission not to meet an MCL or a treatment technique under certain conditions.

Avg: Average - Regulatory compliance with some MCLs are based on running annual average of monthly samples. LRAA: Locational Running Annual Average mrem: millirem per year (a measure of radiation absorbed by the body)

ppb: micrograms per liter (ug/L) or parts per billion - or one ounce in 7,350,000 gallons of water. ppm: milligrams per liter (mg/L) or parts per million - or one ounce in 7,350 gallons of water picocuries per liter (pCi/L): picocuries per liter is a measure of the radioactivity in water. na: not applicable.

LEAD SERVICE LINE MAP AVAILABILITY

In the year 2023, Arcadia Water Utilities surveyed the service lines in the towns water system to determine LCRR & LCRI. Lead Service Line Inventory Map may be accessed on the Town of Arcadia website at www.Arcadiaindiana.org. or https://pws-ptd.120wateraudit.com/ArcadiaWD-IN

LEAD STATEMENT

There is no safe level of lead in drinking water. Exposure to lead in drinking water can cause serious health effects in all age groups, especially pregnant people, infants (both formula-fed and breastfed), and young children. Some of the health effects to infants and children include decreases in IQ and attention span.

Our water system tested a minimum of 2 sample(s) per month in accordance with the Total Coliform Rule for microbiological contaminants. With the microbiological samples collected, the water system collects disinfectant residuals to ensure control of microbial growth.

Table with 8 columns: Disinfectant, Date, HighestRAA, Unit, Range, MRDL, MRDLG, Typical Source. Row for CHLORINE 2024, 1, ppm, 0.8 - 2, 4, 4, Water additive used to control microbes.

Regulated Contaminants

In the tables below, we have shown the regulated contaminants that were detected. Chemical Sampling of our drinking water may not be required on an annual basis; therefore, information provided in this table refers back to the latest year of chemical sampling results.

Table with 5 columns: Unregulated Contaminant Monitoring Rule (UCMR), Collection Date of HV, Highest Value (HV), Range of Sampled Result(s), Unit. Row for Lead and Copper.

Table with 8 columns: Contaminant, Period, 90TH Percentile, Range of Sampled Results, Unit, AL, Sites Over AL, Typical Source. Rows for COPPER, FREE and LEAD.

Table with 10 columns: Disinfection Byproducts, Sample Point, Period, Highest LRAA, Range, Unit, MCL, MCLG, Typical Source. Rows for TOTAL HALOACETIC ACIDS (HAAs) and TTHM.

Table with 8 columns: Regulated Contaminants, Collection Date, Highest Value, Range, Unit, MCL, MCLG, Typical Source. Rows for ARSENIC, BARIUM, and FLUORIDE.

Table with 8 columns: Radiological Contaminants, Collection Date, Highest Value, Range, Unit, MCL, MCLG, Typical Source. Rows for COMBINED RADIUM and RADIUM-226.

Violations

During the period covered by this report we had the below noted violations. Table with 4 columns: Violation Period, Analyte, Violation Type, Violation Explanation. Row: No violations during this period.

There are no additional required health effects notices. There are no additional required health effects violation notices.

Deficiencies

Unresolved significant deficiencies that were identified during a survey done on the water system are shown below. Table with 5 columns: Date Identified, Facility, Code, Activity, Description. Row: No deficiencies during this period.

Table with 4 columns: Water System Name, Determination Date, Deficiency Description, Comments. Row: Reseller Violations and Health Effects Information.

During the 2024 calendar year, the water system(s) that we purchase water from had the below noted violation(s) of drinking water regulations. Table with 5 columns: Water System, Type, Category, Analyte, Compliance Period. Row: R6309.

NOBLESVILLE

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Notice is hereby given that SEALED BIDS will be received: BY AND AT: Noblesville Schools Educational Services Center ATTN: Mr. David Hortemiller 18025 River Road Noblesville, IN 46062

FOR: Noblesville High School AHU Replacements - Bid Pack 4 UNTIL: Bids are due 1:00 PM, local time, Monday, July 21, 2025. PROJECT LOCATION: Noblesville High School 18111 Cumberland Road Noblesville, Indiana 46060

RECEIPT OF BIDS: Bids received after the designated day and time listed below will be returned unopened. Any postal/courier service is the agent of the Bidder. Bids are to be submitted on the Bid Form as provided in the Project Manual and on Indiana State Board of Accounts Form No. 96 (revised 2013) as required by the statutes of the State of Indiana.

Noblesville High School AHU Replacements - Bid Pack 4 BID OPENING: Each bid will be opened in public and read aloud in the Board Room at the Educational Services Center, 18025 River Road, Noblesville, IN 46062, by the Owner on Monday, July 21, 2025 at 1:00 PM local time.

PRE-BID MEETING: A pre-bid meeting for interested parties will be held on Tuesday, June 17, 2025, at 1:00 PM at Noblesville High School. The meeting will include an opportunity to tour the facility. To arrange site visits after this meeting, contact Roy Wallace, email: roy\_wallace@nobl.k12.in.us, phone: (317) 716-3505.

CONTRACT TYPE: Project will be constructed under a Single Prime Contract with bids received on a lump sum basis. Each proposal shall include all labor, material, and services necessary to complete the project in full accordance with the Construction Drawings and Project Manual.

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Any questions concerning this project shall be directed to KBSO Consulting, 317-344-8044. Contact Andy Steiner, asteiner@kbsiconsulting.com or Kelly Bieghler, kbieghler@kbsiconsulting.com.

CONSTRUCTION - REVIEW: Construction will be in accordance with the bid documents, which may be viewed at the following locations, as well as local plan rooms: Eastern Engineering 9901 Allisonville Road Fishers, IN 46038 866-884-4115

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David Hortemiller Chief Financial Officer Noblesville Schools 6/9/25, 6/16/25

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FOR: Noblesville High School AHU Replacements - Bid Pack 3 UNTIL: Bids are due 1:00 PM, local time, Monday, July 14, 2025. PROJECT LOCATION: Noblesville High School 18111 Cumberland Road Noblesville, Indiana 46060

RECEIPT OF BIDS: Bids received after the designated day and time listed below will be returned unopened. Any postal/courier service is the agent of the Bidder. Bids are to be submitted on the Bid Form as provided in the Project Manual and on Indiana State Board of Accounts Form No. 96 (revised 2013) as required by the statutes of the State of Indiana.

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David Hortemiller Chief Financial Officer Noblesville Schools 6/9/25, 6/16/25

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HAMILTON COUNTY

NOTICE TO BIDDERS AND CONTRACTORS

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Commissioners of Hamilton County, Indiana, Hereinafter referred to as the OWNER, will receive sealed bids for the following Surface Milling, Patching, and Asphalt Resurfacing of the following project:

1) Olivo Rd. from 96th St. to the bridge over Geist Reservoir in Fall Creek Township totaling approximately 1.59 miles and referred to as "Contract 25-02" all in Hamilton County, Indiana.

Sealed bids can be forwarded individually by registered mail or delivered in person to the Hamilton County Auditor's Office until 11:30 a.m. June 23, 2025, at 33 N. 9th Street, Suite L21, Noblesville, Indiana 46060. After 11:30 a.m. they can be delivered to the Auditor in the Hamilton County Commissioners Courtroom up to the time of the noticed bid opening.

All proposals will be considered by the OWNER at a public meeting held in the Hamilton County Government & Judicial Center at Noblesville, Indiana, Commissioner's Courtroom, and opened and read aloud at 1:00 p.m. local time, June 23, 2025.

The work to be performed and the proposals to be submitted shall include a bid for all general construction, labor, material, tools, equipment, taxes (both federal and state), permits licenses, insurance, service costs, etc. incidental to and required for this project.

All materials furnished and labor performed incidental to and required by the proper and satisfactory execution of the contract to be made, shall be furnished and performed in accordance with requirements from the drawings and specifications included in these documents and will be on file at the Hamilton County Highway Department, 1700 S. 10th Street, Noblesville, Indiana, beginning at 8:30 a.m. on June 6, 2025 and may be obtained for the sum of \$25 for the Proposal and Specifications of which none is refundable. Payment shall be by money order or check and shall be made payable to the Hamilton County Treasurer.

Each individual proposal must be enclosed in a sealed envelope with the county supplied sealed bid notice bearing the title of the project and the name and address of the bidder firmly affixed. All mailer packets shall have a separately sealed envelope inside the mailer with the county supplied sealed bid notice firmly affixed to the inside sealed bid. Each proposal must be submitted separately. The bidder shall affix identifying tabs to the following sheets of each proposal:

- Form 96 - Signed
Highway Construction Contract - Signed
Bid Bond
Financial Statement
Employment Eligibility Verification Certification
Receipt of Addendum (If Applicable)
Itemized Proposal

Each individual proposal shall be accompanied by a certified check or acceptable bidder's bond, made payable to the Hamilton County Auditor, in a sum of not less than ten percent (10%) of the total amount of the proposal, which check or bond will be held by the said Hamilton County Auditor as evidence that the bidder will, if awarded a contract, enter into the same with the OWNER upon notification from him to do so within ten (10) days of said notification. Failure to execute the contract and to furnish performance bond to Hamilton County, Indiana, will be cause for forfeiture of the amount of money represented by the certified check, or bidder's bond, and for liquidated damages. Form 96, as prescribed by the Indiana State Board of Accounts, shall be properly completed, and submitted with bid proposals. The Commissioners at their discretion reserve the right to waive any and all informalities in the bidding. All bids submitted shall be good for 120 days from the opening of the bids.

Todd E. Clevenger Hamilton County Auditor

Dated: June 4, 2025

R6271 6/4/25, 6/9/25, 6/11/25, 6/16/25

WESTFIELD

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Sealed proposals for Simon Moon Park - Phase Two will be received by the City of Westfield, Indiana, at the Westfield Public Works Building, 2706 E. 171st Street, Westfield, Indiana, 46074 until 2:00 p.m., local time, on Friday, July 25, 2025. Bids will be publicly opened and read aloud. Any bids received later than the above time and date will be returned unopened. No conditional bids will be considered.

Project generally includes construction of shade structures, one warming shelter, sidewalks, aggregate trails, concrete boardwalks on helical piles, stormwater system utilities, retaining walls and bearing abutments, electric service, planting, and other site improvements, amenities, and furnishings.

Bids shall be properly and completely executed on the Proposal Form obtainable at the office of the Owner. Each bid shall be accompanied by Form 96 Contractor's Bid for Public Works, including Non-Collusion Affidavit as prescribed by the State Board of Accounts, completely filled out, signed, and notarized as required by the statutes of the State of Indiana, Section III of Part II of Form 96 titled "Contractor's Financial Statement," and acceptable bid security. The bid security shall be a certified check made payable to the Owner or satisfactory bond by an incorporated surety company in good standing and qualified to do business in the State of Indiana in an amount equal to 5% of the bid, said deposit being for the purpose of ensuring the execution of the contract for which bid is made. Any bid not accompanied by the above required items shall be deemed to be a non-responsive bid by the Owner.

No consideration for escalation on prices can be considered; therefore, contractors are advised to not include any such escalation clauses in their proposal for this project.

The Contractors to whom work is awarded shall be required to furnish a Performance Bond and a Payment Bond, each in the amount of one hundred percent (100%) of the contract price, and they shall be acceptable to the City of Westfield, Indiana.

No bidder may withdraw their proposal within a period of 60 days following the date set for receiving bids. The City of Westfield, Indiana reserves the right to retain the three lowest bid proposals for a period of not more than 90 days, and said proposal shall remain in full force and effect during said time. The City of Westfield, Indiana further reserves the right to waive informalities and to award the contract to the lowest and most responsible bidder or bidders, all to the advantage of the City of Westfield, Indiana, or to reject all Proposals.

The Contract Documents and drawings will be available to all interested parties from: Repro Graphix, 437 North Illinois Street, Indianapolis, IN 46204 or at eplanroom.reprographix.com.

A non-mandatory pre-bid meeting will be held at the Westfield Department of Public Works, 2706 E. 171st Street, Westfield, IN 46074 on Wednesday, June 25th at 2:00 p.m.

Please direct all questions regarding this project to Chris McConnell, City of Westfield, Department of Public Works, 2706 E. 171st Street, Westfield, IN 46074, (317) 473-2917, cmcconnell@westfield.in.gov

By: Chris McConnell, City of Westfield

R6310 6/9/25, 6/16/25

R6310

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David Hortemiller Chief Financial Officer Noblesville Schools 6/9/25, 6/16/25

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Public Notice Deadline: 5 p.m. Friday PublicNotices@ReadTheReporter.com



"If it happens more than twice, it's not a coincidence." - Stanley (like the power drill) Clampitt, 1987

COURT NOTICES

STATE OF INDIANA )
COUNTY OF HAMILTON )
IN THE HAMILTON COUNTY )
CIRCUIT COURT )
CAUSE NO 29C01-1401-JP-56 )
N RE: THE PATERNITY OF: )
MALI SUE ANGEL MCCAMMON )
TIFFANY THOMAS )
(F/K/A WICKER), )
Petitioner, )
and )
STEVEN MCCAMMON, )
Respondent. )

STATE OF INDIANA )
COUNTY OF HAMILTON )
IN THE HAMILTON )
CIRCUIT COURT )
Cause No. 29C01-2505-MI-005553 )
IN RE THE MATTER OF: )
Eli Clutch, Creakbaum )
Name of Minor )
Casey R. Clutch-Creakbaum )
By Next Friend )
NOTICE OF PETITION FOR )
CHANGE OF NAME )

NOTICE OF SUIT
The State of Indiana to the Respondent above-named, Steven McCammon, and any other person who may be concerned. You are notified that you have been sued in the above named Court.

Notice is hereby given that, Casey R. Clutch-Creakbaum, Next Friend of minor child, self-represented, filed a Verified Petition for Change of Name on January 16, 2025 to change the name of Eli Clutch, Creakbaum to Eli, Clutch Creakbaum.

The nature of the suit against you is: a juvenile paternity matter involving modification of custody.

The petition is scheduled for hearing in the Hamilton Circuit Court on October 20, 2025 at 10:00 am, which is more than thirty (30) days after the third notice of publication. Any person has the right to appear at the hearing and to file written objections on or before the hearing date.

This Summons is specifically directed to the following named Respondent whose address and whereabouts are unknown: Steven McCammon

Date: May 23, 2025
Kathy Kragg Williams
Clerk of Hamilton County
6/2/25, 6/9/25, 6/16/25
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The Court in which the juvenile paternity matter is pending is the Hamilton Circuit Court (Hamilton County, Indiana), under the caption and cause number: In Re the Paternity of Mali Sue Angel McCammon, 29C01-1401-JP-56

STATE OF INDIANA )
COUNTY OF HAMILTON )
IN THE HAMILTON )
CIRCUIT COURT )
Cause No. 29C01-2505-MI-005554 )
IN RE THE MATTER OF: )
Alex Clutch, Creakbaum )
Name of Minor )
Casey R. Clutch-Creakbaum )
By Next Friend )
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Petitioner's attorney, who is seeking service by publication, is Adam S. Lutze, located at 6525 E. 82nd Street, Suite 102, Indianapolis, Indiana 46250.

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In addition to the above-named Respondent being served by other Petitioners or Respondents who have an interest in the law suit.

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If you have a claim for legal relief against the Petitioner arising from the same transaction or occurrence, you must assert it in your written answer. You must answer the Complaint in writing, by you or your attorney, on or before the 16th day of July, 2025.

Date: May 23, 2025
Kathy Kragg Williams
Clerk of Hamilton County
6/2/25, 6/9/25, 6/16/25
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(the same being within thirty (30) days after the third notice of suit) and if you fail to do so a judgment will be entered against you for what the Petitioner has demanded.

NOTE: This is a debt collector. This is an attempt to collect a debt. Any information obtained will be used for that purpose.

is/ Adam S. Lutze, (29352-49)
Adam S. Lutze Law Offices
6525 E. 82nd Street, Suite 102
Indianapolis, Indiana 46250
(317) 258-7809
(317) 947-1855 (fax)
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R6243 6/2/25, 6/9/25, 6/16/25

STATE OF INDIANA )
COUNTY OF HAMILTON )
IN THE HAMILTON )
CIRCUIT COURT )
Cause No. 29C01-2504-MI-004599 )
IN RE THE MATTER OF: )
Lisa Diane Pitts )
Petitioner )
NOTICE OF PETITION FOR )
CHANGE OF NAME )

Connor James Bednarski, whose mailing address is: 11218 Basswood Ct. Carmel, Indiana 46032 in HAMILTON County, Indiana, hereby gives notice that Connor James Bednarski has filed a petition in the Hamilton County Circuit Court requesting that name be changed to Connor James Kadski.

Lisa Diane Pitts, whose mailing address is: 204 Catherine Dr., Westfield Indiana 46074 in HAMILTON County, Indiana, hereby gives notice that Lisa Diane Pitts has filed a petition in the Hamilton County Circuit Court requesting that name be changed to Lisa Diane Hurlock.

Notice is further given that the hearing will be held on said Petition on: September 22, 2025 at 10:00 a.m.
Connor James Bednarski
Petitioner
April 29, 2025
Kathy Kragg Williams
Hamilton County Clerk
6/2/25, 6/9/25, 6/16/25
R6268

Notice is further given that the hearing will be held on said Petition on: October 20, 2025 at 10:00 a.m.
Lisa Diane Pitts
Petitioner
May 16, 2025
Kathy Kragg Williams
Hamilton County Clerk
6/2/25, 6/9/25, 6/16/25
R6269

STATE OF INDIANA )
COUNTY OF HAMILTON )
IN THE HAMILTON )
CIRCUIT COURT )
Cause No. 29C01-2412-MI-14264 )
IN RE: NAME CHANGE OF )
NAME OF MINOR: )
NGUYEN QUYNH ANH TRAN )
NOTICE OF HEARING )

Dayasia Samone Zinermom, whose mailing address is: 4331 Shadyview Drive Apt 2B Indianapolis, Indiana 46226, in HAMILTON County, Indiana, hereby gives notice that Ann Dayasia Samone Zinermom has filed a petition in the Hamilton County Circuit Court requesting that name be changed to Dayasia Samone Moore.

Notice is hereby given that Petitioner, HA THINGOC NGUYEN, Next Friend of minor child, through counsel, filed a Verified Petition for Change of Name of Minor to change the name of NGUYEN QUYNH ANH TRAN to ANNE QUYNH NGUYEN.

The petition is scheduled for hearing in the Hamilton Circuit Court on September 22, 2025 at 10:00 am, which is more than thirty (30) days after the third notice of publication. Any person has the right to appear at the hearing and to file written objections on or before the hearing date. The parties shall report to One Hamilton County Square, Suite 337, Noblesville, IN 46060.

May 1, 2025
Kathy Kragg Williams
Clerk, Hamilton Circuit Court
R6140 6/2/25, 6/9/25, 6/16/25

STATE OF INDIANA )
COUNTY OF HAMILTON )
IN THE HAMILTON )
CIRCUIT COURT )
Cause No. 29C01-2504-MI-4577 )
IN RE: NAME CHANGE OF: )
KAYLEE CRANFORD )
NOTICE OF HEARING )

Notice is hereby given that Petitioner, KAYLEE CRANFORD, pro se, filed a Verified Petition for Change of Name to change her name from KAYLEE CRANFORD to KAYLEE SUZANNE PYLE.

The petition is scheduled for hearing in the Hamilton Circuit Court on October 13, 2025 at 10:00 am, which is more than thirty (30) days after the third notice of publication. Any person has the right to appear at the hearing and to file written objections on or before the hearing date. The parties shall report to One Hamilton County Square, Suite 337, Noblesville, IN 46060.

Date: May 8, 2025
Kathy Kragg Williams
Clerk, Hamilton Circuit Court
6/2/25, 6/9/25, 6/16/25
R6298

STATE OF INDIANA )
COUNTY OF HAMILTON )
IN THE HAMILTON )
CIRCUIT COURT )
Cause No. 29C01-2504-MI-004739 )
IN RE THE MATTER OF: )
Owen Jeffrey Covey-Curtiss )
Name of Minor )
Sarah Elizabeth Covey )
Petitioner )
NOTICE OF PETITION FOR )
CHANGE OF NAME )

Notice is hereby given that Petitioner, Sarah Elizabeth Covey, as a self-represented litigant, filed a Verified Petition for Change of Name to change the name of Owen Jeffrey Covey-Curtiss to Owen Jeffrey Curtiss.

The petition is scheduled for hearing in the Hamilton Circuit Court on October 13, 2025 at 10:00 am, which is more than thirty (30) days after the third notice of publication. Any person has the right to appear at the hearing and to file written objections on or before the hearing date.

Date: May 2, 2025
Kathy Kragg Williams
Clerk of Hamilton County
6/2/25, 6/9/25, 6/16/25
R6301

STATE OF INDIANA )
COUNTY OF HAMILTON )
IN THE HAMILTON )
SUPERIOR COURT )
IN THE MATTER OF )
THE SUPERVISED ESTATE OF: )
RICHARD THOMAS BISHOP, JR., )
Deceased )
NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION )
Notice is hereby given that Evan Bishop was, on the 28th day of March, 2025, appointed Personal Representative of the Estate of Richard Thomas Bishop, Jr., deceased, who died on January 26, 2025.

All persons who have claims against this Estate, whether or not now due, must file their claim(s) in the office of the clerk of this Court within three (3) months from the date of the first publication of this notice, or within nine (9) months after the decedent's death, whichever is earlier, or the claims will be forever barred.

Dated at Noblesville, Indiana, this 28th day of March, 2025.

Kathy Kragg Williams
Hamilton County Clerk
6/9/25, 6/16/25, 6/23/2025
R6307

SHERIFF SALES

HAMILTON COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE
TO THE OWNERS OF THE WITHIN DESCRIBED REAL ESTATE AND ALL INTERESTED PARTIES
NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE

Date of Sale: July 24, 2025
Sale Location: 18100 Cumberland Road, Noblesville, IN 46060
Publisher's Name/County: The Hamilton County Reporter - Hamilton County
Judgment to be Satisfied: \$222,713.88
By virtue of a certified copy of a decree to me directed from the Clerk of Superior Court of Hamilton County, Indiana, in Cause No. 29D07-2404-MF-004590 Plaintiff: Wilmington Savings Fund Society, FSB, not in its individual capacity, but solely as Owner
Trustee of CSMC 2019-RPL11 Trust
Defendant: Michael B Moon and Sandra L Moon, et al.

LEGAL DESCRIPTION
LOT NUMBER SIXTY-TWO (62) IN SPRING ARBOR, PHASE I, A SUBDIVISION IN HAMILTON COUNTY, INDIANA, AS PER PLAT THEREOF, RECORDED IN PLAT CABINET 1, SLIDE 281 AND CORRECTED BY SURVEYOR'S CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION RECORDED JUNE 29, 1993 AS INSTRUMENT NUMBER 93-30900 AND SURVEYOR'S CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION RECORDED NOVEMBER 20, 1996 AS INSTRUMENT NUMBER 9649064 IN THE OFFICE OF THE RECORDER OF HAMILTON COUNTY, INDIANA.
Parcel No. 29-13-07-405-035.000-018
Commonly Known as: 3717 ZUKER COURT, CARMEL, IN 46032
Together with rents, issues, income and profits thereof, said sale will be made without relief from valuation or appraisal laws. This Notice shall also represent service of Notice of Sale of the above-described real estate upon the owners, pursuant to requirements of IC 32-29-7.3.

Dennis J. Quakenbush II
Sheriff of Hamilton County
Matthew C. Gladwell (30493-49)
Christopher J. Arlinghaus (31680-15)
Aaron Rodgers (28418-84)
Attorney
Reisenfeld & Associates, LPA LLC
Attorneys' Law Firm
(513) 322-7000
Contact Telephone Number
Clay Township
3717 Zuker Court, Carmel, IN 46032
Street Address
The Sheriff's Department does not warrant the accuracy of the street address published herein.
6/9/25, 6/16/25, 6/23/25
R6282

TO THE OWNERS OF THE WITHIN DESCRIBED REAL ESTATE AND ALL INTERESTED PARTIES
SHERIFF'S SALE NOTICE
By virtue of a certified copy of a decree to me directed from the Clerk of Hamilton County Circuit Court of Hamilton County, Indiana, in Cause No. 29D03-2001-MF-0001196 wherein Deutsche Bank National Trust Company As Trustee For IndyMac INDA Mortgage Loan Trust 2006-ARI, Mortgage Pass-Through Certificates Series 2006-ARI was Plaintiff, and Ronald Sheppard, Nadine L. S. Sheppard, The United States of America, Department of Treasury, Internal Revenue Service, AEL Financial LLC, State of Indiana, Department of Revenue and CIT Bank, National Association FKA Indymac Federal Bank, FSB., A Federally Chartered Savings Bank were Defendants., requiring me to make the sum as provided for in said Decree with interest and cost, I will expose at public sale to the highest bidder on the July 24, 2025, at the hour of 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m., or as soon as thereafter as is possible, at Sheriff's Office at 18100 Cumberland Road, Noblesville, IN 46060 the fee simple of the whole body of Real Estate in Hamilton County, Indiana.

Lot Numbered 1 and Block One "A" (1 -A) in Sheppards Subdivision, as per plat thereof recorded in Plat Book 14, pages 83-85, Certificate of Revision dated November 18, 2002 and recorded December 2, 2002 as Instrument Number 200200091867, by Allan H. Weihe, in the Office of the Recorder of Hamilton County, Indiana and Certificated of Correction dated July 15, 2004 and recorded July 16, 2004 as Instrument Number 200400049929. Together with an undivided 1/24th interest in common area as disclosed in Warranty Deed recorded as Instrument Number 200000036374, which said undivided 1/24th interest shall run with the title to Lot 1.

EXCEPTING FROM Block 1A real estate as set forth in Warranty Deed to the Board of Commissioners of Hamilton County, dated January 22, 2004 and recorded February 25, 2004 as Instrument Number 200400011579 and further described as follows:
A part of the North Half of Section 1, Township 17 North, Range 5 East, Hamilton County, Indiana, and being that part of the grantors' land lying within the right-of-way lines depicted on the attached Right-of-Way parcel Plat marked EXHIBIT "B", described as follows:
Beginning on the eastern line of White Pine Cove at a point North 20 degrees 13 minutes 38 seconds East 15.00 feet from the Northeast corner of Lot 3 in said White Pine Cove, a subdivision in the Northeast Quarter of said Section 1, the plat of which is recorded in Instrument 8802379, Plat Book 15, page 50 in the Office of the Recorder of said county, which POINT OF BEGINNING is designated as point "41" on said parcel Plat; thence continuing North 20 degrees 13 minutes 38 seconds East 25.00 feet along said eastern line to the center line of 113th Street; thence along said center line southeasterly 95.03 feet along an arc to the left and having a radius of 3,176.50 feet and subtended by a long chord having a bearing South 71 degrees 33 minutes 53 seconds East and a length of 95.02 feet to a point "9" designated on said Parcel Plat; thence South 72 degrees 25 minutes 19 seconds East 1.90 feet along said center line to the northwestern shore line of Thorpe Creek; thence South 27 degrees 06 minutes 29 seconds West 25.35 feet along said shore line to point "42" designated on said Parcel Plat; thence northwesterly 93.89 feet along an arc to the right and having radius of 3,201.50 feet and subtended by a long chord having a bearing of North 71 degrees 32 minutes 26 seconds West and a length of 93.88 feet to the POINT OF BEGINNING and containing 0.055 acres, more or less, inclusive of the presently existing right-of-way which contains 0.020 acres, more or less for a net additional taking of 0.035 acres, more or less.

Commonly known address: 14350 East 113th Street, Fishers, IN 46040
Together with rents, issues, income and profits thereof, said sale will be made without relief from valuation or appraisal laws.

Dennis J. Quakenbush II
Sheriff of Hamilton County
Township: Fall Creek
Parcel No./Tax Id #: 29-15-01-015-001-000-020
J. Dustin Smith (29493-06)
MDK Legal
P.O. Box 165028
Columbus OH 43216-5028
Telephone: 614-220-5611
Attorney for Plaintiff
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6/9/25, 6/16/25, 6/23/25
R6284

TO THE OWNERS OF THE WITHIN DESCRIBED REAL ESTATE AND ALL INTERESTED PARTIES
STATE OF INDIANA )
COUNTY OF HAMILTON )
IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF )
HAMILTON COUNTY )
COUNTY OF HAMILTON )
NOBLESVILLE, INDIANA )
CAUSE NO. 29D07-2501 -MF-001127 )
U.S. BANK NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, AS )
TRUSTEE FOR THE C-BASS MORTGAGE LOAN )
ASSET-BACKED CERTIFICATES, SERIES 2006- )
CB8 )
PLAINTIFF )
vs )
NICOLE G. SCHOFIELD; MARK R. SCHOFIELD; )
OAKMONT PROPERTY OWNERS ASSOCIATION, )
INC. )
DEFENDANTS )
NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE )

By virtue of an Order of Sale, directed to me from the Clerk of the Hamilton Superior Court and pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure entered on 05/13/2025, I will expose to public sale to the highest bidder for cash in hand, at the office of the Sheriff of Hamilton County, in Hamilton County, Indiana, located at 18100 Cumberland Rd., Noblesville, IN 46060 on July 24, 2025, at 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. Local Time, the fee simple title together with the rents, profits, issues and income or so much thereof as may be sufficient to satisfy said judgment, interest, costs and accruing costs of the following described real estate located in Hamilton County, Indiana, to-wit:
Lot Number 55 in Oakmont Woods, Section Three, an Addition in Hamilton County, Indiana, as per plat thereof, recorded in Plat Cabinet 2, slide 149 as Instrument No. 98-46096, in the Office of the Recorder of Hamilton County, Indiana.

Commonly known as: 18479 Oriental Oak Court, Noblesville, IN 46062
State Parcel Number: 29-06-35-006-019.000-013
Township: Noblesville
This sale is to be made in all respects pursuant to an act of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana, approved March 7, 1931, and entitled An act concerning proceedings in actions to foreclose real estate mortgages, providing for the sale and custody of the mortgaged premises and repealing all laws conflicting therewith (see Indiana Code).

It is further provided by law that there shall be no redemption from such sale, and the purchaser at such sale, upon complying with the terms of his purchase, shall be entitled to immediately receive from the undersigned, Sheriff of Hamilton County, a deed conveying to him, the purchaser, the fee simple title in and to said real estate.

Taken as the property of the Defendant(s) stated above at the suit of U.S. Bank National Association, as Trustee for the C-BASS Mortgage Loan Asset-Backed Certificates, Series 2006-CB8. Said sale to be without relief from valuation and/or appraisal laws.

THE SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT
DOES NOT WARRANT
THE ACCURACY OF THE STREET ADDRESS
PUBLISHED HEREIN.
Dennis J. Quakenbush II
Sheriff of Hamilton County
Attorney for Plaintiff
Codilis Law, LLC
8050 Cleveland Place
Merrillville, IN 46410
(219) 736-5579
15-25-00116
NOTE: This law firm is a debt collector.
6/9/25, 6/16/25, 6/23/25
R6285

SHERIFF SALES

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE
By virtue of a certified copy of a decree to me directed from the Clerk of Hamilton Circuit Court of Hamilton County, Indiana, in Cause No. 29D04-2502-MF-002057 wherein Freedom Mortgage Corporation was Plaintiff, and Ashleigh Jean Webster, State of Indiana, Barrett & Stokely Management, LLC dba Conner Farms Apartments, Howe Place Community Association, Inc. and United States of America, acting through the Secretary of Veterans Affairs were Defendants, required me to make the sum as provided for in said Decree with interest and cost, I will expose at public sale to the highest bidder, on the 24th day of July, 2025, at the hour of 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m., or as soon thereafter as is possible, at 18100 Cumberland Road, Noblesville, IN 46060 the fee simple of the whole body of Real Estate in Hamilton County, Indiana.

Lot Numbered Eleven A (11 A) of Howe Place, a Subdivision in Hamilton County, Indiana, as per plat thereof recorded September 16, 2004 in Plat Cabinet 3, Slide 487, Surveyors Correction recorded as Instrument Number 200600001379, in the Office of the Recorder of Hamilton County, Indiana.
More commonly known as 10375 Bronze Dr, Noblesville, IN 46060-6129
Parcel No. 29-11-17-008-021.000-013
Together with rents, issues, income and profits thereof, said sale will be made without relief from valuation or appraisal laws.

Dennis J. Quakenbush II
Sheriff
MATTHEW S. LOVE
MATTHEW S. LOVE, Plaintiff Attorney
Attorney # 18762-29
FEIWELL & HANNOY, P.C.
8415 Allison Pointe Boulevard, Suite 400
Indianapolis, IN 46250
(317) 237-2727
Noblesville Township

The Sheriff's Department does not warrant the accuracy of the street address published herein.
NOTICE
FEIWELL & HANNOY, P.C. IS A DEBT COLLECTOR.
R6277 6/9/25, 6/16/25, 6/23/25

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE
By virtue of a certified copy of a decree to me directed from the Clerk of Hamilton Circuit Court of Hamilton County, Indiana, in Cause No. 29D02-2502-MF-001514 wherein Lakeview Loan Servicing, LLC was Plaintiff, and Ray A. Winkler Jr., solely in the capacity as Personal Representative of the Estate of Oranna J. Winkler was a Defendant, required me to make the sum as provided for in said Decree with interest and cost, I will expose at public sale to the highest bidder, on the 24th day of July, 2025, at the hour of 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m., or as soon thereafter as is possible, at 18100 Cumberland Road, Noblesville, IN 46060 the fee simple of the whole body of Real Estate in Hamilton County, Indiana.

Lot Numbered Forty (40) in Wareham's Pond, Section 3, an addition to Jackson Township, in Hamilton County, Indiana, as per plat thereof recorded as Instrument Number 200600043696, Plat Cabinet 4, slide 113 in the Office of the Recorder of Hamilton County, Indiana.
More commonly known as 1209 Half Moon Ln, Cicero, IN 46034-2201
Parcel No. 29-06-01-004-001.000-011
Together with rents, issues, income and profits thereof, said sale will be made without relief from valuation or appraisal laws.

Dennis J. Quakenbush II
Sheriff
BRYAN K. REDMOND
BRYAN K. REDMOND, Plaintiff Attorney
Attorney # 22108-29
FEIWELL & HANNOY, P.C.
8415 Allison Pointe Boulevard, Suite 400
Indianapolis, IN 46250
(317) 237-2727
Jackson Township

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NOTICE
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R6278 6/9/25, 6/16/25, 6/23/25

TO THE OWNERS OF THE WITHIN DESCRIBED REAL ESTATE AND ALL INTERESTED PARTIES
NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE
By virtue of a certified copy of a decree to me directed from the Clerk of Superior Court of Hamilton County, Indiana, in Cause No. 29D02-2405-PL-005413, wherein The Bristol's Homeowners Association, Inc. was Plaintiff, and Stephanie M. Gilbert and Joshua Gilbert were the Defendant(s), required me to make the sum as provided for in said Decree with interest and cost, I will expose a public sale to the highest bidder, on the 24th day of July, 2025 between the hours of 10:00 a.m. and 12:00 p.m. of said day, at the Hamilton County Sheriff's Office, 18100 Cumberland Road, Noblesville, IN 46060, fee simple of the whole body of Real Estate in Hamilton County, Indiana:

Lot 192 in Bristol's, Section 3B, subdivision in Hamilton County, Indiana, as per plat thereof recorded December 13, 2005 in Plat Cabinet 3, Slide 783, as Instrument No. 2005-803 72 in the Office of the Recorder of Hamilton County, Indiana.
Parcel No. 13-1-1-27-00-23-019.000 29-11-2-023-019000-020
NOTE: This sale is subject to Mortgage to U.S. Bank National Association, its successors and assigns, dated July 26, 2006, and filed with the Hamilton County Recorder's Office on September 27, 2006, as Instrument No. 200600057422.

Together with rents, issues, income and profits thereof, said sale will be made without relief from valuation or appraisal laws.
Gregory A. Chandler, Attorney #27057-49
EADS MURRAY & PUGH P.C.
9515 E 59th St Ste B, Indianapolis IN 46216
Dennis J. Quakenbush II
Sheriff of Hamilton County
Fall Creek Township
Street Address: 12011 Raiders Blvd
Fishers, IN 46037

The Sheriff's Department does not warrant the accuracy of the street address herein.
NOTICE
FEIWELL & HANNOY, P.C. IS A DEBT COLLECTOR.
R6280 6/9/25, 6/16/25, 6/23/25

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE
By virtue of a certified copy of a decree to me directed from the Clerk of the Superior Court of Hamilton County, Indiana, in Cause No. 29D01-2501-MF-000630, wherein U.S. Bank Trust National Association, not in its individual capacity but solely as Owner Trustee for RCF 2 Acquisition Trust was Plaintiff, and M. K. Morningstar a/k/a M K Morningstar, Indiana Housing and Community Development Authority and Cherry Hill Farms Homeowners Association, Inc., were the Defendants, requiring me to make the sum as provided for in said Decree with interest and costs, I will expose at public sale to the highest bidder, on the 24th day of July, 2025, at 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. of said day, at the 18100 Cumberland Road, Noblesville, IN 46060, the fee simple of the whole body of Real Estate in Hamilton County, Indiana:

Lot Numbered 40 in Cherry Hill Farms, Section 1, an addition in Hamilton County, Indiana, as per plat thereof recorded in Plat Book 15, page 42 in the Office of the Recorder of Hamilton County, Indiana.
29-14-02-002-020.000-006
and commonly known as: 6849 Wild Cherry Dr, Fishers, IN 46038.
Subject to all liens, encumbrances, rights of redemption, easements and restrictions of record not otherwise foreclosed and extinguished in the proceedings known as Cause # 29D01-2501-MF-000630 in the Superior Court of the County of Hamilton Indiana, and subject to all real estate taxes, and assessments currently due, delinquent or which are to become a lien.

Said sale will be made without relief from valuation or appraisal laws. If the sale is set aside for any reason, the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled only to a return of the deposit paid. The Purchaser shall have no further recourse against the Mortgagor, the Mortgagee, or the Mortgagee's Attorney.

Dennis J. Quakenbush II
Hamilton County Sheriff
DOYLE & FOUTTY, P.C.
41 E Washington St., Suite 400
Indianapolis, IN 46204
Delaware Township
6849 Wild Cherry Dr, Fishers, IN 46038
Street Address
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DOYLE & FOUTTY, P.C. IS A DEBT COLLECTOR
R6281 6/9/25, 6/16/25, 6/23/25

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE
By virtue of a certified copy of a decree to me directed from the Clerk of the Superior Court of Hamilton County, Indiana, in Cause No. 29D01-2501-MF-000630, wherein U.S. Bank Trust National Association, not in its individual capacity but solely as Owner Trustee for RCF 2 Acquisition Trust was Plaintiff, and M. K. Morningstar a/k/a M K Morningstar, Indiana Housing and Community Development Authority and Cherry Hill Farms Homeowners Association, Inc., were the Defendants, requiring me to make the sum as provided for in said Decree with interest and costs, I will expose at public sale to the highest bidder, on the 24th day of July, 2025, at 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. of said day, at the 18100 Cumberland Road, Noblesville, IN 46060, the fee simple of the whole body of Real Estate in Hamilton County, Indiana:

Lot Numbered 40 in Cherry Hill Farms, Section 1, an addition in Hamilton County, Indiana, as per plat thereof recorded in Plat Book 15, page 42 in the Office of the Recorder of Hamilton County, Indiana.
29-14-02-002-020.000-006
and commonly known as: 6849 Wild Cherry Dr, Fishers, IN 46038.
Subject to all liens, encumbrances, rights of redemption, easements and restrictions of record not otherwise foreclosed and extinguished in the proceedings known as Cause # 29D01-2501-MF-000630 in the Superior Court of the County of Hamilton Indiana, and subject to all real estate taxes, and assessments currently due, delinquent or which are to become a lien.

Said sale will be made without relief from valuation or appraisal laws. If the sale is set aside for any reason, the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled only to a return of the deposit paid. The Purchaser shall have no further recourse against the Mortgagor, the Mortgagee, or the Mortgagee's Attorney.

Dennis J. Quakenbush II
Hamilton County Sheriff
DOYLE & FOUTTY, P.C.
41 E Washington St., Suite 400
Indianapolis, IN 46204
Delaware Township
6849 Wild Cherry Dr, Fishers, IN 46038
Street Address
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DOYLE & FOUTTY, P.C. IS A DEBT COLLECTOR
R6281 6/9/25, 6/16/25, 6/23/25

WESTFIELD

NOTICE OF ADOPTION OF DECLARATORY RESOLUTION AND PUBLIC HEARING RELATED TO THE DESIGNATION OF AN ECONOMIC REVITALIZATION AREA IN THE CITY OF WESTFIELD, INDIANA
Notice is hereby given that on June 9, 2025, the Common Council of the City of Westfield, Indiana (the "Common Council"), adopted a resolution entitled "A Resolution of the Common Council of the City of Westfield, Indiana Regarding the Amendment of an Economic Revitalization Area" (the "Declaratory Resolution"). You are further notified that the Common Council will hold a public hearing to consider confirming, modifying and confirming, or rescinding the Declaratory Resolution.

The Common Council previously adopted Resolution No. 19-121 on September 9, 2019, as subsequently confirmed by Resolution No. 19-125 adopted by the Council on October 14, 2019, following a public hearing, designating an area whose boundaries are located within the corporate boundaries of the City generally located on the northeast corner of 196th Street and East Street, Westfield, Indiana, to be an economic revitalization area under the Indiana Code 6-1.1-12.1-1, et. seq., as amended (the "Act"), known as the Northpoint Business Park Economic Revitalization Area (the "Original Area"). The Declaratory Resolution designates an additional parcel adjacent to the Original Area (the "Expansion Area") to be an economic revitalization area pursuant to the Act, in which property owners and lessees in the Expansion Area making application to the City pursuant to the Act, if subsequently approved by the Common Council pursuant to the Act, may receive real property tax abatement and/or personal property tax abatement pursuant to the applicable procedures of the Act. A copy of the Declaratory Resolution, which includes a description of the Expansion Area, is available for inspection in the office of the City's Director of Economic Development and at the Hamilton County Assessor's Office.

The public hearing will be held on June 23, 2025 at 7:00 p.m. (local time), in the Assembly room of the Westfield City Hall, located at 130 Penn Street, Westfield, Indiana, 46074. At the public hearing, the Common Council will receive and hear all remonstrances and objections from interested persons with respect to the Declaratory Resolution. After considering the evidence, the Common Council will take final action determining whether the qualifications for an economic revitalization area have been met and confirming, modifying and confirming, or rescinding the Declaratory Resolution. This determination will be final, subject to certain rights to appeal under I.C. 6-1.1-12.1-2.5.

COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WESTFIELD, INDIANA
R6313 6/11/25, 6/16/25

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## Tee Off For Tyler raises nearly \$200K

By **RICHIE HALL**  
sports@readthereporter.com

**FISHERS** – The fifth annual Tee Off For Tyler golf outing was another success.

The event took place last Monday at The Hawthorns Golf & Country Club in Fishers and was conducted by the Tyler Trent Foundation. The outing raised nearly \$200,000 for cancer research, a record amount that surpassed last year's amount by around \$70,000.

The outing and foundation are named after Tyler Trent, the beloved Purdue sports fan who inspired the nation with his bravery while fighting cancer. Tyler's parents Kelly and Tony Trent were happy for the support, with Tony noting that for the first time ever, "we've sold out every possible sponsorship."

"We're driving around out on the course, so we're getting to talk to people and get feedback, and it's just so encouraging," said Kelly Trent. "Just the nice things that people have to say and the encouragement that we get about the golf outing in general and just remembering Tyler. All the support that we're getting is unbelievable."

"It's incredibly, incredibly heartwarming to have this happen, to know that everybody still cares



Reporter photo by Richie Hall



Photo provided



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(TOP LEFT) Mark Needham of Lafayette looks over the items for the silent auction that took place during last Monday's Tee Off For Tyler golf outing at The Hawthorns Golf & Country Club in Fishers. Needham was a custodial survivor for Purdue University, retiring in 2020. (TOP RIGHT) Mark Needham shared this photo of him with Tyler Trent at the 2018 Music City Bowl in Nashville. "He was a real special individual," said Needham. (ABOVE LEFT) Four Purdue University football players were part of the "heckle hole," trying to distract golfers from hitting their tee shots. Pictured from left: Linebacker Winston Berglund (Carmel), offensive lineman Mason Vicari (Sacramento), offensive lineman Max Parrott (Centennial, Colo.) and tight end George Burhenn (McCordsville). (ABOVE RIGHT) The "heckle hole" contingent tries to distract Clint Wetherill, Fishers, as he gets ready to hit his tee shot.

about Tyler's life and ultimately cares about raising money for the kids," said Tony Trent.

A new feature this year was the "heckle hole." Four Purdue football players, including Carmel's own, defensive lineman

Winston Berglund, gave golfers stepping up to one of the tees something else to think about while hitting the ball, using noisemakers, megaphones and many smart remarks.

"He would've loved every minute of it," said Kel-

ly Trent, and Tony Trent agreed. "He would've been on the heckle hole," he said.

In addition to the golf, the event featured a silent auction, which included VIP sports experiences, autographed sports gear and several vacation packages.

## HSE names Tilmon Clark as Co-Athletic Director

**The REPORTER**

Tilmon Clark has joined Hamilton Southeastern as its new co-athletic director.

Clark was approved at last Wednesday's school board meeting and will join long-time Royals athletic director Jim Self. In a news release on the HSE Athletics website, Self said he is "excited to work with Tilm-

on, his vision for high school athletics centers around student experience."

Clark comes from Delta High School, where he served as athletic director for the past four years. He also was the athletic director at Monroe Central for three years. Before moving into administration, Clark was a football coach at various colleges, including Butler Community College, Valdosta State and Ball State, and also served a freelance draft analytic assistant for the Cleveland Browns in 2013.



Clark

"I look forward to building on the already outstanding academic and athletic traditions at HSE by providing servant leadership that will help develop Royals into difference-makers," said Clark.



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