

**SATURDAY, JUNE 28, 2025**

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**TODAY'S WEATHER**

Today: Partly sunny. Isolated shower possible in the afternoon.  
 Tonight: Partly cloudy to mostly clear.

HIGH: 89 LOW: 71



# Christmas in June for deployed Hoosier soldiers

By **BILL DOSS**  
 Hamilton County Veterans Corp.

From March through May 10, the Hamilton County Veterans Corp. (HCVC) held a care package drive like no other for our deployed Hoosier Troops.

It was a Christmas in June drive, so our soldiers could have some fun from home to brighten up their lives, attitudes, and spaces. With the help of Hamilton County's five American Legion Posts, two VFW Posts, and a special thank you to the Carmel American Legion and Fishers American Legion Auxiliary Teams who truly made this possible, their Christmas In June was a huge success.

HCVC worked with TF Spartan Command Chaplain (LTC) Cliff Pappé to make this happen.

"I want to thank everyone for the effort you put into helping out with our Christmas in June event," Chaplain Pappé said. "As you may have seen on the news, we have had some interesting events taking place over here, which disrupted our original plan



Photos provided

**Christmas in June brings deployed soldiers a little bit of home while serving overseas.**

for the event. But to help build morale for our soldiers, we delivered the presents today to different locations. I have attached some photos that show soldiers with some of the gifts."

Lynn Epperson of HCVC, Linda Amstutz of the Carmel American Legion Auxiliary, and Tracy Huser of the Fishers American Legion Auxiliary were the stars of this awesome

event here stateside, so thank you to you and your teams for all your hard work making this special day possible for so many!

To our deployed: stay safe, vigilant and hurry home.

## When community comes to the table

On the evenings of Wednesday and Thursday, the Hamilton County 4-H Fairgrounds transformed into something truly special: a place where neighbors became friends, stories were shared, and the simple act of sharing a meal became a powerful reminder of what community really means.



COLUMNIST

POOJA THAKKAR  
 Taste of Community

SERVE Noblesville's Community Dinner welcomed everyone with open arms – from longtime residents to new faces, from volunteers to guests who just needed to be seen, heard, and valued. The long tables were filled not just with delicious food but with conversation, laughter, and a sense of belonging that so many of us crave, especially in times when the world feels divided.

The smell of fresh, cooked food set the tone. Local chefs poured their hearts into dishes that reflected love, tradition, and generosity. Forked Up Catering and Chef Kel Cooks served up flavors that sparked memories, sparked stories, and quite honestly, brought a lot of people back for seconds. The whole experience was warming, comforting, and shared with people who felt like family even if you'd just met them.

Beyond the plates, what struck me most was the togetherness around those tables. Stories of family recipes, childhood favorites, and cultural traditions flowed as easily as the laughter. It's amazing how food opens us up. So many people shared stories of resilience and struggle, but also of hope and love – because food, at its best, tells a story of survival, sensory, legacy, and connection.

Through my #TasteOfCommunity initiative, I had the privilege of sharing the stage and highlighting these food stories. We heard from the chefs, the servers, the volunteers, and the guests. We honored the hands that serve, often unseen, and gave them a moment to feel appreciated and celebrated. These stories are exactly what I hope to capture in my upcoming book – preserving the legacy of food as a thread that ties us all together.

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## Sheridan Lions putting on best July 4<sup>th</sup> Parade yet

Coach Bradshaw selected as this year's Grand Marshal

By **CHUCK GODBY**  
 Sheridan Lions Club

Sheridan Lions Club members met recently to finalize plans for what's expected to be one of the community's best Fourth of July Parades ever.

The first order of business was selecting the Parade's Grand Marshal, and the pick was an easy one.

Jaidlin Bradshaw will headline this year's Parade. She was a popular and overwhelmingly choice by the local Lions, who organize and sponsor the annual Parade.

Bradshaw coached Sheridan's Lady Blackhawks to a 25-2 record during the 2024-25 basketball season. She also coached her 100th victory at SHS and directed the local ladies to sectional and regional championships for the second consecutive season. This accomplishment puts her in unique company as she, Larry Hobbs (boys basketball), and Larry "Bud" Wright (football) are the only coaches to win consecutive regionals in the long history of athletics at Sheridan High School.

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Photo provided

**Sheridan High School girls basketball coach Jaidlin Bradshaw will headline the Sheridan Lions Club's annual Fourth of July Parade as Grand Marshal. Here she beams while being honored for her 100th coaching victory at SHS during the 2024-25 season.**

## Fishers festival in full force



Reporter photos by Grace Green

The Reporter's own Grace Green took a stroll through the Spark!Fishers Car and Art Show on Thursday evening. Central Green was teeming with people checking out countless examples of automobiles both classic and contemporary, as well as lots of great works curated by Fishers Arts Council. There's still time to check out Spark!Fishers – in fact, today is the biggest day of the week. The Street Fair runs from 2 to 9 p.m. throughout Nickel Plate District, and the Parade is set for 6 p.m. Get the full details at [SparkFishers.com](http://SparkFishers.com). See more photos from the Car and Art Show on Page 3 and at [ReadTheReporter.com](http://ReadTheReporter.com).

## Cicero prepares for parade of patriotism

**The REPORTER**

Cicero's 26th Lights Over Morse Lake celebration will take place from Wednesday, July 2 to Sunday, July 6. This year's Title Sponsor is First Farmers Bank & Trust.

Read the full list of events below, and go to [LightsOverMorseLake.org](http://LightsOverMorseLake.org) to see the digital program or even make a donation to future celebrations.

"Many people think the fireworks are paid for with tax money or that the town of Cicero pays for the display, but that's simply not true," Lights Chair Jackie Hayden said. "The Town of Cicero does donate to help with program costs, but major funding is from individual donations and business sponsorships."

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**Wednesday, July 2**

- Food Vendor Set Up in the Park: noon to 8 p.m., Cicero Community Park
- Princess Check-in: 5:30 p.m. to 6:15 p.m., Hamilton North Public Library Pavilion
- Cicero Knights of Columbus Cookout: 6 p.m., Hamilton North Public Library Pavilion
- Princess Pageant: 6:30 p.m., Hamilton North Public Library Pavilion
- Queen Pageant: 8 p.m., Hamilton North Public Library Pavilion

**Thursday, July 3**

- Craft vendors setup in the Park: 8 a.m. to noon, Cicero Community Park
- Festival Opening: 4 p.m., Cicero Community Park
- Carnival: 4 to 10 p.m. Ci-



Photo by Joe Katuin, Cicero Art & Photography

**The Fourth of July Parade through Downtown Cicero is sure to be a sight to behold . . . so don't miss out!**

cero Community Park behind the Library

- Music Bingo: 5 to 7 p.m., Cicero Community Park Shelter

- CONCERT: Aela from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m., Flying Toasters

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**CICERO**

from 8 to 10 p.m., both at Hamilton North Public Library Pavilion

- Indy Bi-planes fly-over: approximately 8 p.m., weather permitting
- Movie Night: 9 p.m., Cicero Christian Church

**Friday, July 4**

- Food & craft vendors in the Park: 10 a.m. to 9 p.m., Cicero Community Park
- Golf Cart Decorating Contest: 10 a.m., Hamilton North Public Library Pavilion
- PARADE LINEUP: 10 a.m., various locations
- PARADE: 11 a.m.
- Aim High Canine, Stunt Dog Show: 1 p.m., 3:30 p.m., 6 p.m., all at Cicero Community Park
- Music in the Park: noon to 6 p.m. at Cicero Community Park. Ma Bell from 11 a.m. to noon; April Brownell from noon to 2 p.m.; Brett Denney from 2 to 4 p.m.; Matthew Montgomery from 4 to 6 p.m.
- Carnival: noon to 11 p.m., Cicero Community Park behind the Library
- United Family Wesleyan Church FREE FAIR: 4 to 8 p.m., 210 Wesleyan Ave.
- FIREWORKS: 10 p.m., Jackson Street Bridge

**Saturday, July 5**

**Kids Day**

- Selah's Grace 5K Run/Walk: 7:30 a.m., Cicero Christian Church
- Kiwanis Breakfast: 8:30 to 10:30 a.m., Red Bridge Park

- 3-on-3 Basketball Tournament: registration at 8:30 a.m., starts at 9 a.m., Cicero Community Basketball Court
- Children's Entrepreneur Market: 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., Hamilton North Public Library
- Pickleball Blast: 9 a.m., Cicero Community Park Pickleball Courts
- Princesses/Superheroes Face Painting: 9:30 to 11:30 a.m., Hamilton North Public Library
- Food & craft vendors in the Park: 10 a.m. to 9 p.m., Cicero Community Park
- Golf Cart Poker Run: registration at 10 a.m. Begins at 10:30 a.m. at Red Bridge Park; ends at Hamilton North Public Library Pavilion
- Caboose Rides: 11 a.m. to 2 p.m., tracks east of Cicero Community Park
- Carnival: noon to 11 p.m., Cicero Community Park behind the Library
- Aim High Canine, Stunt Dog Show: 1 p.m., 3:30 p.m., 6 p.m., all at Cicero Community Park
- Music in the Park: noon to 6 p.m. at Cicero Community Park. Ma Bell from 11 a.m. to noon; April Brownell from noon to 2 p.m.; Brett Denney from 2 to 4 p.m.; Matthew Montgomery from 4 to 6 p.m.
- Car Show: 2 to 5 p.m., South Pearl Street (Brinton Street to Wiley Street)
- Friends of the Park

Bingo: 5 to 7 p.m., Community Park Picnic Shelter

- United Family Wesleyan Church Fish Fry: 4 to 8 p.m., 210 Washington Ave.
- CONCERT: Endless Summer Band: 7 to 10 p.m., Hamilton North Library Pavilion
- Golf Cart Raffle: During Band Intermission, 8 p.m., Hamilton North Public Library Pavilion

**Sunday, July 6**

**Public Safety Appreciation Day**

- Church in the Park: 10 to 11:30 a.m., Hamilton North Public Library Pavilion
- Food & craft vendors in the Park: 11 a.m. to 6 p.m., Cicero Community Park
- FREE Thin Blue Cline Bounce House: 12:30 to 5:30 p.m., south end of Cicero Community Park
- Public Safety Meet & Greet and Demonstrations. 1 to 3 p.m., behind the Hamilton North Public Library Cicero
- Cicero Police and Fire Department, & Fire Safety Smokehouse Demo
- Hamilton County Sheriff Dept K9 Meet & Greet and Demonstration
- Staff Flight Medical Helicopter, Look and See!
- Cornhole Tournament: 1 p.m., south end of Community Park.
- Music in the Park: noon to 6 p.m. at Cicero Community Park. Andy Aiken from 1 to 4 p.m.; Ma Bell from 4 to 5 p.m.
- Aim High Canine, Stunt Dog Show: 12:30 p.m., 2:30 p.m., 4:30 p.m., all Cicero Community Park
- Golf Cart Scavenger Hunt: 1 p.m., Cicero Christian Church Shelter
- Cicero's Got Talent: 4 p.m., Hamilton North Public Library Pavilion
- FESTIVAL CLOSING: 6 p.m.

*United Family Wesleyan Church*

**FISH FRY**

**Saturday, July 5th from 4-8 p.m.**

**210 Washington Ave., Cicero**



**Thanks for reading The Reporter!**

**TABLE**

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Photos provided

**Two Community Dinners were held in Noblesville as part of SERVE Week.**

SERVE Noblesville is truly serving all with dignity, hope, and a place at the table for everyone.

I'm grateful to SERVE Noblesville for making these two nights possible, and to both chefs, volunteers, and community member who played a part in creating this experience. It was an absolute blast connecting with so many new faces, sharing so many hugs

and stories, and remembering that no matter where we come from, we all belong around the same table.

If you have a food story of your own – a dish that connects you to your roots, a recipe that defines your family, a tradition you cherish – I would love to hear it. Through Taste of Community, we are collecting those stories so they can live on, inspire others, and remind

us all of the power of food to heal and unite.

These two nights were more than just dinners. They were proof that community, when nourished, grows strong and beautiful. And that's worth celebrating – again and again.

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

**PARADE**

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Parade entries can begin assembling at 9 a.m. on the morning of the Fourth in the Sheridan High School parking lot, located at 24795 Hinesley Road. The Parade will begin at 10 a.m.

The Mustang Club is expected to participate along with perhaps the largest display of farm tractors both old and new in the coun-

ty. A new wrinkle is Waitt Grain coming onboard for the first time as sponsor for all the tractor entries, handing out hats, rain gauges and other items to those who enter.

The Lions will award \$50 cash prizes to these parade entries: Tractor, Golf Cart, Automobile, Bicycle, and Miscellaneous. The

award-winning float will take home \$150.

The Lions also recognize the SHS band with a monetary donation for its Parade participation.

The Sheridan Lions Club is always on the lookout for new members, so contact a local Lion if you'd like to get involved in serving Sheridan.



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# Fishers Car & Art Show: the only time when too many cars on the road is a good thing!



Reporter photos by Grace Green

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# Westfield Lions “serve” during Crossroads Church mission project

By **JEFF LARRISON**  
Westfield Lions Club

Ten Westfield Lions stepped up on last Friday, June 20, to serve ice cream to more than 300 students who were in town as part of the annual Crossroads Church at Westfield’s Group Mission Trips project proving free home repairs.

Each year these students come to Westfield to help perform all kinds of home maintenance projects for families in need. This year, during the week, the students worked on 45 homes and that work benefited 60 residents.

These students are learning the importance of serving others – just like the Lions Club, whose motto is “We Serve.” The Westfield Lions continue to place an emphasis on working with youth in the area, including students throughout the Westfield school system. Free vision screenings, dictionaries for every third grader, scholarships for seniors, and grants for the Westfield



Photos provided by Westfield Lions Club

(TOP LEFT, from left) Jeff Schneider, Amy Grovogel, and Gary Smith. (TOP RIGHT, from left) Dennis Lloyd, Linda Hallett, and Jacqui Lloyd.

Education Foundation are some examples of how the Lions support Westfield

youth. For more information on the Westfield Lions

Club, including how to become a member, go to [WestfieldLions.org](http://WestfieldLions.org).

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HAMILTON COUNTY PARKS & RECREATION DEPT.

**Thanks for reading the Hamilton County Reporter!**

**Hello, Hamilton County**  
paulpoteet.com

## Register now for HOPE 5K Run/Walk

**The REPORTER**  
HOPE Family Care Center, a free health care provider in Cicero, will hold its second annual 5K Walk/Run on Saturday, Sept. 13. The 5K Walk/Run will kick off at 10 a.m. at the Hamilton Heights Cross Country Course in Arcadia. Tickets are on sale now and the registration fee for this event is only \$35. Registrants will receive a T-shirt and can be timed during the race.

Awards will be provided to top finishers. HOPE is also seeking sponsors for this event. For more information or to sign-up, please go to [hopefamilycare.org](http://hopefamilycare.org).  
**About HOPE Family Care Center**  
HOPE Family Care Center is a faith based 501(c)(3) non-profit clinic providing free medical, dental, counseling, women’s health, mammograms, and diabetes education

**HOPE**  
Family Care Center  
services to uninsured, under-insured, and medically under-served patients from Hamilton, Tipton, Madison, and Boone counties. For more information, or to inquire about an appointment, call (317) 984-3444 or email [hfccicero@gmail.com](mailto:hfccicero@gmail.com).

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THURSDAY	9 AM - 6 PM
FRIDAY	9 AM - 6 PM
SATURDAY	10 AM - 6 PM
SUNDAY	12 PM - 5 PM

# 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**  
317-844-4441 **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** Eric Stanley  
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**  
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, F 11a-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**  
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**  
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

**LEARN HOW TO SAVE A LIFE July 24 at 6pm.**  
**Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation training equips individuals with the knowledge and skills to recognize and respond to cardiac arrest, a medical emergency where the heart stops beating. You never know when you might be in the right place at the right time...**

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

## 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)  
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Admin Assistant – Christina Fllis

## Activities & Events

**July 26, 1030am, Come to the Veterans Memorial**

**Get Signed Up To Golf OR Sponsor the Good Samaritan Network Charity Event at Top Golf**  
<https://www.zeffy.com/en-US/ticketing/2025-charity-golf-outing>

Join us for this family-friendly Sunday afternoon! Your participation in this fundraising event benefits underserved Hamilton County families with client and holiday assistance provided by the Good Samaritan Network of HamCo.

The ticket includes playing Topgolf at one of the predetermined bays with up to 6 golfers per bay, enjoying a new "Ultimate Bites Appetizer Buffet" in the Signature Room, and participating in a "Silent Auction." Bring a group! Bring the family!

- Credit Cards or Debit Cards - Accepted credit cards include, but are not limited to, Visa, Master Card, and American Express.
- Apple Pay / Google Pay - automatically enabled if users have these payment methods enabled on their devices and browsers.
- Bank transfer payments or ACH - you can also enter your banking information for payment.

Thank you for your support and commitment to the mission of serving our community. Doors Open 30 Min. before the Event

# Riverview Health earns gold certification for commitment to infant safe sleep practices

## The REPORTER

In recognition of Riverview Health's commitment to best practices in infant safe sleep, the hospital announces it has achieved certification as a Gold Cribs for Kids National Safe Sleep Hospital.

By earning this certification, Riverview Health demonstrates adherence to rigorous guidelines established by the Cribs for Kids National Safe Sleep Hospital Certification Program.

Cribs for Kids is a national safe sleep initiative dedicated to reducing infant mortality.

"Sleep-related deaths are the number one reason we lose 3,400 infants annually," said Michael H. Goodstein, M.D., neonatologist, and medical director at Cribs for Kids. "We know that parents do at home what



they see done in the hospital so modeling safe sleep and providing education to families will have an impact on infant mortality. Cribs for Kids program recognizes hospitals making this commitment."

"Achieving this certification demonstrates our team's commitment to clinical excellence and infant safety," Associate Chief Nursing Officer Michelle

Allen said. "We take great pride in upholding national standards that safeguard the health and well-being of newborns."

Click here for more information about Cribs for Kids National Safe Sleep Hospital Certification Program.

For information about Riverview Health's maternity services, visit [riverview.org/services/maternity](http://riverview.org/services/maternity).



Photo provided by Riverview Health

The Riverview Health Maternity Department wants to help make sure all babies sleep safely.

### Now Hiring

### Full-Time Facility Maintenance Employees

Carmel Dads' Club is seeking to fill full-time facility maintenance positions. Candidates should contact Facility Superintendent Josh Blackmore at 317-846-1663 ext. 3315 to submit applications and schedule interviews. Candidates must have clean driving records and no physical limitations. The position will require manually work in all weather conditions. Sports field maintenance, landscaping, and/or equipment maintenance experience a plus but not required.



Contact  
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Josh Blackmore  
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## Postal Service reminder: fireworks are fun, but they don't belong in the mail

### The REPORTER

With July 4th quickly approaching, the U.S. Postal Service (USPS) is reminding customers that while fireworks are a fun way to celebrate Independence Day, they are strictly prohibited in the mail system.

Fireworks of all kinds – including sparklers, firecrackers, bottle rockets, and Roman candles – are considered hazardous materials and are banned from all air and ground transportation through USPS because they pose a threat to safety.

"Shipping fireworks through the mail puts our employees, customers, and transportation networks at

serious risk," Acting Postmaster General and CEO Doug Tulino said. "Even small items like firecrackers or bottle rockets can cause fires, explosions, or injuries if mishandled."

To keep employees and facilities safe, the Postal Service uses a range of tools, including technology and inspection protocols, to detect nonmailable items. Individuals caught mailing fireworks may face civil penalties, criminal charges, and other consequences. Last year, the Postal Inspection Service opened 1,700 investigations regarding customer attempts to send hazardous materials through the mail, including fireworks and other explosives.

To help ensure a safe and celebratory holiday, the Postal Service encourages customers to review the list of hazardous and restricted items before shipping any package. A full list is available at [this link](#). The Postal Inspection Service has also released a public service announcement you can watch on [YouTube](#).

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# Ivy Tech Hamilton County invites you to first 'State of the Campus' event

## The REPORTER

Ivy Tech Community College Hamilton County will hold its inaugural State of the Campus event from 9 to 11 a.m. Friday, Oct. 3 at The Bridgewater Club, 3535 E. 161st St.

The event will feature Chancellor Rachel Kartz and other campus leaders as they share major accomplishments, growth milestones, and a bold vision for the future of Ivy Tech's fastest-growing campus. Attendees will also hear directly from Ivy Tech students about their personal experiences and the impact the college has had on their educational and career journeys.

"This is an important moment in time for Ivy Tech Hamilton County," Kartz said. "We're excited to share how we're expanding our academic offerings, deepening our community partnerships, and continuing to remove barriers so that all students can achieve success."

The State of the Campus is designed for community members, business leaders, elected officials, educators, donors, and anyone passionate about accessible, affordable education. It will highlight how Ivy Tech is serving as a critical workforce development partner in the region and invite attendees to play an active role in the campus's continued growth and success.

The morning will include a breakfast buffet, campus update, student feature, and opportunities for engagement and networking. Networking will begin at 8 a.m.

Ivy Tech Hamilton County proudly partners with all three Chambers of Commerce in Hamilton County: the Noblesville Chamber of Commerce, OneZone Chamber of Commerce, and the Westfield Chamber of Commerce, bringing this event to life and foster cross-sector collaboration throughout the region. The campus also



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recognizes Invest Hamilton County as an event sponsor, alongside the three Chambers of Commerce. Sponsorship opportunities range from \$1,000 to \$10,000.

Early-bird ticket pricing through Aug. 29 is \$30. After that date, the cost will increase to \$45. For more information or to reserve your spot, visit [link.ivytech.edu/IVY2025](http://link.ivytech.edu/IVY2025).

All event proceeds will

benefit Ivy Tech Hamilton County students through the Ivy Tech Foundation.

"We're incredibly grateful to our early sponsors for believing in the mission of Ivy Tech and supporting our students," said Kelly Wallace, Executive Director of Development at Ivy Tech Hamilton County. "Their partnership exemplifies the community-driven spirit behind everything we do."

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## Sheridan Elementary starts new chapter in RTI leadership

### Submitted by Sheridan Community Schools

Sheridan Elementary School (SES) is continuing its commitment to student growth and support with its Response to Intervention (RTI) program.

Stephanie Lego led the RTI program at SES for the past three years, and she retired at the end of the school year.

She concluded an incredible 30-year career in education and impactful three years of leadership. She was and is dedicated to supporting students and has left a lasting impact on SES and the RTI program.

Lego's role has now been replaced by the excellent first-grade teacher Alexis Daugherty.

Daugherty has experience in both special education and general education. Along with her team of

Veronica Cardwell, Vicy Welch, Tina Kitchel, and Gayla McMurtry, they are ready to take on a year of helping struggling young readers meet their goals.



Daugherty

The RTI team will work directly with all the students that need extra remediation or intervention services. Including the dyslexia screening process that is given at the start of every school year. This outstanding team will analyze student data, plan, and collaborate directly with the teachers to best meet the needs of Sheridan students.

The experience and passion that Daugherty brings will ensure a smooth transition and continuation of prioritizing literacy and learning for all students. The RTI team along with SES is prepared for a strong and successful year ahead.

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# Go beyond the stage at Allied Solutions Center for the Performing Arts in Carmel

**Submitted**

Explore these opportunities for education at Carmel's Allied Solutions Center for the Performing Arts. For more information and to purchase tickets for these events, keep reading or go to [TheCenterPresents.org](http://TheCenterPresents.org).

**Prism Project wraps third season**

The standing ovation was no surprise last Sunday when the 2025 class of the Prism Project at Allied

Solutions Center presented its culminating public performance.

Aimed at children and young adults with a range of physical, sensory, and cognitive disabilities, the performing arts day camp just completed its third year at Allied Solutions Center. "Finding Our Light" was the title of this year's production, written especially to capitalize on the abilities and interests

of the 26 performers.

**New class explores business of music**

If you want to make a living – or even a little extra income – playing music, talent only goes so far. A new class at Allied Solutions Center can help you rise to the next level.

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The cost is just \$150 for five sessions, 7 to 8:30 p.m. Mondays from Sept. 8

through Oct. 13. [Click here](#) to learn more and register for Musician: From Hobby to Career.

**Educators, schedule your free field trips**

If you're a public or private school educator in search of free field trip opportunities for your students, then you're looking in the right place because the 2025-2026 schedules for Student Matinees and Science of Light & Sound

presentations has been released. Both series present engaging, inspiring, entertaining – and, yes, educational – live events free of charge for central Indiana student groups.

This season's five Student Matinees include fun science presentations and professional music, drama and dance performances aimed at various grade levels.

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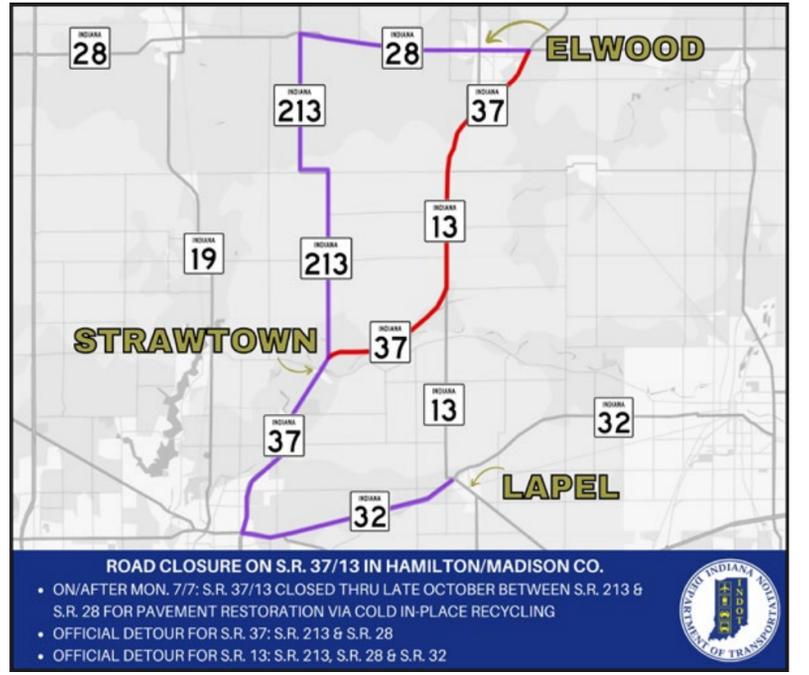
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Carmel Dads' Club is currently seeking to fill the Assistant Athletic Director position. Candidates for this full-time position must have strong administrative and communication skills (written and verbal). Sports programming experience is a plus. The Asst. A.D. will work closely with CDC members, coaches, and commissioners as the first point of contact answering questions about our programs. Other responsibilities include:

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- Scheduling and roster management
- Coordination with referee and umpire assignors
- Program evaluations and training for rec and travel leagues
- Coach's clinics, game day preparation, and sports tournaments
- Participation on Board of Directors' Rec Sports Committee
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- OFFICIAL DETOUR FOR S.R. 37: S.R. 213 & S.R. 28
- OFFICIAL DETOUR FOR S.R. 13: S.R. 213, S.R. 28 & S.R. 32

Graphic provided by INDOT

## SR 37/13 to close in Hamilton & Madison counties for pavement restoration project

**The REPORTER**

The Indiana Department of Transportation announces the upcoming closure of State Road 37/13 for a pavement restoration project in Hamilton and Madison counties.

Starting on or after Monday, July 7, SR 37/13 will close to traffic between SR 213 and SR 28. The closure

will allow crews to safely complete milling and paving through cold in-place recycling, which reuses existing materials to construct a new road surface.

The official detour for SR 37 will follow SR 213 and SR 28. The official detour for SR 13 will continue on SR 37 and SR 32. Access

will be maintained for local residents. The road is expected to reopen by the end of October, weather permitting.

INDOT encourages drivers to slow down, use extra caution, and travel distraction-free in and near work zones. All work is weather-dependent, and schedules are subject to change.

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# Jensen on road construction: “we will get through this together”

## The REPORTER

Beginning on or after July 7, State Road 32 at the intersection of Hague Road will close as crews construct a new roundabout as part of the Reimagine Pleasant Street project.

SR 32 and Hague Road is anticipated to open to traffic in October 2025.

In coordination with the Indiana Department of Transportation (INDOT), the intersection is being reconstructed to a multi-lane roundabout. As part of the project, new pedestrian tunnels will be installed under SR 32 and under Pleasant Street to provide safe crossings for the Midland Trace Trail and Hague Road Trail.

“We have celebrated many milestones throughout the Reimagine Pleasant Street project,” Mayor Jensen said. “Building this new roundabout will allow traffic to flow better, reduce congestion, and create a safe environment for pedestrians, cyclists, and vehicles. Road closures are challenging, but we will get through this together and experience the long-term benefits of this project.”

Construction continues



Graphic provided by American Structurepoint



Jensen

on Pleasant Street from River Road to the new roundabout. Crews recently completed pouring the deck for the new bridge over Cicero Creek. Pleasant Street from River Road to the SR 32 and Hague Road

intersection is anticipated to open to traffic by the end of 2025.

For more information about the project, visit [ReimaginePleasantSt.com](http://ReimaginePleasantSt.com).



Rendering provided by American Structurepoint

Here is an artist's rendering of how the roundabout at State Road 32 and Hague Road will look.

## BEYOND

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The 10:30 a.m. events typically run 45 to 60 minutes, each followed by a 15-minute Q&A session. [Click here](#) to check out the Student Matinee schedule.

Science of Light & Sound is a lively and interactive 60-minute program in which Allied Solutions Center's experienced production engineers use the audio and lighting systems in the elegant Payne & Mencias Palladium to illustrate basic science principles in line with the Indiana Academic Standards for Grade 4 Science. Several morning and afternoon dates are available; [click here](#) for more information.

If the cost of getting kids to the Center is an issue, you can apply to the [Transportation Grant Program](#) for reimbursement of your expenses.

Questions? Send a note to [SchoolPrograms@TheCenterPresents.org](mailto:SchoolPrograms@TheCenterPresents.org). **It's not too late for summer music fun**

Space is still available in a couple upcoming programs at Allied Solutions Center:

• **Beginner Ukulele** is the introductory class in the wildly popular three-tiered ukulele education program, and in a rare opportunity, a few spots are still available in the section that meets at 8 p.m.

Wednesdays, July 9 to Aug. 6.

• **Jungle Jams** is a week-long summer day camp for young ones aged 5 to 7, who learn about teamwork and positive character qualities while being introduced to basic musical concepts and common instruments. This year's camp runs 9 to 11:30 a.m. July 21 to 25.

**Explore the mysteries of the concert hall**

You may have driven past the Payne & Mencias Palladium, a neoclassical landmark on the Carmel skyline. You may even have attended events in the elegant concert hall and marveled at its visual and auditory beauty.

But do you still sense something missing in your relationship with this fabulous community resource?

Fill the void in your life with one of the Payne & Mencias Palladium Public Tours, in which learned volunteers point out key features of the building and discuss its origins, architecture, acoustic treatments, special event spaces, and other features. The free, one-hour experience is available at 10:30 a.m. on the second and fourth Tuesdays of each month (advance registration required) and also by appointment for groups. [Click here](#) to learn more and register for your tour.

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## LOCAL NEWS & SPORTS COVERAGE IN HAMILTON COUNTY

# How you can get around the city during CarmelFest

Submitted by City of Carmel

The Carmel Police Department constantly strives to provide safe and efficient traffic flow. The following guide will help you get quickly and safely in and out of CarmelFest activities. Please plan your visit to CarmelFest with the following information in mind.

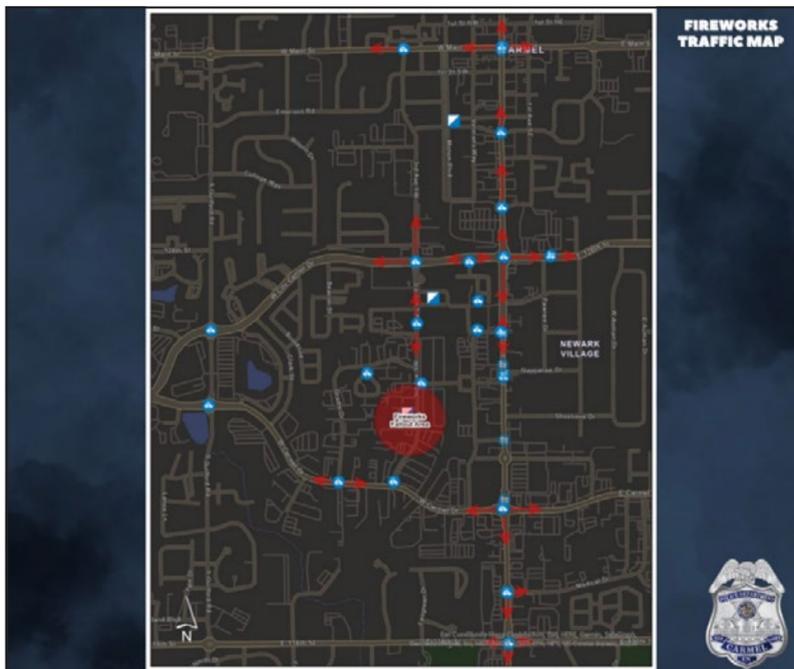
**Quick Tips**

• **Please be patient:** Keep in mind that there will be many people trying to use the same streets at the same time. Officers will be working to get you in and out as soon as possible so you can reach your destination in a reasonable amount of time.

• **Watch for pedestrians:** There will be thousands of people crossing the streets before and after the parade and fireworks. Many of them will be children. Pay close attention!

• **Please follow officers' instructions:** Keep moving in the direction officers send you. The traffic plan is designed to get visitors safely out of the CarmelFest venues as efficiently as possible.

• **Parking:** Parking is permitted only in city garages, parking lots, along city streets or with the permission of a property owner. Please be respectful of private and business property and obtain permission from the owner *before* parking on private property or in business parking lots. Reserved accessible parking is available at the southwest corner of Main Street and Range Line Road for the parade.



Graphic provided by Carmel Police Department

**Street closures**

Keep in mind that there will be several road closures that will affect traffic flow around CarmelFest.

• **Gradle Drive** will be closed to all vehicular traffic, except emergency vehicles, between Range Line Road and 3rd Avenue Southwest from 8 a.m. July 3 until all vendors are out of the area the evening of July 4.

• **Red Truck Road** will only be open to emergency vehicles on July 3 and 4.

• **3rd Avenue SW** between Carmel Drive and Gradle Drive will be closed to all traffic on July 4 from approximately 9 a.m. to 10:30 p.m. This closure will be strictly enforced as a safety zone for fireworks preparation and launching.

**Parade traffic**

• **Carmel Drive** between Keystone Parkway and Range Line Road will have lane restrictions starting at 9:30 a.m. and will close to all vehicular traffic starting at approximately 10 a.m.

• **Range Line Road** between Carmel Drive and Main Street will close to all vehicular traffic starting at approximately 10 a.m.

• **Main Street** between Range Line Road and Lexington Boulevard will close to all vehicular traffic starting at approximately 10 a.m.

After the parade, officers will hold all vehicular traffic until the streets are clear of pedestrians. Traffic will be allowed to flow only in the direction away from

the parade. Streets will open in succession after the parade has safely passed.

**Fireworks traffic**

The CarmelFest fireworks show draws thousands of spectators. The fireworks show also signifies the end of CarmelFest. Most spectators will plan to leave immediately after the show. This mass departure slows traffic. Officers will be diligently working to manage traffic flow to keep everyone moving. The traffic plan, pictured here, is designed to move traffic away from CarmelFest. **Inbound traffic will not be allowed until outbound CarmelFest traffic has cleared.** Plan ahead and choose parking according to your post-fireworks destination.

# Sen. Young supports bill to restore dignity to abortion victims

Submitted by Office of U.S. Sen. Todd Young

U.S. Senator Todd Young (R-Ind.) is co-sponsoring the Respectful Treatment of Unborn Remains Act, legislation introduced by Senator Jim Banks (R-Ind.) to ensure abortion victims receive the dignity they deserve by prohibiting abortion providers from disposing of fetal remains in publicly owned water systems.



Young

"I appreciate the leadership of Senator Banks to correct this injustice," Sen. Young said. "The discard of aborted baby remains into our public water systems is inhumane and unacceptable. Supporting this bill is important from both a moral and public safety perspective."

According to Sen. Young, currently, some abortion providers choose to cast remains of aborted babies down the garbage disposal and into public sewage out of convenience. The Respectful Treatment of Unborn Remains Act would prohibit this inhumane process and restore dignity to abortion victims.

More specifically, the bill would prohibit an abortion provider from disposing of fetal remains in publicly owned water systems, including drains and pipes controlled by federal, state, or local government entities. Those who violate the law would be subject to a fine and up to five years in prison.

[Click here](#) to read the full text of the bill.

## Carmel roundabout closure continues for "Taking Flight" sculpture installation

**The REPORTER**

The closure on the east side of the Main Street and Richland Avenue roundabout in Carmel to facilitate the installation of the "Taking Flight" sculpture will continue through next week with the final installation date of June 30.

As the work is underway, eastbound and northbound traffic will be prevented

from accessing Richland Avenue, north of Main Street, through the roundabout. A detour route will be in place utilizing the roundabouts at Main Street and Lexington Boulevard for access to Richland Avenue.

This closure will be in place during work hours on the following days:

- Monday, June 30
- Tuesday, July 1

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# Nonstop projects, nonstop growth in Hamilton County

**Submitted by Noblesville Chamber of Commerce**

Collaboration and growth were the themes as Hamilton County Commissioner Steve Dillinger presented his annual State of the County address on Wednesday to over 500 Noblesville Chamber of Commerce members at Embassy Suites. “A County United – Doing the Right Things for the Right Reasons” shared how the county was working with municipalities and the state to better serve the citizens and guests of Hamilton County.

“That doesn’t mean we always get along, but we all have the intention of making Hamilton County the best we can,” Dillinger said. “I believe the projects we are working on and the end results show that.”

On behalf of the County Commissioners, Dillinger has presented the State of the County for 36 years to the Noblesville Chamber.

“We thank Commissioner Dillinger and appreciate his steadfast dedication to keeping our members informed about Hamilton County,” Noblesville Chamber President Bob DuBois said. “As the county seat, we have a special responsibility to help foster a better understanding of the projects in and around Noblesville. Commissioners Dillinger, Altman and Heirbrandt provide an understanding of how the county is growing, where it’s going and how the government is serving the people of Noblesville and Hamilton County.”

Public Safety was a key topic during Dillinger’s speech, including new roles and titles for those overseeing the departments: Executive Director of Emergency Operations Chad Knecht, Director of Emergency Management Ryan Tennesen, and Director of Public Safety Communications (911) Larken Uhrick.

The Hamilton County Public Safety Training Center, located off River Road, includes a gun range, fire training site, the future coroner’s office, and buildings for police, fire, and emergency management. The area currently has a man-made lake for water training exercises. Dillinger said it will be utilized by all local first responders. Construction will begin in October and is anticipated to be completed by fall 2027.

The new county E911 Center project began last summer and is expected to open in 2027. The vital hub for 911 dispatch and emergency operations in Hamilton County is located across State Road 37 from the Sheriff’s Office Complex. Dillinger said the facility will withstand high winds and a tornado to ensure 911 stays active throughout severe weather.

The Rely Center will be located on Aspire Indiana Health’s campus and will address urgent mental health, substance use, and psychiatric crises. The center will open this fall.

“Residents experiencing mental health crises or have attempted suicide are either taken to jail or to Riverview Health hospital,” Dillinger



said. “These facilities are not equipped to take care of these types of mental health issues at the capacity that is needed.”

During his speech, Dillinger addressed major infrastructure and capital improvement projects taking place:

- The State Road 37 improvement project is nearing completion for the southern portion. Dillinger shared that the 141st Street interchange is expected to be completed by spring 2026 and traffic is being maintained on SR 37 during construction.

- Construction on the 146th Street and Allisonville Road interchange began in spring 2023. The project is nearing the final phases and will be completed this fall, removing a stoplight and creating a free-flowing intersection of two major roadways.

- Following the completion of Allisonville Road, Hamilton County will make additional traffic and safety improvements west along 146th Street. Dillinger shared that the county has identified the intersections



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of Hazel Dell Parkway, Gray Road, and Carey Road. Similar to Allisonville Road, the county will eliminate the stoplight with an overpass and roundabout underneath at Hazel Dell. This project will begin next summer and is expected to be completed in the late fall of 2028. “Each of the other intersections will be alike when we move west,” Dillinger said.

- Reimagine Pleasant Street, a joint effort with the City of Noblesville, has entered its third year of construction. The county was the American Council of Engineering Companies Engineering Award Winner and Honors Award finalist for the new bridge across the White River. It was part of Phase 1, which opened to traffic in September. Phases 2 and 3 are underway and will extend Pleasant Street west to State Road 32 and Hague Road, and east to Clover Road.

- The Hamilton County Judicial Center will be expanded starting this fall. The \$65 million project is expected to be completed in spring 2028 and is

needed to add up to eight new courtrooms due to the growth of the county.

- The 4-H Fairgrounds has a \$65 million master plan. Phase 1 replaced the O.V. Winks and Annex buildings, which were torn down due to the Pleasant Street project, with the new Bicentennial Pavilion which is expected to open later this year. The Llama Barn added a warming kitchen, restrooms, and upgraded air movement system, and new flooring and audio and visual equipment were installed in the Exhibition Hall.

- A new headquarters will be built for Hamilton County Parks within Morse Park. While the project is in preliminary stages, it will replace the existing bathhouse along Morse Reservoir.

- The former Humane Society for Hamilton County building was remodeled and now houses three vital county departments under one roof – Household Hazardous Waste, Soil and Water Conservation District, and Weights and Measures. After a year of construction, the building opened in May.

- Working in partnership with Prevail, Inc., the county has plans to build a Domestic Violence Center. While there is no current construction start date, Hamilton County has purchased nine acres of land off State Road 38 near Hague Road to build the center. “There are currently no emergency shelters located in Hamilton County,” Dillinger said. “Children

are often sent to Madison or Marion counties. That’s not acceptable for Hamilton County so we are trying to correct that problem.”

- The county has plans to create a Child Care Center at the current Parks Department/Coroner’s Office location. Dillinger said the center will be for county employees as an attraction to young, growing families.

Under the guidance of the Hamilton County Council, Dillinger said the county property tax rate is the sixth-lowest in the state. Hamilton County also is the first and only county in Indiana to receive a AAA bond rating, which represents the highest possible creditworthiness for a bond.

Those interested in watching Dillinger’s complete speech may visit [hctv1.com](http://hctv1.com).

**About the Noblesville Chamber of Commerce**

For the past 90 years, the Noblesville Chamber of Commerce is the pipeline that connects members to decision makers, government officials, customers and peers, networks, advocacy groups, and community partners. The chamber’s mission is to cultivate, foster, and achieve a healthy economic environment for its members and the community. The Chamber acts as a catalyst for growth, conveners of leaders and learners, connectors to information and resources, and champions of a vibrant business community. For more information, visit [NoblesvilleChamber.com](http://NoblesvilleChamber.com).

## NOBLESVILLE SCHOOLS Board Highlights

June 17, 2025 Meeting

**Submitted by Noblesville Schools**

The school board has responsibility for major district functions including school district governance and oversight, setting school policies, approving funding, strategic planning, and hiring and evaluating the superintendent.

- The board honored music educators for Noblesville’s national recognition as a Best Community for Music Education.
- An appropriations hearing was held and the board approved a bond resolution.
- Assistant Superintendent of Learning Dr. Ryan Rich and Executive Director of Learning Dr. Jennifer Wheat Townsend presented on a new professional growth and evaluation plan for district leaders.
- Superintendent Dan Hile presented on school culture as part of a new series of monthly reports on the Noblesville Schools Strategic Plan.
- Dr. Janae Mobley was approved as the new principal of Noblesville High School and Jeff Harkin was appointed as a new NHS assistant principal, replacing Mobley.

Go to [noblesvilleschools.org/leadership/school-board](http://noblesvilleschools.org/leadership/school-board) for meeting agendas, minutes, videos, and more.

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*These are the regulations concerning defiling molds in woolen or linen clothing, woven or knitted material, or any leather article, for pronouncing them clean or unclean.*

*Leviticus 13:53-59 (NIV)*

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# Sheridan Public Library has full June calendar

**Submitted**

The Sheridan Public Library, 103 W. 1st St., has all sorts of fun activities available for all ages. See the list below and visit [sheridan.lib.in.us](http://sheridan.lib.in.us) for more information. Support your local library!

**Preschool**

July 2, 9 at 11 a.m. | Story + Craft: Color of week July 2 (blue), July 9 (purple)

July 7 at 10:30 a.m. | Bubbles!

July 23 at 11 a.m. | Special Firefly Story Time

**Grades K-5**

July 1 at 4 p.m. | Tape Resist Art

July 2, 9 at 11 a.m. | Story + Craft

**Adults**

July 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 at 11 a.m. | Needle Crafters

July 2, 16 at 3 p.m. |

Adult Bingo (Sponsored by Robert Owen)

July 3 at 4 p.m. | Upcycled Craft: Patriotic Paper Star

July 9 at 5:30 p.m. | How to Take Amazing Photos; even with phone

July 11, 25 at 11 a.m. | Senior Social Hour

July 16 at 5:30 p.m. | Sheridan Readers Book Club: Body & Soul by Frank Conroy

July 19 from 9:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. | Magic the Gathering

July 24 at 6 p.m. | Adult Show & Tell

July 31 at 6 p.m. | Spice Club: Cloves

**All Ages**

July 8 at 2 p.m. | Interactive Family Movie

July 10 at 6 p.m. | Family Bingo Night

July 25 from 1 to 3 p.m. | End of Summer Splash Family Event; water slide,

music & games July 29 at 3 p.m. | Movie Day

July 30 at 3:30 p.m. | Library Relay Race; library-themed

July 31 at 3:30 p.m. | Harry Potter Trivia

**Summer Reading Completion**

July 17 at 5:30 p.m. | Pizza Party

July 18 at 11:30 a.m. | Pizza Party

Register at front desk or call (317) 758-5201 to sign up for pizza party if summer reading has been completed; select one day.

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Sheridan Public Library will close at 5 p.m. Friday, July 4 and remain closed on Saturday, July 5. For more information on programming and services, please visit [sheridan.lib.in.us](http://sheridan.lib.in.us).

**Obituary**

**Violet L. Reynolds**

**March 9, 1941 – June 25, 2025**



Violet L. Reynolds, 84, Atlanta, was gently called home to her Savior on Wednesday, June 25, 2025, passing peacefully with family by her side. Born on March 9, 1941, in Affton, Mo., to Jack and Alice (Schaffenger) Pennington, Violet lived her life with faith and devotion to God. Violet married George "Bud" Reynolds on July 1, 1955. Though their time together was far too short, ending with his passing on October 10, 1964, their years together were filled with cherished memories.

She was a loving, selfless, and fiercely independent woman with an unwavering love of Jesus. She was formerly a member of Harbor Shores Church in Cicero and later found her spiritual home and fellowship at First Baptist Church in Tipton. Much of her professional life was dedicated to helping others, and she worked as a skills instructor for St. Vincent New Hope for countless years.

Violet's legacy lives on through her daughters, Victoria (Rex) Breedlove and Sharon (Danny) Kerr, and her daughter-in-law, Devonna (Buddy) Reynolds; grandchildren Brandon (Karisue) Siniard, Beverly Siniard, Victoria Hufhand, and Meagan (Joe) Davis; and step-grandchildren Saul (Jenny) Black, Melanie Black, and April Sallee. She was also blessed with many great-grandchildren who knew her as their "Happy."

She now joins her parents, husband Bud, son Buddy, sons-in-law Danny Kerr and Rex Breedlove, and her siblings Shirley Cottner, Beverly Housh, Mary Van Winkle, and Jack and Walter Pennington in her heavenly home.

A memorial service honoring Violet's life is planned later this July and details will be posted when they become available.

Young-Nichols Funeral Home is honored to be handling Violet's arrangements. Condolences for Violet's family may be left on her obituary page at [young-nichols.com](http://young-nichols.com).

## Present your business at Showcase & Taste of Westfield

**The REPORTER**

The third annual Showcase & Taste of Westfield will be here before you know it.

On Sept. 23 from 4 to 6:30 p.m. at Grand Park, exhibitors at the Showcase and Taste of Westfield will have the opportunity to put their businesses on display and connect with businesses and potential customers at one of the Westfield Chamber's largest networking events of the year.

This event is open to the public. Last year's Showcase exceeded the inaugural

event, and more people are expected to attend this year.

All types of businesses can participate in the event; exhibitors include restaurants, service and healthcare providers, legal professionals, entertainment venues, food providers, and more. Restaurants, caterers, wineries, breweries, and other food service establishments are invited to provide menu tastings as well.

Click [here](#) to register for the event and to find more information on exhibitor and sponsorship opportunities.



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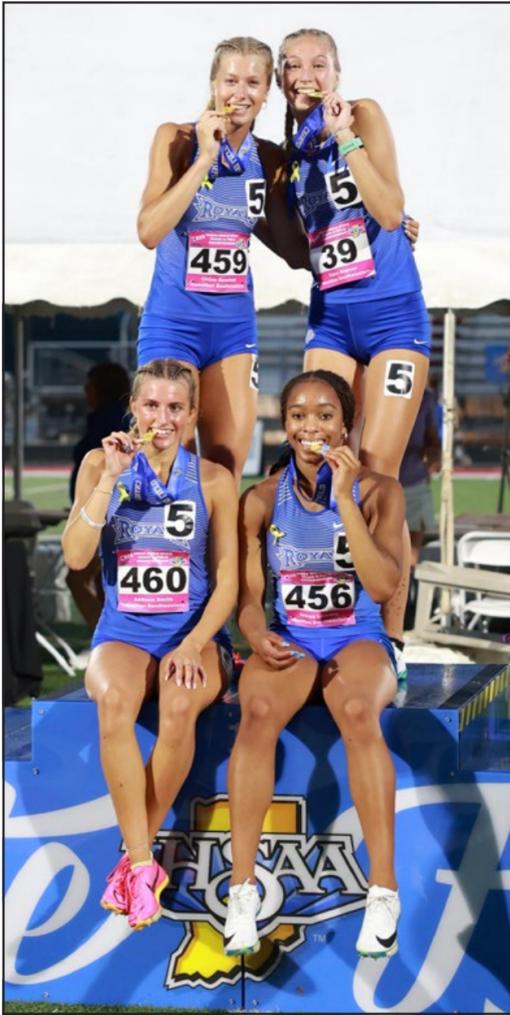
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**Track & Field**

**Swimming**



Mike Kepner / File photo

The Hamilton Southeastern relay team of Addison Smith, Ciara Kepner, Chloe Senefeld and Anissa Lammie are pictured here after winning a state championship in the 4x400 relay at the IHSAA state meet in early June. The team reunited at the Nike Outdoor Nationals in Eugene, Ore. last weekend to win a national championship in the 1600 sprint medley.

**Southeastern wins two relays at Nike Nationals**

**The REPORTER**

Hamilton Southeastern track runners made a tremendous impact on the national stage last week.

Two Southeastern Track Club relay teams won their respective events at the Nike Outdoor Nationals & USATF U20 Championships, which took place June 19 to 22 in Eugene, Ore. Another relay finished as runner-up, with Southeastern also earning top 10 finishes in two other races.

Both victories came on Friday, June 20. The first winner was the girls 1600 sprint medley team. Chloe Senefeld, Addison Smith, Anissa Lammie and Ciara Kepner finished that race in 3 minutes, 58.51 seconds. Later that afternoon, the Royals won the mixed 4x400 relay. Christian Ortiz, Senefeld, Jaxson Wanza and Lammie ran that event in 3:27.65.

On Sunday, June 22, HSE's 4x400 relay placed second in a time of 3:44.65. That team also consisted of Senefeld, Smith, Lammie and Kepner.

Ortiz was the top individual placer for Southeastern, taking fifth in the boys 200 dash (21.24 seconds). Senefeld finished ninth in the girls 400 hurdles (1:00.75). Elia Blackmore

took 12th in the girls 100 hurdles prelims, clocking in at 14.38 seconds. She placed 16th in the championship but improved her time finishing in 14.31 seconds.

Lammie competed in the girls 400 dash, placing 15th with a time of 55.60 seconds. Kepner took 40th in the girls 800 run, clocking in at 2:15.73.

Liam Powers competed in two long-distance boys Emerging Elite races. Powers finished 11th in the 3000-meter run, with a time of 8:36.49. He also ran in the 5000-meter run, placing 44th in 15:50.32.

**Other schools**

Carmel had four runners compete in the Nike Nationals. Ellie Cooley placed 18th in the girls Emerging Elite discus, with a top throw of 124 feet, 4 inches. Hayden Bearden ran in two Emerging Elite boys events; placing 18th in the 400 hurdles (56.19) and 51st in the 400 dash (50.59). Cameron Kelley was 26th in the boys long jump, with a best jump of 20 feet, 7.25 inches.

Westfield's Alivia Lozier competed in the girls 5000 meter run. She placed 13th in a time of 17:29.02.

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Reporter photo by Richie Hall

Noblesville Swim Club's Taylor Preston won the Girls 9-10 200 individual medley and 200 freestyle events on the first day of the Enchanted Forest Swim Meet at Forest Park Aquatic Center.

**Enchanted Forest Swim Meet begins at Forest Park**

**The REPORTER**

The Enchanted Forest Swim Meet, an annual Noblesville tradition, began Friday at the Forest Park Aquatic Center.

The host Noblesville Swim Club claimed some event victories on the meet's first day. Taylor Preston swept the 200 individual medley and 200 freestyle races in the Girls 9-10 division. Maya Preston then led a 1-2 Noblesville finish in the Girls 13-14 1500 free, with Hayley Blackwell taking second. Haddie Vohs won the Girls Open 400 free.

The Fishers Area Swimming Tigers picked up two wins. Grace Gannon paced the Girls Open 400 IM, then took seconds in the 400 free. Hagen Lee placed first in the Boys Open 1500 free.

Southeastern Swim Club got a victory in the Girls Open 1500 free, with Brooklyn Penn winning the race.

Day 2 of the Enchanted Forest meet begins at 7:30 a.m. this morning with preliminary races for the 13-14 and Open categories in the following events: 200 breaststroke, 50 free, 100



Reporter photos by Richie Hall

(ABOVE) Fishers Area Swimming Tigers' Brooklynn Kauffman swims in the Girls 11-12 200 free. (BELOW) Southeastern Swim Club's Emery Lindvall swims in the Girls 10 and under 200 IM.

backstroke, 200 butterfly and 200 free.

The afternoon session starts at 1:30 p.m., with prelims in the 11-12 categories for the 100 breaststroke, 50 free, 50 backstroke and 100 butterfly. The 10 and under swimmers will compete in timed finals in the same events. Finals in all races for the 11-12, 13-14 and Open categories begin at 6:30 p.m.

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**Correction**

The name of Silas Haarer was misspelled in Friday's article about the Boys State Junior golf championship. The Reporter regrets the error.

**Boys Junior State Championship**

**Harvey finishes as runner-up**

**The REPORTER**

Westfield's Will Harvey finished as runner-up Friday at the Boys State Junior Championship, which took place at Purdue University's Kampen-Cosler Course.

Harvey easily won his semifinal match against Middlebury's Silas Haarer by the score of 2&1. Haarer led 1 Up through 14 holes before Harvey won the next three to clinch the match.

In the championship match, Harvey fell to Fort Branch's Peyton Blackard 2 Up. Blackard won the 11th hole to tie the match, then took holes 16 and 18 for the victory.

The Boys State Junior

Championship was Harvey's second major tournament in two weeks. Harvey won the IHSAA state meet individual medal last week at Prairie View, also helping the Shamrocks to a record-setting team state title.

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**Carmel well-represented at New Balance Nationals**

While the Nike Nationals were taking place out west, several Hamilton County runners were participating in the New Balance Nationals Outdoor at the University of Pennsylvania. That event also took place June 19 to 22.

Carmel was well-represented at the meet. Larkin Taylor placed 36th in the one-mile race (4:52.02), with Annabel Pollert finishing 48th in the mile (4:53.65). Pollert also competed in the two-mile race, placing 36th (10:44.01).

Larkin and Taylor also ran in the 1500-meter enroute championship. Larkin finished 39th (4:33.06) while Pollert was 58th (4:34.89). Pollert later raced in the 3000-meter enroute championship, finishing in 30th (9:57.60).

Logan Navarro took 26th in the boys freshman

discus, with a best throw of 134 feet, 6 inches. The Greyhounds finished 59th in the boys 4x100 relay. The team of Andrew Moss, Beau Snarr, Josh Ott and Isaac Nelson clocked in at 42.74 seconds. Carmel's 4x800 relay team of Cooper Szotek, Josh Cale, Garrett Fuller and Michael Delaney placed 81st, in 8:40.57.

**Other schools**

Hamilton Heights' Waverly Woolever took seventh in the girls high jump. Her best leap was 5 feet, 7.25 inches.

Hamilton Southeastern's KJ Mallett placed 24th in the boys freshman discus. His top throw was 134 feet, 9 inches.

Westfield's Mackenna Condon placed 78th in the girls freshman mile, clocking in at 5:21.65.

Fishers eighth-grader Noah Haviza competed in the middle school 800 run. He finished 136th in a time of 2:15.18.

# Elite USAC midget field set to race July 1 & 2 in BC39 at IMS

**Submitted**

A field of more than 70 cars is expected to compete July 1-2 at The Dirt Track at Indianapolis Motor Speedway for one of the most prestigious prizes in the United States Auto Club NOS Energy Drink Midget National Championship - victory in the BC39 Presented by Avanti Windows & Doors.

The list of past winners is impressive, with stars Brady Bacon (2018), Zeb Wise (2019), Kyle Larson (2021), Buddy Kofoid (2022), Justin Grant (2023) and Cannon McIntosh (2024) kissing the bricks on the outside wall at the start-finish line of the 1/5th-mile dirt oval inside Turn 3 at IMS.

Grant and McIntosh are among the drivers competing this year, trying to become the first two-time winners of this event that honors late USAC champion and three-time Indianapolis 500 starter,



Photo provided by IMS

Noblesville's Bryan Clauson.

Drivers representing 18 states and three countries (USA, Canada, England) are entered, with more expected early next week.

On-track action begins Tuesday at IMS with a full program of events for both the USAC NOS Energy Drink Midget National Championship and the Stoops Junior Sprint Invitational. Owen and Audrey Larson, the young son and daughter of NASCAR superstar and BC39 winner Kyle Larson, are expected to drive in the Junior Sprint race.

Public gates open at 4 p.m. Tuesday, with hot laps at 6 p.m. and competition at 7 p.m. A 30-lap feature for the midgets will be the main event of the evening. Fans then can enter the track after the checkered flag for the feature and talk with drivers and see the race cars up close.

Championship night of the BC39 on Wednesday will consist of full programs for both the USAC NOS Energy Drink Midget National Championship and the Stoops Junior Sprint Invitational. Public gates open at

4 p.m., followed by a driver autograph session at 4:30 in the driver merchandise area and hot laps at 6 p.m. Racing starts immediately after the opening ceremonies at 7 p.m., culminating in a 39-lap feature event for the midgets paying \$20,039 to win.

Tickets are on sale at [ims.com/BC39](https://www.ims.com/BC39). Spectators must enter IMS via Gate 10 off 30th Street to access The Dirt Track. No entrance will be allowed through Gate 2.

For more spectator information, fans should visit the [Plan Ahead](https://www.ims.com/PlanAhead) site for the BC39.



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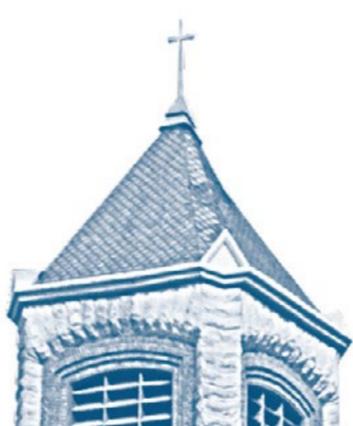
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The Sunday portion of the schedule follows the same timeline. The 13-14 and Open swimmers compete in the 200 IM, 100 butterfly, 200 backstroke, 100 breaststroke and 100 free. The 11-12 and 10 and under swimmers will race in the 50 butterfly, 100 backstroke, 50 breaststroke and 100 free.

Here is a list of top 20 finishers in each Friday event.

**GIRLS 8 AND UNDER**

**200 individual medley:** 4. Kylie Schmollinger (Southeastern Swim Club) 4:03.42, 5. Lily Warner (Fishers Area Swimming Tigers) 4:16.11, 6. Willa Duke (Noblesville Swim Club) 4:29.63, 7. Adley Barker (SSC) 4:40.50.

**200 freestyle:** 3. Schmollinger (SSC) 3:33.90, 5. Warner (FAST) 3:39.67, 7. Duke (NOB) 3:59.20, 8. Nora Conner (NOB) 4:18.19, 9. Piper Thompson (NOB) 4:28.94.

**GIRLS 9-10**

**200 individual medley:** 1. Taylor Preston (NOB) 2:55.64, 2. Casey Dailey (NOB) 3:05.60, 4. Molly Daniele (NOB) 3:13.08, 5. Cora Arnold (NOB) 3:14.95, 6. Addyson Salvadori (SSC) 3:16.91, 9. Emery Lindvall (SSC) 3:21.93, 10. Lainey Sealls (SSC) 3:25.08, 11. Annistyn Worley (NOB) 3:26.40, 15. Isla Miller (NOB) 3:43.34, 16. Reagan Bivens (NOB) 3:49.25, 19. Harper Byl (FAST) 4:00.18, 20. Remley Reschly (SSC) 4:08.22.

**200 freestyle:** 1. Preston (NOB) 2:41.48, 2. Daniele (NOB) 2:42.04, 3. Dailey (NOB) 2:43.36, 4. Worley (NOB) 2:47.00, 5. Arnold (NOB) 2:47.21, 8. Salvadori (SSC) 2:54.48, 11. Sealls (SSC) 3:08.61, 12. Bivens (NOB) 3:09.83, 13. Lindvall (SSC) 3:10.21, 15. Miller (NOB) 3:14.65, 17. Quorra Rives (FAST) 3:30.56, 19. Sadie Kelly (SSC) 3:31.49, 20. Byl (FAST) 3:31.77.

**GIRLS 11-12**

**200 individual medley:** 7. Milley Sealls (SSC) 2:48.90, 12. Eleanor Chen (SSC) 2:57.22, 16. Ari Friedman (SSC) 3:02.91, 18. Addie Jones (SSC) 3:03.75, 19. Mallory Badgett (NOB) 3:04.14.

**200 freestyle:** 17. Lucille Yust (SSC) 2:38.56, 18. Jones (SSC) 2:38.95, 19. Faith Reine (SSC) 2:40.16.

**BOYS 8 AND UNDER**

**200 freestyle:** 2. Sanjith Praveen Rao (FAST) 3:48.43.

**BOYS 9-10**

**200 individual medley:** 3. Jace Jackson (FAST) 2:57.43, 5. Maddox

Mackrell (FAST) 3:09.60, 7. Oliver Grieshop (NOB) 3:12.98, 8. Michael Bielski-Russell (FAST) 3:13.20, 9. Lucas Witka (NOB) 3:13.80, 10. Drew Miller (SSC) 3:17.91, 11. Avish Patel (SSC) 3:23.89, 12. Jamison Kerber (SSC) 3:26.79, 13. Liam Cockrum (FAST) 3:28.02, 15. Aaron Wissel (NOB) 3:30.28, 16. Wesley Barton (NOB) 3:37.47, 17. Hanwook Jung (FAST) 3:42.92.

**200 freestyle:** 2. Jackson (FAST) 2:32.06, 4. Mackrell (FAST) 2:39.77, 5. Grieshop (NOB) 2:43.79, 6. Donovan Rabourm (FAST) 2:43.96, 8. Miller (SSC) 2:50.15, 9. Witka (NOB) 2:54.70, 10. Bielski-Russell (FAST) 2:55.36, 12. Wissel (NOB) 2:59.57, 13. Kerber (SSC) 3:02.43, 14. Patel (SSC) 3:03.10, 15. Cockrum (FAST) 3:06.97, 18. Jung (FAST) 3:12.92, 20. Barton (NOB) 3:20.90.

**BOYS 11-12**

**200 individual medley:** 3. Drew Conner (NOB) 2:48.23, 7. Grayson Rabourm (FAST) 2:53.89, 8. Landon Worley (NOB) 3:00.60, 9. Cameron See (FAST) 3:01.97, 10. Tanner Tisch (SSC) 3:02.22, 12. James Mackrell (FAST) 3:10.07, 13. Joseph Seabaugh (FAST) 3:11.56, 20. Davin Lindvall (SSC) 3:22.87.

**200 freestyle:** 4. Dane Teske (NOB) 2:26.39, 8. Tisch (SSC) 2:36.26, 9. Rabourm (FAST) 2:36.53, 12. Asher Vohs (NOB) 2:40.06, 14. Mackrell (FAST) 2:43.45, 16. See (FAST) 2:46.47.

**GIRLS 13-14**

**400 individual medley:** 5. Adie Adams (FAST) 5:54.70, 7. Delaney Miller (SSC) 5:58.59, 8. Norah Mathes (NOB) 6:04.03, 10. Ellie Herring (FAST) 6:14.50, 12. Josie Hiatt (NOB) 6:24.89, 13. Marisa Cress (SSC) 6:30.42, 15. Sarah Ding (SSC) 6:31.97, 16. Grace Gowdamarajan (SSC) 6:43.51, 17. Addison Rodriguez (SSC) 6:47.09, 20. Addie Bilinski (SSC) 7:12.94.

**400 freestyle:** 2. Addie Goettler (NOB) 4:51.23, 3. Isabelle Ortiz (FAST) 4:45.09, 6. Emily Wilhelm (NOB) 5:09.96, 8. Conley Johnson (FAST) 5:11.80, 16. MacKenzi Fleck (SSC) 5:35.79, 17. Kenna Arnold (NOB) 5:40.57, 18. Ava Parrish (NOB) 5:46.05.

**1500 freestyle:** 1. Maya Preston (NOB) 18:44.11, 2. Hayley Blackwell (NOB) 19:00.08, 3. Abrielle Andrzejewski (FAST) 19:31.54, 4. Evelynn Friend (NOB) 20:17.61, 6. Gowdamarajan (SSC) 22:15.24, 7. Emma Cofer (SSC) 22:15.44.

**BOYS 13-14**

**400 individual medley:** 4. Bryce Conner (NOB) 5:25.51, 10. Jayden Paull (FAST) 5:46.06, 13. Landon Marini (SSC) 5:52.50, 16. Eli Creakbaum (NOB) 6:08.97, 19.

Caden Ellis (NOB) 6:18.55.

**400 freestyle:** 7. Sawyer Green-Whitehead (SSC) 4:45.20, 12. AJ Chesterfield (SSC) 4:57.04, 14. Keaton Hoffman (NOB) 5:01.44, 17. Jacob Lugar (FAST) 5:15.33, 18. David Naas (NOB) 5:15.52, 20. Jack Birch (FAST) 5:19.02.

**1500 freestyle:** 2. Zach Bidle (NOB) 19:26.39, 3. Jack Reine (SSC) 19:40.98, 5. Coleman Coda-lata (NOB) 20:58.30, 6. Luke Conwell (NOB) 21:04.63, 9. Huck McGee (NOB) 21:37.25, 10. Tyler Tisch (SSC) 22:18.64.

**GIRLS OPEN**

**400 individual medley:** 1. Grace Gannon (FAST) 5:11.44, 2. Ayla Madara (FAST) 5:11.89, 3. Katie Sutton (NOB) 5:33.67, 4. Lexi Adams (FAST) 5:36.17, 5. Ella Hare (FAST) 5:41.85, 9. Audrey Diehl (FAST) 5:52.48, 11. Kaavya Patel (SSC) 6:03.26, 12. Ryan Murphy (SSC) 6:19.17, 13. Leilani Mark (NOB) 6:24.87, 14. Alexis Jackson (FAST) 6:24.87.

**400 freestyle:** 1. Haddie Vohs (NOB) 4:35.05, 2. Gannon (FAST) 4:44.97, 3. Annie Hare (FAST) 4:49.44, 4. Olive Cunningham (FAST) 4:51.49, 5. Amira Leer (FAST) 4:53.64, 6. Olivia Motz (NOB) 4:54.35, 7. Abby Jane Avritt (FAST) 4:56.90, 8. Elise Eubank (FAST) 5:00.59, 9. Emerson Bunch (SSC) 5:02.21, 10. Kyra Blackwell (NOB) 5:02.71, 12. Mallory Mehninger (NOB) 5:10.57, 13. Sophie Blue (FAST) 5:11.18, 14. Hayden Bunch (SSC) 5:11.19, 16. Meredith Nickloy (NOB) 5:13.68, 17. Selah Vahle (FAST) 5:14.77, 18. Ava Middleton (NOB) 5:15.09.

**1500 freestyle:** 1. Brooklyn Penn (SSC) 19:04.53, 2. Moiz (NOB) 19:57.20, 5. Anna Chitty (FAST) 20:11.63, 6. Murphy (SSC) 20:32.42.

**BOYS OPEN**

**400 individual medley:** 4. Carter Nelsen (SSC) 5:35.19, 6. Zaki Akthar (FAST) 5:43.26.

**400 freestyle:** 2. Liam Hayward (NOB) 4:30.25, 3. Sean Harvey (FAST) 4:38.97, 5. Jackson Teske (NOB) 4:39.87, 7. Drew Setmeyer (NOB) 4:40.40, 9. Brayden Wright (NOB) 4:45.41, 10. Isaiah Vohs (NOB) 4:51.57, 12. Dylan Geesaman (FAST) 4:56.09, 13. Luke Fletcher (SSC) 4:57.52, 16. Adam Hill (NOB) 5:00.88, 20. Grayer Belaire (SSC) 5:05.38.

**1500 freestyle:** 1. Hagen Lee (FAST) 17:43.16, 2. Joshua Naas (NOB) 17:49.70, 3. Caleb McCoy (FAST) 18:04.30, 4. Santiago Castro (FAST) 18:17.42, 5. Ivan Semko (SSC) 18:21.37, 8. Iain Morrison (NOB) 19:22.08.

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