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## TODAY'S WEATHER

Today: Partly sunny.  
Tonight: Clouds increase.



HIGH: 50 LOW: 38



# Heights names Sonny Beck as first Distinguished Alumnus

Submitted by Hamilton Heights School Corporation

Hamilton Heights is proud to honor Mr. Lawrence "Sonny" Beck as the inaugural Distinguished Alumni honoree.

A 1958 graduate of Jackson Central High School, Mr. Beck has spent his life growing far more than crops – he has cultivated a legacy of leadership, innovation, and service that has shaped agriculture, education, and the Hamilton Heights community.

As CEO of Beck's Hybrids, Mr. Beck guided the company's expansion into the largest family-owned retail seed company in the United States and

the third-largest seed brand overall. His influence extends across the agricultural industry, with leadership roles in the American Seed Trade Association, Indiana Crop Improvement Association, and U.S. Grains Council.

Mr. Beck's commitment to education is equally remarkable. He served 20 years on the Hamilton Heights School Board and



Mr. Sonny Beck

continues to impact future generations through his service as a Purdue University Trustee. His distinguished honors include the Sagamore of the Wabash, Indiana Historical Society Living Legend recognition, and an Honorary Doctorate of Agriculture from Purdue University.

A dedicated philanthropist, Mr. Beck is a longtime sup-

porter of youth and education throughout Hamilton County. His service also extends to faith and civic leadership, including a decade as chairman of the Emmanuel Lutheran Church Council. His life is a testament to servant leadership, visionary growth, and unwavering commitment to his community. Mr. Beck's model of excellence is a source of pride for the Hamilton Heights family.

"Sonny Beck exemplifies the values we strive to instill in every Hamilton Heights graduate – leadership, service, and a deep commitment to community,"

See Beck . . . Page 2

## I surprised myself

About a month ago, I had surgery. Although I have had many surgeries over the course of my lifetime, I have not needed to have surgery for several years.

My recollection of surgeries past is that I always came out of it with a fighting spirit. My lust for independence was the driving force. I loved to work extra hard to impress my rehab therapists and hear them tell me I was a tough little girl. That made me feel strong, even though physically I was not.

Going into this most recent surgery, I had a pit in my stomach. I wondered if I still had what it took to be able to fight through the pain, and mind games the loss of independence can play. Was I still tough? I had my doubts for sure.

The anxiety really got the best of me in the final days leading up to the surgery. I did something I never did. I spoke aloud my fears to my nurse. She said, "Are you doing okay?" I must have been showing my nervousness even though I was trying not to.

I surprised myself when I admitted that I was really scared.

I did not elaborate and tell her that the thing that scared me most was that I would not be able to care for myself, in the way that I fight so hard to do every day.

Sometimes our worst fears do come true. This was one of those times. The recovery after the surgery was truly humbling. I was helpless in any way that I normally was independent. I do not recall a time in my life ever needing that much help. The true hero of this story being my husband.

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COLUMNIST

AMY SHINNEMAN  
Disability in the City

# \$15K grant awarded to enhance support for Westfield teachers & classrooms

Submitted by Westfield Washington Schools

The Westfield Education Foundation (WEF) has received a \$15,000 grant from Hamilton County Community Foundation (HCCF) to remove barriers and provide students and educators the support they need to thrive.

HCCF, established in 1991, is a \$140 million public foundation working to mobilize people, ideas, and investment to make this a community where every individual has an equitable opportunity to reach their full potential. The foundation aims to build a community where opportunity meets growth for everyone and philanthropic efforts support nonprofit organizations doing vital work.

With this funding, WEF will offer spring grants to help teachers prepare for the 2026 school year. This investment will strengthen classrooms across the district by providing resources that support instruction and enrich student learning experiences, ensuring educators have the tools they need to impact students every day.

"This investment reflects our belief in the power of educators and the importance of well-resourced classrooms," HCCF President Danielle Stiles-Polk said. "By partnering with the Westfield Education Foundation, we're helping ensure teachers have the tools and support they need to enrich learning experiences and create lasting impact for students across the district."

"What matters most is what this support can mean inside our classrooms," WEF Executive Director Ashley Knott said. "When we are able to invest in teachers and provide resources that enhance teaching and learning, students benefit in real and lasting ways. This grant helps strengthen the support systems our educators rely on to serve students well."

What this means for teachers & students

The grant expands WEF's ability to support Westfield Washington Schools by helping provide resources that:

- Enhance learning through technology, STEM tools, and



Photo provided by Westfield Washington Schools

This grant will help make Westfield Washington Schools event better both for teachers and students.

hands-on instruction.

- Strengthen literacy with books and reading supports across grade levels.

- Expand experiences through field trips and real-world learning opportunities.

- Support well-being and students of all abilities by creat-

ing inclusive, student-centered learning environments.

WEF is grateful for this partnership with HCCF and remains committed to working with community partners to ensure Westfield Washington Schools have the resources needed to support both educators and students.

# Blind & disabled Hoosiers & seniors should apply for new property tax credits by Jan. 15

The REPORTER

Blind and disabled Hoosiers are now eligible for the more generous \$125 Blind/Disabled Credit, rather than the Blind/Disabled Deduction, and should apply by Jan. 15, even if they were previously receiving the deduction, in order to ensure there is no disruption in receiving it.

Eligible Hoosiers can download the application form [here](#) or contact their [county auditor's office](#) for assistance.

Hoosiers over 65 can download the one-page application for property tax credits [here](#) or contact their [county auditor's office](#) to receive an application.

Due to Senate Enrolled Act 1, which is estimated to save homeowners \$1.3 billion over the next three years, the Over 65 Deduction was switched to a more generous Over 65 Cred-

it of \$150, meaning all eligible property owners will experience savings even if their bill is at the property tax cap. SEA 1-2025 also removed the maximum assessed value limit to receive this credit.

SEA 1-2025 also expanded eligibility to help seniors who did not previously qualify for the Over 65 Circuit Breaker Credit, which prevents property tax liability on qualified homestead property from increasing more than 2 percent compared to prior year tax liability. Specifically, the law removed the assessed-value limit for a home to qualify, and it increased the income limit for the Circuit Breaker credit to \$60,000 for individuals and \$70,000 for couples.

Hoosiers over 65 are encouraged to apply for these credits before Jan. 15, 2026 in order to receive the credits

beginning with property taxes paid in calendar year 2026, even if they were previously receiving the benefit, in order to ensure there is no disruption in receiving it.

To apply for the Over 65 Circuit Breaker Credit and Over 65 Credit:

- A filer must be at least age 65 on or before Dec. 31 of the year prior to the year in which the credit is claimed.

- The application must be filed with the county auditor on or before Jan. 15 of the calendar year in which the property taxes are first due and payable.

- The application for both the Over 65 Credit and the Over 65 Circuit Breaker Credit are on the same form. The form – Application for Senior Citizen Property Tax Benefits 43708 – can be downloaded [here](#).

- An individual wishing to

claim one or both of these credits must file the application with the county auditor and provide documentation necessary to substantiate the individual's eligibility for the credit.

- An individual who remains eligible for the credit(s) in the following year is not required to file a statement to apply for the credit in the following year.

Hoosiers should also be advised that if they receive one of these credits in a particular year and become ineligible for the credit in the following year, they must notify the auditor of the county in which the homestead is located of the ineligibility no later than 60 days after the individual becomes ineligible.

Hoosiers with questions about the application process or their eligibility should contact their [county auditor's office](#).



## HSE & Fishers High Schools post graduation rates well above state record

Submitted by HSE Schools

Graduation outcomes for the Class of 2025 show Hamilton Southeastern Schools students completing their high school journey at exceptionally high rates, with nearly every senior earning a diploma. This year's results represent the highest overall graduation rate in district history at 98.8 percent.

At Fishers High School, 99.66 percent of seniors graduated, with 878 of 880 students earning a diploma. Hamilton Southeastern High School achieved a 97.99 percent graduation rate, with 879 of 897 students successfully earning diplomas.

These results place both HSE high schools well above the state's overall graduation rate and among the highest-performing high schools in Central Indiana.

"Graduation is a milestone that reflects years of effort, support, and growth," Superintendent Patrick Mapes said. "These outcomes speak to the commitment of our students and the work of our educators to ensure students are supported and prepared for what comes next."

Graduation success was seen across all student groups, including English Language Learners, Exceptional Learners, and students qualifying for free and reduced-price meals, reflecting strong outcomes districtwide.

District leaders attribute the record-setting graduation rate to strong academic programming, student supports, and a continued focus on meaningful postsecondary pathways, including college, career, military service, and workforce readiness.



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# BECK

Heights Superintendent Dr. Derek Arrowood said. "We are honored to recognize his extraordinary legacy as our first Distinguished Alumni honoree."

The community is invited to celebrate Mr. Beck's enduring impact at a special ceremony on Friday, Jan. 30 at the Hamilton Heights

High School media center. Dinner costs \$10 and begins at 6 p.m., followed by the recognition program at 7 p.m. To RSVP for the dinner, contact Mitch Street at [mstreet@hhschuski.org](mailto:mstreet@hhschuski.org) or (317) 984-3551, ext. 1091 by Friday, Jan. 16.

Mr. Beck will also be honored during Winter

Homecoming at halftime of the boys' varsity basketball game, where the Huskies will host the Tipton Blue Devils.

This event is proudly presented by the Hamilton Heights Educational Foundation (HHEF), Title Sponsor of the Distinguished Alumni Program.

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# SURPRISE

Not only was I not physically strong, but I was also mentally at rock bottom. All because of fear that things would never be the same for me. Thoughts of *is this my new normal?* kept me up at night, as I waited for my husband's alarm to go off in the middle of the night, telling him it was time to help me turn over in bed.

I could tell that he was also surprised by my mental state. He is used to me fighting through and pushing myself beyond my limits. I just did not have that in me for several weeks. He steadily continued encouraging me, pointing out the most minute details of any glimmer of my old self.

I had a lot of downtime to think during those first few weeks. My mind kept going back to that tough little girl. I wished that I

could get a pep talk from her.

I was in awe of her looking back on that time. How did I do that so many times? I know in my heart that God gave me the strength to be that tough little girl who conquered the therapy tasks, even though I was in excruciating pain and scared I would fall. I did it anyway.

Encouraged by those memories, I knew that to get back to where I was, I had to fight for it. Fight through the pain and uncertainty but balanced with patience.

Each day, I get a little better, a little stronger. Still a ways to go.

My husband and I talked candidly about what the experience taught us.

We both shared that we have wondered how things would change for us when I start to need more ex-

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tensive care as my disease progresses. This was a taste of what that could be like.

He passed with flying colors. It encouraged him and gave him the confidence that he would be up to the task. I never doubted him, I doubted me.

I would not say I passed with flying colors and am honestly a little disappointed in myself, and how quickly I felt defeated. That is just me being critical of myself.

However, I did turn things around and decided I was not going to stay in that low place. It just so happened that the day I was at my lowest was the day Stu and Jan paid me a visit, presenting me with my writing award.

After they left, I felt revived. I felt the high of the honor of receiving recognition for my writing, but also, I felt encouraged. I thought back on many of my own words over the last two years. Reminded that I still have that tough little girl inside of me.

Remembering that it is during the tough times that we learn the most about ourselves. We learn what we are truly capable of, and that there are others who can help us achieve our goals, if we let them.

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. She is the recipient of the Reporter's Winter 2025 Ink-Stained Wretch award. You can find her blog at [humblycourageous.com](http://humblycourageous.com) and reach her on Instagram @ashinneman.

## 2026 Comprehensive Plan a roadmap for Tipton County's future



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# We don't need to be Olympians to make better health choices

"It is our choices, Harry, that show what we truly are, far more than our abilities." – J.K. Rowling, *Harry Potter and the Chamber of Secrets*



**SHARON McMAHON**  
*Be Well*

Aw, there it is, that word ... "choices." Do we *resolve* or *plan* or *choose*? Although I am admittedly not a *Harry Potter* fan as such, I have long found this quote to be so pointed and, obviously, true.

One person who comes to mind is Stephen Hawking. Faced with great physical disability, Dr. Hawking was able to use his brilliant mind for great achievement during his lifetime. Historical figures who perhaps lacked abilities with which we associate greatness were able to achieve importance through their choices. Helen Keller made the choice to connect, communicate, and teach when she was

unable to see or hear. John McCain made the choice to stay with his fellow POWs when he had the ability to be freed due to his military status and heritage. Olympic athletes are endowed with

bodies which can endure much through their rigorous training in part due to their natural ability but the success of their Olympic trials and wins are made through the choices they make to train and succeed.

There are many examples through all walks of life that we can look to for our own choices. While most of us do not necessarily have the DNA, IQ, or the body mass to "leap tall buildings in a single bound" we all have the ability to make better, healthier and smarter choices to help us to reach desired outcomes.

In contemplating my own choices for this brand-

new year, I am planning to continue some, omit some from the past, and try on some new ones! I will continue the choice to consume a vegetarian diet, but I will not pursue a vegan diet at this time as I want to make sure I receive ample protein, which is important for our brain health as well as our physical stamina.

What I plan to omit is something that is pervasive in our society and that is *worry*. As a woman, I, like many, have a tendency to worry about people and things over which I have little or no control. As a citizen I have found even more disturbing topics to ponder but as I am choosing to omit many of these worries, I find that less time spent on electronic devices is very refreshing.

As for trying new choices, I am eager to do so and among those are stepping up my strength training, more travel including Ireland this year, and finally finishing and publishing my second

book – a labor of love that has taken too long!

Back to *resolve* – which can often be vague, broad, or lack specifics, or *plans* – which are specific, measurable, a process, or *choices* – decisions, actions, process-oriented commitments. The course you take, if any, reflects your personal views and can determine your outcomes. So many choices, Friends, ranging from the abysmal to the optimal, and I hope that this new year of 2026 will offer you good health, wisdom, fun, and whatever brings the best life has to offer. Let's do this together!

*2026 Winter Olympics begin just one month from today – get inspired!*

**Sharon McMahon, CNWC**  
*The opinions expressed in this article are not intended to replace advice of your personal physician or licensed health professional. Please consult your physician for any issues you may have related to nutrition or fitness activity.*

# Indiana Farm Bureau Insurance promotes Mike Lucado to director of investments

**The REPORTER**

Indiana Farm Bureau Insurance announces that Mike Lucado has been promoted to director of investments. He assumed the role that was previously held by Kent Deeter, who recently retired after nearly 18 of service to the company. Lucado began his new role on Jan. 1, 2026.



**Lucado**

Lucado joined Indiana Farm Bureau Insurance in 2012 as a portfolio manager. He was promoted to senior portfolio manager in 2020. Prior to joining the company, he held investment roles with Old Republic International in Chicago and CNO Financial Group in Carmel. In his new role, Lucado will be responsible for managing the company's investment portfolio.

"I'm looking forward to working with an incredible team of professionals as we execute on the vision of growth for our companies," Lucado said. "My goal is to

maintain financial strength through sound investment decisions. That will allow us to continue supporting the needs of our members and the communities we serve."

A graduate of the University of Iowa's Tippie College of Business, Lucado earned a bachelor's degree with a double major in finance and economics and minored in religious studies. He also received a Chartered Financial Analyst (CFA) Charterholder credential from the CFA Institute.

Lucado is originally from Downers Grove, Ill., and now lives in Carmel with his wife, Becca, and their two children, Betty and Carter. He is an active member at St. Luke Catholic Church in Indianapolis, where he has coached youth basketball for many years. In his free time, he enjoys fishing, spending time with family and friends, and tackling home DIY projects.

# Feinstein's announces Allied Solutions Artist Series, an exciting new partnership

**Submitted**

Feinstein's Cabaret, inside The Hotel Carmichael, announces a new partnership with Allied Solutions, also located in Carmel.

Allied Solutions is active in several partnerships that not only help local businesses but benefit the community tremendously.

Among some of these activities are sponsoring programs to provide access to the arts for students, seniors, and those with disabilities.

In 2024, Allied Solutions partnered with The Center for the Performing Arts, which neighbors The Hotel Carmichael, and

houses the world-renowned Palladium, a state-of-the-art concert hall, the Tarkington, and the Studio Theater.

Partnerships such as this one with Feinstein's reinforce financial stability and provide a greater pool of resources to sustain and expand programming.

Allied Solutions pro-

vides business solutions to clients in North America, offering innovative and competitive products and services.

To learn more about Allied Solutions, visit their website at [alliedsolutions.net](http://alliedsolutions.net).

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# Hamilton County Democrats mark fifth year of adopting a family for the holidays

**Submitted**

The Hamilton County Democratic Party successfully completed its fifth consecutive year participating in the "Adopt a Family" holiday giving program. This year's effort brought together Democrats from across Hamilton County to support local families in need during the holiday season.

The party partnered with Firefly Children and Family Alliance's Hope for the Holidays program, sponsoring seven children from Indianapolis and surrounding counties. Through generous donations and coordinated community support, volunteers fulfilled every item on

each child's wish list, along with additional gifts to help make the holidays even brighter.

"This effort truly reflects the heart of our party," said Molly Percy, who has coordinated the donations for the last five years.

Party Chair Josh Lowry emphasized the growing need for community support this holiday season.

"Families are struggling more than ever this year due to delays in SNAP benefits and the rising cost of living impacting Hoosiers across our state," Lowry said. "At a time when too many households are being stretched to the breaking point, it's more

important than ever that we show up for one another and make sure children can still experience joy during the holidays."

Percy will deliver all donated items to Firefly's downtown Indianapolis location, ensuring gifts reach families in time for the holidays.

The Hamilton County Democratic Party thanks all volunteers and donors who helped continue this meaningful tradition of service, compassion, and community care.

To learn more about how to get involved with the Hamilton County Democratic Party, visit [hamco-demsin.org](http://hamco-demsin.org).



Photo provided by Hamilton County Democratic Party

## Strong schools: the heart of Noblesville



Photo provided by Noblesville Schools

Noblesville Schools has released a new video featuring several community leaders and Noblesville residents. The video showcases how strong schools are the heart of a strong community. [Click here to watch on Vimeo.](#) How many people will you recognize? Longtime local columnist, Noblesville graduate, and Reporter Ambassador Janet Hart Leonard, seen here, makes an appearance!

## Composting program launches with discount for Carmel residents

**The REPORTER**

Carmel residents are eligible for discounted participation in a composting program as part of a new partnership prompted by city leadership.

Through the partnership with **Earth Mama**, the city is providing residents with a simple, convenient way to adopt more sustainable practices, reducing the volume of organic material that enters landfills and lowering methane emissions in a way that supports **Carmel's Climate Action Plan** goals.

Carmel residents will receive a \$5 monthly discount on the standard residential subscription fee of \$20 per month.

Carmel Utilities Director Lane Young said the program was prompted by resident interest expressed at various community engagement opportunities, with the partnership taking into consideration residents' desire for a cost-effective program.

"Food waste represents a significant portion of Carmel's solid-waste stream and contributes to rising landfill costs and greenhouse-gas emissions," Young said. "Increasing access to curbside composting aligns with Carmel's sustainability initiatives."

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**How the partnership works**

1. Earth Mama provides Carmel residents with composting materials, education on composting, pickup of food waste, compost processing, and customer service.

2. Carmel residents automatically receive a \$5 per-month discount at enrollment. (The approximate 100 residents who already subscribe to Earth Mama's services will also receive the discount.)

3. Earth Mama will provide metrics such as subscriber counts and pounds of organic waste diverted to the city annually.

Carmel residents interested in finding out more about the program or registering can learn more at [this link](#).

## ARTIST

The Allied Solutions Artist Series at Feinstein's includes four shows. March 20 and 21, Maggie Baugh will take to the Feinstein's stage. From viral fame to country stardom, she brings her genre-blending sound and undeniable charm to Feinstein's for two nights of heartfelt storytelling, fiddle-slinging and pure musical joy.

On March 27 and 28 will be Morgan James, bringing bold, soulful re-

imaging of iconic rock hits from the 80's and 90's.

Casey Abrams and Hunter bring you a high energy musical experience of popular hits on April 10 and 11. Then on May 8 and 9, Will Hoge, Americana country music singer, songwriter and musician, will perform.

Feinstein's is proud to partner with Allied Solutions in presenting this series, bringing exceptional entertainment and unfor-

gettable experiences to guests.

Get your tickets and learn more about these shows at [feinsteinsch.com/events](http://feinsteinsch.com/events). You can also

call The Hotel Carmichael, home of Feinstein's, at (317) 688-1947. Feinstein's at Hotel Carmichael is located at 1 Carmichael Square, Carmel.

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**Meeting Notice**

TriCo Regional Sewer Utility will hold its monthly Board of Trustees meeting at 5 p.m. Monday, Jan. 12, 2026, at 7236 Mayflower Park Drive, Zionsville.

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# Carmel's Festival of Ice & Winter Games just around the corner

**The REPORTER**

Carmel's annual winter events will be here before you know it, starting with the Festival of Ice presented by Allied Solutions and the Carmel Winter Games.

**Festival of Ice**  
Jan. 16 & 17

Top ice carvers from around the country will be in Carmel Jan. 16 and 17 for demonstrations and the People's Choice sculpture competition.

The 2026 Festival of Ice weekend will begin Friday, Jan. 16 in the Carmel Arts & Design District, with carvers creating incredible ice masterpieces from 4 to 8 p.m.

On Saturday, Jan. 17 the ice carving begins at Carter Green from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Watch sculpting professionals create unique ice masterpieces then participate in the People's Choice sculpture voting from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

**Are you a fan of chili?**

Taste-test and vote for your favorite chili from one of the participating Carmel Fire Department crews during the cook-off from noon to 2 p.m. on Saturday.

The city will welcome back these veteran carvers:

- Titus Arensburg - Newark, Ohio
- Joe Autry - Clarksville, Ind.
- Aaron Costic - Nebo, N.C.
- Zachary Crossman - Tampa, Fla.
- Shannon Gerasimchik - New Bremen, Ohio
- Ben Goebel - Whitmore Lake, Mich.
- Jim Houser - Huntington, Ind.
- Jon Price - Atlanta, Ga.
- Dan Rebholz - Addison, Ill.



Photo provided by City of Carmel

**Carmel's Winter Games promise to be a great event for families and winter-lovers everywhere.**

• Aaron Whitten - Commerce Township, Mich.

**Click here** to volunteer at Festival of Ice.

**Carmel Winter Games**  
Saturday, Jan. 24

It is time once again to bundle up and head to Carter Green for ice-cold competition and fun at the Carmel Winter Games on the city's ice rink, brought to you by Allied Solutions. Whether you are signed up to compete or are a spectator, you won't want to miss a full day of non-skating competition Saturday, Jan. 24 at The Ice at Carter Green.

What kind of competition? "Human curling" on inner tubes, an ice trike relay, and "human hungry hippo" using laundry baskets to fetch hundreds of bouncing balls.

**Hometown Hero**  
Olympics, 10 a.m. to noon

Enjoy good-spirited competition among a number of city departments including team members with the Fire and Police Departments, Technology, and more.

**General Teams,**  
1 to 5 p.m.

The skate-less competition on ice features corporate teams and teams

consisting of family and friends. Bundle up and head to the Ice to cheer your favorite team on, say hello to local mascots, and enjoy food and beverages from local vendors.

The rules and requirements are as follows:

1. Teams must have from four to eight members.
2. Each individual event during the Games must include at least four representatives from each team.
3. Teams must commit to participate in all three events for the full duration.
4. The fee to register is a one-time \$300 fee per team.
5. The winners of the 2026 Carmel Winter Games will choose from one of the following Carmel-based organizations to receive the winning proceeds:

- Carmel Clay Historical Society
- Carmel Food Pantries
- Carmel Youth Assistance Program
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## Prevent a winter blood shortage by donating now

**The REPORTER**

The American Red Cross is teetering on a blood shortage this winter, which could lead to a disruption in lifesaving care. Donors are urged to make an appointment to give blood now.

The Red Cross blood supply is under pressure following a busy holiday season when winter weather and packed schedules made it even tougher to ensure hospitals have the blood products needed for critical care. Without immediate action, doctors may

**Upcoming donation opportunities**

**Fishers**

- Jan. 14 from 1 to 6 p.m. at Billericay Park Multi-Purpose Community Building, 12690 Promise Road
- Jan. 15 from 1 to 6 p.m. at IU Health Fishers, 13100 E. 136th St.

have to make difficult decisions about which patients receive blood transfusions and who will need to wait. Donors with types O, A negative and B negative blood are especially needed now.

Don't wait - make an appointment to give blood now by visiting [RedCross-Blood.org](http://RedCross-Blood.org), downloading

the **Red Cross Blood Donor App**, or calling 1-800-RED CROSS.

For the seventh year, the Red Cross and the National Football League (NFL) are partnering in January for National Blood Donor Month to urge individuals to kick off

**See Donate . . . Page 6**

## Butler Bulldogs Truck bobblehead unveiled today

**The REPORTER**

Today is National Bobblehead Day, and the National Bobblehead Hall of Fame and Museum has unveiled a new item: the Butler Bulldogs Truck.

The bobbleheads, which are expected to ship in May, are available at [this link](#). Each bobblehead is individually numbered to only 2,026.

The bobbleheads are \$35 each plus an \$8 flat-rate shipping charge per order.

With his head sticking out of the passenger side window, the Butler Blue IV bobblehead is riding in style in his new BlueMobile. The blue 2025 Ford Maverick has the Butler Bulldogs logo prominently displayed on the hood with "BUTLER" on both sides of the vehicle along with the number 4 on both doors and on the top of the truck. Pictures of Butler Blue IV are also displayed on windows on both sides with text reading "Butler Blue IV" above the doors. With real working wheels, the back of the truck includes a large blue and white striped flag featuring the Butler Bulldogs logo.



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Known for riding around in style, Butler Blue IV (aka "Blue") entertains crowds at Hinkle Fieldhouse by zooming around the court in his mini white Ford Mustang, also known as "The Beast." Five-year-old Blue also travels in style outside of the arena.

Don Hinds Ford, located in Fishers, has been a long-time supporter of the Butler mascot and a sponsor of the BlueMobile, including the most recent decked-out 2025 Ford Maverick.

Blue was announced as the successor to Butler Blue III (aka "Trip") on Jan. 22, 2020. Trip served as mascot from 2013 to 2020. While Butler has many unofficial live mascots over the years, Butler Blue I became the first official live mascot in 2000.

"From Butler Blue I to Butler Blue IV, fans across the country have come to love Butler's lovable mascots," National Bobblehead Hall of Fame and Museum co-founder and CEO Phil Sklar said. "We're excited to be unveiling the latest bobblehead of Butler Blue IV in his new stylish truck. We're sure that Butler supporters will want one for their collection."

The National Bobblehead Hall of Fame and Museum, 170 S. 1st St., Milwaukee, Wis., opened to the public on Feb. 1, 2019. The HOF and Museum also produces high-quality, customized bobbleheads for retail sale as well as organizations, individuals, and teams across the country. Learn more at [bobbleheadhall.com](http://bobbleheadhall.com).

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# Which February Night on the Rails will be yours?

Submitted by  
Nickel Plate Express

February has a way of feeling long in Indiana. The cold lingers, the sunlight is brief, and everyone starts craving something warm, something fun, something to break up the routine.

That's one of the reasons the we here at Nickel Plate Heritage Railroad love February: it's the perfect month to offer experiences that bring people together. Moments that shake off the winter slump, invite connection, and give you something to look forward to when the days feel a little too quiet.

This year, Nickel Plate Express' February Trivia on the Tracks rides are designed to do exactly that – each one with its own mood, its own story, and its own reason to come aboard.

The only question: Which story feels like yours this winter?

## The Rom-Com Night

Maybe this is your season to laugh a little more.

To grab your best friend, your partner, or your favorite “why do we always lose trivia?” teammate and give yourselves a night that feels easy, fun, and honestly ... needed.



Photo provided

On Feb. 6 only, Rom-Com Night is cozy, glow-lit, and just nostalgic enough to feel familiar. You'll roll through the February dark under the stars, charcuterie at your elbow, and themed cocktails in hand, testing how well you really remember the movie lines you quote without thinking.

It's the kind of night that reminds you why connection matters – because laughing together in the middle of winter might just be the warmest feeling in the world.

Perfect for: People who love a good quote, a good inside joke, and a good excuse to get out of the house.

[Click here](#) to book your spot.

## 1980s Trivia Night

And then ... there are the nights meant for pure, joyful escapism.

If you grew up on 80s movies, if you still know the words to the songs that lived on your old mixtapes, if you secretly love how ridiculous big hair truly was – this one's for you.

Imagine neon lights, trivia about the greatest decade of movie soundtracks, the familiar chords of songs you haven't heard in years, and a train full of adults who are just ready to have fun.

Feb. 20 only will be the kind of night that reminds you that winter doesn't have to be quiet. It can be bold, nostalgic, and a little louder than usual.

Perfect for: Friend

groups, couples, coworkers, or anyone who wants to laugh through a February night instead of scrolling through it.

[Click here](#) to book your spot.

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Sure, each experience has its own theme – but they all share one thing: They make space for connection.

For a few hours where the phones stay down, the conversation picks up, and the world slows long enough for you to actually enjoy the people you care about. If one of these February stories feels like yours, we'd love to welcome you aboard.

Tickets are open now – grab your seats early, bundle up, and let's make this a winter worth remembering.

## Gov. Braun commends State Police for targeting drug traffickers & impaired drivers

Submitted by Office  
of Gov. Mike Braun

Governor Mike Braun commended the Indiana State Police on Tuesday, Jan. 6 for its exceptional work to keep Hoosiers safe by aggressively targeting drug trafficking and removing impaired drivers from Hoosier roads.

“One of our top priorities is to ensure Hoosiers have a safe place to raise their families,” Gov. Braun said. “Thanks to the incredible work of the Indiana State Police, who have gone above and beyond to remove drugs from the streets and impaired drivers from the roads, Indiana is a safer place. I want to thank them and all our Hoosier law enforcement for all they do to protect our communities and families.”

### Removing drugs from Hoosier communities

In 2025, ISP interdiction teams delivered major blows to drug trafficking organizations operating in and through Indiana, intercepting multiple high-volume narcotics shipments, including:

- 1,100 pounds of cocaine seized from a U-Haul truck.
- 70.5 pounds of heroin seized from a semi-truck.
- 70,000 THC vape cartridges confiscated, preventing distribution of unregulated products to youth.

Across all operations, ISP seized 1,389 pounds of cocaine and 83.8 pounds of opioids, representing a significant disruption of cartel supply lines into Indiana.

ISP detectives used advanced investigative tools,

including wiretaps, to dismantle drug rings embedded in small and midsize Indiana communities. These operations targeted not only couriers, but the suppliers directing distribution into the state. As a result, opioid seizures increased by 117 percent in 2025.

Most importantly, these efforts helped drive a 60 percent decrease in overdose deaths statewide, a powerful measure of lives saved and families spared tragedy.

ISP kicked off 2026 strong over the weekend with a seizure of 309 pounds of cocaine in a traffic stop, an estimated \$7 million street value. Our law enforcement across the state are keeping their foot on the pedal and remain committed to protecting Hoosiers from these dangerous drugs.

### Keeping Hoosiers safe from impaired drivers

ISP also intensified enforcement against impaired driving last year, removing dangerous drivers from the road before they could cause harm.

- OWI arrests increased from 3,406 in 2024 to 3,985 in 2025 (up 17.0 percent).

These arrests prevented hundreds of potential crashes and kept impaired drivers from endangering the public.

Stronger enforcement produced major decreases in roadway fatalities:

- Statewide fatal crashes dropped by 8.3 percent (804 to 737) in 2025 owing in part to targeted and aggressive traffic enforcement by the ISP and their law enforcement partners.

## Fishers' food scene levels up with Clutch Kitchen concept from celebrity chef Kelsey Murphy

*MasterChef winner & Fishers resident offers refreshed dining experience at Sun King Fishers*

Submitted by  
City of Fishers

The City of Fishers and Celebrity Chef Kelsey Murphy have launched Clutch Kitchen at Sun King Fishers.

Murphy, winner of season 11 of *MasterChef* and longtime Fishers resident, brings a reimagined menu and special experience to former Fishers Test Kitchen location.

Murphy first launched Clutch Kitchen – a rebrand of her previous Inspo concept – at Lucas Oil Stadium this fall, serving elevated stadium food like bacon jam-loaded tots, chicken wings, and the popular Cuban sandwich. Her Fishers menu has built upon favorites while offering items unique to Fishers, such as pizzas, salads, and grain bowls.

Clutch Kitchen replaced the Fishers Test Kitchen space within Sun King Fishers. The Fishers Test Kitchen opened in 2020 to serve as a restaurant accelerator for new food concepts, like Murphy's Inspo, which launched out of the Test Kitchen in 2022 before heading to Lucas Oil Stadium.

“We are intentional about bringing dynamic and unique culinary options to Fishers, and this marks a new chapter for this space in the heart of our bustling entertainment district,” Mayor Scott Fadness said. “With social destinations like Sun King, the Fishers Event Center, and everything Fishers District has to offer, demand for nearby casual, but elevated, dining keeps increasing and concepts like

Clutch Kitchen can really cater to this. I'm so excited for the opportunity to showcase local talent like Chef Murphy as we continue to take dining in Fishers to the next level.”

“The Clutch Kitchen team and I are beyond excited to have found our home in Fishers,” Chef Murphy said. “We are dedicated to making Clutch Kitchen a destination for families, social gatherings, sporting events, and all your carry-out needs. When this opportunity presented itself, I knew immediately that this was the right choice. As my career grows on a national level, it has become even more important for me to keep roots in Indiana, and specifically, Fishers. This city has been the birthplace

of my career and my family, and the people of Indiana and Fishers have been my greatest supporters through it all. They deserve to grow with me and be a part of this journey alongside my family and I.”

“We are thrilled to welcome Kelsey to the former Fishers Test Kitchen location,” said April Fetz, Director of Marketing and Communications at Sun King. “We know she will craft the best cuisine to match our beverage options and enable Sun King to offer more robust catering options for private events.”

Clutch Kitchen is now open with limited menu, including dine-in and carryout. A grand opening with a full lunch and dinner menu is anticipated for early spring.

## DONATE

from Page 5

2026 with a blood donation. As a thank-you to donors for helping address the need for blood during the critical post-holiday time, those who come to give through Jan. 25 will be automatically entered for a chance to win an exciting Super Bowl LX giveaway. The winner and guest will get to enjoy Super Bowl LX in Santa Clara, Calif., access to day-of in-stadium pregame activities, tickets to the official Super Bowl Experience, round-trip airfare, three-night hotel accommodations (Feb. 6 to 9, 2026), plus a \$1,000 gift card for expenses. For full details, visit [RedCrossBlood.org/SuperBowl](https://RedCrossBlood.org/SuperBowl).

### Join a lifesaving team

The Red Cross and Pro Football Champion and blood donor Saquon Bar-

kley are teaming up to remind donors that the best offense against a winter blood shortage is making and keeping blood donation appointments. The blood supply can drop quickly – now's the time to get in the game and give blood.

“I gave blood once in college and that was the only time I had ever been asked to give, until the Red Cross reached out this fall,” Barkley said. “It was a no-brainer for me to give again. It only takes about an hour and once you realize in that short amount of time how much help it can bring – it's a beautiful thing.”

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# House Democrats introduce 'Working Hoosiers Agenda'

Submitted by Indiana House Democrats

On Monday, Jan. 5, the Indiana House Democratic Caucus announced its 2026 Working Hoosiers Agenda. The agenda centers on bringing down the cost of living and prioritizes measures to build an Indiana where Hoosiers can get ahead rather than get by.

Those measures include bringing utility costs down; lowering health care costs and protecting Hoosiers from medical debt; helping Hoosiers buy their first home through housing reform; delivering accessible, affordable and safe child care to working families; and keeping Indiana safe for all Hoosiers.

House Democratic Leader Phil GiaQuinta (D-Fort Wayne) issued the following statement on the Working Hoosiers Agenda:

"From utility bills and health insurance to housing costs and child care, Hoosiers are getting nickled and dimed to death," GiaQuinta said. "We're laser focused on bringing down costs across the board and we've offered solutions to do just that. Hoosiers need to come first in our state's regulatory pecking order – not big corporations, not Big Tech, not special interests.

"Indiana House Democrats' Working Hoosiers Agenda is about leveling the playing field for the hard-working people who power our state. Hoosiers need a hand up, not a handout. Our agenda accomplishes this so that Hoosiers get real relief, not more lip service from the Braun supermajority."

Here's the full Working Hoosiers Agenda:

- Priority 1: Provide immediate financial relief on utility bills**
- Eliminate the sales tax on residential utility bills
  - Protect Hoosiers from being



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(From left) House Ways and Means Committee Ranking Democrat Gregory W. Porter (D-Indianapolis), House Democratic Caucus Chair Carey Hamilton (D-Indianapolis), House Democratic Floor Leader Cherrish Pryor, and House Democratic Leader Phil GiaQuinta (D-Fort Wayne).

overcharged by limiting excessive utility company profit margins

- Pause skyrocketing rate hikes
- Get big utilities out of politics by ending the appointment of political cronies to consumer watchdog positions and banning spending on political contributions and gifts

**Priority 2: Keep Hoosiers healthy through affordable health coverage & guardrails on medical debt**

- Cap insurance premiums
- Create a state health insurance exchange
- Stop medical debt from impacting credit scores

**Priority 3: Create generational wealth by empowering more Hoosier homeowners**

- Help Hoosiers save for their first home by creating tax-free savings accounts for home purchases
- Establish a first-time homebuyer grant program funded by a tax on predatory real estate investors

• Deliver a property tax credit for real and immediate relief for homeowners

**Priority 4: Deliver accessible, affordable & safe childcare for working families**

• Create a public-private partnership program to split childcare costs between employers, the state of Indiana, and parents

• Save families money through a childcare tax credit

• Fully fund Child Care and Development Fund (CCDF) vouchers to keep daycare centers open and parents at work

**Priority 5: Keep Hoosiers safe in their homes & neighborhoods**

• Fund the police, fire, and EMS by taking Senate Enrolled Act 1 back to the drawing board and inviting more public input

• Keep violent offenders off the streets and deter violent crimes against law enforcement officers through harsher sentencing

# Indiana council advances work to become national leader in rare earth mineral recovery

The REPORTER

The Indiana Rare Earth Recovery Council, created by Governor Mike Braun's Executive Order 25-62, has approved a report that will help guide Indiana to become a national leader in the extraction of rare earth elements and critical minerals from coal byproducts.



Rare earth elements are an essential building block of electronic, medical, and military technology. Onshoring the production of rare earth elements to Indiana is key to the U.S. reducing dependence on China, which currently dominates rare earth production.

The council is spearheading efforts to reclaim rare earth elements and critical materials from legacy coal byproducts. As one of the top coal-producing states in the nation, Gov. Braun is positioning Indiana as a national leader in the extraction of rare earth elements and critical minerals from coal byproducts.

"Indiana is taking the lead on bringing together federal, state, academic, and industry experts to develop a strategy for rare earth elements that advances America's key national and economic interests," Gov. Braun said. "This work, which Indiana is uniquely positioned to lead as a top coal-producing state, is critical to our state and to our nation."

U.S. Geological Survey Director Ned Mamula, Ph.D. shared high praise for Indiana and Gov. Braun's leadership in supporting this vital work. "As the United States geologist, I congratulate the state of Indiana on developing a domestic supply of rare earth elements while cleaning up former coal sites, and the state's work to help re-establish the field of geology that is essential for rare earth element recovery, oil and gas exploration, and the siting of nuclear energy," Mamula said. "Indiana's leadership will serve the country well and I look forward to working with them."

The report provides several recommendations for future actions, which include working with industry to identify priority partners and sites, considering performance-based incentives, streamlining permitting, and pursuing federal funding support.

Produced in coordination by the Indiana Geological and Water Survey, the Indiana Department of Environmental Management, the Indiana Department of Natural Resources, and the Indiana University Department of Economics, the report details Indiana's large potential supply of rare earth elements and critical minerals from coal-based waste materials. The report was funded by the U.S. Department of Energy through the Indiana Office of Energy Development.

China dominates production of rare earth minerals. According to the U.S. Geological Survey, the world is dependent on China for 70 percent of production and 90 percent of processing of rare earth metals and compounds – and 100 percent of heavy earth element processing, which is of critical need. Video recording of the council's meetings are available at these links:

- [November 2025 meeting](#)
- [December 2025 meeting](#)

# AG Rokita & team once again beat the hell out of Satanic Temple's efforts to undermine Indiana's pro-life law

*A bigger whooping than when the devil went down to Georgia*

Submitted by Office of AG Todd Rokita

Indiana Attorney General Todd Rokita and his legal team celebrated a major victory for life on Tuesday, Jan. 6 after the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Seventh Circuit unanimously affirmed the dismissal of a lawsuit brought by the Satanic Temple challenging Indiana's landmark 2022 pro-life law.

The federal appeals court ruled that the Satanic Temple lacked standing to bring its claims, meaning it failed to show any real injury to itself or its members from Indiana's prohibitions on telehealth abortions and related criminal penalties. This decision upholds the lower court's ruling and reinforces Indiana's strong protections for unborn life.

"This lawsuit was ridiculous from the start, but this unanimous court decision is a critical victory because it continues to uphold our pro-life law that is constitutionally and legally

rock-solid," AG Rokita said. "Our state has proudly built a strong culture of life, and no satanic cult – or any extremist group – is going to stop us."

The case stemmed from the Satanic Temple's attempt to operate a telehealth abortion clinic in Indiana, claiming its "Satanic Abortion Ritual" entitled it to exemptions under the U.S. Constitution and Indiana's Religious Freedom Restoration Act. The Seventh Circuit rejected the lawsuit on jurisdictional grounds, declining to reach the merits.

Following the U.S. Supreme Court's overturn of *Roe v. Wade* in the 2022 *Dobbs* case, Indiana was the first state in the nation to enact a sweeping pro-life law.

AG Rokita thanked his team for their work on this case, mentioning in particular the strong efforts of Solicitor General James Barta and former Deputy Solici-



Rokita

tor General Jenna Lorence – who, since successfully arguing this appeal, was appointed Alaska's Solicitor General.

"We're proud to have secured another win that keeps Indiana's pro-life law firmly in place," Barta said. "This unanimous

ruling is a major step forward for protecting unborn life, and we're grateful to stand with Hoosier families in defending these essential safeguards."

AG Rokita has consistently defended Indiana's pro-life laws against multiple challenges, securing victories that protect women and unborn children across the state.

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### Howard "Howie" Laurence Householder June 13, 1940 – January 1, 2026

Howard "Howie" Laurence Householder, 85, Noblesville, passed away on Thursday, January 1, 2026, at Heritage Woods of Noblesville. He was born on June 13, 1940, to George and Helen (Kessler) Householder in Janesville, Wis.

A natural and gifted athlete, Howard ran track and was a competitive swimmer throughout school, serving as Janesville High School's Bluebird Natators swim team captain and taking third place at state his senior year; he competed in breaststroke, backstroke, butterfly, freestyle, and all the medley events. As an adult, he continued swimming with NASTI – the Noblesville Adult Swim Team.

Howard was an avid deer hunter and took both of his sons hunting with him when they were young. Legend has it that in November 1966, he was so excited one morning before a hunt that he got sick yet still harvested a 12-point buck that same day – a fact later proved with an old, yellowed newspaper photo. An avid golfer at Pebble Brooke Golf course – where he was known as "HoJo" and worked there after his retirement – he made a hole-in-one at the Pebble Brook North Course on May 8, 2012, on Hole 16 at 120 yards.

Howard proudly served in the United States Marines and worked as a food sales representative for many years before retiring. Passionate about food, he was awarded the "Purveyor of the Year" in Indiana and was featured in newspapers along with his gourmet club of friends where his work with chocolate recipes was noted.

For many years, Howard and his late wife Nancy were Florida snowbirds in Destin where he often golfed with his good friends at the Indian Bayou Golf & Country Club. He was a member of the First Christian Church in Noblesville.

He is survived by his sons, Chadmon Householder and Ryan (Deanna) Householder; step-grandchildren, Gage and Lila; sister, Georgia Dietz; brother-in-law and groomsmen, Stu Johnson; sister-in-law Vicki (Mark) Degarmo-Jackson; brother-in-law Bruce (Tamara) Degarmo; several nieces, nephews, and cousins; and his close Bridge Club Family.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his beloved wife of 58 years, Nancy Householder; sisters, Patricia Fleming and Donna Johnson; and brother, James Householder.

He lived his life to the fullest.

We would like to thank all caretakers, nurses, and doctors, including the staff at Heritage Woods of Noblesville and Richard L. Roudebush VA Medical Center for all their support and care of Howard and Nancy over the years. They adored the staff and loved talking with them daily.

Celebration of Life services with military honors will be held at noon on Thursday, January 22, 2026, at First Christian Church of Noblesville, 16377 Herriman Blvd., with Rev. Jeff Castetter officiating. Visitation will be from 10 a.m. until the time of service at the church.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to St. Jude Children's Hospital, honorees of the FedEx St. Jude Championship golf tournament at [stjude.org/donate/donate-to-st-jude-today.html](http://stjude.org/donate/donate-to-st-jude-today.html).

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### John William Ernst

September 18, 1934 – January 4, 2026

John William (Bill) Ernst, 91, Carmel, passed away January 4, 2026. He was born on September 18, 1934, in Washington, Mo.

Bill was married to the love of his life, Rose Ann, whom he met at an open house in 1952 when she was a junior in high school. They were married on July 3, 1955, having celebrated 70 years of marriage on July 3, 2025. Mr. Ernst was a graduate of Arsenal Technical High School in 1952. He was a 50-plus year veteran of the Commercial Investment Real Estate Industry, having started his real estate career with the Justus Companies in 1966.

He served in the United States Navy Reserve from 1952 until 1960.

Survivors include his beloved wife, Rose Ann Ernst; children, Kimberly Ann White (Chris), Lisa Sue Breitwieser (Tom), and Christopher William Ernst (Heather); four grandsons, Sean White (Kaleena), Scott White (Elizabeth), William Ernst, and Tommy Baldwin (Mia); one granddaughter, Ashley Ernst; four great-granddaughters; five great-grandsons; sister, Katherine Sue West (Larry); and brother, Richard D. Ernst (Becky).

Family and friends will gather from 2 to 4 p.m. Friday, January 9, 2026, at Carmel United Methodist Church, where the funeral service will begin at 4 p.m.

Please visit [bussellfamilyfunerals.com](http://bussellfamilyfunerals.com) to read Bill's complete obituary.

Bussell Family Funerals is privileged to assist the family in arrangements.

### Charlene "Meanie" Whitworth

June 8, 1945 – December 31, 2025

Charlene "Meanie" Whitworth, 80, Noblesville, passed away on Wednesday, December 31, 2025, at her home. She was born on June 8, 1945, to Leonard and Mildred (Cooper) Ewing in Pennington Gap, Va.

Charlene worked in the cafeteria for Hamilton Heights Schools and was a caregiver to her mom and beloved stepfather, Clarence "Joe" Wilson. She married Carl on June 16, 1964. Charlene enjoyed going bowling, playing Bingo, watching NASCAR, cheering for Jeff Gordon, and attending the Brickyard 400 every summer. She loved all her nieces, nephews, and dogs. Charlene loved going out to eat, especially to Texas Roadhouse and Lincoln Square. She has loved many dogs over the years: Charmin, Koali, Big Baby, Little Baby, Angel, Ella, Missy, and Sissy.

She is survived by her sister, Jeanette (Jim) Lacey; brother, Herman Ewing; sister-in-law, Patty Cooper; eight beloved nieces and nephews; and several great-nieces, great-nephews, and other family members.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, Carl Edward Whitworth; brother, Donald Cooper; an infant brother; and her infant child.

Services will be held at noon on Wednesday, January 7, 2026, at Randall & Roberts Funeral Home, 1150 Logan St., Noblesville. Visitation will be from 10 a.m. until the time of service at the funeral home. Burial will be at Carey Cemetery in Noblesville.

Memorial contributions may be made to Humane Society for Hamilton County, 10501 Hague Road, Fishers, IN 46038 ([hamiltonhumane.com](http://hamiltonhumane.com)).

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### TODAY'S BIBLE READING

THE SETTING APART OF THE LEVITES

*"After you have purified the Levites and presented them as a wave offering, they are to come to do their work at the tent of meeting. They are the Israelites who are to be given wholly to me. I have taken them as my own in place of the firstborn, the first male offspring from every Israelite woman. Every firstborn male in Israel, whether human or animal, is mine. When I struck down all the firstborn in Egypt, I set them apart for myself. And I have taken the Levites in place of all the firstborn sons in Israel. From among all the Israelites, I have given the Levites as gifts to Aaron and his sons to do the work at the tent of meeting on behalf of the Israelites and to make atonement for them so that no plague will strike the Israelites when they go near the sanctuary."*

Numbers 8:15-19 (NIV)

### Linda Kay Scruggs

August 15, 1953 – January 1, 2026

Linda Kay Scruggs, 72, Carmel, died January 1, 2026.



She was born on August 15, 1953, in Louisville, Ky., to the late Frank and Alma (Hoffman) Scruggs.

In addition to her parents, Linda was preceded in death by her two sisters, Sandra Schmidt and Lorene Rowland.

Survivors include Marcella Buchanan, Pamela Stutz (Rob), Ruth Scruggs, Patricia Alvey, Thomas Scruggs, and many nephews and nieces. Her loving, extended family include Dave and Catherine Anderson and their children and grandchildren, Patricia Anderson, Kirsten Hansen Day, Hugo Anderson Day, Sofia Anderson Day, Erik and Megan Anderson, Kevin Anderson, Luke Anderson, Christopher and Claire Anderson, Marshall Anderson, Benjamin Anderson, John and Emma Anderson, Jack Anderson, Moria Anderson, Thomas Anderson, Laura Anderson, and Mark Anderson.

Linda is a graduate of the class of 1973 from Presentation Academy. Following graduation, Linda joined the Order of the Little Sisters of the Poor. For more than 45 years, Linda remained a loyal, dedicated and faithful servant to God. After her departure from the Little Sisters of the Poor, Linda continued God's work through her deeds of love and kindness.

From a very young age, Linda was unique. Her passion in life was to serve God. In return, He blessed her with the love of people, dancing, card playing, and Elvis. Her smiles and laughter were infectious, and she could light up any room with her loving smile and positive energy. Linda always saw the best in people, she never judged, and she accepted each person as a gift from God. Each day was an opportunity to embrace life through God's grace. It should be noted that Linda loved the Catholic Community of Our Lady of Mount Carmel. The people of Carmel showed Linda love and kindness and friendships that radiated within her.

Linda's memberships and volunteer work included: Auxiliary Member of Legion of Mary, Volunteer at Merciful Help Center and Participated in Walking with Purpose Women's Bible Study.

Family and friends will gather from 9 to 11 a.m. Wednesday, January 7, 2026. A Mass of Christian Burial will begin at 11 a.m. at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Catholic Church, 14598 Oak Ridge Road, Carmel.

Burial will take place at 2:30 p.m. in Our Lady of Peace Cemetery, 9001 Haverstick Road, Indianapolis.

In lieu of flowers, the family suggests donations to Our Lady of Mount Carmel Merciful Help Center, 1045 W. 146th St., Suite A, Carmel, IN 46032; or McGivney Health Care Center c/o Gibault Children's Service, 6401 S. U.S. Hwy. 41, Terre Haute, IN 47802-4749.

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## Wrestling Wednesday

# Millers win North Montgomery Tournament

### The REPORTER

The Noblesville boys wrestling team took care of business at the North Montgomery Holiday Tournament this past weekend.

The Millers scored 223.5 points in the 16-team tournament, finishing comfortably ahead of runner-up Lincoln Way Central (Ill.), which scored 191 points.

Noblesville won individual championships in three of the first four weight classes. Henry Antrobus was the 106-pound winner, Eli Kincaide claimed the 113-pound title and Brody Weimer was the 126-pound champion.

Blake Weimer (at 120), Zach Nekolite (at 132), Luke Chastain (at 150) and Yan Tioua (at 190) all placed second in their divisions. Other place winners for the Millers were Cale Metzler (third at 215), Justus Suddarth (fourth at 138) and Jackson Apple (sixth at 285).

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Guerin Catholic placed second at the Brown County Invitational on Saturday, Jan. 3.

The Golden Eagles scored 206.5 points, with Jasper scoring 266.5 points

to win the team title. Guerin Catholic picked up four championships during the event, including a sweep of the two lightest weight divisions.

Rafe Liechty won at 106 pounds, getting two pins to earn the title. Caden Miller was the 113-pound champion, with a major decision in the first round and a fall in the final match.

Gabe Lietchty cruised to victory at 126 pounds, taking all three of his matches by technical fall. Jack Hubbard won at 175 pounds, getting two pins for the championship.

Joseph Dunasky finished as runner-up at 132 pounds. Three more GC wrestlers took third place: Jeremiah Richardson at 144, Quentin Klee at 175 and Oliver Kerr at 285. Kolbe Klee was fourth at 165.

Liam Kelly (at 150) and Jackson Kaufman (at 165) both placed fifth, while Isaiah Quirk (at 138), Leo Walden (at 157), Patrick Walden (at 165) and Sean Canny (at 175) all placed sixth.

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Westfield competed at the Al Smith Invitational in



Westfield's Jon Stryker finished eighth at 190 pounds at the Al Smith Invitational in Mishawaka on Friday, Jan. 2.

Mishawaka on Friday, Jan. 2.

The Shamrocks finished ninth as a team, scoring 129.5 points. Westfield had four place winners at the tournament, led by Connor

Maddox, who rolled to victory at 106 pounds.

Maddox won his first three matches by technical falls. In the championship match, he beat Crown

Point's Louie Keneson by major decision, keeping himself unbeaten for the season at 20-0.

Brayden Head finished in second place at 113

Photo by Manford Photography

pounds, while the Rocks had two more wrestlers finish in eighth place: Alic Washburn at 144 pounds and Jon Stryker at 190 pounds.

## Boys Basketball

# Royals pick up win over Panthers

### The REPORTER

The Hamilton Southeastern boys basketball team got a nice win over North Central 62-53 Tuesday at the Royals' gym.

Southeastern led 12-10 after the first quarter and 29-22 at halftime. Lucas Weemer scored eight points in the second quarter, while Varschon Clark had eight points in the half, four in each of the quarters.

The Royals led 42-36 after three periods and went on a 15-6 run to start the fourth, holding their largest lead at 57-42. The Panthers made a comeback during the latter part of the quarter, but Southeastern held on for the win. The Royals were perfect from the free-throw line, making all 11 of their attempts.

Clark led HSE with 15 points, scoring in all four quarters, and reached double-double status by collecting 10 rebounds. Clark



Reporter photo by Julie Brown

Hamilton Southeastern's Varschon Clark scored 11 points for the Royals during their Tuesday win over North Central.

also dished out seven assists. Maverick Young and Weemer both scored 14

points, with Weemer pulling five rebounds. Jack Jacobs handed out five assists.

Southeastern is 4-6 and plays Friday at Lawrence Central.

# Brebeuf pulls away from Blazers

### The REPORTER

Brebeuf Jesuit held University scoreless for the first five minutes of the fourth quarter and the Braves pulled away for a 58-45 win over the Trailblazers Tuesday night.

University had battled back from a 12-point second quarter deficit to take a third quarter lead at 32-31 when Blake Gray scored off a Faisal Mohamud steal. The Blazers had a chance to add to their lead but a turnover led to a Brebeuf layin. Af-

ter another Brebeuf basket, Gray hit a three pointer to tie the game at 35 with 1:42 remaining in the third.

Gray picked up his fourth foul just six seconds later and the Braves were up 37-35 after making both foul shots and never trailed again. University was within 39-37 at the end of the third quarter after a steal and layin by Mohamud. Josh McGee picked up his fourth foul seconds into the fourth quarter.

With two of their starting

guards on the bench in foul trouble, University watched Brebeuf slowly build their lead to 49-37 before Josh

Henderson converted a three point play with 2:58 left in

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## Hamilton County's ranked wrestlers

### BOYS

#### IndianaMat.com rankings - Dec. 26

106 pounds: 1. Connor Maddox, Westfield, 13. Nolan Culp, Hamilton Southeastern.  
113 pounds: 16. Brayden Head, Westfield, 25. Eli Kincaide, Noblesville, 28. Will Lakes, Hamilton Southeastern.  
120 pounds: 20. Seth Lamb, Fishers.  
132 pounds: 29. Trevor Humburg, Westfield.  
138 pounds: 24. Parker Culp, Hamilton Southeastern.  
144 pounds: 18. Isaac Suddarth, Noblesville, 26. Max Inman, Hamilton Southeastern.  
150 pounds: 24. Graydon Staley, Westfield; 26. Luke Chastain, Noblesville.  
157 pounds: 15. Simon Kuhn, Hamilton Heights, 23. Dylan Lane, Hamilton Southeastern.  
165 pounds: 3. Aidan Kincaide, Noblesville, 26. Cohen Davis, Hamilton Southeastern.  
175 pounds: 27. Evan Nicholls, Noblesville.  
190 pounds: 23. Camden Funk, Fishers, 25. Jon Stryker, Westfield.  
215 pounds: 10. Julian Burgett, Fishers.  
285 pounds: 19. A.W. Vankirk, Hamilton Southeastern, 28. Ryan Dungee, Fishers.

#### New Castle semi-state rankings - Dec. 31

106 pounds: 1. Maddox, 6. N. Culp.  
113 pounds: 4. Head, 6. E. Kincaide, 7. Lakes, Hamilton Southeastern.  
120 pounds: 3. Lamb.  
126 pounds: 6. Brody Weimer, Noblesville, 7. Will Hruskoci, Fishers, 8. Carlo Federici, Carmel.  
132 pounds: 6. Zach Nekolite, Noblesville.  
138 pounds: 7. Alic Washburn, Westfield, 8. P. Culp.  
144 pounds: 6. Justin Tilton, Hamilton Heights.  
150 pounds: 3. Kuhn, 7. Chastain, 9. Staley.  
157 pounds: 8. Kyle Howard, Noblesville.  
165 pounds: 1. A. Kincaide, 4. Davis, 8. Preston Springer, Fishers.  
175 pounds: 6. Nicholls.  
190 pounds: 6. Stryker, 10. Funk.  
215 pounds: 2. Burgett, 9. Cale Metzler, Noblesville, 10. Will Massey, Carmel.  
285 pounds: 5. Vankirk, 9. Dungee, 10. Jackson Apple, Noblesville.

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Swimming

# Carmel sweeps HSE, honors seniors

**The REPORTER**

The Carmel swim teams celebrated Senior Day on Saturday, Jan. 3 during their dual meet with Hamilton Southeastern. The Greyhounds won the girls meet 111-75 and the boys meet 144-39.

Carmel's girls won eight of the 12 events. Ellie Clarke was a double winner in the 100 freestyle and the backstroke. Other event winners for the Greyhounds were Madelyn Yonkus in the 200 freestyle, Leah DeBosch in the individual medley, Helena Gibson in diving, Molly Sweeney in the butterfly, Helayna Weller in the 500 free and the 200 free relay.

The Royals' Naomi Haines was the 50 free winner, while Lauren Ing triumphed in the breaststroke. Southeastern also won the medley and 400 free relays.

Yi Zheng was a double winner for Carmel's boys, who won all 12 events. Zheng placed first in the butterfly and backstroke events.

Other Greyhounds winners were Austin Bruford in the 200 free, Noah Moeller in the IM, Trent Allen in the 50 free, Alrik Mansberger in diving, Jack Street in the 100 free, Lewis Zhang in the 500 free, Cory Han in the breaststroke and all three relays.



The Carmel swim teams honored their seniors during the Saturday, Jan. 3 dual meet with Hamilton Southeastern. Photos provided

# SPORTS SCHEDULE

**Wednesday, Jan. 7**  
**BOYS WRESTLING**  
 Zionsville at Westfield, 6:30 p.m.  
**GIRLS BASKETBALL**  
 Western at University, 7 p.m.  
 Westfield at Bishop Chatard, 7:30 p.m.  
**SWIMMING**  
 Oak Hill at Hamilton Heights, 6 p.m.

**Thursday, Jan. 8**  
**BOYS BASKETBALL**  
 Pike at Fishers, 7:30 p.m.  
 Seccina at University, 7:30 p.m.  
**BOYS WRESTLING**  
 Anderson at Hamilton Heights, 6 p.m.  
**GIRLS BASKETBALL**  
 Center Grove at Carmel, 7:30 p.m.  
 Noblesville at Cathedral, 7:30 p.m.  
**SWIMMING**  
 Guerin Catholic at Tipton, 6 p.m.  
 Hoosier Crossroads Conference meet, 6 p.m. at IU Natatorium

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## BLAZERS

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the game. A Henderson three pointer got the Blazers away at the foul line.

The 45 points scored was University's lowest output of the season and only the fourth time the Trailblazers scored less than 77 points.

Henderson led University with 14 points while Gray

had 10.

The teams each made 18 field goals, but the Braves were 17 of 22 at the charity stripe, while University was just five of six.

University falls to 7-3 on the season and hosts Seccina Thursday evening at The U Center. Brebeuf is 5-3. The Braves were led by 17 points from Austin Ford.

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## Girls Basketball

# Strong second half sends Huskies to victory

**The REPORTER**

Hamilton Heights' girls got back to their winning ways on Tuesday, beating North Miami 70-60 in an away game.

The Huskies blasted out to a 24-15 lead after the first

quarter. Kamryn Rhoton scored seven points in that opening period, with Riley Suarez adding six.

The Warriors came back in the second quarter to take a 34-33 halftime lead, but

Heights powered through the second half to get the 10-point victory. Suarez led the way with 27 points.

Bayleigh Eisele added 14 points and dished out five assists, while Rhoton finished

with 12 points and made five steals. Zoey Curry handed out eight assists and collected six rebounds.

The Huskies are 11-3 and play Thursday at West Lafayette.

# Guerin Catholic beats Park Tudor in turnover battle

**By CRAIG ADKINS**

For The Reporter

**NOBLESVILLE** — Tuesday night's battle at The Eagles Nest was about speed that turned into a tale of turnovers for both Guerin Catholic and Park Tudor.

Despite turning the ball over 21 times on their home floor, the Golden Eagles took advantage of the Panthers' miscues in securing a 46-33 home victory.

Points were hard to come by for either team in the first. The score was tied 4-4 after the first eight minutes and scoring was spread out for both, as well. A free throw and three-pointer were the Panthers' points in the first minute to lead 4-0.

Senior Dana Dues scored the first Guerin bucket at the 6:44 mark of the first, but they wouldn't tie the game until 1:10 remaining in the quarter when junior Caroline Ford came off the bench to sink a pair of free throws.

"We talk about this all of the time. We really have

good shooters, but for having good shooters, you're not a good shooting team right now," said Guerin Catholic head coach Danielle Cardinal.

The Golden Eagles got a step back left corner three from Emersyn French in the second quarter, along with another bucket when French got fouled. She missed the free throw, but Guerin was now up 9-4.

Lauren Keller and Cecilia Titus knocked down jumpers that put Guerin up 13-8 at halftime. The Golden Eagles were contending with Park Tudor's 2-3 zone defense in the first half.

"They have a lot of length and are long and that disrupted us," Cardinal said. "We're young, so we're not as disciplined. And to be honest, we thought they would come out in a 1-3-1, because they've played that a lot and we were ready for that."

Cardinal's squad regrouped at halftime and made the proper adjustments and it worked. Guerin went

on a 7-0 run to start the third. Titus made a jump shot from the left baseline and then a trey in the left corner and Dues made her second field goal and it was 20-8.

"Less experience, you have a harder time adjusting in-game, so it took them a while. Halftime was better, because we had more time to talk about it," added Cardinal. "People could figure out where they were going and I think that helped tremendously open things up and get us some open shots."

Dues hit a left wing three and then Titus got fouled and converted the basket and free throw for the old-fashioned three-point play to push it to 26-10.

Brinna Wolf caught a pass from Ford on a backdoor cut, followed by Ford scoring on a fast break and then taking a pass from Titus for a 32-13 advantage late in the third.

Freshman Delanie Cardinal made a three from the top of the key in the final seconds of the quarter for a football score of 35-14.

Cardinal said Park Tudor's coach "went to the 1-3-1, which we were prepared for. We didn't hit every shot, but at least they knew where to put the ball."

Guerin was able to hold on for the 13-point win, despite the Panthers scoring 19 to just 11 for the Golden Eagles in the fourth.

Winners of six of eight and four of its last five, the Golden Eagles went 4-2 over Christmas break in two different tournaments at Richmond and Covenant Christian.

"We played New Pal who, not only is a good team, but they're super well-coached and play so hard and tough," said Cardinal. "It's a level these kids had not seen."

Cecilia Titus led the Golden Eagles with 10 and Dana Dues with nine. Caroline Ford also had six.

Guerin Catholic (11-6) gets back into Circle City action on Friday at 6 p.m. in the first game of a girls-boys varsity doubleheader at Bishop Chatard (8-8).

## Boys Basketball

# Millers fall to Pike

**The REPORTER**

Noblesville's boys dropped a close game to Class 4A No. 4 Pike, 48-44 Tuesday at The Mill.

The game was tied at 7-7 after the first period, but the Red Devils pulled away in the second quarter for a 19-13 halftime lead. The

Millers scored 20 points in the fourth quarter, but Pike held on for the win.

Baron Walker scored 20 points, including four 3-pointers, and pulled nine rebounds. Andrew Fogg collected six rebounds.

Noblesville is 6-5 and plays Friday at Marion.

## Men's Basketball

# Boom drops road contest to Raptors 905

**The REPORTER**

The Noblesville Boom (3-4), the NBA G League affiliate of the Indiana Pacers, dropped a road contest to the Raptors 905 (6-1), 107-95 at Paramount Fine Foods Centre.

Jalen Slawson led the Boom for the second consecutive game, finishing with 16 points, six rebounds, three assists, and three blocks. Cody Martin (15 points, nine rebounds, six assists) and Au'Diese Toney (15 points, six rebounds) followed behind, combining for 30 points and 15 rebounds. Kyle Guy added eight points, eight rebounds, and six assists.

The Raptors 905 were paced by Alijah Martin, who posted 23 points, four rebounds, and four assists on 9-of-15 shooting from the field. A.J. Lawson contributed 19 points, while Quincy Guerrier totaled 14 points and seven rebounds off the bench.

The Boom opened the game on a 12-2 run, forcing 905 into an early timeout after Samson Johnson and Caleb Martin combined to score the team's first 12 points. After trailing by 13, 905 responded with eight consecutive points to narrow the gap

late in the frame. As a team, the Boom shot 47.4 percent from the field and 50.0 percent from three-point range to take a seven-point lead after the first quarter. The Raptors erased their deficit in the second quarter, outscoring Noblesville 29-22, led by A.J. Lawson and Alijah Martin with seven points apiece during that span to even the score at halftime.

In a back-and-forth third quarter, 905 built a seven-point lead after taking their first advantage early in the period, eventually holding an 80-75 edge heading into the fourth. Despite an 11-point final frame from Taelon Peter, the Raptors slowly created breathing room, using a 13-3 run to take a 15-point lead down the stretch. 905 held the Boom to 33.3 percent shooting in the fourth to secure a 107-95 victory and improve to 6-1 on the season.

The two teams will meet again to conclude the two-game series on Thursday at 7:30 p.m. ET, streaming live on ESPN+.

Tickets and team updates are available at [NoblesvilleBoom.com](http://NoblesvilleBoom.com), and fans can stream every game live at [NBAGLeague.com](http://NBAGLeague.com).

# Tigers overwhelm Shortridge

**The REPORTER**

Fishers' girls got an easy victory on Tuesday, breezing past Shortridge 53-23 at the Tiger Den.

The Tigers outscored the Blue Devils in each of the four quarters, leading 8-2 after the first period and 24-8 at halftime. Lillian Burns scored eight points during the first half, including a pair of 3-point-

ers in the second quarter.

Fishers kept things rolling in the third quarter, outscoring Shortridge 19-6 for a 43-14 advantage. Natalie Thomas added seven points in that quarter and finished with a game-high 13 points. Thomas scored at least one point in each quarter.

Burns added 10 points. Makayla Triplett scored

nine and Ella Bureson contributed eight points.

Fishers is 9-8 for the season. The Tigers are idle

until Jan. 16 when they host Brownsburg in a Hoosier Crossroads Conference girls-boys doubleheader.

## Thanks for reading!

# Hawks fall to Lapel

**The REPORTER**

Sheridan's girls dropped a home game to Lapel, 54-37, Tuesday at Larry Hobbs Hall.

The Class 2A No. 5 Bulldogs led 15-11 after one quarter and 30-20 at halftime. Makenzy Terry scored eight points for the Blackhawks in the first half, with Sadie Timme scoring six points.

Lapel took further control in the third quarter, outscoring Sheridan 17-8 for a 47-28 advantage. Brielle

Garner scored all eight of the Hawks' points in that period. Marah Fausset added six points for Sheridan in the fourth quarter by going 6 of 6 from the free-throw line.

Garner scored 11 points, followed by Terry with eight. The Bulldogs' Laniah Willis led all scorers, earning a double-double of 19 points and 13 rebounds.

Sheridan is 7-8 and plays Friday at Tri-Central for a Hoosier Heartland Conference girls-boys doubleheader.



Upcoming Broadcasts	
<b>Tues Jan 6 - Boys Basketball</b>	
6:00 pm	Pike vs <b>Noblesville</b>   Junior Varsity   HCTV Sports
7:20 pm	Legacy vs Horizon Christian   Indiana SRN
7:20 pm	Covenant Christian vs Heritage Christian   Indiana SRN
7:30 pm	Pike vs <b>Noblesville</b>   Varsity   HCTV Sports
<b>Tues Jan 6 - Girls Basketball</b>	
5:50 pm	Covenant Christian vs Heritage Christian   Indiana SRN
7:15 pm	Indianapolis Shortridge vs <b>Fishers High School</b>   Fishers Sports
<b>Fri Jan 9 - Boys Basketball</b>	
7:15 pm	<b>Hamilton Heights</b> vs Northwestern   Varsity   Husky Sports (PPV)
7:20 pm	Ritter vs Heritage Christian   Indiana SRN
7:20 pm	Christel House vs Washington IPS   Indiana SRN
7:30 pm	Pike vs <b>Fishers</b>   Fishers Sports Network
<b>Fri Jan 9 - Girls Basketball</b>	
5:50 pm	Ritter vs Heritage Christian   Indiana SRN
5:45 pm	Tri-Central vs <b>Sheridan</b>   Girls/Boys Basketball   Bragg Sports Media
<b>Sat Jan 10 - Boys Basketball</b>	
7:20 pm	<b>University</b> vs Covenant Christian   Indiana SRN
7:20 pm	Bloomington North vs Seymour   Indiana SRN
<b>Sat Jan 10 - Girls Basketball</b>	
1:20 pm	North Harrison vs Seymour   Indiana SRN
5:50 pm	University vs Covenant Christian   Indiana SRN



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