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TODAY'S WEATHER



Today: Mostly cloudy.
Tonight: Cloudy.
Snow after midnight.
HIGH: 34 LOW: 29



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In May, the City of Noblesville held a Public Works Week Touch-a-Truck event where children had the opportunity to paint a snow plow blade with colored handprints. The plow with the handprints has been mounted to a brand new street department truck and will likely be plowing the streets this weekend.

County snow plows should come in handy this weekend

WISH-TV | wishtv.com
All eyes are on the weather this weekend: A potent storm system will head towards Hamilton County and bring heavy snow, some areas of ice, rain and strong winds.

As of press time, the forecast for Saturday indicates snow will arrive early in the morning and start as a mix. The dividing line for snow will be Interstate 70 for much of the day. Steady snow will fall with freezing rain, and rain in southern Indiana. Winds will gust to upwards of 30 to 35 mph, limiting visibility and creating blowing and drifting snow.

Winds will drag in bitterly cold air with temperatures falling to the lower teens overnight, transitioning everything to snow. Snow accumulation will range

from 6 to 8 inches from Indianapolis and points north, with a heavier band setting up north of the city possibly producing 8 to 10 inches.

Ice accumulation could range between 0.1 and 0.2 inches south of Interstate 70.

But what will it take for this storm to make it a blizzard?

According to WISH-TV Meteorologist Tara Hastings, to declare a winter storm a blizzard, there must be strong winds and low visibility. The National Weather Service will issue a blizzard warning when winds are sustained or gust 35 mph or greater. There must also be considerable falling or blowing snow, enough to reduce visibility to a quarter-mile or less. The strong winds and low visibility must last for at least three hours or more to



Graphic provided by WISH-TV

be considered a blizzard.

The most recent blizzard warning Indianapolis had was Dec. 26, 2012, when most of central Indiana saw from 8 to 12 inches of snow and winds gusted to 40 mph. This Saturday, winds

will start at from 10 to 20 mph but increase during the afternoon. By Saturday evening, winds could gust to from 30 to 35 mph.

So, it's going to be close as to whether or not Indiana will see blizzard conditions.

Church Church Hittle + Antrim opens new office in Westfield

The REPORTER

The law firm of Church Church Hittle + Antrim has announced the opening of a new law office in Westfield. The new office is located at 116 N. Union St.. CCHA is a full-service law firm.

“Our expansion into Westfield demonstrates our commitment to this dynamic community and the people we serve,” said Managing Partner David Day. “CCHA serves clients across the state with offices in Fishers, Fort Wayne, Merrillville, Noblesville, Tipton and Zionsville. Adding Westfield into the mix is consistent with our commitment to be right around the corner from people seeking our help for their

legal issues.”

CCHA partner Eric Douthit will oversee the Westfield office. Douthit is a partner in the firm’s Business Practice Section. Douthit advises clients on a variety of corporate and commercial matters, with an emphasis on emerging business creation, business mergers and acquisitions, and general corporate business counseling. Douthit is also a graduate of the Hamilton County Leadership Academy and lives with his family in Westfield. Founded in 1880, CCHA is the oldest and most established law firm in Hamilton County. “Since



Day



Douthit

See CCHA . . . Page 2

Join Carmel in honoring Martin Luther King, Jr.

The REPORTER

Join Carmel Mayor Jim Brainard and Dee Thornton of the Mayor’s Advisory Commission on Human Relations as they celebrate the life and impact of American Civil Rights Leader Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.

The ceremony will start at 6 p.m. on Monday, Jan. 21 at the Tarkington Theater in the Center for the Performing Arts, 3 Center

Green, Carmel.

The event will include performances by KJI Institute for the Arts, St. Peters United Church of Christ Choir and Blair Clark, as well as Indiana African American Authors and representatives from the United Negro College Fund on hand to honor Dr. King Jr.’s legacy and achievements.

The public is welcomed and encouraged to attend this free event.

New HSE board sworn in, Bottorff elected president

By LARRY LANNAN
LarryInFishers.com



It was a night of beginnings Wednesday for the Hamilton Southeastern School Board. Four board members took the oath of office to begin their four-year terms, and the board elected a new president.

Mike Bottorff was elected to serve as board president for calendar year 2019.

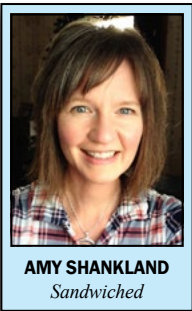
The board president the past two years, Matt Burke, did not seek re-election to the board.

Sylvia Shepler will be board vice president and Michelle Fullhart will serve as secretary. The vote to elect all three officers was unanimous.

New board members taking the oath of office Wednesday night included Julie Chambers, Janet Pritchett and Brad Boyer. Incumbent member Michelle Fullhart was also sworn in for her second term.

Pride in the South Side, Part Two

My little neighborhood just got busier, and we’re all excited! In December, I wrote about the pride I feel for the south side of Noblesville, namely the two blocks bordered by Pleasant Street and Greenfield Avenue and 9th and 10th streets. We’ve got a little bit of everything ‘round here and it’s just getting better.



AMY SHANKLAND
Sandwiched

Last Monday we were all ecstatic to welcome one of our town’s beloved restaurants to its new location on South 10th Street – Ginger’s Café. I got to take a personal tour of the spot before they officially opened thanks to Ginger’s lovely owner, Mikki Perrine, and I had to pick my jaw up off of the floor numerous times.

I have to admit I was worried that somehow Ginger’s Café would lose its homey atmosphere in the move. Since 2007, the

restaurant has been nestled in a small strip mall off of Conner Street and has had a cozy, neighborly feel. I loved the eclectic mix of tables and chairs, many reminding me of my childhood, and the antique décor. A box of children’s toys always greeted you upon arrival, letting everyone know that families with small children were more than welcome.

Would a larger, updated space take that overall feeling away? I’m happy to report that the answer is no. In fact, it’s better than ever.

The wonderful décor is back with some great additions thanks to fellow columnist Janet Hart Leonard and others. Mikki was glowing as she showed me around the new and improved space, which provides her kitchen staff even more room to store supplies, prep food, and cook those awesome “just like

home” breakfasts, lunches, and dinners. It’s easier to get to the restrooms now, and from what I could see, elderly patrons like my mother and those with disabilities will have a better time getting around overall.

Wait, did I just write “dinners”? Thanks to this new space, Ginger’s will now offer dinner on Thursday, Friday and Saturday. I’m doing the happy dance as I type.

Another great Noblesville south side treasure also just expanded not long ago. Although it’s a bit outside of my two blocks, I’ve been a fan of the Noblesville Society of St. Vincent de Paul for years. When it first moved from its cramped South 10th Street location to its Greenfield Avenue spot years ago, I not only became an avid shopper, but a regular volunteer.

Thanks to community support and thrift store sales, this non-profit has a food pantry with a variety of perishable and non-perishable foods including canned

and frozen meats, veggies and fruits, fresh eggs, boxed and bagged cereals and rice, canned soups and sauces, toilet paper, diapers, baby food, toiletries and some cleaning supplies.

Although I’ve had to stop volunteering there, I still shop at St. Vincent de Paul every month. I purchased a classic navy blue dress last spring for \$2 that people raved about all summer. And when my kids go to college, you can bet we’ll give St. VdP a lot of business to help the guys furnish their first apartment!

The organization modeled about a year ago to improve the store’s overall flow, and it is a welcome change. They also have expanded hours, which is impressive with its all-volunteer staff.

So take a half-day some time and come over to visit the south side soon! You’ll end up with a full belly, a warm heart, beautiful treasures and the joy of supporting outstanding local businesses.

CANDIDATE FILINGS

Turn to Page 5 to read about candidate filings for the 2019 municipal primary elections.

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the establishment of Church Hittle + Antrim in 1880,” said Day, “our neighbors, community leaders, businesses and educational institutions have placed their trust in us to solve their most challenging legal issues. Expanding into more communities to better directly serve our clients is important to the attorneys and staff at CCHA.” Learn more about CCHA at cchalaw.com.



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I was born and raised right here in Noblesville. I grew up in a home without domestic violence or assault - it wasn't something I saw, or even heard about.

But when I was introduced to Prevail of Central Indiana, I was shocked by the number of individuals who are affected by domestic violence. In 2018 alone, Prevail helped more than 4,000 clients in Hamilton County. (Nearly 80 percent of clients are women and children.)

Prevail is strictly confidential, and since their core values include integrity and respect, they provide their services at no charge. Domestic violence and abuse are hard topics to discuss, so you don't often hear about them. But at Tom Wood Volkswagen in Noblesville, we're breaking the taboo and raising awareness for Prevail, an organization that helps families in Hamilton County.

- Mike Bragg, GM of Tom Wood Volkswagen in Noblesville

To help Hamilton County families affected by domestic violence and sexual abuse, you can donate the following items:

- Art supplies (for children to journal and express their emotions)
- Bottled water (8 oz. bottles, preferably)
- Individually packaged snacks
- Gas cards (many women have no access to funds after fleeing their abuser)

You can drop off items at Tom Wood Volkswagen in Noblesville, located at 14701 Tom Wood Way. You can also donate directly to Prevail of Central Indiana by visiting Prevailinc.org.

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Craig Waltz, Director, Hamilton Heights Middle and High School Band program, along with members of the high school band spent Monday afternoon at Hamilton Heights Elementary School. Waltz highlighted the band program, its members, the instruments played and shared a sampling of some of their favorite music as part of this annual event designed to promote the opportunity to participate in the band program at the middle school.

Heights High School band ‘plays’ it forward

The REPORTER

Members of the Hamilton Heights High School band spent Monday afternoon with students and staff at Hamilton Heights

Elementary School. The annual event drums up excitement for students to participate in the Middle School band beginning in sixth grade.

“Many of our band members remember how much they enjoyed listening to musical snippets, learning about the various instruments, and

meeting students who played them,” said Craig Waltz, Director of Hamilton Heights award-winning band program. “The elementary students really

look up to the high school band members and are inspired by the music and variety of instruments.” “This day is a tradition and kind of special to all

of us,” Waltz continued. “It often signals the beginning of many of our student’s love affair with music and playing in the band.”



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If history is any indicator, tickets for the third annual Chaucie's Place fundraiser will disappear fast.

Donatello's hosting third Chaucie's Place fundraiser, seats going fast

The REPORTER

Donatello's Italian Restaurant, located at 9 W. Main St. in Carmel, is hosting its third annual fundraiser for Chaucie's Place, a Hamilton County-based non-profit that prevents child sex abuse and suicide. This year, the wine-pairing dinner has the theme of "Blast from the Past" and will feature recipes from Chef Patrick Aasen's 40 years of cooking Italian food in the

Indianapolis area. Aasen began his career at The Italian Village in the late 1970s and was the head chef or owner at many memorable places including Rudy & Rosa's, Viaveneto's, Arturo's and now Donatello's. The six-course dinner will take place at 6 p.m. on Monday, Feb. 4. Tickets are \$110, which includes all wine, food, gratuity and a donation to Chaucie's Place. Tickets can be pur-

chased by calling 317-564-4790 or online at [this link](#). At the event, guests are encouraged to dress "retro" if they'd like, with the theme of 1950s/60s inspired attire. The appetizer hour will feature "Mad Men" inspired cocktails during the appetizer hour, such as Gimlets, Old Fashioneds, Mai Tais and Blue Hawaiians. There will be classic appetizers such as fried carrots and toasted ravioli, one of the

staples at Aasen's first place of employment. Once guests are seated, the first course will be Italian wedding soup, with hand rolled meatballs, paired with a Tuscan blend. The next course will be gnocchi a la vodka sauce. Vodka sauce was very popular after World War II in the United States, and Donatello's will pair this dish with a sauvignon blanc since its high acidity and citrus quality are a nice contrast to the richness of this dish. The next course will be linguine with clams, paired with a medium-oaked California Chardonnay. The main dish will be steak pizzola, which is tender ribeye with a sauce of tomatoes, garlic, onions and peppers. This will be paired with a bold dry Cabernet Sauvignon. For dessert, guests will enjoy homemade spumoni ice cream paired with a riesling. Only 60 seats are available and the event sold out the past two years, so interested diners are encouraged to purchase tickets soon.

Lecture series can help you learn about health and healing

The REPORTER

Where you live impacts your health and even life expectancy. It's part of what's known as the Social Determinants of Health. While eating right and exercise is important, it's only part of the equation that determines someone's health and healing. Dr. Jennifer Walthall, Secretary of the Family and Social Services Administration, will talk about Social Determinants of Health at 9 a.m. on Thursday, Jan. 24 at CICOA, 8440 Woodfield Crossing Blvd., Indianapolis.

The lecture, which is open to the public, is the first in a four-part Envision Lecture Series CICOA is sponsoring in 2019. The cost to attend is \$10 and students are free. To register, go to [cicoa.org/events/envision](#).

Walthall said when she learned about the social determinants of health, it rocked her world and informed her career path. A native of northwest Indiana, Walthall received her medical degree at Indiana University Medical School, where she is professor of emergency medicine and pediatrics in addition to her role at FSSA.

"She will leave you thinking in a whole new way about how to improve population health in Indiana, particularly among our most vulnerable Hoosier citizens," said CICOA CEO Orion Bell.

CICOA decided to launch the Envision Lecture Series to better engage and inform stakeholders and community leaders interested in improving the health and quality of life for seniors

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Envision Lecture
What: The Social Determinants of Health
Who: Dr. Jennifer Walthall, Secretary of the Family and Social Services Administration and professor of emergency medicine and pediatrics at Indiana University Medical School
When: 9 to 10:30 a.m. on Thursday, Jan. 24
Where: CICOA, 8440 Woodfield Crossing Blvd., Indianapolis
Cost: \$10; no cost for students
RSVP: [cicoa.org/events/envision](#)

and people with disabilities. The second Envision Lecture on April 25 will address "Mental Health and the Aging Brain" and feature a panel of experts including psychiatrists Dr. Drew Class and Dr. Donald Hay, and Todd Wagoner, a social worker at Community Health's Healthy Aging Transition Services (HATS).

Two more Envision Lectures are planned for July and November.

About CICOA
CICOA Aging & In-Home Solutions is a non-profit organization and the designated Aging and Disability Resource Center serving Central Indiana. CICOA provides a wide range of services for older adults, people with disabilities and family caregivers, including care management, home health care, home-delivered and neighborhood meals, transportation, home accessibility modifications, respite care and caregiver assistance. For more information, go to [CICOA.org](#).



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Fishers City Councilor Selina Stoller files for re-election

The REPORTER

Fishers City Councilor Selina Stoller filed on Thursday for re-election in Fishers' northwest district, an area she has represented for four years.

As a councilor, Stoller has been a strong advocate for infrastructure improvements. Under her leadership as the 2018 Chair of the City Council Finance Committee and member of the Planning Commission, the Council oversaw extensive road improvements throughout the city. Improved areas include Conner Knoll Parkway, Allisonville Road and Lantern Road.

"A key part of making Fishers a great place to live, work and play is maintaining infrastructure," said Stoller. "These road improvements are essential to keeping up with the growing population of our city."

In her next term, Stoller says she will prioritize investing in aging infrastructure throughout the city, including improvements to Allisonville

Road and State Road 37. She says also plans to pursue ways the city can partner with neighborhoods to promote community upkeep and beautification.

Another priority for Stoller is to improve services and amenities for senior citizens and retirees in the community. "We must be dedicated to our seniors. I look forward to advocating for state-of-the-art living spaces and facilities for Fishers' older generations," said Stoller.

Through her last four years on the Council, Stoller has been a key supporter of Hoosiers with disabilities. She is a member of the finance committee of INvest-ABLE Indiana, which helps individuals with disabilities save while preserving their SSI and Medicaid benefits. She also advocates for those with disabilities as a board member of Janus Developmental Services, an organization that provides needed services and job training to

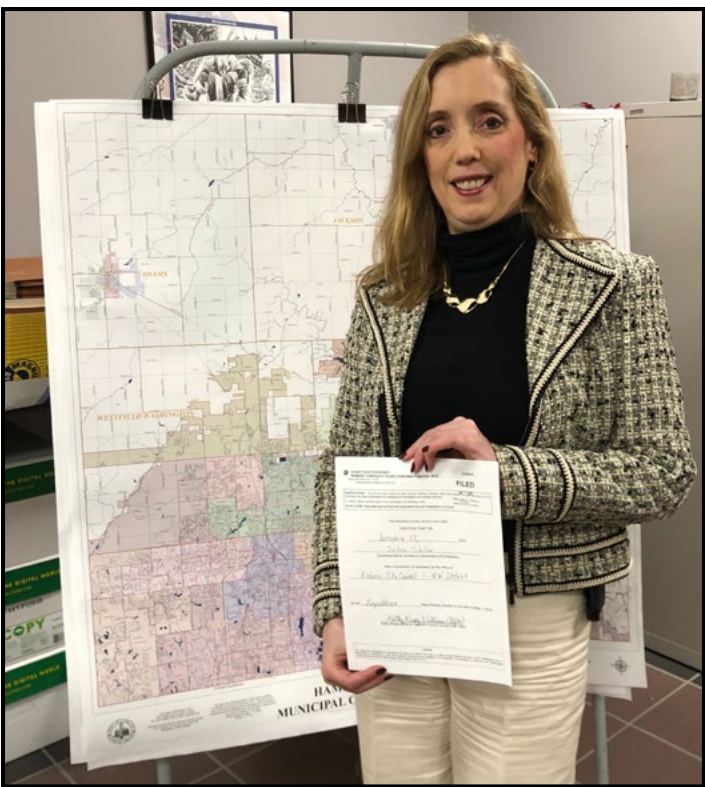


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disabled Hoosiers.

Stoller is Vice President of Business Development and Marketing at Summit Consumer Receivables Acquisi-

tions. She holds an M.B.A. from Western Governors University and a B.S. in Electrical Engineering. She has lived in Fishers for 19 years.

Fishers City Councilor Rich Block files for re-election

The REPORTER

Richard Block, one of Fishers' three at-large city councilors, filed for re-election on Thursday.

Currently serving as Vice President of the City Council, Block has been instrumental in Fishers' growth and economic development successes in recent years. He serves on the Fishers Planning Commission and has been a leader of the 2040 Fishers Comprehensive Development Plan to promote sustainable growth and maintain the city's vibrancy.

"As the city of Fishers grows, we need to make sure our infrastructure, city services and quality of life keep pace," Block said. "I look forward to continue serving our community and striving to make Fishers a prime destination to build a career and raise a family."

Block says his priorities going forward include continuing to enhance downtown Fishers, investing in the city's infrastructure and making quality of life improvements for residents, such as development of the Nickel Plate pedestrian trail.

On the Council, Block has also been a strong advocate for public safety and supporting Fishers' first responders. He was a founding board member of the Fifty Club of Fishers, a non-profit that provides supplemental life insurance and disability benefits to city firefighters and police officers who are injured or killed in the line of duty.



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Block is president and owner of Paragon Realty and is a U.S. Air Force veteran. He and his wife, Betsy, have four grown children, John Michael, Will, Chris and Leila. Block also coaches youth sports and is a past president of the HSE SPORTS Corporation.

Mike Davis announces run for Noblesville Common Council

The REPORTER

Mike Davis, lifelong Noblesville resident, business owner and local leader, has officially filed to run for Noblesville Common Council, District 1. This will be Davis' first run for public office.

"I am running for Noblesville City Council because I truly love Noblesville," said Davis. "I've been ingrained in Noblesville for my entire life. It's time for me to give back. It's time for me to serve. Every day I count my blessings, and I'm thankful to live in one of America's greatest cities."

Davis plans to focus on Noblesville's growing city through:

- Making public safety the number one priority – in schools, neighborhoods, parks, downtown and throughout the city.
- Building a brighter future by making sound financial decisions, proactive and proper planning and respecting the past while making decisions for a successful city.
- Focusing on roads, parking and traffic, making sure the current and future infrastructure will support a growing population.

Davis will accomplish these three areas of focus by being fiscally responsible, using his business skills and experience, hard-working values and involving the feedback from Noblesville citizens.

Davis grew up in Noblesville, went to Noblesville Schools, and then came back



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to live in Noblesville after graduating from Ball State University. He went on to work for his father's Noblesville's company, Davis-Haslam Inc., which opened in 1974. Eventually, Davis bought his father's company and has ran it for the last 25 years. Davis-Haslam Inc. is a manufacturer's rep agency that sells wholesale fasteners.

Community involvement is a strong passion for Davis. Throughout the years, Davis has been on boards for the Noblesville Elementary Football League, Hamilton County Fifty Club and North Harbor HOA. Currently, Davis is the President of the Noblesville Redevelopment Authority Board.

Davis married his wife, Bobbi, in 1991. They have three adult children, Karli, Jake and Hank, all Noblesville Schools graduates. The family has lived in North Harbor for 25 years. Davis has enjoyed coaching Varsity football at Noblesville High School and is a big supporter of the Boys & Girls Club of Noblesville and the Hamilton County Humane Society.

Candidate filings for 2019 municipal primary elections as of Thursday, Jan. 17

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Town Council, District 3
Doug Grishaw (Republican)
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Brian G. Poindexter (Republican)
Angela (Angie) Swenson (Republican)
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Bruce Kimball (Republican)
City Council, Northeast District (District 2)
Sue Finkam (Republican)
City Council Southeast District (District 3)
Adam Aasen (Republican)
City Council, North District (District 4)
Laura D. Campbell (Republican)
City Council, Southwest District (District 5)
Matt Milam (Republican)
City Council, West District (District 6)
Debra Minott (Republican)
Miles Nelson (Democrat)
City Council, At Large
Ron Carter (Republican)
Kevin Woody Rider (Republican)
Jeff Worrell (Republican)
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Eric Moeller (Republican)
City Council, Northeast
Brad DeReamer (Republican)
City Council, Northwest
Mike Colby (Republican)
Selina Stoller (Republican)
City Council, Southwest
David C. George (Republican)
City Council, Southeast
Pete Peterson (Republican)
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Christopher Jensen (Republican)
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City Council, District 6
Megan G. Wiles (Republican)
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Darren Peterson (Republican)
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Jim Ake (Republican)

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TODAY’S BIBLE READING

And Jesus returned in the power of the Spirit into Galilee: and there went out a fame of him through all the region round about. And he taught in their synagogues, being glorified of all. And he came to Nazareth, where he had been brought up: and, as his custom was, he went into the synagogue on the sabbath day, and stood up for to read. And there was delivered unto him the book of the prophet Esaias. And when he had opened the book, he found the place where it was written, The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he hath anointed me to preach the gospel to the poor; he hath sent me to heal the brokenhearted, to preach deliverance to the captives, and recovering of sight to the blind, to set at liberty them that are bruised, To preach the acceptable year of the Lord. And he closed the book, and he gave it again to the minister, and sat down. And the eyes of all them that were in the synagogue were fastened on him.

Luke 4:14-20 (KJV)

Robert Victor Rothrock IV June 6, 1980 – January 10, 2019

Robert Victor Rothrock IV, 38, Noblesville, passed away on Thursday, January 10, 2019 at his home in Noblesville. He was born on June 6, 1980 to Robert and Rebecca (Russell) Rothrock in Indianapolis.

Robbie worked for BJ Brewhouse, Harbour Trees Golf Club and Bridgewater Golf Club as a chef. He loved children and animals, especially dogs and cats. Robbie liked to work with his hands and was very artistic and creative. He had a very big heart and was like a big teddy bear. Robbie was a fan of the Colts, the Hoosiers and the Cubs. He loved his daughter, Addi, very much.

He is survived by his father, Robert V. (Gail) Rothrock III; daughter, Addison Selvy; sister, Stacy (Mike) Ambler; brother, Adam (Ashley Sessions) Rothrock; nieces and nephews, Jacob and Evelyn Ambler, Olivia Rothrock and Emma Lewis; cousins, Kim and Andy Fitzpatrick, Ryan and Angela Miller, and Zach and Amy Day; aunts and uncles, Roberta Miller, Jim Miller and Tom (Judy) Rothrock.

In addition to his mother, he was preceded in death by his grandparents, Patty and Bob Russell and Norma and Robert Rothrock, Sr.

Services will be held at 4 p.m. on Saturday, January 19, 2019 at Randall & Roberts Funeral Center, 1685 Westfield Road, Noblesville, with Pastor Frank Fehsenfeld officiating. Visitation will be from 1 p.m. to the time of service at the funeral home.

Memorial contributions may be made to the college fund for Robbie's daughter: State Farm 529 Savings Plan, c/o Addison Selvy, P.O. Box 419096, Kansas City, MO 64179-9951.



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Girls basketball

Huskies fall to Yorktown, travel to Benton Central tonight

The Hamilton Heights girls basketball team is in the midst of one of its busier stretches in recent history, as the Huskies are playing four games in five days this week.

Heights won its first two games, but lost the third one Thursday night, falling to Yorktown 47-40 in a home contest. The Tigers led 11-5 after the first quarter, with Bayleigh Runner scoring all five of the Huskies' points.

Yorktown led 19-9 late in the second period before Hailey Champion made a floater to cut it to 19-11; that would be the halftime score. Heights played even with the Tigers in the second half, but just couldn't get all the way back.

"We have all sorts of excuses that we could make," said Huskies coach Keegan Cherry. "This being our third game in four days." But the coach pointed to Heights' struggles from long range - the Huskies made only 1 of 24 3-point attempts - and not having "the toughness to get the ball inside, trying to score inside and get fouled."

"When you're not making shots, that's the result," said Cherry. "We did battle, we didn't quit, and I'm confident I'd like to play them again in sectional."

Runner led Heights with 16 points and also handed out four assists. Laurny Wiley collected seven rebounds.

The Huskies are 10-10 and will finish up their week with a road trip to Benton Central tonight. Heights will play the Class 3A No. 4 Bison in the third-place game of the Hoosier Conference playoffs; tip-off is at 8 p.m.

"Benton Central's really good," said Cherry. "That's going to be a huge challenge for us, and that'd be our fourth game in five nights. We can make all kinds of excuses and feel sorry for ourselves, or we can go up there and compete and try to get better this last week or so before the tournament."



Reporter photo by Richie Hall

Hamilton Heights coach Keegan Cherry talks with his team right before the start of the fourth quarter during the Huskies' girls basketball game with Yorktown on Thursday.

Laurny Wiley	4-11	0-0	8	4
Abby Christiansen	0-0	0-0	0	3
Mykayla Moran	2-3	1-2	5	0
Hailey Champion	1-1	0-0	2	0
Chloe Henderson	0-0	1-2	1	0
Totals	13-46	13-16	40	15
Score by Quarters				
Yorktown	11	8	12	16 - 47
Heights	5	6	12	17 - 40
Heights 3-point shooting (1-24) Runner 1-11,				
Osswald 0-5, Wiley 0-5, Dissett 0-3.				
Heights rebounds (22) Wiley 7, Osswald 4,				
Runner 3, Dissett 3, Christiansen 3, Henderson				
1, Moran 1.				

'Blazers drop high-scoring game to Tri-West

A battle of two of Indiana's highest



McGuire

scoring teams lived up to the billing as Tri-West held on for a 71-70 win over University in front of a raucous Senior Night crowd at The U Center.

Senior Jhordan McGuire bulled her way to a season-high 27 points to pace the Trailblazers. Senior Jenna Blakley had 12

and juniors Lindsey Syrek (12) and Maddi Sears (11) also reached double figures for University. Syrek just missed her third triple-double of the week, pulling down 13 rebounds and blocking eight shots.

University trailed 64-55 with 3:30 left in the game before mounting a furious comeback that came up just short. Syrek scored with 3:17 left and after a defensive stop by the Blazers, Sears drilled a three pointer from the top of the key to bring University within 64-60 with 2:32 left. A pair of Tri-West free throws restored a six point lead before McGuire was fouled going to the basket. After making her seventh free throw of the night, McGuire missed her first of the night, but the Blazers controlled the rebound. Blakley was fouled and made both free throws with 1:51 left to get University

within 63-66.

Tri-West missed the front end of a one-and-one with 1:13 left. Blakley's three point attempt with a minute remaining rimmed out. The Bruins made both ends of a one-and-one before Sears drilled another three pointer with 33 seconds left to get University within 68-66. The Blazers quickly fouled Tri-West senior Maggie Cora with 30 seconds and the Bruins' leading scorer made both foul shots.

McGuire scored with 27 seconds left to cut the lead to 70-68. Carli Wilson made the first of two free throws with 12 seconds left for a 71-68 lead, but missed the second. McGuire corralled the rebound and went coast to coast for lay-in with 3.9 seconds remaining and University used their last time out. The Bruins inbounded the ball on a deep pass and ran out the clock.

The first quarter was a see-saw affair with the Bruins leading 19-16 at the end of opening period. The second quarter was a period of runs. University scored the first eight points of the quarter. McGuire found Haley Tomlinson for an easy basket. McGuire made two foul shots, Blakley scored and Syrek made two free throws and University led 24-19. After a Tri-West three pointer, baskets by McGuire and Syrek gave University their largest lead at 28-22.

Tri-West started a decisive 15-2 run to close the half but hitting three consecutive three pointers and a 31-28 lead. Blakley's three tied the game before another Tri-West three pointer with 57 seconds left in the half gave the Bruins the lead for good. Tri-West led 37-31 at the break and stretched their lead to 54-46 after three quarters

Cora led Tri-West with 23 points while freshman Kenna Kirby had 19 and Wilson added 15. Kirby made five of Tri-West's 10 three pointers.

University played without senior point guard Brooke Andrus, out with an injury.

The Class 1A third-ranked Trailblazers end the regular season at 19-2 and will play in Sectional 58 at Bethesda Christian in two weeks. The state tournament draw will be held Sunday.

Tri-West improved to 15-5.
Turn to Page 8 for a boxscore.

Yorktown 47, Hamilton Heights 40

Heights	FG	FT	TP	PF
Jillian Osswald	0-8	4-5	4	3
Bayleigh Runner	5-17	5-5	16	4
Payton Dissett	1-6	2-2	4	1

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Big second quarter sends Mavericks past Blackhawks

Sheridan held an early lead on McCutcheon Thursday, but the Mavericks took over in the second quarter and eventually won 64-38 at Hobbs Memorial Hall.

The Blackhawks were up 19-15 after the first quarter, with Heather Barker scoring eight points. But McCutcheon dominated the second period, allowing Sheridan only four points while scoring 23. The Mavericks led 38-23 at halftime, then outscored the 'Hawks 26-15 in the second half.

Barker wound up with 12 points, while Jillian O'Flaherty scored seven; both made two 3-pointers. Olivia Raines pulled five rebounds, and Berkley Williams made four steals.

Sheridan is 9-10 and will host Rossville Tuesday in its final Hoosier Heartland Conference game of the season.

McCutcheon 64, Sheridan 38

Sheridan	FG	FT	TP	PF
Heather Barker	4-10	2-4	12	1
Holly Barker	1-2	0-0	2	2
Olivia Raines	2-5	0-0	4	3
Jillian O'Flaherty	2-6	1-2	7	1
Allie Delph	2-7	1-2	5	1
Taylor Bates	0-1	0-0	0	1
Berkley Williams	1-3	0-1	3	0
Lillie Dickerson	1-3	0-0	2	0
Sierra Duke	0-0	0-0	0	0
Katy Crail	1-3	0-0	3	0
Riley Reed	0-1	0-0	0	0
Totals	14-41	4-9	38	9
Score by Quarters				
McCutcheon	15	23	14	12 - 64
Sheridan	19	4	8	7 - 38
Sheridan 3-point shooting (6-21) O'Flaherty 2-6, He. Barker 2-6, Crail 1-3, Williams 1-2, Delph 0-2, Dickerson 0-2.				
Sheridan rebounds (20) Raines 5, Delph 3, He. Barker 3, Williams 3, O'Flaherty 2, Ho. Barker 2, Bates 2.				



Reporter photo by Kirk Green

Sheridan's Heather Barker takes a shot during the Blackhawks' game with McCutcheon Thursday at Hobbs Memorial Hall.

Wrestling

Golden Eagles fall to Heights, beat Purdue Polytechnic

The Guerin Catholic wrestling team split two meets on Thursday. and Robert Sapienza both received forfeits.

The Golden Eagles dropped an all-county meet with Hamilton Heights 61-15. The Huskies won 11 of the 14 matches, with Josh Meyer, Dreiken Dunn, Noah Lawson, Grant Cain and Joe Mayo all getting pins. Bobby Williams won his match by technical fall, while Isaiah Rodriguez was a winner by decision at 106 pounds. Cole Cowan, Caleb Jones, Alex Kraus and Alex Naylor all received forfeits.

Winners for the Golden Eagles were Jon Koscal and Jeff Dunasky, both by fall, and Brayden Hall by a major decision.

Guerin Catholic then defeated Purdue Polytechnic 54-24. The Golden Eagles won 10 matches, forfeiting the other four.

Winning by fall were Luke Tabor, Dunasky, Zach Sutton, Ben Batchelder, Max Fallin and Clay Patton. Koscal and Hall each got decision victories, while Alex Hubbard

Hamilton Heights 61, Guerin Catholic 15	
Meet started at 106 pounds	
106:	Isaiah Rodriguez (HH) def. Clay Patton (GC) by dec., 8-2
113:	Cole Cowan (HH) won by forfeit
120:	Jon Koscal (GC) def. Chazz Hitt (HH) by fall, 1:06
126:	Josh Meyer (HH) def. Luke Tabor (GC) by fall, 2:25
132:	Caleb Jones (HH) won by forfeit
138:	Alex Kraus (HH) won by forfeit
145:	Jeff Dunasky (GC) def. Cooper Mansfield (HH) by tech fall, 20-5
152:	Dreiken Dunn (HH) def. Zach Sutton (GC) by fall, 1:21
160:	Bobby Williams (HH) def. Ben Batchelder (GC) by tech fall, 15-1
170:	Brayden Hall (GC) def. Riley Clanin by major dec., 12-4
182:	Noah Lawson (HH) def. Alex Hubbard (GC) by fall, 1:29
195:	Grant Cain (HH) def. Max Fallia (GC) by fall, 4:47

Guerin Catholic 54, Purdue Polytechnic 24	
Meet started at 113 pounds	
113:	Guerin Catholic forfeited
120:	Jon Koscal def. Miller by dec., 4-0
126:	Luke Tabor def. Calderon by fall, 3:56
132:	Guerin Catholic forfeited
138:	Guerin Catholic forfeited
145:	Jeff Dunasky def. Ramos by fall, 2:28
152:	Zach Sutton def. Murillo by fall, 1:12
160:	Ben Batchelder def. Gomez by fall, 2:45
170:	Brayden Hall def. Myers 9-6
182:	Alex Hubbard won by forfeit
195:	Max Fallin def. Robinson by fall, 0:56
220:	Robert Sapienza won by forfeit
285:	Guerin Catholic forfeited
106:	Clay Patton def. DeWald by fall, 1:10

Middle school basketball results

The Noblesville East Middle School boys basketball team was swept by Westfield on Tuesday. The Shamrocks won the "A" game 50-24 and the "B" game 40-13. On Wednesday, NEMS dropped two games to Fishers, falling in the "A" game 51-36 and the "B" game 40-18.

University girls basketball boxscore

Tri-West 71, University 70		Jhordan McGuire	10	7-8	27	4
		Lucy Snyder	2	0-0	4	2
		Haley Tomlison	1	0-0	2	0
		Hallie Harrison	0	0-0	0	1
		Jenna Blakley	4	2-2	12	2
		Totals	27	11-13	70	17
		Score by Quarters				
		Tri-West	19	18	17	17 - 71
		University	16	15	15	24 - 70
		University 3-pointers (5) Sears 3, Blakley 2.				
University	FG	FT	TP	PF		
Lindsey Syrek	5	2-3	12	3		
Lily Snyder	1	0-0	2	4		
Maddi Sears	4	0-0	11	1		

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Charlotte 114, Sacramento 95		L.A. Lakers 138, Oklahoma City 128, OT	
Philadelphia 120, Indiana 96			

Eastern Conference				
Atlantic	W	L	PCT.	GB
Toronto	34	13	.723	-
Philadelphia	30	16	.652	3.5
Boston	26	18	.591	6.5
Brooklyn	23	23	.500	10.5
New York	10	34	.227	22.5
Central	W	L	PCT.	GB
Milwaukee	32	12	.727	-
Indiana	29	15	.659	3.0
Detroit	19	24	.442	12.5
Chicago	10	35	.222	22.5
Cleveland	9	36	.200	23.5
Southeast	W	L	PCT.	GB
Miami	21	21	.500	-
Charlotte	21	23	.477	1.0
Orlando	19	25	.432	3.0
Washington	19	26	.422	3.5
Atlanta	14	30	.318	8.0

Western Conference				
Northwest	W	L	PCT.	GB
Denver	30	14	.682	-
Oklahoma City	26	18	.591	4.0
Portland	27	19	.587	4.0
Utah	25	21	.543	6.0
Minnesota	21	23	.477	9.0
Pacific	W	L	PCT.	GB
Golden State	31	14	.689	-
L.A. Clippers	24	20	.545	6.5
L.A. Lakers	25	21	.543	6.5
Sacramento	23	22	.511	8.0
Phoenix	11	35	.238	20.5
Southwest	W	L	PCT.	GB
Houston	25	19	.568	-
San Antonio	26	20	.565	-
New Orleans	21	24	.467	4.5
Dallas	20	24	.455	5.0
Memphis	19	25	.432	6.0

Millers swimming wins its Senior Night meet

The Noblesville swim team swept Herron in its Senior Night meet on Thursday.

The Millers girls won 138-28, winning all 11 events. Emma Snyder was a double winner in the individual medley and backstroke. Also getting event victories were Sammy Huff (200 freestyle), Claire Yeakey (50 free), Sophie Resner (butterfly), Caitlin Marshall (100 free), Gillian Cripe (500 free), Elizabeth Mulanax (breaststroke) and all three relays.

Noblesville's boys won 146-29, winning all 12 events. Getting double victories were Jack Wolfred in the 200 free and backstroke, Cameron Kramer in the 50 free and breaststroke, and Isaac Stephan in the IM and 500 free.

Other winners were Jared Newman in diving, Ty Cox in the butterfly, Nick Beeson in the 100 free and all three relays.

GIRLS MEET
Team score: Noblesville 138, Herron 28
200 medley relay: 1. Noblesville "A" (Jordan Cooley, Sammy Huff, Caitlin Marshall, Abby Harvey) 1:52.89, 2. Noblesville "B" (Kyra Smythe, Fiona Halvorsen, Ava Wettrick, Katie Witte) 2:04.39, 3. Noblesville "C" (Rochelle Santerre, Elizabeth Mulanax, Ella Setmeyer, Emma Snyder) 2:08.95.
200 freestyle: 1. Huff 1:59.72, 2. Harvey 2:05.72, 3. Setmeyer 2:12.16.
200 individual medley: 1. Snyder 2:28.77, 2. Tina Berger 2:29.02, 3. Emily DeCocq 2:35.74.
50 freestyle: 1. Claire Yeakey 26.93, 2. Sydney Peck 27.14, 3. Cooley 27.24.
100 butterfly: 1. Sophie Resner 1:03.23, 2. Wettrick 1:05.74, 3. Lauren Motz 1:10.51.
100 freestyle: 1. Marshall 55.56, 2. Yeakey 59.19, 3. Setmeyer 1:01.81.
500 freestyle: 1. Gillian Cripe 5:30.97, 2. Reagan Hart 5:53.93, 3. Halvorsen 5:58.17.
200 freestyle relay: 1. Noblesville "A" (Yeakey, Cooley, Peck, Setmeyer) 1:50.38, 2. Noblesville "B" (Smythe, Witte, Wettrick, Cripe) 1:56.35, 4. Noblesville "D" (Tailynn Denton, Katie Reel, Maddie Reel, Kasandra Rosa) 2:20.52.
100 backstroke: 1. Snyder 1:07.61, 3. Santerre 1:11.85, 4. Katie Kramer 1:16.92.



Photo by Bret Richardson

The Noblesville swim team honored its seniors during the Millers' meet with Herron on Thursday.

100 breaststroke: 1. Mulanax 1:18.19, 2. Corissa Everhart 1:21.86, 3. Rebecca Dillon 1:22.30.
400 freestyle relay: 1. Noblesville "A" (Huff, Cripe, Harvey, Marshall) 3:48.18, 2. Noblesville "B" (Resner, Berger, Peck, DeCocq) 4:00.38, 3. Noblesville "C" (Allie Matthews, Christian Mathis, Everhart, Motz) 4:28.50.
BOYS MEET
Team score: Noblesville 146, Herron 29
200 medley relay: 1. Noblesville "A" (Cameron Kramer, Isaac Stephan, Will Huff, Nick Beeson) 1:46.78, 2. Noblesville "B" (Wesley Mathis, Justin DuBois, Andy Buna, Aidan Haney) 1:52.78.

200 freestyle: 1. Jack Wolfred 1:50.69, 2. Casey Akers 2:01.83, 3. Joseph Gassensmith 2:08.96.
200 individual medley: 1. Stephan 2:12.11, 3. Ty Cox 2:18.31, 4. Buna 2:23.44.
50 freestyle: 1. Kramer 23.61, 2. Huff 23.92, 3. Noah Thurber 29.06.
One-meter diving: 1. Jared Newman 216.60, 2. Josh Lovett 166.05, 3. Ian Gibbons 132.80, 4. AJ Hindley 130.35.
100 butterfly: 1. Cox 1:02.05, 2. Mathis 1:04.06, 4. Haney 1:08.46.
100 freestyle: 1. Beeson 50.96, 2. DuBois 54.83, 3. Thurber 1:06.98.

500 freestyle: 1. Stephan 5:20.35, 2. Buna 5:35.43, 3. Gassensmith 5:44.36.
200 freestyle relay: 1. Noblesville "A" (Kramer, Huff, DuBois, Beeson) 1:37.93, 3. Noblesville (Gibbons, Holden Hoffman, Lovett, Thurber) 2:16.20.
100 backstroke: 1. Wolfred 58.65, 2. Mathis 1:02.72, 3. Akers 1:10.92.
100 breaststroke: 1. Kramer 1:07.64, 3. Huff 1:11.58, 4. Haney 1:31.66.
400 freestyle relay: 1. Noblesville "A" (Beeson, Cox, Mathis, Wolfred) 3:34.76, 2. Noblesville "B" (Akers, Stephan, Buna, DuBois) 3:54.02.

Pacers overwhelmed by Philadelphia, 120-96

By WHEAT HOTCHKISS
Courtesy nba.com/pacers

The Indiana Pacers had an opportunity to make a statement on Thursday night. They were playing on national television with Pacers legend Reggie Miller in the building and hosting a heralded Philadelphia 76ers team chasing them in the Eastern Conference standings.

Things didn't go as planned for the Pacers on Thursday, however. Philadelphia (30-16) made 18 3-pointers and had three players surpass the 20-point plateau in a 120-96 victory over Indiana (29-15) at Bankers Life Fieldhouse.

With the win, Philadelphia tied the Pacers for third place in the Eastern Conference standings, though the Pacers remain a game ahead in the loss column. More importantly, though, the Sixers took a 2-1 lead in the regular season series with Indiana and host the remaining game on March 10, giving them a leg up in a potential head-to-head tiebreaker scenario.

Jimmy Butler led Philadelphia with 27 points on 10-of-17 shooting, five rebounds, and eight assists in the victory. Joel Embiid

added 20 points, 13 boards, and eight assists, while JJ Redick added 20 points while going 6-for-9 from 3-point range and dished out five assists.

Thaddeus Young led the Pacers with 27 points in the loss on 11-of-17 shooting. All-Star guard Victor Oladipo joined him in double figures with 15 points and seven assists, but struggled with his shot, converting just 6-of-20 shots.

"They kicked our (butt)," Oladipo said. "There's no other way around it. They just kicked our (butt) every which way from start to finish."

The Pacers took an early 7-0 lead, holding Philadelphia scoreless on seven straight possessions to open the game. The Sixers eventually found their stroke, however, taking their first lead on Landry Shamet's 3-pointer 7:44 into the game.

Myles Turner had a strong first quarter, scoring six points and pulling down eight rebounds, but Indiana shot just 34.6 percent in the opening frame and trailed 28-25 heading into the second.

Tyreke Evans provided a nice spark off the bench for the Blue & Gold in the second

quarter, scoring nine points in eight minutes off the bench.

But it was the Sixers who took a 54-48 lead into the break, thanks to nine 3-pointers in the opening half, including a triple by Redick with 4.3 seconds left in the half.

Philadelphia reeled off eight unanswered points — bookended by two Redick three's with an Embiid layup sandwiched in between — to make it a 66-55 game under four minutes into the third quarter.

Embiid and Butler helped the visitors maintain their lead before Redick tossed in an off-balanced three with 33.3 seconds left in the frame and then T.J. McConnell converted a running layup with 3.5 seconds left to give the Sixers an 86-71 advantage heading into the fourth.

"(Redick) definitely suits them very well," Oladipo said. "They do a great job of screening and getting him open."

Philadelphia extended its lead to 18 points early in the fourth quarter. The Pacers responded by reeling off 10 unanswered points to make it an eight-point game with eight minutes remaining, but Embiid and Mike Muscala made 3-pointers on the next

two Sixers possessions to quiet the home crowd and essentially put the game away.

"Our defense was trash," Young said. "We didn't get any stops when we needed to and we didn't do anything very well."

Evans was the third and final Pacers player in double figures, finishing with 13 points on 6-of-14 shooting. Turner made just one field goal on five attempts, but did manage to tally eight points, 12 rebounds, three blocks, and three steals.

Ben Simmons flirted with a triple-double for Philadelphia, finishing with 11 points, eight rebounds, and eight assists in a supporting role.

The loss resonated in the Pacers locker room, particularly because it came on a national stage.

"I think we wanted it really bad," Oladipo said. "We might have wanted it too much."

Indiana continues a five-game home-stand by hosting the Dallas Mavericks on Saturday night at 7 p.m., then welcomes the Charlotte Hornets on the second half of a back-to-back on Sunday evening at 6 p.m.

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