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Photo courtesy of Crossroads League
Indiana Wesleyan university won its third straight Crossroads League tournament, to go with its regular season championship. The Wildcats will set their sights on the NAIA championship next. See story, page 8.

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CALENDAR

Thursday, March 5
9:30 am—Consumer Education Day, Grant County 4-H Fairgrounds, 1403 E. State Road 18, Marion. Purdue Extension in Grant County, in cooperation with Grant County Extension Homemakers, will offer three educational sessions: “Tips for Preventing Dementia,” “Funky Foods,” and “How To Avoid Scams.” Immediately after the last session, Connections IN Health Team Members Karen Hinshaw and Antonia Sawyer will talk about community involvement and interest in collaborating on future goals addressing chronic disease specifically related to diabetes, cardiovascular disease, stroke, obesity, asthma, and lung cancer. All sessions are free and open to the public. No pre-registration required. Info: 765-651-2413.

10:30 am—Sensory Tales, Marion Public Library and Museum, 600 S Washington St. Free. Info.: Ty-lanna Jones, 765-668-2900, ext 105, tjones@marion.lib.in.us

5 pm—The Historic Marion Neighborhood Meeting, Marion Public Library, 600 S. Washington St., Marion. Feel free to attend if you live / work in our historic downtown neighborhood; South of the Mississinewa river until 10th Street and East of Nebraska Street until Shunk Street. Free. Info: 765-382-3797.

6 pm—Nature Art Designs at Salamonie Lake, Salamonie Reservoir, 9214 W. Lost Bridge West, Matthews. Nature and art, the perfect combination! Bring a friend, enjoy a snack, and design your own memento with the guidance of local stained glass artist Katy Gray. Create a bee, a red-tailed hawk, or a box turtle. Project requires attendance at

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Habitat dedicates home on Washington St.

by Ed Breen
Rachele Resnover admits she is an emotional person. On Friday afternoon, when she was given the keys to her new home and held them in her hand, she shed a tear and said a prayer.

Resnover—surrounded by her family, some friends and people from the Grant County Habitat for Humanity project—took possession of the modest, newly refurbished home at 1818 S. Washington St. Earlier in the afternoon she had signed the pile of papers that granted her a mortgage on the home, a condition of acceptance for a Habitat for Humanity home.

“It’s very important to know that Habitat for Humanity doesn’t give anyone a free house,” said Brit-tany Howey, president of the Grant County chapter of the national organization that has built thousands of houses and draws considerable publicity from the participation of former President Jimmy Carter. “The

people who buy Habitat houses buy at a purchase price at appraised value,” Howey said.

The house completed last week is the first for the Marion group since September 2017 and is the first of two to be done this year. The other is to be a new construction in Sweetser.

The house that will be home for Resnover, her daughter and her daughter’s friend, was an existing single-story house that required extensive construction work. Resnover herself participated. She contributed an estimated 140 hours of work, alongside volunteers from Habitat for Humanity.

On Friday, as snow flurries swirled around the house and the group gathered in front, Renover cut a ceremonial ribbon with assistance from Habitat volunteers. Rev. Mike Henson, pastor of Bethel Worship Center in Marion, offered a prayer on behalf of the family and the Habitat volunteers.



Photo by Ed Breen
Rachele Resnover glances at Rev. Mike Hanson as he delivers a prayer of thanksgiving Friday afternoon. Resnover took title to the house at 1818 S. Washington St. as a participant in Habitat for Humanity in Marion.

NY Times best-selling author to visit Justice students

by Alan Miller
Kari Milford Persinger’s lifetime love affair with books has sent her on a two-year journey to share that passion with the almost 550 students who attend Justice Intermediate School.

Persinger’s journey will reach its destination the week of March 14, when students at Justice participate in a community-wide Giant Reading Program that is built around a novel by a New York Times best-selling author.

“This program stemmed from my desire to find new ways to get students excited about reading,” said Persinger, who has been the Justice librarian for six years. “I am

the youngest of 10 children in my family, so there always were a lot of books around the house. I loved to read.”

Persinger is the daughter of Lila Milford, who served on the Marion Public Library board for many years, and the late Robert Milford, a Marion lawyer. “My mom also served on the National Library Board, and she always was looking for ideas at national meetings to bring back to the Marion library,” she said.

The Giant Reading Program is centered on a single book that all fifth- and sixth-grade students at Justice read. The book, written by Kimberly Brubaker Bradley, a Fort Wayne native who now lives in Ten-

nessee, is titled *The War That Saved My Life*.

The book is an historical children’s novel about a girl who was born with a clubfoot and her struggles during the World War II era. The book was chosen after two committees, one consisting of students and the other consisting of teachers, reviewed several possible choices. “*The War That Saved My Life* was the resounding favorite,” Persinger said.

Various education classes at Indiana Wesleyan University, book study groups at the Marion Public Library and a few community leaders also read the book.

“Hopefully, this book gave you all

inspiration, gave you all an understanding of how strong you really are, and the amazing things you can accomplish even as fifth and sixth graders,” Anthony Horton, area director of the Boys and Girls Club of Grant County, wrote in a letter to the Justice students.

Lisa Dominisse, President and CEO of Family Service Society, told the Justice students: “There were parts of the book that were really tough to read because we have kiddos who experience child abuse like Ada and Jamie did in the book. While the book was written with a World War II timeframe, it was rel-

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INDIANA QUIZ

1. Name the official state flower of Indiana.
2. What is the official motto for Indiana?
3. In 2018, Indiana adopted a state insect. Name the bright little bug which received that designation.

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DEATHS

Walter A. “Bootie” Riddle
1947-2020
Funeral services were held at Needham-Storey-Wampner, North Chapel, on Wednesday, February 26 at 1 pm.

Ann Willey
1938-2020
Funeral services were held at Needham-Storey-Wampner, Storey Chapel, on Tuesday, March 3 at 1 pm.

Janet A. Thompson
1932-2020
Funeral services were held at Trinity International Church, Marion, on Tuesday, March 3 at 10 am.

Lawrence “Larry” Seats
1959-2020
In accordance with Seats’ wishes, no formal services will be held.

Richard L. Harrell
1947-2020
Funeral services were held at Armes-Hunt Funeral Home, Upland, on Sunday, March 1 at 3 pm.

Michael “Mike” D. Kelley
1939-2020
Funeral services were held at Mt. Olive United Methodist Church, Marion, on Sunday, March 1 at 4:30 pm.

Janet L. Plummer
1966-2020
In accordance with Plummer’s wishes, no formal services will be held.

Donal “Don” R. Johnson
1926-2020
Visitation will be held at Grace Community Church, Marion, on Thursday, March 5 from 10:30 am to 1 pm. Funeral services will follow at 1 pm.

These are abbreviated death notices, provided by the funeral services. Full obituaries are available; ask your funeral director.

Christ’s legacy of peace to us—part 2

Philippians 4:7

Christ showed His power to His followers in different ways. Christ was a true Miracle Worker. During the course of His public ministry Jesus did many amazing things. There are 36 recorded miracles listed in the Gospels. One of my favorites is when they were in the boat and the disciples thought they were going to drown. Jesus simply spoke, and the winds and waves obeyed Him. Jesus, and only Jesus, brings peace that others only promise. One of the greatest things He left us was His peace.

As I ponder the peace of God, I realize His peace has a great influence on each of us, “And the peace of God which passeth all understanding shall keep our hearts and minds through Christ Jesus” (Philippians 4:7). I would like for us to look at four things that represent the effects of God’s Peace:

1. God’s peace keeps our hearts from fear. Psalm 37 is a great analogy of God and fear. It tells us in verse one to “fret not,” which simply means not to worry, or don’t be afraid. There are so many people who are living their lives in fear. Do you understand that worry and fear is from the devil? Satan wants our lives to be in turmoil, but that is not God’s desire for us. God Almighty wants us to experience peace.

There is no reason to fear. Many people have a great fear that someone will break in and do bodily harm to them, but remember, God is still in control. Others are fearful of the way this world is going, but God knows all about that, too. Some are even afraid to die, but if we are living for the Lord, death is a great promotion to life everlasting. Just think: no more sickness, no more pain, no more sorrow, no more tears, and, above all else, no more death. Don’t waste your life living in fear.

2. God’s peace keeps our hearts from ambition. God tells us in His Word, “Be anxious for nothing, but in everything, by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving, let your request be made known unto God” (Philippians 4:6). Our worldly ambitions are the chief cause of trouble. We must never forget that peace satisfies ambition. Let’s not forget that Paul is writing this letter from a dungeon in Rome where he will soon be executed. Paul went on to say in Philippians 4:11 that he had learned to be content, no matter what the circumstances.

3. God’s peace keeps the heart from strife. It seems that we live in a world full of turmoil. The media does its best to picture everything as gloom and doom, but life doesn’t have to be that way. You have probably already figured out I am not a fan of the news, because it is no longer news. If we

4. God’s peace keeps our minds from doubt. As far back as Adam and Eve in the Garden of Eden, the devil was promoting doubt to Eve. Due to his trickery, Adam and Eve were cast out of the Garden. The devil has never ceased to promote doubt in mankind. A man with no doubt is fixed on the Rock.

If you are not presently experiencing God’s peace, you can. If I can help you in any way, I would love to talk to you. May His blessing be upon each of you today.

Tom

Tom Mansbarger is senior pastor of Grace Community Church. He offers free counseling. Reach him at 765. 517. 1187 or tom@graceccmarion.org.



JUST A THOUGHT

Rev. Tom Mansbarger



don’t have God’s peace, we have no contentment. Life doesn’t have to be a struggle.

We need the Neighborhood Preservation Ordinance to improve living

The raw sewage streaming down my curb one warm summer day should have never happened; the property owner should not have taken a sump pump from the basement of the deplorable structure and fix his problem by creating a neighborhood problem.

As soon as we figured out where the sewage from coming from, we called the authorities and they took steps to stop the immediate problem.

I was saddened and, frankly, frustrated, when talking to a resident of the dilapidated structure to find that she was concerned that I intended to make an issue of what I perceived was a health problem: raw sewage filled the basement of the dwelling she inhabited.

She had just moved in and had spent time painting her part of the house, which had been subdivided into apartments some time ago. She didn’t know where she would go if she had to move. Even as I tried to explain to her that her health and wellbeing was important, she begged me to look the other way.

I would like to say the outcome was quick and swift and the house has since been demolished, but that hasn’t happened. That was, in part, the impetus for the discussions around the need for the recently enacted Neighborhood Preservation Ordinance. As a community person, I worked side by side with city officials and city council persons on this ordinance, which has recently received some negative publicity.

As it was presented to the Marion City Council, there were landlords who didn’t want the additional requirements or expectations the ordinance requires. I, however, welcome this additional oversight; I live in an area of Marion where properties that are kept up by homeowners are mixed with housing that has been neglected for too long. The apartment house where my neighbor who asked me not to assist in getting her evicted is one of the latter.

There has been talk about gentrification and who is responsible when someone rents from a landlord who has substandard housing and Code Enforcement declares the property inhabitable, thereby displacing the tenants.

In a perfect world, property owners wouldn’t rent apartments or houses that are substandard. Also in a perfect world, potential tenants would have enough affordable housing options available, that they would never have to settle for housing that doesn’t meet a tenant’s basic needs.

In fairness to landlords, that same perfect world would include tenants who take care of the properties they rent, leaving them in the same or better condition when they decide to move elsewhere.

Alas, we are not in a perfect world. However, I will still champion that it is better that we work towards a

higher standard rather than continue to allow the blight and decay that has been the standard for too long in Marion.

As we work to address both those who struggle paycheck to paycheck just to get by and substandard housing, it begs a larger conversation for our community to address: How do we lift everyone up so that as housing standards improve those impoverished are not left behind?

If we are to make true change that will be sustainable, we must all work together to make systemic change, not just band-aid fixes.

I look to programs like Circles of Grant County, run by my neighbor Andrew Sprock, where the emphasis is working to empower people to permanently move out of poverty and address systems that perpetuate poverty. We must set a standard in our community that says, we are here to help lift you up, we are here to work alongside you and help you improve your quality of life. We will give you a hand up, not a handout.

I understand I may sound like Pollyanna to some, and like I’m wearing rose-colored glasses to others. I

truly believe, however, that the Neighborhood Preservation Ordinance is a start and if we don’t start, we will never get anywhere.

I think the ordinance also legitimately raises the question of what we as a community will do to support and assist those who are displaced by substandard housing. Until we can get through the transition of raising the housing standard and increasing housing stock, we must not turn a blind eye to those in need.

We can accomplish this in various ways, such as supporting those social service agencies that are working to provide long-term solutions and culture changes like Family Service Society, Inc. We can also support those who work daily with the impoverished, providing them with their basic needs—agencies like the St. Martin Community Center, the Grant County Rescue Mission and the Salvation Army, to name a few.

It means working with your local church, neighborhood associations and other community organizations to come up with long-term solutions. It also means continuing to raise the bar and set a standard for our community that says, we will work with you and support you, however, we won’t work any harder than you are willing to work.

For that, I say, let’s start enforcing the Neighborhood Preservation Ordinance and see just how, together, we can improve the quality of life for all of us in Marion and Grant County.



A SLICE OF LIFE

Linda Wilk



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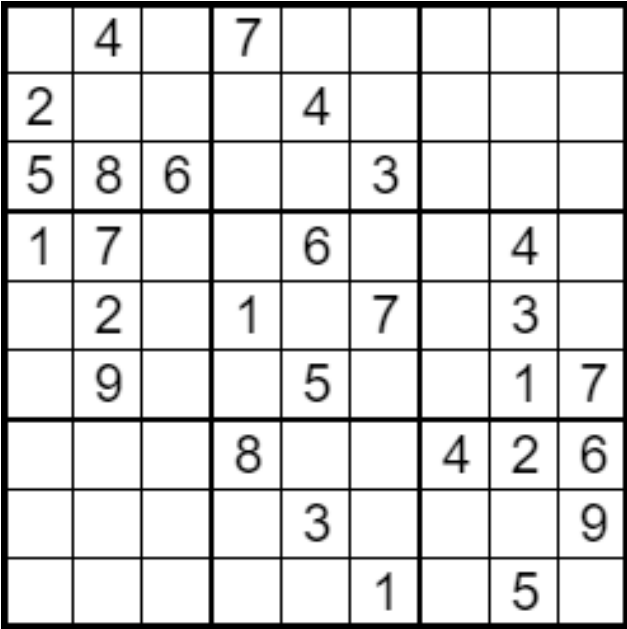
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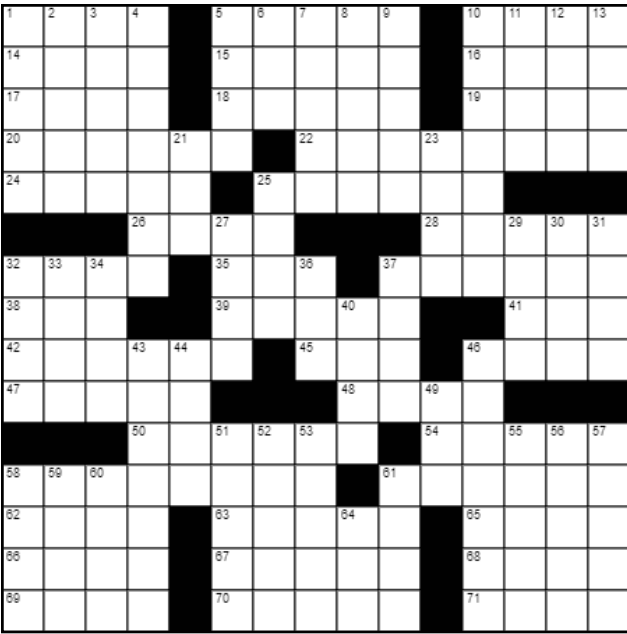
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1. Money
 5. Gaiety
 10. Token taker
 14. It parallels a radius
 15. Sudden forward thrust
 16. Graph prefix
 17. Hwys.
 18. Chicago’s airport
 19. River to the Caspian
 20. Fruit ice
 22. Indication
 24. Perfume compound
 25. Reveals
 26. Switch back?
 28. Utah’s ____ Mountains
 32. Pull down
 35. Grog ingredient
 37. Maintenance
 38. Bigger than med.
 39. At quite an incline
 41. ____ kwon do
 42. Takes care of
 45. Append
 46. Inquires
 47. Out of line
 48. Seemingly forever
 50. Fiddle
 54. Warble
 58. Constituent
 61. Break away
 62. Go sky-high
 63. Old French expression meaning “goodbye”
 65. Hip bones
 66. ____ breve
 67. Fluff, as bangs
 68. Env. notation
 69. Southern address
 70. Conclude by
 71. Final, ultimate

- Down**
1. Swearword
 3. Choir members
 3. Hagar the Horrible’s dog
 4. Person that is no longer popular
 5. Thicken
 6. Come again?
 7. Related on the mother’s side
 8. Heron, usually white
 9. Stagers
 10. Soviet satellite
 11. Pasternak heroine
 12. Like some history
 13. Story
 21. Goof up
 23. Half-mask
 25. Boor
 27. Estimator’s phrase
 29. Takes home
 30. Durable wood
 31. Primates with short tails or no tail
 32. Designer Schiaparelli
 33. Aeon
 34. Stink
 36. Cry ____ River
 37. High hair style
 40. Paradise lost
 43. More than two
 44. Bit of kindling
 46. Reclusive
 49. TV’s “Science Guy”
 51. Pontificate
 52. Weighted down
 53. Greek epic poem
 55. 4th letter of the Greek alphabet
 56. Prepares for publication
 57. Inclined
 58. ____, old chap!
 59. Vincent Lopez’s theme song
 60. Like some orders
 61. Hard fatty tissue
 64. Conductor ____ Pekka Salonen

FEATURES

March 5, 1860

Samuel Luther Thompson was born in Danville. He became one of the best baseball hitters in history. Inducted posthumously into the Hall of Fame in 1974, his RBI per game record still stands.

March 6, 1896

Al G. Field brought his production of “Darkest America” to the Elwood Opera House. This minstrel show was the first to use black actors, some of the best in the nation.

March 7, 1917

Governor James Goodrich signed orders creating a major north-south road called Main Market Highway 1. It



was later named State Road 1 and then US 31.

March 8 1915

The Indiana Historical Commission was formed to organize the observance of the state centennial. The group later became the Indiana Historical Bureau.

March 9, 1902

Will Geer was born in Frankfort, Indiana. Beginning an acting career in

tents and on riverboats, he rose to fame on stage and screen. His most noted role was that of Grandpa Walton in the 1970s TV show, The Waltons.

March 9, 1935

The Rural Electric Membership Corporation was signed into law by Governor Paul V. McNutt, allowing electricity lines to spread to rural areas of the state.

March 10, 2004

Former Indiana Governor Robert D. Orr died at the age of 86. After the governorship (1981-1989), he served three years as U.S. Ambassador to Singapore.

March 10, 2008

John Mellencamp of Seymour was inducted into the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame.

March 11, 1813

An act was approved to move the capital of the Indiana Territory from Vincennes to Corydon.

March 11, 1911

Crawfordsville won the state’s first high school basketball tournament, defeating Lebanon, 24-17.

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each class: March 5, 11, 13, 16, 17. \$60 fee covers all materials and classes. Registration required. Call 260-468-2127 prior to March 1, 2020.

7 pm—Taylor University Envision Film Festival, Taylor University, 236 W. Reade Ave., Upland. Free film workshops, screenings, and an awards presentation for Taylor student filmmakers highlight this festival. Tickets available at the door. Info: 765-998-2751.

7 pm—Fairmount Town Council, Town Hall, 214 W. Washington St. Info.: Clerk’s Office, 765-948-4632 or fairmount-in.com

7 pm—Sweetser Town Council, Town Hall, 113 N. Main St. Info.: Tina J. Cole, Clerk-Treasurer, 765-384-5065 or sweetserclerk@yahoo.com

7 pm—Eastbrook High School presents “Newsies,” Eastbrook High School. Newsies is a musical inspired by the true story of the Newsboys Strike of 1899. Cost: \$7. Info: (765) 664-1214.

Friday, March 6

10:30 am—Wee Tales, Marion Public Library, 600 S. Washington St., Marion. Interactive program for children infant to 3 years. Music, books and activities. Free. Info: 765-668-2900 ext. 1105.

7 pm—Taylor University Envision Film Festival, see March 5.

7 pm—Eastbrook High School presents “Newsies,” see March 5

7:30 pm—Taylor University presents “Enemy of the People,” Taylor University Mitchell Theatre, 236 W. Reade Ave., Upland. Presented by the Taylor University Theatre Department. Sunday matinee 2pm only. Tickets available online. Info: 765-998-5289.

Saturday, March 7

1 pm—Help The Hopeful Auction, St. Paul Parish School, 1009 West Kem Rd., Marion. Join us for this auction of amazing items. Proceeds benefit Help The Hopeful, serving local medically-challenged children and families in need. Many items for auc-

tion: Cubs tickets with on-field access, Dierkes Bentley concert tickets, Indy 500 tickets, Brickyard 400 tickets, Colts season tickets, and too many items to mention. Info: 765-661-3639.

1:30 pm—First Saturday Movie, Marion Public Library, 600 S. Washington St., Marion. The Snow Queen embarks on a journey to save her kingdom. An epic quest! Rated PG. Free pop & popcorn. Info: 765-668-2900 ext. 1126.

6 pm—A Night At Carey, Roseburg Event Center, 2983 W. 38th St., Marion. Fund-raiser organized by Carey Services to celebrate National Disability Awareness Month. Social hour 6pm-6:45pm, Dinner 6:45pm-7:30pm, awards program immediately following dinner. \$75 per person. Tickets available online. Info: www.careyservices.com or 765-668-8961.

7 pm—ICW Pro Wrestling Show, Boys & Girls Club of Grant County, 3402 S. Meridian St., Marion. Come join us for a night of family entertainment and action-packed wrestling. Doors open at 6pm, Bell Time 7pm. Tickets \$12 at the door, \$10 pre-sale available at Horner’s Butcher Block in Marion. Info: 765-

664-6141.

7 pm—Taylor University Envision Film Festival, see March 5.

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Sunday, March 8

2 pm—Taylor University presents “Enemy of the People,” see March 6.

Monday, March 9

10:30 am—Preschool Tales, Marion Public Library and Museum, 600 S. Washington St. Free. Info.: Tylanna Jones, 765-668-2900, ext 105, tjones@marion.lib.in.us

6 pm—Understanding Grief, Family Life Care, 705 S. Baldwin Ave., Marion. Adults (18 up), free. Recurring. Info.: Jeff Luttrell, 800-355-2817

6 pm—South Marion & H.O.P.E. Neighborhood Association Meeting, Anglican Church, 3629 S. Washington St., Marion. Feel free to attend if you live / work in our friendly neighborhood; South of 33rd St. until 38th St. and East of Western Ave. until

Adams St. Info: 765-661-2550.

7 pm—Swayzee Town Council, Town Hall, 213 S. Washington St. Info.: Brian Hall, Clerk-Treasurer, 765-922-7953, bhall@swayzee.org, or swayzee.org

Tuesday, March 10

9 am—Purdue Master Gardener Basic Training Class, Grant County 4-H Fairgrounds, 1403 E. State Road 18, Marion. \$150 per person or \$200 for a couple includes all materials needed. Info: 765-651-2413.

9:15 am—Chair Yoga for Seniors, Marion Public Library, 600 S. Washington St., Marion. Must be a senior citizen or have mobility issues. Registration required at the Reference Desk. Info: 765-668-2900 ext. 1126.

11:30 am—Investor Appreciation Awards, Meshingomesia Golf Club, 2225 N. Lagro Rd., Marion. The Economic Growth Council wants to honor and celebrate those businesses that invested in Grant County’s continued development. Join us for a delicious meal as we thank all of those that contribute to Grant County. Cost: Lunch. Info: 765-662-0650.

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A proactive approach to mental health in schools

The health of our students reaches far beyond their physical wellness. We know some children struggle with mental health issues such as depression, anxiety, behavioral or emotional disorders. According to the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, 15% of Indiana students 12-17 years old reported having at least one major depressive episode during the 2015-2016 school year, compared to the national average of 13%. If we do not address these issues, they could have a significant impact on a child's education, health and safety. Mental health is the core of a student's wellbeing, and we must ensure local schools are equipped with the proper resources on behalf of their students.

This legislative session, I sponsored Senate Bill 246 that would require schools to contract with mental health providers in order to apply for grants from the Indiana Secured School Safety Fund. Money from this fund can be used to help pay for school-based mental health services among other programs relating to school safety. Under this bill, students would have improved access to mental and behavioral health services.

This proposed legislation builds on a law I sponsored last year creating a process for teachers and administrators to communicate with a student's parent or guardian about aberrant or abnormal behavior. With the guardian's consent, the school and family can work together and develop a plan to help the child receive needed services. Parents are involved in the decision-making process from the beginning through the end. If at any point they feel the services offered to their child are not appropriate or no longer needed, they can choose not to move forward.

This models a natural referral process schools already use to communicate problems to parents. From having difficulty paying attention in the classroom, to contemplating suicide or violence, our students face tough mental health challenges and more must be done to help.

After spending several years in the classroom, I have seen the impact mental health has on students and their academic performance. Making this professional help more readily available in our education system is a natural fit, because most children spend a majority of their day at school. This proposed legislation furthers Indiana's commitment to ensuring schools have the resources they need to set students up for success.

Tony Cook (Republican, District 32) represents all of Tipton County and portions of Hamilton, Madison, Delaware, Howard and Grant counties.



TALK OF THE HOUSE
Rep. Tony Cook



Panda Express coming to Bypass

by Alan Miller

Panda Express, which calls itself a fast casual Chinese restaurant, is coming to Marion. The restaurant will be located at University Plaza and could open by the end of 2020.

The Cherng family opened its first restaurant in Glendale, California, in 1983. The Panda Restaurant Group, which includes Panda Express, Panda Inn and Hibachi-San, now has 2200 locations in the United States and abroad and employs 40,000 people.

There currently are Panda Express restaurants in Muncie, Anderson and Kokomo.

Specifically, Panda Express will front on Western Avenue between Mattress Firm and Regions Bank. Marion Mayor Jess Alumbaugh, who confirmed the location on his biweekly appearance on WBAT radio, said he expects an announcement of another new restaurant in coming weeks.

Andrew Cherng and his wife, Peggy Cherng, are co-founders, co-chairs and co-CEOs of the family-owned restaurant group. They were the 2019 Great Immigrants Honorees, who are chosen by the Carnegie Corp. to honor naturalized citizens who have made notable contributions to the progress of American Society.

The Cherngs founded Panda Cares in 1999 as the philanthropic arm of the restaurant group. Since its founding, Panda Cares has donated \$140 million to provide health services to uninsured children and to improve college readiness.

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evant today.”

When Persinger came up with the idea for the Giant Reading Program two years ago, she recruited Mary Ecklerle, director of the Marion Public Library, to work with her. They were later joined by Dr. John McCracken, Indiana Wesleyan University professor; Tylanna Jones, children's department at Marion library; Federa Smith, Justice School principal; and Mark Fauser and Patricia Gibson, Marion schools communications office.

“The project has been in the works for two years because it took time to raise the money we needed,” Persinger said. “The primary expenses were for the author to come to

Marion and for the purchase of books.”

Each of the Justice students will receive signed copies of The War That Saved My Life plus a sequel titled The War I Finally Won.

Here is as list of Giant Reading Program activities. All of the events, with the exception of the March 14 tea at the Hostess House, are open to the public.

- Tea at the Hostess House, Hostess House, 2 pm, March 14, \$5. Refreshments and etiquette presentation. RSVP by March 6 to Kari Persinger (kpersinger@marion.k12.in.us).
- World War II Photography Exhibit, 5:30-7 pm, March 16, Marion Public Library. Talk by author Kayleen Reusser.
- Victory Garden Experience, 5:30-7 pm, March 17, Boys and Girls Club. Hands-on activity with Purdue Master Gardeners
- Escape Room and More, 5:30-7 pm, March 18, Goodman Hall, IWU. Clue-solving game and learning stations.
- Meet the Author, 5:30-7 pm, March 19, Marion Public Library. Kimberly Brubaker Bradley will sign books

In addition to IWU and the Marion library, the events are made possible through sponsorships from Round Robins Bingo, Central Indiana Ethanol, Marion High School Alumni Association, Atlas Foundry, Comfort Suites and United Way of Grant County, which was able to secure a grant from First Books to buy the books for the program.

What should we do with half a million square feet of empty?

It sits there now pretty much like a beached whale, a carcass awaiting someone to do something to it. Carve it up, knock it down, bulldoze it, haul it away, bury it—anything. There's still a feeble pulse in the form of a restaurant and an exercise place, which seems a fitting pairing, but little else.

We're speaking, of course, of whatever is left of Five Points Mall, which used to be North Park Mall, which used to be a strip mall on the northwest side of Marion—west of the Bypass, south of Kem Road. It was the place to be after downtown died in the late '60s.

Forty years ago—yes, it has been 40 years—it was a very big deal. Sears. JCPenney. Why, The Gap was even there, and a Waldenbooks. Meis was the high end department store. Then it became Elder-Beerman and, finally, in its death throes, Carson's poured a pile of money into a bottomless pit and it finally went away two years ago.

It opened back in 1978 after a roof was built over the strip mall and a lot of amenities were added: A pretzel shop, a cookie store, a fountain in the middle right in front of the JCPenney main entrance. Darn near half a million square feet under roof: 464,827 to be exact. There were movie theaters, trinket shops, a jewelry store that stayed open late to accommodate the need for late-night engagement rings.

Then it all went away. Nothing unique about it. Same kind of slow death being inflicted on malls all over the country. Southtown in Fort Wayne is long gone. Remember Mounds Mall in Anderson? Or Southlake up in The Region?

The Simon family, which owns more malls than any other company in the country, including the Mall of America in Minneapolis, has set up an internal office staffed by the best and the brightest to try to figure out what to do with these fossils.

Here in Marion, some people from Omaha parachuted in with some sort of scheme to turn the place into a veterans education center; classes in nuclear physics and welding, or something like that. With “tiny houses” installed in the hallways to serve as dorms.

The question is: Why? What happened to us, all of us who used to go to the mall on Saturday night to buy stuff and see friends? Where did we go? Some still cling to what they call “lifestyle centers,” like Jefferson Pointe in Fort Wayne and Hamilton Town Center in Noblesville, which are really malls without the roof. A lot of us apparently stay home and binge on Netflix or order more stuff from Amazon.

Not so, says a man who has been watching this for a long time. He has a different explanation. He is Austan Goolsbee, who worked in the Obama White House and now teaches economics at the University of Chicago.

Three things have happened, he says: Big-box stores, income inequality and our desire for services rather than stuff. Yes, he admits, online shopping is part of it. Twenty years ago \$20 billion a year went to the internet, and now it is \$620 billion, but that's still only 11 cents out of every consumer dollar spent.

It's Sam's Club and Costco and places like that that have clobbered the kinder, gentler mall merchants. Sam wins, Macy loses.

Then there's the matter of who has what money. Goolsbee calls it “income inequality.” It means there are fewer dollars in the hands of the middle class—you and me—and more in the hands of the filthy rich and even less in the pockets of the poor.

Thus does the Dollar General store down the street prosper, serving people who used to buy trinkets at the mall.

Then there is the matter that people are now buying more service and less stuff. For instance, our grandparents spent 55 percent of their income on food and clothing. That's now down to 13 percent for our children and grandchildren.

In 1960 we spent a nickel out of every dollar on health care. Today, 18 cents from that dollar goes to some kind of health care, and that's 13 cents that doesn't go to the mall.

Which brings us back to the beginning: Anybody got any good ideas for what to do with a half-million square feet of empty?

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Grant County boys basketball Mississinewa and Oak Hill each split a pair



Southwood defeats Eastbrook

Last Tuesday night at Southwood, the Eastbrook Panthers played well in the first half, particularly in the opening quarter, but turnovers after halftime proved costly in an eventual 65-54 defeat.

The Panthers played one of their best quarters of

the season in the first eight minutes, taking a seven-point lead, and while the Knights pushed back in the second quarter, Eastbrook led by two at the halftime break.

In the second half, Southwood took advantage of Eastbrook’s giveaways, turning their two-point deficit into an eight-point third quarter advantage. The Panthers were unable to mount a comeback.

“We just had too many turnovers, basically,” Eastbrook Head Coach Greg Allison said. “That really started in the second



half. We turned it over too much.”

Braxton Bowser played a tremendous game for the Panthers, scoring 19 points, while Zeke Binkerd scored 11 and Alex Baker finished with 10.

Panthers fall to South Adams

In their final contest of the regular season on Friday evening, the Eastbrook Panthers could not slow down the South Adam Starfires, falling on senior night by a score of 74-60.

While recording one of their highest offensive outputs of the season, Eastbrook’s defense struggled to get stops. The Starfires scored 43 points in the first half to build a 14-point advantage, and held that double-digit advantage the rest of the way.

“Tonight, [the loss] came down to the defensive end of the floor. Giving up 74 points is too many,” Eastbrook Head Coach Greg Allison said.

Alex Baker continued his strong second half of the season, leading the Panthers with 17 points, most of which came in the paint. Braxton Bowser finished with 11 points, while Brody Brodkorb ended the evening with 10 points.



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Giants drop to Snider

Playing in their final regular season tune-up on Friday night at the Bill Green Athletic Arena, the Marion Giants fell to the

Fort Wayne Snider Panthers, 86-81.

The Giants took a three-point halftime lead, but could not build on it, falling behind by six in the fourth quarter and coming up just short in the five-point defeat.

“The ball game was pretty even—we just didn’t get a couple of rebounds towards the end of the game,” Marion Assistant Coach Herb McPherson said. “We had our opportunities to win the ball game, we just didn’t execute a couple of times. A bounce of the ball here or there, and we win... It would have been nice if we had won, but the kids

Spotlight game

In their final regular season home contest last Tuesday evening against the Monroe Central Golden Bears, the Madison-Grant Argyls gave themselves a chance to walk away with a victory. After falling behind by seven early in the fourth quarter, the Argyls tied the game with 1:17 to go on seven straight points from shooting guard Kaden Howell, but a crucial defensive lapse in the final seconds proved costly and the Argyls fell to the Golden Bears 67-63.

In the first half, the Argyls held the Golden Bears to just 10-of-26 shooting from the field. In the final two quarters, Monroe Central shot 14-of-28 (50 percent) from the field, with many of their makes coming off second-chance opportunities. Far too many times, after a defensive series, the Argyls would struggle to come away with rebounds, and Monroe Central took advantage throughout the game.

“We just couldn’t get stops when we had to,” Madison-Grant Head Coach Brian Trout said. “They scored on a majority of their second chances. That was the difference. That would force a tough shot, we [wouldn’t get] the board, and they would

either get a kick out for a three or they’d get a put-back. That was the difference.”

After Howell’s scoring flurry late in the fourth, the Golden Bears came down the floor, looking to hold the ball for as long as possible. For most of the possession, the Argyls played excellent defense, but with 2.7 seconds left, they lost containment on the back end, and an easy layup inside put the Golden Bears back in front for good and handed the Argyls a gut-wrenching defeat.

“It was a little bit of a loose ball there,” Trout said. “[But] they got it picked up and found the open guy. The game doesn’t come down to one possession. It seems like it in a game like this, but it really doesn’t. There were a lot of things throughout the game that we could have done differently or done better to have a different result.”

Four Argyls finished in double figures. Wilson led the way with 17 points, while Howell and Manwell each collected 15. Brown rounded out M-G’s double-digit scorers with 12. Ullom led the Golden Bears, and all scorers, with 21 points, 15 of which came in the first half.



played well. They hustled and did a good job.”

Indians fall to New Castle

Playing at the New Castle Fieldhouse last Tuesday evening, the Mississinewa Indians struggled from the free-throw line and failed to execute down the stretch in a 50-45 loss to the Trojans.

The Indians played well in the first half, building a 28-22 lead, but the third quarter, along with their poor performance from the charity stripe, proved to be their undoing.

New Castle allowed only six Mississinewa points in the third quarter, cutting the lead to 34-33, then outscored the Indians 17-11 in the final frame to secure the five-point triumph.

While Mississinewa did shoot 49 percent from the field, they finished just 38 percent from the line, missing 13 of their 21 free throw attempts.

“I thought we played a pretty good game,” Mississinewa Head Coach James Reed said. “I didn’t think it was anything New Castle did necessarily. We did what we wanted to do. We got inside early. We had a six-point lead at halftime.

“And then little by little, things broke down. We were eight-of-21 from the free throw line. That was the biggest thing. If we hit a couple more free throws, we control the game and take over. We let them back into the game...they got a lead, and for the last two or three minutes, they held the ball on us.”

Tai McClung finished the game with 18 points to lead the Indians, while Landen Swanner collected 11 and Colin Yoder added eight.

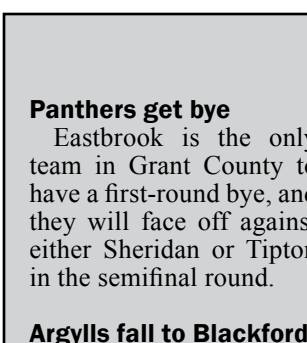
Golden Eagles fall to Northwestern

The Oak Hill Golden Eagles came up just short to IWU recruit Tayson Parker and the Northwestern Tigers, 49-45, last Tuesday.

Oak Hill took a 19-9 advantage after the first eight minutes, holding Parker to just two points. But the Tigers cut the Oak Hill advantage to three at halftime.

“The first quarter was by far the best quarter of the year we have played,” Oak Hill Head Coach Kevin Renbarger said. “We let up off the gas in the second quarter and it cost us dearly. We got away from what made us so successful in the first quarter.”

Neither team created much separation in the second half. The biggest Oak Hill lead was four points, while the Tigers never led by any more than two points until the final seconds of the game. Poor shooting in the fourth quarter



by the Golden Eagles turned out to be the difference.

Panthers get bye

Eastbrook is the only team in Grant County to have a first-round bye, and they will face off against either Sheridan or Tipton in the semifinal round.

Argylls fall to Blackford

In their Sectional 39 quarterfinal contest on Tuesday evening, the Madison-Grant Argyls were unable to contain Luke Brown and the host Blackford Bruins, as their season came to an end with an 82-69 loss.

For 29 minutes, the Argyls played sound basketball and at times outplayed the Bruins, but at the end of the second quarter and the beginning of the third quarter, the Bruins were able to pull away.

Trailing by only a few possessions near the end of the second half, several key miscues by the Argyls allowed the Bruins to go on a 12-0 run to increase their advantage to 13 points at halftime.

Early in the third, back-to-back threes from the Bruins put them up by 21 points. Madison-Grant was able to cut the lead down to six, but they ran out of gas late and were unable to inch any closer.

For the season, Madison-Grant finished with a 12-11 record.



got the ball back inside, scored, and with a four-point lead, we were able to space them out and get to the basket.”

Tai McClung finished with 31 points, while Anthony Horton collected 15 points and Landen Swanner finished with 11.

Giants rout McCutcheon

In their Sectional 7 opener on Tuesday evening, the Marion Giants began their playoff run with a rout, taking a double-digit lead early and never relinquishing it in an 81-57 triumph over the McCutcheon Mavericks.

Marion outscored the Mavericks 26-9 in the opening eight minutes. JK Thomas scored 17 of Marion’s point, shooting five-of-six from beyond the arc. McCutcheon cut the Giants’ lead to six in the second quarter, but Marion ended the first half on a

Tuesday’s Sectional Results



“I’m really pleased,” Madison-Grant Head Coach Brian Trout said. “I felt like we competed for the most part. Overall, I’m very pleased.”

Grant Brown led the Argyls with 18 points, while Lance Wilson collected 13. Kaden Howell and Seth Lugar each finished with 11.

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10-0 to take a 35-22 lead into the halftime break.

The Mavericks were unable to put together any sort of comeback effort in the second half. Marion increased its advantage to 62-35 after the third quarter before cruising to the 24-point triumph.

“We played outstanding defense,” Marion Assistant Head Coach Herb McPherson said. “We contained [Dra Gibbs] Lawhorn, their outstanding freshman player, controlled the boards, and JK played a great game. We just played outstanding team defense, and we shut them down. It was just an outstanding game for us.”

Thomas finished the game with 37 points, while sophomore Rasheed Jones collected 18 points for Marion in the victory.

Indians top Golden Eagles

In the first eight minutes of their Sectional 23 quarterfinal contest at Norwell High School on Tuesday evening, the Mississinewa Indians allowed the Oak Hill Golden Eagles to make seven of their 13 shots and score 18 points. In the final three quarters, however, the Indians’ defense stepped up in a big way, holding their longtime rivals to just 25 points.



Behind that stout defensive effort, the Indians punched their ticket to the sectional semifinal, defeating the Golden Eagles by a score of 57-43.

While Mississinewa’s defense did a nice job of limiting Oak Hill’s offense for most of the contest, the Golden Eagles certainly did not help themselves. For the evening, Oak Hill missed 23 shots from inside the arc, and severing several crucial misses in the paint kept them from re-establishing the offensive rhythm they had in the first quarter.

“That’s been kind of a bugaboo of ours. We get off to good starts, [and the] kids follow what we want to get accomplished pretty well,” Oak Hill Head Coach Kevin Renbarger said. “But then, whether it was fatigue or whatever, we [got] loose with the basketball, and I think tonight, a large part of it was just missing shots.”

Neither team shot well in the third quarter, but the Indians continued to maintain their advantage, leading by as many as nine. Tahj Johnson cut Oak Hill’s deficit down to four points at the end of the

third quarter, but several key baskets from Swanner in the fourth helped the Indians pull away.


His first three of the quarter put the Indians up seven at 42-35, and with 3:37 to go, his second triple put the Indians up by double digits. Mississinewa did not trail by any less than 11 the rest of the contest, making all six of their free throws down the stretch to secure the 14-point triumph.

Anthony Horton led the Indians’ offense, scoring 12 points and coming down with seven rebounds, while Swanner finished with 11 points. Yoder and Oglesby both finished the contest with nine.

In his final basketball game as a Golden Eagle, Tahj Johnson finished with 14 points to along with five rebounds.

Tristen Hayes collected a double-double with 12 points and 12 rebounds, while Kody Dubois finished his high school career with nine points on three treys.

Mississinewa will continue their playoff run on Friday night, where they will face off against the Heritage Patriots at 7:30 pm.



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Crossroads League basketball tourney

Wildcats win third straight Crossroads tourney

Indiana Wesleyan men’s basketball won its third straight Crossroads League tournament championship Tuesday night, downing the Pilots of Bethel University 109-77. The °Cats led by just two at the half, 47-45, but exploded for 62 points in the second half.

Spencer Piercefield gave IWU the lead at the half, knocking down a time-expiring three-pointer from just inside the volleyball line. Kyle Mangas dropped 21 points in the first half, shooting 7-of-14 from the floor and 3-of-7 from deep, and finished the game with 25. Seth Maxwell had 24. Mangas and Maxwell combined to grab 12 rebounds and dish out seven assists.

The Wildcats won the tournament in dominating fashion, outscoring their opponents by a combined 91 points, the largest margin in the last 15 years of the tournament.

How they got there:

IWU advanced to the championship game by defeating defending national champion Spring Arbor, 102-75. IWU started the game red hot, shooting 61 percent from the field and 50 percent from deep in the opening 20 minutes, building a 53-37 lead.

Kyle Mangas scored 24 points to become the Wildcats’ all-time leading scorer,



surpassing Perry Frank. Mangas also moved up to No. 11 on the all-time Crossroads League scoring list.

Three other Wildcats finished in double-figures. Tanner Rubio recorded 17 points, missing just one shot, Seth Maxwell collected 15, and Noah Smith added 14.

Wildcats rout Cougars

The Wildcats started their Crossroads League tournament by crushing the Mount Vernon Nazarene Cougars 101-69.

“We are playing together, collectively, on the defensive end,” IWU Head Coach Greg Tonagel said. “It starts with Noah Smith, who is obviously a great perimeter defender, and then, you finish with Seth Maxwell at the rim. When you have layers of defense like that, it just puts so much

pressure on the offense to be perfect.”

Of the 14 Wildcats that saw action on Wednesday, 12 of them scored at least two points. IWU knocked down a remarkable 43 of their 67 shots from the field, good for 64.2 percent.

Mangas continued his stellar junior campaign, finishing with 24 points on 12-of-17 shooting to lead the Wildcats. With his 24 points, Mangas vaulted into second place on IWU’s all-time scoring list.

Tanner Rubio finished with 13 points and six assists, while Maxwell collected 11 points and five blocks in the post.

Taylor’s tourney

The Bethel University men’s basketball team used a 62-point outburst in the final 20 minutes of action to run past Taylor 100-64 in the

Crossroads League tournament semifinals on Saturday. TreVion Crews led the Pilots with 29 points, 8 rebounds, and 8 assists.

Taylor jumped to a 32-22 lead inside Odle Arena over lead inside Odle Arena over Bethel on Saturday in the Crossroads League Tournament Semifinals, but the Pilots closed to within one by the half and made 16-of-21 triples in the second half.

Taylor could not keep pace with the relentless wave of Bethel three-pointers, as the Trojans shot just 24.1% from the field over the final 20 minutes and made only two-of-14 from beyond the arc. Bethel finished the contest at 54.1 percent from three with 20 makes in 37 attempts.

Mason Degenkolb led the Trojans with 19 points and five assists and Ryan Robinson added seven points and

four helpers.

CJ Penha joined Degenkolb as the only other Trojan in double figures on Saturday with 12 points, while Jason Hubbard and Vincent Miranda each added nine points. James McCloud and Penha were active on the glass, each pulling down a team-best seven boards.

Taylor closed the season at 17-15 overall, posting its third winning season in the past four years, picking up seven wins over teams ranked or receiving votes in the NAIA Top-25 and hosting a CL Tourney Semifinal game for the first time since 2013.

Degenkolb hits long buzzer-beater, sinks Grace

Mason Degenkolb’s three-quarter court shot as time expired splashed home and sent Taylor into the Crossroads

League tournament semifinals with an electrifying, 88-85, victory at No. 13 Grace on Wednesday night. The game-winning shot left the All-American’s hands with just 0.2 seconds left in the game and found the bottom of the net nearly 75 feet away.

Degenkolb scored 17 of his game-high 23 after the break, going a perfect three-of-three from beyond the arc and eight-of-eight from the charity stripe to help the Trojans hold off the Lancers. Degenkolb sealed the win with seven points for TU in the final 17 seconds of the game.

It did not look like any last-second heroics would be needed throughout much of the contest, as Taylor used a 48-point first-half outburst to take control. TU’s margin swelled to as high as 15 at the 14:08 mark of the second stanza and remained in double figures until the 8:55 mark.

Grace’s high-powered offense came to life down the stretch, as the host squad scrambled to try to fend off the upset-minded Trojans. GC shot 61.3 percent from the floor over the final 20 minutes and clawed to within a single point on four occasions in the last four minutes before finally drawing even on a deep three-pointer with 1.6 seconds on the clock.

LEGAL AND PUBLIC NOTICES

STATE OF INDIANA IN THE GRANT SUPERIOR COURT 3
COUNTY OF GRANT CAUSE NUMBER 27D03-2001 -EU-15

IN THE MATTER OF THE UNSUPERVISED
ADMINISTRATION OF THE ESTATE OF
ROBERT E. HUDELSON, Deceased

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT 3 OF GRANT COUNTY, INDIANA.

In the matter of the Unsupervised Estate of: Robert E. Hudelson, deceased.

Cause Number 27D03-2001 -EU-15

Notice is hereby given that on February 20, 2020, Tamara Jo Schroder was appointed Personal Representative of the estate of Robert E. Hudelson, deceased, who died on January 22, 2020.

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

Dated at Marion, Indiana, on February 20, 2020

/s/Pamela K. Harris
Pamela K. Harris, Clerk
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STATE OF INDIANA IN THE GRANT SUPERIOR COURT 1
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CASH FLOW, LLC,
Petitioner

vs.

POWERHOUSE HOLDINGS, LLC, FEDERAL NATIONAL MORTGAGE, EBURY RE, LLC, DEUTCHE BANK NATIONAL TRUST, DITECH FINANCIAL LLC, GRANT COUNTY STATE BANK, MIDLAND FUNDING, LLC, RENEE LAUTZEHEISER, ROBERT D. JOHNSON, ED BLINN, JR. and LISA BLINN and their heirs, devisees, legatees, executors, administrators, personal representatives, husbands, wives, widows, and the successors and assigns of each, as well as any and all persons claiming from, through or under them, as well as unknown beneficiaries of any trust wherein any of the above-name designated defendants have acted or purported to act as trustee or trustees, Defendants

NOTICE OF SUMMONS

TO: POWERHOUSE HOLDINGS, LLC, FEDERAL NATIONAL MRTGAGE, EBURY RE, LLC, DEUTCHE BANK NATIONAL TRUST, DITECH FINANCIAL LLC, GRANT COUNTY STATE BANK, MIDLAND FUNDING, LLC, RENEE LAUTZEHEISER, ROBERT D. JOHNSON, ED BLINN, JR. and LISA BLINN, and their heirs, devisees, legatees, executors, administrators, personal representatives, husbands, wives, widows, and the successors and assigns of each, as well as any and all persons claiming from, through or under them, as well as unknown beneficiaries of any trust wherein any of the above-name designated defendants have acted or purported to act as trustee or trustees and any other unknown person who may be concerned.

You are hereby notified that that above-named Plaintiff has filed a lawsuit against you in the Grant Superior Court No. 1 at the Grant County Courthouse in Marion, Indiana in the above entitled cause of action, naming you as Defendants. The named Plaintiff is represented by Spitzer Herriman Stephenson Holderead Conner & Persinger, LLP. The nature of this lawsuit is a Complaint to quiet title of the following described real estate located in Grant County, State of Indiana, to-wit:

Lot Number One Hundred Seventy-seven (177) in Gray Dodds and Company’s Second Addition to the City of Marion, Indiana. Parcel # 27-02-32-202-072.000-033
Commonly known as: 607 E Christy Street, Marion, IN 46952

An answer or other response in writing to the complaint must be filed either by you or your attorney within thirty (30) days after the third notice of suit is published, and if you fail to do so, judgment by default may be rendered against you for the relief demanded by the Plaintiff.

Dated: 2/18/20 /s/ Pamela K. Harris
Pamela K. Harris, Clerk
Grant Superior Court 1

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NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS OF PROPOSED GENERAL ORDINANCE

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SIXTY SEVENTH STREET RIGHT OF WAY VACATION

Description of Real Estate for Vacation of Right of Way:

That portion of land situate in the Southeast Quarter of Section 31, Township 25 North, Range 8 East in Grant County, Indiana in Elliott Addition being described as follows:

Considering the East line of the Southeast Quarter as bearing south 00°17'36" West with all other bearings herein contained relative thereto: Beginning at a found monument at the southwest corner of Lot Number 2 in Elliott Addition to Grant County, Indiana; thence on the South line of said Lot Number 2 and being the North line of Sixty-Seventh Street North 89°40'56" East 225.26 feet to a found monument at the point of curvature of a 89023'20" curve with a radius of 25.0 feet; thence continuing on said line on the arc of said curve 24.73 feet to Point of tangency of said curve at a found monument on the West right of Way line of Meridian Street; thence on said West line South 00°17'36" West 100.01 feet to a set rebar at the Point of Curvature of a (90036'040" curve with a radius of 25.0 feet on the North line of Lot Number 3 in Elliott Addition; thence on the arc of said curve on the North line of said Lot and being the South line of Sixty-Seventh Street Right of Way 39.54 feet to a found monument at the Point of tangency of said curve; thence continuing on said North line South 89°40'56" West 224.73 feet to a found monument at the Northwest corner of Lot Number 3; thence on the West line of Elliott Addition North 00°17'36" East 50.0 feet to the Place of Beginning, containing 0.29 Acres and being subject to all easements and rights of way,

TAXPAYERS APPEARING AT SUCH MEETING SHALL HAVE THE RIGHT TO BE HEARD THEREON.

Mark Bardsley, President of County Commissioners

Jim McWhirt, Auditor
TNH 3/4, 3/11

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION

IN THE GRANT SUPERIOR COURT III, GRANT COUNTY, INDIANA

IN THE MATTER OF THE UNSUPERVISED ESTATE OF IDA MILDRED SMITH ESTATE NO. 27D03-1908-EU-000074

Notice is given that Randall W. Smith was on the 28th day of August, 2019, appointed Personal Representative of the estate of IDA MILDRED SMITH, who died testate on the 24'11 day of December , 2018. The Personal Representative is authorized to administer the estate without Court supervision.

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

Dated at Marion, Indiana this October 7, 2019.

Pamela K. Harris
Clerk, Grant Superior Court III

ATTORNEY FOR ESTATE
H. Joseph Certain (Attorney # 25498-75) Kiley, Harker & Certain
300 West Third Street
Marion, IN 46952
765 664 9041
TNH 3/4, 3/11

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT 3 OF GRANT COUNTY, INDIANA.

In the matter of the Unsupervised Estate of: ALTA MARLENE CUNNINGHAM, deceased.

Cause Number: 27D03-2002-EU-000018

Notice is hereby given that on the 25th day of February, 2020, Jennifer Lobdell is appointed the Personal Representative of the Estate of Alta Marlene Cunningham, deceased, who died on the January 30, 2020.

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

Dated at Marion, Indiana, this 26th day of February, 2020.

/s/ PAMELA K. HARRIS
Clerk, Grant Superior Court 3

Michael T. Hotz (31346-29)
SPITZER HERRIMAN STEPHENSON
HOLDEREAD CONNER & PERSINGER, LLP
122 East Fourth Street
P.O. Box 927
Marion, IN 46952
(765) 664-7307
TNH 3/4, 3/11

CROSSWORD SOLUTION

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NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION

IN THE GRANT SUPERIOR COURT III, GRANT COUNTY, INDIANA

IN THE MATTER OF THE UNSUPERVISED ESTATE OF BONETHA M. SMITH ESTATE NO. 27D03-2001-EU-13

Notice is given that PAUL EARL SMITH was on the 24th day of February 2020, appointed as the Personal Representative of the Estate of BONETHA M. SMITH, who died testate on the 28TH day of DECEMBER 2019. The Personal Representative is authorized to administer the estate without Court supervision.

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

Dated at Marion, Indiana on February 25, 2020:

Pamela K. Harris
Clerk, Grant Superior Court III

ATTORNEY FOR ESTATE
H. Joseph Certain, Attorney #3172-27
Kiley, Harker & Certain
300 West Third Street
Marion, IN 46952
Phone — (765) 664-9041
TNH 3/4, 3/11

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS OF ADDITIONAL APPROPRIATIONS

Notice is hereby given to the taxpayers of Grant County, Indiana that the Grant County Council will consider the following additional appropriations in excess of the budget for the current year at the location of the Grant County Complex, 401 South Adams Street, Marion, IN 46953, at 6:00 p.m. on the 18th day of March 2020.

Fund Name:	General	Amount
Department: Commission		
Capital Outlays		\$250,000.00
Services & Charges		\$176,170.00
Department: Election		
Services & Charges		\$75,000.00
Total for General Fund:		\$501,170.00
Fund Name: E-911		
Services & Charges		\$288,500.00
Capital Outlays		\$662,000.00
Other Disbursements		\$ 49,500.00
Total for E-911 Fund:		\$1,000,000.00
Fund Name: Central Dispatch Construction		
Services & Charges		\$115,000.00
Capital Outlays		\$573,689.55
Total for Central Dispatch Construction Fund:		\$688,689.55
Fund Name: Local Road & Street		
Capital Outlays		\$100,000.00
Total for Local Road & Street Fund:		\$100,000.00
Fund Name: MVH (MVH Restricted)		
Supplies		\$800,000.00
Total for MVH (MVH Restricted) Fund:		\$800,000.00

Taxpayers appearing at the meeting shall have a right to be heard. The additional appropriations as finally made will be referred to the Department of Local Government Finance (Department). The Department will make a written determination as to the sufficiency of funds to support the appropriations within fifteen (15) days of receipt of the Certified Copy of the action taken.

James E. McWhirt
GRANT COUNTY AUDITOR
February 26, 2020
TNH 3/4

The Emotions of Grief Can Come in Waves...

Our Grief Support App is Here When You Need It..

Search for the CAREFIRSTAPP (all one word) on the Apple App Store or Google Play.

Access Code: 46952

Please select “allow” to receive notifications

NEEDHAM STOREY & WAMPNER FUNERAL SERVICE

LEGAL AND PUBLIC NOTICES

SUDOKU SOLUTION

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NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION

IN THE GRANT SUPERIOR 3 OF GRANT COUNTY, INDIANA.

In the matter of the Unsupervised Estate of: Frances A. Wood, deceased.

Cause Number 27D03-2020-EU-17

Notice is hereby given that on February 14, 2020, Barbara Sexton was appointed Personal Representative of the estate of Frances A. Wood, deceased, who died on January 11, 2020.

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

Dated at Marion, Indiana, on February 18, 2020.

/s/Pamela K. Harris
Clerk, Grant Superior Court 3

Kyle C. Persinger (21779-27)
SPITZER HERRIMAN STEPHENSON
HOLDERAD CONNER & PERSINGER, LLP
122 East Fourth Street
P.O. Box 927
Marion, Indiana 46952
Telephone (765) 664-7307
TNH 2/26, 3/4

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a certified copy of a decree directed to me from the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Grant County, Indiana, in Cause No. 27C01-1910-MF-000129, wherein Fidelity Bank, A Federally Chartered Savings Bank now known as Fidelity Bank, N.A was the Plaintiff, and Robert L. Landis was the Defendant, requiring me to make the sum as provided for in said Decree with interest and costs, I will expose at public sale to the highest bidder, on April 7, 2020 at the hour of 10:00 a.m. of said day, at 214 East 4th Street, Marion, Indiana, the fee simple of the whole body of Real Estate in Grant County, Indiana:

LOT NUMBERED 3 IN THE PLAT OF TRACT "A" EUCLID HEIGHTS, AN ADDITION TO THE CITY OF MARION, INDIANA.
THE PLAT OF WHICH IS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 1, PAGE 151 IN THE OFFICE OF THE RECORDER OF GRANT COUNTY, INDIANA.
Parcel Number: 27-07-06-202-021.000-002
Commonly known as 716 N. Western Ave., Marion, Indiana 46952

Together with rents, issues, income and profits thereof, said sale will be made without relief from valuation or appraisalment laws. This is an attempt by a debt collector to collect a debt, and any information obtained will be used for that purpose.

/s/ Reggie E. Nevels
Reggie E. Nevels
Sheriff of Grant County
Center Township
716 N. Western Ave.
Marion, Indiana 46952

Valerie L. Matheis
NELSON & FRANKENBERGER, LLC
550 Congressional Blvd., Suite 210
Carmel, Indiana 46032
Attorney for Plaintiff

The Sheriff's Department does not warrant the accuracy of the street address published herein.

Serve by Sheriff:

Robert L. Landis
716 N. Western Ave.
Marion, Indiana 46952

Robert L. Landis
1825 W. Bradford St. #203
Marion, IN 46952

Nelson & Frankenger, LLC is a debt collector and is an attempt to collect a debt; any information obtained will be used for that purpose.
TNH 2/12, 2/19, 2/26

NOTICE OF SUPERVISED ADMINISTRATION

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT 3 OF GRANT COUNTY, INDIANA.

In the matter of the Supervised Estate of: John Arthur Tudor, deceased.

Cause Number 27D03-2002-ES-3

Notice is hereby given that on January 28, 2020 Kyle C. Persinger was appointed Personal Representative of the estate of John Arthur Tudor, deceased, who died on January 20, 2020.

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

Dated at Marion, Indiana, on January 28, 2020.

/s/ Pamela K. Harris
Pamela K. Harris
Clerk, Grant Superior Court 3

Kyle C. Persinger (#21779-27)
SPITZER HERRIMAN STEPHENSON
HOLDERAD CONNER & PERSINGER, LLP
122 East Fourth Street
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Marion, Indiana 46952
Telephone (765) 664-7307
TNH 2/26, 3/4

NOTICE IS HEARBY GIVEN THAT THE FOLLOWING ALLOWANCES HAVE BEEN APPROVED BY THE COURTS OF GRANT COUNTY AS PROVIDED IN IC 36-2-6-3. THE JUDGE OF EACH CIRCUIT, SUPERIOR, PROBATE, JUVENILE, CRIMINAL AND COUNTY COURT IS EMPOWERED TO ALLOW CLAIMS OR VOUCHERS OF THE COURT, INCLUDING OFFICES, DEPARTMENT AND INSTITUTIONS UNDER JURISDICTION OF THE COURT, SUCH AS COURT ADMINISTRATOR, PROBATION DEPARTMENT AND JUVENILE DETENTION CENTER. CLAIMS OR VOUCHERS OF THE COURT ARE NOT SUBJECT TO ALLOWANCE BY COUNTY COMMISSIONERS. THE FOLLOWING ALLOWANCES WERE APPROVED BY GRANT CIRCUIT COURT AND/OR GRANT SUPERIOR COURTS 1, 2, & 3.

PEERLESS PRINTING	\$515.22
DANIELLE BALDWIN	\$44.00
JUDGE DANA KENWORTHY	\$171.06
JERRY DROOK	\$50.00
THOMSON REUTERS	\$160.00
WARREN HAAS	\$361.39
NICCOLE M SHAW	\$60.00
MEGAN GLICKFIELD	\$65.32
MATTHEW BENDER & CO., INC	\$296.31
STACY FILLENWORTH	\$38.26
MARK E SPITZER	\$206.84

Grand Total: \$1,968.40

James E. McWhirt
GRANT COUNTY AUDITOR
TNH 3/4

STATE OF INDIANA IN THE GRANT SUPERIOR COURT 3
COUNTY OF GRANT CAUSE NO. 27D03-2002-ES-3

IN RE THE SUPERVISED ESTATE OF:

JOHN ARTHUR TUDOR,
Deceased

NOTICE OF PETITION TO DETERMINE HEIRSHIP

TO: Darshanna Rae Tudor and Doriellen Kae Tudor and all unknown heirs of John Arthur Tudor, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that in the above entitled estate proceedings:

- That on January 20, 2020, the decedent, John Arthur Tudor, died intestate a resident of Grant County.
- That February 20, 2020, Kyle C. Persinger filed with the Grant County Superior Court 3 a Petition to Determine Heirship.
- Grant Superior Court 3 has set a hearing on April 14, 2020 at 2:00 P.M. on the Petition to Determine Heirship, to be held in the Superior Court 3 of Grant County, Indiana, 101 E 4th Street, Marion, IN 46952.
- That all persons claiming or having any interest in such estate, or any part thereof, as an heir or through an heir of such decedent and all known heirs of the decedent are required to appear in said Court on or before such date and make proof of their heirship or claim through an heir of such decedent.
- That said Superior Court 3 of Grant County will, pursuant to such hearing, enter a decree determining the heirs of such decedent and their respective interests in such estate or any part thereof.

This notice is given pursuant to the order of the Superior Court 3 of Grant County and is dated February 27, 2020

/s/Pamela K. Harris
Pamela K. Harris, Clerk Court
Grant Superior Court 3

Kyle C. Persinger (21779-27)
SPITZER HERRIMAN STEPHENSON
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Marion, IN 46952
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TNH 3/4, 3/11, 3/18

INDIANA QUIZ ANSWERS

1. Peony

2. Crossroads of America

3. Say's Firefly

REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL

Grant County Indiana – 911 CPE

This is an invitation to provide a request for proposal (RFP) for the above mentioned project for Grant County Indiana, hereinafter referred to as "Owner."

A. Project Information

- Project Name:
Grant County Indiana 911 CPE
- Project Description:
Equipment related to 911 Customer Premises Equipment (CPE) for the consolidated dispatch center.
- RFP Prepared By:
PYRAMID Consulting
203 Good Ave.
Indianapolis, IN 46219
Phone: 317-396-9426
Fax: 317-396-9427

B. RFP Format

- The RFP includes a scoring system, which is included in the project documents. A technical committee has been established by the Owner to score the RFP.
- The RFP includes several alternates that the owner will have scored separately as part of the RFP process.

C. RFP Documents

- RFP documents will be made available after 2:00 p.m., February 26, 2020.
- This is an invitation to provide a request for proposal (RFP) for the equipment related to 911 Customer Premises Equipment (CPE) for the consolidated dispatch center. Documents may be reviewed and obtained from Pyramid Consulting.
- There is no charge for the RFP documents.
- There is a pre-submission meeting at 10:00am on March 3, 2020 at the Grant County Annex located at 401 S. Adams St., Marion, IN 47952. Direct all questions to Pyramid by e-mail at turnworth@pyramidarch.com and gbates@pyramidarch.com.

D. RFP Delivery:

- RFP's shall be sent or delivered in person to:
Grant County Auditor's Office
401 S. Adams Street
Marion, IN 46952
- Faxed or e-mailed responses will not be accepted.
- RFP's will be received at the Grant County Auditor's Office until 9:am (local time), Monday, March 16, 2020 (This will be considered "due time" unless subsequently revised by addendum) and will be publicly announced at the same date-time. RFP's received after "due time" will be returned unopened.
- RFP's are required to enclose with each quotation the following forms:
 - State Form 95 (signed and notarized)
 - Stipulated Offer Form
- Label the outside of the envelope indicating project name as well as the vender's name and address.

E. Miscellaneous Provisions

- The Owner reserves the right to reject any RFP, or all RFPs, or to accept any RFP that may seem desirable, and to waive any and all informalities in the RFPs. Any RFP may be withdrawn prior to the above scheduled time for the opening of the RFPs or authorized postponement thereof. Any RFP received after the time and date specified shall not be considered. The Owner reserves the right to accept or reject any RFP or waive any informality or errors in RFP for a period of 90 days after the RFP due time.
- All applicable laws, ordinances, and the rules and regulations of all authorities having jurisdiction over the project shall apply to the project throughout.
- RFPs shall be properly and completely executed on offer forms included in the Project Documents. The Owner may make such investigations as deemed necessary to determine the ability of the Vender to perform the work and the Vender shall furnish to the Owner all such information and data for this purpose as the Owner may request. The Owner reserves the right to reject any RFP if the evidence submitted by, or investigation of, such Vender fails to satisfy the Owner that such Vender is properly qualified to carry out the obligations of the Agreement and to complete the work contemplated therein.

TNH 2/26, 3/4

Boys' Basketball

2/25—Eastbrook 54-65
Southwood
2/25—Monroe Central 67-63
Madison-Grant
2/25—Mississinewa 45-50
New Castle

2/25—Northwestern 49-45
Oak Hill

2/27—Madison-Grant 86-68
Taylor
2/28—South Adams 74-60
Eastbrook

2/28—Fort Wayne Snider
86-81 Marion
2/28—Mississinewa 70-65
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2/28—Northfield 46-65 Oak Hill

Men's Baseball

2/28—Indiana Wesleyan
University 3-14 Cumberland
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2/29—Indiana Wesleyan
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Grant County Central Dispatch & Emergency Operations Center Marion, Indiana Bid Phase 5

Notice is hereby given that the Grant County Commissioners, hereinafter referred to as "Owner" is receiving sealed bids for work related to the above-mentioned work. The following information and special notice are presented to prospective bidders who are interested in submitting bids for the portion of work related to this project.

A. Project Information

- Project Name:
Grant County Central Dispatch & Emergency Operations Center

- Project Owner:
Grant County Commissioners
401 S. Adams St.
Marion, IN 46952

- Project Description:
The Project consists of the renovation of the basement of an existing two-story building into a Central Dispatch and Emergency Operations Center for Grant County. The Project also includes a limited amount of work to the exterior parking lot and sidewalks.

This Bid Phase 5 consists of exterior concrete walk and curb replacement and membrane underlayment.

B. Bidding Format

- Project Location:
302 S. Washington St.
Marion, IN 46952

- Contract Documents Prepared By:
PYRAMID Architecture/Engineering & Construction Administration, Inc.
203 Good Ave.
Indianapolis, IN 46219
Phone: 317-396-9426

C. Bidding Documents

- Bidding documents will be made available after the following date and time:
2:00pm (local time), Wednesday, February 26, 2020.
- Bidding documents may be obtained through the following:
Reprographix – Indianapolis
Phone: 317-637-3377
www.reprographix.com
- Electronic files of bidding documents are on file and may be examined through the following construction reporting services:
 - BX Indiana – Construction League
www.bxindiana.com
 - Construction Data/ Construct Connect.
www.cdcnews.com
 - ISqFT/ Construct Connect
www.isqft.com
 - Dodge
www.construction.com
 - Databid
www.databid.com

D. Pre-Bid Meetings:

- There is one (1) scheduled pre-bid meeting:
 - 2:00pm (local time); Monday, February 24, 2020.

- Pre-bid meeting(s) will be held at the project location listed above. All prime contractors, subcontractors, and other interested parties are invited to attend.

E. Bid Delivery:

- Bids shall be sent or delivered in person to:
Grant County Auditor (2nd Floor)
401 S. Adams St.
Marion, IN 46952

- Bids will be received at the above address until the following date and time:
9:00am (local time), Monday, March 16, 2020.

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University (Game 2)
3/1—Indiana Wesleyan
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1 pm—ML—Taylor Uni-
versity @ Mount Vernon
Nazarene University
3 pm—BTF—Madison-
Grant @ Hamilton South-
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3 pm—GTF—Madison-
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Monday, March 9
9 am—MG—Indiana
Wesleyan University @
Skyhawk Invitational (Day
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9 am—WG—Indiana
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Tuesday, March 10

9 am—MG—Indiana
Wesleyan University @
Skyhawk Invitational (Day
2)
9 am—WG—Indiana
Wesleyan University @
Skyhawk Invitational (Day
2)
3 pm—MBB—IU South
Bend @ Indiana Wesleyan
University
Game 2—MBB—IU South
Bend @ Indiana Wesleyan
University
4 pm—WSB—Indiana
Wesleyan University @
Taylor University
Game 2—WSB—Indiana
Wesleyan University @
Taylor University
7 pm—WL—Taylor Univer-
sity @ Trine University

Wednesday, March 11
4 pm—ML—Benedictine
College @ Taylor Univer-

sity
5 pm—MBB—Manches-
ter University @ Taylor
University

Friday, March 13
3 pm—WSB—Indiana
Wesleyan University @
Goshen College
Game 2—WSB—Indiana
Wesleyan University @
Goshen College
3 pm—WSB—Taylor Uni-
versity @ Grace College
Game 2—WSB—Taylor
University @ Grace Col-
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4 pm—MT—Davenport
University @ Indiana Wes-
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University @ Indiana Wes-
leyan University
5 pm—MBB—Indiana Wes-
leyan University @ Taylor
University

The three-point shot has tipped the competitive balance in hoops

I remember when the three-point shot first went into the rule book in both college and high school hoops. A long-time basketball observer told me nothing would ever be the same. Boy was he right, and if you were around this past week, did we ever get an indication of that fact.

Start with the IU vs. Purdue basketball game at Wackey Mackey last Thursday night. The Boilers should have beaten IU by 30, after all IU scored the fewest points they had put on the board in any game in five basketball seasons.

But, Purdue acted at home like they had never shot a three-point shot. Purdue went 2-19, and there weren't three-pointers that went in and out. They were wide left, wide right, and, worse yet, air ball after air ball.

So I then take you to the Bill Green Athletic Arena for senior night on Friday. Marion vs. Ft. Wayne city champion, Fort Wayne Snider. You knew that J.K. Thomas would put on a show in his final game at the arena. Remember, J.K. is now Marion's tenth all-time leading scorer.

What does he do?

He puts up 16 three-point shots and hits 0. He actu-

ally put up 20 and hit zero, but on four of the shots he was fouled and made 12-12 at the line. In fact, the Marion Giant record for free throws in a game is 17 and J.K. missed it by two.

On the other end there was no missing of the three-balls.

Snider hit an insane 16 three-point shots and beat Marion by four. That, my friends, was a new Panther school record.

Now I take you to the Don Odle gymnasium on Saturday for Taylor vs. Bethel. Taylor, in a semi-final Crossroads League postseason game, is leading Bethel by one point. Then it happened: Maybe the greatest 20 minutes of three-point shooting in college basketball history.


The Pilots go 16-21 from the arc in the second half (76.1%). We are checking, but that might be an all-time college record at any level for 20 minutes. Bethel blew out the Trojans, ending their season.

So get ready for this week.


On Tuesday night, Purdue plays at Iowa in a game they have to win to get into the NCAA tournament.

Marion plays McCutcheon in the first round of the Lafayette sectional.

And Bethel will be here



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in Marion to play Indiana Wesleyan University for the Crossroads League postseason tournament title.

Any guess on how many three-pointers Purdue, Marion and Bethel combine to make? 0? 10? 20? 40?

Yes, Virginia, the three-point shot has changed basketball forever.

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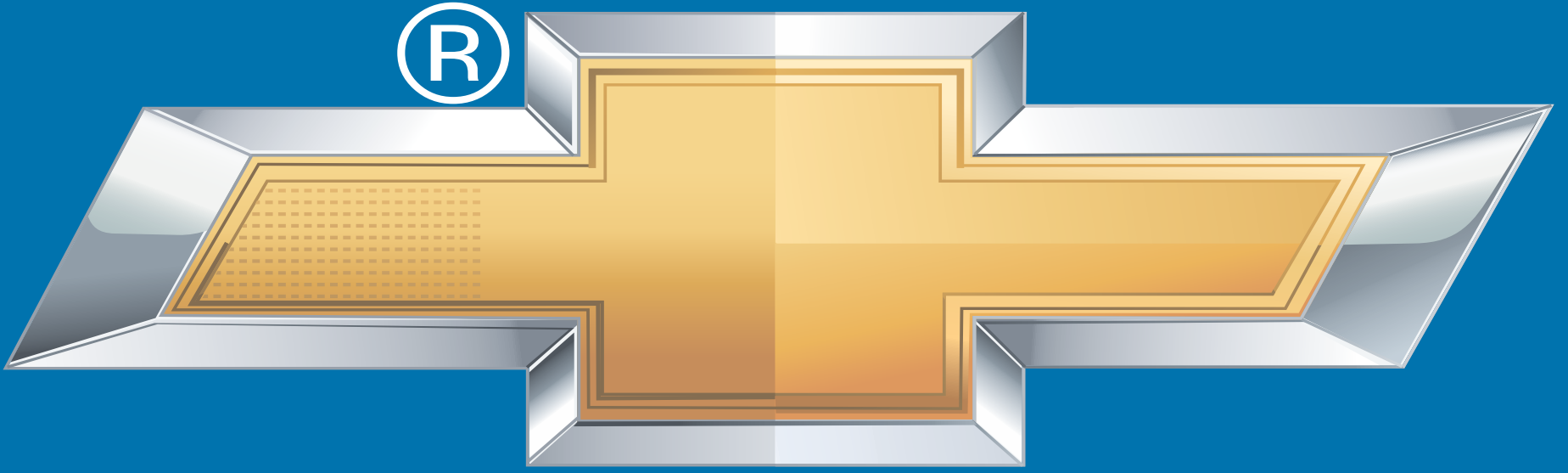
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