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## TOURNAMENT

## 13U Indiana Astros come in second at All American Games

The 13U Indiana Astros were runners up in the Kentucky All American Games tournament May 27 to May 29 in Elizabethtown, Ky. On the team area Gage Bayne, Tyler Brown, Aidan Ewers, Dawson Hadley, Justin Healey, Sam Jeffries, Evan Jewell, Cayden Mouzon, Kevin Ramsey, Kaleb Schaf, Seth Walters, and Jun Hirose. The team has children primarily from Beech Grove and Franklin Township.

## Celebrate Beech Grove Merger and Summer Reading Kickoff

## LIBRARY WELCOME

The community is invited for the official welcome of the Beech Grove Public Library into The Indianapolis Public Library system and to kick off the Library's 2016 Summer Reading Program on June 4, 11 a.m. – 3 p.m. at the Beech Grove Branch, 1102 Main St. The merger of Beech Grove with IndyPL, effective June 1, gives Beech Grove patrons access to more materials and services, increased computer capacity and programming opportunities for all ages. The consolidation also will result in greater efficiency and sustainability in operations. Festivities will include appearances by the comic strip character Garfield, the Library's Summer

Reading Program mascot, as well as a magic show, face painting, balloon animals, and a drawing for a free Kindle. The Library's eBook Tinker Station will be on hand to assist individuals in downloading electronic materials onto their personal devices. On display will be Beech Grove High School yearbooks dating to the 1940s that have been added to IndyPL's digital collection. Popcorn and soft drinks will be provided.

Children and families can sign up for the Summer Reading Program, "A Summer Reading Book Bash," which begins June 6 and continues through July 30. Participants will receive points for all books read during the summer that can be exchanged for prizes. To learn more, visit [indypl.org](http://indypl.org).

## Edgewood Family Dental to host Free Dentistry Day

## FREE DENTISTRY

People in the Indianapolis community, and surrounding areas, will have the opportunity to receive free dental services at Edgewood Family Dental on Saturday, June 11. Dr. Kristin Stevens, Dr. Joshua Stevens and team at Edgewood Family Dental will be improving the oral health of the community as part of Free Dentistry Day, a day dedicated

to providing free dental care to the growing number of Americans without dental insurance. During Free Dentistry Day, a choice of a free cleaning will be offered to children, ages 12 and under. A filling or extraction will be provided to all ages. The event will take place from 8 a.m. and 1 p.m. at 5855 Madison Ave., Suite H in Indianapolis. Patients will be accepted on a first-come, first-served basis. For more information, call (317) 787-6160 or visit [FreeDentistryDay.org](http://FreeDentistryDay.org).

# Don't go in the basement

## HAUNTS &amp; JAUNTS

By Rick Hinton

The neighborhood surrounding the empty lot of former 3850 E. New York St. is a compact assortment of older homes and businesses, with a community of residents that come and go. Many have never heard of Sylvia Likens or Gertrude Baniszewski. Yet, there are those in the neighborhood who have chosen to forget; what's done is done and there is no going back. After all, it's been decades since Baniszewski and a group of neighborhood kids laid siege to a young girl unprepared to deal with the depths of human depravity. The house stood for years afterwards.

Was it haunted? I believe that it was. How could it not be? Over the years it became a fixture—the neighborhood spook house. There was talk of figures in the windows of the empty house; the sounds of crying, laughter and screaming; and lights emitting from within. Throughout the years after Baniszewski was hauled off to prison, the house had a consistent history of vacancy. Folks moved in, but they didn't stay for long. Was it just the transitory nature of the neighborhood or something more? For that few months while Sylvia resided there—dealing with torture and humiliation—the pain, suffering and hopelessness embedded itself into the very core and soul of the house. Yes...it was haunted! There may have been no formal investigations to prove that

claim, yet emotion and tragedy still reverberated throughout the structure.

My former EMT instructor Jim Floyd is a 'sensitive.' He on occasion would visit the house. As he strolled along the side walkway leading to the back porch and basement window he would feel suffocated. His wife actually attended school with Jenny Likens. "She was a nice girl, but very quiet."

One of my job's vendor's employees, a Hispanic family, was renting the house just before its destruction. I wanted in, for nothing more than a walk through and a lot of photos. I requested an introduction. However the family suddenly moved out. They kept seeing "this girl" wandering about the house!

I stopped by the house many times on my way home from work. I'm not so much a sensitive, but always noted a sense of heaviness and utter sadness. On one of these visits I slipped into the basement from the outside window. Sylvia had spent her last weeks in this small area. I stood transfixed, but did not go upstairs. I couldn't fathom seeing the rest of the house. It was not a part of history I wanted to touch.

Two weeks later the house was torn down.



"It was a small basement!"

Photo by Rick Hinton



Rick Hinton, a Southport resident, loves researching things that go bump in the night. His articles can be read on Facebook: Rick Hinton, Southport Paranormal Examiner. Hinton conducts paranormal investigations with his team, South Central Paranormal.

## Hops & Fire opens in Greenwood

The Greater Greenwood Chamber of Commerce celebrated on May 17 the opening of Hops & Fire, a craft beer tap house in Greenwood located at 1259 North SR 135.



## RIBBON CUTTING

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**THIS WEEK** on the **WEB**



**IndyPL kicks off Southside Summer Reading**

Children and families are invited to experience the joy of reading and be a part of Indiana's 200th birthday celebration during The Indianapolis Public Library's 2016 Summer Reading Program, "The Summer Reading Book Bash," beginning June 6 and continuing through July 30.

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**Johnson Memorial Hospital Foundation awards scholarships**

The Johnson Memorial Hospital Foundation announced 33 scholarships totaling \$39,500 have been awarded to aid financial costs for Johnson County residents pursuing a career in a health-related field.

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**IN OUR SCHOOLS**

**Southside school updates**

What's been happening at your Southside school these last few weeks? See some of the news that couldn't fit into The Southside Times print publication!

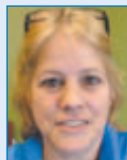
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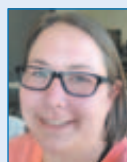
**Q: What would you have liked to have learned in school but didn't?**

"I wanted to study computers back in the 1970s but they didn't have (desktop) computers. Now I know how to run a computer so I don't need to go back to school for one. I would have liked to have learned how to use computers earlier in life. I'm done with my schooling and I have no desire to go back."



*Tami Lagle, works in Beech Grove*

"I would have liked to have learned more about money management, credit scores, and how credit card debt can affect you."



*Krista Johnson of Franklin Township*

"I would have liked to have learned a foreign language, and specifically Spanish. In this day in age, it is very helpful to be bilingual."



*Tom Mortensen of Perry Township*

"More political science and civics. I would have liked to have learned how campaigns are run, how candidates are nominated from the national level down to the local level. I like politics today and I think I may have liked it at a younger age if I was exposed to it earlier. I am running for Perry Township Board District 2, one of five seats on the advisory board."



*Jason Fletcher of Carson Heights*

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## FROM THE EDITOR

## Unsung heroes: Good teachers

Think back to your school days. Which teachers stood out, encouraged you, opened your naive eyes to the world? What concept or lesson blew your mind? What English reading assignment touched you deeply? What math or science concept helped you to make sense of the world around you, changed your worldview or was the most enjoyable?

More than likely, the person responsible for these revelations are teachers.

In any given school year, it is likely that your child will spend more time with a teacher than almost any other adult, except parents.

This contact has enormous implications. Teachers influence your children. Teachers encourage our children. They introduce your children to various skills critical for success in life. They are examples.

Good teachers are invaluable.

As we wrap up another school year, The Southside Times would like to thank teachers for their dedication and compassion for our students. The extra hours, the changing expectations, the political wrangling make the job so undesirable. We understand. But we applaud your willingness to work past all of that to reach our children and make an immeasurable impact on their lives.

Thank you, teachers.

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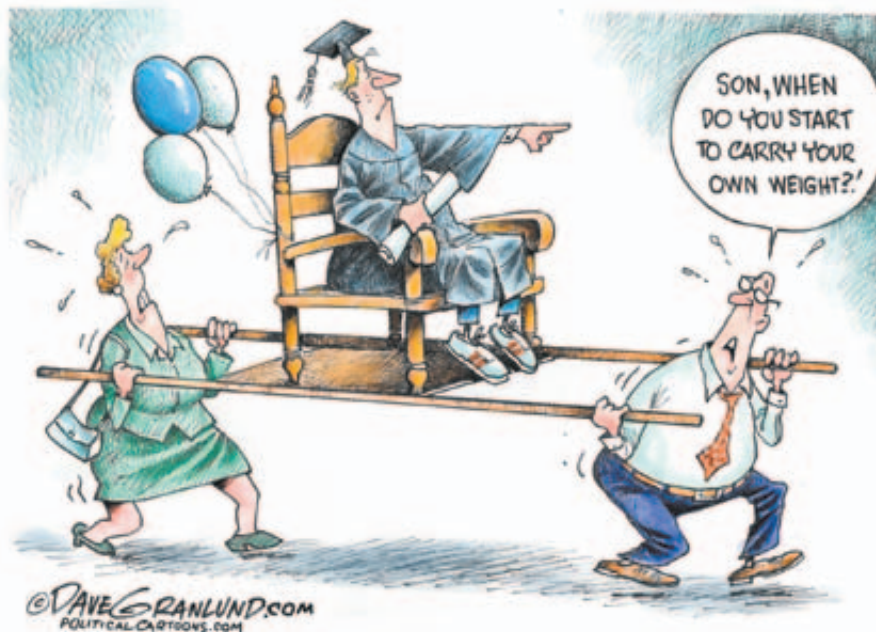
**Our nation has all sorts of arcane, nonsensical laws on the books. Each week, we'll share one with you...**

In Texas, it is illegal to milk another person's cow.

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## STARS &amp; STRIKES ON THE SOUTHSIDE

*The Southside Times is all about people and our community. What do you like in your neighborhood? What don't you like? Who has done something nice, no matter how small and should be recognized? Email your "Stars and Strikes" to [news@ss-times.com](mailto:news@ss-times.com). Kelly Foulk of Franklin Township contributed to this week's Stars and Strikes.*

★ **Star:** To the town of Acton for putting on a fabulous and very meaningful Memorial Day celebration.

★ **Star:** To Southport Police Officer Ryan Bowersox. While patrolling, Bowersox noticed a suspicious vehicle parked at the Marathon station. As he was investigating, a woman began to overdose from illegal narcotics. Officer Bowersox administered Narcan and saved the

woman's life. This was the first time Southport Police has used Narcan since it was donated to them last year by the Lions Club of Southport, Inc.

★ **Star:** To Beech Grove Police Officer Tyler Frankel, who is featured in this week's Behind the Badge. Frankel stated in his interview that the interaction with people is what he enjoys most about the job, and it shows. A man posted on a Beech Grove facebook page that Officer Frankel responded to a call in the past, and stopped by again to check on him. "Again this just shows the level of professionalism and pride that Beech Grove PD display on a daily basis," the man wrote. "I feel all three of these officers who helped me are deserving of a commendation especially officer Frankel."

## HUMOR



## Top ten thoughts about hitting my 55th birthday

Compiled by Torry Stiles

10. I can't wait to rock those Senior Citizen discounts at Bob Evans and Denny's.

8. I tend to forget things.

7. I don't have to fall down a flight of stairs to feel like I just fell down a flight of stairs.

6. I often repeat myself.

5. I begin to picture a cane as a fashion accessory.

4. I don't think it's a joke when someone says Florence Henderson is hot.

3. I often repeat myself.

2. I continued my tradition of enjoying a couple of shots on my birthday. This year I had B-12 and a flu vaccine update.

1. Every day of relaxation now requires a day of recuperation.

## QUOTE OF THE WEEK

“What is one to say about June, the time of perfect young summer, the fulfillment of the promise of the earlier months, and with as yet no sign to remind one that its fresh young beauty will ever fade.”

~ Gertrude Jekyll (Jekyll was an influential British horticulturist, garden designer, artist and writer. She created over 400 gardens in the United Kingdom, Europe and the United States)



Tyler Frankel

Photo by Nicole Davis

## Tyler Frankel

**Beech Grove police officer wants to take a proactive approach to public safety**

### BEHIND the BADGE

Compiled by Nicole Davis

Spending eight years in the National Guard as a firefighter, Tyler Frankel said he wanted to take a more proactive approach to helping others. He became a police officer in 2011, and was hired to the Beech Grove Police Department in October 2015.

Frankel grew up in central Illinois. He and his wife, Cindy, currently reside in Greenwood. Officer Frankel served at the Indianapolis airport and Capitol Police before coming to BGPD.

"Beech Grove is kind of like the town I grew up with," he said. "It's a smaller area, compared to Indianapolis. You get to know the citizens. The citizens do appreciate you here. You drive down the street, see someone you know and wave. That's something I didn't have before."

#### What was your inspiration to become a police officer?

I grew up in a small town. We had one or two police officers who would come to the school. They were role models for the class. I knew growing up that I wanted to get into public safety... I went to college at Eastern Illinois University. One of my first classes was introduction to criminology. The professor there was an inspiration. He was a retired police officer. He told me the ins and outs. It sounded like something that I wanted to do.

#### What has been one of your most gratifying moments on the job?

When you go to calls, people are scared. It's gratifying to know your presence there can make people a little more comfortable. Even with things like cars breaking down, it's nice to show that police are the good guys and we're there to help.

#### What aspect of the job do you find most challenging?

The public perception of police nowadays. The media sometimes puts a negative like on law enforcement. Some people think every law enforcement officer is the same. We're trying to make sure law enforcement is seen in a positive light.

#### What do you enjoy doing in your off-time?

I like spending time outside, camping, having bonfires and hanging out with family and friends.

#### What are your future goals, professionally or personally?

I'm relatively new, so to grow as an officer. I work with a great group of guys. I'm trying to learn from them on every call. Personally, my wife is pregnant with our first child so I'm looking forward to that. I want to be a good dad.

#### What would you have done if you hadn't become a police officer?

I would have enlisted full time in the military, active duty.



## BG TOP 10

### Bye family honors top athletes and students

Each year the Bruce and Ilze Bye Family honors the top 10 student athletes at each grade level at the high school. In addition, they award the top male and top female senior with a scholarship.

#### Class of 2019 (Freshmen)

**Back Row:** Kelcey Williams, Breanna Small, Janis Vuskalns, Cierra Ray

#### Front Row:

MacKenzie Poindexter, Emily Frye, Emily Leak, Riley Judd, Madeline Adamson

#### Not Pictured:

Mackenzie McGinley



#### Class of 2018 (Sophomores)

**Back Row:** Jacob Neff, Jack Ulery, Conner Kelley, Theodore Hardesty

#### Front Row:

Skylar Brinkley, Cameron Cardenas, Elizabeth Pich, Mallory Storms, Mariah Murdock

#### Not Pictured:



#### Class of 2017 (Juniors)

**Back Row:** Jay Conway, Tyler Ramsey, Brenton Strahla, Jamin Storey, Connor Carter

#### Front Row:

Samuel Elliott, Abigail Strahla, Claire Adamson, Michele Jennings, Zachary Ringham



#### Class of 2016 (Seniors)

**Back Row:** Vilis Vuskalns, Briana Spurgeon, David Corbin, Sierra Sutt, Benjamin Elliott

#### Front Row:

Haylee Wolf, Kylie Luna, Gabriela Rosales White, Kristian Folks, Hanna Bougher



**Top Male Senior:** Vilis Vuskalns  
**Top Female Senior:** Briana Spurgeon



Abel Tajonar, Emily Ray, Raylin Harris, and Hannah Hendrix, Brandi Martin, Jessica Spencer, Erika Shellenberger, Arianna Winters, Emoni Winters, Emily Steinmetz, Jackson Gambrell, Tim Griffin, Timmy Annee, and Coach Maggie Cooper. Not pictured: Abby Morris, Donte Millbrook, Abi Ritter, and Maddie Ahnafeld.

## Perry Meridian Unified Track team goes to State

### PM TRACK & FIELD

The Falcon Unified Track team has qualified for the State Finals May 28 in Bloomington with a Sectional Runner-up finish. The Falcons also won the Conference Indiana meet earlier this month. The State Finals will

consist of eight teams from around the state. The meet is held at Robert C. Haugh Track & Field Complex at Indiana University on June 4. Field events (shot put and long jump) start at 1 p.m. with the running events (100m, 400m, and 4x100m relay) to follow starting at 1:30 p.m.

## Four Center Grove schools earn Four Star awards

### CG STATE AWARD

Four Center Grove schools have been named 2014-2015 Four Star Schools by the Indiana Department of Education. The distinction is the highest award given to schools by the state. The Center Grove schools receiving the honor include: Center Grove High School, Center Grove Middle School Central, Center Grove Middle School North,

and Sugar Grove Elementary. Superintendent of Public Instruction Glenda Ritz announced Tuesday that 287 of the more than 2,000 eligible Indiana schools received the award. To be eligible, schools must be in the top 25th percentile of schools in three ISTEP-based categories during the 2014-15 school year. For the list of all 2014-15 Four Star Schools, visit [doe.in.gov/accreditation/four-star-schools](http://doe.in.gov/accreditation/four-star-schools).

## Roncalli baseball wins Sectional

### RONCALLI BALL

The Roncalli baseball team captured the program's 12th sectional title with a 10-0 five-inning win over Decatur Central at Pike. The Rebels scored seven runs in the bottom of the first inning on home runs by sophomore Nick Schnell (three-run homer), senior Cody Smith (solo homer) and senior Tyler Lucas (three-run homer). Roncalli added

three runs in the fourth on RBI singles by seniors Will Harris and Tyler Lucas, followed by a third run forced in via a bases loaded hit by pitch. Senior Michael McAvene pitched five innings, and struck out 10, while allowing just one hit. He improved his record to 6-4 and is the team's first pitcher to record six wins. Roncalli (19-9) plays either Mount Vernon (18-8) or Lawrence North (17-8) in the regional round June 4 at Decatur Central. First pitch is scheduled for 1 p.m.

## Alleycats and Wildfire bring Ultimate Frisbee

### PRO FRISBEE

The Indianapolis AlleyCats, based in the Southside of Indianapolis, and the Chicago Wildfire will face off in the first ever professional ultimate game played in The Region. The Indianapolis AlleyCats and the Chicago Wildfire will battle for claim of The Region in what is the areas first ever professional ultimate contest. The game, played at US Steel Yard, will follow a semi-pro baseball match-

up between the South Shore Railcats and Joplin Blaster. This will be the most anticipated semi-pro sporting event Indiana has ever had. In the first game of the day it will be a professional ultimate game as the Railcats host the Blasters at 3:10 p.m. CDT. Following that the AlleyCats will take the field for a thrilling ultimate showdown against the Chicago Wildfire. Tickets for this double header are available for \$10 at <http://chicago-wildfire.com/railcats-event/>

## Indianapolis council approves transit referendum

### TRANSIT FUNDING

The Indianapolis/Marion County City-County Council, in May, certified a referendum on transit funding. In the November 2016 general election, Marion County residents will decide whether to increase the income tax by 0.25% (25¢ for \$100 of income) to establish a dedicated source of funding for

transit. Throughout this summer, the Indy Connect team will be out and about, educating people and their organizations about the plan for improving transit service in Marion County, so that everyone can be as informed as possible when they cast their votes in November. Anyone who would like a speaker for their group or organization, email [Request@IndyConnect.org](mailto:Request@IndyConnect.org) or leave us a voice-mail at (317) 327-8601.

## Southside News Quiz

How well do you know your Southside community?  
Test your current event knowledge each week with a little Q&A!

**1** Highlighting the personalities of our top 2015-16 high school graduates, The Southside Times asked salutorians and valedictorians to answer the question, In 50 years, suppose you were to write a book. What would the title be? What is Greenwood salutorian, Kaeli Bryant's book title?

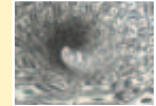
- A. *Coffee, Cardigans, and Many Concerns*
- B. *How to Live Alone with 56 Cats*
- C. *My Life as a Pharmacist*
- D. *Living Life Through*

**2** Franklin Township residents Kevin Winton and David Roth stopped by Indiana on their \_\_\_\_\_ for the \_\_\_\_\_ last week, a fundraiser to benefit Helping Hands for Freedom.

- A. Route for the Brave
- B. Path for the Patriots
- C. Jaunt for the Juveniles
- D. Walk for the Warriors

**3** Greenwood accountant Mike Wright advises that small business owners take a \_\_\_\_\_ first approach when managing their finances.

- A. Employee
- B. Expenditure
- C. Charity
- D. Profit



**4** Southport Police Officers will participate in a \_\_\_\_\_ contest to help raise money for ballistic vests on June 3 and 4.

- A. Rifle Shooting
- B. Car Racing
- C. Pizza Eating
- D. Physical Fitness



**5** Beech Grove Public Library officially merged with Indianapolis Public Library on June 1. It will have a celebration, along with its \_\_\_\_\_ kickoff, on June 4.

- A. Summer Reading
- B. Book Borrowing
- C. Digitalizing History
- D. Employee Hiring

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IT'S NOT TOO LATE TO PLANT!

## HEIDENREICH GREENHOUSES

FLATS OF ANNUALS FROM A to Z  
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## Honoring fallen heroes

**Greenwood and Whiteland VFWs come together for Memorial Service Program**

**By Beth Wade**

The Greenwood and Whiteland Veterans of Foreign Wars and the Greenwood American Legion Posts sponsored the annual Memorial Service Program on Saturday, May 28. The Greenwood/Whiteland Honor Guard and the Ladies Auxiliary presented an invocation, the setting of a wreath, rifle volley, and performed taps at five of Greenwood's local cemeteries. The group began at Rock Lane Cemetery then made their way to Greenwood Cemetery, Mount Pleasant Cemetery, and The Gardens at Olive Branch before ending the morning at Forest Lawn.

This annual event has been happening for years under the watchful guard of Greenwood American Legion Post 252, The Greenwood VFW Post 5864, and Whiteland VFW Post 6978.

"I have no records of how long they have been providing cemetery services," stated this year's organizer Bob Tuttle, "but a logical guess would be that they started soon after the Post acquired their rifles." The Greenwood American Legion Post was established in October of 1920 and obtained their first set of ceremonial rifles in 1948 and according to Tuttle "Our Post members have been honoring our veterans at gravesites, marching in parades, and performing flag raising ceremonies since."

The Memorial Service honored those who served our nation. "We pause to remember the lives lost and the lives forever changed by war," Dick Johnson stated in his invocation. "There is no greater demonstration of love than to lay down one's life for another." In the words spoken by Johnson, "May we be more vigilant in our love for others, for our nation and for the cause of freedom, justice and peace throughout the world."

**Top, left:** Memorial wreath.

**Top, right:** Dick Johnson, Eddie Bullock, Bob Tuttle, Steve Emery, Don Metcalf, Charli Johnson and Irina Muchler.

**Middle, left:** Loretta Shank, Ruby Robinson, Ginny Anthony, Juanita Emery and Mel Bullock.

**Middle:** Paul Thompson plays Taps at Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

**Bottom:** Dick Johnson reads invocation.

**Photos by Beth Wade**



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## St. Mark – Community Fun Fest



Above: Scenes from past St. Mark Community Fun Fest Celebrations. Submitted Photos



By Brian R. Ruckle

The St. Mark Community Fun Fest will bring another year of food, fun and fellowship to the corner of US 31 and Edgewood Ave.

The theme of this 34th annual event is “Give Back.”

“What better way to give back to our Lord than to use our hands and talents that he has blessed us with. We have so many blessings. It is time to give back,” said Jim O’Brien, co-chairperson for the festival.

This year’s main raffle grand prize is \$3,000 cash or a tuition grant of up to \$4,500. The tuition grant will be accepted at any south deanery Catholic School or Roncalli High School. Second prize is \$1,000 cash and third is \$500 cash. An heirloom quilt will also be raffled.

Co-chairperson Ann Berkemeier said the event will build on efforts last year to represent some of the Southside cultures with ethnic entertainment and food. The SAYAW Philippine cultural dance company will perform Friday night from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m.

There will be plenty of activities for young children and teens. The dozens of games include coin toss and pop a shot. There will be a photo booth, pony rides, a dunk tank and a smash car that will allow kids to put on goggles and gloves and beat on an old car with a sledgehammer. Berkemeier said she expects the eight inflatables to be a big draw. With a

\$10 wristband, children can play all night on the inflatables.

“We made lots of smiles on children’s faces and we want to continue that tradition,” Berkemeier Said.

Adult fun on all three nights at 7 p.m. includes Monte Carlo outside in the beer garden and Bingo in Schafer Hall.

The festival has complete dinners prepared by Valle Vista Country Club including a drink and dessert for \$7, seniors for \$6, and children \$4. These home-cooked dinners will be offered in the parish’s air-conditioned, multipurpose room from 5 p.m. to 8 p.m. each evening. Thursday’s and Saturday’s special is a fried chicken dinner, and Friday features St. Mark’s popular BBQ.

In addition, a number of mobile truck vendors will attend including Brozinni Pizzeria on Thursday and Friday, New York Slice on Saturday and Mrs. Curl Ice Cream on all three nights. Sample Mashcraft Beer’s various brews on Thursday and Friday.

Live music includes on Thursday a 30 piece brass band called Crossroads Brass Band from 7 to 8 p.m. and jazz band Ray Cumberland and Friends from 8 to 10 p.m. Friday will feature the SAYAW Philippine cultural dance company from 6 - 8 p.m. and Spinruts from 8-11 p.m. On Saturday, Tastes Like Chicken takes the stage at 8 p.m. and will play until 11:30 p.m.

Mass will be celebrated Saturday before the festivities at 4 p.m.

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### NEWS BRIEF – IN OUR SCHOOLS

## Roncalli students honored with Spirit of Youth award

The Catholic Youth Organization of the Archdiocese of Indianapolis recently announced their 2016 Spirit of Youth Award winners. These high school students were honored for the commitment, dedication and contribution they have made to their parish and especially to their parish’s youth ministry programs. They were honored at a mass and reception on May 3 at the Ss. Peter & Paul Cathedral. Congratulations to Roncalli High School honorees: Emry Himes, Garrett Schura, Isaac Howe, Madison Sanneman, Justin Hornek, Louie Hibner, Abbey Currans, Charlie Brehob and Nick Wood. Roncalli students comprised 9 of the 16 students honored from throughout the archdiocese.



Roncalli Spirit of Youth award winners with Archbishop Tobin.

# Holy Rosary - Street Fest



By Brian R. Ruckle

Holy Rosary Catholic Church announced the ethnic event of the summer, Friday, June 10 and Saturday, June 11 from 5 p.m. to 11 p.m. at the church, 520 Stevens St. and surrounding Lacy Park.

During the event, the area will transform into an outdoor Italian festival and celebration. The annual summer event is free and a treat for the senses.

“Every year, we are thrilled to invite the community to this exciting event that brings together the best in local entertainment, fantastic food and cultural fun,” said Holy Rosary Father Ryan C. McCarthy. “During the Italian Street Festival, everyone is invited to experience our tradition.”

New to the festival is an exceptional, music line-up, including four of Indianapolis’s most popular acts. Local favorite and Headliner the Woomblies will entertain festival crowds Friday evening, along with festival regulars the Theotokos Band. Saturday’s line-up includes Spinrut and

the Cool City Band beginning at 8 p.m.

The Italian Street Festival features more than 25 different Italian meats, pastas, salads and desserts. There also is dancing, carnival rides and games for everyone. Twenty-five food stands in a festive, ethnic setting are decorated with strands of lights, and Italian music and an old-world style procession and Mass add to the ambiance. There is free parking in the Eli Lilly lots on East and New Jersey Streets.

Bocce demonstrations are scheduled for Friday and Saturday afternoon of the. All are welcome to play bocce at the courts in Lacy Park, or learn how to play the historic Italian game. Additionally, there is a 7 p.m. mass on June 11 at Holy Rosary Catholic Church. Those interested in signing up a team of four to play in the IHSI League should register at [italianheritage.org](http://italianheritage.org).

The Parish of Holy Rosary and the City of Indianapolis, Holy Rosary Church and the Italian Street Festival are 501c-3 entities. Proceeds from the annual festival support the Church Operation Fund.



Above and right: Scenes from past Holy Rosary Catholic Church Italian Street Festivals. Submitted Photos

HOLY ROSARY CHURCH PRESENTS THE ETHNIC EVENT OF THE SUMMER

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JUNE 10th & 11th • Friday & Saturday  
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Spaghetti	Bread Sticks
Antipasto Salad	Tiramisu
Beer Peroni	Pizza
Fettuccine Alfredo	Cannolis
Soda & Bottled Water	Meatballs on a Stick
Italian Sausage	Cheesecake
Italian Wines	

Traditional Religious Procession lead by the Italian Heritage Society of Indiana at 6:45 pm. Followed by a Mass held in Holy Rosary Church at 7:00 pm.



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## Southside Catholic Festival Directory Save these dates!

### Next Weekend

**Saint Mark Funfest**  
June 9, 10 and 11, 5 to 11 p.m.  
535 E. Edgewood Ave.  
Perry Township, Indianapolis  
(317) 787-8246  
[stmarkfunfest.org](http://stmarkfunfest.org)

### Our Lady of Greenwood Summer Festival

June 9, 10 and 11, 5 p.m. to midnight  
335 S. Meridian St.  
Greenwood  
(317) 888-2861  
[olgreenwood.org](http://olgreenwood.org)

### Holy Rosary Italian Street Festival

June 10 and 11, 5 to 11 p.m.  
520 Stevens St.  
Indianapolis  
[holyroaryindy.org](http://holyroaryindy.org)

### This Month

**Saint Jude Summer Festival**  
June 23, 24 and 25, 5 to 11 p.m.  
5353 McFarland Rd.  
Perry Township, Indianapolis  
(317) 786-4371  
[stjudeindy.org](http://stjudeindy.org)

### August

**Nativity Augstravaganza**  
Aug. 19-20, 4 p.m. – midnight  
7225 Southeastern Ave.  
Franklin Township, Indianapolis  
(317) 357-1200  
[nativityindy.org](http://nativityindy.org)

### September

**Saints Francis & Clare Fall Festival**  
Sept. 23 and 24, 5 – 11 p.m.  
5901 Olive Branch Rd., Greenwood  
(317) 859-4673 • [ss-fc.org](http://ss-fc.org)

### October

**Holy Name of Jesus Oktoberfest**  
Sept. 30-Oct. 1, 5 p.m. to midnight  
89 N. 17th Ave., Beech Grove  
(317) 784-5454  
[holyname.cc/parish/oktoberfest](http://holyname.cc/parish/oktoberfest)

### Next May 2017

**Saint Roch Mayfest 2016**  
May 18, 19 and 20; 5 to 11 p.m.  
3603 S. Meridian St.  
Perry Township, Indianapolis  
(317) 784-2637 • [mayfest.net](http://mayfest.net)

# After all these Years



**Above:** Damon Monschein is dressed like Uncle Sam, a costume that accurately reflects his patriotic personality.



**Left:** Damon Monschein, gunner, is pictured on the back, middle. Winter would drop down to negative 20 degrees Fahrenheit in Korea.

Submitted Photos

## 70 years after dropping out of school, Greenwood resident and Korean War veteran Damon Monschein receives his high school diploma

By Nicole Davis

As Damon Monschein prepares to accept his high school diploma from Thomas Carr Howe Community High School on June 4, he has a word of advice for all the young students graduating.

"If I have to (give a speech), it's going to be short," he said. "I appreciate graduating and getting a diploma because now I can go out and get a good job... I want to tell you youngsters graduating from high school right now, there are thousands and thousands of others graduating. If you're having trouble finding a job, join the military. It'll make a man or a woman out of you. I'm very strong on kids joining the service."

At 87 years old, Greenwood resident Monschein never expected to graduate from high school. Born and raised in Indianapolis during the Great Depression, he played trumpet in the marching band and ran cross country track in high school.

"I wasn't too good at school," he said. "At that time, I walked a mile and a half to school since we didn't have buses. I could care less about school in those days. My mom and dad got a divorce so I just quit in '46 and went to work."

In 1947 Monschein and a friend decided to join the Marine Corps. He served for three years as a reserve. In November 1950 he arrived in Korea, where he served for 13 months.

Monschein was in the infantry during the Korean War. Through his deployment, he was on the outskirts of five towns but he never went into town. Instead, he stayed in the mountains and fields, part of the 60mm Mortar Company.

"The first memorable experience I had, I was at the bottom walking to the top of the hill," he said. "I had just got there. I had no idea about the terrain we were in. I was walking down this path on guard duty and all of a sudden a machine gun sprayed bullets right alongside me. I don't remember what I did; I ran."

Monschein also shared of sitting in a bunker when a mortar shell hit close to him, "It knocked me silly for a while. That was the closest I ever got to getting wounded."

He said his unit received a presidential citation for their work with the mortars.

"I have no regrets about being in the Marine Corps," he said. "I am proud to be in the service and in combat because I am here to talk about it. We did lose a lot of troops over in

Korea."

Monschein arrived home just in time for Christmas, 1951. Throughout his life, he has worked many jobs including installing neon lights and water softeners with the railroad and setting up liquor displays. For 30 years, he worked for himself, painting houses. He still paints, often helping with projects around the Greenwood VFW.

"I've been very active all of my life," he said. "That's why I can still walk. I always said the more exercise you get, the better off you are. You sit around like a couch potato and you're going to fade away."

After being given a year to live after doctors found a tumor in his bladder in 2010, Monschein said he's happy to say he's survived cancer without chemotherapy or surgery; he likes to credit his recovery to drinking a glass of Early Times whiskey and Sprite for many years.

Monschein said he's a very patriotic person, always decorating for the 4th of July and attending POW and other American ceremonies. If he sees a flag flying that's dirty or torn, he'll be sure to say something.

He joined Greenwood VFW Post 5864 in 1990. He has served as its Sergeant at Arms for 20 years, helping to maintain order at meetings.

Greenwood VFW Commander Steve Milbourn said he knew that high school diplomas can be awarded to veterans from WWI, WWII, the Korean War and Vietnam War if they had left high school to join the military. He mentioned the idea of obtaining a diploma to Monschein, who initially said no. Milbourn filled out the paperwork anyway, had Monschein sign it and sent it in.

"I am excited on graduating," Monschein said. "It'll be more for my family now."

Monschein has two sons. He and his wife, Cleta, have been married for 40 years. Combined, they have 16 grandchildren, eight great-grandchildren and three great-great-grandsons.

As for his possible graduation speech – Monschein said he feels if more youth would join the military and serve their country, they'd be less likely to get into trouble and be better off long-term.

"It made a man out of me," he said. "What would I have turned out to be if I wasn't in the service? I don't know. I wasn't a bad boy to start with. It changed me in a way and I was really proud to be in the service."

**On the cover:** Damon Monschein, today. **Photo by Nicole Davis**  
**Historical image:** Damon Monschein served in Korea from 1950 to 1951. **Submitted Photo**



# Class of 2016

Southside graduates in the top of their class share their secrets to success

As Southside schools wrap up the 2015-16 school year, many graduates have already stepped to receive that diploma and move onto their next stages in life. As they make that transition from high school life and move on to other areas, now is a time when many graduates are reflecting back on their experiences and looking forward to creating new ones. Here, learn more about those who ranked at the tops of their classes:

Compiled by Nicole Davis

## Beech Grove High School



**Briana Spurgeon**  
Valedictorian

Future education: Indiana University  
Intended major: Double Majoring in Community Health as well as Psychology

**What is the biggest lesson you learned in high school?** The most important lesson I've learned from high school is really how to learn. I've learned the best strategies for retaining important information and also I've discovered the path I want to pursue.

**What is the secret to success?** The most important component to success is really having intrinsic motivation. Finding something one is passionate about and then doing whatever possible to achieve one's goals is how to ultimately obtain success.

**In 50 years, suppose you were to write a book. What would the title be?** *How to Live a Satisfying Life: "Type A" Personality Edition.*



**Elizabeth Terry**  
Salutarian

Future education: Indiana University  
Intended major: Neuroscience

**What is the biggest lesson you learned in high school?** My most valuable school experiences weren't centered around academics. Instead, they were based upon my relationships with others. Through these relationships, I learned the importance of social skills, respect, self-worth, empathy, and realizing your own potential.

**What is the secret to success?** The secret to success is to be your own source of motivation.

**In 50 years, suppose you were to write a book. What would the title be?** *I'm Still in Debt: An Autobiography.*

## Center Grove High School



**Bhumi Patel**  
Valedictorian

Future education: Indiana University, with plans to go to medical school  
Intended major: Neuroscience

**What is the biggest lesson you learned in high school?** Focus on yourself before you look to see what others are doing. Take time to get to know yourself and see where you fit, but don't waste time comparing yourself to others. Make sure you are happy before anything else.

**What is the secret to success?** Working because you want to, not because you feel pressured or want the reward.

**In 50 years, suppose you were to write a book. What would the title be?** *How to get that Bhum Bhum Pow: A Guide to Success.*



**Amrit Parihar**  
Salutarian

Future education:  
Indiana University Bloomington  
Intended major: Biochemistry

**What is the biggest lesson you learned in high school?** Start assignments and projects as early as possible.

**What do you feel is the secret to success?** Organization and time management.

**In 50 years, suppose you were to write a book. What would the title be?** *Patching Up the World.*

## Franklin Central High School



**Jasmine Nichole Kalia**  
Valedictorian

Future Education: University of Chicago  
Intended Major: Double major in Physics and Computer Science

**What is the biggest lesson you learned in high school?** The biggest lesson I learned in high school is that you learn as much from your interactions with your peers as you do from formal classroom instruction.

**What is the secret to success?** The secret to success is persistence. There are many struggles in life, big and small, and you have to find the courage to fight through them.

**In 50 years, suppose you were to write a book. What would the title be?** *The (Re)Definition of Success.*



**Nathan Huffman**  
Co Salutarian

Future education: Massachusetts Institute of Technology  
Intended major: Mechanical Engineering

**What is the biggest lesson you learned in high school?** The biggest lesson I learned is that time goes by fast, so take advantage of every moment.

**What is the secret to success?** The secret to success is realizing that failure is a pitstop, not a destination.

**In 50 years, suppose you were to write a book. What would the title be?** *How to Keep Learning Throughout Your Life.*



**Jeb (James) King**  
Co Salutarian

Future education: Harvard University  
Intended major: Foreign language, linguistics, computer science

**What is the biggest lesson you learned in high school?** Sleep isn't important.

**What is the secret to success?** I'm only 18 and have a long road ahead of me, but I'm pretty sure passion and work ethic are key factors.

**In 50 years, suppose you were to write a book. What would the title be?** *Still Learning.*

## Greenwood Community High School



**Garrett Terhune**  
Valedictorian

Future education: Butler University  
Intended major: Pharmacy

**What is the biggest lesson you learned in high school?** The biggest lesson I learned in high school is that only you can define what success is. As long as you work hard, put in extra effort to get the most of your education, and challenge yourself beyond what you are comfortable with, success will follow closely behind.

**What is the secret to success?** Always be internally motivated to achieve at the highest level you are capable of achieving at.

**In 50 years, suppose you were to write a book. What would the title be?** *My Life as a Pharmacist: The Exhilarating Highs and Detrimental Lows of Success.*



**Kaeli Bryant**  
Salutarian

Future education: Indiana University  
Intended major: Biochemistry

**What is the biggest lesson you learned in high school?** I think the biggest lesson I learned is how to be a leader both inside and outside the classroom.

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**What is the secret to success?** My secret to success is having a strong internal motivation to do the best I can.

**In 50 years, suppose you were to write a book. What would the title be?** *How to Live Alone with 56 Cats: A Study on Self-Independence and Grooming.*

## Lutheran High School



**Emily Jones**  
Valedictorian

Future education: Purdue University  
Intended major: English, with the hopes of becoming an author

**What is the biggest lesson you learned in high school?** I did not only receive an education based strictly on academic topics at Lutheran—I've also studied the Bible and learned about the love of God. This is the biggest lesson I've learned in high school, and I feel it can be summed up in one verse, which comes from Matthew 7:12; "So whatever you wish that others would do to you, do also to them, for this is the Law and the Prophets."

**What is the secret to success?** I feel the secret to success is putting others before yourself. It doesn't matter if you get the highest grades or have the most money someday if you don't have relationships with others. To be truly successful is to have the respect and admiration of others.

**In 50 years, suppose you were to write a book. What would the title be?** I would want it to be a fictional book that reveals a societal problem, similar to *To Kill A Mockingbird* or *1984* or *The Outsiders*. A potential title could be *Shattering the Glass Ceiling*, which would address the history of women's struggle to achieve equality in the workplace and in general society.



**Jared Chandler**  
Salutatorian

Future education: Indiana University  
Intended major: Biology and minor in Spanish

**What is the biggest lesson you learned in high school?** The biggest lesson I learned in high school is to not be so sensitive, and realize that others' opinions about you are not fact.

**What is the secret to success?** The secret to success is want. When you want something more than you want air, then you will be successful.

**In 50 years, suppose you were to write a book. What would the title be?** *How to Make Life Easy.*

## Southport High School Class of 2016

Retiring Southport Principal Barbara Brouwer oversaw her 10th and final commencement ceremony on May 27. Graduates and their families packed the Southport High School Fieldhouse to see more than 500 seniors get their diplomas.

*Congratulations  
Class of 2016*

## Perry Meridian High School



**April Gettelfinger**  
Valedictorian

Future education: University of Evansville  
Intended major: Biology (pre-medical studies)

**What is the biggest lesson you learned in high school?** The biggest lesson I learned was to find something, anything to care about. High school is a long four years if you allow yourself to be apathetic. The best memories you will form in high school will be from those moments when you chased what you're passionate about, whether it be theatre, writing, or sports.

**What is the secret to success?** The secret to success is surrounding yourself with people who have the same values as you do. Having a great support system is so important, especially when you have a lot on your plate.

**In 50 years, suppose you were to write a book. What would the title be?** *Coffee, Cardigans, and Many Concerns.*



**Michelle Frustereo**  
Salutatorian

Future education: University of Indianapolis  
Intended major: Secondary Education, Mathematics

**What is the biggest lesson you learned in high school?** I learned that it was alright to try more new things. Being afraid should not hold one back. Most difficulties can be conquered.

**What is the secret to success?** Just what I said above, don't let fear hold you back; you'll definitely regret what you didn't do later. However, if you've got that down, you have to make sure you know what you're passionate about, not what someone tells you you enjoy. Know yourself.

**In 50 years, suppose you were to write a book. What would the title be?** I don't know enough about my life yet to write a book, but so far it's been endless hardships. I'd probably devote it to my late mother, but a title is beyond me. I never know my titles until I've written the end.

## Roncalli High School



**Hannah Fikes**  
Valedictorian

Future education: Washington University in St. Louis  
Intended major: Electrical Engineering and Physics

**What is the biggest lesson you learned in high school?** Step outside of your comfort zone; it pays off!

**What is the secret to success?** Always do your best to be kind and honest.

**In 50 years, suppose you were to write a book. What would the title be?** *All the Small Things.*



**Emily Barron**  
Salutatorian

Future education: University of North Carolina Chapel Hill  
Intended major: Public Health or Chemistry

**What is the biggest lesson you learned in high school?** Sometimes the outcome of a particular task does not directly reflect my effort, but the disappointment in knowing that I could have given a greater effort and had a more favorable outcome is much greater than the disappointment in finding a lesser outcome than I expected when trying my best.

**What is the secret to success?** I believe that focusing on my own capabilities and actions as opposed to comparing myself to those around me has been helpful for me.

**In 50 years, suppose you were to write a book. What would the title be?** *Sewing Patterns* by Emily Barron

## Southport High School



**Delaney Sue Buckner**  
Valedictorian

Future education: Arizona State University  
Intended major: Biology

**What is the biggest lesson you learned in high school?** Time management.

**What is the secret to success?** Don't expect it to come easily by any means, but by working hard, giving high effort, and finding what motivates you, success is bound to be found.

**In 50 years, suppose you were to write a book. What would the title be?** *Living Life Through [Forced] Perfection.*



**Jaclyn Boyer**  
Salutatorian  
Answers N/A



### Southside students honored at Trine

Trine University recognized more than 250 students at its annual Honors Program on April 29 in the T. Furth Center for Performing Arts. Students received honors for academic achievement, membership in national honor societies and leadership in their academic field. Among the students recognized were: Rachel Morris of Beech Grove, who was honored for Alpha Psi Omega; Anthony Waltermann of Greenwood, who was honored for Skull & Bones; Nicole Moan of Greenwood, who was honored for Summa Cum Laude, Chi Alpha Sigma, Who's Who; DeLane Biddlecombe of Greenwood, who was honored for Academic Highest Honors; and Jon Nolen of Indianapolis, who was honored for Magna Cum Laude.

### CG's Ziegler is 'Outstanding Accounting Student'



Elizabeth Ziegler, a graduating senior at the Kelley School of Business Indianapolis, received the Outstanding Accounting Student Award upon graduation. She grew up in the Greenwood/Center Grove area. The Kelley School of Business Indianapolis Outstanding Student Awards are awarded each May prior to the annual commencement ceremony which was held this past May 7. The school recognizes an Outstanding Student in each of the business disciplines that it offers: Accounting, Finance, Human Resource Management, Management, Marketing, and Supply Chain Management.

The Kelley School of Business Indianapolis Outstanding Student Awards are awarded each May prior to the annual commencement ceremony which was held this past May 7. The school recognizes an Outstanding Student in each of the business disciplines that it offers: Accounting, Finance, Human Resource Management, Management, Marketing, and Supply Chain Management.

### Southside residents graduate from University of Evansville

The University of Evansville announced that local students graduated during UE's 158th Commencement, held Saturday, May 7 at the Ford Center in Evansville, Ind. During the ceremony, the University awarded 583 degrees. Local graduates are: Abigail Springer of Indianapolis, Perry Township, with a Bachelor of Science in Accounting in Accounting; Emily Bruhn of Indianapolis, Franklin Township, with a Bachelor of Fine Arts in Creative Writing; Brittany West of Greenwood, with a Bachelor of Science in Exercise Science; Matthew Hamilton of Indianapolis, Perry Township, with a Doctor of Physical Therapy in Physical Therapy; Siobhan Gudat of Indianapolis, Perry Township, with a Doctor of Physical Therapy in Physical Therapy; Brittany West of Greenwood, with a Associate of Science in Physical Therapist Assistance in Physical Therapist Assistance; Anna Raney of Indianapolis, Perry

Township, with a Bachelor of Arts in Religion; Clorissa Orrick of Indianapolis, Perry Township, with a Bachelor of Arts in Sociology.

### Southside students make Trine Univ. Dean's List

Students from Trine University's main campus earned Dean's List recognition for the Spring 2016 semester. To be named to the Dean's List, a main campus student must maintain at least 15 credit hours and have a grade point average between 3.5 and 3.749. Local students who earned Dean's List honors included: Ryan Craig of Greenwood, a freshman majoring in Mechanical Engineering; Benjamin Curry of Indianapolis, a sophomore majoring in Exercise Science; and David Richards of Indianapolis, a freshman majoring in Chemical Engineering.

### Southside students make Trine Univ. President's List

Main campus students earned President's List honors for the Spring 2016 semester at Trine University. To be named to the president's list, a main campus student must maintain at least 15 credit hours and have a minimum 3.75 grade point average on a 4.0 scale. Local students named to the President's List were: Naif Aldosary of Indianapolis, a freshman majoring in Engineering Foundations; Elijah Brandt of Indianapolis, a sophomore majoring in Chemical Engineering; Anthony Waltermann of Greenwood, a senior majoring in Informatics.

### Gammons is Trinity Evangelical Divinity grad

Angela Joyce Gammons of Greenwood graduated from Trinity Evangelical Divinity School following the spring semester. Gammons earned a Master of Arts. Commitments to gospel centrality, inerrant Scripture, excellent evangelical scholarship that truly engages culture, and service to the church have continually defined the TEDS community. Students come from six continents and more than 40 countries to enter 19 master's and doctoral degree programs.

### Southport's Walter graduates from Marietta College

Devin Walter of Indianapolis, was among approximately 250 students who received diplomas at Marietta College's 179th graduation ceremony on May 1, in the Dyson Baudo Recreation Center. Walter completed requirements for the Bachelor of Art in Advertising & Public Relations. He is a graduate of Southport High School.

### Manning makes William Woods Univ. Dean's List

Megan Manning, a sophomore from Southside Indianapolis has been named to the Dean's List at William Woods University for academic accomplishments during the 2016 spring term. To be named to the Dean's List, a student must be full-time and have achieved a minimum 3.6 semester and cumulative grade point average on a 4.0 scale. William Woods University is an independent, professions-oriented, liberal arts-based institution located in the mid-Missouri community of Fulton.

### Greenwood's Schellin makes OCU Dean's List

Landon Schellin, of Greenwood, has been named to the Residential Program Dean's List at Ohio Christian University for the Spring 2016 Semester. To be eligible for the Dean's List, a student must achieve a semester GPA of 3.5 or better and be enrolled in at least 12 semester hours.

### Sarah Myers makes Grove City Dean's List

Sarah Myers, a junior Communication Studies major at Grove City College, has been named to the Dean's List with Distinction for the Spring 2016 semester. Sarah is a 2013 graduate of Calvary Christian Academy and is the daughter of Mr. and Dr. Mark Myers (Cynthia) from Greenwood. Students eligible for the Dean's List have a GPA of 3.40 to 3.59; for the Dean's List with Distinction a GPA of 3.60 to 3.84 and for the Dean's List with High Distinction a GPA of 3.85 to 4.0.

### Matzat makes Ohio Wesleyan Univ. Dean's List

Lyssa Matzat, of Greenwood, has been named to the 2016 spring semester Dean's List at Ohio Wesleyan University. To earn Dean's List recognition, Ohio Wesleyan students must achieve a grade point average of 3.5 or better on a 4.0 scale in all applicable classes. Learn more at owu.edu.

### Buchanan graduates from Lincoln Memorial Univ.

Baileigh Buchanan of Greenwood graduated from Lincoln Memorial University (LMU) on Saturday, May 7, 2016. Buchanan earned a Bachelor of Science in Veterinary Medical Technology and was recognized during the Spring Commencement Exercises in Tex Turner Arena. Degrees of 478 candidates were conferred during the ceremony.

### Southside students earn Trine University degrees

Students completed their degree requirements at Trine University. About 500 took part in the 2016 commencement ceremony on May 7 in the Keith E. Busse/Steel Dynamics Inc. Athletic and Recreation Center. Local students who were among those earning degrees included: Nicholas Ader of Indianapolis, who graduated with a Bachelor of Science in Psychology; Jedi Lee Colinco of Greenwood, who graduated with a Bachelor of Science in Mechanical Engineering; Nicole Moan of Greenwood, who graduated Summa Cum Laude with a Bachelor of Science in Exercise Science-PT interest; Rachel Morris of Beech Grove, who graduated with a Bachelor of Science in Informatics; Summa cum laude is awarded to students having met the required minimum cumulative grade point average of 3.950; magna cum laude, average GPA of 3.750; and cum laude, average GPA of 3.500 with at least 40 semester hours earned at Trine University.

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### Perry Meridian High School Class of 2016

Principal Rolland Abraham presided over his first four-year graduating class on May 27. Graduates and their families packed the Perry Meridian High School Gym to see more than 500 seniors get their diplomas.

# BEECH GROVE HIGH SCHOOL: Class of 2016

Dear Seniors,

At the start of the school year, I shared three expectations with students. These are expectations that I try to live by each and every day. The first is about respect: **Be respectful of yourself and others.** The second is about your work ethic: **Always try your best.** You might not always be the best. You might not always succeed. But you are in control of your effort...and putting forth the best effort you can is the first thing you should commit to in everything you do. The third is about your thoughts, words and actions: **Think nice things, say nice things, and do nice things.**

As you think back on your years since

Kindergarten, I encourage you to reflect on these three expectations. As we move toward graduation, we want to congratulate you on your successes and thank you for your hard work! You have all exhibited leadership skills through your involvement in Athletics, Band, Choir, Community Service and Extracurricular opportunities.

Each of you have wonderful memories to share. Through your academic, athletic, extracurricular, musical, and many more experiences, you have developed strong skills, healthy friendships, and habits that will help you succeed for years to come. We celebrate your experiences because you help us build **our** Beech Grove High School

Hornets achievements. It is always a great day to be a Hornet thanks to the successes of our graduates!

Now is the time to give thanks and appreciation to those who have supported you along the way...your family and friends, teachers, support staff, coaches, and administrators. Those who have propped you up when things got difficult. The end of the year will be full of recognition for your hard work and achievements. Pay it forward to those who helped you along the way.

The work that you have completed has given you an opportunity to build your respect of yourself and others. Not only have you tried your best, but you have suc-

ceeded in graduation from high school. As you move on to your future plans, you have built strong habits of thinking, saying and doing kind things. Many of you will now work heavily in collaboration with others through further education, training, and jobs. It is our hope and belief that you go out into the world with respect, consistent effort, and kindness.

Remember...Once a Hornet, Always a Hornet. We look forward to hearing the wonderful things you'll accomplish in the years to come. Thank you for the memories we share, and good luck!

*Elizabeth Walters*  
Principal  
BGHS



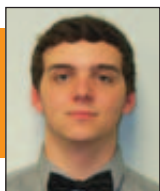
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Valedictorian



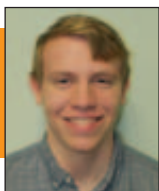
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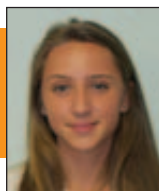
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## Congratulations Graduates!

BGHS Students Graduate:  
Saturday, June 4, 2016



### BRIANA SPURGEON— Beech Grove High School Valedictorian

The valedictorian for the Beech Grove High School Class of 2016 is Briana Spurgeon. She is the daughter of Ronette Spurgeon and Roger Spurgeon. Briana achieved a 4.36 grade point average on a four-point scale for her high school academic career. She has been accepted to Indiana University and plans to graduate with a double major in psychology and community health.

Briana was a recipient of the BGHS Academic Achievement Award, Academic Honors Diploma, President's Education Award and Marion County Principals' Outstanding Scholar Award. She earned entry into the National Honor Society and Spanish Honor Society. She has been selected for the Outstanding Student Award in both the language arts and Spanish departments at BGHS.

Briana participated in basketball, marching band, volleyball, cross country and track. She also demonstrated her leadership skills as the Spanish Club President and Junior Class President.

Briana was active in volunteer and community events. She has volunteered at a Southside animal shelter, as a blood donor and with visits to local nursing homes. She took part in the Color Run Indianapolis and Brian's Trike Race for the Indiana School for the Blind.

### ELIZABETH TERRY— Beech Grove High School Salutatorian

Elizabeth Terry has been named the salutatorian for the graduating class of 2016 at Beech Grove High School. Elizabeth's grade point average for her high school career is 4.32 on a four-point scale. She is the daughter of Kris and Roger Terry.

Elizabeth participated in volleyball, cross country, various academic teams and Science Olympiad. She was an active member of the National Honor Society, Spanish Honor Society, Math Club and Spanish Club. She was active and successful in the music program as a member of the marching band and winter percussion.

Volunteerism was also an integral part of Elizabeth's time at BGHS. Each activity revolved around her corresponding school interest: Brian's Trike Race, Music on Main with the Chamber of Commerce, Summer Sports Camp coach and Drum Corp International.

Her academic awards include the BGHS Academic Achievement Award, President's Education Award, Academic Honors Diploma, and Marion County Principals' Association Outstanding Scholar Award. She was selected as the outstanding senior in social studies.

Elizabeth seeks to further her education with a major area of concentration in neuroscience and a minor in Spanish. at Indiana University.

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Jennifer L Adams  
Alyssa Dianne Alford  
Oscar Almodovar, Jr  
Trevon Lee' Mar Badger  
John Austin Barger  
Alexander William Barr  
James Anthony Bennington  
Jonathon Ray-Lee Bewley  
Abdullah Binsulaiman  
Logan Brady Bledsoe-Frost  
Bailee Gabrielle Bothwell  
Hanna Lynn Bougher  
Blake Dillon Bragg  
Dylan Alexander Brooks  
Harley JoAnn Brown  
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Joshua David Campbell  
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Deja W Craig  
Corey Edward Crawford  
Marcus Duane Darling  
Michayla Desiree Darling  
Adriana Lee David  
Cody Michael Davis  
Jenny Marie Davis  
Emily Anne Dillon  
Cayleigh Joyce Donahue  
Joshua Bowen Donaldson  
Nathan Thomas Donlan  
Lara Marie Dudda  
Austin James Elliott  
Benjamin Travis Elliott

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Aaron Cordell Eyster  
Jessica Lynn Ferguson  
Gabriela Ferraz de Araujo  
Robert Anthony Ferry, Jr  
Lexie Sue Fisher  
Richie Jesus Flores  
Kristian Renee Folks-Bowie  
Braeden Sydney Ford  
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Clayton Carlos Hamilton  
Jared Owen Hanna  
Jordan Christopher Harvey  
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Raven Nicole Hernandez  
David Elijah Hoffman  
Brett Edward Holland  
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Haylee Marie Matney  
Douglas Lee McCollum  
Gabriel Lawrence McDonald  
Collin J McIntosh  
Hannah Diane McKenna  
Macey Lynn McKenna  
Mikel Nicole McQuade  
Adnan Qadir Memon  
Elizabeth Christine Miles  
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Ashleigh Emerald Shepherd  
Ricky Anthony Shockley  
Samantha Renee Sipe  
Thor L.J. Smith  
Bethami Leann Snow  
Danielle Alexis Sohn  
Briana Marie Spurgeon  
Corinne Madison Stantz  
David Allen Stinson  
Brandon Lee Storms  
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Haylee Marie Tolan  
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Brandon Brooke Tucker  
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Ashley Monique Wade  
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Aaron Michael Yanez  
Andrew Lee Yanez  
Jenna Inez Yeary



NEWS AND EVENTS

# Winton and Roth make stops in Indiana during Route for the Brave

Franklin Township residents David Roth and Kevin Winton stopped by the Indiana State FOP on May 27. Speculators signed the team's RV and talked to the walkers. The pair was joined by soldiers and others as they walked to the FOP. Next stop was the Indianapolis Zoo and then on to Plainfield. Roth works for the Indianapolis Metropolitan Police Department. Winton is a science teacher at Beech Grove Middle School. The two men are traveling 3,091 miles from New Jersey to California, a Route for the Brave, to raise money for Helping Hands for Freedom.



Laura Williams and Kevin Winton. Submitted Photo

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## OBITUARIES

**Jacquelyn Jane Baer**

Jacquelyn Jane Baer, 86, of Greenwood, died May 30, 2016. She was born Nov. 24, 1929 in Indianapolis to the late Harry H. and Augusta (Ginsberg) Zimmerman. Jacquelyn is survived by her sons, Charles Baer and Scott (Kim) Baer; grandchildren, Nickole Huffman, John Baer, and Alle Baer; and six great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband, Dale C. Baer. Jacquelyn worked for the phone company for seven years before she and Dale started their family. She enjoyed cooking and gardening. She had quite the green thumb with her flowers and vegetable gardens. A service will be June 4, 10 a.m. at Simplicity Funeral & Cremation Care, 7520 Madison Ave., Indianapolis. Friends may call June 3, 4 - 7 p.m. at the funeral home. Jacquelyn will be laid to rest in Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. Memorial contributions are suggested to the Wounded Warrior Project.

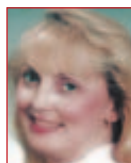
**Norman Betzler**

Norman Betzler, 87, of Indianapolis, died on May 23, 2016. He was born on Oct. 18, 1928 in Indianapolis. He was preceded in death by his wife, Mary. Survivors include his children, Sheila Grohnert, Leisa Fleenor, Dayna Brady, Eric Betzler; five grandchildren; four great-grandchildren; four stepchildren, Mia Christopher, Janet Sopko, David Wilson, Kevin Wilson; sister, Barbara Adrian. Visitation was May 25 at G. H. Herrmann, 5141 Madison Ave. Funeral service was May 26. Burial is at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens.

Joseph Daniel Claxton, 44, of Indianapolis, died on Friday, May 27, 2016. He was born on Aug. 29, 1971 to Noah and Rita (Reynolds) Claxton in Covington, Georgia. Survivors include his mother, Rita Reynolds; daughter, Samantha Claxton; siblings, Richard (Alu) Claxton, Steven Arm and Amanda (Jeremy) Kelly; and a nephew and niece he was especially fond of, Joshua and Isabella "Bambina" Kelly. In keeping with Joe's request, there will be no public service. Arrangements are by Lauck & Veldhof Funeral & Cremation Services.

**Claria Glenn Cline**

Claria Glenn Cline, 60, of Indianapolis, died on Monday, May 23, 2016. She was born on Dec. 5, 1955 to the late James D. and Deloris Rose Cline at St. Francis Hospital in Beech Grove. Claria attended Arsenal Tech High School and was a homemaker who loved to knit, sew and quilt. Survivors include her three children, Kimberly Eleice King, Matthew J. King and Michelle Lynn King; siblings, Barbara Hutchison, Audrey Cline, Larry Cline and Dave Cline; grandchildren, Benjamin, Bethany, Austin, Jacob and Jimmy; great-grandchildren, Brayson and Elizabeth; and the father of her children, Michael King. A celebration of her life was May 27 in Lauck & Veldhof Funeral & Cremation Services. Burial is in Kentucky.

**Margaret Louise Collett**

Margaret Louise Collett, 76, of Indianapolis, died on May 25, 2016. She was born on July 22, 1939 in Whitmer, W.V. to the late Ted and Ethel M. Tingler. Survivors include her husband, Ed; son, Vincent A. Collett, daughter, Angela M. Young; four grandchildren, Dylan, Darah, Dayna Collett, and Dalton Young; great-granddaughter, Zady Elizabeth; siblings, Lewis Tingler, Geraldine Raines, Alonzo Tingler, and Roy Tingler. Margaret is preceded in death by her daughter, Lisa Marie Collett; grandson, Tyler Levi Collett; siblings, Hermie Tingler, Paul Tingler, Irene Zentz, and Corbit Tingler. Visitation was May 31 at G. H. Herrmann Madison Avenue Funeral Home, 5141 Madison Ave., Indianapolis. Funeral service was June 1 in the funeral home. Burial will be at Round Hill Cemetery.

**Mary Ann McCurn**

Mary Ann McCurn, 74, of Indianapolis, died on May 29, 2016. She was born Jan. 24, 1942. She was a member of New Life Gospel Church. She is survived by her son Issaac McCurn; stepdaughter Rita Moore, stepson Tony McCurn; two brothers, Larry Holder and I.J. Holder; four sisters, Ellen Deen Gentry, Freda Rhodes, Carolyn Russell, and Sharon Huskey; four grandsons, Ryan Patterson, Kasey Moore, Reno and Ryus Moore; four granddaughters, Toni Davis, Arielle Harris, Jewel and Jasmine McCurn; and a host of 50+ nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her husband Raymond McCurn, parents Isaac and Martha Holder; three sisters, Hazel Sisk, Glenna Caruthers, Flossie Smith and two brothers, Otis Holder and Ules Holder. Visitation is June 3, 3 - 7 p.m. at New Life Gospel Church in Indianapolis. Funeral services are June 4 at New Life Gospel Church at 11 a.m.

**Dallas Gerald Gritton**

Dallas Gerald Gritton died on May 24 2016. Dallas Gritton was born in Hustonville, Ky., in 1935 to parents Elizabeth and Albury Gritton. His two siblings, Barbara Coy (Chet) and George (Geni) Gritton, preceded him in death. Survivors include his wife, Barbara; children, Mark Gritton, Kristi (Ted) Kitchel, Michelle (Nate) Anderson, and Denise Gritton McClanahan; grandchildren, Jeffery (Holly), Jason (Kim), Jessica, and Jackie Gritton, Scott, Tyler, and Mackenzie Kitchel, Olivia and Caden Anderson, and Macy McClanahan; great-grandchildren, Kody, Khloe, Lucas, and Andrew Dallas Gritton. Dallas graduated from Manual High School in 1954. From there he attended General Motors Institute, and later attained two Master degrees from MIT. Dallas went on to work for General Motors for 48 years. He retired in 1999 after directing the Asian Pacific operations, and resided on the Board of Directors for Contour Hardening Inc. until his death. Visitation was May 26 at G.H. Herrmann Greenwood Funeral Home, 1605 S. State Rd. 135. Funeral service was May 27 at Garfield Park United Church of Christ 743 E. Pleasant Run Pkwy. S. Dr., Indianapolis. Burial is at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens.

**Harold F. Henneke**

Harold F. Henneke, 96, of Indianapolis, died May 26, 2016. Born June 30, 1919 to the late Frederick J. and Maude Opal Henneke, he was a Logistics Engineer at Naval Avionics before retiring and was active in the U.S. Air Force Reserves for 27 years. Survivors include his wife of 13 years, Rose L. Martlage; children, Karen A. Henneke, Bruce H. Henneke; grandsons, Jacob (Debra), Noah and Matthew Philpot; foster grandson, Jonathan Abel Brake; great-grandchildren, Autumn and Christian Philpot; stepchildren, Susan Christenberry; Ken and Dale Martlage. He was preceded in death by his wife of 52 years, Frances L. Henneke. Visitation and service was June 1 at Southport Christian Church. Entombment is at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. Arrangements are by G.H. Herrmann Greenwood Funeral Home at The Gardens at Olive Branch. Memorial contributions may be made to the church.

**Leland Curtis McCarty**

Leland Curtis McCarty, Sr., 84, died on May 26, 2016. He was born Jan. 18, 1932, in Indianapolis to the late Howard and Katherine (Warrenburg) McCarty. Leland was an Army veteran serving in the Korean War. He was employed as a letter carrier with the US Postal Service for over 30 years, retiring in 1992. Leland was active in the community. He was the first President of the Franklin Township Civic League. Leland is survived by his son Leland Curtis (Dawnalee) McCarty, Jr.; granddaughters Kellee (Brad) Repass and Caitlin McCarty; great grandchild Kameron Cress; niece Rosemary Nickels and nephew Clarence "Butch" Fortner. He was preceded in death by his parents and sister Laverne Fortner. Graveside service is June 4, 11 a.m. at Greenwood Cemetery with Military Honors. Singleton Community Mortuary and Memorial Center is handling the arrangements.

**Earl O'Connor**

Earl O'Connor, 85, Indianapolis, died on May 26, 2016. Born Nov. 26, 1930 in Montgomery, Ind. to the late Joseph and Anna (Murphy) O'Connor, he was a 49 year member of St. Jude Catholic Church. He retired as supervisor from Indiana Bell after 35+ years. He is a US Air Force veteran. He enjoyed going to sporting events with his sons and coaching them throughout their childhood. Earl was quite the handyman; if it was broke, he would fix it! Survivors include his wife of 63 years, Eleanor; two sons, Charlie O'Connor (Diana), John O'Connor (Gayle); brother, Omer O'Connor and many grandchildren and great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by brother, Ray. Visitation and service was May 31 at G. H. Herrmann Madison Avenue Funeral Home, 5141 Madison Ave. Burial was at St. Peter's Cemetery in Montgomery, Ind. on June 1. Memorial contributions may be made to American Cancer Society.

**Stephony Ann Rhoades**

Stephony Ann Rhoades, 60, of Greenwood, died May 23, 2016. She was born Aug. 12, 1955 in Cincinnati, Ohio to the late Craig A. and Ann M. (Miller) Bracken. Stephony was an Occupational Therapist, specializing in neo-natal care. She married Jim Rhoades and he also preceded her in death. Survivors include brother, Craig W. Bracken; stepson Mark Rhoades; stepdaughters Gena Rhoades and Karen Culler; step-grandchildren Ryan and Neil Rhoades, Keigan and Kaitlyn Culler and stepdaughter-in-law Lisa Rhoades. Visitation and service was May 27 at Wilson St. Pierre Funeral Service & Crematory, Greenwood Chapel, 481 W. Main St., Greenwood. Memorial contributions have been suggested to the American Diabetes Association, 8604 Allisonville Rd., Suite 140, Indianapolis 46250.

**Helen Van Sittert**

Helen Van Sittert, of Greenwood, died on May 27, 2016. She was born on Sept. 22, 1921 in Kokomo, Ind. to the late Frank and Polly Tarter. She was a sales representative of Avon Cosmetics until she was 90 years old. Survivors include son, Robert Churchill; daughter, Judi Negri; five grandchildren, 11 great-grandchildren, and several great-great-grandchildren. She is preceded in death by her husbands, Robert Churchill and Carl Van Sittert; and four sisters. Graveside service is June 4, 12 p.m. at Mount Pleasant Cemetery, 734 N. Morgantown Rd., Greenwood.

**Mary L. Stuard**

Mary L. Stuard, 90, Indianapolis, died May 26, 2016. She was born Sept. 21, 1925 in Indianapolis to the late Raymond and Mamie (Herron) Calvin. Mary was married to the late Theodore F. Stuard. She was employed for many years in sales at Zales Jewelers. Mary is survived by her daughters Diana LaMarca, Mariann Cline and Cyndi (Bob) Fritsche; son Theodore F. (Linda) Stuard, II; sister Francis Calvin; brother Arthur Calvin; nine grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild. She is preceded in passing by her husband, parents and five siblings. Services are June 2, 1 p.m. at Singleton Community Mortuary and Memorial Center.

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**Barbara Jean Thompson**

Barbara Jean Thompson, 68, of Indianapolis, died on May 25, 2016. She was born on Sept. 8, 1947 in Indianapolis to Joseph and Mary (Gowens) Ahern. Barb was a member of the VFW Post #1120 Ernie Pyle. Barb is survived by her four children, William J. (Anita) Purcell Sr., Laura A. McDonald, Phillip R. (Mindy) Purcell, Chris L. (Anita) Purcell; two brothers; four sisters; 18 grandchildren: 10 great-grandchildren, several nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her parents; husband, Michael Edward Thompson and a brother. Visitation and service was May 31 at Newcomer Funeral Home located at 925 E. Hanna Ave., Indianapolis. Interment followed at New Crown Cemetery.

**Edgar George Westphal**

Edgar George Westphal died May 2016. Edgar was born on Mount Petit Jean, in Morrilton, Ark. He was the youngest child of Adolph Bernard and Christina Jones Westphal. At the age of 15, he moved north to Indianapolis to live with his older sister Julianna and her husband Carl Keller, so that he could attend high school at Arsenal Technical High School. After school, he joined the United States Army. He served his country in Company D, 6th Infantry during World War II in Europe, where he received a Purple Heart. Upon his return to the states, he met and married Lois Barbara Meier. Together, they had five sons, Mark (Cheryl), Bruce (Kathy), Joel (Robin), Scott (Carol) and Reid (Carla). He was grandfather to 14, and great-grandfather to 18. His career took him from being a deliveryman, landscaper, school bus driver, Christmas tree vendor, sign maker, to retail picture frame shop owner. After 52 years of marriage, Lois passed.

He met another love- Kay Dickerson. Together they travelled, shared more stories, enjoyed their families and laughed. They were members of St. John Lutheran Church. Eddie spent the last years at the Altenheim Assisted Living facility in Beech Grove. Visitation and service was June 1 at St. John Lutheran Church, 6630 Southeastern Ave., Indianapolis. Friends visited May 31 at Wilson St. Pierre Funeral Service & Crematory, Stirling-Gerber Chapel, 5950 E. Thompson Rd., Indianapolis. Eddie will be laid to rest in St. John Lutheran Cemetery. Memorial contributions are suggested to St. John Lutheran Church, Building Fund.

*Obituaries are printed free of charge. Funeral directors are encouraged to send obituaries and photos to news@ss-times.com. Information received by noon Tuesday will be published Thursday, space permitting.*

**LEADERSHIP**

**Toastmasters hosts open house**

Join the Greenwood Toastmasters for an Open House on June 9, 6:30 to 7:30 a.m. Toastmasters International is a self-educational organization which teaches its members communication, leadership, training and management skills and builds their self-confidence. The Greenwood Toastmasters meets at the Baxter YMCA, 7900 Shelby St., Indianapolis.

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*Getting to know Mike...*

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- When the weather is good, I do small woodworking projects. I've built a table, built a bed. I plan to build a tear drop camper this summer. I'm looking forward to that.
- When we lived in Texas, I wrote the charter for the town we lived in. Somewhere in their archives there is a document with my signature. We were only there for two years.
- I am a member of the Greater Greenwood Chamber of Commerce. I work with United Way of Johnson County as a loaned executive and am on Greenwood Arts Council.
- My wife, Jackie, and I have lived in Perry Township since 1980. My son lives in Acton with his wife and our two grandkids.

*How did Mike do it?*

**Best advice:** Look into things before you do them.

**Best business decision:** To get out of the house and start getting into the world. That led me to networking and a lot of business growth.

**Worst advice:** Worst advice I ever got was to go into financial planning as part of my tax business. Problem is that the companies that want you to do this really just want a mutual fund salesperson. To me, the desire of the broker-dealer to make new sales is in conflict with my idea of planning which is to move slow and steady.

**Secret to success:** I like to talk to people and people like to hear what I say. It is a topic I am passionate about that few people are. If you don't care about something, then you won't be that involved in it.

**In 5 years...** I'd like to have a staff, instead of just one part-time person. Then I can go out and talk to people more.

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# The *Wright* way to wealth

## *Mike Wright, owner of Taxwright, takes a Profit First approach to accounting and tax preparation*

By Nicole Davis

Taxes are complicated. For that reason, or another, many individuals and business owners tend to avoid the topic. Good or bad, everyone has to deal with it. Mike Wright, owner of Taxwright in Greenwood, says he knows the ins and outs of the tax codes well and is always eager to help small business owners and individuals understand their accounting needs.

"I worked with a client once that for a variety of reasons had not been filing tax returns for several years," Wright said. "He felt he owed large sums of money and had been paying some. When I got to work with him and bring things up to date, we found he in fact did not owe money, but had substantial refunds that were owed to him. That's pretty gratifying. That doesn't happen often, but it does happen. With equal truth, I've had to hit some people with a \$30,000 tax bill. You can't know what it is until you come to grips with it."

Wright previously worked for 30 years as an insurance auditor. For 10 of those years, he traveled across Indiana and other states, responsible for audit departments across the country. Wanting a change, he put a sign in the yard of his Perry Township home that said 'Taxes: Your Place or Mine' and started filing taxes out of his basement in 1992.

When the business grew to be more professional and less like a hobby, Wright stopped doing insurance audits to concentrate on taxes. At first he focused on individual tax returns, with a large senior citizen clientele.

With time, he realized the people who truly need his help are small business owners. Many business owners become discouraged after working hard all year only to pay more in taxes and see no financial benefit for themselves. They may begin to wonder why not go to work for someone else to draw a regular paycheck. There is a better way, Wright said.

"When you're an accountant working with very small businesses, they don't understand many accounting concepts and rightfully so," Wright said. "But I was always hampered by the fact that when someone asked me a question, I knew the accounting answer but how to make that clear to someone was often difficult. As I was reading Profit First by Michael Michalowicz, it was obvious that this guy had gotten the answers in a way that was understandable and allowed me to show the accounting stuff behind it."

Profit First operates under the formula of sales minus profit equals expenses. Set aside profit first and what's left is for expenses.

"Now you're starting to say, do I really need to spend this, or how can I do this for less money? That is a tool that is very powerful for business owners to use," Wright said.

Wright said small businesses often don't do a good enough job of tracking their expenses, so at tax time they cannot deduct as much as they could have. The biggest expense, he says, is the use of the automobile, which requires a lot of attention to detail to obtain a de-

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Mike Wright

Photo by Nicole Davis

duction. The second mistake business owners tend to make is not providing a profit for themselves.

"Income and wealth are not the same thing," he said. "Income is what you bring in. Wealth is what you keep. In fact, they're lucky to say they have an emergency fund. That is a mistake for small businesses."

The largest client Wright serves has 10 employees. Wright has one, part-time staff member aside from himself. He said he is actively seeking new clients year-round who are interested in working to build their business profits.

"I really appreciate the chance to dig into someone's problems," he said. "(My clients) know I'm interested in their success and not just the income that I can make."

BIZ HISTORY

# Major change on a small letter

By Dan Miller

It was a Sunday, June 19.

A stout-looking man walked near the Ohio River. Strong, six-foot tall, athletic. The settlers who lived along the river in the year 1803 called him William Clark.

Clark knew Major Change, the kind that alters the direction of a person's life or, at least, a significant part of a person's direction. Major Change affects a person's work, home, health, family and more.

His parents had recently died. Major Change. His oldest brother teetered on bankruptcy and financial ruin. Clark had been forced to sell the family home in Louisville, Ky., to help pay his brother's bills. Major Change.

A man well known to Clark also confronted Major Change. Like Clark, he was strong, well-built, arrived in Louisville from Virginia as a teenager, and was 33 years old.

York was Clark's slave.

The Major Change affecting Clark affected York, too. If the Clarks' financial status worsened, one option for raising money was to sell slaves. To York, this prospect of Major Change was horrifying.

Major Change weighed on Clark and York.

Yet neither man realized that Major Change was itself about to change.

That's because on this Sunday in Washington D.C. a young man had just sat down at his desk. He picked up a goose-feather pen, dipped the tip in a small bottle of black ink, and scratched words across the stiff paper. For an instant, the man formed an image of William Clark in his mind at this desk, in the young nation's capital city. Then, he wrote: "From the long and uninterrupted friendship and confidence which has subsisted between us I feel no hesitation in making to you the following communication ..." He signed with his name, Meriwether Lewis.

A new form of Major Change moved toward Clark and York in a letter. The expedition of Lewis and Clark and, yes, York was about to begin.



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## PEER TO PEER

## My fun-filled European vacation

By Howard Hubler

My daughter Christi I just returned from Europe with our significant others. The biggest comparisons we made regarded labor. Probably the most common entry point for American labor is waiting tables. In Europe, waiting tables is a time-honored tradition. I don't know waiters/waitresses earn but the men and women who waited tables in Europe did so with absolute pride and dignity. Whether they were explaining a hamburger or quail Faux Gras, they did it with such a romantic flair that to a guy like me who would not eat a quail liver on a dare, everything sounded wonderful.

A lot has been written about attitude in life. It's been said that if you are ill health and have a wonderful attitude you are better off than a person in good health who is a sourpuss. People wait tables in Europe as though it is a life's calling. They do it with their heads held high and with an attitude as though they can hardly wait to get to work the next day.

Yes, I loved Europe, but I could hardly wait to get back home. You know, some-

times when I go to "Free Pie Wednesday" or "Happy Hour Milkshakes," I just like to see a little bit of that European excitement, formality and some of that enthusiasm in the good old American waiter staff. Believe me, it starts from McDonald's and it goes all the way up to a five-star restaurant in Europe. Somehow as an American businessman, I wish I could bottle this attitude and bring it home for everyone to adopt this type of class in the products that they represent.

In closing I have to be thoroughly candid with you. The first thing I did upon returning home was get an all-American hamburger, sink my teeth into it, and wash it down with a large American cup of coffee. The wait staff ... they were't so bad either. A little familiar, but that's the good old USA.



Howard Hubler can be reached at [howard@hubler.com](mailto:howard@hubler.com).

## PERSONNEL MATTERS

## What is going on right now?

By Mike Heffner

The most asked question in my world right now from an employer is "Why is it so hard to find good people?" Currently, that is a loaded question that I will try to answer the best that I can.

The labor market in this area is what most considers as "full employment." Basically it means there is one job open for every person who wants one. You would think that is a perfect situation, right?

The reality is this: In the US today, there are 159 million (+/-) people who are working. That is more Americans working than ever before. If you go off of the unemployment rates, there are about 7.9 million people who are unemployed. Job openings have been running in the 5.5 million range and about 1.5 million people turnover in their current positions each month. So, you have about 7 million positions open and about 8 million people looking. None of these numbers are exact, but in general, it's safe to say there is one opening for every person who wants to work.

Here is the kicker: Not all of the openings match up with all of the skills, shift, pay and

location that people have or want. This has created a real supply and demand problem and makes the unemployment rate feel even lower. It also makes the job market very frustrating if the skill you have isn't in demand. Conversely, the employer who is looking for an individual with a specific skillset that's in demand can become very frustrated because it can take a long time to find. Which then drives up cost and makes it harder for the business to grow.

My advice to employers right now is to be open to teach and train new employees. Look for attitude, work ethic and transferable skills. In addition, look at your overall employee engagement and retention efforts with the current staff you have. With this being a crazy political year, I think the labor market is in for a ride over the next few months.



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## OPEN 4 BIZ



From left front, Chara Peña, Tonya Mackie, Whitney Ward; back, Mackenzie Mackie, Brandy Mueller, Warner Mackie and Ben Ward. Not pictured, Lynn Evans. Photo by Nicole Davis

## Cuts and comfort

*Greenwood's family-owned Willow Salon offers hair, nail and makeup services*

Growing up, Tonya Mackie enjoyed playing the part of a hair dresser with her grandmother and even thought about attending cosmetology school. Instead, she pursued a career in design and business. So when her two daughters began attending cosmetology school, the idea for a family-owned salon was the perfect fit.

Willow Salon, at 520 N. State Rd. 135 in Greenwood, is owned by Tonya and Warner Mackie and Whitney and Ben Ward. The six-chair salon opened on April 4 and offers hair, nail and makeup services.

Tonya and Warner, who reside in the Center Grove area, have four children. Their daughter, Whitney, has completed cosmetology school while Mackenzie is currently pursuing her education.

"It's rewarding because this is something we've done completely as a family," Tonya said. "To be able to work as a mom with my daughters is a great experience as well."

Here, Tonya answers questions about Willow Salon:

### Why did you open this business?

My oldest daughter has been doing hair since '09. My youngest daughter is going to school now and will want to come to a salon. We did this to start a family business. My husband and I have owned Greenwood Lawn & Garden for 25 years. We did this for the opportunity to own a business with our girls.

### What did you do to prepare for opening your business?

We did a lot of research on the area and the expenses of opening a business. We want to be fair to anyone that works for us. We are a commission-based salon.

### Who is your ideal customer/client?

We offer services to women, men and children. Anyone in need of hair, nail, makeup or waxing services and wanting quality service with a kind, friendly environment. Our hope is to make our clients feel special and important and provide quality service.

### How do you plan to be successful?

By giving our clients the service and quality they deserve. We're also doing a lot of events and getting involved in the community. We plan to do a lot for the community and give back, not just expect the community to come to us.

### What would we be surprised to learn about you or your company?

All the work was done by our family. The wood wall, front desk, the drink bar, the pipe shelving, pipe coat rack, pipe purse hooks, sliding barn door and cabinets were all designed and custom-made by our family.

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### June Chamber Meetings & Events

**2** – Greater Greenwood Chamber of Commerce (CrossFit Healthy Nut Grand Ribbon Cutting); June 2, 12:15 - 1:15 p.m., 1480 Olive Branch Parke Lane, Greenwood. For more information, call (317) 888-4856.

**7** – Greater Greenwood Chamber of Commerce (June Business Matters Luncheon); June 7, 11:30 - 1 p.m., Dye's Walk Country Club, 2080 S. State Rd. 135. For more information, call (317) 888-4856.

**9** – Greater Beech Grove Chamber of Commerce (June Meeting); June 9, 11:30 a.m. - 1 p.m., Hornet Park Community Center, 5245 Hornet Ave., Beech Grove. Visit [beechgrovechamber.org](http://beechgrovechamber.org).

**16** – Greater Greenwood Chamber of Commerce (June Business After Hours with Indy Chamber); June 16, 5 - 7 p.m., Greenwood Airport, 897 Airport Pkwy., Greenwood. For more information, call (317) 888-4856.

**17** – Greater Beech Grove Chamber of Commerce (Golf Outing); June 17, 7:30 a.m. check-in, 8 a.m. breakfast, 8:30 a.m. shotgun start, 1 p.m. lunch at Sarah Shank Golf Course. Visit [beechgrovechamber.org](http://beechgrovechamber.org).

**22** – Greater Greenwood Chamber of Commerce (June Membership 101); June 22, 8:30 - 10 a.m., 65 Airport Pkwy., Suite 140. For more information, call (317) 888-4856.

**23** – Greater Greenwood Chamber of Commerce (Costco Wholesale Grand Opening Ribbon Cutting); June 23, 7:45 - 8:45 a.m., 4628 E. County Line Rd., Indianapolis. For more information, call (317) 888-4856.

**28** – Greater Greenwood Chamber of Commerce (Business Matters Workshop); June 28, 8:30 - 10 a.m., 65 Airport Pkwy., Suite 140. For more information, call (317) 888-4856.

**30** – Greater Greenwood Chamber of Commerce (Kumo Japanese Steakhouse Grand Opening Ribbon Cutting); June 30, 3:30 - 4:30, 1251 US 31 N., Unit P210, Greenwood. For more information, call (317) 888-4856.

**5** – Franklin Township Chamber of Commerce (July Meeting); July 5, 11:30 a.m., Wheatley's, 8902 Southeastern Ave., Indianapolis. For more information, visit [franklintwpchamber.org](http://franklintwpchamber.org).

### PLANNER OF NOTE

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## On Campus

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### Greenwood's Karen Cecil inducted into Phi Kappa Phi

Karen Cecil of Greenwood, was recently initiated into The Honor Society of Phi Kappa Phi, the nation's oldest and most selective collegiate honor society for all academic disciplines. Cecil was initiated at Arizona State University. Cecil is among approximately 30,000 students, faculty, professional staff and alumni to be initiated into Phi Kappa Phi each year. Membership is by invitation and requires nomination and approval by a chapter. Only the top 10 percent of seniors and 7.5 percent of juniors, having at least 72 semester hours, are eligible for membership. Graduate students in the top 10 percent of the number of candidates for graduate degrees may also qualify, as do faculty, professional staff and alumni who have achieved scholarly distinction.

### Perry's Logan Hurley accepted to Univ. of the Cumberland

University of the Cumberland has accepted Logan Hurley of Indianapolis for the upcoming academic year. UC welcomes Logan, a current student at Perry Meridian High School, to the class of 2020. Located in Williamsburg, KY, UC offers a variety of undergraduate and graduate programs, including many online programs. UC grads leave their stamp of excellence on all professions. For more information, visit [ucumberland.edu](http://ucumberland.edu).

### Southside students make Univ. of Evansville Dean's List

The following local students earned a position on the University of Evansville Dean's List for academic achievements during the Spring Semester 2016: Emily Bruhn of Franklin Township, majoring in Creative Writing; Bawi Chawn Perry Township, majoring in Civil Engineering; Elizabeth Coons of Beech Grove, majoring in Exercise Science; Amanda Feagans of Perry Township, majoring in Neuroscience; Abigail Griebelbauer of Franklin Township, majoring in Special Education; Katherine Hulsey of Greenwood, majoring in Biology; Anna Raney of Perry Township, majoring in Religion; Abigail Springer of Perry Township, majoring in Accounting; Matthew Steadham of Franklin Township, majoring in Exercise Science; Brittany West of Greenwood, majoring in Exercise Science. To make the Dean's List, a student at UE must earn at least a 3.5 grade point average on a 4.0 scale. For more information, visit [evansville.edu](http://evansville.edu).

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### BEECH GROVE

**2016 Summer Reading Kickoff** • Join Garfield the Cat and sign up for the 2016 Summer Reading Program, "Summer Reading Book Bash," and help welcome the Beech Grove Library into the IndyPL family. Activities include a magic show, face painting, eBook Tinker Station and a drawing to receive a free Kindle. | When: June 4, 11 – 3 p.m. | Where: Beech Grove branch library, 1102 Main St. | Info: Call (317) 275-4560.

**Mother Potter's Clay Kitchen** • Children ages 5 and up are invited to join ceramic artist Sarah Tirey for an hour-long, hands-on experience in clay. | When: June 8, 1 p.m. | Where: Beech Grove branch library, 1102 Main St. | Info: Register (317) 275-4560.

**Preschool Storytime** • Preschoolers and an adult are invited for stories and activities. | When: June 9, 16 and 23 at 11 a.m. | Where: Beech Grove branch library, 1102 Main St. | Info: Call (317) 275-4560.

**Summer Showtime: Hotel Transylvania 2** • Children of all ages and families are invited for a showing of "Hotel Transylvania 2" (PG). | When: June 9, 1 p.m. | Where: Beech Grove branch library, 1102 Main St. | Info: Call (317) 275-4560.

**Beech Grove Historical Society** • ...will host a round table discussion among senior residents who were born, grew up, went to school, married, and are still living in the city. | When: June 10, 4:30 p.m. | Where: Beech Grove Public Library, 1102 Main St. | Info: Visit bgpl.lib.in.gov.

### CENTER GROVE

**Play, Baby, Play** • Bring a baby (birth to age 2) and explore the world together through play. | When: June 6, 10 – 11 a.m. | Where: White River Library branch, 1664 Library Blvd., Greenwood. | Info: Visit pageafterpage.org.

**Summer Learning Kick-Off Party** • The Water Show is presented by Family Time Entertainment. Bring a towel to dry off and wear a bathing suit! | When: June 6, 4 – 5 p.m. | Where: White River Library branch, 1664 Library Blvd., Greenwood. | Info: Visit pageafterpage.org.

**Ice Cream Social** • Sign up for Summer Learning and start earning minutes right away. Check out a book, find a comfy spot and read quietly for a half hour, then get rewarded with an ice cream treat. | When: June 7, 3 – 5 p.m. | Where: White River Library branch, 1664 Library Blvd., Greenwood. | Info: Visit pageafterpage.org.

**Game On!** • Young adults, grades 5 – 12, can get in the game and challenge others in a Wii sports competition or old school board game. | When: June 9, 3 – 5 p.m. | Where: White River Library branch, 1664 Library Blvd., Greenwood. | Info: Visit pageafterpage.org.

**24th Annual Strawberry Festival** • Strawberry shortcake, food, entertainment and a display of fire trucks in this festival hosted by the White River Township Fire Department. | When: June 10, 12 – 10:30 p.m. and June 11, 9 a.m. – 10:30 p.m. | Where: Sugar Grove Elementary. | Info: Visit wrtfd.org.

### FRANKLIN TOWNSHIP

**Vacation Bible School Sign-Up** • Register for St. Paul's VBS, "Barnyard Roundup," taking place June 13-17. Children and adults welcome. | When: Monday-Thursday, 6 a.m. to 3 p.m. and Friday, 6 a.m. to 12 p.m. | Where: By phone, (317)787-4464 or at St. Paul's Lutheran Church, 3932 MiCasa Ave. Info: Visit stpaulsindy.com.

**Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat** • Center Grove Fine Arts Academy will perform this Biblical saga of Joseph and his coat of many colors. | When: June 3, 7:30 p.m., June 4, 3 and 7:30 p.m. and June 5, 3 p.m. | Where: Lutheran High School, 5555 S. Arlington Ave., Indianapolis. | Cost: \$5 adults, \$3 students. At the door prices are \$1 more. | Info: Visit centergrovechurch.org.

**Family Storytime at Franklin Road** • Families are invited to listen to stories and participate in activities. | When: June 8, 15, 22 and 29 at 10:15 a.m. | Where: Franklin Road Branch, 5550 S. Franklin Rd., Indianapolis. | Info: Call (317) 275-4380.

**Found Art for Kids** • Artist-in-residence Tony Radford will work with participants to turn pop cans into art. | When: June 9 at 10:30 a.m., 12:30 p.m. and 2:30 p.m. | Where: Franklin Road Branch, 5550 S. Franklin Rd., Indianapolis. | Info: Call (317) 275-4380 to register.

### FOUNTAIN SQUARE

**First Friday Art Event: Radie Clark** • Clark is a self-taught photographer gravitating towards nature in black and white. Radie's work has been published in an AAA photo Atlas – Beautiful Places In the US. | When: June 3, 7 – 10 p.m. | Where: 1114 Prospect St., Indianapolis. | Info: Call Sherry Stiver, (317) 822-FUNK (3865).

**Play Date Preschool Storytime at Fountain Square** • Preschoolers and an adult are invited for stories, songs, fingerplays and rhymes following by playtime. | When: June 6, 13, 20 and 27 at 11 a.m. | Where: Fountain Square Branch library, 1066 Virginia Ave. | Info: Call (317) 275-4390.

**Going Native: Indiana's Animals... Animal Chats** • Children of all ages and families are invited to meet two or three animals near the children's area during this presentation by Animalia. | When: June 7, 14, 21 and 28 from 4 – 5 p.m. | Where: Fountain Square Branch library, 1066 Virginia Ave. | Info: Call (317) 275-4390.

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## AN OPTION

### Asian Snack

**The scoop:** Asian Snack, or Tianjin Snack as it is called in Chinese, is a small restaurant inside the Saraga International Grocery located just off Lafayette Road in the Lafayette Place Shopping Center. For those who have studied or worked in Mainland China, this is one of the most authentic Northern Chinese restaurants in the area. No American innovations are served at Asian Snack like General Tso's Chicken, crab rangoons, or fortune cookies. There are only three tables and it is closer to a Northeastern Chinese noodle shop or street vendor. It is a favorite of Chinese area students. If you are looking for a place to take a group, try other local options like Lucky Lou Seafood Restaurant or Szechwan Garden. The braised beef noodles are just like the popular beef noodles you can buy in Beijing. They have both pork and vegetarian baozi, called Tianjin pork bun and vegetarian bun on the menu. Fresh soy milk, dumplings, chive and beef pancakes. The listed



Braised Beef Noodles at Asian Snack.

menu is quite small, but they can prepare many dishes upon request.

**Type of food:** Northeastern Chinese

**Recommendation:** Braised beef noodles

**Location:** Saraga International Grocery, 3605 Commercial Dr., Indianapolis, IN 46222.

## BEHIND BARS

### The "Door"

**Bartender:** Amber Hall

**Location:** The Green Door Lounge, 711 E. Thompson Rd. # E, Indianapolis.

**Ingredients and directions:** 1 oz. Tito's Handmade Vodka, ¾ oz. Malibu Rum, ¾ oz. Blue Curaçao, pineapple juice and a splash of Sprite. Mix all ingredients. Chill, shake, and strain over ice. Garnish with a lemon and a lime slice.



## WHERE I DINE

**Tiffany Ross**, administrator of The Waters of Indianapolis, a skilled nursing care facility located at 3895 S. Keystone Ave.



**Where do you like to dine?** Jagers

**What do you like to eat there?** The Chile Cheeseburger. It has a full chile pepper on it. It is nice and cheesy, very well nice and done with just enough spice.

**What do you like about this place?** They have very good customer service. The food comes out nice and hot and the fries are nice and crispy.

Jagers is located at 7833 US 31 in Indianapolis in the Greenwood Place Shopping Center area. The phone number is (317) 781-0855.

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**Summer Showtime: The Good Dinosaur** • Join for a showing of "The Good Dinosaur" (PG). | When: June 7, 1 p.m. | Where: Fountain Square Branch library, 1066 Virginia Ave. | Info: Call (317) 275-4390.

**Mother Potter's Clay Kitchen** • Children ages 5 and up are invited to join ceramic artist Sarah Tiley for an hour-long, hands-on experience in clay. | When: June 10, 2 p.m. | Where: Fountain Square Branch library, 1066 Virginia Ave. | Info: Call (317) 275-4390 to register.

**GARFIELD PARK**

**Earth Friendly Festival and Summer Reading Kickoff @ Garfield Park** • Throughout the day there will be face painting, balloon animals and family crafts. Special programs include a family magic show and storytime, along with educational programs on beekeeping, flower planting, turning found objects into art, and creating a rain barrel. Blue Indy will have an electric car for attendees to drive. Meet Garfield the Cat in the afternoon. | When: June 4, 11 a.m. - 4 p.m. | Where: Garfield Park branch library, 2502 Shelby St., Indianapolis. | Info: Call (317) 275-4490.

**Found Art for Kids** • Artist-in-residence Tony Radford will work with participants to turn pop cans into art | When: June 4, 1 p.m. | Where: Garfield Park branch library, 2502 Shelby St., Indianapolis. | Info: Call (317) 275-4490 to register.

**Going Native: Indiana's Animals . . . Animal Chats** • Children of all ages and families are invited to meet two or three animals near the children's area during this presentation by Animalia. | When: June 10, 17 and 24 from 3 - 4 p.m. | Where: Garfield Park branch library, 2502 Shelby St., Indianapolis. | Info: Call (317) 275-4490.

**Summer Concerts featuring Houndmouth** • Hailing from the small Indiana town of New Albany, Houndmouth issued a self-titled EP on Rough Trade Records. | When: June 10, 7 p.m. | Where: Garfield Park, Macallister Amphitheater, 2432 Conservatory Dr. | Cost: \$20 lawn tickets. | Info: Visit [mokbresents.com](http://mokbresents.com).

**GREENWOOD**

**Quilt Connection Guild** • Guest speaker will be quilter Brenda S. Roach who will display and talk about her award-winning quilts. | When: June 2, 7 - 9 p.m. | Where: Greenwood United Methodist Church, 525 N. Madison Ave., Greenwood. | Info: Visit [quiltcg.com](http://quiltcg.com).

**Fire Dash 5K & Safety Festival** • Greenwood Fire Foundation and Fire Department will host this 5K run, safety festival with a live band, children's activities and display all of the fire trucks. Proceeds will benefit Play Pocket installation. | When: June 4, 9 a.m. 5K registration. 10 a.m. fire-themed obstacle course for children age 4 - 12, 9 a.m. - 12 p.m. live music and activities. | Where: Freedom Park, Greenwood. | Info: Visit [facebook.com/events/517860238414740/](http://facebook.com/events/517860238414740/).

**Summer Reading Family Field Day** • Families can join for an afternoon outdoors with the Summer Reading Family Field Day kickoff. | When: June 4, 1 - 3 p.m. | Where: Greenwood Public Library, 310 S. Meridian St., Greenwood. | Info: Visit [greenwoodlibrary.us](http://greenwoodlibrary.us).

**2nd Annual Movie at the Airport** • Watch Disney's Planes Fire & Rescue, see airplanes on display, Greenwood Fire Department's apparatus in this evening presented by Sam's Club. Bring chairs and blankets. Food will be sold by Experimental Aircraft Association. | Info: June 4, gates open 5:30 p.m., movie starts 7 p.m. | Where: 897 Airport Pkwy., Greenwood. | Info: Visit [greenwood.in.gov/airport](http://greenwood.in.gov/airport).

**Greenwood Summer Concert Series: The Combo Nation** • Presented by Mallow Run Winery and Oaken Barrel Brewing Company. | When: June 4, 7 p.m. | Where: Greenwood Amphitheater. | Info: Visit [greenwood.in.gov](http://greenwood.in.gov).

**Homegrown Talent; Sports Stars of Johnson County** • This Johnson County Museum of History special exhibition displays one-of-a kind memorabilia and tells the stories of some of the area's most talented sports figures that made it to the elite levels of their sport. | When: June 7, 6:30 p.m. | Where: Greenwood Public Library, 310 S. Meridian St., Greenwood. | Info: Visit [greenwoodlibrary.us](http://greenwoodlibrary.us).

**Into the Woods, Jr.** • The Agape Performing Arts Company, a new ministry of Our Lady of the Greenwood, presents this play by OLG parishioners and youth from the community. | When: June 9 - 11 and June 16 - 18, 7:30 p.m. with additional performance 3:30 p.m. Saturdays. | Info: Visit [theoffice.com/agape](http://theoffice.com/agape).

**Rummage Sale** • Concordia Lutheran Church will host this rummage sale. | When: June 10 to 11, 8 a.m. - 2 p.m. \$1 bag sale from 1 - 2 p.m. on June 11. | Where: 305 Howard Rd., Greenwood. | Info: Call (317) 881-4477.

**Greenwood Summer Concert Series: Toy Factory** • Presented by Mallow Run Winery and Oaken Barrel Brewing Company. | When: June 11, 7 p.m. | Where: Greenwood Amphitheater. | Info: Visit [greenwood.in.gov](http://greenwood.in.gov).

**INDIANAPOLIS**

**Quilters Guild of Indianapolis** • Kaye Moore from Louisville, KY will present a trunk show of her original wool appliqué designs at the meeting. | When: June 9, 7 - 9 p.m. | Where: Second Presbyterian Church, 7700 N. Meridian St., Indianapolis. | Info: Visit [guiltguildindy.net](http://guiltguildindy.net).

**SOUTHPORT**

**Pizza Eating Competition** • Join the Southport Police Department as they compete in a pizza eating contest in this fundraiser for ballistic vests. Dine in or carry out. Police officers will be on hand to serve guests their food and drinks. | When: June 3 and 4, 6 - 8 p.m. | Where: Uno's Pizzeria & Grill, 4740 E. Southport Rd., Indianapolis. | Info: Call Uno's, (317) 791-8667.

**Ice Cream Social and 2nd Annual Rubber Duck Race** • Ice cream social is free, with live entertainment. Those interested can purchase a rubber duck for \$2. The ducks will race down Buck Creek. | When: June 11, 6 - 8 p.m. | Where: Southport Park, 6901 Derbyshire Rd. | Info: Visit [southporteents.org](http://southporteents.org).

# The Nice Guys... entertaining, twist-filled action mystery

**MOVIE REVIEW**

By Adam Staten

Why do bad things happen to good people? Why is Gerard Butler allowed to keep polluting theaters? And in a country of more than 300 million, how is it that Hillary Clinton and Donald Trump are the best we can do? Some things in life are so incredibly mystifying that the most well thought out, pondered upon reasoning is unlikely to culminate in a sufficient and satisfactory answer. In such cases, the best course of action is to simply press on; with a hearty sense of humor to laugh at the inexplicable occurrences life throws your way. The new film, *The Nice Guys*, depicts such an absurd mysterious scenario.

*The Nice Guys* is the tale of two private investigators, Jackson Healey (Russell Crowe) and Holland March (Ryan Gosling), whose personalities and analytical methods couldn't be any more different. Soon after a car literally drives through a house, Healey and March are looking into the suicide of a porn star and how the daughter of a high-level government official is connected. But like any good mystery, things are much more complicated than they initially appear. Everyone connected to a controversial 'art house' film quickly turns up dead. Seemingly every clue Healey and March stumble upon leads to a dead end or a corpse.

However, after a lot of punches, drinks and questionable private eye work, our two anti-heroes break the case wide-open. What they uncover is a sordid and deadly plot involving the abuse of power, the three big auto manufacturers, and dying birds.

While *The Nice Guys* is an action/mystery, it's also part comedy, or at least tries to be. Most of the comedic elements derive from the mismatched personalities of Healey and March. Healey is the tough as nails, no nonsense type who doesn't think twice when the need to kill arises. On the other hand, March is the polar opposite. He's conniving, winces at the sight of blood, and falls off more than one balcony in a less than sober state. Unfortunately, most of the humor falls very, very flat, with only a handful of jokes eliciting more than a slight chuckle. Especially in the early stages of *The Nice Guys*, it relies way too heavily on the comedy, and to its detriment.

However, the film picks up steadily as it gets deeper into the story and abandons most of the comedy. As far as the story goes, there are more than enough twists and turns

to keep you guessing and interested. Thankfully, it never shows its hand until it is completely necessary.

*The Nice Guys* is an enjoyable, well-written and aptly-directed flick. Check this one out. 3.5 out of 5.



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**2 Ghostbusters Stars**

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**Across**

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6. Young'un found at 8-Down
9. Uses a keyboard
14. Passed judgment in Marion County Court
15. Eiteljorg Museum tribe
16. Bushes forming a fence
17. Easley Winery process
18. Rural Indiana dirt road feature
19. Indiana Senate candidate's concern
20. Start of a riddle heard at Anytime Fitness (2 wds.)
23. Classic Ray Skillman Ford
24. Element No. 54 in a Center Grove HS class
25. David Wolf's org.
29. Tweet of gratitude
31. Tarnishes
33. Jim Davis pooch
35. Johnson County judge's orders
38. Alley \_\_\_\_
39. End of riddle (4 wds.)
42. Pesticide banned in Indiana
43. Annuls
44. Ogled the Pacemates
45. Indy soccer team
47. Jr. and Sr. at Beech Grove HS
48. Newbie
49. Two-under par at Winding River
53. Indianapolis-to-Louisville dir.
56. Riddle answer
60. Geico lizard
63. Hinkle Fieldhouse clock no.
64. Out of shape
65. Chinese or Thai
66. Anthem and Finish Line name ender
67. "Rolling in the Deep" singer
68. Ft. Wayne-born fashion designer: Bill \_\_\_\_
69. Ultimate degree in a Southport HS math class
70. Bygone times

**Down**

1. Pacers' melee
2. Should, with "to"
3. Trojan War epic
4. Shipped
5. UIndy halftime lead
6. Smoothie King blender setting
7. 180, so to speak
8. Local store that welcomes dogs

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9. Mellencamp song: "No Better Than \_\_\_\_"
10. Middle East resident
11. Palm Pilot, e.g.
12. Le Peep omelet ingredient
13. "Get the picture?"
21. W. Lafayette eatery: Triple \_\_\_\_
22. Big name in computers
26. Positive end at Batteries Plus
27. Prepared to sing the anthem at Victory Field
28. Death on the Nile cause, perhaps
29. Up to, briefly
30. 80-yard pass from Luck
32. One with questions
33. In a strange manner
34. Spoiler
35. IPL memo starter
36. Circle City org. that goes to blazes
37. Some City-County Council votes
40. Like most land in Greenwood
41. The S in CBS (Abbr.)
42. Lions on a Lucas Oil Stadium scoreboard
46. Big Red Liquors buys
47. Brief acceptance speech?
50. Part of FDA (Abbr.)
51. Flash of light
52. Ex-IU football coach
53. More secure
54. Clowes Hall entrance sight
55. Local car dealer
57. Charged particles
58. Wharf
59. Word processing command
60. Blah-blah-blah
61. Immigrant's subj.
62. Spy org.

Answers See Page 27

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Puzzle time



# A diet for a kinder planet

## NUTRITION

By Chef Wendell Fowler

Are you a bad tempered, intolerable curmudgeon more often than not? Do you feel bloated, depressed, heavy, tired, angry or mentally dull? The US has experienced a precipitous rise in aggression, irritability, impulsivity, and other anti-social behavior; nature's way of telling us somethings wrong, but no one's listening.

Go ahead; wrap yourselves in a rich patina of denial, but I doubt our loving God created you to be an insensitive, undernourished jerk. Alas, we live in a morally rudderless world where chemically-laden, artificially-processed, bad fat, sugar-laden foods are everywhere, in everything, including the air we breathe. You can only go against your nature for so long before your temple rebels.

Decades of presenting my *Eat Right Now* program, I've received raised eyebrow skepticism expressing my hypothesis: one major reason we're all freaking out, hating each other and so divided my friends, is because we're malnourished due to the failed Western diet of processed junk food. Now there's science linking a more violent, depressed species to gross vitamin deficiencies.

Vegaphobes refusal to eat close to earth has positioned America as one of the most malnourished countries on earth; ranked #1 in degenerative diseases and the 150th in general health. Just as you were not born to hate each other, you were not born to hate nourishing food from God's perfect Celestial Apothecary. You were taught. Only you can change this, however.

Before you apply sunscreen, get some daily sun for D-3, and increase consumption of fresh farmer market vegetables and fruits so your temple gets enough vitamins A and B-vitamins and minerals to support your neurotransmitters. Regularly eating Omega 3 protein sources, eggs, pumpkin seeds, flax seeds, flax oil, avocado oil or wild caught salmon boost production of the feel good drug serotonin. Drinking green, black or herbed tea has mood performance benefits such as relaxation and concentration. Hazelnuts rich in manganese, potassium, calcium, copper, iron, magnesium, zinc, fiber and selenium helps promote neurotransmitters. Take a food-based multivitamin daily.

Teaching Expertise reports modifications of diet sometimes dramatically improve aggressive and unwanted behaviors in children as well as ADHD, Asperger Syndrome, and

sensory Processing Disorder. Sugar, additives, saturated fats, refined carbohydrates caffeine, soy, gluten sugar, MSG, aspartame and diet sodas may all contribute.

The strength for change is within you.



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## Arts and Crafts Fair

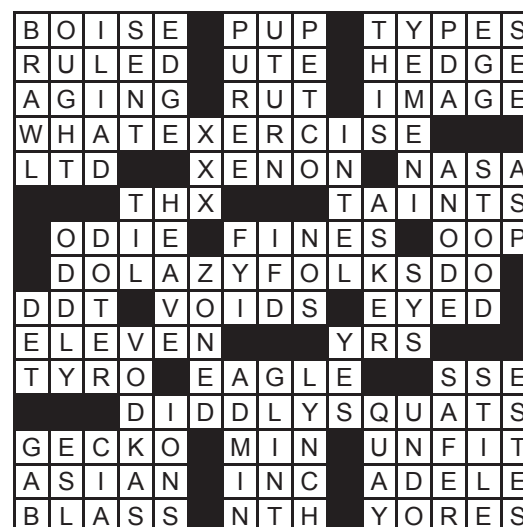
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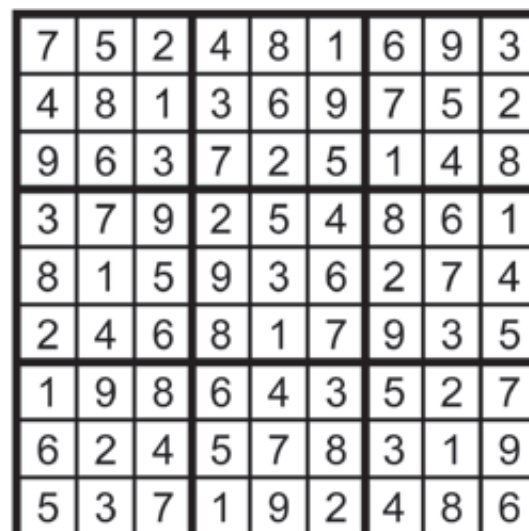


### Answers to HOOSIER

**HODGEPODGE:** Synonyms: AVENUE, BOULEVARD, COURT, DRIVE, LANE, STREET; Cities: BEECH GROVE, INDIANAPOLIS, LAWRENCE, SOUTHPORT, SPEEDWAY; Ranks: CAPTAIN, COLONEL, GENERAL, MAJOR; Foods: CHIPS, HOT DOGS, RIBS; Stars: MCCARTHY, WIIG; Winner ROSSI

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## ✠ CHRISTIAN CHURCH

**Greenwood Christian Church** • 2045 Averitt Rd., Greenwood | Ph: (317) 881-9336 | Pr. Matt Giebler | Saturday: 6 p.m. | Sunday: 9:30 & 11 a.m. | Sunday School: 8, 9:30 & 11 a.m.

**Mount Pleasant Christian Church** • 381 N. Bluff Rd., Greenwood | Senior Pr. Chris Philbeck | mpcc.info | Saturday: 6 p.m. (ASL Available) | Sunday: 9 & 10:45 a.m. | Video Venue at Student Ministries: 10:45 a.m.

**Southport Heights Christian Church** • 7154 S. McFarland Rd., Indpls | Pr. Steve Ferguson | Sunday: 9:00 & 10:30 a.m. | Sunday School: 9:00 a.m. | Deaf Ministry: James Wines (317) 493-0414 VP or jewshdccc@yahoo.com

## ✠ CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST

**Sixth Church of Christ, Scientist** • 7625 McFarland Rd. | Ph: (317) 888-3204 | Sunday: 10 a.m. | Sunday School: 10 a.m. | Wednesday: 4 p.m. | Reading Room Hours Tues: 11 a.m.-2 p.m. & Wednesday: 2:30-3:30 p.m.

## ✠ CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN

**Christ Cumberland Presbyterian Church** • 6140 South Meridian St., Indpls | Ph: (317) 787-9585 | Pr. Elmer Price | Sunday: 10 a.m. | Sunday School: 9 a.m. | "Come Grow With Us!"

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**St. Thomas Episcopal Church** • 600 Paul Hand Blvd. (South of Whiteland), Franklin | Ph: (317) 535-8985 | Rev. Whitney Rice | Sunday: 10:15 a.m. | Adult Forum Sunday School (During Worship): 11 a.m. | stthomasfranklin.org

**St. Timothy's Episcopal Church** • 2601 E. Thompson Rd., Indpls | Ph: (317) 784-6925 | Rector: Rev. Rebecca Nickel | Sunday: 9 a.m. | Godly Play: 9 a.m. (Sept-May) | Food Pantry: 3rd Tues each month | sttimothy.indydia.org

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**Bethany Evangelical Lutheran Church** • 4702 S. East St., Indpls | Ph: (317) 786-7854, Rev. Michelle Elfers | Sunday: 9:30 a.m. | Sunday School: 8:15 a.m. (all ages) | "We Welcome You"

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**Community Church at Murphy's Landing** • 7401 South Harding St., Indpls | Ph: (317) 807-0222 | Pr. Paul Ery | Sunday: 9:30 a.m. | Sunday School: 11 a.m. | yourccml.org

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**St. Mark's Free Lutheran Church** • 1301 East Prospect St., Indpls (Inside the historic Fountain Square Community) | Pr. Terry Englert | Sunday: 10:30 a.m. | Adult & Children's Sunday School: 9:30 a.m. | Come join us for a traditional style worship experience followed by a time of food and fellowship!

**St. Paul's Lutheran Church** • 3932 MiCasa Ave., Indpls | Ph: (317) 787-4464 | Worship: Sunday, 9:30 a.m. & Thur, 7 p.m. | Sunday School after Worship | stpaulsindy.com | Facebook: StPaulsIndy

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**Cross-Way Community Church of the Nazarene** • 1248 Buffalo St., Beech Grove | Pr. Mark Ramsey | Sunday: 11 a.m. | facebook.com/CrosswayCCN

## ✠ NON-DENOMINATIONAL

**Church of Acts** • 3740 S. Dearborn, Indpls | Ph: (317) 783-ACTS (2287) | Pr. Bill Jenkins | Sunday: 10 a.m. | Wednesday Bible Study: 7 p.m. | Celebrate Recovery: Thursdays, 7 p.m. | churchofacts.org

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**Greenwood Presbyterian Church** • 102 West Main St., Greenwood | Ph: (317) 881-1259 | Pr. Cheryl Montgomery | Sunday: 10:30 a.m. | Sunday School: 9:30 a.m. | Free Community Meal - 3rd Monday: 6:30-8 p.m.

## ✠ SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST

**Southside Seventh-Day Adventist** • 4801 Shelbyville Rd., Indpls | Ph: (317) 786-7002 | Pr. Brian Yensho | Services Saturday: 11 a.m. | Sabbath School: 9:30 a.m. | southsideadventist.org | Health Ministries, CHIP+: chiphealth.com

## ✠ SOUTHERN BAPTIST

**Calvary Baptist Church** • 200 Sunset Blvd., Greenwood | Ph: (317) 881-5743 | Ernest E. James, D. Min. | Sunday: 10:30 a.m. | Sunday School: 9 a.m. | Something for All Ages

**Southwood Baptist Church** • 501 S. 4th Ave., Beech Grove | Ph: (317) 786-2719 | Pstr: Dr. Patrick Wood | Sunday: 9:30 a.m. | Worship Service: 10:45 a.m. | Sunday & Weds. Eve Worship: 6:30 p.m.

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## Weekly Devotion

*"Though he were a Son, yet learned he obedience by the things which he suffered; And being made perfect, he became the author of eternal salvation unto all them that obey him; Called of God an high priest after the order of Melchisedec. ~ Hebrews 5:8-10*

As it was with Christ, so is it with us. We need to be perfected in Christ. Christ is the Author of eternal salvation but before He could be that, He had to learn obedience to the Father in Heaven. What we often forget is that Jesus was just as much the son of man as He was and is the Son of God. He had a human side to Himself that had to be brought into subjection to the God that reigned within. There was the ability to feel pain and sorrow and joy and peace.

He could feel everything that we feel and concern Himself with everything that concerns us. He had family and even as He hung on the cross He concerned Himself with them and especially His mother. We concern ourselves with the things of God but the things of this life are a concern to us. There is nothing wrong with this as long as we prioritize them in a manner that is pleasing to God. May God help us all to learn how to do that.

God bless and go and have a great day.

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Paul A. Kirby is the pastor at the Church of God at 3939 S. Emerson Ave.



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