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## THIS WEEK on the WEB



The new Roncalli Royals logo will be used to represent Roncalli High School. (Submitted photo)

### Roncalli reveals new logo

On April 27, Roncalli High School held a surprise pep rally for all students, faculty and staff to build excitement for the new Roncalli Royals logo reveal.

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Emma Stumpf of Greenwood was on-hand to accept the check on May 12. (Photo courtesy of Chuy's)

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*Caveat emptor (let the buyer beware) is in play with real estate transactions. (Photo by Rick Hinton)*

## Stigmatized properties: A retread from an article published June 22, 2017

### HAUNTS & JAUNTS

By Rick Hinton

Are you thinking about buying a house? Perhaps it will be a starter home or a forever home. It may be an older home or a newer one just starting its history. Buying your own home is an exciting journey that results in placing down permanent roots. As long as you ask the right questions, you might not end up with a stigmatized property.

Stigmatized properties have a past, and sometimes not a nice one. It might involve things that happened within its walls: murder, suicide, Aids, cult activity, drugs or prostitution. Also included in the mix could be phenomena – ghosts!

Caveat emptor (let the buyer beware) is in play with real estate transactions, with most states (Indiana included) not requiring notification of certain stigma attached to a property. The National Association of Realtor's code of ethics mandates its agents to avoid "exaggeration, misrepresentation or concealment of pertinent facts." The sellers, or Realtor, may not necessarily volunteer information yet have a duty to reply truthfully when asked direct questions. A lie constitutes misrepresentation.

The Residential Real Estate Sales Disclosure Form informs potential buyers about material defects: foundation, heating & cooling, termites, moisture, rodents, mold, appliances etc. What this form leaves out is any stigma attached to the property.

Many will not think twice about buying a

stigmatized property, especially at cost savings. Presently, Indiana law requires a seller to inform a buyer if a property was used as a methamphetamine lab; and disclose if any death occurred in the house if the sellers are aware of it. I believe the matter of ghostly shenanigans also must be disclosed.

Two stigmatized properties in Indianapolis come to mind:

For example, the yellow house that formerly sat on the corner of Meridian and Main St. in downtown Greenwood. A daughter, in a drug haze, bludgeoned her mother with a hammer and dragged her lifeless body to the garage right across from Mrs. Curl's Ice Cream. The house was for sale afterward with no takers.

Then, there is the Sylvia Likens murder house on East New York St. After the murder, the home went through a steady procession of being for sale, and on the off times, a rental unit. Nobody ever lasted long in the house.

Both properties were stigmatized and eventually demolished because of reports of paranormal activity. If this kind of property remains standing, it can take years – and hoping people forget – for them to sell.

A special thanks to Realtor Brenda Cook for the information related to this article.



*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.*

### AROUND TOWN

#### National VFW approves "Rider Group" for VFW 5864

**Rider Group Approved** – The National VFW has recently approved a "Rider (motorcycle) Group" for Greenwood VFW Post 5864. Rodney Davis, a VFW member of the Post and a member of a nearby Legion Rider Group headed the committee to get things underway. He was helped by Mark Quinn. Both are members of the Legion Riders at another local veteran's club. VFW members, Auxiliary members and friends and supporters of veterans are eligible to join the group. The goal is to bring in men and women from American Legion Post 1919; from Voiture 145 of the 40 and 8 organization and the VFW Auxiliary as members of the group. Those three groups are houses at VFW Post 5864. You will not have to have a motorcycle to be a member of this group. Poker Runs and other events will be scheduled to earn money for various projects and individual groups. The group has obtained two sets of by-laws from two different VFW Rider Groups to review and come up with a set of usable by-laws for the group. Rodney Davis has ordered a VFW Rider's patch for himself, a VFW Auxiliary Rider's patch for his wife and a VFW Supporter's patch. Anyone can order a patch and they are all pretty much the same. The Auxiliary has their logo; and the supporter is the same as the VFW with a line that says "Supporter". They are \$56 each. If you are truly interested in joining this group, contact Rodney Davis at redL5@comcast.net or call Steve Milbourn at (317) 525-7291 or e-mail him at steve.milbourn@aol.com. The first meeting will be held at 6:30 p.m. on Monday, May 24.

#### Greenwood Memorial Services scheduled for May 29

**Memorial Services** – The Greenwood & Whiteland Veterans Of Foreign Wars and the Greenwood American Legion Post 252 will jointly sponsor their Annual Memorial Service Program at each of the Greenwood Cemeteries on Saturday morning, presented by their Greenwood/Whiteland Honor Guard and the Ladies Auxiliaries of each Post. The invocation, the setting of the wreath, rifle volley and taps will be conducted in each of the five local Cemeteries at the flagpole area. Everyone is invited to be part of honoring and remembering all of the military veterans and especially those veterans who gave their lives fighting for our country. Services will begin at Rock Lane at 9 a.m. followed by Greenwood at 9:30 a.m., Mount Pleasant at 10 a.m., Olive Branch at 10:30 a.m. and at Forest Lawn at 11 a.m.

#### Bethany Community Gardens needs coolers, ice packs

**Donation opportunity** – Order food through the mail and have ice packs and coolers on hand taking up space? Consider donating them to Bethany Community Gardens. This year, garden volunteers want to improve the manner by which they deliver produce to its two partner food pantries, Servant's Heart of Indy, Inc. and Hunger, Inc. They want to make sure the produce arrives in good condition and as fresh as possible. They are hoping to gather 20 coolers and ice pack sets. Email Linda Adams at adams284@purdue.edu or stop by 4702 S East St. Indianapolis on Tuesday evenings between 5 and 8 p.m. to drop off.

#### Shipmate Hank Jacoby displays handmade quilt



*Shipmate Hank Jacoby shows off a treasured keepsake. (Submitted photo)*

**Handmade quilt** – At a recent meeting of FRA Branch 130, Shipmate Hank Jacoby of Greenwood displayed a quilt made for him by his two sisters. Close examination of the "neckline" of our National Bird represented in the piece will reveal several uniform buttons incorporated in the display. FRA Branch 130 holds its monthly meeting on the first Monday of the month at 6 p.m. at the Greenwood VFW, 1842 Veterans Way, Greenwood. The U.S.S. Indianapolis Memorial Branch holds its breakfast meeting the second Tuesday of each month at Denny's South Park at Main St. and I-65 in Greenwood at 9 a.m.



## MARCHING TOWARD A NEW CHALLENGE

### Two Roncalli seniors appointed to selective military academies

From left, Matthew Croddy and Ryan Henry are honored to be accepted into selective military academies. (Submitted photo)

By Jessica Todd

Two Roncalli seniors recently received acceptance into military academies. Matthew Croddy will attend the Naval Academy in Maryland, which has an 8.3 percent acceptance rate. Ryan Henry is heading to West Point in New York, which has an acceptance rate of 12 percent.

The seniors both had to be nominated to attend their future academies. Croddy was nominated by the United States Senator Mike Braun, and Henry received his nomination from United States senator Todd Young.

#### A new journey for Croddy

If asked a few years ago, Croddy would have said he planned to go to a college such as Wabash or the University of Indianapolis. It was two years ago when his focus shifted to the Naval Academy.

"I wanted to do something different from the average college experience. A friend of mine was attending the academy, and I went to visit her my sophomore year. I loved the atmosphere and the professors I had the chance to meet," Croddy explained. "Visiting the campus sparked my interest more than ever before. If I went to a normal college, I would have participated in ROTC, so the Naval Academy is the perfect fit for me."

Many of Croddy's family members have served in the military, so he had an under-

standing of the application process when he began sending in information near the end of 2020.

"I sent in my main application around August of 2020 and my nomination in October of that year. It was a bit of a rolling thing; as I finished documents, I sent them in," he said.

The Roncalli senior found out he was appointed in January 2021.

"I was scrolling through my phone when I saw that my status had been updated. I was actually sitting in my seventh-period class and just happened to check," Croddy explained. "I was speechless when I saw that I had been accepted. It felt so good, and it was such a big relief to know that I had an official plan. It had been a few months since I sent everything in, so I was on edge."

Croddy's parents have been fully supportive of his decision. When they found out he had been accepted, they told everyone they possibly could.

"I think they were more excited than I was," said Croddy as he chuckled. "They have been

by my side the entire time.

He explained that his goals for the future are to serve his country in any way he can.

"Ideally, I would like to become a nuclear engineer for a ship," Croddy said. "If that does not work out, I hope to be able to serve my country however I can. That is my number one goal here."

Croddy leaves for the Naval Academy on June 29.

#### A new addition to Henry's family history

With a history of military background, Ryan Henry knew he wanted to follow in the footsteps of those before him.

"Although a lot of my family members have a military background, none of them have been to an academy before," explained Henry. "I am excited to create my own path while still sticking to family roots."

Henry has never been interested in a typical college campus. He wants to go to school to improve himself mentally and physically. His original plans were to major in something involving math, such as chemical engineering

or applied statistics. He made the decision just over a year ago to apply to West Point.

"I really want to challenge myself to do something different and find my way in a new atmosphere. I do not want to go to college to party like some other kids," said Henry. "I had to start my application process and get everything quickly since I made my decision on such short notice."

When Henry found out he had been accepted to West Point in February of this year, he says it was relieving, and his family showered him in support.

"I think my acceptance to West Point is my greatest accomplishment thus far," Henry said. "I have so much thanks to giving to my parents for being supportive and proud of me. They have always pushed me to be the best that I can be and have challenged me to overcome any obstacles that come my way. It was a happy moment."

As far as his time at the academy goes, Henry wants to be involved in extracurriculars while challenging himself mentally and physically.

"I anticipate that this will be the hardest thing I have ever done," he said. "I am excited about the challenge. I hope to make good friends and play football when I get to the academy. I also cannot wait to graduate and serve my country for five-plus years."

Henry leaves for West Point between June 26-28.

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— Ryan Henry



## AROUND TOWN

## Acton Cemetery hosts memorial day service

**Memorial Day Service** – The Acton Cemetery is planning to hold its annual Memorial Day Service on Monday, May 31, 1 p.m. The program will be held by the Veteran's Memorial at the front of the cemetery on Acton Road. Steve Jeffris will be the Master of Ceremonies and the Boy Scouts will raise a new American Flag. The Indy Metropolitan Military Honor Guard, Inc. will provide their firing of the rifles and taps to conclude the program. Dave Morgan will play a couple of songs on his trumpet. Bring a lawn chair and help honor those who have served and those who paid the ultimate price for our country. In case of rain, the service will be held across the street at the Acton Baptist Church.

## Greenwood band hosts memorial celebration concert

**Celebratory concert** – On Saturday, May 29, Greater Greenwood Community Band will perform a concert titled "Memorial Celebration." After a long pandemic postponement, the group has been rehearsing outdoors and maintaining social distancing while preparing for this physically distanced concert in the Greenwood amphitheater. Conducted by band Director Randy Greenwell, music selections for the concert in the park will be packed with inspirational, fun and patriotic music arrangements including "March America," "The Patriots," "Shimmering Joy," "Washington Post March," "Celebration," "Holiday Road" and more. Get outdoors and enjoy live entertainment in the park again. All groups of guests are asked to follow social distancing guidelines by sitting at least six feet apart on the lawn. Face coverings are suggested, and guests are welcome to bring their own refreshments. Greater Greenwood Community Band is an adult not-for-profit 80+ piece adult ensemble of volunteer instrumentalists. For more information, visit GreenwoodBand.org. Bring friends and family to enjoy an entertaining hour of live music on stage. Donations to help support the band are greatly appreciated, but, as always, admission is free!

## BUSINESS

## Franciscan Health introduces 30-day challenge: Do Good. Feel Good.

**30-day Challenge** – The past year has placed unprecedented stresses on all of us. In fact, the National Health Interview Survey from January revealed that four in ten adults reported symptoms of anxiety or depressive disorder, compared to one in ten prior to the pandemic. And when mental health takes a downturn, physical health can follow, whether it's from lost sleep, poor diet and exercise or neglecting your own health as you do your best to care for your loved ones. But small changes can make a big difference, and with summer approaching, there's no better time to mentally recharge and re-center your frame of mind. That's why Franciscan Health is inviting Individuals and organizations to participate in the Do Good. Feel Good. 30-Day Challenge. It's a free program that begins when you sign up at DoGoodFeelGood.org, or by texting GOOD to 26464. After signing up, the challenge begins June 1, when you'll receive daily emails or SMS messages with inspirational ideas for small shifts that will improve your mind, body and spirit in the coming weeks. The science behind the program comes from the Greater Good Science Center (GGSC) at the University of California, Berkeley, which has been at the fore of a new scientific movement to explore the roots of happy and compassionate individuals, strong social bonds and altruistic behavior. It also derives inspiration from Harvard University professor and author Shawn Achor, whose lecture on positive psychology is included in the challenge. This daily motivation to complete small tasks will help you build new habits. While the challenge is just 30 days, you'll be paving a positive path that you can continue in the months ahead. Daily challenges include activities like writing down what you're grateful for, a reminder to hydrate, or ideas to spread kindness around you. Organizations and employers can incorporate the 30-day challenge into their existing wellness program and even have departments compete to see how many team members complete the challenge. Encouraging colleagues, friends and family to participate is just one way to share your positive changes. You can also celebrate your successes and share inspiration with other community members on social media by posting with the tag #DGFGchallenge. If you have more questions about the Do Good. Feel Good. 30-Day Challenge, email FranciscanCares@franciscanalliance.org. Be sure to put "DGFG" in your subject line.

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# Student of the Year



## Ashley Kremer

GREENWOOD COMMUNITY HIGH SCHOOL



Ashley Kremer is an outstanding young leader who has made a difference at Greenwood High School. Ashley excels academically and admirably balances her academic responsibilities with Student Council, dance and cheer. Whether she is leading students as the Student Council Vice President or practicing in the dance studio, Ashley applies her leadership abilities in whatever she is doing. Miss Kremer is a positive role model at GHS and positively impacts her community. She works diligently each year to reflect to the community the pride and spirit at GHS and continually works to improve her skills as a leader. After graduation, Ashley plans to study nursing at Purdue University.

## Biak Tin. Sung

PERRY MERIDIAN HIGH SCHOOL



Perry Meridian High senior Biak Tin Sung is a history maker. She is PMHS's first female and the first student of Chin descent to receive an appointment to the U.S. Military Academy at West Point. She received nominations to the prestigious school from U.S. Representative Andre Carson and U.S. Senator Mike Braun. With a GPA of 4.37, Sung is also one of PMHS's 2021 Senior Academic Scholars, a distinction that goes to students who earn a 4.2 GPA or higher.

## Elias Khoury

FRANKLIN CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL



Elias has thrived at FCHS and made a positive impact on the school's community by serving as a dynamic Student Ambassador, Student Council Officer, WRFT Radio Station Manager, FCTV News Anchor, Varsity Track and Field Shot Put, Academic Team and National Honor Society. Elias has represented FC at the Indiana Association of Student Council's State Convention as well as leadership workshops for our FTCSC youth called "Rally for Riley" (Hospital). In addition, he serves youth as a part of Access Ministry in Franklin Township. This year, Elias was recognized as a Top 10 Indiana Academic Spell Bowl State Finalist; Indiana Radio and Broadcasting State first place for Sportscast, second place for Radio News Anchor and the 31st Annual NCTE African-American Read-In Outstanding Performer at FCHS---all while earning an overall perfect 4.0 GPA in a rigorous AP course schedule. Elias is the son of Ayman and Lora Khoury, and he is a direct admit to the Indiana University Media School where he will serve as an Ernie Pyle Scholar.

## Scarlett Shell

SAINT FRANCIS AND CLARE CATHOLIC SCHOOL



Scarlett excels in academics and character. She is enthusiastic about learning and is always ready to learn when she enters the classroom. She is engaged in every lesson in every subject area. Scarlett asks questions about the subject matter and participates in class each day. She strives to do better and learn more all the time. Scarlett excels academically. She works very hard at completing her work on time and making sure it is exemplary work. There are many positive and endearing qualities about Scarlett. One is she is compassionate toward everyone at school. When someone is feeling down she will go out of her way to try and cheer them up or be there to support them. Scarlett has sat with students when they cry, has cheered students on in activities and says encouraging words when someone needs to hear them.



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Nativity students worked throughout April to make blankets for donation. (Photo courtesy of Nativity Catholic School.)

## Nativity sends comfort and love to foster care students

**Blanket donations** – For the month of April, Nativity Catholic School fourth graders led a service project of creating soft blankets for children involved in the foster care system. Each class made their own blanket and wrote encouraging notes and cards to go along with them. These blankets will be donated to The Villages, an organization that helps kids through foster, adoption and community services.



From left, Ella McCalip with her work "Mother and Son" and Audrey Rearick with her work "I am the vine." (Submitted photo)

## Roncalli students recognized as 'Right to Life' winners

**Right to Life** – Earlier this May, Roncalli High School had two students recognized for their outstanding work in the art contest by Right to Life of Indianapolis. Roncalli's art teacher Mark Stratton is proud of his art students junior Ella McCalip, who won first place, and junior Audrey Rearick, who won second place, for their artwork in the Right to Life Student Art Competition. They were also presented with awards and checks for \$250 (first place) and \$200 (second place) as well as \$250 to Roncalli for having the first place winner in the competition. McCalip's work will be featured on the cover of the Annual Right to Life of Indianapolis Celebrate Life program book. Stratton said, "I am very proud of Ella and Audrey. They are two very talented young artists that I have enjoyed having in my classes. This is Audrey's third time to place in the competition and Ella's second. It is nice to see great student work continue each year and have Roncalli Visual Arts students recognized."

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## Meghan Mendel named to Provost's List at Capital University

**Provost's List** – Capital University announced that Meghan Mendel of Indianapolis was named to the Provost's List for the spring 2021 semester. To be named to the Provost's List, full-time, degree-seeking students must have achieved a grade point average of 3.70 to 3.849.

## Bob Jones University students named to Dean's List

**Dean's List** – Southside students are among approximately 800 Bob Jones University students named to the Dean's List for the Spring 2021 semester. The Dean's List recognizes students who earn a 3.00-3.74 grade point average during the semester. Jarod Hill, a senior Business Administration major from Indianapolis; Devan Kashi, a senior Business Administration major from Greenwood; Kylie West, a freshman Child Development

major from Indianapolis; and Hannah Yoli, a junior Nursing major from Indianapolis, all achieved this distinction.

## Trine University cheer team places second at UCA College Championships

**Second Place Winners** – Trine University cheerleading traveled to Florida to compete in this year's Universal Cheerleaders Association (UCA) College Cheerleading Nationals in the Open Small Coed division and returned home with an impressive runner-up finish. Alexis Skojac, of Indianapolis, majoring in Civil Engineering at Trine, is part of the team. The event was a two-day process with a preliminary round held on Tuesday, April 27 and finals held on Wednesday, April 28. In the preliminary round, the Thunder joined just two other teams from any division with a hit-zero performance. Trine also finished the finals round hit-zero which means no stunts fell, all tumbling landed cleanly and no one violated the safety rules of the competition. In the preliminary round, the team posted a score of 79.8

good enough to enter the finals in a tie for first, the division was extremely close with the top three teams all posting scores within .4 points of each other. The Thunder would turn in a performance score of 83.1 in the final round making their event score 81.45 just 1.5 points behind the first-place team. Trine was the only institution from the state of Indiana that was able to compete in the championship in-person rather than virtually.

## Allison Utterback participates in UF's Symposium for scholarship and creativity

**Greenwood local awarded** – Allison Utterback, of Greenwood, recently participated in the University of Findlay's 2021 Symposium for Scholarship and Creativity. Utterback received the Greenwood Ehr Award and presented "Shimmery Belle Boutique's Social Media Plan. Undergraduate and graduate students were given the opportunity to virtually share their research, creativity and professional learning experiences with the Univer-

sity and community, with many students receiving honors at the same time. The symposium may be viewed at findlay.edu/offices/academic/scholarship-symposium.

## Brian Carpenter participates in UA's Cooperative Education Program

Indianapolis local – University of Alabama student Brian Carpenter, of Indianapolis, participated in UA's Cooperative Education Program for fall 2020. Carpenter worked for Evonik. In the Cooperative Education Program, students alternate periods of full-time study with periods of full-time employment. This program offers work related to the academic major or career interests of each student. While in school, students carry regular course schedules. While on co-op, they work with professionals in their fields who supervise their training and work. Participants maintain their full-time student status while at work and have priority registration status each semester through graduation.



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## How to keep your pet healthy and parasite free

### DR. JEFF'S MEWSINGS

By Dr. Jeff Ambrous

Spring is here. The weather is getting warmer. Everyone is ready to get outside and have some fun. Spending time with your dog while enjoying the great outdoors can be fun. There are so many choices such as a hike in the woods, a visit to the bark park, or even a walk around the block.

However, there are risks that are associated with these activities. There are various parasitic, viral and bacterial infections that your dog will be exposed to on your travels. On the bright side, there are ways to lower the risk of problems.

You should make sure that your pets are vaccinated. There are several different vaccines that are given routinely. These can vary depending on where you and your pet are going to on your travels. You should talk to your vet about your pet's risk factors.

You should also give your dog a heartworm preventative. Heartworms are fairly common in the area and can be a big problem if your dog becomes infected with them. Since heartworms are spread by mosquito bites, any dog will be at risk in the park, on the sidewalk, or in your own yard.

Fleas and ticks are also a common problem in central Indiana. These pests can not only cause problems directly from their bites, but they can also spread other diseases and worms.

It is important to have fun this summer, but also be safe and prevent disease. If you have any questions about your pet's needs, you should talk to your veterinarian.



Dr. Jeff Ambrous practices at South 31 Veterinary Clinic and can be reached at (317) 788-0893.

### FIND A FURRY FRIEND



#### ■ DUTCH

Meet Dutch! Dutch is a 5-year-old Dutch Shepard mix who is looking to be fostered or taken to his forever home. He gets along best with adults and is often dog-selective but tends to play well with larger female dogs. He is crate and potty trained and eager to please. Dutch would do best in a home with an experienced owner as he needs to be mentally and physically stimulated to thrive. He also will need a home with a fence or will need to be leash walked. He enjoys going for jogs as he is treadmill trained. He is overall a big baby who is looking to melt in a new owner's arms.



#### ■ EMERALD

Meet Emerald! Emerald is a 6-year-old hound mix that gets along with both cats and dogs. She does best with children who are 16 and older. She loves riding in the car, playing with toys, sleeping and eating. She is the perfect combination of independent and affectionate. Emerald was diagnosed with Pemphigus Foliaceous, and she takes a pill every other day to manage this skin condition. The pill is inexpensive and should not deter anyone from giving this sweet girl a forever home.

These pets are available for adoption through Tails and Trails Rescue. Families interested in meeting them can email apps to @tailsandtrails.org. Apply at tailsandtrails.org.

Interested in meeting more adoptable pets? Tails and Trails will have merchandise, dogs crates and adoptable dogs at a meet and greet this Saturday, May 22 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. at Wilson Ridge, 1515 W CR N, Roachdale.



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## PHOTO of the WEEK



Manual High School held a classic car show on May 15. According to event coordinator Penney Bray, 175 cars were registered. It's the second annual car show at Manual High School. They are raising money to benefit St. Jude Children's Hospital. Pictured is a 1931 Ford Model A. (Submitted photo)

## HUMOR



### Top Ten signs your kid's "imaginary friend" has become a problem

By Torry Stiles

10. Apparently, the purple giraffe-fish is a law expert who knows you can't legally make him like asparagus.
9. Sometimes, you're pretty sure you can hear him, too.
8. Just when you thought you had solved the problem of cookies in bed, the imaginary friend discovers a taste for left-over spaghetti.
7. The imaginary friend has parents who don't require one to not paint the dog.
6. Guess who's turn it was to take a bath?
5. Single parent, one child. No idea how a whole box of crayons made it into the dryer.
4. Mister Boo-boo has racked up \$780 in Amazon purchases just this week.
3. Your kid is 27, living at home and demanding the imaginary friend should be paying half his rent.
2. The latest sibling battle is over a stolen imaginary friend.
1. You're handed a note requiring your attendance with his imaginary probation officer.

## QUOTE OF THE WEEK

*"The way I see it,  
if you want the  
rainbow, you gotta  
put up with the rain."*

– Dolly Parton,  
AMERICAN SINGER-SONGWRITER

## CARTOON



## BELIEVE IT!

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

In California, it is illegal to set a mousetrap without a hunting license.

Source: [stupidlaws.com](http://stupidlaws.com)





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**ACROSS**

1. Provides workers
5. Fuzzy Zoeller's org.
8. Indianapolis Bridge Center declaration
13. Fan's favorite
14. Indiana House member Vermilion
15. Greet silently
16. 38-Across menu item
19. Old AT&T rival
20. WRTV free ad
21. Uno, \_\_\_, tres
22. Nut type
24. Tax letters
25. How some homes are built
27. Enjoy a cigar
29. Wear the crown
31. "Sorta" suffix
32. Added to the payroll
33. Volcanic flow
34. Do the Mini-Marathon
36. Wander Indiana
38. Indy restaurant
44. Craig Park Trail, e.g.
45. RSA ruling party
46. Speak unclearly
47. Downtown Indy waterway
50. Mess up
52. Dine at home
53. Dryly amusing
54. Yield
57. UFO crew
58. Droop
59. Copacabana setting
60. Locale of the other Marian University: Fond du \_\_\_, Wis.
61. Lab animal
62. 38-Across menu item
67. "Ten \_\_\_ a-leaping..."
68. CPR pro
69. County Line Ace Hardware purchase
70. Internet connection?
71. Evansville-to-Indy dir.
72. Apple center

**DOWN**

1. Abuse
2. Sticky stuff
3. Neither mate
4. Comfy shoe
5. Half of a '60s quartet
6. Meridian Parke Shopping Center vitamin chain
7. Battery ends
8. Salty Siren Tattoo supplies

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9. Bob Evans coffee holder
  10. Toothpaste tube inits.
  11. Mariner
  12. Meridian Hills' \_\_\_ Catholic Church
  17. IPS option
  18. Ex-WTHR anchor Tom
  19. Central Elementary School restroom door sign
  23. HS equivalency exam
  26. Mucky Duck Pub serving
  27. Bygone royal
  28. Brunch beverage

30. Rhyming friend
  34. Go bad
  35. Welcome, like the new year
  37. Thunder on a Pacers scoreboard
  39. Circle Centre, e.g.
  40. \_\_\_ Grey tea
  41. Kind of motive
  42. Appropriate
  43. Young's accounting partner
  47. DJ's stack
  48. Fit for farming

49. Useless
  51. Get back to business after COVID-19 restrictions
  52. "Blah, blah, blah"
  55. Upper class
  56. '60s war zone
  59. Ascent
  63. Gun grp.
  64. Indy summer hrs.
  65. LBJ successor
  66. Eeyore's buddy

Answers See page 14

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# NIGHT & DAY

## LOCAL ENTERTAINMENT ENTERTAINING

### CALENDAR OF EVENTS

#### BEECH GROVE

**Beech Grove High School Alumni Golf Tournament** • This Florida Scramble is open to all alumni, family and friends. Team and individual entries welcome. Cost: \$50 per golfer - includes green fees, cart, lunch, soft drinks and prizes. Deadline for entries and sponsorships is June 4. | When: June 11, 7 a.m. registration, 8 a.m. tee time. | Where: Sarah Shank Golf Course, 2901 S. Keystone Ave, Indianapolis. | Info: For entries, prize donations or hole sponsorships (\$100), email Bob Thomas, b.thomas73pu@yahoo.com or call him at (317) 752-8970. Checks payable to BGHSAA and mailed to Bob Thomas: 4652 Fox Moor Place, Greenwood, IN 46143.

**SINGO Music Bingo** • Join Challenge Entertainment for SINGO "Music Bingo" at Mikie's Pub & Grub. SINGO is free to play and you'll have an opportunity to win up to \$70 in house cash with six opportunities to win. | When: May 21, 7-9 p.m. | Where: Mikie's Pub and Grub, 5135 S. Emerson Ave, Indianapolis. | Info: (317) 755-3142

#### FRANKLIN TOWNSHIP

**Sisters Night** • Sisters Night is an event for women in all seasons of life. This will be a memorable night of fun, food, fellowship and biblical encouragement. You won't want to miss dinner, an encouraging message, activities, dessert, volleyball and axe throwing. Admission is \$20 per person and includes admission, food and activities. | When: May 21, 6-11 p.m. | Where: Indianapolis Baptist Temple, 4002 E Southport Road, Indianapolis. | Info: (317) 783-6753

**Super Summer Karate Camp** • Level 10 Martial Arts has been providing summer camp options for several years. Each theme will be represented in crafts and games. There will also be a weekly field trip. Field trips have included Expo Bowl, Indianapolis Museum of Art, Conner Prairie, Wonderlab, Indianapolis Symphony Orchestra and more. Campers will also participate in a martial arts class each day from Monday through Thursday. There are virtual and in-person camp options. The theme of the first week will be bugs and insects and will feature a field trip to Southeastway Park. | When: June 1-4, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. | Where: Level 10 Martial Arts College, 5135 S. Emerson Avenue Suite B Indianapolis. | Info: cparker@level10martialarts.com.

#### GARFIELD PARK

**Little Green Thumbs** • Young ones ages 2 to 5 will learn about gardening and have the chance to help plant, grow and harvest in our vegetable

garden. There will also be a story, craft and time to explore. Registration required. Cost: \$5 per child. | When: May 20, 6 - 7 p.m. | Where: Garfield Park Conservatory, 2505 Conservatory Drive, Indianapolis. | Info: garfieldgardensconservatory.org.

**Gardening Rocks!** • Help establish the rock garden in Blake's Garden. Paint a rock to take home and one to stay in the garden. All supplies will be provided. Pre-registration required. Cost: \$5 per person. | When: May 20, 6 - 7 p.m. | Where: Garfield Park Conservatory, 2505 Conservatory Drive, Indianapolis. | Info: garfieldgardensconservatory.org.

**Biergarten** • Visitors can listen to live music, participate in themed activities, purchase artwork from local artists, and meet community partners. Event admission is free, however pre-registration is required in order to keep in accordance with capacity limits. | When: May 20, 5:30 - 8:30 p.m. | Where: Garfield Park Conservatory, 2505 Conservatory Dr., Indianapolis. | Info: garfieldgardensconservatory.org.

**Vintage Movie Night: Creature from the Black Lagoon (1954)** • Vintage Movie Night is a monthly series that features film historian Eric Grayson as he presents a series of unique and rare vintage film titles. | When: May 20, 9 p.m. | Where: Outdoors at the Corporate Shelter next to the Garfield Park Arts Center, 2432 Conservatory Dr, Indianapolis. | Info: gpacarts.org.

#### GREENWOOD

**Front Porch Music Series: White River Rambler** • Celebrate the new outdoor patio with guitar riffs and hop whiffs. Kicking off the Front Porch Music Series is local classic country band, White River Rambler. White River Rambler is a homegrown band from all parts of Indiana with an original sound that harkens back to country legends Willie, Waylon, Johnny, and Merle. | When: May 21, 6:30 - 9 p.m. | Where: MashCraft Greenwood, 1140 N. State Road 135, Greenwood. | Info: mashcraft.com.

**Banding Together: The Healing Power of Music** • The Greater Greenwood Community Band will host this concert. | When: May 29, 5 p.m. | Where: Surina Park Amphitheater, 300 S. Washington St., Greenwood. | Info: greenwoodband.org/events.

### AN OPTION

#### Murphy's Pubhouse at Thompson Road

Murphy's Pubhouse has been local to the Southside area for almost eight years. The family-friendly pub is well known for family dining in Indianapolis. It is family owned and operated.

The pub is owned by Kelly Stonebraker, who is proud of the reputation the restaurant has for their fast and friendly service.

"Our restaurant serves home-made food made from scratch and offers great service," Stonebraker said. "Our goal is to feed the Southside and meet new guests as often as possible."

The pub is known for its breaded tenderloin, but the menu features several options such as appetizers, sandwiches, soups, seafood, pizzas and more.

"Our customers put our Hoosier Pork Tenderloin Sandwich up against any restaurant in Indianapolis," Stonebraker explains on the restaurant's website.

Many of the restaurant's customers are regulars



The breaded tenderloin with fries is a customer favorite at Murphy's Pubhouse. (Photo courtesy of Murphy's Pubhouse)

who come from the Keystone location. The pub is excited to see new Southside customers each day as their location continues to grow.

The restaurant is open from 11 a.m. to 9 p.m. Tuesday-Thursday, 11 a.m. to 10 p.m. on Friday and Saturday and closed on Sunday and Monday. They are open for dine-in and curbside pickup services.

For more information and to see the full menu for Murphy's Pubhouse, visit [murphyspubhousesouth.com](http://murphyspubhousesouth.com).

**LOCATION:**  
6120 Thompson Rd F, Indianapolis

### SPOTLIGHT



(Photo courtesy of Southside Art League)

#### Southside Art League's June 2021 featured artist – Amy Townsend

**About the artist** - Amy Michelle Townsend is a transgender artist who is very new to art, having devoted most of her creative life to music. Art has now taken her life over, and pastels are her principal medium. For most of 2020 she drew and painted in a quite realistic style. She began to get requests from friends to produce colored pencil and pastel portraits and also began working on larger pieces. She felt the urge to break free into abstraction and since January 2021, she paints entirely from her imagination in pure improvised color and has no thoughts of returning to realism. Townsend has been chosen by the Southside Art League as their June 2021 featured artist. A presentation of her pastel paintings will be for sale and for viewing at the SALI gallery from June 2-26, 2021. The gallery is open Wednesday-Saturday from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. An opening reception will take place on June 5 from 3-6 p.m. at the SALI gallery, 299 E Broadway St., Greenwood. This will be Townsends first solo show. For more information, contact Amy Townsend at (812) 340-2189 or [jones.amy3371@yahoo.com](mailto:jones.amy3371@yahoo.com) or the SALI gallery at (317) 882-5562.



★★★★★ • Not Rated • Biography / Drama • 1 hour, 36 minutes

## Hunger

A stark, probing rumination on violence and humanity

### MOVIE REVIEW

By Bradley Lane

British director Steve McQueen has garnered nothing but praise since his work made a splash in the mainstream U.S. with "12 Years a Slave." Known for his probing dissections of humanity involved with injustice, his continuation of this theme can be seen in his award-winning Amazon Prime mini-series, "Small Axe." But before "Small Axe" and "12 Years a Slave," McQueen would point his lens toward his home country and their brutal treatment of Irish Republican prisoners during the Troubles in 1980s England.

Set in 1981, "Hunger" is, in the most basic terms, the story of IRA leader Bobby Sands hunger strike to grant IRA prisoners political status by British law. However, while the bulk of the storyline focuses on contemplating the efficacy of this action, McQueen pays special attention to the suffering and brutality caused by other people on a personal level. He shows you the humanity of guards, only to violently strip it away when they beat, sexually violate and humiliate other humans in the most inhuman of

ways.

As you can probably tell, "Hunger" is an intense film. It deals explicitly with the torture of IRA prisoners and the asymmetric warfare engaged in by the IRA outside of prison. Famously the IRA used targeted killings, car bombs and other terrorist attacks to fight against British oppression. It asks you to consider the brutality of the guards oppressing the prisoners and the unorthodox violence caused in the name of Irish independence. The movie invites you into the humanity hidden within both sides of the conflict.

Frequently throughout the film, the disembodied voice of past British Prime Minister Margaret Thatcher gives speeches about the violence and savagery of the IRA. In prison, the prisoners talk about the IRA as a system working towards a goal. The point of the film is found within the subtext of these two key inclusions. By highlighting the details of the people involved in the conflict and only hinting at the political turmoil, McQueen demonstrates that humans set against one another would never dream of such heinous violence without the power structures that employ them pushing them against one another.

A key distinction, however, is that McQueen picks a side to tell the story. The perspective is a distinctly Irish point of view. Signaling that one side is fighting against systematic oppression, while the other works for the structures that oppress their fellow humans. These competing themes culminate in one of the most tragic and powerful final acts I have ever seen, leaving you only with tragedy and ethical questions to answer for yourself.

The highest recommendation I can give "Hunger" is that I am sure you will walk away with different answers to the questions posed by the film than I had. It is dense with philosophical and moral dilemmas that will be determined by your own experiences and beliefs. It is my favorite type of film, one that challenges you to think long after the credits have rolled. "Hunger" is available to watch on HBO Max as a part of Turner Classic Movies' film festival event.



Bradley is a Beech Grove High School alumnus and has been enamored by film for as long as he can remember. He recently graduated from IUPUI, with a degree in Media and Public Affairs with a minor in Film. Bradley can be contacted at blane2214@gmail.com.

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### INDIANAPOLIS

**Teddy Bear Concert** • Musicians of the Indianapolis Symphony Orchestra present the Teddy Bear Series program, The Garden Symphony! Young children are invited to move along to music as they listen to the story of a ladybug's search through the garden for her own special song. Designed for ages 3 to 6. | When: May 21, 10 - 11 a.m. | Where: Online hosted by the Indianapolis Public Library. | Info: indypl.org.

### JOHNSON COUNTY

**Festival Country Kickoff** • This event takes place in downtown Franklin and marks the official start of festival season. Guests can enjoy a beer garden, food vendors and a concert from My Yellow Rickshaw. | When: May 21, 5-10 p.m. | Where: Downtown Franklin, 66 S. Water St., Franklin. | Info: (317) 736-3689

**2021 Picnic Concert Series Kick-off** • Join for an evening of music and wine on the lawn. Food trucks will also be lined up outside the tasting room. My Yellow Rickshaw will perform. Free admission. | When: May 29, 6 - 9 p.m. | Where: The

Sycamore at Mallow Run, 7070 W. Whiteland Rd., Bargersville. | Info: mallowrun.com.

### PERRY TOWNSHIP

**Southern Dunes Golf Classic** • The Southern Dune Golf Course will be holding their first annual golf classic. There will be complimentary range balls, dinner, awards and raffle prizes. Awards will be given to the teams who place first, second and third, and also to the person who is closest to pin, had the longest drive and who had the longest putt. | When: May 21, registration begins at 11:30 a.m. and the shotgun starts at 1 p.m. | Where: Southern Dunes Golf Course, 8220 Tibbs Ave., Indianapolis | Info: soindianmcs.org.

**Historical Society Meeting** • The Perry Township / Southport Historical Society is resuming meetings. The guest speaker will be Wendy Barth-Servies. She and her mother, Diane Hunt Barth, are the only mother / daughter 500 Festival Queens in the history of the festival. The meeting is free and open to the public. As of this writing, Marion County still requires the wearing of masks and social distancing for indoor meetings. | When: May 25, 7 p.m. | Where: Southport Community Building, 6901 Derbyshire Road. | Info: (317) 787-5157

**Character Extravaganza** • Join for pop-in visits from popular children's cartoon characters, glow skate. Tickets include admission, one skate rental, all you can eat pizza and more. | When: May 28, 5:30 - 7:30 p.m.; May 29, 12 - 7 p.m.; May 30, 12 - 9 p.m. | Where: Fun Factory, 175 Southern Plaza Drive, Indianapolis. | Info: funfactoryskating.com.

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## A lightning round of linguistic limbo

## GRAMMAR GUY

**By Curtis Honeycutt**

The English language is nutty. It can be understood through tough thorough thought, though. I wanted to find a way to add the word “trough” to the last sentence, but I feared being thrown out through-out the touted trout throat. See? I knew it wouldn’t work.

Yes, English is wild. That's why I want to help clear up a few syntactical slip-ups we make from time to time. After all, mastery of the English language will make you irresistible to attractive people and cause rich people to hand you heavy, velvet-lined sacks filled with gold bars.

Let's start with "kook" and "coot." As a grammar columnist, I've been bestowed with both monikers from avid readers. But beware: these words aren't the same. In general usage, a "kook" is an unrestrained eccentric person. In surfing terminology,

a “kook” is a poser who has no idea what he’s doing and shouldn’t even be allowed on the beach. A “coot,” on the other hand, is a foolish person and usually an older foolish person. A “coot” is also a type of dark gray aquatic bird.

When I think of a “kook,” I think of a free-spirited eccentric person, while I consider a “coot” an elderly eccentric person. See the difference?

Now I want to tackle “gamut” and “gambit.” A “gamut” is a complete range of musical notes, or, more broadly, the entire range or scope of something. Someone who “runs the gamut” experiences the entire range of whatever they’re experiencing (e.g., emotions). In general, a “gambit” is a calculated move. The term comes from chess for making a deliberately risky opening move intended to give a player a strategic advantage.

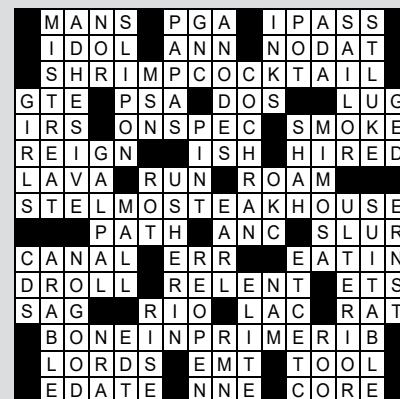
How do you know if something is “hardy” or “hearty”? If you’re involved in a fictional mystery being solved by a pair of brothers, you’re in a “Hardy Boys” book. If you’re

looking for a plant that is difficult to kill, you want a “hardy” plant. “Hardy” means tough and capable of enduring hardship. If I want a warm meal that will satisfy my hunger, I might opt for a “hearty” soup. Something is “hearty” if it is flavorful and satisfying. “Hearty” is also when someone gives enthusiastic support to a person or endeavor.

Call me an old coot, but sometimes I need a hearty dose of lexical lessons: so I don't look like a kook in front of my acquaintances at an organic wine tasting. So, there you have it. What words do you find confusing? Send me your thoughts, and I'll do my best to decode our daft dialect through deft, didactic tactics.



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## Puzzle Time Answers

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**Answers to HOOSIER HODGEPODGE:**

**Birds:** BLUE JAY, FINCH, FLAMINGO,  
MACAW, PEACOCK, TOUCAN

**Films:** ELECTION, LEGALLY BLONDE, MUD, WALK THE LINE, WILD

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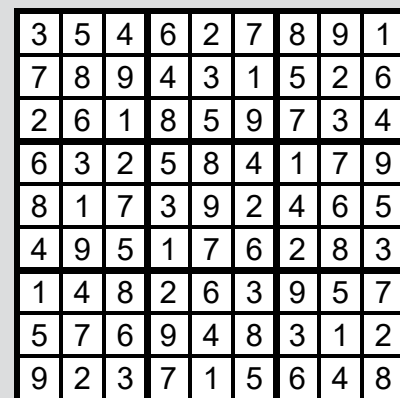
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## Teachers, healthcare professionals, first responders and military can save on real estate transactions

### REAL ESTATE

By Dawn Whalen, Whalen Realty Group

For sellers and those wishing to refinance, the current housing market is fantastic. For buyers, the market can be a little trickier. The process can be expensive when investing, such as buying, selling or refinancing a home. For teachers, healthcare workers, first responders and military personnel, there are a few options to save money.

### Homes For Heroes

Homes For Heroes is a nationwide program that started in 2002 and has helped more than 44,500 heroes save more than \$77,000,000. To qualify as a hero, the buyer or seller must work in one of the following fields: teaching, as a first responder (firefighters, police, EMS), healthcare (nurses, nurse practitioners, physicians, etc.), or be in the military (active, reserve and veterans). On average, a hero can save \$1,500 on their real estate transaction through the program's affiliated real estate and mort-

gage companies locally and across the country. When working with Homes for Heroes specialists, heroes receive significant savings when they buy, sell or refinance a home. As affiliates to the program, these businesses agreed to give a discount to heroes through the program through lowered closing costs, agent fees, inspection fees and other real-estate-related fees. To find a local representative, visit [HomesForHeroes.com](http://HomesForHeroes.com) or [WhalensHeroes.com](http://WhalensHeroes.com) and complete the registration form to be contacted by a local, affiliated agent.

### Educator Mortgage Program

This program is specifically for people employed in the education field, such as teachers, coaches, receptionists, professors, janitorial staff, etc. This program can educators save up to \$800 in closing costs and lowered real estate fees. Additionally, the program will donate up to \$200 to the educator's preferred school program. This program is for people looking to save on buying, selling or refinancing a home. For more information visit, [educatormortgage.com](http://educatormortgage.com).

### Heroes Home Advantage

Tailored toward military personnel, first responders and teachers, this program is also for those looking to buy, sell or refinance a home. Similar to the other programs, there is a network of affiliated realtors, lenders and other related businesses that agreed to give a discount or rebate to military personnel throughout their real estate transaction. Check out [HeroesHomeAdvantage.com](http://HeroesHomeAdvantage.com) for more information.

Being a hero is a difficult job, and these programs reward heroes for their sacrifices, time, patience and everything they do to support the local community. The real estate market is expensive, and there are programs out there to help these leaders save money.



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### Southside homes continue to sell faster than in 2020

**Real estate** - Residential real estate markets in Greenwood and Southport were fast moving in April. According to F.C. Tucker Company, Southport homes sold in just eight days, or 65.2 percent faster than this time last year. Greenwood homes sold in 11 days, or 54.2 percent faster. The average sale price of a Greenwood home increased 25.1 percent to \$237,225, and the average price of a Southport home increased 9.6 percent to \$195,127, compared to April 2020.

### Franciscan Health's Social Impact Program to serve at-risk populations

**Applications accepted** - Franciscan Health received funds to support healthcare-related programs for non-profit, health and human service organizations in at-risk communities. These funds will be allocated through Franciscan's Social Impact Partnership Program (SIPP). SIPP funding applications will be accepted until June 11, 2021. Partner agencies will be announced July 29. Organizations may apply for up to \$10,000 in monetary support and in-kind donations. These include people that have endured systemic racism, refugees and immigrants, chronically low resources, at-risk youth, and others impacted by poor social supports. Priority health needs, as defined by Franciscan Health's Needs assessment include: 1) access to healthcare; 2) food insecurity; 3) house stability; 4) social bridging; 5) mental health; and 6) substance abuse. Organizations may complete an application located at [franciscanhealth.org/communityhealth](http://franciscanhealth.org/communityhealth).

### Community Health Network uses new podcast to address issue of gun violence

**Mental health** - Community Health Network is using its new podcast to address the issue of gun violence and its toll on public health. The discussion comes as Indianapolis witnessed three mass shootings in 2021, the most recent at a FedEx Ground distribution facility. The latest episode takes a look at the impact that gun violence has on public health, especially a community's overall mental health. Focusing on the impact of trauma and victimization, guests Shonna Majors, the city's first director of Community Violence and Reduction and Chloe Moushey, Community's program manager of Crisis and Psychiatric Consult and Liaison Teams, take a look at the problem and solutions. Community launched its new podcast, Tell Us Where It Hurts, last month with weekly episodes that explore health, well-being and the people around Indiana offering a helping hand. This is the sixth episode. Listen at [tell-us-where-it-hurts.simplecast.com/episodes/gun-violence](http://tell-us-where-it-hurts.simplecast.com/episodes/gun-violence).



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### Anew Hospice needs volunteers

**Volunteers needed** - Anew Hospice is currently recruiting additional volunteers to visit patients both in facilities and their homes. As the hospice grows Anew is asking for assistance as the need for additional volunteers is growing. Hospice patients need caring volunteers to listen as they reminisce, hold their hand, provide comfort and companionship, read scripture, poetry or their favorite book, write a letter to a loved one, share their favorite music, be a new friend, etc. Anew Hospice would love to hear from you to discuss volunteer opportunities. Call (317) 300-2292 or email [GlendaDennison@AnewCare.com](mailto:GlendaDennison@AnewCare.com) for further information.

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## James Elbert "Jim" Adams

James Elbert "Jim" Adams, 73, of Indianapolis, died on May 10, 2021. He was born June 15, 1947 in Whitesburg, Kentucky to the late Dorothy Juanita (Niece) Adams and Cossie Adams. He retired from Beech Grove Schools in 2017 where he spent most of his time as custodian at Central. Jim was a jack of all trades and was always helping others with their projects. He loved spending time with his wife and family at their camp at Deer Creek Campground in North Vernon. Jim is survived by his wife, Dee Adams; children, LeAnn Gibbs (Shane), James Lawson (Tania), Juanita Deennard and Stephanie Adams Miller (Edward); siblings, Eddie Adams, Debbie Colvin, Ricky Adams, and Lisa Pray; and 11 grandchildren including, Zachry Gibbs, Zoey Gibbs, and JJ Lawson. Jim was preceded in death by his parents and brothers, Gary Adams, Woodrow Wilson Adams and Johnny Adams. A memorial visitation for James was held on May 14 at Little & Sons Funeral Home, 1301 Main St., Beech Grove. It was followed by a memorial service.

## L. Louise Allen

L. Louise Allen died on May 10, 2021. She was born on August 31, 1925 in Ruby, South Carolina to Nathaniel and Lena Ratliff. Louise lost her mom when she was 17, so after high school graduation she moved to Columbia, SC to get a job. She marries Clifford "Bud" Allen on February 4, 1944. Bud served in WW2 and while he was overseas Louise went to work for State Auto in downtown Indianapolis where she was employed for six and a half years. In January of 1950, they moved into their forever home in Garfield Park. Bud and Louise had two children, Clifford Jr. "Buddy" and Bonnie Louise. Louise and Bud enjoyed many years of card club, church fellowship, trips in their camper and riding their

motorcycles. Even after Bud's death in 1991, Louise was devoted to her children and grandchildren. Louise was a member of Pleasant Run UCC for over 50 years. She is survived by her children, Clifford (Lek) Allen and Bonnie (Mark) Stansbury; grandchildren and great-grandchildren. Visitation was held on May 16 at G. H. Herrmann Madison Ave. Funeral Home; 5141 Madison Ave. Funeral services were held on May 17 at the funeral home. She will be laid to rest at Washington Park East Cemetery.

## David Joseph Bright

David Joseph Bright, 73, of Indianapolis, died on April 16, 2021. He was born on June 18, 1947 in Indianapolis to the late Thomas Edward Bright and Helen Mae (VanCamp) Bright. David proudly served his country in the United States Army. He enjoyed playing tennis with his nieces and nephews. David is survived by his brother, Ronald "Ron" (Doris) Bright; nieces, Katrina (James) Von Plueren, Angie (Avery) Turner and Patty Johnson; nephews, Bob (Kari) Carmichael, Will (Becky) Carmichael, Jason Bright and Todd Bright; and sister-in-law, Sue Bright. He was preceded in death by his parents, Thomas and Helen Bright; sister and brother in law, Susan Kay (Bob) Carmichael; and brother, Dann Bright. Visitation was held on May 15 at G. H. Herrmann Madison Ave. Funeral Home, 5141 Madison Ave., Indianapolis. A graveside service took place at Oaklawn Memorial Gardens Cemetery, 9700 Allisonville Road, Indianapolis.

## Betty Jo Ciriello



Betty Jo Ciriello, 90, of Indianapolis, died on May 14, 2021. Betty was born to the late William and Agnes Baker on July 23, 1930 in Indianapolis. Betty was active in the Ciriello family business, Ciriello Plumbing, where she spent many years as an Office Administrator. She assisted at Nostalgia Motors as well. She was active with the Beech Grove Promoters Club and the Indiana Pony Exhibits Association. In addition, she enjoyed being a 4-H leader. Betty is survived by her husband, William J. Ciriello Sr.; children, William J. (Rose) Ciriello, John (LaRai) Ciriello, Tony Ciriello, Maria (John) Bazan and Chuck Ciriello; grandchildren, Laura (Jake) Bendict, Sara Ciriello, Malinda Fromer, Diann (Jason) Marsh, Alyssa (J.R.) Cates, Brandi

(Jackson) Wagner and Chloe Ciriello; great-grandchildren, Riley, Karsen, Trey, Brody, Kendall, Kyle, Kaleb, Makenna, Zach, Paige and Kimmie; and great-great grandchildren, Kylie, Kora, Grayson and Sawyer. Betty was preceded in death by daughter, Maryann; grandson, Cameron; and five siblings. Visitation was at Little and Sons Beech Grove Chapel on May 18. Funeral Services followed. Entombment will be at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens in Greenwood.

## Marian "Moe" Dean

Marian "Moe" Dean, 89, of Greenwood, died on May 5, 2021. She was born in Ferndale, Michigan on May 21, 1931 to the late Roderick and Anne Grace (Cooper) Thomson. She graduated from University of Michigan - Ann Arbor as an Occupational Therapist. Her work centered around assisting children and adults with disabilities. She retired as the Executive Director of Northeast Leaning Center in St. Paul, Minnesota. Moe married her husband, Joseph Dean in 1956 and they were together until his passing in 2009. They moved to Greenwood with their children in 2005. She enjoyed knitting, sewing, quilting and cooking. Moe is survived by her children, Jay (Shelley), Ellen (Carl) and Rich (Amy); grandchildren, Danielle (Rod), Savannah, Sierra and Aidan; one great-grandchild and three great-great grandchildren; sister-in-law, Sherry; and nephews and niece. In addition to her parents and husband, Moe was preceded in death by her brother, Arthur; and sister, Eleanor. Services will be held on Friday, May 21 at Mt Auburn UMC, 3100 W. Stones Crossing Road, Greenwood from 4-6 p.m. A celebration of her life will follow.

## Patricia "Pat" Joan Everman



Patricia "Pat" Joan Everman, 82, died on May 13, 2021. She was born on August 10, 1938 to Pierce T. and Mary J. Brady in Indianapolis. As a child, Pat attended Holy Name Catholic School and was a 1956 graduate of Beech Grove High School. She married Robert Everman on July 28, 1959. Pat worked at Deluxe Check Printers as a proofreader, but most of her days were spent as a homemaker. She loved to decorate, crochet, shop and work in the yard. She was preceded in death by her husband, parents, infant sister, Judith; and her brother, William Brady. Pat is survived by her children, Cindy (Tom) Brown, Forrest (Dawn) Tucker, Jeff Everman and Cheryl Everman. She also leaves behind nine grandchildren, 16 great-grandchildren and one on the way, brother, David (Cat) Brady; sister-in-law, Linda Brady; and numerous nieces, nephews and cousins.

Visitation was held at Little and Sons Beech Grove Chapel on May 19. Funeral Mass will take place on May 20 at Holy Name Catholic Church in Beech Grove. Entombment will be at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens in Greenwood.

## Marilyn Sue Farris

Marilyn Sue Farris, 72, of Indianapolis, died on May 13, 2021. She was born on February 4, 1949 in Indianapolis to the late Joseph and Mildred Sue Bryant. Marilyn enjoyed shopping, word search puzzles, crime shows, baking cakes and spending time with family and friends. She was also an avid animal lover with a soft spot for her dogs - Cuddles, Reggie and Jax. Marilyn is survived by her children, Tammy (Kevin) Black, JR Farris, Brian "Buzzard" (Deanna) Farris and Penny Tumey (Gary); grandchildren, Justin McHenry, Dallas Willis, Corinne Davison, Jonathan Farris, Caitlyn Ryan, Austin Black, Michael Black, PJ Umphrey, Tommy Tumey, Ryan Tumey and Eric Tumey; and great-grandchildren, Antonio, Mia Isabella, Landon, Kayelyn, Caidense, Kaylee, Connor, Bailey-Leilani, Brayton, Elijah Gabrielle, Iris, Brenna, Ethan, Kaiden and Lillian. She was preceded in death by her husband, James Farris; daughter, Teresa Rains; and grandson, Joseph Alan Tumey. Visitation was held on May 19 at G. H. Herrmann Madison Ave. Funeral Home, 5141 Madison Ave., Indianapolis. Funeral services will be conducted at 11:30 a.m. on Thursday, May 20 at the funeral home, with visitation from 10:30 a.m. until the time of the service. She will be laid to rest at Concordia Cemetery.

## Donald D. Kidwell

Donald D. Kidwell, 82, of Indianapolis, died on May 11, 2021. He was born on May 1, 1939 in Indianapolis to the late Donald and Kathryn Kidwell. Donald was in the first graduating class of Scecina Memorial High School in Indianapolis, in 1957. Donald retired after 35 years from General Motors. He was a member of Nativity Catholic Church for over 50 years and was a fourth degree Member of the Knights of Columbus. He was a charter member of Miramar Swim Club. He married Jeanne Wierman on August 8, 1959. In addition to his wife, survivors include his sons, Kevin (Stephanie) Kidwell and Steven (Angela) Kidwell; daughter, Lisa D. Kidwell; grandchildren, Matthew (Kara) Kidwell, Heather Kidwell, Seth Kidwell and Ethan Kidwell; great-grandchildren, Parker, Brecken, Hunter and Archer Kidwell; sister, Kathleen Jones; and many nieces and nephews. Along with his parents, he was preceded in death by his sister, Patricia McCracken; and brothers, Daniel B. Kidwell and Kevin Michael Kidwell. Visitation

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was held May 16 at O'Riley Funeral Home, 6107 S. East St. Indianapolis. A Mass of Christian Burial was held May 17 in Nativity Catholic Church. Burial will be at Calvary Cemetery.

## Judith Ann Lowe



Judith Ann Lowe, 82, of Indianapolis, died on May 11, 2021. She was born November 20, 1938 in Indianapolis to the late Ruth (Olin) Winters and Denton Winters. Judith was a member of Our Lady of Greenwood Catholic Church. She made over 500 ear savers for the staff at Rosegate during the pandemic. Judith is survived by children, Meryle Lowe, Eric Lowe (Rosalie), Gretchen Myers and Heidi Frederick (Jeffrey); siblings, Marlene McQueen, Edwin Winters, David Winters, Karen Gulley and Richard Winters; grandchildren, Nicole Blunk, Rebecca Mayo, Brice Blunk, Dylan Johnson, Alexander Lowe, Natalie Stierwalt, Griffin Lowe, Garrett Lowe, Hunter Lowe, Rachel Slovin, Ruth Myers, Samuel Myers, Hannah Cincebox, Ian Towne and Lillian Towne; and many great-grandchildren and extended family members. She was preceded in death by her parents, children, Patricia Gail Johnson and Douglas Lowe; siblings, Denton Winters and Sharon Tomey; and grandchild, Jacob Myers. Visitation was held May 15 at Little & Sons Funeral Home, 4901 E Stop Eleven Road, Indianapolis. Her funeral service followed at the funeral home, with burial at Wanamaker Cemetery.

## Carolyn R. Lyell

Carolyn R. Lyell, 84, of Greenwood, died on May 13, 2021. She was born on July 3, 1936 in Indianapolis to the late Alphonse L. and Delma M. (Werner) Wendling. Carolyn had a contagious smile, and an exceptional ability to tell stories that turned many strangers into friends over the years. She was an avid golfer and devout Catholic. Over the last 40 years, she divided her time between Greenwood and New Smyrna Beach playing golf and entertaining friends. Carolyn is survived by two nieces and four nephews. She was preceded in death by her husband, Douglas E. Lyell. Visitation will be held on Friday, May 21, from 10 a.m. until the time of service at 11 a.m. at G. H. Herrmann Madison Ave. Funeral Home, 5141 Madison Ave., Indianapolis. Carolyn will be laid to rest in Calvary Cemetery.

## Lois Ann Mappes

Lois Ann Mappes, 84, of Indianapolis, died on May 12, 2021. She was born on April 24, 1937 in Indianapolis to the late Joseph Smith and Audrey (Ward) Smith. She was a homemaker and charter member of St. Roch Catholic Church. Lois is survived by her daughters, Debbie (Steve) Watkins, Sharon (John) Swhear and Dianne (Chuck) Williams; sons, Mark (Karen), Nick (Joyce) and Mike (Cindy) Mappes; 19 grandchildren, 13 great-grandchildren, sister, Rosie (Ron) Schmoll; and many nieces and nephews. She

was preceded in death by her husband, Bernard "Bub" J. Mappes; and son, James. Visitation was held May 17 at G. H. Herrmann Madison Ave. Funeral Home, 5141 Madison Ave., Indianapolis. A Mass of Christian Burial was conducted on May 18 at St. Roch Catholic Church, 3600 S. Pennsylvania St., Indianapolis. She will be laid to rest at Calvary Cemetery.

## Jon Robert Pedigo

Jon Robert Pedigo, 57, died on May 13, 2021. John was born on September 22, 1963 in Winchester, IN to Robert E. Pedigo and Elizabeth Brandenburgh Pedigo. He was the owner of Premiere Fitness and worked with people in the community to achieve their fitness goals. Jon was a generous, compassionate person, who always put others before himself. Jon is survived by his brother, Brandy Pedigo; sisters, Denise Hoskins and Barbara Gruell; ten nieces and nephews, the love of his life, Trish Coons; as well as a whole tribe of chosen family. Jon was preceded in death by his parents and one sister, Carol Andrews. A celebration of life will be held May 22 from 1-5 p.m. in the ballroom at Premiere Fitness, 88 U.S. 31, Greenwood.

## Marilyn J. Reid

Marilyn J. Reid, 84, of Indianapolis, died on May 12, 2021. She was born on December 13, 1936 in Indianapolis to the late Elvin and Maude Barnett Fields. She graduated from Decatur Central High School in 1955. She enjoyed spending time with her family, reading and helping with the B.I.B.S. Pantry at her church. She is survived by her husband, Jack Reid; daughters, Rebecca Hockemeyer and Donna Long (Kevin); sons, Paul Reid and Eric Reid (Deanna); sister, Marcia Haase (Jim); and grandchildren, Alex (Katie), William, Cierra, Mia, Bristen, Callie, Gianna and Jack. She was preceded in death by her parents Elvin and Maude Fields. Visitation was held on May 18 at G. H. Herrmann Madison Ave. Funeral Home, 5141 Madison Ave., Indianapolis. A funeral service was held May 19 at University Heights Methodist Church, 4002 Otterbein Ave., Indianapolis. She will be laid to rest at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. The family would like to extend their appreciation and thanks to Senior Helpers and Elara Caring for their support through this time.

## William E. Sandley



William E. Sandley, 87, of Beech Grove, died on May 8, 2021. Will was born to the late William and Beulah Sandley on March 31, 1934. He was a member of the Independent Nazarene Church in Beech Grove for over 40 years. He also loved his family and liked to "tinker" around the house and garage. Will is survived by his children, William Lee Sandley, Mike (Lisa) Sandley and Susan (Jeff) Moreland; grandchildren, Aleasha (Travis) Boling, Amie (Andy) Barchet, Amanda Sandley, Christopher (Whitley) Moreland, Elizabeth (Kyle) Magnus and Steven Moreland; great-grandchildren, Austin, Riley, Gabriel and Emersynn; and sister, Thelma Hinds. Will was preceded in death by his

wife, Mary Sandley; and sister, Joann Houser. Visitation was held on May 14, at the Independent Nazarene Church, 5152 Hornet Ave., Beech Grove. Funeral Services immediately followed at the church. Burial took place at New Crown Cemetery.

## Mark Edward Spotila

Mark Edward Spotila, 64, of Indianapolis, died on May 7, 2021. He was born on November 1, 1956 in Indianapolis to Edward and Peggy Springer Spotila. He served in the United States Navy. He was a member of the Meridian Church of God and enjoyed spoiling and giving treats to his dog, Wrigley. He is survived by his wife, Gayla Spotila; children, Kenna "Scooter" (Wayne); grandchildren, Cheyenne, Cedrik, Jalen and Autumn; great-grandchildren, Zendaya, Zalen and Kobie; and siblings, Tim, Matt and David. Memorial contributions may be made to Meridian Church of God. There will be no public services.

## Karen Elizabeth Stinson

Karen Elizabeth Stinson, 78, of Indianapolis, died on May 15, 2021. She was born on June 12, 1942 in Indianapolis to the late Thomas W. and Anna E. Doll. She is survived by her children, Christine (Robert) Broering, Curtis Stinson and Sandra Stinson; grandchildren, Kara (Nicholas) Anton, Joseph Broering and Nicholas Broering; she was expecting her first great grandson in July, Lucas Anton; and her dog, Gunner. She was preceded in death by her husband, Jimmie R. Stinson; and her sister, Patricia E. Keeler. Her life revolved around her family, especially her grandchildren. She was a sports fan of basketball and football and an avid flower gardener. She enjoyed going to outdoor concerts and spending time with her friends and neighbors. Visitation will be held from 4-8 p.m. on May 20 at G. H. Herrmann Greenwood Funeral Home at The Gardens of Olive Branch, 1605 S. State Road 135. A funeral service will be conducted at 11:30 a.m. on May 21. She will be laid to rest at West Newton Cemetery.

## Lillian Ann Petac Strange



Lillian Ann Petac Strange, 89, died on May 14, 2021. Lillian was born July 23, 1931, to Valentine and Helen Petac, in Cleveland, Ohio and moved to Beech Grove at the age of 12. Lillian was married to William Strange for 56 years. She graduated from Beech Grove High School and St. Vincent's School of Nursing. Her nursing career was mostly pediatric care. She was employed in Bedford, IN and at Rise Learning Center in Indianapolis. At Rise, she was employed for 16 years before retiring in 1990. Her favorite pastime was painting. Her favorites were water and acrylic painting. She also was an avid reader. Lillian spent countless hours at the St. Vincent DePaul food bank. She is survived by her children, Anne (Greg) Piserchia, Joe Strange, Bill Strange and Mary Anthony; and her grandchildren Kate, Rachel (David) Johnson, Christina, Tommy, Jacob, Daniel (Adrian),

Rebekah, Grace and Joe. She was preceded in death by her brother, Val Petac; and sister Helen Perushek. Visitation will be held on Thursday, May 20 at Little and Sons Beech Grove Chapel from 4-8 p.m. Funeral Mass will be at Holy Name Catholic Church in Beech Grove on Friday.

## Benjamin Andrew Withem



Benjamin Andrew Withem, 21, of Beech Grove, died on May 6, 2021. Ben graduated from Beech Grove High School in 2017. He enjoyed skateboarding, exploring and traveling. Ben was the "Light Wizard" and operated lights at festivals and entertainment venues. He was also an accomplished pianist and loved music. Ben was an Activist and spent time last summer peacefully protesting in downtown Indianapolis. Ben loved everyone and viewed everyone as equal. He didn't have a materialistic bone in his body and had a heart of gold. Ben is survived by his parents, Michelle Withem and Eric (Peggy) Withem; sister, Erin Withem; grandparents, Russ and Sandi Irvine and John and Donna Withem; along with many aunts, uncles, cousins and friends. A Celebration of Life took place on May 12 at Sarah Bolton Park in Beech Grove.

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*5 When I call to remembrance the unfeigned faith that is in thee, which dwelt first in thy grandmother Lois, and thy mother Eunice; and I am persuaded that in thee also.*

#### 2 TIMOTHY 1:5

Paul has found in Timothy a young man who may not have every dot of an i or the cross of a t about the holy Scriptures correctly, but this young man has a faith that is unfeigned. What does this mean? It means that his faith is in God and in the Son of God, Jesus Christ. If Christ said it, it is the truth and the only issue now is to understand the truth as spoken by Him. That is the same thing we are faced with today. There are many understandings but only one of them is right. Our struggle with the many understandings is to come to the one that is correct and to stand on it and live by it because living by it is the way that Christ spoke of.

Christ understood what our struggle would be, and He spoke often of it. He told us to be careful because the wolf would come amongst the sheep

to destroy the sheep fold. This is a problem that is multiplied many times today over the times of the past. It is a very personal thing to know Christ personally and to know Him that way to the point that you cannot be led astray by the most recent religious star on the horizon. There are many of those. I trust Christ to be honest with me and to lead me into all truth. He said He would if I wanted to know it badly enough so that I could live by it even if it demanded that I live knowing something a little different from what I have been taught in the past. I search daily for God's truth in matters of the Christian life. I want to be His and His alone. So far as I know I am that and I intend to stay that so like Timothy people can say that I have been and am a man of unfeigned faith which, by the way, means unpretentious faith.

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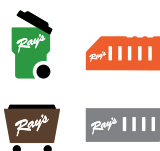


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