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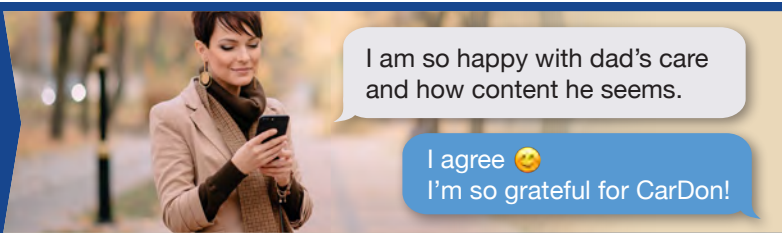
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**1** Teachers from what Southside school district will soon see a pay increase of more than 5 percent?

- A. Perry Township  
 B. Greenwood Community Schools  
 C. Franklin Township  
 D. Center Grove



**2** The first Jack O'Lanterns were which vegetable?

- A. Carrots  
 B. Turnips  
 C. Tomatoes  
 D. Orange sweet peppers

**3** Which school in Beech Grove recently hosted a learning garden workshop?

- A. South Grove Intermediate  
 B. Holy Name of Jesus  
 C. Central Elementary  
 D. Hornet Park Elementary

**4** Health records are now available on iPhones for what local hospital?

- A. Community South  
 B. Franciscan Health  
 C. St. Francis  
 D. Johnson Memorial

**5** Which local candidate running for office named his grandfather, a former Indianapolis police chief, as his personal hero?

- A. David Harrison  
 B. Buddy Templin  
 C. Doug McNaughton  
 D. Paul Annee

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## THIS WEEK on the WEB



The Center of Excellence in Leadership of Learning at Ulndy has been authorized as the sole organization to train, support and endorse Early College schools in Indiana. (Photo provided by the University of Indianapolis)

### University of Indianapolis receives \$7.9 million grant

The Center of Excellence in Leadership of Learning (CELL) at the University of Indianapolis has received a \$7.9 million grant as part of the federal Education Innovation and Research (EIR) program. The University of Indianapolis was the only Indiana grantee among the most

recent round of EIR funding, which included 41 grants awarded out of 287 applications. CELL will establish a Rural Early College Network to help rural Indiana schools quickly begin the Early College (EC) high school model.

### ss-times.com/university-of-indianapolis-receives-7-9-million-grant

### Franklin Township teachers to receive pay raises

Franklin Township teacher salaries will soon increase by 5.3 percent for the 2019-2020 school year. The Indiana General Assembly recently passed the 2019-2021 biennial budget, which increases funding for K-12 education by \$763 million, accounting for more than 50

percent of all general fund spending. State Senator Aaron Freeman (R-Indianapolis) said he is proud to support public education. Freeman is a member of the Senate Committee on Education and Career Development.



IN Senator A. Freeman

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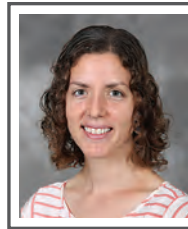
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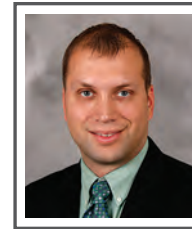
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By Dr. Nydia Nunez-Estrada  
Family Medicine Physician  
Eskenazi Health Center



Trying to make the best health care insurance decisions for you and your family can be incredibly frustrating and confusing, which is why the Sidney & Lois Eskenazi Hospital, and two additional Eskenazi Health Center locations, will host a special opportunity for central Indiana residents to learn about and sign up for various health coverage plans on Enroll Indianapolis Day on Saturday, Nov. 16.

Whether you and your family are buying health insurance for the first time or you have questions about the wide variety of health care plans on the market today, you can find helpful advice on getting the most out of your health insurance choices by visiting with our experts during Enroll Indianapolis Day at Eskenazi Health.

With the open enrollment period for 2019 health insurance plans having already begun, three Eskenazi Health locations will be open and available from 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. on Saturday, Nov. 16, to answer questions and help with the enrollment process. These locations are the Sidney & Lois Eskenazi Hospital at 720 Eskenazi Ave., Eskenazi Health Center Forest Manor at 3840 N. Sherman Drive and Eskenazi Health Center West 38th Street at 5515 W. 38th St. Free parking is available at each site.

Eskenazi Health has more than 100 certified application counselors available throughout the Eskenazi Health system to provide information and assistance for individuals and families helping them understand and select appropriate insurance coverage options.

During the open enrollment period, which closes Dec. 15, people may walk into any of the Eskenazi Health Center or Sandra Eskenazi Mental Health Center sites located throughout Marion Coun-

ty, as well as the Sidney & Lois Eskenazi Hospital, for assistance. Here's a link to our locations: [eskenazihealth.edu/locations](http://eskenazihealth.edu/locations).

While discussing various health insurance plans with Eskenazi Health counselors, there are a number of factors you'll want to focus on, such as whether or not the plan you're considering is a health maintenance organization (HMO) or a preferred provider organization (PPO) that will cover a certain amount of your expenses. In an HMO, you may only visit doctors you are under contract with, while in a PPO, you may see doctors outside the network you belong to, which is a more expensive plan.

You'll also want to consider if your current provider is included in a plan you're considering, what your payments will be, what your deductible will be, what your copayment will be and what will happen with your health insurance if you have to see a provider while traveling.

Eskenazi Health also has a staff of certified application counselors available through a toll-free phone number - (855) 202-1053 - to answer questions and provide assistance. The public can also email [insurance@eskenazihealth.edu](mailto:insurance@eskenazihealth.edu) to receive help.

In addition to providing financial counseling, Eskenazi Health will also provide assistance with Gateway to Work education, portal login and hours reporting during Enroll Indianapolis Day. Gateway to Work is a part of the Healthy Indiana Plan (HIP) that helps connect HIP members with job training, education, volunteer or work opportunities.

For those members that are required to participate in the program, they will need to report the activity and the number of hours completed. During the Enroll Indianapolis Day, Eskenazi Health will have Gateway to Work partners on hand to help answer questions.

As always, if you are in need of a pediatrician for your child or a primary care physician for yourself or anyone else, please call (317) 880-7666 or visit [eskenazihealth.edu/doctors](http://eskenazihealth.edu/doctors).

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A yearly memorial to missing trick-or-treaters. (Photo by Rick Hinton)

## A Halloween Tale

(Previously published Oct. 25, 2018)

### HAUNTS & JAUNTS

By Rick Hinton

*"... and the goblins will get ya if you don't watch out!"*

— JAMES WHITCOMB RILEY

People tend to focus yearly upon the paranormal as Halloween creeps upon us. Thursday, Oct. 31, is the night! While paranormal investigators will happily concede that ghostly shenanigans can happen any time of the year – and with no particular grand finale on this side of Christmas – there is, however, history behind this focus upon the supernatural.

Halloween (All Hallows' Eve) is traced back to the pre-Christian Celtic festival of Samhain when folks would light bonfires and wear costumes to fool ghosts seeking to cross over into the "other" world. By disguising themselves as demons and other ghouls, they hoped to escape the notice of real spirits wandering the street during Samhain. So, the story goes. It is said that Halloween provides a safe way to play with the concept of death.

Every year my wife, Laura designs the lawn for Halloween with festive blowups, lights, tombstones and swirling ghosts on our exterior wall. It's become a tradition. We've seen far more elaborate setups, but it makes her happy, the grandkids love it and occasionally a car will honk its horn as they pass on busy Southport Road. We also have a bowl of candy by the front door ... just in case. We've never had any trick-or-treaters (a busy road with no sidewalk might explain that), so we end up eating the bowl of candy ourselves. This has also become a tradition!

### Some fun Halloween facts:

- The tradition of costuming and trick-or-treating might just extend back to the practice of "mumming" and "guising" when people disguised

themselves and went door-to-door, asking for food; tricking still happens (trash cans knocked over, egging of cars, toilet papering trees, etc.), but among the younger set of little ghouls and goblins, it's rare. Try this. Tell them you have no treats and would rather have a trick. They will stare at you in silence.

- The first Jack O'Lanterns were turnips, not pumpkins. I imagine they were hard to carve; black and orange are colors associated with Halloween. Orange is a symbol of strength and endurance. Black symbolizes death and darkness; 50 percent of kids prefer to have chocolate dropped into their bags. Twenty-four percent prefer non-chocolate, with others desiring gum. (We used to take the kids to the rich neighborhood where they gave out full-sized candy bars. Word spread. They became suspicious, asking where we lived. We haven't been back).
- Halloween, apparently, has no age restriction. While taking the grandkids through our neighborhood I've noticed platoons of oblivious teenagers making the rounds. I've also witnessed teenagers, wearing no costumes, filling a pillowcase with goodies. Really? I guess the kid within us never completely goes away.
- One man who has always intrigued me is the magician Harry Houdini. He died on Halloween in 1926. He made a promise to his wife that he would give her a sign of his presence. Attempts throughout the years – on Halloween – were made. She never got that sign. It's a sad story that stays with you. As for now, I will continue, while I can do so, to take my grandchildren through our neighborhood on this one time a year to collect their treats as the boundaries between life and death blur. And maybe ... just maybe ... one of these years, our doorbell will ring.

*Have a happy and safe Halloween!*



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.

## Roncalli Salutes Our Gold Rated Marching Band



Roncalli Marching Band lead by drum majors Grace Whitaker R'20 and Sam Morris R'22.

Roncalli salutes our Rebel Marching Band for receiving a gold rating at the ISSMA (Indiana State School Music Association) Festival Marching Band contest.

The band played and danced through their show, "Celebration," featuring the songs "Fireball," "Rosanna," "Canine" and "Get Lucky."

Congratulations to band director Kathy Peach and the Rebel Marching Band!



Take a closer look. Open House is Thursday, November 7, 2019 from 6-8 PM.  
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# NIGHT & DAY

## LOCAL ENTERTAINMENT ENTERTAINING

### CALENDAR OF EVENTS

#### BEECH GROVE

**Buzz Club** • Buzz Club is an after-school program for grades K-6, Monday through Friday. Cost is \$30 per week; each additional child is \$15 per week. Transportation is provided to HPCC after school. Download the registration form at bit.ly/buzzclub2019. | When: Monday-Friday, after school through 6 p.m. | Where: Hornet Park Community Center, 5245 Hornet Ave. | Info: (317) 803-9086; beechgrove.com/community-center.

**Mini Monday** • Learn and play program for preschoolers. Free of charge. | When: Nov. 4, 10 a.m. | Where: Hornet Park Community Center, 5245 Hornet Ave. | Info: (317) 788-4986.

**Zumba** • Zumba classes are held each week on Mondays \$5. | When: Nov. 4, 6 p.m. | Where: Hornet Park Community Center, 5245 Hornet Ave. | Info: Call (317) 788-4986 for questions.

**Hit Fit with Kaitlyn** • High Intensity Interval Training each Monday and Wednesday of every week. \$5 per class. | When: Nov. 4 and 6, 6:30 p.m. | Where: Hornet Park Community Center, 5245 Hornet Ave. | Info: (317) 803-9086; beechgrove.com/community-center.

**Yoga** • Yoga classes are now held each week on Thursdays. \$5. | When: Nov. 7, 6 p.m. | Where: Hornet Park Community Center, 5245 Hornet Ave. | Info: Call (317) 788-4986 for questions.

**Beech Grove Historical Society Program** • Author Linda Minton will talk about her books, WWII Heroes: We Were Just Doing Our Jobs and Remembering WWII Women and her novel, The Harlaxton Heist. Linda will have copies of her books available for sale at the program. | When: Nov. 13, 6:30 p.m. | Where: Beech Grove Library Branch, 1102 Main St. | Info: (317) 275-4560; BGHistoricalSociety@gmail.com.

#### CENTER GROVE

**37th Annual Center Grove Craft Fair** • More than 250 exhibitors will feature art, crafts, handmade gifts and many other items. Breakfast and lunch foods will be available for purchase in the cafeteria. Santa will be available for pictures. Come out to enjoy a day of shopping and support Center Grove Trojan Football. | When: Nov. 2, 8 a.m.-4 p.m. | Where: Greenwood Public Library 2717 S. Morgantown Road. | Info: centergrovecraftfair.com; CGHSCraftFair.

**The Addams Family** • Center Grove Theatre will present "The Addams Family," a fatally funny musical comedy. Tickets are \$10 at the door or online. | When: Nov. 7 at 7 p.m.; Nov. 9 at 2 p.m. and 7 p.m.; and Nov. 10 at 2 p.m. | Where: Center Grove High School, 2717 S. Morgantown Road. | Info: cgtheatre.org.

#### GARFIELD PARK

**Dia de Muertos (Day of the Dead)** • Dia de Muertos is a traditional Mexican holiday that celebrates deceased family members through music, storytelling, food and ofrendas (altars). Join us to learn more about this Mexican holiday and partake in the traditions! The event is free for all ages; dance and music performances, Mexican-inspired crafts led by local artists, face painting, authentic Mexican food and treats and beer and wine by Garfield Brewery (for sale) and a parade through Garfield Park. Come dressed in traditional costume. Honor deceased loved ones on our Memorial Wall by bringing a copy of a photo to the event, submitting it on our Facebook event or email it to GPAC@Indy.Gov. | When: Nov. 2, 5-8 p.m. | Where: Garfield Park Arts Center, 2432 Conservatory Drive. | Info: (317) 327-7135; gpacarts.org.

**Artisan Holiday Market** • Nearly 150 artists and craftsman from all over the Midwest will be at the Artisan Holiday Market to help you with your holiday shopping and decorating. For 44 years, local Delta Theta Tau members from Nu Tau Chapter have held the event the Saturday after Thanksgiving. The Artisan Holiday Market enables Nu Tau Chapter to financially support nearly 20 local charities. There is a \$3 entrance fee and lunch will be available for purchase. | When: Nov. 30, 9 a.m.-3 p.m. | Where: Beech Grove High School, 5330 Hornet Ave. | Info: Craft Fair DTT.

#### GREENWOOD

**Quilt Connection Guild** • The Quilt Connection Guild invites you to their monthly meeting. Our special speaker will be Amanda Castor of Material Girl Quilts. Amanda is one of Riley Blake's newest fabric designers, with her debut collection Fairy Edith. Her style is inspired by traditional quilts with a modern flair. Amanda enjoys sharing handmade items and ideas with others and hopes to never stop finding new things to create. This program is free and open to the public. Please join us! | When: Nov. 7, 7 p.m. | Where: Greenwood United Methodist Church, 525 N. Madison Ave. | Info: Suzanne at smiller6514@gmail.com.

**Bids 4 Kids Luncheon Auction** • Greenwood Rotary Club is excited once again to share our annual event to benefit children in the Greater Greenwood area, "Bids 4 Kids." We invite your partnership in this exciting opportunity. Proceeds will benefit Greenwood Rotary projects that serve kids in the Greater Greenwood community. | When: Dec. 7, 11:30 a.m.-1 p.m. | Where: Greenwood Public Library, 310 S. Meridian St. | Info: greenwoodrotarybids4kids.eventbrite.com or Greenwood Rotary Club.

Calendar continued on page 7.

### AN OPTION

#### Peppy Grill

Peppy Grill in Fountain Square is an iconic 70-year-old restaurant that opened in 1949 at the corner of Washington Street and Senate Avenue. With round-the-clock hours, a recent total renovation and the landmark outdoor sign advertising "hamburgs" 24 hours a day, people from all over the Southside are familiar with Peppy Grill. The newly renovated Peppy Grill on Virginia Avenue has indoor and outdoor seating and a wide variety of menu options. From their famous breakfast dishes and biscuits and gravy served all day, to huge tenderloin sandwiches, juicy burgers and made-to-order steaks, there is something for everyone to enjoy. A former Peppy Grill employee used to bring her kids with her to work when they were just babies. Now they are head cooks: Joe Wilkins, an employee of 27 years, and



Fans of large tenderloin sandwiches enjoy dining at Peppy Grill. (Submitted photo)

Dan Wilkins, who has been with Peppy Grill for 17 years. For more information, visit Facebook: Peppy Grill.

**LOCATION:**  
1004 Virginia Ave., Indianapolis, IN 46203

### BEHIND BARS

#### O'Reilly's Irish Bar & Restaurant

**Bartender:**  
Erica Tate, Southside

**Location:**  
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- 1 ½ oz. Irish Whiskey
- 4 oz. ginger beer
- 1.2 lime juice
- Splash of soda water

Pour ice into glass. Layer first with Irish Whiskey, then ginger beer and lime juice.

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## The Lighthouse Hell is Other People

### MOVIE REVIEW

By Bradley Lane

Writer-director Robert Eggers' 2016 debut feature, *The Witch*, had huge hype from film critics moving into its opening weekend. However, audiences were split on the film, citing its slow pace, miserable tone and a dense, hard to follow script complete with period accurate 17th century accents. Understandably, there was a disconnect between audiences and critics. Egger's newest film, *The Lighthouse*, is a near-perfect case study in incorporating popular criticism while maintaining the integrity of his artistic intent.

Set in the late 1800s, two lighthouse keepers, Ephraim Winslow, played by Robert Pattinson, and Thomas Wake, played by Willem Dafoe, are set alone on an island for a month. Slowly, the lighthouse reveals itself to house some mysterious force, causing Winslow to have strange visions. Simultaneously, Winslow's quiet reserved personality clashes with Wake's loud, crude, flatulent sailor persona.

Egger's principle strength, much like his

previous film, is its tone. Whereas *The Witch* had a cut-and-dry depressive tone, *The Lighthouse's* tone is wholly original and resistant to classification. As miserable as the setting is, the film is incredibly funny while managing to stay creepy, all the while maintaining a seriousness that signals the film as a meaningful artistic statement.

Despite being presented in black and white with a near 1:1 aspect ratio to invoke a vintage feel, the filming style and technique feels very modern, almost as though it exists outside of time. However, this is not to say *The Lighthouse* is devoid of clear stylistic influences, most notably Ingmar Bergman's *Persona* and Stanley Kubrick's *The Shinning*. The gravely beach setting, stark black-and-white cinematography and emphasis on sexuality invoke *Persona's* strongest moments, while the unsettling character work is pure Kubrick worship.

The presentation is only the surface of what makes *The Lighthouse* a standout of 2019. Robert and Max Egger's script is teeming with clever dialogue, smart reincorporation and literary illusions. It also supports a multitude of interpretations, so if you enjoy

movies with concrete answers, this one is decidedly not for you.

All these elements culminate in perfect conditions for Pattinson and Dafoe to flex their acting chops. Pattinson disappears into his role, and becomes genuinely frightening while maintaining audience empathy, which is an incredibly fine line to walk. Despite a strong performance and being in a film with only two major characters, Pattinson is still not the best performance of the film. Dafoe gives a career best performance as a larger-than-life salty sea dog type. His monologues are mesmerizing and cements Dafoe as one of the best actors working today.

*The Lighthouse* is a wholly original thrill ride that maintains its high art status, while still not being above a fart joke or two.



Bradley is a Beech Grove High School alumnus and has been enamored by film for as long as he can remember. He is currently in his third year studying at IUPUI, majoring in Media and Public Affairs with a minor in Film. Bradley can be contacted at [blane2214@gmail.com](mailto:blane2214@gmail.com).

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### INDIANAPOLIS

**Indianapolis NARFE Meeting** • Indianapolis Chapter 151 of the National Active and Retired Federal Employees Association will meet with all active and retired federal employees and their spouses welcome. | When: Nov. 1, 12:30 p.m. | Where: National Assn. of Letter Carriers Hall, 221 E. 54th St. | Info: [narfe.org/chapter151](http://narfe.org/chapter151).

**Lunch and Learn** • The public is invited for our monthly, "Lunch and Learn." Author Ronald P. May will share "World War II stories," many of which are included in his books, *Our Service, Our Stories*, volumes I and II. The Lunch and Learn is hosted by the St. John Lutheran Adult Fellowship Group. The lunch will be a pitch-in provided by the members of St. John Lutheran Church and School. Free will donations accepted but not expected. Please park in the parking lot accessible from Hunter Road and enter through entrance C8. | When: Nov. 7, 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. | Where: St. John Lutheran Church and School, 6630 Southeastern Ave. | Info: Don VanPelt at (317) 937-6206; [donvanpelt1@gmail.com](mailto:donvanpelt1@gmail.com).

**Indianapolis Children's Choir performance** • Each year, Indy Folk Series dedicates one performance during its season to assist a local charity, where all proceeds are provided to that chosen organization. This year, and for the first time, the designated organization will also be providing the music. Currently in its 34th season, the Indianapolis Children's Choir has grown to become one of the largest children's choirs in the world.

The choir will perform a mix of folk songs along with music from its regular program. All proceeds from the concert will go directly to financial assistance programs for ICC choir members. \$15 in advance; \$20 at the door; student/senior discount. | When: Nov. 9, 7 p.m. | Where: Unitarian Universalist Church of Indianapolis, 615 W. 43rd St. | Info: [indyfolkseries.org](http://indyfolkseries.org) or [icchoir.org](http://icchoir.org).

**Veterans Day Activities** • The Veterans Day Council of Indianapolis invites our Circle City citizens to join us in honoring our nation's veterans with a special breakfast, service and parade for Veterans Day. On-site parking at the Murat Shrine is available from 7:30 a.m.-4 p.m. for \$5 if attending the breakfast (until allocated spaces are taken). Tickets will not be sold at the door. Please visit [veteransdayindy.org/breakfast](http://veteransdayindy.org/breakfast) to reserve your seats. Breakfast is \$15 per person from 8-10 a.m., upstairs in the Arabian Room of the Murat Shrine (502 N. New Jersey St.). A Veterans Day service follows breakfast at 11 a.m. on the north steps of the Indiana War Memorial, 431 N. Meridian St. The Veterans Day Parade kicks off as soon as the Veterans Day service concludes. More than 80 units march in this annual parade. | When: Nov. 11, 11 a.m. | Where: Indiana War Memorial, 431 N. Meridian St. | Info: [veteransdayindy.org](http://veteransdayindy.org).

### PERRY TOWNSHIP

**Annual Reverse Raffle** • The Wishing Well Fund's annual Reverse Raffle. Grand prize is \$5,000 with many other money prizes, along with door prizes, hourly 50/50 raffles and many other games of chance. A buffet dinner is also included. Tickets are \$100 each - ticketholder and three guests admit-

ted per ticket. | When: Nov. 3; doors open at 12:30 p.m.; event starts at 1 p.m. | Where: Primo's, 2615 National Ave. | Info: Connie Dawson for tickets at (317) 437-0540 or [condaw48@hotmail.com](mailto:condaw48@hotmail.com).

**CCS Fest/2020 Sponsorship Luncheon** • Your partnership is making a difference for the students at CCS! Please join us so we can share recent information related to student achievement. You will also have the opportunity to experience the Student Art Gallery and engage with students in the Science Lab. Finally, we are excited to share our plans to improve student outcomes in 2020 and beyond. We look forward to seeing you! There is no charge for this BBQ luncheon, but you must contact the CCS office to make your reservation. | When: Nov. 7, 12:30-1:30 p.m. | Where: Calvary Christian School, 3639 S. Keystone Ave. | Info: (317) 789-8710; [ccsfestival@gmail.com](mailto:ccsfestival@gmail.com).

**Lecture from artist and social critic Titus Kaphar** • MacArthur Fellow and critically acclaimed artist Titus Kaphar will speak at the University of Indianapolis as part of the Sutphin Lecture Series on "Making Space for Black History: Amending the Landscape of American Art." Admission is free and open to the public. Registration is encouraged. | When: Nov. 7, 7:30 p.m. | Where: Ruth Lilly Performance Hall, Christel DeHaan Fine Arts Center. | Info: [events.uindy.edu/event/sutphin-lecture-series-titus-kaphar](http://events.uindy.edu/event/sutphin-lecture-series-titus-kaphar).

**The Cultivating Garden Club** • Topic: "Garden Dirt" Speaker: Bre Ollier, Hendricks County District Conservationist Program. New members are welcome. | When: Nov. 21, 6 p.m. | Where: St. John's UCC, U.S. 31 and Southport Road. | Info: (317) 258-7916.

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## Unsung Heroes of the Election: those behind the scenes

By Nancy Price

Every fall before the first Tuesday in November, you see the signs posted in your neighbors' yards, the words jumping out in bold colors, begging you to vote. Newspapers and websites are packed with photos, articles, advertisements and voting registration sites. And you've listened to enough commercials to memorize each candidate's motto. They've become local celebrities.

Then there are those who support the candidates. The ones who fundraise, advertise, make endless calls to registered voters, walk from door to door of the city's neighborhoods with blisters on their feet and shove signs into yards, even in the rain and cold. Some have full-time jobs and kids. Some are running for their own elections but want to help other candidates.

This year, we give credit to those individuals. The campaign managers, volunteers, family and friends. The unsung heroes of the election.



### Indianapolis City-County Council

NAME: Jason Fletcher

**WHAT DO YOU TO HELP DURING THE ELECTION?** I knock on a lot of doors and talk to a lot of voters. This is the best way to see what the actual issues are for them. I also help take pictures and videos for social media and mailers. I help with phone banking and postcard writing. I attend a lot of neighborhood meetings along with a candidate to help however I can.

**WHAT IS THE MOST CHALLENGING PART OF YOUR JOB?** Being away from home. Away from family and friends. Sometimes you have to sacrifice little things for someone that you truly believe in because that person can make our quality of life better for our city.

**WHAT WOULD PEOPLE BE SURPRISED TO LEARN ABOUT RUNNING A CAMPAIGN?** How much time candidates



Indianapolis and Beech Grove candidates and volunteers. From left, Beech Grove mayoral candidate Rick Skirvin; Janice Black, volunteer; Barbara Hook-Griggs, volunteer; Pamela Stallard, volunteer, Indianapolis-Marion County mayoral candidate Jim Merritt and Cindy Mowery, Marion County Rep. board member. (Submitted photo)

### BEECH GROVE

NAME: Barbara Hook

**WHAT DO YOU TO HELP DURING THE ELECTION?** I arrange fundraising events; banking; financial reporting; order campaign supplies, such as signs, business cards and banners; sometimes help with media print; maintain the sign delivery list; manage social media, including Facebook pages; helping other candidates in need of assistance.

**WHAT IS THE MOST CHALLENGING PART OF YOUR JOB?** Personal attacks toward those closest to me.

**WHAT IS THE MOST REWARDING?** The true, loyal friendships that have developed over the past 10 months has to be the most rewarding part of this positive campaign.

**WHAT WOULD PEOPLE BE SURPRISED TO LEARN ABOUT RUNNING A CAMPAIGN?** It can get really ugly on a small municipality level just like on the national level if you allow it.

**WHAT ARE FIVE TIPS YOU WOULD SUGGEST FOR RUNNING A CAMPAIGN?** 1) Positivity. 2) Help anywhere you are needed. 3) Show moral support for the candidates. 4) Be ready to overcome negativity. 5) Honesty, integrity, community involvement and the desire for a win on Nov. 5.



Jason Fletcher helps candidates from various Indianapolis districts, including Phil Webster for District 20. (Submitted photo)

and their team put in a campaign. Giving up weekends and evenings. Giving up Colts football. Time away from their family and friends. And most time all while still working a full-time job.

**WHAT ARE FIVE TIPS YOU WOULD SUGGEST FOR RUNNING A CAMPAIGN?** 1) Voter contact. Elections are won at the door. You have to talk to your constituents and learn what their issues are and how I can fix them or help them in any way. 2) Know your district. 3) Have a great support system and volunteer base. 4) Raise money. 5) Work hard.



Sam Hodson, Teri Manship and Adam Stone are several volunteers from a group who assisted Greenwood Mayor Mark Myers during his campaign. (Submitted photo)

### GREENWOOD

NAMES: Sam Hodson, Teri Manship and Adam Stone

**WHAT DO YOU TO HELP DURING THE ELECTION?** We assisted Mayor Mark Myers in fundraising, door-to-door campaigning and events. The work includes much walking and talking over many nights and weekends.

**WHAT IS THE MOST CHALLENGING PART OF YOUR JOB?** Ignoring the ill-informed and often hateful rhetoric on social media. Thankfully, it is generated by a tiny minority.

**WHAT IS THE MOST REWARDING?** Seeing positive changes in our community resulting from the election of our candidate.

**WHAT WOULD PEOPLE BE SURPRISED TO LEARN ABOUT RUNNING A CAMPAIGN?** People who you would assume to be much too busy to help in a campaign or transition are often very gracious with their time and talents.

**WHAT ARE THREE TIPS YOU WOULD SUGGEST FOR RUNNING A CAMPAIGN?** 1) Commit to outworking your opponent. You have to be out meeting and reaching voters. 2) Know why your candidate is running and commit to that message. 3) Stay positive.



Carol Bowling helps Southside candidates by knocking on doors and speaking with residents about their concerns. (Submitted photo)

### SOUTHPORT

NAME: Carol Bowling

**WHAT DO YOU TO HELP DURING THE ELECTION?** Knock on doors and talk to people.

**WHAT IS THE MOST CHALLENGING PART OF YOUR JOB?** Listening to negativity and trying to turn it into a positive.

**WHAT IS THE MOST REWARDING?** Talking to people and knowing that there's people that love the city of Southport.

**WHAT WOULD PEOPLE BE SURPRISED TO LEARN ABOUT RUNNING A CAMPAIGN?** It is time-consuming and you have to have the love for it.

**WHAT ARE A FEW TIPS YOU WOULD SUGGEST FOR RUNNING A CAMPAIGN?** Be honest and don't promise to something that you can't deliver.

## Candidates give credit to those behind the scenes



Paul Annee credits his grandfather, former Indianapolis Police Chief Paul Annee as his inspiration for politics. (Submitted photo)

*"My grandfather, former Indianapolis Police Chief Paul A. Annee, has provided an incredible depth of knowledge not only on law enforcement and public safety matters but also a great deal of expertise on navigating through local government. As my advisor, personal hero, campaign chair and grandfather, he has helped guide my campaign and served as a steady voice throughout my life, as well as throughout this campaign."*

— Paul Annee,  
Indianapolis-Marion County  
City Council, District 23

*"The one person along with Mayor Buckley that has put in many hours in all the districts is Liz Lamping. She has helped each city council person and she is only running in District 1. She has been walking since July and been to more homes than any one council person. She has by far been one of the hardest workers in this campaign! Thank you, Ms. Lamping!"*

— David Harrison,  
Beech Grove City Council,  
District 5





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# ELECTION GUIDE 2019

## Local candidates running for mayor, clerk-treasurer and city council

By Nancy Price

Election Day is Nov. 5. There are three candidates running for Indianapolis-Marion County mayor: Joe Hogsett (D), is running for re-election; Douglas John McNaughton (L); and James W. Merritt, Jr. (R) are running against Hogsett. In Beech Grove, current Mayor Dennis B. Buckley (D) is being challenged by Rick Skirvin (R). In Greenwood, current Mayor Mark W. Myers (R) is running unopposed. Southport Mayor Russell McClure will not be seeking re-election; Southport mayoral candidate James A. Cooney (R) will run uncontested. Candidates featured in this issue that are running for contested office have listed their experience, education and qualifications. **Remember to vote next Tuesday!**

### BEECH GROVE

#### BEECH GROVE: MAYOR Dennis B. Buckley (D)



**WHY DO YOU WANT TO BE RE-ELECTED AS MAYOR?** I decided to run for mayor in 2011 because I wasn't happy with the direction our city was going. I have served as mayor for eight years and the city is in much better condition than when

I began. I don't want our city to return to the condition that it was in when I became mayor in 2012.

**WHAT ARE YOUR QUALIFICATIONS TO BE RE-ELECTED AS MAYOR?** My career as a Beech Grove firefighter prepared me to become mayor. My tenure as fire chief for the last 11 years of my career allowed me to obtain executive leadership skills that have helped me lead the city for the past eight years. I'm proactive when it comes to public safety. We have the best public safety departments in central Indiana. My leadership skills have also allowed me to reach out to business and promote our city and attract new business. My people skills are excellent, and my open-door policy is very popular with the general public.

#### NAME THREE PRIORITIES YOU'D LIKE TO ACHIEVE IF RE-ELECTED MAYOR.

1. My highest priority as mayor is the safety of the general public. This also applies to the personal safety of the police officer, firefighter, civilian paramedic and the employees who pick up your trash. It is evident with our police department, fire department and department of public works, that we have the best services in central Indiana.
2. My second priority is to continue to improve the infrastructure of our city. We have received over \$13 million in funding to make infrastructure improvements, we re-paved 60 roads, replaced over 1,700 street signs, added street lights, repaired and added sidewalks, fixed driveway approaches, conducted sanitary sewer improvements and have made substantial improvements in correcting drainage problems, including Main Street.
3. My third priority is to continue to promote new business, quality of life initiatives and to minimize debt. Over the past eight years we have introduced free recycling and appliance drop-off, paper shredding, medicine disposal and several programs at the Hornet Park Community Center. We also have invested heavily in our parks system as we have some of the cleanest parks in Marion County. Coming soon is a 2.2-mile greenway that will wind its way through our beautiful city.

#### BEECH GROVE: MAYOR Rick Skirvin (R)



**WHY DO YOU WANT TO BECOME MAYOR?** As a lifelong Beech Grove resident, father of fourth-generation "Grover" and a 1987 graduate of Beech Grove High School, I would like to see Beech Grove move to the next level. I'm a 13-year BG School Board member (former president), current business owner of two successful businesses and a 13-year Beech Grove Parks Board member. As a team we envision municipal transparency, in addition to open and honest communication with everyone. The Rick Skirvin team can take Beech Grove to the next level with your vote on Nov. 5, 2019.

**WHAT ARE YOUR QUALIFICATIONS TO BE MAYOR?** As a business owner it's prepared me to go after new business as I would new businesses to come to our city. Multitasking with managing staff, organizing books and supervising projects have also prepared me. Being a school board and parks board member have helped me to understand government funding and how to apply it to different services.

#### NAME THREE PRIORITIES YOU'D LIKE TO ACHIEVE IF RE-ELECTED MAYOR.

1. The current administration is seeking to sell our sewer system. I plan to cease that process. Currently the city of Beech Grove uses roughly \$1.5 million of sewer funds for general fund use. (Next year it's projected to be \$1.8 million.) There is no solid plan to replace those funds if the sewer sells.
2. Reduce petty crime. Currently Beech Grove does not have a juvenile diversion program. I plan to instate such a program. Also, I will increase the level of discussion between compliance and the police department with regard to problematic addresses to determine a course of action if one is warranted. I will also create a citizens patrol trained by our police department so that we have well-trained witnesses in case they're needed.
3. Get new businesses and attract foot traffic to Main Street. My administration will create a Beech Grove phone app that will have everything Beech Grove-related in it including Main Street businesses and what they offer. Also, creating legible signage on Emerson Avenue directing drivers that currently pass our Main Street to the wonderful stores we currently have and will have in the future.

#### BEECH GROVE CITY: CITY CLERK-TREASURER James W. Coffman (D)



**BACKGROUND:** I graduated from Roncalli High School and received a bachelor's degree from Indiana University in 2006. I have been active in the community and strive to see Beech Grove succeed in every way possible.

As Clerk-Treasurer, I will work with the mayor, the council and all department heads to ensure the city successfully serves its citizens. When people work together, great things can happen!

**OCCUPATION:** My family owns Eckstein Shoe Store on Main Street.

**PERSONAL:** I am married to Jennifer and we have two children, Claire and Alex.

#### BEECH GROVE CITY: CITY CLERK-TREASURER Chris Duffer (R)



**BACKGROUND:** I graduated from Beech Grove High School and then joined the United States Air Force. I have been active in Beech Grove politics for the last 11 years. My positions have included City Councilor District 3, Clerk-Treasurer, Precinct Committeeman and Beech Grove Republican Club President. I am a member of the American Legion.

**OCCUPATION:** Currently, I am employed at St. Francis Hospital in the IT department.

**PERSONAL:** I have lived in Beech Grove for over 50 years. I have two children who both graduated from Beech Grove High School. I am married

to Mary Lynne and am a member of Thompson Road Baptist Church.

#### CITY COUNCIL: DISTRICT 1 Elizabeth Anne Lamping (D)



**BACKGROUND:** I graduated from Tell City High School class of 1974. I completed the Licensed Practical Nursing program from Ivy Tech Community College in Bloomington, IN, in March 1976.

**OCCUPATION:** My nursing career of nearly 44 years has allowed me to work in many specialties, in physician offices and in-patient hospital units. It would be an honor to have the opportunity to continue serving in the community: working for Beech Grove, providing public safety, infrastructure, economic development and quality of life.

**PERSONAL:** Beech Grove has been my home, except for a few years, since 1976. I've lived at my current address on 13th Avenue for greater than 25 years, raising three sons here. Family, faith and call to service are the roots of my foundation for living.

#### CITY COUNCIL: DISTRICT 1 Karla Middleton Richardson (R)



**BACKGROUND:** My wishes are to help build Beech Grove into a city that young families and professionals are proud to call home. We need fresh ideas to make Beech Grove a desired destination for living and visitors.

My main goals are city unity, reduced budget, cut wasteful spending, infrastructure, lighting, proper use of sewer funds, build up Main Street, hold commercial landlords accountable for upkeep on buildings, citywide activities and curb crime.

**OCCUPATION:** I am currently employed in finance, am a past business owner on Main Street and past Beech Grove school bus driver.

**PERSONAL:** I am a lifetime Grover, mom and grandma.

#### CITY COUNCIL: DISTRICT 2 Gary Hall (R)



**BACKGROUND:** I am a Beech Grove graduate. I look forward to representing my neighbors serving alongside (Republican candidate for mayor) Rick Skirvin. I promise strong transparent leadership, dealing with the unification of our community, property values, sewer system, public safety, crime and drug-free community, outreach programs, infrastructure, Main Street development, economic development, ORCA grants and landfill issues.

**OCCUPATION:** I've served our country in the U.S. Air Force and Department of Defense for 30 years.

**PERSONAL:** Shari and I are Christians, we've been married for 37 years and have two grown married children and five grandchildren.



**CITY COUNCIL: DISTRICT 2**

**Vito Mascari (D)**



**BACKGROUND:** I attended Beech Grove City Schools (K-8), graduated from Roncalli High School in 2003 and earned a bachelor's degree from Indiana University - Kelley School of Business in 2008. I'm a proud lifelong Beech Grove resident who wants to see our city succeed!

**OCCUPATION:** I've worked as a carrier relationship manager for Key Benefit Administrators since 2014.

**PERSONAL:** I'm 34 and I've lived in Beech Grove my entire life. I've been married to Collette Mascari for two years and have three children: Heidi, Ryan and Rayne. I'm a godfather to twins, Lucas and Audrey (Wilson). I'm an avid sports fan and diehard Indy-Car racing follower. I enjoy wrenching on cars and motorcycles, cooking and photography.

**CITY COUNCIL: DISTRICT 3**

**Jeffery Dees (D)**



**BACKGROUND:** I graduated from Roncalli High School, then graduated college with a degree in construction management from Purdue University. If I am elected my main goal will be to help in the revitalization of downtown Beech Grove, and to keep our public safety a top priority.

**OCCUPATION:** I am a small business owner.

**PERSONAL:** I am 36 and a lifelong resident of Beech Grove. I currently live on the west side of Beech Grove with my family.

**CITY COUNCIL: DISTRICT 3**

**Robert Ferguson (R)**



**BACKGROUND:** I am a mentor, instructor and Crisis Intervention and Critical Incident Stress Management team member. I previously ran for Beech Grove City Council At-Large in 2015.

**OCCUPATION:** I work as a sergeant for a local police department and run one of the busiest shifts in the city.

**PERSONAL:** I have been a resident of Beech Grove since 2008. I am married to Kara and have four children: Zoe, Molly, Elly and a stepson, Reagan. I attend Traders Point Christian Church at their downtown campus.

**CITY COUNCIL: DISTRICT 4**

**Kevin R. Day (R)**



**BACKGROUND:** I belong to Southport Masonic Lodge. I currently serve on the Beech Grove City Council in District 4. My goal, if re-elected, is to focus on helping to improve our Main Street and making Beech Grove thrive again.

**OCCUPATION:** I am a local truck driver, delivering to cabinet manufacturers across Indiana.

**PERSONAL:** I have lived in Beech Grove for the last seven years. I grew up here on the weekends while visiting my father since the age of 13. I have one son, Kevin Jr.

**CITY COUNCIL: DISTRICT 4**

**Avis Loutella Frieson (D)**



**BACKGROUND:** I'm a volunteer at Dayspring Center, a homeless shelter, a women's prison. Kairos Prison Ministry, Second Helpings, Gleaner's Food Bank of Indiana and others. Additionally, I'm extremely passionate about serving my community and advocating for the least.

**OCCUPATION:** I've been employed by IUPUI since 2003, serving as Lilly Family School of Philanthropy's recorder and office manager.

**PERSONAL:** I am married to TJ Frieson Jr. I love the Lord and serving others. I've resided in Beech Grove since 1998, where I raised my three children, all graduates of Beech Grove High School. I'm originally from a small town called Marianna, AR. I'm passionate about spending time with my family, especially my seven grandchildren.

**CITY COUNCIL: DISTRICT 5**

**Richard J. Byland (R)**



**BACKGROUND:** I was awarded a proclamation Dec. 6, 2011 by the city of Beech Grove, naming Dec. 6 "Richard Byland Day" because of my dedication to Beech Grove. A few items I've completed includes building the restroom for the girls' softball field, remodeling the Council Chamber at City Hall, remodeling three buildings on Main Street, collecting funds for the Holy Name turkey giveaway and giving money from his own paycheck to the Girl Scouts.

**PERSONAL:** I have been married for 25 years and have one son, Zach Byland, and one grandson, Theodore.

**CITY COUNCIL: DISTRICT 5**

**David Harrison (D)**



**BACKGROUND:** I graduated from Manual High School and attended IUPUI. I have been on the council for the last eight years. I was part of bringing the city back to being stable financially; we did this by passing budgets that were what the city needed, not overspending. We repaired storm sewers and repaved very damaged roads. We upgraded roads and sewers. We added more ambulance services, which helps bring in over \$1 million in revenue. We brought the fire department up to state standards and we added more police that our city needs. We also brought on two more new trash vehicles and paid cash for them.

**OCCUPATION:** I have been an insurance agent with Farmers Insurance in Beech Grove since 1988.

**PERSONAL:** I have lived in Beech Grove for 35 years.

**CITY COUNCIL: DISTRICT AT-LARGE**

**Kara Ferguson (R)**



**BACKGROUND:** I have a bachelor's degree in HR from Oakland City University. I am a volunteer for Kentuckiana Pug Rescue. I want to help improve the lives of residents and serve my community.

**OCCUPATION:** I work for Now Courier as the director of talent management. I've been

in HR management for 14 years.

**PERSONAL:** I have been a resident of Beech Grove since 2013. I am married to Robert and have one son, Reagan (12) and three stepdaughters, Zoe (17), Molly (12) and Elly (10). I attend Traders Point Christian Church and have three rescue pigs.

**CITY COUNCIL: DISTRICT AT-LARGE**

**Daniel A. Norris (R)**



**BACKGROUND:** Since 1983 my career has been devoted to the management of resources and cost management. I believe it is crucial to be fiscally responsible but also realize what is within budgetary limits.

**OCCUPATION:** I have worked in Program Analysis and Budgetary Management since 1983 with the Air Force from 1983-1992, a private industry from 1992-1996, INDOT from 1996-2000, the city of Indianapolis from 2000-2018 and currently as the Chief Financial Officer of the Indianapolis-Marion County Forensic Services Agency.

**PERSONAL:** I have lived in Beech Grove for 27 years with my wife, Susan Norris, and my children, Daniel and Brittany Norris.

**CITY COUNCIL: DISTRICT AT-LARGE**

**Ashley R. Piland (D)**



**BACKGROUND:** I am a graduate of Franklin Central High School and have a bachelor's degree from Indiana State University. I have been the Alcohol Beverage Commissioner (ABC) representative in Beech Grove since 2016. I have experience and a background in advocating for neighbors. I am excited to support our team and mayor to continue to focus on great things like public safety, economic development, quality of life and continuing to improve our infrastructure.

**OCCUPATION:** I am the Family and Financial Resource Manager at Mary Rigg Neighborhood Center and have worked in nonprofits for most of my life.

**PERSONAL:** I bought my grandparents' home, where I reside with my son and two dogs.

**CITY COUNCIL: DISTRICT AT-LARGE**

**Buddy Templin (D)**



**BACKGROUND:** I am a graduate of Beech Grove High School. I am currently on the Beech Grove City Council and have also served on the council from 2008-2011. I, along with other citizens, addressed the Indiana General Assembly, opposing a law that would affect the city of Beech Grove's 911 communication.

**OCCUPATION:** I've worked for Beech Grove for more than 30 years. I've been a Beech Grove business owner with TFISSecurity for more than 20 years.

**PERSONAL:** I am a lifelong resident of Beech Grove. I'm married to Lori and we have four children: Scott, Logan, Robbie and Emily, all BGHS graduates, and one granddaughter, Callie.

**Candidates give credit to those behind the scenes**



Erin Pyle is a campaign manager for Indianapolis mayoral candidate Douglas McNaughton. (Submitted photo)

*"Erin Pyle is my campaign manager. She is also a mother with a full-time job and the vice-chairman of the Libertarian party of the State of Indiana. How she has time to help steer my campaign is a guarded secret that even I am not allowed to know. She is amazing and is also working on the campaign of one of the presidential candidate nominees in the upcoming national election."*

— Douglas McNaughton, Indianapolis mayoral candidate

*"My daughter, Stephanie Stockett, has helped me with canvassing, attending events, brainstorming strategies and just always being there. She works full time at IU Health and is attending school to obtain her PhD. Also, Andy Miller has been there for all the city council candidates without being asked. A true stellar guy, whom we all appreciate."*

— Beverly McDermott, Indianapolis-Marion County City Council, District 23

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## BEECH GROVE UNCONTESTED

**BEECH GROVE CITY: JUDGE**  
**Andrew Wells (R)**

## HOMECROFT

**HOMECROFT: TOWN COUNCIL**  
**Susan Fleck (D) – At-Large**



**BACKGROUND:** I was appointed to fill a vacant council seat in March 2017. I direct Public Works for the town. This past year, I wrote grants to secure nearly \$1 million from the State of Indiana and the city of Indianapolis to fund a street improvement project that is just wrapping up.

**OCCUPATION:** I am a former Franklin College professor and now run my own architectural photography business – Susan Fleck Photography.

**PERSONAL:** My husband, David Wantz, and I have lived in Homecroft for 32 years.

**Timothy E. Eickhoff (R) – At-Large**

**Z.D. Frizzell (R) – At-Large**

**Barbara K. Jones (R) – At-Large**

## GREENWOOD

**CITY COUNCIL: DISTRICT 1**  
**Matthew Smith (D)**



**BACKGROUND:** I graduated from Western Governors University with an MBA and earned the designation of Certified Safety Professional. I've served on Greenwood's Board of Zoning Appeals, Advisory Plan Commission and Overlay Committee for the last two years. I'm a professional member of the American Society of Safety Professionals.

**OCCUPATION:** I work as a Senior EHS Resource for PepsiCo.

**PERSONAL:** I was raised on the southwest side of Indianapolis but have been a proud resident of Greenwood for five years. I have a wife, Heather, and two children: Rory, 7 and Mia, 5, who both attend Northeast Elementary School.

**CITY COUNCIL: DISTRICT 1**  
**Linda Gibson (R)**



**BACKGROUND:** I have been the District 1 Council representative since 2008. I've served on both the board of The Social of Greenwood since 2009 and Greenwood Village South since 2010. I was selected for the Richard Lugar Excellence in Public Service Class of 2014-2015. My late husband, John, and I were the cofounders of Flags for Greenwood (FFG). I am a former board

member of Restore Old Town Greenwood.

**OCCUPATION:** I retired from Ernst & Young.

**PERSONAL:** My late husband, John, and I moved to Greenwood in 1967. I have two adult children, Susan Simmons and Stephen Gibson. I am a member of First Baptist Church.

**CITY COUNCIL: DISTRICT 2**  
**Jason Boudi (D)**



**BACKGROUND:** I have finished 20 years of military service and retired as a captain from the Air National Guard. If elected to serve as the Greenwood District 2 representative, I know that my military service will help me achieve my

two goals for Greenwood: making sure downtown Greenwood becomes a great place for families and stopping the continuous building of speculative warehouses.

**OCCUPATION:** I am currently employed by Eli Lilly as a Cyber Security Incident Investigator.

**PERSONAL:** I returned to Greenwood about five years ago. I enjoy spending time with my family and participating in Obstacle Course Races.

**CITY COUNCIL: DISTRICT 2**  
**Ezra Hill (R)**



**BACKGROUND:** I attended Roncalli High School and graduated from Purdue University. I was first elected to the Greenwood City Council in 2012 and have served two terms and seeking my third. I was a Restore Old Town Greenwood

president in 2016, served on the pool committee, which proposed Freedom Springs as well as two years on the Plan Commission. My primary focus for the last seven years has been on the downtown revitalization effort.

**OCCUPATION:** I am vice president and co-owner of Whalen Construction Co. with my brother, Austin.

**PERSONAL:** I grew up in Indianapolis and moved to Greenwood in 2002. I have two children, Alivia and David.

**CITY COUNCIL: DISTRICT 3**  
**Terri Roberts-Leonard (D)**



**BACKGROUND:** I graduated with a bachelor's degree from the University of Cincinnati and received master's degrees from Xavier University and Morehead State. As a member of the Greenwood Common Council, my aim is to create

opportunities for the city and its residents and open the door for innovative ways to strengthen, empower and protect the community.

**OCCUPATION:** I have a 14-year career in higher education, currently serving as the director of Diversity & Inclusion at Franklin College.

**PERSONAL:** I am a seven-year resident of Greenwood and District 3. I'm originally from Dayton, OH. I am a foster parent and live with my husband, Eddie.

**CITY COUNCIL: DISTRICT 3**  
**Michael Williams (R)**



**CITY COUNCIL: DISTRICT 6**  
**David J. Lekse (R)**



**BACKGROUND:** I'm a graduate of UIndy and the I.U. School of Law. I was elected to the council in 2015. On the council, I've opposed "growth at any cost" measures. I put citizens first, assessing proposals on an individual basis, supporting development that would bring better jobs and opposing those that may impair quality of life, such as by impacting traffic. My priorities include improving traffic, lowering taxes and focusing on "smart growth."

**OCCUPATION:** As a former CPA and now an attorney, I represent Greenwood people and businesses.

**PERSONAL:** My wife, Denise, and our sons have lived in Greenwood since 1993.

**CITY COUNCIL: DISTRICT 6**  
**Kyle R. Swain (D)**



**BACKGROUND:** I have a bachelor's degree with concentrations in political science, economics and history and a business certificate from the Kelly School of Business. I've served on the Greenwood Common Council since 2012. I also serve on the Greenwood Redevelopment Commission. Some of my goals include working on affordable housing, city connectivity through trails and pathways, keeping unique Greenwood design and culture, inclusivity and supporting our public services as the firefighters and police.

**OCCUPATION:** I'm a key account manager – Domestic and International – at Airtomic LLC.

**PERSONAL:** I've lived in Greenwood for 27 years.

**CITY COUNCIL: AT-LARGE**  
**Michael Campbell (R)**



**BACKGROUND:** I graduated from Manual High School and received a bachelor's degree from Indiana Wesleyan University in business management and earned a master's degree from Indiana Baptist College. Currently, I am the president of the Greenwood Common Council and serve on the Greenwood Redevelopment Commission (RDC). Previously, I served on the Greenwood Board of Zoning Appeals & Plan Commission and with the Old Town Revitalization Committee for the city of Greenwood.

**OCCUPATION:** Retired

**PERSONAL:** I was born in Indianapolis. My wife, Maggie, and I moved to Greenwood in 1990. We have two children and four grandchildren. I am a member of New Life Baptist Church of Franklin.

**CITY COUNCIL: AT-LARGE**  
**Robert Dine (R)**

**CITY COUNCIL: AT-LARGE**  
**Bradley Pendleton (R)**



**BACKGROUND:** I graduated from Greenwood High School in 2009 and graduated from Indiana University-Bloomington, where I graduated in 2013 with a degree in public finance. I am a member of the Indiana University Alumni Association. I believe that my background in public finance, working in state government and living in Greenwood my entire life provides me with the experience needed to effectively serve and represent the citizens of Greenwood.

**OCCUPATION:** I am the assistant director of Non-public Schools for the Indiana Department of Education.

**PERSONAL:** I currently live in Greenwood and have lived here for 28 years. I am a member of Greenwood Christian Church.

## GREENWOOD UNCONTESTED

**GREENWOOD CITY: MAYOR**  
**Mark W. Myers (R)**

**CITY COUNCIL: DISTRICT 4**  
**Ronald Bates (R)**

**CITY COUNCIL: DISTRICT 5**  
**David J. Hopper (R)**

**GREENWOOD CITY: COURT JUDGE**  
**Lewis J. Gregory (R)**

**GREENWOOD CITY: CLERK**  
**Jeannine Myers (R)**

## INDIANAPOLIS

**Indianapolis-Marion County Mayor**  
**Joe Hogsett (D)**



**WHY DO YOU WANT TO BE RE-ELECTED AS MAYOR?** I have laid out a plan that will invest \$400 million on Indy's roads, streets and sidewalks over the next few years. This year we will direct nearly \$4 million to grassroots organizations and neighborhood-based efforts that are working to tackle the root causes of violent crime. We focus on programs that holistically address substance abuse and mental illness, including the opening of the Reuben Engagement Center, where those in crises can be diverted from the criminal justice system and connected to wraparound services and treatment programs. We have seen major investment in Indianapolis, including thousands of new jobs brought into our city.

**WHAT ARE YOUR QUALIFICATIONS TO BE MAYOR?** I was elected as Indianapolis mayor in November 2015. Previously, I served as a federal prosecutor for the Southern District of Indiana for four years. I launched the office's first Public Corruption Working Group, a Civil Rights Task Force, as well as a groundbreaking Violent Crime Initiative focused on punishing illegally-armed felons. I served for six years as Indiana's Secretary of State and I have more than 20 years of experience in the private



practice of law.

**WHAT ARE THREE PRIORITIES THAT YOU WOULD LIKE TO ACHIEVE IF ELECTED MAYOR?**

1. Improving our infrastructure.
2. Increasing public safety & criminal justice reform.
3. Creating a city where prosperity and opportunities are attainable for all. I launched Indy Achieves, an education program providing millions in scholarships and grants to low-income students attending Ivy Tech and IUPUI, helping to increase the number of Marion County residents qualified for the jobs of the 21st century.

**Indianapolis-Marion County Mayor**  
**Douglas John McNaughton (L)**



**WHY DO YOU WANT TO BE ELECTED AS MAYOR?** I am running for mayor of Indianapolis for three basic reasons: Indianapolis deserves to have real choices in whom they choose to run this city. I believe strongly in the old adage of

teaching a man to fish, although I don't mind sharing the fish during the learning curve. I believe I can do a better job of improving the economic and social climate of this city because I believe in doing what works, not simply what a political party or existing organization would have me do.

**WHAT ARE YOUR QUALIFICATIONS TO BE MAYOR?** I think that by being an automation engineer instead of a career politician, I am uniquely qualified by my diverse experience and professional eye for systems integration. I do not have tunnel vision when it comes to seeing potential in our city. I am a life member of the Libertarian Party.

**WHAT ARE THREE PRIORITIES THAT YOU WOULD LIKE TO ACHIEVE IF ELECTED MAYOR?**

1. Many studies have reported that it is more cost effective to reach out to at-risk youth than it is to jail them after the crimes have been committed and habits forms. We need to stop putting non-violent offenders and victimless crime offenders behind bars and spend those dollars on rehabilitation.
2. Many cities in Central and South America address homelessness directly by having homeless encampments that are very close to main lines of public transportation, along with having centers of assistance, with job training and placement services also close by. These services would also include a mental health screening.
3. I would propose road funding allocation not only be based on lane miles, but also on the construction criteria as well. A road built to an 80-ton standard will clearly have more commercial traffic that a road built to a 30-ton standard.

**Indianapolis-Marion County Mayor**  
**James W. Merritt Jr. (R)**



**WHY DO YOU WANT TO BECOME MAYOR?** After record homicides in the last three years and not seeing a change of course from the current mayor, I decided I needed to step up. Infrastructure, public safety and pride in the city are my concerns and the concerns of most citizens. I have proven leadership qualities that have come from serving as an elected state senator for many years which I will bring to the mayor's office.

**WHAT ARE YOUR QUALIFICATIONS TO BE MAYOR?** I have private sector experience running a company

with 160 employees. I serve in leadership at the Indiana Statehouse. And I have written legislation addressing major concerns in Indianapolis and in Indiana and understand what needs to be done to serve all citizens of Indianapolis. Homelessness, hunger, abandoned houses and drug addiction are poisons to a community and issues that must be addressed.

**WHAT ARE THREE PRIORITIES THAT YOU WOULD LIKE TO ACHIEVE IF ELECTED MAYOR?**

1. Public safety. I want to return to the days where people can walk around without concern for safety.
2. I will create a bona-fide infrastructure plan for our roads. This plan will allow Indianapolis to thrive for decades to come.
3. I will emphasize job retention, new job creation and additional economic development for our capitol city. I will work with businesses and schools to enhance workforce development throughout Indianapolis. One of my top priorities will be to make Indianapolis the best city to live, work and raise a family.

**Indianapolis-Marion County City Council**  
**DISTRICT 16**

**Laura Giffel (R)**



**BACKGROUND:** I've served on the neighborhood association board as treasurer, vice president and currently in my second year as president. During this time, I've led the efforts to restructure the board and is proud of the work to achieve tax-exempt status as a 501(c)3 charitable organization and ensure the financial stability of the organization.

**OCCUPATION:** I am a licensed mental health counselor and board-certified behavior analyst at a local nonprofit clinic. I work daily with the most needy children in our area to help their families grow.

**PERSONAL:** I have been a resident of Bates-Hendricks in Center Township for the past five years.

**DISTRICT 16**  
**Kristin Jones (D)**



**BACKGROUND:** I am running for City-County Council because I love my community. I have served as a volunteer for Mary Rigg Neighborhood Center, Concord Center, West Indy Public Library, our local churches and Riley Children's Hospital. If you don't know anything about me, please remember two things: I am relentless; I get results! I look forward to continuing my service to our community.

**OCCUPATION:** I am the director of Community Engagement at The Julian Center.

**PERSONAL:** I've lived in Center Township for 25 years with my husband and two children.

**DISTRICT 16**  
**Mike Smith (Green)**



**BACKGROUND:** I am a U.S. Army veteran, a member of the OSSNA Land Use team, a member of the S.E. Land Use Task Force and a proud member of the S.E. Working Class Task Force, as well as a volunteer chaplain. I am running

to fight for the working class, against special interests, to remind the government that it works for us and to build a true, viable and organic community. It's time to end the failed two-party system.

**OCCUPATION:** I am a culinary supervisor chef.

**PERSONAL:** I have lived in Center Township for over 16 years.

**Indianapolis-Marion County City Council**  
**DISTRICT 18**

**Duane Ingram (D)**



**BACKGROUND:** I am excited to bring my over 13 years of experience in community development to the council. I've helped build strong communities, grow businesses, create jobs and fight for safe neighborhoods.

**OCCUPATION:** I am the Chief Operating Officer for a growing security company.

**PERSONAL:** I have been a resident of Warren Township for over six years. I've been married to my wife, Daarina Ingram, for 13 years now, and we have one fur baby named Gracie.

**DISTRICT 18**  
**Michael-Paul Hart (R)**



**BACKGROUND:** I am a local advocate whose priority is the citizens of Indianapolis. Knowing first-hand the challenges of working full time while trying to raise a family and attend college, I worked eight years to graduate college. I am running because I have a strong work ethic and am well organized. My goals are making our city safer and improving our infrastructure.

**OCCUPATION:** I am a senior consultant for VMware, a global technology company and a small business owner.

**PERSONAL:** I am a lifelong resident of Marion County and a proud father and family man.

**DISTRICT 20**  
**Jason Holliday (R)**



**BACKGROUND:** I graduated from Decatur Central High School, as well as Franklin College. Within government, I was elected to serve on the Indianapolis-Marion County City-County Council, several terms on the Decatur Township Board and elected to serve as the Decatur Township assessor. I spent several years as one of the township administrators for the city of Indianapolis.

**OCCUPATION:** I've worked in various capacities in both the private and governmental sectors. Within the private sector, I've been vice president of a company in charge of its day-to-day operations, as well as success.

**PERSONAL:** I am a lifelong resident of the southwest side of Indianapolis.

**Candidates give credit to those behind the scenes**



Donny Jones devotes his time to his wife's, Kristin Jones, campaign. (Submitted photo)

*"My unsung hero is my husband, Donny Jones, and he has truly been the heartbeat of our campaign. In addition to working full-time, Donny has spent countless hours each day making this campaign possible and I could not have done this without him! From organizing and leading volunteer canvasses to talk to voters, to managing our social media channels, to producing campaign literature and designing our billboards and yard signs, to managing our budget, setting our schedule and inputting data, there is no job too big or too small for him."*

— Kristin Jones,  
Indianapolis-Marion County  
City Council District 16

*"Carol Bowling has been my unsung hero for my campaign. She has encouraged me and made sure that I had things finished on time. In addition, she has put up signs and walked the streets with me."*

— Susan Hancock,  
Southport City Council,  
District 4

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Rick  
**SKIRVIN**  
Mayor



Chris  
**DUFFER**  
Clerk-Treasurer

# WE ARE BEECH GROVE.



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**DISTRICT 20****Phil Webster (D)**

**BACKGROUND:** I have a bachelor's degree from Milligan College and a master's degree from Purdue University. I am a member of the Indiana High School Baseball Coach's Hall of Fame. I want to stand up for the people of the southwest side of Indianapolis, so they get a fair return on their taxes in government services that improve the quality of their lives.

**OCCUPATION:** I am a retired social studies teacher and currently the varsity baseball coach at Southport High School.

**PERSONAL:** I am married to Lorrie and we have three children and six grandchildren.

**DISTRICT 21****Frank Mascari (D)**

**BACKGROUND:** I am past president of the Beech Grove Lions Club. I've also helped coach Beech Grove Little League. I was inducted into the Beech Grove Wall of Fame at the high school.

**OCCUPATION:** I have owned and operated Spalding Jewelers on Main Street in Beech Grove for over 36 years.

**PERSONAL:** I'm a lifelong resident of Beech Grove. I've been married to Mary Mascari for 43 years. We have three children and five grandchildren.

**DISTRICT 21****Tyler Richardson (R)**

**BACKGROUND:** I'm a community advocate on the southeast side. I'm a member of the Southeast Neighborhoods Economic Development team and a member of the Marion County Bipartisan Infrastructure Commission aimed at

finding solutions to repair and maintain the city's roads, sidewalks and alleys.

**OCCUPATION:** I'm a small business owner and a Certified Public Accountant.

**PERSONAL:** I've lived in the Fountain Square neighborhood for four years.

**DISTRICT 23****Paul Annee (R)**

**BACKGROUND:** I serve as a board member on the Greater Southside Business Alliance, Citizens Alliance for Public Safety and am a member of the Kiwanis Club of Perry Township. I've been endorsed by the Indianapolis Fraternal Order of Police Lodge #86, the Indianapolis Professional Firefighters Local 416 and former Marion County Sheriff Joseph G. McAtee. If elected, I have one clear objective: Putting the Southside first.

**OCCUPATION:** I serve as the Public Information Officer of the Marion County Agriculture Fair Association and a civilian with the Marion County Sheriff's Office.

**PERSONAL:** I am a lifelong resident of the city's Southside.

**DISTRICT 23****Beverly McDermott-Piazza (D)**

**BACKGROUND:** I have a degree in business from the University of Maryland. I will have town hall meetings to help enable residents to find solutions and be made aware of city resources. I will also educate senior citizens on how to obtain healthy meal delivery services.

**OCCUPATION:** I worked as a civilian for the Air Force as a public relations specialist. I worked at Call 6 for Help at WRTV, channel 6, to help resolve scams and cut through red tape.

**PERSONAL:** I grew up and attended school in Beech Grove. I have an adult daughter, Stephanie, who recently completed her residency toward a PhD in business administration at Indiana Wesleyan University.

**DISTRICT 24****Ben Brown (D)**

**BACKGROUND:** I attended both St. Jude Catholic School and Roncalli High School. I am a member of the Catholic Business Network and Greater Lawrence Chamber of Commerce. I am a Marion County Fair Board member.

I will be a proactive councilor and make sure residents have access to me and their concerns addressed through town halls. I will be a voice for the Southside.

**OCCUPATION:** I'm an account manager (outside sales) for Office360.

**PERSONAL:** I'm a lifelong Southsider. I've lived in Perry Manor for 15 years. I've been married for 32 years to Mary Jo (Boyce) Brown and have a daughter, Madeline, a senior at Purdue University.

**DISTRICT 24****Michael Dilk (R)**

**BACKGROUND:** I graduated from Perry Meridian High School and the University of Indianapolis. I served on the Perry Township Fire Merit Board. I am deeply committed to the Southside and my focus will be on public safety, economic development and infrastructure in our community.

**OCCUPATION:** I have spent my career in finance, real estate and property management, giving me an extensive understanding of budgets and best business practices.

**PERSONAL:** I am a lifelong resident of Perry Township and raised my family here. For recreation, I've enjoyed "manning the chairs" at UIndy and Perry Meridian football games for over 20 years. I have a black belt in Taekwondo.

**DISTRICT 25****Justin Braun (D)**

**BACKGROUND:** I attended St. Simon the Apostle and Scecina Memorial High School. I graduated from Ball State University in 2005 with a bachelors' degree in Information Systems Management. After contributions to the Indiana workforce, I returned to school, graduating from IUPUI with a master's degree in edu-

cational technology.

**OCCUPATION:** I serve as the technology director for Paramount Schools of Excellence.

**PERSONAL:** I've lived in Franklin Township for two years with my wife, Erin, and our three children: Caleb, CJ and Leon.

**DISTRICT 25****Brian Mowery (R)****SOUTHPORT****CITY COUNCIL: DISTRICT 1****Diana S. Bossingham (R)**

**BACKGROUND:** I feel that my experience as clerk-treasurer will allow me to serve the business owners and residents in my district well. I have worked closely with the Redevelopment Commission since its formation and have been instrumental in creating our own stormwater utility. I've worked closely with Chief Thomas Vaughn, Mayor Russell McClure and Councilman Jim Cooney in building our new municipal complex and most recently with the renovation of our community center.

**OCCUPATION:** I have served as Southport Clerk-Treasurer for two terms.

**PERSONAL:** I've been married to Kerry Bossingham for 21 years. I have five children, 11 grandchildren, one great-grandson and two dogs.

**CITY COUNCIL: DISTRICT 1****Jeff Vogt (IND)**

**BACKGROUND:** I am running for city council because I believe now is a perfect time to move forward with developing downtown Southport in a way that highlights its history and charm. I joined the Indiana Army National Guard as a radio repair specialist at age 17. I then earned a mechanical engineering degree from IUPUI and later graduated with an BBA in finance from Indiana University.

**OCCUPATION:** I have over 10 years of experience in project management, financial analysis and contract negotiations.

**PERSONAL:** I grew up in central Indiana.

**CITY COUNCIL: DISTRICT 4****Susan Hancock (IND)**

**BACKGROUND:** I am an alumnus of Southport High School and graduated from the University of Indianapolis. My life has been devoted to helping children and youth through teaching, scouts, as a youth leader, leading mission trips and after-school clubs. Repairing storm sewers, resurfacing streets and having a balanced budget are important to me. My goal is to make Southport great for current and future generations.

**OCCUPATION:** I am a special education teacher.

**PERSONAL:** I have lived in Southport for 31 years with my husband, Rick. Our children, Michael and Rachel, attended Southport Elementary, Southport Middle School and Southport High School.

**CITY COUNCIL: DISTRICT 4****Larry Tunget (R)**

**BACKGROUND:** I have served District 4 for two terms and am seeking to serve a third. I am a veteran of the U.S. Air Force. I am a treasurer for Disabled American Veterans and have a degree in electrical engineering from Purdue University.

**OCCUPATION:** I'm a local entrepreneur who has started a number of businesses and currently serve as CFO of Free State Firearms Training.

**PERSONAL:** My wife, former Southport Mayor Nannette Tunget, and I have lived in Southport for 49 years. I enjoy golfing and serving the citizens of Southport.

**CITY COUNCIL: AT-LARGE****William J. Leber Jr. (IND)**

**BACKGROUND:** I am a Rose-Hulman graduate. I understand the infrastructure challenges facing local government. I am vice president of the Southport Redevelopment Commission and I now serve as president of the building corporation formed by the city of Southport to finance the new Municipal Building.

**OCCUPATION:** I am a civil engineer and have worked for Wessler Engineering on the Southside for 20 years and I'm head of their stormwater department.

**PERSONAL:** My wife, Shannon, and I have lived in Southport for 19 years. We have two daughters who attend Southport schools.

**CITY COUNCIL: AT-LARGE****Charles James Lynch (R)**

**BACKGROUND:** I'd like to see cleaner streets, better codes enforcement regarding vehicles and mobile homes, more transparency in city government, more support for downtown businesses, lower taxes and less red tape for permits. I would like to see the speed limit in Southport raised to 25 miles per hour on the main thoroughfares. We need a city that is moving forward and is ready to face the future.

**OCCUPATION:** I worked for Ford Motor Company for 41 years.

**PERSONAL:** I've lived in Southport for 47 years with my wife, Yvonne. We have two daughters, a son, two grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. My interests include old cars and going to car shows.

**SOUTHPORT UNCONTESTED****SOUTHPORT: MAYOR****James A. Cooney (R)****SOUTHPORT: CITY CLERK-TREASURER****Diane O'Neal Buchanan (R)****CITY COUNCIL: DISTRICT 2****Carol Bowling (R)****CITY COUNCIL: DISTRICT 3****Joseph Haley, Jr. (R)**





Beech Grove Mayor Dennis Buckley announces that Milestone Contractors will be relocating to the city. (Photo by Angela Morefield)

## Milestone Contractors to relocate to Beech Grove

### City also plans for new roundabout at Victory Drive and Emerson Avenue

#### FEATURE

By Angela Morefield

Milestone Contractors, an Indianapolis-based contracting and construction firm, will be moving its headquarters to Beech Grove. In addition, the city will be constructing a roundabout located at Emerson Avenue and Victory Drive.

Beech Grove Mayor Dennis Buckley announced the plans during a press conference held Oct. 22 at Beech Grove City Hall.

Milestone, with six offices in Indiana, will construct a new office on a portion of a 115-acre former rail yard off Emerson Avenue and Subway Street. Milestone will move its 110 employees at its Indianapolis office on South Belmont Avenue to the new location. The company will create 25 new jobs paying an average wage of \$37.10 per hour, plus benefits. The company's relocation to Beech Grove will be the first phase of redevelopment for the property formerly owned by freight rail and transport company CSX.

A subsidiary of The Heritage Group, Milestone will spend \$11 million to build the new headquarters' facility and maintenance hub that will include a 25,000-square-foot office and a 52,000-square-foot garage, according to documents from the Department of Metropolitan Development. Milestone received

preliminary approval for a five-year abatement for 100 percent of its property taxes, excluding manufacturing equipment, from the Metropolitan Development Commission, Buckley said. The Beech Grove City Council approved a resolution in support of the abatement.

The company will take up 30-50 acres of the site for phase 1 redevelopment. Construction is expected to begin before the end of this year and conclude by the end of 2021.

City leaders are applying for funding from INDOT to construct the new roundabout near I-465. The announcement for the roundabout comes after increased accidents at Emerson Avenue and Victory Drive. INDOT has recently ranked the intersection the most dangerous in Marion County and the surrounding counties.

"They're going to have to look into this. It's gotten to the point where you just sit there, and a lot of people don't even go on Emerson anymore. They go up 9th Avenue to Thompson Road and come across," Buckley said. "Over the next five years the traffic in that area is going to increase by over 30 percent."

The roundabout would be one of the busiest in Beech Grove, Buckley noted, and would help to ease traffic on both streets and prevent accidents.

Beech Grove was the first city in Marion County to have a roundabout, located at Sherman Drive and Albany Street.

#### AROUND TOWN



### Mary Bryan Chapter of DAR recognizes American Indian Heritage month

**Heritage** – The Mary Bryan Chapter of DAR recognizes American Indian Heritage with a display at Southport Indianapolis Public Library. Pictured are Cathy Pollachek receiving a signed proclamation from Southport Mayor, Russell McClure, stating November as American Indian Heritage month.



### Delta Theta Tau presents check to Circles of Love

**Donation** – Delta Theta Tau Sorority member and Artisan Holiday Market chairperson, Helen Fisher, presented a check to members of Circles of Love, a nonprofit organization that provides smocks and mattress covers to local NICUs, in addition to supporting other local needs. Pictured, from left to right: Ardie McFerron-Hines, Kathy Cowley, Helen Fisher, Sherry Wilkerson and Sherri Barley. The Nu Tau Chapter raises funds to distribute to charities throughout Perry Township, Franklin Township and Johnson County by hosting their annual Artisan Holiday Market at Beech Grove High School the Saturday after Thanksgiving. The craft fair this year is Nov. 30 from 9 a.m.-3 p.m.



### Keenan Stahl Boys & Girls Club receives \$10,000 from American Legion Post 355

**Donation** – Bob White, president of Keenan Stahl Boys & Girls Club at 1949 E. Troy Ave., Indianapolis, received a \$10,000 donation from American Legion Post 355 SAL Commander Tim Kirkpatrick (on left) and SAL Finance Officer Mark Duhamell (on right). Post 355 is located at 7610 S. Meridian St., Indianapolis.



(Photo by Jeff Udrasols)

### Perry Township Kiwanis changes handshake tradition

**Perry Kiwanis** – Incoming and outgoing leadership of the Perry Township Kiwanis club decided to forgo the traditional single handshake in favor of a group handclasp. The action, taken during their recent installation, reflects the new structure at the top: Co-presidents Dale Nordholt (left) and Scott Splichal (right) assume the reins from outgoing President Les Branham. Other officers and directors remain in place.



## The verbal recipe for a successful résumé

### GRAMMAR GUY

By Curtis Honeycutt

Your résumé (or curriculum vitae, if you speak Latin) can be like a key that unlocks the door to an interview for your dream job. Alternately, it can be the thing that prevents you from even getting a phone call. You don't have to have a funky design, nor do you need to attach a pair of Hamiltons to your résumé with a paper clip. Instead, drop in some well-placed success verbs and you'll be on your way.

According to corporate success guru Marc Cenedella, action words aren't enough. Instead, he suggests, use what Cenedella calls "success verbs" to strengthen your résumé. When listing your work history accomplishments, use bullet points. Follow each bullet point with an energetic verb that packs a powerful punch. After each success verb, add a specific numerical value for your career ac-

complishment. That's the basic formula: bullet point, success verb, numerical data.

First, let's focus on some tired, weak verbs most of us have on our résumés. Words like "managed," "led," "established" and "performed" are boring and overused. Just because you did these things doesn't mean you were any good at them. When you do this, you're basically just listing your job description, not your job accomplishments. You need to show that you have excelled in your field; using these verbs does you no favors and does not help you stand out among a crowded field of candidates.

Let's shift our focus to the magical words that can help get you hired. Cenedella lists 25 specific, compelling verbs: accelerated, achieved, added, awarded, changed, contributed, decreased, delivered, eliminated, exceeded, expanded, gained, generated, grew, improved, increased, introduced, maximized, minimized, optimized, produced, reduced, saved, sold and streamlined. These

verbs possess vigor and translate to bottom-line organizational impact.

Now all you have to do is follow these verbs with a measurable statistic that will impress the socks off your potential employer; easier said than done. While you certainly don't want to suggest anything untrue in your résumé, you should be creative and think of all the ways you had a positive impact on each organization for which you worked. You can write an effective energetic résumé; just ditch that thesaurus and use this list of success verbs instead. It's time to make it happen.



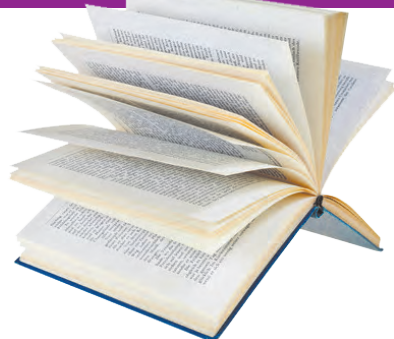
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### IN OUR SCHOOLS



#### Ameis captures sectional title

**Athletics** – Roncalli senior Kathleen Ameis shot a career-best 75 (+3) to win the White-land girls golf sectional at The Legends. Ameis won the title by two shots over Center Grove's Lauren Pagel. Roncalli's team finished fourth in the nine-team field and were only 12 shots shy of a top-three finish and a team spot in the regional. "Kathleen has worked hard on the mental side of her game and today it paid off," said Roncalli girls golf head coach John Stelzel. "She did a great job of staying focused on the next shot and not thinking of things she couldn't control, and as a result, she beat some very, very good players." Ameis is the 13th player in Roncalli girls golf history to win a sectional title and the first since Kristin Foresman won the 2014 Sectional title.



#### Indiana Farm Bureau and Marion County Farm Bureau donate books to Hornet Park Elementary

**Donation** – Marion County Farm Bureau donated a copy of Indiana Farm Bureau's 2019 Book of the Year to Hornet Park Elementary children. The book, *Compost Stew: An A to Z Recipe for the Earth*, was hand delivered to the classroom. Several Marion County Farm Bureau volunteers and Indiana Farm Bureau employees visited the school to read this year's book to each classroom and discuss the environmental benefits of composting. The book was written by Mary McKenna Sidals and illustrated by Ashely Wolff. INFB's Book of the Year is a part of the organization's Agriculture in the Classroom program, a grassroots agricultural outreach program for school children in grades Pre-K through 12. This year's state book is also the American Farm Bureau Federation's 2019 Book of the Year. Visit [infb.org/INFBAGEd](http://infb.org/INFBAGEd) to learn more about the Agriculture in the Classroom curriculum and classroom activities.



#### Clinton Young Elementary students receive free books

**Reading program** – Students at Clinton Young Elementary are becoming bookworms thanks to the generosity of community partners. Pictured (not in order): Edward Acosta-Banegas, Emely Argueta Argueta, Kristiana Blakey, Draven Cook, Yahir Diaz-Valencia, Rashuad Ewing, Helen Flores-Menez, Jayden Green, Shelby Gregory, Kimberly Guzman, Leairah Hall, Bryce Hogan, Justine Holden-Reynolds, Andres Ignacio, Juan Martinez, Alison Martinez-Gomez, Ashley Martinez-Reyes, Gerson Padilla Tejada, Brandon Salinas, Azul Santiago Perez, Peyton Settles, Mykal Soliz-Banegas, Kailyn Spence, Diamond Walker and Hayden Wise. Each month, students in Heather Risley's fifth-grade class will receive a book of their own to take home through the "Adopt a Reader" program. The goal of the program is to encourage literacy and a love of reading.

### Puzzle Time Answers

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#### Answers to HOOSIER HODGEPODGE:

**Teams:** ALABAMA, CLEMSON, FLORIDA, LSU, OHIO STATE, OKLAHOMA;

**Questions:** WHAT, WHEN, WHERE, WHO, WHY;

**Brands:** CHRYSLER, DODGE, JEEP, RAM;

**Holidays:** HANUKKAH, SHABBAT, YOM KIPPUR;

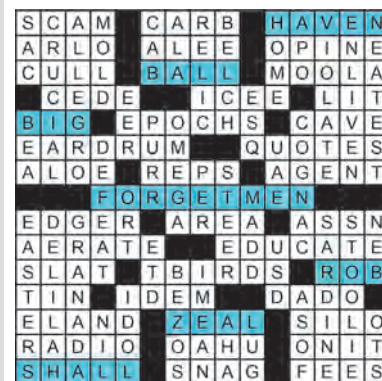
**Artists:** VAN GOGH, WARHOL;

**Garden:** HOLCOMB

### Southside New Quiz

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1. C, 2. B, 3. A, 4. B, 5. D



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5	8	7	2	9	1	6	4	3
6	2	3	5	8	4	9	7	1
4	1	9	7	6	3	2	8	5



AROUND TOWN



**South Grove hosts Learning Garden Workshop**

**Workshop** – South Grove Intermediate School recently hosted the quarterly Learning Garden Workshop, put on by Big Green. Teachers from Beech Grove, Perry, Warren, IPS and beyond visited the cafeteria and garden for a fun and informative training that covered harvesting sweet potatoes and popping corn, caring for fall and winter garden beds and prepping for the excitement of spring. If you are interested in helping with the South Grove Learning Garden, please email Kelly Agee at kagee@bgcs.k12.in.us.

**Beech Grove Lions Club receives Nonprofit Organization of the Year award**

**Award** – The Beech Grove Lions Club received the award for Nonprofit Organization of the Year at the Beech Grove Chamber of Commerce’s 2019 Annual Dinner held Oct. 18 at Primo Banquet & Conference Center. Pictured is Beech Grove Lions President Mike Pence. Beech Grove Lions has participated in many activities, including Music on Main, Wednesday night community dinners, the Beech Grove Arts Festival and Beech Grove Street Clean Up. The club also presents annual scholarships to BGHS students and is one of the founding partners of the BGHS Renaissance program.



**Kirchhofer named assistant majority floor leader for Indiana House Republican Caucus**

**Political role** – State Rep. Cindy Kirchhofer (R-Beech Grove) was recently named assistant majority floor leader for the Indiana House Republican Caucus. In this position, Kirchhofer will assist the majority floor leader and work closely with her fellow caucus members on legislative priorities. “I am eager to take on this new role,” Kirchhofer said. “Over the last several years, House Republicans led the way on passing many sound policies making Indiana the best place to live, work and raise a family. I am committed to building on this momentum, while working on behalf of the best interest of our community.”



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In addition, the canvas of our papers will shrink somewhat. Feedback we received after a press test was incredibly positive, and so we made the decision to change.

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Let me know your thoughts at rick@icontimes.com, and, as always, thank you for reading the SST.

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## QUOTE OF THE WEEK

*"If people don't vote, everything stays the same. You can protest until the sky turns yellow or the moon turns blue, and it's not going to change anything if you don't vote."*

– Dolores Huerta, American activist



HUMOR



TOP 10 SCARIEST HALLOWEEN TREATS

By Torry Stiles

10. Melted Milk Balls
9. Eminems
8. Three Musty Deers
7. Chocolate Trumps
6. Fotsie Rolls
5. Peppermint Salmon Patty
4. Sneakers
3. Jelly Pork Bellies
2. Carmel Cop Porn
1. Spittles



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FROM THE EDITOR

Town hall meeting to be held Nov. 6 to raise awareness of impact of underage drinking

According to the 2016 National Survey on Drug Use and Health, about 7.3 million – or one in five – 12-20-year-olds reported drinking alcohol during the past month. Those who do consume alcohol are at risk for negative consequences, including the following, according to mayoclinic.org:

- **Alcohol-related fatalities**, including traffic crashes, teen drownings, suicides and murders.
- **Sexual activity**. Teens who drink tend to become sexually active earlier and more likely to have unprotected sex.
- **School problems**. Teens tend to have more academic and conduct problems.
- **Alcoholism**. Young teens who drink are more likely to develop alcohol dependence.
- **Violent crime**. Teens who drink are more likely to be hurt in a violent crime, such as rape, assault or robbery.

A town hall meeting on Nov. 6 at Franklin Community High School, hosted by Upstream Prevention in Greenwood, is scheduled to raise awareness of the impact of underage drinking and provide action steps that parents and guardians can take to help prevent underage drinking.

Research suggests that parents who talk with their teens about alcohol avoidance strategies before they began their first year of college were more likely to avoid alcohol, limit its use and spend less time with heavy-drinking peers. As well, a majority of teens identify parental expectations as one of the biggest factors in their decision not to drink.

This event is held in collaboration with the Empower Johnson County, and with space provided by Franklin Community School Corporation. The Communities Talk: Town Hall Meeting to Prevent Underage Drinking is a national campaign. To learn more about this initiative, go to [stopalcoholabuse.gov/townhallmeetings](http://stopalcoholabuse.gov/townhallmeetings) and join the online conversation, #CommunitiesTalk and #CommunitiesTalkFranklin.

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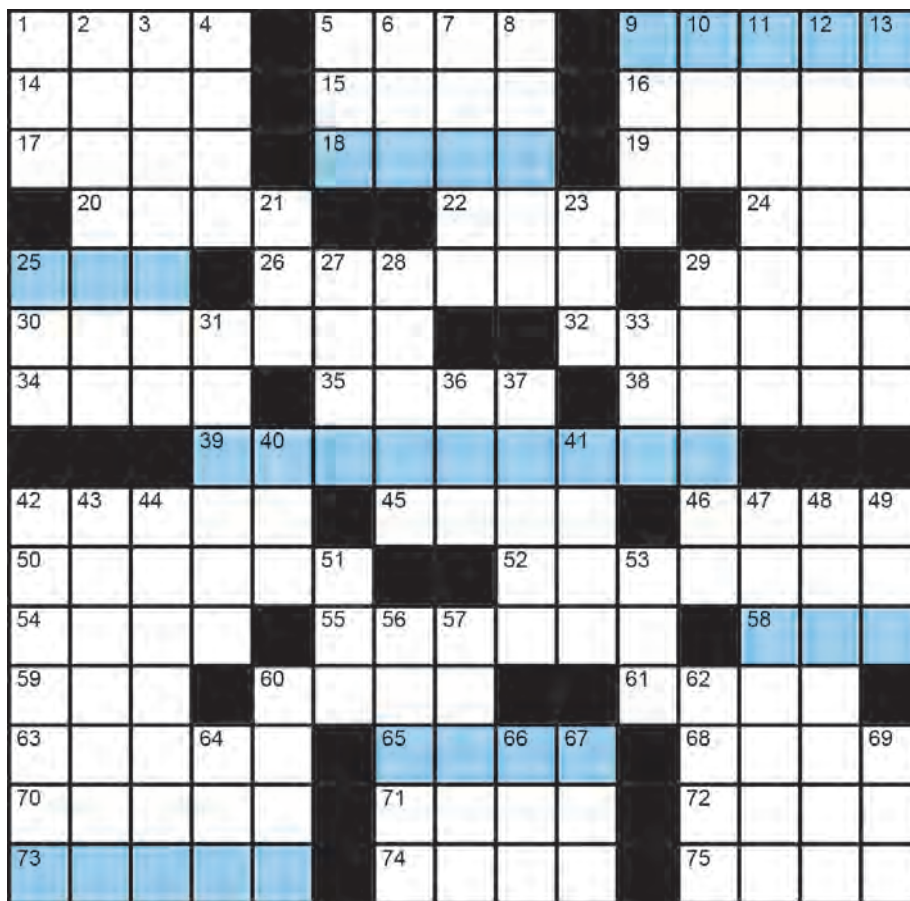
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- 5. Atkins Diet no-no
- 9. Refuge/Needy people
- 14. A Guthrie
- 15. Nautical term
- 16. Speak one's mind
- 17. Glean
- 18. Sphere/Voting slips
- 19. Greenbacks
- 20. Relinquish
- 22. Frozen treat
- 24. Afire
- 25. Huge/Intolerant ones
- 26. Indiana Geological Survey periods
- 29. Marengo, e.g.
- 30. Tympanic membrane
- 32. Marks common in *The Southside Times* stories
- 34. Lotion additive
- 35. Indiana Statehouse VIPs
- 38. Colt's contract negotiator
- 39. Words to a gal pal after a breakup/Blue flowers
- 42. Hoosier Lawn Care tool
- 45. Carpet Country calculation
- 46. Org.
- 50. Make bubbly
- 52. Teach
- 54. Blind part
- 55. Classic Fords
- 58. Mug/Automatons
- 59. Mrs. Fields cookie container
- 60. Footnote abbr. in a Center Grove HS paper
- 61. Carpentry joint
- 63. African antelope
- 65. Fervor/Extremists
- 68. Farm structure
- 70. Emmis business
- 71. Hawaiian island
- 72. "Step \_\_\_!"
- 73. Will/Mild onions



- 74. White River fishing-line mishap
  - 75. Merchants Bank charges
- DOWN**
- 1. Kings, on a Bankers Life Fieldhouse scoreboard
  - 2. Very important
  - 3. Swiftly, to the ISO
  - 4. Jell-O shaper
  - 5. Indianapolis Taxi vehicle
  - 6. MCL dessert: pie \_\_\_ mode

- 7. Indiana State Museum piece
- 8. Big burp
- 9. Victory Field plate
- 10. GI address
- 11. Break, as laws
- 12. Pep up
- 13. Least sloppy
- 21. James Whitcomb Riley's "always"
- 23. Smart & Kessler lawyer's letters
- 25. Cole Porter's "\_\_\_ Clown"

- 27. Engine sound
- 28. IU frat letter
- 29. French brandy
- 31. Bring down the Greyhounds
- 33. Mideast inits.
- 36. Part of MPH
- 37. Johnson County Fair critter
- 40. Food scrap
- 41. None-for-the-road grp.
- 42. Spring holidays
- 43. Tom Jones hit
- 44. Alhambra's city
- 47. Catch crammed in a can
- 48. Snitch
- 49. Kan. neighbor
- 51. IND posting
- 53. EUR competitor
- 56. Amazon founder
- 57. "In other words..."
- 60. False god
- 62. Up to
- 64. Indy Eleven goose egg
- 66. "Eureka!"
- 67. Car nut
- 69. Pacers game add-ons ... and add-on that forms new words for the highlighted answers



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6 Top NCAA Football Teams

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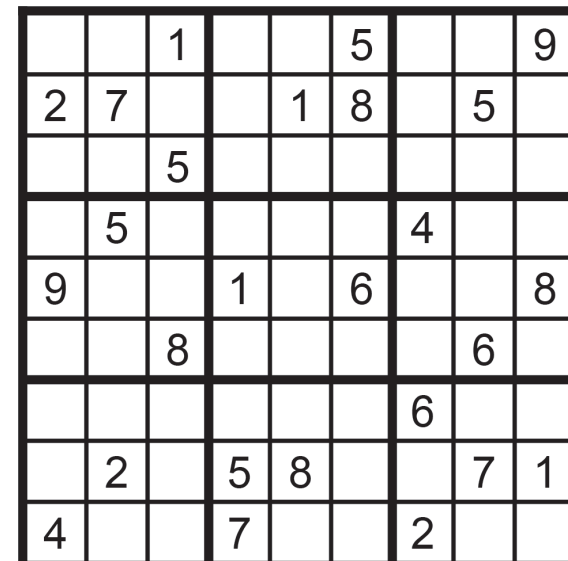
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Answers See page 18.

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**OBITUARIES**

**Clark Allen Buhneing**

Clark Allen Buhneing Jr., 44, of Indianapolis, died Oct. 26, 2019. He was born Dec. 8, 1974 in Beech Grove. Clark was a sports fan, he rooted for the Indianapolis Colts and Pacers. He enjoyed fishing and playing poker. Clark loved spending time with his family. He is preceded in death by father, Clark Allen Buhneing, Sr.; paternal grandfather, Max Louden; and maternal grandfather, Gene Frisbie. He is survived by his daughter, Bailey Bauer; mother, Susan Gil; sister, Heather (Corey Scanlan) Gil; brother, Brandon Gil; stepfather, Rudy Gil; paternal grandmother, Midge Louden; maternal grandmother, Nina Frisbie; step-grandmother, Maria Sparkman and granddaughter, Khloe Rose Califar; nieces, Dani and Paige; and his fur baby, Purdy. Visitation will be Nov. 1, 4-6 p.m. at G.H. Herrmann East Street Funeral Home, 1505 S. East St., Indianapolis, followed by a funeral service at 6 p.m.

**Harold Edwin Cook**

Harold Edwin Cook, 76, of Indianapolis, died Oct. 27, 2019. He was born March 1, 1943 in Indianapolis to the late Hershel and Iris (Taylor) Cook. Harold was a graduate of Harry E. Wood High School and later retired from OfficeWorks. He enjoyed being at home and working with his tools, especially woodworking. He loved his dogs, Brian the Boston and Benny. He was preceded in death by his son, Troy Cook; and sister, Jean Ellen Jewell. Survivors include his wife of 35 years, Dollie (Tyree) Cook; children, Tamara Scales, Trevor Cook (Lisa) and Jennifer

Nanny; siblings, Arlie Cook (Annette) and Kirby Cook (Beverly); grandchildren, Michael Scales, Whitney Cook, Crystalyn Scales, Jesse Cook (Megan) and Jacob Nanny; great-grandchildren, Krista Allen, Devin Scales, Madison Pryce and Brenna Scales. Visitation will be Nov. 1, 11 a.m.-1 p.m. in Lauck & Veldhof Funeral & Cremation Services, with a prayer service at 1 p.m. Burial will follow in Mt. Pleasant Cemetery, Greenwood.

**Timothy J. Cravens**

Timothy J. Cravens, 84, of Whiteland, died Oct. 26, 2019. He was born April 26, 1935 in Indianapolis to the late William M. and Gertrude Glenn Cravens. He served in the United States Navy. He retired from the Indianapolis Police Department, earning his way to becoming a detective. He was an avid reader, enjoyed playing chess, woodworking and listening to classical music. He was preceded in death by his wife, Virginia; and two siblings. Survivors include his daughter, Dawn Acton; his son, Ryan Soard; and four grandchildren. There will be no public services. Arrangements have been entrusted to G.H. Herrmann Greenwood Funeral Home.

**Mary M. Enwright**

Mary M. "Moira" Enwright, 79, of Indianapolis, died Oct. 25, 2019. She was born Feb. 26, 1940 in Glasgow, Scotland to the late Andrew and Agnes (Ross) Burns. She was a knitter and had her work featured in McCall's magazine. Moira loved her Catholic faith and was a member of St. Pius X parish in Indianapolis. She loved bingo, bowling, game shows and cards. She was preceded in death by her siblings, Nancy O'Neil (Tommy) and Andy Burns (Mary). Survivors include her husband of 54 years, John T. Enwright; children, Andrea P. Doria (Joe), Monique E. Myers (Dan), Joanne Pauta, John Enwright (Sherril) and Moira Shaw (Rod); grandchildren, Robert Jones, Sean Myers, Elizabeth Myers, Colette Pauta, Blake Shaw, Dean Shaw, Kenzi Enwright and Ian Enwright. A mass of Christian burial was celebrated Oct. 30 in St. Pius X Catholic Church. Arrangements and care were provided by Lauck & Veldhof Funeral & Cremation Services.

**Martha Sue Lomax**

Martha Sue Lomax, 87, of Beech Grove, died Oct. 21, 2019. Martha was a longtime member of University Heights United Methodist Church and enjoyed taking part in Bible studies and the BIBS Pantry at the church. She also loved playing cards and volunteering whenever she could. Martha loved animals, especially her dog. Most of all, Martha was dedicated to her family and loved to babysit her grandchildren. Martha was preceded in death by her husband, Willard "Joe" Lomax. She is survived by her children, Eric Lomax, Kyle (Mary) Lomax and Gina (Randy) Cook; grandchildren, Matthew and Becky Lomax, Emily and Joseph Scaggs, Luke and Ashley Lomax, Paul Lomax, Laura and Jason McCoy, Amy and Jon Gardner and Hayden and Wyatt and Austin Cook; and 10 great-grandchildren. Services were entrusted to Little & Sons, Beech Grove Chapel. Burial was in Forest Lawn Cemetery.



**Edmund Otto Munsch Sr.**

Edmund Otto Munsch Sr., 81, of Indianapolis, died Oct. 20, 2019. He was born Dec. 17, 1937 in Manhattan, New York to the late Otto Munsch and Barbara (Riehle) Munsch. Ed grew up in New York. He enlisted in the Army after high school. After serving in the Army, he married Theresa on April 28, 1962. He and Theresa settled on the Southside of Indianapolis, where they were members of St. Patrick Catholic Church. Ed worked for many years for Kroger Co. and for the Indiana State Department of Corrections. He was a member of the Knights of Columbus 3660 and the American Legion. He loved to grill and be with his family and friends. He was preceded in death by his brothers, Fred Munsch and Frank Munsch. He is survived by his wife, Theresa M. Munsch; children, Edmund Jr. (Linda), Eric Munsch, Anne Munsch and Kathleen Munsch; grandchildren, Taylor Munsch (Christopher Meek) and Stephen Munsch, along with Rex, his canine. A mass of Christian burial was celebrated Oct. 26 in Our Lady of the Greenwood Catholic Church. A private burial will take place at a later date in Calvary Cemetery. Arrangements and care were provided by Lauck & Veldhof Funeral & Cremation Services.



*Obituaries continued on page 24.*

**AROUND TOWN**

**DAR Mary Bryan Chapter recognizes local members after national DAR cele-brates one million members**

**Recognition** – This fall the National Society Daughters of the American Revolution (DAR) will surpass one mil-lion total members who have joined the organization since its founding in 1890. The DAR is a women's service organization whose members can trace their lineage to an individual who contributed to securing American independence during the Revolutionary War. The Mary Bryan Chapter of DAR, based in Greenwood, has welcomed 168 women into their membership since the chapter began in 1979. The Mary Bryan Chapter is excited to join the National Society in celebrating this milestone by spotlighting members of the chapter through the years. The Mary Bryan Chapter of DAR focuses much of its efforts on patriotism, honoring veterans, education, community service and membership. The chapter encourages women interested in DAR membership to attend a meeting, held on the first Monday of most months, at One Christian Church, 2901 E. Banta Road, Southport. If you are interested in learning more about DAR membership, please contact the Mary Bryan Registrar at stratford21@comcast.net or (317) 300-0665.

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## BUSINESS

### Dr. Shah joins Franciscan Physician Network Indiana Heart Physicians

**New staff** – Shenil Shah, MD, has joined Franciscan Physician Network Indiana Heart Physicians. Dr. Shah joins a team of physicians, advanced practice providers and other clinicians who provide care to patients in Indianapolis, Franklin, Martinsville, Columbus, Shelbyville, Crawfordsville and Green-castle. He is board-certified in cardiovascular disease, nuclear cardiology, echocardiography and internal medicine and is board-eligible in interventional cardiology. He most recently completed a cardiology fellowship at the University of Wisconsin Hospitals and Clinics. Dr. Shah received his undergraduate degree with honors in chemistry from Wabash College in Crawfordsville, IN. He earned his medical degree from the Indiana University School of Medicine and completed an internal medicine residency at Case Western Reserve/University Hospitals in Cleveland. To schedule an appointment with Dr. Shah, call (317) 893-1900.



Dr. S. Shah

### Health records on iPhone available to Franciscan Health patients

**Health and safety** – Franciscan Health now supports Health Records on iPhone, which brings together hospitals, clinics and the existing Apple Health app to make it easy for patients to see their available medical data from multiple providers whenever they choose. Now, patients can have medical information from participating institutions (including Franciscan Health) organized into one view, covering allergies, conditions, immunizations, lab results, medications, procedures and vitals, and will receive notifications when their data is updated. Apple Health Record data is encrypted and protected with the user's iPhone passcode, Touch ID or Face ID. Franciscan Health patients can sign into Health Records on iPhone using MyChart, which is available at franciscan-health.org, and as a download from the App Store. They also can sign up for MyChart at all Franciscan Health facilities and at all Franciscan Physician Network locations throughout Indiana. For more information on Health Records, visit [apple.com/healthcare/health-records](http://apple.com/healthcare/health-records). For information about registering for MyChart, go to [FranciscanHealth.org](http://FranciscanHealth.org).

*Obituaries continued from page 23.*

### Teresa Lynn Sahn

Teresa Lynn Sahn, 50, of Clayton, IN, died Oct. 18, 2019. All services are private. Funeral arrangements have been entrusted to The Cremation Society of Indiana, 4115 S. Shelby St., Indianapolis, IN 46227.

### Virginia Lee Davis-Selbe

Virginia Lee Davis-Selbe, Indianapolis, died Oct. 19, 2019. She was 76. Ginny was born Feb. 12, 1943 in Indianapolis, a daughter of the late Bernard Leroy Hawkins, Sr. and Jewell Annetta (Clements) Hawkins. Ginny attended Wood High School and worked for 15 years with Indianapolis Public Schools, retiring in 2002 as a cafeteria manger. She was a member of the Church of Acts. She was preceded in death by her first husband, Leonard William Davis, Sr., her second husband, John Selbe; two sons, Anthony Wayne Davis and Stanley Dean Davis; and three brothers, Bernard Leroy Hawkins, Jr., James Albert Hawkins and David Allen Hawkins. Ginny is survived by her children, Leonare (Gordon) Smith and Jeffrey Davis; grandchildren, Ciera Davis, Jennifer Smith, Gordon Smith III, Jeffrey L. Davis, Jack A. Davis, Ricky Utke and Kristi Finn-Utke; great-grandchildren, Anthony Davis, Jordan Gooch, Dustin Gooch Jr., Ezra Griffin, Jacob Davis, Cadion Lynn and Gordon Smith IV; her siblings, Nancy Mendenhall, Marcia (Alvin) Rains, Ronald (Rhonda) Hawkins, Cathy (Mike) Ruiz and Debra (Gary) Groce; as well as several nieces and nephews. Funeral services were conducted Oct. 29 at Singleton Community Mortuary and Memorial Center. Burial followed in New Crown Cemetery.

### Abigail Marie Sherwood

Abigail Marie "Abby" Sherwood, Indianapolis, died Oct. 25, 2019. She was 18. Abby was born July 15, 2001 in Indianapolis, daughter of Michael H. and Jacqueline E. (Ayers) Sherwood. Abby was a student at Franklin Central High School and a member of the class of 2020. She was crowned Homecoming queen Sept. 27. While at Franklin Central, she was a member of the National Honor Society and played the flute in the band. Abby was also a member of Southport United Methodist Church. She is preceded in passing by her paternal grandmother, Celeste Sherwood. Survivors include her parents, Mike and Jackie Sherwood; her siblings, Carson Sherwood and Jennifer Simpson; her maternal grandparents, Walter and Becky Honnowsky; her paternal grandfather, Mike Sherwood; and her aunt, Debbie Sherwood. She is also survived by a host of many friends. A Celebration of Life service for Abby will be conducted at 11 a.m., Nov. 2 at Southport United Methodist Church, 1947 E. Southport Road in Indianapolis, with

Pastor Duane Thompson officiating. Burial will follow at Acton Cemetery. Visitation will be held Nov. 1, 3-7 p.m. at Southport United Methodist Church, as well as one hour prior to the service on Saturday.

### Jerame Daniel Smith

Jerame Daniel Smith, 41, of Indianapolis, died Oct. 10, 2019. All services are private. Funeral arrangements have been entrusted to The Cremation Society of Indiana, 4115 S. Shelby St., Indianapolis, IN 46227.

### Gwendolyn A. Weber

Gwendolyn A. Weber, 85, died Oct. 26, 2019. Gwen was born to the late Paul S. Weber, Sr., and Carrie Adele (Edwards) Weber. Gwen was a graduate of St. John Academy and St. Mary of the Woods College. She entered the Sisters of Providence in 1955 and taught in the Providence Sisters' schools for 20 years. In 1975, Gwen went to work for the Salvation Army in Cincinnati, developing the concept of Adult Day Care. In 1983, she returned to Indiana and was employed by the State. Gwen was preceded in death by brothers, Paul S. Weber, Jr., Birney, Robert and Arvine; and sisters, Barbara Hoffmann, Roselyn Weber and Virginia Ann Petro. She is survived by brothers, Donald and James Weber (Mary Ann); and numerous nieces and nephews. There will be no public services. Arrangements and care have been provided by Lauck & Veldhof Funeral & Cremation Services.

### Raymond Kerry Woolums

Raymond Kerry Woolums, 76, died Oct. 20, 2019. Raymond was born in Indianapolis and lived in central Indiana for most of his life, but he also loved to explore. He made many trips on his Harley, including to Sturgis, MI and the Southwestern U.S. He also backpacked in the United Kingdom. In 2013, Raymond was honored with first round selection to be a Mars One astronaut. Raymond retired from Allison Transmission after 30+ years and worked as a security guard for G4S in recent years. Raymond was a UAW member and enjoyed the many benefits membership provided. Raymond also defended and had great respect for all living creatures, especially the vulnerable and forgotten. He is survived by his brother, Jerry (Katie) Woolums; children, Amelia Woolums, Jennifer Woolums and David Woolums; sons-in-law, Philip Santangelo and Adama Diallo; and grandchildren, Rory Fat-Anthony, Elias Diallo and Sadjo Diallo. A memorial service is planned with the date to be announced soon. Funeral arrangements have been entrusted to The Cremation Society of Indiana, 4115 S. Shelby St., Indianapolis, IN 46227.

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**Mount Pleasant Christian Church** • 381 N. Bluff Road, Greenwood. | Senior Pr. Chris Philbeck. | Sun.: 9:15 a.m., 11 a.m. | MPCC online campus: MPCC live at 10 a.m. ET. | mpcc.info.

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

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**Tallwood Chapel Community Church** • 5560 S. Shelby St., Indpls. | Ph: (317) 787-5595. | Pr. Daniel Smith | Sun.: 10:30 a.m. | Bible Study & Youth Outreach - Wed.: 7 p.m. | BIBLE CHURCH, Ministry of HOLY WORD.

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**St. John's United Church of Christ** • 7031 S. East St., Indpls (U.S. 31, Southport Road). | Ph: (317) 881-2353. | Rev. Ross Tyler. | Sun. Contemporary Worship: 9 a.m. | Traditional Worship: 10:30 a.m. | Sunday School: 10:30 a.m.

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**Center United Methodist Church** • 5445 Bluff Road, Indpls. | Ph: (317) 784-1101 | Email: info@center-umc.org. | Sun. Traditional Worship: 9 a.m. & Contemporary Worship: 11:15 a.m.

**Edgewood United Methodist** • 1820 E. Epler Ave. | Ph: (317) 784-6086. | Rev. Paul Wagner. | Sun. Worship: 9 a.m. | Sunday

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**Circle of Hope Wesleyan Church** • 120 S. 4th Ave., Beech Grove. | Ph: (317) 507-3905. | Sun.: 10:30 a.m. | Wed.: 6:30 p.m. | Food Pantry: 2nd & 4th Wed. 5-7 p.m.

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**AT&T Mobility, LLC** is proposing to modify an existing wireless telecommunications facility on an existing building located at 5500 North Meridian Street, Indianapolis, Marion County, IN 46208. The modifications will consist of replacing antennas at a centerline height of +/-85 feet above ground level within the 139-foot steeple. Any interested party wishing to submit comments regarding the potential effects the proposed facility may have on any historic property may do so by sending such comments to: Project 6119004372-MI, EBI Consulting, 6876 Susquehanna Trail South, York, PA 17403, or via telephone at (443) 866-1410.

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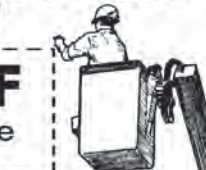
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