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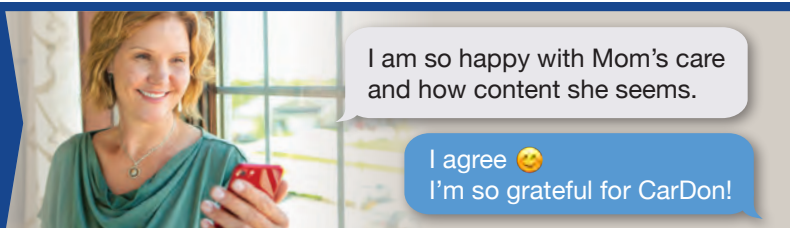
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Southside News Quiz

How well do you know your Southside community?

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1 Which organization in Southport made safety kits for kids for the town's National Night Out?

- A. Southport Masons
 B. Hope for Tomorrow
 C. Sahara Grotto
 D. Chin Community of Indiana

2 There are several ways to treat separation anxiety for dogs, according to Dr. Jeff Ambrous. Which of the following is not one of them?

- A. Exercise with them
 B. Modify your routine for leaving and returning home
 C. Give them biscuits to eat while you're gone
 D. Medication, if all else fails

3 Which Greenwood nonprofit hosts the annual WAMMfest?

- A. Greater Greenwood Chamber of Commerce
 B. Sertoma Club of Greenwood
 C. VFW Post 5864
 D. Delta Theta Tau Sorority

4 GCA student Cameron Northern raises funds for orphans in which African country?

- A. Ethiopia
 B. Kenya
 C. Uganda
 D. Algeria

5 Which Southside movie theater is showing *Apocalypse Now* today and Sunday?

- A. Cinemark Movies 8
 B. Regal Greenwood Stadium 14 & RPX
 C. Canary Creek Cinemas
 D. AMC 17



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THIS WEEK on the WEB



Greenwood's new fieldhouse will be in the heart of downtown, known locally as Old Town. (Submitted photo)

Greenwood unveils final design for new fieldhouse

The city of Greenwood has unveiled the final design and details for their new fieldhouse and plans to include pickle ball courts, multi-purpose turf fields and an elevated running/walking track. Final construction documents will be prepared within the next two months and the city plans to issue a public bid in late 2019

or early 2020. Construction is expected to begin in 2020. Plans for the former middle school gymnasium include housing more than 450 apartments and over 130 townhomes, 75,000 square feet for potential retail/office space, nine acres of new/upgraded open space and nine miles of new/reconstructed streetscape.

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Students from UIndy's music and art therapy program are gaining experience to help clients at Sycamore Services. (Submitted photo)

UIndy and Sycamore Services partner to provide music therapy

Sycamore Services, which provides service to adults and children with intellectual and developmental disabilities and other conditions that can limit participation in life's daily activities, has partnered with the University of Indianapolis music therapy program. Consumers at Sycamore receive services paid for primarily through waiver funding, however, funding can run out. That's when Sycamore Services asked UIndy music and art therapy students to assist, which is a win for students looking to gain experience and free for clients.

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Does Crown Hill Cemetery in Indianapolis retain secrets? (Photo by Rick Hinton)

Digging up Dillinger: Part II

HAUNTS & JAUNTS

By Rick Hinton

Why exhume the body of John Dillinger from Section 44, Lot 94, of Crown Hill Cemetery in Indianapolis? His great-niece, Carol Thompson, and great-nephew, Mike Thompson, have their reasons. Another great-nephew, Jeff Scalf, is not in agreement. And the History Channel factors into it all. It has become a wild ride!

During an extreme heat wave on July 22, 1934, Dillinger took his new girlfriend, Romanian-born Ana Sage – playing the role of Judas Iscariot – to see a movie at the air-conditioned Biograph Theater on Chicago's east side. Sage was a brothel madam with an agenda: to avoid deportation she had worked a deal to gain U.S. citizenship – tipping the FBI to her and Dillinger's schedule. Federal agents were waiting when they exited. Dillinger was oblivious to the plan (or was he?). He bolted into the alley beside the theater as the agents fired. He was hit from behind and fell face first to the pavement. It is reported he was hit four times – two bullets grazing him, one superficial wound to the right side and the fatal shot entering the back of his neck – severing his spinal cord – and passing into his brain, exiting his cheek just under his right eye. Two bystanders were also injured in the gunfire.

Cook County Morgue put the body on display, which turned into a macabre parade of spectators, all wanting to view the infamous body of John Dillinger. The body was transported back to Indiana to the McCready Funeral Home in Mooresville, where the circus of spectators continued. Burial was Wednesday, July 25, 1934 at Crown Hill Cemetery in Indianapolis. Despite the rain, as many as 5,000 visitors invaded the cemetery to grab flowers and even samples of mud from the

gravesite. Dillinger's father took a proactive stance on his son's grave – four concrete slabs reinforced with metal at different depths. He didn't want any future tampering with the grave. Conspirators think otherwise. ...

Many folks have a Dillinger story, or one they've heard. My mother-in-law Jennifer claims her father and Dillinger were childhood friends on the east side of Indianapolis, with Dillinger often spending the night at his house. Dillinger purportedly made the rounds in Indianapolis, often appearing at the Slippery Noodle Inn and the former Gaslight Inn, to name just a few. He visited his home in Mooresville numerous times. Stories of bank robberies in Irvington and Waverly made the rounds. It would seem he got around, hardly having time for a life of crime.

Exhumations of a grave is an undertaking, and costly. It might be done as part of a criminal investigation, for public health reasons (moving a cemetery) or in this case, to establish or confirm the identity of the deceased. Considering the concrete and metal encasing Dillinger's body, Indiana Historical Society historian, Susan Sutton, states, "I think they're going to have a hard time getting through that." However, there is motivation to do just that. The History Channel is doing a documentary on Dillinger which plays into this scenario. And ... I would imagine they are footing the bill.

Why do conspirators and Dillinger's descendants suspect it's not Dillinger in that grave? We'll find out next week in the conclusion.



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.

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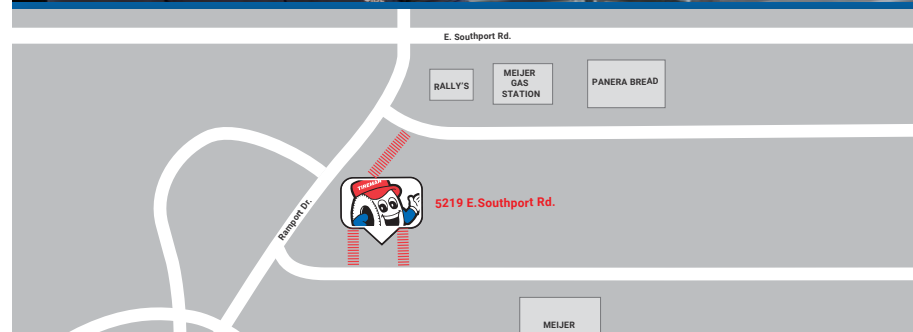
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Left, eighteen-year-old Cameron Northern has traveled twice to Uganda. | Right, inspired by her own desire to help others at a young age, Northern started Cougars Care, a philanthropy club for elementary school students to raise money for the community. | Below, Northern has been fundraising for orphans at the Nyaka School since she was 7. (Submitted photos)

5 Questions with Cameron Northern

WHO OR WHAT INSPIRES YOU?

I guess I would say my faith is a big inspiration to me and my friends are also a big inspiration. I have a really good group around me. Having a good group of friends who love and support you has been a real inspiration.

WHAT DO YOU DO IN YOUR SPARE TIME?

I really like to write and journal. In my free time I do devotions and read my Bible. I'm also probably working out. I love to run and read.

WHAT'S YOUR FAVORITE BOOK?

Redeeming Love by Francine Rivers.

WHAT'S YOUR FAVORITE TV SHOW?

Friends

WHAT'S YOUR MOST VIVID CHILDHOOD MEMORY?

Probably my first day of kindergarten.

Cougars Care

Greenwood Christian Academy student starts philanthropy club to help orphans in Uganda

By Stephanie Dolan

It's easy to believe, as a U.S. citizen, that the issue of HIV/AIDS is still going. Incidents of new cases in this country are down from what they were years ago and medications for the disease have improved exponentially.

Yet, in some parts of the world, HIV/AIDS still has a stronghold. In fact, in some parts of the world, it's a pandemic that is running rampant through poverty-stricken villages.

Such is the case in the African country of Uganda, where more than 1.1 million children have lost one or both parents to HIV/AIDS. Many of these children go without the basic human needs that many of us blindly take for granted: food, shelter, clothing, health care and education.

In Uganda, education is not free, and even many



children with parents aren't afforded the opportunity to go to school.

That is where the Nyaka School comes in. Founded by the Nyaka AIDS Orphans Project, the mission of the school is to educate, empower and transform vulnerable and impoverished communities in Uganda, ensuring that everyone has the chance to learn, grow and thrive.

For many years, a Greenwood Christian Academy student has been raising funds and sending them to the Nyaka School in the hopes of improving the quality of life of Ugandan orphans.

"When I was 7, the director of the Nyaka AIDS Orphans Project, Jackson Kaguri, came and spoke at our church," 18-year-old Cameron Northern said.

"He started the Nyaka School. They provide free food, education and medical care to orphans in Nyaka who've lost their parents to AIDS."

Children helping children

Northern said that what got her started with fundraising for this cause was the fact that the children she was hearing about were her age at that time.

"He was talking about kids who were my age and walking miles to school every day," she said. "As a 7-year-old I was thinking that if my change could make a difference then surely my friends' and families' change could make a difference."

Not only did Northern empty her piggy bank, but she asked friends and family to do the same with their own change jars. That first year, she ended up raising nearly \$850 to send to Nyaka.

"Every year my passion has grown, and I know I will continue to raise money for these kids for the rest of my life," she said.

Northern's passion has grown to such an extent that she has visited the Nyaka School twice.

"I think my eyes were just really opened to a lot of the needs there," she said. "It was

different the second time because I got to develop those relationships that I first got started during our first trip. It was good to get to know people on a deeper level and connect with them."

Northern said there were many differences between her first trip and the second.

"The first trip was a culture shock," she said. "I'd never been out of the country before. It was shocking to see a Third World country. Even though there's a lot of poverty, it's beautiful."

Northern said that each time she's travelled to Uganda, she's seen the country in a different light.

"Every trip is going to be different," she said. "Being a couple of years older we got to spend more time with the high school kids, which was cool. We stay at a primary school while we're there, and it's great getting to know the kids better and play with them. We also interacted with the teachers better because they are the ones who make these children world-changers in their community."

Northern said this is why she plans an

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Children at the Nyaka School express their appreciation to those who visit. (Submitted photo)

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nual fundraisers – to help the kids.

“My love for the country and the people has grown,” she said. “I really want to help send them to school.”

“My husband, Seth, and I are very proud of her,” Ali Northern, Cameron’s mother, said. “We’ve seen her passion for loving and serving others since she was young.”

Cameron’s family has travelled with her each time she’s visited Uganda.

“The first trip was amazing,” Ali said. “The second time we went back the trip was even more amazing. Just being around these orphaned children, who have nothing but are so happy and grateful for the education that’s provided for them ... they love on us the whole time.”

Appreciation & gratitude

Ali said the students readily express their appreciation to anyone who visits.

“It’s such an amazing experience to go over and see this poverty-stricken area with children who have one outfit and they have such a sense of gratitude,” she said. “We’ve come back with our eyes opened and gratitude for the things we have and a continued commitment to the organization.”

Even Cameron’s younger brother Brett has found a passion for Nyaka.

“He is Cameron’s biggest fan,” Ali said. “He’s watched her in her fundraising. He said he wanted to do fundraisers and support Nyaka. He’s a big saver. He always saves his money and all of his allowance and gives it to Cameron.”

Brett is not the only one, though, that Cameron has influenced.

“I go to a school called Greenwood Christian Academy,” she said. “I started the philanthropy club last year (Cougars Care). We’ve had two years now to develop it. It’s for elementary school students to raise money for things they’re passionate about and for them to give back to the community. We normally have about 30-50 kids in the club. I have the opportunity to minister to the younger kids. I love being the leader and founder of the club. This year I have a junior helper. We teach members what the word philanthropy means and how to raise money.”

“The reason she started Cougars Care is that she realized at a young age that little kids can make a difference, and if they have support from family and friends, they can build off of that,” Ali said. “They can make a difference for organizations in areas that they are passionate about.”

Ali said she encourages people to support their children and help them realize exactly what touches their hearts.

“There’s something in our innate being that has an empathy toward helping others,” she said. “If you can figure out what your child’s area is you can fan that flame and make a huge difference even at a young age. Once they do it once they have confidence, and they can do it again. I’ve seen it firsthand. Your kid can do this exact same thing. This is not an amazing story that is a once in a thousand teenager story. This could be so many kids if parents’ eyes were opened and if kids were encouraged to make a difference.”

For more information about the Nyaka AIDS Orphan Project, visit their website at nyakaschool.org.

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Local students graduate from Bradley University

Academics – Bradley University congratulates nearly 900 students who received their academic degrees in May. The following Southside students received degrees: Lindsay Wiggs of Indianapolis (46217) graduated with a degree in Counseling Clinical Mental Health, Ann Schnabel of Indianapolis (46217) graduated with a degree in Studio Art Graphic Design and Megan Saunders of Indianapolis (46239) graduated with a degree in World Languages & Cultures Spanish Psychology.

Franklin College announces 2019 graduates

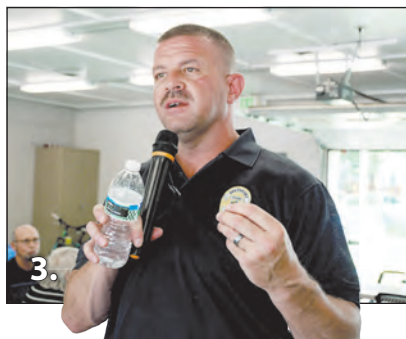
Academics – The following local students graduated from Franklin College in May. Those who graduated with bachelor's degrees included: Allen Michael Abbott (46227), Kimberly Alexandra Andrade (46226), Nicholas Raymond Begovich (46237), Troy Maurice Michaels (46227), Jordan Lea Brodner (46236), Noel Renee Butler (46217), Justice Marrie Carmichael (46227), Dionte Lydell Coleman (46254), William Isaiah Combs (46227), Tete Decontee Dahn (46217), Carry Rae Davis (46227), Alex Isaac Delaney (46240), Edward John Drews Jr. (46227), Logan Alexander Feigel (46237), Michael Feigel of Greenwood, Benjamin David Fleet (46203), Madeline Ann-Elizabeth Fleet (46203), Vanessa Nicole Hall (46227), Tyler Ray Hayes (46227), Claudia Grace Hoffman (46228), Alaina Brianna Justice (46204), Anne Marie Kendall (46217), Mitchell Joseph Kraeszig (46217), Michael Anthony Ladera Jr. (46241), Aaron Joseph Leming (46219), Juliette Olivia Lowry (46205), Taylor Toniese McElwain (46229), Emma Elizabeth Myers (46237), Aaron Sereke Netabai (46234), Devin Ryan Parrish (46217), Jamison Isaiah Pittman (46239), Nicole Marie Salwowski (46229), Elisabeth Rose Stahl (46237), Ryker David Stout (46231), Sarah Sue Wallen (46217), Bryan Mitchell Wells (46221) and Raheim Mikhaels Whitlow (46201). Graduates receiving master's degrees included: Hannah May Hoyt (46240) and Brooke Danielle Taylor (46201).

Lawrie named to Muskingum University Dean's List

Academics – Grace Lawrie of Indianapolis has been named to the spring 2019 dean's list at Muskingum University in New Concord, Ohio. To be named to the dean's list, Muskingum University students must attain strictly prescribed levels of academic performance in their overall grade point average. For more information about Muskingum University, visit muskingum.edu.



1. Nevaeh Hoagland jumps to make a basket, an item she needed to cross off of her scavenger hunt list. **2.** Kay Compton-Price and Officer Dawn Asbury volunteer at the prize table. Children could earn a prize by completing a scavenger hunt. More prizes and food were given away this year than any other year except 2017, when Southport Lt. Aaron Allan was killed in the line of duty. **3.** Southport Police Chief Thomas Vaughn thanks everyone for coming out to National Night Out. **4.** Dilan Posadas and Samuel Williams partake in the games and food during Southport's National Night Out. Williams has been a longtime friend of the department, visiting officers and being named an honorary officer. (Photos by Nicole Davis)



Southport connects with the community through National Night Out celebration

By Nicole Davis

When police departments and the community work together, it helps to keep crime rates low. That partnership is promoted nationwide during National Night Out with a block party type of celebration.

Southport's celebration included local business donations of food, games, prizes and a silent auction to help the department raise money to purchase new ballistic vests. The Southport Masons made 60 safety kits for children, which includes a DNA swab, fingerprints and a short video of the kid talking for parents to keep in case they should ever go missing; the information can help to find them.

"It's a way for us to give back to the community and a way we can relax, talk to them, connect with them, play with the kids," said Southport Police Chief Thomas Vaughn. "They can come and meet my wife, my grandkids, the officers' kids. They feel like they're part of the family. That's why it's always my favorite event."



A large crowd was in attendance. (Photo by Rick Hinton)

INDOT reveals dramatic changes for Southside residents

FEATURE

By Rick Hinton

“As many of you know by traveling and commuting on I-465 – there is congestion. That’s an understatement,” Rickie Clark of INDOT (Indiana Department of Transportation) opened with at the public meeting held at Bethany Church, 4702 S. East St., Aug. 6. “There’s difficulty just getting on and off the ramps!”

As of this writing, I-465 is currently closed on the Southeast side for two 15-day periods for maintenance as a part of a \$150 million project to repair winter damage and to improve pavement conditions. However, soon to come is an upcoming construction project that assuredly will impact commuters, residents and users of the highway on the Southside of Marion County – **the I-465 Re-configuration Project.**

Clark and Brian Shattuck from INDOT, along with Dan Miller and John LeBlonde from Parsons (a design and engineering firm under contract with INDOT) met with a spirited crowd to cover where they were in the process, coming on the heels of a previous series of public meetings held in July. While this has turned into an expedited project, they’re still gathering information, figuring this is currently in the early- to mid-development phase. There’s a lot of pieces to the pie. Project stakeholders are INDOT, the Federal Highway Administration, Indianapolis Metropolitan Planning Organization, transit, business, Emergency Services, schools, churches and residents, to name just a few. The reason for the project:

- **Capacity** – insufficient capacity creates congestion and excessive delays.

- **Interchange ramp lengths do not meet current standards.** It’s become a game to get up to speed to enter and exit ramps that are too short, causing people to slam on their brakes and swerving to either the shoulder or adjoining lane, sometimes causing sideswipes.
- **Issues that need to be addressed prior to the I-69 section project** that will merge into I-465.
- **Safety** – there were 410 crashes occurring on this section of highway between 2015 - 2017. The primary types were rear end, ran off the road and same direction sideswipe.

Capacity, merging and weaving movements affect the safety issue. “There are not enough lanes to handle the daily 130,000 vehicles out there now,” LeBlonde stated. “Back when this was built in the 60s and 70s there were different standards. It met the needs back then; it doesn’t meet them now.”

The Project:

Section A/B – starting at I-65 to just west of US 31.

- Added auxiliary lanes on eastbound/westbound I-465 (to the outside).
- Reconfiguration of eastbound I-465 to northbound U.S. 31 exit ramp.
- Extending southbound U.S. 31 to eastbound I-465 merge area.
- Extending southbound U.S. 31 to eastbound I-465.
- Bridge replacements at Carson Avenue, Keystone Avenue and Madison Avenue (necessary because of current bridge pier placement).

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Former Denver Broncos player Rick Upchurch told *The Denver Post* in March 2016 that he began using CBD during chemotherapy treatments to relieve nausea symptoms. Former NFL quarterback Jake Plummer turned to CBD oil two years ago in an effort to help support healthy cartilage and joint function after undergoing several hip surgeries. He has since become a strong proponent for CBD research and founded Athletes For Care, a non-profit organization that focuses on alternative treatment options for athletes.



WAMMfest returns for its 11th year at Craig Park this Saturday. (Photo by Darlene Harrison of Harrison Creative Services, Inc.)

WAMMfest celebrates 11 years of wine, art, music and microbrew

FEATURE

By Angela Morefield

WAMMfest returns this Saturday at Craig Park from 11 a.m.-8 p.m. The 11th annual celebration and fundraising event of wine, art, music and microbrew is an event developed and hosted by the Sertoma Club of Greenwood. Net proceeds are redistributed to community programs and initiatives. "Sertoma exists for the high and noble purpose of service. To mankind. It is a privilege to be part of an organization that gives back," said Josh O'Neal, marketing chair of WAMMfest.

WAMMfest is presented by Ray Skillman Auto Group and Johnson Memorial Health. Each year, volunteers from the Sertoma Club of Greenwood organize WAMMfest, a charity festival focused on showcasing fragrant varieties of Indiana wine, art from 65 artists, live music and entertainment and award-winning micro-

brews. Enjoy food vendors that feature a wide variety of festival favorites and full-service restaurant quality cuisine.

All net proceeds from the festival are distributed back to support youth, individual and community organizations. In the last 10 years, the Sertoma Club of Greenwood has donated more than \$750,000 to local causes since the beginning of WAMMfest.

"WAMMfest is one of my favorite events of the year. Nothing is better than being able to celebrate wine, art, music and microbrew with family and friends. And the icing on the cake is that all proceeds go back into the community," Susan Decker, WAMMfest attendee said.

WAMMfest will include many wine vendors, such as Cedar Creek Winery, Ertel Cellars Winery, Holtkamp Winery, Mallow Run Winery and Rettig Hill Winery. Microbrew vendors will include Bier Brewery, Cedar Creek Brewing Co., Centerpoint Brewing Co., Indiana City Brewing Co., MashCraft Brewery, Oaken Bar-

rel Brewing Company, Planetary Brewing Company, Quaff On! Brewing Company, Sun King Brewing Company and Taxman Brewing Company. Additionally, up to 70 booths will feature unique work including pottery, jewelry, paintings, photography, sculptures, glasswork, woodworking, baskets, clothing, accessories and more.

Returning fan favorites of six bands will alternate between two stages. Performing acts include Smith/Hause Project, Fancy Sauce, The Doo, Windbreakers, Blue River Band and The Spazmatics.

"Greenwood always knows how to pack a punch when it comes to WAMMfest," said Marcus Collins, WAMMfest attendee. "The wineries and microbreweries keep the party rolling with their best brews, the food is fantastic, the artwork feeds the mind and heart and all those bands with all that music feeds the soul! It's always a 'You gotta be there,' kind of evening."

Visit WAMMfest.com for more information.



Top, Dan Miller (Environmental Studies for Parson), John LeBlonde and Rickie Clark take questions from the audience. | Bottom, John LeBlonde, Parson's Project Manager, points out a slide for the audience. (Photos by Rick Hinton)

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Section C – from Mann Road to basically I-70.

- Added travel lanes eastbound/westbound I-465 (to the inside).
- Bridge replacement at Mooreville Road bypass.
- Tie-in to I-69 Section 6 Project west of Mann Road.

Section A/B will begin the process with Section C to follow. There will be no right-of-way or relocation, all work staying within INDOT right-of-way parameters. Environmental analysis – streams and wetlands, flood plains, endangered species, cultural resources, noise, community impact – is currently underway. Another public meeting is anticipated in the fall. In late 2020 the contract will be awarded with construction to be begin soon after. Governor Holcomb has mandated that I-465 and I-69 needs to be opened to traffic no later than the end of 2024.

The team closed the meeting for questions. There were many, most revolving around the I-69 tie-in, semi Jake brakes and noise and why the construction was so spaced out. "Couldn't you do it all at once and just get it over with?" LeBlonde answered simply, "We have to space projects out because, frankly, there aren't enough people to do the work."

It's coming, folks. It's going to be painful ... yet they say – change can be a good thing!





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FROM THE EDITOR

Spend National Thriftshop Day on the Southside

This Saturday, Aug. 17 is National Thriftshop Day. Like most shoppers, I love to get good merchandise without spending a small fortune. Fortunately, the Southside of Indy has a variety of thrift stores (yes, besides Goodwill and The Salvation Army). The following is a list of several stores that will suit your needs, whether you're looking for a cute Coach purse for fall, inexpensive clothes for back to school or home décor with a limited budget.

HUMBLE IMPRESSIONS: Most second-hand clothing is just \$1 at the location at 8236 Madison Ave., and the store at 3530 S. Keystone Ave. houses a furniture store-room. All profits go to community church pantries. For more information, check out Humble Impressions on [f](#) or call (317) 908-8635.

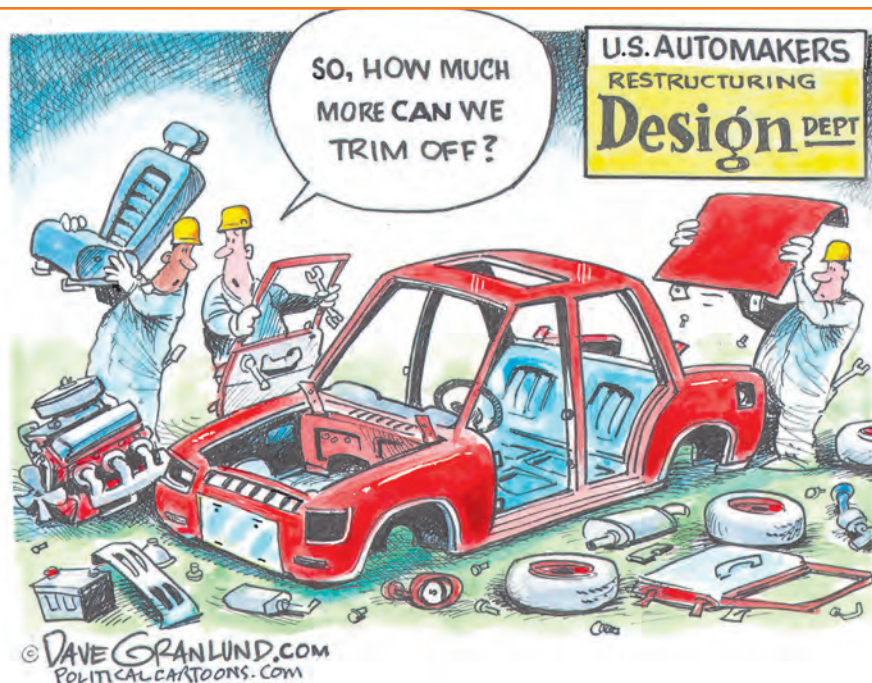
THE BLUE CABOOSE: Located at 201 Main St. in Beech Grove, this wholesale clothing store for men, women and children offers merchandise for just \$2! (317) 295-2119; [f](#)/thebluecabooseshop.

STYLE ENCORE: This store near Greenwood at 7657 Shelby St. buys and sells the latest styles of brands of gently used, women's casual and business clothing, shoes, handbags and accessories. Personal stylists can help you to pick the clothing that flatters your body the most (from sizes 0 to 6X). (317) 889-1700; [styleencoregreenwood.com](#).

VINTAGE VOGUE: Located at 1056 Virginia Ave. in Fountain Square, this boutique store includes chic, modern clothing with bargain prices. Clothing is 50 percent off the first Saturday of the month, and seniors at or over age 55 are eligible for 30 percent off every Wednesday. (317) 999-6725; [vintagegw.com](#).

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STARS & STRIKES ON THE SOUTHSIDE

The Southside Times is all about people and our community. What do you like in your neighborhood? What don't you like? Who has done something nice, no matter how small, and should be recog-

nized? Email your "Stars and Strikes" to news@ss-times.com. Jim Coffman of Perry Township contributed to this week's Stars and Strikes.

★ **Stars:** to the Beech Grove Parks and the Beech Grove Artist Collective for a very successful first art festival in the park last weekend.

★ **Stars:** to Beech Grove High School, the administration, teachers and students for adjusting and making due while repairs are made from the tornado damage.

★ **Stars:** to the 11th annual WAMMfest this Saturday at Craig Park in Greenwood. All net proceeds from the wine, art, music and microbrew festival go toward supporting youth, individual and community organizations.

★ **Stars:** to William Shakespeare's "As You Like It," presented by the Garfield Shakespeare Company, at McAlister Amphitheater. The play, which stars this Friday at 8 p.m. and runs through the end of the month, is free; donations are welcome.

QUOTE OF THE WEEK

"Once you replace negative thoughts with positive ones, you'll start having positive results."

— Willie Nelson

HUMOR



TOP 10 SIGNS YOU MAY NOT HAVE FOUND THAT PERFECT NEW EMPLOYEE

By Torry Stiles

10. "Shhhh. Nap time. Catch me on break."
9. "What other 'N words' am I not supposed to say?"
8. "This is my emotional support animal. See his vest? Don't worry – this one's non-venomous."
7. "The employee manual says I have to wear the company shirt. It don't say nothin' about pants."
6. "Do you offer a make-up test for that drug test?"
5. "Are these sexual harassment pamphlets guidelines, rules or suggestions?"
4. "Hey, I clocked in. When's lunch?"
3. "I may have fudged a bit on my job app. What am I supposed to be doing?"
2. "How mandatory is 'mandatory attendance?'"
1. "Sorry. I didn't see a 'No Smoking' sign. I've never worked in a fireworks factory before."



BELIEVE IT!

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

In Arkansas, a law provides that schoolteachers who bob their hair will not get a raise.

Source: dumblaws.com

READERS' WRITES



Town Hall Conversation

On Tuesday, Aug. 20 at 7 p.m., we will host the third and final "Town Hall Conversation" on the future of our sanitary sewer system. This event will take place at the Hornet Park Community Center located in front of Beech Grove High School. If you are on a fixed income we encourage you to attend this event. We look forward to seeing you on Aug. 20.

Respectfully Submitted,
Dennis B. Buckley
 Mayor, city of Beech Grove

Southport Lions to host monthly free eye screening program

The Southport Lions Club wishes to make your readers aware of our monthly free eye screening program for small children ages 1- 6. We conduct the program at the Southport Public Library, 2630 E. Stop 11 Road. Screenings will be held Aug. 20-22 (Tuesday through Thursday) from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. each day. No reservation is required. For more information, please contact Lion Pauline Ulrey at (317) 374-7294 or Lion AJ Johansson at (317) 250-3556.



Thank you.
Lion AJ Johansson

AROUND TOWN

Versiti partners with Noodles to give blood donors free entrée coupon in August

Blood donation – This month, Hoosiers who donate blood at Versiti Blood Center of Indiana can fill up on good feelings and great food. Versiti is partnering with Noodles World Kitchen to provide food coupons in appreciation for blood donations. Each coupon is valid for a free Noodles entrée with the purchase of a Coca-Cola drink. Blood donors can redeem the coupon by visiting the Noodles website. Download the NoodlesREWARDS app at noodles.com/rewards; sign up and complete a profile; click "More" in the bottom right of the app, then click "Promo Code" and enter your code; coupons will be accepted in Noodles stores via the app only. The coupons will be presented to donors at all Versiti Blood Center of Indiana donor centers and community blood drives. On the Southside, Versiti Blood Center is located at 8739 U.S. 31 S., Indianapolis, IN 46227. Anyone age 17 or older in good health who meets eligibility requirements is encouraged to give. Donors should bring a photo ID that includes their birth date. Appointments are encouraged but walk-ins are welcome. To schedule an appointment to donate blood, call (317) 916-5150 or visit versiti.org/Indiana.

Marion County lawmakers seek applicants for paid Statehouse internship

Internship – Marion County lawmakers invite local college students and recent graduates to apply for the Indiana House Republican Internship Program, which takes place during the 2020 legislative session at the Statehouse in Indianapolis. Local legislators seeking interns include State Reps. Bob Behning (R-Indianapolis), Cindy Kirchhofer (R-Beech Grove), Dollyne Sherman (R-Indianapolis) and Mike Speedy (R-Indianapolis). Behning said local college and graduate students and recent graduates should apply before Oct. 31. According to Speedy, these positions are full time, Monday through Friday, lasting from January through mid-March. Interns receive biweekly compensation of \$750 and can earn academic credit through their college or university. Speedy said interns are also eligible to apply for a competitive \$3,000 scholarship to use toward undergraduate and graduate expenses. More information about the Indiana House Republican Internship Program and the application can be found at IndianaHouseRepublicans.com/internship. The deadline to apply is Oct. 31.



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BUSINESS

Franciscan Health receives American College of Cardiology achievement award

Award – Franciscan Health Indianapolis has received the American College of Cardiology's NCDR Chest Pain - MI Registry Gold Performance Achievement Award for 2019. It is one of only 30 hospitals nationwide to receive the honor. To receive the award, the Indianapolis hospital demonstrated sustained achievement in the Chest Pain - MI Registry for eight consecutive quarters and has performed at the top level of standards for specific performance measures. This Chest Pain recognition comes in the wake of Franciscan Health Indianapolis earning the American Heart Association's (AHA) Get With The Guidelines® Heart Failure Gold Plus with Honor Roll. The hospital was cited for its commitment to ensuring heart failure patients receive evidenced-based medicine and therapies within the heart failure guidelines based on the latest scientific evidence and research. The hospital has been the recipient of numerous Get With Guidelines and other cardiovascular care-related awards and accreditations over the years. Franciscan Health Indianapolis has received AHA's Heart Failure award each year since 2012 and the Honor Roll distinction the last two years. To learn more about services at Franciscan Health Heart Center, go to franciscanhealth.org/healthcare-facilities/franciscan-health-heart-center-indianapolis-2051.

FBI Indianapolis to host Diversity Agent Recruitment event

Recruitment – FBI Indianapolis is hosting a Diversity Agent Recruitment (DAR) event Aug. 22 from 5-7 p.m. in Indianapolis to offer a chance to learn why the FBI wants you! A typical Diversity Agent Recruitment event includes networking with Special Agents from a variety of squads, an informational session on the Special Agent application process and Physical Fitness Test (PFT) and a Q&A panel with Special Agents. Applicants can go to fbijobs.gov and search for "Indianapolis DAR." Applicants should sign up as soon as possible to allow time for prescreening. Applicants who meet the eligibility requirements will receive an invitation to the DAR event with additional information, including the location.

Dan McDonald receives RE/MAX Hall of Fame Award

Award – Dan McDonald, an associate broker with the Greenwood office of RE/MAX Results, has recently been presented with the RE/MAX Hall of Fame Award, which honors successful agents who have closed more than \$35 million in sales volume during their time as RE/MAX Affiliates. McDonald has been affiliated with RE/MAX since 2002 and has extensive experience in residential and commercial properties. In addition to the RE/MAX Hall of Fame Award, he has earned the RE/MAX 100% Club and RE/MAX Executive Club awards. "Dan has been an integral member of our team and is more than deserving of this very prestigious award," said Larry Phillips, co-owner of RE/MAX Results. Managing Broker David Neu added, "Earning this career milestone award is a tremendous accomplishment. Dan continues to raise the bar in real estate, making us, and this community, proud." RE/MAX is the most productive real estate network, with its sales associates averaging more sales than other real estate agents. Over 100,000 agents provide RE/MAX a global reach of nearly 100 countries. Dan McDonald can be reached at (317) 514-4663 or DanMcDonald@remax.net.



Lydia Brown joins IMCU as controller

New staff – Indiana Members Credit Union (IMCU) has announced that Lydia Brown has joined the organization as a controller. In her role as a controller, Lydia will oversee the accounting operations, internal controls and financial reporting for IMCU. She brings nine years of financial experience to her position. Lydia is a graduate of Center Grove High School and IUPUI Kelley School of Business with a degree in accounting and finance and received an MBA from Ball State University. She holds a CPA license and is a member of the Indiana CPA Society. Lydia resides in Greenwood with her husband and three children. Lydia can be reached at (317) 610-3969, or email at lybrown@imcu.com.



Leadership Johnson County to host the Five Dysfunctions of a Team

Professional development – Leadership Johnson County will host the Five Dysfunctions of a Team professional development training at the Center Grove Technology Center on Aug. 30, 8 a.m.-noon. According to Patrick Lencioni, best-selling author of the "Five Dysfunctions of a Team," there are five dysfunctions a work group must overcome to become a cohesive team: absence of trust, fear of conflict, lack of commitment, avoidance of accountability and inattention to results. Join us as Dr. Rich Arkanoff, Superintendent of the Center Grove Community School Corporation, offers an overview of Patrick Lencioni's "Five Dysfunctions of a Team" that will provide insights into likely areas of dysfunction. All participants will receive a copy of the book. The event will be held on the Center Grove High School campus in Greenwood. Tickets are \$49 per person for Leadership Johnson County Signature Program graduates, Franklin College alumni, Franklin, Indy and Greater Greenwood Chamber of Commerce members. General public pricing is \$59 per person. Group discounts are available. For more information about the event, please visit our website at leadershipjohnsoncounty.org or contact Tandy Shuck at (317) 738-8264.

Leadership Johnson County offers On Demand Punch Card

Professional development – Leadership Johnson County is offering the On Demand Punch Card for businesses and nonprofit organizations to take advantage of multiple professional development opportunities through the LJC Select Workshops. Twelve workshops are offered throughout the year on a variety of topics including personal assessment, management, leadership and community involvement. Workshops are held at Franklin College, or surrounding venues. The On Demand Punch Card costs \$500 and has a \$686 value. The card offers 14 punches to be used in any combination of half-day and full-day workshops. Leadership Johnson County offers this option for businesses and nonprofit organizations to ensure maximum flexibility to mix and match seats within the organization. To purchase a punch card, please visit leadershipjohnsoncounty.org or contact Tandy Shuck at tashuck@franklincollege.edu or call (317) 738-8264.

Should you stay or go? Remodeling vs. moving

REAL ESTATE

By Dawn Whalen
Whalen Realty Group

When family dynamics change so can the housing needs; maybe there's a new baby coming so more room is needed, the kids moved out and the house seems empty, someone is starting a work-from-home job and needs extra space, or the kitchen is simply too small. Regardless, when housing needs start to change homeowners may wonder if they should move or remodel. A lot goes into making the right decision and it's not one to be taken lightly as either choice can be expensive.

The neighborhood

Before deciding to move, consider the existing living situation. If the current neighborhood meets most or all the community needs for the family, then a remodel may be a good option. But, if the schools, traffic or neighbors are not meeting expectations, it might be time to move to an area better suited to the family's needs.

Time

Moving and remodeling both take time. Some houses can be ready to sell and be sold within six weeks, whereas others may take six months or more, and a new bathroom or other updates could

have been made during that time. A full home remodel can take several months, and the homeowners should understand they'd be living in a construction zone during this time, which may mean a kitchen without appliances, cabinets or countertops, and lots of tarps, dust and noise. But, if a home sells quickly and the homeowner hasn't found a new property yet, it could mean living in a rental or hotel during the interim.

Money

Costs associated with moving can include the down payment, earnest money, closing costs, movers, repairs and other associated expenses that can easily add up to tens of thousands of dollars. For this amount, a homeowner could make changes to their floor plan in ways that better suits their needs. However, for a successful renovation, realistic budgeting and an open conversation are necessary with the contractor. It's easy to say there's \$50,000 for a kitchen remodel, but those numbers can increase dramatically if the homeowner chooses different materials or flooring or utilities need be moved or installed.

More room

A big reason many families choose to move is because they want more space or an open floor plan, but if the neighborhood and commute are perfect and the house seems too small, a reconfiguration of the layout could

remedy the problem. Meeting with a residential architect or contractor may provide ideas to better use the existing space. If the neighborhood HOA, the city or the property has restrictions for additional square footage, buying a new home may be a better choice.

The local real estate market

Finally, before making a final decision, compare the home's existing home value with recent sales in the neighborhood. If those homes are selling more than the house is currently worth, a remodel could bring the property value up, but if the home is already worth more than the surrounding homes, a remodel may not pay off.

Choosing between a remodel or move is a serious decision, and one worth considering if many of the family's needs are already being met in the current home or neighborhood. Talk to a contractor to find out what can be done to add more space, storage or reconfigure the existing layout, and talk to a realtor to learn more about the local housing market.



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AROUND TOWN



Brett Gastineau and daughter Erin celebrate their participation in the Library's 2019 Summer Reading Program at the Garfield Park Branch.

Summer Readers select 'Indy's Favorite Book' from last 100 years

Summer Reading Program – To commemorate the 100th anniversary of The Indianapolis Public Library's Summer Reading Program, program participants selected the internationally-bestselling *Dog Man* series by Dav Pilkey as their favorite kids book from the past 100 years. *Dog Man*, a comedic series about a part-dog part-man police officer published in the last four years, was followed in the voting by the *Harry Potter* series by J.K. Rowling, *Wonder* by R.J. Palacio and *We Are in a Book* by Mo Willems. Preliminary totals show more than 46,000 children read 860,171 books

during the eight-week Summer Reading Program. Readers were rewarded with points to be exchanged for books, prizes and activity passes from community partners. Several of IndyPL branches saw notable increases in participation compared to 2018, including the Southport Branch, up 10 percent, and the Beech Grove Branch, up 7 percent. Registered readers were eligible for a drawing to win two college savings accounts worth \$529 from CollegeChoice CD. Winners will be announced later this month. In addition, participants from each IndyPL location will be chosen to receive tickets to an Indianapolis Colts home game, and a grand prize winner will receive a VIP four-pack to a Colts game.

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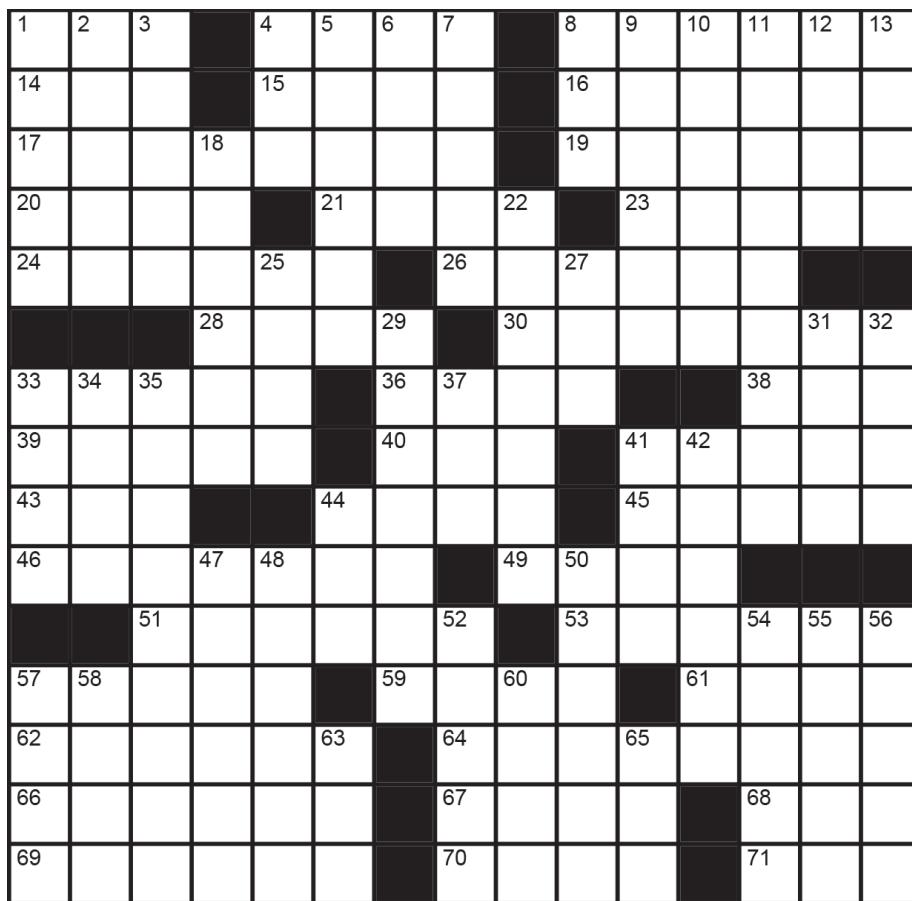
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- 8. Wasn't selfish
- 14. Peyton's bro
- 15. Listen
- 16. Montenegro neighbor
- 17. Evansville mayor
- 19. "Let me check"
- 20. Hoosier National Forest unit
- 21. Dating from
- 23. Daybreaks
- 24. White River feeder
- 26. Dog Chow maker
- 28. Carpe ____
- 30. Pest control device
- 33. Type of alert
- 36. Engrave a plaque at Trophy House
- 38. HBO rival
- 39. Cheaply ornate
- 40. ____-friendly
- 41. Microwaves
- 43. Ottawa's prov.
- 44. Deadly '17 hurricane
- 45. Japanese cartoon genre
- 46. Catch a bug
- 49. Old Russian ruler
- 51. Lee's Tailoring measure
- 53. Lacking vigor
- 57. Temper tantrums
- 59. Like most Pacers
- 61. Built for speed
- 62. Byes at the French Open?
- 64. Bloomington mayor
- 66. Old codger
- 67. Newton County community
- 68. Indy-to-Cleveland dir.
- 69. Ticks off
- 70. Gambling mecca
- 71. Puncture sound



DOWN

- 1. Tiny amphibians
- 2. Bat eyelashes, perhaps
- 3. Cruise ship
- 4. John Green book: ____ *Fault in Our Stars*
- 5. Turned into
- 6. Fashion Mall store, briefly
- 7. St. Vincent Hospital area, informally
- 8. Glide over Geist
- 9. "Not so fast!"
- 10. Tilted
- 11. Lafayette mayor
- 12. Tied up
- 13. Stag mates
- 18. Necessary
- 22. Winter luxury wear
- 25. Well-ventilated
- 27. Center Grove HS pep rally cheer
- 29. Indy Zoo critter that lives in a "mob"
- 31. "Pardon me..."

- 32. Sit for pix
- 33. Wide-eyed
- 34. Hoosier Park stable locks
- 35. South Bend mayor
- 37. Film buff's channel
- 41. Clay Oven Indian bread
- 42. Fictitious
- 44. Indy Fuel rink surface
- 47. Allergic reaction
- 48. Bank named on a credit card
- 50. Fish dish
- 52. *Real Time* host
- 54. Parcels out
- 55. Smock golf clubs
- 56. I-465 road work markers
- 57. Sitar music
- 58. Yemeni port
- 60. Royal Pin alley
- 63. Southport HS yearbook sect.
- 65. Monument Circle music grp.



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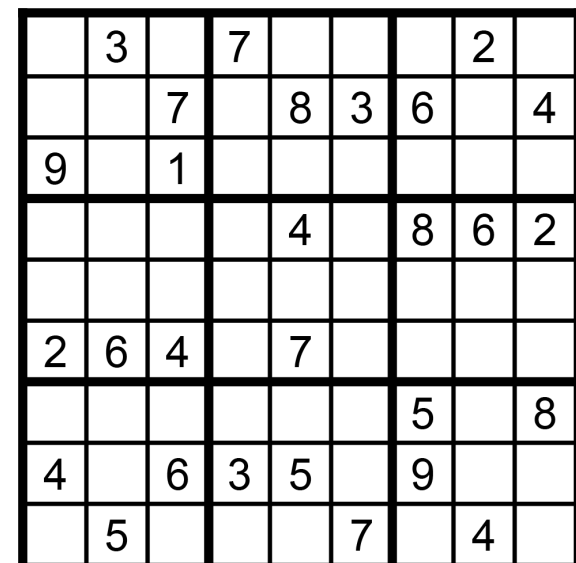
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How to control your dog's separation anxiety

DR. JEFF'S MEWSINGS

By Dr. Jeff Ambrous

Leaving your pet alone can be a scary and stressful experience for them. Separation anxiety can be a big concern for many dog owners. Damaged walls or furniture and endless barking are a couple of the things that can happen when your loved pet is dealing with this condition. There are several things you can do to help control your pet's anxiety when you are not there.

Burn that extra energy. Exercise and play games to get rid of some of that built up energy. Going for a hike or playing fetch will keep your dogs' minds stimulated and alleviate boredom that can come from just staying in the home all the time. Not only will they be less inclined to be desperate for something to do all the time but will hopefully be willing to take a well-needed rest from all that activity.

Modify your routine for leaving and returning home. It is best that you do not make either event a big deal. The more you excite your pet at either time, the more revved up for attention they will become. Your arrivals and departures should be unannounced and should not contain an energetic greeting or farewell.

You can do some practice runs. After doing the above recommendation, go outside for five minutes so that you appear to have gone. See how things go. If all is well, you can gradually increase the duration of the tests. In no time at all, you will be at the point to leave, for real, with no problems.

If all else fails, there are medications that you can use to treat separation anxiety. These are not miracle drugs. They are only an additional tool to be used with the other recommendations. Giving these medications will allow separation training to be easier, but they do not work by themselves. Drugs are not the first choice, but they are a good tool when needed.

Remember that you and your dog are a team and must work together to keep everyone happy and healthy.



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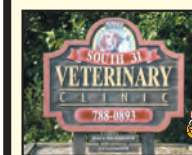
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BEECH GROVE

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.

Beautify Beech Grove Farmers Market • Produce and more from local vendors, including Mithoefer Produce, Happy Mutt Bakery, Irani Tea, Treats by Jess, Whiteland Orchard, Fletch's Apple Lane and more! | When: Tuesdays through Oct. 15, 3-6 p.m. | Where: South Emerson Church of God, 3939 S. Emerson Ave. (In the parking lot.) | Info: (317) 850-6898; BeautifyBeechGrove@gmail.com.

Art Club for Beech Grove Students • For grades 7-12: Join us after school on Thursdays. There is a \$60 fee for all classes and supplies or \$10 per class. Snacks included; program led by artist/art teacher, Claire Dillehay. | When: Thursdays, Aug. 15-Oct. 3, 4-6 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: Aug. 15, 6 p.m. | Where: Hornet Park Community Center, 5245 Hornet Ave. | Info: Call (317) 788-4986 for questions.

Mini Monday • Learn and play program for preschoolers. Free of charge. | When: Aug. 19, 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: Aug. 19, 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: Aug. 19 & 21, 6:30 p.m. | Where: Hornet Park Community Center, 5245 Hornet Ave. | Info: (317) 803-9086; beechgrove.com/community-center.

Genealogy Assistance • Adults are invited for a free session with representative from the Samuel Bryan Chapter of the D.A.R., who will provide assistance with genealogy research using Ancestry.com and other online sources. | When: Aug. 26, 4-7 p.m. | Where: Beech Grove Library Branch, 1102 Main St. | Info: (317) 275-4560; attend.indypl.org/event/1518770.

Music on Main • This summer concert features local and regional musical talents and attracts visitors throughout Central Indiana. Food trucks, a kids zone, unique arts, crafts, jewelry, health products, a beer

garden and much more make Music on Main a popular, free, family-friendly event. There will also be a live performance by The Second Half Band & Full Moon Dogs. | When: Aug. 24, 4-9 p.m. | Where: Main Street. | Info: beechgrovechamber.org/music-on-main.

FOUNTAIN SQUARE

Fountain Square Food Tour • A three-hour walking food tour of the Fountain Square district. Fountain Square Food Tour will give you an in-depth look at the area and its surroundings; from humble beginnings to grandeur, rapid decline to resurgence. We will enjoy food from longstanding institutions and hip new destinations. Discover the city's funky, art-infused historic neighborhood, visit a handful of local eateries to sample diverse cuisine and sip locally brewed cider and mead (honey wine). Taste international dishes and contemporary Midwestern fare and learn interesting tidbits of Indianapolis history along the way. Small-group tour for a more personalized experience. Includes all taxes, fees and handling charges, food tasting, lunch and local guide. Excludes gratuities. Tickets start at \$68. | When: Aug. 17, 2 p.m. (Most Saturdays are available.) | Where: Meet in front of the Pioneer Family Fountain (details and addresses will be provided upon ticket purchase). | Info: (317) 245-8135; indianapolisfoodtours.com/fountain_square.

Baby Storytime • Babies up to 24 months and an adult are invited for stories, fingerplays and sing-alongs with Miss Shelby and her ukulele. | When: Aug. 22 & 29, 10 a.m. | Where: Fountain Square Branch Library, 1066 Virginia Ave. | Info: (317) 275-4390; attend.indypl.org/event/2851173.

Play Date Preschool Storytime • Preschoolers and an adult are invited for stories, songs, fingerplays and rhymes followed by playtime at the library. | When: Aug. 26, 11 a.m. | Where: Fountain Square Branch Library, 1066 Virginia Ave. | Info: (317) 275-4390; attend.indypl.org/event/2851211.

FRANKLIN TOWNSHIP

ABCs of Diabetes • Adults are invited to a free, four-part diabetes education series instructed by the Marion County Health Department. Topics include eating healthier, increasing activity, taking medications and preventing complications. | When: Aug. 15, 22 & 29, 1:30-3:30 p.m. | Where: Franklin Road Branch Library, 5550 S. Franklin Road. | Info: (317) 275-4380; attend.indypl.org/event/1841756.

Vintage Technology Show • Visitors can explore the history of technological development from 1850-1980s, with antique typewriters, dome-top table and floor radios, reel-to-reel recorders, stereoscopes and ViewMasters and much more, even up to early video games! This event is free. | When: Aug. 17, 11 a.m.-3 p.m. | Where: Grace Church, 5605 S. Franklin Road. | Info: fths.org.

Learning Syllables through Drumming • Preschoolers ages 3-6 and an adult are invited to experiment with words, syllables and articulation to create their own patterns of sounds. They'll learn about rhythm, patters and rhymes and sing songs. This program will be led by Arts for learning teaching artist Lawrence Clark III. | When: Sept. 3, 1:15-2:15 p.m.; Sept. 4, 10:15-11:15 a.m., 11:15 a.m.-12:15 p.m. | Where: Franklin Road Branch Library, 5550 S. Franklin Road. | Info: (317) 275-4380; attend.indypl.org/event.

Franklin Road Book Discussion • The book to be discussed is "Fly Girls: How Five Daring Women Defied All Odds and Made Aviation History" by Keith O'Brien. | When: Sept. 9, 6:30-8 p.m. | Where: Franklin Road Branch Library, 5550 S. Franklin Road. | Info: (317) 275-4380; attend.indypl.org/event.

GARFIELD PARK

'As You Like It' • The Garfield Shakespeare Company will present William Shakespeare's "As You Like It." Co-directed by Sebastian Shea and Ashley Chase Elliott, while "As You Like It" will still use much of the original Shakespearean verbiage, the setting will be the year 1984. Carey Shea was inspired to set the show in the 1980s because the play is set in the Forest of Arden. That reminded him of summer camp. Garfield Brewery will be present, selling beer. Come, bring your picnic basket, lawn chair or blanket and sit on the lawn or in the McAllister Center seating. Garfield Shakespeare Company is a 501c3 nonprofit theater company and presents all shows for free. The company runs on donations and sponsorships. Donations of all sizes are welcome. | When: Aug. 16, 17, 23, 24, 30 & 31, 8 p.m. | Where: McAllister Amphitheater, 2450 Conservatory Dr. | Info: (317) 327-7053; gscindy.org/as-you-like-it.

Job Center at the Library • The library presents a free service for unemployed or underemployed individuals to receive one-on-one assistance to enhance their employment skills. | When: Aug. 20 & 27, 10 a.m.-noon. | Where: Garfield Park Branch Library, 2502 Shelby St. | Info: (317) 275-4490; attend.indypl.org/event/2837248.

Opera in the Park • The Indianapolis Opera is pleased to announce a newly revised "Opera in the Park" performance at Garfield Park as part of their summer/fall concert series. This is an official production of the nonprofit Friends of Garfield Park in partnership with the city parks department and is a free concert offered to the public. This year's event will feature the Indianapolis Opera Chorus, the fall 2019 resident artists and special guest soloists Angela Brown and Daniel Narducci. It will be conducted by new Artistic Advisor to the Opera, Alfred Savia. This family-friendly event is free of charge and no tickets are required for admission. Beginning at 5 p.m., food from Prime 47-Indy's Steakhouse will be available onsite, or patrons can bring a picnic dinner. | When: Sept. 8, 6 p.m. | Where: McAllister Amphitheater, 2450 Conservatory Dr. | Info: (317) 283-3531; indyopera.org/opera-in-the-park.

GREENWOOD

Grief Share Support Group • Whether your grief is fresh or recurring, the Grief Share groups are designed to help with your journey. Some of you have attended previously, and we want to welcome you back. Many of you have just begun

your journey and those feelings of loss and confusion are something we all share. Southland's Grief Share group is open to all denominations and you can start any week; however, we would like you to register by return email to Mary. The cost is \$20 for the workbook, unless you already purchased one, and can be paid during class. | When: July 3-Sept. 25, 6-8 p.m. | Where: Southland Community Church, 5800 Smith Valley Road. | Info: Mary at (317) 340-3284 or gerlachme@yahoo.com.

Purse Bingo • The Social of Greenwood presents Purse Bingo. Doors open at 5 p.m. Tickets are \$35 and now on sale (from 9 a.m.-noon) at the Social of Greenwood, 111 S. Park Dr. | When: Aug. 22, 6:30 p.m. | Where: The Barn at Bay Horse Inn, 1468 Stones Crossing Road. | Info: (317) 882-4810; thesocialofgreenwood.org.

Community Concerts in the Park • A full lineup of several community bands from around the state of Indiana traveling to play in the Greenwood Amphitheater, including: Indianapolis Symphonic Band (noon); Crossroads Brass Band (1 p.m.); Starlighters Big Band (2 p.m.); Hamilton County Community Band (3 p.m.); Terre Haute Community Band (4 p.m.); Madison Community Band (5 p.m.); Bloomington Community Band (6 p.m.); and Greater Greenwood Community Band (7 p.m.). This means hundreds of musicians from several other bands are flocking to Greenwood to take part in a full afternoon and evening of concerts providing audiences with back-to-back entertainment. The Greenwood Amphitheater will come alive with the sound of thoroughly rehearsed concert band arrangements for all ages to enjoy. Feast with food served by the Trombone Section on site. We reserved the Community Center next door to the stage to ensure that the show will go on, regardless of weather. Bring your friends, family and lawn chairs for a full day of music and festivities in Surina Park. | When: Aug. 24, noon to 7 p.m. | Where: Greenwood Amphitheater, 100 Surina Way. | Info: greenwoodband.org.

Summer Concert Series • Nearly every Saturday evening between June and August, Greenwood residents, visitors and their families gather downtown – known locally as Old Town – with lawn chairs, blankets and snack-filled coolers to enjoy live performances in an energetic and welcoming atmosphere. Summer Concert Series performers cover a variety of musical genres ranging from country to pop, rock and funk. The Flying Toasters perform. | When: Aug. 31, 7 p.m. | Where: Greenwood Amphitheater in Craig Park, 100 Surina Way. | Info: greenwood.in.gov.

Firehouse Day Miniature Golf Fest • The Greenwood Kiwanis Club will host its third annual Firehouse Day golf fest. The event features putt-putt golf and other children's activities. Prizes will be awarded. The Greenwood Fire Department and Sparky the Fire Dog will be on hand to give tours of fire trucks and give special items to families. Food and drinks will be available. Proceeds will go to help underwrite the Greenwood Fire Department's fire safety program. | When: Sept. 14, 1-6 p.m. | Where: Otte Golf & Family Fun Center, 681 Sheek Road. | Info: Richard Isenhour at (317) 442-7456; kiwanisgreenwoodin.com or kiwanisclubofgreenwood.org.

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Apocalypse Now The horror ... the horror

MOVIE REVIEW

By Bradley Lane

The year is 1976: principal photography on *Apocalypse Now* has just started in the Philippines under the direction of critically acclaimed director Francis Ford Coppola. Just weeks after shooting had started Typhoon Olga destroyed all the sets they had been building since nearly the beginning of the year. In order to raise the money to rebuild the sets and fund the rest of production that was already over budget, Coppola leveraged his winery, house, car and the profits from the *Godfather* films to secure the funding for the rest of production. Overworked and overcome with stress, Coppola suffered a seizure while filming, in addition to the film's star, Martin Sheen, suffering a heart attack midway through filming. Marlon Brando flew in late for filming and was completely unprepared and overweight for the role Coppola and Brando had discussed previously.

When all was said and done Coppola had shot over 1.5 million feet of film, roughly 270 hours of total material. It took a team of four editors nearly two years to complete the film for its premiere at the 1979 Cannes Film Festival, where it took the top prize. Ask anyone who has seen the film, and I find it hard to believe they would tell you it wasn't worth all the work and hardship endured, given the final product. *Apocalypse Now* is a film of epic proportions despite telling a relatively straightforward story of a special forces member tasked with executing a rouge commander amid the Vietnam War.

Coppola uses this framework to explore the complete madness of war. While the mission is straightforward and handed down a clear chain of command, the presentation by Coppola lends itself more to an episodic drug trip than a military excursion. Willard, the man tasked with killing the insane commander, Kurtz, is our guide through the jungle, despite it being made explicitly clear that he is already mentally scarred by prolonged experience in the Vietnam jungle. This be-

comes emblematic of not only the explicit dehumanization of the North Vietnamese, but also the dehumanization of American troops by its own military. Willard loses his mind on a mission to kill another American soldier, implicitly underpinning the futility and complete pointlessness of war.

Of course, I do not want to interpret *Apocalypse Now* for you. It is a sprawling and multifaceted work that refuses a singular interpretation of its themes. It is supremely cinematic and is an example of a work that can only exist in the medium of film, which is why it should be experienced for yourself. *Apocalypse Now: Final Cut* is showing at AMC 17 Aug. 15 and 18 in a new remastered IMAX format.



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.

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what your classmates have been up to! Check in starts at 11:45 a.m. | When: Sept. 15, 2-6 p.m. | Where: Barn at Bay Horse Inn, 1468 W. Stones Crossing Road. | Info: Jeanne at (317) 216-5991.

INDIANAPOLIS

Start with Art 2019 • Presented by Schahet Hotels, Start with Art is the largest annual business and arts luncheon in the country, bringing together 1,000 businesses, arts and civic leaders to celebrate the impact of the arts in Indianapolis. Registration and networking starts at 11 a.m. Stay after lunch for the Jiffy Lube After Party! | When: Aug. 30, 11:30 a.m. | Where: JW Marriott Indianapolis, 10 S. West St. | Info: indyarts.org/start-with-art; #StartwithArt2019.

Indianapolis NARFE Meeting • Indianapolis chapter 151 of the National Active and Retired Federal Employees Association will meet with all active and retired federal employees; spouses are welcome. We meet at one of the restaurants across the street at 11 a.m. for lunch. | When: Sept. 6, 12:30 p.m. | Where: National Association of Letter Carriers Hall, 2211 E. 54th St. | Info: narfe.org/chapter151.

PERRY TOWNSHIP

End of (Corvette) Summer • Carol's Adventures will host her annual "End of (Corvette) Summer,"

80s Tribute Car Show, with a special tribute to Prohibition Gangster car owning fanatics. The theme of John Dillinger will be in the air as will door prizes and good food. Don't miss a chance to get an autographed copy of Carol Sissom's books, "Banking with Dillinger," and "The LaSalle Street Murders: The Twist." \$20 entry fee. | When: Aug. 18, 8 a.m.-noon. | Where: Beck's Service Center, 6025 Madison Ave. | Info: carolsissom@yahoo.com.

Catholic Charities Indianapolis Caregiver Support Groups • Catholic Charities Indianapolis sponsors monthly caregiver support groups for family members/friends who are caregivers of older adults. Meetings are open to current caregivers as a way to share and learn from each other. Please confirm attendance. *Please note the new permanent location. | When: Aug. 19, 5:30-7 p.m. | Where: St. Mark Cenacle House, 6118 Smock St. (across the parking lot from St. Mark's School). | Info: Monica Woodsworth at (317) 261-3378; mwoodsworth@archindy.org.

German Folk Dance Lessons • Come break a leg with us on Wednesday nights! Want to experience Oktoberfest a whole new way? Dance! Join now to learn German Folk Dance and perform with Die Fledermauschen Tanzgruppe at the German American Klub Oktoberfest. | When: Aug. 21, 7:30-9 p.m. | Where: German American Klub, 8602 S. Meridian St. | Info: Marie Lawlor at (317) 501-4814; mlawlor63@yahoo.com.

Oktoberfest • German-American Klub's annual Oktoberfest. Live music, dancing, food and drink. Music provided by Flatbed Twitch, Dysfunktion Brass, Tastes Like Chicken; Polkamotion; Ride That Train; Pushing Daisy's; Steve Bogard Classic Rock

Band; and Jay Fox & the Jammin' Germans. Admission: \$5; children 12 and younger: free. | When: Sept. 5-7; Thursday, 4-10 p.m.; Friday & Saturday, 4-11 p.m. | Where: 8600 S. Meridian St. | Info: Indianapolisgak.com.

2019 Perry Seniors & Friends Golf Outing • We will have 136 golfers ready to enjoy a day of golf, cart, green fees, lunch/dinner, prizes and education from our sponsors. Registration begins at 10:30 a.m., sponsors take their places at 11:30 a.m. and golf starts at noon. Dinner will start when the golfers come in at about 5:30 p.m. All monies earned at this charitable event are donated to Perry Senior Citizens Services, a nonprofit organization supporting senior citizens in Perry Township. Call now to reserve your spot or sponsorship! | When: Sept. 25, shotgun at noon. | Where: Winding River Golf Course, 8015 Mann Road. | Info: (317) 783-9231; perryseiors.org.

SOUTHPORT

Get Crafty • Young people ages 12-18 are invited to make arts and crafts projects. Each program will feature a different project. Registration is required. | When: Aug. 17, 2-3:30 p.m. | Where: Southport Branch Library, 2630 E. Stop 11 Road. | Info: (317) 275-4510; attend.indypl.org/event/1516735.

English Conversation Circle • Adults are invited to practice and improve their English skills in a comfortable, welcoming place. | When: Aug. 19 & 26, 6-7 p.m. | Where: Southport Branch Library, 2630 E. Stop 11 Road. | Info: (317) 275-4510; attend.indypl.org/event/1815133.

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What's up with 'that'?

Overusing a word with reckless abandon

NUTRITION

By Curtis Honeycutt

Sometimes you can have too many of one thing — like presidential primary candidates, for instance. You can have too many toothpaste options at the grocery store. You can also have too many pillows on your bed. Organization expert Marie Kondo is a household name because of her minimalistic outlook. However, you don't want to get rid of all your pillows — right? You need at least one.

In our writing, we tend to overuse the word "that." We sprinkle little "thats" into our writing as if they were throw pillows on our furniture. "That" is a conjunction that connects dependent clauses to independent clauses. We need it if a subordinate clause uses conjunctions

such as after, before, because, while and in addition to. For example: He said that because he likes hotel waffles so much, he intended to set the alarm clock on his phone before going to bed.

The AP Stylebook instructs us to use "that" "to introduce a dependent clause if the sentence sounds or looks awkward without it." Here's an example: I think that I am a robot. Another: I find that no one believes my robot claim.

Most of the time, we should also use the word "that" before certain verbs, including assert, declare, make clear, point out and state: I would like to point out that I haven't mentioned Abraham Lincoln up until this point. Now you're thinking about Abraham Lincoln.

Usually, we can omit "that" when a dependent clause follows a version of the verb "to say." For example: Abraham Lincoln said he looked better without a mus-

tache. Our inclination is probably to insert "that" after "said." Also, rewrite a sentence if the word "that" appears back to back.

What have we learned so far? We only have a few reasons to omit the word "that." In fact, the AP advises, "When in doubt, include that. Omission can hurt. Inclusion never does." Does this mean we should use throw pillows with reckless abandon? Maybe — but don't tell Marie Kondo. Or perhaps this is a lesson we can apply more broadly to our lives — omission can hurt; inclusion never does.



Curtis Honeycutt is a syndicated humor writer. Connect with him on Twitter (@curtishoneycutt) or at curtishoneycutt.com.

IN OUR SCHOOLS

Southport student wins Project Stepping Stone scholarship

Scholarship — A Southport High student is among the winners of a prestigious scholarship program for Indiana's top Latino high school students. Project Stepping Stone recognized Christopher De La Cruz as one of two Emerging Leaders for 2019. He was also awarded a scholarship given to ambitious and talented students who have demonstrated exemplary character, leadership skills and a commitment to academic excellence. Winners receive a one-time scholarship ranging from \$1,000 to \$3,000. Since its inception, the PSS program has awarded \$400,000 to 200 students.



Franklin Central students attend band camp

Band camp — The Franklin Central Marching Flashes spent July 22-26 attending band camp on the FC Football Field. Students put

long hours on the field, practicing from 9 a.m.- 8 p.m. each day at camp.



U.S. Army soldiers teach Glens Valley class about American flags

History — Three U.S. Army soldiers visited Mrs. Powell's 5th grade class at Glens Valley to teach them about the American flag, including its history, what the symbols represent, the proper way to display and the proper way to handle the American flag. Pictured, from left to right, Sgt. Hardinger, Sgt. Cotton and Sgt. Gonzalez. Mrs. Powell's class will use this new knowledge to help them during their daily flag responsibilities.



Puzzle Time Answers

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Answers to HOOSIER HODGEPODGE:

Words: FLOW, LOTUS, NAMASTE, POSE, PRANA, VINYASA;

Characters: ANDREA, BRANDON, BRENDA, DONNA, KELLY;

Guitarists: CLAPTON, HENDRIX, SLASH, VAN HALEN;

Birds: FLAMINGO, HORNBILL, STARLING;

Towns: GREENFIELD, GREENWOOD;

Amusement Park: HOLIDAY WORLD

Southside New Quiz

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OBITUARIES

Richard Allison

Richard "Dick" Allison, 83, of Indianapolis, died Aug. 11, 2019. He was born March 8, 1936 in Indianapolis. He was a Southport High School class of 1954 graduate, and a 55-years-plus member of IBEW Local #481. He was preceded in death by his parents, Dale and Dorothy Allison; and a son, Everett Ray Allison. Dick is survived by his wife, Maureen; sons, Ronald (Catherine), Randy (Debbie), and Russell (Lisa) Allison; nine grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren; and a sister, Judy Milligan. There will be no services at this time. Arrangements were entrusted to G. H. Herrmann Madison Avenue Funeral Home, 5141 Madison Ave., Indianapolis.

Glen Buckner

Glen Buckner died July 30, 2019. Born in Indianapolis to Raymond and Geraldine (Willsey) Buckner, he was married for 50 years to Patricia (Martin), who preceded him in death in 2008. He started his own consulting agency at the age of 50: The Buckner Group Ltd. His client list was global, including Europe, Australia, New Zealand and Canada. After retirement, Glen worked as a greeter for the Indianapolis Indians. Glen traveled by RV twice to Alaska and went up, down and all around the U.S. to take in the wonders of the world. He established many deep friendships. He was also preceded in death by a stillborn daughter, Julie. He is survived by daughters, Leigh (Michael) Turley and Laura (Charlie) Groenert; his grandsons, Matt (Brittany) Groenert, Ian (Erin) Groenert, Adam (Shelby) Turley and Caitlyn (Caleb) Bell; and his great-grandchildren, Elysia and Boaz Groenert. A celebration of life service was held Aug. 10 at 2:00 pm at Wilson St. Pierre Funeral Services and Crematory-Greenwood Chapel.

Iva Ruth Durham-Hendrix

Iva Ruth Durham-Hendrix, of Beech Grove, died Aug. 6, 2019. She was 91. Iva was born March 12, 1928 in Westmoreland, TN, daughter of the late James Albert and Ninnie Hope (Bentle) Howell. Iva attended schools in Tennessee and was a graduate of the Westmoreland High School. She worked as a self-employed hairdresser for many years and in her leisure time she enjoyed crocheting as well as gardening and took pride in raising several varieties of house plants. She was a longtime member of the Mount Zion General Baptist Church in Indianapolis, where she was active in the Women's Missionary Society. She had also served as secretary and treasurer of the church. In addition to her parents, Iva was preceded in death by her first husband, H. Paul Durham; her second husband, Chester Hendrix; and her son, Timothy Paul Durham. Iva is survived by her daughter, Phyllis (Bill) Lord; her grandchildren, Mike (Tammy) Eaton, Billi Lord, Brandon Durham and Leslie (Brad) Ritter; five great-grandchildren; her stepsons, Donald Hendrix and David Hendrix; as well as several nieces and nephews. Funeral services were held Aug. 13 at Singleton Community Mortuary and Memorial Center. Burial was in Forest Lawn Memory Gardens in Greenwood.

Jeffrey Evans

Jeffrey Evans, 51, of Indianapolis, died Aug. 4, 2019. All services are private. Funeral arrangements have been entrusted to The Cremation Society of Indiana, 4115 S. Shelby St., Indianapolis, IN 46227.

Ellen L. Featherstone

Ellen L. Featherstone, 66, of Noblesville, died Aug. 7, 2019. All services are private. Funeral arrangements have been entrusted to The Cremation Society of Indiana, 4115 S. Shelby St., Indianapolis, IN 46227.

Rodney W. Giffin

Rodney W. Giffin, 59, of Beech Grove/Indianapolis, died Aug. 2, 2019. Rodney was preceded in death by his son, Jason Rian Giffin. Rodney is survived by his wife of 38 years, Mala Giffin; children, Holly (Donald Thompson) Giffin, Rodney (Shawn) Giffin and Bruce Giffin; grandchildren, Miranda, Elizabeth, Thomas, Anthony, Grace, Jason and Lea; his parents, John and Diana Shilling; along with his siblings, Roxanne, Roger, Rian, Kathi and Johnny. No services are scheduled at this time.

Laura W. Gossett

Laura W. Gossett, 91, of Camby, died Aug. 9, 2019. Laura was preceded in death by her husband, Harold F. Gossett, and son, Larry Gossett. Laura is survived by her children, Alan Gossett and Jeffrey (Torrie) Gossett; grandchildren, Brian Gossett, Michelle L. (Ryan) Hall, Elaina M. Gossett, Deanna (Gary) Gross, Minta (Bill) Dolph-Rather, Natalie Gossett and Blake Gossett; great-grandchildren, Lexi, Tyler, Ellen and Theodore Hall, Jakob Agee and Damien Gossett-Agee, Lennox Gross and Carmen Gross. Visitation will be held Aug. 15 at Little and Sons Stop Eleven Chapel from 11 a.m.-1 p.m. A Memorial Service will follow immediately at 1 p.m. Burial will be in Lincoln Memory Gardens at a later date.

Mary V. Handy

Mary V. Handy, 83, of Indianapolis, died Aug. 11, 2019. She was born Aug. 17, 1935 in Danville, IL to the late Ralph E. Ellsworth and Eleanor (Porter) Ellsworth Unitis. Mary graduated from Danville High School in 1953 and attended MacMurray College in Jacksonville, IL. Mary was a beautician/cosmetologist. She also worked for Coca-Cola and ARA Coffee Systems. Mary owned Sun Buff Tan Spa on the southeast side of Indianapolis for 10 years, and Sun Buff Cruise Center, also for 10 years. Mary loved traveling and taking cruises, the sunshine, baking sweets for her companion Dave and her grandsons and camping and fishing at Hardin Ridge. She was a Colts fan, loved gardening (roses) and feeding the birds. She was preceded in death by her son, Michael William Handy; companion, David W. Derrick; and sister, Priscilla Ann Franklin. Mary is survived by her daughter, Karyn M. Lee (Bruce); grandsons,

Christian Michael Lee (Megan) and Ryan Jacob Lee (girlfriend, Meg Laughlin); and ex-husband, Charles W. Handy. Visitation will be held Aug. 16, from 11 a.m. until the time of service at 1 p.m. at G. H. Herrmann Madison Avenue Funeral Home, 5141 Madison Ave., Indianapolis. Burial will be in Bethel Cemetery.

John E. Helzer

John E. Helzer, 70, of Greenwood, died Aug. 7, 2019. He was born March 18, 1949 in Jeffersonville, IN to the late Henry E. and Annabelle E. Helzer. John was a member of Community Church of Greenwood. He enjoyed gardening and was an avid reader. He was preceded in death by his daughter, Sarah Dukes. He is survived by his wife of 45 years, Carol L. Helzer; daughter, Amy Cuvelier; son in law, Shannon (Hannah) Dukes; grandchildren, Micah and Hannah Dukes; sister, Linda (Marty) Chastain; and nieces, Lindsey and Ashley Chastain. Services were held Aug. 12 at Community Church of Greenwood. Burial was in The Gardens at Olive Branch.

Henry Huder

Henry "Hank" Huder, 84, formerly of Carmel, died Aug. 5, 2019. He was born Nov. 14, 1934 in Indianapolis to the late Dillon and Helen Oakes Huder. He was a graduate of Hanover College and was a member of Fiji/Phi Gamma Delta Sires and Sons. Hank served in the United States Army. Hank loved the water and was a lifelong boater. In his youth, he raced hydroplane boats. Hank especially loved his many years of boating and spending summers on Torch Lake in Michigan with his wife, Carol and all his family. Hank always enjoyed having a dog in his life. He would often carry treats in his pocket. Survivors include his wife of 61 years, Carol Huder, his son, Dr. Steven W. (Jennifer) Huder, his daughter, Karen H. (Scott) Crawford; his grandchildren, Claire and Carl Huder, Cameron and Rachael Crawford, Dylan and Caelan Cooper and his great-granddaughter, Melani Bigham. Services were held Aug. 12 at Mt. Pleasant Christian Church, 381N. Bluff Road, Greenwood. Arrangements have been entrusted to G.H. Herrmann Greenwood Funeral Home.

Janice Marie Kortz

Janice Marie Kortz, 64, of Indianapolis, died Aug. 4, 2019. She was born Jan. 31, 1955 in Brazil, Indiana to the late Orange and Mary Ferris. Survivors include her children, Stacy Embry, Mary Ann Ferguson, Janice McCullough and Uriah Kortz; grandchildren, Michael Kortz, Halee Benefiel, Kyler Farrar, Kalie Farrar, Kara Farrar (Marissa Farrar), Kody Farrar, Cheyanne McCullough, Christopher McCullough, Cassie McCullough, Shelby McCullough, Cameron Maidwell, Uriah Kortz, Josiah Kortz, Mariah Kortz, Nicoli Kortz and Zaniah Kortz; and great-grandchildren, Noah Kortz, Trenton Sylvia, Ryder Sylvia, Maverick Farrar, Sophia McCullough, Elijah McCullough, Christopher McCullough Jr.,



Aaralynn Farrar, Aubree McCullough and Paisley McCullough. Services were held Aug. 12 in Lauck & Veldhof Funeral & Cremation Services. Burial was held in New Crown Cemetery.

Ila Sharon Kuchler

Ila Sharon Kuchler, 76, died Aug. 9, 2019. A resident of Indianapolis, she was born Jan. 5, 1943 in Indianapolis to the late Charles and Vivian "Peggy" Worth. She was a member of Sacred Heart of Jesus Catholic Church and a Lady of the Moose Lodge. Sharon enjoyed spending time with her family, especially her grandchildren, dancing with her husband and friends, taking long walks, cruises and visiting zoos. She was preceded in death by her husband of 54 years, David Kuchler; brother, Stanley Worth; and sister, Joyce Purpura. Survivors include three daughters, Mary Theresa "Terry" (Zia) Loghmani, Becky Kuchler and Katrina Scheele; Brian C. Carey; seven grandchildren, Damien C. (Danielle) Davis, Brittany N. (Thomas H.) Secen, Peter A. Carey, Jackie (Justin) Ridge, Michael C. (Lauren) Carey, Shane M. Davis and his partner, Paige Elliott, and Dani Scheele; seven great-grandchildren, Aryanna Davis, Zach Davis, Austin Davis, Gabrielle Davis, Jayce Davis, Silas Secen and Aubrey Ridge; brother, Larry Worth; and cousin, Jim (Dana) Purpura. A graveside service was conducted Aug. 13 at Calvary Cemetery, 435 W. Troy Ave., Indianapolis.

John Martin Lester

John Martin Lester, of Franklin died Aug. 5, 2019. He was born Jan. 13, 1947 in Perry, Iowa, one of four children born to Martin Paul and Dorothy Louise (Cotton) Lester. John earned a bachelor's degree in recreation from Indiana University and a master's degree in public administration from IUPUI. He was the owner of Lester Recreation Design LLC for 18 years; prior to that, he had been employed with Carmel-Clay Parks and Recreation Department in Carmel, IN as well as the Department of Parks and Recreation for the city of Indianapolis. He was also a member of the Christ United Methodist Church in Indianapolis. He was preceded in death by his parents. John is survived by his wife, Rebecca Zan Lester; his sons, James Lewis Lester and Christopher John Lester; his stepdaughters, Mary Christine Murphy and Cheryl Lynne (Steve) Kochenderfer; his grandchildren, Heather Lynn Murphy and Sean Andrew Murphy, as well as his siblings, Gwen E. (David) Moore, Gene E. Lester and Joan M. Lester. Memorial services will be conducted at a future date at the convenience of the family.

June Manning

June Manning, 60, of Indianapolis, died Aug. 5, 2019. All services are private. Funeral arrangements have been entrusted to The Cremation Society of Indiana, 4115 S. Shelby St., Indianapolis, IN 46227.

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Coming September 26th**PET LOVERS
ISSUE**

We know Southsiders love their pets. To celebrate that affection, *The Southside Times* is having its fifth annual **Southside Pet Lovers** issue.

We have asked our readers to submit their best photo of their cat, dog or other pet. Our staff will choose the top three and all other entries will be published in the Sept. 26 issue.

Please e-mail your image with your name and area of residence to "Pet Lovers" at nancy@icontimes.com by **September 13** or mail your photo to: **7670 US 31 South, Indianapolis, 46227** (We may not be able to return photos.)

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Daniel K. Morris

Daniel K. Morris, 65, of Indianapolis, died Aug. 12, 2019. He was born March 16, 1954 in Indianapolis to Richard and Jo Lee Morris, both of whom precede him in death. Daniel was a master grillier who loved cooking for his family and friends. He served his country in the United States Army and liked to go fishing and camping. He also loved to celebrate Christmas. Daniel is also preceded in death by his brothers, Bill Morris and Rick Morris; and sister, Barbara O'Neal. Daniel is survived by his wife, Sherry Morris; children, Rodney (Angela) Foster; Christopher (Jennifer Stewart) Kingrey, Daniel Morris and Casey Morris; sisters, Betty (David) Pitcock, Bonnie Kinser, Brenda (Mark) Hebble and Rita (Jim) Collins; brother, Robert Morris; and three grandchildren. Visitation will be held Aug. 16 from 5 p.m. until the time of service at 7 p.m. at Simplicity Funeral & Cremation Care, 7520 Madison Ave., Indianapolis, IN. 46227.

George E. Nigro

George E. Nigro, 74, of Greenwood, died Aug. 7, 2019. He was born Oct. 22, 1944 in Boston to Dante and Mary Nigro. He graduated from the vocational high school in Everett, MA, and retired as a facilities director for the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. He is survived by his brother, Daniel (Glenda) Nigro. All services will be private.

Jimmy Lee Pittman

Jimmy Lee Pittman, 59, of Greenwood, died Aug. 5, 2019. All services are private. Funeral arrangements have been entrusted to The Cremation Society of Indiana, 4115 S. Shelby St., Indianapolis, IN 46227.

Robert Alfred Raymond Sr.

Robert "Bob" Alfred Raymond Sr., 81, of Beech Grove, died Aug. 11, 2019. Bob was born April 10, 1938 in Haverhill, MA to the late Harmidas and Lauria (Faubert) Raymond. He graduated from Haverhill High School. Bob was a United States Marine Corps veteran. Bob married Maxine Hall in December 1957. Bob worked as a car salesman at Jack Smart Ford beginning in 1976 and retired from Ray Skillman in 2008. He was a member of Holy Name Catholic Church. Bob loved music and his family. Bob was preceded in death by his wife, Maxine; parents, Harmidas and Lauria Raymond; and siblings, Joseph, Phillip, Armand, Eddie, Blanche, Irene and Rita. Bob is survived by his children, Robert Alfred (Monique) Raymond Jr., David (Lisa) Raymond, Mark (Jennifer) Raymond and Renee Raymond Hines; grandchildren, Kelsey, Christopher, Nicholas, Breanna, Brendon, Destin and Tracey; and great-grandson, Elijah. Visitation will be held Aug. 16, 3-8 p.m. at Little & Sons Funeral Home, 1301 Main St., Beech Grove, IN 46107. A mass of Christian burial will take place Aug. 17 at 10 a.m. at Holy Name Catholic Church, 89 N. 17th Ave., Beech Grove, IN 46107. Burial with military honors will follow at Calvary Cemetery.

Ralph R. Richards Jr.

Ralph R. Richards Jr., 59, of Beech Grove, died Aug. 10, 2019. He was preceded in death by his parents, Ralph Sr. and Donna Jean Richards; along with his sister, Sandy Richards. Ralph is survived by his wife, Rhonda Richards; daughter, Ilene Richards; siblings, Sherrie Richards, Stephanie (Tony) Zirkelbach and Charles Richards. Services were held at Little and Sons Beech Grove Chapel on Aug. 14.

Robert Charles Spillman, Jr.

Robert Charles Spillman, Jr., 83, of Indianapolis, died Aug. 4, 2019. All services are private. Funeral arrangements have been entrusted to The Cremation Society of Indiana, 4115 S. Shelby St., Indianapolis, IN 46227.

Mary Ann Whitaker

Mary Ann Whitaker, 88, died Aug. 8, 2019. Mary Ann was born Oct. 13, 1933 in Johnson County, IN. She was a homemaker who enjoyed doing puzzles and gardening flowers. Survivors include her husband of 68 years, Howard Whitaker; four children, Howard Whitaker, Jr. (Susie), Terry Forbes (Ron), Tammy Whitaker and Clay Whitaker (Nancy); granddaughter, Heather Muse (Cory); great-grandchildren, Ariel, Seth, Levi and Daniel; and one great-great-grandchild, Kori. Funeral services for Mary Ann were held Aug. 12 at Wilson St. Pierre Funeral Service & Crematory, Greenwood Chapel. Mary was buried in Greenwood Cemetery.

Salvatore Zarro

Salvatore "Sam" Zarro, of Indianapolis, died Aug. 10, 2019. He was 93. Sam was born May 13, 1926 in Nusco, Italy, to Amato and Maria (Iuliano) Zarro. He graduated from Arsenal Technical High School in 1944 and he earned a bachelor's degree in business from Butler University in 1950. He served his country in the United States Navy and was a member of the American Legion. Sam was employed for several years at U.S. Naval Avionics as a production control specialist. He also owned and operated Tropic Oil Company in Indianapolis. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by five sisters and a brother. Sam is survived by his wife of nearly 59 years, Mary Louise (Jolliffe) Zarro; his children, Kathy (Mike) Frederick and Ron (Julie) Zarro; his grandchildren, Robert (Elena) Frederick, Dr. Ron (Karen) Frederick and Zach Zarro; his great-grandchildren, Adrianna Frederick, Rocco Frederick, Enzo Frederick, Elio Frederick and Isabella Frederick; his brother, Joe (Cathering) Zarro; as well as several nieces and nephews. Visitation will be held Aug. 15, 11 a.m. - 1 p.m., followed by a funeral service at 1 p.m. at the Singleton Community Mortuary and Memorial Center. Burial will follow in Greenwood Cemetery.

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

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ASSEMBLY OF GOD

Faith Assembly of God • 186 Royal Road, Beech Grove. | Ph: (317) 784-8566. | Pastor: Lawrence Cook. | Sun.: 10:30 a.m. & 6 p.m. | Wed.: 7 p.m.

BAPTIST

Crossroads Baptist Church • 1120 S Arlington Ave., Indpls. | Ph: (317) 357-2971. | Pr. Guy Solarek. | Sun.: 10 a.m., 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. | Wed.: 7 p.m. | cbcindy.com.

Faith Baptist Church • 1640 Fry Road, Greenwood. | Ph: (317) 859-7964. | Pr. Scott Mauldin. | Sun.: 10:30 a.m. & 5 p.m. | Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. | Wed.: 7 p.m. | KJV.

First Baptist Church of BG • 5521 Churchman Ave., Indpls. | Ph: (317) 784-1478. | office@fbcbeechgrove.com. | Sun.: 9:30 a.m. | Sunday School: 10:50 a.m. | Wed.: 7-8 p.m. | Childcare & programs, all ages, all services. Join Us! fbcbeechgrove.com.

Historic Grace Baptist Church "Since 1927" • 1907 E. Woodlawn Ave., Indpls. | Ph: (317) 638-3143 or (317) 536-8655. | Pr. Rick J. Stone. | Sun.: 10:30 a.m. & 6 p.m. | Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.

Lighthouse Baptist Church • 6950 E. Raymond St., Indpls. | Ph: (317) 359-4275. | Pr. Dan Tidd. | Sun.: 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. | Wed.: 7 p.m. | Thursday's Youth Meeting: 6:30 p.m. | Ladies' & Men's meetings (call for times). | "Independent Baptist Church."

Ritter Avenue Baptist Church • 23 S. Ritter Ave., Indpls. | Ph: (317) 709-1788. | Pr. Earl Chestnut. | Sunday School: 10 a.m. | Morning Worship: 11 a.m. | Sun. Evening: 6 p.m. | Thurs. Night: 6 p.m.

CATHOLIC

Good Shepherd Catholic Church • 2905 S. Carson Ave., Indpls. | Ph: (317) 783-3158. | Rev. Bob Robeson, Administrator. Rev. John Beitans, Sacramental Assistant. | Sat. Mass: 4:30 p.m. | Sun. Mass: 10 a.m. | Completely Handicapped Accessible. All Welcome!

Holy Name of Jesus • 89 N. 17th Ave., Beech Grove. | Ph: (317) 784-5454. | Rev. Robert Robeson. | Worship Times & Anticipation Sun.: 7:30, 9:30 & 11:30 a.m. | Sat. Mass: 5 p.m.

Sacred Heart Catholic Church • 1530 Union St., Indpls. | Ph: (317) 638-5551 | Fr. Larry Janezic | Sat. Anticipation Mass: 5 p.m. | Sun. Masses: 8 & 10 a.m.

Saints Francis & Clare Catholic Church • 5901 Olive Branch Road, Greenwood. | Ph: (317) 859-4673. | Fr. Steve Giannini. | Sat. Anticipation Mass: 5:30 p.m. | Sun.: 7, 8:45 & 11:30 a.m.

St. Athanasius Byzantine Eastern - Rite Catholic Church • Blaine Ave., Indpls. | Ph: (317) 632-4157. | Fr. Bryan Eymann. | Sun. (Divine Liturgy Celebrated): 10 a.m. | Parish luncheon follows liturgy. | saindy.com.

St. Jude • 5353 McFarland Road, Indpls. | Ph: (317) 786-4371. | Fr. Stephen Banet. | Sun.: 7:30, 9:30, 11:30 a.m. | Sat. Anticipation Mass: 5 p.m.

St. Mark Catholic Church • 535 E. Edgewood Ave., Indpls. | Ph: (317) 787-8246. | Fr. Bill Marks. | Deacon Paul Fisherkeller. | Sun.: 7:30, 9:30, 11:45 a.m. | Sat. Anticipation Mass: 5:30 p.m.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Mount Pleasant Christian Church • 381 N. Bluff Road, Greenwood. | Senior Pr. Chris Philbeck. | Sun.: 10 a.m. (ASL Available). | Sun.: 8:45 a.m., 10 a.m. & 11:30 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.

CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST

Sixth Church of Christ, Scientist • 7625 McFarland Road. | Ph: (317) 888-3204. | Sun.: 10 a.m. | Sun. School: 10 a.m. |

Wed.: 4 p.m. | Reading Room Hours Tues.: 11 a.m.-2 p.m. & Wed.: 2:30-3:30 p.m.

CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN

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

DISCIPLES OF CHRIST

First Christian Church of Beech Grove • 75 N. 10th Ave., Beech Grove. | Ph: (317) 786-8522. | Pr. Paul Hartig. | Sun.: 10:30 a.m. | Sun. Christian Education: 9:30 a.m.

Tapestry Church • 4135 Smith Valley Road, Greenwood. | Ph: (317) 784-4431 | Woven Worship: 9:45 a.m. | Traditional Worship: 10:30 a.m. | gototapestry.org.

EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH OF AMERICA

Bethany Evangelical Lutheran Church • 4702 S. East St., Indpls. | Ph: (317) 786-7854. | Worship Sun.: 9:30 a.m. | "We Welcome You."

INDEPENDENT CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Bethany Christian Church • 4727 S. Sherman Dr., Indpls. | Ph: (317) 787-5103. | Min. Jim Clark. | Sun.: 10:15 a.m. | Sunday School: 9:15 a.m. | Bible Study Mon.: 6:30 p.m. & Wed.: 7 p.m.

INDEPENDENT NON DENOMINATIONAL

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

LUTHERAN

Concordia Lutheran Church and Preschool • 305 Howard Road, Greenwood. | (317) 881-4477. | Worship Sun.: 9 a.m. | Sunday School: 10:30 a.m. | concordia-lcms.com.

Emmaus Lutheran Church & School • 1224 Laurel St., Indpls (Inside historic Fountain Square). | Ph: (317) 632-1486.

| Pr. Raymond Smith. | Worship Sun.: 10 a.m. | emmausfountainsquare

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

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

NAZARENE

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

NON-DENOMINATIONAL

Church Without Walls • 8977 N. 700 W., Fountaintown. | (317) 771-4689. | Sun.: 11:30 a.m. | "Safe Place to be Real." | christianspeakingministries.com.

Community Church of Greenwood • 1477 W. Main St., Greenwood. | Ph: (317) 888-6024. | Sun.: 9:20 & 11 a.m. | Real Church. Real People. | ccgonline.org.

Emmanuel Church: Banta Campus • 6602 S. Harding St., Indpls. | Ph: (317) 535-9673. | Pr. Aaron Beasley. | Sunday: 9 & 11 a.m. | eclife.org.

Foundation Life Bible Church • 1500 Windhorst Way, Greenwood. | Ph: (317) 679-1938. | Pr. Sam Pierce. | Sun.: 10:30 a.m. | foundationlbc.com.

Manna Church - Greenwood • 3533 Pleasant Lake Dr., Greenwood | Micro-site | Online service: join us online every Sunday at 11 a.m. | mannachurchfay.churchonline.org.

Tallwood Chapel Community Church • 5560 S. Shelby St., Indpls. | Ph: (317) 787-5595. | Pr. Daniel Smith | Sun.: 10:30 a.m. | BIBLE CHURCH, Ministry of HOLY WORD.

PRESBYTERIAN

Greenwood Presbyterian Church • 102 W. Main St., Greenwood. | Ph: (317) 881-1259. | Rev. Peter Zinn. | Sun.: 10:30 a.m. | Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.

SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST

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

SOUTHERN BAPTIST

Calvary Baptist Church • 200 Sunset Blvd., Greenwood. | Ph: (317) 881-5743. | Josh Blight, Associate Pastor of Youth & Families. | Sun.: 10:30 a.m. | Sunday School: 9 a.m. | Something for All Ages.

Southwood Baptist Church • 501 S. 4th Ave., Beech Grove | Ph: (317) 786-2719 | Pstr: Rick Porter | Worship Service: 10:45 a.m. | Sunday School: 9:30 a.m. | Sun. & Wed. Eve Worship: 6:30 p.m.

Trinity Baptist Church • 375 E. Southport Road, Indpls. | Ph: (317) 881-2122. | Pr. Douglas Rumsey. | Sun. Bible Study: 9:30 a.m. | Sun. Services: 10:45 a.m. & 6 p.m. | Wed. Bible Study: 7 p.m.

UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

Faith United Church of Christ • No matter where you are on life's journey, you are welcome in our community. | 4040 E. Thompson Road. | Ph: (317) 784-4856. | Pr. Scott Simmons. | Worship Service: 10:30 a.m. | Sermons Online: myfaithucc.org.

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. | StJohnsUnitedChurch.org.

Zion United Church of Christ • 8916 E. Troy Ave., Indpls. | Ph: (317) 862-4136. | Pr. Sarah Frische-Mouri Hannigan. | Sun.: 8:15 a.m. & 10:30 a.m. | Sunday School: 9:30-10:15 a.m. | zionuccindy.net.

UNITED METHODIST

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 School: 10:15 a.m. | edgewoodumc-indy.org. | "The Church for The Next 100 Years." | We are on Facebook.

Greenwood United Methodist • 525 N. Madison Ave., Greenwood. | Ph: (317) 881-1653. | Rev. In Suk Peebles. | Sun.: 10:15 a.m. | Sunday School: 9 a.m.

Rosedale Hills United Methodist • 4450 S. Keystone Ave., Indpls. | Ph: (317) 786-6474 | Email: officerhum@att.net. | Rev. Jill Howard. | Sun.: 9:30 a.m. | Sunday School: 10:45 a.m. | rosedalehillsumc.org.

Smith Valley United Methodist Church • 5293 Old Smith Valley Road, Greenwood. | Ph: (317) 881-1641. | Sun. Worship: 9:30 a.m. | Sunday School: 11 a.m. | Bible Study Wed.: 6:30 p.m. | smithvalleyumc.org.

Whiteland United Methodist Church • 309 Main St., Whiteland | Ph: 317-535-4287 | Rev. Bill Clark | Sun. Worship 10:30 | WUMCINDIANA.org | Facebook/WUMC01.

UNITY

Unity of Indianapolis Church of the Daily Word • 907 N. Delaware St., Indpls. | Ph: (317) 635-4066. | Rev. Bob Uhlar, Senior Minister & Rev. Carla Golden, Director Lay Ministries. | Celebration: 10 a.m. | unityofindy.com.

WESLEYAN

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.

Southview Wesleyan Church • 4700 Shelbyville Road, Indpls. | Ph: (317) 783-0404. | Pr. Rick Matthews. | Sun.: 10:30 a.m. & 6 p.m. | Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.

Weekly Devotion

5 My covenant was with him of life and peace; and I gave them to him for the fear wherewith he feared Me, and was afraid before My name.

6 The law of truth was in his mouth, and iniquity was not found in his lips: he walked with Me in peace and equity, and did turn many away from iniquity.

7 For the priest's lips should keep knowledge, and they should seek the law at his mouth: for he is the messenger of the Lord of hosts.

MALACHI 2:5-7

The subject about what faithfulness to God is like is a sensitive one. It usually leads to the subject of money and just how much one should give God. After all, God does not need it nearly as badly as we do and, in truth, He does not need it at all. He can create wealth and destroy it and many a nation that ignored Him has found that out.

When God mentions through Malachi the covenant that He made between Himself and Levi He lets it be known that this was a sacred contract between Himself and him and Levi took it very seriously. Levi understood that God was responsi-

ble for His people and that he was responsible for keeping them reminded of that and that their response to God should always be a response of faith and gratitude. God made them a people feared by other nations and kingdoms so that they could live in relative peace and free of war. It was only when they became entangled with those other nations in faith and finances that they suffered as a result.

There were strict rules given to Levi about acceptable sacrifices which God would accept. At the time of Malachi's writing, those rules were a long time forgotten. The attitude of most toward God

was accept what I bring or leave it, it is all you are going to get from me. It has become the same today if people bring God any gifts at all. We have yet to see the suffering that comes on a country as a result. It is coming. WE are hearing about it now and it will only get worse. God does not need this country's money, He wants its heart, its affection.

God bless and go and have a great day.

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

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Notice of Petition for Change of Name: Lisa Diane McGarretty, whose mailing address is 704 S SR 135 Suite D105, Greenwood, IN 46143, in Johnson County, Indiana, hereby gives notice that Lisa Diane McGarretty has filed a petition in the Johnson Superior Court 4 requesting that her name be changed to Lisa Diane McGarretty from Lisa Diane Bottorff. Notice is further given that the hearing will be held on said Petition on Oct. 1, 2019 at 11:30 a.m. in Johnson Co. Superior Ct. 4, 5 E. Jefferson St., Franklin, IN.

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