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### TODAY'S VERSE

Philippians 3:7-8 But what things were gain to me, those I counted loss for Christ. Yea doubtless, and I count all things but loss for the excellency of the knowledge of Christ Jesus my Lord: for whom I have suffered the loss of all things, and do count them but dung, that I may win Christ.

### FACES OF MONTGOMERY

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Meet the staff! Kyleigh Franklin works in our business office. She can help you out with any questions or concerns that you may have. You can reach her by email at [business@thepaper24-7.com](mailto:business@thepaper24-7.com)

### THREE THINGS You Should Know:

**1** The world celebrated International Waffle Day in March but that doesn't mean you can't indulge yourself when the urge strikes, according to the Association of Mature American Citizens. But the credit for the celebration of waffles, whether for breakfast, lunch or dinner, belongs to Sweden where it all started way back in the 14th century when Swedes began mispronouncing the religious celebration known as vårfrudagen, the English translation of which is Our Lady Day, and began calling it vaffeldagen, waffle day.

**2** The Indiana Department of Transportation announces a patching project begins on or after Monday, April 4 on State Road 341 between the south junction of U.S. 136 to just north of Wallace. There will be one 12' lane open in the area the contractor will be patching. Construction is scheduled to last through the end of May.

**3** Lt. Gov. Suzanne Crouch and the Indiana Broadband Office announced that Harrison County is now designated as an official Broadband Ready Community. The Broadband Ready Communities Program was created as a tool to encourage broadband development throughout Indiana. The Broadband Ready Community certification sends a signal to the telecommunication industry that a community has taken steps to reduce barriers to broadband infrastructure investment.

## Ensuring Election Security

Nothing is more important to our democracy than a fair and secure election process, and this year, the General Assembly passed a handful of improvements to preserve the integrity of our elections.

House Enrolled Act 1116 requires all electronic voting machines in Indiana to incorporate a voter-verifiable paper audit trail by the 2024 election. This will provide a reliable way for both voters and election officials to confirm that the electronically recorded votes are accurate. HEA 1116 also extends the requirement for each county to maintain an election security agreement with the Indiana Secretary of



Sen. Phil Boots

State.

This legislation also makes changes to the absentee voting process. HEA 1116 requires anyone requesting an online absentee ballot application through the

statewide voter portal to provide either their driver's license number or the last four digits of their Social Security number, adding an extra layer of identification.

I believe these are important improvements to our current system and will provide even more transparency and accountability in our voting process.

To view or update your voter registration, visit [IndianaVoters.com](http://IndianaVoters.com).

Sen. Phil Boots represents Montgomery, Fountain, Parke, Vermillion and Warren counties and a portion of Boone County. He is one of the shareholders of The Paper of Montgomery County.

## Transgender Question Is Still Up In Air

Less than a year ago I wrote about the controversy of transgendered people in sports. I got crucified over it, but what opinion doesn't get you that with today's cancel culture? To sum up, I pointed out the inherent unfairness of allowing male to compete against female.

If you have followed the issue, then you already know the Indiana legislature recently passed a bill that basically bans transgender athletes from competition in high schools. And you also know that



TIM TIMMONS  
Two Cents

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## Untold Stories Of Local Heroes

Do you remember being in school and lamenting that history is so boring? While we were all looking for it to come to life, for someone to rediscover

a local hero, uncover an untold story, or answer a nagging question, local historians have always been indulging their curiosity.

For instance, Michigan City unveiled a monument to an African American suffragist last week. Sisters from the League of Women Voters celebrated the installation of a fifty-foot steel sculpture celebrating



The League of Women Voters, open to men as well as women, is a nonpartisan, multi-issue political organization that encourages informed and active participation in government. For information about the Montgomery County LWV, visit: [www.lwvmontcoin.org](http://www.lwvmontcoin.org) or message to LWV, PO Box 101, Crawfordsville, Indiana 47933.

Naomi Anderson, a fiery and accomplished suffragist and civil rights activist born there. The thrill of getting to know Naomi Anderson included sleuthing through newspapers in at least five states, work which sisters Bonnie Schaaf and Sue Webster began because of a gift. In 2019, someone gifted Webster a puzzle celebrating the centennial of the women's right to vote in the US. On the circle of suffragists, the sisters saw an unfamiliar face and name, so they started digging and discovered their hometown hero.

Naomi Anderson was born in Michigan City in 1843. According to Michigan City's The Beacher, she attended the only public school in spite of records that it was segregated. Anderson's parents initially home educated her, but her talent as a poet and writer drew attention from the school, so she was

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## Wrapping Up Readers' Choice 2022

Readers' Choice is wrapped up for another year, and once again, The Paper's annual promotion to recognize your favorites in a multitude of categories was a huge success.

Back when our company was founded, the staff at The Paper brought Montgomery County this fun and good-natured promotion that features local businesses, people, products and more and gives you, our readers, the opportunity to vote for your favorites. We often joke that this is like Chicago politics and encourage you to vote early and vote often.

You see, this has never been about the rigidity of the process. Instead, it is designed to be an

absolutely fun and very positive way for our readers to cast a good light on their favorites. And oh, how you have responded! We annually see ballots that number in the hundreds of thousands - so many in fact that we had to find a way to automatic the counting process.

This year, rather than unveil all the winners at one time like we have in the past, we are revealing several categories a day. Today's categories can be found inside and a quick list is also provided here. When the final winners, runner-ups and honorable mentions are revealed, we will compile all of them into one keepsake edition that will stay posted on

### Want MORE?

Please turn to page A3 and A10 for the winners, runner ups, and honorable mentions in the **FOOD** category and page A5 and A8 for the **MEDICAL** category. Stay tuned for these categories: **SERVICE** and **ENTERTAINMENT** next week!

our website for the entire year.

Lastly, we encourage you to pay attention to the many businesses who are saying thank you with their ads. Without those supporters, local news and specifically your daily edition, wouldn't be here.

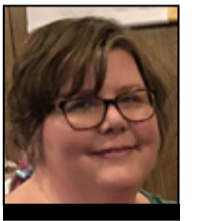
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## World Of Wonders

You may have seen our recent blog entry (<https://www.cdpl.lib.in.us/elementor-14785/>), social media posts, or the insert included in the Spring 2022

newsletter from the Carnegie Museum advertising our participation in the One State/One Story Community Read program, offered by Indiana Humanities.

IH selected Aimee Nezhukumatathil's World of Wonders: In Praise of Fireflies, Whale Sharks and Other Astonishments for this year's Community Read



Amanda Grossman  
Fresh off the Shelf

### HONEST HOOSIER

Now that we finally have winter out of the way and are enjoying spring, did you know it's only 83 days until summer?



### TODAY'S HEALTH TIP

If you snore loudly or appear to stop breathing while sleeping, you may have sleep apnea..

Today's health tip was brought to you by Dr. John Roberts. Be sure to catch his column each week in The Paper and online at [www.thepaper24-7.com](http://www.thepaper24-7.com).



### OBITUARIES

John Francis Gosnell

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### THE MONTGOMERY MINUTE

Want To Go?

Ivy Tech Lafayette will host the Food Finders Food Bank Mobile Pantry on the college's southside campus on Tuesday, March 29, 11:00 a.m. The Mobile Pantry will be distributing food, including fresh produce, an assortment of frozen items, essential non-perishable items, and breads to people in need. This will be a drive-through distribution. All clients must remain in their vehicles at all times, and must not arrive prior to 10:30 a.m.

### TODAY'S QUOTE

"Fairy tales are more than true: not because they tell us that dragons exist, but because they tell us that dragons can be beaten." Neil Gaiman

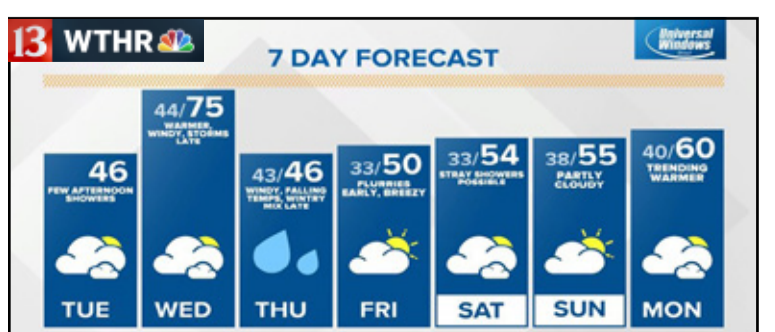
### TODAY'S JOKE

Why does Humpty Dumpty love autumn?  
Because he had a great fall!



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The Paper appreciates all our customers. Today, we'd like to personally thank Gail S Nowicki of Crawfordsville for subscribing!





## OBITUARIES

### John Francis Gosnell

Oct. 19, 1938 - March 27, 2022

John Francis Gosnell passed away Sunday, March 27 at Envive Healthcare in Indianapolis, where he had been a patient since February 28th.

Born Oct. 19, 1938 in Crawfordsville to Kenneth Elwood Gosnell and Louise Schanzel Gosnell, John graduated from Crawfordsville High School in 1956.

He served in the United States Navy from Aug. 1, 1956 to Aug. 3, 1959, receiving an honorable discharge.

He worked at Mid-States Wire and the Montgomery County Highway Department, retiring in 2000.

Over the years, he was an avid fisherman, hunter, gardener and loved doing anything outdoors, living the last 40 plus years on the banks of Sugar Creek. He enjoyed the many family and friends that would come to his property to fish and hunt. After retiring in 200 he enjoyed pulling his 5th wheel camper and traveling out West and into Canada along with many camping trips to Wisconsin, Michigan, Kentucky, Louisiana and Southern Indiana. He attended New Hope Christian Church and often talked about the Wednesday night Bible study classes that he enjoyed.

He married Patricia A. Nehrig Smith on May 3, 1994. She preceded him in death on February 8, 2019.

Survivors include one sister, Janet Jersey of New Market; sister-in-law, Margie Gosnell of Crawfordsville; six step-children, Beverly Martin (Rodger) of Thorntown, Vicki Lutes of Crawfordsville, Darrell Smith of Crawfordsville, Debra Swearingen (Don) of Crawfordsville, Kenneth Smith (Kimberly) of Darlington and Roger Smith (Cindy) of Crawfordsville; several grandchildren, great-grandchildren, nieces, nephews and his beloved dog, Hunter, who is being cared for and spoiled by Kenny and Kim Smith.

He was preceded in death by his parents; his wife; his brother, James Robert Gosnell; and granddaughter, Jennah Sue Smith.

In keeping with his wishes, he will be cremated with a private family memorial at a later date. Arrangements were entrusted to Burkhart Funeral Home.



## Crawfordsville Middle School Q3 Honor Roll

8th Grade High Honor Roll:

Zoe Abbott, Rylee Brown, Bennett Carlson, Breseith Carretero Morales, Tran Duong, Henry Hartnett, Maesa Horton, Ian Hurt, Caroline Melevage, Katie Neier, Katherine Novak, Bristol Presley, Hayden Sanders, Isla Seward, and Lili Yeung.

8th Grade Honor Roll:

Miley Asher, Genesis Calleja-Inzunza, Ashley Callejas, Jayden Callejas, Colten Custer, Christopher Diaz Zarate, Ava Fleck, Rowan Gambrel, Myca Garrett, Olivia Hedrick, Marie Hesler, Andrew Hurt, Evelyn Kohl, Aime Macegoza, DeLaney McCarty, Adrian Medina, Bianca Montes Diaz, Delada Mudd, Ariana Mundy, Caroline Novak, Tucker Pastore, Molly Pierce, Alfonso de Jesus Riano Escobar,

Marcus Rogers, Miguel Sanchez, Korbin Sanders, Collin Simpson, Lillyana Smith, Ally Strickland, Daniel Surface, Remy Swinford, William Taylor, Laila Torres Murillo, Yuliana Torres, Andrew Turner, and Nolan Watt.

7th Grade High Honor Roll:

Henry Bannon, Camila Bellorin Lopez, Karleigh Brown, Konner Ellsbury, Landon Gerold, Chloe Hamilton, Henry Hoar, Paige Johnson, Madison Martin, Scarlett Martinez Castellanos, Kaya Money, Sabella Moore, Claire Peacock, Jazmen Russell, Alayna Schroeter, Hope Taylor, Emerie Venis, and Chang Yeung.

7th Grade Honor Roll:

Emily Anderson, Elliot Baker, RaeAnn Baker, Lauren Brosman, Sidalee Cotton, Caroline Cox, Emma Dominguez, Melanie Dowd, Sydney

Elizondo, Vivian Ewoldt, Crystal Gonzalez, Jude Hurt, Addison James, Jayden Jimenez, Alayandra Johnson, Kaydee Kelso, Aailah Keys, Logan Lowe, Sebastian McCann, Jackson Miles, Jason Minnette, Sarah Moore, Armando Munoz Gutierrez, Princy Patel, Pujan Patel, Reese Price, Rolando Riano-Guerra, Jovanny Rodriguez, Josmary Sanchez Huesca, Tryston Sauer, Jaimee Simpson, Lauren Snider, Clairissa Stacey, Chloe Stark, Madison Tharp, Adyson Tinsley, Owen Tomamichel, Carissa Wills, and Jaxon Wireman.

6th Grade High Honor Roll:

Caroline Bowling, Averie Davies, Aiden French, Noelle Froerer, Silas Hartnett, Magnolia Joyner, Sami Maurer, Carter McDorman

6th Grade Honor Roll:

Trystan Adams, Olivia Alvarado Elizabeth Barrera Chinchilla, Marcus Brumett, Gabriel Cook, Karen Dominguez, Gabriel Elizondo, Isabel Gerdes, Jackson Hill, Mabel Hoar, Tristen Hood, Dario Huesca, Kristian Kelso, Randy Hayes Kurtz, Johanna Luna Lopez, Ledger Lyons, Namet Macegoza, Sophia Marsh, Naomi Martinez-Bolanos, Graeme Mason, Kristine McMahan, Brayleigh McMurry, Cameron Morgan, Gibson Morrison, Caiden Murray, Hailli Omundson, Kaden Parker, Ella Patton, Mazi Perry, Owen Pierce, Sebastian Rice, Ryan Rohr, Braeden Schlote, Alea Seward, Abigail Sheets, Jack Sweet, Olivia Todd, Trenton Tucker, Tylea Turner, Emma Whiles, and Brooklynn Willhite.

## Rokita Announces 21-State Lawsuit On Federal Mask Mandates

Attorney General Todd Rokita today announced a multistate lawsuit against several federal agencies and officials to force them to abandon illegal and unconstitutional mask mandates for travelers.

"Despite their repeated defeats in courts of law," Attorney General Rokita said, "power-obsessed leftists continue trying to impose federal mask and vaccine mandates. Here in Indiana, we continue fighting for American liberty at every turn."

With this lawsuit, Indi-

ana and the 20 other states take aim at one of the remaining vestiges of federal overreach undertaken in the name of COVID-19 mitigation.

"There's no good reason the feds should mandate masks at public transportation hubs and on commercial planes, buses, trains, ships and other vehicles," Attorney General Rokita said. "This rule belongs in the same ash heap to which we have consigned the other overreaching measures we have successfully challenged."

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# Readers' Choice 2022 Results - Food Category

- **Bakery**  
**Winner – Jack's**
- Donuts**  
Runner Up – Maxine's on Green  
Honorable Mentions – Warehouse Bakery, Kroger, Wal-Mart, Casey's General Store  
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- **Banquet Facility**  
**Winner – Stone Creek Lodge**  
Runner Up – Crawfordsville Country Club  
Honorable Mentions – Historic Ladoga – Old Normal, Cochran's, Eagles, Hidden Hollow Farms  
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- **Bar and Grill**  
**Winner – Backstep Brewing Co.**  
Runner Up – Applebee's  
Honorable Mentions – Canning Factory, Barefoot Burger, Waveland Pub, Francis and Mount  
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- **Caterer**  
**Winner – The Juniper Spoon**  
Runner Up – Maxine's on Green  
Honorable Mentions – Cochran's Catering & Cakes, Bon Appetit, Robin Pirtle, Francis and Mount, Miller Quality Meats, Harry's Hideout  
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- **Chinese/Japanese Restaurant**  
**Winner – Beijing**  
Runner Up – China Buffet  
Honorable Mentions – China Inn, Yamato's  
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- **Coffee Shop**  
**Winner – Joshua Cup**  
Runner Up – Good To Go Xpresso  
Honorable Mentions – 1832 Brew, Jack's Donuts, Starbucks  
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- **Fast Food Restaurant**  
**Winner – Culver's**  
Runner Up – Wendy's  
Honorable Mentions – Steak n Shake, Beijing, Buffalo Wild Wings, Subway (US 231)  
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- **Ice Cream Place**  
**Winner – Dari-licious**  
Runner Up – Culver's  
Honorable Mentions – Big Dipper, Lindy Freeze, Dairy Queen,  
Steak n Shake, Emporium 109  
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- **Italian Restaurant**  
**Winner – Brother's**
- Pizza**  
Runner Up – Valentino's  
Honorable Mentions – Pizza Hut, Mama Fazio's, Italian Pie & Bakery, Greek's  
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- **Liquor Store**  
**Winner – Ken's**  
Runner Up – Malt Shoppe  
Honorable Mentions – Kork & Keg  
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- **Meat Processor**  
**Winner – Four Seasons Market**  
Runner Up – Moody Meats  
Honorable Mentions – Miller Quality Meats, This Old Farm, Back 40 Amish, Ladoga Frozen Foods  
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- **Mexican Restaurant**  
**Winner – Little Mexico**  
Runner Up – El Charro
- Honorable Mentions – Rancho Bravo, Mi Corcel, Aki Les Voy Takeria  
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- **Best Omelet**  
**Winner – The Breakfast Co.**  
Runner Up – Forum  
Honorable Mention – Neighborhood Café  
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- **Best Tenderloin**  
**Winner – Sunoco**  
Runner Up – Culver's  
Honorable Mentions – Alice's Restaurant, Francis and Mount, Creekside, Neighborhood Café  
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- **Best French Fries**  
**Winner – McDonald's**  
Runner Up – Culver's  
Honorable Mentions – Barefoot Burger, Steak n Shake, Arby's, Alice's Restaurant  
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- **Best Milk Shake**  
**Winner – Dari-licious**  
Runner Up – Big Dipper  
Honorable Mentions – Culver's, Dairy Queen, Steak n Shake, Lindy Freeze, Emporium 109  
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- **Best Onion Rings**  
**Winner – Sunoco**  
Runner Up – Culver's  
Honorable Mentions – Applebee's, Buffalo Wild Wings, Arby's, New Ross Steak House  
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- **Best Cup of Coffee**  
**Winner – Good To Go Xpresso**  
Runner Up – Joshua Cup  
Honorable Mentions – 1832 Brew, Mary Lou, Jack's Donuts, Starbucks  
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- **Dine-In Restaurant**  
**Winner – Applebee's**  
Runner Up – Little Mexico  
Honorable Mentions – Cracker Barrel, Creekside Lodge, Barefoot Burger, Cozy Corner  
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- **Best Donut**  
**Winner – Jack's**
- Donuts**  
Runner Up – Warehouse Bakery  
Honorable Mentions – Casey's, Kroger, Wal-Mart  
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- **Best Burger**  
**Winner – Culver's**  
Runner Up – Barefoot Burger  
Honorable Mentions – Crawfordsville Country Club, Creekside, McDonald's, Steak n Shake  
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- **Best Chili**  
**Winner – Wendy's**  
Runner Up – Arni's  
Honorable Mentions – K&K Café, Neighborhood Café  
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- **Best Cookie**  
**Winner – Subway**  
Runner Up – McDonald's  
Honorable Mentions – Steak n Shake  
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- **Best Bagel**  
**Winner – The Breakfast Co.**  
Runner Up – Forum  
Honorable Mentions – Neighborhood Café  
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- **Pizza Place**  
**Winner – Arni's**  
Runner Up – Brother's  
Pizza  
Honorable Mentions – Pizza Hut, Ladoga Pizza King, Little Caesar's, Pizza Pie & Bakery

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PUBLIC NOTICES

NOTICE TO THE TAXPAYERS OF MONTGOMERY COUNTY OF TAX RATES CHARGED

Notice is hereby given that tax duplicates for State, County, Townships, Schools and Corporations of MONTGOMERY COUNTY for the year 2021 Payable 2022 are now in the hands of the County Treasurer, who is ready to receive the Taxes charged thereon. The following table shows the rate of taxation on each \$100 worth of taxable real and personal property due January 1, 2022. The first installment delinquent after 5/10/2022, second installment delinquent after 11/10/2022..

MONTGOMERY COUNTY Tax Rates For Year 2021 Payable 2022

Table with columns for Cat. Fund Name and various municipalities (ALAMO, BROWN, BROWN LRCD, CLARK TWP, COAL CREEK, CRAWFORDSVILLE, CVILLE O S NORTH, CVILLE O S SOUTH, DARLINGTON, FRANKLIN, LADOGA, LINDEN, MADISON, NEW MARKET BROWN, NEW MARKET SCOTT, NEW MARKET UNION, NEW RICHMOND, NEW ROSS, NORTH UNION, RIPLEY, SCOTT TOWNSHIP, SOUTH UNION, SUGAR CREEK, UNION CRAWFORDSV, WALNUT, WAVELAND, WAVELAND LRCD, WAYNE, WAYNETOWN, WINGATE). Rows include County, Township, School, Library, and City categories with various sub-items and their respective tax rates.

MONTGOMERY COUNTY Conservancy Rates For Year 2020 Payable 2021

Table with columns for Conservancy (0101 Lake Holiday Cons Gen, 2393 Lake Holiday Cons CCI, 0101 Little Raccoon Cons Gen) and their respective tax rates across all municipalities.

MONTGOMERY COUNTY Property Tax Replacement Credit (PTRC) Rates

AUDITOR MONTGOMERY COUNTY (765) 364-6400 100 E MAIN ST, ROOM 102, CRAWFORDSVILLE IN 47933 Jennifer Andel Auditor MONTGOMERY COUNTY TAX RATES FOR 2021 PAYABLE 2022 LIT REPLACEMENT CREDITS

Table with columns for PTRC categories (LIT PTRC ALL PROPERTIES, LIT PTRC HOMESTEAD PROPERTIES, Cap 1 LIT PTRC, Cap 2 LIT PTRC, Cap 3 LIT PTRC, Res LIT PTRC, Rental LIT PTRC, Non HS LIT PTRC) and rows for municipalities (ALAMO, BROWN, BROWN LRCD, CLARK TWP, COAL CREEK, CRAWFORDSVILLE, CVILLE O S NORTH, CVILLE O S SOUTH, DARLINGTON, FRANKLIN, LADOGA, LINDEN, MADISON, NEW MARKET BROWN, NEW MARKET SCOTT, NEW MARKET UNION, NEW RICHMOND, NEW ROSS, NORTH UNION, RIPLEY, SCOTT TOWNSHIP, SOUTH UNION, SUGAR CREEK, UNION CRAWFORDSV, WALNUT, WAVELAND, WAVELAND LRCD, WAYNE, WAYNETOWN, WINGATE).

STATE OF INDIANA, MONTGOMERY COUNTY SS: I, Jennifer Andel, Auditor of MONTGOMERY COUNTY, hereby certify that the above is a correct copy of all tax rates for the taxes collectible in the year 2022. Jennifer Andel, MONTGOMERY COUNTY Auditor

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NOTICE OF ANNUAL SESSION

Per IC 6-1.1-28-6, notice is hereby given that the Montgomery County Property Tax Board of Appeals will meet for the first time in 2022, on April 12, 2022. This meeting will take place in the Office of the Montgomery County Assessor, 1580 Constitution Row, Ste. C, Crawfordsville, Indiana at 9:00 am. The Board will consider appeals of the property tax assessment as scheduled and properly noticed Petitioners, or other business properly brought before the Board. Upon completion of the business at hand, the Board will recess until further meetings are scheduled as needed through December 31, 2022. PL4332 3/30 1t hspaxlp

NOTICE OF ADOPTION

To the taxpayers of CLARK TOWNSHIP, Indiana. You are hereby notified that on MARCH 28, 2022, CLARK TOWNSHIP, MONTGOMERY COUNTY Indiana, pursuant to notice heretofore given, and under and by virtue of IC duly adopted a plan whereby a Cumulative FIRE Fund was established to provide for the following: For all uses as set out in IC 36-8-14 The fund will be provided for by a property tax rate of \$.0333 per one hundred dollars (\$100.00) of taxable real and personal property within the taxing unit beginning in 2022 payable 2023 and thereafter, continuing until reduced or rescinded. Ten or more taxpayers in the taxing unit who will be affected by the tax rate and corresponding levy may file a petition with the Montgomery County Auditor not later than noon 30 days after the publication of this Notice setting forth their objections to the proposed cumulative fund. Upon the filing of the petition, the County Auditor shall immediately certify the same to the Department of Local Government Finance, at which point the Department will fix a date for and conduct a public hearing on the proposed cumulative fund before issuing its approval, disapproval, or modification thereof. Dated this 25th day of March, 2022. Larry Burnett Clark Township Board PL4333 3/30 1t hspaxlp

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## Indiana Resident Among Longest-Surviving Recipients Living With Original Pediatric Heart Transplant

At birth, doctors said Lauren Aggen's under-developed heart wouldn't last three days. She needed a transplant.

Her condition worsened, and she was nearly removed from the national transplant waiting list when a donor heart was found. Then, at just 8 days old, Lauren received the gift of life – a new heart donated by a baby boy's family in Texas.

Data from the national Association of Organ Procurement Organizations shows that Aggen, an Indiana resident now 32, is among the oldest living U.S. transplant recipients with an originally transplanted pediatric heart.

Her life has been filled with challenges. The drugs that kept Aggen alive while waiting for a transplant damaged her hearing. She takes 10 pills a day to help her battle rejection, regulate her blood pressure and protect her kidneys from further damage.

Those challenges, however, don't define her – and never have. Lauren graduated college. She authored a book in tribute to her unknown donor hero and his family

which she began writing at 13. She works for the federal government and recently married. Today, she's a passionate advocate for organ donation.

April is National Donate Life Month, a time to raise awareness about organ and tissue donation, encourage Americans to register as donors, and honor those who have saved lives through the gift of life. Gov. Eric Holcomb has proclaimed National Donate Life Month in Indiana.

This year's theme is "Bee a Donor," inspired by the vital role that bees play in sustaining life. Bees are a small but powerful life force that work together with dedication,

collaboration and a strong sense of community.

This National Donate Life Month, Americans are asked to become a part of this interconnected life-sustaining community by registering as an organ, eye and tissue donor; becoming educated about living donation; and championing the Donate Life cause.

Important National Donate Life Month dates:

– April 6, Donate Life Living Donor Day.

– April 16, Cabela's Donate Life Day in Noblesville (Autograph session with NASCAR winner and Hoosier native Ryan Newman, family-friendly activities).

– April 16-23, Blue & Green Spirit Week.



Indiana

– April 22, National Donate Life Month Blue & Green Day.

– April 24-30, National Pediatric Transplant Week.

For more about National Donate Life Month, visit Donate Life America online.

Currently, more than 106,000 Americans are waiting on a lifesaving organ transplant, including nearly 1,100 Hoosiers. More than 4.2 million Hoosiers are registered organ donors.

Despite age or medical history, anyone can sign up to be a donor online Donate Life Indiana online.

ABOUT DONATE LIFE INDIANA

Since 1998, Donate Life Indiana has been the state-authorized nonprofit organization responsible for managing the Indiana donor registry. Its mission is to save lives by creating opportunities for all Indiana citizens to sign up on the organization's official state registry while striving to raise awareness for organ, eye and tissue donation and transplantation through public education. For more, visit Donate Life Indiana online.

## CANDLES Stands With Ukraine

CANDLES Holocaust Museum and Education Center strongly condemns the continued attack on Ukraine. As destruction worsens and Russia's invasion of Ukraine continues, people all over the world are looking for ways to help.

To help, please consider supporting the following organizations: · GLOBALGIVING supports non-profits around the world through crowd-funding. Its Ukrainian crisis relief fund is working toward a goal of \$7m to provide food, water, shelter, and other assistance to refugees.

· DIRECT RELIEF is working to fulfill a list of medical needs provided to the organization by Ukraine's health ministry.

· SAMARITANS FEET is working with the American Podiatric Medical Association and CANDLES Board Member Alex Kor - DPM, to send thousands of pairs of athletic shoes, work boots, rain boots, and socks to refugees in various parts of Poland. · Save the Children, a century-old organization that has worked in 100 countries,

has a UKRAINE CRISIS RELIEF FUND aimed at furnishing children and families with food, hygiene kits, funding and more. · The WORLD FOOD PROGRAMME, the U.N.'s anti-hunger humanitarian organization, has launched emergency relief operations in Ukraine and surrounding border countries. WFP says it is scaling up to provide food assistance to 3.1 MILLION UKRAINIANS AFFECTED BY THE CONFLICT and has deployed 400 tons of food to the Ukrainian border this week. To support their efforts, click HERE. These are just a few examples. For more charity organizations offering support, click here.

"As Indiana's only Holocaust Museum, we felt it was important to take our time and research the best way for people to help Ukrainians in need," Troy Fears, CANDLES Executive Director, said. "CANDLES stands with the victims in Ukraine. We pray for the Ukrainian people, the lives lost, and hope for a quick peaceful end to this crisis."

## Readers' Choice 2022 Results - Medical Category

• Audiologist  
**Winner – Beltone**  
Runner Up – Hearing Care Professionals  
Honorable Mentions – Crawfordsville Audiology

• Podiatrist  
**Winner – Dr. Chae**  
Runner Up – Dr. Hiskes

• Home Health

**Winner – C'Ville Docs**  
Runner Up – Crawfordsville Home Health Care  
Honorable Mentions – Franciscan Home Care

• Hospital/Medical Center  
**Winner – Franciscan Health Crawfordsville**  
Runner Up – St.

Vincent  
Honorable Mentions – IU/Arnett Health, Witham

• Nursing Home  
**Winner – Well-brooke**  
Runner Up – Whitlock

Honorable Mentions – Bickford Cottage, Lane House, Ben Hur, Hickory Creek, Williamsburg

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• Physician  
**Winner – John Roberts**  
Runner Up – Scott Douglas

Honorable Mentions – Barry Mathison, Joshua Krumenacker, Kyle Graper, Katie L. Towles

• Nurse Practitioner  
**Winner – Jamie**

**Barton**  
Runner Up – Aimee Barnett  
Honorable Mentions – Stephanie Ross, Jennifer Mertl, Corinna Cain, Jill Reisman, Penny Husnberger

• Pharmacy  
**Winner – CVS**  
Runner Up – Walgreen's  
Honorable Mentions – Kroger, Wal-Mart

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• Optometrist  
**Winner – Dr. Boyd**  
Runner Up – Sugar Creek Eye Center – Dr. Scheidler  
Honorable Mentions – Dr. Ledgerwood, Pearle Vision

• Orthodontist  
**Winner – All Smiles**  
Runner Up – Dr. Aaron Altschul

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**Readers' Choice Winner!**



**PUBLIC NOTICES**

**NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE**

By virtue of a certified copy of a decree to me, directed from the Clerk of Montgomery Circuit Court of Montgomery County, Indiana, in Cause No. 54C01-2102-MF-000167, wherein Wilmington Savings Fund Society, FSB, as trustee of Juniper Mortgage Loan Trust A was Plaintiff, and Mark W. Beam, Capital One Bank and State of Indiana were Defendants, requiring me to make the sum as provided for in said Decree, with interest and cost, I will expose at public sale to the highest bidder, on the 11th day of May, 2022, at the hour of 10 a.m., or as soon thereafter as is possible, at 600 Memorial Drive, Crawfordsville, IN 47933, the fee simple of the whole body of Real Estate in Montgomery County, Indiana.

Lot numbered 4 of the recorded plat of Ratcliff's Subdivision, a subdivision of part of the south half of section 24, township 18 north, range 5 west, said plat recorded May 14, 2002, as Instrument Number 200203965, in the Recorder's Office of Montgomery County, Indiana.

**More commonly known as 3920 S Tiffany Ln, Crawfordsville, IN 47933-8267**  
**Parcel No. 54-11-24-400-025-004-025**  
 Together with rents, issues, income and profits thereof, said sale will be made without relief from valuation or appraisal laws.

**Ryan Needham**  
 Sheriff  
 Union Township

*/s/ BARRY T. BARNES*  
**BARRY T. BARNES, Plaintiff Attorney**  
 Attorney # 19657-49  
 FEIWELL & HANNOY, P.C.  
 8415 Allison Pointe Blvd., Suite 400  
 Indianapolis, IN 46250  
 (317) 237-2727

The Sheriff's Department does not warrant the accuracy of the street address published herein.  
**NOTICE**  
**FEIWELL & HANNOY, P.C. IS A DEBT COLLECTOR.**  
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STATE OF INDIANA ) IN MONTGOMERY SUPERIOR COURT 2  
 ) SS:  
 MONTGOMERY COUNTY ) CAUSE NO. 54D02-2203-PL-000171  
 DAKOTA W. DAVIS and )  
 STACY L. WALTERS, )  
 ) Petitioners,  
 VS )  
 HEIRS OF RICHARD C. HELMS )  
 AND/OR )  
 HARRIETT V. HELMS )

**COMPLAINT TO QUIET TITLE**  
 Comes now Petitioners, Dakota W. Davis and Stacy L. Walters, and after first being duly sworn upon their oath, and with counsel, William A. Goebel, alleges and say:

1. On or about May 24, 2021, Petitioners purchased real estate in Montgomery County, Indiana, described as follows:  
 Lot sixty-one (61) as the same is known and designated on the recorded plat of Wellington Villa, Montgomery County, Indiana, as the same appears of record in Deed Record 182, page 393, in the Recorder's Office of Montgomery County, Indiana.  
 A Quit Claim Deed was signed by Thomas Baugh granting Petitioners all of his right, title and interest to said real estate.  
 2. Thomas Baugh was the biological son of Richard C. Helms, his father, who was married to Harriet V. Helms at the time that he acquired the land. Both Harriet V. Helms and Richard C. Helms are deceased. Richard C. Helms and Harriet V. Helms were either the parents or stepparents of the following children: Elizabeth Rile (deceased); Evan Royce Baugh, Jr. - 830 Aberdeen Drive, Indianapolis, IN 46241; Eugene Ramsey Baugh (deceased); Jerome Richard Baugh - address unknown; Thomas Baugh - 1421 Hunter Place, Columbus, IN 47203; Gordon Helms - 19116 Morrison Way, Noblesville, IN 46060.  
 The two (2) deceased children, Elizabeth Rile and Eugene Baugh, both had children. Ms. Rile's children are:  
 Lisa Rile - 707 Cumberland Ave., W. Lafayette, IN 47906;  
 James Rile - 7754 Fox Trail Ln., Cincinnati, OH 45255.  
 The children of Eugene Baugh are:  
 Abiathar Baugh - address unknown;  
 Zillah Baugh - address unknown;  
 Betsy Baugh - address unknown;  
 Ruth Lett - 1724 NW 97th St., Seattle, WA 98117;  
 Joey Baugh - address unknown.  
 3. To the best of undersigned Petitioners knowledge, there was no estate opened for either Richard C. Helms or Harriet V. Helms.  
 4. Petitioners are now in possession of the aforementioned real estate. They wish to Quiet Title and foreclose any possible legal interest to the property that any of the aforementioned heirs may have in the above-referenced real estate, pursuant to IC 32-30-2-20, et seq.  
 5. Undersigned Petitioners will legally notify the aforementioned heirs pursuant to Rule 4 of the Indiana Rules for Civil Procedure.  
 WHEREFORE, Petitioners, Dakota W. Davis and Stacy L. Walters, with counsel, William A. Goebel, prays that the Court Quiet Title the aforementioned real estate in their favor, and for all relief proper in the premises.  
*/s/ William A. Goebel*  
 William A. Goebel, #8381-54  
 GOEBEL LAW OFFICE  
 118 E. Main St., Ste. 300  
 Crawfordsville, IN 47933  
 (765) 364-9499  
*/s/ Dakota W. Davis*  
 Dakota W. Davis, Petitioner  
*/s/ Stacy L. Walters*  
 Stacy L. Walters, Petitioner.  
 PL4312 3/16 3/23 3/30 21 hspaxlp

**MONTGOMERY COUNTY COMMISSIONERS**  
**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING TO CONSIDER TEXT AMENDMENT TO THE MONTGOMERY COUNTY ZONING ORDINANCE**

The Montgomery County Commissioners will hold a public hearing on April 11th, 2022, at 8:00am to consider certain text amendments to the Montgomery County Zoning Ordinance. The meeting will be held in Room 103 of the Montgomery County Courthouse, 100 East Main Street, Crawfordsville, Indiana 47933.

The proposed text amendments would (1) add Right of Way Policies to the Montgomery County Zoning Ordinance as follows 2) add "Appendix B" to the Zoning Ordinance:

**"2.12 RIGHT-OF-WAYS POLICIES.** All development and construction in all Districts shall comply with the Montgomery County Right-of-Way Policies contained Chapter 90, Section 90.01 of the Montgomery County Code of Ordinances, and as restated in Appendix B of this Zoning Ordinance. If §90.01 of the Montgomery County Code of Ordinances and Appendix B of this Zoning Ordinance conflict, the provisions of §90.01 shall prevail to resolve any such conflict."

Citizens appearing at the public hearing will have an opportunity to provide comments concerning the proposed text amendments. All interested citizens are encouraged to attend. The Commissioner's may continue the hearing from time to time as may be found necessary. Citizens may file written comments or objections with Marc Bonwell, 1580 Constitution Row, Crawfordsville, Indiana 47933 (marc.bonwell@montgomerycounty.in.gov) prior to the public hearing. All such written objections will be considered by the Commissioners. A copy of the proposed text amendments is on file and may be examined at the Montgomery County Commissioner's office, 1580 Constitution Row, Crawfordsville, Indiana 47933 (765-361-2623), office hours are 8:00-4:30 weekdays except holidays.

In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, if anyone intending to attend the public hearing needs reasonable accommodation, please contact the Montgomery County Commissioners Office, 1580 Constitution Row, Crawfordsville, IN 47933, 765-361-2623  
 This notice dated March 25th 2022

Marc Bonwell  
 Building Administrator  
 Montgomery County, IN

PL4331 3/30 1t hspaxlp

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**  
**CRAWFORDSVILLE PLAN COMMISSION**

Notice is hereby given that the Plan Commission of the City of Crawfordsville will hold a public hearing at 5:00 p.m. on Tuesday, April 19, 2022, in the Common Council Chambers, 2nd Floor, Municipal Building, 300 E. Pike Street, Crawfordsville, Indiana, to hear the request for primary and secondary subdivision plat approval for a minor subdivision of three lots.  
 The property location: Vacant Land on Kennedy Place, Crawfordsville, Indiana (Parcel No. 54-10-06-441-027.000-030)

The petition is on file and available for examination (and purchase at cost) in the Department of Planning & Community Development on the 2nd floor of the Municipal Building, 300 East Pike Street, Crawfordsville, Indiana 47933 (765.364.5152); office hours are 8:00-12:00 noon and 1:00-4:00 p.m., weekdays except holidays.

The public is invited to attend the hearing and to comment on the proposed request. Oral comments concerning the requests will be heard. Written comments and objections to the requests may also be submitted to the Director of Planning & Community Development, City of Crawfordsville, at the address above prior to the hearing and will be considered.

In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, if anyone wishes to attend, hear or present evidence at the public hearing and is in need of reasonable accommodation, please contact the Crawfordsville Department of Planning & Community Development at the address or phone number above so accommodation can be made.  
 Department of Planning & Community Development  
 Brandy Allen, Director, City of Crawfordsville

PL4330 3/30 2t hspaxlp

**City of Crawfordsville, Indiana**  
**Notice of Adoption of Ordinance**

Notice is hereby given that on March 14, 2022, the City of Crawfordsville Common Council adopted Ordinance 4-2022, "An Ordinance to Annex Properties Known as 23.184 acres located at S. US Highway 231 and associated right of way - Parcel Nos. 54-10-08-300-072.003-025 and 54-10-08-300-072.008-025".

The Ordinance annexes into the City of Crawfordsville approximately 23.184 acres located at South U.S. Highway 231. The territory consists of two parcels, which is currently used as storage buildings, agricultural land, and highway right of way, owned by Lovold Co. and the State of Indiana, identified as parcel numbers 54-10-08-300-072.003-025 and 54-10-08-300-072.008-025. A map depicting the territory is attached to the Ordinance. Upon the annexation taking effect, the property will be zoned "R-1 Residential." The Ordinance will take effect 30 days after its adoption and upon proper filing and recording.

The Ordinance may be examined at the office of the City of Crawfordsville Clerk-Treasurer, 300 East Pike Street, First Floor, Crawfordsville, Indiana, 47933.  
 By: Terri Gadd  
 City of Crawfordsville Clerk-Treasurer

PL4326 3/30 2t hspaxlp

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**  
**CRAWFORDSVILLE PLAN COMMISSION**

Notice is hereby given that the Plan Commission of the City of Crawfordsville will hold a public hearing at 5:00 p.m. on Tuesday, April 19, 2022, in the Common Council Chambers, 2nd Floor, Municipal Building, 300 E. Pike Street, Crawfordsville, Indiana, to hear the request to amend the zoning map and rezone property from R-3, residential to B-3, business for future development of a commercial warehouse and office.

The property location: Vacant Parcel West of 201 West Market Street, Crawfordsville, Indiana (Parcel No. 54-17-32-332-009.000-030)

The petition is on file and available for examination (and purchase at cost) in the Department of Planning & Community Development on the 2nd floor of the Municipal Building, 300 East Pike Street, Crawfordsville, Indiana 47933 (765.364.5152); office hours are 8:00-12:00 noon and 1:00-4:00 p.m., weekdays except holidays.

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 Department of Planning & Community Development  
 Brandy Allen, Director, City of Crawfordsville

PL4329 3/30 2t hspaxlp

**City of Crawfordsville, Indiana**  
**Notice of Adoption**

**Cumulative Capital Development Fund under I.C. 36-9-15.5**

To the taxpayers of the City of Crawfordsville, Montgomery County, state of Indiana. You are hereby notified that on the 14th day of March, 2022, the City of Crawfordsville Common Council, City of Crawfordsville, Montgomery County, state of Indiana, pursuant to notice heretofore given, and under and by virtue of IC 36-9-15.5, duly adopted a plan whereby a Cumulative Capital Development fund was re-established to provide the following.

**For all uses as set out in IC. 36-9-15.5, including relevant changes to Public Law 148-2008.**

This fund will be provided for by a property tax rate of five cents (\$0.05) on each one hundred dollars (\$100.00) of taxable real and personal property with the taxing units beginning in 2022 payable 2023 and thereafter, continuing until reduced or rescinded. Ten (10) or more taxpayers in the taxing unit who will be affected by the tax rate and corresponding levy may file a petition with the Montgomery County Auditor not later than noon 30 days after the publication of the Notice setting forth their objections to the proposed cumulative fund. Upon the filing of the petition, the County Auditor shall immediately certify the same to the Department of Local Government Finance, at which point the Department will fix a date for and conduct a public hearing on the proposed cumulative fund before issuing its approval, disapproval, or modification thereof.

**Dated this 23rd day of March, 2022**  
 Fiscal Officer City of Crawfordsville Common Council  
 Terri Gadd, Clerk-Treasurer Adopting Body

PL4328 3/30 2t hspaxlp

**City of Crawfordsville, Indiana**  
**Notice of Adoption**

**Cumulative Capital Fire Fund under I.C. 36-8-14**

To the taxpayers of the City of Crawfordsville, Montgomery County, state of Indiana. You are hereby notified that on the 14th day of March, 2022, the City of Crawfordsville Common Council, City of Crawfordsville, Montgomery County, state of Indiana, pursuant to notice heretofore given, and under and by virtue of IC 36-8-14, duly adopted a plan whereby a Cumulative Fire Fund was re-established to provide the following.

**For all uses as set out in IC. 36-8-14.**

This fund will be provided for by a property tax rate of three cents (\$0.0333) on each one hundred dollars (\$100.00) of taxable real and personal property with the taxing units beginning in 2022 payable 2023 and thereafter, continuing until reduced or rescinded. Ten (10) or more taxpayers in the taxing unit who will be affected by the tax rate and corresponding levy may file a petition with the Montgomery County Auditor not later than noon 30 days after the publication of the Notice setting forth their objections to the proposed cumulative fund. Upon the filing of the petition, the County Auditor shall immediately certify the same to the Department of Local Government Finance, at which point the Department will fix a date for and conduct a public hearing on the proposed cumulative fund before issuing its approval, disapproval, or modification thereof.

**Dated this 23rd day of March, 2022**  
 Fiscal Officer City of Crawfordsville Common Council  
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# FAITH

**INCLUDE YOUR INFORMATION** The Paper of Montgomery County is asking churches to send us church news by noon on Thursday. Information can be e-mailed to: churchnews@thepaper24-7.com

The following is a listing of church services and various programs that organizations around Montgomery County have sent The Paper. If you would like to have your church information included in this free listing, simply e-mail it to churchnews@thepaper24-7.com by Monday for the Wednesday Print Edition.

There may be closures due to health concerns with the COVID-19 pandemic.

## FREEDOM BAPTIST CHURCH

If you're looking for something special to do this Christmas, Freedom Baptist Church near Waveland has you covered! On Sunday morning Dec 12 at 9:30, we will be featuring acclaimed jazz pianist Luke Gillespie in a free concert of Christmas music. Gillespie is Professor of Jazz Studies at Indiana University Jacobs School of Music and has performed with David Baker, Buselli-Wallarab Jazz Orchestra, Sylvia McNair, Ann-Margret, Arturo Sandoval, and many others. Stick around for coffee and donuts following the program. Freedom Baptist Church is on SR 234 west, just minutes west of the intersection at SR 234 and SR 47. You won't want to miss this!

## NEW MARKET CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Church News for Saturday, January 22, 2021 from New Market Christian Church

The Sanctuary as well as the Drive-in Parking Lot are open for Worship held at 10:00 am. Tony Thomas will speak on "Learn Humbly". His text is from Philippians 4:8.

SUNDAY SCHOOL begins at 9:00 am. COFFEE & DONUT FELLOWSHIP is at 8:30 am the first Sunday of each month. The next fellowship is February 6.

The worship service and Sunday school are open to everyone. Masks are encouraged.

## NEW MARKET FIRST BAPTIST

First Baptist Church will meet for worship at 10:00 a.m. Holy Grounds and Sunday School begin at 9:00 a.m. in Hampton Hall. Classes for all ages. Following the worship service, communion will be observed. We have Bible Study at 7:00 p.m. on Wednesday evening in Hampton Hall. We are studying Acts. Everyone is welcome to attend any or all of these services. We are located at 206 S. First St. in New Market.

## FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Sundays: Worship (Casual Traditional/Family Friendly/Childcare) - 10:15 am, Adult Faith Learning/Sunday School - 9:15 am, Good News Cafe - 9:15 am, Wednesdays: WOW! - Mid-week Youth Program (Grades 1-12) - 4:30 - 7 pm, Faith Learning and Dinner, Rev. Darla Goodrich, We are located at: 211 S. Walnut St. Crawfordsville IN 47933 Telephone: 765-362-4812

## YOUNG'S CHAPEL CHRISTIAN CHURCH

If contemporary worship is not your preference, then you Might want to visit us. A small country Bible based church made up of very friendly, compassionate, loving people. A church where everyone knows everyone's name. You will be warmly welcomed here. Why not try us out? 4527 North 200 East, Crawfordsville Bible Study 9:30 a.m. Worship 10:30 am.

## WOODLAND HEIGHTS CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Woodland Heights Christian Church  
468 N Woodland Heights Drive Crawfordsville IN 47933-9689

Telephone Number: 765-362-5284  
Fax Number: 765-362-6641

Lead Minister: Tim Lueking  
Associate Minister: Steve Wilke

Worship Minister: Wayne Wilkinson  
Youth Minister: Bryson Feese

Worship Service Times for Sunday:

Traditional service at 8:15a.m. & Contemporary service at 10:30a.m. All Sunday School classes at 9:30a.m., Children's classes for birth to 5th grade at 10:30a.m. All services will be streamed live on our live.whcc.us platform, Facebook, YouTube, and Twitter.

Redefine Your Priorities - Timothy 2:1-7

## NEW MARKET UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Reverend William "Bill" Pike Office: 765- 866-0703 email: bill.pike@umc.org. Please come join our small town church for a friendly church service using hymnals and the rituals of church that you grew up with. 101 East Main Street, P.O. Box 326, New Market, IN 47965.

Office Phone: 765-866-0703 www.newmarketumc.org

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Open Hearts--Open Minds--Open Doors Sunday School 9:30 and

Worship Service 10:45

## YOUR MONTGOMERY COUNTY CHURCH DIRECTORY

### Apostolic:

**Garfield Apostolic Christian Church**  
Rt. #5, Box 11A, Old Darlington Road  
794-4958 or 362-3234  
Worship: 10:30 a.m.  
Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.  
Wednesday Bible Study: 6:30 p.m.  
Pastor Vernon Dowell

### Gateway Apostolic (UPCI)

2208 Traction Rd  
364-0574 or 362-1586  
Sunday School: 10 a.m.

### Moriah Apostolic Church

602 S. Mill St.  
376-0906  
10 a.m. Sunday, 6 p.m. Wednesday  
Pastor Clarence Lee

### New Life Apostolic Tabernacle

1434 Darlington Avenue  
364-1628  
Worship: Sunday 10 a.m.; 6 p.m.  
Sunday: The Voice of Healing & Restoration on 103.9 at 9 a.m.  
Tuesday prayer: 7 p.m.  
Thursday Mid-week: 7 p.m.  
Pastor Terry P. Gobin

### One Way Pentecostal Apostolic Church

364-1421  
Worship 10 a.m.  
Sunday School: 11 a.m.

### Apostolic Pentecostal:

**Cornerstone Church**  
1314 Danville Ave.  
361-5932  
Worship: 10 a.m.; 6:30 p.m.  
Bible Study: Thursday, 6:30 p.m.

### Grace and Mercy Ministries

257 W. Oak Hill Rd.  
765-361-1641  
Worship: 10 a.m.; 6 p.m.  
Wednesday: 6:30 p.m.  
Sunday School: 11 a.m.  
Co-Pastors Nathan and Peg Miller

### Assembly of God:

**Crosspoint Fellowship**  
1350 Ladoga Road  
362-0602  
Sunday Services: 10 a.m.  
Wednesdays: 6:30 p.m.

### First Assembly of God Church

2070 Lebanon Rd.  
362-8147 or 362-0051  
Sunday School: 9 a.m.  
Worship: 10:30 a.m.; 6 p.m.  
Wednesday: 6:30 p.m.

### Baptist:

**Browns Valley Missionary Baptist Church**  
P.O. Box 507, Crawfordsville  
435-3030  
Worship: 9:30 a.m.  
Sunday School: 10:30 a.m.

### Calvary Baptist Church

128 E. CR 400 S  
364-9428  
Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.  
Worship: 10 a.m.; 6 p.m.  
Wednesday Bible Study: 7 p.m.  
Calvary Crusaders Wednesdays: 6:45 p.m.  
Pro-Teen Wednesdays: 7 p.m.  
Pastor Randal Glenn

### East Side Baptist Church

2000 Traction Rd.  
362-1785  
Bible Study: 9 a.m.  
Worship: 10 a.m.; 6 p.m.  
Wednesday: 6:30 p.m. Prime Time  
Teens, Pioneer Clubs; 6:45 p.m. Adult Bible Study  
Rev. Steve Whicker

### Faith Baptist Church

5113 S. CR 200 W  
866-1273  
Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.  
Worship: 10:30 a.m. and 6 p.m.  
Wednesday Prayer Meeting: 7 p.m.  
Pastor Tony Roy

### First Baptist Church

1905 Lebanon Rd.  
362-6504  
Worship: 8:15 a.m.; 10:25 a.m.  
Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.  
High School Youth Sunday: 5 p.m.

### Freedom Baptist Church

6223 W. SR 234  
(765) 435-2177

Worship: 9:30 a.m.  
Sunday School is 10:45 a.m.  
Wednesday Bible Study: 7 p.m.  
Pastor Tim Gillespie

### Fremont St. Baptist Church

1908 E. Fremont St.  
362-2998  
Sunday School: 10 a.m.  
Worship: 11 a.m.; 6 p.m.  
Pastor Dan Aldrich

### Friendship Baptist Church

U.S. 136 and Indiana 55  
362-2483  
Sunday School: 9:15 a.m.  
Worship: 10:30 a.m.; 6 p.m.  
Wednesday Bible Study: 7 p.m.  
Friendship Kids for Christ: 6 p.m.  
Pastor Chris Hortin

### Ladoga Baptist Church

751 Cherry St., Ladoga  
942-2460  
Sunday School 9:30 a.m.  
Worship 10:45 a.m.; 6 p.m.  
Wednesday Bible Study 7 p.m.  
Ron Gardner, Pastor

### Mount Olivet Missionary Baptist

7585 East, SR 236, Roachdale  
676-5891 or (317) 997-3785  
Worship: 10:30 a.m.  
Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.  
Wednesday Evening: 7 p.m.  
Bro. Wally Beam

### New Market Baptist Church

200 S. First St.  
866-0083  
Sunday School: 9 a.m.  
Worship: 10 a.m.  
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### Second Baptist Church

119 1/2 S. Washington St.  
off of PNC Bank.  
363-0875  
Sunday School: 10 a.m.  
Worship: 11 a.m.

### StoneWater Church

120 Plum St., Linden  
339-7300  
Sunday Service: 10 a.m.  
Pastors: Mike Seaman and Steve Covington

### Waynetown Baptist Church

Corner of Plum and Walnut Streets  
234-2398  
Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.  
Fellowship: 10:30 a.m.  
Worship: 11 a.m.  
Children's Church: 11:10 a.m.  
Pastor Ron Raffignone

### Christian:

**Alamo Christian Church**  
866-7021  
Worship: 10:30 a.m.

### Browns Valley Christian Church

9011 State Road 47 South  
435-2590  
Sunday School: 9 a.m.  
Worship: 10 a.m.

### Byron Christian Church

7512 East 950 North, Waveland  
Sunday School 9 a.m.  
Worship Service 10 a.m.

### Waynetown Christian Union Church

SR 136, then south on CR 650.  
Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.  
Worship: 10:30 a.m.  
New phone #: 765-918-0438  
New Pastor: Paul Morrison

### Congregational Christian Church of Darlington

101 Academy St, P.O. Box 7  
794-4716  
Sunday School: 9:15 a.m.  
Worship: 10:30 a.m.  
Sunday Bible Study: 6 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer: 5:30 p.m. - 7 p.m., Wed Bible Study 7 p.m.  
Kingdom Seekers Youth Group (alternate Sundays)  
Pastor Seth Stultz

### Darlington Christian Church

Main and Washington streets  
794-4558  
Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.  
Worship: 10:30 a.m.; 6 p.m.

### First Christian Church

(Disciples of Christ)

211 S. Walnut St.  
362-4812  
SUNDAY: 9:22 a.m. Contemporary  
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9:30 a.m. Adult Sunday School  
10:40 a.m. Traditional Worship  
WEDNESDAY: 5-7 a.m. Logos Youth  
Dinner & Program  
Pastor: Rev. Darla Goodrich

### Ladoga Christian Church

124 W. Elm St.  
942-2019  
Sunday School: 9 a.m.  
Worship: 10 a.m.; 6 p.m.

### Love Outreach Christian Church

611 Garden St.  
362-6240  
Worship: 10 a.m.  
Wednesday: 7 p.m.  
Pastors Rob and Donna Joy Hughes

### New Hope Chapel of Wingate

275-2304  
Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.  
Worship: 10:30 a.m.  
Bible Study: 6:30 p.m., Wed.  
Youth Group: 5:30 p.m., Wed.  
Homework Class: 4:30 p.m. Wed & Thurs.  
Champs Youth Program: 5:30 p.m. Wed.  
Adult Bible Class: 6:30 p.m. Wed.  
Pastor Duane Mycroft

### New Hope Christian Church

2746 US 231 South  
362-0098  
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### New Market Christian Church

300 S. Third St.  
866-0421  
Sunday School: 9 a.m.  
Worship: 10 a.m.  
Wednesday evening: Bible Study 6:15,  
Youth 6:15, Choir 7:15  
Pastor Gary Snowden

### New Richmond Christian Church

339-4234  
202 E. Washington St.  
Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.  
Worship: 10:30 a.m.  
Pastor John Kenneson

### New Ross Christian Church

212 N. Main St.  
723-1747  
Worship: 10 a.m.  
Youth Group: 5:30-7 p.m. Wednesday  
Minister Ivan Brown

### Parkersburg Christian Church

86 E. 1150 S., Ladoga  
866-1747  
Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.  
Worship: 10:30 a.m.  
Pastor Rich Fuller

### Providence Christian Church

10735 E 200 S  
723-1215  
Worship: 10 a.m.

### Waveland Christian Church

212 W. Main St.  
435-2300  
Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.  
Worship: 10:30 a.m.

### Waynetown Christian Church

103 W. Walnut St.  
234-2554  
Worship: 10 a.m.  
Sunday School: 9 a.m.

### Whitesville Christian Church

3603 South Ladoga Road  
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10:30am 2nd Service  
Pastor Andy Schindler  
whitesvillechristianchurch.com

### Woodland Heights Christian Church

468 N. Woodland Heights Dr.  
362-5284  
Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.  
Worship: 8:15 a.m. (traditional);  
10:30 a.m. (contemporary)  
Student Ministry: 5 p.m., Sunday  
Pastor Tony Thomas

### Young's Chapel Christian Church

Rt. 6, Crawfordsville  
794-4544

Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.

Worship: 10:30 a.m.  
Pastor: Gary Edwards

### Church of Christ:

**Church of Christ**  
419 Englewood Drive  
362-7128  
Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.  
Worship: 10:30 a.m.; 6 p.m.  
Wednesday Bible Study: 7 p.m.

### Southside Church of Christ

153 E 300 South, east of US 231  
765-720-2816  
Sunday Bible Classes: 9:30 a.m.  
Sunday Morning Worship: 10:30 a.m.  
Sunday Evening Worship: 5 p.m.  
Wednesday Bible Classes: 7 p.m.  
Preacher: Brad Phillips  
Website: southsidechurchofchrist-diana.com

### Church of God:

**First Church of God**  
711 Curtis St.  
362-3482  
Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.  
Worship: 10:30 a.m.; 6 p.m.  
Pastor Chuck Callahan

### Grace Avenue Church of God

901 S. Grace Ave.  
362-5687  
Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.  
Worship: 10:30 a.m.; 6 p.m.  
Pastor Duane McClure

### Community:

**Congregational Christian Church**  
402 S. Madison St., Darlington  
794-4716  
Sunday School: 9:15 a.m.  
Worship: 10:30 a.m.

### Crawfordsville Community Church

Fairgrounds on Parke Ave.  
Crawfordsville  
794-4924  
Worship: 10 a.m.  
Men's prayer group, Mondays 6:30 p.m.  
Pastor Ron Threlkeld

### Gravelly Run Friends Church

CR 150 N, 500 E  
Worship: 10 a.m.

### Harvest Fellowship Church

CR 500 S  
866-7739  
Pastor J.D. Bowman  
Worship 10 a.m.

### Liberty Chapel Church

500 N CR 400 W  
275-2412  
Sunday School: 9 a.m.  
Worship: 10 a.m.

### Linden Community Church

321 E. South St., Linden (Hahn's)  
Sunday: 9:15

### Yountsville Community Church

4382 W SR 32  
362-7387  
Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.  
Worship: 10:30 a.m.  
Pastor Alan Goff

### Episcopal:

**Bethel African Methodist Episcopal**  
213 North St., Crawfordsville  
364-1496

### St. John's Episcopal Church

212 S. Green Street  
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### Lutheran:

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300 W. South Blvd. - 362-6434  
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### Holy Cross (Missouri Synod)

1414 E. Wabash Ave.  
362-5599  
Sunday School: 9 a.m.  
Worship: 10:15 a.m.  
Adult Bible Study: 7 p.m., Wed.  
Minister: Rev. Jeffery Stone  
http://www.holycross-crawfordsville.org

### Phanuel Lutheran Church

Lutheran Church Rd., Wallace  
Sunday School: 10:30 a.m.  
Worship: 9:30 a.m.

### United Methodist:

**Christ's United Methodist**  
909 E. Main St.  
362-2383  
Sunday School: 10 a.m.  
Worship: 11 a.m.

### Darlington United Methodist Church

Harrison St.  
794-4824  
Worship: 9:00 a.m.  
Fellowship: 10:00 a.m.  
Sunday School: 10:30 a.m.  
Pastor Dirk Caldwell

### First United Methodist Church

212 E. Wabash Ave.  
362-4817  
Sunday School: 10 a.m.  
Traditional Worship: 9 a.m.  
The Gathering: 11:10 a.m.  
Rev. Brian Campbell

### Linden United Methodist Church

609 South Main St. P.O. Box 38  
339-7347  
Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.  
Worship: 10 a.m.  
Rev. Erin Michelle Weaver

### Mace United Methodist Church

5581 US 136 E  
362-5734  
Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.  
Worship: 10:40 a.m.

### Mount Zion United Methodist



# AMERICAN HISTORICAL ASSOCIATION

## American Historical Association Awards \$2.5 Million In Funding

The American Historical Association (AHA) has awarded \$2.5 million to small history-related organizations nationwide, part of a grants program to deliver relief to institutions adversely affected by the COVID-19 pandemic.

Fifty organizations will receive grants ranging from \$12,000 to \$75,000 each through the AHA's Grants to Sustain and Advance the Work of Historical Organizations Program, a funding opportunity made possible with support from the National Endowment for the Humanities (NEH) through the American Rescue Plan (ARP) Act of 2021.

"NEH is grateful to the American Historical Association for administering American Rescue Plan funding to help history organizations around the country recover from the pandemic," said NEH chair Shelly C. Lowe (Navajo). "Small museums, historical societies, college history departments, historic sites, and community archives are essential to keeping and telling America's story. These ARP awards will allow these institutions to

develop new programs and resources that will expand access to this important history."

The grant recipients will implement short-term projects that explore new ideas or build on experiments initiated during the pandemic—from online programming or publications to using new technologies or expanding audiences and accessibility.

"The past two years have been challenging for small history organizations," said James Grossman, executive director of the American Historical Association. "Our awardees have made compelling cases for their status as essential resources, making vital contributions to public culture. The AHA is grateful to the NEH for enabling us to provide funding to our colleagues to promote historical work, historical thinking, and the presence of history in public life."

The grant recipients include site-based organizations, membership associations, and history departments at Historically Black Colleges and Universities. From the American LGBTQ+

Museum in New York to the Black Archives of Mid-America in Kansas City to the Society for History Education in California, the recipients come from all over the United States and will pursue a broad spectrum of projects. For the full list of recipients and descriptions of their projects, please visit the AHA website.

During the project period, the AHA will host online workshops to cultivate community and mutual consultation among grantees. These events will provide opportunities for professional and organizational development and networking. The AHA's goal is to encourage long-term connections that both identify and respond to the new needs of entities that are essential to the work of historians but are too small to take significant risks, or lack the resources to implement the creativity of their staff and volunteers.

The AHA looks forward to working with our grant recipients and to the positive impact their projects will have on their staff, members, and audiences around the country.

## US Department Of Labor Marks National Farmworkers Week

Despite their critical role in the economy, farmworkers too often face unpaid wages, unsafe transportation to and from worksites, and substandard housing conditions.

The U.S. Department of Labor will mark National Farmworker Awareness Week, from March 26 to April 2, with a broad effort by its Wage and Hour Division to improve compliance among the nation's agricultural employers. The effort includes a virtual agricultural seminar, "Nourishing Equity and Cultivating Compliance," from April 5 to 7, offering sessions about federal laws governing employment and their enforcement, for industry employers, workers, farm labor contractors and other stakeholders. The division's regional offices will also present a series of related outreach events across the country as part of the effort.

Register to attend the Nourishing Equity and

Cultivating Compliance seminar.

Specifically, the seminar will review the Migrant and Seasonal Worker Protection Act, agriculture and child labor provisions of the Fair Labor Standards Act, as well as H-2A and Field Sanitation requirements. Topics such as equity, retaliation and human trafficking in the agricultural sector will also be discussed.

Earlier this month, the Wage and Hour Division published resources to help combat retaliation against workers who assert their rights and, in January, the agency announced its commitment of resources, collaboration with law enforcement agencies and outreach to combat labor trafficking.

"National Farmworker Awareness Week should remind all of us of the essential role these workers play in feeding us, our families and our communities," said Acting Wage and Hour

Division Administrator Jessica Looman. "It also serves to inspire us to expand our outreach and strengthen our enforcement efforts to ensure all agricultural workers receive the wages they are due and are protected from retaliation for exercising their rights."

In fiscal year 2021, the department recovered \$8.4 million in back wages for more than 10,300 agricultural employees and assessed employers with more than \$7.3 million in civil monetary penalties.

For more information about farmworker rights, how to file a complaint, MSPA, H-2A and other laws enforced by the division, contact the toll-free helpline at 866-4US-WAGE (487-9243). Calls can be answered confidentially in over 200 languages, regardless of immigration status. Learn more about the Wage and Hour Division, including an Agricultural Compliance Assistance Toolkit.

## CEL&P Honored With National Award For Outstanding Safety Practices

Crawfordsville Electric Light & Power has earned the American Public Power Association's Safety Award of Excellence for safe operating practices in 2021.

"In our industry, safety is the top priority," said Bob Scudder, Chair of APPA's Safety Committee and Industrial Hygiene and Corporate Risk Manager at Grand River Dam Authority.

"This is a commitment that needs to come from the top down and permeate every aspect of operations. These awarded utilities have

embraced this priority, and they deserve to be celebrated."

318 utilities from across the country entered the annual Safety Awards. Entrants were placed in categories according to their number of worker-hours and ranked based on the most incident-free records during 2021. The incidence rate, used to judge entries, is based on the number of work-related reportable injuries or illnesses and the number of worker-hours during 2021, as defined by the Occupational Safety and

Health Administration (OSHA).

"CEL&P values employee safety above all else," said Phillip R. Goode, Manager of Crawfordsville Electric Light & Power. "We all recognize the importance of going home to our families each day; this is what drives our dedication to safety."

The Safety Awards have been held annually for more than 65 years. APPA is the voice of not-for-profit, community-owned utilities that power 2,000 towns and cities nationwide.

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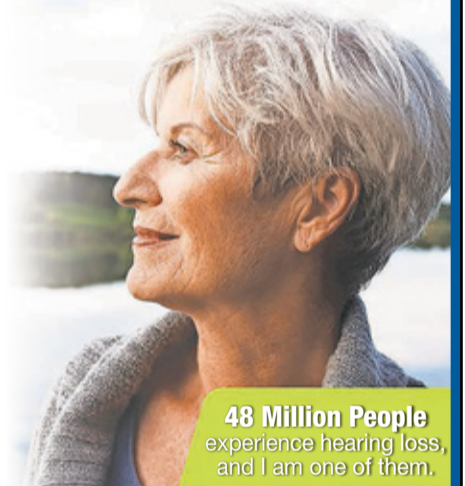
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## TIM *From Page A1*

Gov. Eric Holcomb vetoed it.

Good for the governor. Wait, what?

Like so many things in life, there's more to this than meets the eye. Of course, in today's world of instant everything, details aren't really important. Everyone wants the 50,000-foot view and the issue summed up in a soundbite. So, yes, it would seem that the legislature's proposal to keep boys from competing against girls is a good thing, and that the governor is playing to the woke

crowd with his veto.

But that's not the case. The Indiana High School Athletic Association already has rules in place, and those rules have prevented any sort of big movement of Hoosier high school boys competing as Hoosier high school girls. As one of my favorite lawmakers says, this is just the state micromanaging. Holcomb, presumably, knows there isn't a big problem and nixed the attempt of the good lawmakers to tell the IHSAA how to do their jobs.

Seems fair to me. Look, my position hasn't changed one iota. It seems appropriate that in March, a month dedicated to recognizing the achievements of women, we take on what can be a blatantly unfair advantage males have over females in some sports. And to be clear, don't hand me that sorry line that this is discrimination.

In the immortal words of Col. Henry Potter, suffer-in' sheep dip!

Sports, at its core, is purported to be about

fairness and sportsmanship. One side may be better than another, but the playing field is supposed to be level. How fair was it that a male weightlifter competed as a female for the New Zealand Olympic team? How fair was it that a male swimmer decimated his female competitors in collegiate swimming?

This isn't about discrimination, it's about fairness.

And if, at some point in the future, transgender athletes actually become an issue in Indiana, then all the IHSAA has to do is

create a separate category for transgenders. Don't tell me it can't be done. Many of us remember when the IHSAA didn't have competition for girls. Heck, you can even bring up a topic I hate, class sports. If fairness wasn't a major point of emphasis, we'd still have every basketball team in the state playing in one tournament.

We live in a strange world today, my friends. Facts aren't facts anymore. One side makes some outlandish claim and the world is too politically cor-

rect to react accordingly. I said it before and I'll say it again. Everyone – every color, creed, size, gender, persuasion – should have the opportunity to take part in sports if they choose. No one should be left out. They just ought to start on equal footing.

*Two cents, which is about how much Timmons said his columns are worth, appears periodically on Wednesdays in The Paper. Timmons is the publisher of The Paper and can be contacted at [ttimmons@thepaper24-7.com](mailto:ttimmons@thepaper24-7.com).*

## LWV *From Page A1*

permitted to attend.

Anderson's achievements belong in the annals of great Black mothers, such as the mothers of Dr. King, Malcolm X, and James Baldwin- Alberta King, Emma Berdis Jones, and Louise Little. Like them, she raised many children, supported them through widowhood, remarriage, all while advancing women's and civil rights. While raising her eight children, she taught school, worked as a hairdresser, and penned numerous poems and essays. She delivered fiery speeches on women's right to vote, civil rights, and temperance. Schaaf and Webster discov-

ered that Naomi Bowman Talbert Anderson, whose last names are a testament to losing two husbands, was published hundreds of times from 1868-1899 in newspapers from Chicago to San Francisco.

Schaaf described Anderson's speeches and essays as eloquent, and Anderson as a "moral force." Anderson stridently objected to being called "Afro American" or "African American," as one San Francisco Call article in 1898 reported.

"Mrs. Naomi Anderson, a colored woman, expressed her gratitude at being classed with American Women and could see no

reason for the foreign prefix in 'Afro-American.' We are not African American or Irish or German American. Being born here, we are Americans. And I, a person of color, have just as much right to claim that as any white woman or man."

Anderson delivered her first nationally recognized speech at the Women's Rights Convention in Chicago in 1869. In the weeks after she spoke, her words were published in major papers around the nation.

"What is the difference between a slave and a free man other than the rights one has? And black women have no more rights now

than they had before the abolition of slavery."

Schaaf and Webster researched Anderson's rich life of service. In addition to prolific writing and raising her children, Anderson moved from Michigan City to Chicago. She lived in Ohio, Kansas, and San Francisco. She founded several orphanages, advocated for fair working conditions for women in the sewing industry and training for women. She founded a Kansas chapter of the Ladies Auxiliary of the GAR (Grand Republic Army) for family members of soldiers who fought and died in the Civil War. To

top it off, she spoke at the Afro-American Congress Convention and was a delegate from Kansas for the Congress of Women.

In many ways, Schaaf and Webster's research resonates with the histories that League members here in Montgomery County have uncovered and memorialized. Recently, Shannon Hudson published the life of our hometown hero, Dr. Mary Halloway Wilhite, and League members here sponsored the marker on the site of her former office. Presently, historians on the board of the League of Women Voters are researching the stories of the

Horace Mann and Lincoln Schools, both of which were segregated schools for African-American students in Crawfordsville. These stories help us fully embody our community by connecting us with histories erased or forgotten.

*The League of Women Voters is a nonpartisan, multi-issue political organization which encourages informed and active participation in government. For information about the League, visit the website [www.lwvmtcoin.org](http://www.lwvmtcoin.org); or, visit the League of Women Voters of Montgomery County, Indiana Facebook page.*

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title. This beautiful book is a collection of essays and reflections on the natural world and features whimsical illustrations by Fumi Nakamura. If you weren't able to snag a book kit when they were first offered a few weeks ago, don't worry, you can still participate! CDPL has copies available for checkout in non-fiction (590 Nez), CD Audiobook (CDBK 590 Nez), and also as a downloadable e-book through Libby and Hoopla. So what is the One

State/One Story program anyway, and why are we participating? IH conducts the One State/One Story Community Read program annually to encourage Hoosiers to engage in a state-wide discussion about the same book. CDPL and CMMC joined forces to apply for a small grant to develop complementary programs and formed a committee to plan our initial series of events. We dubbed our program "Nurturing Through Nature: One People, One Planet"

and will be offering four main events:

▫ Sugar Creek Water Panel Discussion (@ CMMC, Thurs. Apr. 21st, 7-8 p.m.)

▫ Nature Day (@ CMMC, Sat. June 18th, 1-4 p.m.)

▫ Book Discussion (@ CMMC, Thurs. July 28th, 7-8 p.m.)

▫ Nature Hike (@ Rocky Ridge Landing, Sat. Sept. 28th, 10-11 a.m.)

We will also be offering take-home science experiments, crafts, reading

suggestions, and journal prompts, so stay tuned for further updates as the year progresses!

Our program aims to bring together local experts, nature enthusiasts, library and museum personnel, and all members of our community to engage with one another in a discussion about the natural resources specific to our area. We want to provide a forum to express our mutual appreciation for the local environment that supports and enriches our lives on a

daily basis. We also want to raise awareness of the challenges facing our local environment and what we as individual citizens and the community as a whole can do to help. And we would like to provide as many members of our community as possible the chance to reflect on and express the positive impact that the local environment has on their mental and physical health.

CDPL and CMMC are excited to work together to present this unique oppor-

tunity to our community and hope you will be able to plug in and engage in our events throughout the year! If you have any questions about the Nurturing Through Nature series or the One State/One Story program, please contact the Reference Department at [ref@cdpl.lib.in.us](mailto:ref@cdpl.lib.in.us) or call 765-362-2242 x117.

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