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## Senator dies at age 90

*Feinstein had served since 1992*

By **JULIA PRODIS SULEK**  
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Dianne Feinstein, California's longest-serving U.S. senator who led San Francisco through its darkest and most violent days as mayor in the 1970s and later authored a federal ban on assault weapons that lasted a decade, died Thursday night at her home in Washington, D.C.

At 90, she was the oldest member of Congress and the longest-serving female in the chamber's history. During a bout of shingles earlier this year and ongoing reports of her mental decline, Feinstein resisted pressure from her own party to resign her seat.

Former Speaker and fellow San Franciscan Nancy Pelosi delivered a tribute to Feinstein on the floor of the U.S. House on Friday, saying that the senator led "with great dignity, with great effectiveness and great leadership" and that she "left on her own terms."

Her death will force Gov. Gavin Newsom to make a crucial decision he said recently he hoped he wouldn't have to face: appointing a replacement to serve the rest of Feinstein's term with the hotly contested race to succeed her in full swing.

In a statement Friday morning, Newsom called Feinstein a "dear friend and lifelong mentor" who was a role model not only to him but to his wife and daughters for what a powerful and effective leader looks like.

"She was a political giant, whose tenacity was matched by her grace. She broke down barriers and glass ceilings, but never lost her belief in the spirit of political cooperation," Newsom said. "And she was a fighter — for the city, the state and the country she loved."

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# Facility updated



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Dunkirk Public Library and Glass Museum will hold a ribbon-cutting and plaque presentation ceremony at 6:30 p.m. Monday. An open house will follow until 7:30 p.m. A \$140,000 renovation project was completed this summer in the library portion of the building with nearly \$40,000 in additional work on The Glass Museum.

## Renovation project for Dunkirk library and The Glass Museum will be celebrated Monday

By **RAY COONEY**  
The Commercial Review

**DUNKIRK** — One of the final grants provided by the Dunkirk Foundation before its merger with The Portland Foundation went to the city's library.

It will be part of a celebration Monday.

Dunkirk Public Library will host a ribbon-cutting ceremony and plaque presentation at 6:30 p.m. Monday to celebrate renovations to the facility. An open house will run from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m.

"It just needed updating," said librarian Stephanie Crouch. "And it just looks better."

The project involved a variety of fixes and repairs, the largest of which was filling in the interior of the ceiling where there had formerly been skylights. The lights had been covered over during a roofing project years before — they needed to be eliminated because of problems with leaks — but the interior had not yet been addressed.

"There was just ceilings up there with old skylights showing on the inside," said Ron Fuller, who was president of the Dunkirk Public Library and Glass Museum board during the project and is now a board member. (Craig Faulkner is now president.) "They

were completely boxed over on the outside."

Other work included painting the walls around the exterior flower beds, replacing lintels around the windows, fixing areas of the block wall that were broken, replacing a window and painting the entirety of the interior.

The back door to the library was also replaced and other doors in the building were adjusted to make them more functional.

"The bathroom doors, you couldn't even get into," said Crouch. "They were so hard to push open."

"And then our other doors, they were just uneven."

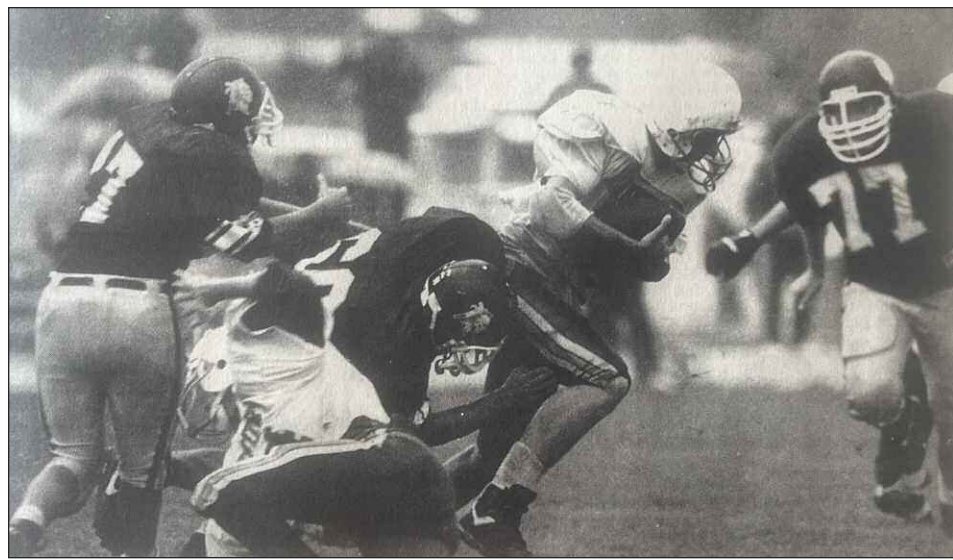
In conjunction with the library work, The Glass Museum, which shares the same building, got some upgrades as well. The main entryway to the museum on the northwest side of the building was reconstructed to make it compliant with the Americans with Disabilities Act. There was also foundation work, sandblasting and painting completed.

Funding for the library work came from a \$140,000 grant from The Dunkirk Foundation's Gayle & Marilee Gaunt Library Fund. The Gaunts had left funding specifically to be used to make upgrades to the library.

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## Retrospect

# Fort Recovery earned its second win



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Fort Recovery High School's Clint Bertke (60) grabs Danbury Lakeside running back Tony Puckett while the Indians' John Tobbe (77) moves in to help during a rain-soaked game Sept. 25, 1993.

Thirty years ago this week, some nasty weather couldn't stop the Indians from having a day to celebrate.

The Sept. 27, 1993, edition of The Commercial Review featured coverage of the Fort Recovery High School football team's 14-8 victory over Danbury. It was the second win in school history for the football program that launched a year earlier.

The Indians' second victory of the season after a winless 1992 came on a day marred by steady rain, temperatures in the 50s and a bone-chilling wind out of the east.

FRHS held on with a goal-line stand after

Danbury got the ball inside the 5-yard line in the fourth quarter. The home team was able to stand strong, stopping a quarterback sneak on fourth down.

"Our kids played very solidly," said Fort Recovery coach Jim Hay. "We dug down and did the little things well. We really rose up and got it done."

The Indians scored all of their points with bookend touchdowns in the second quarter. The first came just four seconds into the period on a 1-yard run by Ken Jutte. (Kyle Wehrkamp made it 8-0 with a run for the 2-point conversion. The second came with just one second remaining on a 41-yard interception

return by Wehrkamp.

Danbury got its only points in the third quarter when Tony Puckett reached the end zone on a 49-yard run. Brian Lesley caught a 2-point conversion pass to pull his team within two points.

Brian Wehrkamp led the offensive attack for Fort Recovery, picking up 118 yards on two dozen carries. Ken Jutte added 38 yards on the ground.

Cliff Wendel completed half of his six passing attempts for 51 yards.

The victory evened the Indians' record at 2-2 as they prepared for their first night game in school history against Lima Central Catholic's junior varsity.

### Deaths

**James Bedwell**, 69, Sevierville, Tennessee  
**James McGill**, 84, Portland  
**Carolyn Bell**, 81, Portland  
Details on page 2.

### Weather

Jay County had a high temperature of 73 degrees Friday. Today's forecast calls for fog and partly cloudy skies early before clearing later. The high will be in the upper 70s. Expect sunny skies Sunday with a high in the upper 70s again.  
See page 2 for an extended forecast.

### In review

The Jay Circuit Court trial that was scheduled to begin Monday has been canceled. Those who were summoned for jury duty do not need to appear.

### Coming up

**Tuesday** — Photos from this weekend's Main Street Fall Festival, Glass Days and Jeeps at Jay County.

**Wednesday** — Coverage of this week's Portland City Council and Fort Recovery Village Council meetings.



Obituaries

James Bedwell

James "Doug" Bedwell, 69, Sevierville, Tennessee, a former Pennville resident, died Thursday at Jefferson City Health & Rehab, Jefferson City, Tennessee. Arrangements are pending at Walker & Glancy Funeral Home, Montpelier.

James McGill

Aug. 20, 1939-Sept. 28, 2023 James "Jim" Frederick McGill, age 84, a resident of Portland, passed away on Thursday, Sept. 28, 2023, at Per-simmon Ridge in Portland. Jim was born on Aug. 20, 1939, in Beech Grove, Indiana, the son of Oscar Sherman and Arlene (Greer) McGill. Jim attended Gray High School and served in

the U.S. Army from 1956 to 1964. He worked for Quick Plastics for 28 years and was a member of Portland American Legion Post #211 and Portland Moose Lodge. Jim married Phyllis Corle on May 15, 1959, and she passed away on May 6, 2003. Survivors include: His children — Joni Wilson (husband Rick), Portland, Indiana, David McGill (wife: Lisa), Portland, Indiana, and Derran McGill, Portland, Indiana. Nine grandchildren and 23 great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by a son, Michael Colton McGill; and a daughter, Jamie Fouse. Visitation will be held on



McGill

Tuesday from 4 to 7 p.m. and Wednesday from 10 to 11 a.m. at Williamson-Spencer and Penrod Funeral Home in Portland. Funeral services will be held on Wednesday at 11 a.m. at Williamson-Spencer and Penrod Funeral Home in Portland. Burial will follow at Green Park Cemetery in Portland. American Legion Post #211 of Portland will conduct military graveside rites. Memorials may be directed towards Jay County Humane Society or Alzheimer's Association. Condolences may be expressed at williamson-spencer.com.

Carolyn Bell
Nov. 18, 1941-Sept. 17, 2023 Carolyn S. Bell, age 81, of



Bell

Portland passed away Sunday, Sept. 17, 2023, at her residence. She was born in Lebanon, Missouri, on Nov. 18, 1941, the daughter of Wayne Wilford and Wanda June (Nix) Wyatt. She was married on Sept. 14, 1956, to Jerry Bell and he passed away on July 27, 2017. Carolyn was a police dispatcher for 35 years. Carolyn enjoyed knitting and crocheting, playing bingo and being with her family. Surviving are one son, Timmie Bell of Portland; one daughter, Deanna Cline (husband: Trent) of Portland; one sister, Nita Jones of Hartford City; 11 grandchildren; and 25 great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by

a son, Jerry Bell Jr.; a daughter, Corina Boice; and three brothers, Roger, Randy and Larry Wyatt. Graveside services will be held Tuesday, Oct. 3 at 2 p.m. in the Center Cemetery with Pastor Steve Arnold presiding. Funeral arrangements are being handled by the Baird-Freeman Funeral Home. Memorials can be made to Everheart Hospice. The Commercial Review publishes death notices for those with a connection to our coverage area free of charge. There is a charge for obituaries, which are accepted only from funeral homes or mortuary services.

CR almanac

Table with 5 columns: Day, High/Low, Weather icon, and forecast text. Days include Sunday 10/1, Monday 10/2, Tuesday 10/3, Wednesday 10/4, Thursday 10/5.

Lotteries

Table with lottery results for Hoosier, Ohio, Powerball, and Mega Millions. Columns include game name, draw dates, and jackpot amounts.

Markets

Table with market prices for Cooper Farms Fort Recovery, POET Biorefining Portland, The Andersons Richland Township, Central States Montpelier, and Heartland St. Anthony. Columns include product name and price.

Today in history

In 1791, Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart debuted his opera "The Magic Flute." In 1954, the U.S. Navy commissioned the first nuclear-powered vessel, the USS Nautilus. In 1955, actor James Dean, who grew up in Fairmount, Indiana, died in a car crash in Salinas, California. In 2021, The City of Portland was notified that it was awarded a \$780,450 State Transportation and Stormwater Grant from the State Water Infrastructure Fund toward its proposed Meridian Street sewer project. —The CR

Citizen's calendar

Table with citizen's calendar events for Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday. Columns include date, time, and event details.

Capsule Reports

Power out: Some Portland residents lost power when a Texas semi driver damaged electrical wires near Portland Forge about 9:40 a.m. Thursday. Terry Hughes, 60, Coldspring, was backing a 2019 Freightliner Cascadia into an alley near Wayne Street. Flying debris: Damage is estimated between \$10,000 and \$25,000 after a piece from a semi fell off and struck a Portland woman's car along Indiana 67 about 10:30 a.m. Thursday.

Hit pole: A Portland man crashed the vehicle he was driving into a light pole on Seventh Street about 10 a.m. Thursday. Adam Carder, 18, was driving a 1993 GMC Sierra south on Boundary Pike when he noticed a tree branch in the road, according to a Portland police report. The vehicle Carder was driving was towed. Damage is estimated between \$10,000 and \$25,000.

Senator ...

Continued from page 1 There is nobody, he said, "who possessed the strength, gravitas, and fierceness of Dianne Feinstein." At the start of her career, Feinstein was a trailblazer for women and gay rights, and after the 1978 assassinations of San Francisco Mayor George Moscone and Supervisor Harvey Milk, she emerged as a reassuring leader and formidable force who pulled together the city that was still reeling from the Jonestown Massacre in Guyana 10 days earlier, where 900 people connected to the San Francisco-based People's Temple died. In what would become known as "The Year of the Woman" in 1992, she shared a historic moment with Barbara Boxer when they were both elected to the U.S. Senate and California became the first state with two women senators. Feinstein won in a special election and was sworn in first. "She had tenacity. She never gave up," especially in passing the Assault Weapons

Ban in 1994, Boxer said in an interview with the Bay Area News Group. "I will always remember how proud I was when she stood her ground on the floor of the Senate, when some of the men said, 'Well, you don't even understand what an AR-15 is,' and she said, 'I understand what gun violence is. I had to put my finger through a hole in the wrist (of Harvey Milk).' It was very emotional." Feinstein also pioneered a number of other firsts: first woman mayor of San Francisco, first woman to chair the Senate Select Committee on Intelligence, and the first woman to chair the Senate Judiciary Committee, a watershed moment after public outrage over the handling of Anita Hill's testimony during the male-dominated Supreme Court nomination hearings of Clarence Thomas in 1991. "There are few women who can be called senator, chairman, mayor, wife, mom and grandmother," her chief of staff, James Sauls, said in a statement Friday.

SERVICES
Monday Galloway, Beulah: 11 a.m., Downing & Glancy Funeral Home, 100 Washington St., Geneva.
Tuesday Bell, Carolyn: 2 p.m., Center Cemetery.
Wednesday McGill, Frederick: 11 a.m., Williamson-Spencer and Penrod Funeral Home, 208 N. Commerce St., Portland.

Updated ...

Continued from page 1 The Glass Museum's board is continuing to work toward other goals. Already in the plans is a \$5,000 roof replacement for the north corner of the building. Also, six more windows need to be replaced. The stucco on the upper part of the exterior of the building will also need to either be removed or sealed. The library continues to accept donations as it works toward funding those projects. "Every time we fix something, we see something else," said Fuller. Looking toward the future, Crouch noted goals such as expanding programming and bringing back the after-school program that was well-attended before being shut down during the coronavirus pandemic. Fuller said he would also like to see the computer lab expanded.

REVIVAL

You are invited to share in special services at the Portland First Church of the Nazarene (920 South Shank Street)
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October 2-4 - 7:00 p.m. nightly
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## Trustworthy students

East Elementary recently named several students with awards for being trustworthy. Pictured above, first row, are first graders Ruby Howell, Presley Hunt and Braylee Broering. In the back row are first graders Starlynn Roser, Jackson Abels, Kayden Alberson and Joseph Arnold.

# Employee feels stuck in position

DEAR ABBY: I applied to be a supervisor at the company where I work. Unfortunately, I didn't get the job. One of my co-workers, who held the same position I did (though with significantly fewer years of experience at the company), was given the job instead. Initially, I tried to shrug it off and continued working as usual. Unfortunately, I find I am no longer able to do that.

**Dear Abby**



Since this co-worker is now my boss, I sometimes receive dictation/instruction from them, which makes me uncomfortable. I have begun to feel jealous — I'll acknowledge that. I have worked here for 10 years now, and the fact that I haven't been able to move into a higher position has weighed me down. For financial reasons, I can't resign. Somehow, I have to make this new reality work. How do I rid myself of these feelings of jealousy and learn to proceed with my new boss? — STUCK AT WORK IN THE WEST

DEAR STUCK: One way to do that would be to remind yourself regularly why you are there. Bottom line: You need the money. Life isn't always fair, so try harder to accept it. While you are doing that, it couldn't hurt to look around to see if any other companies are posting job openings. If you find any, make time for an interview, and — if you are hired — give your notice.

Dear Abby is written by Abigail Van Buren, also known as Jeanne Phillips, and was founded by her mother, Pauline Phillips. Contact Dear Abby at [www.DearAbby.com](http://www.DearAbby.com) or P.O. Box 69440, Los Angeles, CA 90069.

# Last chance to apply for new scholarship

There's one day left to apply for a Career Scholarship Account.

Indiana sophomores, juniors and seniors may receive up to \$5,000 to access qualified training opportunities. About 1,000 spots are available in the program, which closes its applications at the end of the day Sunday.

Students receive the money over four disbursements and

## Taking Note

may use it for enrollment expenses, career coaching and navigation services, postsecondary education and training,

transportation and equipment or certification and credentialing examinations.

## Oktoberfest is Tuesday

Jay County High School's German Club will host its annual Oktoberfest celebration Tuesday. The event will run from 5 to 7 p.m. in the south hallway at Jay County Junior-Senior High School. It will feature homemade German food such as bratwurst,

potato salad, black forest cake and apple strudel.

Meals are \$10 and are available for dine-in or carry-out.

## Guitar lab added

The Jay County Campus of Arts Place has expanded the age group for its guitar lab.

Guitar lab is now open to students in grades four through 12. The group acoustic guitar lessons meet on Tuesdays from 4 to

4:45 p.m. on Tuesdays from Oct. 17 through Dec. 5 at Arts Place, 131 E. Walnut St., Portland.

The classes are intended for beginning students. They will be loaned an acoustic guitar to allow for additional practice time at home.

The registration fee is \$40. To sign up, visit [myartsplace.org](http://myartsplace.org). For more information, email [jcc@myartsplace.org](mailto:jcc@myartsplace.org) or call (260) 726-4809.

# Community Calendar

Notices will appear in Community Calendar as space is available. To submit an item, email [news@thecr.com](mailto:news@thecr.com).

## Saturday

**ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS** — Will meet at 10 a.m. at Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church, 218 E. High St., Portland. For more information, call (260) 251-3336 or (260) 729-7000.

**LOCALS MARKET** — Is held from 8 a.m. to noon each Saturday in May through October on East Main Street in Portland. For more information, contact The Flower Nook at (260) 726-7166.

## Sunday

**A BETTER LIFE - BRIANNA'S HOPE** — A faith-based recovery group for all kinds of addictions, will meet from 6:30 to 8

p.m. each Sunday at The Rock Church, 1605 N. Meridian St., Portland. Come early for a meal. For more information, call (260) 766-2006.

## Monday

**PORTLAND BREAKFAST OPTIMISTS** — Will meet at 7 a.m. for breakfast at Richards Restaurant.

**PING PONG** — Will be played from 9 a.m. to noon each Monday at Jay Community Center.

**CAREGIVER SUPPORT GROUP** — Will meet at 1 p.m. the first Monday of each month at Portland Place, 430 W. Lafayette St. For more information, call (800) 589-1121.

**EUCHRE** — Will be played starting at 1 p.m. each Monday at West Jay Community Center, 125 Hoover St., Dunkirk.

**TAKE OFF POUNDS SENSIBLY (TOPS)** — Will meet for weigh-in at 4:30

p.m., with the meeting at 5 p.m., at Trinity United Methodist Church, 323 S. Meridian St., Portland. New members welcome. For more information, call (260) 726-5924.

**PREGNANCY CARE CENTER** — Free pregnancy testing with ongoing support during and after pregnancy. The center is located at 216 S. Meridian St., Portland. Hours are 1 to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday. For more information or to schedule an appointment, call (260) 726-8636. Walk-ins accepted.

**BREAD OF LIFE COMMUNITY FAMILY MEAL** — Will be served from 5:30 to 6:30 p.m. at Asbury United Methodist Church, 204 E. Arch St. in Portland. Everyone is welcome.

**PORTLAND EVENING OPTIMIST CLUB** — Will meet at 6 p.m. the first and third Monday of each month at Richards Restaurant.

**NARCOTICS ANONYMOUS** — Will meet at 6:30 p.m. each Monday at A Second Chance At Life Ministries, 228 S. Meridian St. in Portland. For more information, call Brenda Eads at (260) 726-9625 or Dave Keen at (260) 251-8792.

**GAMMA ALPHA CHAPTER OF PSI IOTA XI** — Will meet at 7 p.m. Monday,

Oct. 2, at Jay County Public Library, 315 N. Ship St., Portland. Members should check their email or text messages for more information. Contact Rachel Benirschke or Jane Switzer to cancel.

## Tuesday

**BRYANT COMMUNITY CENTER EUCHRE** — Will be played at 1 p.m. each Tuesday. The public is welcome.

**A BETTER LIFE - BRIANNA'S HOPE** — A faith-based recovery group for substance abuse. Meal starts at 6 p.m. and the meeting is from 6:30 to 8 p.m. every Tuesday at the Nazarene Fellowship Building across from the Nazarene church, 249 E. Center St., Dunkirk. For more information, call Amanda Price at (765) 283-2107.

**ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS** — Will meet at 7 p.m. at Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church, 218 E. High St., Portland. For more information, call (567) 279-8352 or (260) 729-7000.

**NARCOTICS ANONYMOUS** — Will meet at 7 p.m. each Tuesday at Church of God of Prophecy, 797 N. Creagor Ave. in Portland. For more information, call (260) 766-9334.

# Sudoku

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

Level: Advanced

## Friday's Solution

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

The objective is to fill a nine-by-nine grid so that each column, each row, and each of the nine three-by-three boxes (also called blocks or regions) contains the digits from 1 to 9 only one time each.

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**WHAT'S FOR LUNCH?**  
For Jay County Schools  
October 2-6

**Monday Main Entrees:** Whole grain waffles, turkey sausage link, syrup **Alternate Entrees:** Build your own pizza fun lunch, chicken salad with cheese, breadstick, **Sides for all meals:** Tater tots

**Tuesday Main Entrees:** Soft beef whole grain tacos, shredded lettuce, shredded cheddar cheese, salsa **Alternate Entrees:** Build your own pizza fun lunch, chicken salad with cheese, breadstick, **Sides for all meals:** Seasoned black beans

**Wednesday Main Entrees:** Chicken Alfredo sauce, seasoned rotini pasta **Alternate Entrees:** Build your own pizza fun lunch, chicken salad with cheese, breadstick, **Sides for all meals:** Roasted broccoli

**Thursday Main Entrees:** Home-style beef and bean chili, homemade cornbread **Alternate Entrees:** Build your own pizza fun lunch, chicken salad with cheese, breadstick

**Friday Main Entrees:** Breaded chicken drumstick, potatoes au gratin, dinner roll **Alternate Entrees:** Build your own pizza fun lunch, chicken salad with cheese, breadstick, **Sides for all meals:** Savory green beans

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# 'Greedflation' no longer on fringe

The Dominion Post  
(Morgantown, West Virginia)  
Tribune News Service

"Greedflation" is an economic theory that emerged around 2021 as an explanation for the sky-high inflation we were experiencing. At first, even mainstream economists considered greedflation a left-wing fringe theory, bordering on conspiracy. But now, some mainstream and even conservative economists are starting to see some merit in the idea.

In essence, greedflation is the idea that the various factors large corporations kept citing as justification for price increases couldn't be the whole story. Yes, there was a pandemic. Yes, there was a tight labor market. Yes, there were supply chain issues. And yes, all things would drive companies to increase their prices to protect their bottom lines.

Despite all those factors, large corporations weren't just main-

## Guest Editorial

taining pre-pandemic profit margins — they were posting record-breaking profits. Companies were spending millions on stock buybacks and bonuses for shareholders.

The painfully high prices, the theory of greedflation posits, aren't a result (or not entirely the result) of external factors; rather, companies keep pushing prices up simply because they can, and consumers will accept it.

We're three years from the start of the pandemic — with the COVID-based emergency policies largely no longer in effect, the supply chain mostly smoothed out, and the labor mar-

ket stabilizing — yet prices still continue to climb. Inflation is still much higher than it should be — despite the Federal Reserve's efforts to tamp it down with high interest rates. And large companies are still posting record profits.

Which is why greedflation no longer seems so far-fetched.

In January of this year, then-vice chair of the Federal Reserve, Lael Brainard, said in a speech that "Retail markups in a number of sectors have seen material increases in what could be described as a price-price spiral, whereby final prices have risen by more than the increases in input prices."

Then, according to Axios, "In March, the chief economist at UBS Global Wealth Management, Paul Donovan, published a note on 'profit margin-led inflation,' describing how in late 2022 and into this year, companies — particularly retailers and consumer goods makers — con-

victed consumers that they needed to raise prices. (They didn't really.)"

In April, Bloomberg Opinion published a column by former Financial Times reporters Chris Bryant and Andrea Felsted. They wrote, "The idea that corporate profit expansion has been a big driver of inflation was once mostly confined to trade unions and left-wing academics, but it's now taken seriously by central bankers."

In May, the New York Times reported, "Some of the world's biggest companies have said they ... will continue increasing prices or keep them at elevated levels for the foreseeable future. That strategy has cushioned corporate profits. And it could keep inflation robust, contributing to the very pressures used to justify surging prices. ... policymakers at the Federal Reserve may feel compelled to keep raising interest rates, or at least not lower them ..."

Also in May, the Wall Street Journal — well-known for its conservative stances — published an article on how some corporations were raising prices faster than costs have increased. That article cited an assistant professor of economics at the University of Massachusetts Amherst, Isabella Weber, who wrote in December 2021 about an "explosion" in corporate profits and suggested price controls as a way to fight inflation.

Weber was mocked for her ideas. But it now seems she may have been onto something.

Corporate greed likely is not the entire reason for our current inflation. After all, there was a pandemic, with its related problems, and now a war, with its related problems.

However, it's impossible to look at the current economic conditions, sticker prices and record profits and not see that the math isn't adding up.

## We can build a safer rail system

By JEFF BUDDLE

Ohio Capital Journal

Every three hours in the United States a person or vehicle is hit by a train, and 60% of collisions occur at crossings that are equipped with lights and/or gates. More than 2,100 people across North America are injured or killed at crossings every year, most times due to trespassing incidents. To lower these devastating numbers and mitigate safety concerns, Operation Lifesaver leads the collaborative effort of Rail Safety Week to stop these track tragedies.

Given my post as president of the Professional Fire Fighters of Maryland, I am particularly attuned to the seriousness of rail accidents and the necessity for Rail Safety Week. My sole focus is on keeping communities safe, and this educational week is a timely reminder of both the dangers of rail and efforts communities can partake in to educate and mitigate such tragedies.

The general public often hears of major rail disasters, like the East Palestine derailment. And that accident was newsworthy. The gruesome accident still has communities raising contamination concerns seven months later. But most accidents that occur on the tracks don't make the national news, even though they are just as devastating to communities. I have seen firsthand the pain rail accidents can bring to families and neighbors.

94% of all rail-related fatalities and injuries occur at railroad crossings or are due to trespassing on tracks. According to the Federal Railroad Administration, trespassing along railroad rights-of-way causes more than 400 fatalities nationally each year, and is the leading cause of rail-related deaths in America.

Despite these numbers, the good news is that the trajectory of rail safety in America is overwhelmingly positive.

The American economy is deeply dependent on railroads. Not only are railroads the center of the American experience and part of our nation's

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history, but they are also part of our future as well and truly make interstate commerce possible. Railroads support over a million American jobs, paying around \$71 billion in wages annually, pay billions in taxes every year, and are corporate citizens donating millions each year to local communities.

Right here in Maryland, CSX and Norfolk Southern both operate throughout Maryland and offer intermodal service through the Port of Baltimore. Just recently, CSX donated \$5 million to Baltimore's B&O Railroad Museum — a big chunk of the eventual \$30 million price tag for the upcoming B&O bicentennial celebration. Norfolk Southern has also upped its giving via a new "Thriving Communities" effort.

The importance of railroads couldn't be clearer. But there's still work to do. Economic benefits aren't a substitute for safety; railroads have to stay focused on keeping our rail system safe for all.

As a public safety stakeholder, I'm encouraged by the efforts I have been seeing. Rail Safety Week is a great time to recognize the progress made in recent years, while also thinking about how we can help the railroads do even more. Safety is part of the journey for many industries and should always be a main priority.

Rail transportation stands to play a central role in our daily lives for the foreseeable future, and with continued focus, we can continue to build an even safer rail system to power us forward for years to come.

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## Clash should be a wake-up call

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To most of the world, the Indian government's response to Canada's charge that it may have sponsored the murder of a Sikh activist in British Columbia must be befuddling. India has strenuously denied the charges, for which Canada has provided no evidence publicly as yet.

But the Indian government has also gone further and blasted Canada for supposedly hosting a "nexus of terrorism," serving as a "safe haven" for extremism and organized crime, and much else. Indian investigators have even released a list of what they call "terror-gangster networks" based in Canada. This is all absurdly detached from Canada's popular image as a polite and welcoming multicultural utopia.

India's rage is misplaced and hardly serves to endear the country to those appalled by the idea that it may have had a Canadian citizen killed. Still, it does reflect widespread sentiment — in India and beyond — that many countries in the West have long paid insufficient attention to the overseas activism of the immigrant communities they host.

That will no longer be possible. Even small, liberal countries such as Canada, Australia, and Sweden must now contend with the consequences of diaspora politics.

Sweden, for example, faced a particularly pernicious dilemma when Turkey blocked its entry into NATO on the grounds that it hosted Kurdish separatists. The Swedish government had to balance Turkey's concerns and its own urgent security needs against its constitutional commitments to free speech and dissent.

Of course, peaceful political expression must be defended. And countries with a reputation for taking in refugees and asylum seekers, such as Canada and Sweden, will naturally host many more dissenters than elsewhere.

The problem is when, as sometimes

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happens in communities still focused on the disputes they left behind, dissent slides into extremism. How long can governments ignore political radicals merely because they are confining their activities to their old homes, not their new ones?

Canada, in particular, has had a long history of tolerating supporters of militancy abroad. Even after 9/11 built pressure on all Western allies to root out supporters of terrorism, Ottawa resisted calls to clamp down on local financial support for Hezbollah.

Canadian communities also provided much of the financing for Sri Lanka's Liberation Tigers of Tamil Eelam — who, famously, invented suicide bombing. A lot of that money was raised, according to human-rights activists, by intimidating Canadian citizens who still had relatives in Sri Lanka.

Now tensions have begun to flare domestically as well. Last year, violence between Hindus and Muslims broke out in the post-industrial town of Leicester, while Sikhs and Hindus clashed in the middle of downtown Melbourne in January. Two years earlier, a Hindu man who had been deported from Australia for allegedly attacking Sikhs was given a "hero's welcome" when he returned to India.

It's easy to view such clashes as the natural consequence of India's increasingly radicalized and divided politics. But that's only part of the story. In fact, diaspora communities themselves are often more radical than those they have left behind and have exported their fundamentalism back home.

The revival of Hindu supremacism

in India, for example, owes a great deal to the financing and ideological leadership provided by Indian Americans. For their part, Indian investigators have long worried that a rash of murders of Sikhs for supposed blasphemy are related to fundamentalist views being financed from Canada.

As Leicester and Melbourne show, ignoring the political churning within diaspora communities is unwise. Yet politicians have clear political incentives to minimize the danger, especially in countries such as the UK or Canada that pride themselves on their multiculturalism. In 2019, for example, the Canadian government removed a reference to Sikh extremism from an official report on security threats after community complaints.

The risk is that the most deeply conservative, and sometimes extremist, members of a diaspora are then treated as their community's legitimate voices. Law enforcement and political parties will reach out to them — or the religious institutions they often run — for support.

This severely disadvantages more liberal figures within the communities themselves. It creates tensions that threaten to spill out onto the streets of the West. And, as we've seen, it can enrage governments you may hope to befriend.

Western nations must continue to welcome dissenters and persecuted minorities — and should vigorously defend their right to free speech, their property, and their lives. But governments should also try to promote healthier conversations with and within diaspora communities.

The West is still struggling to do both. The concerns India is raising would not justify the actions of which it's accused. Nonetheless, Canada and others should examine those concerns for their own sake, not India's.

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 HI N MSNOF NMDKQS HI N  
 IKRNGMS WTNIHWY DHRF:

“RYS NLGKL KO WSQHMMS.”  
 Yesterday's Cryptoquip: WHEN YOU SHOW SIMILAR CONTEMPT TO PEOPLE AS THEY ONCE SHOWED YOU, DO YOU SETTLE THE SCORN?  
 Today's Cryptoquip Clue: M equals L

### Trivial Review

(Answers are printed below, upside down.)

#### Driving on Main

1) Route 66, known as America's Main Street, stretches from what Midwest city to the Santa Monica Pier in California?  
 2) Karl Probst completed the first design for this vehicle in less than a week?

(1) Chicago (2) Jeep

10-2 CRYPTOQUIP

ARFO N VQJFB DX IEPGRVQF  
 DRVD OFA GXEGR IVB, DRF  
 QVSFQ GSFPJ QVNB, "IPXGFFB  
 ANDR GEQRNXO."

Saturday's Cryptoquip: OPERA SET NEARLY ENTIRELY IN A LEAFY ALCOVE IN A NOTABLE SPANISH CITY: "THE ARBOR OF SEVILLE."  
 Today's Cryptoquip Clue: B equals D

### CRYPTO FUN

Determine the code to reveal the answer!

Solve the code to discover words related to eye safety. Each number corresponds to a letter. (Hint: 26 = s)

A. 26 11 15 18 3 26  
 Clue: Athletic activities

B. 12 7 26 7 15 9  
 Clue: Sight

C. 11 18 15 3 5 6 3  
 Clue: Safeguard

D. 16 23 13 26 26 5 26  
 Clue: Corrective lenses

### WORD SCRAMBLE

Rearrange the letters in the word to spell something pertaining to safety.

ARGDU

Answer: Guard

### kids' corner

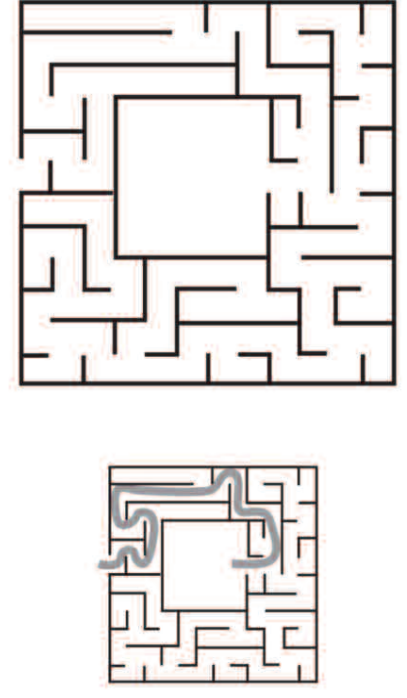
### HEALTH FACT:

TRUE OR FALSE?  
 NO MATTER HOW CLEAN A STREAM OR LAKE LOOKS, IT CAN STILL CONTAIN MICROORGANISMS THAT CAN MAKE YOU SICK.

ANSWER: TRUE

Maze Craze

Can you find your way through the maze?



### THIS DAY IN... HISTORY

SEP 28

• 1779: SAMUEL HUNTINGTON IS ELECTED PRESIDENT OF THE CONTINENTAL CONGRESS.  
 • 1867: TORONTO BECOMES THE CAPITAL OF ONTARIO.  
 • 1951: CBS MAKES THE FIRST COLOR TELEVISIONS AVAILABLE FOR SALE TO THE GENERAL PUBLIC. THE PRODUCT IS DISCONTINUED LESS THAN A MONTH LATER.

### New Word

#### HABITAT

a natural home or environment

### PROTECTION WORD SEARCH

Y	P	H	Y	R	E	V	A	R	B	B	G	D	O	N	S	E	S	O	V	R
E	C	Q	R	T	N	E	M	P	I	U	Q	E	Y	E	L	U	S	A	V	H
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N	A	J	T	C	E	T	O	R	P	A	E	V	F	S	N	B	D	C	O	P
E	C	E	M	O	S	I	R	R	O	W	N	R	J	E	D	O	E	E	P	I
K	A	K	D	E	T	E	C	T	O	R	J	G	N	D	I	R	F	L	U	H
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C	S	H	I	E	L	D	E	N	I	L	E	F	I	L	L	V	V	H	V	U

Find the words hidden vertically, horizontally & diagonally throughout the puzzle.

#### WORDS

AID	LIFELINE
ALARM	LOCKS
BARRICADE	MUFFLE
BRAVERY	OBSTACLE
CARE	PERSEVERE
DANGER	POISON
DESTRUCTION	POLICE
DETECTOR	PROTECT
EMERGENCY	RESILIENT
ESCENCE	RETREAT
EQUIPMENT	SAFETY
GEAR	SECURITY
HARBOR	SHELTER
HARMFUL	SHIELD
HAVEN	SUPPRESS
INJURY	SURVIVOR
INSURANCE	WEAKEN
INVOLVEMENT	WORRIESOME

### Did You Know?

BEFORE FACTORIES MADE CANOES COMMERCIALY, THEY WERE CREATED BY HAND FROM TREES AND ROOTS.

### GET THE PICTURE?

Can you guess what the bigger picture is?

ANSWER: FISH

CROSSWORD By Eugene Sheffer

**ACROSS**

1 Preparedness kit  
 6 Unlocked  
 12 Lampoon  
 13 Big name in chocolate  
 14 Damaged  
 15 Look over again  
 16 Tennis great Arthur  
 17 Holiday lead-ins  
 19 Indivisible  
 20 Beget  
 22 However  
 24 However  
 27 "Brave" singer Bareilles  
 29 Engagement gift  
 32 "The House of the Spirits" novelist  
 35 "Vegas" singer — Cat  
 36 Use scissors  
 37 Have lunch  
 38 Buddy  
 40 Cubicle fixture

**DOWN**

42 Oklahoma city  
 44 One-named supermodel  
 46 Turkish money  
 50 Nanny's warning  
 52 More discerning  
 54 Saudi neighbors  
 55 Tribal emblems  
 56 "How chic!"  
 57 Adversary

2 "Alternatively," in a text  
 3 Two-wheelers  
 4 "Right you —!"  
 5 Pentagon figures  
 6 Storybook heavy  
 7 Verse  
 8 Sheeran and Harris  
 9 Gum variety  
 10 Novelist Hunter  
 11 "Great" dog  
 12 Govt. lender for a start-up  
 18 Porch  
 21 British verb ending  
 23 Before eBay offer  
 24 eBuy  
 25 Mil. morale booster  
 26 Agra landmark  
 28 Estrange  
 30 Secret-protecting doc.  
 31 Retrieve  
 33 Cote cry  
 34 Vinyl records  
 39 Mannerly  
 41 1971 Jane Fonda film  
 42 "Peek —!"  
 43 Showroom model  
 45 Arizona city  
 47 Detail  
 48 "Ratatouille" rat  
 49 MGM motto start  
 51 — Cruz  
 Kayne of "Barbie"  
 53 Bam-boozle

Solution time: 26 mins.

S	A	O	P	E	S	O	P	R	O	D	
L	C	D	H	A	I	L	L	A	U	D	
O	L	D	W	O	R	L	D	A	M	I	S
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A	B	S	H	E	D	W	I	G			
S	K	A	T	E	P	A	T	I	D	O	
P	E	A	S	O	O	P	A	G	E	D	
E	R	R	A	L	I	M	E	S	A	S	
D	I	P	P	E	D	H	A	T			
E	R	S	E	R	O	D	E	D			
A	P	S	E	O	L	D	G	U	A	R	D
D	E	E	P	U	P	D	O	U	M	A	
S	P	A	S	L	S	A	T	B	A	Y	

Contract Bridge By Steve Becker

### Good to the last drop

North dealer. Both sides vulnerable.

**NORTH**  
 ♠ Q 7 6 2  
 ♥ K J 8 6  
 ♦ K 5 3  
 ♣ K J

**SOUTH**  
 ♠ A  
 ♥ A Q 10 9 7 5 2  
 ♦ A J 6  
 ♣ A 8

The bidding:  
 North 1♦ Pass  
 East 2♦ Pass  
 South 2♥ Pass  
 West 7♦ Pass

Opening lead — jack of spades.

Declarer often puts to use information he derives from plays made by the defenders. It is reasonable to assume that the opponents are trying to win rather than lose, and from this supposition critical inferences about the composition of the defenders' hands can be drawn.

Consider this case where West led the jack of spades against seven hearts. Declarer saw at once that the outcome depended solely upon avoiding a diamond loser.

The most obvious approach would be to rely on a diamond finesse, but

declarer saw he could add to his chances by first ruffing two spades in his hand, hoping the king would fall and establish dummy's queen as a trick. If this failed, he could then fall back on the diamond finesse.

So, after winning the first spade, South led a trump to dummy, ruffed a spade, led another trump to dummy and ruffed the seven of spades. But when the spade king did not appear, declarer was not yet ready to bank everything on the diamond finesse. Instead, he cashed the A-K of clubs and all his remaining trumps, producing this position:

**North**  
 ♠ Q  
 ♥ K 5

**West**  
 ♠ 10  
 ♥ Q 4

**East**  
 ♠ K  
 ♥ 10 9

**South**  
 ♦ A J 6

From the outset, declarer had assumed that East had the king of spades, as West would hardly have led away from the king against a grand slam. So when declarer next played the K-5 of diamonds and East produced the 10-9, it became pointless to finesse since East's last card was known to be the king of spades. South therefore put up the ace, felling West's queen, and the grand slam was home.

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Contract Bridge By Steve Becker

### Famous Hand

South dealer. East-West vulnerable.

**NORTH**  
 ♠ A 7 5  
 ♥ K J 6  
 ♦ A 10 8 7 4 3  
 ♣ 10

**SOUTH**  
 ♠ K 3  
 ♥ Q 9 4 3 2  
 ♦ K  
 ♣ K 8 6 3 2

The bidding:  
 South 1♥ Pass  
 West 2♥ Pass  
 North 2♠ Pass  
 East 3♠ Pass

Opening lead — four of spades.

This deal occurred in the playoffs to determine the North American representative to the 1989 world women's team championship.

At the first table, a Canadian pair reached four hearts as shown. West's two-heart bid indicated spades and a minor and should have forewarned declarer of the bad break in hearts.

South won the opening spade lead in her hand, cashed the king of diamonds and led a trump to the jack. West showing out. When East declined to win the trick, declarer cashed the diamond ace and then lost the ten of clubs to West's jack.

West's spade return was taken by

dummy's ace, whereupon South ruffed a diamond, ruffed a club low and led one of dummy's good diamonds. East ruffed with the seven of hearts, and declarer overruffed with the nine. South then ruffed a club with dummy's king, but East overruffed with the ace and returned the trump eight to declarer's queen. At this point, two tricks remained to be played, and South had to lose both of them — one to West's high club and the other to East's high trump — down one.

At the second table, Karen McCallum of the U.S. was South. Here West made only a simple one-spade overcall, so there was nothing to suggest the terrible trump break. Nevertheless, she found a way to limit the defense to only three tricks.

She took the opening spade lead with dummy's ace and immediately led the club ten to West's jack. McCallum won the spade return, cashed the diamond king, ruffed a spade, cashed the diamond ace and ruffed with the heart king. East overruffed with the ace — discarding would not have helped — and returned the five of hearts to dummy's jack.

McCallum ruffed a diamond at trick 10 and then led her last club, the king. East, down to the 10-8-7 of trump, was forced to ruff her partner's trick and lead a heart to declarer's Q-9, handing South the last two tricks and the contract.

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CROSSWORD By Eugene Sheffer

**ACROSS**

1 Hoe target  
 5 Make lace  
 8 Ump's call  
 12 Not busy  
 13 Eggs  
 14 Gator's kin  
 15 Incubator noise  
 16 Vinegar choice  
 18 Concert bonus  
 20 Social group  
 21 Couch  
 23 "Hum-bug!"  
 24 Cognac cocktails  
 28 Cat owner's ordeal  
 31 — -de-France  
 32 Turkish rug  
 34 Debtor's letters  
 35 Actress Jessica  
 37 Provided  
 39 Tulsa sch.  
 41 "JAG" spin-off

**DOWN**

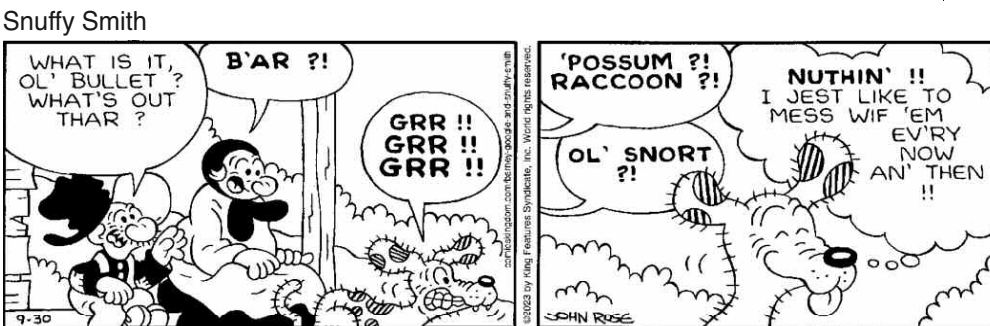
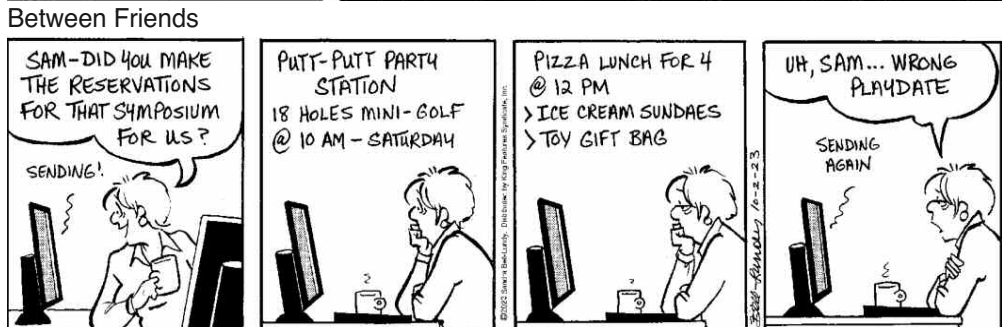
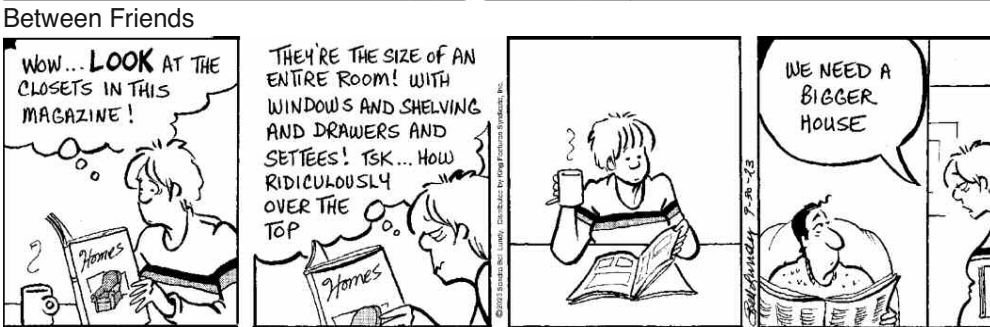
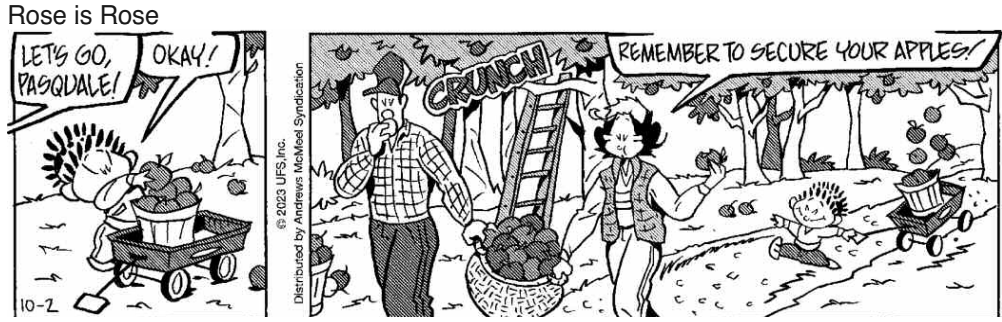
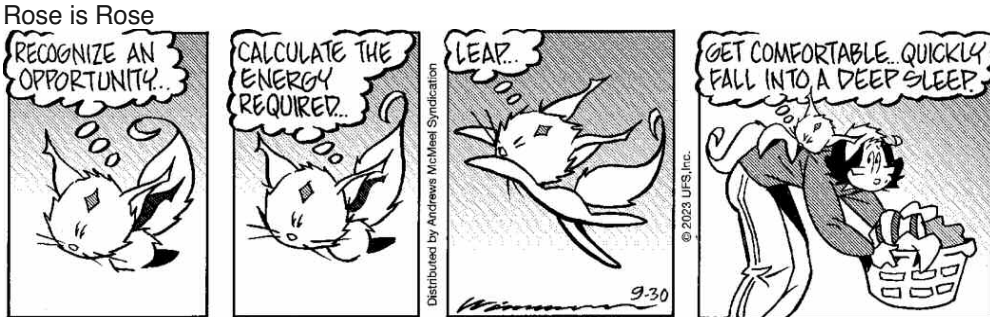
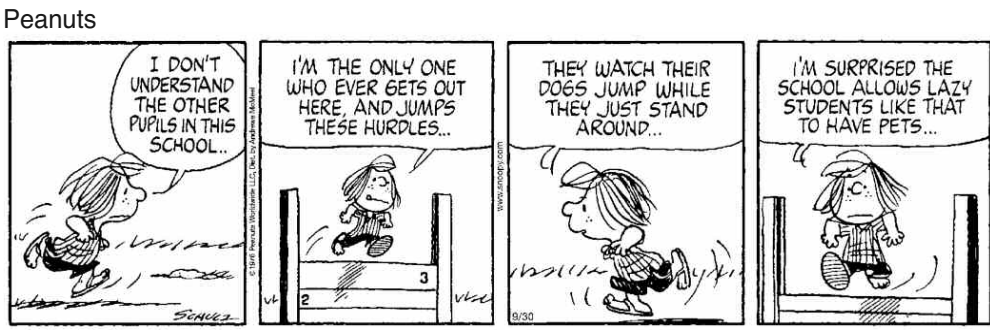
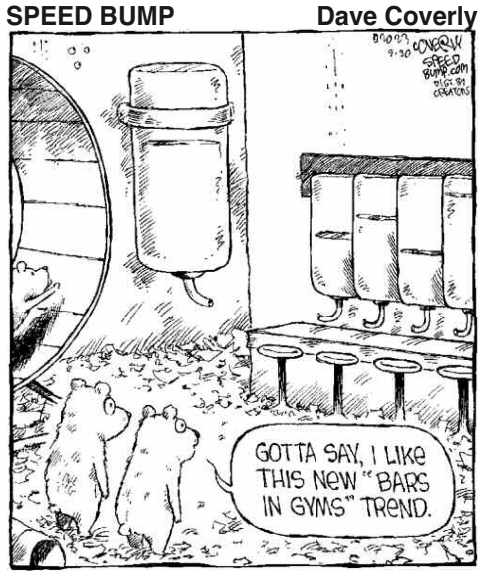
42 Potassium source  
 45 Roadside trash  
 49 "Big Night" actress  
 Rossellini  
 51 Roof overhang  
 52 Playwright  
 Simon  
 53 Miss Piggy's pronoun  
 54 Dutch cheese  
 55 Challenge  
 56 Californian's Big —  
 57 Oodles

2 Genesis garden  
 3 Power co. supply  
 4 Take testimony from  
 5 "Considering all points of view ..."  
 6 Gardner of film  
 7 Body powder  
 8 Ornamental  
 beetle  
 9 Comfy seat  
 10 Thwart  
 11 Caesar's "Behold!"  
 17 Bro or sis  
 19 Boulder

22 "Over the Rainbow" composer  
 24 "Chandelier" singer  
 25 Under the weather  
 26 Suave  
 27 "Main Street" author  
 Lewis  
 29 Foot part  
 30 Paul Newman film  
 33 1502, in Old Rome  
 36 Fit for farming  
 38 Honor  
 40 French article  
 42 Predicament  
 43 On the Adriatic, say  
 44 Charitable donation  
 46 "I did it!"  
 47 Author Hunter  
 48 — Martin (cognac)  
 50 Brock of baseball

Solution time: 21 mins.

G	O	B	A	G	O	P	E	N	E	D				
S	A	T	I	R	E	G	O	D	I	V	A			
B	R	O	K	E	N	R	E	S	C	A	N			
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**Laughter**

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### 90 SALE CALENDAR

**PUBLIC AUCTION**  
FRIDAY OCTOBER 6  
TH , 2023 TIME 5:00  
P.M.  
LOCATED: 225 E Water  
St., Portland, IN.  
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**LARGE AUCTION: SEVERAL ITEMS NOT MENTIONED**  
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**PUBLIC AUCTION**  
Located: Women's Building and Farmers 806 W Votaw St., Portland, IN  
Saturday Morning  
October 7th, 2023  
9:30 A.M.  
**HOUSEHOLD GOODS - OLD & COLLECTORS ITEMS**  
4 pc. wicker set; queen size beds; bicycle kiddie cart; school desks; lawn furniture; fiberglass double tubs; dog crate; Carnival glass; Roadmaster boys bike; Huffu boys bike; several pieces of furniture that have been thru a fire and would make a good project to paint and/or refinish; and many other items not listed.  
**TOOLS**  
Porter Cable 5250 watt generator; Honda snow blower; snow blower on Wheel Horse tractor; Craftsman table saw; Craftsman air compressor; Craftsman 12V - 210PSI compressor; wrenches; level; hand sprayer; leaf blowers; hedge trimmers; and many other items not listed.

**PUBLIC AUCTION**  
Located: 225 East Water St. Portland, Indiana  
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**PUBLIC AUCTION**  
SATURDAY SEPT-  
EMBER 30, 2023 TIME  
10:00 A.M.  
LOCATED: 8256 W 550  
N. Pennville, Indiana  
**MOBILE HOME - UTILITY SHED**  
1983 Empire 14'x70' mobile home with ton axles and tires. To be moved. Home is in good condition. 10'x12' utility shed. To be moved.  
**SUV - MOWER - HOUSEHOLD 2012 Chevrolet Captiva SUV** with 46,200 miles. Chairs, 6 gun cabinet, 720 Grasshopper mower with 52" cut. Samsung refrigerator with bottom freezer, GE electric range,  
2 I-heaters, lighted Curio cabinet, Hand painted globe lamp, 2 glider rockers, rocker recliner.  
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**HOUSEHOLD GOODS - OLD & COLLECTORS ITEMS**  
4 pc. wicker set; queen size beds ; full size beds; floor lamp; dining table with 4 chairs; Schwinn Lakeshore girls bike with stationary stand; 5 drawer dresser; Bissell sweeper; kitchen table with 2 chairs; hall table; bakers rack; coffee table; lamp stands; folding tables; platform scales; bicycle kiddie cart; school desks; lawn furniture; Nordic Track; Christmas trees; pitcher pump; fiberglass double tubs; baking dishes; blender; Oneida set of dishes; baking dishes; cookware; dog crate; Carnival glass; pillows; comforters; tent; air mattress; baby plates; Hamilton Beach food processor; Sunbeam mixer; Roadmaster boys bike; Huffu boys bike; DVD's; True Value wagon; puzzles; games; Tupperware; fan; Nordic Track EXP 1000X treadmill; wardrobe; 4 basket stack storage; guitar; leather recliner gaming chair; buffet; (2) wood bar stools; Leopard dishes; figurines; leather sofa; wood rocking chair; jewelry stand; cedar chest; jewelry boxes; plastic bins; heater; wood box; stuffed animals; several pieces of furniture that have been thru a fire and would make a good project to paint and/or refinish; and many other items not listed.  
**TOOLS**  
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The Patriots have picked up the pace in recent weeks. They now hustle on and off the court during side changes. They will be ready and waiting on the service line to put pressure on their opponents to hurry up.

Ever since then, they've been picking up wins and getting through matches quickly.

The Jay County High School boys tennis team needed less than 50 minutes to finish off the Winchester Golden Falcons 5-0 in the opening round of the IHSAA Sectional 53 hosted by Jay County on Thursday.

"That's step number one," JCHS coach Donald Gillespie said. "In the sectional, you want to win the first one of course, or you don't get to play again."

The win earned the Patriots a trip to the sectional championship at 11 a.m. today against Union City, which took down Randolph Southern 5-0. Jay County will also host the sectional championship.

The Patriots (11-8) previously met with the Golden Falcons on Sept. 4, when they also swept Winchester 5-0.

Gillespie was pleased with the Patriots' focus and demeanor going into the match. Having already seen Winchester earlier, he challenged his players to come prepared to take care of business quickly rather than letting the match drag on.

The Patriots already had one leg up on Winchester because of a forfeit at the No. 3 singles position. Winchester did not have enough athletes to fill the position, giving Jay County the automatic win where Liam Garlinger normally plays.

The last time the teams met, Abraham and Eli Dirksen swept the No. 1 and 2 singles matches. Eli Dirksen repeated that result with a 6-0, 6-0 victo-



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Jay County High School's Isaac Miller connects on a shot during the Patriots' 5-0 sweep of the Winchester Golden Falcons during the opening round of the sectional tournament. Host JCHS advanced to the championship match today against Union City. The team is seeking to win consecutive titles for the first time since 2006 and '07.

ry over Foster Kratoska. Abraham Dirksen, however, did slip up and let Cooper Hummel take a game from him in his 6-1, 6-0 victory in the No. 1 singles match.

He dropped the sixth game of the first set. After a pair of soft chops that Dirksen couldn't run up on in time, Hummel hit a forehand that Dirksen couldn't reach and won the game on a forehand that Dirksen hit too long.

After losing the game, he honed back in to rattle off seven straight to take the match.

"I wasn't hitting them deep enough, so they were

shallow and he would just dink them back over and I couldn't get to them," Abraham Dirksen said. "I started to keep the ball deep, then he was hitting a lot of them out on his own, so I didn't really have to do too much."

The doubles pairs improved from the last time they faced Winchester. On Sept. 14, Isaac Miller and Luke Muhlenkamp surrendered three games to Rogan Aufer and Aiden Mendenhall in the No. 2 doubles match. On Thursday, they only gave up two games as part of a 6-2, 6-0 victory.

In the No. 1 doubles

match, Sam Myers and Gage Sims previously allowed the Golden Falcons to win eight games. They cleaned up their play for a 6-2, 6-1 victory over Jayden Beeson and Levi Hines in the second matchup.

"They had more aggression at the net," Gillespie said. "I wanted to poach a little bit more. ..."

"On the changeovers we are moving our feet and not walking. I think it's really lodged in their minds now that we need to play a little up tempo."

Hines was able to find holes between Myers and Sims at times with quick

volleys. Hines' volleys and double faults when trying to serve aggressively was the Golden Falcons' main source of points, but Myers and Sims held strong for the victory.

"I feel like we played a lot better than we did last time against them. I feel like our servers were great and volleying and placement was a lot better," Myers said. "I really preach about keeping our composure, staying tall and strong, and keeping your head up. I feel like that is one of the most important things in sports."

Now all that stands between the Patriots and a trip to Nobelsville for the regional tournament Tuesday is Union City. On Aug. 21, the Patriots pulled out a 3-2 win over the Indians.

A win today will secure the first back-to-back sectional titles for the Patriots since they won three straight from 2005 through '07.

"I'm proud of these kids," Gillespie said. "It's time to watch the Patriots maybe win another sectional back-to-back. This is something that kids have really worked hard on."

## Jay wins battle of Patriots

Jay County was pushed to its limit in its final Allen County Athletic Conference match of the season.

Despite dropping two close sets, they found a way to pull out the match.

The Jay County High School volleyball team earned a hard-fought 28-30, 25-16, 25-19, 25-27, 15-12 win against the Heritage Patriots during senior night on Thursday.

Bella Denton put together a big performance for Jay County (10-11, 3-3 ACAC) racking up 15 kills, four blocks and an ace. Behind Denton, Maggie Dillon and Laila Waddell added eight kills while Mya Kunkler contributed two blocks.

Sophie Saxman ran the offense with 30 assists while also leading the defensive effort with 28 digs. Also contributing to a strong defensive effort were Brenna Haines with 27 digs and Dillon with 17.

The junior varsity team beat Heritage 25-20, 25-19 as well. Hallie Schwieterman exploded for 10 kills. Kendel Rowles added four. Paisley Fugietz ran the offense, totaling 10 assists. Anchoring the defensive effort were Elizabeth Barnett, Carley Trinidad and Kayla Jetmore, who combined for 16 digs.

### Scoring first goals

MUNCIE — Two players scored their first career goals during the Jay County girls soccer team's 8-0 victory over Muncie Central on Thursday.

Both second-half goals from Jay County (6-8-1) came from players who normally play on the defensive line.

First, Ellie Wendel stepped up to take a penalty kick with 30:18 remaining and pulled through for her first career goal. Later in the half, exchange student Naroa Zugasti converted on her

back all three of Liberty Christian's attempts to score.

### Jay County roundup

first career goal with 8:50 left in the game.

In the first half, Morgan DeHoff, Aixa Lopez and Molly Muhlenkamp each scored two goals. All but one were unassisted. The exception was DeHoff's second goal, with Muhlenkamp assisting.

Meredith Dirksen was once again in the goal for Jay County, saving all seven shots that came her way.

### Patriots out shoot

Levi Muhlenkamp scored three times to lead the Jay County boys soccer team in a 6-0 victory over the Liberty Christian Lions on Thursday.

Muhlenkamp has now scored hat tricks two games in a row after netting three first-half goals Tuesday against Blackford.

His first goal opened up the scoring just 7:18 into the game. He also had the only other goal of the first half, knocking the ball in at 6:21. His final goal came around 10 minutes into the second half.

Dylan Marentes also scored multiple goals for the Patriots (8-3-2). His first came at the 24:06 mark in the second half. His second came about six minutes later. He also had two assists.

Also with two assists was Oskar Alart Mateo. Along with his strong passing, he gave the Patriots one final goal with 1:52 remaining.

The Patriots out shot the Lions 39-3. Kaleb Coppock sent

### Girls dominate

CENTERVILLE — The Jay County Junior High School girls cross country team dominated Centerville and Driver (Winchester) as both teams stayed undefeated with a pair of wins on Thursday.

The Jay County girls took seven of the top eight spots, including Abby Fifer winning the event with a time of 13 minutes, 24 seconds. They finished with 16 points while Centerville was second with 64 and Driver brought up the rear with 73.

Following Fifer were Jessie Homan (second), Ava May (third), Brooklyn Byrum (fourth) and Lyla Kunkler (sixth).

For the boys, Raif Beiswanger crossed the finish line first at 11:34 en route to a five-point victory over Centerville (31-36). Other scores came from Sam Wiggers (third), Rocky Beiswanger (fourth), Carson Westgerdes (seventh) and Ethan Powers (17th).

### Patriots can't hold on

The Jay County junior high volleyball team fell in a close match to Heritage 11-25, 25-21, 15-10 Thursday.

Leading the Patriots' attack was Amelia Heath with seven kills. She also blocked a ball.

Supporting her were Brenna Ruble with two kills and Gabi Petro, Peyton Schoelein and Allie Westfall with one apiece.

The Patriots (10-7) served up 13 aces to Heritage. Ruble and Kenady Lyons led the effort with five aces each.

Emalyn Homan and Lyons split setting duties with nine combined assists.

Lyons and Petro both had four digs to power Jay County's defense. Ruble also added three while Homan had two.

## Indians place fifth in sectional

HARROD, Ohio — Three strokes. That's all that separated the Indians from a district berth.

The Fort Recovery High School boys golf team's season came to an end Thursday, as it shot a 339 for fifth place as the OHSAA Division III northwest sectional tournament at The Colonial Golfers Club.

Minster (308), St. John's (322) and St. Henry (336) all advanced to the district tournament (the top three teams advance). Marion Local was only one stroke off of third place with 337, while Fort Recovery was three back with a 339. It finished fifth out of 12 teams.

The top three individuals not on advancing teams also move on to the district tournament. Advancing are Marcus Rethman (73) of Marion Local, Parker Judy (75) of Lima Central Catholic and Isaac Gallmeier (76) of Jefferson.

The Indians' Eli Lennartz was four strokes off from tying with Gallmeier. His 80 was good for 10th place, tying with Minster's Jack Meyer. Lennartz shot a birdie on the par-5 second hole and had 10 pars.

Following Lennartz was Keegan Muhlenkamp with an 85. He shot for par seven times en route to a 15th-place finish.

### FRHS roundup

Nate Jutte and Reece LeFevre both shot 87s to round out Fort Recovery's team score.

Alex Dues' 92 did not affect the final score.

### Tribe falls

FORT RECOVERY — The Division III No. 8 Fort Recovery volleyball team fell to No. 3 St. Henry 25-16, 25-12, 28-26 Thursday.

Teigan Fortkamp led the attack for the Indians (10-3, 4-2 Midwest Athletic Conference) with 11 kills. The only other players with kills were Mara Pearson and Pagie Guggenbiller with six each and Saige Leuthold and Karlie Neikamp with one apiece.

St. Henry was able to spread the ball around with five players recording five or more kills.

Serving and returning serves was a struggle for Fort Recovery, as it committed nine service errors and were aced eight times.

Leading the defensive effort at the net were Fortkamp and Leuthold, each with three blocks. On the back row, Mara Pearson and Cali Wendel each had 10 digs.





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Carter Fugiett of Jay County dives to make what was likely a touchdown-saving tackle during the Patriots' 23-20 loss Friday to host South Adams in the first game on its new artificial turf field. The Patriots will be back on the road Friday when they travel to Lapel.

## Stopped ...

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The game went back-and-fourth all night with four lead changes, two of which came in the fourth quarter. Jay County took its final lead on a 1-yard TD run by Bailey for 20-16 advantage early in the period.

That's when Moser turned to Colton Bollenbacher. The senior running back notched 68 of his 124 rushing yards on what turned out to be the game-winning drive. The effort included a 41-yard run on the opening play of the possession as he went up the middle and then cut to the right sideline. He added a 21-yard run two plays later, eventually setting up Wanner's TD run.

"I didn't give him the

ball near enough early on, I don't think," said Moser. "We took what they gave us ... maybe got a little bit too creative, though, as far as play calling goes.

"Once he goes, he can go."

Wanner added 151 yards through the air for the Starfires, who were playing on their new artificial turf field for the first time. (They had to play their first two "home" games this year at Adams Central as installation of the new field was being completed.)

Jay County fell behind 10-0 — Jackson

Garcia recorded the first points on the new field on a 27-yard field goal on his team's open-

Jay County Patriots (4-3, 2-3 ACAC) at South Adams Starfires (4-3, 1-3 ACAC)		Box score	
Jay Co.	0 14 0 6 —20	Third Quarter	SA — Bollenbacher 2 run (kick blocked), 8:34.
S. Adams	7 6 7 —23	Fourth Quarter	JC — Bailey 1 run (run failed), 9:18. SA — Owen Wanner 4 run (Garcia kick), 6:00
<b>First Quarter</b>		<b>Individual Statistics</b>	
SA — Jackson Garcia 27 field goal, 8:19.		<b>Rushing</b> — Jay County — A.J. Myers 32-107, Bryce Wenk 11-87, Sean Bailey 7-(11). South Adams — Colton Bollenbacher 14-124, Owen Wanner 11-20, Wes Summersett 1-3, Caiden Neunenschwander 1-(4), Ty Lehman 1-(11).	
<b>Second Quarter</b>		<b>Passing</b> — Jay County — Sean Bailey 4-7-0 46, A.J. Myers 0-1-1 0. South Adams — Owen Wanner 11-21-0 151.	
SA — Colton Bollenbacher 15 run (Garcia kick), 11:47		<b>Receiving</b> — Jay County — Justin DeHoff 2-42, Rhysin Blowers 1-10, A.J. Myers 1-(6). South Adams — Wes Summersett 5-76, Colton Bollenbacher 3-46, Isaac Dee 2-22, Burton LeFever 1-7.	
JC — A.J. Myers 4 run (Myers kick), 3:50.		<b>Fumbles - lost</b> 4-0 2-1	
JC — Justin DeHoff 11 pass from Sean Bailey (Myers kick), :08.		<b>Penalties - yds</b> 1-5 9-68	
<b>Team Statistics</b>		<b>Total Plays</b>	
		JC	SA
<b>Rushes - yds</b> 50-183 28-132		<b>Total Offense</b> 283 229	
<b>Comp-Att-Int</b> 11-22-0 4-8-1		<b>Punt ret - yds</b> 0-0 0-0	
<b>Passing yds</b> 151 46		<b>Kickoff ret - yds</b> 5-83 4-60	
<b>Sacks - yds lost</b> 0-0 2-10		<b>Punts - yds</b> 2-82 2-52	
<b>Ints - yds</b> 0-0 1-0		<b>Fumbles - yds</b> 0-0 1-0	

ing drive — before scoring twice in the final four minutes of the first half. Myers (32 carries, 107 yards) reached the end zone on a 4-yard run and

Bailey connected with Justin DeHoff on an 11-yard fade to the right corner with 8.8 seconds left for a 14-10 halftime lead. Bollenbacher started

the back-and-forth second half, scoring on a 2-yard TD run at the 8:34 mark of the third quarter. He cashed in after homecoming king Hay-

den Brown blocked a Patriot punt and recovered the ball at the 13-yard line.

It's plays like those — JCHS also had a high snap fly over Bailey's head for a big loss and gave up the ball on an interception — that Zgunda said his team's need to erase.

"We've got to get over that stuff," he said. "We can't play that way. They're killers."

"I still believe that if we play the way we're capable of we shouldn't be in that position," he added. "We're not there yet."

"I'm so proud of the way the kids play. I feel bad for them. ... I know how bad they wanted it, we wanted it as a team."

## Sports on tap

### Local schedule

**Today**  
Jay County — Cross Country at Winchester Invitational — 9 a.m.; Volleyball Patriot Volleyball Invitational — 9:30 a.m.; Boys soccer vs. Oak Hill — 10 a.m.; Boys tennis sectional championship vs. Union City — 11 a.m.; Junior High volleyball Invitational — 9:30 a.m.  
Fort Recovery — Volleyball at Lady Knight Invite — 9 a.m.; JV football at Marion Local — 10 a.m.; Middle school volleyball vs. Mississinewa Valley — 10 a.m.

**Monday**  
Jay County — Boys soccer sectional vs. Yorktown at Mississinewa — 5 p.m.; Volleyball at Daleville — 6 p.m.; JV football vs. South Adams — 6 p.m.; Junior High volleyball vs. Monroe Central — 6 p.m.  
Fort Recovery — Volleyball at Wayne Trace — 5:30 p.m.; Middle School volleyball vs. Arcanum — 5 p.m.

**Tuesday**  
Jay County — Girls soccer sectional vs. Hamilton Heights at Yorktown — 7 p.m.; Junior High football at Woodlan — 6 p.m.  
Fort Recovery — Middle School volleyball at Minster — 5 p.m.  
Blackford — Boys soccer sectional vs. Eastbrook at Mississinewa — 5 p.m.

### TV sports

**Today**  
**Saturday**  
1:35 a.m. — 44th Ryder Cup Matches (USA)  
3 a.m. — 44th Ryder Cup Matches (NBC)  
7:30 a.m. — Premier League: Brighton & Hove Albion at Aston Villa (USA)  
10 p.m. — Premier League: Crystal Palace at Manchester United (USA)  
12 p.m. — College football: Penn State at Northwestern (BTN); USC at Colorado (FOX); Florida at Kentucky (ESPN); Clemson at Syracuse (ABC); UAB at Tulane (ESPN2)  
12:30 p.m. — Premier League: Liverpool at Tottenham Hotspur (USA)  
3:30 p.m. — College football: Georgia at Auburn (CBS); Michigan at Nebraska (FOX); Kansas at Texas (ABC); Indiana at Maryland (BTN); Baylor at UCF (FS1)  
4 p.m. — College football: Boise State at Memphis (ESPN2)  
7 p.m. — College football: Iowa State at Oklahoma (FS1)  
7:15 p.m. — MLB: Boston Red Sox at Baltimore Orioles (FOX); Cincinnati Reds at St. Louis Cardinals (Bally Indiana)  
7:30 p.m. — College football: Notre Dame at Duke (ABC); Michigan State at Iowa (NBC)  
8 p.m. — College football: West Virginia at TCU (ESPN2)  
10:30 p.m. — College football: Nevada at Fresno State (FS1)  
**Sunday**  
5:35 a.m. — Golf: Ryder Cup (NBC)  
9 a.m. — Major League Soccer: Premier League — Brentford at Nottingham Forest (USA)  
Noon — Women's college soccer: Penn State at Michigan State (BTN)  
1 p.m. — NFL football: Denver Broncos at Chicago Bears (CBS); Los Angeles Rams at Indianapolis Colts (FOX)  
2:30 p.m. — Auto racing: NASCAR Cup Series — YellaWood 500 (NBC)  
3 p.m. — Auto racing: NHRA Midwest Nationals (FS1)  
3:15 p.m. — Major League Baseball: Cincinnati Reds at St. Louis Cardinals (Bally Indiana)  
4 p.m. — NFL football: New England Patriots at Dallas Cowboys (FOX)  
8 p.m. — Major League Soccer: Real Salt Lake at Los Angeles FC (FS1)  
8:20 p.m. — NFL football: Kansas City Chiefs at New York Jets (NBC)  
9 p.m. — WNBA basketball: Las Vegas Aces at Dallas Wings (ESPN)

8:15 p.m. — NFL football: Seattle Seahawks at New York Giants (ABC)

**Tuesday**  
TBA — Major League Baseball play-offs: Milwaukee Brewers vs. TBA (ABC/ESPN); Philadelphia Phillies vs. TBA (ABC/ESPN); Minnesota Twins vs. TBA (ABC/ESPN); Tampa Bay Rays vs. TBA (ABC/ESPN)

### Local notes

**Wrestling clinic set**  
Jay County Wrestling Club has set

their free elementary wrestling clinic for Monday, Oct. 9, through Thursday, Oct. 12.

Young athletes between kindergarten and sixth grade are able to participate by arriving at the high school wrestling room at 4:25 p.m. Participants should wear a t-shirt and shorts. The clinic will then start at 4:30 and run until 5:30.

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# Sports

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Jay County High Schools Carter Barton tries to drag down Colton Bollenbacher of South Adams during the opening half of the Patriots' 23-20 loss Friday night. Bollenbacher's running led the Starfires to their final score and senior defensive tackle Diesel Zeigler thwarted the final JCHS try for the game-winning touchdown when he snagged quarterback Sean Bailey's jersey from behind.

### Jay County's bid for a second consecutive nail-biting win was thwarted by a big play from South Adams' big Diesel

By RAY COONEY

The Commercial Review

BERNE — On fourth-and-1 with the game on the line, the Patriots got what they wanted.

Their play was designed to have Sean Bailey rolling to his right and trotting into the end zone for the game-winning score.

He just couldn't escape the giant truck that came barreling through the line.

The Jay County High School football team's attempt to ruin South Adams' dual home opener and homecoming game was

thwarted in the final seconds Friday night as Diesel Zeigler snagged Bailey's jersey to throw the potential game-winning play into chaos. Diesel's disruption capped a final stand for the Starfires, and Owen Wanner took a knee on the next play as they held off the visiting Patriots 23-20.

"We had it," said JCHS coach Grant Zgunda, whose team had rallied for a 34-29 win over Woodlan last week. "We had it. It was a fake counter play, a keep, like a boot action to Sean. He would have walked in the end zone. ...

There was nobody there. ... But the dude got him by the shirt. That's football. Kudos to them."

After South Adams (4-3, 1-3 Allen County Athletic Conference) took the lead on an Owen Wanner 4-yard TD run with six minutes to go, the Patriots (4-3, 2-3 ACAC) got a big pass play and then methodically moved down the field. They got to the 15-yard line with 58.7 seconds left, moved to the 8 on a defensive pass interference call, picked up 2 yards on an A.J. Myers run and then spiked the ball on third down.

That set the stage — fourth-and-1, 10.2 seconds left, no timeouts.

With his team having found success on its counter play — Bryce Wenk gained 87 yards on 11 carries — Zgunda decided to work off of that action to try for the game-winning score. Bailey took the snap and faked the counter to Wenk, then started to roll to his right. He never had the chance to take advantage of the daylight Zgunda saw as the big paw of Zeigler grabbed his jersey from behind. Unable to escape the 6-foot, 2-

inch, 335-pounder, Bailey instead flipped the ball to Myers. But he had nowhere to go as he was tackled for a 6-yard loss that all but ended the game.

"We were gonna take (Zeigler) out there because we thought they had to pass the ball with no timeouts," said SAHS coach Grant Moser. "He said, 'Coach, leave me in. Trust me.'

"I said, 'You got it, big man.' 'Huge play. He's an offensive guy, but that won the game for us.'"

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## No. 1 ML shuts out Indians

FORT RECOVERY — The Indians were able to hold the Flyers to one score in the first quarter.

They couldn't hold on as the floodgates opened in the second.

The Division VII No. 1 Marion Local Flyers ignited for 22 points in the second quarter as they took down the Fort Recovery High School football team 49-0 Friday night.

Fort Recovery (0-7, 0-5 Midwest Athletic Conference) was able to control the pace to start the game. On the first drive, the Indians ate up over five minutes on nine plays before being forced to punt the ball away.

The Indians' defense just couldn't hold the Flyers (7-0, 4-0 MAC) off as they found a way to score on an 11-play drive.

Fort Recovery's defense found a little bit of momentum to start the second quarter.

### 22-point second quarter powers Flyers over FR

On the first play from Marion Local, Reece Guggenbiller intercepted Justin Knouff to get the ball on Marion Local's 10-yard line.

The Indians couldn't find the end zone, after a 2-yard rush by Troy Homan, a 3-yard pass to Guggenbiller and two incompletions resulted in a turnover on downs at the 5-yard line. The Flyers took advantage by

marching 95 yards down the field on eight plays for a score.

Marion Local went on to score two more times in the quarter, including a 45-yard rushing touchdown by Knouff with five seconds left in the half.

Five Flyers rushed for touchdowns in the game while two receivers caught TD passes.

Ethan Heitkamp was the only player with multiple scores, one on a reception and another on a carry.

Marion Local totaled 431 yards of offense while Fort Recovery only managed 241.

Fort Recovery also lost the turnover game with Homan tossing two interceptions to Knouff's one.

Reece Wendel led the Indians in total offense with 114 yards in the game. Of his yards, 32 were rushing while 82 came on kickoff returns.

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