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Family florist



A freshly made bouquet sits in the Flower Nook on Monday. The Huntsmans — Ty and Gabie — purchased the store in December in hopes of owning a family-oriented business.

Huntsmans plan to keep the same atmosphere after purchasing The Flower Nook from Nindes

he Commercial Review

The Flower Nook has new owners.

Their goal is to keep it a famlly-oriented business.

recalls their voungest daughter. days old when they completed the sale.

"It has gone by so fast," said Gabie of the last few months. "I feel like we just bought it."

Gabie previously worked part-time at the Flower Nook before she gave birth to Marleigh.

Lacey Ninde offered to sell the couple the business at 111 E. Main Street at the end of 2021. They happily accepted.

"(The former owners) always

said they wanted me to stay, and they have me for life now," said Gabie, who also co-owned Platinum Salon with Ashley Bailey for about four years.

The Flower Nook regularly Gabie and Ty Huntsman of has a variety of blooms, includ-Portland purchased the Porting roses, lilies, carnations, land floral store and boutique sunflowers, Gerbera daises, Dec. 1 from former owners tulips and other seasonal Lacey and Dan Ninde. Gabie plants. It also stocks candy and balloon arrangements. Cus-Marleigh, was only about eight tomers can choose from a variety of containers, such as baskets, mason jars, teacups and coffee mugs, or they can go with a more traditional vase. Arrangements can be ordered for a variety of events, including weddings quinceañeras.

It also sells plants, candles, stuffed animals, coffee mugs, jewelry, bereavement items and other goods. It also offers tuxedo fittings.

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Pictured from left are Ty Huntsman holding 1-yearold Amelia, 2-year-old Charlotte, 4-year-old Porter, and Gabie Huntsman holding 4-month-old Marleigh. The family purchased The Flower Nook from Dan and Lacey Ninde just eight days after Marleigh was born.

Jackson's speech highlights struggles, progress

By AARON MORRISON

Associated Press "In my family, it took just one generation to go from segregation to the Supreme Court of the United States.'

With those words, Judge Ketanji Brown Jackson acknowledged both the struggles and progress of Black Americans in her lifetime.

Her words, delivered from the South Lawn of the White House on Friday, one day after her historic Senate confirmation, were a tribute to generations of Black Americans who she said paved the way for her elevation to the nation's highest court.

"I have now achieved something far beyond anything my grandparents could have possibly ever imagined," Jackson said, noting they had gained only grade school educations before starting their family and later sending their children to racially segregated schools.

"The path was cleared for me, so that I might rise to this occasion," she said. "And in the poetic words of Dr. Maya Āngelou, I do so now."

Quoting Angelou's famous poem, "And Still I Rise," Jackson added: "I am the dream and the hope of the slave."

Nina Turner, a former Ohio state senator who was a prominent surrogate for Sen. Bernie Sanders' 2020 Democratic presidential campaign, said Jackson's speech was an awe-inspiring reminder of how far Black Americans have come amid their ongoing struggle.

"Expressing that realization out loud for all of the world to hear, as she is about to take her place as the first Black woman Supreme Court justice, was just magnificent,' said Turner.

"It is vitally important that we, as Black people, continue to remind this nation from whence we came," she said. "The pain that it took to get to a 'Justice Ketanji Brown Jackson' could not be understated."

See **Speech** page 2

Retrospect

AIDS patient visited Jay

week, a 12-year-old from Las receive the Humanitarian Broadbent told JCHS stu-Vegas visited Jay County High School to share her story.

The April 9, 1997, edition of The Commercial Review featured coverage of Hydeia Broadbent's visit to JCHS. The 12-year-old, who had been diagnosed with AIDS at age 3, partnership with its student council and Jay County AIDS Task Force for JCHS AIDS Awareness Week.

'I'm 12 years old, and I have AIDS," she told a gym full of high school students.

The day after her visit to deficiency.

Twenty-five years ago this JCHS, Broadbent was slated to Award from the AIDS Action dents. "I've had so many bad Foundation in Washington,

When she was diagnosed she contracted the disease from her mother, who was an intravenous drug user — doctors thought Broadbent would visited the school through a not live beyond age 5. With treatment from experimental drugs, she became an advocate for those who had the syndrome. She dealt with brain and blood infections, pneumonia and seven cases of chickenpox because of her immune

"I went code blue twice," things happen to me. And that's why I'm here, so they don't happen to you.

"You only get one shot at being AIDS-free.

She urged those in attendance to speak frankly on the topic, learn as much as they could about HIV and AIDS, and be safe.

"This disease doesn't care if you are a boy or a girl, black or white," she said. "What we do have to worry about is people's ignorance. That's the biggest thing.'



The Commercial Review/Jack Ronald

Jay County High School student council president Stacy Garringer (left) plays a computer game with Hydeia Broadbent on April 8, 1997. Broadbent, a 12-year-old from Las Vegas, visited the school through a partnership between Jay County AIDS Task Force and the student council. She had been diagnosed with AIDS at age 3.

Weather

The high temperature was 46 degrees in Jay County on Friday.

Rain and snow showers are expected this morning before shifting to all rain after 1 p.m. Snow accumulation of less than a half inch is possible. The high will be 42, with winds gusting to 20 miles per hour. The low will be 31.

While still rainy, temperatures are expected to begin climbing Sunday. The high will be 58 under sunny skies before a chance of showers in the evening.

There is a slight chance of showers and thunderstorms Monday with a high of 69.

For an extended forecast, see

In review

Jay County Commissioners will hold their regular meeting at 9 a.m. Monday and then meet in a special session at 4 p.m. They will also meet in a joint session with Jay County Council at 6 p.m. for another discussion about the county's funding from the federal American Rescue Plan Act.

Coming up

Tuesday — Coverage of Monday's Jay County Commissioners and Jay County Council joint session.

Wednesday — Results from Tuesday's Fort Recovery High School track meet against Versailles.



Florist

Flower Nook the same as it has been for the past several years, with a few new twists such as noted she and employee Candy Runyon have been brainstorming ideas for future arrange-

ments.

the store in February, has — Ty and Gabie are lifelong give it a shot. He noted his wife time through the week with her explained, she plans to keep the majority of her life. She's excited to be a part of the team moving forward.

"It's fun working with somemore bouquet options. She body young with new ideas," she

Floral shops have operated out of the building at 111 E. Main Street since 1976, Gabie Runyon, who started her job explained. The Huntsmans

For the most part, Gabie worked with flowers for the Portland residents, having both graduated from Jay County High School — plan to keep that tradition going with their fami- ativity aspect that comes into ly of six.

> helps during the holidays and and hearing stories from cuswith deliveries. When the Nin- tomers. She's also happy to be des offered to sell the business working more consistent hours, to them, he said, they decided to which make it easier to spend

has said she would like to retire from the store someday.

Gabie said she enjoys the creplay when decorating the store Ty, who works as a welder at or assembling floral arrange-Walnut Creek Fabrication, ments, and she loves helping

husband and children. As a hairstylist, her appointment

times used to vary. "(We decided) this would be great for our family," Gabie said. The Flower Nook is open from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Mondays,

Wednesdays and Fridays and 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Tuesdays and Thursdays. Saturday business is for deliveries only.

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Lotteries

Hoosier

Midday Daily Three: 8-0-9 Daily Four: 2-9-2-1 Quick Draw: 03-04-06-07-08-10-11-17-28-31-38-43-46-53-66-68-70-72-77-80

Ohio

Midday Pick 3: 8-9-2 Pick 4: 0-9-3-1 Pick 5: 4-0-4-5-1 Evening Pick 3: 4-8-7

Pick 4: 0-0-4-1 Pick 5: 9-9-8-1-4 Rolling Cash 5: 2-10-28-29-34

Estimated jackpot: \$140,000

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Today in history

E. Lee surrendered his Ebenezer army to Union Lt. Gen. Ulysses S. Grant at College in Atlanta, five Appomattox House in Virginia.

War II, some 75,000 Philippine and American defenders on Bataan Council looked at the surrendered to Japanese troops, who forced the prisoners into what for road work. became known as the Bataan Death March: thousands died or were killed en route.

In 1959, NASA presented its first seven Kagan.) astronauts: Scott Carpenter, Gordon Cooper, John Glenn, Gus Grissom, Wally Schirra, Alan Shepard and Donald Slayton. Architect Frank Lloyd Wright, 91, died in Phoenix, Arizona.

In 1968, funeral services, private and public,

On April 9, 1865, were held for Martin Confederate Gen. Robert Luther King Jr. at the **Baptist** Church and Morehouse Court days after the civil rights leader was assas-In 1942, during World sinated in Memphis, Tennessee.

In 1997, Jay County possibility of bonding in order to generate funds

In 2010, Supreme Court Justice John Paul Stevens announced his retirement. (His vacancy was filled by Elena

In 2020, the government reported that 6.6 million people had sought unemployment benefits in the preceding week, bringing the total to 16.8 million in the three weeks since the coronavirus outbreak took hold.

—AP and The CR

Speech

Continued from page 1 Jackson, a judge on the U.S. Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia Circuit, said that she has been lucky on her path to the high court.

She namechecked the Rev. Martin Luther King Jr., the civil rights icon, as well as Black federal judicial trailblazers such as Justice Thurgood Marshall and Judge Constance Baker Motley, thanking them for their leadership and role modeling.

"For all of the talk of this historic nomination and now confirmation, I think of them as the true path breakers," Jackson said. "I'm just the very lucky first inheritor of the dream of liberty and justice for all.'

Melanie L. Campbell, president and CEO of the National Coalition on Black Civic Participation and convener of the Black Women's Roundtable, watched Jackson's speech from the White House lawn as an invited guest on Friday. With

Washington, there was a palpable joy in the crowd over what Jackson symbolizes for the country, she said. "It just felt like the ancestors were

dancing.

"I can see myself, in now-Justice Ketanji Brown Jackson," Campbell added. "(Jackson) understands the significance of this moment for Black women, for women, for the nation. And it is a game changer."

Others watching the speech also noted the diversity at the event and the image at the center — President Joe Biden flanked by the first Black female Supreme Court justice and the first Black and Asian American vice president.

Just before Vice President Kamala Harris introduced the president, she gushed over what Jackson's confirmation will one day mean to her young, Black goddaugh-

"When I presided over the Senate

the sun shining through clouds over confirmation vote yesterday, while I was sitting there, I drafted a note to my goddaughter," Harris said. "I told her that I felt such a deep sense of pride and joy about what this moment means for our nation and for her future.'

Speaking directly to Jackson, Harris added: "And I will tell you, her braids are just a little longer

than yours.'

Although the occasion will be noted in history books as a symbol of racial progress, Turner said Jackson's elevation to the Supreme Court should be celebrated by Americans of all races and creeds.

"Not only should the entire Black community be proud, the entire country should be proud because this has certainly been a long time coming," she said. "And from this victory, we certainly have an opportunity to continue to build and create more victories. We're not done yet.'

City court

William J. Godwin,

Judge Donald Gillespie Fined and sentenced

Portland, driving without a valid license, \$160.50; Kelly J. Nunley, Portland, speeding 31 mph in a 30 mph zone, \$136.50; Blair Lammers, New Knoxville, Ohio, speeding 55 mph in a 30 mph zone, \$171; Alicia J. Williams, Albany, operating a vehicle with false plates, \$160.50; Aaron Franks, Portland, operating with fictitious plates (\$160.50), speeding 60 mph in a 55 mph zone, \$140.50; unsafe start (\$25), left of center (\$25) and failure to signal (\$25);Courtney Α. Arthur, Winchester, driving without insurance, \$160.50; Katelyn Bihn, Portland, passing school bus, \$485.50; Tyler M. Callahan, Dunkirk, driving without a valid license (\$160.50) and without insurance (\$25); Elizabeth A. Croyle, Portland, passing a school bus, \$485.50; Luis A. Hernandez, Union City, failure to register vehicle (\$160.50), driving without insurance (\$25) and driving

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Trials scheduled

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May 5; Jared Fennig, Greensburg, driving with a suspended license, May Janet L. Cross, Dunkirk, speeding 70 mph in a 55 mph zone, May 4; Lacresha K. Stoner, Portland, driving without insurance and driving without a valid license, May 4.

Dismissed

William J. Godwin, Portland, driving without valid insurance; Brad Aul, Muncie, driving with a suspended license; Alicia J. Williams, Albany, driving without insurance; Roger Stone, Portland, ordinance violations for two counts of storage of junk and two counts of accumulation of rubbish; Carl Price, Portland, ordinance violations for accumulation of rubbish, overgrown weeds, storage of junk and overgrown grass; Krystal K. Bell, Portland, ordinance violations of junk or abandoned vehicles, storage of junk and accumulation of rubbish; Christopher S. Martin, Pennville, ordinance violations of unlawful growth, grass or weeds taller than eight inches, refusal to remove grass or weeds, accumulation of rubbish and storage of junk; Aaron Franks, Portland, driving without insurance.

Deferrals

Drema D. Weiss, Farmland, driving with a suslicense, pended months; Roy S. Terry, Scottsburg, speeding 50 mph in a 30 mph zone, one year; Gavin V. Bailey, Portland, driving with a suspended license, six months; Larry R. Foster, Indianapolis, distracted driving, six months; James H. McQueary, Keystone, speeding 40 mph in a 30 mph zone, six months.

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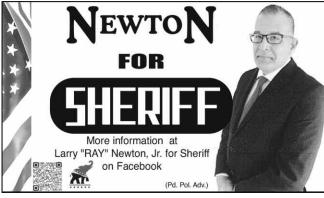
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Monday Patterson, Howard: Wilson-Shook Funeral Home, Dunkirk Memorial Chapel, 317

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Citizen's calendar

Monday

9 a.m. — Jay County Commissioners, commissioners' room, courthouse, 120 N. Court St., Portland.

3:45 p.m. — Jay County Election Board, voting room, courthouse, 120 N. Court St., Portland.

4 p.m. — Jay County Commissioners special meeting, commissioners' room, courthouse, 120 N. Court St., Portland.

4 p.m. — Jay County Public Library Board, Community Room, library, 315 N. Ship St., Portland.

5 p.m. — Jay County Redevelopment Commis- 1616 N. Franklin St.

sion, auditorium, courthouse, 120 N. Court St., Portland. 6 p.m. — Jay County

commissioners council joint session, auditorium, courthouse, 120 N. Court St., Portland.

6 p.m. — Dunkirk Board of Works, city building 131 S. Main St. 7 p.m. — Dunkirk City Council, city building

Tuesday

131 S. Main St.

5:30 p.m. — Portland Economic Development Income Tax Advisory Committee, council chambers, fire station,

ing with expired plates.

expired license plates and without insurance, May 2; Jai P. Singh, Upper Darby, Pennsylvania, lane change, May 4; Nicole M. Beckstrom, Winchester, driving without insurance; Lisa A. Hedington, Portland, animal running at large violation), (ordinance

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Births

Simmons

Mahala Maye, a daughter, was born April 5 at St. Vincent Randolph Hospital in Winchester to Lindsey Hunt and Nicholas Simmons of Winchester.

She weighed 6 pounds, **Chalfant** 15 ounces.

of Union City, Ohio, and Linda Hunt of Winches-

Great-grandparents are Joann Caldwell of Portland and Larry and Linda Hunt of Union City, Ohio.

Myla Jean, a daughter, Grandparents are was born recently to Tonya Simmons of Port- Alena and Stacey Chal-

Vincent Randolph Hospital in Winchester.

Grandparents are Danny and Sherry Chalfant of Ridgeville and Jerry and Barb Pitman of Winchester. Great-grandmother is Willis Pauline Ridgeville.

Fields

Carter Allen, a son, was land, Tod and Beth Hunt fant of Ridgeville at St. born April 5 at St. Vincent Everheart of Ridgeville.

Randolph Hospital in Winchester to Cortney Abrams Jaron Fields of Ridgeville.

He weighed 7 pounds, 14

Grandparents are Dorian Bill Abrams of and Zanesville, Ohio. Greatgrandparents are Tracey and Jason Fields of Portland and Vicki and Blake

Dog's care has become obstacle

DEAR ABBY: I'm in a seven-year relationship with a beautiful woman I love and would do anything in the world for. I feel she would do the same for me. She has a dog, "Preston," who she loves and who has been with her since puppyhood. At 16, Preston is failing badly and is on his last legs. There is no doubt his time is coming.

We had planned on meeting my son and grandchildren for a family celebration after a seven-hour drive. Her plan was to accompany me, but now, because of Preston's condition, she has changed her mind. I understand that. However, she's now angry that I am going alone.

I spend every day with her and go out of my way always to support her. She has no grandchildren, having lost her only daughter two decades ago. I will be gone for only a weekend.

I haven't seen my three granddaughters in a year, and who knows when I will again. Should I feel guilty about leaving her and the dog? MAN IN THE MIDDLE

your significant other's only child man. My oldest daughter was my died 20 years ago. It is possible maid of honor. A year after our wed-

Dear Abby



that puppy Preston became like a child to her, and losing him is causing her to revisit the loss of her daughter. If there is any way to manage it, postpone the visit with your son and his family until later in the year, after Preston's passing, or have them come to vou. If that's not possible, because it's only a weekend, go see your son and your grandkids but remain in contact with her from afar during the visit. •••••

DEAR ABBY: My first husband was abusive, and I divorced him after less than four years of marriage. We had two daughters. In 2016, I remar-DEAR MAN: You stated that ried, this time to a loving, caring

ding, she married her soul mate. Her father and I, including our current spouses, paid for their reception.

Since 2017, this daughter has continually asked us for financial assistance. At first we helped, but after a terrible argument, we drew the line, and she decided to sever our relationship completely. She sees us occasionally during holidays and is cordial, but she doesn't call or text for my birthday or Mother's Day, which is very hurtful.

I miss her terribly, but do not want to be financially taken advantage of any longer. Any advice would help. -HĚARTBROKĚN IN DELAWARÉ

DEAR HEARTBROKEN: Would you really like to receive birthday and Mother's Day greetings knowing they didn't come from the heart and that you were paying for them? This is what your daughter's actions have revealed. You have not caused estrangement; she has.

I'm sure you are hurting, because that is what your daughter intends. Consult a licensed mental health professional. You have my sympathy.

Community Calendar

Notices will appear in Community Calendar as space is available. To subemail an item, news@thecr.com.

Reunions

Bryant High School will hold its alumni banquet on May 14. Honor classes this year are the classes of 1942, 1947, 1952, 1957, 1962, 1967, 1970, 1971 and 1972.

Today

JAY COUNTY REPUBLI-CANS — Will host a breakfast at 8:30 a.m. Saturday, April 9, at Richards Restaurant in Portland. State Rep. Matt Lehman of Berne will be the guest speaker.

Monday

PORTLAND BREAK-FAST OPTIMISTS — Will meet at 7 a.m. for breakfast at Richards Restaurant in Portland.

BRYANT AREA COM-MUNITY CENTER Walking from 9:30 to 10:30 every Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

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

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

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.

DIABETES SUPPORT GROUP — Meets at 3 p.m. on the second Monday of each month at Mercer Health in Coldwater, Ohio.

JAY COUNTY DRUG **PREVENTION** COALI-TION — Will meet at 3:30 p.m. the second Monday of each month at Portland Department Franklin St. For more information, call (260) 251-

BREAD OF LIFE COM-MUNITY 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.

TAKE OFF POUNDS SENSIBLY (TOPS) — Will meet for weigh-in at 5:30 p.m., with the meeting at 6 p.m., in the fellowship hall at Evangelical Methodist Church, 930 W. Main St., Portland. New members welcome. For more infor-

mation, call (260) 726-5312. NARCOTICS ANONY- MOUS — Will meet at 6 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.

REDISCOVERING JOY The support group of widows and widowers meets at 6:30 p.m. on the second Monday of each month at R & R Fabrications, 601 E. Washington St., St. Henry, Ohio. For more information, email rediscoveringjoy@yahoo.c

JAY COUNTY PASTORS AND CHAPLAINS -- ivieei at 11:30 a.m. on the second Tuesday of each month in the chapel at Indiana University Health Jay Hospi-

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

THE LANDING — A 12step program for those in sixth through 12th grade will meet at 5:55 p.m. each Tuesday at 2nd Chance at Life Ministries, 228 S. Meridian St., Portland. For more information, call (260) 703-0777 or (260) 726-5273.

JAY COUNTY CIVIC THEATRE — Holds its regular meeting at 6 p.m. on the second Tuesday of each month in the Community Room at Jay County Public Library, 315 N. Ship St., Portland.

A BETTER LIFE - BRI-ANNA'S HOPE — A faithbased 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 Build-

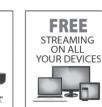
ing across from the Nazarene church, 249 E. Center St., Dunkirk. For more information, call Amanda Price at (765) 283-2107.

ALCOHOLICS ANONY-MOUS — 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 ANONY-MOUS — 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.







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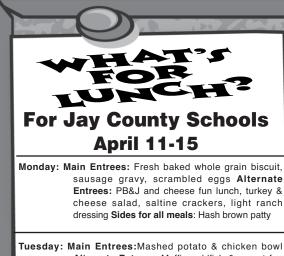
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Wednesday: Main Entrees: Mini turkey corn dogs Alternate Entrees: PB&J and cheese fun lunch, turkey & cheese salad, saltine crackers, light ranch dressing Sides for all meals: Steamed broccoli

Thursday: Main ENtrees: Classic American cheeseburger Alternate Entrees: Muffin goldfish & yogurt fun lunch, turkey & cheese salad, saltine crackers, light ranch dressing Sides for all meals: Baked

Friday: No School - Good Friday



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Friday's Solution

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

In democracy, it's about the people

By LEE H. HAMILTON

Maybe it's the perspective a long life brings, but I find myself eyeing with some skepticism the glut of "personal brands" that assault us every day on television, in print, and through social media.

celebrities, Entertainers, politicians striving for acclaim, artists and writers who've mastered the public-relations game, journalists and media stars who are building their national profiles — all are "important" in terms of the attention they garner. But are they actually impor-

In some ways, of course, the question is impossible to answer. Each of us has our own definition of what matters and our own approach to what makes a public figure significant. In the end, it's a subjective question - the sort of exercise that makes for a fascinating family discussion or friendly debate: Who's really important, and





some obvious choices. George Washington, Thomas Jefferson, James Madison — these men (and others, of course) created the United States, not just as a political entity but as a set of ideals and political values that, over time, reshaped the history of the world. Our representative democracy, our rights, and the systems and procedures that make it possible to function spring from their contributions.

I'd put some other former presidents on the list, too: Abraham Lincoln, for obvious reasons; Teddy Roosevelt, for the legacy he left behind in our national park system; Franklin Roosevelt for turning the US into an inter-My own list would start with national force for democratic

values during WWII. From the social movements. We've proview. In the end, our country, its Congress there's Henry Clay and duced more than our share of democracy and the welfare of his system of internal improvements, Sen. Justin S. Morrill and his land grant universities; and from the judiciary, John Marshall, Oliver Wendell Holmes and many others.

Still, politicians are hardly the only people who've been important to this country's course as a nation. Martin Luther King, Jr., Rosa Parks, John Lewis, and other civil rights activists and leaders confronted head on the inequities that were present at our founding and were allowed to linger — and though they hardly ended them, by virtue of their courage and political skill they produced not only legal change but lasting social change. The same could be said for the countless Americans — women, Latinos, gays and lesbians, and others — who over the last halfcentury have pushed the notion that this needs to be a land of opportunity for all, not just a few.

At the same time, there's more to US history than politics and

inventors who transformed the world, often (though not always) for the better: Thomas Edison (from the lightbulb to motion pictures to batteries); George Washington Carver (plastics, laundry soap, dyes, a wide variety of foods); Nikola Tesla (alternating current, among many other things); and a wide variety of tech pioneers, from Grace Hopper and Shirley Jackson to David Packard and Steve Jobs. And that's not even taking into account the medical researchers and pioneers, people like Jonas Salk, whose work measurably improved the well-being of humanity, or corporate leaders like Andrew Carnegie and Henry Ford.

You can play this game for hours if you wish. In the end, it all comes down to what you think matters. If "importance" is purely a matter of impact for good or ill — then the list will be quite long.

But I tend to take a narrower for 34 years.

Putin *g*ot his wish ...His picture displayed all over Ukraine...

its citizens need constant tending; the long arc of our history has pointed toward justice, the rule of law, freedom of conscience, opportunity for all, and advancement of the greater good, but it requires never-ending work to get there. To my mind, it's the people who pursue those ideals — prominent and ordinary alike — who are most important. They are the ones who strive to ensure that we live up to our promise and who belong on a list of important Americans.

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Gun violence has become way of life

Los Angeles Times

The nation's sickening toll of gun violence was made clear once again this weekend, when a barrage of bullets left bloodied bodies strewn in the street, just steps away from California's state Capitol. Six people dead and a dozen injured. Families in mourning and a community riddled with grief.

Though one suspect has been arrested, the public still knows very little about the who, what, why and how of the Sacramento shooting. What we do know is that it involved weapons that are horrifyingly ubiquitous in the United States and the source of so much death and destruction. While the carnage in Sacramento dominated the headlines. violence also played out across America — a country that loves its guns. On the same day that this horrific shooting rocked Sacramento, at least 95 other shootings took place across the nation.

Yes, you read that correctly.

Another 95 shootings claiming 36 more lives and injuring 95 more people — just on this one Sunday in April, according to data tracked by the Gun Violence Archive. Two men were killed and two were injured in a shooting in a San Francisco park. Three men were killed and two were injured in a spate of shootings in Baltimore. Six people were hospitalized after shootings in Buffalo, New York.

Gun ownership and violence have been on the rise nationwide for years, but exploded amid the stress of the pandemic and the polarized politics of our times. Gun sales hit an alltime high in 2020, when Americans purchased 22.8 million firearms. Last year was the second-highest year on record, with Americans buying some 19.9 million guns.

Meanwhile, more Americans died from gunshots in 2020 than ever before some 45,222 souls lost to murder, suicide and acci-Pew Research Center. In 2021.gun homicide rose uals.

Guest **Editorial**

statewide. Law enforcement officials blame much of the violence on so-called ghost guns, untraceable firearm kits that are sold in parts without serial numbers.

developed Other nations don't live like this. The rate of gun homicides in the U.S. is eight times higher than it is in Canada, 13 times higher than it is in France, and 23 times higher than in Australia.

In the aftermath of the Sacramento slaughter, President Biden called on Congress to enact reasonrestrictions firearms by banning guns, assault weapons and high-capacity magazines; requiring background checks for all gun mmunity from liability. tion despite the nation's mounting death toll, we have no reason to think Congress will suddenly heed Biden's call.

In California's Capitol, though, lawmakers will consider more gun control measures year, this including a bill to allow Californians to sue those who manufacture, distribute, transport and import assault weapons and ghost guns. Other proposals would limit firearms advertising to minors and more stringently regulate marketing and distribution by the gun industry.

But California already has the nation's strongest gun control laws, including universal background checks and a state database of firearm sales. The Golden State has at least 107 gun control laws on the books, laws that were passed debated, signed under a Capitol dome that gleams above the deadliest of Sunday's crime scenes. The state must focus now on holding dents, according to the killers to account, ridding the streets of illegal guns violence and keeping firearms increased in Los Angeles away from violent individ-



Let in all who want to come

By MITCH DANIELS Special To The Washington Post

He was already well up in years when I first met him. A distinguished professor of economics at a nearby university, he had offered his advisory services to a young Senate candidate, Richard Lugar, who would become one of the nation's great gun sales; and repealing statesmen over nearly four decades. manufacturers' In a delightful Eastern European accent that I wasn't cosmopolitan But after years of inac- enough to identify exactly, Janos Horvath would dissect and explain plainly inflation, oil crises, stagflation and other dreary, complex phenomena, somehow always with a twinkle and a smile.

The accent turned out to be of his native Hungary. When I later learned his life story, not from him but from his colleagues, I wondered how he came by the relentless good cheer, because his story was not an easy

As a promising young academic after World War II, Janos had become active in pro-democracy politics and had earned a place in the short-lived Hungarian national government of 1956 as the president of the National Reconstruction Council. A grainy photo from that fateful November shows a youthful Horvath on the floor of the Hungarian parliament.

Then the tanks rolled, and the Soviet dictators did what such people always do after quashing freedom. They went after those most likely to cause trouble again: the political leaders, the journalists, the non-Quisling academics. Like thousands of his countrymen, the cream of Hungarian society, Horvath was forced to flee for his life. And where better than the land that best embodied the freedoms he had hoped to bring to his own country?

The rest of his story is extraordinary only in its ordinariness. He was forced to redo his doctorate from scratch. Legend has it he worked his way through Columbia University as a janitor. Like millions of immi- become great workers and citizens. ana.

Mitch **Daniels**



grants, but especially those who came nomic betterment but to find political freedom, he loved this country and its traditions more than so many of those pampered and spoiled by the good fortune of having been born here. It's commonly observed that immigrants make great Americans. I dissent slightly; those I've known make the best Americans.

A catalogue of the immense human talent that has fallen into the lap of this country, thanks to the bestiality of statists abroad, can and has filled volumes. Half of the Americans who won the Nobel Prize in physics from 1943 to 1969 were European refugees. Other examples: from Hungary, Intel pioneer Andrew Grove; from Germany, Henry Kissinger; from Cuba, Coca-Cola Chief Executive Roberto Goizueta.

And from Czechoslovakia, the wonderful Madeleine Albright, who died last month. It was Albright, as secretary of state, who in 1998 labeled the United States "the indispensable nation." Some native-born Americans obviously disagree, but few of her fellow "Americans by choice" do.

Immigrant populations are the product of highly promising selfselection. By definition, they are adventuresome risk-takers. The millions who have come here seeking economic betterment make great workers. At least in places where they cannot become instant wards of the state, they are prepared to work hard and provide for themselves.

The most valuable of all are those fleeing political repression. They, too, As mentioned, they are likely to bring unusual talents with them, the kind that might get them jailed or shot at home but can flower powerfully when turned loose in a free economy and polity.

So here we are again. Millions of Ukrainians already have fled the dictator's tanks. And although the Horvaths of their nation are mainly still at home fighting, there is every chance that again many will have to rebuild their lives in the American refuge. It won't be merely compassionate and humane for the United States to take in every one who seeks to come; it will be smart.

The university I serve has committed resources to support Ukrainian scholars who feel forced to flee their homeland, and we are in touch with several already. Our hope is to provide them a haven to continue their scholarship until they can return to a safe and free Ukraine. But if, as in Hungary, Czechoslovakia and elsewhere, the dictator's tanks prevent that for a long time, the United States will experience yet another windfall, of both talent and appreciation for the "blessings of liberty."

Janos Horvath waited more than three decades. But after the breakthrough of freedom in 1989, he offered his wisdom — as he had offered it to Richard Lugar and countless American young people — to his native land. Another, highly moving photo shows a 70-something Horvath (he died in 2019 at 98) in the same chamber, being sworn in as a member of the new, post-Soviet Hungarian par-

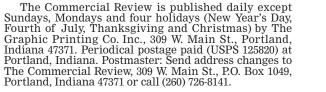
liament. We hope for a Ukrainian victory and the survival of freedom in that brutalized country. But until that survival is ensured, we should take them in, not just some arbitrary number, but every one who wants to come. It's as much in our interest as theirs.

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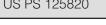
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CRYPTOQUIP 4-9

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Yesterday's Cryptoquip: IF FOLKS LOVE A CONDIMENT OF PICKLED CHOPPED VEGETABLES, ONE MIGHT SAY THEY RELISH RELISH.

Today's Cryptoquip Clue: C equals O

Trivial Review

Wild wonders

- 1) What animal, native to South America, is the largest rodent in the world?
- 2) What 19th-century German philospher's key doctrines included "The Will to Power"?

2) Friedrich Mietzsche 1) Capybara

4-11 **CRYPTOQUIP**

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CFQNUMF: LNRCLC LNRCUC.

Saturday's Cryptoquip: I DIDN'T ARRANGE THESE PERFUME BOTTLES BY TYPES OF FRAGRANCE. THEY'RE IN NO PARTICULAR ODOR.

Today's Cryptoquip Clue: F equals S

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Clue: Well-being

1 13 3 26 9 15 22 B. Clue: Sugar

24 5 15 3 13 24 5 C. Clue: Regulates sugar in blood

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CROSSWORD

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44 Fireside

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47 Signs

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49 Kampa-

51 Lacking

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6 Purse

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Healing"

Deepak

author

12 Smooth-

device

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15 Fluores-

cent

16 "Hail!"

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Sam

20 — shui

22 Old map

letters

sister in

"Frozen"

24 Camera

26 Steak

28 Prof's

30 Used a

chair

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helpers

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10 22 15 10 24 5 1 Clue: Monitoring

WORD SCRAMBLE Rearrange the letters to spell something pertaining to diabetes VELLE JONET: LEVE!

Guess Who?

I am an actress born in California on April 6, 1976. I followed in the footsteps of my older brother and started acting as a child. I was on a popular show about a family in San Francisco being cared for by a dad, an uncle and a best friend.

Апѕиет: Сапаасе Сатегоп Вите



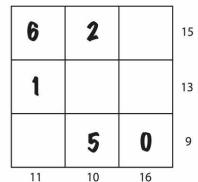


THESE COLD-BLOODED ANIMALS SPEND PART OF THEIR LIVES IN WATER AND PART ON LAND. THIS IS HOW THEY GOT THEIR NAME, WHICH MEANS "DOUBLE LIFE."

ANSWER: AMPHIBIANS

Math Blocks

Fill in the missing blocks with numbers between 0-10. The numbers in each row add up to the totals to the right. The numbers in each column add up to the totals on the bottom





Get Scrambled Unscramble the words to determine the phrase.

GOFR, WNTE & OTDA

has a backbone or

VERTEBRATE an animal that

spinal column

THIS DAY IN...

HISTOR

1896: THE OPENING OF

CELEBRATED IN ATHENS

STATES DECLARES WAR

THE FIRST MODERN

OLYMPIC GAMES IS

1917: THE UNITED

1947: THE FIRST

TONY AWARDS ARE

PRESENTED FOR

ACHIEVEMENTS IN

ON GERMANY.

6

Answer: Frog, newt & toad

ENGLISH: Toad

SPANISH: Sapo

ITALIAN: Rospo

FRENCH: Crapaud

GERMAN: Kröte



SKIN, LIVE ON LAND AND HAVE SHORT FGS FOR DIGGING, FROGS ARE SMOOTH, BRIGHT, AND HAVE LONG LEGS TO JUMP AND SWIM.



the bigger picture is? ANSWER: FROG EYE

vineyard

45 Grand

tale

47 God of

war

TVs

49 Deserve

observer

48 Some

50 Purim

51 Land in

52 Half of

CIV

54 Mimic

la mer

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T В

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21 Reached

23 Rocker

John

25 Standard

27 Scooted

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wind

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32 Donny or

Marie

33 Estée of

34 Pouch

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44 First son

45 Oaxaca

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Believer'

50 Jungfrau,

for one

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36 Hotel

cosmetics

31 Town

29 Hot,

Farrow

MANAGE DIABETES WORD SEARCH

S A N M Н G A G Α G Α 0 В Ε 0 E Ι 0 Α Α L E Е Н Т R В I G 0 Н R T В L 0 0 D Н X E R C I S Ε Н Find the words hidden vertically, horizontally, diagonally, and backwards.

52 Swells

cleaning

brand

54 Recorded

1 Pushes

2 Strong

3 Likely

chic!"

5 Merits

6 Humorist

David

7 Tube

spot

8 Singer

Lana

Del -

9 San —,

Texas

Speaker

Nancy

10 House

SOMALIA

ANGLES BLOB

C L A U D E A M T R A K

N A D I R S E M I
B A N D S S S O Y G A P

Yesterday's answer 4-9

12

15

35

45

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42

18

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34

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40

44

28

48

S A T C B E R S T C A C A O

Solution time: 26 mins.

53 Clog-

DOWN

WORDS

AMYLIN BLOOD **BOLUS** CARBOHYDRATE CAUTION CHRONIC COMPLICATIONS DIABETES DIAGNOSIS DIET ENDOCRINE EXERCISE **GESTATIONAL GLUCAGON** GLUCOSE HEALTHY HORMONE INSULIN MONITORING PANCREAS

SUGAR

SYMPTOMS

Contract By Steve Becker

Now you see it, now you don't

South dealer. Both sides vulnerable. WEST **EAST ♦** J 10 4 2 **♥**J9 ▼ 10 8 7 4 ♦ Q 10 8 7 **♣**987652 **♣**K Q SOUTH **≜** A K Q 6 ♥ K 6 2 ◆ A K T 3 The bidding:
West **♣**J3 North East 2 NT Pass Pass 3 **★** 6 **★** Pass Pass Opening lead — king of clubs.

One of the great things about bridge is that you can sometimes accomplish the seemingly impossible. For example, consider the present case where South is declarer at six spades.

If you look at all four hands, it seems certain that the slam will fail. Declarer has a sure trump loser, owing to the 4-1 trump division, and appears to have an inescapable

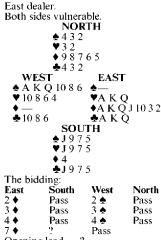
continues with the queen of trump ize, declarer next leads a diamond from dummy and successfully finesses the jack. He then cashes the A-K of diamonds, discarding a club from dummy, to reach this position: North

score is the jack of trump.

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Contract 🕏 Bridge 💸 By Steve Becker

Famous Hand



Opening lead —?

This is a favorite story of George B. Coffin, for many years a well-known author and publisher. The bidding went as shown, but after East bid seven diamonds, West quickly passed, not waiting for South the bid bloom and bloo South to bid. Not only that, but East-West then improperly

East-West exchanged hands, a common practice in some games.
South, a stickler for the rules named John Lawman, who by

nature was inclined to exact his

pound of flesh when an irregularity occurred, now said: "Just a second, please. I haven't passed. In fact, I'll bid seven notrump!" West doubled and, after two passes, South redoubled! West then led the king of spades.

"Just a second," said South again.

"Both of your hands are exposed because you've seen each other's cards, and I'm entitled to call your plays in any way I see fit." So Mr. Lawman directed West to

lead the ten of spades instead. He took the ten with the jack, continued with the nine, calling for West's eight, then cashed the seven of spades, calling for West's six.

As the spades were being led, declarer forced East to discard the A-K-Q of clubs! Mr. Lawman then

cashed the J-9-7 of clubs, compelling West to play the 10-8-6 in that order, and East to discard the A-K-Q of hearts. The same process was then repeated in hearts, declarer cashing

the J-9-7 of that suit. On the hearts, East, who at this point was nearing a state of apoplexy, was forced to discard the A-K-Q of diamonds. Mr. Lawman next cashed his

heart and club fives, collecting East's J-10 of diamonds. Dummy's last two tricks to make the redoubled grand slam!

Tomorrow: Resist that impulse.

By Eugene Sheffer CROSSWORD 46 Chicago 2 Embed-21 French

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airport

50 Hennessy 3 Hybrid 23 Hanoi way?" of "Law & fruit holiday Order" 4 QVC 25 Egyptian **53** Ecol. aiternaaeny van watchdog tive 26 Russell **55** Sea 5 Mayberry of "Waitress" operative predator boy 56 Writer 6 Lawman 27 Vicinity abbr. Wiesel 28 Men-Earp **57** Big shot 7 How only 58 Equip-– ask" affluent **29** Like ment people ganders **59** Olympic Long may live 30 Oodles figure 8 Lawyers' **31** Dict. skater info gp. Johnny 9 Energy 35 Gist 38 Calendar 60 Freezer 10 QB's cubes abbr. e.g. stats 61 Nine-digit 12 Typical **40** Biz sleigh prom bigwig attendee 42 Fountain 32 Big name DOWN 19 "Unhof Rome

unh"

Solution time: 21 mins. 34 Hamilton 37 Hilo hello 39 Purplish 41 "Scram!" 43 Spell-44 Shrek, for one

1 "Zounds!"

bill

red

down

36 Flag

SIRLOIN

Saturday's answer 4-11

15 18 33 37 50 56 59

ACROSS 1 Big bird 4 "In what club loser. 7 Vague But appearances can be deceiving, 11 Vincent slam can be made. Moreover, he does not have to do anything fancy He just does what comes naturally 13 CIA Declarer wins the club lead with the ace and cashes the A-K of trump. After East shows out, South **14** Footnote and then plays the A-K-Q of hearts, hoping for a 3-3 division. When this possibility does not material-15 "That's 16 Actress 17 Openings 18 Stoop (to) 20 Engrave 22 Boater, ♣10 West East 24 Russian ₹10 South 28 Blotto **♦**6 **♦**3 in racing South now leads the three of diamonds, and West is helpless. What-33 Body ever he does, the only trick he can powder

2021 School Corporation Annual Performance ReportJay School Corporation, Portland, Indiana 3945

Superintendent, Mr. Jeremy W. Gulley Business Manager, Mrs. Shannon Current

General Explanations

The APR is a report on the performance of schools and school corporations (districts) in your area. The goal is to provide information regarding the progress schools are making to help students become college-and-career ready. Where possible, this report contains three years of data to show trends - not just this year's results. In addition, the State Average is also shown for comparison purposes. There are additional indicators that are available on the Indiana Department of Education's Web site (inview.doe.in.gov), including data broken out by different student subgroups, such as race, gender, income level and special education.

Indiana educators and citizens have developed higher academic standards for all students. These standards are necessary to prepare Indiana students to be successful in life, whether they go directly to higher education or to the workplace. For high schools, you also will see graduation rates and the percentage of graduates who plan to go on to college.

Other important data are provided, such as average attendance rates and indicators of school safety, including expulsions and suspensions. Also included is information about your school corporation, such as how much is spent, on average, for each student; how much teachers are paid; and the percentage of corporation students who are in special education classes or gifted and talented classes. COVID-19 NOTE: Due to COVID-19, ILEARN/ISTEP assessments were not administered during the 2019-2020 school year.

Contact:

If you have any questions about this information, you should contact your local school corporation or contact the Department of Education at 317-234-1332 or by e-mail at datarequests@doe.in.gov.

2021Financial Goals

PL 191-2006 (HEA 1006) states the following: "Beginning with the 09-10 school year, each governing body shall establish goals for each category of expenditures set forth in section 4 of this chapter that will increase the school corporation's allocation of taxpayer resources directly to student instruction and learning, in light of the unique circumstances present in the school corporation."

The State Board of Education has approved the following definitions:

Student Instructional Expenditures are 1) Student academic achievement expenditures plus 2) student instructional support expenditures.

Other Expenditure Categories are: 3) Overhead and operational expenditures plus 4) nonoperational expenditures.

The Jay School Corporation shall maintain the current percentages between the expenditures for the student instructional expenditure categories and the other expenditure categories as described in IC 2110-3-4 for the next fiscal year.

Civil Rights Equal Opportunity and **Nondiscrimination Assurance Statement**

Jay School Corporation will not discriminate on the basis of race, color, religion, sex, national origin, age, or handicapping conditions, including limited English proficiency, in its educational programs or employment policies as required by state and federal law.

Current Jay School Board of Trustees

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Jay County School Corporation Mission Statement

In partnership with our families and the community, the mission of the Jay School Corporation is to provide a quality educational program, which causes each student to think, reason, communicate, and to make positive contributions to our community.

Jay School Corporation, Portland 3945 **Corporation Results** State Indicator '17-'18 '18-'19 '19-'20 '20-'21 Total A-F Accountability Grade В В N/A 1.112.611 Student Enrollment 3,250 3,167 3,147 3,020 Non-Waiver Grad Rate 74.2 79.8 83.0 81.0 79.11 9.2 Percentage of Career and Technical 10.7 12.0 10.7 4.6 Diplomas Number of Certified Teachers 191 178 165 150 60,992 Teacher Salary Range - Minimum \$26,780 \$35,603 \$37,706 \$37,706 \$36,488.26 \$64,702 \$65,996 \$68,306 \$68,306 \$68,273.96 Teacher Salary Range - Maximum Number of Students in Special Education 825 788 779 780 179,000 Percent of Students in Special Education 25.4 24.9 24.8 25.8 16.7 Number of Students in Gifted and Talented 239 270 315 295 127,286 Percent of Students in Gifted and Talented 7.4 8.5 10.0 9.8 12.3 Education Number of Students Receiving Free or 510,751 1,801 1,590 1,668 1,448 Reduced Lunches 50.2 47.0 Percent of Students Receiving Free or 55.4 53.0 47.9 Reduced Price Lunches 73,112 Number of Limited English Proficiency 122 139 163 145 Students Percent of Limited English Proficiency 3.8 4.4 5.2 4.8 6.6 Percent of Students in Foster Care 2.49 2.5 2.2 1.65 1.6 Number of Students in Career and 809 771 751 752 192,951 Percentage of Students in Career and 24.89 24.3 23.9 24.9 22.4 Technical Program Intra District Mobilty 1.1 0.8 0.6 0 Inter District Mobility 5.9 6.4 6.4 5.2 0 86.9 90.3 83.3 84.3 87.1 Graduation Rate 32 107 72 5,702 Number of Incidents of Restraint 69 Number of Incidents of Restriant Involving 0 0 0 324 0 a School Resource Officer 0 5,457 Number of Incidents of Seclusion 0 0 1

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Corporation Goals for Expenditure Categories in Indiana Code 20-42.5-3-5

Definitions (in the order found on the report)

A-F Accountability Grade

Grade calculated by the IDOE per 511 IAC 6.2-6 and officially assigned by the State Board of Education. For 2018-19, Schools and Corporations were assigned the better of their 2017-18 grade or the 2018-19 calculated grade. Grade were not assigned for 2019-20 due to COVID-19.

Student Enrollment

Number of students enrolled on October 1 of the school year. Note: Counts for Membership purposes are taken on a different day and may differ.

Non-Waiver Grad Rate

For 2020-21, the percentage of students who entered Grade 9 in Fall 2018 and graduated in

four years or less without a waiver **College and Career Readiness Rate**

The percentage of 2018 four year graduates who passed an Advanced Placement test, passed an International Baccalaureate test, received 3 hours of Dual Credit, or received an Industry Certification. Note: These data are not available for the 2021 cohort at time of publication. It was not calculated in 2020 as part of the suspension of A-F Grades.

Career and Technical Diplomas

Core 40 with Technical Honors Diplomas

Certified Teachers

Teachers certified to teach as reported by School Corporation (includes guidance counselors and other non-Administrator staff)

Teacher Salary Range

Salary range is calculated by reviewing the salaries for teachers as provided by the School

Corporation. Teachers must be reported at 100% for 180-195 days

Students in Special Education

Students (including non-public Students) who are receiving special education services Students in Gifted and Talented Education

Percentage of students enrolled in gifted and talented education programs as defined locally

Percent of Instruction Delivered Through Career and Technical Education Percentage of total instructional hours delivered through vocational education classes

Students Receiving Free or Reduced Price Lunches

Students who receive free or reduced price lunches due to family income level

Limited English Proficiency Students

Students whose inability to communicate English prevents them from participating fully in a standard educational program

Foster Card Students

Students who are foster care students

Alternative Education

Students enrolled and receiving instruction for at least 10 days in an approved alternative education program

Intra District Mobility

Percentage of students who moved from one school to another in the same school corporation **Inter District Mobility**

Percentage of student who moved from one school to another in a different school corporation

Pupil Enrollment to Certified Employee Ratio

Number of Students per Certified Employees are reported by the School Corporation.

Attendance Rate

Average attendance rate for students.

High School Data

ISTEP+

Grade 10 exam for high school graduation. Pass rates for Grade 10 ISTEP are for first time attempts only. **Career and Technical Programs**

Programs administered through the Department of Workforce Development that often result in

an Industry Certification International Baccalaureate

Program of Study offered by some authorized schools that may result in a student receiving a specialized diploma called an International Baccalaureate Diploma. More information can be found at www.ibo.org

Core 40

Basic High school graduation requirements

More information on the graduation requirements and types of diplomas can be found at http://www.doe.in.gov/student-services/student-assistance/academic-guidance

Core 40 with Honors diploma

Either Core 40 with Academic Honors or Core 40 with Technical Honors

Graduation Rate

For 2020-21, the percentage of students who entered Grade 9 in Fall 2018 and graduated in four years or less.

Elementary/Middle School Data

ILEARN

Grade specific exam given to all students. All students in Grades 3-8 are tested annually in Math and English/Language Arts. Students in grades 4 and 6 are also tested in Science. Students in grades 5 are also tested in Social Studies.

Exam given to all students in grade 3 to test reading proficiency.

If you have any questions about this information, you should contact your local school corporation or contact the Department of Education at 317-234-1332 or by e-mail at datarequests@doe.in.gov.

ı		School I	Results		State
Indicator	'17-'18	'18-'19	'19-'20	'20-'21	Total
A-F Accountability Grade	В	В	В	N/A	
Student Enrollment	1,018	1,003	938	1,346	1,112,611
Non-Waiver Grad Rate	74.18	79.84	82.96	80.95	79.11
College and Career Readiness Rate	79.50	83.9	N/A	N/A	
Number of Certified Teachers	61	59	52	71	60,992
Number of Students in Career and Technical Program	809	771	751	752	192,951
Percentage of Students in Career and Technical Program	79.47	0	0	55.9	22.4
* Grade 7 Percent Passing ISTEP+/ ILEARN Math Standard	0	0	0	30.4	30.5
* Grade 7 Percent Passing ISTEP+/ ILEARN Language Arts Standard	0	0	0	34.7	41.1
* Grade 8 Percent Passing ISTEP+/ ILEARN Math Standard	0	0	0	33.8	27.8
* Grade 8 Percent Passing ISTEP+/ ILEARN Language Arts Standard	0	0	0	39.2	43.9
* Grade 10 Percent Passing ISTEP+/ ILEARN Math Standard	34.8	24.5	N/A	35.2	
* Grade 10 Percent Passing ISTEP+/ ILEARN Language Arts Standard	53.1	44.4	N/A	49.1	
* Grade 10 Percent Passing ISTEP+/ ILEARN Science Standard	46.2	22.2	N/A	20.6	31.8
Percent of Graduates Granted Waivers	14.6	11.6	0.44	4.0	9.1
SAT Average Score for Graduating Class	N/A	1055	0	1073	1078
Percent of graduates receiving Academic Honors Diploma	0	0	0	45.8	39.6
Number of graduates receiving Core 40 Diploma	185	186	180	141	64648
Percent of 12th Graders Taking SAT	N/A	18.8		15.9	22.0
Percent Core 40 with Honors Diploma	34.7	45.5	46.7	45.8	39.6
Percent Core 40 Diploma	77.4	83.0	80.0	79.7	90.1
Pupil Enrollment to Certified Employee Ratio	15.3	15.1	15.3	16.7	12.7
Graduation Rate	86.9	90.3	83.3	84.3	87.1
Attendance Rate	90.0	91.1	93.4	90.2	93.3

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		School Results				
Indicator	'17-'18	'18-'19	'19-'20	'20-'21	Total	
A-F Accountability Grade	В	В	В	N/A		
Student Enrollment	280	272	267	269	1,112,61	
Number of Certified Teachers	14	17	16	22	60,99	
Percentage of Students Passing IREAD	93.8	96.2	N/A	91.4	80.	
* Grade 3 Percent Passing ISTEP+/ ILEARN Math Standard	62.5	60.8	N/A	72.2	48.	
* Grade 3 Percent Passing ISTEP+/ ILEARN Language Arts Standard	87.5	51.0	N/A	44.4	38.	
* Grade 4 Percent Passing ISTEP+/ ILEARN Math Standard	72.1	51.6	N/A	42.5	43.	
* Grade 4 Percent Passing ISTEP+/ ILEARN Language Arts Standard	62.8	45.2	N/A	30.0	39.	
* Grade 4 Percent Passing ISTEP+/ ILEARN Science Standard	67.4	48.4	N/A	25.0	36.	
* Grade 5 Percent Passing ISTEP+/ ILEARN Math Standard	67.4	59.5	N/A	40.9	38.	
* Grade 5 Percent Passing ISTEP+/ ILEARN Language Arts Standard	65.2	38.1	N/A	25.0	39.	
* Grade 5 Percent Passing ISTEP+/ ILEARN Social Science Standard	65.2	40.5	N/A	38.6	38.	
* Grade 6 Percent Passing ISTEP+/ ILEARN Math Standard	0	0	0	51.7	33.	
* Grade 6 Percent Passing ISTEP+/ ILEARN Language Arts Standard	0	0	0	41.4	39.	
* Grade 6 Percent Passing ISTEP+/ ILEARN Science Standard	0	0	0	41.4	38.	
Pupil Enrollment to Certified Employee Ratio	14.7	11.3	11.6	9.9	12.	
Attendance Rate	96.3	96.6	96.3	95.8	93.	
Number of Students with More Than 10 Unexcused Days Absent	17	21	19	18		
Number of Students absent greater than 10% of School Year	16	8	8	21		
Number of Students Suspended	11	11	4	10	43,02	
Number of Out of School Suspensions	11	11	3	7	27,98	
Number of In School Suspensions	1	0	1	3	20,76	

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I		School	Results	esults			
Indicator	'17-'18	'18-'19	'19-'20	'20-'21	Total		
A-F Accountability Grade	В	В	В	N/A			
Student Enrollment	314	425	417	415	1,112,611		
Number of Certified Teachers	16	17	18	16	60,992		
Percentage of Students Passing IREAD	93.8	0	N/A				
* Grade 3 Percent Passing ISTEP+/ ILEARN Math Standard	82.0	0	N/A				
* Grade 3 Percent Passing ISTEP+/ ILEARN Language Arts Standard	70.0	0	N/A				
* Grade 4 Percent Passing ISTEP+/ ILEARN Math Standard	77.3	0	N/A				
* Grade 4 Percent Passing ISTEP+/ ILEARN Language Arts Standard	72.7	0	N/A				
* Grade 4 Percent Passing ISTEP+/ ILEARN Science Standard	77.3	0	N/A				
* Grade 5 Percent Passing ISTEP+/ ILEARN Math Standard	75.0	0	N/A				
* Grade 5 Percent Passing ISTEP+/ ILEARN Language Arts Standard	63.6	0	N/A				
* Grade 5 Percent Passing ISTEP+/ ILEARN Social Science Standard	54.5	0	N/A				
Pupil Enrollment to Certified Employee Ratio	14.2	13.7	13.4	14.3	12.7		
Attendance Rate	96.3	95.2	94.5	95.0	93.3		
Number of Students with More Than 10 Unexcused Days Absent	19	54	73	48	(
Number of Students absent greater than 10% of School Year	11	33	40	46	(
Number of Students Suspended	5	11	8	8	43,020		
Number of Out of School Suspensions	5	4	6	8	27,981		
Number of In School Suspensions	0	8	4	1	20,769		

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Indicator		State			
	'17-'18	'18-'19	'19-'20	'20-'21	Total
A-F Accountability Grade	D	С	С	N/A	
Student Enrollment	296	381	405	526	1,112,61
Number of Certified Teachers	16	20	23	29	60,99
Percentage of Students Passing IREAD	79.6	89.1	N/A	77.6	80.
* Grade 3 Percent Passing ISTEP+/ ILEARN Math Standard	46.8	71.6	N/A	44.4	48.
* Grade 3 Percent Passing ISTEP+/ ILEARN Language Arts Standard	68.1	52.3	N/A	25.6	38.
* Grade 4 Percent Passing ISTEP+/ ILEARN Math Standard	57.7	59.2	N/A	24.2	43.
* Grade 4 Percent Passing ISTEP+/ ILEARN Language Arts Standard	51.9	55.2	N/A	32.5	39.
* Grade 4 Percent Passing ISTEP+/ ILEARN Science Standard	51.9	54.4	N/A	27.5	36.
* Grade 5 Percent Passing ISTEP+/ ILEARN Math Standard	56.6	51.6	N/A	45.4	38.
* Grade 5 Percent Passing ISTEP+/ ILEARN Language Arts Standard	44.2	51.6	N/A	38.9	39.
* Grade 5 Percent Passing ISTEP+/ ILEARN Social Science Standard	49.1	57.4	N/A	41.7	38.
* Grade 6 Percent Passing ISTEP+/ ILEARN Math Standard	0	0	0	37.7	33.
* Grade 6 Percent Passing ISTEP+/ ILEARN Language Arts Standard	0	0	0	41.8	39.
* Grade 6 Percent Passing ISTEP+/ ILEARN Science Standard	0	0	0	37.2	38.
Pupil Enrollment to Certified Employee Ratio	14	15.2	15	14.6	12.
Attendance Rate	95.9	95.8	95.7	94.6	93.
Number of Students with More Than 10 Unexcused Days Absent	33	37	47	55	
Number of Students absent greater than 10% of School Year	18	26	28	75	
Number of Students Suspended	13	24	14	27	43,02
Number of Students Expelled or Suspended involving Drugs, Weapons, or Alcohol	0	2	2		
Number of Out of School Suspensions	13	15	9	16	27,98
Number of In School Suspensions	0	18	5	17	20,76

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Jay County Jr/Sr High School, Portland 3239						
Indicator	School Results				State	
	'17-'18	'18-'19	'19-'20	'20-'21	Total	
Number of Students with More Than 10 Unexcused Days Absent	412	353	223	525	0	
Number of Students absent greater than 10% of School Year	329	244	138	430	0	
Number of Students Retained in the 9th Grade	0	0	0	0	0	
Number of Students Who Have Dropped Out	6	9	28	11	5,586	
Number of Students Suspended	143	157	130	101	43,020	
Number of Students Expelled	6	1	2	12	891	
Number of Students Expelled or Suspended involving Drugs, Weapons, or Alcohol	2	1	13	2	2,943	
Number of Out of School Suspensions	74	84	82	55	27,981	
Number of In School Suspensions	94	109	93	66	20,769	

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Redkey Elementary School, Portland 3247						
		State				
Indicator	'17-'18	'18-'19	'19-'20	'20-'21	Total	
A-F Accountability Grade	В	В	В	N/A		
Student Enrollment	187	188	207	226	1,112,611	
Number of Certified Teachers	16	13	13	19	60,992	
Percentage of Students Passing IREAD	96.8	96.2	N/A	82.8	80.4	
* Grade 3 Percent Passing ISTEP+/ ILEARN Math Standard	62.5	62.5	N/A	46.4	48.7	
* Grade 3 Percent Passing ISTEP+/ ILEARN Language Arts Standard	71.9	62.5	N/A	35.7	38.7	
* Grade 4 Percent Passing ISTEP+/ ILEARN Math Standard	67.9	55.2	N/A	46.9	43.7	
* Grade 4 Percent Passing ISTEP+/ ILEARN Language Arts Standard	82.1	48.3	N/A	34.4	39.6	
* Grade 4 Percent Passing ISTEP+/ ILEARN Science Standard	0	69.0	N/A	31.3	36.1	
* Grade 5 Percent Passing ISTEP+/ ILEARN Math Standard	78.6	57.1	N/A	54.5	38.6	
* Grade 5 Percent Passing ISTEP+/ ILEARN Language Arts Standard	64.3	46.4	N/A	40.9	39.5	
* Grade 5 Percent Passing ISTEP+/ ILEARN Social Science Standard	71.4	57.1	N/A	31.8	38.6	
* Grade 6 Percent Passing ISTEP+/ ILEARN Math Standard	0	0	0	47.6	33.0	
* Grade 6 Percent Passing ISTEP+/ ILEARN Language Arts Standard	0	0	0	47.6	39.9	
* Grade 6 Percent Passing ISTEP+/ ILEARN Science Standard	0	0	0	61.9	38.8	
Pupil Enrollment to Certified Employee Ratio	9.3	9.8	10.8	9.4	12.7	
Attendance Rate	94.8	95.4	95.7	92.6	93.3	
Number of Students with More Than 10 Unexcused Days Absent	25	21	14	54	0	
Number of Students absent greater than 10% of School Year	14	11	9	43	0	
Number of Students Suspended	10	3	4	4	43,020	

		State			
Indicator	'17-'18	'18-'19	'19-'20	'20-'21	Total
A-F Accountability Grade	В	В	В	N/A	
Student Enrollment	209	221	233	238	1,112,611
Number of Certified Teachers	15	13	13	20	60,992
Percentage of Students Passing IREAD	100.0	92.5	N/A	100.0	80.4
* Grade 3 Percent Passing ISTEP+/ ILEARN Math Standard	59.3	48.7	N/A	53.3	48.7
* Grade 3 Percent Passing ISTEP+/ ILEARN Language Arts Standard	85.2	37.8	N/A	36.7	38.7
* Grade 4 Percent Passing ISTEP+/ ILEARN Math Standard	73.3	63.3	N/A	36.1	43.7
* Grade 4 Percent Passing ISTEP+/ ILEARN Language Arts Standard	73.3	56.7	N/A	8.3	39.6
* Grade 4 Percent Passing ISTEP+/ ILEARN Science Standard	73.3	60.0	N/A	19.4	36.1
* Grade 5 Percent Passing ISTEP+/ ILEARN Math Standard	74.2	53.6	N/A	38.9	38.6
* Grade 5 Percent Passing ISTEP+/ ILEARN Language Arts Standard	58.1	50.0	N/A	44.4	39.5
* Grade 5 Percent Passing ISTEP+/ ILEARN Social Science Standard	71.0	46.4	N/A	30.6	38.6
* Grade 6 Percent Passing ISTEP+/ ILEARN Math Standard	0	0	0	36.4	33.0
* Grade 6 Percent Passing ISTEP+/ ILEARN Language Arts Standard	0	0	0	48.5	39.9
* Grade 6 Percent Passing ISTEP+/ ILEARN Science Standard	0	0	0	36.4	38.8
Pupil Enrollment to Certified Employee Ratio	9.9	11.6	12.2	9.5	12.7
Attendance Rate	95.0	94.8	94.4	95.2	93.3
Number of Students with More Than 10 Unexcused Days Absent	20	26	32	23	0
Number of Students absent greater than 10% of School Year	14	17	20	24	0
Number of Students Suspended	7	14	10	12	43,020
Number of Out of School Suspensions	5	4	4	6	27,981
Number of In School Suspensions	3	10	6	8	20,769
Number of Bullying Incidents	0	3	3	7	1,984

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East Jay Elementary, Portland 327	73						
		School Results State					
Indicator	'17-'18	'18-'19	'19-'20	'20-'21	Total		
Number of Bullying Incidents	0	2	2				

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2021School Corporation Annual Performance Report

General Explanation

This is a report on the performance of schools and school corporations (districts) in your area. The goal is to give you information to tell you what progress schools are making to help students learn more.

There are additional indicators that are available to you on the Indiana Department of Education's Web site (www.doe.in.gov/asap) including data broken out by different student subgroups, such as race, gender, income level and special education.

Indiana educators and citizens have developed higher academic standards for all students. These standards are necessary to prepare Indiana students to be successful in life, whether they go directly to higher education or to the workplace. The scores for ISTEP+ are listed under each school to reflect student progress

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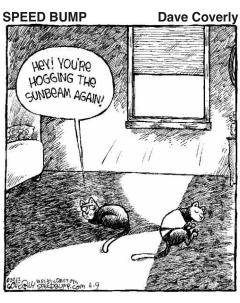
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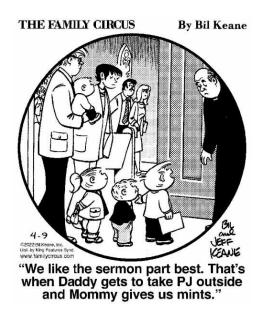
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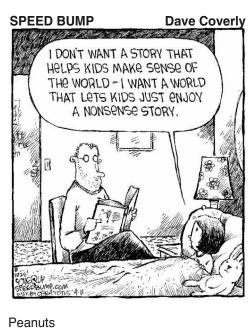
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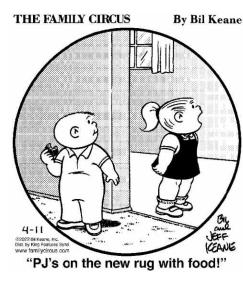
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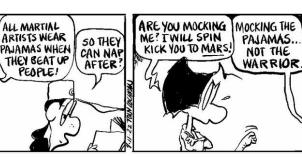
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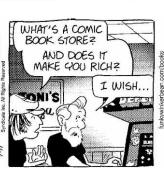




























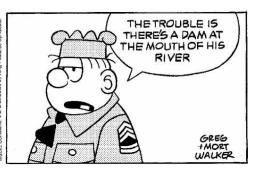














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and was authorized to adminis-

ter her estate without Court su-

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Down and delivered

Tobe gets bunt down, Dues trots home after error in Tribe win

By RAY COONEY

The Commercial Review **RECOVERY** FORT — Riggs Tobe got the sign from Kevin Eyink.

All he was intended to do was bunt Alex Dues over to third base.

His bunt was so good, though, that it ended the game.

A bunt single from Tobe combined with a throwing error allowed Dues to score from second base to give the Fort Recovery High School baseball team a 3-2, walk-off victory Friday night over the Houston

Wildcats.
"Winning a game off of a bunt, you don't usually see that much," said Tobe, who didn't realize Dues had scored to end the game until the entire Tribe squad rushed down the first-base line to congratulate him. "But it happened.

"It was right down the middle, fast ball. ... You've just got to lay it down. It just went my way."

When Dues walked to the plate to lead off the bottom of the seventh for the Indians (3-3), neither team had scored a run since the third inning. He promptly hit a shot to left-center field that center fielder Ian Arnold got a glove on but was unable to haul in.

With Dues on second, Eyink called for the sacri-

sent the ball dribbling of the game there.' toward first base about in

foot inside of the line. Houston reliever Jake Leist tracked it down and tried to loop his throw over the hustling Tobe. But the Indians' shortstop reached first safely, and the throw sailed high and went down the right-field line to allow Dues to come home with the game-winning run.

"That's how you practice it. That's how you hope it works out," said Eyink, Fort Recovery's first-year coach. "Those two, that was clutch to execute right there. We've been struggling to get that. So hopefully we start getting some more of those big hits, bunts, whatever it is, when we need it. Great job by Riggs there."

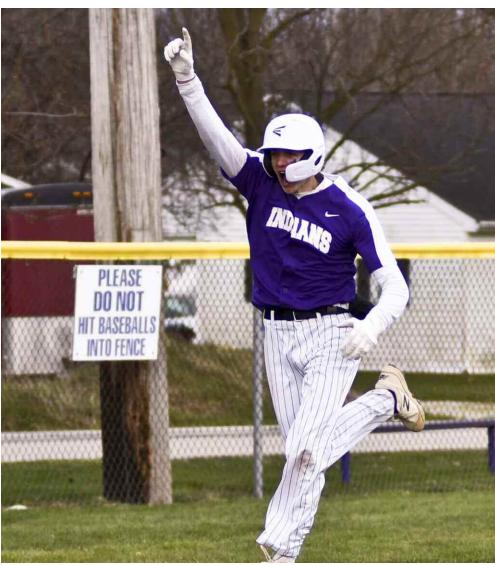
The Indians have scored three of fewer runs in five of their six games, but have managed to win two of those — 2-0 over Mississinawa Valley on April 1 and 3-2 over Houston on Friday.

The walk-off bunt gave the victory to Wyatt Bihn, who tossed a one-two-three top of the seventh inning in relief of Bo Thien. He struck out two batters.

While he didn't get the decision, Thien allowed just two runs on three hits while striking out three in six innings of work.

"Good outing for him," Eyink said. "Little bit of a slow start, but after that he zoned it in and after that we Tobe squared to bunt and could count on him the rest

Houston (2-4) was able to 2-1 lead.



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get to Thien for a run in the Arnold hit a lead-off doutop of the first inning, and ble in the third inning and the Indians responded in scored on a grounder from the bottom of the second Zavier Ludwig to tie the when Marcus Gaerke led game at 2-2, and that's off with a walk and where the score remained Kendrik Wendel reached until the bunt play in the base on a grounder through bottom of the seventh. the gap on the right side of Leist suffered the loss in the infield. A wild pitch

gave FRHS runners on sec-

ond and third, with Brock

Dues bringing Gaerke

home on a ground out and

Alex Dues delivering an

RBI double to left field for a

relief, giving up two hits and a run without recording an out. Houston starter Luke Beaver went six innings, allowing two runs one earned — on four hits and two walks while striking out one.

"For six innings, my pitcher, Luke Beaver, did a hell of a job throwing, battled, competed through the entire game," said HHS coach Dan Barker, whose team did not have a hit after the third inning. "We made plays behind him. That's what we've done pretty much all year.

"It's just we can't leave guys at third with less than two outs and not get them

Wildcats three times — in a run and a steal.

the first, third and fifth

Alex Dues of Fort

Recovery High School

points toward the sky

while trotting down the

third-base line with the

game-winning run Friday

night in the Indians' 3-2,

walk-off victory over the

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double and scored on an

error following Riggs

Tobe's bunt single down

the first-base line.

Houston

visiting

innings. The 2-for-3 effort with two doubles, a run and an RBI from Alex Dues, who was hitting in the No. 8

spot, led the Tribe offense. "He hasn't gotten a ton of at bats this year," said Eyink. "He had a chance tonight and, man, he came through twice."

Bihn had two hits, including a double, and a stolen base, and Gaerke fin-That happened to the ished with a single, a walk,

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Patriots trounce Eagles

MUNCIE — The Patriots were Taylor Brown and Dakota Chowning already ahead 3-0 at the end of the first each drove in runs.

They broke it wide open one frame later.

Jay County High School's junior varsity softball team added to its three-run lead with seven runs in the second in a 12-1 victory over the Delta Eagles on Thursday.

As part of the seven-run second inning, Paige Mumbower had a home run and a double, while Brianna Zorn,

Zorn also had an RBI in the first

The Patriots were ahead 12-0 before the Eagles scored their only run in the bottom of the fourth inning.

Madison Reier joined Mumbower and

Zorn with multiple-hit efforts. Brown earned the win pitching. She allowed one run on seven hits over four innings. She struck out six and walked

Sports on tap

Local schedule

TodayFort Recovery — Softball at Franklin-

Monday

Jay County — Boys golf at Richmond –
5 p.m.; Baseball at Coldwater – 5 p.m.;
Softball vs. Huntington North – 5:30 p.m.;
JV baseball vs. Coldwater – 5 p.m.; Junior high track at Southern Wells – 5:30 p.m. Fort Recovery — Baseball at Tri-Village – 5 p.m.; Softball at St. Marys Memorial – 5 p.m.; Junior high track at Versailles – 4:30 p.m.

TuesdayJay County — Softball at Eastbrook – 5 p.m.; Baseball at Eastbrook – 5 p.m.; Track three-team meet at Adams Central – 5:30 p.m.; JV baseball vs. South Adams – 5 p.m.; Junior high track at Muncie Northside – 5:30 p.m. Fort Recovery — Track vs. Versailles &

Delphos St. John's – 4:30 p.m.; Baseball at Parkway – 5 p.m.; Softball vs. Parkway – 5 p.m.; JV baseball vs. Parkway – 5

TV schedule

Today 12:30 p.m. — English Premier 12:30 p.m. — English Premier League Soccer: Tottenham Hotspur vs.

Aston Villa (NBC) 1 p.m. — NBA basketball: Indiana 1 p.m. — NBA basketball: Indiana Pacers at Philadelphia 76ers (BALLY)
 3 p.m. — NHL hockey: Washington Capitals at Pittsburgh Penguins (ABC)
 3 p.m. — Major League Soccer: New

England Revolution vs. Inter Milan (ESPN) 3 p.m. — PGA Tour Golf: The Masters

Tournament – Round 3 (CBS)
5:30 p.m. — Women's soccer: Inter

national friendly - Uzbekistan vs. United States (FOX) 7:20 p.m. — Major League Baseball:

Cincinnati Reds at Atlanta Braves

7:30 p.m. — Major League Soccer: Los Angeles FC vs. Los Angeles Galaxy

(FOX)
7:30 p.m. — NASCAR racing: Cup

Series – Pan Relief 400 (FS1) 8 p.m. — College hockey: NCAA Tour-nament – Frozen Four Championship

1:30 p.m. — NHL hockey: Bruins at Washington Capitals (TNT) 1:30 p.m. — Major League Soccer: Atlanta United at Charlotte (ESPN/ABC)

Sunday

1 a.m. — Formula 1 racing: Australian Grand Prix (ESPN) 1:30 p.m. —

Major League Baseball: Texas Rangers at Toronto Blue Jays or New York Mets

at Washington Nationals (MLBN)

2 p.m. — PGA Tour Golf: The Mas ters Tournament – Final round (CBS) 2 p.m. — MotoGP: USA Grand Prix

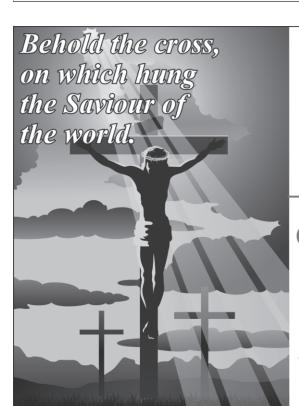
(NBC) 2:15 p.m. — Major League Baseball: Pittsburgh Pirates at St. Louis Cardinals (BALLY)

3:30 p.m. — NBA basketball: Indi-Pacers at Brooklyn Nets (BALLY/ESPN) 3:45 p.m. -

 IndyCar racing: Grand Prix of Long Beach (NBC)

4 p.m. — NHL hockey: Nashville Predators at Pittsburgh Penguins (TNT) 4:30 p.m. — Major League Baseball:

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