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# United Way tees off campaign tonight

By RAY COONEY

**Fort** 

School

royalty
Fort Recovery

against Parkway

game, see page 9.

students

Knapke and Wyatt Bihn,

pictured, were crowned

queen and king Friday at the

homecoming football game

School. Fort Recovery won

33-7. For more on the

Abby

The Commercial Review

United Way of Jay County is trying something a little different this

Traditionally, the organization holds an annual campaign kick-off event at halftime of a Jay County High School football game in late August or September.

As a change of pace this year, the organization is getting ready to golf in the dark.

United Way of Jay County will host a glow-ball golf event as the kick-off to its annual campaign the goal this year is \$140,000 tonight at Portland Country Club.

"We'd been doing it for a long contest and, as long as wind cooptime," said Jane Ann Runyon of the football game kick-off. "We just decided we needed to change it up a evening," said Denney, adding that

campaign co-chairs Cindy Denney and Cindy Gardner has gone award for the Halloween-themed well with the lineup of 18 two-person teams filled and more on a list if the field expands in future years. Denney said Friday that all of the solar lights are charged and the event is ready to go for Saturday.

In addition to playing night golf with glow-in-the-dark balls, it will also include a pumpkin decorating erates, a bonfire.

if the event is successful it could be munity Center, Girl Scouts of Planning for the event led by reprised next spring and fall.

There will also be a best-dr event, and Glass Capital Grill of Dunkirk will cater. Also in a change from previous years. United Way of Jay County decided against doing a pacesetter campaign to bring in funds before the official campaign kick-off. Howevearly contributions have already brought in more than 15% of the \$140,000 campaign goal.

United Way of Jay County member agencies include Antho-"Just kind of make it a fun ny Wayne Council, A Better Life - Brianna's Hope, Bryant Com-

Central Indiana, Jay Community Center and its boys and girls clubs and summer day camp, Jay County Cancer Society, Jayland Homeless Shelter, Jayland Partners, Jay-Randolph Developmental Services, Pennville Community Center, Second Harvest Food Jay County Special Olympics, West Jay Community Center and Youth Service Bureau.

See Campaign page 2

# **Early** voting set to begin

Ballots can be cast beginning Wednesday

By RAY COONEY The Commercial Review

Jay County voters can begin making their selections Wednesday.

Early voting begins at 8:30 a.m. Wednesday in the voting room on the first floor of Jay County Courthouse in the election that features races for county commissioner, council and sheriff.

The courthouse will be open for early voting from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. on weekdays through Nov. 4. Early voting will also be available from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Saturdays Oct. 29 and Nov. 5. The final chance to vote early will be from 8:30 a.m. to noon Nov. 7.

Election day voting hours are 6 a.m. to 6 p.m. Nov. 8.

The ballot for the election features four races for county-wide offices, headlined by incumbent Republican Chad Aker facing a challenge from Democrat Joel Bower. Aker is seeking his second term in office.

For sheriff, former two-

term sheriff Ray Newton, a Republican, is facing off against former Redkey Town Council member "Watermellon" Phillips. Newton won a three-way race for the GOP nomination with incumbent Republican Duane Ford unable to seek another term because of term limits.

There are also a pair of contested races for Jay County Council.

Incumbent Democrat Ted Champ is being challenged by Redkey Town Council member Randy May, a Republican.

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# Retrospect

# Storm destroyed mobile home, caused outages

Thirty years ago this week, two people were hurt and their mobile home was destroyed when a severe storm ripped through Jay Coun-

The Oct. 9, 1992, edition The Commercial Review featured coverage of the storm that left Nathan and Marci McIntire injured and their Jefferson Township mobile home a pile of rubble.

The storm also left about 1,100 residents without electricity.

The McIntires were inside the mobile home, which was on wheels and blocks, when the storm hit. (The structure was not tied down, Jay County Sheriff Kip Robinette said.)

"All of a sudden, it was 'bam,'" said Marci, adding that a wall and a stereo fell on her before Nathan covered her in an effort to protect her.

Marci then helped her husband out of the home and they went to a neighbor's house before being taken to Jay County Hospital for treatment.

Nathan suffered a broken nose and collarbone. Marci was left with bruis-

"We just can't figure out how they came out of it alive," said Nathan's mother, Lena McIntire.

The mobile home was destroyed, though the McIntires were able to salvage some items.

"I don't know what we will do," said Marci.

The powerful storm Marci, brought down tree limbs across the county, including one that went through the home of Karen and Don Johnson in Boundary City. No one was in the home when it

was damaged.

The falling limbs knocked out power in some areas, including around Seventh Street on the west side of the city several blocks around East Elementary School. Most of the power outages had been addressed by 3 a.m. the

next morning.

Lightning from the storm set off fire alarms and damaged a TV in the Portland home of Clara Bryan, but there were no fires.



The Commercial Review/Jack Ronald

A family friend searches through the rubble of Nathan and Marci McIntire's mobile home in Jefferson Township. The mobile home was destroyed when a storm ripped through Jay County on Oct. 8, 1992.

# **Deaths**

Betty Brumbaugh, 83, Portland Richard Parks, 77, Port-

Details on page 2.

# Weather

Jay County had a high temperature of 55 degrees Friday.

Today's forecast calls for sunny skies with a high again in the mid 50s. Tonight's low will be 34 with widespread frost Sunday morning.

See page 2 for an extended forecast.

# In review

Jay County Circuit Court has canceled its jury trial scheduled for Monday. Jurors do not need to appear.

# Coming up

**Tuesday** — Results from today's soccer sectional championship games.

**Thursday** — Coverage of Wednesday's Jay County Council meeting.



# **Obituaries**

## **Betty Brumbaugh**

Aug. 20, 1939-Oct. 6, 2022 Betty L. Brumbaugh, age 83, of Portland passed away Thursday, Oct. 6, 2022, at her resi-

She was born in Bryant on Aug. 20, 1939, the daughter of Harold and Irene (Franks)

Moser. She was married on Sept. 5, 1964, to Richard Brumbaugh and he passed away on Nov. 6, 2019. Betty was a homemaker and babysitter and had been an operator for United



Telephone. She attended Union Chapel Church and was a 1957 Poling High School graduate.

Surviving are one son, Rick Brumbaugh of Portland; one daughter, Karen Hill (husband: Bob) of Portland; four brothers, Kenneth Moser of Bryant, Cliff Moser (wife: Jo) of Portland, Max Moser (wife: Frances) of Bryant and Duane Moser of Bryant; one sister, Barbara Booth (husband: Art) of Geneva; sister-in-law Mary Moser of Portland; six grandchildren, Kayla Busch (husband: Kyle), Stewart (husband: Kara Mason), Clayton Hill, Jordan Brumbaugh, Robert Gibson and Ashlee Mechling (husband: Brant); three great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by a daughter, Kim Gibson, and brother Jack Moser.

Wednesday, Oct.12, 2022, at 2 p.m. in the Baird-Freeman Funeral Home with Pastor Herb Hummel presiding. Burial will follow in the Wells Cemetery. Visitation will be Wednesday from noon to 2 p.m.

Memorials can be made to the choice of the donor.

Condolences expressed at bairdfreeman.com.

## Richard Parks

Aug. 9, 1965-Oct. 5, 2022 Richard "Dick" Parks, age 77, Portland passed away Wednesday, Oct. 5, 2022, in Persimmon Ridge Healthcare.

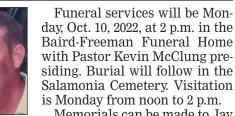
He was born in Union City, Indiana, on Nov. 14, 1944, the son of Harry and Evelyn (Burger) Parks. He was married on Aug. Funeral services will be 9, 1965, to Wanda Carol Iliff and

she passed away on May 29, 2011.

Dick was retired from Coca-Cola in Portland and also worked at Recovery Fort Industries. He was a 1962 Madison

**Parks** High School graduate and was an avid golfer, enjoyed camping and traveling.

Surviving are three daughters. Lorie Haver (husband: Wesley) of Virginia Beach, Virginia, Angela Evans (husband: Scott) of Dunkirk and Joyce Jaquay of the United Kingdom; one brother, James Parks of Fort Wayne; five grandchildren, Daniel Frakes, Jonathan Lawless, Katie Garlinger Masters, Kyle Garlinger and Mahala Haver; and eight great-grandchildren.



Memorials can be made to Jay County Cancer Society.

Condolences may expressed at bairdfreeman.com.

The Commercial Review publishes death notices for those with a connection to our coverage area free of charge. They include the name, city ofresidence, birth/death date and time/date/location of services.

There is a charge for obituaries, which are accepted only from funeral homes or mortuary serv-

# CR almanac

**Tuesday** 

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Monday

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Day looks to be sunny. At may reach the

Tuesday's sunny

shows mostly with temperatures in the 70s. Chance of rain late.

75/53

**75/53** There's a chance of rain throughout the day. Otherwise,

Wednesday

10/12

mostly cloudy, with a high of 75.

has another chance showers sunny skies The low wil be near 38.

Thursday under mostly

65/38

**Thursday** 

10/13

# **Lotteries**

### Hoosier

Midday Daily Three: 1-0-2 Daily Four: 9-3-7-8 Quick Draw: 2-3-10-22-23-24-30-34-41-43-45-50-52-60-62-65-74-75-79-80

Ohio

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

Pick 4: 2-3-8-8 Pick 5: 2-2-8-5-6 Rolling Cash 5: 7-9-29-

30-34 Estimated jackpot: \$100,000

**Powerball** Estimated jackpot: \$378 million

### **Mega Millions**

Estimated jackpot: \$410 million

# **Markets**

Cooper Farms	
Fort Recovery	
Corn	6.88
Oct. corn	
Wheat	7.30

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<b>Portland</b>	_
Corn	6.88
Oct /Nov corn	6 79

Oct./Nov. corn .	
Dec. corn	6.88

## The Andersons **Richland Township**

Corn	6.59
Dec. corn	
Beans	13.32
Dec. beans	13.54

# Nov. wheat ...... 8.90 **Central States**

Montpelier	
Corn	6.60
Late Oct. corn	6.60
Beans	13.45
Nov. beans	13.45
Wheat	8.70

### Heartland St. Anthony

Corn	6.53
Oct. corn	6.48
Beans	13.32
Oct. beans	13.25
Wheat	8.40

# **Today in history**

In 1862, Union forces Lucas Timmerman was fought off a Confeder- found safe in a cornate effort to pull Ken- field about an hour-andtucky into the Confederacy in a one-day bat- missing. He had wantle at Perryville. Northern troops seeking to at his grandmother's engage again the next day found that Confed- ship. A crowd of more erate forces had retreat-

**In 1871**, at least 1,200 people were killed as Recovery High School the result of a fire that volleyball team swept destroyed a wide swath the second-ranked New of Michigan and Wisconsin, including the defending Division IV cities of Peshtigo, Holland, Manistee and Port Huron. On the same night, the Great Chicago Fire started in Illinois.

In 2007, 2-year-old

a-half after he went dered off while playing home in Noble Townthan 100 had gathered to help in the search.

In 2018, the Fort Bremen Cardinals, the state champions, to stay in first place in the Midwest Athletic Conference. Cassidy Martin had a dozen kills to lead the Indians.

—The CR

# Citizen's calendar

# Monday

missioners' room, courthouse, 120 N. Court St., Portland.

11:15 a.m. — Jay County Commissioners executive session, 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 9 a.m. — Jay County Public Library Board Commissioners, com- of Trustees, community room, library, 315 N. Ship St., Portland. 6 p.m. — Jay County

Regional Sewer District, commissioners' room, courthouse, 120 N. Court St., Portland.

# **Tuesday**

7 p.m. — Dunkirk City Council, city building, 131 S. Main

# **Voting**

Continued from page 1

And incumbent Republican Harold Towell, who was selected by his party to fill out the term of Amy Barrett following her resignation, is facing a challenge from Democrat Kelly Stipp.

All four school board seats that are up for election this year involve contested races.

The longest list of candidates comes for the District 1 seat, which is open as current board member Chris Snow has moved out of the district and could not run for re-election. Brandon Kloer, Chad Bricker, Mike Foreman and Marcie Vormohr are running for the seat that represents the City of Portland.

Three candidates are vying for the District 2 seat representing the City of Dunkirk as incumbent Mike Shannon chose not to seek another term. Hoping to follow him on school board are candidates Thomas Crouch, Gloria Hamilton and Tommy "Chip" Phillips II.

For the District 3 seat, which represents Penn, Greene and Jefferson townships, incumbent Donna Geesaman is seeking a second term

against Kendra McLaughlin. And two current board members will square off in District 5 as Ron Laux seeks a fourth term against Chris Snow, who is hoping to switch

seats and earn a second term. Local voters will have choices for several federal and state offices as

U.S. Senate — Incumbent Republican Todd Young, Democrat Thomas McDermott and Libertarian James Sceniak

Republican Jim Banks, independent Nathan Gotsch and Democrat Gary

State Representative — Incumbent J.D. Prescott and Democrat John

Bartlett Indiana Secretary of State — Libertarian Jeffrey Maurer, Republican Diego Morales and Democrat Destiny

Scott Wells Indiana State Treasurer — Republican Daniele Elliott and Democrat Jessica McClellan

Indiana Auditor — Incumbent Republican Tera Klutz, Democrat ZeNai Brooks and Libertarian John Andrew Schick

Voters will also be asked if they would like to retain Judge Nancy H. Vaidik on the Indiana Court of Appeals.

There are also three races for town councils and boards:

Redkey — Incumbent Democrat Dottie Quakenbush, Republicans Chance Retter and Floyd Life and independent Gavin Grady

Pennville — Republicans Alicia Corwin and Branda Manns, and Democrat Millie Ellis

Salamonia — Republicans Carrie Shaneyfelt, Michelle Jones and Mike Shreeve and independents Penny Gaskill, Ronald Mills and Donald Shauver

Candidates for township advisory boards are as follows:

Bearcreek — Democrats Shelli Rigsbee and James Haffner Greene — Democrats Robert Bailey,

Don Whitenack and Bill Bailey Jackson — Republicans Kathy

U.S. Representative — Incumbent Mosser, Matt Caster and Terry Rigby Jefferson — Democrat Richard Nixon and Republican Janet Confer Knox — Republicans Dennis

Rodgers and Joella Rinker Madison — Republican Greg Shree-

Noble — Republicans Jeff Overholser, Emily Daugherty and Eldon Campbell

Penn — Republican Ronald Paxson Pike — Republicans Tammy Horn, Scott Coy and Jeff Alberson

Richland — Democrats Gary Glogas and Joseph Lloyd

Wabash — Republican Jane Martin Uncontested candidates are as fol-

•Republicans Travis Holdman for state senate, Emily Franks for county auditor, Melanie Upp of recorder, Robin Alberson for assessor, Faron Parr for county council District 3, Cindy Bracy for county council District 4, Rex Pinkerton for Jackson Township Trustee, Angela Moeller for Jefferson Township Trustee, Jenny Cline-Wagner for Knox Township Trustee, Scott Hilfiker for Madison Township Trustee, Virginia Cline for Noble Township Trustee, Steven Cash for Penn Township Trustee, Missy Elliott for Pike Township Trustee, Jason Rosenbeck for Wabash Township Trustee and James Brewster for Wayne Township

•Democrats Wes Schemenaur of county prosecutor, Crystal Laux for Bearcreek Township Trustee, Nancy Cline for Green Township Trustee and David Champ for Richland Township Trustee.

# Campaign ...

Continued from page 1 Other initiatives supported by the organization include the Dolly Imagination Parton Library in partnership with Jay County REMC and food and shelter grants for local food banks.

'We've got an awful lot of agencies depending on us for funding," said Run-yon. "Plus we do an awful lot of other activities in the community, such as the tailgate food give-

aways.' This mark's Denney's fifth annual campaign as a co-chair, having previously teamed up with the late Vicki Tague on consecutive campaigns from 2016-17 through 2018-19

and serving as a co-chair with Gardner last year.

"I think United Way is important to the entire community because it's a consolidation of so many organizations," said Denney, also noting that there are often matching funds. "You can donate to the United Way and it goes to almost any nonprofit you would want.

"It's just a great way to support so many charities here in Jay County."

Campaign cabinet members in addition to Denney are Gardner are board of directors liaison Mike Weitzel, education chair Rex Pinkerton, professional co-chairs Drew Houck and Rita Lutes, small business

Jeanna Ford, agriculture Wells. United Way board chair Mark Tillman, lead- members are Tami Vor-Pam Bennett, healthcare chair Monica Goble, service organization chair Traci Gross and govern-Weitzel and Patrick and Wells.

ership co-chairs Pat and mohr (president), Gross (vice president), Kristen Gibson (secretary), Emily Richards (treasurer), Tamara Kaufman. ment co-chairs Mike Goble, Houck, Weitzel

# ANNUAL MEETING

Little Salamonia Cemetery Assoc. **Tuesday, October 11th** 6:00 P.M.

Location: Jay County Public Library meeting room

Contact info: 260-729-2721

# **SERVICES**

Saturday

Gamester, Jack: II a.m., Williamson-Spencer and Penrod Funeral Home, 208 N. Commerce St., Portland.

Tipton, Joyce: I p.m., Baird-Freeman Funeral Home, 221 N. Meridian St., Portland.

Sunday Corwin, Jason: 3 p.m.,

Williamson, Spencer and Penrod Funeral Home, 190 S. Union St., Pennville.

> Monday Parks, Richard: 2 p.m., Baird-

Freeman Funeral Home, 221 N. Meridian St., Portland.

Wednesday

Baird-Freeman Funeral Home,

221 N. Meridian St., Portland.

Brumbaugh, Betty: 2 p.m.,

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We wish the new owners continued success.

### The Inman Families, Doug and Lori

Dean and Jennifer Rusty and Elizabeth Roger and Bev





# **Rockets donation**

The Portland Rockets received a \$1,500 donation from Bulmahn Farms of Decatur. Pictured are Marilyn Bulmahn and Randy Fisher.

# Woman ruins family holidays

DEAR ABBY: With the holidays approaching, I am starting to become anxious. I have a family member who ruins every holiday she doesn't have control over. (She excludes some family members.) My children and grandchildren don't like to associate with her, but attend holiday events at her home to keep the peace.

If I host the holiday, everyone is included. But I'm getting older, and even with my children's help, it's difficult for me. My husband and I have thought about going on vacation just to get away from this particular relative, but then we don't get to spend the holidays with the rest of our large extended family. This woman has ruined our holidays for almost 40 years. I can't take it anymore! Please tell me what to do. — DREADS HOLIDAYS IN

DEAR DREADS: I have a suggestion, if you are open to it. Because you would like to spend time celebrating with your adult children, do it before or after Thanksgiving and Christmas

Dear Abby



ily" gathering. No rule says you must get together on a particular day. See your extended family members another time.

If you opt to do this, it may relieve the stress you are now experiencing. And one more thought: TAKE that vacation with your husband that you have been considering. You both deserve it.

P.S. If you are asked why you aren't having your usual big bash this year, be honest. If you say you are older now and it has become too much for you, in years to come someone may pick up where you left off.

DEAR ABBY: How should somethis year. Make it a "nuclear fam- one answer when asked, "How old me again."

are you?" I try to politely joke about it and say something like, "A lady never tells." But sometimes people are so persistent they won't let it go. The most common response from them is, "I don't mind telling you MY age." I usually respond with, "I don't care what your age is."

I find the question intrusive and. frankly, rude, especially when it's asked in front of other people. Sometimes this is followed by guessing my age. When did it become acceptable to ask someone — who is obviously older — their age? My thought is if you listen to things I talk about, the music I grew up with and how I talk about retirement, you should be able to figure out my age. Please advise. — AGELESS LADY IN WASHINGTON

DEAR AGELESS: Try this: When someone asks that question, respond by asking, "Why do you want to know?" and let the questioner explain why they NEED that information. When the person is finished talking, say: "Well, my age is not your business, and please don't ask

# Marriage licenses

Willow R. Blowers, 27, Portland, and Nikolas E. Sager, 34,

Jaden J. Riojas, 17, Dunkirk, Brayden L. Fields, 35, Portland, and Jennay D. Jackson, 32, Portand Dillon J. Mosier, 25, Jones-

Carrie E. Enyart, 30, Redkey, and Clayton W. Mink, 37, Redkey

and Justice L. Stewart, 20, Port-Brandi L. Farmer, 44, Pen-

nville, and John W. Leeson, 53, Pennville

Leonard A. Crouch, Dunkirk, and Kristy L. Dishman, 52, Dunkirk

Ashley M. Alig, 23, Bryant, and Anthony J. Schwieterman, 28, Portland

Noah M.K. Eicher, 23, Bryant, and Bertha L. Wickey, 21, Bryant Madison S. Bantz, 24, Dunkirk,

and Damion L.R. Roberts, 24,

and Haley L. McCord, 30, Port-Krystal N.M. Ashley, 38, Redkey, and Steven A. McDowell, 39,

Tyler W. Boxell, 27, Portland,

Steven P. Smith, 60, Dunkirk, and Dawn C. York, 51, Dunkirk

# Kaitlin M. Ford, 23, Portland,

Portland

and Austin M. Weese, 23, Dunkirk

Josephine G. Girod, 24, Bryant,

and Reuben U. Girod, 21, Berne Trevor M. Ingram, 23, Portland,

# Take care of yourself this winter

By BARTON GOLDSMITH Tribune News Service

Summer is over, and many of the activities that go with it are too. Time to break out the sweaters and get those walks in before cold weather sets in. It's so much easier to keep your body moving and your diet on track when it's nice outside.

In the winter months, we tend to crave more comfort foods that are usually higher in calories, but they make us feel better. Unfortunately, comfort foods can put some weight on you if you aren't still moving

I would rather avoid the cold, and last year we invested in a treadmill. which helps keep both of us moving when it's raining or uncomfortable outside.

We also watched a few videos on how to exercise as a couple and help each other stretch and limber up. It really is more fun to exercise together, and we motivate each other.

the middle of the day, we go for a walk together while the sun is shin-

# **Barton Goldsmith**



also good exercise and burns lots of calories. We put on some music and break out the supplies for a couple of hours, which is usually all it

Doing housework as well as walking or doing yoga burns calories. The more active you are, the more calories you burn. According to Healthline, just tidying up burns around 238 calories an hour, and moving boxes burns more than twice that many calories. Doing this kind of work is good for your mental health too.

with a spouse or friend.

Cleaning the house together is over to help out around the house. I smith.com.

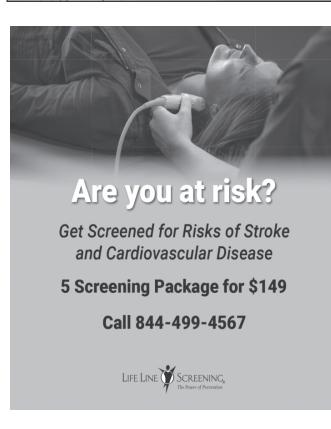
didn't burn many calories on that occasion — they insisted that I sit on the couch and direct. But just visiting with them made me feel much better — and certainly the house was a lot nicer after they left!

It's important to take action if you find yourself not doing much and not taking care of yourself or your surroundings. Your mental attitude has a lot to do with it. If you are feeling depressed or anxious, you may not be taking emotional self-care seriously, mainly because you feel bad and can't see your way out of it.

Perhaps the most important thing you can do then is to talk to a licensed therapist and a medical doctor. When your mind is aligned correctly, taking care of yourself becomes a natural and regular part of your life.

Dr. Barton Goldsmith, a psy-So you can easily see how quickly *chotherapist in Westlake Village*, If I'm feeling lazy, my wife coaxes you can keep yourself in shape California, is the author of "The me and I almost always join her. If I doing things you want to do and also Happy Couple: How to Make Happifind myself with an hour to spare in making them fun by doing them ness a Habit One Little Loving Thing at a Time." Follow his daily insights Some years ago when I broke my on Twitter at @BartonGoldsmith, or shoulder, a couple of friends came email him at Barton@bartongold-

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# **Community Calendar**

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**Saturday** 

PORTLAND FARMERS a.m. at Zion Evangelical

Notices will appear in MARKET — Will be held Lutheran Church, 218 E. Community Calendar as from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. each High St., Portland. For space is available. To sub- Saturday in the parking mit an item, email lot at The Rock Church, 1605 N. Meridian St.

ALCOHOLICS ANONY-MOUS — Will meet at 10

**Monday** 

(260) 251-3336 or (260) 729-

PORTLAND BREAK- ${\tt FAST\ OPTIMISTS-Will}$ meet at 7 a.m. for breakfast at Richards Restaurant.

more information, call

BRYANT AREA COM-MUNITY CENTER a.m. every Wednesday and Friday.

PING PONG — Will be each Monday at Jay Community Center.

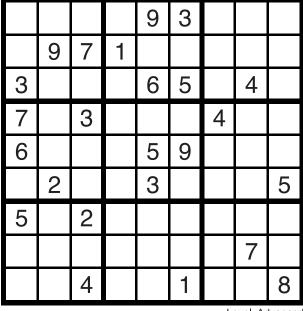
played starting at 1 p.m. each Monday at West Jay Community Center, 125 Hoover St., Dunkirk.

PREGNANCY CARE CENTER — Free pregnan-

played from 9 a.m. to noon GROUP — Meets at 3 p.m. on the second Monday of each month at Mercer EUCHRE — Will be Health in Coldwater, Ohio.

### cv 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 Walking from 9:30 to 10:30 appointment, call (260) 726-8636. Walk-ins accept-Monday, DIABETES SUPPORT

# Sudoku

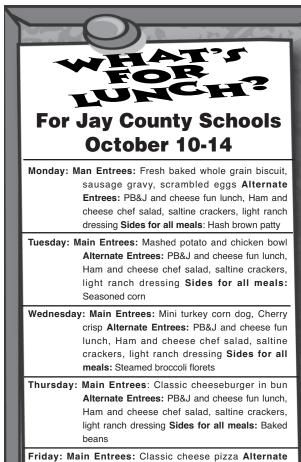


Friday's Solution

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

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# For the facts, we need newspapers

By AL CROSS

I love social media.

They keep me in touch with dozens of friends, whom I might otherwise have contact with just every few years, or every few

They let me share articles that I think bring greater understanding of a subject, usually with a comment of my own, and enjoy similar sharing by others.

They let me share my own writing, reaching a wider audience than I did when I worked for newspapers, and be part of national, even international, conversations.

I hate social media.

They have become the default sources of information for most Americans, and major sources of misinformation — even disinformation — that polarizes the country and drives us into media echo chambers.

They have added to the confusion between fact and opinion, and to our natural desire for information that confirms what



we believe, rather than information that may challenge those

They have led Americans to spend more time online in virtual communities instead of the geographic communities where we live, pay taxes and elect local lead-

My love-hate relationship with social media stems mainly from the fact that I am a journalist who believes that freedom of information is essential to our democratic republic, and who has done most of my journalism for newspapers — which are the main fact-finders in our society.

Newspapers are finding it truth to power and hold it

more difficult to perform that essential function, mainly because much of their audience and more of their advertisers now prefer social media.

Newspapers have as many readers as they ever did, but the audience is mainly online, and reached through social-media posts that bring them no income. There's a bill in Congress to address that, called the Journalism Preservation Act, but what news media also need is more citizens who appreciate and support their work.

Newspapers are not only the zens. main fact-finders for citizens; they are institutions that speak

ment into the Constitution, to guarantee freedom of speech, press, petition, assembly and religion.

Freedom of the press demands certain responsibilities of those who exercise it. Too many citizens don't realize that journalists have a set of generally agreed-upon ethics, and that journalism is a collective enterprise, with editors and other colleagues who help each other deliver a fair report.

My favorite description of how journalism is supposed to be practiced is in The Elements of Journalism, a book by Bill Kovach and Tom Rosenstiel. They list 10 elements; here are the first five, which are the most fundamental:

1. Journalism's first obligation is to the truth.

2.Its first loyalty is to citi-

3.Its essence is a discipline of verification.

practitioners must *nalists*.

accountable. That's why our maintain an independence founders put the First Amend- from those they cover.

5.It must serve as an independent monitor of power.

The element I quote most often these days is No. 3, about the discipline of verification. It means that we tell readers how we know something, or we attribute it to someone.

Social media have no discipline and no verification.

And they're mainly about opinion, not facts.

Journalism, especially in newspapers, is mainly about facts, not opinion.

Opinions are the heartbeat of a democracy, but they should be based on facts. And for the facts, we need newspapers.

Cross is professor of journalism and director of the Institute for Rural Journalism at the University of Kentucky. He was a weekly newspaper editor and manager, political writer for the Louisville Courier Journal and president of the Society of Professional Jour-

# The parties need to come together

By KELLY HAWES CNHI News Indiana

Maybe the politicians talking about the border crisis ought to meet Albeleis Arteaga.

He traveled for nearly two months with his wife and 4-month-old child just to get to the United States.

If I had any money right now, I wouldn't be out here putting my family through this," the 29-year-old told reporter Uriel J. García of The Texas Tribune. "My head throbs not knowing what to do next or how to get out of here."

Arteaga is among thousands of Venezuelans pouring across the southern

He, his wife and child arrived in El Paso, a Texas border community that is already overwhelmed.

Many of the migrants are returned to Mexico under an emergency health order known as Title 42, but that's not an option for Venezuelans. They're on a severed diplomatic ties with that country in 2019.

So, the immigrants wind up in shelters — or on the

When Garcia encountered Arteaga and his family, they were outside a bus station, trying to shield themselves from the rain with a waterlogged sheet. They had been dropped off by the Border Patrol after two days in custody.

The family spent much of the next day in a makeshift migrant camp, and the day after that, they joined dozens of other migrants on a charter bus bound for New York City.

That bus wasn't chartered by Greg Abbott or Ron DeSantis, by the way. It was chartered by the Democratic mayor of El Paso.

In an interview with Tapper, CNN's Jake New York City Mayor Eric Adams called the crush of immigrants a "humanitarian crisis created by human hands."

"We're all supposed to come together and coordinate," he said. "Coordination during a crisis is something that we must do left behind in Venezuela. together.

That's the federal governnor of the state of Texas, as dream.





state of Florida."

and DeSantis are dealing with a very real crisis.

"You're talking about 3.4 million people, just since the start of this Biden ernor supposed to do?'

U.S. Sen. Dick Durbin isn't convinced Republicans want to solve the problem. He called out minority leader Mitch McConnell in remarks on the Senate

"This morning," Durbin said, "Senator McConnell said orderly, legal immigralist of nationalities Mexico tion is part of what makes won't accept, and they can't America strong. Anarchy be sent back to Venezuela and open borders make us because the United States weak. I don't know of any rational person who would disagree with that comment, but I think, for the record, we should make clear that nine years ago, when we considered comprehensive immigration reform, a bipartisan bill on the floor of the United States Senate, the senator from Kentucky voted against it.'

Republican control.

tem," Durbin said.

for political purposes, let's fix it. We've done that. We've passed legislation on a bipartisan basis, even in this evenly divided Senate."

was in New York City, looking for a job. Any job.

enough money to support his family and maybe send a few bucks to the folks he

He wants to make a home in New York City. He wants ment, that is also the gover- to live the American

well as the governor of the Sen. Mike Rounds of

South Dakota said Abbott

administration, that have crossed the border, ..." he told Tapper. "What is a gov-

That bill, the work of the so-called Gang of Eight, passed the Senate with 14 Republican votes. It never came up for a vote in the House, which was under

'The right thing to do is what we did nine years ago, a bipartisan approach to fixing the immigration sys-

"Instead of exploiting it At last report, Arteaga

He wants to make



# Fentanyl is a serious threat

By PAUL THORNTON

Tribune News Service

It's been a banner few years for parents having to talk about deadly things with their children. A pandemic. Mass shootings. Climate change. The end of democracy.

And now fentanyl.

Catastrophes like COVID-19 and global warming are problems on a scale so vast that they can be difficult to understand, let alone explain to our children (and believe me, I'm try-

Fentanyl, on the other hand, feels like the real monster hiding on the playground, one that poses a deadly risk not to humanity, but to your child. And a surge in overdoses is forcing parents to talk about drugs with their children in ways we never imagined, and without the kind of advice this threat demands.

In recent weeks, nine students in the Los Angeles Unified School District have suffered overdoses; one student, 15-year-old Melanie Ramos, died Sept. 13 at Helen Bernstein High School in Hollywood from a suspected fentanyl poisoning.

The word "poisoning" here is key: Melanie reportedly did not know she was ingesting fentanyl, a synthetic opioid many times more powerful and cheaper than heroin. Illicit drugmakers figured they can make more money by cutting their pills and powders with fentanyl, the survival of their users be damned. Melanie apparently thought she was swallowing Percocet.

Right now, if you're thinking no teen should take an opiate in the first recently retired from teaching par-letters editor.

Business manager

**Paul Thornton** 



place, ask yourself: How old were you when you first experimented with drugs? What risks did you take in high school that didn't kill you? Melanie behaved in a way not unlike what 15-year-olds have been doing for ages. But she died because she did it in 2022, when "Percocet" pills are

sometimes fentanyl. The night after Melanie died, we had our family conversation about drugs and alcohol years earlier than planned. My three children are young two fifth graders and a first grader but there seemed no reason to delay. My wife, a teacher, was forth-

right and calm; I was less calm. She built on past conversations with our children about being in charge of what we do with our bodies; this time, the focus was what we put into them. When it was my turn to speak, I felt as if I were reliving the bad old days of the 1980s, when Mr. T and Nancy Reagan told us to just say no. I know that message didn't work for me or many of my friends.

Unsatisfied by my flailing and puzzling over how parents can project calm amid such a novel and unforgiving threat, I sought the advice of Maribeth Henry, a licensed family therapist and podcast host who enting classes at Pasadena City College. (She also happens to have been my P.E. teacher in first grade — small world.)

She put the talks we need to have with our children in the context of a longer-term lesson on consent — the idea that you have control with what happens to your body. She said a discussion with my 10-year-olds on fentanyl could build on the idea that other people are not allowed to treat your body in ways you don't want. Henry says an age-appropriate way to refer to these bad actors is as "tricky people." Now, there are "tricky people" selling fentanyl to kids like Melanie, even though Melanie did not consent to having that deadly drug

put into her body. Of course, Henry says it's important to have continuing discussions over many years and build trust with

your children as they grow. Right now, though, the threat posed by fentanyl is immediate, grave and pervasive, and emergency measures need to be taken. "Let's get Narcan in all the high schools," Henry told me. And in fact, Los Angeles school district officials recently announced that all schools will be stocking that

overdose reversal drug. But emergency measures won't be enough if we fail to address the "why" of increased drug use. Henry says people in her profession are sadly unsurprised by this crisis. What's also needed, she says, is to "uptick the therapists and the support in these communities, too.'

Thornton is the Los Angeles Times'

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# **Bank donates**

First Bank of Berne has made several recent donations, including \$1,500 to Secret Families Christmas Charity of Jay County. Pictured, Deanna Walker of First Bank of Berne presents a check to Secret Families representatives Amanda Foreman and Conny Knight.

Other recent donations include \$1,000 to Portland Fire Department, which recently provided fire extinguisher training for First Bank of Berne's Portland branch, and \$1,000 to Jay-Randolph Developmental Services.

# First Financial holding food drive

A local bank branch will be part of a food drive.

First Financial Bank is holding a food drive for World Food Day 2022.

Non-perishable food items can be donated at all First Financial locations, including 112 N. Meridian St., Portland, during regular business hours. At the conclusion of the drive, food will be delivered to local organizations.

"Food insecurity is an issue for people worldwide, and the problem became more severe because of the pandemic," said Roddell McCullough, chief corporate responsibility officer for First Financial Bank, in a press release. "First Financial and our associates are eager to begin this local food drive and help our neighbors who do not have enough to eat."

### Partnership scheduled Mercer Health has announced

a new partnership with Dr. John

Naveau of Coldwater, Ohio.

Naveau has had a practice in Coldwater since 1983 as Coldwa-

# **Business** roundup

ter Medical. The practice at 407 S. Oak St. in Coldwater will transition to become Mercer Health Medical Group at South

Dr. Jonathan Winner and Dr. Alyssa Tobe will joined Naveau in seeing patients in Coldwater.

### **Hiring event set**

Eastern Indiana Works will hold its 2022 Eastern Indiana Veterans Resource Fair and Hiring Event Oct. 20.

The free event will run from 2 to 6 p.m. at Tom Raper Center, 861 Salisbury Road, Richmond. Offerings include free health screenings, employment opportunities, educational information, governmental resources and mental health services.

"A small idea nine years ago

event of this kind in Eastern Indiana," said Brian Rea, Eastern Indiana Works WorkOne disabled veterans outreach program specialist, in a press release. "All of a sudden, we had partners and businesses wanting to help out and donating their services. That's a positive community at work!"

### CenterPoint launching

CenterPoint Energy is introducing an optional repair service program — HomeServe for its residential customers in Indiana and Ohio.

The program is in partnership with local contractors. The program is an expansion of an initiative already implemented in other CenterPoint service

"When you have an unexpectcostly," said Gregg Knight, CenterPoint executive vice president of customer transformation and business services, in a press release.

with no budget has blossomed expanded program from Home- manager Adam Koehler. "These into what is probably the largest Serve, CenterPoint Energy customers in Indiana and Ohio can opt into a repair service plan that will make an unexpected home repair less stressful with skilled local technicians ready to serve. This is another way that we are always looking out for our customers.

### Going solar

Ardagh Group, which operates glass manufacturing facilities in Dunkirk and Winchester, has announced the start of construction on three on-site solar projects in the Netherlands.

The new solar installations will provide electricity to the company's facilities in Dongen, Moerdijk and Oss. The goal is to have those sites powered by 100% renewable electricity by

Ardagh is partnering with ed repair in your home, it can be Eneco and Zoncoalitie on the effort.

> "It's an exciting time for Ardagh's renewable energy program," said Ardagh global "With this renewable energy program and our community."

state-of-the-art solar installations will supply renewable electricity to all of our metal and glass facilities across the Netherlands, which will make a significant impact in reducing our carbon footprint."

### **BSU** transfers

Ball State University last week transferred land to Muncie Redevelopment Commission.

The 12.36 acres transferred from the college to the city will be used to develop 30 to 40 new homes. The site is located south of Riggin Road and west of Everett Road on the city's north side.

"Our decision to transfer this land to the city is yet another example of our University's ongoing commitment to Muncie," said BSU board chair Renae Conley in a press release. 'It is with collaborative, creative support like this that we can continue to positively advance both our University

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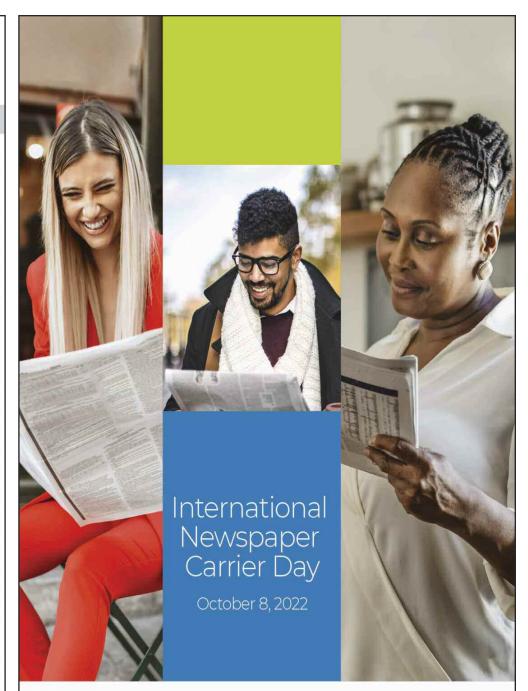
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Today's Cryptoquip Clue: I equals B

## Trivial Review

### It's in the game

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2) In what video game did the character Marion first appear?

> 2) Donkey Kong 1) PlayStation 2

### 10-10 **CRYPTOQUIP**

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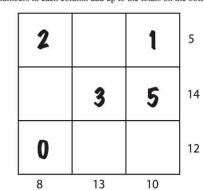


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ANSWER: TWO MINUTES

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Math Blocks





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Answer: Squirt toothpaste



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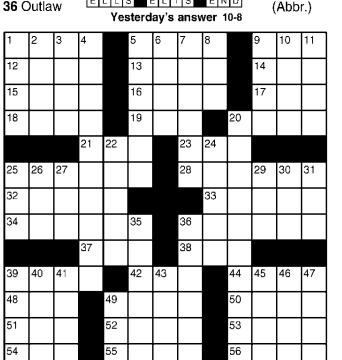
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# Contract By Steve Becker

# The better way

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Opening lead — king of diamonds Many declarers are guilty of choosing the line of least resistance in trying to make their contract. When the chosen approach fails, they blame the outcome on an unfavorable lie of the cards.

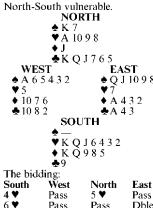
That was the excuse South used on this deal after he went down in six spades. He won the opening diamond lead with the ace, drew two rounds of trump and ruffed a

diamond in dummy.

Since it appeared that the slam could not be made unless East had

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# Famous Hand



South dealer.

title

Pass Pass Dble Opening lead — ace of spades. This deal occurred in the 1932 national pair championship. The hand itself was not extraordinary,

but what happened at one of the tables provides a most amusing East-West had already played half the afternoon session when they encountered the deal. During

that time, they had accomplished the unenviable feat of losing no fewer than seven aces during the play (mostly on defense).

They were naturally disconsolate

cashed the ace of clubs and led a club to the queen. West won with the king and returned a heart to South's ace. Declarer later lost a club to East to finish down one. South's line of play made no provision for the possibility that West might hold the doubleton king of

the king of clubs, declarer next

clubs, in which case the slam was makable. After winning the ace of diamonds and drawing two rounds of trump, declarer should have cashed the A-K of hearts, ruffed a heart,

ruffed the jack of diamonds and ruffed dummy's last heart. The purpose of these plays would be to eliminate West's hearts so he could not later safely exit with that suit.

In the process, South would have learned that West had started with

four hearts was well as a singleton spade and five or six diamonds for his overcall. And if West had six diamonds, then he could hold only two clubs. This in turn would mean that, whether West had the king of

that, whether West had the king of clubs or not, the slam was assured.

After ruffing dummy's last heart, declarer next plays the ace and another club to the queen. This loses to West's king, but it no longer matters. Since West has nothing but diamonds left, he must return the action of the state of th one, allowing South to discard dummy's remaining club as he ruffs in his hand, and the slam is home.

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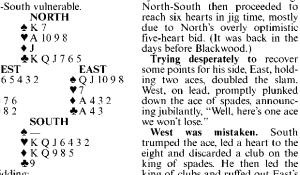
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# Contract By Steve Becker

# by the time this hand came along.



We won't lose."

West was mistaken. South trumped the ace, led a heart to the hand discarded a club on the eight and discarded a club on the king of spades. He then led the king of clubs and ruffed out East's

Warming to his task, declarer crossed to dummy with another trump, cashed all five of dummy's remaining clubs — which luckily were divided 3-3 — and discarded all five of his diamonds to make the

doubled contract with an overtrick!

Of course, had West led any suit other than spades, South would have gone down one, and West's words would not have achieved immortality. As it was, though, East-West, who had started the deal having had seven of their aces put to sleep, finished the hand with three more aces to add to their col-

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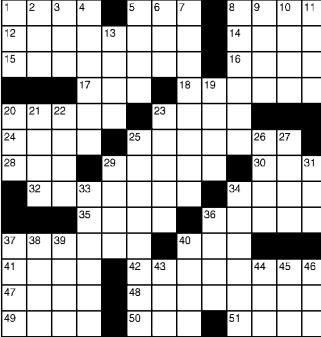
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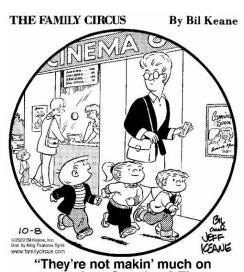
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"They're not makin' much on us, are they, Grandma? Three children and one senior.'





'Merry Christmas.''





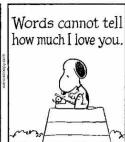














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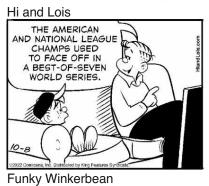


































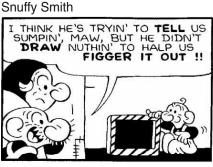


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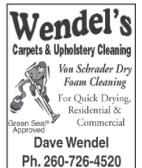
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# Public Notice

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AMENDED SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION STATE OF INDIANA JAY COUNTY, SS: IN THE JAY CIRCUIT COURT  $2022\,\mathrm{TERM}$ CAUSE NO: 38C01-2209-DC-000079 IN RE THE CUSTODY OF

RADLEE ALANA CHOWNING TONYA CHOWNING and LACY CHOWNING Petitioners

TO: ALL UNKOWN PARTIES A Verified Petition for Custody has been filed in the above caption matter, in the Court stated above.

A copy of the petition is attached to this document. All persons having an interest in the above-referenced custody matter, must file an objection in the office of the Clerk of this Court within twenty-one (21) days You must answer in writing, within twenty-one (21) days commencing the day after the publication is run, or a Custody Order will be entered for what the Petitioners have requested. If you have a claim for relief against the Petitioners arising from the same transaction or oc currence you must assert it in your written answer The following manner of ser-

vice of summons is hereby designated: PUBLICATION BY THE COMMERCIAL REVIEW. Date 10-4-2022

QUIRK & HUNTER PC Attorneys at Law 117 E. Main Street Muncie, IN 47305 Jon Eads Clerk, Jay Circuit Court



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LIVE AND ONLINE **PUBLIC AUCTION** Located 806 E Votaw

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10 A.M. TRACTROS/TRAIL-**ERS/HIT & MISS** MOTORS/FARM IMPLE-MENTS & BOATS

1995 Triton Elite 16' aluminum trailer, 2015 carry-on trailer w/drop down ramp, 1973 Cushman Truckster, New Holland TC35D 35 HP tractor w/loader-645 hours, 16' fishing boat w/trailer, livestock gates.

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AU11500034 419-305-9202 Brian Rismiller AU10900156 **PUBLIC AUCTION** 

Located: 922 W Seventh Street Portland, IN Saturday morning OCTOBER 15th, 2022 10:00 AM. **REAL ESTATE** PARCEL #1: This parcel has a ranch

style home with 2039 square feet of living space and was built in 1973. PARCEL #2: This parcel has a 2 bedroom, 1 full bathroom home setting on it with approximately 3.6 acres

pond. PARCEL #3: There are approximately

of wooded area with

### 90 SALE CALENDAR

13.13 acres of tillable and wooded ground in this parcel.

PARCEL #4: This parcel consists of Parcel #1 and Parcel #2. 2 houses with approximately 4.12 acres. PARCEL #5:

This is the entire property with 2 houses and 17.25 acres. For more information or private showing contact

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DONNA TYNDALL

AU10700085 Travis Theurer AU11200131 **PUBLIC AUCTION** Located at 333 Blaine Pike (former DAV Build-

ing), Portland, IN

Thursday Afternoon

OCTOBER 13, 2022 4:30 P.M. MODERN HOUSEHOLD GOODS - OLD & COL-LECTORS ITEMS -

**TOOLS** Sealy Hybrid king size bed; dining room table with 6 chairs; Queen Anne style chairs; rocker: tea cart: marble top coffee table; bird cage with stand; FOSTORIA: pitcher and tumblers, plates, bowls and ice bucket; Bavaria plates; decanters; several Silver serving pieces; Roy

Rogers binoculars; cuckoo clock; Atari gaming system; vintage Barbie dolls; steins; wrenches; saws; pipe wrenches; pruners; bolt cutters; shovels; rakes; and other items not listed. **AUCTIONEERS NOTE:** 

This is a very clean auction with nice variety of items. Please note that this is only a partial listing of the items to be sold. DR. THOMAS FAULKN-

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**260 PUBLIC AUCTION** 

# **PUBLIC AUCTION**

Located at 408 E Main Street, Portland Indiana on Sunday Afternoon

# OCTOBER 16, 2022

1:00 P.M.

HIGH QUALITY HOME FURNISHINGS **ANTIQUES - TOOLS** 

3 pc. queen size bedroom suit with matching 4 drawer chest along with vanity and bench. This is a very nice suit with decorative features; Queen size bedroom suit with matching dresser and mirror; 3 pc. living room suit consisting of sofa, chair and chaise lounge; Queen size bedroom suit with matching large dresser and mirror along with night stand; dining room table with 6 chairs and matching buffet; full size bed; fold out table with 4 chairs; 5 drawer chest; 3 drawer chest; large assortment of rugs including round, rectangular, and runners; glass top bench; large round glass top table; settee; side chair; plant stand; Element TV; Singer Merritt sewing machine; child's wood rocker; (4) bar stools; hall table; Dimplex electric fireplace; (2) side chairs; occasional stand; lighted curio cabinet; metal patio table with 6 chairs; metal lounger; park bench; floor lamps; drying rack; pictures; mirror; lamps; Milk White; Shawnee including cookie jar, creamer and sugar, and bowls; Hull vase; Galanz microwave/air fryer; Mikasa French Countryside 12 place set of dishes; mantel clock; floral arrangements; wall paper and papering supplies; sweepers; crock pot; cookware; office chair; Expresso machine; Christmas decorations; porcelain sink with metal cabinet; metal racks; portable air tank; golf clubs; Infrared grill; carpenters box; hose; old windows; wood work bench; indexers; charcoal grill; and many other items not listed.

AUCTIONEERS NOTE: Gary and Lori recently sold their historic home in Portland and are This auction offers a nice selection relocating. high quality items.

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### **260 PUBLIC AUCTION**

# **PUBLIC AUCTION**

Sale to be held in the former DAV Building, 333 Blaine Pike, Portland Indiana on Monday Evening

# **NOVEMBER 7, 2022**

206.43 ACRES IN JACKSON TOWNSHIP -JAY COUNTY INDIANA

TRACT 1 – 76.84 acres with 67.39 tillable acres 9.1 acres of woods, and .35 acre of roadway. This tract is very level with Blount-Glynwood, Glynwood and Pewamo soils. TRACT 2 - 129.59 acres with 127.57 tillable

acres, 1.50 acres of woods, and .52 acre of roadway. This tract is very level with Blount-Glynwood, Pewamo and Glynwood soils.

TRACT 3 - 206.43 ACRES (Tracts 1 and 2 combined).

This farm can be farmed in one field

Terms of Sale: 10% nonrefundable deposit day of sale with balance due at closing. Seller will provide Warranty Deed and Owners Title Insurance. Buyer will assume property taxes due and payable in May 2023 and thereafter. Any statements made day of sale take precedence over previously written or oral matter. Owner confirmation day of sale.

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**260 PUBLIC AUCTION** 

# **PUBLIC AUCTION**

Located at 926 West Seventh Street, Portland Indiana (across from Green Park Cemetery) on Saturday Morning

# OCTOBER 15, 2022

10:00 A.M. **REAL ESTATE** PARCEL #1:

This parcel has a ranch style home with 2039 square feet of living space and was built in 1973. There are 3 bedrooms, 2 full bathrooms and an attached 2 car garage. House sets on .52 acres. House has city water and sewer. PARCEL #2:

This parcel has a 2 bedroom, 1 full bathroom home setting on it with approximately 3.6 acres of wooded area with pond. The house has 929 square feet of living area and an attached garage. House has city water and sewer. PARCEL #3:

There are approximately 13.13 acres of tillable and wooded ground in this parcel. PARCEL #4:

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4 pc. Mid Century Modern bedroom suit; Oak commode with towel bar; kitchen table with 5 chairs; Mid Century Modern table; 2 twin beds with matching dresser and desk/bookshelf; wood high chairs; 5 pc. bedroom suit; Lane cedar chest; bookshelf; child's chair; brass lamp; end tables; floor lamp; plant stand; hall table; occasional chair; Singer sewing machine; Oak round table; Oak TV stand; school desk; Berne sofa; Oak stand; Samsung TV; formica table with 2 benches; Whirlpool washer and dryer; 5 drawer chest; GE washer and dryer; St Clair lamp; Maple Peninsular cast iron stove; Fostoria glasses; matchbox cars; Goebel figurines; Hull wall pocket; mantel clock; vintage Ansco camera; glass basket; buttons; McCoy planter; marbles; glass jars; #2, #6 crown and #8 crocks; cow bell; Carnival vases; Case cutlery; old newspapers and clippings; Ruby Red pitcher and glasses; Carnival plates; 1929 and 1930 Portland HS Typhoons; LM Evilsizer, Portland song book; Custard Glass cereal bowls; Jay Co History, Volume 1; 1907 Jay County directory; old plat books; tin types; Elgin pocket watch; hat pins; crock bowl; doilies; Charlie Horse western hat; Western Auto pellet gun; several Western Auto catalogs from the 50's and 60's; ceramic Christmas tree; quilt; bedspreads; ladies hats; bow; several Virginia Carlson paintings; old prints; Lionel Train books; Tyco train pieces; Fisher Price barn; dolls; Cowpoke roll cap pistols in holsters; Hubley pistols with cowhide leather holsters; vintage wall decorations from Western Auto Store, Portland; vintage nativity set; old bead garland; old Christmas bulbs; 45 records; children's records; old puzzles; vintage Fisher Price rolling ducks; card games; Peoples Bank and Citizens Bank, Portland banks; Woody's, Portland can opener/spoon; Johan Haviland Barvaria Germany set of dishes; Noritake set of dishes; Portland Forge anvils; Boys Scouts and Girls Scout badges and patches; oval concave frames; cookie cutters; cookbooks; collector plates; stained glass lamp; Melmac dishes; "Bubble" pattern dishes; coyote bag; Black Bear hide; Otter necklace; medicine bag; arrows; 2 pc. vintage flower urn; water pumps; grinders measuring stick; (3) metal base kitchen cabinets; galvanized funnel; ladle; Advantage wheel chair; Shark steam cleaner; Berlin Flyer wagon; card table and chairs; Halloween decorations; antique books; Dirt Devil sweeper; metal cabinet; (2) 4 drawer file cabinets; coal hod; buckets; coal shovels; belt measurer; galvanized trash can; shepherd's hooks; park bench; swing; lawn carts; planter; coolers; rods and reels; Dewalt nailer; Black and Decker 14.4 rechargeable drill; Lincoln 225 amp welder; furniture clamps; vise; ratchet set; socket set; indexers: tool boxes; clamps; Milwaukee Sawzall; angle grinder; screwdrivers; pliers; levels; pipe wrench; C clamps; straps; metal shelves; floor jack; Black and Decker jig saw; punch sets; Craftsman electric weed eater; Sunjoe electric rototiller; boat seats; gas cans; rakes; hoes; shovels; pruners; scaffolding; extension ladder; pipe bender; sprayer; screws; nuts; bolts; peg hooks; saw horses; 2 wheel cart; table saw; wheelbarrow; shopping cart; wood step ladders;

hose; and other items not listed. AUCTIONEERS NOTE: Donna's family owned and operated the Western Auto Store in Portland for many years and this auction offers a nice variety of items.

# DONNA TYNDALL, Deceased

By Lora Jefferson, Sheila Tyndall and Jeana Clayton Josh Atkinson – Attorney LOY AUCTION AC#31600027 **AUCTIONEERS** 

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CR 10-8-2022

# **Sports/Classifieds**



Fort Recovery High School junior Troy Homan races past sophomore Collin Langenkamp of Parkway in the first half at Barrenbrugge Athletic Park during the homecoming football game Friday. The Indians outscored Parkway 21-0 in the second half en route to a 33-7 victory.

# **R blows out Panthers**

FORT RECOVERY — The brutal took them just 21 seconds to extend yards and Guggenbiller added stretch of their MAC schedule is

The Indians showed Friday night they may be primed for a strong finish.

Fort Recovery High School's football team dominated the visiting Parkway Panthers, shutting them out in the second half to pull away for a 33-7 victory.

The Indians (3-5, 2-4 Midwest Athletic Conference, who were coming off of losses to Division VII No. 3 New Bremen and Division VI No. 1 Marion Local by a combined 88-13, were up 12-7 after halftime but struck quickly after the break. It

their lead as quarterback Cale Rammel tossed a 25-yard TD pass to Riggs Tobe.

Exactly seven minutes later, Rammel and Reece Guggenbiller connected for a 43-yard touchdown to push the advantage to 27-7. And Caden Grisez's 25-yard scoring run with 9:56 left put the game out of

Rammel, who also had two 1-yard TD runs in the first half, had an efficient passing night. He completed all but two of his 14 attempts for 232 yards and the pair of second-half

another four receptions for 97 yards. Parkway's only score — the Indians

out-gained the visitors 313-181 came on a 2-yard Eddie Nichols run with 25 seconds left in the opening half. Nichols finished with 73 yards on 24 carries for the Panthers (2-6, 1-5 MAC)

Caden Grisez's only run was the 25yard TD and Troy Homan added 24 vards on the ground.

Reece Wendel led the Tribe defense with 14 tackles and Bo Thien added a dozen. Fort Recovery will host Anna (2-6)

on Friday before closing the regular Tobe caught five passes for 115 season on the road at St. Henry (1-7).

Continued from page 8 But Lapel got back within a score on Hudson's longest TD reception, Tyler Lutz easily recovered an onside kick and Hudson was in the end zone again four plays later. (Hudson then caught the 2point conversion pass to tie the game.)

Hudson broke at least three tackles before zipping down the right sideline for his final score that ended up being the gamewinner. He and Nick Witte combined for 19 receptions — the bulk of them came on wide receiver screens as Craig tossed for 266 vards, 183 of which came in the second half.

We did a good job in the first half tackling," said Zgunda. "It's the same play. We just didn't tackle well.

The Bulldogs were without star running back Tyler Dollar (1,413 yards this season) because of an injury. They had lost three out of four heading into Friday's game and needed a victory to have a chance at an eighth straight winning regular season.

"We're pretty banged up right now," said Miller. We have 16 kids out injured, at least four or five starters in that group and some pretty impactful players. We came out flat. We came out with one foot out the door on our season.

"The kids responded at halftime and came back and fought.'

Ridenour, who missed part of the fourth quarter with a right ankle injury but was able to return to the game, totaled 141 rushing yards on 20 carries. Bailey was 9-for-17 for 118

their tournament fate this Heritage (5-3) on Friday.

## **Box score**

Lapel Bulldogs (4-4) at Jay County Patriots (2-6)

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JC — Patrick Hemmelgarn 41 pass from Sean Bailey (Sheldon Minch kick), 9:38.

**Second Quarter** Kadin Ridenour 1 run (kick failed), 36.3.

**Third Quarter** 

- Devin Craig 2 run (Cole Miller kick), 5:41. JC — Bailey 1 run (Ridenour run), 3:59.

- Rylie Hudson 35 pass from Craig (kick failed), 1:25. L — Hudson 8 pass from Craig (Hudson pass from Craig), :00.

**Fourth Quarter** 

L — Hudson 17 pass from Craig (Logan White pass from

Craig), 4:36. **Team Statistics** 

21-94 27-136 Rushes - vds Comp-Att-Int 22-35-2 10-19-1 Passing yds Total Plays 266 121 46 **Total Offense** 360 257 Punt ret - yds Kickoff ret - yds 2-62 Sacks - yds lost 1-4 2-50

Fumbles - lost Penalties - yds 1-0 4-30 2-0

2-53

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Punts - yds

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**Individual Statistics Rushing** — Lapel — Bruin White 14-80, Devin Craig 4-7, Rylie Hudson 1-4, Logan White 1-4, Nick Witte 1-(-1). Jay County Kadin Ridenour 20-141

Sean Bailey 7-(-5).

Passing — Lapel — Devin Craig 22-35-2 266. Jay County — Sean Bailey 9-17-1 118, Patrick Hemmelgarn 1-2-0 3.

**Receiving** — Lapel — Rylie Hudson 10-111, Nick Witte 9-124, Colin Jennings 2-21, Bruin White 1-3. Jay County — Patrick Hemmelgarn 5-83, Bryce Wenk 2-19, A.J. Myers 2-12, Ethan Reiley 1-4, Kadin Ridenour 1-3.

weekend as the IHSAA sectional draw is scheduled for Sunday. They will close their regular season with a The Patriots will learn visit to Monroeville to play

# Sports on tap

### Local schedule Today

Jay County — Volleyball at Union County Invitational — 9 a.m.; Cross country sectional at Taylor University — 10:30 a.m.; Girls soccer sectional championship vs. Hamilton Heights at Yorktown – 2 p.m.; Boys soccer sectional championship vs. Eastbrook at Delta – 7 p.m.; Junior high volleyball in Allen County Athletic Conference Tournament at Adams Central – 9 a.m.

Fort Recovery — Volleyball at Fort Loramie Invitational – 9 a.m.; Cross country at Lions Invitational at Coldwater - 9 a.m.; Middle school cross country at Lions Invitational at Coldwater - 9 a.m.

### Monday Jay County — JV football at Lapel -

Fort Recovery — Freshman football

# **Tuesday**Fort Recovery — Volleyball vs. New Knoxville – 5:30 p.m.; Middle school

volleyball at New Bremen - 5 p.m.

# TV sports

League - Brentford at Newcastle United (USA) Noon

at Indiana (FOX); Tennessee at LSU (ESPN); Texas at Oklahoma (ABC); Purdue at Maryland (BTN); TCU at Kansas 12:07 p.m. — Major League Base

ball playoffs: Wild card - Tampa Bay Rays at Cleveland Guardians (ESPN2) 12:30 p.m. — Soccer: Premier League – Tottenham Hotspur at Brighton & Hove Albion (NBC) 3:30 p.m. — College football:

Auburn at Georgia (CBS); Texas Tech at Oklahoma State (FS1); Utah at UCLA (FOX); Wisconsin at Northwestern

Xfinity Series - Drive for the Cure 250 (NBC) 4 p.m. — College football: Duke at Georgia Tech (Bally Indiana); North Car-

olina at Miami (ESPN2); Ohio State at Michigan State (ABC) 4:07 p.m. — Major League Baseball playoffs: Wild card – Seattle Mariners

at Toronto Blue Jays (ESPN) 7 p.m. — College football: Air Force at Utah State (FS1)

7:30 p.m. — College football: BYU 10 a.m. — Soccer: Premier at Notre Dame (NBC); Army at Wake For-

est (Bally Indiana); Washington State at

USC (FOX); Iowa at Illinois (BTN); Clem-College football: Michigan son at Boston College (ABC) 7:37 p.m. — Major League Baseball

playoffs: Wild card – San Diego Padres at New York Mets (ESPN) 8 p.m. — College football: Texas

A&M at Alabama (CBS) 8:37 p.m. — Major League Baseball

playoffs: Wild card – Philadelphia Phillies at St. Louis Cardinals (ESPN2) — College football: Fres no State at Boise State (FS1) - College football: Oregon

State at Stanford (ESPN)

# Sunday

1 a.m. — Auto racing: Formula 1 -

9 a.m. — Soccer: Premier League -Leeds United at Crystal Palace (USA) 9:30 p.m. - NFL football: New York Giants at Green Bay Packers (ABC)

11:30 a.m. — Soccer: Premier League – Liverpool at Arsenal (USA) – Women's college soccer: Michigan at Michigan State (BTN)

1 p.m. — NFL football: Pittsburgh Steelers at Buffalo Bills (CBS); Chicago Bears at Minnesota Vikings (FOX)

2 p.m. — Soccer: Premier League Manchester United at Everton (USA)

2 p.m. — Women's college soccer: owa at Minnesota (BTN)

2:07 p.m. — Major League Baseball playoffs: Wild card – Seattle Mariners at pronto Blue Jays (ABC)

2:30 p.m. — Major League Soccer:

Columbus Crew at Orlando City (FS1) 2:30 p.m. — Auto racing: NASCAR Cup Series - ROVAL 400 (NBC)

3 p.m. — Women's college soccer: Indiana at Rutgers (ESPN2)

4 p.m. — NFL football: Dallas Cowboys at Los Angeles Rams (FOX)
4:07 p.m. — Major League Baseball playoffs: Wild card - Tampa Bay Rays at Cleveland Guardians (ESPN)

5 p.m. — Major League Soccer: Portland Timbers at Real Salt Lake (ESPN2) playoffs: Wild card - San Diego Padres at New York Mets (ESPN)

8:37 p.m. — Major League Baseball playoffs: Wild card Phillies at St. Louis Cardinals (ESPN, ESPN2)

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6:33 p.m. — Major League Baseball playoffs: American League Division Series - TBA at Los Angeles

(FOX) - Men's college soccer: p.m. -Ohio State at Michigan (BTN)
7:30 p.m. — NHL hockey: Tampa

Bay Lightning at New York Rangers

10 p.m. — NHL hockey: Las Vegas Golden Knights at Los Angeles Kings (ESPN)

# Local notes

kindergarten through sixth graders who would like to be part of Jay County Wrestling Club. The club's Little Patriots Program is

for those in kindergarten through second grade and focuses on wrestling basics. Its elementary dual team for those in grades 3 through 6 focuses on expanding those skills with the team also entering four to six dual competitions. Registration fees are \$80 and \$120, respectively. The sign-up sessions for third

through six graders will be 6 p.m. Oct. 13 and 6 p.m. Oct. 18. Sign ups for kindergarten through second graders will be at 6 p.m. Nov. 22 and 6 p.m.

### Turkey Trot is Nov. 5 The Cooper Farms Turkey Trot 5K is

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Check-in begins at 9 a.m. For more information or to register. visit speedy-feet.com and search for 'Cooper Farms Turkey Trot 5K."

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10:00 AM. **OLD & COLLECTORS** ITEMS - HOUSEHOLD GOODS - TOOLS 4 pc. Mid Century Modern bedroom suit; ; 5 pc. bedroom suit; Lane cedar chest; Berne sofa; Maple Peninsular cast iron stove; Fostoria glasses; matchbox cars; Goebel figurines; McCoy

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**PUBLIC AUCTION** Located: Womens Building at Jay County Fairgrounds,

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The Commercial Review/Ray Cooney

Jay County High School senior running back Kadin Ridenour continues to drag Jaydon Rodriguez of Lapel despite having lost his helmet on a play in the first half Friday. (The play was blown dead because his helmet came off.) Ridenour ran for 141 yards and a touchdown on 20 carries but the Patriots fell 29-21.

# INT seals Jay's fate

Patriots lose fifth straight after leading by 14 in the second half

By RAY COONEY

The Commercial Review

Rylie Hudson caught 10 pass-

He scored three times.

But it wasn't his work at receiver that sealed the game.

The Lapel sophomore picked off a Sean Bailey pass in the final minute to end what the Jay County High School football team hoped would be a gametying drive to force overtime, ending the Patriots' hopes for a Senior Night victory.

"We let them hang around," said JCHS coach Grant Zgunda following his team's 29-21 loss to the Bulldogs in a game in which it had a 14-point lead deep into the third quarter. "Then we get back up 21-7. Then ... the wheels fell off at that point. ... We missed too many tackles defensively.

"We're close, ya know. We're close to putting it together. ...

"These close games, we've got to win one of them. We're finding out right now that we're just a few plays short. It's frustrat-

The Patriots (2-6), who were up 21-7 with two minutes left in run down the left sideline. the third quarter, found them-

selves trailing by eight thanks to three consecutive Lapel touchdowns. Still, getting the ball with just over four minutes to go in the game, they had a chance to move down the field and four overtime.

Kadin Ridenour converted a fourth-and-5 with a 16-yard run and Jay County moved to the 23yard line in the final minute. On second-and-9 with the clock ticking, they went back to a play they had open but missed on three downs earlier. Hudson read it, stepping in front of Bailey's attempted quick slant to Patrick Hemmelgarn, picking it off and returning it about 50 yards.

A kneel down on the next play ran the remaining time off the clock.

"Rylie's an impact player," said Lapel coach Tim Miller of the sophomore who caught TD passes of 35, 8 and 17 yards from freshman quarterback Devin Craig. "He's a very unselfish kid. He blocks his butt off. Obviously he can do some things when he gets the ball in his hands. And then, you know, tonight he did it on defense as well."

The Patriots seemed primed for a victory in their final home game when it struck quickly with a 41-yard TD pass from Bailey to Hemmelgarn and blanked Lapel in the first half. That included two interceptions of Miller and a sack on fourth-and-

Even after the Bulldogs (4-4) pulled to within 13-7, JCHS responded with Bailey scoring on a 1-yard dive a play after Ridenour ripped off a 53-yard

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# **Bieber earns redemption**

By PAUL HOYNES

Tribune News Service

CLEVELAND, Ohio — A what happened to him in the first postseason start of his career as motivation when he faced the Rays on Friday in Game 1 of the best-of-three wild card

Make no mistake, he has thought more than once about what the Yankees did to him in 2020 in another opener of a wild card series. Allowing seven runs on nine hits in 4 2/3 innings in a season in which he won the Cy Young Award tends to linger.

Redemption, however, was not Bieber's primary focus as he pitched

tory with 7 2/3 crisp

about it. I talked about it after that start. It left a sour taste in my mouth in what was a pretty good season.

"But the fact of the matter is it was a long time ago. I'm a different player, a different person. I've grown a

Bieber injured the rotator cuff in his right shoulder in 2021. It limited him to 16 starts and put him on the injured list for 90 days. It changed his way of thinking.

"It put things in perspective for me," said Bieber.
"Do I want to do well? Do I

"But being on the shelf innings at Progressive last year for as long as I was, and having doubts "It was on my mind a lit- about my own health that couple years ago Shane tle bit," said Bieber. "It's I've never really faced fact, right. I wasn't happy before, put thing in perspective. I kept coming back to that I'm so grateful to have pitched a full season (this year). To feel good. To feel healthy.

"I feel I'm back to where I need to be. I feel today was more of an opportunity to just go out there and enjoy

Bieber allowed one run on three hits. He struck out eight and walked one in the longest postseason start since Fausto Carmona, real whose name was Roberto Hernandez, battled the Yankees and



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