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"Men occasionally stumble over the truth, but most of them pick themselves up and hurry off as if nothing ever happened."

- Sir Winston Churchill

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## Absentee Voting Starts Today

The Henry County Voter Registration Office has announced that absentee voting in the Justice Center will begin today, Oct. 10. Any registered voter who expects to be absent from the county on Election Day may apply for and vote an absentee ballot in the Henry County Justice Center. The last date to vote an absentee ballot is Monday, Nov. 5, at 12 p.m.

State or federal identification must be presented when voting.

Hours for voting are as follows: Monday-Friday, 8 a.m.-1 p.m. and 2-4 p.m.; Saturday, Oct. 27, 8 a.m.-1 p.m. and 2-4 p.m.; and Saturday, Nov. 3, 8 a.m.-1 p.m. and 2-4 p.m.

Satellite absentee voter locations include Ivy Tech Community College, 3325 S. Memorial Dr., New Castle. That location will be open Thursday, Nov. 1, and Friday, Nov. 2, 2-7 p.m. and Saturday, Oct. 27, and Saturday, Nov. 3, 9 a.m.-3 p.m.

Applications from confined voters and voters who are out of the county are also being accepted at this time. Confined voters will be voted at the address designated on their applications on Wednesday, Oct. 31. All absentee applications requesting a mailed ballot must be received by Monday, Oct. 29.

All persons who are registered to vote and interested in voting absentee are encouraged to apply as soon as possible. Applications will not be accepted after the deadline dates.

## Spiceland Friends Hosting Bazaar

Spiceland Friends Church, 401 W. Main St., will host its 49th annual Holiday Bazaar on Saturday, Nov. 10, 8 a.m.-2 p.m. The event will feature a variety of booths and lunch will be served until 1:30 p.m. A quilt, made by ladies from the church, will be raffled.

## County Democrats' Event Set for Oct. 18

Desserts with Democrats will take place at 6 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 18, at Henry County Democrat Headquarters, 201 N. Main St., New Castle. For more information, call Waynetta Dunn at 765-571-0083. Check out the Henry County Democratic Facebook page for contact and more updates.

## Health Issues Complicate Town Matters

by Jeff Eakins  
for The Banner

With the town's clerk-treasurer off work due to health issues, the Carthage Town Council is struggling to address budgeting and other financial issues facing the town.

Monday evening, at the council's regular monthly meeting, Council President Rachael Brown revealed that Clerk-Treasurer Linda McMahan had been recently hospitalized and is now convalescing at a rehabilitation facility in Morristown. Brown said McMahan's medical setback had prevented her from drafting the town's proposed budget for 2019.

"She is unavailable to help us much now," Brown said of McMahan.

Brown told the council's other four members that the council is required to hold a public hearing on next year's budget no later than Monday, Oct. 22, with notice of that hearing posted by this Friday. The council agreed to schedule a public hearing for 6 p.m. on Oct. 22.

Adam Forrest, the town's attorney, told the council he has reached out to the state's Department of Local Government Finance, the agency charged with reviewing and approving the annual budgets of units of local government. He said he is still waiting to hear back from them about the town's options for moving forward on the budget and other financial issues, and said he would update the council once he gets that information.

"If everything works out, great," Forrest said. "If not, you can just roll with last year's budget."

Brown said that, if possible, she would like to avoid having the town get stuck with this year's budget again for 2019 - something that would happen if the council fails to adopt a new budget by deadlines set by the state. She said that McMahan had been planning to seek a 3-percent across-the-board increase in the budget for next year and that she thought the town really needed that.

With McMahan unable to work, council member John Hancock said someone would need to be hired to assist with preparation of the budget. Forrest agreed and said the town is facing "kind of an emergency" with respect to this and other financial issues.

Hancock and council member Ashley Davis made and seconded, respectively, a motion to allow the council to explore hiring a consultant to help with preparation of the 2019 budget, and approving the hiring of a consultant if one is found. With support from Brown, Vice President Kelly Land and council

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## Heart of the Matter



Knightstown Youth Football recently got a donation of an AED (automated external defibrillator) from Henry Community Health and the Henry County Heart Society. (Photo submitted)

## If Approved, Fire Clerk May Handle Finances

by Jeff Eakins  
for The Banner

The Knightstown-Wayne Township Fire Board has passed a resolution that, if approved by the Knightstown Town Council and the Wayne Township Board, will change how the Knightstown-Wayne Township Fire Department's finances are handled.

Currently, the township turns over fire protection funds raised through property taxes to the town of Knightstown's clerk-treasurer, who is responsible for dispersing funds for expenses approved and submitted by the fire board. This arrangement was approved by the town and township when they set up the joint fire board a decade ago.

Wayne Township Trustee Randy Overman, who has served as president of the fire board since its inception in 2009, presented a proposed resolution amending how finances are handled at the fire board's Sept. 26 monthly meeting. If approved by the town council and

township board, it would require the fire board to appoint a fire clerk to open a bank account for the fire department and be responsible for the fire department's finances.

Fire board member Sarah Ward, who also serves as president of the Knightstown Town Council, asked Overman who would serve as the fire clerk. Overman said it would be up to the fire board to select this person, but added that his recommendation would be to have the township trustee fill that role.

Overman, who has served as Wayne Township Trustee for more than three decades, is not seeking reelection this fall. Republican Susan Van Hoy, wife of fire board and Wayne Township Board member Jeff Van Hoy, is unopposed in the fall election and will take over as township trustee in January.

Ward suggested the language in the resolution could be changed to state simply that the township

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## Kennard '19 Budget to Undergo Public Hearing

The Kennard Town Council will hold a public hearing Monday evening on the town's proposed budget for 2019.

According to the Notice to Taxpayers published on the state's Gateway website, the town is considering a budget for next year that totals \$144,983. By fund, that budget breaks down as follows: Rainy Day (\$900); General (\$95,235); Local Income Tax (\$878); Local Roads and Streets (\$6,000); Motor Vehicle Highway (\$26,500);

Cumulative Capital Improvement (\$3,000); Riverboat (\$12,000); and Beautification (\$470).

In order to fund its proposed 2019 budget, the town estimates it will need to collect \$43,102 in property taxes to go with other funds on hand and revenue received from other sources. That amount is 6.8 percent higher than the \$40,352 levied in property taxes to fund this year's budget.

Monday's public hearing is scheduled to start at 7 p.m. and will

be held at Kennard Town Hall, 100 N. Main St. The council is expected to vote on adoption of the 2019 budget later this month, at a public meeting set for 9 a.m. on Saturday, Oct. 27, at the same location.

Complete details of the town of Kennard's proposed 2019 budget may be viewed at Kennard Town Hall during normal business hours. A copy of the town's Notice to Taxpayers is also available online at [www.budgetnotices.in.gov](http://www.budgetnotices.in.gov), or by calling 888-739-9826.

## Knightstown Still Trying to Fill Park Board Post

The Knightstown Town Council is seeking a town resident interested in parks and recreation to fill a vacancy on the town's park board.

As previously reported in The Banner, Jeffrey Van Hoy resigned from his seat on the Knightstown Parks and Recreation Board in early September. The town council, which appointed Van Hoy to the park board in June 2017, is responsible for selecting his replacement.

The town council passed a resolution last month indicating that it plans to dissolve the park board, but state statute requires the council to wait at least 180 days before taking final action on this. In the meantime, the park board will continue to function as normal, and, if possible, the council will select someone to take Van Hoy's place on the park board.

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# OBITUARIES

**W. Lee Burton**

**August 4, 1948 - October 5, 2018**

W. Lee Burton, 70, of Dunreith, passed away Friday, Oct. 5, 2018, at St. Vincent Hospital in Anderson. He was born Aug. 4, 1948, in Columbia, Ky., a son of Oliver and Ruby Helen (Reece) Burton.

Lee was a veteran of the U.S. Army serving eight years in the Vietnam war. He retired from Navistar, but had also worked for Chrysler Corporation and the Indianapolis Post Office. Lee was an avid bowler, poker player and fan of the Cubs and IU. He was a giving person who loved his kids and especially his grandkids.

He leaves to cherish his memory his wife of 35 years, Beverly (Zeigler) Burton of Dunreith; seven children, Mark (Neda) Yuhas of Florida, Scott Burton of Dunreith, Aaron (Jana) Burton of Knightstown, Kevin (Rachel) Lewis of Grant County, Jason Burton of Dunreith, Levi Burton of New Castle and Chris Burton of Greenfield; 12 grandchildren; two great-grandsons; six siblings, Sue (Jim) Wauford of Yosemite, Ky., Lorene (Terry) Adams of Dwight, Ill., Oliver Dale (Sherry) Burton of Russell Springs, Ky., Rodger (Carola) Burton of Frankfort, Germany, Cyndi (Ed) Haywood of Russell Springs, Ky., and Eldon F. (Cindy) Burton of Russell Springs, Ky.; and several nieces and nephews.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by a daughter, Angela Burton.

Services were Oct. 10 at Hinsey-Brown Funeral Service, Knightstown Chapel, with Pastor Ryan McCarty officiating. Visitation was Oct. 9 at Hinsey-Brown Funeral Service, Knightstown Chapel. There will be visitation hours from 10 a.m.-1 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 11, at Stotts-Phelps-McQueary Funeral Home in Columbia, Ky. Graveside services and burial with military honors will be at 1 p.m. Thursday in Bear Wallow Cemetery in Columbia, Ky. Memorial contributions may be given to Wounded Warrior Project, P.O. Box 758517, Topeka, KS 66675. Condolences and memories of Lee may be shared at www.hinsey-brown.com.

**Ruth Elmore**

**August 26, 1938 - October 3, 2018**

Ruth Elmore, 80, passed away Wednesday, Oct. 3, 2018, at her residence. She was born Aug. 26, 1938, in Rushville, the daughter of Edward Kroencke and Ruth Ann (Phelps) Craven.

Ruth was a 1956 graduate of Rushville High School. She retired from the Indiana Department of Transportation as secretary for the maintenance director in Greenfield after 35 years. She was a warm, loving person, who loved her kids, grandkids, great-grandkids and her dogs. Ruth was an avid Colts fan and NASCAR/Jeff Gordon fan.

She is survived by her husband of 22 years Marion Elmore of Knightstown; three children, Grant (Beth) Cooper of Indianapolis, Brian Cooper of Knightstown and Tracy Steelman of Knightstown; a daughter-in-law, Shawn Cooper of Knightstown; six grandchildren, Benjamin (Tamekah) Cooper of Indianapolis, Matthew (Mya) Cooper of Cicero, Journey Steelman of Texas, and Jordan, Jade and Samuel Cooper, all of Knightstown; and seven great-grandchildren, Talen, Paige, Brock, Robert, Warren, Jameson and Victoria.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her first husband, Samuel Cooper; a brother, Wallace Kroencke; and a son, Samuel R. "Bobby" Cooper.

A celebration of life will be held in the spring of 2019 with exact time and place announced at a later date.

Condolences and memories of Ruth may be share at www.hinsey-brown.com.



**Veterans Resource Fair Set for Oct. 19 at Tom Raper Center**

All veterans are invited to attend the 2018 Eastern Indiana Veterans Resource Fair and Hiring Event 10 a.m.-2 p.m. on Friday, Oct. 19, at the Tom Raper Center, 861 Salisbury Road, Richmond. Doors will close at 1:15 p.m. to ensure that all veterans are served. There is no cost to attend this event.

This event will gather various service partners and employers to provide and assist our veterans with their specific needs. Activities include: free health screenings, employment options, educational information, governmental resources, mental health services and other community resources with a free lunch being provided to the first 300 veterans in attendance. More than 70 vendors signed up, with more being added daily.

A sample of vendors include ASPIN, DOT Foods, Stant, Indiana Legal Services, Social Security Administration and IU East.



**Community Appreciation Day**

**Friday, October 12  
 11:00 am - 3:00 pm**

We ❤️ Knightstown, so we're inviting everyone to join us for lunch Friday, 10/12. Stop by between 11:00 am and 3:00 pm, enjoy a free lunch, take the opportunity to win some prizes\*, and visit with your friends and neighbors.

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## Help for the Holidays

Wanda Jones and Chaplin Mark Herbkersman will facilitate the group to discover tips for the holidays and encouragement for participants.

The Knightstown Chapel and New Castle Chapel will combine to meet in this support group on Tuesday evenings, November 6th through November 27th at 6:30 p.m. the group will meet at Senior Living at Forest Ridge, 2800 Forest Ridge Parkway in New Castle. These meetings are open to the public.

**You may register by calling 765-529-7100 or 765-345-7400.**



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## The Banner Welcomes Letters

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# Libertarian Party Opens New Headquarters

The Libertarian Party of Henry County (LPHC) recently announced the opening of a new headquarters in a renovated downtown building. The new space will be used to help better prepare for elections and provide a meeting space for party members.

This opening is just one example of the amount of growth the LPHC is experienc-

ing, a press release from the party said.

On Oct. 13, the LPHC will be hosting an open house at its new location, and the public is invited to attend. Local candidates will be at the new headquarters ready to speak with voters about their concerns and the solutions they will bring to office.

Also in attendance will be Secretary of State candidate Mark Rutherford, District 6

Congressional Candidate Tom Ferkinhoff, and United States Senate candidate Lucy Brenton.

"Indiana's state chairman will also be present for the open house-style event," the press release said. "We are confident in our abilities going forward and are very excited for the future in our new headquarters. This is the first time that the Libertarian

Party has established a headquarters in Henry County."

The new headquarters is located at 1102 Race St. in New Castle. The Libertarian Party encourages all potential voters to come to the grand opening. The event starts at 4 p.m. and concludes at 7 p.m. Candidates will begin speaking at 5:30 p.m.

## Greenfield Attorney Recognized

The American Institute Of Legal Counsel recently recognized the exceptional performance of Greenfield-based attorney Jason White.

AIOLC, a third-party attorney rating organization that publishes an annual list of the top 10 attorneys in each state, named White one of Indiana's 10 Best Legal Counsel for Client Satisfaction for 2018. The annual rating list was created by AIOLC to be used as a resource for clients during the attorney selection process.

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As clients should be an attorney's top priority, AIOLC aims to identify and honor lawyers who have achieved significant success in the field of legal counsel without sacrificing the service and support they provide. Selection criteria, therefore, rewards attorneys who demonstrate the highest standards of client satisfaction.

Attorneys selected to AIOLC's "10 Best" lists must pass a rigorous selection process based on client and/or peer nominations, thorough research and AIOLC's independent

evaluation. AIOLC believes that one of the most significant aspects of the selection process involves attorneys' relationships and reputation among their clients.

As senior partner at Dickman Reason Bogigian & White in Greenfield, White devotes much of his practice to helping clients with

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### LEGAL NOTICE

#### NOTICE TO BID

The Town of Knightstown is accepting bids on 7.4 acres of farm ground located on the south side of County Line Road on the west side of the Wastewater Treatment Facility located at 4177 W. 1200-N.

Sealed bids are to be priced per acre for two (2) options. Include a 1 year period (12 months) pricing and a 3 year period (36 months) pricing. Deliver or mail to the Clerk Treasurer's Office, 26 S. Washington Street, Knightstown, Indiana 46148. Bids are to be submitted no later than 3 p.m. on October 12, 2018. Bids received after 3 p.m. will not be considered. Bids will be opened on October 18, 2018, at the Town Council Meeting. The Town reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids.

Payment is to be made in annual installments and is due on or before January 1. The town also reserves the right to any portion of the leased ground needed for improvements and will reimburse lessee for percentage of lease amount. Any questions should be directed to Knightstown Clerk-Treasurer Beth Huffman at 765-345-5977.

(10/3-10/10)

### LEGAL NOTICE

ORDINANCE NO.: 10-03-2018-01  
AN ORDINANCE TO PREVENT THE DEVELOPMENT OF WIND ENERGY CONVERSION SYSTEMS IN ORDER TO PRESERVE PUBLIC HEALTH, SAFETY AND WELFARE

- Sections:  
10-03-2018-01.01 Statutory Authorization  
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10-03-2018-01.03 Definitions  
10-03-2018-01.04 Applicability and Scope  
10-03-2018-01.05 Prohibition  
10-03-2018-01.06 Enforcement

#### §10-03-2018-01.01 STATUTORY AUTHORIZATION

This Ordinance is enacted as an exercise of the Town's police power to regulate the use or possession of property that might endanger the public health, safety or welfare, pursuant to I.C. 36-8-2-4 and the Indiana Home Rule Law, I.C. 36-1-3.

#### §10-03-2018-01.02 PURPOSE

This Ordinance is adopted for the following purpose:  
To prevent the development of Wind Energy Conversion Systems in the Town of Kennard in order to preserve the public health, safety and welfare.

#### §10-03-2018-01.03 DEFINITIONS

For the purposes of this Ordinance, the following definitions shall apply unless the context clearly indicates or requires a different meaning.  
COUNCIL. The town Council of the Town of Kennard, Indiana.  
COUNTY. Henry County, Indiana.  
TOWN. The Town of Kennard, Indiana, including its four-mile extraterritorial jurisdiction outside its corporate boundaries pursuant to I.C. 36-8-2-13.  
WIND ENERGY CONVERSION SYSTEM(S) ("WECS"). All necessary devices that together convert wind energy into electricity to an electric utility's transmission lines, including but not limited to one or more rotors, nacelles, generators, WECS Towers, electrical components, WECS Tower foundations, Substations, electrical cabling from WECS Towers to Substations, meteorological towers, communications facilities, and other related facilities and equipment.

#### §10-03-2018-01.04 APPLICABILITY AND SCOPE

This Ordinance governs WECS Projects that generate electricity to be sold to wholesale or retail markets, except owners of WECS with an aggregate generating capacity of 100 kilowatts (KW) or less and a WECS Tower height not exceeding 100 feet, who locate a WECS entirely on their own property.

#### §10-03-2018-01.05 PROHIBITION

No person or entity shall construct or operate a WECS in the Town, or within the Town's four-mile extraterritorial jurisdiction.

#### §10-03-2018-01.06 ENFORCEMENT

This Ordinance shall be enforced by the Town in the same fashion as enforcement of other ordinances of the Town.

Adopted this 3rd day of October, 2018.

The Town of Kennard, by its Town Council: Jason Groce, Holly Lee and Steve Worsham  
Attest: Jan Lockridge, Kennard Clerk-Treasurer

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# Banner PERSPECTIVES

## Knightstown Was on the Hate Map?

America's Civil War saw Indiana mustering over 200,000 troops in support of the Union, which ultimately won the conflict.

In no way, shape or form was Indiana on the side of the Confederacy, which wanted to keep slavery as a way of life.

Over 25,000 Hoosiers gave their lives to defeat the secessionists. Their graves are marked all over the state, as their remains were returned home for burial.

The war itself didn't really reach Indiana. In 1862, a Confederate officer and his crew briefly captured the town of Newburgh. Then another Confederate, John Hunt Morgan, captured Corydon and set his sites on Salem, which he set fire to, burning most of it.

But, that was it. The confederacy's brief incursion into Indiana didn't last long. Morgan and his men later fled to Ohio, and he was captured there.

Salem and Corydon are way down in Southern Indiana. Confederates, nor their armies, never reached central Indiana.

Later in central Indiana history, the Confederate flag made more appearances, though no armies were attached to the defeated nation's colors. In fact, the Confederate flag can be seen in a few places around Knightstown - peeking from tattered apartment windows, used as a poor man's curtain.

"Knightstown - a good place to visit; a better place to live" is the town's motto. But, I often wonder what others might think about those flags hanging around town. Is that the kind of welcome mat the town wants

for those who visit here?

The Hoosier Gym draws visitors - visitors of all races - to this community. The symbol of a defeated, pro-slavery regime may be sending the wrong message - especially when coupled with all those little white crosses all over town.

Mixed messages indeed.

Local schools must really dislike the Confederate flags, too. It must be tough to realize that many students didn't pay attention during history lessons. They think Indiana was a Confederate state.

I've seen Nazi flags around here, too. What does that mean?

Is it cool to fly the flags of nations America has been forced to clobber? If so, why aren't they flying Japan's rising sun flag? I see no Vietnamese flags unfurled in the morning sun.

The reasons are very clear. Japan and Vietnam - unlike the Confederacy and Nazi Germany - weren't full of white people claiming their race was superior; nor did they want to keep humans enslaved. Sure, Japan engaged in some atrocious activity during the war, but - correct me if I'm wrong - I don't think it was race-driven.

I worked hard to get Knightstown off the Southern Poverty Law Center's (SPLC) Hate Map. Knightstown was one of 12 Indiana cities and towns on that map for years. But, in the final analysis, it turned out this community was on that map because of one person who hasn't lived here for a long time. I encouraged SPLC to correct the error, and they obliged.

However, judging by all the Confederate flags here, I think I may have made a mistake in doing so.



## Best Punishment Usually Fits the Crime

(Originally published March 21, 2007)

There are many ways to handle discipline problems. In the good old days when I was a girl and even when I was a young teacher, they sometimes applied "The Board of Education" to the "Seat of Learning."

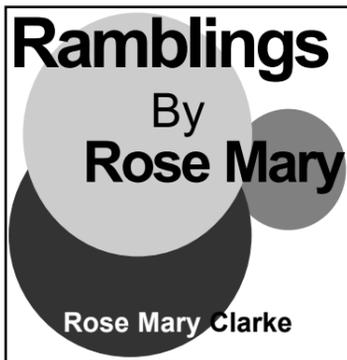
Al Brown, a well-liked Knightstown coach and teacher, paddled a boy in front of a math class that I was in. Two friends burst into giggles when Claude Sipes, one of the best teachers I ever had, broke his paddle the third time he whacked a boy. Vicki's second-grade teacher-a beginner-announced that she'd paddle the next child who talked. Guess who! We were not pleased!

The best punishment is one that fits the crime. Here's my personal favorite: Mark had flunked French twice and was going down for the third time. He hated French, but needed it for college. Come to think of it, he wasn't all that fond of me either! He was uncooperative and surly until he began to get the message that he'd never escape from me until he got with the program.

One day I was at the console in the language lab where the students sat in individual, walled

booths so that I couldn't see all of them. Mark sat in the first row of booths, which lined up with the door. I didn't hear his voice when I listened in with my headset. Uh-oh! That special sense that teachers develop told me that he was trying to sneak out the open door.

I ran around to the booths. Eek!



No Mark. How was I ever going to explain this one to the Principal? Then I saw a chair wiggle. Aha! Hearing my footsteps Mark had crawled under a booth and pulled the chair in after him. When I pulled it out he looked up at me and said, "Electrician, Madam, just checking the wiring!" Humor always did ring my chimes so I didn't send him to the office-but I always made sure that the door was closed after that!

One day his best buddy and he

arrived 10 minutes late to class. Mark was bent over crutches that were about a foot-and-a-half too short, and his pal was carrying his books. "Qu'est-ce qui vous est arrivé?" (What happened to you?) "Hurt m'leg in gym."

Near the end of the hour, he asked, "Can I leave five minutes early to beat the crowd?" This was standard procedure when a student couldn't walk well. "Mais oui." I responded pleasantly. The other students hunkered down behind their books, snickering. I ran to the door in time to see him throw the crutches over his shoulder and skip merrily down the hall.

The nurse rushed in right after class. "That Mark H -- ran in my office and took off with some crutches. He isn't hurt." "I know," I said. "Let's fix him." The next day I said, to the hilarity of the class, "Mark, the nurse and I are worried about your leg. She wants to see you in her office." The very soul of cooperation, he grinned and started to gather up his books. "No, no! Not now. She wants to see you after school!"

Oh how Marge and I savored this because Mark was a boy who didn't want to be at school a minute longer than necessary.

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## Letters to the Editor

Dear Editor,

Today, Friday, I learned of the death of a very dear friend, Rose Mary Gard Clarke. When learning of a loved one's death, I always recall one of Emily Dickinson's poems. It is as follows.

*"The bustle in a house  
The morning after death  
Is solemnest of industries  
Enacted upon earth,--*

*The sweeping up the heart,  
And putting love away  
We shall not want to use again  
Until eternity."*

Rose Mary and I became friends while we were students at Ball State Teachers College during 1954-1958. We were both social studies majors, but I remember Rose Mary best because of her knowledge of French. She knew it well, and I struggled to make any sense of it. Last week I spoke with Rose Mary and told her that, had it not been for her, I would have flunked the class. She disagreed, but I know better. She saved me from failure.

After graduation, we went our separate ways. She remained in Indiana, and I moved to Montana. We reconnected in 2008 at the time of our 50th Ball State class reunion. As a result of that reunion, I learned about Rose Mary's weekly column in the Knightstown newspaper, The Banner. Every Monday I looked forward to reading it. Through her gifted memory and eye, Rose Mary refreshed me with her childhood memories, her current endeavors, and her insights in today's events. My Monday mornings will never be the same.

Many things may be said about Rose Mary, but I think of these: 1) her love of writing, 2) her love of her family, 3) her love of Paris, and 4) her love of Indiana and, especially, Knightstown. Even though Rose Mary lived in Indianapolis, Knightstown was forever in her heart and mind.

Rose Mary enriched my mind and soul, and she did the same for all who knew her and for all who read her column in The Banner. She will be missed, but never forgotten.

John C. Board  
Helena, Mont.

Dear Editor,

I read about the dissolution of the Knightstown town park board. I was wondering why this is coming about. Lack of interested people to fill the role of being on the park board? Lack of money to care for the park and, thus, needing it to be used elsewhere? Lack of equipment, staff, other personnel ... the evolution of another board, or the combination of the park board with another board?

When is the next meeting that will have discussion of the fate of the park board? It needs to be talked about and published in full two weeks before it happens to give people some time to come and plan their platforms.

As always, I appreciate the Knightstown Banner for its coverage of local events and honesty. It is a transparent publication that is to be commended for its efforts.

Mary Lou Hayes  
Knightstown

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The Banner values reader opinions and welcomes letters to the editor. To be considered for publication, letters must be signed by the author and contain a phone number and address for verification purposes. The Banner does not guarantee the veracity of factual assertions contained in letters to the editor, and their publication should in no way be construed as the newspaper's endorsement of the letters' contents. The opinions represented in letters to the editor, as well as any misstatement of fact therein, are solely those of the letters' authors. Letters to the editor may be edited, and, ideally, should be no more than 300 words in length.

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# BITS & PIECES

◆Desserts with Democrats will take place at 6 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 18, at Henry County Democrat Headquarters, 201 N. Main St., New Castle. For more information, call Waynetta Dunn at 765-571-0083. Check out the Henry County Democratic Facebook page for contact and more updates.

◆Spiceland Friends Church, 401 W. Main St., will host its 49th annual **Holiday Bazaar** on Saturday, Nov. 10, 8 a.m.-2 p.m. The event will feature a variety of booths and lunch will be served until 1:30 p.m. A quilt, made by ladies from the church, will be raf-

fled with raffle tickets costing \$1 for one or six for \$5.

◆A golf tournament to raise money for the third annual **Shop with the Sheriff** will take place Saturday, Oct. 13, at Memorial Park Golf Club. Registration for four-person teams and lunch start at noon. A shotgun start takes place at 1 p.m. Team fees are \$200. Individuals can participate for \$50. Hole sponsorships are \$100 and beverage cart sponsorships are \$200. For more information, call Dave Bockover at 765-529-5201.

◆Henry County Democrats' **Jefferson-Jackson Dinner** is

Saturday, Oct. 27, at 5 p.m. Dinner, catered by Temptations, is at 6 p.m. Speakers and candidates will speak at 7 p.m. The event will take place at the New Castle Armory, 1537 Grand Ave. For \$25 advance tickets, send check to the Henry County Democrat Central Committee, 9364 Central Ave., Shirley, IN 47384 or call Democrat Central Committee Chairwoman Waynetta Dunn at 765-571-0083 or Treasurer Terry Troxell at 317-650-1103. Check out the Henry County Democratic Party Facebook page for contact and more updates.

◆The Knightstown chapter of Indiana Federation of Business and Professional Women (BPW) will once again host a **candidate forum** for area voters. All balloted candidates for local offices in Henry and Rush counties are welcome to take part in the event. The forum will be held Monday, Oct. 15, at 7 p.m. in the Knightstown High School cafeteria.

◆Citizens can **register to vote** online by texting 'Indiana' to 2VOTE (28683), or by visiting

IndianaVoters.com, and can submit an application to register in person at their local county clerk's office. The Indiana Voters app also allows Hoosiers to confirm their voter registration, look up their polling place, get driving directions to their polling location, find out who's on their ballot, track their absentee ballot application or provisional ballot information and contact local election officials. Voters with questions can call the Hoosier Voter Hotline at 866-IN-1-VOTE.

◆Everyone who joins the Arbor Day Foundation in October will receive **10 free trees** as part of the Foundation's Trees for America program. To receive the 10 free trees, send a \$10 membership contribution to Ten Trees, Arbor Day Foundation, 100 Arbor Ave., Nebraska City, NE 68410, by September 30, 2018, or join online at [arborday.org/september](http://arborday.org/september).

◆The **Banner office** has moved to 104 E. Main St., Knightstown. Call 345-2292 for more informa-

tion, or email [thebanner@embarqmail.com](mailto:thebanner@embarqmail.com).

◆The Shirley Octagon House is open for **free tours** each Sunday through October, 2-4 p.m., excluding holidays. To get a free tour by appointment or for more information, call Virginia Harrell at 765-738-6736.

◆Historic Knightstown's **summer hours** for the museum on the west side of Knightstown's Public Square are 10 a.m.-2 p.m. on each Friday and Saturday – or by appointment. Contact David Steele at 765 345-7585 for visitation by appointment or for scheduling a special event.

◆**Alcoholics Anonymous** meets weekly, on Tuesdays, at 7:30 p.m. at the Hoosier Gym (enter on East side). Meetings will continue each Tuesday at the same time and location. For more info, call 765-571-1662.

*News items for Bits & Pieces may be submitted to [thebanner@embarqmail.com](mailto:thebanner@embarqmail.com). Articles may be edited for length and clarity.*

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STATE OF INDIANA IN THE HENRY CIRCUIT COURT 1  
COUNTY OF HENRY, SS: CASE NUMBER: 33C01-1804-EU-000040

IN THE MATTER OF THE UNSUPERVISED ESTATE  
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Notice is hereby given that Jerry B. May and Robert D. May, Co-Petitioners, were on the 18th of April 2018 appointed Co-Personal Representatives of the Unsupervised Estate of Dale P. May who died on the 28th day of March, 2018.

All persons having claims against said estate, whether now due, must file the same in the office of the Clerk of this Court within three (3) months from the date of the first publication of this notice or within nine (9) months after the decedent's death, whichever is earlier, or the claim will be forever barred.

Dated at New Castle, Indiana, this 28th day of September 2018.

Martin R. Shields, Attorney for the Estate  
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## Resilient Breast Cancer Survivor Stephanie Probst Turns Her Attention Toward Cancer Victim Advocacy

by Logan Cox  
for The Banner

"I was diagnosed with HER2+, triple positive, Stage 4 breast cancer," said Stephanie Probst, a resilient Knightstown resident. "I had one year of chemo, a mastectomy, and 25 days of radiation. And right now I am a four-and-a-half-year survivor."

Refusing to be weighed down by her experience, Probst has since resolved to be a more active and outgoing individual. Subsequently, she has become a committed advocate for other breast cancer survivors.

On Oct. 13, she will be participating as a model in Pink Ribbon Connection's Stars of Pink Fashion Show. Pink Ribbon Connection is an Indianapolis-based, grassroots nonprofit organization dedicated to providing breast cancer survivors with one-on-one peer counseling, emotional support and resources.

However, the Stars of Pink Fashion Show is just one of many such events Probst has become involved with.

"I try to give back," she said. "Because so many different agencies helped me through mine. I went out to the Pink Ribbon Connection to find out more about them because some of my friends went to them and they give out the free wigs. And while I was there they mentioned it. Since last year I did a fashion show for Susan G. Komen; they asked me if I wanted to do one for them and I said 'yes.'"

In addition to modeling in their 2017 fashion show, Probst also served as an ambassador for the Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer Foundation in 2016.

"It was so much fun," Probst said, regarding her first modeling experience. "Everybody gets into it. ... It was just a lot of fun, so I thought I'd try it again."

She is also slated to be Miss November of 2019 for the Pink Ribbon calendar.

"They put out a breast cancer calendar every year, so I'll do that for next year," she said.



Probst has been very active in fundraising events for breast cancer, having participated in several 5K runs. These include the Turkey Trot in New Castle, the Wine Run and the Santa Hustle 5K and Half Marathon in Indianapolis.

"I also sponsor a motorcycle ride every May to raise money for breast cancer," said Probst.

She volunteers for a few different organizations, passing out information and spreading awareness.

"Also, my doctor has my phone number, so if there's a lady that's been through (cancer) who needs to talk somebody, he gives that person my phone number and I help counsel other women," said Probst. "If they feel something and they're not sure if it's right, they'll call me and go 'Oh my gosh I have this pain,' and I'll say, 'Yeah, I've gone through that' and, 'Oh you better go see your doctor' or something, and just help them through."

When asked if she ever took part in modeling prior to her diagnosis, Probst responded with a firm "Heck no."

She went on to explain that being diagnosed changed her outlook on life considerably.

"I don't know if people would say I was quiet, but I never really put myself out there to do crazy things," she said. "After I had breast cancer, I said to heck with it and started stepping outside of the box."

Although she and her family have lived in Knightstown since 2001, Probst is originally from Chicago.

She has three sons, Bret, Anthony and Nick, who attended and graduated from Knightstown High School. Her son Nick will be walking alongside Probst in the upcoming Pink Ribbon fashion show.

"The only other thing I'd like to tell people is don't let cancer take away the things you love," she said. "Keep going. I tell everybody to go out. I still ran in 5K's while I was going through my chemo. I worked. I rode my bike. You know, if you sit down, then it takes over. So show cancer who's boss."

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## INDOT Offering Engineering Students Paid Employment

The Indiana Department of Transportation is offering civil engineering students scholarships and paid employment during summer breaks and upon graduation.

Students must be accepted or enrolled full time in one of Indiana's certified civil engineering schools and apply using the form at [www.INDOTScholarship.IN.gov](http://www.INDOTScholarship.IN.gov). Applications for the 2019-2020 academic school year must be submitted by Dec. 31.

INDOT's scholarship program uses federal funds to offer \$3,125 per semester or \$2,083 per trimester for up to five years of post-secondary civil engineering education. Scholarship funds can be applied to educational expenses, fees and books. In return, recipients work for INDOT in full-time, paid positions during their summer breaks and upon graduation.

Students must be accepted or enrolled full time in one of Indiana's Accreditation Board for Engineering and Technology (ABET) certified civil engineering programs. Eligible programs include Purdue University Fort Wayne, Purdue University, Rose-Hulman Institute of Technology,

Trine University, University of Evansville, University of Notre Dame, University of Southern Indiana, and Valparaiso University.

Learn more about the INDOT Engineer Scholarship program application process at [www.INDOTScholarship.IN.gov](http://www.INDOTScholarship.IN.gov). Applications for the 2019-2020 school year must be submitted by Monday, December 31.

Students or parents with questions may contact Workforce Development Manager K.D. Thurman at [talentmanagement@indot.in.gov](mailto:talentmanagement@indot.in.gov) or 317-234-8551.

### About the Indiana Department of Transportation

INDOT empowers businesses to deliver Indiana to the world and bring the world to Indiana by providing a transportation network that is second to none. The agency builds and maintains more than 28,000 lane miles of highway and 5,600 bridges, and provides oversight for 117 public aviation facilities and more than 4,000 miles of active rail lines. Indiana ranked as the #1 state in the U.S. for infrastructure in CNBC's 2016 "Top States for Business" ranking. Learn more about INDOT at [in.gov/indot](http://in.gov/indot).

## USDA Offers Communities Loans for Needed Infrastructure Upgrades

Assistant to the Secretary for Rural Development Anne Hazlett recently announced that the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) is investing \$181 million in 88 projects that will build community infrastructure and facilities in 27 states.

"Infrastructure is a foundation for quality of life and economic opportunity in small towns across our country," Hazlett said. "Under the leadership of Secretary Sonny Perdue, USDA is committed to being a strong partner to building prosperity in rural America through modern infrastructure."

Hazlett announced the funding during a forum co-sponsored by the National Association of Counties and the National Association of Development Organizations Research Foundation. USDA is making the investments through the Community Facilities Direct Loan Program. The funding helps rural areas make infrastructure improvements and provide essential facilities such as schools, libraries and day care centers.

### Attorney, from Page 3

estate and retirement planning, Medicaid issues, elder law and probate. He is a 1999 graduate of the Indiana University School of Law, and in 2011 he was designated a Certified Private Wealth Advisor, one of only 10 attorneys in Indiana to receive this credential.

White resides in Greenfield with his wife and three children, and he is active in the community, serving on the board of the Hancock Regional Hospital Foundation and as past president of the Set A Good Example Foundation. He may be reached at 317-462-1401.

### Rose Mary, from Page 4

First she made him cool his heels for half an hour and then fill out a long questionnaire that she'd concocted. We milked this for weeks. "Time for your weekly check-up," I'd say sweetly. Then the Dean of Boys came to see me. "I've got several grudges against Mark, and I want a piece of the action. Send him to me."

"Mark, the Dean of Boys wants to see you." While the class guffawed, Mark laid his head on his desk, figuring that now he was in big-time trouble. Instead, the Dean said, "Your injury has come to my attention. We take the welfare of our students very seriously here at Howe; and we Administrators are extremely concerned about you. Pull up your pants so I can examine your leg. Tch! Tch! Tch! This looks really bad, but I think can cure you so that you'll have no more problems of this type in the future." He took wide, sticky adhesive tape and wrapped it loosely around the boy's very hairy leg from ankle to knee. "Do not remove this tape for one week after which time I personally shall remove it."

A few weeks later I asked Mark, "How's your leg? Do you think you need a checkup?" His buddy spoke up, "Naw-He went to Lourdes and got a miracle, Madame!" I also passed him in French - another miracle.

### LEGAL NOTICE

#### REQUEST FOR BIDS SNOW REMOVAL TOWN HALL

The TOWN OF KENNARD hereby requests and solicits bids from interested parties who wish to enter into a contract with the Town to remove snow and ice from the Town Hall sidewalks including the Post Office for the winter season of 2018 - 2019.

Sidewalks must remain clean of snow and must be salted when cleaned. Equipment and supplies (salt) are the responsibility of the bidder.

All Sealed bids should be marked "Snow Removal Bids-Town Hall".

All bids must be received by the Clerk located at 100 North Main Street, P.O. Box 167, Kennard, Indiana 47351 by no later than noon November 6th 2018. or emailed to [townofkennard@gmail.com](mailto:townofkennard@gmail.com)

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## Data Tool Provided for Opioid Fight

Assistant to the Secretary for Rural Development Anne Hazlett today announced the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) has launched an interactive data tool to help community leaders build grassroots strategies to address the opioid epidemic.

"USDA is committed to being a strong partner to rural America in

addressing this monumental challenge," Hazlett said. "Local leaders in small towns across our country need access to user-friendly and relevant data to help them build grassroots solutions for prevention, treatment and recovery."

The opioid misuse Community Assessment Tool enables users to overlay substance misuse data against socioeconomic, census and

other public information. This data will help leaders, researchers and policymakers assess what actions will be most effective in addressing the opioid crisis at the local level.

The Community Assessment Tool is free and available to the public. It can be accessed on USDA's Rural Opioid Misuse Webpage or at [opioidmisusetool.norc.org](http://opioidmisusetool.norc.org).

## Grant Applications Due by Oct. 15

Youth in Philanthropy grant applications are due to the Rush County Community Foundation [RCCF] office by 4 p.m. on Monday, Oct. 15. The application form can be picked up at the RCCF office, or downloaded from [www.rushcountyfoundation.org](http://www.rushcountyfoundation.org).

The Youth in Philanthropy Fund [YIP] at RCCF was created to promote youth involvement and teach philanthropy to Rush County's next generation of community leaders. The fund makes grants to youth-led service projects and youth organizations in Rush County.

Any youth involved with a non-profit organization in Rush County who has a philanthropic project or service idea is encouraged to apply. The intent of YIP grants are not only to fund youth projects but also teach youth about the grant process, so the application must primarily be completed by a Rush County youth.

For more information visit the office at 117 N. Main St., call 765-938-1177, email [info@rushcountyfoundation.org](mailto:info@rushcountyfoundation.org), or visit the RCCF website at [www.rushcountyfoundation.org](http://www.rushcountyfoundation.org)

## Alpha Kappa Society Meets

Alpha Kappa Society International for Key Women Educators met at Stack's Restaurant for their first meeting of 2018-2019. The theme for the evening was back to school. The invocation and thought of the day was given by Nancy Wadman.

It was announced leadership development will be Saturday, Nov. 10, in Logansport. Registration forms are on the Indiana website. Fall Retreat is Nov. 15-16 at Our Lady of Fatima Retreat House on 56th Street in Indianapolis.

The next meeting is Oct. 18 at 6 p.m. at the New Castle Park Restaurant. Dennis Kinser will share information about Brianna's Hope.

Delta Kappa Gamma Honor Society International for Key Women Educators is the worlds largest society for women educators. It has over 68,000 members in 17 countries and over 79 state organizations.

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Dated at New Castle, Indiana, this 28th day of September 2018.

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## LionStrong Recipient of 2018 Youth Athletic Fund Grant

LionStrong, a joint venture between Rush Memorial Hospital and Rushville Consolidated High School, is the 2018 recipient of the Rush County Community Foundation Youth Athletic Fund grant. The funds awarded will be used to assist with the purchase of supplies for healthy snacks to accompany a nutrition lesson aimed toward high school athletes and other students who attend the study tables after school on Wednesdays. The goal is to provide knowledge of the needs of a growing, athletic body to be active as well as teaching basic cooking and food preparation skills. RMH Dietician Claire Bedel is presenting the lessons, with assistance from Greg Pratt, track and field coach.

The Youth Athletic Fund was established by J.R. Billman in 1994. Proceeds are to be awarded annually as grants to support the training of amateur athletes and coaches and/or promote educational opportunities for youth through athletic excellence.

For more information, visit or contact Alisa Winters, executive director, at 117 N. Main St., Rushville, IN 46173, or call 765-938-1177.



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# LOCAL SPORTS

## Moore Sisters, King Advance to Regional

*West, Williams Move On for Tri*

Three runners on Knightstown's cross country team will keep their season going another week after posting fast enough times at the sectional meet Saturday in Connersville.

Senior Elizabeth Moore placed 13th out of 63 total runners with a time of 23:53.5.

Junior Emma-Kate Moore will join her older sister at regional after her run of 25:25.9 at sectional put her in 22nd place.

Junior Josiah King was the only Knightstown runner in the boys' event to qualify for the regional. King posted a time of 20:19.4 to place 33rd out of 72 runners.

In addition to the Knightstown runners, Tri High will be sending two runners to the regional meet.

Tri senior Molly West fin-



Elizabeth Moore, Josiah King and Emma-Kate Moore are all smiles after qualifying for the regional last Saturday. (Photo provided)

ished 21st with a time of 25:25.1 to earn a trip to the regional meet.

Tri junior Rolv Williams qualified for the boys regional with a time of 21:05.7 for a 38th place

finish.

Panther and Titan runners will compete in the Rushville regional Saturday, Oct. 11, beginning at 10:30 a.m., at Benjamin Rush Middle School.

## KHS Girls Soccer Team Wins First Ever Sectional Match

Knightstown senior Jessica Butler drilled the ball into the goal on a penalty kick late in the Lady Panther soccer team's match against Centerville last week. The goal gave the KHS girls a 1-0 lead that they would hold to give them their first-ever sectional win.

The victory by the Lady Panthers came in the first game of class 1A sectional 44 hosted at Knightstown High School Oct. 2.

The KHS girls put up a good fight in their semifinal match against Muncie Burris but ultimately fell 2-3.

Union County's girls defeated Wapahani 4-0 in the other semifinal game, before going on to win

the sectional championship 3-0 over Burris.

Knightstown High School was also the host for the boys class 1A sectional 42.

The Union County boys beat Wapahani 5-1 in the first round match.

Knightstown's boys team put forth a ton of effort but fell to Centerville 2-3 in the semifinal match.

Seton Catholic whipped Union County 6-1 in the other boys' semifinal match.

Seton's team then went on to demolish Centerville 10-1 to win the sectional championship Saturday, Oct. 6.

## KHS Seniors in Fall Sports to be Recognized Prior to Friday's Football Game

Before the Knightstown varsity football game at home Friday, Oct. 12, the 2018 fall sports seniors will be recognized.

Festivities will begin at 6:45 p.m. with parents lining up on the track near the concession stand around 6:40 p.m.

The order of recognition will be: Football, Band, Cheerleading, Cross Country, Girls Golf, Girls Soccer, Boys Soccer, Boys Tennis and Girls Volleyball.

With all of Knightstown's current students receiving free admission, school officials are hoping for a big turnout to show appreciation for Panther fall sports athletes.

Stick around to cheer on the super-hot Panther varsity football team as they hope to keep their seven-game winning streak going when they take on the Centerville Bulldogs.

## 'Gifts of the Game' Scholarship Open to Indiana Senior Basketball Players

The Indiana Basketball Hall of Fame announces the creation of their "Gifts of the Game" scholarship program to recognize Indiana high school seniors who have been involved with Indiana high school basketball and are pursuing a post-secondary education in the state.

Beginning in the 2018-19 school year, two girls and two boys at Indiana high schools will receive a four-year renewable college scholarship worth up to \$4,000 each.

The program is made possible by the gift of a Hall of Fame inductee and former officer of the organization for the purpose of a Hall of Fame scholarship program. It is the second-largest individual gift received in the organization's 56-year history and has been augmented by additional Indiana Basketball Hall of Fame funds.

"Gifts of the Game" scholarships will seek to recognize high school seniors who have been involved in Indiana high school basketball as a player, manager,

statistician, student trainer or other similar role with consideration given to their scholarship, leadership and extra-curricular activities.

Through an internal process, the Hall of Fame will identify the schools each year that are selected to award one of the scholarships to their most qualified and deserving student.

The name "Gifts of the Game" is a nod to both the financial gift Indiana high school seniors will be receiving, as well as the benefits basketball has played in the lives of those associated with the Indiana Basketball Hall of Fame and this program.

The scholarship fund is open to further contributions to increase the amount and number of scholarships given. Interested donors may contact Chris May, Indiana Basketball Hall of Fame executive director at [chris@hoopshall.com](mailto:chris@hoopshall.com) or (765) 529-1891 for more information or checks may be sent to Indiana Basketball Hall of Fame, One Hall of Fame Court, New Castle, IN 47362 with an appropriate note in the memo line.

## Youth Boys Basketball Registration Ongoing to October 19

Sign up for this year's Knightstown boys basketball leagues is going on now for boys in grades kindergarten through sixth grade.

Registration runs through Friday, Oct. 19. Cost is \$40.

Sign up forms can be picked up at Knightstown Elementary School or Knightstown Intermediate School.

League games will be played from Oct. 22 through Dec. 18.

For more information, contact Guy Louks at 765-491-8144 or [guylouks@yahoo.com](mailto:guylouks@yahoo.com).

## Deer Archery Season Open

Deer archery season began Oct. 1 and hunters have several choices of deer licenses that can be purchased.

A deer bundle license can be used in all seasons (except the deer reduction zone season) and gives the hunter the privilege to harvest up to three deer (three antlerless or one antlered and two antlerless deer).

If you hunt in more than one season, this is the license deal for you. Season dates, legal equipment, and all other deer hunting laws apply.

Cost is \$65 for Indiana residents. Non-residents can purchase the deer bundle license for \$295 for an adult and \$65 for non-resident youth.

Resident youth must purchase a youth hunt/trap combo license, which includes deer hunting privileges.

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# LOCAL SPORTS

## Lady Panthers Finish Regular Season, Get Ready for Sectional

by Stacy Cox  
Gen. Manager/Sports Editor

The Lady Panthers ended their regular season last week with a 3-0 win over Indianapolis Howe. That win will send the KHS girls into this week's sectional with a positive outlook as their first round tourney opponent is Howe, who they defeated easily 25-17, 25-10 and 25-10.

Knightstown's varsity volleyball team closed out its regular season with 13-18 overall record with wins over South Decatur, Anderson Preparatory Academy (twice), Irvington Preparatory Academy, Anderson, Waldron, Union City, Randolph Southern, Northeastern (twice), Tri High (twice) and Indianapolis Howe.

The Lady Panthers played a total of 97 sets during the regular season, putting 43 sets in the win column while dropping 54 sets to their opponents. So many of those lost sets were decided by only a few points or less.

Sophomore Rena Witham was one of three players on the team to play in 96 of the team's 97 sets this season. She dominated when it was her turn to serve, drilling 79 aces, 42 more than the next Lady Panther. She also came up with 444 digs, more than doubling the number of digs of the next player on the team. Witham was the team's main setter, contributing 526 assists with the next player putting up just 25 assists. She had 97 kills and though she had just two solo blocks, she was second on the team in total blocks with her 11 assisted blocks. She added five serve receptions to her regular season stats.

Senior Maggie Smith played in 96 sets this season. She was second on the team in kills with 164, second in digs with 210, second in serving aces with 37 and

second in assists with 25. She also had two solo blocks and three assisted blocks and came up with 168 serve receptions.

Freshman Paige Personnett played in 96 sets during the regular season. She was second on the team in serves received with 302 successful receptions and was third in kills with 123. She also had 32 aces, 175 digs, 14 assists, two solo blocks and five assisted blocks.

Junior Trinidie Newby played in 93 sets and led the team in kills with 186 and was tops in blocked shots with 18 solo blocks and 34 total blocks. She was also the team's top serve receiver, successfully coming up with 325 serves. Newby was third on the team in digs with 201 and had 15 aces and 16 assists.

Junior Alyssa Northern played 93 sets and had 49 kills, 33 aces, 34 digs, 13 assists, five assisted blocks and three serve receptions.

Senior Elexus Goodpaster played 90 sets and made 107 digs and 20 assists. She successfully received 165 serves and had one kill.

Junior Sierra Heady played 88 sets and had 141 digs, 11 kills, 18 assists and 12 aces. She was third on the team in serves received with 237 receptions.

Senior Hailey Marshall played 76 sets and had 75 kills, 24 digs, one assisted block and three serve receptions.

Junior Katie Clark played 58 sets and had 10 aces, 48 digs, 48 serve receptions and two assists.

Sophomore Cara Mullen played 45 sets and had seven aces, 44 serve receptions and 35 digs.

Freshman Chloe Kingston played 35 sets and had 24 kills, 13 digs, two aces and one assisted block.

Freshman Alicia Knapp played 14 sets and had four kills.

### Knightstown High School Hosting Sectional 42 Volleyball Tourney, Tri at Blue River Valley

Knightstown's volleyball team will have the home court advantage this year when KHS hosts class 2A's sectional 42 beginning Thursday. The Lady Panthers will take on Indianapolis Howe in the first match of sectional 42 Thursday, Oct. 11, at 6 p.m.

Following the match between Knightstown (13-18) and Howe (9-5) at about 7 p.m. will be the match between Shenandoah (20-11) and Triton Central (17-9).

The winner of the Knightstown-Howe match will face Irvington Preparatory Academy (2-7) Saturday, Oct. 13, at 11 a.m.

The winner of the Shenandoah-Triton Central match will compete against Eastern Hancock (11-19) on Saturday, Oct. 13, at about noon, following the morning match.

The winners of Saturday's earlier matches will advance to the championship match later Saturday evening at 7 p.m.

### Class 1A's Sectional 56 at Blue River Valley

Tri's volleyball team will travel to Blue River Valley for class 1A sectional 56. The Lady Titans (2-24) play the first match of the tourney Thursday, Oct. 11, at 6 p.m., taking on Union City (3-17).

Following the Tri-Union City match, Randolph Southern (3-23) will compete against Union (0-15) at about 7 p.m.

On Saturday, Oct. 13, Seton Catholic (11-17) will face the winner of the Tri-Union City match at 11 a.m.

The winner of the Randolph Southern-Union match will take on sectional host Blue River Valley (13-11) following Saturday morning's match, at about 12:30 p.m.

The winners of Saturday's earlier matches will compete for the sectional championship later that evening at 7 p.m.

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## Knightstown Middle School Volleyball Teams Conclude Winning Seasons Eighth Grade Girls Finish 14-1, Seventh Graders Go 9-6

The volleyball program at the Knightstown Intermediate School ended a successful season last week.

The eighth grade Lady Panthers went 14-1 this year, falling only to Benjamin Rush Middle School (Rushville). They capped their season with a big win over rival Eastern Hancock 25-23, 25-10.

The eighth grade team was coached by Tammy Bever and included Zoe Beabout, Avery

Bever, Haley Buchanan, Gwen Dyer, Mallory Halcomb, Grace Jones, Josie Koehler, Reese McDonald and Katelyne Stephens.

The seventh grade team was coached by Katie Taylor. The roster included Brianna Armprister, Alicah Cannon, Maycie Jenkins, Emily Jones, Jalyn Kopp, Hannah Mefford, Emma Robinson, Kali Savage, Emily Scott and Allie Smith.



Knightstown seventh grade players cheer on the eighth grade players after they were announced prior to their match against Anderson Prep Academy recently. (Stacy Cox photo)



Seventh grade coach Katie Taylor (above) yells out some advice to her players during a recent match.

Left, Gwen Dyer gets up for a kill during the eighth grade volleyball team's match against Anderson Prep. (Stacy Cox photos)



Haley Buchanan receives a serve during the eighth grade match against Anderson Prep. (Stacy Cox photo)

# LOCAL SPORTS

## KHS Football Team Moves to 7-1 With Win Over Northeastern

### Panther QB Jose Olivo Putting Up Big Stats



Knightstown senior Jose Olivo is having an incredible season. Following the Northeastern game, Olivo is not 18th in the country in total offensive yards with 2608 total yards in eight games (1707 passing yards and 901 rushing yards). That puts him second in Indiana and first in all of class 2A. He's also eighth in the country, and first in Indiana for yards gained on interceptions with 212 yards on six picks. (Stacy Cox photo)

Knightstown's varsity football team got past one of its biggest challenges this season when it defeated Northeastern on the road last Friday 14-12.

The Panthers had been in a three-way tie with Northeastern and Hagerstown for the first place spot in the Tri-Eastern Conference.

Hagerstown held on to defeat Tri 24-20 to stay tied with the Panthers in the conference. Both teams are 6-1 in the TEC.

The Panthers found themselves in an unusual position, getting down 0-6 at the end of the first quarter. But, the team bounced back with a touchdown and extra point as their strong defense held the Knights scoreless in the second quarter to give KHS a 7-6 lead at halftime.

Both teams were scoreless in the third quarter.

Northeastern again got the ball into the end zone for a touchdown in the fourth quarter but was unable

to come up with the extra points. Knightstown had also scored another TD and added the extra point to carry a 14-12 lead.

The Knights were on the march offensively late in the fourth quarter but Jose Olivo grabbed his sixth interception of the season to secure the win for the Panthers.

Full statistics are below for the Panthers.

Knightstown faces another conference foe, Centerville, at home Friday for the Fall Sports Senior Night.

The team will also be helping to bring awareness to breast cancer by wearing pink socks. Many fans will also receive pink towels to help liven the cheer section.

Game time is 7 p.m. with the seniors and their parents being recognized before the game starts, at approximately 6:45 p.m.

#### KNIGHTSTOWN INDIVIDUAL RESULTS

##### Passing

Jose Olivo - 14 of 20 for 162 yards, 1 interception

##### Rushing

J. Olivo - 23 carries for 147 yards, 1 TD  
 Kyler Burchett - 13 carries for 90 yards  
 Nick Walsh - 2 carries for 5 yards, 1 TD

##### Receiving

K. Burchett - 9 receptions for 108 yards  
 N. Walsh - 1 reception for 18 yards  
 James Lukens - 2 receptions for 14 yards  
 Cooper Strawsma - 1 reception for 13 yds  
 Max Muncy - 1 reception for 9 yards

##### Interceptions, Sacks, Fumbles, Etc.

J. Olivo - 1 interception for 31-yards  
 K. Burchett - 1 pass deflection  
 Liam Orcutt - 1 sack  
 Aiden Orcutt - 1 sack

Parker Schook - 1 sack  
 N. Walsh - 1 pass deflection  
 Ben Newby - 1 fumble caused

##### Returns

N. Walsh - 2 punt returns for 84 yards, 1 kickoff return for 7 yards  
 J. Olivo - 1 kickoff return for 22 yards

##### Kicking

D. Schaetzle - 3 kickoffs for 120 yards, 2-for-2 on points after touchdowns

##### Total Tackles (solo+assists)

Landon Carmichael - 11; Aiden Orcutt - 10; Liam Orcutt - 9; Kyler Burchett - 7; Nick Walsh - 7; Cooper Strawsma - 6; Parker Schook - 6; Max Muncy - 6; Jose Olivo - 6; Sam Thomas - 5; James Lukens - 3; Walker Gorman - 3; Justin Thomas - 1; Colton Piper - 1.

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## Transfer Robert Porter Making Big Plays for JV



Knightstown sophomore Robert Porter makes one of several great catches in Monday night's junior varsity game against Northeastern. Porter transferred to KHS this year from New Castle and had also been getting some playing time on varsity. (Stacy Cox photo)

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trustee, instead of a fire clerk, would handle the fire department's finances. Overman said he didn't favor doing that.

"I didn't feel like the future trustee should be burdened with that if they don't want it," Overman said of the additional responsibilities.

Overman said he had discussed the changes proposed by the resolution with New Castle-based attorney David Copenhaver. With health issues preventing Copenhaver from drafting the resolution, Overman said he went ahead and drafted it himself, saying the document was "the culmination of (their) conversations."

Ward said that she would need to run the proposed change by the town's attorney, Gregg Morelock, to see what he thought before the council votes on it. Overman said the township board would consider and possibly vote on the proposed resolution at its Oct. 9 budget adoption meeting.

Fire board members David Millhoan and Van Hoy made and seconded, respectively, a motion approving the resolution changing how the fire department's finances are handled. With support from Ward and Mitch Roland, who also sits on the town council, the resolution was approved 4-0; Overman abstained, as is his normal practice when his vote is not needed to break a tie or provide a majority vote.

In other business at the Sept. 26 meeting, the fire board: \*OK'd the purchase of one dual-band 800 megahertz/VHF Motorola radio for \$6,246 from OCI Wireless, Indianapolis; and \*approved minutes from its Aug. 22 meeting, and payment of claims totaling \$3,529.99.

More information about the Sept. 26 fire board meeting can be found in the memoranda and minutes of that proceeding. Those public records should be available for inspection and copying at the fire department, 30 S. Washington St., during normal business hours.

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member Charlie Watkins, the motion passed unanimously.

Brown said that she would contact McMahan's daughter-in-law and try to coordinate getting town financial records that McMahan had been keeping at her house. Hancock said he would try to contact a Shelbyville-based financial consultant who had been hired to assist his wife, Ripley Township Trustee Tara Hancock, with preparation of the township's annual budget, and would also see if Aim — formerly the Indiana Association of Cities and Towns — has any suggestions. Brown said she would also reach out to other clerk-treasurer's in the area to see if they can

provide assistance.

Next year's budget is not the only financial issue that has been neglected as a result of McMahan's health problems. As the council prepared to approve payment of claims at Monday's meeting, Brown noted that a \$103,576.95 payment to Smith Projects Inc., the Maxwell-based company hired to make improvements to the town's downtown area, would not be paid in full on this claim docket.

Hancock noted that the council had already approved this payment to SPI at a previous meeting. Brown explained that despite the council's earlier vote — which came at its Aug. 13 monthly meeting —

McMahan had not made the payment.

If the town were to pay SPI the full amount owed, Brown estimated that would leave the town with about \$20,000 to spend out of its General Fund until the town's next installment of property tax revenue is received later this year. She said she had spoken to the town's deputy clerk-treasurer, Sandy Jackson, about this, and proposed the town pay SPI \$27,000 toward the balance and see if they would take the rest in a couple of installments.

Hancock noted that the payment to SPI is more than 90 days past due. He said he didn't think they would be willing to accept

those terms.

"Her idea on doing this doesn't change anything about getting it paid," Forrest said of SPI's bill. "... There's no intention not to pay. ... They billed us and we have to pay it, and we're going to do it."

With the SPI payment reduced from \$103,576.95 to \$27,000, the council voted 5-0 to approve a claim docket totaling \$45,662.14. Forrest said it's possible that the remaining balance owed to SPI could be paid in just a few weeks.

Josh Douglas, the town's works manager, told the council that McMahan had also not issued comp time payments to town employees at the end of June and

September. Brown said Jackson did not know how to prepare the comp time checks and that they would try to get this figured out so that those payments can be made.

The Banner asked the council whether any thought had been given to looking into seeking a replacement for McMahan, whose term in office runs through the end of 2019. Absent a voluntary resignation by McMahan, removing her from office could require legal action on the part of the council or local citizens.

"We hope that she gets better and is able to return," Brown said, "... but we've got to have a backup plan. There has to be a Plan B."

Letters, from Page 4

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**Sen. Jean Leising**  
(R-Oldenburg)

Dear Editor,

Knightstown Friends Church would like to thank the two little girls across the street from the church that noticed the smoke and fire at the parsonage on Sept. 20 and notified their mom. The church would also, like to thank the Knightstown Fire Dept. for their fast response and the assistance from the Spiceland and Dunreith fire departments, the Methodist church for their disaster relief bucket, and Doyle Beatty for securing the parsonage that night.

Also, Thanks to anyone else that we might have forgotten that helped during that night.

**Jim Durham**  
Knightstown Friends Church

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West Pavilion, Indiana State Fairgrounds, Indianapolis  
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**Tool Box Seminars Focus on Practical Skills and Cutting Edge Technology.** With farmers facing another year of tight profit margins and falling farm income, finding new ways to lower production costs and increase yields are a necessity. The expanded, free seminar series at the redesigned Indiana Farm Equipment and Technology Expo will focus on providing those who attend with new ideas and new tools to help them meet the challenges of the 2019 crop.

**Presenters will include:** Dr. Chris Hurt, Ag Economist Purdue; Ryan Martin, Weather forecaster, Hoosier Ag Today; Bob Utterback, nationally known market analyst; Brian Bush, Agronomist Pioneer Hybrid; Randy Kron and Justin Schneider, Indian Farm Bureau; and others yet to be announced. Farm Credit Mid-America is sponsoring the seminar stage and will present several programs covering financial management and tips on operating credit for the 2019 season. Other seminar topics will include: making an operating budget for 2019, beating weed resistance, Dicamba rule update, Farm succession and estate planning, boosting corn and soybean yields, making variable rate seeding work, solving field tile problems, and many more.

On Thursday, December 13, Certified Applicator Training will be held at the Expo. Those needing accreditation can qualify with this program presented by Purdue Extension.

A new feature at the Expo is a demonstration area where some of the latest technology in production will be demonstrated. Drones, robots, and cover crops will be featured in hands-on demonstrations by top industry experts. Exhibitors at the show will also be demonstrating new equipment in this area. Demonstrations will occur throughout the day, with informational videos being played in this area between demonstrations.

Another new feature of the expo is the coffee shop. This is a casual and informal area where attendees can sit down one-on-one with seminar and demonstration presenters to discuss specific applications for their farming operation. Small, informal group discussions will be held in this area, so that farmers can learn from each other as well as the experts.

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