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**A pinnie for your thoughts** — Or maybe a few dozen! Hinsdale Central soccer player Alyssa Moncrief spent some time entertaining Connor Castanon and Blake Hillinger Sunday afternoon at Central during the Julie K. Heidecke Tribute Soccer Clinic. The two — whose siblings were busy with other Central players during the clinic — latched on to a good-natured Moncrief, who at first started wearing multiple pinnies but soon found herself buried in them. And it wasn't long before several of her teammates added to the pile. Please turn to Page 52 for more pictures. (Jim Slonoff photos)



American Legion judges find contest entrants impressive.

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Prentiss moves to a new office in D86 this week.

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Special first aid training focuses on mental health.

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# NEWS

## Meeting signaled many changes in D86

By Pamela Lannom  
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The addition of three new board members was not the only change that took place at the Hinsdale High School District 86 Board meeting April 24.

The board voted to release Superintendent Bruce Law of his contract as of April 30 so he can begin work in Township High School District 113 in Deerfield/Highland Park and have Tammy Prentiss assume the superintendent role on May 1 (see related story on Page 7). The board had voted in March to name her to the district's top spot effective July 1 after Law announced his resignation.

Board member Kevin Camden, who said some residents have expressed concern that the board did not conduct a superintendent search, asked the community to trust the choice to promote from within.

"I stand by that as the right decision," he said.

The board also voted unanimously to name Brad Verthein assistant

superintendent for student services effective July 1. Prentiss will serve in both capacities until then.

"Tammy has agreed to work both jobs for two months, so she will be very busy," Law said.

Verthein currently serves as director of student services in District 86, a role he has held since 2014.

"We are delighted that Brad will take the helm in student services," Prentiss stated in a press release. "Brad has established relationships with our families and staff and that connection has provided the foundation to help us improve what we do. We have strengthened our processes for supporting students, and because of that work, District 86 has become a national model for social and emotional learning at the high school level.

"Now Brad will lead the implementation of the strategic plan in student services, aligning our resources to our values," she added.

Verthein stated in the release that he is honored to be selected.

"I want to express my gratitude to our community, the board, Pam Bylsma (former assistant super-

intendent for academics), Bruce Law and Tammy Prentiss for their support, their mentorship and their confidence in me," he said. "I began my career in education as a school psychologist, focused on helping improve academic, behavioral and emotional outcomes for students. I am still committed to those goals.

"My past five years in District 86 have included a thorough review of the department, and as a result we have made vast improvements in the services we offer and how we offer them. The creation of the Transition Center, the Bridge Program and HAVEN are a testament to that work and the commitment we have to our students and families."

Before coming to District 86, Verthein was assistant director of pupil services for Naperville District 203 for one year and a school psychologist in Indian Prairie School District 204 for eight years. He holds master's degrees in education and psychology from Northern Illinois University, a master's from the University of Notre Dame and a bachelor's from

St. Mary's College.

### Board transitions, elects officers

Before swearing in new members, the board recognized retiring members President Bill Carpenter, who served four years on the board; Jennifer Planson, who served eight; and Bo Blackburn, who was appointed in October to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of Robin Gonzales.

Cynthia Hanson, Erik Held, Kathleen Hirsman and Marty Turek then took the oath of office before the 2017-19 board adjourned for the final time.

In the new board's first meeting, which followed, board members unanimously elected Nancy Pollak president, Kevin Camden vice president and Hirsman secretary.

Pollak welcomed the new board members, expressing optimism for the district's future.

"We are actually excited about what lies ahead," she said. "I'm really excited to work with every single one of you."

## Walking the walk for The Community House



Several hundred turned out for the 12th Annual Walk the Walk Sunday, sponsored by The Community House. This year more than \$65,000 was raised to benefit The Counseling Center of The Community House. In spite of Saturday's snow, the streets were clear. While he temperatures were a bit cool, it was a perfect day to walk the route, which wound its way through the village. Sloane Kiefer helped Taryn Bazon get in to the spirit of the walk with a touch of blue. (Jim Slonoff photos)



# ONCE UPON A TIME



**Post cards from the past** — Another post card from Richard Juvinall's collection donated to the Hinsdale Historical Society is of the Suburban Cook County Tuberculosis Sanitarium District Hospital, now the RML Specialty Hospital. The card was mailed on Dec. 14, 1992, with a 6-cent stamp that was sent to Appleton, Wis. Do you have a Hinsdale photo that is at least 25 years old? We'd love to share it with our readers. Stop by our office at 7 W. First St. or email it to [jslonoff@thehinsdalean.com](mailto:jslonoff@thehinsdalean.com).



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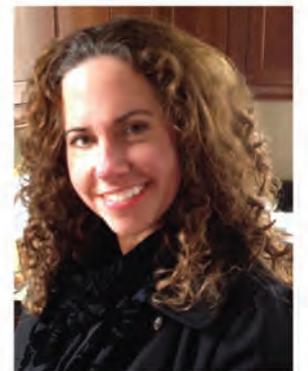
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# American Legion contests engage youth

*Essay and speech competitions among ways group stokes students' interest in democracy*

By Ken Knutson

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Rohan Chadha believes America will truly thrive as the world's leading democracy if its citizenry is educated on current affairs and endeavors to understand all sides of an issue.

Oh, and have respect for the rule of law.

"Those are the most important responsibilities," said Rohan, a Gower Middle School eighth-grader and winner of this year's essay contest sponsored by Hinsdale American Legion Post 250.

Chadha's social studies teacher encouraged his students to participate in the contest to write a 500-word essay on "What are my responsibilities as a U.S. Citizen?"

"I was a little bit surprised, and I'm honored," he said of earning the top prize. "I'm glad that I won first place."

Post 250 Adjutant Tom Lynch said the contest, open to local students in middle school and high school, seeks to promote Americanism among youth. In his four years overseeing the contest, he said the children's submissions never cease to impress him.

"They are head and shoulders above where we were in school. They're attuned to certain things that just surprise me. I always learn a lot from their essays," he said. "The most rewarding thing about the essay contest is the diversity of what the kids write about."

The judging panel for the 12 submissions included a retired principal and two area teachers along with members of the legion.

"We rate them on a scale of 1 to 10," Lynch explained. "We take the top four highest scores that we get and then pick the best out of those."

Chadha received a nice \$25 prize for his achievement. His essay was also forwarded on to the district level, after which it could advance to the division level. The first place prize there is \$200. Not too shabby.

The post also held its annual speech contest at the end of March for seventh- and eighth-graders. Two students took part, selecting an aspect of the U.S. Constitution on which to expound for four minutes. Hinsdale Middle School seventh-grader Brandon Walker chose voting, leading with this quote by Dr. Martin Luther King: "Our lives begin to end the day we become silent about things that matter."

"The point of the speech was to discuss voting and the way Americans need to exercise their right to vote," Brandon said, noting how studies show growing apathy among the younger set. "It does concern me. I think it's strange that people don't vote because they



**Hinsdale Middle School seventh-grader** Brandon Walker's speech in March on the importance of voting as part of the American Legion speech contest captured first-place honors at the district level. (Jim Slonoff photo)

were given the right to vote for a reason, to show what they do and don't agree with."

Brandon won \$75 for his second-place finish locally. With some guidance from the judges, he polished his delivery at the district competition and took home the \$200 first place reward.

"The judges told me to project my voice and enunciate more," he said. "I wasn't expecting to win because there were eighth-graders a year older than me. So it did feel pretty good as a seventh-grader."

What became of the prize money?

"I bought airpods," Brandon revealed.

For high school students, the American Legion sponsors an oratorical contest. Post 250 didn't have any takers among its schools this year. Lynch laments the sagging participation in the contests, which he attributes to an ambivalence toward military-related groups.

"Some of the schools think because we're a paramilitary organization, they think everything that we do is based around the military," he said. "The legion is out to help the community and the youth and the veterans."

A few years back a Hinsdale Central student entered in the annual poppy poster contest to create the image that will be used for the American Legion's annual Memorial Day fundraiser. She won first place in the state and received

\$500, in addition to having her work displayed all across Illinois.

"It's amazing to work with these kids and see what they're doing and their talents," Lynch said, reiterating the education that the contests are for him and fellow judges. "There isn't a person that walks out of that room that doesn't say, 'We didn't know this! They're teaching us.'"

Rohan said he hopes his peers become more engaged in their civic duties as they mature and eventually reach voting age.

"People think that a singular person can't make a difference," he said, citing razor-thin election margins to dispute that mentality. "I wanted to write about that — being open-minded and being aware of worldwide affairs. Mostly kids today don't know what's going on in the world. Most of them they don't know who their senator or representatives in Congress are."

After all, previous generations didn't give up on this democracy, he suggested. On the contrary, hundreds of thousands lost their lives to preserve it. He expressed appreciation for veterans, all they have sacrificed and all they continue to contribute to the community through groups like the American Legion.

"I've met many veterans before," he said. "They're just really nice people and I just have a massive respect for them."

## ■ MAKING A DIFFERENCE

*Making a Difference is a partnership between The Hinsdalean and the American Legion Post 250 in Hinsdale, whose mission is to support veterans and their families, the community, youth and the programs of the national organization.*

## Winning words

This essay by Gower Middle School eighth grader Rohan Chadha on "What are my responsibilities as a U.S. Citizen?" captured first place in the American Legion Post 250 essay contest:

Responsibilities are the only things that keep people from going into chaos. Some people think that the freedom of our responsibilities will lead us to a happier and better America.

However, America cannot give its citizens too much freedom. This would make people not want to work, which would hurt the economy a ton. This is why the Constitution gives us the perfect balance of freedoms and responsibilities. The most important responsibilities include being open-minded, to stay informed of what is going on in the world and to follow the law, because these responsibilities will help America strive forward as a country.

From the beginning to the middle of the 19th century, America was divided between the North and the South. Most of the North were abolitionists, and the South was mostly slave owners. At this time, people say that America has never been more divided. However, some would argue that America right now is more divided than America in the 1800s. We classify ourselves by our political party, and we refuse to listen to others' opinions. This why it is my responsibility as an American to stay open-minded toward others' opinions. If we become a more understanding community, we can become peaceful, and we would be more respectful toward one another.

A second responsibility of mine is to not be ignorant of local and worldwide affairs. Most teenagers in America don't even know the names of the U.S. senators. If Americans become more and more ignorant, they

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# NEXT WEEK

## Community Consolidated Elementary Dist. 181 Board

7 p.m. Monday, May 6  
District office  
115 W. 55th St., Clarendon Hills

On the draft agenda: board committee and liaison appointments, insurance rate renewal, digital learning environment device refresh cycle, special education update, HMS update

## Hinsdale High School District 86 Board

7 p.m. Monday, May 6  
Hinsdale Central High School  
55th and Grant streets

On the draft agenda: strategic plan overview, board committee appointments, facilities items related to referendum

## Hinsdale Plan Commission

7:30 p.m. Wednesday, May 8  
Memorial Building  
19 E. Chicago Ave.

## Hinsdale Village Board

7:30 p.m. Tuesday, May 7  
Memorial Building  
19 E. Chicago Ave.

# MEETING ROUNDUP

## Hinsdale High School District 86

Among other business at their meeting April 24, board members:

- listened to finance committee Chairman Kevin Camden summarize the committee's April 17 meeting, at which members recommended the full board reinstate science lab managers, music paraprofessionals, accompanists and some bus routes that had been slated to be cut for the 2019-20 school year. Those recommendations will be enacted through the human resource process to recall and rehire and through the budgeting process.
- voted to amend the 2018-19 school year calendar to add June 3, 4 and 5 as emergency days to make up for three days of school lost in January (28, 30 and 31)
- approved 2.1 percent increases for 2019-20 for 21 district and school administrators at a total cost of \$59,528 and for all non-union support staff at a cost of \$67,218

# Griffin to tackle job as head football coach

Brian Griffin has been named the new head varsity football coach at Hinsdale Central High School.

"It is great to have a Red Devil alum heading up our program," the Hinsdale Central Athletic Department tweeted April 24. "Congrats coach!"

The Hinsdale High School District 86 Board earlier that night approved the hiring of Griffin and the resignation of Dan Hartman. Hartman, who also is the varsity girls lacrosse coach, is taking over the head football coaching job at Lyons Township High School.

Griffin was named interim head coach April 8. He has been part of the coaching staff for 11 years, serving first as varsity assistant and then as defensive coordinator for the last three. As a student-athlete, he was part of the 2002 Central team that was undefeated until the state semi-finals. After graduating in 2003, he went on to play defensive end at Wheaton College, where he majored in math and secondary education.

Griffin also coaches track and field.

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# Prentiss takes the reins in District 86

May 1 marked her first day as superintendent as Law assumes top job at District 113

By Pamela Lannom

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Tammy Prentiss isn't afraid of a challenge.

And that's good, because she's embarking on a new one this week.

The former assistant superintendent for student services spent her first day as superintendent of Hinsdale High School District 86 yesterday. One of her first tasks: beginning to plan for the \$140 million in work voters approved in an April 2 referendum.

She's helped manage construction projects before and served as principal while a junior high was being converted to a middle school. She also noted that when she came to District 86 in 2014, she was responsible for a \$2 million build-out of the Transition Center in Darien as part of a transformation of the student services department.

"This is clearly on a much greater scale, but we have amazing people here," she said. "This is an amazing team. I don't think there is anything we could not figure out, to be honest with you."

Prentiss traces her interest in education to her days as a elementary student in Catholic school.

"I always enjoyed playing teacher, but I always seemed to be partnered up helping people who were struggling," she said. "I think the interest was always there for me."

She attended Northern Illinois University on scholarship in a dual major pro-

gram, earning her bachelor's in elementary education and her master's in special education in five years. Then she went to Australia for her student teaching and discovered that kids there with cognitive or physical impairments were not allowed to attend school.

"That's when my passion grew," she said.

She worked as a special education teacher before becoming assistant principal and then principal of Stratford Middle School in Carol Stream and ultimately director of special education for Community Consolidated Elementary District 93. Immediately before joining District 86, she was assistant director of the Cooperative Association of Special Education.

She said she hesitated when she first learned of the opening for an assistant superintendent of student services in District 86.

"My initial reaction was like, 'High school?' " she recalled. "I had to get my arm twisted a few times. I finally agreed to have a conversation with Dr. Law. He kind of wooed me in with his vision."

"Since then I absolutely have loved this community and this job, and we've done nothing but build and create and expand and do wonderful things for the students we serve here."

She appreciates the opportunity to work alongside Law for the past five years and to know his vision for the district.

"Because of that I have so much internal working



**Bruce Law** turned over the superintendency of Hinsdale High School District 86 Wednesday to Tammy Prentiss, who has been an assistant superintendent in the district for five years. Prentiss said it has been a privilege to work with Law, thanking him for putting her in the right spot to carry the torch. Law also began his new job on Wednesday, as superintendent of District 113 in Deerfield. (Jim Slonoff photo)

knowledge of the systems and their processes," Prentiss said.

She also knows he's there if she wants to reach out. "He's agreed to take my calls," she said. "We both have

morning commutes, which is good."

In addition to overseeing the \$140 million construction project, Prentiss said she is anxious to focus

on implementing the district's strategic plan, which the board passed a year ago.

"With all that was going on (we) kind of had put it on pause," she said.

Prentiss will spend much of next week doing "meet and greets" with new board President Nancy Pollak and district employee groups. She's already met with some community members.

"I would like to continue that process and formalize it a little bit more," she said. "I think the message is we can never communicate enough."

Prentiss learned during an interview with a Hinsdale Central reporter from the Devil's Advocate that she is the first female superintendent in District 86. That fits in well with her story.

"I think it's always important to give everyone role models so they know you can be anything you want to be," she said. "The sky should be the limit."

So to with her educational philosophy.

"That's my role, to make sure we're maximizing the potential of all the young adults who cross our threshold."

## Law bids D86 farewell

Law was busy trying to educate the community about a \$166 million referendum last fall when he was contacted by a search firm looking for a new superintendent for Township

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# POLICE BEAT

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## DUI arrest

Thomas W. McCann, 37, 5831 W. 26th St., No. 2E, Cicero, was arrested for driving under the influence of alcohol, driving with a blood alcohol level higher than .08 and leaving the scene of a personal injury accident at 7:16 p.m. April 28 after police were dispatched to a hit and run crash at 55th Street and County Line Road. Police located the suspect and his vehicle at Pinecrest Drive and Plainfield Road in Burr Ridge. He was charged and released to appear in court.

## Identity theft cases reported

- The identity of a resident of the 200 block of Ravine Road was used to open a cell phone account between 8 and 9 a.m. April 26.
- The identity of a resident of the 500 block of West Hickory Street was used to forge a fraudulent check on April 15. The incident was reported April 26

## Items stolen from store

An employee of Walgreens, 15 Grant Square, witnessed two suspects leave the store without paying for about \$80 worth of merchandise at 1:20 p.m. April 25.

## Chadha's winning words

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will care less about what is going on around the world. There would be fewer protests and less change in America, which could possibly lead to an oppressive government. This is not what America stands for. This is why it is very important to stay informed about what's going on. It is my responsibility to stay informed about the world, so America can constantly improve and grow. Our founding fathers gave us the many freedoms that we have today, and our knowledge of the world will keep these freedoms safe.

Finally, a major responsibility that I have is to follow the laws. Laws are what keeps people in check, and we must follow them to become a cooperative community. Criminals are taking America a step backwards in reaching this

goal. These people have caused anarchy, destruction, death and so much more. If I follow the laws, I am contributing to the welfare of America. If everyone does the same, America will be a better place.

To conclude, the most important civic duties that America have includes being thoughtful to the ideas of others, being aware of worldwide affairs and following the law. Some people don't think that what they do matters a lot. They think that one person can't make a difference. That is why they might not follow through with their responsibilities. However, if 1 million people think this, that is 1 million people not doing their responsibilities. This is why I do my duties as an American citizen. People need to realize that anyone can make an impact and that what they do matters.

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## 60 SECONDS

### Scout breathes new life into years-old project

Luke Leddy sees the world a little differently since completing the final project toward his Eagle Scout rank.

The Hinsdale Central High School junior said he finds himself taking note of landscaping and the plants popping up in peoples' yards and gardens. Since completing the rain garden at the Richmond Education Gardens and Apiary in Westmont last month, Leddy said he has a new appreciation for landscape design and the careful decisions that go into it.

The Richmond Education Gardens and Apiary is a project years in the making. A combined effort between the villages of Westmont and Clarendon Hills, the garden broke ground on Earth Day 2017. Since then the project has faced a number of delays. But it took a big step toward completion when Leddy took on a portion of the project as the final step toward earning his Eagle Scout rank.

Leddy, a Scout since sixth grade, said he knew years ago that he would pursue his Scouting career through to the top rank of Eagle

Scout. He also knew that he wanted his final project to have a long-lasting impact on his community.

With the help of local experts, generous donations and a couple of dozen volunteers, Leddy transformed a 400-square-foot section of the site near the Clarendon Hills Public Works facility on Park Avenue into a rain garden.

"It's essentially a ditch," Leddy said — a low-lying area designed to collect water from other portions of the garden. It makes use of rainwater to nourish water-tolerant plants while protecting plants in other areas of the garden from flooding.

After preparing the land for planting, he and his volunteers filled that ditch with carefully chosen plants. Leddy enlisted the help of experts to choose native, water-tolerant plants for the project. He also sought donations, collecting about \$2,000 in money, plants and supplies from the villages of Westmont and Clarendon Hills, Midwest Groundcovers, Midwest Trading and Taming's Landscape Supply.

Leddy said the project taught

him a lot about gardening, but he also learned about leadership, project management and what it takes to organize a group toward a common goal. Ultimately, he said the experience taught him a new kind of patience.

"I've learned to realize that not everything will go as planned. I think we changed the plan like 15 different times," Leddy said.

Dates were pushed back, decisions were tweaked and schedules were changed throughout the two years that it took Leddy to see his project from concept to completion.

The years leading up to installation were frustrating at times, but Leddy said the weekend spent digging and planting with his fellow Scouts and friends was worth the wait. And while it was hard work, he also had fun and takes satisfaction in seeing his plan finally come to fruition.

Leddy said he hopes the education garden will continue its path toward completion, providing a place where generations of students can learn about the environment and conservation.

— by Sandy Illian Bosch



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# OPINION

EDITORIAL

## Time for parking deck discussions to be made public

Every indication is that the new parking deck on the site of Hinsdale Middle School will be built.

The Hinsdale Village Board has selected a firm to handle excavation and stormwater management at the site and plans to award the bid at its meeting next week.

The village has solicited bids for other work at the site as well.

What work? Oh — that's right — we don't know.

At least we didn't until we searched the online public notice network and found the request for bids, published in the Daily Herald. We'll come back to that.

This entire project has been shrouded in secrecy since February, when the village and Community Consolidated Elementary District 181 announced they had reached a "mutual understanding" on most "open design issues" after participating in mediation.

In March, Hinsdale trustees agreed to hire Wight and Co. to redesign certain elements of

the deck and increase the pounds per square foot load, one of the main issues of disagreement between the two sides. Trustee Neale Byrnes, who was introducing the issue to the board, was cut off by Village President Tom Cauley, who reminded him the mediation process is confidential.

Then, last week, when trustees discussed the first bid they plan to award for the deck, they were equally silent. Documentation provided to trustees was omitted from the board packet published online.

"Due to the ongoing mediation discussions with school District 181 and the confidentiality of those discussions, the supporting documentation will be provided confidentially," the board packet stated.

When asked whether the two sides have reached agreement, we were told that news will come in a joint press release.

So what's going on?

We understand that negotiating issues in the media isn't usually very effective. But is all this

secrecy really necessary?

We can't figure out why the village — which typically publishes its legal notices in The Hinsdalean (also part of the online statewide public notices network) — chose to publish the request for bid group 2 in another newspaper.

Bid group 2 covers precast and concrete work, metals and fencing, roofing, asphalt, glazing, general carpentry/painting, fire suppression, plumbing, mechanical and electrical.

So it would appear the village and school district have agreed on a new design for the deck. Otherwise how could the village go out to bid? And if they have agreed on the design, why hasn't the public been notified?

We don't suggest taxpayers are getting cheated or that untoward behavior has taken place. We believe village and the school officials are doing their best to represent their constituents to the best of their ability.

But this is a \$7.6 million project that involves two public taxing bodies. It should be discussed in public. We urge both sides to find a way to do so.

COMMENTARY

## Grilling guide was a savory steal

The pages of my favorite barbecue cook-book are stained and worn.

Drops of Worcestershire sauce cover the recipe for pork kabobs with mustard-bourbon glaze. Soy sauce is splattered across the ingredient list for chicken ribbons satay. I think it's apple cider vinegar on page 80, where the recipe for old-time coleslaw is found.

In the worst condition of all is the recipe for beef tenderloin with Dijon cream sauce, our annual Christmas dinner entree. (I confess that after one year of cooking it on the grill, we've made it in the oven.)

The cookbook is not a fancy one. It's Kingsford's "Best Barbecues" and my mom picked it up for \$2.99 at the gift shop at the Hines VA Hospital once when my dad was a patient there.

I have a fancier grilling cookbook with recipes for dishes like ham pizzettas with melted Brie and mango, and lamb burgers with red currant chutney. I have a healthier grilling cookbook filled with recipes for fish and chicken and vegetables.

And I have a largely unexplored cookbook, "Peace, Love and Barbecue," by Mike Mills and Amy Mills Tunncliffe. These folks are serious about southern BBQ (one recipe is for beer-brined smoked catfish) and just happen to be Jim Slonoff's mom's cousins.

But my go-to cookbook remains the one designed to sell more bags of charcoal.

Besides the recipes I mentioned above, I love the blue cheese burgers with red onions, chicken with Mediterranean salsa, shrimp and scallop kabobs and grilled salmon with tomato basil butter sauce. I've served these dishes to family and friends on special occasions and to my family on weeknights.

I'd love to share all my favorite Kingsford recipes with you, but space makes that impossible. So here's an easy recipe that creates the best homemade peanut sauce I've tried (and without the hassle of working with coconut milk).

You can easily skewer chick-



Pamela Lannom

en tenderloins or cook whole breasts if you're looking to save a little time. I tend to use a little less water in the sauce than they suggest. I add more red pepper flakes if I've got guests that like things spicy, less if I'm serving the dish to kids.

And I always make a double recipe of sauce. My friends Cindy and Brad each spooned just

a drizzle of peanut sauce on their chicken when I made this for them. Most folks like a big pool of peanut sauce on their plate in which to dunk their chicken. The sauce is pretty good on bread, too. Or a spoon.

### Chicken ribbons satay

1/2 cup creamy peanut butter  
1/2 cup water  
1/4 cup soy sauce  
4 cloves garlic, pressed  
3 tablespoons lime juice  
2 tablespoons firmly packed brown sugar  
3/4 teaspoon ground ginger

1/2 teaspoon crushed red pepper flakes  
4 boneless skinless chicken breast halves  
sliced green onion tops for garnish

Whisk together peanut butter, water, soy sauce, garlic, lemon juice, brown sugar, ginger and red pepper flakes in a small saucepan. Cook over medium heat one minute or until smooth; cool. Reserve half of sauce for dipping.

Cut chicken lengthwise into 1-inch-wide strips. Thread onto eight metal or bamboo skewers. (Soak bamboo skewers in water at least 20 minutes to keep them from burning.)

Oil hot grid to prevent sticking. Grill chicken, on a covered grill, over medium-hot briquettes, six to eight minutes or until chicken is cooked through, turning once. Baste with sauce once or twice during cooking. Serve with reserved sauce garnished with sliced green onion tops.

— Pamela Lannom is editor of *The Hinsdalean*. This column first was published July 23, 2015.

# OPINION

## GUEST COMMENTARY

### Ready to graduate, maybe not to live

Last January, I sat on the edge of a chair in my guidance counselor's office, trying to select my senior year courses.



**Annika Agrawal**

My counselor sat near me with a list of Hinsdale Central's graduation requirements, to ensure they would all be realized. Luckily for me, I was on track to complete them. The real question is, was I on track to fulfill the things that would be required of me from life after high school?

Today, we live in a world where secondary education is almost a given. Eighty-three percent of America's high school students graduate, with 70 percent electing to immediately enroll in a college or university. By that measure, students should be armed with an arsenal of skills to take them forward in life.

Yet, as I begin my last year of school, it's hard not to think about all the things I don't know. Starting to fill out my college applications made me realize I don't know my Social Security number or what it's for. The same is true for most of my friends.

Looking at college tuition costs shows me I don't understand the complexity of college loans, beyond being told that "everyone has them." And, perhaps most importantly, in this world dominated by technology, I don't know what to do if my computer malfunctions.

At Hinsdale Central, students can elect to take

classes in digital literacy, consumer economics and computer science. The Illinois State Board of Education even requires all students to take nine weeks of consumer education. However, Illinois is one of only

eight states in the country to require any sort of life management courses and even then, those fail to cover some of the most common challenges students face.

When education doesn't prioritize the teaching of money management, consumerism or skills that students will soon be expected to know, how well equipped will my classmates and I be to succeed in the future?

Similarly, although many more states require some level of computer literacy for graduation, only nine states have firm computer science and/or digital competency courses embedded into their graduation requirements. And only five states have ready access to computing courses for all students in secondary education, and 40 percent of schools nationwide don't offer any at all.

As the world continues to change, perhaps it's time to reevaluate what students learn before we're sent out into the world. We need the proper tools to succeed on our own, and we need to learn them in school.

— *Annika Agrawal, a senior at Hinsdale Central High School, is a contributing columnist. This column was first published Sept. 20, 2018.*

## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

### Families grateful for support of Misericordia Candy Days

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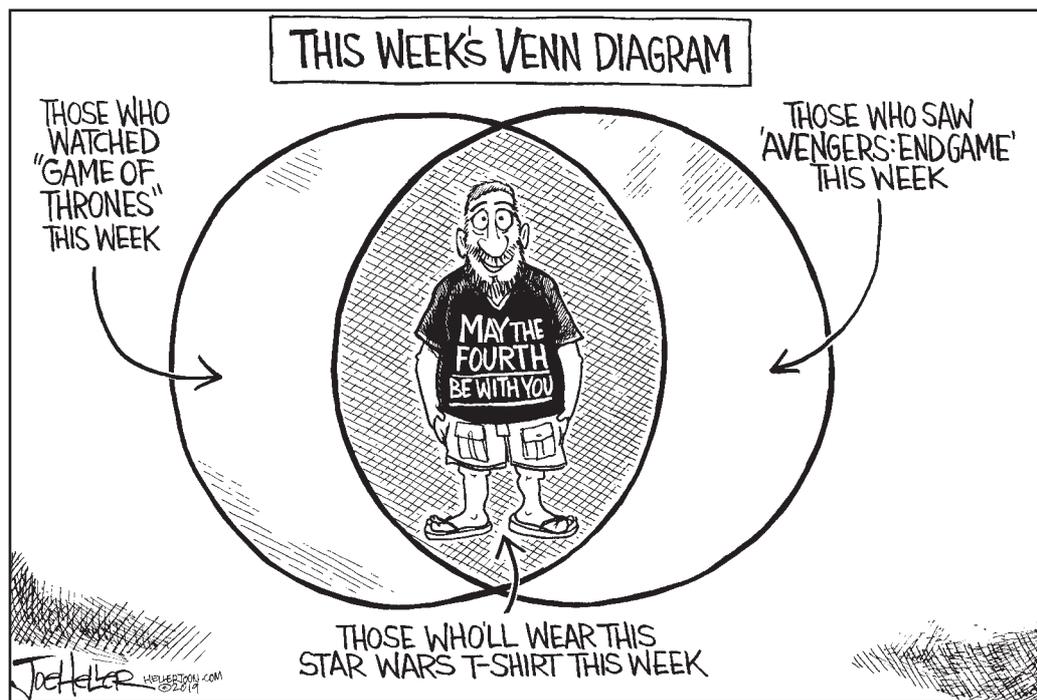
This year, through your generous donations, we were able to raise over \$12,600 to directly benefit Misericordia programs. Thank you for your generosity.

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and the Hinsdale Police Department for allowing us to solicit much-needed funds. A huge thank you to the many energetic and passionate volunteers who took to the streets and sidewalks to assist Misericordia. Misericordia is a real gem, a one-of-a-kind organization in our country. By your big-heartedness, you have had a real impact for a most worthy cause.

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— *the Brennan, Goss, Lasek and Lee families, Hinsdale*



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# OBITUARIES

## Jane Greve Murphy

Jane Greve Murphy of Hinsdale, formerly of Galesburg, died April 24, 2019, at Amita Hinsdale Hospital.

Jane, 87, was born in 1931 in Chicago to Arnold and Gladys Greve, nee Truedson. She was raised in the Hinsdale-Oak Brook area, graduating from Hinsdale High School in 1949 and Lyons Township Junior College in 1951.

Jane married Frank Murphy in 1954. She belonged to the "Clipped Wings" after leaving her job as an air hostess with TWA, and served as a Girl Scout Troop Leader and volunteered at the Hinsdale Humane Society. The couple retired to

Lake Bracken in Galesburg, where Jane enjoyed golf and was active in the Carl Sandburg Historic Site Association and Galesburg Historical Society.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Frank; her daughter Nancy (the late Al) Sudeikis; and her sisters, Joann and Carol.

She is survived by her children, Karen (Jerry) Brodine and Joe Murphy of Hinsdale; and her grandchildren, Dan and Ellen Sudeikis.

Interment is private at Rock Island National Cemetery.

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## Prentiss takes the reins in District 86

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High School District 113 in Deerfield/Highland Park.

"I said, 'I don't even have time to think about this,'" he told the caller.

Then the referendum failed and he began to consider the possibility of moving to a new district. He also remembered an article he read years ago that said after five years, a CEO just doesn't get as much done. He had served as superintendent in District 86 for a little more than five years at that point.

"There was a tremendous opportunity in 113, and I thought, 'I've accomplished a lot of what I wanted to accomplish in 86,' and so a new challenge was very appealing," he said.

The search firm noted his "staying power," he said, and he clearly has been through some tumultuous times, with administrative turnover, divided boards and a tense teacher contract negotiation in 2014. The most difficult in his eyes were the two failed referendums.

"I think the most challenging was there were two times when it appeared to me that District 86, as people had come to know it and expected it to be, was under an existential threat," he said. "I choose those words carefully."

He's relieved that voters in April agreed to make the \$140 million investment in the schools and avoid the cuts that would have resulted from a no vote.

"Had the community not stepped up and said, 'This is not what we want for our schools,' I think D86 would have changed beyond recognition to most people," he said.

Law said he is confident in the team he leaves behind, including Prentiss, who lauded her "unbelievable" job as assistant superintendent. He encouraged her to find her own voice as the face of the district.

"She's not me nor should she try to be," he said.

What will he miss the most about District 86?

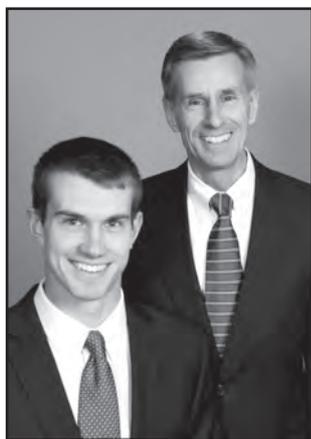
"The people is what comes to mind," he said. "That seems so cliché, but it's true. There are so many great people in so many places in the district," he added, from teachers to students to parents he met while working on the referendum campaigns.

At Law's last board meeting April 24, board and community members paid tribute to him and his accomplishments. Commendatory remarks by board member Kathleen Hirsman prompted a standing ovation, which clearly touched him.

"When that happened, the fact that I am going to soon be leaving 86 just became so real," he said. "It was very emotional."

He plans to return to see the materialized results of the referendum and suggested District 86 will always be a special place for him.

"There are some books you read and you love them so much and you don't want them to end," he said. "This is one of them."



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SARA HYNES, MENTAL HEALTH FIRST AID TRAINER

## What is mental health first aid?

Approximately one in five people struggle with mental health issues in any given year, according to the National Alliance on Mental Illness.

With those numbers, "it'd be hard for anybody to say they don't know somebody with a mental health issue," said Sara Hynes, community education director for NAMI DuPage.

To meet that need, the organization offers mental health first aid training sessions (supported by a grant from Community Memorial Foundation in Hinsdale) to equip citizens to better serve their loved ones, co-workers and neighbors.

"It's perfect for the average community member who wants to learn more about how can they help someone who is struggling," Hynes said.

May is Mental Health Awareness Month, and a mental health training program will be held from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday, May 20, at the Hinsdale Humane Society.

The aim of the training is not to be able to give a diagnosis, but to help provide direction.

"We say, 'Connect and not correct,'" Hynes said. "This class teaches people that you don't have to be a clinician or have a specialized degree to connect people to services."

Mental health issues are more out in the open than in the past, but unease remains about broaching the subject.

"People don't know what to say, afraid that they may be more hurtful than helpful," she said. "I first encourage them to realize that it is a real illness. It's just a mental health issue, not a physical illness. We're able to teach empathy and truth about what mental illness really is."

Hynes said basic symptoms are covered, educating participants on the possible signs of depression, anxiety or bipolar disorder.

"This is not just people feeling a little nervous," she explained, using anxiety as an example. "This is anxiety that is interfering with someone carrying out their daily life activities. It interferes with their ability to live, laugh and love."

The first step in extending care is often just establishing a level of trust.

"A frequent question is, 'What if people don't want help?' The biggest thing is building trusting relation-

ships with people by just noticing what they're interested in and being a part of that even in a small way."

That process could take time, as could the person's journey to seeking help.

"This is not going to be a quick solution. It's simply a way to teach people to be more confident in these situations," Hynes said.

The training involves lecture, group activities and interactive scenarios.

"We're able to give specific examples for them to practice so then it becomes real life and not just a classroom lesson," she related.

After several years of conducting this training, Hynes said feedback has been encouraging.

"We've had many former students say, 'Yes, this was very helpful. I was able to use what I learned,'" she said.

To register for the May 20 training, contact Hynes at (630) 752-0066 or s.hynes@namidupage.org. For more training session dates, visit namidupage.org.

"We want (mental illness sufferers) to know that they're not alone and that there is help for them," she said.

— by Ken Knutson



Sara Hynes said participants in mental health first aid training typically share one trait. "Most of the people that are coming to our class, they already care about people," she said. (photo provided)

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## Make plans now for day with Mom

Several brunches, other activities will help kids of all ages honor their moms May 12

By Pamela Lannom  
plannom@thehinsdalean.com

Mother's Day is less than two weeks away, which means now is time to make reservations to enjoy a special brunch or other activity with Mom.

Those who choose to dine at Brookfield Zoo or the Morton Arboretum will have the added benefit of spending time together in those locations after the meal is over.

The zoo's temporary summer attraction — Brick Safari — will be open to guests on Mother's Day. The exhibit features more than 40 life-sized animal sculptures created from millions of individual LEGO bricks. The menagerie of animals, located along a winding wooded pathway, includes those who call the zoo home (lion, giraffe, snow leopard and pangolin) and others who might be less familiar (elephant and panda with its cubs). Colorful graphics highlighting interesting animal facts and statistics, such as how many bricks were used to build each statue and how long it took to create it, are displayed.

At the Morton Arboretum, visitors can journey through the far-reaching forest to hunt for six colossal trolls crafted from reclaimed wood by Danish artist Thomas Dambo. These 15- to 30-foot tall (and one 60-foot long) sculptures have been created to serve as protectors of the environment. The Troll Hunter's Handbook, available in the visitors center, offers clues to the location of each troll. Cycling enthusiasts can rent a bike and search for trolls as they explore nine miles of paved roads that wind through the arboretum.

And of course Mom, being Mom, is sure to appreciate however her family chooses to honor her.

### Mother's Day brunches

■ **Brookfield Zoo**  
8400 31st St.  
(708) 688-8355  
czs.org/events

Spend quality time with mom at a special brunch featuring cooked-to-order eggs, a carving station and accompaniments, a sweet table and more. Champagne and

other beverages will be served tableside. Time: 11 a.m. and 1:30 p.m. Cost: \$42.95, \$32.95 for children ages 3 to 11, free for kids 2 and younger.

■ **Morton Arboretum**  
4100 Route 53, Lisle  
(630) 725-2066  
mortonarb.org

Celebrate mom with a fabulous brunch against the blooming backdrop of Meadow Lake. Choose dishes from a chilled buffet, breakfast bar, hot lunch buffet, carving stations, kids buffet and dessert station. A cash bar also will be available and adults 21 and older will receive a complimentary mimosa. Time: 9 a.m., noon and 3 p.m. seatings. Cost: \$61, \$34 for children ages 4-12, free for children under 4, with discounts for members.

■ **Fuller House**  
35 E. First St., Hinsdale  
(630) 568-5466  
fullerhousebar.com

Fuller House offers a Rose All Day Brunch to celebrate Mother's Day. All moms receive a complimentary glass of bubbles. Time: 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. Cost: \$5 rose specials, regular menu prices apply.

■ **Il Poggiolo**  
8 E. First St., Hinsdale  
(630) 734-9400  
ilpoggiolohinsdale.com

Special menu items such as brioche French toast with caramelized bananas and berries; breakfast skillet with prosciutto, bacon and sausage; and avocado toast with lump crab meat will be served from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m.

■ **Davanti Enoteca**  
800 Hillgrove Ave, Western Springs  
(708) 783-1060  
davantienoteca.com

Enjoy Mother's Day brunch featuring a variety of salads, egg dishes, Italian favorites, a chef's carving station featuring prime rib and assorted desserts. Time: 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Cost: \$42, \$16 for kids 12 and younger.

■ **Hilton Chicago/Oak Brook Hills Resort**  
3500 Midwest Road, Oak Brook  
(630) 850-5555



**Mother's Day brunch** — whether in a Hinsdale restaurant or a destination spot like Brookfield Zoo — is a wonderful way to honor and spend time with one of the most important women in your life.

oakbrookhillsresort.com

This lavish brunch features a chef-driven buffet, fashion show, kids activities and complimentary mimosas for the ladies. Time: 10 a.m. and 1 p.m. seatings. Cost: \$53.95, \$19.95 for children 5 to 12, free for kids 4 and under.

■ **Lucille Restaurant**  
100 Drury Lane, Oakbrook Terrace  
(630) 530-8300  
lucillerestaurant.com

Rated in the Top 100 Bunch Restaurants in America by Open Table, this brunch includes eggs Benedict, baked Atlantic salmon and more at 10 gourmet food stations. Adults will enjoy mimosas, bellinis and a bloody Mary bar while kids will be wowed by their own buffet. Time: 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Cost: \$60, \$16 for kids 6-12, \$10 for kids 3-5 and free for kids 2 and younger.

### Other weekend events

■ **Mother and Daughter High Tea**  
May 11  
Lucille Restaurant  
100 Drury Lane, Oakbrook Terrace

(630) 530-8300  
lucillerestaurant.com

Indulge in an afternoon high tea featuring an elaborate menu of freshly baked scones, tea sandwiches, enticing desserts, an assortment of fine teas and unlimited champagne. Time: 1 p.m. Cost: \$35, \$25 for children 12 and younger.

### ■ Mother's Day program

May 11  
Cantigny Park Visitors Center  
1S151 Winfield Road, Wheaton  
(630) 668-5161  
cantigny.org

The McCormick House invites families for this monthly drop-in program with interactive themes. Join us as we celebrate moms by making cards and a few other make-and-take activities. Time: noon to 3 p.m. Free with \$10 parking.

— All brunches and the high tea require reservations.



Beatles tribute band **American English** will perform a concert to benefit the Hinsdale Humane Society Pet Rescue & Resource Center May 22 at the Tivoli Theatre in Downers Grove. See Page 22 for details. (photo provided)

## ARTFULLY DONE

■ **Oak Brook Art League Exhibit**  
Through July 1  
Mayslake Peabody Estate  
1717 W. 31st St., Oak Brook  
(630) 206-9566  
dupageforest.org

The league presents its exhibit, "Spring Into Summer." A two-hour reception will be held at 6 p.m. Wednesday, May 15. Hours: 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Mondays-Fridays, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturdays.

## FAMILY FUN

■ **'The Wizard of Oz'**  
Through May 5  
Theatre of Western Springs  
4384 Hampton Ave.  
(708) 246-3380  
theatreofwesternsprings.com

The classic tale comes to life with this Children's Theatre of Western Springs production. Times: 7 p.m. Friday, 11 a.m. and 3 p.m. Saturdays 3 p.m. Sunday. Tickets: \$15, \$10 for children.

■ **'You're A Good Man, Charlie Brown'** character breakfast

Saturdays, May 11–June 15  
Drury Lane Theatre  
100 Drury Lane, Oakbrook Terrace  
(630) 530-0111  
drurylanetheatre.com

Enjoy a breakfast of made-to-order doughnuts and more as kids meet the Peanuts characters. Unlimited champagne and mimosas are available for \$10. Tickets to the stage production are not included; breakfast/theater packages are available. Time: 11 a.m. Cost: \$20, \$15 for children ages 4-12, free for ages 3 and under.

## Tank Park Games

May 17  
Cantigny Park  
1S151 Winfield Road,  
Wheaton  
(630) 668-5161  
cantigny.org

Come to Cantigny's Tank Park for some classic games with a military twist. Play Bingo, Mad Libs, Memory and more as you stroll from tank to tank. Time: 5:30 p.m. Admission: Free with \$5 parking.

## FOR A CAUSE

### Derby Day

May 4  
Westin Lombard Yorktown Center  
70 Yorktown Center  
childrenshomeandaid.org/derbyday

The Hinsdale Auxiliary of Children's Home & Aid will hold its annual Derby Day benefit, with emcee Rob Johnson, featuring dinner and viewing of the Kentucky Derby along with a wine auction, dancing and a grand raffle. Derby attire is encouraged. Time: 4:30 p.m. Tickets: \$175.

### Stuff the Squad

Through May 7  
D181 schools

This food-raising event to support HCS Family Services food pantries will be held at each District 181 school in partnership with the Hinsdale, Clarendon Hills, and Burr Ridge police departments. Students and community members are asked to bring

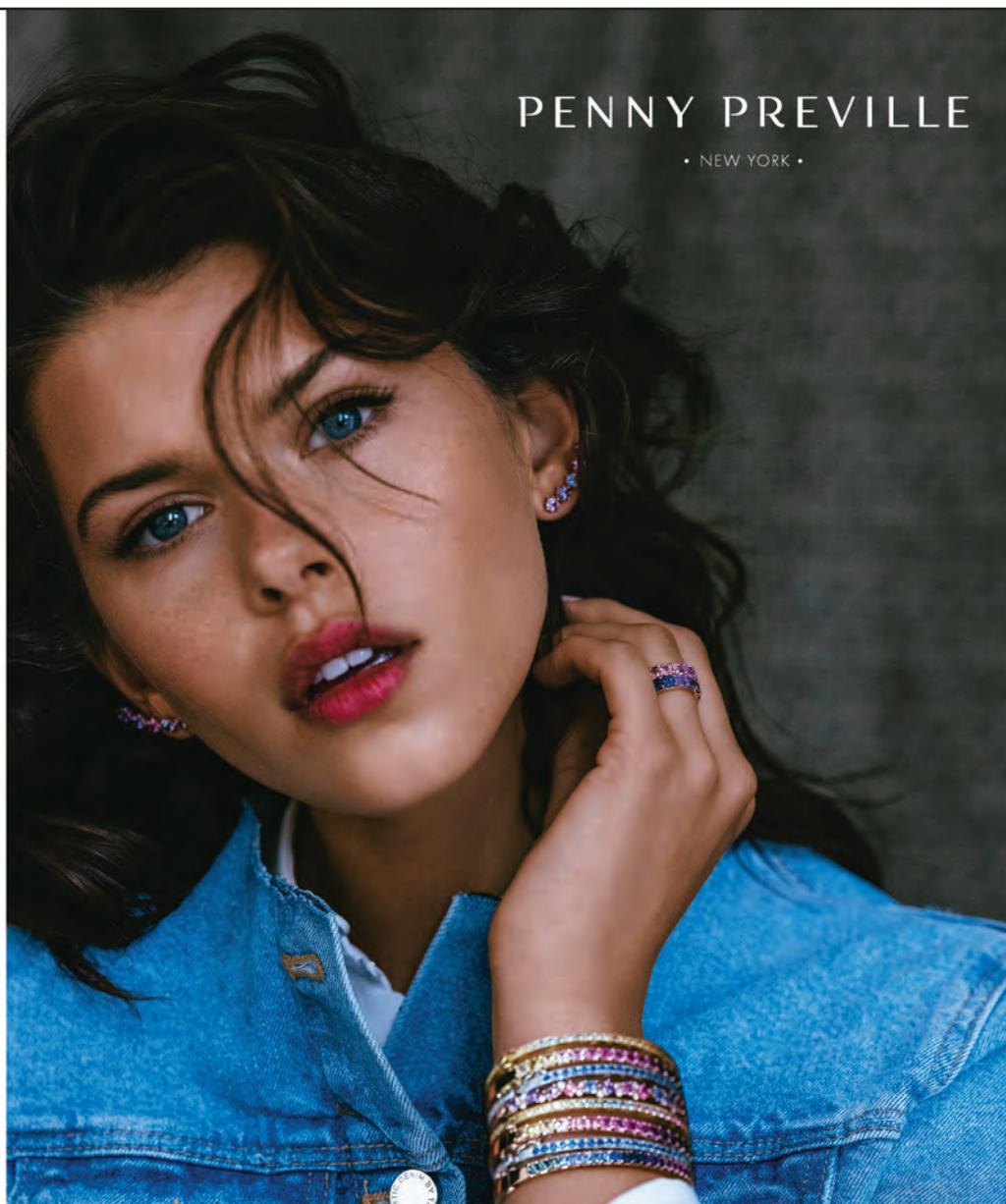
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## PULSE

# Summer sleep can be time to recharge (if you let it)

As the weather begins to shift and days become longer, students are gearing up for the end of the school year and the start of summer.

As a student, one thing I always looked forward to around this time of the year was the chance to catch up on all my lost sleep. My parents were much more relaxed with me and my sleep schedule over the summer, as it was an earned break from the day-to-day grind of the school year.

With that being said, the approach I and many young people take toward catching up on sleep often leads to increasing our "sleep debt" rather than decreasing it. Simply put, our bedtime and wake time are just pushed back with no real change in the amount of sleep that we are getting.

Many of us don't realize the importance of sleep and how it impacts our children and their devel-

oping bodies. The National Sleep Foundation defines "sleep debt" as the difference between the amount of sleep that you need and the amount that you are actually getting. The NSF's recommended sleep range for preschoolers (ages 3-5) is 10 to 13 hours, school-age children (6-13) nine to 11 hours and teenagers (14-17) eight to 10 hours.

When in classrooms, it is common for me to hear that students believe they are getting a proper amount of sleep (they often feel this way because they are so far in sleep debt that they do not remember what it is like to be well rested), that they are aware of the recommended ranges of sleep, but rarely are they actually meeting those recommendations due to school work, activities, social life and other



**Lance Williams**  
*Healthbeat*

responsibilities.

To help combat sleep debt this summer we can do a few simple things recommended by the NSF. First, we can keep an eye on our children's total sleep hours. If your child's summer bedtime is later than their bedtime during the school year, make sure they are able to sleep in until they reach their recommended sleep range.

Next, we can keep sleep times consistent (as much as possible). Consistent timing is very impactful because our internal body clock (which affects health, mood and cognition) works best with regularity and that shifting bedtimes around is like giving a child a mini case of jet lag. A bedtime of 9:30 p.m. every night is better than switching between 9 and 10 p.m.

The last step is easing them back into their school year bedtime and wake time as summer comes to an end. This can be done one or two weeks before the school starts by decreasing how late they stay up by 15 minutes each night. If your child is having a hard time falling asleep at the earlier bedtimes, waking them up 15 minutes earlier in the morning can help.

Summer is a busy time with vacations and family parties that often go late into the night. The nice part is that there usually aren't early morning wake-up calls the next day. Try to use the summer to let your children catch up on the rest that they need. The importance of sleep is often overlooked, but it is as important as physical activity and a healthy diet.

— Lance Williams is a senior health educator for the Robert Crown Center for Health Education in Hinsdale.

■ Many of us don't realize the importance of sleep and how it impacts our children and their development.



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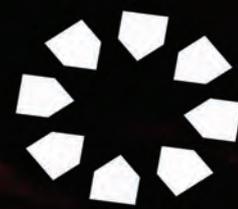
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donations of specific items to their neighborhood schools on the designated days: Oak School, May 2; The Lane School, May 3; Clarendon Hills Middle School and Elm School, May 7. Police officers will be parked outside the elementary schools to collect donations. Time: 8:15-8:40 a.m. for students, 8:45-9 a.m. for community members at elementary schools, 8 to 8:25 a.m. and 8:25 to 8:40 a.m. at middle schools.

**■ Hinsdale Cooks! Kitchen Walk**  
May 10  
kitchen-walk.com

Seven Hinsdale homes will open their doors to visitors in this year's fundraiser for the Hinsdale Historical Society. Restrooms will be open at Immanuel Hall, 302 S. Grant St. Tickets are available at the website above and at Yankee Peddler, 30 E. Hinsdale Ave. For more information, send an email to KitchenWalk@HinsdaleHistory.org Time: 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Tickets: \$50 in advance, \$60 on event day.

**■ Benefit concert for homeless animals**

May 22  
Tivoli Theatre  
5021 Highland Ave.,  
Downers Grove  
(630) 323-5630  
hinsdalehumane.org

Beatles tribute band American English will perform a concert to benefit the Hinsdale Humane Society Pet Rescue & Resource Center. Visitors can also shop a silent auction, buy a limited edition concert T-shirt, and purchase food and drinks from the theater's bar. Handicapped seating options are available. Tickets are available using the contact info above or by sending an email to Kathy.hanley@hinsdalehumane.org. Time: 6:30 p.m. doors open, 7:30 to 10 p.m. concert. Tickets: \$35-\$50.

**■ Michael Brindley Memorial Golf Outing**

June 8  
Riverbend Golf Club  
5900 Route 53, Lisle  
just1mike.org

This 9-hole golf outing followed by dinner and program will benefit the JUST1MIKE Foundation to help fund ECG screenings at schools to detect hidden heart defects. The foundation is named for Michael Brindley, a Clarendon Hills teen who died in 2016 at age 16 from sudden cardiac arrest. Time: 2 p.m. registration, 3 p.m. golf begins. Cost: \$200, \$750 for a foursome.

**GAME ON**

**■ Free tennis clinic**

June 2  
Burns Field tennis courts  
320 N. Vine St., Hinsdale  
(630) 789-7090  
villageofhinsdale.org/pr

Kids ages 7-12 are invited to this free clinic that will include introduction to hand/eye coordination, serving and rallying, etc. Participants must bring tennis shoes and their own racket. Registered participants have priority. Time: noon to 1:30 p.m. RR

**GREAT OUTDOORS**

**■ Kayaking: Basics**

May 10  
Herrick Lake  
Butterfield and Naperville roads, Wheaton  
(630) 933-7248  
dupageforest.org

Aspiring kayakers ages 12 and up can learn strokes and safety tips in a one-person kayak. Kayaks, paddles and personal flotation devices are provided. Participants should meet at the boat-rental building and dress to get wet with extra shoes and a towel. Those under age 18 must be with an adult. Time: 5 to 7 p.m. Cost: \$20. RR

**■ Fishing: With Mom**

May 12  
Hidden Lake  
2403 Butterfield Road,  
Downers Grove  
(630) 933-7248  
dupageforest.org

Kids age 8 and up can spend the morning along the water with Mom learning to catch different kinds of fish. Enter off Route 53, park in the north side of the lot and meet near the picnic shelter. Bait will

be provided, but participants should bring their own fishing gear; a limited supply will be available on a first-come, first-served basis. Time: 10 a.m. to noon. Cost: \$5. RR

**■ Morning Bird Walk**

May 18  
Little Red Schoolhouse Nature Center  
9800 Willow Springs Road,  
Willow Springs  
(708) 839-6897  
fpdcc.com

Take an early morning walk through various habitats in search of birds making their way north. Bring binoculars; a limited supply will be available for loan. Time: 7:30 to 8:30 a.m.

**■ Viewing the Night Sky with Binoculars**

May 18  
Little Red Schoolhouse Nature Center  
9800 Willow Springs Road,  
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(708) 839-6897  
fpdcc.com

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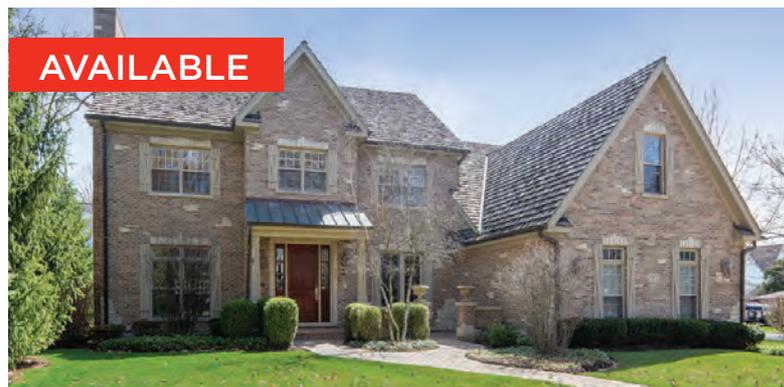
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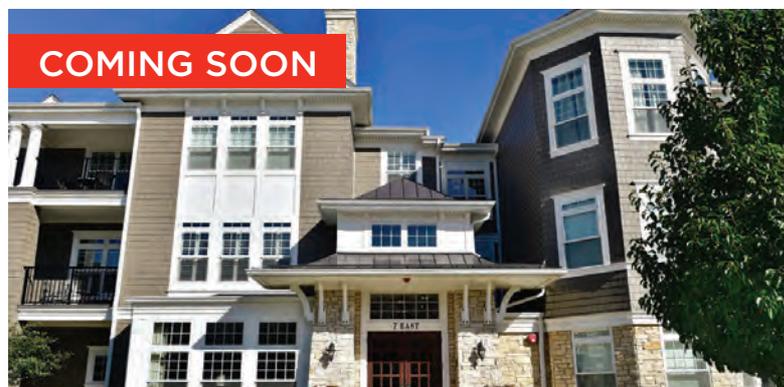
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telescopes with guidance from the Chicago Astronomical Society. Time: 7:30 to 10:30 p.m.

## GREEN THUMB

■ **Chicagoland Daylily Society**  
May 5  
The Community House  
415 W. Eighth St., Hinsdale  
chicagolanddaylilysociety.org  
Featured speaker hybridizer William Marchant will present his talk, "Introducing Druid City Daylily Garden." A daylily auction will also be held. Time: 2 to 4 p.m.

■ **Practical Tips for Tree TLC**  
May 8  
Hinsdale Public Library  
20 E. Maple Ave.  
(630) 986-1976  
hinsdalelibrary.info

Tom Tyler, certified arborist with Bartlett Tree Experts, will cover practical tree care, from managing soil and pests to pruning to helping trees through a construction project. Learn the secrets to healthy and thriving trees and

the 10 best trees for an urban environment. Time: 7 to 8 p.m. RR

■ **Free wood chips**  
May 11 & 18  
Blackwell Forest Preserve  
29W218 Mack Road, West Chicago  
(630) 876-5920  
dupageforest.org

The public is invited to pick up free wood chips while supplies last at Blackwell's native plant nursery. Vehicles should be no larger than a pickup truck to take mulch; contractors are not allowed. An employee will be on hand with a tractor to help fill trailers or truck beds. People who want smaller amounts should bring their own containers. Loading must be completed by 1 p.m. Hours: 8 a.m. to 1 p.m.

■ **Suburban Garden Club Plant Sale**  
May 18  
Village True Value  
835 Burlington Ave., Western Springs  
(630) 202-5739

Come find plants, flowers, vegetables and herbs

for sun or shade gardens. Knowledgeable gardeners will be there to assist. The rain date/leftover sale for the event is May 25. Hours: 8 a.m. to noon.

■ **Suburban Garden Club**  
May 20  
The Community House  
415 W. Eighth St., Hinsdale

Speaker Jan Gricus, master gardener from the University of Illinois Extension, will show how to get started with straw bale gardening, a method that solves impediments faced by today's gardeners: bad soil, weeds, short growing season, watering problems, limited space and the physical difficulty of working on ground level. Time: 7:30 to 9 p.m.

■ **Native Plant Sale presale**  
Ongoing  
dupageforest.org/native-plant-sale

The DuPage County Forest Preserve District invites gardeners placing presale orders for its Native Plant Sale, which will be held May 10 & 11 at

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**HEALTH & WELLNESS**

■ **Palliative vs. Hospice Care**

May 7  
Wellness House  
131 N. County Line Road,  
Hinsdale  
(630) 323-5150  
wellnesshouse.org  
Receive personal guidance in advance care planning from Respecting Choices-certified facilitators. The program is for those touched by cancer. Time: 7 to 8:30 p.m. RR

■ **Conscious Breathing**

May 14  
Wellness House  
131 N. County Line Road,  
Hinsdale  
(630) 323-5150  
wellnesshouse.org

Learn and practice breathing techniques designed to relieve stress, reduce pain and increase positive energy. The program is for those touched by cancer. Time: 7 to 8:30 p.m. RR

**HELP WANTED**

■ **Literacy tutor training**

May 7  
Hinsdale Public Library  
20 E. Maple Ave.  
(630) 416-6699  
literacydupage.org

Attend this orientation session to learn how Literacy DuPage recruits and trains volunteers to tutor adults in English to meet their goals. No foreign language or teaching experience is required. Time: 6:30 to 8 p.m.

**IT'S ELEMENTARY**

■ **D181 Preschool registration**

Ongoing  
d181.org/schools/pre-school-ece/registration

Registration for District 181 preschool/ECE for the 2019-20 school year is open for new students. Participants must reside within district boundaries, and children must be age 3 by Sept. 1, 2019, potty trained, and have a health exam completed prior to the start of the year. Families need to provide proof of residency at registration; a list of acceptable documents is posted on the website listed above, as is the online registration application. Parents should bring the official certified birth certificate for the child, proof of residency and the \$100 registration fee district office, 115 W. 55th St. Clarendon Hills. Office hours: 8:30 a.m. to noon, and 1 to 3 p.m.

**JUST FOR KIDS**

■ **Children's Book Week Celebration**

Through May 5  
Hinsdale Public Library  
20 E. Maple St.

(630) 986-1976  
hinsdalelibrary.info

Complete a contest coloring page at the library during Children's Book Week for a chance to win a giant stuffedie of the The Very Hungry Caterpillar. The winner will be announced May 6.

■ **Putting the "E" in STEAM**

May 18  
Hinsdale Public Library  
20 E. Maple St.  
(630) 986-1976  
hinsdalelibrary.info

Kids are invited to explore, design and take home an engineering creation. Time: 10 a.m. to noon.

**LISTEN & LEARN**

■ **Graduated Tax Town Hall**

May 4  
Oak Brook Public Library  
600 Oak Brook Road  
Republican state Reps. Deanne Mazzochi, who represents Hinsdale, and Amy Grant, along with Americans for Prosperity, will host this meeting to discuss the graduated income tax being pro-

posed by Gov. J.B. Pritzger. Refreshments will be served. Time: 10:30 a.m. (doors open at 10 a.m.).

■ **Standing at the Water's Edge**

May 5  
McAninch Arts Center  
College of DuPage  
425 Fawell Blvd., Glen Ellyn  
(630) 942-4000  
atthemac.org

Photojournalist Cristina Mittermeier spent time with the Keyapó people in the Amazon, documenting a society that relied on their local waterway to survive — and found their way of life threatened by a massive new dam. In British Columbia, she found First Nations protecting their sacred headwaters, and in Hawaii, a new community of indigenous peoples seeking to reclaim their connection to the sea. She learned the concept that bound these three disparate communities together: "Enoughness," or taking only that which is needed. A free Common Ground Conversation will be held in

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**Sunday, May 19 at 3pm at Christ Church of Oak Brook sanctuary.**  
Doors open at 2:30 with plenty of free parking.

**TICKETS CAN BE PURCHASED ONLINE AT SINGINGMENOAKBROOK.ORG OR AT THE DOOR FOR \$15**

*Mother's Day Special Serenade...*  
Surprise your Mother with a Special Treat this Mother's Day. The Singing Men of Oak Brook will Serenade your Mom on May 12, via email, with a video performance of *That Wonderful Mother of Mine*.  
Just send your mother's name and email address by May 10th to:  
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conjunction with this National Geographic Live program. Time: 2 p.m. Tickets: \$26.

### ■ The Importance of Play for Kids of All Ages

May 6  
Hinsdale Public Library  
20 E. Maple Ave.  
(630) 986-1976  
hinsdalelibrary.info  
Susan Stutzman, LCPC and RPT, will discuss the neuroscience behind the value of play and how to engage in play with kids at different stages (including teens). Time: 7 to 8:30 p.m. RR

### ■ Getting Started with PowerPoint

May 9  
Hinsdale Public Library  
20 E. Maple Ave.  
(630) 986-1976  
hinsdalelibrary.info  
Learn how to construct a digital slideshow for a local organization, a family gathering or the next company meeting at this introductory session. Time: 7 to 8:30 p.m. RR

### ■ Tolkien and Trees

May 15  
Hinsdale Public Library  
20 E. Maple Ave.  
(630) 986-1976  
hinsdalelibrary.info  
Liam Heneghan, environmental science professor at DePaul University and author of "Beasts at Bedtime: Revealing Environmental Wisdom in Children's Literature," will discuss the relationship between famed author J.R.R. Tolkien and trees. Learn how Tolkien was motivated by concerns about the British countryside when he created his "Lord of the Rings" trilogy. This program compliments the library's tree-inspired art installation by Chicago artist Jeremiah Hulsebos-Spofford and is presented in connection with the library's Time Capsule for the trees art installation. Time: 7 to 8:30 p.m. RR

## NOTEWORTHY

### ■ Beautiful Music

May 4  
First Congregational Church  
of Western Springs  
1106 Chestnut St.  
May 5  
Emmanuel Episcopal Church  
203 S. Kensington Ave., La Grange  
(312) 510-1823

hinsdalechorale.org

The Hinsdale Chorale will perform its spring concert featuring music by the famous "three B's" of composers: Bach, Beethoven and Brahms. The program will include Bach's "Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring," the first movement of Beethoven's Mass in C Major and 11 selections from Brahms' "Liebeslieder Waltzes," as well as a madrigal by Elizabethan composer John

Bennett, "Sure on this Shining Night" by American composer Samuel Barber and three arrangements of songs by Leonard Bernstein. The finale will be five arrangements of iconic Beatles songs. Times: 7 p.m. May 4, 3 p.m. May 5. Tickets: \$20, \$15 for students and seniors.

### ■ West Suburban Symphony

May 5  
Hinsdale Central High School  
5500 Grant Street

(630) 887-7464

westsubsymphony.org

The symphony will perform the program "Irresistible," featuring Georges Bizet's "Arlésienne Suites," Maurice Ravel's "Bolero," Dmitri Shostakovich's "Festive Overture," Leonard Bernstein's "Overture to Candide" and William Walton's Concerto for Viola and Orchestra. Teen violist Zechariah Mo will perform

as a soloist. Time: 3:30 p.m. Tickets: \$25, \$23 for seniors, \$5 for teens, free for children.

### ■ Hinsdale Sounds Good! Choir

May 7  
The Community House  
415 W. Eighth St., Hinsdale  
soundsgoodchoir.org

This free public performance of the program "Sounds of Spring" will feature eight songs, including "And

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All That Jazz," "Moon River" and "It Had to Be You," all in arrangements for mixed chorus with piano. Sounds Good! is the largest choral organization for older adults in the Chicago area. Time: 7 p.m.

■ **Sinfonietta Bel Canto**

May 9  
Mayslake Peabody Estate  
1717 W. 31st St., Oak Brook  
sinfoniettabelcanto.org

Featuring a full orchestra accompaniment, staged performance and sung in Italian with projected English translation, Sinfonietta Bel Canto presents "Gianni Schicchi," the third part of Puccini's 100-year old opera, "Il Trittico." Time: 7:30 to 8:30 p.m. Tickets: \$24, \$21 for seniors, \$7 for students, with \$2 discount for advance purchase.

■ **The Tower Chorale**

May 18-19  
Nazareth Academy  
1209 Ogden Ave., La Grange Park  
towerchorale.org

This 90-voice community chorus presents "Anything Goes: Broadway & Irving Berlin," featuring Broadway classics such as "Comedy Tonight" and "Once Upon a Dream," plus a wonderful medley from "The Lion King" and concluding with a tribute to Irving Berlin. Times: 7:30 p.m. Saturday, 3 p.m. Sunday. Tickets: \$20, \$17 for seniors & students in advance; \$23/\$20 at the door.

**ON STAGE**

■ **'The Complete Works of William Shakespeare (Abridged)'**

May 9-11  
Theatre of Western Springs  
4384 Hampton Ave.  
(708) 246-3380  
theatreofwesternsprings.com

The High School Repertory will perform all 37 of the Bard's plays in 97 minutes. Three madcap men in tights weave their wicked way through all of Shakespeare's comedies, histories and tragedies in one wild ride full of laughter. Times: 7 p.m. May 9 and 10, 2 and 6 p.m. May 11. Tickets: \$12, \$8 for students.

■ **Ballet Hispánico**

May 11  
McAninch Arts Center  
College of DuPage  
425 Fawell Blvd., Glen Ellyn

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atthemac.org

This premier Latino dance organization in the United States is infused with a bold and eclectic brand of contemporary dance that reflects America's changing cultural landscape and the contemporary Latino culture. Time: 7:30 p.m. Tickets: \$49-\$59.

■ **The Best of Second City**

May 17  
Theatre of Western Springs  
4384 Hampton Ave.  
(708) 246-3380  
theatreofwesternsprings.com

Expect lots of laughter at this special comedy show. The show might contain mature subject matter; viewer discretion is advised. Time: 8 p.m. Tickets: \$35. MD

■ **'Miracle on South Division Street'**

Through June 2  
McAninch Arts Center  
College of DuPage  
425 Fawell Blvd., Glen Ellyn  
(630) 942-4000  
atthemac.org

Ever since the miraculous night in 1942 when the Blessed Mother appeared to Grandpa in his barbershop, the neighborhood has looked upon the Nowaks' 20-foot shrine as a beacon of hope and faith. But a deathbed confession reveals a secret that brings the family legend into question, along with great fun, in this Tom Dudzick play. Times: 8 p.m. Thursdays to Saturdays, 3 p.m. Sundays. Tickets: \$40, \$38 for seniors and youth.

**RUNS & WALKS**

■ **Walk for Wellness House**

May 5  
Wellness House  
131 N. County Line Road,  
Hinsdale  
(630) 323-5150  
events.wellnesshouse.org

This annual 5K run and 3K walk raises money for Wellness House's programs for those on the cancer journey. Participants are encouraged to set up a fundraising page through the event website to collect donations. Participants receive a T-shirt, and the morning will also feature a breakfast and activities. Times: 7 a.m. registration, 8 a.m. start. Cost: \$40 for runners, \$30 for walkers.

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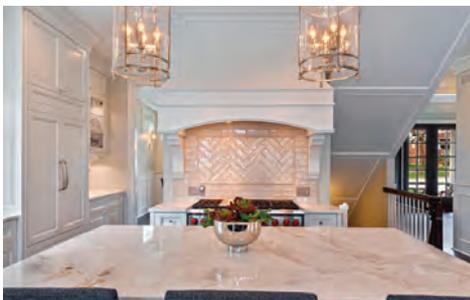
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## ■ Willowbrook Spring Fling

May 5  
Borse Community Park  
208 Midway Drive,  
Willowbrook  
athlinks.com/event/spring-  
fling-5K-2019-183871

Join this fifth annual event, featuring a 5K run/walk and children's 1-mile fun run as well as a vendor expo and community fair. Times: 9 a.m. 5K run/walk start; 10 a.m. fun run start. Cost: \$35, \$10 for ages under 14.

## ■ Pink 5K

May 11  
Oak Brook Park District  
1450 Forest Gate Road  
obparks.org/special-events/  
pink-5k

Help fight breast cancer at this seventh annual CARA-certified 5K run/walk. Individuals or teams of 15 members or more may register. The event benefits Hinsdale Hospital Foundation's breast cancer outreach fund Open Arms. Time: 8 a.m. start. Cost: \$35;

\$40 on race day.

## ■ Tower Trot

May 25  
Grand Avenue Community  
Center  
4211 Grand Ave., Western  
Springs  
wsprings.com/towertrot

The 42nd annual event features 10K and 5K runs and a short Fun Run (for ages 9 and under) through Western Springs' Old Town neighborhood. Participants can also do the 10K and 5K as a double run. Registration includes a T-shirt, refreshments and entertainment. Proceeds benefit Healing Hearts for Ashley Foundation. Time: 8:30 a.m. 10K start; 8:45 a.m. Fun Run start; 9:30 a.m. 5K start. Cost: \$35, \$38 for double run, \$20 for age 14 and under, \$12 for Fun Run; fees increase on race day.

## SENIOR SCENE

### ■ Memory Café

Monthly through September  
Young at Heart Adult Day  
Services Center

6504 Joliet Road,  
Countryside  
(708) 354-1323  
agingcareconnections.org

This free nine-month series for individuals with memory loss and their caregivers, sponsored by Aging Care Connections in La Grange, includes a light lunch and activities such as dance, exercise, robotic pet therapy, water color painting, laughter yoga and a performance by the Acappella Fellas. Monthly outings have also been scheduled to Drury Lane Oakbrook Terrace, the Morton Arboretum, the Art Institute of Chicago and the Memory Farm in Elburn. The outings are free, but advanced registration is required. The Countryside gathering meets on the second Friday of the month; meetings are also held the third Tuesday of the month at Salerno's Pizzeria & Sports Bar, 9301 W. 63rd St., Hodgkins. Time: 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

## SIGN UP NOW

## ■ Civil Conversations

May 16  
McCormick House  
Cantigny Park  
1S151 Winfield Road,  
Wheaton  
(630) 260-8162  
cantigny.org

John Gable, CEO of AllSides.com, a website that examines and rates news source bias, will discuss media bias and how it affects us as consumers of news. Use the contact info above to register or send an email to register@cantigny.org. Complimentary tram service is available between Cantigny's main parking lot and McCormick House. Time: 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. RR

## SPECIAL EVENTS

### ■ Free Recycling Event

May 4  
Burr Ridge Middle School  
15W451 91st St.  
ilhousegop.org

Representatives from local organizations will accept a variety of items including electronics (no TVs or moni-

tors), prescription drugs (in a clear resealable plastic bag), bikes, gently used building materials and more at this community recycling event. Visit the website listed above for a list of acceptable items. Free document shredding also will be offered, with a two-bag limit per car at this event hosted by Republican state Rep. Jim Durkin and state Sen. John Curran. Hours: 9 a.m. to noon.

## STEPPING BACK

### ■ 'Swamp Rats' book release

May 4  
Visitors Center  
Cantigny Park  
1S151 Winfield Road,  
Wheaton  
(630) 260-8130  
fdmuseum.org

"Swamp Rats: Soldiers' Recollections of Vietnam and the Big Red One" is the second book in a series published by the First Division Museum describing soldiers' experiences

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## Pet pic of the week

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serving in Company C, or "Charlie Company" of the 1st Battalion, 18th Infantry Regiment in the U.S. Army's 1st Infantry Division. Four Vietnam veterans will give a short presentation, followed by a book signing. A cash bar will be available along with a small selection of food. Time: 1 to 2 p.m. Free program; parking \$10.

### Take a Look at Zook

May 16  
Hinsdale Public Library  
20 E. Maple Ave.  
(630) 416-6699  
[hinsdalelibrary.info](http://hinsdalelibrary.info)  
Lynne Mickle Smaczny, director of the Hinsdale Historical Society, will highlight Hinsdale architect R. Harold Zook's extensive work throughout the Chicago suburbs and illuminate the features and distinctive details that define his unique style. Time: 7 to 8 p.m. RR

### Animal Crackers

Tuesdays, May 7-28  
Burr Ridge Community Center  
15W400 Harvester Drive  
(630) 789-7090  
[villageofhinsdale.org/pr](http://villageofhinsdale.org/pr)

Kids ages 1-3 with a parent will explore a different animal each week through stretches, movement, crafts and activities all revolving around the animal of the day. Time: 9 to 10 a.m. Cost: \$50.

### Afternoons with Mother Nature

May 8  
Little Red Schoolhouse Nature Center  
9800 Willow Springs Road, Willow Springs  
(708) 839-6897  
[fpdcc.com](http://fpdcc.com)

Children ages 3-4 and their favorite adult will explore and learn through nature play. The cost covers one child and one adult. Time: 12:30 to 2:30 p.m. Cost: \$20. RR

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thecommunityhouse.org

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### ■ Zion ECEC Summer Camp

June 10-Aug. 2  
Zion Lutheran Early Childhood Education Center  
204 S. Grant St., Hinsdale  
(630) 323-0065  
zionlutheranecec.org

Children ages 2 1/2-6 are invited to this summer camp, where they will participate in games, music, outdoor exploration,

creative art, language arts, Jesus time, snack and free-choice time, with a different theme each week. Register for the number of days and/or weeks desired. Sessions can be extended until 2 p.m. with Munch a Lunch and a Bunch of Fun. Time: 9 a.m. to noon. Cost: \$30 a day for 9 a.m. to noon, \$53 a day for 9 a.m. to 2 p.m., with discounts for siblings. RR

## SPECIAL INTEREST CAMPS

### ■ Pet Camp

June 10-14  
Hinsdale Humane Society Pet Rescue and Resource Center  
21 Salt Creek Lane,  
Hinsdale  
(630) 323-5630  
hinsdalehumanesociety.org

Campers 6 to 7 years old will learn about the needs and characteristics of a variety of pets. Hands-on

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# SUMMER CAMPS

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learning and animal interaction occur every day, along with crafts, games and animal-related activities. Campers receive a T-shirt and backpack. A second session will be offered July 8-12. Time: 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Cost: \$175.

■ **Summer Arts Camp**

Tuesdays to Thursdays, June 10-Aug. 16  
The Community House  
415 W. Eighth St.,  
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(630) 323-0275  
thecommunityhouse.org

Students take a “trip around the world” creating various projects in every imaginable medium inspired by Mexico City, Paris and Tokyo. Join one day at a time or register for all three days per session. Mexico City sessions begin June 10, July 8 and July 29. Paris sessions start June 17, July 15 and Aug. 5. Tokyo sessions begin June 24, July 22 and Aug. 12. Time: 9

a.m. to noon. Cost: \$200 a week, \$45 a day. RR, MD

■ **Volunteer Camp**

June 10-July 11  
The Community House  
415 W. Eighth St.,  
Hinsdale

(630) 323-7500  
thecommunityhouse.org

This camp is being offered to those entering seventh through ninth grade this fall. Participants may sign up for the entire four-week camp or individual weeks. Following an orientation to volunteering, campers will travel by van from The Community House to a different location each morning.

Participants will receive a T-shirt and pizza lunch on Thursday of each week. Destinations are listed on the website and in the program book. Time: 9 a.m. to noon. Cost: \$115 a week. RR, MD

■ **Cookie & Cake Decorating Camp**

June 10-12  
Sue’s Cakery

29 S. Prospect Ave.,  
Clarendon Hills  
(630) 789-2253  
suescakery.com

Campers age 7 and older will get to make cake batter and cookie dough following a recipe, learn cake decorating techniques — including piping, frosting and working with fondant to decorate their own personal cakes — and learn how to decorate sugar cookies using royal icing. Additional sessions will be offered June 24-26, July 15-17 and 29-31 and Aug. 12-14. Some camps meet from 1 to 3 p.m. Time: 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. Cost: \$200.

■ **Comedy Improv Camp**

June 17-20  
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Campers age 9 to 17 will enjoy working with Mina Dillard-Gits, an award-winning actress trained at Second City and the

Groundlings in L.A. A second session will be offered July 8-11. Time: 9 a.m. to noon. Cost: \$213. RR, MD

■ **Ranger Adventure Camp**

June 24-28  
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1717 W. 31st St., Oak  
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(630) 933-7248  
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Campers entering fifth and sixth grade can try archery, boating, fishing and hiking while improving team-building and wilderness survival skills. A session also will be offered July 29-Aug. 2. Time: 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Cost: \$250.

■ **Baking Camp**

June 24-28  
The Community House  
415 W. Eighth St.,  
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(630) 323-7500  
thecommunityhouse.org

Kids ages 5 to 12 will measure, mix and knead their way to tasty treats that they can sample and take home. Time: 1 to 4 p.m. Cost: \$350

## SPORTS CAMPS

■ **Rise Field Hockey Summer Camp**

June 10-13  
Robbins Park hockey field  
Seventh and Vine streets,  
Hinsdale

(630) 789-7090  
villageofhinsdale.org/pr

Coaches will break down the rules of this fast-growing game and teach stick use, dribbling, shooting on goal and passing and receiving to participants entering first through eighth grade. The camp is for first-time players and those with experience. Participants receive a T-shirt or drawstring bag and need to bring shin guards, a mouth guard and water. Palyers may borrow a stick for the camp or purchase one from risefield-hockey.com. Time: 9 to 11 a.m. Cost: \$175.

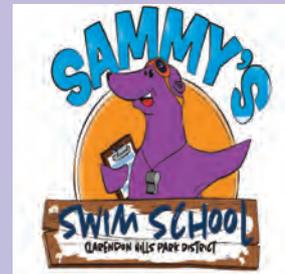
■ **Michael Wiggins’ 5-Star Soccer Camp**

June 10-14

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# SUMMER CAMPS

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**Robbins Park**  
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(630) 789-7090  
villageofhinsdale.org/pr

This camp for ages 5-13 offers a fresh, enthusiastic approach to teaching youth soccer using a curriculum that presents the most current and advanced information in a positive, enjoyable environment. An additional session will be offered from 9 a.m. to noon Aug. 5-9. Time: 1 to 4 p.m. Cost: \$125. RR

## ■ Skyhawks Track and Field Camp

June 17-21  
Madison School  
611 S. Madison St.,  
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(630) 789-7090  
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Boys and girls ages 5 to 7 will learn technical development, fundamental techniques and safety with a major focus on fun. Body positioning, stride, proper stretching and cool-down techniques are covered in this unique program. Time: 9 a.m. to noon. Cost: \$109. RR

## ■ Archery Camp

June 17-21  
Harvester Park soccer field  
15W400 Harvester Drive,  
Burr Ridge  
(603) 789-7070  
villageofhinsdale.org/pr

Participants ages 7 to 12 will learn an excellent, nationally recognized beginner's nine-step to the ring progression along with history of the sport, equipment, Olympics archery and more. Time: 4:15 to 6:15 p.m. Cost: \$110

## ■ Skyhawks Volleyball Camp

June 17-21  
Madison School  
611 S. Madison St.,  
Hinsdale  
(630) 789-7090  
villageofhinsdale.org/pr

Campers age 7 to 12 will participate in drills and exercises that focus on passing, setting, hitting and serving designed for beginning and intermediate players. Time: 12:30 to 3:30 p.m. Cost: \$109. RR

## ■ White Sox Baseball

## Summer Camp

June 17-21  
Veck Park  
701 E. Chicago Ave.,  
Hinsdale  
(630) 789-7070  
villageofhinsdale.org/pr

This Chicago White Sox camp is open to boys and girls ages 5-12 who want to learn the fundamentals of the game while having fun. Campers will work on throwing, hitting, bunting, fielding, pitching and base-running. Campers will be divided by age and skill level. The cost includes four tickets to a Sox game, a tour of Guaranteed Rate Field, T-shirt, baseball cap, evaluation report and graduation certificate. Time: 1 to 4 p.m. Cost: 159. RR

## ■ Skyhawks Flag Football Camp

June 24-28  
Madison School  
611 S. Madison St.,  
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(630) 789-7090  
villageofhinsdale.org/pr

Boys and gils will learn skills on both sides of the ball — passing, catching and de-flagging or defensive positioning — all in a fun a positive environment. Kids are split into two age groups: 5 to 7 and 8 to 12. Time: 9 a.m. to noon. Cost: \$109. RR

## ■ Skyhawks Cheerleading Camp

June 24-28  
Madison School  
611 S. Madison St.,  
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(630) 789-7090  
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Young athletes ages 6 to 14 will learn cheers, proper hand and body movements and jumping techniques to lead crowds and support the home team. There is no stunting in the entry-level program. The week concludes with a choreographed performance and, when available, a chance to cheer at a Skyhawks football or basketball camp. Time: 9 a.m. to noon. Cost: \$109. RR

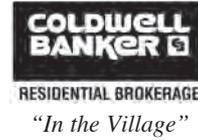
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in 2013. Yan, who plans to study business, is one of more than 1,000 distinguished high school seniors who have won corporate-sponsored National Merit Scholarship awards.

## D86 EARNS FINANCIAL REPORTING AWARD

Hinsdale Township High School District 86 once again has received a Certificate of Excellence in Financial

Reporting award from the Association of School Business Officials International for having met or exceeded the program's high standards for financial reporting and accountability.

The district was recognized for its Comprehensive Annual Financial Report for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2018, making this the 24th year in a row that District 86 has earned this recognition.

"We are proud to be receiv-

ing this award for the 24th time because it demonstrates the commitment that District 86 has made to sound financial management," said Chief Financial Officer Josh Stephenson. "We are honored that ASBO has recognized our efforts and we will incorporate their suggestions into our best practices as we continue to pursue excellence in financial management and stewardship."

The certificate is designed to

"promote and recognize excellence in financial reporting, specifically through a district's CAFR," said Molly Barrie, ASBO international director of recognition programs Molly Barrie. "The CAFR informs parents and other stakeholders about the financial and economic state of the district, making it an important communications tool for building trust and engaging with the school community."

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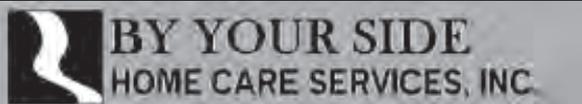
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Mr. Mohsin Dada Chief  
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P. T. Barnum

## Public Notices

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## Public Notices

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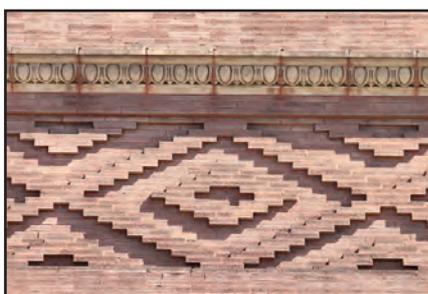
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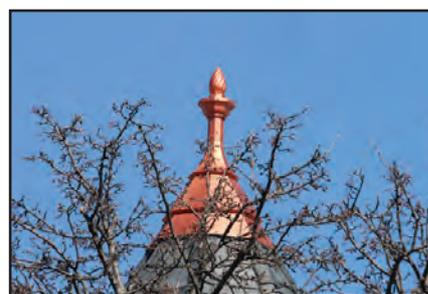
## So, you think you are a REAL HINSDALEAN – April photos



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# MIND GAMES

- ACROSS**
- 1 GAUCHO'S WEAPON
  - 5 BIG APPLE ABBR.
  - 8 SILENCED "HEY!"
  - 12 "ONCE - A MATTRESS"
  - 13 DEBTOR'S LETTERS
  - 14 DUEL TOOL
  - 15 DELPHINIUM
  - 17 ROTATE
  - 18 DISMAL
  - 19 SNOW WHITE'S PALS
  - 21 PUT ON THE LINE
  - 24 EVERYTHING
  - 25 POP FLAVOR
  - 28 FROGS' HANGOUT
  - 30 MAKE UP YOUR MIND
  - 33 KINSMAN, FOR SHORT
  - 34 DROPS FROM THE PAYROLL
  - 35 LETTER AFTER 31-DOWN
  - 36 MOMENT
  - 37 FROM THE START
  - 38 READ CURSORILY
  - 39 BARBIE'S COMPANION
  - 41 TEENSY BIT
  - 43 GO DIRECTLY DOWNHILL
  - 46 PACIFIC PORCH
  - 50 DESIROUS LOOK
  - 51 RASH
  - 54 SANDWICH TREAT
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  - 4 TURKEY'S CAPITAL
  - 5 PINCH
  - 6 SECOND PERSON
  - 7 COTTAGE CHEESE
  - 8 LABEL WORD
  - 9 COROLLA COMPONENT
  - 10 MORGAN OF "SUPER SIZE ME"
  - 11 LOWLY LABORER
  - 12 SAWBUCKS
  - 16 HALF A VAIL PAIR
  - 20 BANKROLLS
  - 22 ROTATE
  - 23 "M\*A\*S\*H" LOCALE
  - 25 LETTERMAN'S NETWORK
  - 26 RAW ROCK
  - 27 BIG NAME IN U.S.
  - 29 AIRCRAFT
  - 31 MR. GINGRICH
  - 32 LETTER BEFORE 35-ACROSS
  - 32 ALLEN OR CONWAY
  - 34 ENTHUSIASTS
  - 38 T-SHIRT SIZES
  - 40 CONTINENTAL MONEY
  - 42 TIMEWORN
  - 43 DECELERATE
  - 44 WRAP IN A WAXY CLOTH
  - 45 ATTEMPT
  - 47 TIDY
  - 48 ONE SIDE OF THE URALS
  - 49 "- IT ROMANTIC?"
  - 52 HISTORIC PERIOD
  - 53 RECEDE

ANSWERS TO TODAY'S CROSSWORD CAN BE FOUND IN THE CLASSIFIEDS.

## Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle

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Place a number in the empty boxes in such a way that each row across, each column down and each small 9-box square contains all of the numbers from one to nine.

**DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK:** ♦♦

♦ Moderate ♦♦ Challenging  
♦♦♦ HOO BOY!

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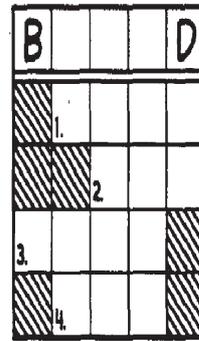


**CAVER CALVIN** has found a new cavern. How many stalagmites and stalactites can you count in the above cave?

Answer: We found 38. Did you find more?

**FIND-A-WORD!** On the top line is our mystery word. You need to fill in the missing letters. Clue words (smaller words contained in letter-by-letter order within the mystery word) are defined below.

1. South African currency.
2. Together with.
3. Dietary fiber.
4. He moved quickly.



Answers: 1. Rand, 2. And, 3. Bran, 4. Han. Mystery word: Brand.

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# HOROSCOPES

May 2019 Horoscopes • Week 2



**CAPRICORN** – Dec 22/Jan 20  
Capricorn, you are considering a financial undertaking that takes you out of your comfort zone. Don't hesitate, as there's no reward without a little risk.



**ARIES** – Mar 21/Apr 20  
Reconciliation is important, Aries. That's especially so if you know you have been in the wrong. Others will respect you much more for your ability to make up and move on.



**CANCER** – Jun 22/Jul 22  
Sharing deep feelings with others can be healing, Cancer. Just be sure to choose your confidantes wisely, as the right mentor can make all the difference.



**LIBRA** – Sept 23/Oct 23  
Creative things catch your eye this week, Libra. Make it a point to stroll through an art gallery or catch a foreign film. Your appreciation for the arts will only grow.



**AQUARIUS** – Jan 21/Feb 18  
Speaking your mind is par for the course, as Aquarians tend to be opinionated. You have the ability to win over others without making them feel pressured in any way.



**TAURUS** – Apr 21/May 21  
It's time to showcase all of your talents to an authority figure who can push you toward success, Taurus. All you need is a little reinforcement.



**LEO** – Jul 23/Aug 23  
Spending quality time with a particular person who is close to you will brighten your week, Leo. It's just the change of pace you need to put a smile on your face.



**SCORPIO** – Oct 24/Nov 22  
Calling your own shots is perfect for you. The idea of working independently is very attractive to you this week. Give it some thought.



**PISCES** – Feb 19/Mar 20  
Enjoy a few hours of hibernation this week, Pisces. Expect to feel recharged in no time. Relaxation for two also can fit the bill.



**GEMINI** – May 22/Jun 21  
Fresh experiences are on the way, and you are craving an opportunity to broaden your horizons, Gemini. Sign up for classes or get a new hobby to open your eyes to new things.



**VIRGO** – Aug 24/Sept 22  
You are more than willing to take on extra work that needs to be done to get a project completed, Virgo. Your team-first attitude is not going unnoticed or unappreciated.



**SAGITTARIUS** – Nov 23/Dec 21  
Hobbies and leisure time activities with friends will provide a welcome break from work, Sagittarius. Use these opportunities to reconnect with people you care about.

# SPORTS

## Fun was on the curriculum at Julie K. Heidecke Tribute Soccer Clinic



**Hinsdale Central** girls soccer players hosted the annual Julie K. Heidecke soccer clinic at Central Sunday afternoon. Open to kindergarten to eighth grade students at no cost, the clinic combines drills and fun for current and future soccer players. Donations were collected to help benefit the Julie K. Heidecke Foundation, which provides scholarships to students who will participate in interscholastic sports. Caroline Lyman leads the kids in a transition song and Joanie Sanders helps the kids out in a game of sharks and fishes. Kristyna Patka took a comfortable seat to listen to one of the Central coaches. (Jim Slonoff photos)

# SPORTS — ROUNDUP

## STUDENT ATHLETE PROFILE



**Name:** Joe Daw  
**Year:** senior  
**Hometown:** Oak Brook

### When did you first pick up a tennis racket?

Probably when I was like 8. My dad played growing up and in college, so he kind of brought me into it. I was not the biggest fan of playing tennis when I was younger, but I really like it a lot now.

### You were fourth in state in doubles last year. What do you like about doubles?

I just like playing an aggressive style and playing the net more than I normally would in singles. I've been lucky enough to have two great partners (at Central).

### How would you teammates describe you?

I'm kind of laid back, but when I get on the court, they'd say I'm kind of intense. I'm more of an aggressive player. I like using a big serve and big forehands and try to get points over pretty quickly.

### What pro do you most admire?

Roger Federer. He's the greatest of all time. I've always liked how he acts on the court and hits the ball so clean and crisp.

### How do you approach your role as team captain?

Mostly it's just trying to get the freshmen in line.

They're all really good players, and I want to set the right example for the rest of the guys for keeping focus and what it means to represent your school well.

### What's the goal for the season?

The ultimate goal is to win the team title. Personally I want to win a state doubles title.

### You're going next to Tulane University to play tennis. What are you most excited about?

Probably just getting to experience being a member of a Division I program, and get to know the other guys on the team and travel around playing tennis.

### Why does coach John Naisbitt like having Daw on the squad?

Joe is like another coach on the court. He is so experienced and has been through the grind of the regular season and state series. He remembers scores and match-ups and results from last month and last year. He has a knack for inspiring those around him with his poise and calm in the face of adversity. Last year as a junior he helped lead us to a state title. I think he will be incredibly hard to replace — both on and off the court.

— profile by Ken Knutson,  
 photo by Jim Slonoff

## RESULTS

### Baseball

April 25 @ Proviso West  
 V wins 15-0

### Gymnastics, boys

April 28 @ WSC Silver Championship  
 V places 4th with 133.9 points  
 All-around  
 Cihlar, 7th, 47.3  
 Monson, 11th, 37.85  
 Floor exercise  
 Cihlar, 8th, 8.25  
 Armonda, 12th (tie), 8  
 Monson, 17th (tie), 7.65  
 Pommel horse  
 Cihlar, 14th, 6.45  
 Hohe, 15th, 6.4  
 Wang, 32nd, 3.8  
 Still rings  
 Cihlar, 10th, 8.1  
 Monson, 18th, 7.1  
 Armonda, 23rd, 6.85  
 Vault  
 Cihlar, 2nd (tie), 9  
 Armonda, 8th, 8.7  
 Monson, 17th, 8  
 Parallel bars  
 Cihlar, 6th, 8.4  
 Armonda, 13th, 7.75  
 Monson, 18th, 7.1  
 Horizontal bar  
 Monson, 7th, 8  
 Miscimarra, 11th, 7.25  
 Cihlar, 12th, 7.1

### Lacrosse, boys

April 25 vs. York  
 V loses 2-4

April 24 @ Downers South  
 V wins 7-4

### Soccer, girls

April 25 @ Oswego East  
 V wins 3-2  
 Cernugel, 2 goals  
 Kalis, goal

### Softball

April 24 @ LT  
 V loses 7-9

### Track, boys

April 26 @ Eagle Classic Invite  
 V places 4th with 53 points  
 800-meter run  
 Hill, 2nd, 2:04.42  
 Sandin, 6th, 2:05.76  
 Sutton, 8th, 2:05.95  
 1,600-meter run  
 Kusak, 7th, 4:30.03  
 110-meter hurdles  
 Ruth, 4th, 15.79  
 300-meter hurdles  
 Ruth, 1st, 40.4  
 Novatney, 3rd, 41.38  
 4x400-meter relay  
 Jonas, Fahy, Perez, Mekla, 7th, 3:35.02  
 4x800-meter relay  
 McCarroll, Ley, T. Kusak, M. Kusak, 2nd, 8:24.24  
 Shot put  
 Robinson, 7th, 42-10 1/2  
 Baek, 8th, 42-8  
 Discus

Baek, 2nd, 133-8  
 High jump  
 Ostrowski, 2nd, 6-1

### Track, girls

April 26 @ Tiger Invite  
 V places 9th with 47 points  
 800-meter run  
 Pisani, 4th, 2:18.42  
 1,600-meter run  
 Watcke, 1st, 4:55.48  
 Revord, 7th, 5:06.61  
 4x400-meter relay  
 Pisani, Byrne, Denmark, Watcke, 2nd, 4:08.57  
 Shot put  
 Nicholson, 1st, 39-5 1/4  
 Discus throw  
 Nicholson, 1st, 121-1

### Volleyball, boys

April 30 @ York  
 V wins 25-23, 26-24  
 April 24 @ Leyden  
 V wins 25-15, 25-23

### Water polo, boys

April 26-27 @ Knight Invite  
 V places 1st  
 vs. Latin School of Chicago  
 V wins 15-8  
 Tallentire, 6 goals  
 C. Griffith, 5 goals  
 Jay, 2 goals  
 McManus, 2 goals  
 vs. Prospect  
 V wins 10-4

C. Griffith, 3 goals  
 McManus, 2 goals  
 Tallentire, 2 goals  
 Hamp, goal  
 Jay, goal  
 Seppanen, goal  
 vs. Prosser  
 V wins 13-0  
 McManus, 4 goals  
 C. Griffith, 3 goals  
 Ozgen, 2 goals  
 Seppanen, 2 goals  
 Boldbaatar, goal  
 D'Aprile, goal  
 April 25 @ Metea Valley  
 V loses 8-9

### Water polo, girls

April 30 vs. R-B  
 V wins 14-10  
 Geiersbach, 8 goals, 2 assists  
 Hughes, 3 goals  
 Natt, 2 goals, assist  
 Fuechtman, goal  
 Fowler, 2 assists  
 Heinke, assist  
 Kloubec, assist  
 Lapointe, assist, 15 saves  
 Pope, assist  
 April 25 vs. Metea Valley  
 V loses 8-10  
 Hughes, 3 goals  
 Geiersbach, 3 goals, 2 assists  
 Fowler, goal  
 Natt, goal  
 Lapointe, 2 assists, 16 saves

## Instant replay



Sophomore Graham Singer of Hinsdale Central's varsity tennis team competes in doubles April 20 at Lyons Township High School during the Jay Kramer Invite. The host Red Devils took first place in the annual tournament. (Jim Slonoff photo)

# SPORTS

## Central athletes set new standards

*Geiersbach, Nicholson rewrite their sports' record books before their senior years*

By Ken Knutson

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As the calendar page turns to May, a couple of Hinsdale Central spring student-athletes are rewriting the school's record books. And they are both still underclassmen.

Central varsity water polo player sophomore Katrina Geiersbach didn't realize her lone goal April 23 in a win against Oak Park-River Forest was more than another stat sheet notation. It was her 107th score for the season, breaking the 10-year-old mark for sophomores.

"I was surprised when (coach Chris Ortiz) told me that," Geiersbach remarked about the distinction.

Lone-goal games, of course, are a rarity for her. An eight-goal outburst in Tuesday's win over Riverside-Brookfield raised her season tally to 118. While prolific scoring is not necessarily Geiersbach's focus, helping the team succeed is. Also among the team leaders in assists, she said leveraging the power of teamwork is especially gratifying.

"If I'm swimming down toward the goal, I'm always looking to see if one of my teammates is on the opposite side," she said.

Growing up, Geiersbach played a wide range of sports, acquiring a quiver of skills she now draws on — like throwing in softball and jockeying for position in soccer — in her current pursuit.

"I've always been competing in some sport since I was 5 or 6," she said. "Water polo was just the perfect combination of all of them, and it was just easy to transition into."

Ortiz offered his analysis of Geiersbach's scoring prowess.



Among Central water polo player sophomore Katrina Geiersbach's impressive scoring sprees this season was a nine-goal performance as she closes in on the school varsity record. Junior Dior Nicholson already holds the indoor shot put record for Central girls track and is looking to medal in both shot put and discus at state this year. (Jim Slonoff photos)

"Katrina has a very strong shot. Paired with a quick release, she is able to get a shot off from any part of the pool. The quickness and strength of her shots often catch the goalie off guard," he said. "She also has great game awareness and speed that allows her to break from her defenders."

While the sport may look low-impact to the untrained eye, water polo is a demanding test of endurance and physicality.

"It's pretty aggressive. We have to have a (finger) nail check before the game because a lot of stuff goes on underwater that the refs can't see," Geiersbach related. "We all work hard in the off-season to get buff because it's really important to have a lot of stamina."

With a couple regular season appointments remaining and the prospect of a deep postseason run, the varsity season record of 131 goals is well within reach.

The column Geiersbach wants to fill, however, is wins.

"One meaningful game-winning goal at the end of a game is definitely worth more than random goals throughout the year," she said.

### Thrower hits her mark

Unbeknownst to her, Dior Nicholson's middle school introduction to the shot put would have far-reaching implications.

"All of the people who joined track had to try every event. So when I got to shot put, I didn't really know what I was doing so I just threw it any kind of way and it went pretty far for not knowing how to throw at all," Nicholson said. "The coaches put me in that event for the rest of the season and by the end I had a (personal record) of 26 feet."

In her third year as a member of the Central girls track team, the junior set an indoor Red Devil record this season with her throw of 40 feet 10 1/2 inches.

She said the real devil is in the details, not simply trying

to crank up the power.

"I'm not really aiming for anything but trying to perfect my technique, which will provide farther results in the end," she said. "I have worked a lot harder this year in the weight room and making small micro changes within my technique in both of my events."

Both, that is, because she also throws discus, although she admits that's more of a work in progress.

"With discus you can't muscle through the throw. You have to be patient and execute every small detail in order for the disc to fly and rotate the way you want it to," Nicholson said.

She said qualifying for the state meet last year, where she placed ninth in discus, was a highlight, giving her the opportunity to enjoy camaraderie with track and field teammates in a way not always fostered in such an event-specific sport.

Tom Ludovice, who coaches Central's throwers, said Nicholson's commitment and eagerness to learn

has complemented her natural athleticism.

"She has worked hard to get stronger and faster over the last three years," Ludovice said. "Her best quality is that she is very coachable. When I make some suggestions to her she usually can make the adjustments on her very next throw. Most athletes can't do this."

And she is calm — even comedic — under pressure.

"She usually is always laughing or making her teammates or myself laugh as well," he said.

Nicholson said the relationships she's built at Central and with peers at other schools has been impactful.

"The environment of throwing is competitive, but we are also very supportive of each other and cheer each other on," she said.

"It is very rewarding to be a part of something that takes a long time to get the hang of. I truly love my sport and how much time I have put into it."



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Date	Time	Location
Sunday, May 12	6:00-7:30pm	Robbins Park • Hinsdale, IL

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Date	Time	Location
Saturday, May 11	5:00-6:00pm	Centennial Park • Lemont, IL
Sunday, May 12	6:00-7:30pm	Robbins Park • Hinsdale, IL
Tuesday, May 14	6:00-7:30pm	Bellerive Park • Westmont, IL

#### Boys and Girls Ages 6 & Up

Date	Time	Location
Saturday, May 18	5:00-6:00pm	Centennial Park • Lemont, IL
Saturday, May 18	6:00-7:30pm	Robbins Park • Hinsdale, IL
Sunday, May 19	6:00-7:30pm	Prospect Park • Clarendon Hills, IL
Tuesday, May 21	6:00-7:30pm	Bellerive Park • Westmont, IL
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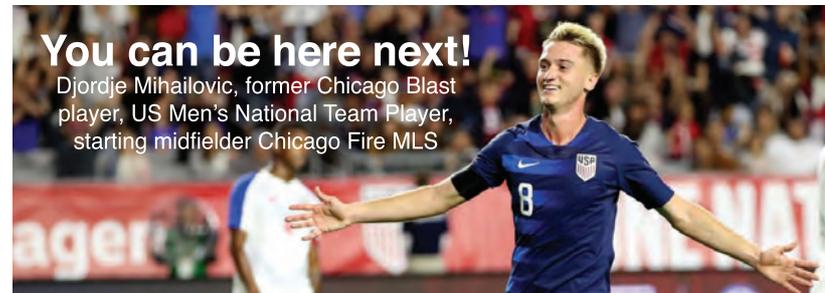


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