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Hinsdalean launches new website this week

By Pamela Lannom
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Visitors to the newspaper's website at thehinsdalean.com will see it has undergone quite a makeover.

Unlike the previous site, which linked only to a single story, the cover photo and obituaries, this site allows viewers to access the entire newspaper.

"We are thrilled to officially launch our new site," said Jim Slonoff, The Hinsdalean's publisher. "Enhancing our website has been a project we all have spent a lot of time studying, thinking about and planning here in the office."

The newspaper will continue to be distributed free to every home in Hinsdale (along with schools, churches and most businesses), but the site will make the paper's content available to people in neighboring communities and beyond.

The site was built using Roar, a content management system created by Lions Light Software



The Hinsdalean's new website features an easy-to-navigate design and allows visitors to access the entire

Solutions, based in Arizona. Dan Wilcox and his wife, Lea, founded Lions Light in 2007.

"We did it because when we were looking for a website for our newspapers, we couldn't find anything that we liked," said Wilcox, who spent about 10 years working for Petroleum News in Alaska before starting the business. "There were website solutions, but it seemed like all the solutions were

created for big newspapers and then they were dumbed down for smaller newspapers."

Large newspaper websites typically require a heavy investment of staff time, and Wilcox saw an opportunity to offer an alternative.

"We wanted to have a staff interface that allowed a newspaper without a full-time web person to still have every feature that the

content of the print edition. Advertisers also have an opportunity to share their message online.

bigger newspapers had," he said.

Wilcox also wanted to design a site that was less choppy than many of the newspaper sites he visited. The site has been recognized with awards in local newspaper association contests, he noted.

"Usually I think it is the intuitiveness of it that is the most appealing," he said.

Lions Light has a presence throughout the United

States, working with almost 100 different papers.

Now The Hinsdalean will have an expanded presence, thanks to the partnership.

"It's exciting to offer our advertisers a new platform to reach customers built on the strength of our newspaper," Slonoff said. "One thing that will not change is our commitment to practicing community journalism the way it was meant to be."

They've got the whole recipe on their hands



While the cupcake batter seems to be everywhere, the children enrolled in the Whole Child Learning culinary science camp at The Community House managed to assemble several dozen without a hitch. Ahna Arora, Elizabeth Zhu and Elina Arora got to measure, mix and cook some great treats during the camp. Please turn to Page 16 for more pictures. (Jim Slonoff photo)

ONCE UPON A TIME



The fabulous '50s — A shot from the 1950s shows the Memorial Building looking much different than it does today. With the village offices now on the east side and the Hinsdale Public Library on the west side, the building has grown. And while the parking doesn't appear to have changed, the line up of classic cars has. 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. (Hinsdale Historical Society photo)

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Our letters policy is published on Page 11.

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Adventure of travel hasn't lost its allure

Klinger and her family still enthusiastic after more than two decades of globetrotting

By Sandy Illian Bosch
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The Klinger family's annual excursions to destinations far and wide began when Sylvia and Bob's children, David and Katharine, were very young.

"We started in the late '90s and we just kept going," Sylvia said.

And whether the destination is Ireland, Mexico or anywhere else, the overarching purpose of every Klinger family trip is the same — to disconnect from everyday life and to spend time connecting with each other.

"Once we get on that plane, we can breathe," Sylvia said.

This summer's destination was Ireland, a location chosen by David

in celebration of his 22nd birthday. The choice was fine with Sylvia and Bob, who had visited Dublin many years ago and always wanted to return.

"It's beautiful. And I've gone everywhere," Sylvia said.

Travel is a big part of Sylvia's professional life as a consultant in the field of dietetics. She travels all over the world speaking at conferences and educating people. Whether it's for work or for play, travel is something Sylvia loves.

"I like adventure, and it's fun to get away," she said.

The Klinger family's 10-day Irish vacation was filled with castle tours and spectacular views. They visited a sheep farm, cooked their own din-

ners and did a lot of walking through towns and countrysides.

After four days in the heart of Dublin, they headed west toward Galway, an area that Sylvia called "stunningly beautiful."

Her favorite spot in Ireland was the Kylemore Abbey. Located a couple of hours outside of Galway on the west side of the country, Kylemore Abbey is a Benedictine monastery founded in 1920 by a group of nuns who fled Belgium in World War I. It's one of Ireland's most visited attractions, and according to Klinger, one of its most beautiful.

Despite her extensive experience as a traveler, Sylvia doesn't claim to know it all. And she's always open to trying something new. On this trip,

■ CHANGES IN LATITUDES

This the final article in a summer series about Hinsdale families and their favorite vacation spots

she decided for the first time to hire a private tour guide. She said it's definitely something she will do again.

"There's so much to see," Sylvia said.

Their tour guide helped them to make the most of their limited time and showed them things they might not have found on their own. He knew things like what time to arrive to see certain views before they were compromised by fog. He found the best pubs, chocolate factories and castles, all the while sharing bits of history and inside stories about life in Ireland.

As is the case with her children, Sylvia said her love of travel started early. The daughter of missionaries, her family lived in Mexico for 10 years. As an adult, she returned to the country for two years when David and Katharine were young. Today, it remains a favorite destination for the entire Klinger family.

Next summer will take the Klingers to Italy. But this time, son David, who studied in Italy for a summer, will be the family's tour guide.

Between her work travels and her family trips, Sylvia has seen much of the world. But there is more to be explored. Patagonia remains on her list, along with a few other spots.

She hasn't seen it all, but she's seen enough of the world to have come to a few conclusions about the right way to travel. First, she always researches a destination before she departs. Second, she never tries to do it all. Instead, she takes the time to enjoy a few choice attractions and experiences.

As a dietitian, food is an important part of every travel experience.

And even though she's a vegetarian, Sylvia said a steak wasn't out of the question during her August trip to Argentina. She departed for Rio just two days after returning from her Ireland adventure.

"I love to experience what other cultures eat," she said.

One thing she experiences no matter where she goes is the kindness of people.

"Kindness is a universal language," Sylvia said, and one she looks forward to speaking when the people she meets from around the world come to visit the place she calls home.

"I love to show them the beauty of Chicago," she said.



The Klinger family's most recent excursion involved a 10-day exploration of Ireland. The trip included the country's most visited attractions along with little-known spots recommended by Tony, their private tour guide, making for another memorable vacation for this well-traveled family. (photos provided)

NEXT WEEK

Community Consolidated Elementary Dist. 181 Board

7 p.m. Monday, Aug. 26
District office
115 W. 55th St., Clarendon Hills

On the draft agenda: staffing and enrollment update, assessment update, food allergy management plan update, safety and crisis update, HMS update and action items, refunding of debt certificates

Hinsdale High School District 86 Board

6 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 22
Hinsdale South High School
7401 Clarendon Hills Road, Darien

On the agenda: public hearing and adoption of e-learning program, security update, referendum project update, waste disposal and recycling bid, counseling overview, create special committee and appoint members

Scalise at state fair: GOP can come back

By Peter Hancock
Capitol News Illinois

SPRINGFIELD — One of the top Republican leaders in the U.S. House told the Illinois GOP earlier this month that the state party can rebound, despite its devastating losses in the 2018 elections.

"It was a tough cycle for us in a lot of states, but Illinois was one of the ones where it was the toughest," House Minority Whip Steve Scalise, R-Louisiana, told the party faithful gathered at the Illinois State Fair Aug. 15. "And then you look at that and go, 'Is it ever going to get better again? Can we ever take our state back?' You absolutely can take your state back, and you will take your state back by fighting the machine."

Scalise was the keynote speaker at the Republican Day picnic at the fair, where the theme was "Fight the Machine," a reference to the Illinois Democratic Party. He noted that Louisiana politics also was once dominated by a Democratic machine.

"The ghost of Huey Long still walks the state capitol in Baton Rouge in many places, but we finally took it back," he said. "Today we have majorities in the House, in the Senate, and by the end of this year, we will have every single statewide elected office as Republican. That's how far we've come. And in just a short period of time, you can do that too."

Scalise, 53, has served in

Congress since 2008. Before that he served 12 years in the Louisiana House, followed by four months in the state Senate. He was thrust into the national consciousness in June 2017 when he and three other people were shot and wounded by a gunman while practicing for an upcoming congressional softball game.

The tone and the rhetoric of the GOP rally stood in stark contrast with that of Illinois Democrats on Aug. 17, when Gov. J.B. Pritzker and U.S. House Speaker Nancy Pelosi, D-California, touted their accomplishments in the first legislative session since Democrats won back the governor's mansion and took super majorities in both the state House and Senate.

Those included passing bills to phase in a \$15 per-hour minimum wage, legalizing adult recreational marijuana use and an expansive reproductive rights measure, along with a proposed constitutional amendment that will go on the November 2020 ballot to allow for a graduated income tax structure.

"I also know that they are so out of touch, and they are going to hurt this state with what they're trying to propose with our constitution," said Illinois House Republican Leader Jim Durkin of Western Springs. "And also, with their ultra-liberal, depressive, progressive, excessive, regressive, oppressive agenda... oh, I forgot, the socialist agenda."

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Veterans have loyal friend in Auxiliary

Ladies' companion organization to American Legion is a mainstay of support for veterans

By Ken Knutson

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When the American Legion was chartered by Congress in 1919 to support those returning from the World War I battlefields, many felt "the Great War" veterans organization needed an equally great mate.

The American Legion Auxiliary was founded by women committed to serving those who still had health battles to fight back home and their families. Auxiliary eligibility extended to wives, mothers, sisters and daughters of American Legion members or service members "between April 6, 1917 and Nov., 11, 1918, and who died in the line of duty or after honorable discharge."

The Hinsdale Auxiliary was established in 1923, three years after the creation of Hinsdale American Legion Post 250. Carol Baumann, the Auxiliary's long-time president, said local women were instrumental in the construction of Memorial Hall as both a home for village offices and a monument to those service members who made the ultimate sacrifice.

"The ladies went around and collected from all the residents in Hinsdale," Baumann said. "They gathered up the money and had the building built."

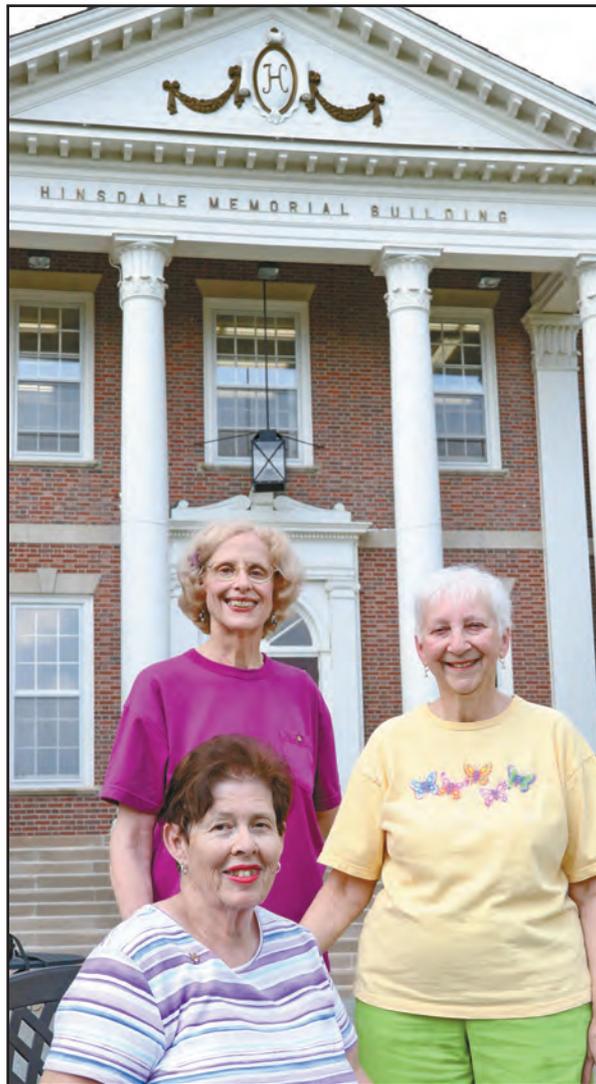
As a gesture of gratitude, the Auxiliary was granted permanent use, along with the Legion post, of space on the second floor.

"The village gave the American Legion and the Auxiliary our own room, the Soldier's and Sailor's Room, rent-free for eternity," Baumann said.

Records of those early years have been well-preserved. The year-end summary for 1924 details the Auxiliary's acts of benevolence, such as purchasing grape juice, pajamas, pillows and flowers for veterans convalescing at nearby Edward Hines, Jr. VA Hospital, then known as Speedway Hospital. The group took special pride in the horticultural projects it nurtured there.

"Miss Willard, the head of the psycho-therapy department, told of the benefits to the men of the hospital, derived from the work ... laying special stress on the importance of the work in the gardens and green-houses," the entry reads. "The Auxiliary of the American Legion at Hinsdale was the first to contribute money, shrubs, plants, bulbs and seed to this project."

Enhancing the feeling of gratification was the fact that the endeavor was carried out despite little encouragement from superior officers.



Hinsdale Auxiliary members (clockwise from top) Kay Herrmann, Carol Baumann and Betsy Merritt stand with the backdrop of the Memorial Building, constructed largely with funds collected by Auxiliary members nearly 100 years ago to honor local World War I veterans. Herrmann serves to help veterans like her late husband George. (Jim Slonoff photo)

"The results showed a 60 percent improvement in the condition of the men," the minutes proclaim.

Baumann, who grew up in Hinsdale, has deep ties to the American Legion and Auxiliary. Her father,

■ 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.

Winston Baumann, was adjutant of Post 250 for 50 years. And she remembers her grandmother going to Hines Hospital every Wednesday to distribute toilettries.

"My mother, Charlotte, became involved, and she was the (Auxiliary) president for a lot of years. When she became ill, I said, 'OK, I'll do it,'" Baumann related. That was more than 20 years ago.

Fellow members Kay Herrmann and Betsy Merritt also boast more than two decades of involvement. Herrmann, the Auxiliary's treasurer, joined after marrying her late husband and Legionnaire George Herrmann.

"It's a very good cause," Herrmann said, noting the annual Poppy Day fundraiser the Auxiliary sponsors around Memorial Day. "One hundred percent of our poppy donations go to veterans organizations."

Beneficiaries include Fisher House to provide free lodging for families of veterans being treated for long-term illnesses. The American Legion Auxiliary, Department of Illinois, also identifies worthy recipients.

Merritt is secretary. She took over the Post newsletter after her husband, Thomas Merritt, passed away, and she also serves as the Auxiliary's chaplain.

She remarked that the men of the Post enjoy the fellowship of the Auxiliary women.

"They like it when there's a function and we serve the cake," Merritt quipped, evoking laughter.

Baumann said there truly is a special camaraderie between the closely connected organizations.

"The men seem to really enjoy having us around for different activities, just our presence. They make us feel welcome," she said.

"We donate money to them, too," Herrmann added.

The Auxiliary also sponsors Girls State, a summer leadership and citizenship program for high school juniors (the Post sponsors Boys State). Scholarships are provided for the weeklong experience, but few

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POLICE BEAT

Hinsdale police distributed the following reports Aug. 20.

Minor arrested for alcohol

Matthew L. Guglielmo, 19, 425 S. Bodin St., Hinsdale, was arrested for possession and consumption of alcohol by person under 21 at 1:19 a.m. Aug. 14 at Seventh Street and Garfield Avenue. He was charged and released to appear in court.

Motorist arrested for no license

Federico Ruiz, 43, 7317 39th St., 1D, Lyons, was arrested for driving without a valid license and operating an uninsured vehicle at 2:12 a.m. Aug. 19 at Madison Street and Ogden Avenue. He was released to appear in court.

Vehicle stolen from driveway

A 2015 Mazda CX5 was taken from a driveway in the 5500 block of South Oak Street between 2:12 and 7:08 a.m. Aug. 15. The vehicle was unlocked and the key fob was inside.

Burglary spree targets vehicles

Unlocked vehicles were entered and rummaged through between 6 p.m. Aug. 14 and 5:15 a.m. Aug. 15 while they were parked in driveways in the 800 block of South Clay Street and the 900 block of South Thurlow street. A baton was reported stolen.

Thefts reported

- A \$19,900 engagement ring was taken from a home in the 900 block of South Garfield Avenue between July 13 and 21. The victim had workers at the home during the time frame the ring went missing. The incident was reported Aug. 17
- A check in the amount of \$432.95 sent to a resident of the 300 block of Claymoor Road was stolen and cashed on July 17. The incident was reported Aug. 16.

Mail stolen from business

Mail was taken from a bin attached to a suite door between 1:40 and 2:20 p.m. Aug. 14 at the DuPage Oak Brook Call Center, 120 E. Ogden Ave. A suspect seen in the hallway was described as a male black, bald, wearing shorts and a shirt.

Veterans have loyal friend in Auxiliary

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avail themselves of the opportunity compared to a generation ago.

"Sometimes we have two, sometimes we have none," Baumann said of applications received.

The Auxiliaries across DuPage County used to gather in Hinsdale every June, where strawberry shortcake was always the featured treat. But dwindling membership brought that tradition to an end. Hermann said the Hinsdale Auxiliary has 21 senior members and eight junior members, down from its post-World War II peak in the triple digits.

"We have very few people

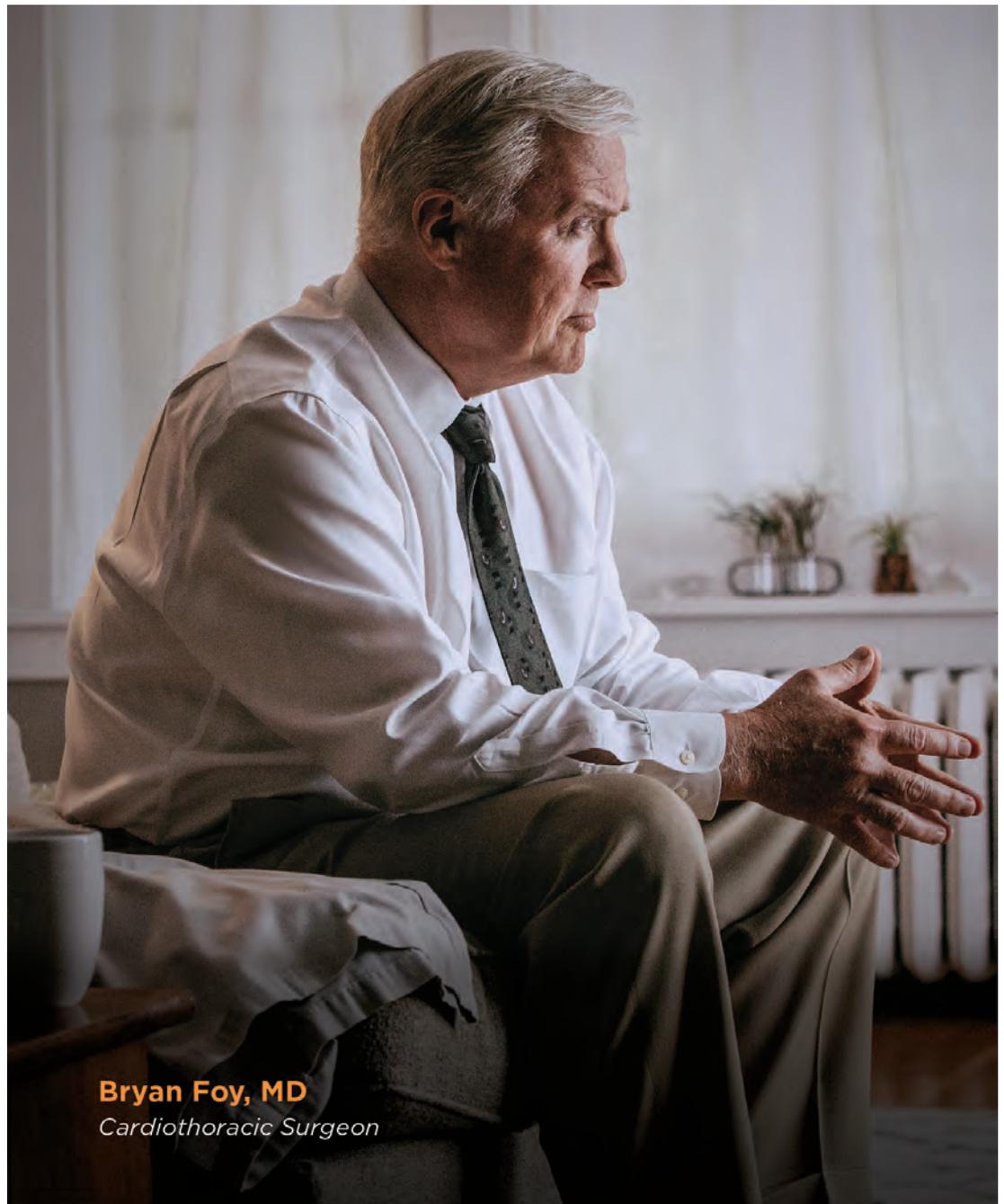
that come to meetings. We try to keep going," Baumann said.

Congress recently changed the membership criteria for both the Legion and Auxiliary so that now any honorably discharged veteran can join.

"So that means that more wives, children, mothers and sisters can join now," Baumann said.

Those interested should send an inquiry to American Legion Auxiliary Hinsdale Post 250 P.O. Box 92, Hinsdale, IL 60521.

"Our people before us were so patriotic, and they instilled it in us," Baumann said. "And that's why we wanted to continue on and support all the veterans."



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All three of Huth's children have been involved in the Hinsdale Central High School football program — her two sons as players and her daughter as a cheerleader.

And throughout her children's high school careers, Huth has been involved, too, as an active member of the Hinsdale Central Boosters and the Hinsdale Central Football Club.

Now, as youngest child Charlie begins his senior year, Huth is entering her final year as a football mom.

"It's bittersweet to see them become seniors," Huth said of her son and his teammates, many of whom she has known since grade school, when they played in the Falcons football program.

Huth is currently co-president of the Football Club, a volunteer organization that raises money to support the football program while also planning team dinners, supporting the coaches and putting together the annual football program. As a member of the Boosters

Club board, Huth helps with fundraisers that support all of the school's arts, athletics and activities. Specifically, she is in charge of communications and grants for the Boosters.

Huth and the rest of the football club, including co-presidents Courtney and Derrick Willman, got to work on this year's season back in April, days after the referendum ensuring there would be a 2019 season was passed. She said the fact that the program was at risk has made this season extra special for everyone involved.

"They really feel it's a privilege to be on the field this year," she said.

A freelance photographer, Huth puts her skills to work for the team. She takes photos at practices, at games and for the annual football program. She also takes senior portraits and enjoys event photography and capturing photos of products for clients.

A major fundraiser for the Football Club is the silent auction, held each year at the parent kickoff meeting. Set for Aug. 24, this year's auction will include tickets to area athletic events and a football jersey signed by Hinsdale Central grad

and current L.A. Ram Brian Allen. Another major undertaking for the club is the fifth annual Alumni and Friends Golf Outing, set for Homecoming Week.

Football has been part of Huth's life since she was a child and her dad would quiz her on the major college teams' colors, mascots and fight songs. She grew up cheering for the Ohio State Buckeyes and the Irish of Notre Dame.

"Our name was Fitzpatrick," she said.

Huth said her favorite part of football season is the energy and community just before kickoff, when the pomms, the cheerleaders, the band and the players are all on the field and the stands are filled with anxious fans.

She'll experience that pre-game excitement again on Aug. 30, when the Red Devils open their season at home against Naperville Central.

"It's a big game," Huth said. "I'm trying to enjoy every moment of it while it's here."

And after that, she will continue to cheer for the home team.

"I'll still be a Red Devils fan."

— story by Sandy Illian Bosch,
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OPINION

EDITORIAL

Back-to-school signals refresher course for drivers

Before long, everyone will be completely acclimated to the back-to-school routine.

Students at Hinsdale Central High School, who began classes eight days ago, already may be settling in to the new schedule. Kids in Community Consolidated Elementary District 181 students have their first day of school tomorrow, Aug. 23.

But the start of the 2019-20 school year doesn't affect only students and staff. Those of us who are dropping kids off, picking kids up or even driving through town on the way to work or running an errand need to pay extra attention to the buses and students now traveling to and from school.

The following safety tips — compiled from the National Safety Council, Illinois State Police and Illinois State Board of Education websites — are designed to keep students safe, whether they are walking, being chauffeured by a parent or taking the bus to and from school.

- Don't block the crosswalk when stopped at a red light or stop sign or waiting to make a turn, forcing pedestrians to go around you. This could

put them in the path of moving traffic.

- In a school zone when flashers are blinking, stop and yield to pedestrians crossing the crosswalk or intersection.

- Always stop for a school patrol officer or crossing guard holding up a stop sign.

- Take extra care to look out for children in school zones, near playgrounds and parks, and in all residential areas.

- Never pass a vehicle stopped for pedestrians.

- Don't double park when dropping off or picking up children, as it blocks visibility for children and other vehicles.

- Don't load or unload children across the street from the school.

- Carpool (or walk!) to reduce the number of vehicles at the school.

- When a school bus is traveling on a two-lane road and is stopped to pick up or drop off children, vehicles in both lanes of traffic must stop. Vehicles should stop at least 20 feet away from the bus to allow students to cross the road safely.

- When a school bus is traveling on a four-lane

roadway with at least two lanes of traffic traveling in the opposite direction, only vehicles traveling in the same direction as the bus must stop.

- When a school bus is stopped at a railroad crossing — required by law whether or not students are on board — drivers should not try to cross the tracks behind the bus until the bus has cleared the tracks and there is room for the vehicle behind the bus on the other side. Drivers also should leave plenty of room for the bus to maneuver or back up in case of emergency.

A motorist cited for illegally passing a school bus is not eligible for court supervision. The violation carries a mandatory minimum fine of \$150 and a three-month drivers license suspension. Second offenses carry a mandatory minimum fine of \$500 and a yearlong license suspension.

Careless or distracted driving, of course, can carry a much higher price for its victims.

Let's all do our part to pay attention, know and follow the law and make this school year a safe one.

COMMENTARY

Summer — and childhood — over all too quickly

And in the blink of an eye, it's over.

Summer 2019 is in the books.

I know, I know. Summer will continue until the autumnal equinox marks its official end Sept. 23.

But summer — for the purposes I discuss here — ended this week with the start of school. And this year — as it has every August since Ainsley was in preschool — its unofficial conclusion has taken me by surprise.

We are somewhat prepared, with a large box of school supplies sitting in our living room. With any luck, all will be appropriately labeled before arriving in Ainsley's fifth-grade classroom.

Earlier this week she finished reading "Insignificant Events in the Life of a Cactus," a book about a girl with no arms and a boy with Tourette syndrome that was understandably difficult to follow from the tidbits she shared (but interesting nevertheless!).

And we've signed up for the after-school program so she will not be home alone in the afternoons when Dan is traveling and I am at work.

That's three items off the to-do list.

But there are many boxes left unchecked.

The biggest task left undone is shopping for new school clothes, something I had hoped

to accomplish Monday, when I had the day off. Groggy from a Sunday-night sleepover, Ainsley took a pass. But now, as the first day of school gets closer, her interest in a new outfit has dramatically increased. She needs "something cool," she tells me.

My guess is this involves a pair of jeans shorts, which she owns, and some type of peasant blouse, which she also owns. In fact, it's the exact outfit she wore last year



Pamela Lannom

for the first day of school!

But those denim shorts are not only dirty — which could be remedied in time for the opening bell — they are way too short. At least for school.

After Monday's plans fell through, I had anticipated a weekend shopping trip to stock up on these staples. I appreciate that Ainsley has a

look she likes. But I confess I miss the days when I was in charge of her back-to-school outfit.

I used to be able to pick out a dress from Hanna Andersson or Gymboree for the first day of school and she would wear it. (My favorite remains the little navy blue number with pink and yellow trim that she sashayed into kindergarten wearing.)

I've been lucky that she has allowed me to buy most of her

clothes with little input. But I suppose she can't wear T-shirts with pictures of girls holding surf boards or emblazoned with sequined flip-flops forever. I should be grateful, I guess, that a few of these shirts made appearances while we were on vacation in Saugatuck last week.

Ainsley is growing up — literally! At 5 feet 2 inches, she's as tall as many adults and often mistaken for a middle-schooler or even a high schooler, not a fifth-grader.

At 10, she's still a kid, but I can begin to see the signs of the young woman she will soon become. Before I know it, her days in elementary school and middle school will be over and she'll be heading off to high school. And college.

Then I'll really know the meaning of being unprepared.

— Pamela Lannom is editor of *The Hinsdalean*. Readers can email her at plannom@thehinsdalean.com.

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GUEST COMMENTARY

Random acts of chit chat

I recently read about a study that investigated the relationship of human happiness to random social contact.

Scientists found that even momentary social interaction with a stranger increases our well-being. As simple as making eye contact or smiling and nodding — whatever the interaction was — it apparently makes an actual, chemical difference in our brains.

This story seems similar to a refrain we've been hearing for a while now: the idea that, for all the technological connections we've established, we are too isolated and need to look up from our phones and engage more with the outside world. With this new study, part of our happiness itself appears to correlate with our contact with strangers.

This all made perfect sense to me, but not so my Sensible Husband, who thinks small-talk on the Metra and dental appointments are equally enjoyable. He is the guy in the Quiet Car who puts in his AirPods to avoid hollow pleasantries.

"Can we all just stipulate that, yes, it's Monday and, yes, the weekend went by fast?" he'll complain.

I, on the other hand, never think twice about sharing banalities. I will randomly blather about nothing at all for no reason whatsoever. I also weirdly tend to try to make eye contact with fellow shoppers at Jewel or Target, for example, and then will feel oddly offended if people don't smile back. I sometimes



Susan O'Byrne

feel compelled to discuss my grocery purchases on the conveyor belt, noting, for example, how bizarre it must seem that I am buying silken tofu and avocados along with XXtra Flaming Hot Cheetos. The checkout person, who surely has seen

wackier purchases than mine, is rarely impressed. But does that stop me from mentioning it? I think not.

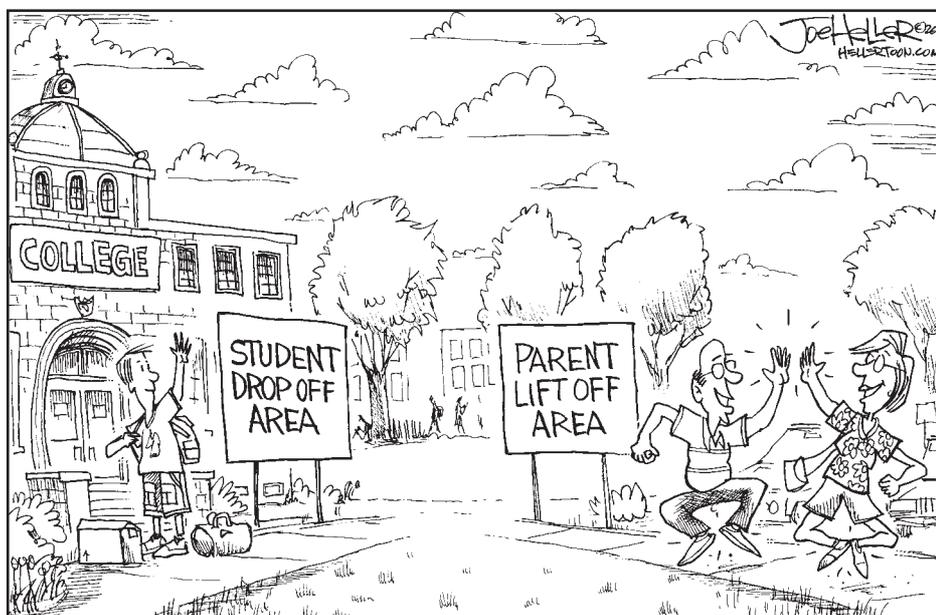
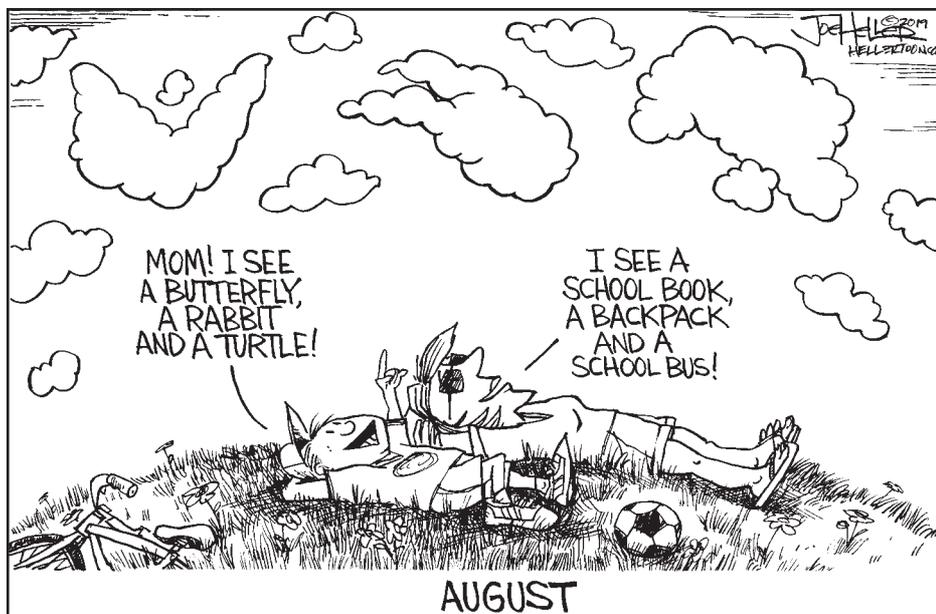
This practice mortifies my teenaged children, who label my conversation attempts as "awkward" instead of "charming" and "well-intentioned." At least I still have the dog.

I don't work outside the home, so I talk to Ollie more than talk to my immediate family. He is simply around me more any of the household humans. I neither bore nor embarrass him, even on our walks, when I pretty much never shut up. Put that leash in my hand and I turn into a life-sized Chatty Cathy. I'll talk about the weather, construction, or Ollie's, ahem, bodily functions endlessly.

If you are out with your dog, I have probably talked to you. It's a given. No doubt some of you have put in your AirPods or "taken a call" to avoid the Crazy Basset Hound Lady Who Never Shuts Up, and I can't really blame you. I acknowledge my behavior is likely pathological. But I am confident that the chemical happiness in my brain must be truly spectacular.

— Susan O'Byrne of Hinsdale is a former contributing columnist. Readers can email her at news@thehinsdalean.com.

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OBITUARIES

Louis P. Buffardi

Louis P. Buffardi, 76, of Oak Brook passed away Aug. 13, 2019.

Lou is survived by his wife of 51 years, Claire L. Buffardi, nee Sasgen; his children, Elizabeth (Kevin Smith) Buffardi, Ali (Dave) Zimmermann and Christopher (Amy) Buffardi; his four grandchildren, Luke and David Zimmermann and Caiden and Alana Buffardi; his brother, James (the late Lynne) Buffardi; his sisters, Carmel Lynn Panzarella and Donna (Tom) Hornsby; and many nieces and nephews.

Visitation is from 3 to 9 today, Aug. 22, at Sullivan Funeral Home, 60 S. Grant St., Hinsdale.

Family and friends will gather for a Mass of celebration at 10 a.m. Friday, Aug. 23, at St. Francis Xavier Church, 124 N. Spring Ave., La Grange.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Misericordia Heart of Mercy, 6300 N. Ridge Ave., Chicago, IL 60660; or Mercy Home for Boys and Girls, 1140 W. Jackson Blvd., Chicago, IL 60607.

George Ross Forbes

George Ross Forbes, 93, a 53-year resident of Hinsdale, passed away Aug. 10, 2019.

George grew up in Rockford and attended boarding school at The Hill School. Upon graduating, he attended Wesleyan University, where he received 11 athletic letters. He earned an MBA from Harvard and also served as a cadet in the Army Air Corps.

George's career began in his hometown of Rockford, at the Gunite Foundry. After several years in manufacturing at the foundry, he accepted a position with Andrew Corp., moving his family to Hinsdale. He retired as an executive vice president of Andrew Corp. George made a point of getting to know the employees and could often be seen walking the floors of the manufacturing facility, speaking with them.

A lover of the outdoors, especially the Florida Keys and the Colorado mountains, George enjoyed fishing, hunting and playing golf. A member of the Hinsdale Golf Club, he served a term as president. He was Hinsdale's golf cham-



Forbes

pion several times. His passion for golf continued, and he continued to score below his age until his passing.

He was preceded in death by his wife of 61 years, Shirley, nee Lundberg.

He is survived by his wife, Mary S. Mortimer; his children, Ann (Don) VanAltena, G. Ross (Leslie), D. Todd (Carol) and Peter (Claudia); his stepchildren, Bill Mortimer, Bob (Marion) and Peter (Christine); his 11 grandchildren and nine step-grandchildren; and his 16 great-grandchildren and two step-great-grandchildren.

A celebration of life will be held at 11 a.m. Friday, Sept. 20, at the Hinsdale Golf Club, 140 Chicago Ave., Clarendon Hills.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the Evans Scholarship Fund, 1 Briar Road, Golf, IL 60029-0301 (online at <https://www.wgaesf.org>); or Freedom Golf Association, 504 Burr Ridge Club Drive, Burr Ridge, IL 60527 (online at <https://www.playgolf@fgagolf.org>)

Brian Powell Funeral Directors of Hinsdale handled the arrangements.

Pauline G. Kluge

Pauline G. Kluge, 93, passed away Aug. 17, 2019.

She was born 1926 in Chicago and was a founding board member of the Lyons Public Library.

She was preceded in death by her husband of 39 years, William F. Kluge; and her brother, Ramon Green.

She is survived by her children, Bill (Joanne), Bob (Jean), Kim (Matt) Dwyer, Kathy (Larry) Kowalkowski and Brian (Liz) Kluge; her grandchildren, Kevin (Lisa), Katie (Luke) Munro,

Lauren (Mel) Padillo, Kristen (Patrick) Reichel, Rob (Maggie) and Claire Kluge; her seven great-grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews.

Visitation is from 3 to 9 today, Aug. 22, at Adolf Funeral Home Ltd., 7000 S. Madison St., Willowbrook. Services are at 10 a.m. Friday, Aug. 23, at the funeral home.

Interment is at Clarendon Hills Cemetery in Darien. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made online to The Chicago Lighthouse at <https://www.chicagolighthouse.org>.

Alma "Jean" LaPlaca

Alma "Jean" LaPlaca, nee Sapper, 92, of Willowbrook passed away Aug. 18, 2019.

She was born in 1927 in Chicago to Fannie (Post) and Gustave Sapper and was a former resident of River Forest and Oak Brook.

She was a longtime member of Ruth Lake Country Club in Hinsdale and Ironwood Country Club in Palm Desert, Calif. Jean taught Pilates until she was 88 years old. Jean was an avid reader and aficionado of audio books and classical music, as they sustained her in later years. Because of her healthy lifestyle, she was an inspiration to many people.

Jean was one of the longest living participants in the Rush University Memory and Aging Project.

She was preceded in death by her husband of 56 years, Salvatore "Sam" LaPlaca; and her daughter, Carol Ann.



LaPlaca

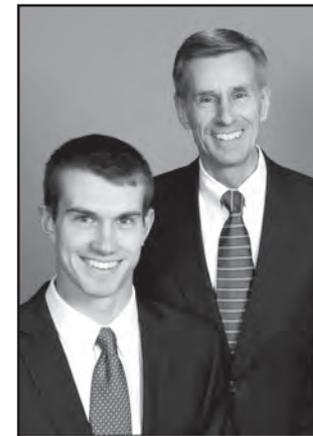
She is survived by her four daughters, Jean "Jeannie" Marie (John Williams) LaPlaca, Suzanne (Dan) Petree, Nancy LaPlaca and Lisa (Bob Slayton) LaPlaca; her grandchildren, Chase LaPlaca, Nick LaPlaca, Jonathan Petree, Anne (Chad) Lewis, Jeffrey Petree, Teddy Petree and Natalie Slayton; her great-grandchildren, Madeleine Pieroni and Victoria LaPlaca; her brother, Charles A. Sapper;

her "faux" sixth daughter, Kym Frankovelgia; and her close friends, Linda Allen, Ceil Dunn and Nicole Elliott among others.

A special thanks to the staff at Sunrise Willowbrook and St. Thomas Hospice.

Interment will be private at the Abraham Lincoln National Veterans' Cemetery in Elwood, IL.

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What Social Security considerations should people keep in mind?

With about 70 percent of Americans opting to collect their Social Security benefits early, many likely are not making the most of that income potential as it relates to their overall financial picture.

John Deppe, regional vice-president for Transamerica and author of "It's Your Money! Simple Strategies to Maximize Your Social Security Income," wants to help people optimize their benefits. Deppe will present the seminar "Unlocking Social Security" on Thursday, Sept. 5, at the Hinsdale Public Library in partnership with Hinsdale's Dennis Dine, regional vice president at FFCSI (see Page 26 for details).

"It's designed to help Americans make more informed, educated decisions on when and how they should file when it comes time to collect their Social Security benefits," Deppe said of the hour-long session.

The session is targeted for those ages 55-65 who have not yet made a

decision on when to take income.

"Social security might be only the source of guaranteed income for life in retirement," he said. "Some don't fully understand all the ramifications that decision might have. What if I collect early? What if I wait?"

Couples in particular need to be strategic in their selection because collecting early will reduce survivor benefits when one spouse dies.

"One of the bigger issues for married couples is that their decision to collect their Social Security benefits should be viewed not as an individual decision but as a joint decision," Deppe advised. "Spousal benefits could be left on the table."

Survivors also might have a choice.

"You can collect your individual benefit first and switch over to the survivor benefit or vice versa. There's a choice and there's math involved," he said.

Deppe said attendees will hear case studies of different scenarios with regard to Social Security benefits.

"We walk them through those scenarios and show them some numbers," he said. "At the end of the day, everyone's situation is different, and we want most people to get a cus-

tomized scenario for their situation.

The Social Security Administration, Deppe stressed, does not provide personalized guidance, just general information. And a decision on benefits becomes permanent after 12 months.

"But within the 12-month period, you can change your decision if you repay what you received — with no interest — and essentially get a do-over," Deppe explained.

The Social Security trust fund's solvency has become a periodic political football, with the latest forecast predicting it will run dry in 2034. Of course, that's calculated using the current parameters.

"That is all based on how the law works today," Deppe said. "We will continue to see modifications and changes to the rules to ensure its solvency."

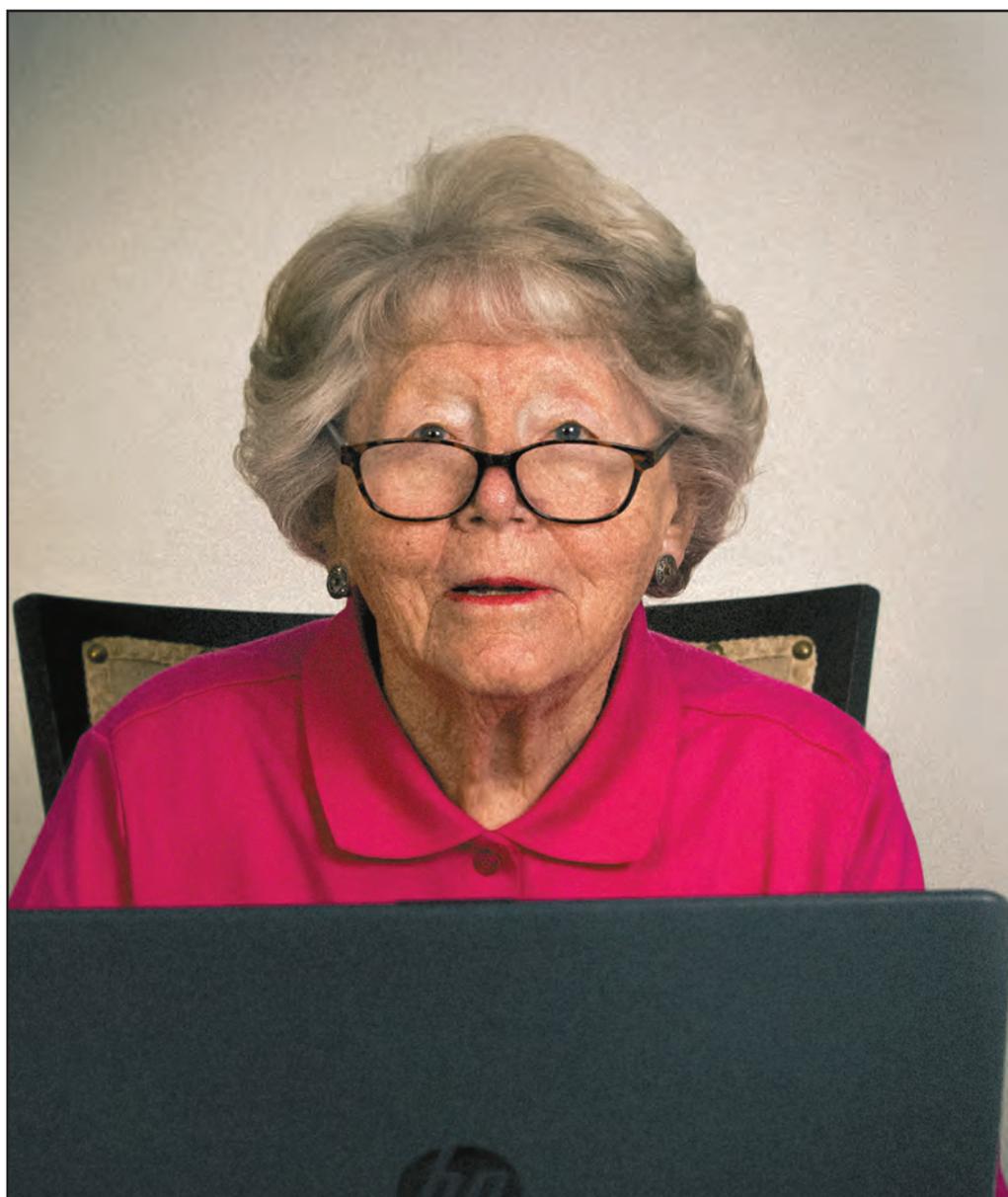
If a crystal ball could reveal each person's date of death, financial counseling would be much easier. But some mysteries are best left unsolved.

"We just want people to make more informed and smarter decisions with the choices they have available," he said.

— by Ken Knutson



Retirement planning advisor John Deppe will lead the seminar "Unlocking Social Security" on Sept. 5 at Hinsdale Public Library. He said people need to understand the consequences of taking benefits early, for individuals and spouses. (photo provided)



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Keith Whipple, educational outreach director for CSz Theatre and ComedySportz Chicago, leads the cast of Hinsdale Central's upcoming improv show in a rather unconventional rehearsal. Finn Van Horn and Quintin Craig (above right) engage in an exercise. Grace Gits, Kayleigh Excell, A.J. Andersen and Tess Klygis hone their newly acquired improv skills. (Jim Slonoff photos)

Central actors ready to tackle unknown

Unscripted improv competition sure to keep audience members involved, laughing

By Sandy Illian Bosch
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Hinsdale Central senior Tess Klygis isn't one to "just wing it." Whether it's a test, an audition or a performance, she likes to be prepared.

And that's exactly why she decided to be part of the Hinsdale Central Drama Club's first production of the year — an improv show guided by the experts from CSzTheater Chicago.

The experience has pushed Klygis out of her comfort zone while teaching her what she believes to be valuable tools not only for an actress, but for anyone. She said rehearsals for the September show have taught her to adapt to quickly changing situations and to make the most of an unexpected and perhaps imperfect situation.

Director Chris Kostro agrees there is much to be learned from the experience of being in an improv troupe. Like most of his 16-member cast, he had little improv experience before deciding on this show. He has taken a few improv classes at places like IO and Second City, but this is the first time he's directed an entirely unscripted and unpredictable program.

The cast of the ComedySportz

Improv Comedy Competition will be separated into four teams of four. The teams will entertain the audience with improv games designed and perfected by CSz Theater. Each performance doubles as a competition, the winner of which is decided by audience applause. Audience members also will be called upon to offer prompts for many of the improv games, making them an integral part of the performance, said Keith Whipple, educational outreach director for ComedySportz Chicago.

In choosing from the 35 to 40 hopefuls who auditioned for the improv show, Kostro said he tried to mix things up a bit.

"You don't want everyone to have one strength," he said. While some students were chosen for their excellent listening skills, others were selected for their quick wit or creativity.

Rehearsals for the September show have involved learning and playing the improv games that will be played on stage.

"It's really not anything like being in a typical show," said junior A.J. Andersen. But as a newcomer to the Hinsdale Central stage, Andersen doesn't have much to compare it with. He decided to audition for the improv show in hopes of building

relationships and gaining experience and confidence to try out for the spring show.

Junior Charlotte Froiland said she can already see how improv is helping her to be a better actress.

"I learned so much just from the audition," she said.

Whipple said improv teaches students to take risks, to commit to an idea and to support one another, no matter how bad that idea might seem.

Improv, he said, is built on the statement, "Yes, and." Actors are taught to embrace whatever is said or done on stage and build on it.

"They are each other's script," he said of the actors on stage.

Improv actors learn teamwork, effective communication, active listening and the art of being in the moment, Whipple said. And through it all, they have a lot of fun.

Whipple will serve as referee during the show's three performances. Wearing a striped referee's shirt, he will make sure the rules are followed, including the rule of good taste. Any actor who is deemed to have acted in poor taste will be given a brown bag to be worn over his or her head.

Decorum, pacing and nuance are all skills that Kostro hopes his students will learn as part of the

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improv experience and take into future performances at Central and beyond.

Unlike most stage shows, this one requires little costuming or staging. The four-person student crew has just one person assigned to each team. Meanwhile, Kostro said Central's technical director, Charlie Cooper, is busy making plans for the stage.

"He's thinking up some fun ideas," Kostro said.

Because each show will be completely new and completely different, Kostro suggested audience members might want to attend more than once.

PULSE



This is the final weekend to catch the walking play "Alice Through the Looking Glass" at the Morton Arboretum in Lisle. For details, turn to Page 26. (ArranmoreArts photo courtesy of Morton Arboretum)

FAITH COMMUNITIES

■ 'Wonder'

Aug. 23
Christ Church Oak Brook
501 Oak Brook Road
(630) 654-1882
<https://www.christchurch.us/events>

The church will host a free showing of this PG-rated film in connection with its August sermon series, @TheMovies: Finding Faith in Films. Doors open at 6:30 p.m., and snacks will be provided. Time: 7 p.m.

FAMILY FUN

■ Family Archery

Mondays, Sept. 9-Oct. 14
KLM Park
5901 S. County Line Road,
Hinsdale
(630) 789-7090
<https://www.villageofhinsdale.org/pr>

Family members age 6 and up will learn the parts of an arrow and recurve bow, the basics of using a recurve bow and fundamental shooting skills in an extremely safe environment through the national-

ly recognized beginner's 9-step to the 10 ring progression. Blunt tipped arrows, bows and targets will be provided. Time: 6:30 to 7:15 p.m. Cost: \$54. RR

FOR A CAUSE

■ Breast cancer fundraiser

Aug. 28
Luxe|Honor
311 W. Hillgrove Ave., La Grange
<https://www.luxehonor.com>

Join this benefit for the Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer Three-Day Boston Walk Fundraiser. The event will feature food, pink drinks, raffle prizes, shopping and community. Hours: 6 to 9 p.m.

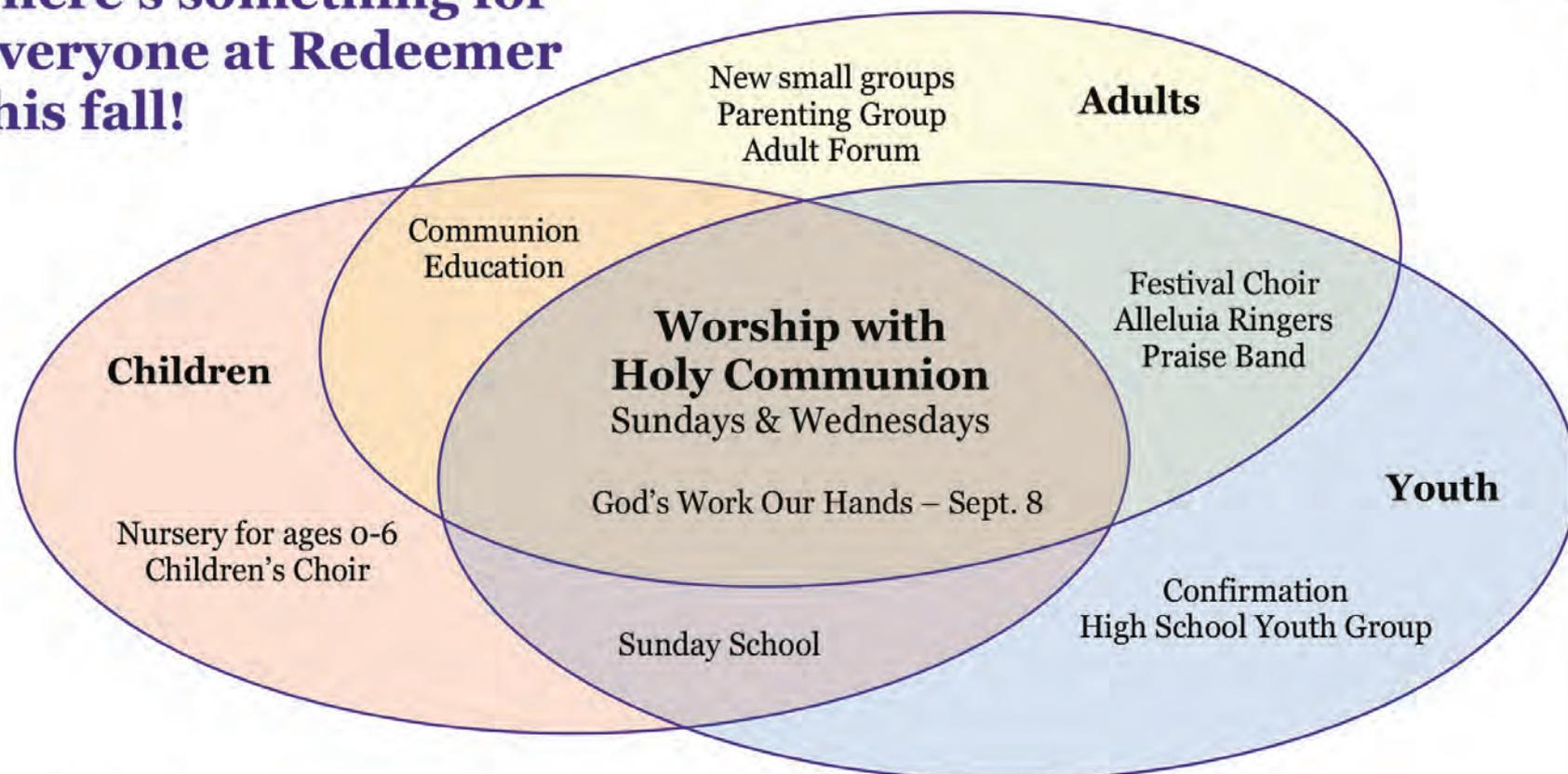
GAME ON

■ School Age Gymnastics

Tuesdays, Aug. 27-Oct. 1
Westmont Community Center
75 E. Richmond St.
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■ **Adult Taekwondo**
Wednesdays, Sept. 4-Dec. 18
KLM Lodge
5901 County Line Road,
Hinsdale
(630) 789-7090
<https://www.villageofhinsdale.org/pr>

This program for high school students and older concentrates on Taekwondo techniques through the study of forms and stances and the skills of punching, kicking, and blocking. Time: 7:15 to 8:10 p.m. Cost: \$176. RR

■ **Youth Archery**
Mondays, Sept. 9-Oct. 14
KLM Park
5901 S. County Line Road,
Hinsdale
(630) 789-7090
<https://www.villageofhinsdale.org/pr>

Students age 7-14 will learn the parts of an arrow and recurve bow, the basics of using a recurve bow and fundamental shooting skills in an extremely safe environment through the nationally recognized beginner's 9-step to the 10 ring progression. Blunt tipped arrows, bows and targets will be provided. Times: 5 to 5:45 p.m. for ages 7-10, 5:45 to 6:30 p.m. for age 11-14. Cost: \$54. RR

■ **RISE Field Hockey**
Mondays, Sept. 9-Oct. 14
Robbins Park
Seventh and Vine streets,
Hinsdale
(630) 789-7090
<https://www.villageofhinsdale.org/pr>

Kids age 5-13 will learn the rules of the game, how to handle the stick, dribble the ball, shoot on goal, and pass and receive a ball. Practice is once a week with optional weekend games/play dates at various locations. Participants can borrow a stick for the duration of class but must supply their own shin guards, mouth guard and optional goggles. Groups will be formed by grade and level. For more information, email Monica Lodge at rise-fieldhockey@naper@gmail.com. Time: 5 to 6:30 p.m. Cost: \$185.

RR

■ **Flag Football**
Tuesdays, Sept. 10-Oct. 15
Madison School
611 S. Madison St., Hinsdale
(630) 789-7090
<https://www.villageofhinsdale.org/pr>

Kids ages 5-7 will learn the skills to get them started in football with this instructional, no-contact class using mini-sized Nerf-like footballs. Along with the core skills of passing and catching, players will learn the rules and positions on the field as well as strategies for both offense and defense. Games will be played at the end of each class. Time: 5:30 to 6:30 p.m. Cost: \$58. RR

■ **Youth Track, Field, and Fitness**
Thursdays, Sept. 12-Oct. 17
Burns Field
304 N. Vine St., Hinsdale
(630) 789-7090
<https://www.villageofhinsdale.org/pr>

Kids and teens will learn about improving flexibility, stretching, body positioning, developing core-strength, improving balance, cool-down techniques and other fitness concepts as they relate to the skills involved in the sport of track and field. Participants will practice sprints, relays, long-distance walking, running hurdles, long jump, discus throw, and other track and field events. A meet will be held on the last day of class. Time: 5 to 5:45 p.m. for ages 7-10, 5:45 for ages 11-13. Cost: \$54. RR

GRAND GALAS

■ **EMH Foundation's Autumn Affair**
Sept. 7
Four Seasons Hotel Chicago
120 E. Delaware Place,
Chicago
(311) 221-0388
<https://www.emhfoundation.org/autumnaffair>

The Elmhurst Memorial Hospital Foundation will hold its 15th annual fundraiser featuring cocktails and a silent auction, followed by dinner, dancing and a live auction. The gala supports Elmhurst Hospital programs and services that directly impact patients. A portion of the proceeds will support new high-tech, patient-centered technology advancements. Time: 6 p.m. Tickets: \$300.

GREAT OUTDOORS

■ **Dusk Gratitude Walk**
Sept. 5
Mayslake Peabody Estate
1717 W. 31st St., Oak Brook
(630) 206-9566
<https://www.dupageforest.org>

Contemplate how life changes seasonally on a leisurely guided walk as the sun sets over the forest preserve. Bring pen and paper to jot down thoughts along the way if the mood strikes. This program is for ages 18 and older. Time: 7 to 8:30 p.m. Cost: \$3 in advance, \$5 at the walk. RR

■ **Fly Fishing**
Sept. 15
Mayslake Peabody Estate
1717 W. 31st St., Oak Brook
(630) 206-9566
<https://www.dupageforest.org>

Spend an afternoon with the DuPage Rivers Fly Tyers learning how to tie flies inside and learning to cast outside. Equipment will be provided. The program is for ages 18 and up. Time: 1 to 5 p.m. Cost: \$10. RR

GREEN THUMB

■ **Daylily Sale**
Aug. 24
41 S. Stough St., Hinsdale
<https://www.chicagolanddaylilyociety.org>

The Chicagoland Daylily Society is hosting its annual sale featuring hundreds of beautiful and unique registered daylily cultivars. The rain date is Aug. 25. Hours: 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

HEALTH & WELLNESS

■ **Yoga on the Lawn**
Wednesdays through Aug. 28
Mayslake Peabody Estate
1717 W. 31st St., Oak Brook
(630) 206-9566
<https://www.dupageforest.org>

Start the day in nature with the outdoor yoga class designed for beginners ages 18 and up, led by experienced yoga practitioners. Time: 7:30 to 8:30 a.m. Cost: \$40, \$14 per class for drop-ins. RR

■ **Mind/Body Fest**
Sept. 7
Wellness House

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■ **Free Fitness in the Park**
Mondays through Oct. 14
Burlington Park
30 E. Chicago Ave., Hinsdale
<https://www.hinsdalechamber.com>

These weekly fitness sessions are sponsored by the Hinsdale Chamber of Commerce in conjunction with the Farmers

Market. F45 Training of Hinsdale will lead the Aug. 26 session from 7:30 to 8:30 a.m. Participants should bring a mat.

JUST FOR KIDS

■ **Basic Roller Skating**
Sept. 3-Oct. 12
Revolution Skate Studio
1300 S. Main St., Lombard
(630) 789-7090
<https://www.villageofhinsdale.org/pr>

Kids ages 6-10 will learn to roller skate from nationally certified instructors using games, toys, songs and activities. Students are evaluated on their progress and coach feedback is available online. Medals are presented to students every time they pass eight new skills. Skate rental is included, and new skaters receive a free T-shirt. Courses are offered Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Saturdays. Times: 5:25 to 6:25 p.m. Tuesdays and Wednesdays, 1 to 2 p.m. Saturdays. Cost: \$155.

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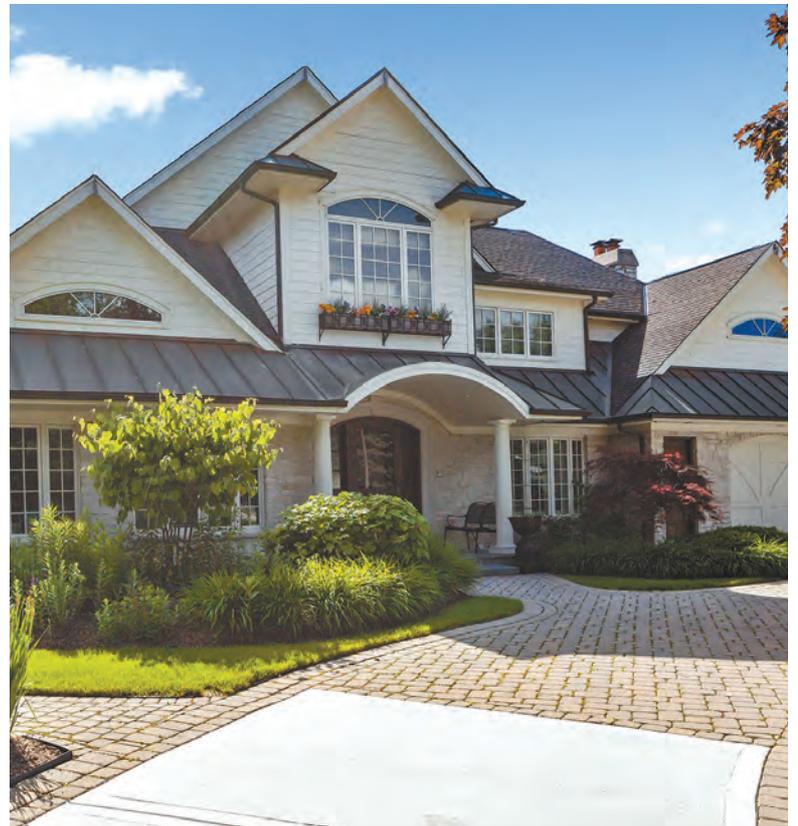
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RR

■ Beginning Voice

Saturdays, Sept. 7-Oct. 19
Darien Community Center
7301 Fairview Ave., Darien
(630) 789-7090
<https://www.villageofhinsdale.org/pr>

Kids age 6-12 can learn to sing great songs from musical theater, Disney, pop music and more. Young singers learn how to sing together, harmonize and create beautiful music in this noncompetitive class environment. Time: 10 to 11 a.m. Cost: \$75. RR

■ Putting "A" in S.T.E.A.M.

Sept. 7
Hinsdale Public Library
20 E. Maple St.
(630) 986-1976
<https://www.hinsdalelibrary.info>

Kids can learn how art and science intersect by creating a piece of art to take home. Time: 10:30 a.m. to noon.

LISTEN & LEARN

■ Property tax seminar

Aug. 29
The Community House
415 W. Eighth St., Hinsdale
(630) 852-8633
<https://www.repmazzochi.com>

State Rep. Deanne Mazzochi (R-47, Elmhurst) will co-host this seminar, along with York Township Assessor Deanna Wilkins and Downers Grove Township Assessor Greg Boltz, to give homeowners the tools they need to lower their property taxes when they think they are being overcharged. RSVPs are appreciated but not required. Citizens are also invited to complete a survey about property taxes at the website listed above. Time: 6 to 7:30 p.m.

■ Unlocking Social Security

Sept. 5
Hinsdale Public Library
20 E. Maple St.
(312) 248-8207
ddine@lsfgchi

John Deppe, author of "It's Your Money! Simple Strategies to Maximize Your Social

Security Income," will give this program aimed at those ages 55-65 who have not yet made a decision on when to take income. Coffee and cookies will be provided. Space is limited, so contact host Denny Dine at using the information listed above to reserve a spot. Time: 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. RR

■ Horse Ownership Lecture Series

Saturdays, Sept. 7-Oct. 5
Danada Equestrian Center
3S507 Naperville Road,
Wheaton
(630) 668-6012
<https://www.dupagecounty.org>

Prospective horse owners and enthusiasts can get an in-depth look at behavior, health, feed conformation and leasing versus owning. Each session features a different topic and includes a 60-minute lecture followed by 60 minutes of practical, hands-on applications in the barn. The program is for ages 12 and up. Time: 9 to 11 a.m. Cost: \$50.

ON SCREEN

■ Tylerman Film Festival

Aug. 25
Cantigny Park
1S151 Winfield Road,
Wheaton
(630) 668-5161
<https://www.tylermanfilms.com>

This inaugural event will feature more than 30 films, many promoting social awareness and change. The festival will open with a red-carpet event for filmmakers and will close with an awards ceremony. Screenings include shorts and full-length features, including the NAACP Image Award winner "Say Her Name: The Life and Death of Sandra Bland." The mother and sister of Ms. Bland will take questions after the screening. Time: noon to 8 p.m. Tickets may be purchased in advance at eventbrite.com and groupon.com. Admission: \$15, \$10 for students plus \$10 parking.

■ 'The Man Who Predicted 9/11'

Sept. 11
Hinsdale Public Library
20 E. Maple St.
(630) 986-1976

<https://www.hinsdalelibrary.info>

Join a viewing of this 50-minute documentary followed by a discussion. This program is presented in partnership with American Legion Hinsdale Post 250. Time: 7 to 8:30 p.m. RR

ON STAGE

■ 'Alice Through the Looking Glass' walking play

Saturdays & Sundays,
through Aug. 25
Morton Arboretum
4100 Route 53, Lisle
(630) 968-0074
<https://www.mortarb.org>

Enjoy an interactive, outdoor theatrical experience and find out what happens when Alice is whisked away from her garden, back into the fantasy land Through the Looking-Glass. The arboretum's 1,700 acres of trees and landscapes serve as the stage and scenery as performers and audience members will hike about 1 mile, from one scene to another,

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throughout the performance, which runs about 90 minutes. A low-impact hike and an American Sign Language interpretation performance are available for guests with special requirements. Time: 6 p.m. Tickets: \$20, \$15 for children. RR, MD

■ **'And Then There Were None'**
Through Sept. 1

Drury Lane Theatre
100 Drury Lane, Oakbrook Terrace
(630) 530-0111
<https://www.drurylanetheatre.com>

Ten strangers — each of whom holds a murderous secret — meet on a clandestine island. Who will pay the ultimate price? Penned with cruelty by master of the craft Agatha Christie, "And Then There

Were None" brings together tension, fear and the macabre to weave a tale that captivates the audience until the final curtain. The play is rated PG-13, and this production includes gun shot and strobe effects. Dinner and show packages are available. Show times: 1:30 p.m. Wednesdays, 1:30 and 8 p.m. Thursdays, 8 p.m. Fridays, 3 and 8 p.m. Saturdays, 2 & 6 p.m. Sundays. Tickets: \$50 to \$65.

■ **Agatha Christie's 'Murder in the Studio'**

Sept. 5-15
Theatre of Western Springs
4384 Hampton Ave.
(708) 246-4043
<https://www.theatreofwesternsprings.com>

Experience the staging of this thrilling collection of three murderous radio plays — including a Poirot story. Times: 8 p.m. Sept. 5-7 & 12-14; 2:30

p.m. Sept. 8, 14 & 15 and 7:30 p.m. Sept. 8. Tickets: \$22.

■ **Holmes and Watson**

Sept. 5-Oct. 6
McAninch Arts Center
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- Benefits of waiting to collect social security
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Please RSVP by August 29, 2019 to:
Denny Dine: ddine@lsfghi.com or 312-248-8207

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Shop for fruits, vegetables, honey, meats, pie and sweet breads and enjoy a smoothie, fresh brewed ice coffee, or slice of pizza for lunch.

For a full list of vendors, visit www.hinsdalechamber.com/farmers-market.

NEW ACTIVITIES FOR THE 2019 SEASON

- Fitness each Monday morning in Burlington Park
- Kids activities provided by the Hinsdale Public Library
- Weekly recipes

For the complete list of activities for the Farmer's Market Season, please visit www.hinsdalechamber.com.

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Holmes at Reichenbach, there have been many imposters who've claimed to be Holmes. But now three separate men insist that they are the infamous literary master. Full of twists and turns, this is a riveting and clever adventure from award-winning playwright Jeffrey Hatcher performed by the Buffalo Theatre Ensemble. Sept. 5 is a preview show with a free pre-show discussion from 6:45 to 7:15 p.m. A post-show discussion will be held Sept. 7. Times: 8 p.m. Thursdays to Saturdays, 3 p.m. Sundays; 1 p.m. Sept. 8. Tickets: \$42, \$40 for seniors.

■ **'The Little Mermaid'**
Sept. 7 & 8
Nazareth Academy
1209 W. Ogden Ave.,
LaGrange Park
<https://www.yesproductions-co.com>

YES! Productions presents this Disney classic, following the charming but rebellious 16-year-old mermaid Ariel and her fascination with life on land. Times: 2 and 7 p.m. Sept. 7, 1 and 6 p.m. Sept. 8. Tickets: \$18-\$20.

■ **'The Guys'**
Sept. 9-11
Mayslake Peabody Estate
1717 W. 31st St., Oak Brook
(630) 986-8067
<https://www.firstfolio.org>

First Folio Theatre presents this two-person play about two people whose lives come together as the result of the tragedies of 9/11. Joan longed for a way to help and finds it helping Nick with the seemingly insurmountable task of eulogizing the members of his department who were lost in the day's events. A portion of ticket sales will be donated to the 9/11 Memorial & Museum in New York. Time: 8 p.m. Tickets: \$35..

RUNS & WALKS

■ **APDA Midwest Optimism Walk**
Sept. 7
Naperville VFW Hall
Post 3873
908 Jackson Ave.
(630) 933-4392
<https://www.apdaparkinson.org/midwest>

The American Parkinson's Disease Association is hosting this 29th annual event in conjunction with a nationwide series of walks that mobilize

people to help put an end to Parkinson's disease. Activities include a short walk of up to 1.5 miles (distance is optional), educational opportunities, raffles and music. Proceeds will benefit support groups, exercise classes designed specifically for people with PD, educational conferences and more. Time: 8:30 a.m. check-in begins, 10 a.m. walk. Cost: donations collected. RR

SENIOR SCENE

■ **AARP Driver Safety Program**
Aug. 27 & 28
The Community House
415 W. Eighth St., Hinsdale
(630) 323-7500
<https://www.thecommunity-house.org>

This program is for drivers over the age of 50 who wish to update their driving skills. It is a classroom-only session. Time: 11:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

Cost: \$20, \$15 for AARP members. RR

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■ **Fall Kickoff Lunch**
Sept. 6
Fourteensixteen
14 W. Calendar Ave., La Grange
<https://www.hinsdaleneewcomers.org>
meetings@hinsdaleneewcomers.org

Newcomers & Neighbors of the Greater Hinsdale Area welcomes residents of Hinsdale, Burr Ridge, Clarendon Hills, Oak Brook and Westmont to learn more about the organization at its fall luncheon. Time: 11:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. Tickets: \$30. RR

SPECIAL EVENTS

■ **Ice Cream Social**

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- August 1- Semple Band**
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- August 8- Sealed With A Kiss**
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- August 15- 7th Heaven**
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PULSE

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Aug. 25
Burlington Park
30 E. Chicago Ave., Hinsdale
(855) 692-6482

Come out for ice cream, face painting, an obstacle course, games and prizes and a DJ at this 65th annual event sponsored by the Hinsdale Hospital Foundation Junior Board.

Mobile Driver Services

Aug. 27
Downers Grove Township
4340 Prince St., Downers Grove

Drivers will be able to renew/correct their licenses, buy license plate stickers, obtain a state ID and more at this event hosted by state Sen. John Curran (R-41, Downers Grove). Time: 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

STEPPING BACK

Journey on the Underground Railroad

Aug. 23 & 24
Graue Mill and Museum
3800 York Road, Oak Brook
(630) 655-2090
<https://www.grauemill.org>

Children and adults can experience what it was like to be a passenger on the Underground Railroad and meet the legendary Harriet Tubman. Times: 6:30 or 8:15 p.m. Tickets: \$15, \$10 for children. RR

Vintage Base Ball Game

Aug. 24
Cantigny Park Parade Field
1S151 Winfield Road,
Wheaton
(630) 668-5161
<https://www.cantignypark.org>

Enjoy an afternoon of America's pastime as it was played by the rules of 1858 as the DuPage Plowboys take

on the Sunset Hill Colonels of Valparaiso, Ind. Time: 1 p.m. Admission: Free with \$10 parking.

SUMMER SERIES

Uniquely Thursdays

Through Aug. 22
Burlington Park
30 E. Chicago Ave.
(630) 323-3952
<https://www.hinsdalechamber.com>

Enjoy live music, food and fun at the Hinsdale Chamber of Commerce's weekly outdoor concert series. The series wraps up tonight with the Ethan Bell Band performing retro-pop-meets-country music. Beer, wine and food will be available for purchase. Hours: 6 to 9 p.m.

Burr Ridge Concert Series

Fridays through Aug. 23
Burr Ridge Village Center
County Line Road and Village Parkway
<https://www.burr-ridge.gov/events/concerts-on-the-green/>

This series wraps up Aug. 23 with a performance by Chicago tribute band Chicago Experience. Guests are invited to bring sports chairs, blankets, coolers, food and beverages. Time: 7 p.m.

Arbor Evenings

Wednesdays through Aug. 28
Morton Arboretum
4100 Route 53, Lisle
(630) 986-0074
<https://www.mortonarb.org>

This popular weekly summer concert series for all ages features top local bands, dancing, lawn games and the chance to unwind. The series wraps up Aug. 28 with the StingRays performing. Guests

may bring their own food or purchase small plates. Time: 5 to 8 p.m. Tickets: \$17, including one beverage (beer, wine or soda), free for guests younger than 21. MD

Cantigny Outdoor Concert Series

Sundays through Sept. 1
Cantigny Park Band Shell
1S151 Winfield Road,
Wheaton
(630) 668-5161
<https://www.cantignypark.org>

This series continues Aug. 25 with One of These Nights playing the music of The Eagles. Seating is on the lawn; chairs and blankets are welcome. Time: 3 p.m. Admission: Free with \$10 parking.

TEENS & TWEENS

Entrance Exam Practice Tests

Sept. 14
Hinsdale Public Library
20 E. Maple St.
(630) 986-1976
<https://www.hinsdalelibrary.info>

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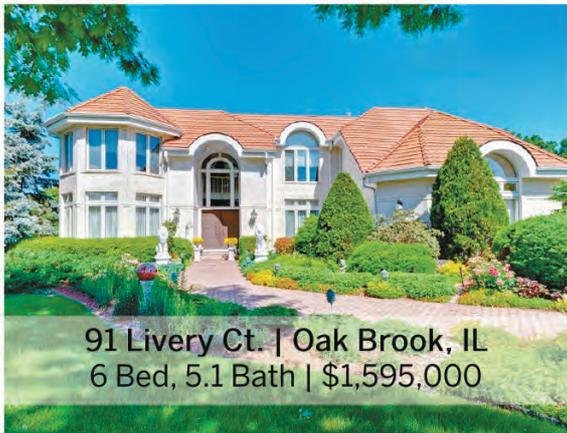
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Pet pic of the week

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<https://www.villageofhinsdale.org/pr>

Kids ages 3-5 will learn to roller skate from nationally certified instructors using games, toys, songs and activities. Students are evaluated on their progress and coach feedback is available online. Medals are presented to students every time they pass eight new skills. Skate rental is included, and new skaters receive a free T-shirt. Courses are offered Tuesdays, Wednesdays or Saturdays. Times: 4:30 to 5:15 p.m. Tuesdays and Wednesdays, 9:35 to 10:20 a.m. Saturdays. Cost: \$135. RR

■ Animal Crackers

Tuesdays, Sept. 10-24
 Burr Ridge Community Center
 15W400 Harvester Drive
 (630) 789-7090
<https://www.villageofhinsdale.org/pr>

Kids ages 1-3 with a parent will explore a different animal each week through stretching,

movement, crafts and other activities all revolving around the animal of the day. Time: 9 to 10 a.m. Cost: \$38. RR

■ Kid Rock I & II

Tuesdays, Sept. 10-Oct. 15
 Clarendon Hills Community Center
 315 Chicago Ave.
 (630) 789-7090
<https://www.villageofhinsdale.org/pr>

Kid Rock is a music and movement program designed to stimulate development through interactive play, imagination exercises and by using rhythm instruments and movement props such as tambourines, maracas, scarves and a parachute. Each session focuses on a new educational theme. Kid Rock I is for age 2 with a caregiver; Kid Rock II is for ages 3-5 without a caregiver. Times: 10:15 to 10:55 a.m. for Kid Rock I, 11 to 11:40 a.m. for Kid Rock II. Cost: \$58. RR

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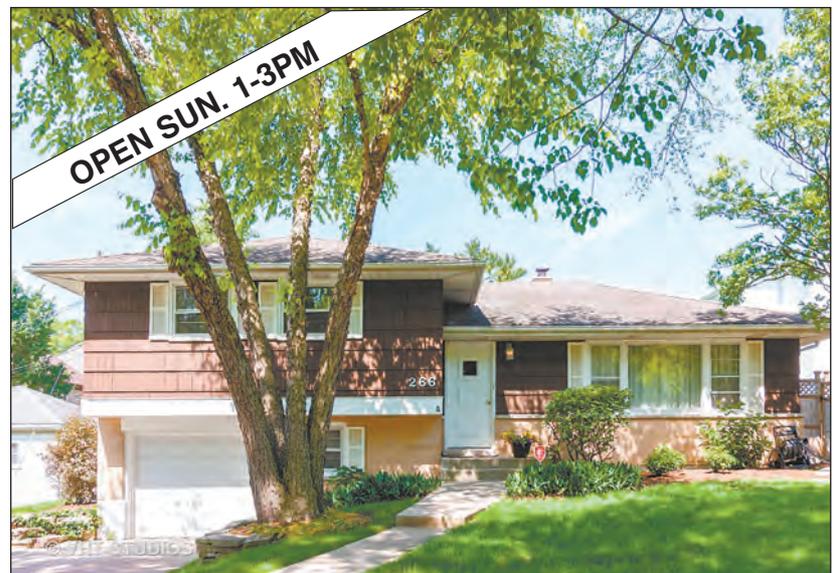
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There is no end to education. It is not that you read a book, pass an examination, and finish with education. The whole of life, from the moment you are born to the moment you die, is a process of learning.

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Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle

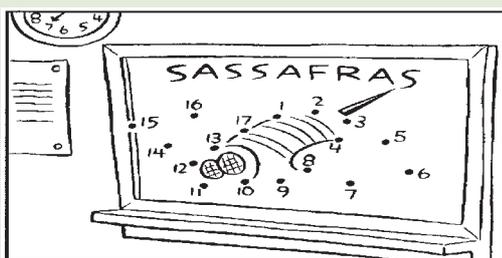
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DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: ◆◆

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Answer: A spelling bee.

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. To make repairs.
- 2. A result, an outcome.
- 3. A statement of approval.
- 4. Pieces used in chess.

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Answers: 1. Mend. 2. Mend. 3. End. 4. Men. Mystery word: Amend.

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HOROSCOPES

August 2019 Horoscopes • Week 4



CAPRICORN - Dec 22/Jan 20
Capricorn, little financial uncertainty should compel you to take inventory or even revise spending habits. Unforeseen circumstances can pop up.



ARIES - Mar 21/Apr 20
Aries, you may be feeling sociable this week. Make the most of opportunities to hang out with those people you prefer to spend time with regularly.



CANCER - Jun 22/Jul 22
Cancer, you may be worrying about things that are troubling you instead of enjoying time spent with friends. Enjoy time with loved ones and your troubles will subside.



LIBRA - Sept 23/Oct 23
Libra, if you have put a high level of trust into other people, you won't be disappointed when they live up to all of your expectations. Take some time to thank them.



AQUARIUS - Jan 21/Feb 18
You may feel confused about your current situation in life, Aquarius. This may be the case if you're comparing yourself to others. You're actually doing quite well.



TAURUS - Apr 21/May 21
Your work will be a labor of love for someone special, Taurus. Even though you are doing it for generous reasons, give yourself ample time to breathe and unwind.



LEO - Jul 23/Aug 23
Surround yourself with loved ones this week, Leo. You will take away much joy from these interactions. Do something fun and playful with siblings or cousins.



SCORPIO - Oct 24/Nov 22
Scorpio, you may feel a desire to be fully understood by others this week. But they can only understand you if you're open and honest with them. Be more forthcoming.



PISCES - Feb 19/Mar 20
Pisces, innovative solutions are on the tip of your tongue. You just need to organize your ideas to present them to others.



GEMINI - May 22/Jun 21
Gemini, your routine offers you comfort this week, but you may want to find some way to veer off course for a little bit. Who knows what waits around the bend?



VIRGO - Aug 24/Sept 22
Virgo, you may feel the need to be responsible for others over the course of the next few days. They can probably handle themselves, but a little help never hurt.



SAGITTARIUS - Nov 23/Dec 21
Sagittarius, you are alert and inspired this week, and you may be on a quest to expand your social circle. Go to community events or other social activities in your area.

SPORTS

GUTMAN JOINS FC CINCINNATI TEAM

Andrew Gutman has joined Major League Soccer's FC Cincinnati on loan from Scottish Premiership side Celtic FC through the end of the 2020 MLS season.

"We are excited to add Andrew to our roster," FC Cincinnati general manager Gerard Nijkamp said. "He is an exciting young player that will add balance to our backline. We look forward to getting him acclimated with our club and the city of Cincinnati."

In his second game with Cincinnati Aug. 17, a home match against New York City FC, the Hinsdale native recorded an assist in the team's 4-1 loss.

Gutman, 22, began his professional career earlier this year when he signed with Scotland's legendary Celtic FC in January. He then spent the first half of 2019 on loan with the USL Championship's Charlotte Independence in North Carolina, registering three goals and one assist in 14 appearances with the Independence before returning to Scotland for Celtic's preseason preparations. He was also included on the U.S. Men's National Team preliminary roster for the 2019 CONCACAF Gold Cup.

The 2015 Hinsdale Central graduate was a standout player at Indiana University, leading the Hoosiers to consecutive NCAA Men's College Cup appearances in 2017 and 2018, and winning the 2018 MAC Hermann Trophy, which is given to the United States' best college soccer player.

HILL GARNERS ALL-AMERICAN HONORS

Hinsdale's Nathan Hill was recently named to the Google Cloud College Sports Information Directors of America Academic All-American Track & Field/Cross Country second team.

Hill helped guide his Middlebury College Panthers to the program's second-consecutive NESCAC Championship and also competed at the 2019 NCAA Track & Field Championships during both the indoor and outdoor seasons. He ran the opening leg of the NCAA

champion distance medley relay team at the indoor national meet in early March, won the 800 meters at the Division III New England Championships, and finished runner-up in that event and third in the 1,500 meters at the NESCAC Championships. He became a two-time NCAA Outdoor All-American in the 800 meters and also ran the third leg of the eighth-place 4x400-meter All-American relay quartet.

Hill, a 2016 Hinsdale Central graduate, enters his senior year with a 3.88 grade point average as an economics and psychology double major.

RAFFERTY TO PLAY IN BELGIUM

Hinsdale native and former Hinsdale Central and Furman University basketball star Matt Rafferty has signed a contract to begin his professional career with Limburg United in Belgium's Euromillions League, according to a Southern Conference press release.

Rafferty helped lead Furman to a school-record 25 wins during the 2018-19 season and make its first NIT appearance since 1991. He concluded his senior season ranked in the top five in the conference in every major statistical, including shooting a league-best 61.5 percent from the field.

Limburg finished in sixth place in the Euromillions League last season and reached the league semifinals. Limburg's 2019-20 season begins in late September.

THORNTON BAGS POY POINTS TITLE

Hinsdale's Sarah Thornton captured the Player of the Year points title in the junior girls division of the Illinois Junior Golf Association, earning 6,812.5 points over 22 playing member events. The points total broke the previous record of 5,080 set in 2011.

Thornton won 14 tournaments and was runner-up in five others en route to her history-making feat. Her closest competitor registered 4,455 points.

The Hinsdale Central freshman is expected to compete for the Red Devils this season.

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SPORTS

Fall heats up with Devil-ish play

A new school year means fresh rosters, schedules for Hinsdale Central sports teams

By Ken Knutson
kknutson@thehinsdalean

No Illinois high school golf program has won eight straight state titles. Now the Hinsdale Central boys team has its sights set on making history after capturing its seventh last fall. Meanwhile, the girls squad is aiming to stay among the state's top contenders as it looks for roster newcomers to step up. And Red Devil football has a new coach and renewed motivation to perform on the gridiron.

Football

First match: Aug. 30 vs. Naperville North

Last year: 8-3, co-conference champions, lost in second round of playoffs

Head coach: Brian Griffin
Seasons as head coach: first

No. varsity team members: 75

Team strengths: We have a nice balance of experience and newcomers. We have a great class of seniors who have been leading and making sure that players are physically prepared for the season. Having returning kids like that know the ropes, it's really big for us. We have three returning starters in the secondary, guys who know what is expected.

Areas for growth: We graduated a two-year quarterback, and that's such a key position. We have some experienced wide receivers around the next quarterback to help lead the charge. We also graduated some key people defensively, specifically at linebacker. Those are positions where we need guys to step up.

Who to watch: senior receivers Braden Contreras and Matt O'Neill; senior offensive linemen Kiran Amegadje and Micheal



The Hinsdale Central football team is eager to get its game schedule under way, while the boys and girls golf squads already have a couple tournaments under their respective belts in expectation of state title runs at season's end. (file photos)

to the season. I'm hoping we can surprise a few people.

Girls golf

First meet: Aug. 17 @ Midlothian Challenge (V placed 4th)

Last year: eighth at state
Head coach: Nick Latorre
Seasons as head coach: seven

No. varsity team members: 10

Team strengths: Some of the girls from last year have made improvements. Right now we have a lot of players who are capable of putting up good scores. We have good depth with six or seven girls who can all contribute.

Areas for growth: We've got to take the next step from shooting in the 40s to shooting in the 30s. We need more consistency out of the six or seven girls who can make those contributions. We're focusing on the process, grinding and making improvements that will really help us at the end of year. Most of our core players kind of know what it takes to get through the season. That's really helpful.

Who to watch: Returning varsity members seniors Jessica Joy and Lily Fuchs; juniors Emily Ascher and Rei Hemmer; sophomore Libby Larson; and freshman Sarah Thornton.

Outlook: We're hoping to continue thriving. We're going to work really hard to play our best golf, whatever that may be. We want to have really good team chemistry to help make it a good experience for the girls. We want to make sure that they're playing for each other. As much as it's an individual sport, we just want them coming together as a team and supporting each other. That's cool for me to see.

Dunphy; senior defensive end Lucas Schwartz; and senior defensive backs Guy Goss, Owen Goss and Andrew Novatney.

Outlook: We're competing for the West Suburban Silver Conference title, with the ultimate goal of competing for a state championship. Our conference is tough, so you get to see where you're at and where you need to improve pretty quickly. I think it's really going to be a matter of how well we play as a team on a week-to-week basis that will determine the level of success we're going to have. The kids have really come prepared and really pushed each other. I feel good about our preparation so far. I think we've got the potential to do well and have a good season.

Boys golf

First match: Aug. 15 @ Prep Tour Invite (V placed

1st with 298 strokes)

Last year: seventh straight state title

Head coach: Jess Krueger
Seasons as head coach: 14

No. varsity team members: 14

Team strengths: We've played some nice golf early on and we'll see if we can carry some of that performance into the season. It looks like we'll have a little bit to build on with (seniors) Jack Bartuch and Stewart Leigh coming back from last year. I like the kids, I like their demeanor, and we'll see how things come together. I've got a good top eight, and the next four are pretty good, too. I talk to coaches of other programs and they have a hard time getting their kids to do things in the offseason. Not us.

Areas for growth: I'm still trying to get to know some of these guys. We lost a lot to graduation last year

so we're young, and I want to see growth in our short game and our competitiveness. They just need to get used to some of the pressures of tournaments.

Who to watch: Bartuch and Leigh, juniors John Cornell, Drew McMillin and Shubham Nain; and sophomore Michael Spitzer.

Season outlook: We have the same expectations every year — win a state title. That's what we're trying to achieve. It kind of perpetuates itself, which helps me. The challenge is going to be duplicating tournament pressure in practice. They need to push each other in practice, too. I try to play the best teams we can find competition-wise. I've got a lot of new faces so we'll see. We're just going to kind of mix up and roll them around and see what we get. Our (annual) trip to Arizona is a big stage, so we'll see what we can do there. I'm looking forward



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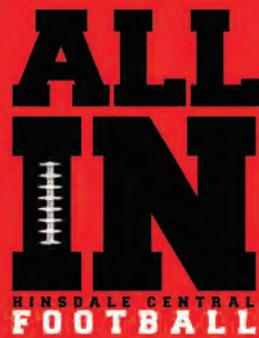
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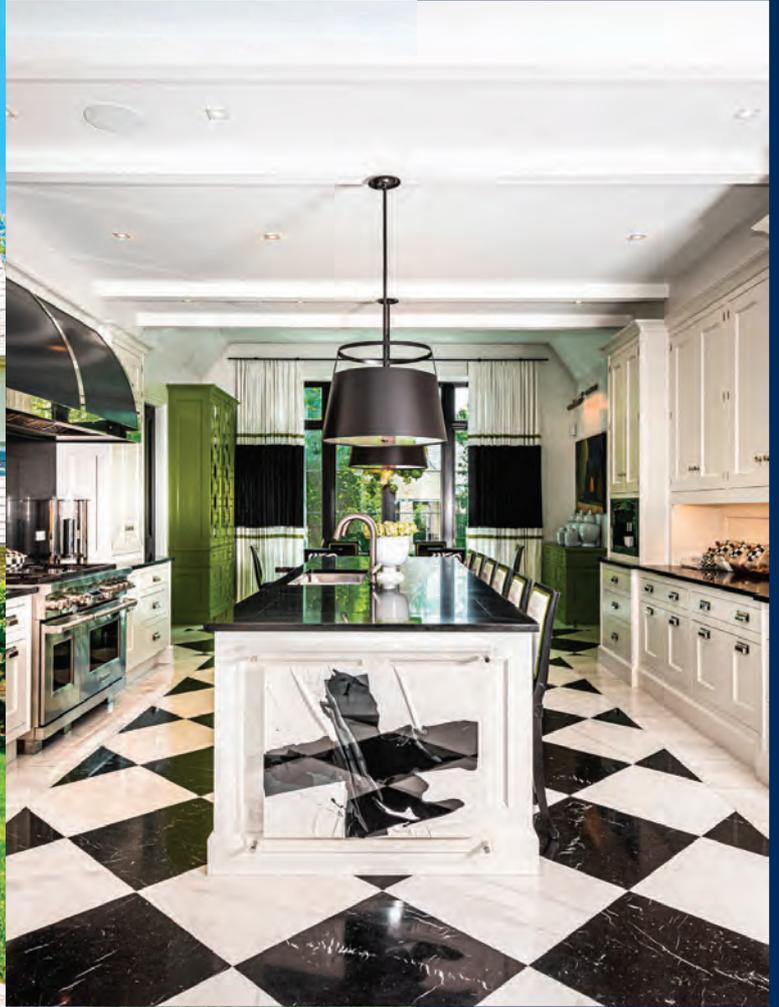
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