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**Making music** — Liam Blank, along with his mom and dad, Meredith and William, spent some time singing and playing instruments at the Zion Preschool Early Childhood Education Center's pancake breakfast Jan. 11. Roberta Wentling from Tiny Toes Music was on hand to entertain and encourage families to join in on the musical fun. (Jim Slonoff photo)



Central band celebrates anno nuovo in Rome.

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Family time is a bit chilly for these Hinsdaleans.

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# NEWS

## Grant provides \$400,000 for pool work

By Pamela Lannom  
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The village has received a \$400,000 grant to help pay for renovations at the Hinsdale Community Pool.

Staff learned Friday that the Illinois Department of Natural Resources had selected the village to receive a 2020 Open Space Land Acquisition and Development grant. The grant will provide almost a third of the needed funds to renovate and repair the aging pool.

"I'm really excited that the IDNR saw this is a quality project," said Heather Bereckis, superintendent of parks and recreation. "Everyone should have that opportunity to come to a place that doesn't require a membership fee. Hinsdale is a wealthy community, but it's nice to

be able to have affordable recreation for everyone."

The village filed its grant application in August, and village manager Kathleen Gargano went to Springfield in November to make a three-minute pitch for the project. Thirty applicants already had been cut by that time, Bereckis said, and another 19 were later cut.

"Some of the people that were cut, I was surprised," she said. "They hired professional firms to do it."

Gargano said the village is thrilled to receive the grant.

"The Hinsdale Community Pool is a truly unique facility in DuPage County and impacts many local communities," Gargano said. "The funding will allow for many renovations to be made and assure that a beloved local facility remains oper-

ational for years to come."

The pool was extensively renovated in 1992 and is in need of functional and mechanical renovations and repairs.

"The pool is reaching the end of its longevity," Bereckis said. "It needs work."

The investment should extend the pool life's by another 10 to 20 years, Bereckis said.

"This grant will ensure the sustainability of a community asset for many years and will allow village capital funds to be used for other important projects," Village President Tom Cauley stated in the release. "I am grateful the IDNR saw the value in this project."

Bereckis thanked the many individuals who wrote letter of support as part of the application process,

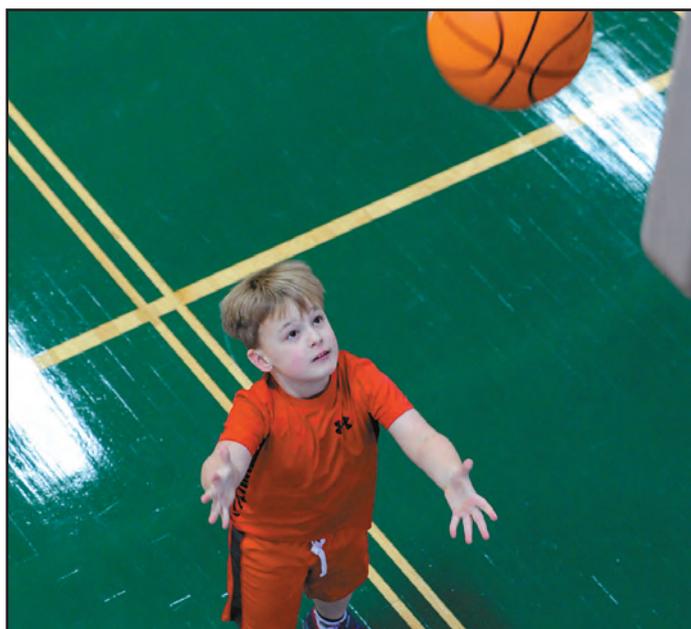
including recreation commissioners, residents, legislators and other officials.

"They took their time to write really nice recommendation letters for us," she said. "I think that helps knowing you have a lot of community support for what you're doing."

The pool renovation is one of 85 local projects that will received a total of \$29.7 million in grant funding, Gov. J.B. Pritzker announced Friday. The funds will help communities acquire open space and develop or improve recreational facilities throughout Illinois. The grants are funded through the OSLAD program and administered by the Illinois Department of Natural Resources.

Work on the pool is expected to begin this fall.

### Kids are in the zone at winter break basketball camp



**Ellie Brankin** of Hinsdale works on her dribbling while Graham Pruitt of Hinsdale puts up a shot during the Winter Break Basketball Camp at The Community late last month. Abraham Auyeung of Hinsdale enjoys a break between drills. (photos by Steve Johnston for The Hinsdalean)

# ONCE UPON A TIME



**Postcards from the past** — The street scene on the postcard of Washington Street looking north from First Street was taken around 1935. The postcard was mailed on Aug. 7, 1940, at 3:30 p.m. from “Gramps” to Miss Dorothy Richmond, who must have been visiting a camp or friends in Benzie County, Michigan. The good news is Gramps said if she ran out of money, she should telegraph him. (Hinsdale Historical Society photo)

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# Security at a new level in District 86

*Former Hinsdale police chief leading team dedicated to keeping students safe at school*

By Pamela Lannom  
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The second-floor room at Hinsdale Central High School looks like other administrative offices, with desks and computers and a Keurig machine.

But the command center has one unique feature — two 65-inch screens that can pull up as many as 36 views from the 150 security cameras in and around the high school.

On this Tuesday morning, security officer Tammy Madden is monitoring activity. She's a retired commander from the Oak Brook Police Department, notes Kevin Simpson, security director for Hinsdale High School District 86 and former Hinsdale police chief.

In the year he has been on the job, Simpson has hired a team at Hinsdale Central and Hinsdale South that has more than 200 years of combined law enforcement experience.

"You can't put a dollar value on that and you couldn't train individuals to work security that have the background Tammy has as a commander in Oak Brook," Simpson said.

The cameras are monitored from 6:45 a.m. to 10 p.m. weekdays when school is in session (identical command centers exist at both campuses). Monitoring the video feed is one of the shifts security officers rotate through during the day. They walk the halls, monitor entrances and exits at arrival and dismissal, patrol the building's exterior by car and on foot and work special events, among other duties. They also spend time getting to know students.

"I don't have anybody who is running up and down the hallways trying to scare kids or intimidate kids," Simpson said. "They are building relationships."

District 86 Superintendent Tammy Prentiss said the fruits of that effort are evident when she's visiting the schools.

"They are interactive with our students. There are positive relationships. That's what you want first and foremost," she said.

Some of the security officers laid the groundwork for those relationships years earlier. Mark Keller is the retired school resource officer from Central, and Mike Coughlin taught countless Central students while they were in elementary school as the Drug Abuse Resistance Education officer for the Hinsdale Police Department.

"It's not some security guard sitting at the front door or sitting in the lunchroom talking to somebody. It's Officer Coughlin," Simpson said.

"It's people we know who are invested in this community."

Former officers bring a specific type of experience to the position as well — 25 to 30 years of training on weapon use, retention and maintenance, Simpson said. Individuals who qualify for an Illinois Retired Officer Concealed Carry permit can be armed on school property. Simpson wouldn't reveal how many individuals on campus are armed at any given time. He noted that studies show an earlier confrontation with a school shooter results in a quicker conclusion to the event.

"It's not going to eliminate it — none of this is foolproof," he said. "We're trying to mitigate the risks that are involved to put the odds back in our favor."

Simpson points to the Starcom radio in the command center as another tool security officers can use in the event of a crisis. The radio is the same one used by all local police and fire departments.

"Tammy could be viewing real time information in the cameras and communicating directly with units that are responding," he said.

He and members of his team — Keller, Coughlin and Ed Rompa at Hinsdale South — are working to create a new emergency operation plan that incorporates suggestions from the DuPage County Regional Office of Education and will be used districtwide.

The strengthened security presence has had a positive effect on student behavior as well, Simpson and Prentiss said.

"I will tell you that the hallways when the bell rings are almost always empty and that was not the culture (previously)," Prentiss said. "Everyone seems to be where they need to be on time."

Simpson clearly is excited about the work he and his team have been doing and said other districts also are moving toward creating a separate security department.

"This is too much for an assistant principal or a dean to do," he said.

He expressed gratitude to the Hinsdale High School District 86 administration and school board for recognizing the need and making the investment in technology and personnel.

"At the end of the day, if something is to happen in the hallway at Central or South, I feel so much better knowing I have people who can address it," he said.

"You have people here who would be running to that threat instead of away from it."



**Tammy Madden** monitors activity recorded by 150 security cameras Tuesday in the command room at Hinsdale Central. Security director Kevin Simpson (second from top) and security officer Mike Coughlin spend time with students, an important component of the job. (Jim Slonoff photos)

## NEXT WEEK

### Hinsdale High School District 86 Board

6 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 23

Hinsdale Central High School, 55th and Grant streets

**On the agenda:** PCB curriculum work, executive search for assistant superintendent, approve summer school 2020 proposed program and budget, approved biology G course for Hinsdale Central

### Hinsdale Village Board

7:30 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 28

Memorial Building, 19 E. Chicago Ave.

**On the draft agenda:** discussion of parking in the central business district, increase vehicle sticker fees, consulting agreement for 5G plan review, refer Ryan Companies proposed development to plan commission, parking deck and tollway updates

## Video shows murder suspect deny killing

By Susan Sarkauskas  
of the Daily Herald

Hinsdale detective Thomas Krefft and murder suspect Dominic Sanders spent about six hours together May 25, 2017, in an interrogation room at the Burr Ridge Police Department.

Over that time — which started at about 3:30 a.m. — Krefft picked at Sanders' story about how and why he had sold two rings at a pawnshop in Melrose Park earlier that month.

The rings are playing a key role in Sanders' trial for the slaying of Andrea Urban on May 4, 2017, inside her Hinsdale home.

Sanders, 32, of University Park, faces charges of first-degree murder, home invasion, armed robbery and residential burglary. The charges allege Sanders stabbed Urban, 50, to death during a daytime break-in of her residence.

Sanders went from saying he didn't recall pawning anything that day — and that he hadn't pawned anything since 2008 or 2009 — to admitting it was his signature on the pawnshop's purchase slip.

"That's my signature. That's for sure," he said in the video of the interview.

He then told police they were the wedding and engagement rings of one of his sisters, and she asked him to sell them because of problems she had

with her husband. He talked of his sister being paranoid and suspecting her husband of cheating on her with another sister, and that she would use the \$440 he obtained — less \$10 gasoline money — to buy a new cellphone because she thought hers was being tapped.

Portions of that video were played for the jury Tuesday at Sanders' murder trial in DuPage County.

The rings actually belonged to Urban.

On the video, Sanders talks about driving from Matteson to Melrose Park, then going out for tacos with a friend. He agreed it was his car spotted by a red-light camera system at Ogden Avenue and Wolf Road. He admitted to parking near downtown Hinsdale that morning, and walking around neighborhoods where he used to sell candy as a kid; he was contemplating printing a fake charity ID card and getting a village permit to do the same again, he said on the video.

He talks about encountering a woman and her elderly father taking a dog for a walk near Urban's house, recalling the man said something that amused him. And when shown a photo of Urban's house, he acknowledges knocking on the door. At first he said the door was closed.

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### Clarification

A story last week on the Jan. 9 Hinsdale High School District 86 Board meeting cited district resident Yvonne Mayer's claim that the superintendent did not respond to a board request for more information on a multi-strand science sequence discussed at a Jan. 7, 2019, meeting. Superintendent Tammy Prentiss was assistant superintendent for student services at that time.



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# Red Devils march through City of Love

*Hinsdale Central marching band contributes its upbeat sound to Rome's New Year Parade*

By Ken Knutson

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All due respect to Audrey Hepburn and Gregory Peck, the Hinsdale Central marching band made its own version of a Roman holiday to welcome 2020.

The band traveled to Italy last month to perform at the annual Rome New Year Parade. Seniors Mia Gaddis and Lorenzo Jennings said they learned about the trip toward the end of last school year.

"I just lost it, I was so excited," said Gaddis, a flutist.

"I remember all of (last year's) seniors were so jealous," remarked Jennings, a percussionist, though that graduating class had journeyed to London as freshmen.

The group of 150 — including faculty and parent chaperones — left Dec. 27, making stops in three countries before reaching their destination. First on their itinerary were several mini stand-up concerts around the Rome suburb of Frascati, which was holding its New Year's Eve festival.

"It's a nice little town in the hills, very picturesque," said Central band director Matt Kurinsky. "There were three different places that we were in and did a 10-minute set in each. It was very fun."

Jennings said the setting was breathtaking.

"We got to perform in front of a really beautiful church. It was unbelievable," he said.

Among the pieces the band played were "Sweet Home



The Hinsdale Central marching band took part in the Rome New Year Parade on Jan. 1, performing in front of a quarter of million spectators to showcase their style of music for an Italian audience. Flutist Mia Gaddis said this

Chicago," "Sleigh Ride" and "Fanfare for the Common Man," along with the Central fight song.

Marching bands in the U.S. are closely associated with football pageantry. In Italy, football is, of course, a different sport entirely, and marching bands are rare.

"The people are very interested in what we do," Kurinsky said.

Gaddis said they felt the love from their listeners.

"They were happy that we were there. We felt very appreciated," she said.

The Central band was one of dozens of international groups invited to participate in the New Year's Day parade, which proceeded through charming Roman neighbor-

hoods and past some of the world's most famous sites.

"We were marching down the parade route, and we emerged from this street and we were right at the foot of the Spanish Steps," Gaddis recalled.

"They completely filled with people. I've never seen so many people in my entire life," Jennings added.

The estimated crowd size exceeded a quarter of a million people, likely boosted by perfect weather conditions. One of the fan favorites was the Red Devil mascot, who accompanied the band.

"He interacted with people in the crowd," Kurinsky said, joking that some were uneasy about taking selfies with a devil. Most were not, however.



is the closest the band gets to competing, "practicing a lot beforehand and really perfecting our craft to be able to convey a message to other people," she said. (photos provided)

"He was a big hit, People would pull him in for photos."

The mile-and-a-half parade ended at the Piazza del Popolo, where the band played a two-minute set.

"The streets were lined, similar to the Fourth of July in Hinsdale," Kurinsky said. "I think people were blown away, and we were just inspired at how responsive the crowd was. You really felt like a big deal."

Fortunately the group able to get some sightseeing in, making stops at the Colosseum and a taking an excursion to Pompeii. Jennings said the firsthand visits deepened his regard for the study of history.

"It is completely different to be there and visualize the

actual places that (ancient) people lived," he said.

Gaddis said the immersive quality of the trip was profound.

"We definitely picked up some Italian. It was a musical experience and a cultural experience," she said.

Kurinsky praised the parents who came along to help manage the challenging logistics.

"The parent chaperones are the ones who make these trips possible," he said.

And it opened students' eyes to the possibilities of cross-cultural exchanges.

"Music is a language that everyone can speak, that everyone can hear," Jennings said. "It helps me realize that this is why I do what I do."



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# POLICE BEAT

Hinsdale police distributed the following reports Jan. 14 and 21.

## DUI arrests

- Andriy Bindas, 52, 450 Bedford Lane, Volo, was arrested for driving under the influence of alcohol and illegal transportation of alcohol at 4:31 p.m. Jan. 14 in the 600 block of West Walnut Street. An open container of whiskey was located inside the vehicle. He was charged and released to appear in court.

- Brian P. O'Doherty, 62, 22 Portwine Road, Willowbrook, was arrested for driving under the influence of alcohol and failure to reduce speed to avoid an accident at 12:13 a.m. Jan. 18 at Hinsdale Avenue and Washington Street. He was charged and released to appear in court.

## Arrest for suspended license

Moesha D. Ferguson, 23, 4554 W. 122nd St. No. 207, Alsip, was arrested for driving with a suspended license at 7:19 a.m. Jan. 21 in the 500 block of County Line Road. She was charged and released to appear in court.

## Vehicle stolen from driveway

A 2016 Toyota Highlander was stolen at 3:07 p.m. Jan. 17 while it was left running with the keys inside in a driveway in the 700 block of North Oak Street. The vehicle's contents included a cell phone, \$150, credit/debit cards, a checkbook, sunglasses, a handbag, a garage door opener and an I-PASS. The suspect, described as a black male wearing a black hooded sweatshirt, dark pants and white shoes, was observed on surveillance exiting a blue sedan. Police located the blue sedan unoccupied on Fuller and County Line roads, learning it was reported stolen from Forest Park.

## Identity thefts reported

- Someone used the identity of a resident of the 10 block of East 55th Street to purchase a \$4,603 laptop through an online lease-to-own retailer on Dec. 3. The incident was reported Jan. 10.

- Information belonging to a resident of the 100 block of North Adams Street was used to open a credit account and charge \$4,848.25 on July 19, 2018. The incident was reported Jan. 18.

- A business account belonging to a resident of the 200 block of North Lincoln Street was used to make a fraudulent charge in the amount of \$550.71 on Jan. 3. The incident was reported Jan. 20.

## Harassing calls, texts received

A known suspect made telephone calls and sent text messages that were threatening in nature to a resident of the 200 block of East Chicago Avenue at 10:26 a.m. Jan. 15.

## Resident victimized by scam

A resident of the 900 block South Adams Street sent between \$45,000 and \$50,000 to an unknown suspect between May and July 2019 after being contacted by the suspect through social media regarding investments. The incident was reported Jan. 15.

## Forgery reported

A known suspect forged five checks totaling \$6,650 from the account of a business at 333 Chestnut St. between Dec. 23-28. The incident was reported Jan. 6.

## Money missing from safe

Staff of RML Specialty Hospital, 5601 S. County Line Road, reported \$2,793.24 was taken from an office safe between Dec. 11 and Jan. 17.



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### Laughman is no stranger to being new in town

Newcomer is a title that Heather Laughman has held more than once. And no matter how many times she finds herself as a resident of an unfamiliar new town, it's always a challenge to make it feel like home.

As a member and former co-president of the Newcomers and Neighbors of the Greater Hinsdale Area, she tries to make that transition easier for those who are new to Hinsdale.

Laughman said she remembers feeling a little lost, lonely and overwhelmed shortly after moving to Germany with her husband, Steve, and their two young children. She also remembers a single kind gesture that made the foreign land start to feel more like home. Their mail carrier noticed the U.S. return address on a letter from Laughman's mother and reached out.

"He walked the letter up to my door," she said, and speaking in English, he welcomed her and offered to introduce her to his wife, who was British and also spoke English.

"That was the biggest saving

grace," Laughman said.

She soon joined the American Women's Club, with members from all over the world. It wasn't long before she had friends who shared her language and people with whom to share her time.

"It ended up being great," Laughman said of the family's five years in Germany.

When the time came to move the family, now a group of five, to Michigan, Laughman wasted no time finding a newcomers group to help her learn the lay of the land. And when she moved to Hinsdale five years after that, it took only a couple of months to find the Newcomers and Neighbors group.

The Hinsdale group is called Newcomers and Neighbors because it doesn't exclude long-standing Hinsdaleans. It's those established residents, Laughman said, who help those who are new to the community become acquainted.

Laughman said some longtime Hinsdale residents have joined as a way to make new friends and connections after changes such as

retirement, divorce or the start of life as an empty-nester.

"We are open to whomever," she said.

Laughman said her experiences as the new kid on the block have made her more confident and outgoing. When she moved to her current home, she went knocking on her new neighbors' doors and helped to organize the neighborhood's first block party.

And when she sees a moving van pull up in front of a nearby house, she's the first to arrive with brownies and a warm welcome.

"I just feel that's essential," she said.

The Laughmans have lived in Hinsdale longer than any other place during their married life. But Heather is confident it won't be the last home they share. Eventually, she sees them moving back to where it all began, in Ohio.

It will be a new home, with new neighbors to meet and places to explore. But she's done that before. And she always makes it feel like home.

— story by Sandy Illian Bosch,  
photo by Jim Slonoff



**HEATHER LAUGHMAN**

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# OPINION

EDITORIAL

## Happy 25th, Community Memorial Foundation

In 1995 La Grange Memorial Hospital was sold and part of the proceeds were used to create Community Memorial Foundation.

Who could have imagined the work the foundation would do?

The foundation, which has issued more than \$77 million in grants to nonprofit agencies in 27 communities, will kick off its 25th anniversary celebration tomorrow.

The theme — turning Silver into Gold — reflects the foundation's approach to working with local nonprofits. CMF works to leverage the funds it has available to provide even more financial support to its grantee partners. But it doesn't stop there. It offers a variety of programs to help nonprofit agencies build their own capacity by offering executive coaching, a leadership program for mid-level employees, an organizational assessment, support with fundraising and other tools.

The foundation's vision is bold — to work with the community to make this the healthiest

region in the country. And CMF doesn't limit its focus to physical health. Mental health has been an important component of its work, as evidenced by the opening of two Living Room locations (La Grange and Broadview) to offer mental health support as an alternative to an emergency room visit. CMF also has offered Mental Health First Aid training to more than 4,300 individuals.

CMF has provided significant support to four Hinsdale nonprofits: The Community House, HCS Family Services, the Robert Crown Center for Health Education and Wellness House, funneling \$285,000 to these agencies in the last three years alone.

Other beneficiaries of the foundation's support include those who are homeless, hungry, veterans, intellectually or development disabled and victims of domestic violence.

We've had the pleasure of working with the foundation on two of our coverage initiatives — the Mental Health Task Force in 2016-18 and the current Healthy Aging Task Force. Like so

many of its grantee partners, we are grateful for the foundation's generosity and leadership and genuine desire to work collaboratively to benefit people who are struggling.

Hinsdaleans who are familiar with CMF and its leader, Greg DiDomenico, won't be surprised to learn the foundation plans to celebrate its 25th year by celebrating the strength and resilience of its grantee partners. Foundation leaders will share the details of the plan at a special lunch tomorrow.

We would like to take this opportunity to congratulate DiDomenico, staff members (Lisa Derezhinski, Nanette Silva, Tom Fuechtmann, Gale Christoff and Beth Murin) and board members (Mike Bruni, Susan Christoph, Rick Shanley, Neil James, Sylvia Adrete, Brad Bloom, Dr. Bonny Chen, Gustavo Espinosa, Kris Lonsway, the Honorable Mark Lopes, Dr. Keith Suchy and Keith Watson) on this milestone anniversary.

We can't wait to see what the next 25 years for the foundation holds.

COMMENTARY

## Stories of alternative universes abound

Alternative universes.

They were the subject of a recent podcast from *This American Life* — "Gardens of Branching Paths."

I enjoyed hearing the stories of a Jew imagining parallel universes without the Nazis, a speech President Bill Clinton might have given before he was impeached, twins who feared they were switched as infants and a Korean-born woman who wondered what life might have been like had she not been adopted by an American couple.

At first I thought the topic of alternative universes was a little, well, out there — especially with the opening piece about a phone app that can create alternative universes with the press of a button.

Then I started to think about all the references to alternative universes in film and TV. Did you ever see the movie "Sliding Doors" starring Gwyneth Paltrow? Her character catches a train and her life turns out one way. She misses it and a completely different narrative unfolds. The movie shows us

both stories in parallel.

Then there's the end of "La La Land," when Emma Stone's character imagines what her life could have been like had she stayed with Ryan Gosling's character.

And, of course, "Tapestry," my favorite episode of "Star Trek: Next Generation" in which Captain Picard is offered the rare chance to see what his life would have looked like had he altered one key decision.

Come to think of it, "It's a Wonderful Life" offers viewers a look at an alternative universe as well — one in which George Bailey was never born.

This week I discovered a slew of alternate universe websites where people share ideas for creating AU narratives. (I refrained from posting a line explaining the difference between "alternate" and "alternative.")

For example, a character ends



Pamela Lannom

up in a world where she never existed but a sibling that never existed in her world is alive and well. Or the Roswell incident results in the successful landing of an alien spacecraft on earth. Surprisingly, everyone lives happily ever after.

I could go on, but you get the idea.

My own life has examples of alternative universe possibilities. Like the woman in the final segment of the podcast, I too was adopted.

What would my life be like if a different couple had adopted me? What if they had a big family? What if they lived in another state? Or, perhaps an even bigger question, what if my birth mother never gave me up for adoption?

I occasionally travel down a similar line of "what if" questions thinking about being double promoted from fourth to sixth grade.

What if I had not arrived at Illinois Wesleyan University in the

fall of 1984?

I met my best friend and my husband that fall (although it wasn't clear at first that either relationship would survive — or even exist!).

What would my life had been like if I had been a freshman a year later? Would I have still chosen Wesleyan? Or gone to a different school?

And then there are all the choices I've made since then about where to work and where to live.

These are the kind of questions, I learned during an interview on meditation Monday, that can stress me out and keep me from living in the present. Not good.

As I avoid ruminating on the past and anticipating the future, I also need to be open to the next minute of my life and the uncertainty that it holds.

If that uncertainty includes aliens from Roswell, I'm going to need to up my game when it comes to meditating.

— Pamela Lannom is editor of *The Hinsdalean*. Readers can email her at [plannom@thehinsdalean.com](mailto:plannom@thehinsdalean.com).

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# OPINION

## GUEST COMMENTARY

### Childhood memory comes alive again

It was almost midnight when we settled in by the fire and my friend said to the group, "I want to hear everyone's favorite childhood memory."

Groans of protest ensued.

"Come on ... a favorite childhood memory, any childhood memory," he persisted.

Tired but intrigued, we gave in.

I passed on the first go round, combing my brain for a favorite. Other friends jumped right in with stories that ran the gamut — an exuberant purchase of a long forbidden video game system, a broken arm on the first day of summer and two brothers roaming the countryside of Spain. It was so intimate peeking into these story windows to their pasts.

We went around until just a few of us were left, and I told the group I couldn't pinpoint one memory, that I needed more time. As I spoke the words aloud, the memory I wanted popped into my head, buried by time, but ever so clear.

I remember sledding. My mischievous, brilliant Dad had the idea, after a particularly big snowstorm, that we should sled down our street, an enormous hill more than half a mile long.

Our hill is undulating and curvy, with one particular stretch that's extremely steep — the kind of hill you couldn't ride your bike up on the way home from



**Carol Wittemann**

school, even if you put some muscle into it.

We trek out there that morning. My Flexible Flyer teeters on the brink as my Dad holds it steady and we climb aboard.

The snow is icy and smooth.

Sled reigns pulled taut and our boots pressing hard on the steering bar, we let go and rocket down that hill hanging on for dear life. At the bottom, the hill makes a sharp turn to the right, but we keep on sizzling straight down into the Varleys' front yard, down their driveway and into the backyard where we finally ease to a stop. Laughing and breathless, I rise off the sled on shaky legs, sure that we'd narrowly escaped with our lives.

We took on the hill and won. I loved the thrill of danger and the fact that my Dad let me do it. I loved that we ventured out in the deep snow, when no one else did. I loved that we beat out the plow. I loved being daring and strong. I loved sitting on my sled with my Dad's arms around me.

No other sledding can compare. As I told the story to the group, I could feel it all again — the cold air, my blue snowsuit, my father's voice, the swell of triumph — and I felt my face shining as I shared it.

—Carol Wittemann of Hinsdale is a contributing columnist. This column was first published Jan. 16, 2014.

## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

### Operation Christmas Child appreciates town's generosity

I am writing to thank Hinsdale residents for sharing the true meaning of Christmas with children in need this past holiday season.

Because of the generosity of donors in Hinsdale and across the United States, Operation Christmas Child, a project of Samaritan's Purse, collected more than 8.9 million shoebox gifts in 2019. Combined with those collected from partnering countries in 2019, the ministry is now sending 10,569,405 shoebox gifts to children worldwide.

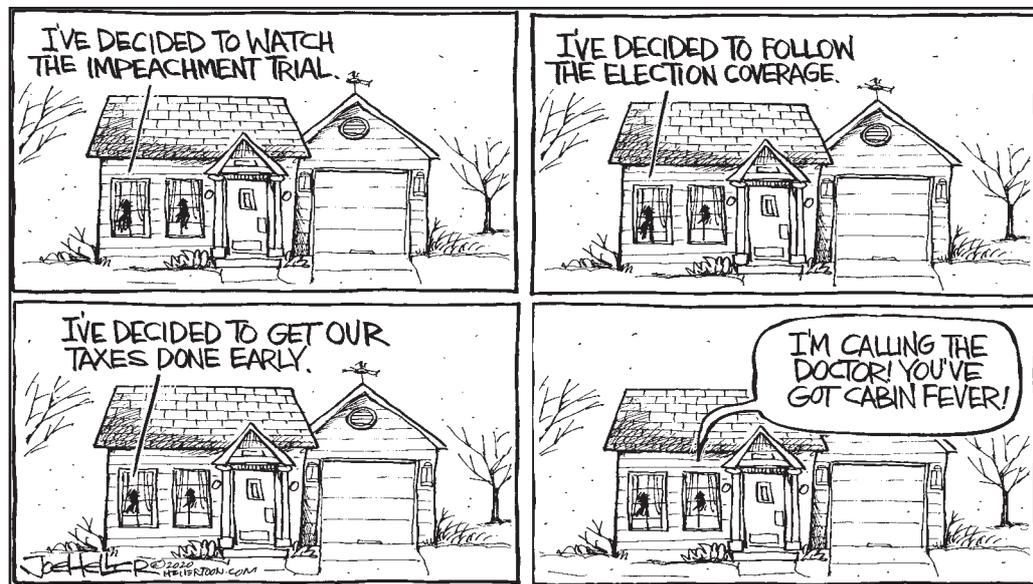
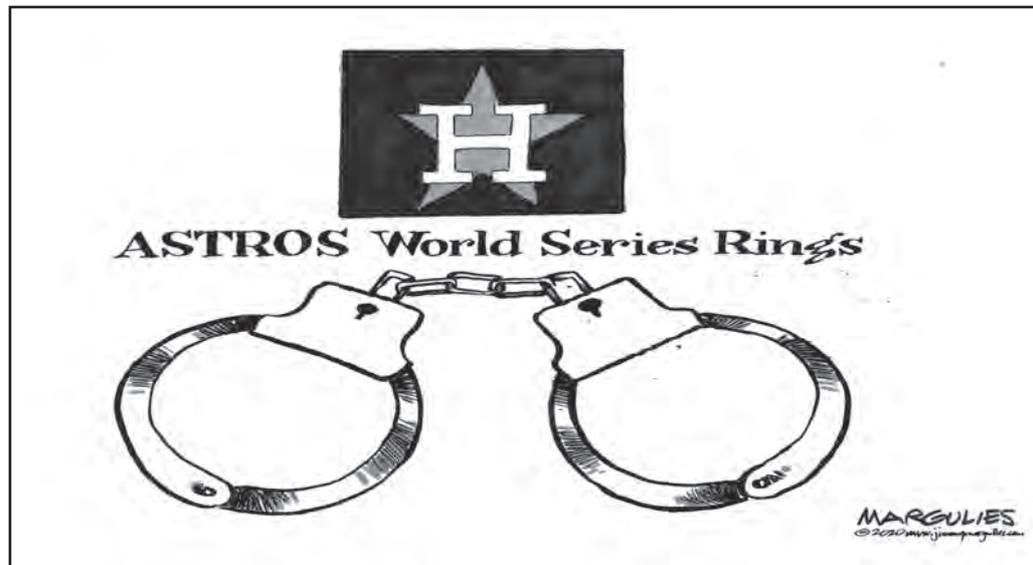
Through shoeboxes — packed with fun toys, school supplies and hygiene items — Hinsdale volunteers brought joy to children in need around the world. Each gift-filled shoebox is a tangible expression of God's love, and it is often the first gift these children have ever received. Thanks to the

generosity of donors, Operation Christmas Child has collected and delivered more than 178 million gift-filled shoeboxes to children in more than 160 countries and territories since 1993.

It's not too late for people to make a difference. Though drop-off locations serving Hinsdale are closed until Nov. 16-23, 2020, information about year-round volunteer opportunities can also be found at <https://www.samaritanspurse.org/occ> or by calling (816) 622-8316.

Thank you again to everyone who participated in this global project — many who do so year after year.

These simple gifts, packed with love, send a message to children worldwide that they are loved and not forgotten. — **Dana Williams, Operation Christmas Child, Boone, N.C.**



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# OBITUARIES

## Kevin M. Knaul

Kevin M. Knaul, 47, a 15-year Hinsdale resident, passed away unexpectedly Dec. 30, 2019.

Kevin always had a smile on his face and positive energy to fill a room. He most enjoyed coaching son Carter in Little League, special dates with daughter Emily, any time on a boat with a fishing pole and rounds of golf with many friends. He was a coach, mentor and friend to many, who will remember him for his kindness and generosity. Kevin is survived by his wife of 19 years, Tiffany Knaul, nee Martin; his children, Emily and Carter Knaul; his parents, Gary and Linda Knaul; his parents-in-law, Larry and Peggy Martin; his grandfather, Ermin Schwade; his godmother,



**Knaul**

Carol Neff (Uncle Bob); his siblings, Scott (Ilisa) and Amy Simons (Rick); his sisters-in-law, Jaime (Steve) Waterfield and Jennifer Martin; and many cousins, nieces and nephews.

Visitation is at 9 a.m. Saturday, Jan. 25, at Christ Church of Oak Brook, 501 Oak Brook Road.

A memorial service will follow at the church at 10:30 a.m.

Interment is private.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the Wellness House, 131 N. County Line Road, Hinsdale, IL 60521 or online at <https://www.wellnesshouse.org/ways-to-give/>.

Sullivan Funeral Home in Hinsdale handled the arrangements.

## Maureen Anita Petell

Maureen Anita Petell, nee McMahon, 85, a longtime Hinsdale resident, passed away Jan. 16, 2020.

Maureen, 85, was born in 1934 in Chicago to James and Mary McMahon and was a retired nurse.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Frank Petell; her brothers, James (Kay) and Robert McMahon; and her sisters, Marjorie (Ron) Fraider and



**Petell**

Marilyn Benoit.

She is survived by her brother-in-law, Daniel B. Benoit; and her stepchildren, cousins, nieces, nephews, great-nieces and great-nephews.

A funeral Mass was said Jan. 18 at St. Isaac Jogues in Hinsdale.

Brian Powell Funeral Directors of Hinsdale handled the arrangements.

## Brian A. Przyzycki

Brian A. Przyzycki, 51, of Hinsdale passed away unexpectedly on Jan. 17, 2020.

Brian was born in 1968 in Stickney to Theresa and Jerome Przyzycki. He earned a degree in pharmaceutical science from Creighton University and just celebrated his 30th year working for the Walgreens Company. He married Julie A. Janik on Aug. 16, 2008.

Brian was an avid fisherman and loved to organize outdoor activities like camping, fishing trips and golf outings for family and close friends. He was also an exceptional cook and welcomed any and all to sit at his dinner table and share good food and wine. Brian loved the White Sox with all his heart and cherished being able to share the World Championship experience with his father in 2005. Brian was a



**Przyzycki**

natural at the trumpet (earning him a full undergrad scholarship) and could easily fill a room with a masterful song. Brian had many, many friends and always wanted to see them happy.

Brian is survived by his children, Alex, 10, and Abby, 8; his wife, Julie; his parents, Jerome and Theresa; and his siblings, Steve (Zsuzsanna), Jerome, Brenda (Steve Ricks) and Julie; and many nieces and nephews.

Visitation is from 3 to 8 today, Jan. 23, at Sullivan Funeral Home, 60 S. Grant St., Hinsdale.

Family and friends will meet at 10:30 a.m. Friday, Jan. 24, for a funeral Mass at St. Pius X Church, 4300 S. Oak Park Ave., Stickney.

Interment is at Mount Auburn Cemetery in Stickney.

## Video shows suspect deny killing

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But when Krefft told him the two rings he sold belonged to Urban — and that they were distinctive family heirlooms — Sanders said the door was open and that he reached in and took the rings off a ledge near the front door. He said he realized, a few minutes later, that doing so was stupid.

"I wanted so bad to turn around and knock on the door and say, 'Hey, I took these.' I was so scared. I couldn't take the chance," Sanders said on the video.

The video was made after

Sanders was arrested on a traffic warrant out of Will County. The questioning was done at the Burr Ridge station because Hinsdale's video-recording system was broken.

Krefft acknowledged Tuesday that Sanders never admitted to seeing, attacking or killing Urban. On the video, Krefft showed Sanders a photo of Urban in the bloody crime scene.

"You trying to say I did that?" Sanders replied.

"I'm not here to put this on you. I'm here to hear your story," Krefft replied.

Looking at the photo again,

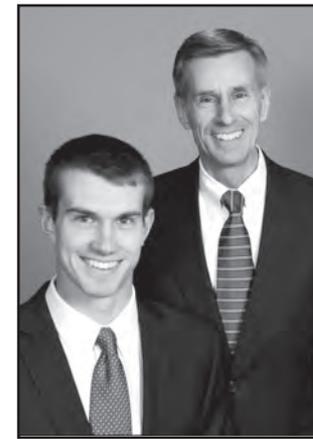
Sanders said, "That's gruesome."

"I never punched her. I never saw her. I never cut her," he said a few minutes later.

Dr. Hillary McElligott, DuPage County's chief forensic pathologist, testified about the wounds Urban sustained. The main cause of death was skull and brain injuries due to blunt force trauma, she said.

The trial was scheduled to continue Wednesday.

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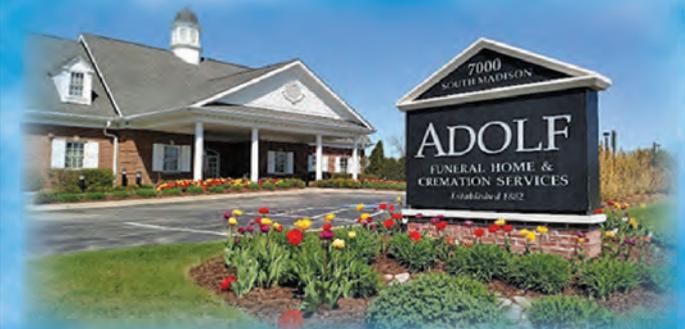


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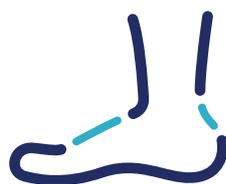
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# RESTAURANT PROFILE

## WILD GINGER

Saturday may be the Chinese New Year, but at Hinsdale's Wild Ginger Asian restaurant, owner Lisa Fang is celebrating her establishment's sixth year of serving dishes from China, Thailand, Japan and more.

"We kind of do a little bit of everything," she said. "Some like the Thai food better, others like the hibachi."

Both have been popular this winter at the 44 S. Washington St. eatery. The Thai seasoning packs a lot of heat, and foods grilled on the traditional Japanese hibachi stove convey a sense of warmth.

"Also soups, like the coconut curry soup is a good seller, and the miso soup," Fang reported.

Finding the right recipe to attract the community's diners was a challenge upon opening in September of 2014, admitted Fang, who moved here after operating a similar restaurant in Murfreesboro, Tenn. Early customers expected the cuisine to be predominantly Chinese.

"The first two years was a little tough because we were new to the area," she said. "(Customers) came in and they looked at the menu and didn't see a lot of

Chinese choices."

Gradually patrons' palates were won over by the pan-Asian theme, serving up something for everybody.

The variety also allows for seasonal adjustments, like the correlation between the rise in popularity of the restaurant's sushi and the rise of the temperature.

The sleek decor reflects the modern menu with an inviting sushi bar beyond the dining room set off by a wine bottle wall array. Wild Ginger offers wine specials on Wednesdays and Thursdays along with other discounts to bring in the weekday diners.

"On Monday and Tuesday we have 30 percent off on sushi and appetizers. That's attracting a lot of customers," Fang said.

On weekends the restaurant welcomes a lot of families — fried rice is a favorite among the kiddos — and high schoolers and middle schoolers stopping in for a post-class meal.

"The come in and grab a snack like rice, sushi or a roll," she said.

"We do a lot of takeout service, especially during football season. People like to stay home and eat," Fang said with a smile.

The restaurant prefers to do its own delivery to ensure the order arrives "hot and fresh."

"All the meat and veggies come in fresh daily, so we prepare in the morning for the whole day," she said.

Fang named the Thai spicy basil as among the tops with adults along with hibachi-prepared items, evidence of a health-conscious clientele.

"(Hibachi food) is grilled, with a lot of veggies and doesn't have a lot of oil," Fang said.

Fang's husband, Ben, oversees menu development. Chef Cheng Wu has held his post since day one.

"We don't like to keep changing, because when you change, each chef's food tastes different," Fang said.

That goes for the front of the house staff as well, she related, which helps to build continuity and familiarity with patrons.

"Customers like the service. The servers have been here five years, so when the usual customers come in, they know what they want to drink," Fang said. "It's like a family to them."

— by Ken Knutson



At Hinsdale's Wild Ginger, Chef Cheng Hu's sushi mastery has helped the restaurant connect with local diners and propel it into its sixth year of business. (Jim Slonoff photo)

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# GOOD NEWS

## CHAMBER NAMES OFFICERS, DIRECTORS

Melissa Waters of Hinsdale Furriers was named chairman of the board for 2020 for the Hinsdale Chamber of Commerce, and Bob Smith of Corporate Risk Management will serve as vice chairman. New directors are Andrea Kaspar of J. McLaughlin, Paige Logan of Event Staffing by Paige and J. Ford Sunderland of Sterling & Knight Jewelry & Pawn.

## COLLEGE STUDENTS MAKE DEAN'S LISTS

Several Hinsdale students earned a spot on the dean's list for the fall 2019 semester at their respective colleges and universities.

Lucia Battaglia, Belmont University  
Natalie Brunini, DePauw University  
Samantha Camden, Bucknell University  
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Taylor Glenn, Bradley University  
Kyle Hyland, University of Notre Dame  
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Grace Rogowski, Lehigh University  
Emily Schabes, DePauw University  
Kristiana Strtak, University of Vermont  
Amanda Witzel, Bradley University

## AUTHOR RELEASES NEW PICTURE BOOK

Bill Barre of Hinsdale has a new picture book, "Living Round In A Square World," available on Amazon.

It makes use of simple geometric shapes to tell a fun, inspiring story of acceptance, tolerance and diversity. The book is targeted at kids ages 5 to 8.

Barre is a 30-year Hinsdale resident who also has published "Behind the Manipulation: The Art of Advertising Copywriting" and

uses the book in the classes he teaches at Central Michigan University. He also has taught at the University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire and spent 30 years in advertising.

## CENTRAL WINS SPORTS CONTEST

Karen Russo's sports marketing class at Hinsdale Central High School took first place in the Sports Career Consulting LLC's fifth annual fantasy football sports marketing competition. This is the second time the school has won the competition, making it the first two-time champion in league history.

The nationwide contest requires students to use concepts they learned in class to complete a series of challenges designed to address various sports business strategies (e.g., branding, marketing plan, promotion, sponsorships and digital marketing). Class members are Chris Araujo, Weston Ball, Charlie Boomer, Catcher

Brown, Kendall Butler, Ben Cosentino, Jack Costello, Jack Ferrino, Charlie Herbst, John King, Lauren McGarry, Riley O'Connor, Jamie Pecilunas, Abby Ryan, Avery Secol and Ana Suchy.

## CMF WELCOMES NEW BOARD MEMBERS

Community Memorial Foundation has announced the addition of three new members to its board of directors: Dr. Bonny Chen, Dr. Kris Lonsway and Dr. Keith Suchy.

Each our new board members has a long history of service to CMF communities. Dr. Chen is the chief health information officer at AMITA Health and an international surveyor for The Joint Commission. Dr. Lonsway is the founder and president of Lonsway Consulting LLC and is vice president of the LaGrange Elementary District 105 Board. Dr. Suchy practices dentistry in Westchester and also serves on the board of the Chicago Dental Society

Foundation.

While new to their board roles, all three have served on advisory councils for the Foundation's Regional Health and Human Services Agenda.

## ATTORNEY ELECTED TO BOARD

Karyn Vanderwarren, attorney at law and CPA, was recently elected to the board of the Illinois Real Estate Lawyers Association. Vanderwarren, who has an office in Hinsdale, was appointed to the board in 2018 to complete a vacant term and then was elected to the board last week for a three-year term.

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## Meditation is the cure for what ails you



If Buddhist monks were willing to relinquish everything and employ meditation as the path to find enlightenment, there must be something to the practice, Bridget Juister said. “Most of us aren’t going to be doing those things. We can still pursue (meditation) just to find our own peace of mind.” (Jim Slonoff photo)

### *Practice helps people learn to recognize feelings and be mindful of the present moment*

**By Pamela Lannom**  
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“Meditation is, in my mind, the most radical thing a human can do. It’s a way to shift our state in the moment to be more relaxed and available. But even more importantly, it’s a way to shift who we are in all future moments, so that our baseline way of operating in the world is calmer and clearer, more fearless, more caring.”  
— Jeff Warren

Some people think they would never be able to meditate. They have too many thoughts racing through their minds.

Those folks aren’t the exception, said Bridget Juister of B Holistic Way in Hinsdale. They’re the rule.

“Monkey mind,” she said. “That is everybody’s problem and that is the whole point of meditation, to recognize you have these thoughts.”

Juister started practicing med-

itation at a hectic time in her life, when she was a new mom who had just moved to the suburbs and recently launched an acupuncture practice.

“I realized in that time that this was so important,” she said. “This is probably the most important thing we can do for ourselves. It doesn’t cost anything. You don’t have to file insurance claims. It’s useful.”

She thinks some of the misconceptions about meditation — including that it’s exclusively a religious practice — are fading and people are more open to recognizing its value. She attributed that trend to a simple theory: people are in need of the benefits now more than ever.

“The technology is so fast and so high speed and there is so much noise that we are hungry for quiet, peace, stillness,” she said. “We are reaching within ourselves to find that.”

That stillness offers people an opportunity to recognize their feelings, create some space from

those feelings and then transform them.

“If you’re feeling self-pity or you’re feeling worry or you’re feeling fear, you can use meditation to say, ‘I don’t want to feel like this. I want to feel better.’ Meditation allows you to become aware of your thoughts,” Juister said.

That awareness can be useful as part of talk therapy with people who are dealing with stress, anxiety and other issues, said Bob Agnoli, director of mental health services at The Community House. He often teaches clients deep breathing exercises as part of their sessions.

“You’re slowing the body down. You’re getting more oxygen into the system so you are thinking more clearly,” he said.

Deep breathing combined with tensing and releasing muscles can help relax areas of the body, such as the shoulders or stomach, where stress and anxiety often is felt.

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### Getting started

Bridget Juister of B Holistic Way offered the following tips for those who are interested in meditating.

#### • Try a basic breathing meditation.

Focus on your breath, using the mantra “so hum” (which means “I am”), hearing “so” on the inhale and “hum” on the exhale.

“When you notice yourself thinking, just say ‘thinking’ and very gently go back to your breath,” she said. “It’s really important to be OK with your thoughts.”

Put your mind’s attention to your core or solar plexus.

“Imagine a golden sphere of light and as you breathe out, imagine the breath exiting the tip of your nose and softening the space between your eyes. This is your inner eye.”

#### • Try a body scan.

Put your mind’s attention to each part of the body, starting with the toes and working up to the head. Use the exhale to release tension. Notice where stress is being held.

“It’s in our toes, too, in our ears, in our cheeks. Put your mind’s attention to your jaw. Relax your jaw. Oh, you do hold stress there.”

#### • Try an app

Juister recommended Insight Timer, Headspace and Calm as useful apps to get started. YouTube videos can be helpful as well.

“The more you can do it on your own, the better,” she said.

#### • Visit her website

Audio and written meditations are available on her website at <https://www.bholisticway.com>.

Juister advises beginners not to have any expectations of the meditation practice. Feelings of stress and anxiety won’t just disappear.

“Just because you’re not feeling something immediately does not mean you are not gaining from it. It’s not like exercise. It’s not even like making good food choices. It really requires a gentle approach.”

■ *“Art, music, exercise — these are all kind of forms of meditation that allow us to get out of our heads a little bit into whatever we are doing. That’s why these things are so uplifting and so important.”*

— **Bridget Juister**

## *Practicing meditation can be the cure for what ails you*

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He and Juister agree there is no one prescribed way to meditate.

“We’re not asking you to sit cross-legged and have some incense burning,” Agnoli said. “You don’t need to do all that.”

Meditation doesn’t require one to sit at all, Juister said.

“Art, music, exercise — these are all kind of forms of meditation that allow us to get out of our heads a little bit into whatever we are doing,” she said. “That’s why these things are so uplifting and so important.”

Agnoli suggested a 10-minute meditation as a good way to unwind. Juister said whatever amount of time people have available can be useful, from three minutes to an hour.

“Sometimes just taking three deep breaths and really

using your exhale to relax in and of itself is positive,” she said.

Even though he is aware of the benefit, Agnoli admitted he sometimes forgets to meditate.

“I think part of it is we’re in such a stress-driven society and we don’t take time for self-care,” he said.

Helping children learn to meditate at a young age would be a great help, Juister said, especially with phones connecting kids to social media and all the emotions that can carry with it.

Suzanne Wychocki, a licensed social worker with Comer Children’s Hospital at the University of Chicago and Vine Counseling Center, agrees. She points to a new “Breathe with Me Barbie” — which offers five guided meditations at the press of her star necklace — as evidence that meditation for

kids is gaining traction.

“I’m not thrilled that it’s Barbie, but I’ll take it,” said Wychocki, a former Hinsdale resident. “Whatever it takes to get the word out.”

She believes there are appropriate ways to introduce meditation to kids of any age. One of the best ways parents can encourage the practice of mindfulness is to model the behavior themselves, being aware of and naming their emotions.

“Mindfulness is reacting without judgment,” she said. “You know what? I’m upset. It’s OK to be upset.”

Her children were first introduced to meditation and mindfulness when they learned to belly breathe as preschoolers in California. A child who is able to identify an emotion is more likely to choose an appropriate response.

“Kids have three emotions.

They are happy, they are sad or they are angry,” Wychocki said. “But anger is sometimes fear. If you can tell the difference between anger and fear, you’ll be able to manage it yourself a little better.”

These tools will help kids seek their own truth and find inner peace instead of looking to the outside world to tell them who they are or how they should feel, Juister said.

“What happens is you kind of realize you are not your body weight. You are not your hair. You are not your material wealth. You are not your amount of (Instagram) likes,” Juister said.

The cancer patients she works with at Wellness Health arrive at a similar conclusion.

“You’re not your cancer,” she said.

Those realizations lead to the posing of larger ques-

tions: Who are we and why are we here? But meditation isn’t just about seeking answers to existential questions.

“When you practice meditation you’re being mindful of your breath or mindful of a mantra and you’re being mindful of thoughts entering your head and what those thoughts are,” Juister said.

“When you are meditating, you practice mindfulness. You can use mindfulness and not practice meditation.”

Juister attributed many positive outcomes to the practice of meditation. The most important result, in her opinion, is developing self-love.

“If you can love yourself, then you can be more loving and kinder,” she said. “You can be more accepting of people’s flaws and annoying ways. You can get out of your own way.”

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# PULSE

## Life, liberty and the pursuit of libraries

My fourth-grader is studying the American Revolution. Which means our family is constantly being told or quizzed about the American Revolution. (“No, I don’t know the date of the Boston Massacre. ... Yes, I’m sure that it was before 1776.”)

It has also caused me to reflect on how scary, courageous and amazing the founding of our country was. And, how puzzling and wonderful that the pursuit of happiness is one of the first rights granted to citizens of this new land. The pursuit of happiness is not a luxury or a reward; it’s a right.

The first public libraries were established in the 1700s to “advance both learning and piety.” Today’s library patrons can add technology training, storytimes, video games, best-selling novels, movies, music and a safe, friendly place to study or relax to the kind of happiness they can pursue at

their public library.

Libraries understand that what one person needs to be happy might not be what appeals to the next. There are times when nothing can bring you greater joy than binge-watching a great TV series like “Downton Abby” or “Doctor Who.” Other times, happiness is finding a quiet corner to enter one of Patrick Rothfuss’s immediately engaging fantasy books or the latest Louise Penny mystery.

Sometimes what makes us happy is solving a problem. Want to plan a trip to Aberdeen or make pasta from scratch? Would learning more about marsupials put a smile on the face of your little animal lover? Learning a language, boning up on current events, taking a deep dive into a favor-



**Karen Keefe**  
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ite subject or being the one to create something new — these are all things that people find joy and satisfaction in doing at their library.

Libraries also connect people to ideas and each other. One of the happiest times at the library is Friday mornings when Miss Anne hosts “My First Storytime” and squirming, joyful babies listen to stories, clap their hands and smile up at their

grown-ups.

For as focused as our high school visitors are when they come to study for finals, there’s also a happy buzz throughout the building. These students see their classmates and friends sprawled out on every floor of our building and know that they belong.

Programs like book clubs, our pop-

ular After Dark events and our “Parent to Parent” discussion series bring people with similar interests together to learn, share and be entertained. In fact, our Feb. 3 Parent to Parent program is “The Secret of Happy Parents.” Indre Jasinkaite will be here to share the secrets of a happier and calmer life, and the keys to being a better parent.

To steal a line from the Pop Culture Happy Hour podcast, what’s making me happy this week? Reading Eoin Colfer’s “The Fowl Twins” with my kids, the grown-up novel “The Bookish Life” of Nina Hill by Abbi Waxman and binge-watching the first three seasons of “The Good Place” so nobody can ruin the ending for me when the series ends this spring.

— Karen Keefe is the executive director of Hinsdale Public Library.

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The curtain falls Sunday on the Theatre of Western Springs' production of "The Nerd." See Page 26 for details. (photo provided)

## ARTFULLY DONE

### ■ Studio Vino: Wine & Paint

Jan. 31  
The Community House  
415 W. Eighth St., Hinsdale  
(630) 323-7500  
<https://www.thecommunity-house.org>

Gather for this wine and paint party in a relaxed atmosphere. The studio, canvas, paints, brushes and stemware will be provided, and an instructor will guide participants through the materials and techniques to create a masterpiece to take home. Time: 7 to 9 p.m. Cost: \$45. RR, MD

### ■ 'Toy Stories Too'

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

The library's winter art exhibit, on display in the Quiet Reading Room, features works by Benedictine monk Kevin Coffey, who combines and arranges different varieties of

toys to create unexpected scenarios and situations, revealing timeless qualities in human behavior and relationships. Each painting intermingles the awkward, ironic, cute and surprising with the sometimes harsh and edgier moments in life that have the potential to become surprisingly relevant experiences over time. Library hours: 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. Monday to Thursday, 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Friday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday, noon to 6 p.m. Sunday.

## FAMILY FUN

### ■ Cookies and Canvas

Jan. 25  
The Community House  
415 W. Eighth St., Hinsdale  
(630) 323-7500  
<https://www.thecommunity-house.org>

This class, for ages 6 1/2 and up and perfect for kids and parents to take together, offers an afternoon of paints and sweets. Time: 1 to 2:30 p.m. Cost: \$25. RR, MD

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## GAME ON

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Kids age 5-7 will be introduced to and develop basic skills using fun games and coaching techniques and a soft ball. Players can bring their own stick or use available sticks. No other equipment is necessary. Time: 2:30 to 3:30 p.m. Saturdays or noon to 1 p.m. Sundays. Cost: \$115. RR

■ **Nerf Flag Football**  
Wednesdays, Feb. 5-March 11  
Monroe School  
210 N. Madison St., Hinsdale  
(630) 789-7090  
<https://www.villageofhinsdale.org/pr>

Kids ages 6-8 can tackle the fun with this instructional, noncontact class. Along with the core skills of passing and catching, players will learn the rules, 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 6:20 p.m. Cost: \$58. RR

## GRAND GALAS

■ **A Gilded Affair**  
Feb. 8  
Millennium Knickerbocker Hotel  
163 E. Walton Place, Chicago  
(630) 537-0010  
<https://e.givesmart.com/events/du2>

The Hinsdale Junior Woman's Club will host its 2020 benefit to raise money for deserving charities and organizations. The event includes an online auction. Time: 7:30 p.m. to midnight. Tickets: \$185.

## GREAT OUTDOORS

■ **Fitness hike**  
Jan 26  
Country Lane Woods  
95th Street east of Willow Springs Road, near Willow Springs  
(708) 386-4042  
<https://www.fpdcc.com>

This five-mile hike is for

those looking to get some exercise outdoors, conducted at a faster pace with little to no stopping or interpretation on unpaved, rolling terrain. Time: 10 a.m.

■ **Chicago Wolves Skating Rink**  
Through Jan. 27  
Brookfield Zoo  
8400 31st Street  
(708) 688-8000  
<https://www.czs.org>

Enjoy outdoor ice skating at the zoo's rink, which is made of a synthetic material known as Glice, so no water or elective is required for operation. A limited number of skates are available for a \$5 rental fee (credit card required). Skaters also are welcome to bring their own skates. Hours: noon to 4:30 p.m. Admission: \$7.

■ **Wonders of Winter**  
Feb. 1  
Mayslake Peabody Estate  
1717 W. 31st St., Oak Brook  
(630) 933-7248  
<https://www.dupageforest.org>

All ages are invited to discover the fun of visiting a forest preserve in winter through horse-drawn hay rides, ice fishing, geocaching, nature hikes and more. Then warm up inside Mayslake Hall with activities related to forest preserve plants, animals and programs from rangers, naturalists and volunteers. Activities are ongoing throughout the event. Hours: 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Admission: Free; fees for some activities.

■ **Hard Water Classic**  
Feb. 8  
Blackwell Forest Preserve  
Butterfield Road just west of Winfield Road, Warrenville  
(630) 933-7200  
<https://www.dupageforest.org>

This event was rescheduled from Jan. 11 in hopes of having better ice fishing conditions. Anglers of all ages can test their skills at this eighth annual DuPage County Forest Preserve District ice fishing tournament. The top three catches of largemouth bass, bluegill, northern pike and crappie will receive gift cards to local sporting goods stores. The biggest catch overall will earn a gas-powered auger or ice shelter. Door prizes will also be awarded. Participants must bring gear and bait and comply with all applicable fishing regulations and tour-

namment rules. Anglers 16 and older who are not legally disabled must carry valid Illinois fishing licenses. Proceeds support ranger-led recreation programs for special-needs groups, youth groups, Scouts and community resource centers in DuPage County. Time: 11-11:45 a.m. check-in, noon to 3:30 p.m. tournament. Cost: \$20 online, \$25 at the event.

## HEALTH & WELLNESS

■ **Finding Balance as a Caregiver**  
Jan. 25  
Wellness House  
131 N. County Line Road, Hinsdale  
(630) 323-5150  
<https://www.wellnesshouse.org>

Participants will learn tips for balancing their needs with the one they are caring for, communicating appropriately, setting boundaries and finding time for self-care. The program is intended for caregivers of cancer patients. Time: 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. RR

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## JUST FOR KIDS

■ **Budding Naturalists**  
Jan. 27  
Lake View Nature Center  
17W063 Hodges Road, Oakbrook Terrace  
(630) 789-7090  
<https://www.villageofhinsdale.org/pr>

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Kids ages 4-6 will discover more about local nature by learning how to use observation skills and exploration tools like binoculars and magnifiers. Much of the class will take place outside, weather permitting. Register by Jan. 20. Time: 12:30 to 2:30 p.m. Cost: \$19. RR

## LISTEN & LEARN

### ■ Parent-to-Parent: The Secret of Happy Parents

Feb. 3  
Hinsdale Public Library  
20 E. Maple St.  
(630) 986-1976  
<https://www.hinsdalelibrary.info>

Join Indre Jasinkaite to learn the secrets of a happier and calmer life and the keys to being a better parent. Time: 7 to 8 p.m. RR

### ■ 'Screenagers Next Chapter'

Feb. 5  
The Community House  
415 W. Eighth St., Hinsdale  
<https://www.d181foundation.org>

Filmmaker and physician Dr. Delaney Ruston takes the conversation around screens and teens to the next level with "Screenagers Next Chapter: Uncovering Skills for Stress Resilience," including interviews with District 86 students. The film examines the science behind teens' emotional challenges, the interplay of social media and, most importantly, what can be done at school and at home to help them build crucial skills to navigate stress, anxiety and depression in the digital age. It is recommended for those in sixth grade and older and is part of the Community Speaker Series, co-presented by Hinsdale High School District 86 and Community Consolidated Elementary District 181 in conjunction with the District 181 Foundation and The Community House. Times: 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. or 7 to 9 p.m. RR

## NOTEWORTHY

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### ■ Jammin' in the Stacks

Jan. 31  
Hinsdale Public Library  
20 E. Maple St.  
(630) 986-1976  
<https://www.hinsdalelibrary.info>

In partnership with 90.9 WDCB, the library will host jazz singer Typhanie Monique for a performance. Refreshments and beverages will be provided. The event is sponsored by the Friends of the Hinsdale Public Library. Time: 7 to 9 p.m.

### ■ An Evening with Kelly Sill and Jack Mouse

Jan. 31  
Madden Theatre  
North Central College  
171 E. Chicago Ave.,  
Naperville  
<https://northcentral.vbotickets.com/events>

Jazz bassist Kelly Sill teams up with drummer Jack Mouse, associate professor of music and coordinator of jazz studies at North Central, for this concert, which also features members of the college's highly-esteemed jazz studies program. Time: 8 to 10 p.m. Tickets: \$22, \$17 for seniors and students (plus \$4 online fee).

### ■ Heather Pierson Acoustic Trio

Feb. 1  
Unitarian Church of Hinsdale  
11 W. Maple St.  
<https://www.acousticren.com>

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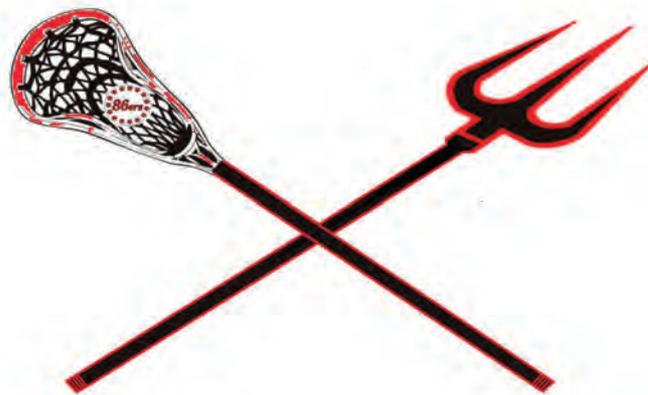
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to bear on songs that bring to life the sounds of the streets of New Orleans, the valleys of Appalachia and everywhere in between. Time: 8 p.m. Tickets: \$18, \$16 for students and seniors.

■ **Motown Reflections Revue**

Feb. 1  
Theatre of Western Springs  
4384 Hampton Ave.  
(708) 246-4043  
<https://www.theatreofwesternsprings.com>

This group of professional male vocalists will present a tribute to Motown's greatest hits from such artists as the Four Tops, The Temptations, and other vocal groups. The Reflections have worked with such artists as Mary Wilson of the Supremes, Luther Vandross and Anita Baker. The show is a fundraiser and part of the theater's Performance Series. Time: 8 p.m. Tickets: \$35. MD

■ **Hot Club of Cowtown**

Feb. 7  
McAninch Arts Center

College of DuPage  
425 Fawell Blvd., Glen Ellyn  
(630) 942-4000  
<https://www.atthemac.org>

This trio returns to the MAC to celebrate its 21st anniversary, drawing from the great heritage of string-playing from Europe and the U.S. A private, pre-show cocktail and hors d'oeuvres reception, along with coffee and dessert at intermission, is available for an additional \$30. Time: 7:30 p.m. Tickets: \$35-\$45.

**ON SCREEN**

■ **'Frida'**

Feb. 5  
McAninch Arts Center  
College of DuPage  
425 Fawell Blvd., Glen Ellyn  
(630) 942-4000  
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This biography of one of Mexico's best-known artists, Frida Kahlo, charts her life from feisty schoolgirl to her complicated relationship with Diego Rivera and becoming a world-renowned artist in her

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own right. The screening is part of the Global Flicks series. Times: 1:30 and 7:30 p.m.

■ **'Kinky Boots'**

Feb. 6 & 9  
McAninch Arts Center  
College of DuPage  
425 Fawell Blvd., Glen Ellyn  
(630) 942-4000  
<https://www.atthemac.org>

The Tony, Grammy & Olivier Award-winning musical from Cyndi Lauper and Harvey Fierstein tells the story of Charlie, a factory owner struggling to save his family business, and Lola, a fabulous entertainer with a wildly exciting idea. Together they learn to embrace their differences and create a line of sturdy stilettos unlike any the world has ever seen. This program is part of the National Theatre Live series, broadcasting directly from the National Theatre stage in London. Times: 7 p.m. Feb. 6, 2 p.m. Feb. 9. Tickets: \$24

**ON STAGE**

■ **'The Merry Widow'**

Jan. 24-26  
McAninch Arts Center  
College of DuPage  
425 Fawell Blvd., Glen Ellyn  
(630) 942-4000  
<https://www.atthemac.org>

This operetta by Franz Lehár follows widow Hannah Glawari, who has all the money to save the bankrupt country of Pontevedro and all the eligible bachelors in Paris, but what she really wants is her long-lost love. Count Danilo, forbidden to wed Hannah when childhood sweethearts, has been charged with saving Pontevedro, but Hannah's recent fortune has turned the tables. This production by the New Philharmonic is set in the 1920s and sung in English. A MAC Chat provided by COD music professor Steve Pierson will be held one hour before performances, and immediately following guests are invited to Cookies with Kirk in the lobby to visit with Maestro Kirk Muspratt and members of the orchestra. Times: 7:30 p.m. Jan. 24 & 25, 3 p.m. Jan. 26. Tickets:

\$57-\$59.

■ **'Shrek The Musical'**

Through Jan. 26  
The Community House  
415 W. Eighth St., Hinsdale  
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Based on the Oscar-winning DreamWorks Animation film, an ogre becomes as unlikely hero who finds himself on a life-changing journey alongside a wisecracking Donkey and a feisty princess who resists her rescue. Throw in a short-tempered bad guy, a cookie with an attitude and more than a dozen other fairy tale misfits and it makes for an irreverent, fun adventure for the whole family. Times: 7:30 p.m. Friday & Saturday; 2 and 6:30 p.m. Saturday & Sunday; 7 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 23. Tickets: \$20.

■ **'The Nerd'**

Through Jan. 26  
Theatre of Western Springs  
4384 Hampton Ave.  
(708) 246-4043  
<https://www.theatreofwest->

[ernsprings.com](https://www.ernsprings.com)

Get ready to laugh when a nice guy from Terre Haute hosts the house guest from hell. Times: 8 p.m. Jan. 23-24; 2:30 p.m. and 8 p.m. Jan. 25, 2:30 p.m. Jan. 26. Tickets: \$22-\$24.

■ **'Jeeves Saves the Day'**

Jan. 29-March 1  
Mayslake Peabody Mansion  
1717 W. 31st St., Oak Brook  
(630) 986-8067  
<https://www.firstfolio.org>

Jeeves and Bertie are back in this world premiere production as Bertie, once again, finds himself suffering the slings and arrows of misfortune at the hands of his relatives. Caught between the magisterial machinations of his fierce Aunt Agatha and the plaintive pleadings of his cousin Egbert, not to mention the imperious Sir Roderick Glossop — who fully expects his daughter Honoria to save Bertie from his ill-advised bachelorhood — and it's another priceless predicament that only the redoubtable Jeeves can overcome. Times: 8 p.m. Wednesdays, Fridays

& Saturdays and Thursday, Jan. 30; 3 p.m. Thursdays & Sundays; 4 p.m. Saturdays, Feb 8-29. Tickets: \$34-\$44, \$29-\$39 for seniors and students, \$25 for preview shows Jan. 29-31.

■ **'The Cake'**

Jan. 30-March 1  
McAninch Arts Center  
College of DuPage  
425 Fawell Blvd., Glen Ellyn  
(630) 942-4000  
<https://www.atthemac.org>

The Buffalo Theatre Ensemble will perform this Bekah Brunstetter play set in Della's bakery in Winston, N.C. When Jen, the girl Della thinks of as her goddaughter asks Della to make her wedding cake, not for one bride but two, it's hard to follow one of her tried and true recipes as faith, family, food and love meet in the mix. The play, from a writer of NBC's hit "This is Us," contains adult themes and language. Time: 8 p.m. Thursdays to Saturdays, 3 p.m. Sundays. Tickets: \$42, \$40 for seniors.

■ **'Twelfth Night'**

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Jan. 31-Feb. 2  
Madison Street Theatre  
1010 Madison St, Oak Park  
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<https://www.bamtheatre.com>

BAMTheatre's production is a rousing contemporary musical adaptation of Shakespeare's classic romantic comedy about mistaken identity and self-discovery. It tells the story of Viola, a young heroine who washes up on the shores of Illyria, disguises herself as a man, is sent to court a countess and falls hard for a Duke. As she navigates this strange and wonderful new land, she finds her true self and true love in the process. Times: 7 p.m. Jan. 31 & Feb. 1, 2 p.m. Feb. 2. Tickets: \$18-\$22.

■ **An American In Paris**

Jan. 31-March 29  
Drury Lane Theatre  
100 Drury Lane, Oakbrook Terrace  
(630) 530-0111  
<https://www.drurylanetheatre.com>

Based on the Academy Award winner for best picture, "An American in Paris" brings to the stage breathtaking moments of dance set to the music of George and Ira Gershwin. 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 and 6 p.m. Sundays, 8 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 5. Tickets: \$60-\$75, \$65-\$70 for preview shows Jan. 31-Feb. 6.

■ **'On Clover Road'**

Feb. 6-16  
Theatre of Western Springs  
4384 Hampton Ave.  
(708) 246-3380  
<https://www.theatrewesternsprings.com>

The play by Steven Dietz, the second Forum production at TWS, is an edge-of-your-seat thriller about a desperate mother who hires a private investigator to find her runaway daughter. The play includes mature subject matter. Times: 8 p.m. Feb. 6-8 & 13-14, 2:30 and 8 p.m. Feb. 15, 2:30 and 7:30 p.m. Feb. 9, 2:30 p.m. Feb. 16. Tickets: \$22-\$24.

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■ **Chinese Readers Theater**

Jan. 26  
Hinsdale Public Library  
20 E. Maple St.  
(630) 986-1976

<https://www.hinsdalelibrary.info>

Experience reading and acting out classic Chinese stories. Spend the first half of the program learning and practicing the story and the second half performing — and enjoying snacks. Advance registrants will receive a character and the story ahead of time; drop-ins are welcome to watch and listen to the show. The January stories are "The Story of the Zodiac" and "The Boy Who Cried Wolf." Register with Patty Lawley at [plawley@hinsdalelibrary.info](mailto:plawley@hinsdalelibrary.info). Time: 2 to 4 p.m.

■ **Maple Street Mixer: 80s Night**

Jan. 28  
Hinsdale Public Library  
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(630) 986-1976  
<https://www.hinsdalelibrary.info>

Join this totally tubular evening of '80s fun, games and pop culture. The boom box, stellar snacks and dope prizes will be provided. Time: 7 to 8:30 p.m.

■ **Change Your Life Online**

Jan. 29  
Hinsdale Public Library  
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<https://www.hinsdalelibrary.info>

Get help staying on top of those new year's resolutions by hearing about the top health, organization and learning apps. Time: 7 to 8:30 p.m. RR

■ **Next Chapter Social Club**

Feb. 6  
Hinsdale Public Library  
20 E. Maple St.  
(630) 986-1976  
<https://www.hinsdalelibrary.info>

Join the library for no-bake cooking and learn to make sweet treats to take home in this program for individuals age 16 or older with developmental disabilities. Time: 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. RR

**SPECIAL EVENTS**

■ **Husky Heroes**

Jan. 25 & 26  
Morton Arboretum  
4100 Route 53, Lisle  
<https://www.mortonarb.org>

Visitors can enjoy photo opportunities with huskies and rigs, learn about the equipment and watch demonstrations of husky sled-pulling and skijoring — where dogs pull a

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**Edward is a sweet kitty** with a gorgeous gray coat and stunning gold eyes. He is 3 years old, weighs just under 10 pounds and is approved for adoption to families with children of any age. Edward is neutered and up to date on all of his vaccinations. Come meet Edward and all of the other pets at the Hinsdale Humane Society Tuthill Family Pet Rescue & Resource Center at 21 Salt Creek Lane. The shelter is open from 2 to 8 p.m. Tuesday, noon to 6 p.m. Wednesday through Friday and 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturdays and Sundays. For more information, call (630) 323-5630 or visit [hinsdalehumanesociety.org](http://hinsdalehumanesociety.org). (photo provided)



person on skis — at this annual event. Create a canine-related craft at the Sterling Morton Library and obtain adoption information from Adopt-a-Husky. Dogsled course demonstrations are scheduled for 11:30 a.m. and 12:45, 2 and 3:15 p.m., regardless of the presence of snow. Hours: 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Admission: \$15, \$13 for seniors ages 65 and older, \$10 for ages 2-17, free for children under age 2. MD

**TEENS & TWEENS**

■ **Entrance Exam Practice Tests Winter**

Jan. 25  
Hinsdale Public Library  
20 E. Maple St.  
(630) 986-1976  
<https://www.hinsdalelibrary.info>

College and high school entrance exam practice tests, including ACT and SAT for college-bound students in grades 10-12 and SSAT, ISEE and HSPT secondary school entrance exams for grades seven and eight will be proctored by Nurturing Wisdom Tutoring. Test takers will receive a personalized analysis of their results within two weeks. Time: 9:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. RR.

**WEE ONES**

■ **Nature Tots**

Second and fourth Fridays, Jan. 24-May 22  
Lake View Nature Center  
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<https://www.villageofhinsdale.org/pr>

Toddlers ages 1 1/2-3, with an adult, will explore the wonders of nature through "loose parts" play while learning teamwork and sharing skills. There will be outside play each class. Time: 9:30 to 10:30 a.m. Cost: \$10 per class.

**WINE & DINE**

■ **Chef Fest**

Feb. 6  
Drury Lane Theatre & Conference Center  
100 Drury Lane, Oakbrook Terrace  
(331) 221-0388  
<https://www.emhfoundation.org/events>

This 20th annual Elmhurst Memorial Hospital Foundation event includes a variety of signature menu items produced by chefs from more than two dozen prominent local restaurants, bakeries and caterers, who donate their time and

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■ **Corks & Forks**

Feb. 21  
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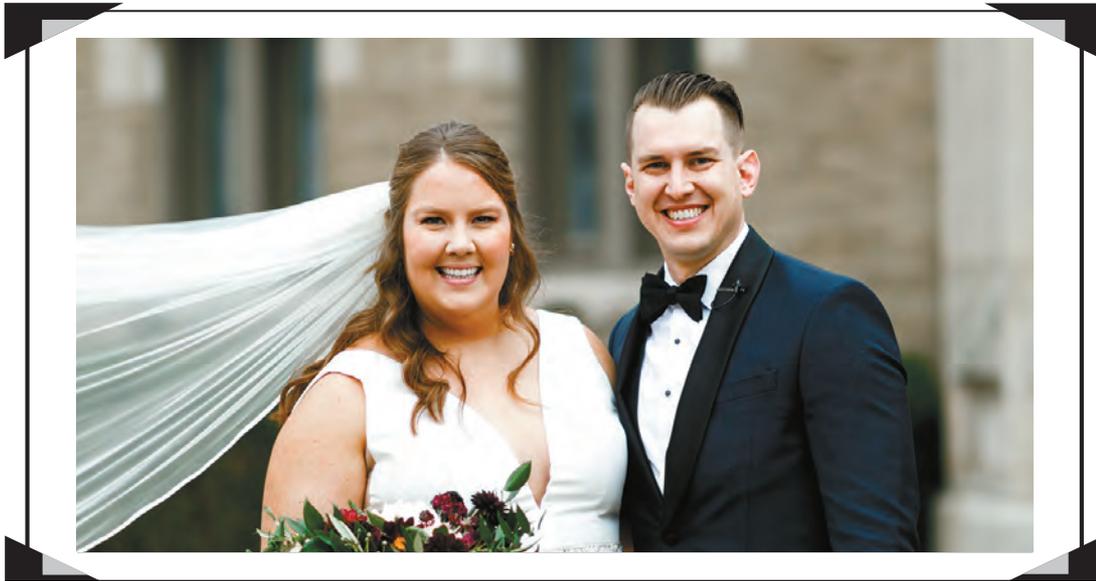


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## *Anna Kuhn and Grant Glowiak*

Anna Kuhn and Grant Glowiak were married Nov. 2, 2019, at Union Church of Hinsdale.

The bride is the daughter of Vicky Hurst of Clarendon Hills and Tom Kuhn of Vandalia, Mich. She is a 2008 graduate of Hinsdale Central High School and a 2012 graduate of the University of Missouri. She works as an account executive at Gartner.

The groom is the son of Suzy and the late Steve Glowiak of Western Springs. He is a 2006 graduate of Lyons Township High School and a 2010 graduate of Grinnell College. He works as director of youth ministries at

Union Church of Hinsdale.

Rev. J. Michael Solberg performed the ceremony.

Sarah McVey served as matron of honor.

Bill Davis served as best man.

Raegan Sortal was the flower girl and Jimmy Tilden was the ring bearer.

Among the special guests was the bride's grandmother, Joan Hurst of Hinsdale.

The reception was held at the Hinsdale Golf Club. The bride and groom enjoyed a night of dancing surrounded by friends and family.

They reside in Hinsdale.

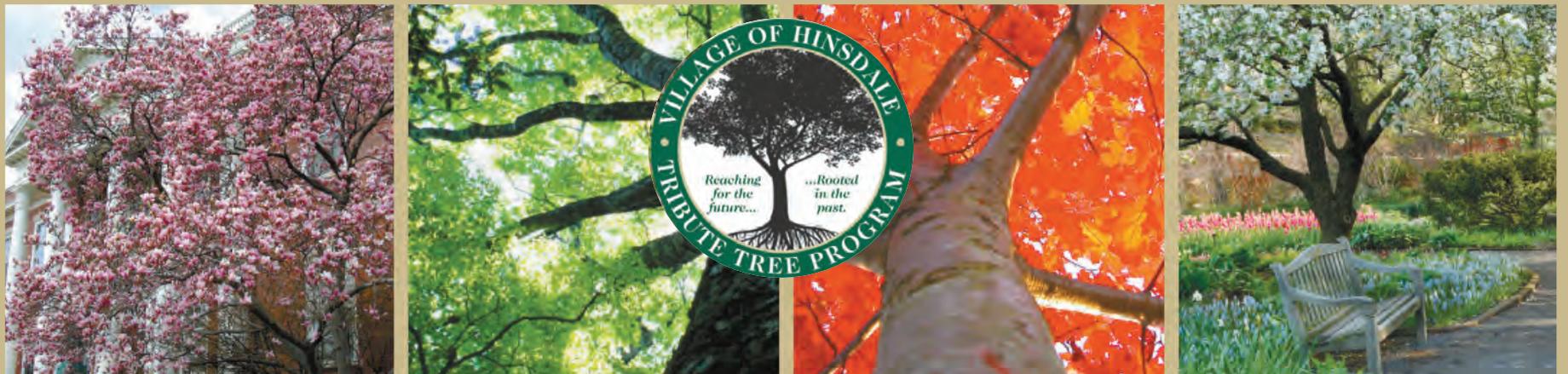
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Albert Einstein

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Robert Louis Stevenson

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# MIND GAMES

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- 1 VENOMOUS VIPER
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  - 8 POP
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  - 13 BEELZEBUB'S DOINGS
  - 14 FROM SQUARE ONE
  - 15 SUPREME COURT
  - 17 JUSTICE THURGOOD - CALM BEFORE THE STORM
  - 18 COMEDIAN RIVERS
  - 19 REFUGE
  - 20 DOWNRIGHT
  - 22 ROAD'S SHOULDER
  - 24 HARD TO FIND
  - 25 ALMOND CONFECTION
  - 29 "- GOT A SECRET"
  - 30 LEFT-HAND PAGE
  - 31 OSTRICH'S COUSIN
  - 32 UNION
  - 34 VALHALLA VIP
  - 35 LOATHE
  - 36 LOSES TRACTION
  - 37 DRIVE AWAY
  - 40 "WOZZECK" COMPOSER
  - 41 SUMMERTIME TREATS - THATCHER
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  - 3 STORYTELLER IN COURT
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  - 5 TERRIBLE GUY?
  - 6 "- ABNER"
  - 7 RIGHT ANGLE
  - 8 SANDWICH SAUSAGE
  - 9 BURDEN
  - 10 PLACE TO BUY 8-DOWN
  - 11 PIERCING TOOLS
  - 16 SLIGHTLY
  - 19 RICELIKE PASTA
  - 20 - AND PROPER
  - 21 VOLCANIC SPILLAGE
  - 22 CLEOPATRA'S BOAT
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  - 28 SISTERS
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by Linda Thistle

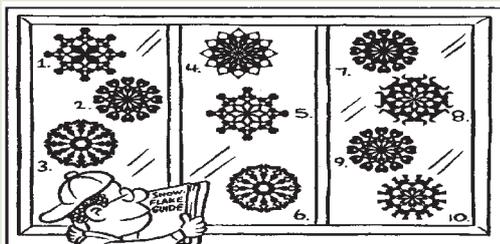
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### DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: ◆◆◆

- ◆ Moderate
- ◆◆ Challenging
- ◆◆◆ HOO BOY!

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# HOROSCOPES

January 2020 Horoscopes • Week 5



**CAPRICORN** - Dec 22/Jan 20  
A reorganization will occur in your life. This may involve physically moving things around the house or an intellectual reorganization that produces a new perspective.



**ARIES** - Mar 21/Apr 20  
Aries, a budding relationship appears to be on the cusp of taking the next step. Your relationships are your own, so don't be afraid to slow down if things feel like they're going too fast.



**CANCER** - Jun 22/Jul 22  
Connect with your spiritual foundations, Cancer. They will be your guide through a week that figures to have its share of ups and downs. Faith will help you ride it out.



**LIBRA** - Sept 23/Oct 23  
Libra, as the days unfold, you may find yourself feeling more creative and perhaps a bit more rebellious in your thinking. It is okay to want to set out on a new path.



**AQUARIUS** - Jan 21/Feb 18  
Even if you have a mind to help the ones you love, those people have to be receptive to your assistance, Aquarius. Give them a chance to come around.



**TAURUS** - Apr 21/May 21  
Taurus, now is the time to institute a change to your daily routine if that's been on your mind. Planetary energy is pushing you on a course of self-discovery.



**LEO** - Jul 23/Aug 23  
The week ahead should be fairly positive for you, Leo. This lifting of weight will inspire newfound freedom to embark on interesting projects or pursue new interests.



**SCORPIO** - Oct 24/Nov 22  
Oftentimes you are a master of taking a difficult situation and turning it on its head immediately, Scorpio. Those unique skills may be put to the test this week.



**PISCES** - Feb 19/Mar 20  
Don't let others talk you into something you don't want to be involved with, Pisces. Stand your ground or walk away.



**GEMINI** - May 22/June 21  
Gemini, small influencers in your life may be imperceptible, but they are slowly turning the wheels of change and you'll soon be able to realize what is in store.



**VIRGO** - Aug 24/Sept 22  
You may be looking for fulfillment in your love life or your career this week, Virgo. Some measure of liberation will occur in the days ahead.



**SAGITTARIUS** - Nov 23/Dec 21  
A reorganization will occur in your life. This may involve physically moving things around the house or an intellectual reorganization that produces a new perspective.

# SPORTS — ROUNDUP

## STUDENT ATHLETE PROFILE



**Name:** Michael Benington  
**Year:** senior  
**Hometown:** Hinsdale

### When did you start swimming competitively and why?

I started club swimming in fourth grade. I think it was my mom having me try different sports. Swimming is the one that stuck with me.

### What is your favorite event?

The 200 individual medley is my favorite event. You get to be a lot more of a versatile swimmer because you get to swim every stroke. It's just a really fun swim to race. I think during the off-season (with FMC Aquatic) probably the 200 back.

### What is your most challenging event?

A lot of the shorter events — the 50 and the 100 — are a lot harder for me. I like the longer races because I have little more time to get into them.

### Do you have any pre-meet routines?

The whole team a couple of nights before (a taper meet) will shave their whole bodies. That's kind of a cool thing we do as a team which really helps in the water.

### What do you try to do as one of the team captains?

We help some of the younger kids, especially the kids that move up to var-

sity or if it's their first time, teach them the ropes and encourage them through the season, because mentally swimming can be such a tough sport.

### What is your goal for the season?

I want to drop time in every event. My goal is to 'A' final in both the 200 IM and the 100 back, but also to help the team in the 400 free relay and the 200 free relay.

### Will you swim in college?

Hopefully yes. I haven't committed yet.

### Why does coach Bob Barber like having Benington on the team?

We are extremely proud of how much Michael has grown in the sport of swimming. As a swimmer, Michael was not on our radar coming into high school, but after four years of dedication and hard work he will be missed immensely. Michael has earned multiple spots on our state line-up this season and has qualified for Junior Nationals in a handful of events as well. As one of our four captains this season, Michael has done a very nice job of leading our underclassmen both in the pool as well as the weight room. Whatever school he chooses to attend will benefit from his presence on the team.

— profile by Pamela Lannom, photo by Jim Slonoff

## RESULTS

### Basketball, boys

Jan. 18 vs. Wheaton North  
 V wins 59-49

Isaacson, 17 points, 9 rebounds, assist, steal, 2 blocks

Sessa, 11 points, 6 rebounds, steal

Northey, 10 points, 4 rebounds, 2 assists, steal

St. John, 6 points, 2 rebounds, 2 assists, 2 steals

Nelson, 5 points, 3 rebounds, 5 assists

Quast, 5 points, 4 rebounds, assist, 2 blocks

Herbst, 3 points

Cain, 2 points, steal

Borhani, steal

Jan. 17 @ Glenbard West  
 V wins 54-28

Isaacson, 18 points, 9 rebounds, 2 assists, 6 blocks

St. John, 9 points, rebound, assist

Nelson, 7 points, 6 rebounds, 6 assists, 2 steals

Northey, 6 points, 6 rebounds, 4 assists, 2 steals

Herbst, 4 points, rebound

Quast, 4 points, 2 rebounds

Schiavitti, 4 points, 2 assists

Reddy, 2 points

Sessa, 3 rebounds, assist

Borhani, 2 rebounds

Antanaitis, rebound

Draddy, rebound, assist

### Basketball, girls

Jan. 18 & 20 @ MLK

Tourney vs. Belvidere North  
 V loses 36-54

Monyek, 12 points

Sarros, 8 points

Cernugel, 5 points

Butler, 3 points

Conley, 3 points

McLaughlin, 3 points

Howe, 2 points

vs. Neuqua Valley  
 V loses 31-36

Monyek, 10 points

Butler, 9 points

McLaughlin, 3 points

Cernugel, 2 points

Conley, 2 points

Randle, 2 points

Sarros, 2 points

Howe, point vs. Minooka  
 V wins 34-20

Cernugel, 20 points

Monyek, 8 points

Amegadjie, 7 points

Sarros, 4 points

Randle, 3 points

Conley, 2 points vs. Carmel  
 V loses 31-49

Monyek, 8 points

Randle, 6 points

Sarros, 6 points

Cernugel, 5 points

Howe, 5 points

Conley, point

Jan. 16 vs. Proviso West  
 V wins 56-45

Monyek, 17 points

Butler, 9 points

Sarros, 9 points

Randle, 8 points

Amegadjie, 4 points

Howe, 4 points

Conley, 3 points

Cernugel, 2 points

### Bowling, boys

Jan. 19 @ IHSA regional

V places 6th with 5,109 pins

Fellows, 1,158

Thomas, 1,023

Molfese, 978

Evans, 943

Paulson, 875

Lue, 132

### Bowling, girls

Jan. 21 @ Downers South

V loses 2,440-3,078

Harvey, 494

Weber, 438

McCarthy, 395

Riehle, 391

Baran, 366

Fuller, 356

Jan. 18 Red Devil Invite

V places 10th with 4,297 pins

Harvey, 1,076

Baran, 782

Jan. 17 @ Hornet Invite

V places 7th with 4,910 pins

Harvey, 14th, 1,028

Jan. 16 vs. Morton

V loses 2,603-2,901

Weber, 478

Harvey, 462

Venis, 462

Riehle, 421

Fuller, 402

Baran, 378

### Gymnastics, girls

Jan. 15 @ Glenbard West

V loses 132.75-142.6

### Hockey

Jan. 19 vs. Benet

V wins 6-1

Bergevin, goal

Dufort, goal

Ferrino, goal, assist

Karris, goal

Naphin, goal

Sweeney, goal

Laskowski, 2 assists

Dimitriou, assist

Haag, assist

Daly assist

V wins 6-1

Jan. 18 vs. LT

V wins 6-3

Araujo, goal

Daker, goal

Daly, goal

Karris, goal

Misicko, goal

Sweeney, goal

Haag, assist

Laskowski, assist

Montroy, assist

Jan. 17 vs. Maine

V wins 3-2 (shootout)

Ferrino, goal

Karris, goal

Sweeney, goal

Dufort, assist

### Swimming, boys

Jan. 18 @ New Trier Invite

V places 6th with 143 points

200-yard freestyle

Jin, 19th, 1:56.02

B. Ozgen, 25th, 2:00.03

200-yard IM

Benington, 4th, 2:00.64

Daw, 11th, 2:06.59

50-yard freestyle

E. Ozgen, 19th, 23.28

Gilbert, 22nd, 23.47

100-yard butterfly

Tischke, 8th, 55.27

Lahmann, 9th, 55.93

100-yard freestyle

Cochlan, 18th, 51.21

Gilbert, 21st, 52.06

500-yard freestyle

Carter, 18th, 5:10.23

Jin, 24th, 5:24.23

100-yard backstroke

Benington, 4th, 54.15

Lahmann, 8th (tie), 55.25

100-yard breaststroke

Cho, 4th, 1:02.46

Song, 15th, 1:04.45

Jan. 16 @ LT

200-yard medley relay

Lahmann, Cho, Cochlan,

E. Ozgen, 1st, 1:37.88

Benington, Fix, Tischke, B.

Ozgen, 3rd, 1:41.94

200-yard freestyle

A. Daw, 2nd, 1:51.33

Shvydkoy, 4th, 1:52.07

Jin, 6th, 1:56.6

200-yard IM

Cochlan, 1st, 2:03.65

Bokos, 2nd, 2:07.24

Song, 6th, 2:15.85

50-yard freestyle

E. Ozgen, 4th, 23.17

B. Ozgen, 5th, 23.29

Gilbert, 6th, 23.47

1-meter diving

Kassir, 3rd, 169.5

Furlong, 4th, 169.3

100-yard butterfly

Lahmann, 1st, 54.35

Cochlan, 2nd, 54.36

Carter, 5th, 57.61

100-yard freestyle

Benington, 2nd, 48.83

B. Ozgen, 5th, 51.54

Jin, 6th, 51.79

500-yard freestyle

Bokos, 1st, 5:01.81

Carter, 3rd, 5:07.48

Shvydkoy, 4th, 5:08.36

200-yard freestyle relay

Cochlan, E. Ozgen,

Tischke, A. Daw, 2nd,

1:29.23

Gilbert, B. Ozgen, Fix, Jin,

4th, 1:32.57

100-yard backstroke

Lahmann, 1st, 55

Benington, 2nd, 55.44

S. Daw, 5th, 59.09

100-yard breaststroke

Cho, 1st, 1:01.52

A. Daw, 5th, 1:03.59

Song, 6th, 1:04.76

400-yard freestyle relay

Benington, Tischke,

Lahmann, A. Daw, 2nd,

3:17.46

Shvydkoy, E. Ozgen, Jin,

Gilbert, 3rd, 3:21.71

### Wrestling

Jan. 17 & 18 @ Batavia

Invite

V places 2nd with 117

points

106 pounds

Tavoso, 1st, 25 points

120 pounds

Andrew Perez, 4th, 13

points

126 pounds

Aaron Perez, 4th, 13

points

132 pounds

Skokna, 5th, 11 points

138 pounds

Song, 6th, 11 points

160 pounds

Aviles, 4th, 14 points

170 pounds

Kruse, 2nd, 22 points

182 pounds

Pyle, 6 points

195 pounds

Meyers, 2 points

## Instant replay



# SPORTS

## It's all downhill for these families

*Grieves, Risingers among Hinsdale residents who get a lift out of skiing*

By Ken Knutson

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Forget sun-drenched, sandy oceanside winter escapes. Head for the higher elevations, where a little windburn is harmless and precipitation is the desired forecast.

That's the perfect travel plan for some Hinsdale families this season, downhill ski enthusiasts that embrace the season of snow. We talked to the Grieves and the Risingers about the joy that rises within them as they descend the slopes.

### The Grieve family

Elizabeth Grieve, 15, finds such fulfillment in skiing that she's trying to evangelize her friends. She recently gave lessons to three of them, hoping to broaden her pool of slope companions.

"Now they kind of understand why every year we go to a colder place (for school breaks)," Elizabeth said.

She was introduced to the sport at about age 7 by her dad, Andrew, on a father-daughter excursion to the Rockies. With instruction, Elizabeth progressed quickly from green runs to black diamond and mogul courses. The combination of breathtaking scenery and exhilarating descents earned her devotion.

"It's really peaceful being out in the mountains," she said. "It's a really unique sport, and it's really rewarding because you can kind of go at your own pace."

Andrew didn't get serious about skiing until his early 30s. That's when a company trip brought him to the Rockies for the first time.

"I was really intimidated, having only been skiing ice in Wisconsin," he said. "I got out there for the first time and just fell in love with it. The snow is so much better, and I found it so much easier to learn."

A few years ago son Ethan, 9, joined in on the family fun. He said ski school set him on a solid foundation.

"I started doing greens, and I really liked it," Ethan said. "Just last year, I got poles and started doing blacks."

Andrew recounted the time thick fog obscured the course signs and he inadvertently took Ethan on his



**The Risingers, daughters** Marilyn (from left), Grace and Maggie, and parents Beth and David, enjoy their chairlift ride at Jackson Hole, Wyo., in 2016. The Grieves, dad Andrew (clockwise from top right), Ethan, Colin and Elizabeth, also make skiing a family affair. "We like active trips much more than sitting on a beach reading a book," Andrew said. (photo provided/Jim Slonoff photo)

first black diamond run.

"We found ourselves in the middle of the run, and we were like, 'This is pretty hard!' Andrew said, turning to Ethan. "But you made it, right?"

"I was a little scared," he admitted with a smile.

The family varies its destinations, having visited resorts in Colorado, Montana and Utah. Elizabeth said she's partial to Whistler, British Columbia, Canada.

"There's a great diversity in the terrain, and they almost always have really good snow," she said.

Mom Julie has gotten back into skiing in the last few years, and youngest son Colin, 6, has now started taking lessons.

Andrew said as much he enjoys skiing, he's come to relish the chairlift rides together just as much.

"It's 15 minutes of no phones and me and the kids, just time to ourselves to talk about whatever," he said.

Much like the binding on a ski, Julie said the sport has proven to cultivate strong links.

"As the kids grow up, it's an activity that they'll still be interested in," she said. "And it's something we can do together."

### The Risinger family

David Risinger grew up skiing the slopes of New England, making



the trek with his three brothers from their Connecticut home. His wife Beth, not acculturated to the world of skiing, quickly adopted the pursuit.

"We used to go up in the winter to Vermont, and she really grew to love it, even though she did not start skiing until she was 23," David said.

Before moving to Hinsdale six years ago from the East Coast, the couple and their three daughters would get the entire week of President's Day off.

"We started going out to Steamboat, Colorado, and they did ski school out there, and that's where they learned to ski," she said.

Today, Grace, 18, Marilyn, 17, and Maggie, 14, are all avid skiers.

"It's a great family experience because the kids get to challenge themselves, and everybody gets something out of it," David said.

Grace, a freshman at Bucknell University, said the weeklong ski school was no, uh, slalom in the park.

"I do remember being with all boys, and I was pretty intimidated. We skied pretty hard trails, but you learn so much," she said. "I didn't really understand how much how I was learning."

Maggie didn't take to skiing quite as readily. Beth remembers drop-

ping Maggie off at ski school only to get a call shortly thereafter about an inconsolable child.

"I just remember seeing her be absolutely miserable," she said. "It can be a challenge when the kids are young."

But Maggie's not miserable anymore. Even suffering a broken leg while skiing in 2016 wasn't a deterrent.

"It didn't scare me from skiing again," she said.

"It's wonderful to see it," Beth said of Maggie's development.

Beth said she's gone through a kind of skiing evolution herself, from living on the skier's edge before having kids to harboring fear of getting injured in mid-age. But now she's in a new phase.

"This past year I really enjoyed it again, and I'm anxious to ski again," she said. "I really like being outdoors. The air is so clean and crisp, and you are exercising."

The family is in agreement that middle daughter Marilyn, 17, wears the crown of most passionate skier. Grace said Maggie, who will attend Boston College next year, has already made their school break plans.

"I have a friend with a vacation house in Park City (Utah), and Maggie said, 'I don't care where you want to go for break, me and you, we're going to Park City,' "

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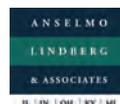
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