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Lunch and some dancing on the lawn — The village of Hinsdale and the Hinsdale Public Library continued their popular program this year at Burlington Park. Last Wednesday, Sarah Jayne Lane had the crowds singing and dancing to her popular hits such as, “It’s Only Broccoli and I Like It.” Cousins Ella Johnston and Hadley Johnston were among the kids who were all in. The series concludes Wednesday, Aug. 3, with Juggling Funny Stories. The performance begins at 12:30 p.m. (Jim Slonoff photo)



Supporting monarchs latest of woman’s many endeavors.

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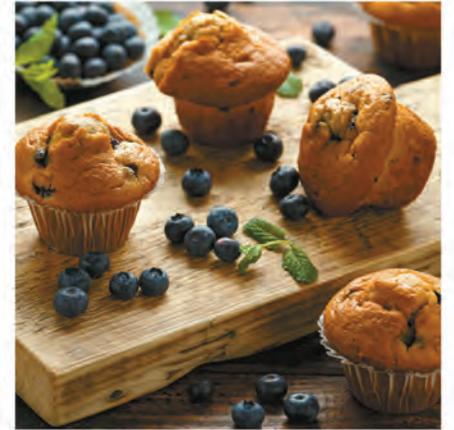
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NEWS

Legal expenses climb in village, D86

Lawsuits and FOIA requests cited as main reasons for legal fees in the six figures

By Pamela Lannom
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A lawsuit filed against the village by the Department of Justice and Trinity Sober Living has cost the village more than \$1.5 million, with more than \$689,000 billed this year.

"I feel bad about the size of the legal bills, but we are a defendant in these cases," Village President Tom Cauley told *The Hinsdalean*. "We didn't bring these cases."

Cauley hired Chicago powerhouse Winston & Strawn to defend the village in the case, which claims Hinsdale violated the Fair Housing Act by not allowing Trinity to operate a sober living house with 11 residents in the village.

Cauley emphasized that Trinity never came to the village seeking reasonable accommodations or a waiver from the zoning code.

"I think there's a really important principle at stake here — do villages have the ability to police their own residential single-family zoning districts?" Cauley said.

He acknowledged the three-year total is a "big number," but said some or all of the legal fees might be recovered by insurance. Working with Winston & Strawn is similar to choosing an out-of-network doctor.

"This is a litigation matter that I think deserves somebody who has done these kind of cases before," Cauley said.

The case constitutes the village's largest in terms of fees, but it is just one of the legal expenses the village incurs. Legal fees have ranged from \$773,787 in 2020 to \$665,492 in 2021 to a budgeted \$965,000 this year.

The village works with six different law firms to handle various tasks, including prosecution of local ordinances, labor negotiations, employment issues, towing impoundment hearings and Tollway expansion issues.

The village also is involved in a discrimination suit filed by the widower of firefighter/paramedic candidate Nicole Hladik, who took her own life in July 2020.

Before the case was filed, Cauley handpicked Eric Pruitt, a former federal prosecutor, to conduct an investigation into the matter at a cost of about \$103,000.

"You have to make sure you get to the bottom of it right away," Cauley said. "I want an independent assessment of if I have a problem or not."

The actual case, however, is being handled by attorneys from the Intergovernmental Risk Management Agency, and legal fees are being covered by insurance. Cauley said he has confidence in their ability to defend the village in the case.

District 86

Hinsdale Township High School District 86 spent about \$313,000 on legal fees through May. Totals for June, the final months of the fiscal year, are still being compiled. Legal bills last fiscal year totaled \$441,000.

"Overall, the total legal fees that we expend don't seem to fluctu-

ate that significantly," said Josh Stephenson, chief executive officer. The biggest variable costs are during teacher contract negotiations, he added.

The district's largest legal expense is incurred in responding to Freedom of Information Act requests. The district responded to 178 requests this fiscal year at a cost of \$96,259, according to data on the district's website. Since the 2017-18 fiscal year, the cost has ranged from \$11,816 to \$65,260.

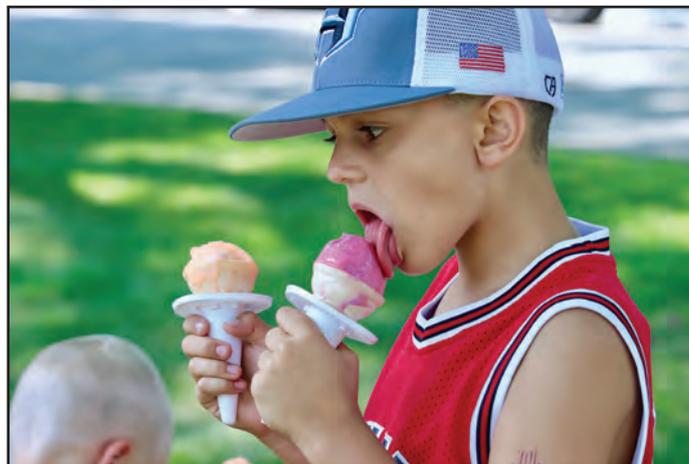
Of the 188 requests the district processed in the first six months of this calendar year, about 38 percent required assistance from Hodges Loizzi Eisenhammer Roddick & Kohn, said Deb Kedrowski, FOIA information office.

"This percentage is higher than in past years due to the complexity of the requests we've received and the increased scrutiny of our responses by community members, board members and the press," she said.

Legal counsel is involved when

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I scream, you scream, we all scream for Feinstein



Linda Feinstein brought smiles all around the neighborhood last week when she sponsored free Rainbow Cone ice cream at her Lincoln Avenue Signature Homes office. More than 500 cones kept everyone cool on the hot summer day. Henry Gasteviski keeps his eye on the prize. Sofia Castaledo and Brandon Oakrust find a shady spot to enjoy their treats. Brody Oukrust decided to not mix flavors on his cone. (Jim Slonoff photos)

ONCE UPON A TIME



This old gas station — This photo in Sandy Williams' book, "Images of America — Hinsdale," is of the space that up until recently was home to Dips and Dogs. "This 1930 station was built on the northwest corner of Garfield Avenue and First Street. Designed by Hinsdale architect R. Harold Zook, the station was built in the Georgian style encouraged at the time by the village plan commission. The station has recently been reinvented as a popular snack shop." Today much of the space is used for outdoor dining for Fuller House.

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Ballplayers find summer jobs on the field

From umpiring to tourney management, former Little Leaguers find work in game they love

By Sandy Illian Bosch
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Cameron Linn can't remember a summer that didn't involve baseball, but until last summer, his time on the field was spent strictly in front of home plate.

"I love being around baseball and Peirce Park," said Linn, who spent this summer not as a player, but behind the plate as an umpire for Hinsdale Little League's 7U, 8U and 9U games.

Players who complete their time on the 12-year-old Little League team are eligible to serve as umpires, and as a rising eighth-grader, Linn took the opportunity to spend more time on his beloved baseball field while also making a little extra money.

The role of umpire goes to whomever speaks first, Linn said. An online schedule tells umpires which games are available, which allows them to sign up for those that fit their schedules. Linn said he often checks the website about 20 minutes before

games, just in case someone has a change of plans. Games typically last no more than an hour, which leaves Linn plenty of time for other summer activities, including more baseball.

A member of a Hinsdale/Clarendon Hills travel league, Linn said he knew long ago that he would one day stand behind home plate. As this season's Little League season began, Linn and other would-be umpires attended a training session where they learned things like where to stand and how to properly tell a strike from a ball. Linn said balls and strikes look much different from the vantage point of the umpire.

"You see everything a lot differently," he said.

His first summer job has given Linn a new appreciation for the job of the umpire, and it affords him the flexibility he needs to continue playing baseball — something he has no plans of stopping.

"Umping makes me want to play more," he said.

■ SUMMER ROLES

This is another in a series of stories on summer jobs

Running the show

It's been years since Hunter Tonn played at Peirce Park, but his summers always are spent on the baseball field. An umpire for five seasons, including this one, the recent Hinsdale Central graduate also manages the Hinsdale Little League All-Star tournament at Peirce Park.

"I just kind of help run the whole tournament," he said. But first, he helps to prepare the park as a contender to host the games.

"There's a lot of parks that want to host these tournaments," Tonn said, so proper maintenance of the field is crucial.

The All-Star Tournament takes place at Peirce Park throughout the last three weeks of July, starting with 12-year-old district games during the second week of July, 11-year-old districts



Whether he's playing or serving as the game's umpire, Cameron Linn of Hinsdale said Peirce Park is one of his favorite places to be. (Jim Slonoff photos)



Recent Hinsdale Central graduate Hunter Tonn is headed to the University of Tennessee, but he said he would welcome the chance to return to his job as All-Star Tournament manager next summer.

during the third week, and 11-year-old substate games during the final week of the month.

As tournament manager, Tonn keeps in touch with all of the participating teams and provides them with all of the information they need. During games he's responsible for things like counting pitches and seeing that the rules are properly followed.

"I make sure they're all getting their playing time," he said.

Tonn said the job of tournament manager requires good communication and comes with a good deal of responsibility. If a game is canceled due to weather, it's up to him to relay that message.

"I've spent my whole life in baseball," Tonn said, and he knows what these games mean to the players, coaches and parents.

"This is really important to them, and I'm playing an important role," he said. That's something Tonn said he never forgets.

NEXT WEEK

Hinsdale High School District 86 Board

6 p.m. Thursday, July 28
D86 Transition Center
16W361 S. Frontage Road, Suite 126, Burr Ridge
<https://d86.hinsdale86.org>

Convicted murderer in Hinsdale woman's death denied appeal

The man convicted of murdering Hinsdale's Andrea Urban in 2017 will remain in prison for the rest of his life.

The Second District Appellate Court of Illinois has affirmed the sentence of natural life plus 45 years of Dominic Sanders, DuPage County State's Attorney Robert Berlin announced Tuesday. In his petition seeking either a reduced sentence or a new sentencing hearing, Sanders claimed the trial court did not adequately consider his rehabilitative potential when imposing his sentences.

On Jan. 24, 2020, following a nine-day trial, a jury found Sanders guilty of the first-degree murder of Urban on May 4, 2017. He was also convicted of home invasion as well as residential burglary for stealing two rings from Urban's home and fleeing the scene. Sanders was taken into custody three weeks later after being arrested on an unrelated Will County traffic violation.

The jury also found that the murder was exceptionally brutal or heinous indicative of wanton cruelty, and on June 20, 2020, Judge Brian Telander sentenced Sanders to natural life in prison without the possibility of parole for Urban's murder, 30 years for home invasion and 15 years for residential burglary. All three sentences will be served consecutively.

At his sentencing hearing, the state presented evidence of two incidents that occurred

while Sanders was in custody awaiting trial. One incident, characterized by the court as "a vicious, unprovoked attack," was against fellow inmate Steven Kelly, in which Sanders was "the main person involved." The second incident related to Sanders' attempt to destroy evidence against him. At sentencing, Telander characterized Urban's murder as "savagely violent, savagely vicious, utterly wicked and evil." Telander also found Sanders' criminal history to be "horrendous," stating "the public needs to be protected from you forever."

The appellate court disagreed with Sanders' assertions that the court abused its discretion at sentencing. In its decision, the court noted that "the viciousness of Urban's murder was seen again in Kelly's beating" and consequently, "the trial court reasonably found that defendant lacked rehabilitative potential."

"I thank the Appellate Court for their thorough analysis of this case and their finding that a sentence of natural life plus 45 consecutive years is not only appropriate, but warranted in this case," Berlin said. "The brutal, merciless murder of Andrea Urban destroyed a loving family and shook the entire community to its core. The Appellate Court's decision ensures that Mr. Sanders will spend the rest of his life behind bars, a sentence he has most certainly earned."

Slight drop in number of new COVID cases

The DuPage County Health Department reported 33 new cases of COVID-19 in Hinsdale over the past week, bringing the total number of cases in the DuPage County portion of Hinsdale to 3,928, compared to 3,895 last week. The Cook County

Health Department no longer reports on cases specific to Hinsdale.

The number of cases per 100,000 population in DuPage was 35.5 on July 19, compared to 40.5 on July 12. The community level remains high.

Indoor Sidewalk Sale

We can't really put fish outside for the Hinsdale Sidewalk Sale this weekend, but we do have some grilling tools that may come in handy, and we'll have some extra fresh specials as well, plus free tastes of some of our most popular salads and sides.

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Medical offices eyes vintage building

Historic preservation commissioners wants facade changes to honor Zook's original design

By Ken Knutson

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Celebrated Hinsdale architect R. Harold Zook only designed four buildings in the village's historic downtown. One of them, built in 1941 at 14 W. First St., began as a grocery store and was later Worline Studio, Tigers & Tulips boutique and most recently Work+Shop.

As part of a plan to open a beauty salon and medical office in the two-story Classical Revival-style structure. Dr. Michael and Kelly DeWolfe appeared before the historic preservation commission July 6 to present their design for changes to the building's facade, including replacing the front windows with new black windows as well as painting the shutters on the second floor black.

"The first floor will be more dedicated to beauty, skin care," DeWolfe said of his Elevare MD business. "The second floor will be a medical office."

Commissioners were accepting of the black windows and proposed black sign bands on the first floor but balked at that color extending to the upper level.

"I like the lighter color windows for the

second floor," Commissioner Jim Prisby said. "I want to protect the second level for what was the original intent of those architects."

Commissioner Bill Haarlow agreed, saying the proposed design would be out of character with its surroundings.

"When you look at that streetscape, there are not black windows on a second story on any building, except for the one immediately to the west, which is kind of dark brown," he said.

DeWolfe said archival images of the building were referenced for the look, which showed dark second floor windows and trim.

"Our true hope was, as we looked back at photos from when Worline was in there, to try to bring it back to that rendition," DeWolfe said, noting he lives in a 19th-century home and supports preservation.

Haarlow replied that the commission aims to protect Zook's vision.

"What we're trying to do is preserve the older integrity rather than replicating things that really shouldn't have ever been done in the first place," he said.

The 4,000-square-foot building is

listed as a contributing structure in the Downtown Hinsdale Historic District, according to the 2006 National Register of Historic Places. The first floor is currently vacant, and the second floor houses four apartments.

The original storefront and windows were reconfigured and replaced over the course of the last 80 years. Architect Ken Just of RWE Design Build told commissioners that an elevator also will be installed near the northwest corner of the building.

"We are putting an elevator a little back from the front entrance," Just stated.

The sign band over the main entrance will be painted black, and a matching sign will go over the building's secondary door, including the mouldings and dental patterns.

"I do like that you are putting something above that (secondary) doorway because, as it looks right now, it looks like something needs to be there," Commissioner Shannon Weinberger said.

The front display cabinet windows will be replaced with black windows, the doors will have a black finish and the tile



This rendering shows the proposed exterior alterations to the building at 14 W. First St., which was designed by R. Harold Zook and built in 1941. (image provided)

flooring in the alcove will be switched out for black porcelain pavers. None of the brick or limestone will be painted.

Commissioners voted unanimously to advance the application to the village's plan commission with the stipulation that the treatment of the second-floor window and trim be modified from black to a lighter color.

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POLICE BEAT

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Arrest for drug possession, DUI

Tim Griffin, 52, 816 S. Adams St., Westmont, was arrested for felony possession of controlled substance, driving under the influence of drugs, possession of drug paraphernalia and stopping on the roadway at 1:21 a.m. July 18 at Route 83 and 55th Street. The suspect was found asleep at the wheel stopped in the roadway. He was charged and taken to DuPage County Jail.

Arrest for suspended license, warrant

Unique S. Ingram, 21, 326 Swanton Road, Madison, Wis., was arrested for driving with a suspended license and improper display of registration at 11:49 p.m. July 13 at Ogden Avenue and County Line Road. Police also discovered the suspect had an active arrest warrant out of Kane County. She posted bond on the warrant and was assigned a court date and was cited for the traffic offenses and released to appear in court.

Vehicle stolen from garage

A vehicle was reported stolen at 1:56 a.m. July 17 while it was parked in his garage in the 5800 block of South Washington Street.

Vehicle burglarized in driveway

A vehicle was entered and rummaged through between 7 a.m. July 16 and 3 p.m. July 17 while it was parked on a driveway in the 100 block of Glendale Avenue. Nothing was reported missing from vehicle.

Fence damaged

A wooden fence was damaged on July 9 at Hinsdale Racquet Club, 5730 S. Grant St. The cost of repairs was estimated at \$150. The incident was reported July 14.

Identity theft reported

The identity of a resident of the 200 block of South Adams Street was used to open a credit card account on July 6. The incident was reported July 16.

Arrests do not constitute conviction of a crime, and individuals listed here should be presumed innocent until proven guilty. If charges are dismissed or reduced or the accused is found not guilty, he or she can contact The Hinsdalean at news@thehinsdalean.com to provide us with documentation. Information will be updated online and in the next issue of the paper.

D86 slates Aug. 4 job fair

Hinsdale High School District 86 is hosting a job fair from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 4, at Hinsdale Central High School, 55th and Grant streets.

The district is looking to fill the following openings for the 2022-23 school year:

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- substitute teachers. Earn \$150 per day.

All current vacancies can be found at <https://www.applitrack.com/d86/onlineapp/default.aspx>.

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■ “We watched the monarch go through the whole process. It’s really an amazing transformation.” — **Julie Boruff**

Boruff creates a friendlier place for butterflies

Creatures large and small have always found a welcome place in the home of Julie Boruff. Over the years she has raised dogs, nurtured an ant farm, offered shelter to a guinea pig and even welcomed a millipede named Frank. And that’s just inside the house.

Outside, Boruff has created a friendly space for monarch butterflies. The creation of an outdoor monarch habitat was part of the plan from the day the Boruffs broke ground on their Hinsdale home more than 10 years ago, Boruff said.

Boruff was introduced to the life cycle of the monarch when her girls, now a junior and senior in high school, attended Seton Montessori in Clarendon Hills. A friend and science teacher gave the family a small monarch habitat and they watched together as the caterpillar inside morphed into a monarch butterfly.

“We watched the monarch go through the whole process,” Boruff said. “It’s really an amazing transformation.”

Today, she’s not only attracting monarchs to her own backyard, but helping others to do so, too, through the Hinsdale Monarch Project. Each summer Boruff and her daughters, Maddie and Chelsea, construct

several self-enclosed habitats in which to raise monarch butterflies. Through the habitats’ clear sides, people can witness for themselves the transformation from caterpillar to chrysalis to butterfly.

Placed in public spaces such as the Hinsdale Public Library, The Community House and The Birches retirement community, the habitats are maintained by the Boruffs throughout the process.

“People just love it,” Boruff said.

The caterpillars in the public habitats come from eggs harvested from the Boruffs’ own garden.

“Unless you know what you’re looking for, they’re kind of hard to find,” Boruff said, but she and her family have no problem spotting the tiny orbs often found on milkweed plants.

The latest addition to the Hinsdale Monarch Project is a website by the same name. At <https://www.HinsdaleMonarchProject.org>, visitors can learn about the importance of the monarch butterfly and what they can do to support the species and other pollinators.

The overall message and mission of The Hinsdale



JULIE BORUFF

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Monarch Project is to teach people that they can have an impact on the monarch butterfly population and on the world around them.

“You can do small things to make a difference,” Boruff said. That’s something she practices not only in her own garden, but throughout the community.

While she no longer works as an accountant, Boruff finds ways to share her years of

experience both as a member of the Hinsdale Central High School Booster Board and as treasurer on the District 181 Foundation Board. She’s helped several other nonprofits, too, helping them to find and manage the tools they need to keep their numbers in proper order.

For several years Boruff also has helped to coordinate the Community Speakers Series

presented by Districts 181 and 86, finding experts to speak to parents about topics important to them and their children.

“I feel like I do have a full-time job volunteering,” Boruff said.

Like her mission to nurture the monarch population, it’s a job she intends to keep for as long as she can.

— story by Sandy Illian Bosch, photo by Jim Slonoff

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OPINION

EDITORIAL

Police working to keep crime low in Hinsdale

"Hinsdale is a low-crime community. It's not a no-crime community."

Hinsdale Police Chief Brian King says it so often, we think he should get the phrase trademarked.

But we understand the need for repetition. We've written more editorials than we can count reminding people not to leave their expensive cars unlocked in the driveway with a key fob and garage door opener inside.

And with the commercial burglaries of late, including break-ins to Jimmy John's, Starbucks, Wild Ginger and the Hinsdale Barber shop, and the theft of a clerk's personal credit cards from J McLaughlin, we see why he felt the need to utter the phrase yet again.

Regrettably, the days of feeling comfortable leaving one's keys in the car and the front door unlocked are long gone. Life has changed.

And so have criminals. They are bolder and

more brazen than ever before. The suspects who stole a safe and \$1,200 from Jimmy John's used a landscaping brick to break the window and then shattered the window at Starbucks by throwing a chair through it.

Armed robbers have accosted a Hinsdale postal worker and hit a luxury car dealership.

And Hinsdale is not alone. Crime is up across the region.

King offered this advice to merchants in a story in last week's paper: Call police about any suspicious activity and make sure the establishment's alarm system and video surveillance are working properly.

In the past, he's warned residents of the dangers of attempting to interrupt offenders stealing an automobile from the driveway. Many are armed. Stay inside and call 911.

Hinsdaleans can rest assured Hinsdale police are doing all they can to apprehend the individ-

uals responsible in the recent string of burglaries. They have leads in all four cases. They also have recovered the skeleton key stolen from a letter carrier at gunpoint May 9, and arrested an individual in connection with the June 16 robbery at Verizon.

Earlier this year two men responsible for the March 2017 armed robbery of Razny Jewelers were sentenced to 11 and 8 years in federal prison. That sends a message to other criminals who plan to target Hinsdale, King said at the time.

"Make no mistake. When violent crimes occur in Hinsdale, we will use all resources available from both the state and federal level to ensure the offenders are held accountable," King said.

On behalf of all residents, we thank King and the entire force for doing all they can to keep Hinsdale a low-crime community.

COMMENTARY

Signs, signs, everywhere there's signs

Signs provide us with all kinds of information.

"Slow, children playing" lets us know kids reside on a particular block. (Since kids live on many blocks that don't have such signs, these warnings also might indicate worried parents live on the block as well.)

Signs indicating downtown Hinsdale and the Robbins Park subdivision are on the National Register of Historic Places demonstrate the importance of the village's past to Hinsdaleans — or at least to those who are purchasing the signs.

Signs control traffic, alert us to the presence of schools and let us know when to get off the highway at lunchtime.

Signs also can make us laugh.

"Touching wires causes instant death. \$200 fine" reads one from the Newcastle Tramway Authority. (Hopefully the offender has at least \$200 in life insurance.)

"Whoever stole our AC units keep one — it is hot where you're going," says a sign from the Clays Mill Road Baptist Church.

One comedian — or wannabe — made the most of the early days of the pandemic on a sign that read:

"Due to the quarantine, I'll only be doing inside jokes."

The Parks, Recreation and Community Services Department in Redwood City, Calif., shows off its sense of humor in the fine print of a serious sign warning about coyotes.

"Call animal control if see you dangerous coyote activity such as: coyote carrying box marked 'ACME'," the sign reads, along with coyotes detonating explosives, holding "detour" signs or dropping anvils from hot air balloons.

I can't help but wonder how many people younger than I am will get the joke.

I saw a new one this past Sunday in Holland, Mich., as we walked down the main street, checking out some new restaurants. Many were empty, even though there were plenty of tourists in town. We looked at the posted hours on the doors.

"Closed Sunday, Monday for Church • Family • Football" they read.

I have long known about the



Pamela Lannom

Dutch influence on Holland, which is obvious not only from its name, but the Nelis' Dutch Village attraction, the Windmill Island Gardens and all the wooden shoes on signs around town.

I was not aware that Holland is known as the "City of Churches" or that there are 170

churches in the greater Holland area. Or that the city was founded as a haven for religious dissidents fleeing poverty, religious discrimination and social opprobrium in the Netherlands.

"The rhythms of life revolved around worship services, catechetical instruction and church societies," one historian wrote.

Apparently that still is true.

Football is also a serious enterprise in Michigan. Just ask a fan of the Detroit Lions — or try to invite one over for Thanksgiving dinner scheduled during the team's annual televised Turkey Day game. Or watch for the reaction if you think an acquaintance went to Michigan State and they really went to the University of Michigan.

And then there's family. I love my family, of course, but I have to wonder about its placement in the aforementioned lists, since you typically can see your family any day of the week. Maybe the original order was church-football-family, but it seemed kinder to list family second and football last.

Since I was hoping to dine at one of these Holland restaurants on a Monday, I was disappointed to see so many would be closed. But I have to admire the willingness to state your priorities, right there on the front door for all to see.

How much easier would life be if we all knew, up front, what those around us valued?

Like the zoo whose sign reads "If you fall, animals could eat you and that might make them sick."

Or an establishment called Smiths whose chalkboard sign offers this unique drink recommendation: "Come in and try the worst rum & coke that one guy on Yelp ever had in his life."

Honesty and a sense of humor? There's a place I'd like to frequent.

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

■ Or watch for the reaction if you think an acquaintance went to Michigan State and they really went to the University of Michigan.

OPINION

GUEST COMMENTARY

The center of the (football) world

Three years ago, I was looking to attend a college that felt like a step into the real world. I wanted to go to a place far from home. I wanted to meet new people who came from backgrounds different from mine. And I wanted an environment where people were filled with love and pride for their school and community.



Katie Hughes

hear people shout “Go Dawgs” and felt a pride for my school like I never had before. To make things even better, we were winning.

The days leading up to the National Championship game were exciting and intense. All

UGA students and fans were united by the hope and possibility of earning the title of National Champions after 41 years.

The night of the national championship was electric. Downtown Athens was a blur of people, and the air was filled with hope and desire, as if every fan was holding their breath. The second we knew we won, the whole town erupted. Champagne poured down on everyone like rain, cars were stopped in the middle of the streets and people climbed up on lamp posts to “call the Dawgs.” The streets were a sea of red and black as screams of victory filled the air. That night, strangers became friends, and we all felt like champions.

Thanks to UGA, I had an experience beyond my imagination. An experience that, before coming to Georgia, I never knew I wanted. At UGA, football is more than just a game. It’s a culture that brings people together.

Although I know UGA is only another step in my life preparing me for the future, that night, thanks to football, my new home felt like the center of the world.

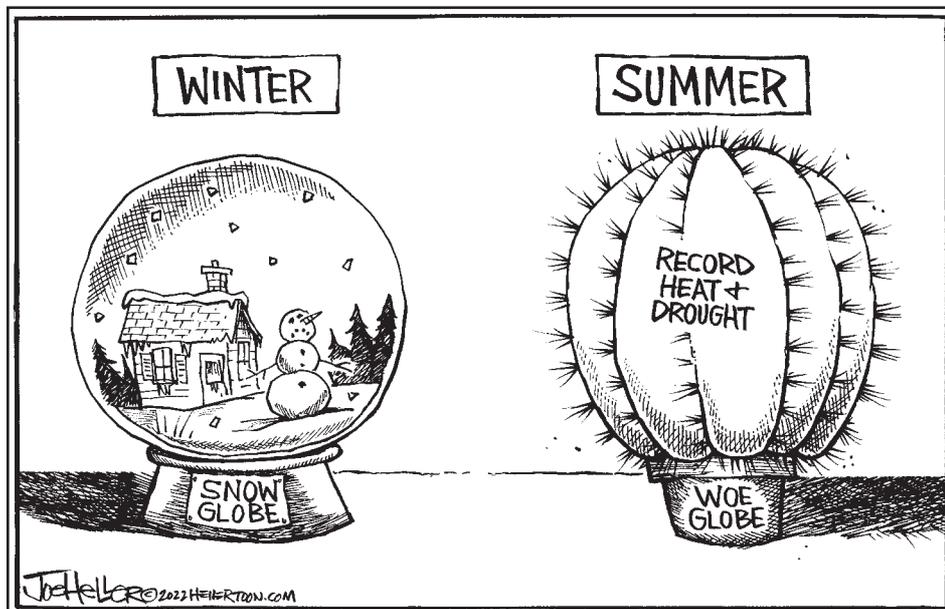
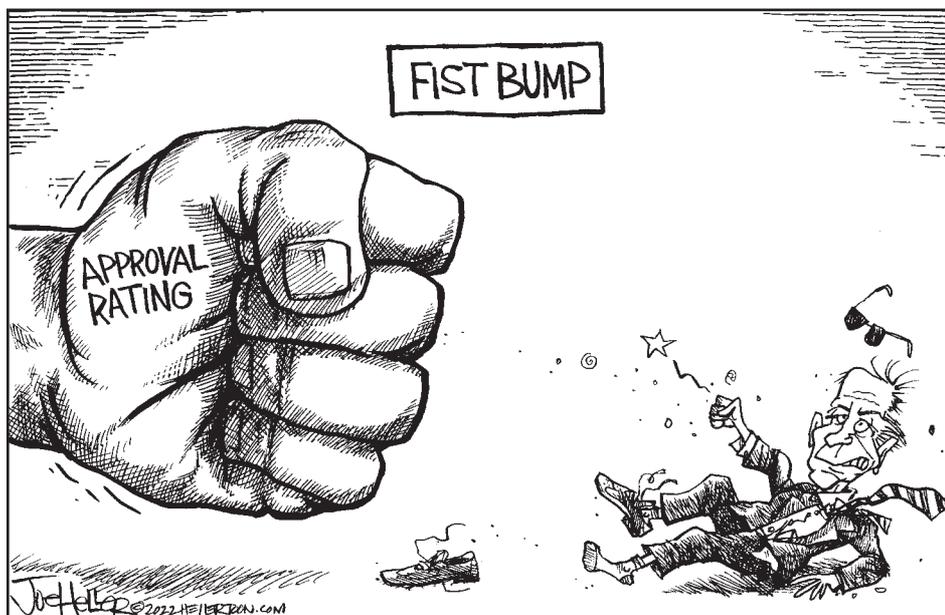
— Katie Hughes of Hinsdale is a guest columnist. Readers can email her at news@the-hinsdalean.com.

Attending the University of Georgia brought me everything I had been looking for — and then some. Going into my freshman year, I knew very few things about the place I would eventually call home. I knew the journalism school was great, the winters were warm and sorority recruitment was intense. Oh, and I knew the football team was good.

Growing up, I was an athlete and a sports fan, but football was barely on my radar. I learned very quickly that at a school like UGA, that just wasn’t going to fly. So I started tailgating every weekend and going to games with new friends. Every Saturday morning in October began with the team’s anthem, The Who’s “Baba O’Riley.” Although my freshman year wasn’t UGA football’s big year, by the end of the season, I had become a football fan.

This past year, the team was back and better than before. I had gone from someone who never thought twice about the sport to traveling to Charlotte to watch us beat Clemson. I went to every game I could, wore my UGA sweatshirt on airplanes just to

CARTOONS



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OBITUARIES

Karl C. "Oz" Ostrum

Karl C. "Oz" Ostrum, 79, of Montello, Wis., passed away on July 16, 2022, at the Crossroads Care Center in Weyauwega, Wis.

He was born in 1943 in Hinsdale to Karl and Jane Ostrum.

Karl grew up in Hinsdale and graduated from Hinsdale Township High School in 1961, after which he joined the United States Air Force and proudly served his country for four years. On April 25, 1970, he married Lynn Twichell at the Union Church in Hinsdale. Karl worked for Molex Inc. in Lisle as a shipping foreman for many years. In 1998, Karl and Lynn moved to Montello to enjoy their retirement years.

During those years, he worked at the White Lake Golf Course in Montello as a groundskeeper.

Karl was a Chicago Cubs and Bears fan. He enjoyed sports and was an avid golfer and bowler. When his son was younger, he also enjoyed coaching his baseball team.



Ostrum

He is survived by his son, George "Bill" (girlfriend Heather) Ostrum; his former daughter-in-law, Jennifer (boyfriend Eric) Ostrum; his stepdaughter, Julie Unger; his four grandchildren, Emma, Meredith, Caroline and Harry; his great-granddaughter, Paisley; his three brothers, Bill, George and Chuck; his sister, Ann Weldy; his two nieces, Myra (Steve) Herron and Caroline Ostrum; and many other relatives.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Lynn Ostrum.

A celebration of life will be held from 1 to 3 p.m. Sunday, July 31, at Mike and Cathy's Good Old Days, W995 W. North Shore Drive, Montello, Wis.

Wachholz and Sons Funeral Home and Sunset Cremation Center in Princeton handled the arrangements.

Visit <https://www.wachholzandsons.com> to send a condolence or to share a memory of Karl with his family.

Legal expenses climbing in village, D86

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requests involve information protected under the law, such as personal/private student or employee information, and documents that fall under attorney-client privilege, she said.

"We typically seek help from our legal counsel on requests involving emails in order to ensure that the use of exemptions or redactions not only complies with the law, but also balances the public's right to information with the right to privacy that is afforded to our students, staff and families," Kedrowski said.

Requests involving published documents such as a course syllabus or enrollment report typically do not involve legal assistance, she said.

She also noted the board recently changed some of its policies related to redactions on FOIA responses, which should help reduce legal fees.

The district also uses attorneys to review vendor contracts, review district policies, handle property tax appeals cases and for certain financial transactions, Stephenson said.

Lawyers are involved in some special education issues as well.

"It's really for more technical assistance, so if it's a complex situation, if there is a due process hearing, those kinds of complicated situations are when we might have an attorney involved," said Kari Smith, assistant superintendent of student services.

One other legal expense this fiscal year was an investigation conducted by Robbins Schwartz into an angry exchange between board members Erik Held and Jeff Waters following an Oct 28 board meeting. That bill was \$7,237.

District 181

Community Consolidated Elementary District 181 spent about \$136,000 in legal fees during the past fiscal year and has budgeted about \$140,000 for fiscal year 2023, said Rick Engstrom, assistant superintendent of business and operations.

"A lot of our legal fees these past two years are due to COVID," he said, noting the number of times new regulations were issued for students and/or staff. "Anytime something new came out, we were checking with our legal team."

Wanted: Contributing columnists

Interested writers who live in Hinsdale are invited to apply to be a contributing columnist for The Hinsdalean.

Contributing columnists write once every seven or eight weeks during the school year for two years. The paper has three openings, including a one-year term for a high school senior.

To apply, email a sample

column of 450 words along with ideas for three additional columns to editor Pam Lannom at plannom@thehinsdalean.com.

The ideas don't need to be detailed, but they are taken into account as part of the selection process.

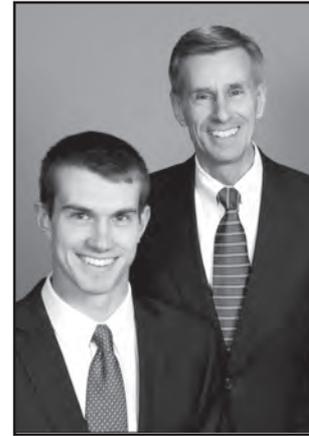
Please include your name, address and daytime phone number, along with a brief

bio and your motivation for applying.

Individuals seeking to publicize a business, organization or cause need not apply. Elected officials and employees of public bodies are not eligible, either.

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The deadline for submissions has been extended to Monday, Aug. 1.



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AL DIAZ, ASSISTANT VILLAGE ENGINEER

Words from a nun's lips to Al Diaz' ear cast the vision that would guide his professional life.

"I had a high school physics teacher — Sister Ellen, one of the few nuns that taught me at Nazareth Academy — and she pulled me aside and said, 'You know, you're a really good problem solver. Have you ever thought of civil engineering as a career?'" Diaz related.

He thought about it and then pursued it academically at Bradley University, foundational steps on a journey that would lead to Hinsdale, where he became assistant village engineer in 2007.

"Fifteen years — a lot of people do know my face," said the La Grange native, a result of many interactions he's had with residents over the years.

The relational part of his job is among the aspects Diaz enjoys the most, helping homeowners, colleagues and contractors reach workable solutions on sometimes thorny issues around road upgrades, new construction or flooding concerns.

"You have to be able to verbally communicate either the project

details or your ideas to any layperson," he explained. "You have to be able to read people so that you know how to talk to them."

At the start of extensive projects, Diaz said he conducts a comprehensive analysis to make sure workers can park, motorists have an alternate route and both can safely co-exist.

"I want to make sure people are getting to where they need to go and not getting caught up in a conflict with our contractors," Diaz said.

He acquired many of those skills in his first job with the Illinois Department of Transportation working on large-scale highway improvements.

"I went to IDOT for 10 years and kind of honed in on what civil engineers really need to know in the field," he said.

Longing for a more interpersonal dimension, he shifted to the municipal realm in Elmhurst and New Lenox. Instead of tackling one massive project, Diaz transitioned to juggling multiple items like water main repair, protecting trees from construction work and stormwater drainage. And making sure residents get their ques-

tions, and complaints, addressed.

"One of the biggest things that I learned is customer service: how to deal with people, how to talk with people. It's been educational," he said. "We know that if it gets to the point where you're calling the village, it's something serious."

Diaz has been able to diffuse conflicts between neighbors over property work, and he appreciates the lofty standards the village sets for staff.

"There's high expectations here for the level of service that we provide," he said.

Diaz encouraged residents to send him their home improvement plans beforehand to short-circuit any potential disputes and streamline the permit process.

"When we do go for submitting for permit, I've already looked at it once and I know what the plan is," he said.

The married father of two is proud of the profession he's chosen.

"I love coming to work, I love my job," he said. "This job is never boring."

— by Ken Knutson



Assistant village engineer Al Diaz will mark 15 years next month with Hinsdale's public services and engineering department. He said he particularly enjoys working with residents on solutions to construction challenges. (Jim Slonoff photo)



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GOOD NEWS

HOSPITAL EARNS RECOGNITION

AdventHealth Hinsdale and AdventHealth La Grange have received the American Heart Association's Silver Plus Get With The Guidelines — Stroke quality achievement award for their commitment to ensuring stroke patients receive the most appropriate treatment according to nationally recognized, research-based guidelines, ultimately leading to more lives saved and reduced disabilities.

With this recognition, the hospitals also received the Type 2 Diabetes Honor Roll award, for ensuring patients with Type 2 diabetes, who might be at higher risk for complications, receive the most up-to-date, evidence-based care when hospitalized due to stroke.

Stroke is the No. 5 cause of death and a leading cause of disability in the U.S. A stroke occurs when a blood vessel that carries oxygen and nutrients to the brain is either blocked by a clot or bursts. When that happens, part of the brain can't get the blood and oxygen it needs, so brain cells die. Early stroke detection and treatment are key to improving survival, minimizing disability and accelerating recovery times.

Get With The Guidelines puts the expertise of the American Heart Association and American Stroke Association to work for hospitals nationwide, helping ensure patient care is aligned with the latest research- and evidence-based guidelines. Get With The Guidelines — Stroke is an in-hospital program for improving stroke care by promoting consistent adherence to these guidelines, which can minimize the long-term effects of a stroke and prevent death.

"AdventHealth is committed to improving patient care by adhering to the latest treatment guidelines," said Caitlin Huseth, AdventHealth stroke program manager. "Get With The Guidelines makes it easier for our teams to put proven knowledge and guidelines to work on a daily basis, which studies show can help patients recover better. The end goal is to ensure more people in our community can experience longer, healthier lives. This recognition demonstrates our commitment to providing the highest quality of stroke care to our patients."

MONROE PARTNERS WITH ROTARY CLUB

Monroe School and its Monarch Butterfly Way Station were the backdrop for the signing of a new Pollinator Resolution between Rotary International and Community Consolidated Elementary District 181. The school was already honored as a 2018 Green Ribbon School by the U.S. Department of Education for its environmental curriculum and Outdoor Living classroom.

The signing of the resolution was designed to promote environmental efforts and Rotary International's Operation Pollination. On hand was U.S. National Parks Ranger Chris Stein, who heads up the national Rotary International Operation Pollination as well as District 181 Superintendent Hector Garcia and representatives from Rotary International Districts 6450 and 6440, the Illinois & Michigan Canal National Heritage Area, the Calumet National Heritage Area and the Bronzeville-Black Metropolis Heritage Area.

BPA TEAM DOES WELL AT NATIONALS

Hinsdale Central had a strong showing at the national competition organized by the Business Professionals of America, earning nine top 15 finishes in their individual events, including two national championships. Below is a summary of their accomplishments.

- Athena Koulouris, first place/national champion, basic office systems and procedures
- Chris Cavero, Jack Erickson, Sam Chung and Ani Girish, second place, financial analyst team
- Annette Ciupek, sixth place in advanced interview skills
- Cassidy Smith and Samantha Leddy, sixth place, broadcast news production
- Shaahan Shafi, eighth place, ICD-10-CM medical diagnostic coding, 11th place, health insurance and medical billing
- Aira Chaudhary, 10th place, presentation management individual
- Arnima Agrawal and Rama Bhagwat, 11th place, podcast production team
- Zhitong Zhu, 16th place, business law and ethics

Janelle Hoeksema and Ken Shum are the team's faculty sponsors.

PARTNER RETIRES FROM HERITAGE

Heritage Professional Associates LTD has announced the retirement of one of its founding partners, Dr. Keith Baird, on June 1.

Baird served the Hinsdale community for more than three decades in his role as clinical psychologist and business leader. He graduated with a PhD from Loyola University in 1985. In 1990, Dr. Baird, alongside two other psychologists, had a vision of creating a large multidisciplinary group mental health practice to relieve clinicians of the increasing demands of tasks taking them away from what they loved to do.

"Most clinicians are really good at working with people. Not all are very good at business," he said. "We stepped into the gap, and it worked successfully. We started out with a total of five employees including support staff. Today we are more than 10 times that size across multiple locations in the Chicagoland area."

Baird has made a significant contribution to the field. In addition to his practice of psychotherapy and psychological testing, he also published in the area of ethics and served 12 years on the ethics committee of the Illinois Psychological Association. He taught advanced ethics and professional issues in the doctoral program at Wheaton College for 12 years and has supervised clinical training of doctoral students throughout his career. He has given numerous lectures locally and nationally and has advocated in Washington, DC, for the profession of psychology and the interests of those living with mental health conditions.

Baird said he will miss working with his clients. "I've seen some terrible suffering that I will long remember. And I have also seen some incredible resilience and heroics as people have overcome adversity, mental health problems, strained relationships and setbacks, losses, and unimaginable grief," he said. "It has truly been an honor and a deep privilege to be with people through these powerful moments."

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Four short weeks of long rehearsals will culminate Friday, July 29, as the 45 members of the Stage Door Fine Arts cast present “High School Musical 2” at The Community House. The musical is based off a Disney film of the same name. (Jim Slonoff photos)

Actors relive childhood Disney favorite

Stage Door Fine Arts ‘High School Musical 2’ a fun but challenging musical for cast

By Sandy Illian Bosch
news@thehinsdalean.com

In the Stage Door Fine Arts production of “High School Musical 2,” actors Libby Larson and Tess McArdle play a pair of rivals with a mutual interest in a handsome young man. In real life, the girls are longtime friends about to share the Stage Door Fine Arts stage for the final time.

“I’m a little sad, because it’s Libby’s last show,” said McArdle, who plays the show’s antagonist, Sharpay. She and Larson have shared the stage since they appeared as ensemble members in “Peter Pan” in 2014.

Both Larson and McArdle said they were excited to hear that one of their favorite movies from childhood had been chosen as this summer’s Stage Door show. It gives McArdle the chance to sing her favorite song from the show, “Fabulous,” while Larson showcases her talent in “Gotta Go My Own Way.”

Like so many children of the

2000s, Larson enjoyed all three “High School Musical” movies and thought she knew them by heart. But as she prepared to play the show’s lead character, Gabriella, she realized she had much more to learn.

“The actual vocals of it are pretty tough,” she said. But Larson said she likes a challenge.

“It’s actually really difficult music,” Director Don Smith agreed.

Even he didn’t expect such intricate harmonies when choosing “High School Musical 2” as this summer’s show. But Smith said his cast of 45 have worked hard and are ready to present an impressive production.

“It’s just really great music,” he said, set to an “over-the-top” story told by colorful characters.

The stage rendition of the 2007 Disney movie takes place on the last day of the characters’ junior year of high school. The main characters all get jobs at the local country club, where the story, romance and drama unfold. Sharpay

schemes to steal heartthrob Troy (played by Nathan Frewen) from Gabriella.

Taking a movie from screen to stage poses challenges that go beyond music, Smith said. Rather than construct sets for the many different locations included in the show, Stage Door has employed video to help set the scene for places like the country club, pool, beach, golf course and pro lounge.

The road to opening night began just a month ago. Following auditions on June 27, the cast began rehearsing for several hours every weekday in preparation for opening night on July 29.

Several roles, including Gabriella and Sharpay, are double cast. That means that in addition to their lead roles, Larson and McArdle had to learn music, dancing and blocking as part of the show’s ensemble. It’s a lot to learn in just four weeks, and it’s an experience that Larson and McArdle agree teaches them much more than how to sing, dance and act on stage.

McArdle said she’s learned how

to work in a group, how to take direction and how to manage multiple things at once. Whether she pursues theater beyond high school or not, McArdle said Stage Door has prepared her for her future.

Larson said it’s been fun reliving a bit of her childhood as she prepares to leave for college. And while her immediate plans don’t include theater, she said her years at Stage Door have given her the confidence and assertiveness she needs to tackle her next challenges. That’s the goal of Stage Door, Smith said. Its mission is to teach children the tools of performance while also teaching them tools for life.

“There’s a very educational side to it,” he said.

And of course, the theater always aims to present a great show for its audience.

“High School Musical 2” will be performed at The Community House in Hinsdale Friday to Sunday, July 31. Turn to Page 22 for details.

GAME ON

■ Hoops Dream Camp

July 25 & 27
217 W. 55th St.
venmo@Kathleen-Phillips-13

Fifth- through eighth-graders will enjoy basketball and swimming at this camp led by Hinsdale Central team members Emerson Eck, Evan Phillips and Jack Trainer. A certified lifeguard will be on duty. Register using the Venmo account listed above, including the child's name and age and parent's email and cell phone number. All proceeds will be donated to the BrookTonn Foundation. Time: 10 a.m. to noon. Cost: \$40.

■ 3-on-3 Basketball Tourney

Aug. 13
The Community House
415 W. Eighth St., Hinsdale
<https://www.thecommunity-house.org/3on3/>

Males and females from fourth grade to adults are invited to play in this outdoor tournament (some age divisions will play indoors). Winners

of each age division will win prizes. Teams are guaranteed at least two games, and players receive a T-shirt and water. Food will be available for purchase and there will be activities for kids. Proceeds benefit The Community House. Register by Aug. 7. Time: 8:30 a.m. tip-off. Cost: \$200 per team before Aug. 1, \$220 after. RR

GREAT OUTDOORS

■ Tree ID Hike

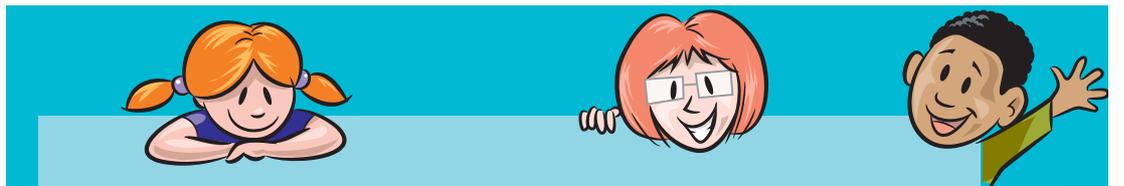
July 23
Sagawau Environmental Learning Center
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<https://www.fpdcc.com>
(630) 257-2045

Hike with a naturalist to learn the features and characteristics used to identify trees along the trails. The program is for ages 12 and up. Time: 10 a.m. RR

■ Morning Moths

July 24
Sagawau Environmental Learning Center

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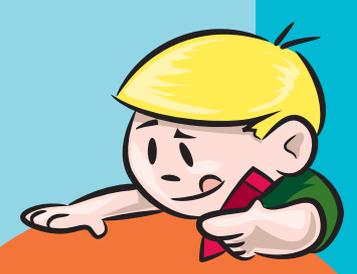
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12545 W. 111th St., Lemont
<https://www.fpdcc.com>
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Because moths are active at night, they often go unseen. Learn to observe and identify these camouflaged beauties. The program is for ages 12 and up. Time: 9 a.m. RR

■ **Drumming Circle**

July 25
 Fullersburg Woods
 3609 Spring Road, Oak Brook
<https://www.dupageforest.org>
 (630) 206-9566

Drum with others to celebrate the warm weather. Bring a drum or borrow a homemade percussion instrument. No experience is necessary. The program is for ages 12 and up. Time: 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. Cost: \$5. RR

■ **Summer Prairie Walk**

Aug. 1
 James "Pate" Philip State Park
 2050 W. Stearns Road, Bartlett

<https://www.dupageforest.org>
 (630) 933-7248

Stretch your legs, get some fresh air, and appreciate the colorful late-summer blooms of the prairie on this leisurely one-to two-mile guided walk. The program is for ages 12 and up. Time: 10 to 11 a.m. Cost: \$5. RR

GREEN THUMB

■ **Mushroom Identification**

July 26
 Hinsdale Public Library
 20 E. Maple St.
<https://www.hinsdalelibrary.info>
 (630) 986-1976

Learn the basics of mushroom identification and become more familiar with the major mushroom groups, including cap and stipe features, how to use a key, making a spore print and more. This class is taught by Hunter Le Duc, certified as a Wild Mushroom Expert by the Michigan Department of Agriculture and Rural Development. Time: 7 to 8 p.m. RR

HEALTH & WELLNESS

■ **Managing Shoulder Dysfunction after Breast Cancer**
 July 28

<https://www.wellnesshouse.org>
 Breast cancer rehabilitation specialist Kara Lyons will talk about why shoulder pain and mobility issues occur after breast cancer treatment and ways to be proactive in avoiding shoulder limitations in this online Wellness House program. Time: 7 to 8:30 p.m. RR

HELP WANTED

■ **Wellness House volunteers**
<https://www.wellnesshouse.org>
 (630) 323-5150

Hinsdale-based Wellness House, supporting those on the cancer journey, is looking for volunteers to help at the front desk, at The Courtyard consignment shop in downtown Hinsdale on Saturdays, as cosmetologists/coordinator at the salon, in database support, and

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JUST FOR KIDS

■ Folies-Bergere La Loie Fuller

July 21
Hinsdale History Museum
15 S. Clay St.

Join the Hinsdale Historical Society for Folies-Bergere, a celebration of local heroine and international dance phenomenon Louie Fuller. Enjoy interactive dance lessons with West Suburban Ballet Conservatory, crafts and games. Pizza by the slice and sweets will be available for purchase. Activities are geared toward kids ages 2-12 but all are welcome. Time: noon to 2 p.m.

LISTEN & LEARN

■ Paranormal Illinois

July 27
Hinsdale Public Library
20 E. Maple St.
<https://www.hinsdalelibrary.info>
(630) 986-1976

Paranormal researcher Chad Lewis will lead a ghostly journey to some of the most bizarre places in Illinois while talking about UFOs, ghosts and monsters. From phantom creatures prowling the woods to UFOs hovering in the sky, enjoy this guide to the weird, haunted and unusual places in the state. The program is offered both in-person and virtually. Time: 7 to 8 p.m. RR

■ Community Conversation: Chief of Police

Aug. 2
Hinsdale Public Library
20 E. Maple St.
<https://www.hinsdalelibrary.info>
(630) 986-1976

Hinsdale Police Chief Brian King will provide his perspective on crime and trends being seen in Hinsdale, regionally and in the greater metropolitan area. He will discuss how criminal justice agencies, including the Hinsdale Police Department, are evolving to meet those challenges. A Q&A will follow the discussion. Time: 7 to 8:15 p.m. RR

■ Fall in Western Massachusetts

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

Voyagers Travel Discussion Club hosts this guide to the Berkshires of Western Massachusetts as the perfect backdrop for fall, with breathtaking color combined with outstanding museums, interesting culture and delicious food. Learn about the region's hot spots as well as a few hidden gems. This program is presented in-person and virtually. Time: 7 to 8 p.m. RR

NOTEWORTHY

■ Family Fiesta

July 24
Lakeside Pavilion
College of DuPage
425 Fawell Blvd., Glen Ellyn
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performances by Mariachi Monumental de Mexico and Aurora's Ballet Folklorico Quetzalcoat, led by director and choreographer Juan Manuel "Nery" Cruz. The concert is part of the Lakeside Pavilion Free Outdoor Summer Series. Time: 2 p.m.

■ **Kenny Garrett**
July 28

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

Grammy-Award winning saxophonist Kenny Garrett will draw on his illustrious 30-year career, including stints with Miles Davis, Art Blakey, Donald Byrd, Woody Shaw and the Duke Ellington Orchestra. The concert is part of the WDCB Jazz Series/Lakeside Pavilion

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Time: 7:30 p.m.

ON SCREEN

■ **Movies on the Lawn**
Wednesdays through Sept. 7
The Lawn at Oakbrook Center
100 Oakbrook Center, Oak Brook
<https://www.oakbrookcenter.com>

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films from fan favorites to newer releases in an outdoor setting. Each night of the series will also include lawn games the whole family can enjoy. "Cruella" (PG) will be shown July 27. Time: 7 p.m.

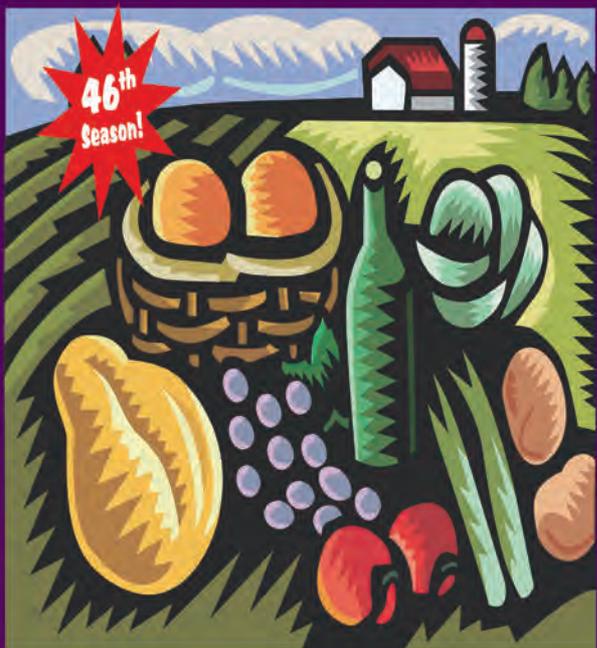
ON STAGE

■ **'High School Musical 2'**
July 29-31
The Community House
415 W. Eighth St., Hinsdale

<http://www.stagedoorfinearts.com>

On the last day of junior year, the East High gang can't wait to get the summer started. Troy gets them all jobs at Lava Springs Country Club, owned by the father of popular girl Sharpay, who aims to steal Troy's heart from Gabriella. Everything comes to a head at the talent show, where the

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group has to remember their motto: "All for one, and one for all." Times: 7 p.m. July 29, 2 & 7 p.m. July 30, 2 p.m. July 31. Tickets: \$25.

■ **'The Music Man'**

July 29-31
Theatre of Western Springs
4384 Hampton Ave.
<https://www.theatreofwesternsprings.com>
(708) 246-4043

The CTWS High School Rep summer campers, alongside some younger students for a grand cast of more than 40 kids and teens, will perform this cherished treasure of American musical theater. Time: 7 p.m. July 29, 2 & 6 p.m. July 30, 2 p.m. July 31. Tickets: \$15.

■ **'Descendants: The Musical'**

Aug. 4-6
Avenue Auditorium
5750 Holmes Ave., Clarendon Hills
<https://www.bamtheatre.com>

BAMtheatre's Youth Theatre Summer Mainstage presents this comedy musical based on the popular Disney Channel movies set in the present-day kingdom of Auradon, where all of Disney's beloved heroes and royalty are living happily ever after. That is until the children of Maleficent, the Evil Queen, Cruella De Vil and Jafar are given a chance at redemption by attending Auradon Prep with the children of their parents' sworn enemies. Times: 7 p.m. Aug. 4 & 5, 11 a.m. & 3 p.m. Aug. 6. Tickets: \$25-\$29.

SPECIAL EVENTS

■ **Hinsdale Sidewalk Sale**

July 22-23
Downtown Hinsdale
Shop great deals on the sidewalks of Hinsdale's central business district at this annual Hinsdale Chamber of Commerce event. Hours 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

■ **Recycling event**

July 23
Lyons Township High School South Campus
4900 Willow Springs Road, Western Springs
<https://repdurkin.com>
State Rep. Jim Durkin (R-82, Western Springs) and state Sen. John Curran (R-41, Downers Grove) will host this event to collect used items such as electronics, computers and accessories, mobile phones, flags,

holiday light strands, bikes, prescription drugs and more. TVs, CRTs, monitors, hard drives, clothing and household items will not be accepted. Hours: 8:30 to 11:30 a.m.

■ **Book sale**

July 23 & 25-26
Clarendon Hills Library
7 N. Prospect Ave.
<https://www.clarendonhillslibrary.org>
(630) 323-8188

Shoppers may purchase a bag from the library and fill it with as many gently used books for adults, young adults and children as will fit. Book donations that meet library guidelines will be accepted before the sale; no more than one box of donations per person can be accepted. Hours: 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. July 23, 9:30 a.m. to 8:30 p.m. July 25 & 26. Cost: \$10 bags July 23 & 25; \$5 bags July 26.

SUMMER SERIES

■ **Uniquely Thursdays**

Through Aug. 18
Burlington Park
30 E. Chicago Ave.
<https://www.hinsdalechamber.com>

Head to Burlington Park for the 20th season of this concert series, sponsored by the Hinsdale Chamber of Commerce and AdventHealth Hinsdale. Food trucks will be

on site and the chamber will sell beer and wine. Tonight Billy Elton will pay tribute to the music of Billy Joel and Elton John. Time: 6 to 9 p.m.

■ **Hinsdale Farmer's Market**

Mondays through Oct. 31
Chicago Avenue from Garfield to Washington
<https://www.hinsdalechamber.com>

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TEENS & TWEENS

■ Teen Switch Up Saturdays

July 23
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(630) 986-1976

Drop in to play some Switch games at the library. Players can bring their personal Switch handhelds or use the library's console. Hours: 1 to 4 p.m.

■ Teen Summer Painted Planter

July 26
Hinsdale Public Library
20 E. Maple St.
<https://www.hinsdalelibrary.info>
(630) 986-1976

Teens are invited to beautify their space with a painted planter and succulent. Time: 2 to 3 p.m. RR

■ Teen Perler Bead Craft

Aug. 3
Hinsdale Public Library
20 E. Maple St.
<https://www.hinsdalelibrary.info>
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Use different colored Perler beads to create whatever design strikes the imagination. Time: 2 to 3 p.m.

WINE & DINE

■ Conscious Cocktails with Frankly Vodka

July 27
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<https://www.thecommunityhouse.org>
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SUMMER CAMPS

ART CAMPS

■ Ev Fine Arts Sewing Camp

Aug. 1-5
The Community House
415 W. Eighth St., Hinsdale
<https://www.thecommunity-house.org>
(630) 323-7500

Students ages 7-14 work on a different project each day and showcase their work in a fashion show at the end of the week. The atmosphere is fun and light-hearted, and all levels of experience are welcome. Sewing machines will be provided. An additional session is set for Aug. 8-12. Time: 9 a.m. to noon. Cost: \$425. RR, MD

■ Summer Arts Camps

Through Aug. 19
The Community House
415 W. Eighth St., Hinsdale
<https://www.thecommunity-house.org>
(630) 323-7500

Step into a time machine in the Art Studio and explore the art and culture of yesterday and today while imagining what the world will become tomorrow. Three themed weeks (past/

present/future) run three times each throughout the summer, featuring painting, sculpture and mixed media projects. The camp is for ages 5 to 13. Campers also can sign up for an individual day. Time: 9 a.m. to noon. Cost: \$225/week, \$50 a day. RR, MD

BAKING CAMP

■ Baking Camp

Aug. 8-12
The Community House
415 W. Eighth St., Hinsdale
<https://www.thecommunity-house.org>
(630) 323-7500

This Whole Child Learning camp for ages 5 to 12 will teach participants the basics of baking as they measure, mix and knead their way to tasty treats. Kids will sample their creations and take some home, too. Time: 9 a.m. to noon. Cost: \$380. RR, MD

CODING CAMPS

■ Stop Motion Animation

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Aug. 1-5
Code Ninjas
842 E. Ogden Ave.,
Westmont
(630) 789-7090
<https://www.villageofhinsdale.org>

Campers ages 8-14 will learn stop motion animation production through a variety of mediums, including Claymation, pipe cleaner creatures and more. Kids will capture images frame by frame and produce videos in a rapid prototyping style. Time: 12:30 to 3:30 p.m. Cost: \$299. RR

■ Become a You Tuber

Aug. 8-12
Code Ninjas
842 E. Ogden Ave.,
Westmont
(630) 789-7090
<https://www.villageofhinsdale.org>

Kids ages 8-14 will advance their coding skills and learn vlogger skills, including designing unique channel art, profile pictures and video thumbnails. They also will be guided

through how to record, edit and upload videos. Time: 12:30 to 3:30 p.m. Cost: \$299. RR

■ Intro to Web Development

Aug. 15-19
Code Ninjas
842 E. Ogden Ave.,
Westmont
(630) 789-7090
<https://www.villageofhinsdale.org>

Kids ages 11-14 will learn about creative website development by building their own website and fan page. They will work on various project prompts and gain a fundamental understanding of HTML and CSS. Time: 12:30 to 3:30 p.m. Cost: \$299. RR

MUSICAL THEATER CAMPS

■ Stage Door Musical Theater Acting Camp

Aug. 1-5
The Community House
415 W. Eighth St., Hinsdale
<https://www.thecommunityhouse.org>
(630) 323-7500

In one week, campers in sixth through 12th grade will

develop a show complete with song, dance, solo work and ensemble performance. The week will focus on famous shows, actors and composers with numbers from Broadway favorites. A camp for first-through fifth-graders is set for 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. Aug. 8-12. Time: 1 to 4 p.m. Cost: \$255. RR, MD

■ BAMtheatre 'Newsies' Camp

Aug. 8-19
<https://www.bamtheatre.com>

Kids ages 7 to 16 can sign up for this two-week camp focused on "Newsies." The camp will take place in Hinsdale or Clarendon Hills and culminate with a production. Times: vary per camp and per session. Time: 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. Tuition: \$465. RR

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■ 5 Star Soccer Camp

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**VILLAGE OF HINSDALE
NOTICE OF PLAN
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PUBLIC HEARING**

**PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY
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the Village of Hinsdale Plan
Commission shall conduct a
public hearing on Wednesday,
August 10, 2022 at 7:30 p.m.
in the Memorial Building,
19 East Chicago Avenue,
Hinsdale, Illinois for the purpose
of considering an application
from VetChart, LLC for a Special
Use Permit to allow for the
operation of a pet hospital
(Veterinary Services for
Animal Specialties - SIC Code
0742) at 101 W. Chestnut
Street located in the B-1
Community Business District.
The applicant is also requesting
concurrent approval of an
Exterior Appearance and Site
Plan Review to allow for
changes to the existing site
and building elevations,
including the construction of
an outdoor animal enclosure,
parklet, and removal of the
existing drive-through lanes
and accessory components.
This request is known as Case
A-16-2022.

Copies of documents relating
to the proposed request are
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IL, 60521 (PINs: 09-12-109-005; 09-12-109-012; 09-12-109-002) and legally described as follows:

LOTS 1, 2 AND 3 IN BERGMAN'S RESUBDIVISION OF PART OF OUTLOT 1 OF THE TOWN OF HINSDALE AND PART OF THE NORTHWEST 1/4 OF SECTION 12, TOWNSHIP 38 NORTH, RANGE 11 EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT OF SAID BERGMAN'S RESUBDIVISION RECORDED JULY 17, 1945 AS DOCUMENT 480985, IN DUPAGE COUNTY, ILLINOIS.

ALSO THAT PART OF LOT 2 IN GRANT SQUARE SHOPPING CENTER RESUBDIVISION, LOCATED IN THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF SECTION 12, TOWNSHIP 38 NORTH, RANGE 11, EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, DESCRIBED AS BEGINNING AT THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF LOT 2, THENCE SOUTH ON THE EAST LINE OF LOT 2, 36.63 FEET TO THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF LOT 2, THENCE WEST ON THE SOUTH LINE OF LOT 2, 20.00 FEET, THENCE SOUTHWESTERLY ON THE SOUTH LINE OF LOT 2, 149.74 FEET TO AN ANGLE POINT, THEN NORTHERLY 24 FEET, MORE OR LESS, TO THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF LOT 2 IN SAID BERGMAN'S RESUBDIVISION, THENCE NORTHEASTERLY ON THE NORTH LINE OF LOT 2, TO THE PLACE OF BEGINNING, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT RECORDED MARCH 3, 1964 AS DOCUMENT NO. R-64-6737, IN DU PAGE COUNTY, ILLINOIS.

At said public hearing, the Plan Commission shall accept all testimony and evidence pertaining to said application and shall consider any and all possible zoning actions, including the granting of any necessary special permits, variations, other special approvals, or amendments to the Zoning Code that may be necessary or convenient to permit development of the proposed type at the described property. All interested persons are invited to attend and be heard.

Dated: July 14, 2022

Christine M. Bruton,
Village Clerk

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VILLAGE OF HINSDALE NOTICE OF PLAN COMMISSION PUBLIC HEARING

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to all persons that the Village of Hinsdale Plan Commission shall conduct a public hearing on Wednesday, August 10, 2022 at 7:30 p.m. in the Memorial Building, 19 East Chicago Avenue, Hinsdale, Illinois for the purpose of considering an application from the Village of Hinsdale for Text Amendments to the Hinsdale Zoning Ordinance and to the Hinsdale Village Code, and a Map Amendment to the Village's Official Zoning Map, all for the purpose of establishing a Historic Overlay Zoning District. The Village's Official Zoning Map will be amended to establish the boundaries of the Historic Overlay Zoning District. Text Amendments to Chapters 1, 2, 6, and 7 of Title 14 of the Hinsdale Village Code and to Article 8 (Overlay Districts), Section 11-503(F) (Standards for Variations), Section 3-110 (Bulk, Space, And Yard Requirements in the Single-Family Residential Districts, and Section 10-104 (Nonconformities – Precode Structures) of the Hinsdale Zoning Ordinance are proposed in order to establish the Historic Overlay Zoning District and to make related code amendments. The current underlying zoning district classifications and related zoning regulations for each of the real properties within the boundaries of the proposed Historic Overlay Zoning District shall remain in place and shall continue to apply to each property following the establishment of the District. Properties within the boundaries of the Historic Overlay Zoning District, once established, and that are subsequently deemed to host Historically Significant Structures, may be added to a Historically Significant Structures Property List and will then become eligible to apply, on a voluntary basis, for certain historic preservation incentives provided by the Village and established through the Text Amendments. Those voluntary incentives include, but are not limited to, certain financial incentives and the use of certain relaxed bulk zoning standards. Properties located within the boundaries of the Historic Overlay Zoning District once established will NOT, however, automatically be included on the Historically Significant Structures Property List to be established at a later time.

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The Historic Overlay Zoning District as proposed shall consist of ALL properties within the R-1 Single Family Residential District, R-2 Single Family Residential District, R-3 Single Family Residential District, R-4 Single Family Residential District, B-1 Community Business District, B-2 Central Business District, O-1 Specialty Office District, O-2 Limited Office District, IB Institutional Buildings District, HS Health Services District, and OS Open Space District, as shown on the proposed Zoning Map.

All properties located in the O-3 General Office District, B-3 General Business District, R-5 Multiple Family Residential District, and R-6 Multiple Family Residential District (collectively, the "Excluded Areas") are NOT INCLUDED in the proposed Historic Overlay Zoning District, as described below and as shown on the proposed Zoning Map. The Excluded Areas NOT proposed for inclusion within the Historic Overlay Zoning District in Cook County, Illinois and DuPage County, Illinois, are commonly described as follows:

- All properties in the area zoned B-3 General Business District abutting the south side of Ogden Avenue, between the west side of the Tri-State Tollway (Interstate 294) to the east side of York Road.
- The properties zoned B-3 General Business District at the northwest and southwest corners of Ogden Avenue and York Road.
- All of the properties within the area zoned B-3 General Business District, O-3 General Office District, R-5 Multiple Family Residential District, and R-6 Multiple Family Residential District within the area between the east side of York Road and the north adjacent municipal corporate boundaries, the north side of Ogden Avenue, west of the Tri-State Tollway (Interstate 294) properties and municipal corporate boundaries, and south of the northernmost municipal corporate boundaries, with the exception of the property located at 21 Salt Creek Lane in the IB Institutional Buildings District and the property in the B-1 Community Business District abutting Ogden Avenue.
- The area zoned B-3 General Business District that encompasses the Tri-State Tollway (Interstate 294) Hinsdale Oasis located at the southeast corner of the Village.
- All of the properties within the area zoned R-5 Multiple

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- All of the properties within the area zoned R-5 Multiple Family Residential District at the southeast corner of 57th Street and Garfield Street, and abutting Sutton Place (5701-5745 S. Garfield; 5704-5736 Sutton Place; 5702-5746 S. Park Avenue).

- All of the properties within the area zoned R-6 Multiple Family Residential District abutting Kennedy Lane to the north and south, located to the east of Grant Street, in addition to the properties on the west side of Washington Street including the addresses of 5824, 5830, and 5836 S. Washington Street, but not including the properties zoned R-3 Single Family Residential District (5802 and 5808 S. Washington Street).

- All of the properties within the area zoned R-5 Multiple Family Residential District abutting Foxgate Lane, south of 57th Street (5701-5717 Foxgate Lane).

- All of the properties within the area zoned R-5 Multiple Family Residential District on the west side of Grant Street generally between 57th Street and 59th Street, including all properties abutting Racquet Club Court (200-213 Racquet Club Court), 5730 and 5740 S. Grant Street, all properties abutting West Grant Village (201-240 W. Grant Village), and 5810, 5820, 5828, and 5834 S. Grant Street, but not including any properties zoned R-3 Single Family Residential District.

- All of the properties within the area zoned R-6 Multiple Family Residential District, north of 59th Street, generally between Grant Street and Madison Street, including the addresses of 211-215 W. 59th Street, 301-315 W. 59th Street, but not including any properties zoned R-3 Single Family Residential District or B-1 Community Business District.

- All of the properties within the area zoned R-5 Multiple Family Residential District abutting Old Surrey Road to the north and south, south of 59th Street and east of Madison Street (433-498 Old Surrey Road).
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area zoned R-5 Multiple Family Residential District east of Madison Street and generally between 57th Street and 59th Street, including the properties abutting Ashbury Drive to the north and south (402-441 Ashbury Drive), abutting 58th Place to the north and south (400-455 58th Place), and abutting Skipping Stone Lane to the north (409-433 Skipping Stone Lane), but not including the property located at 5757 S. Madison Street zoned O-1 Specialty Office District, the properties at the northeast corner of Madison Street and 59th Street zoned B-1 Community Business District, or the properties at the southeast corner of 57th Street and Madison Street zoned R-3 Single Family Residential District.

- All of the properties within the area zoned R-6 Multiple Family Residential District at the southwest corner of Madison Street and 55th Street (5500-5508 S. Madison Street).

- All of the properties within the area zoned B-3 General Business District abutting the south side of Chestnut Street, north of the Burlington Northern Santa Fe Railroad Line, west of Lincoln Street, and east of Madison Street, including the property at the southwest corner of Madison Street and Chestnut Street, but not including the Village-owned commuter parking lot zoned IB Institutional Buildings District located at 130 Chestnut Street.

- All of the properties within the area zoned R-5 Multiple Family Residential District at the southwest corner of Chicago Avenue and Clay Street (2-28 S. Clay Street).
- The property within the area zoned R-5 Multiple Family Residential District at the southwest corner of Washington Street and Maple Street (10 N. Washington Street).
- The property within the area zoned R-5 Multiple Family Residential District abutting the south side of Ogden Avenue, on the east side of Adams Street (600 W. Ogden Avenue).

The Village of Hinsdale is subject to the requirements of the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990. Individuals with disabilities who plan to attend this hearing and who require certain accommodations in order to allow them to observe and/or participate in this meeting, or who have questions regarding the accessibility of the meeting or the facilities, are requested to contact Brad Bloom, ADA Coordinator at 630-789-7007 or by TDD at 630-789-7022 promptly to allow the Village of Hinsdale to make reasonable accommodations for those persons.

Dated: July 18, 2022

Christine M. Bruton,
Village Clerk

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of other documents relating to the proposed request are on file and available for public inspection during regular Village business hours in the Memorial Building, 19 East Chicago Avenue, Hinsdale, Illinois. Please email Village Clerk Christine Bruton at cbruton@villageofhinsdale.org for additional information. This request is known as Case A-03-2022.

All interested persons are invited to attend the public hearing and will be given the opportunity to be heard. At said public hearing, the Plan Commission shall accept all testimony and evidence pertaining to the said application. In addition, objections and other comments, if any, relating to the proposed Text Amendment and Map Amendment may be made in writing and filed with the Village Clerk prior to 4:00 p.m. on the day of the public hearing. Emailed comments may be sent to Village Clerk Christine Bruton at cbruton@villageofhinsdale.org. Please use the subject line "Public Comment – Historic Overlay Zoning District Map and Text Amendments" when sending your email. Written comments may be submitted to the attention of the Village Clerk at 19 E. Chicago Avenue, Hinsdale, Illinois 60521. The proposed Text Amendments and Map Amendments may be added to, revised, altered, or eliminated as a result of the public hearing and prior to final action by the Village Board of Trustees of the Village of Hinsdale. The public hearing may be continued from time to time without further notice, except as otherwise required under the Illinois Open Meetings Act.

The Village of Hinsdale is subject to the requirements of the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990. Individuals with disabilities who plan to attend this hearing and who require certain accommodations in order to allow them to observe and/or participate in this meeting, or who have questions regarding the accessibility of the meeting or the facilities, are requested to contact Brad Bloom, ADA Coordinator at 630-789-7007 or by TDD at 630-789-7022 promptly to allow the Village of Hinsdale to make reasonable accommodations for those persons.

Dated: July 18, 2022

Christine M. Bruton,
Village Clerk

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Located at 20 Danada Sq. W., Apt. 134, Wheaton, IL. 60189 was registered; that the true or real name or names of the person or persons owning the business, with their respective post office address(es), is/are as follows: Larnecia R. A. Smith, 20 Danada Sq. W., Apt. 134, Wheaton, IL. 60189

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and Official Seal at my office in Wheaton, Illinois, this 8th day of July, A.D. 2022.

Jean Kaczmarek
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Jean Kaczmarek
DuPage County Clerk

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MIND GAMES

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- 1 BASEBALL'S RIPKEN
 - 4 GLACIAL
 - 7 MRS. FLINTSTONE
 - 12 BATON ROUGE SCH.
 - 13 EXTINCT NEW ZEALAND BIRD
 - 14 FIGURE OF SPEECH
 - 15 "— SHOWTIME!"
 - 16 PARTHENON LOCALE
 - 18 "THE A-TEAM" ACTOR
 - 19 LE — (FRENCH NEWS-PAPER)
 - 20 PEAR TYPE
 - 22 SUGARY SUFFIX
 - 23 ACTRESS TYNE
 - 27 DIRECTOR HOWARD
 - 29 CUT UP, AS A PIZZA
 - 31 METRIC MEASURE
 - 34 DESERT HAVEN
 - 35 TAM TOPPER
 - 37 "RAY DONOVAN" ACTOR VOIGHT
 - 38 MONEY MAVEN ORMAN
 - 39 VICHY WATER
 - 41 LATIN LOVE
 - 45 SHADOW
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 - 48 MARYLAND'S CAPITAL
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 - 9 DOGPATCH
 - 10 ADJECTIVE
 - 11 MISS PIGGY'S PRONOUN
 - 12 EARLY HRS.
 - 13 RHYMING TRIBUTES
 - 14 THIN PANCAKE
 - 15 HUNTING GODDESS
 - 16 RM. COOLERS
 - 17 ISLAND GARLAND
 - 18 QB'S GAINS
 - 19 SPANISH GOLD
 - 20 PRIVY
 - 21 VINYL RECORDS
 - 22 DEBTOR'S LETTERS
 - 23 CELEB GOSSIP SITE
 - 24 OFFICE NOTE
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 - 32 SPA SOUNDS
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ANSWERS TO TODAY'S CROSSWORD CAN BE FOUND IN THE CLASSIFIEDS.

Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle

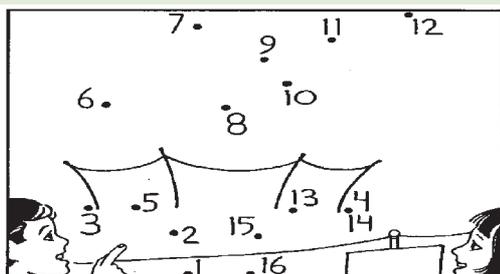
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Place a number in the empty boxes in such a way that each row across, each column down and each small 9-box square contains all of the numbers from one to nine.

DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: ◆◆

◆ Moderate ◆◆ Challenging
◆◆◆ HOO BOY!

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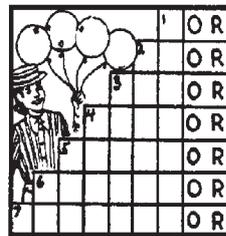
LIGHT SHOW! Here it is again, lighting up the sky. What is that? Draw lines dot to dot to complete the picture.

THIS, that, OR the other thing could be one of the seven terms to be placed in the diagram shown. Let's see how quickly you can identify these words from the following definitions:

1. Opposite of against.
2. Norse god of war and thunder.
3. Important city official.
4. Stepped-up enthusiasm.
5. Bullfight principal.
6. School passageway, for example.
7. Crocodile's big-mouthed cousin.

Time limit: Two minutes.

1. For. 2. Thor. 3. Mayor. 4. Fervor. 5. Matador. 6. Corridor. 7. Alligator.



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HOROSCOPES

July 2022 Horoscopes • Week 4



CAPRICORN — Dec 22/Jan 20
Hold your tongue as much as possible, Capricorn. Even a slight criticism may put a person off you for a while and that can cause friction that is tough to overcome.



ARIES — Mar 21/Apr 20
This week you may find yourself taking on a teaching or mentoring role, Aries. It is one way to volunteer in the community and pay it forward.



CANCER — Jun 22/Jul 22
Get together with others this week because you can use some extra support, Cancer. Otherwise, you may find yourself floundering in an uncomfortable situation.



LIBRA — Sept 23/Oct 23
Take a break and get some exercise in the process, Libra. Visit a nearby park and take an extended bicycle ride or jump in the pool to swim a few laps. Enjoy fresh air and breathing room.



AQUARIUS — Jan 21/Feb 18
Aquarius, even though you would like to spend most of your time planning fun activities for the future, this week you have to hunker down and focus on business.



TAURUS — Apr 21/May 21
Taurus, this week it may be challenging for you to relate to others on a certain level. Try to put yourself in someone else's shoes and see things from a different perspective.



LEO — Jul 23/Aug 23
Leo, self-control is important for you this week, especially as it pertains to shopping. Do not buy every item you see. Rather, think through purchases before taking the plunge.



SCORPIO — Oct 24/Nov 22
This week you may consider furthering your education or learning new skills. Try volunteering if you're not ready for a financial commitment or if you don't want a firm schedule.



PISCES — Feb 19/Mar 20
You may be more sentimental now than in the past, Pisces. Feelings evolve and there is no wrong way to feel. Go with the flow.



GEMINI — May 22/June 21
It's possible you will find people to be extra aggressive this week, Gemini. Try not to react to what they are putting out. Instead, deflect that negative energy.



VIRGO — Aug 24/Sept 22
This is a good week to look at things in a new way. All it may take is viewing something from a new angle or with a revised attitude to have an entirely new perception.



SAGITTARIUS — Nov 23/Dec 21
Spend time with people who care about you, Sagittarius. They can help brighten your day when things feel overwhelming and provide advice when you need it most.

SPORTS

Gymnast basks in an Olympic glow

Hinsdale's Danny Baker racks up the medals at Special Olympic USA Games

By Ken Knutson

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Competing against the nation's best at the 2022 Special Olympic USA Games June 5-12 in Orlando, Fla., Danny Baker, to borrow a phrase, stuck the landing.

The Hinsdale native brought home four gold medals, one silver and two bronzes in his debut at the quadrennial event representing Team Illinois.

"You know what makes me happy? Gold!" asserted Danny, speaking at his home earlier this month.

Danny, 32, was selected to be part of the state's 67-member contingent for the Games.

Seeing the track and flag football athletes enduring the sweltering outdoor temperatures made Danny thankful that his was an inside endeavor.

"It was hot there," he remarked.

The gymnastics competition heated up, too, with Danny capturing the top prize in rings, vault and

floor exercise. He earned bronze in the all-around. Asked which disciplines are his strongest, he's quick to answer.

"Rings and floor," Danny said, citing his prowess executing inversions and cartwheels. Video footage indicates he's also proficient at the scissors maneuver on the pommel horse.

Ironically, the rings were more of a fear factor than a favorite when Danny took up the sport 24 years ago at age 8, according to his mom Vicki.

"Do you remember how afraid you were to get on them?" she asked her son. "He didn't like them," she related.

"I'm team captain," Danny remarked of his role with Elite Stars.

"Self-appointed!" his dad, Dan, interjected with a laugh.

Danny has developed under the tutelage of Elite Stars coach Patty Hermann, and he has traveled with Elite Stars to competitions in California, Texas and Georgia. He also went to



Danny, 32, has quite a collection of hardware at his family's Hinsdale home, earned over more than two decades of pursuing gymnastics. His talent in the sport has taken him around the country and even to Italy to compete. (Jim Slonoff photo)

Italy in 2015 as part of a global Downs Syndrome competition.

"He's really gotten around," Vicki said. "He's gotten us around, too."

This year's USA Games was the biggest in its 16-year history, assembling more than 5,500 athletes and coaches from all 50 states and the Caribbean.

United Airlines gave them a celebratory send-off at O'Hare Airport, and plenty of media was on hand at the ESPN Wide World of Sports Complex host site, including Good Morning America. Danny doesn't mind the spotlight.

"They put me on the news," he said.

He returned only to head out again a few days later to the Illinois Special Olympics Games at Illinois State University in Normal.

"They did fireworks there," Danny said, recalling the opening ceremony.

And he collected more medals, including gold in the all-around.

His run of success actually began back in April when his Illinois cheerleading team — yes, he does cheerleading, too — won gold at the ICU World Cheerleading Championships in Orlando as a member of the U.S. National team.

"Gymnastics has been great for his physical strength," Dan said.

Danny also plays Special Olympics basketball through the Hanson Center in Burr Ridge, which he enjoys for the team fellowship. He currently lives in Westmont with three housemates.

Danny's shiny trove of gymnastics hardware hangs proudly in the Baker family's living room. He also displays the menagerie of pins he traded for with counterparts from around the country and treasures the new friendships he made.

As one of the elder statesmen at his gym, he's relishes being a role model for the younger athletes.

"I like helping the kids,"

he said.

Danny takes a bit of break in the summer, with the exception of a weeklong gymnastics camp, before the competitive season starts up again in September. So how does he like to relax this time of year?

"Concerts!" Danny exclaimed, namely the live music shows at Uniquely Thursdays.

He tries to lay off the junk food and fattening drinks to maintain his fitness. And he works with a fitness coach at Oak Brook Park District to keep in shape.

"I'm trying to lose weight so I can flip," Danny said. "If I fall, it makes me mad."

He's progressed so much, said his parents, that he's on the verge of advancing to Level 3, which involves learning more challenging skills.

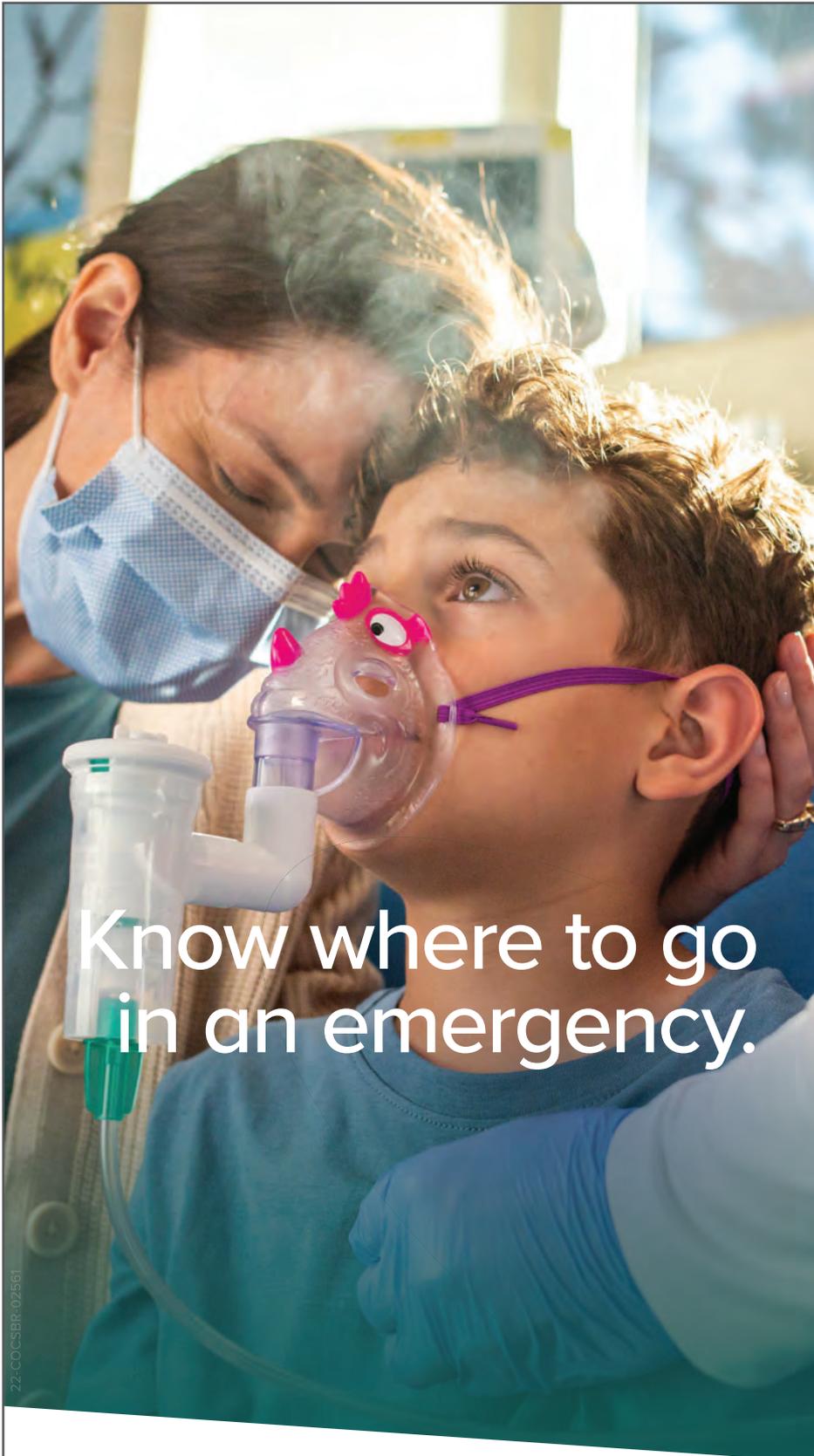
"He pretty much trains year round," Dan noted.

Asked if he loves gymnastics, a smile spreads across his face

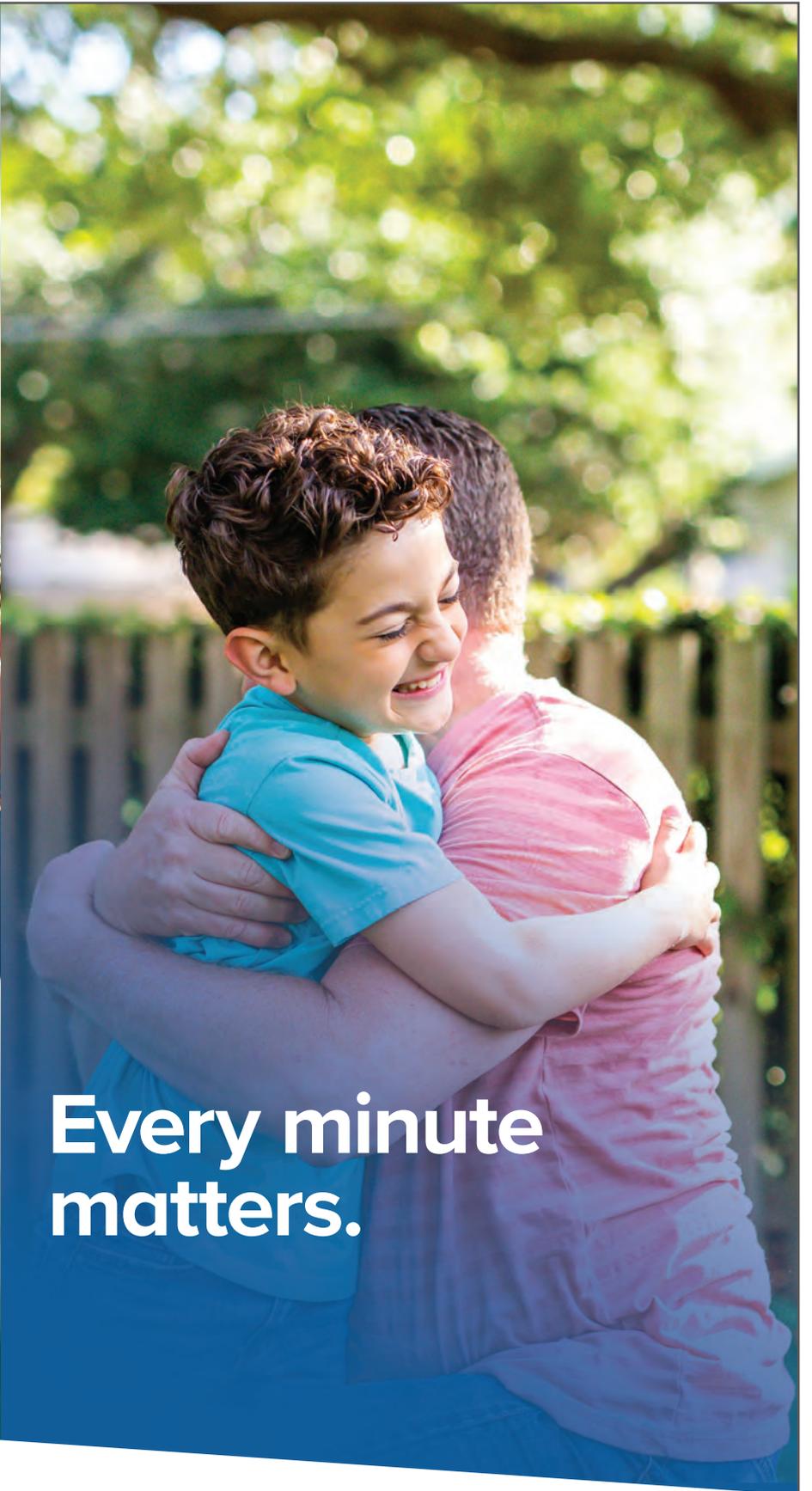
"Yeah, I do," Danny said.



Danny Baker executes a maneuver on the rings during the Special Olympics USA Games last month in Orlando. Danny won gold on the apparatus, one of four golds and seven medals he brought home from his first ever USA Games. (photo provided)



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