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In Brief

Deadline to order Culver PTO seeds, flowers is Friday

The Culver Elementary PTO spring fund-raiser is the sale of garden and flower seeds, including organic and non-organic offerings as well as flowers from Fedco. This year the sale also includes indoor/outdoor garden kits called growums (www.growums.com to preview the varieties). The ordering deadline is Feb. 26 to place an order, and seeds will arrive before Spring Break. More than half of the proceeds are applied towards many PTO-initiated programs benefiting CES students. For more information, follow Culver PTO Seeds on Facebook at www.facebook.com/groups/SEEDSCulverPTOFundraiser.

Culver's Got Talent Feb. 29

Children or teens (family groups are welcome too) are invited to dazzle the audience with their skits, magic, music, dance routines and everything in between at "Culver's Got Talent," Monday, February 29. The show starts at 6 p.m., and is to finish by 7. Please call 574-842-2941 to register to perform. ALL programs are free and open to the public.

Lions breakfast dinner March 4

The Culver Lions Club will hold a breakfast dinner the evening of March 4 at the train station - depot on Lake Shore Drive from 4:30 to 7 p.m. The price is \$8 or \$7, if tickets are purchased from a Lion member, \$7.

Lenten meal, series Tuesdays at Trinity

The community is invited to Trinity Lutheran Church's Tuesday Lenten services at 7 p.m., as well as to a free pre-service meal at 6:15. The church is located at 430 Academy Road in Culver.

Dr. Seuss birthday celebration March 5

All are welcome for stories, games and crafts in the children's room at the Culver-Union Twp. Public Library Saturday, March 5

Rallying the Cavaliers

ABOVE: Culver Comm. High School senior Triston Rodriguez may not have taken home the state wrestling title he journeyed to Indianapolis Friday to compete for (see page 5 for coverage), but the school combined a planned pep rally to celebrate its new logo (on display in a large banner hanging from the high school gym ceiling, UPPER LEFT*) with a rousing event to cheer on the athlete, the third CCHS wrestler in recent years to compete at state (the school has seen two state champion wrestlers in the past five years). Pictured above, at LOWER LEFT, CCHS principal Brett Berndt applauds as cheerleaders rally the crowd (which included Culver Elementary students as well as middle and high schoolers; assistant principal and athletic director Luke Biernacki led a cheer session, and wrestling coach Chris Prendergast introduced Rodriguez and shared information about his efforts). CENTER AND RIGHT: Students from the high and middle schools (left) and elementary (right) greet Rodriguez before a Culver fire truck led a caravan escorting him to Indianapolis immediately following the rally.

New hardware store planned in Culver

By Jeff Kenney
 Citizen editor

Culver has been without a local option for hardware goods since the fall of 2013, when its more than 100-year-old hardware store on Main Street closed its doors.

All of that seems likely to change following a thumbs up from the Culver plan commission to a proposal for construction of a new Ace Hardware store on State Road 10, at the former site of Culver's Dairy Queen restaurant.

The building which housed that business since the 1980s would be razed under a proposal presented by Tricia Small, whose family operates a handful of hardware stores in the area, the closest located in Syracuse, Indiana. A site plan review for the Culver project was presented at the Feb. 16 meeting of Culver's plan commission, which approved moving forward with the plan with the caveat that representatives of the business must come back with information on size, location, and other details regarding their signage before it can be installed at the site.

Leading up to the proposal, the Culver town council had already approved running municipal storm water lines to the site, with jetting of the storm sewer at the Forest Place Apartments in exchange for an easement on a small portion of the latter's property to allow new pipes to be run to accommodate the new hardware business.

The Culver Pro Hardware closed its doors in October of 2013, having operated on South Main Street since the late 19th century. The property was purchased at the time by Robert Hollender and Whitney Alvis, who planned to develop it as store front property for retail use. A new business venture is currently being planned and the property being developed towards that end (see accompanying article in this issue).

News of a new hardware will likely be welcome not only to local residents in general, but entities such as area contractors working on the lake and in the town of Cul-

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Culver's empty store fronts: a closer look

By Anna Campbell
 Correspondent

There are some exciting developments in terms of filling empty store fronts in Culver's retail areas, but the community still faces the challenges common to many small towns across the Midwest and the country, such as how to maintain a vibrant local economy in the face of stiff competition from the Internet and "big box" brick and mortar retail stores.

Culver town manager Jonathan Leist and Culver's town council, far from being disinterested in the issue, have taken steps towards plans and actions in encouraging new businesses to locate in Culver.

"The good news on these is that they are not absentee landlords just letting their buildings fall apart," says Leist, "but they are older buildings that do require

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Fate of Lake Fest 2016 may depend on community volunteers

By Jeff Kenney
 Citizen editor

The fate of the 2016 Culver Lake Fest may largely be in the hands of the community.

The annual event, for the past 32 years a staple of the community's summertime activities, has reached something of a critical juncture, says Mike Overmyer, active with the event since its inception and a principle organizer for the past decade-plus.

"We're calling for help to do the Lake Fest," he explains, adding that some members of the longtime committee are "burned out" and need more help to make the festival happen.

"If we don't get it, it may be a struggle to pull it (this year's Lake Fest) off."

The above sentiment is actually an improvement from the "word on the street" last fall, when rumor had it the committee had officially decided to call the event quits after many years of immense labor spread between a comparatively small band of volunteers.

The committee -- which has seen Overmyer's daughter-in-law, Jean E. Overmyer, heading up the event for the past two years -- met last week and walked away with the official decision that there was willingness to carry on with the 2016 Culver Lake Fest, but that to some extent, it's going to take a village, to coin a phrase.

For his part, Overmyer recalls the early years of the festival, when food vending was almost entirely local.

"It was all local organizations doing the food," he says. "The firemen had a barbecue, the churches did food, the Lions Club -- we didn't have outside food vendors then."

Overmyer also says longtime committee members always assumed someone else would take it over -- perhaps transitioning the event to a Chamber of Commerce-based "Summer Fest," or similar shift.

In years past, festival staples have included the parade, fun run, bicycle ride, entertainment offerings, kids'

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FFA jacket ceremony elevates return of popular organization

By Jeff Kenney
 Citizen editor



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ABOVE: FFA Northern Region vice president Brett Roberts places an FFA jacket on CCHS student Marisa Howard, as local FFA sponsor April Leeper, left, looks on and FFA Southern Region vice president Mason Gordon, right, assists, at Friday evening's FFA jacket ceremony at the Culver Comm. High School.

If anyone doubted that Future Farmers of America has returned to Culver Comm. High School in a big way, last Friday evening's "jacket ceremony" ought to serve as ample evidence.

There, 23 members and 62 guests (mostly family and Culver Comm. Schools administration, staff, and board members) filled the school cafeteria as visiting FFA 2015-2016 Southern Region Vice President Mason Gordon (a high school senior in Rushville, Indiana) spoke and assisted in the formal ceremony of bestowing FFA jackets on members who ranged from middle school students to seniors.

The FFA program, as reported last fall in The Culver Citizen, returned to CCHS alongside Agriculture classes taught by April Leeper, who also acts as faculty sponsor of FFA. The organization had once been a staple at the school but had been absent for some years leading up to last fall, when Leeper reported a groundswell of interest among students.

Following the ceremonial launch of the meeting by students holding various positions in the local chapter, and a welcome from FFA student president Tyler Binkley, local vice president Rebekah Johnson introduced Gordon.

Gordon -- who plans to attend Purdue University to dual major in Agricultural Education and Animal Science -- began his address to CCHS students by describing his own FFA jacket ceremony in 2011, adding

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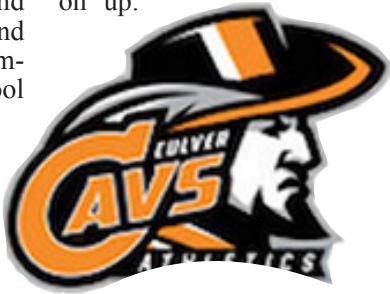
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Culver Comm. Schools online store open for business

Culver Community Schools, riding the wave of a new branding and marketing campaign and logo, now has an accompanying online school store.

The web site, online at varsityshop.com/ccsc_culver_community_schools, includes a variety of outerwear for adult

men and women, and children from infants on up.



Also available are accessories ranging from headwear to drinkware, bags to blankets to phone accessories and more, all featuring the new Culver Cavaliers logo in various forms.

Culver Community Schools will receive funds from every purchase to support student programs.

Culver Elementary Students of the Month

Culver Elementary School has announced its Students of the Month for December and January.

January:
Kindergarten: Benjamin Garcia (Teacher: Amy Bonine), Ava McCune (Heather Overmyer), MichaeRay Gonzalez (Stephanie Smith), John Ca'rr (Gayle Kinzie).

1st grade: Lela DeJesus (Andrea Berndt), Joseph

Mavrick (Kelly Dickert), Blake Milam (April Jefferies).

2nd grade: Gracie Milam (Lisa Elliott), Jack Standfast (Becky Risner), Haven Braasch (Janna VanDePutte), Mathew Baker (Kris Arvelo).

3rd grade: Reyonica Hunt (Valerie Cultice), Lindsey Hershberger (Jill DeSalle), Adamariz Rajas-Mendoza (Carrie Tharp),

Gabby Sims (Kelly Young), Joseph Callender (Teri Zechiel).

4th grade: Hayden Parker (Tim Daughtery), Bryan Wyrick (Stephanie Miller), Charley Howard (Chris Renneker), BucketYouvan (Lori Nash).

5th grade: Chloe Danti (Sara Keyser), Baleigh Binkley (Raeanne Ste-

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BELOW: Among store fronts currently empty in Culver are, from left, the former Culver hardware (in which a business is currently under development), the planned bakery site at 103 S.Main, the former car wash at Ohio Street and Lake Shore Drive, and the former Hansen's restaurant at 614 Lake Shore Drive. The latter three buildings are for sale or lease.

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some updates and renovations, which can be a long and expensive process, and it can take time to find the right person interested in doing so."

Leist says he's particularly interested in what other cities and towns in the state or area are doing to try to combat empty storefronts and create vibrant and active downtowns.

"We are clearly not the only small town in Indiana who would like to see more commercial developments in their historic downtown area," he notes, "and we are all looking for ways to encourage that development."

Specifically, Leist and the council are working alongside Culver's Redevelopment Commission in two specific directions: a retail recruitment plan and a rent abatement program for empty storefronts.

"The rent abatement program in Kokomo has been very successful at filling storefronts," explains Leist, "and I spoke with the county councilman in Kokomo who administers the program and I believe he said in five years that have had 22 abatements awarded, and 18 of those businesses are still open and in the downtown area...needless to say they have been very happy with the results of the program in Kokomo."

The retail recruitment program, he adds, came out of recommendations from Culver's downtown merchants and the town is looking at it as an option as well, but still

doesn't know the costs and scope of services that would be involved.

"I have reached out to a few consulting companies that specialize in this but have not received a cost estimate and proposal yet," he says.

A third option, Leist explains, could be expansion of the CRC-sponsored façade program to include roof or structural work for downtown buildings.

"I have an inquiry into the TIF attorney as to whether or not this could be a possibility as well. I know of a few communities where roof repairs are eligible for façade programs, but I am not sure if that is TIF dollars or other funding."

Restaurant opportunities particularly prominent

Perhaps not surprisingly in a community which over the past few decades earned a reputation as a dining destination, several of Culver's empty store fronts have been developed and/or used for eateries.

Certainly the highest profile of these buildings are those which housed the former Corndance Cafe, at 117 South Main Street in downtown Culver, and the former Evil Czech Brewery and Pub at 530 S. Ohio Street.

Both are for sale and include all kitchen equipment and tables and chairs, presenting an ideal "turnkey" opportunity for a potential restaurateur interested in filling

a ready-made business niche in a dining-friendly community, notes Leist.

Other former or potential eatery spaces for sale include 103 South Main, which had been developed as a bakery in recent years, but which is poised to go up for sale in the near future, according to Lindsey Pick, a real estate agent with Re/Max Oak Crest of Culver; and the former Hansen's Restaurant at 614 Lake Shore Drive, which underwent considerable renovation and improvement in recent years.

Of course there are others available, and some businesses presently unused, but in the stages of being developed. These include Culver's movie theater on Lake Shore Drive, the former site of Dairy Queen on State Road 10 (poised to become an Ace Hardware store -- see article this issue), and the former hardware store at 120 South Main Street, which is currently being renovated towards a business venture later this year.

Some existing businesses, such as Lakefront Auto Supply, are still up and going, but for sale.

"I think there are some great opportunities for individuals looking to start a business in Culver," says Leist, "and I think we will see new commercial activity in many of these buildings in the very near future."

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games, bass fishing tournament, boat regatta, car show, and the immensely popular fireworks show over Lake Maxinkuckee, which usually fills the town park from "pillar to post."

"It's a lot of work," Overmyer acknowledges, adding the committee hopes local groups, clubs, and individuals will consider

taking on a given component, such as volunteering to organize and staff something like the bass fishing tournament, lessening the burden for committee members.

Those interested in volunteering are encouraged to contact Overmyer at movermyer@jmceainc.com or committee member Trent Bennett.

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ver, and Culver Academies. Small reports groundbreaking will probably be late summer and a grand opening of the store would be September or October of this year.



The former site of Culver's Dairy Queen, at 18619 State Road 10, is planned for development of an Ace Hardware store later this year.

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ABOVE: Culver Comm. High School Future Farmers of America members "jacketed" last Friday night, front row, from left, include Caleb Sheridan, Rebekah Johnson, Renae Johnson, Marisa Howard, Tyler Binkley, Alexandra Temme, Trista Fritter. Middle row, Anne Comella, Elizabeth Johnson, Kenzie Binkley, Hannah Barth, Breann Milam, Sydney Clingler, April Leeper (FFA Advisor). Back row, Wyatt Amor, Hailey Jones, Garrett Reinhold, Donovan Smith, Russell Temme, Chris Zehner, Charles Binion, Kendra Binion, Josie Ross, Jake Fisher and Lily Hayes.

that CCHS students' ceremony would be "a night you will never forget."

Noting FFA members are known for the organization's distinctive jackets, Gordon emphasized the importance of what members do while wearing those jackets. He also stressed the need for members to "find what we love and seize opportunities so we can become more than just an FFA jacket."

Gordon also pointed to the many opportunities to serve and pursue interests within FFA.

"I guarantee you can find something in this organization that you like," he said. "Just becoming a member, you all need the jacket, but if you're looking for premiere leadership, personal growth, and career success, you need more -- you need involvement."

"One day you will retire this jacket and take it off for the very last time," he added. "If you're an FFA member looking for the big picture, that FFA jacket will live on inside you forever."

He also described being "pushed" onto the stage by his own FFA faculty advisor at an FFA event, a move central to his evolving into a leader state-wide within the organization.

"Because of that push," he said, "I made the step forward and became more than a jacket...if you want this organization to better you, it will; just seize the opportunity."

Following Gordon's speech, CCSC board member Ryan Seiber introduced each member, with Gordon assisting, alongside FFA State Northern Region Vice President Brett Roberts and Leeper, in "jacketing" each local FFA

member.

Members jacketed (or introduced if unable to attend) included:

Tyler Binkley, son of Donald Binkley and Kassie Siple and a senior and this year's FFA President. He participated on the soil and livestock judging teams. Tyler is a 10 year 4-H member in Starke County.

Anne Comella, daughter of Carter and Mary Comella, a senior this year who plans to attend IUSB this fall.

Renae Johnson, daughter of Scott and Gretchen Johnson. She is currently a senior and is this year's FFA Secretary. She participated on the soil and livestock judging teams. Renae is a 10 year 4-H member in Marshall County.

Marisa Howard, daughter of Scott and Dianna Howard. She is currently a senior and is this year's FFA Vice President. She participated on the soil and livestock judging teams. Marisa is a 10 year 4-H member in Marshall County.

Rebekah Johnson, a junior this year and daughter of Scott and Gretchen Johnson. This year she is serving as the FFA Sentinel and is a 4-H member of Marshall County. She also participated on the soil and livestock judging teams.

Donovan Smith, son of Omer Smith and Jennifer Brown. He is a junior and has participated on the Soils and Livestock judging teams.

Hailey Jones, a junior, is the daughter of Jack and Karen Jones. She is very active in our girls' basketball program.

Garrett Reinhold, son of Tim and Brandy Reinhold.

He is currently a junior and is very active in the drama club and a member of the Marshall County 4-H.

Josie Ross, daughter of Charles and Deb Ross, is currently a junior and on the dairy judging team. She is an excellent student, while also working at Papa's

Wyatt Amor, son of Eldon and Sandy Amor, currently is a junior and is participating on the livestock judging team. He is also a member of the Marshall County 4-H.

Kendra Binion, daughter of Barbara Binion, is a junior and was on this year's Lady Cavs Basketball Team.

Chris Zehner, a junior, is the son of Andy and Connie Zehner. He has participated on the Soils and Livestock Judging team. He is also a member of the Marshall County 4-H.

Russell Temme, son of Mike and Haidee Temme, is currently a junior and participated on the soil and livestock judging teams. He is also a member of the Marshall County 4-H.

Caleb Sheridan, son of Jeff and Martha Sheridan, is a sophomore and is currently serving as the chapter Treasurer. He has participated on the soils and livestock judging teams.

Riley Porter, son of Robert and Michelle Porter, is a sophomore and has been an active member of the FFA.

Sydney Clingler, daughter of Thomas and Margaret Clingler, is a freshman and is active on the volleyball and basketball teams.

Charles Binion, currently a freshman, was a participant of the soils judging team, and is the son of Barbara Binion.

Weston Keller, son of Doyle and Crystal Keller, is currently a freshman. He is an active member of the Cavs basketball team.

Elizabeth Johnson is the daughter of Scott and Gretchen Johnson. She is currently a freshman and is a member of the Marshall County 4-H. She has participated on the soils and livestock judging teams.

Kenzie Binkley, the daughter of Donald Binkley and Kassie Siple, is currently an 8th grader. She has participated on the soils and livestock judging teams.

Breann Milam, daughter of Raymond Milam, is currently an 8th grader. She is also a participant of the basketball team.

Jake Fisher, an 8th grader, is the son of Joel and Angie Fisher. He is an active member of FFA and the basketball team. He is also a member of the Marshall County 4-H.

Alexandra Temme, daughter of Mike and Haidee Temme. She is currently an 8th grader and is serving as this year's FFA reporter. She has participated on the soils and livestock judging teams. She is also a member of the Marshall County 4-H.

Trista Fritter, an 8th grader and is currently serving as this year's FFA Historian. She is also a member of Marshall County 4-H. She has participated on the soils and livestock judging teams. She is the daughter of Johnny and Karen Fritter.

Hannah Barth, daughter of Daniel and Suzanne Barth. She is currently an 8th grader and has been very active in the FFA. She is also a member of the Marshall County 4-H.

Lily Hayes, daughter of Billy Hayes and Brenda Vargas, is currently an 8th grader and was a participant on the soils judging team.

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December
Kindergarten: Abigail Rogers (Amy Bonine), Dustin Sullivan (Heather Overmyer), Aaliyah Pennington (Stephanie Smith), Benjamin Garcia (Teri Zechiel).

Building inspector visits collapsed Monterey building after winds exacerbate problem

On Feb. 20, the Pulaski County Building Inspector visited Monterey, shutting down part of the Main Street as well as another street by the town park following a review of the former Sportsman's Bar in downtown Monterey, according to Monterey councilman Doug Denton.
 "We are hoping that this will be the first step in a fast and

1st grade: Ethan Daley (Andrea Berndt), Charlie Nufer (Kelly Dickerhoff), Olivia Davis (April Jefferies).
2nd grade: Ivon Torres-Escobar (Lisa Elliott), Dillon Brown (Becky Risner), Breana Hamilton (Janna VanDePutte).
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speedy resolution to the problem here in Monterey," said Denton, adding that questions about the matter should be directed to the Pulaski County Building Inspector.
 The former bar collapsed last year, with town and county government officials working to find funding for its removal in the absence of action from the building's owner.

High winds last week added to the problem, tearing loose some debris and fencing associated with the building, which led to the county inspector's visit, according to Denton.

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Kindergarten round-up March 10
 Culver Elementary School will hold a kindergarten round-up on Thursday, March 10 at 6 p.m. at the school. Important information will be shared with parents at the event, which also gives parents their first look at next year's kindergarten class. Kindergarten students may also be registered at the event. Parents with questions about kindergarten may contact the Culver Elementary office at 574-842-3389.

CRC announces new façade grant opportunities
 The Culver Redevelopment Commission is ready for the 2016 façade grant application process. The first round of applications (which can be found at town hall) are due in to Tom Yuhas, CRC, Town Hall, 200 East Washington St., Culver, IN 46511 no later than March 1. Grants will be awarded on April 1. If the full \$30,000 is not awarded during this time, a second grant round will be held with those applications being due by August 1 and awards given by September 1. All grant projects that are awarded in 2016 must be started within 90 days of award date. All grant projects must be completed and submitted for reimbursement within one year of the award date. No exceptions.

Knit Happens is a group of dedicated knitters who meet weekly to knit and to teach knitting, share ideas, yarns, techniques, in the Culver-Union Twp. Public Library's small meeting room Mondays from 10 a.m. to noon and Thursdays from 4 to 6 p.m. Newcomers are invited to join the group. For more info, contact Charlotte Rakich, 708-334-0466 text or talk, or email charlotte.vecchio@gmail.com. Those with a stash of knitting supplies to discard are encouraged to donate them in order to help the group continue teaching new knitters.

Community meal at Grace March 15
 Grace United Church of Christ will hold its monthly community meal on Tuesday, March 15 at 6 p.m. All are invited to this free, ecumenical event whose purpose is to share a friendly meal in a welcoming, community atmosphere. The meals are held on the 15th day of each month in the basement of the church.

Maxinkuckee Players auditions May 7
 The Maxinkuckee Players have announced auditions for "Beauty and the Beast," this summer's theater production. Auditions will take place Saturday, May 7, from 9 a.m. to noon, 1 to 5 p.m., and 6 to 9 p.m.; and Sunday, May 8, from 1 to 5 p.m. For information, contact Becky Liechty at 574-952-5117 or bliechty@embarqmail.com. Show dates are July 22, 24, 29, 30, and 31.

Adult winter basketball at CCMS
 Adult winter basketball will start again this year Sunday, Nov. 29, and continue each Sunday, from 9 to 3 p.m. EST, until April 10 (20 sessions), at the Culver Community Middle School. Cost for insurance is \$2 each Sunday, or \$20 up front for whole season. Please bring your "A" game, your good sportsmanship, and not your kids.
 Questions may be directed to Ken VanDePutte at 574-274-9942.

Monterey Fire Dept. fish fry March 18
 The Monterey - Tippecanoe Township Volunteer Fire Department will hold a fish fry featuring AUCE walleye on Friday, March 18, from 4:30 to 7:30 p.m., at the Monterey Fire Station, 6393 E. Washington St. in Monterey. The cost is \$9 for adults and \$6 for children 10 and under. Children under 6 with parents eat free (at the fire station only). Dessert and drinks are provided with the meal. Carry outs are at the east door. Food is prepared by Ralph Smith.

Fund raising opportunity for Johnson
 Friends and co-workers of Melissa Johnson, who was severely injured in a car accident in December of last year, are holding a fund-raiser to help the Johnson family with Melissa's care. Part of the proceeds from sales of Audrey's Pumpkin & Gourmet Cake Rolls (audreypumpkinrolls.com), which come in 12 different flavors (each roll serves 10 to 12 people and cost \$15 each), will go to the family. Those wishing to purchase products may contact Kathie Huhn at 574-842-3056 or dan.huhn@sbcglobal.net.

Ice skate donations sought
 The Culver Parks and Recreation board is seeking donations of new or used ice skates, or monetary donations toward the same, in order to provide winter activities for all. The board earlier this season announced plans to revive ice skating on the lake this winter. Donations of skates can be dropped off at the beach lodge in the park, at a container on the observation deck. Monetary donations may also be mailed to: Culver Park Board, 819 E. Lake Shore Drive, Culver IN. 46511. Make checks payable to Culver Park Ice Skate Fund. Donated skates will be provided for free to anyone who wants to use them while they skate.

Pinewood derby - chili cookoff March 19
 The Culver Cub Scouts will host a pinewood derby and chili cook-off Sat., March 19. To register for the derby (any age may register) there is a \$10 entry fee and registrants will receive the car kit to build their derby car. Prizes will be awarded for both children and adults. To register for the chili cook-off, there is a \$5 entry fee, and prizes will be awarded for first, second, and third places.
 Questions may be directed to Kristine Cormican at 219-629-2999 or klcormican@yahoo.com.

Culver Elementary seeks volunteers
 Culver Elementary School is seeking caring adults, men and women, of all ages, to volunteer at the school in a variety of ways during the school day. Those interested in helping to make a difference in the lives of children, please email (bonine@culver.k12.in.us) a phone number and time to be contacted, or call the school at 574-842-3389 and leave a message for Amy Bonine.

Residents reminded to guard for frozen pipes
 With cold temperatures on the way, frozen pipes and water meters are possible. Home owners are responsible for keeping their water meter from freezing and, if it does freeze, the cost to fix or replace it, which could mean a \$175 replacement fee. Residents are encouraged to take precautions to keep it warm during extreme temperatures such as making sure its space is heated, insulating the pipes around the meter, and leaving a faucet dripping so water is moving through the pipes.

Friends of the Library monthly book/bake sales
 The Friends of the Culver-Union Twp. Public Library will hold book and bake sales on the first Saturday of each month, from 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m., in the lower level Carnegie Room. Each month's sale will feature a seasonal theme, with the March 5 event focusing on Easter, Irish, or green books; April's theme will be poetry, and May's will be Shakespeare. As always, the organization accepts donations of gently used books and media, which can be dropped off at the library circulation desk.

Fire dept. seeking new applicants
 The Culver Fire Department is accepting applications for new firefighters. Those interested may apply at the Culver town hall, 200 E Washington Street in Culver or call 574-842-3140 for more information.

Euchre, Pinochle Fridays
 A weekly euchre and pinochle club, which is open to the public, meets each Friday from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m. at the Culver park beach lodge's upper-level meeting room, 819 Lake Shore Drive. All are welcome to have fun playing cards, make new friends, enjoy beautiful Lake Maxinkuckee, and Culver's fine restaurants and city.

Exhibit of photographic legends at Academies
 Ongoing in the Crisp Visual Art Center at Culver Academies is the exhibition, "3 American Photographers: Eudora Welty, Alfred Eisenstaedt, and Ansel Adams." The Welty photographs on exhibition were shot between 1935 and 1942. The Eisenstaedt portfolio was shot at Culver in 1939 for an article in *Life* Magazine. The photo exhibit is free and open to the public on Sundays from 1 to 4:30 p.m. and Wednesdays from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. in the Deer-Zink Gallery of the Crisp Visual Arts Center on Academy Road. The exhibit is available by appointment by calling Robert Nowalk, curator of the Academies' collection, at 574-842-8278.

Residents reminded of winter fire safety.
 In the wake of several recent fires locally, Culver fire chief Terry Wakefield is asking residents to be vigilant during this cold-weather season in use of wood stoves, heaters, and other potential residential fire hazards. As always, fires should be reported immediately to 911, and those questions regarding fire safety may contact the fire department via the Culver town hall at 574-842-3140. The US Fire Administration also offers winter fire safety tips online at www.usfa.fema.gov/winter.

Adult coloring series at CUTPL
 Culver-Union Township Public Library is continuing its adult coloring series. The library is providing the coloring sheets and colors, but feel free to bring your own. Sessions take place at the library Wednesdays at 5:30 p.m. and/or Thursdays at 10 a.m. This program is free and open to the public. Contact reference/adult services manager, Dana Thomas, at 574-842-2941 or dthomas@culver.lib.in.us for more information.

Contacts: News Drop-Off Boxes: Located at Culver-Union Township Library and at The Culver Coffee Company, Lake Shore Drive.
 Phone: 574-216-0075
 E-mail: culvercitizen@gmail.com
 Mail: The Culver Citizen, c/o The Pilot News, P.O. Box 220, Plymouth, IN 46563
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E-billing for Culver utilities launching
 Online utility billing for Culver residents will go into effect in February, and as part of the change, print utility bills sent via postal mail will take on a different look. Residents are encouraged to keep an eye out for the bills and not discard them unknowingly when they arrive. Those wishing to sign up for email billing may contact the town hall at 574-842-3140.

Friends of the Library seeks volunteers
 The Friends of the Culver-Union Twp. Public Library are seeking more volunteers to assist with book sales and other library-oriented activities. Interested persons may inquire at the library, 107 N. Main Street in downtown Culver, or by phone at 574-842-2941.

Newcomers invited to Culver knitting group



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Culver's Rodriguez, CMA's Davis finish up at state wrestling finals

By Tim Creason
Correspondent
INDIANAPOLIS — Not the way they wanted to finish, but it wasn't for lack of trying.

Neither Triston Rodriguez of Culver Community nor Adam Davis of Culver Academies advanced from the opening round of Friday's IHSAA state wrestling finals in Indianapolis.

Rodriguez dropped a 5-1 decision to Jared Timberman of New Palestine in the 145-pound weight class, ending his season with a record of 38-4.

Davis fell to Warren Central's Dylan Culp at 120 pounds, 7-1. He closes a 38-9 campaign.

Rodriguez, a semistate runner-up, was unable to score offensive points on Timberman, no matter what he tried.



PHOTO/CULVER PTO
LEFT: Culver Comm. High School senior Triston Rodriguez, left, addresses students Friday morning at a pep rally at the school alongside CCHS wrestling coach Chris Prendergast. Rodriguez was the latest in a string of CCHS students to make it to the IHSAA state wrestling finals in Indianapolis, though he fell short of the state title two of his CCHS predecessors attained.



PHOTO/TIM CREASON
Adam Davis of Culver Military Academy (bottom) tries to escape from Warren Central's Dylan Culp during the 120-pound weight class opener at Friday's IHSAA state wrestling finals in Indianapolis. Davis lost a 7-1 decision and ends his season with a 38-9 record.

“He was really good defensively,” said Rodriguez. “He was good enough to beat me, that's all I know.”

Davis had the same issue with Culp on the mats at Bankers Life Fieldhouse.

Defending state champion Penn remains in the hunt for another team title,

but only four Kingsmen advanced from the opening round. Warren Central

led the field with 28 points. Penn was fourth with 16 1/2.

Cavs lose another lead vs Satellites

Culver Community's boys basketball team let a 21-9 halftime lead slip away and fell 46-43 to host South Central on the road in Union Mills last Thursday.

Everett Krueger scored 19 points, and Tristan Schultz finished with 16 before fouling out along with Cash Harris.

South Central was paced

by David Williams and Max Clemons with 17 and 16 points, respectively.

• SOUTH CENTRAL 46, CULVER 43

At Union Mills
 Culver: 14 21 24 43
 SC: 7 9 29 46
 CULVER (43): R.T. Roberts 0, Everett Krueger 19, Austin Bailey 0, Lance Beaver 0, Cash Harris 2, Nate Carnegie 4, Cody Valliquet 2, Josh Krsek 0, Kia Riale 0, Tristan Schultz 16; Totals: 17 7-13 43.

SOUTH CENTRAL (46): Garrett Wolf 0, Jacob Clindaniel 5, Max

Clemons 16, R.J. Snyder 3, Jason Hughes 0, Garrett Hewlett 0, Austin Salee 0, David Williams 17, Cooper Hunsman 5, Carson Hunsman 0, Kyle Schmack 0; Totals: 16 4-13 46.

3-pointers: Culver 2 (Krueger 2), South Central 4 (Williams 2, Clemons, Snyder); Rebounds: Culver 30 (Krueger 9), South Central 10 (Clemons 3, Williams 3); Turnovers: Culver 22, South Central 9; Steals: Culver 5, South Central 9 (Williams 4); Assists: Culver 7 (Krsek 3), South Central 7 (Clemons 3, Williams 3); Fouls (fouled out): Culver 21 (Harris, Schultz), South Central 14 (Co. Hunsman).

Baumgartner wins two titles for CMA

Host Warsaw won its ninth straight sectional championship, while Culver Military had to settle for second best and Plymouth finished in seventh place at the Warsaw Boys Swim Sectional Saturday.

The Eagles put up 349 points behind Warsaw's 496. Plymouth tallied 113 points.

Forrest Baumgartner won both the 200 Individual Medley and the butterfly for CMA, advancing to Friday's IHSAA State Swimming Finals at the IUPUI Natatorium in Indianapolis. Justin Matei finished fourth in the 200 and freestyle swims, while Jonathan Youngs was fourth in the diving competition, earning him a spot at Tuesday's Mishawaka Diving Regional.

The Eagles also earned third-place finishes in the

medley relay and 400 free relay, and they placed fourth in the 200 free relay.

• WARSAW SECTIONAL
 At Warsaw
 Team scores: 1. Warsaw 496, 2. Culver Military 349, 3. Rochester 284, 4. Columbia City 251, 5. Huntington North 156, 6. Lewis Cass 153 1/2, 7. Plymouth 113, 8. Logansport 105 1/2, 9. Pioneer 99, 10. Tippecanoe Valley 96, 11. Manchester 59.

(Winners and swimmers who meet state qualifying times advance to state finals. Top four divers advance to Mishawaka Regional.)

200 medley relay: 1. Rochester (Jeffrey Ruppert, Mason Brady, Wesley Meyer, Jace Bixler) 1:40.69, 2. Warsaw 1:41.84, 3. Culver Military 1:45.37, 4. Columbia City 1:45.58; 200 freestyle: 1. Eli Pugh (Rochester) 1:44.43, 2. Matt Webber (Columbia City) 1:48.20, 3. Hudson Snyder (Warsaw) 1:48.25, 4. Justin Matei (Culver Military) 1:50.34; 200 individual medley: 1. Forrest Baumgartner (Culver Military) 2:00.28, 2. Zach Taylor (Warsaw) 2:01.90, 3. Aaron Fix (Columbia City) 2:05.26, 4. Nick Zogbi (Warsaw) 2:08.60; 50 freestyle: 1. Ethan Cook (Warsaw) 22.18, 2. Matt Wildman (Warsaw) 22.48, 3. Bixler (Rochester) 22.55, 4. Chase Brower (Tippecanoe Valley) 23.17;

Diving: 1. Tyler Paseka (Warsaw) 383.95, 2. Toby McGehee (Cass) 382.10, 3. Nick Bell (Warsaw) 359.25, 4. Jonathan Youngs (Culver Military) 227.70; 100 butterfly: 1. Baumgartner (Culver Military) 53.30, 2. Evan Borchers (Warsaw) 55.15, 3. Dayne Trump (Columbia City) 56.61, 4. Ryan Devito (Columbia City) 56.85; 100 freestyle: 1. Webber (Columbia City) 48.48, 2. E. Cook (Warsaw) 48.52, 3. Bixler (Rochester) 49.78, 4. Adam Doyle (Warsaw) 50.90; 500 freestyle: 1. Pugh (Rochester) 4:45.19, 2. Snyder (Warsaw) 4:59.28, 3. Devito (Columbia City) 5:03.61, 4. Matei (Culver Military) 5:08.90; 200 freestyle relay: 1. Warsaw (E. Cook, Doyle, Alex Cook, Wildman) 1:29.57, 2. Columbia City 1:33.04, 3. Rochester 1:35.59, 4. Culver Military 1:37.15; 100 backstroke: 1. Taylor (Warsaw) 55.75, 2. Ruppert (Rochester) 56.75, 3. Zogbi (Warsaw) 57.08, 4. Fix (Columbia City) 57.72; 100 breaststroke: 1. Wildman (Warsaw) 1:02.90, 2. Cody Barton (Huntington North) 1:04.55, 3. Mason Metzinger (Warsaw) 1:04.89, 4. Brady (Rochester) 1:06.74; 400 freestyle relay: 1. Warsaw (E. Cook, Borchers, Snyder, Wildman) 3:17.48, 2. Rochester 3:18.13, 3. Culver Military 3:23.42, 4. Columbia City 3:29.44.

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Bible Trivia

— BY WILSON CASEY —

1. Is the book of Ezekiel in the Old or New Testament or neither?
2. Who had 900 iron chariots and made 20 years of life unbearable for the Israelites? Tobiah, Pilate, Sisera, Absalom
3. After six days, God saw all that he had made, and it was ...? Heavenly divine, For righteous sake, Thine image, Very good
4. Who was father of Apostles James and John? Zachaeus, Zebedee, Zebulun, Zechariah
5. 27,000 men were killed when what city's walls fell on them? Sechem, Sodom, Aphek, Jericho
6. Who burned his son alive as a sacrifice? Achan, Ahaz, Moses, Shimei

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CGA polo heading to national championship

By Jan Garrison, Culver Academies

The Culver Girls Academy polo team is headed to the National Interscholastic Championship tournament after two big wins at the regional level. The girls will play for the national title at the Empire Polo Club,

Indio, Calif., on March 4 through 6.

CGA advanced to the national tournament with a 12-9 victory of Houston A. The girls were down 7-4 at halftime, but outscored Houston 8-2 in the second half to seal the victory. They advanced to the re-

gional championship match with a 19-8 win in the semifinal against the Houston JV team. Houston A advanced with a 12-4 win over Midland (Texas) B.

The regional tournament was played at the ERG Polo Complex in Brookshire, Texas, and hosted by the

Houston Polo Club. Making the trip over long weekends were seniors Christina Aliev and Ally Vaughn, and juniors Ashley Dillard, McKayla Hay, Yi-ting Lu, and Emma Vigny.

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Cavs fall to Tippy Valley

Culver Community couldn't hold on to a fourth-quarter lead, and the Cavaliers fell to visiting Tippecanoe Valley 65-49 Feb. 16.

The Cavs led 38-31 at the end of three, but the Vikings outscored their hosts 24-11 over the final frame to steal the win.

Everett Krueger scored 21 points, and Josh Krsek finished with 13 for Culver. Nate Carnegie scored eight points and handed out five assists. Tristan Schultz was held to just one point, and point guard Cash Harris scored six to go with four steals but fouled out in the loss, Culver's second straight.

Tippy Valley was led by Neil Clampitt's 19 and Jarod Duzenberg's 18. Alec Craig scored 12.

• TIPPECANOE VALLEY 65, CULVER COMMUNITY 49
At Culver
Culver: 14 23 38 49
Tippy Valley: 11 27 31 65
TIPPY VALLEY (65): Brandon Webster 6, Trevor Neeley 3, Keith Wright 0, DeSean Heckman 0, Alec Craig 12, Jake Gearhart 0, Gavin Bussard 7, Neil Clampitt 19, Jarod Duzenberg 18, Bryce Webster 0, Dakota Parker 0, Alex Morrison 0; Totals: 23 13-19 65.
CULVER (49): R.T. Roberts 0, Everett Krueger 21, Austin Bailey 0, Lance Beaver 0, Cash Harris 6, Nate Carnegie 8, John Brown 0, Justin Brown 0, Cody Valiquet 0, Josh Krsek 13, Kia Riale 0, Tristan Schultz 1; Totals: 17 10-18 49.
3-pointers: Tippy Valley 6 (Clampitt 3, Webster, Neeley, Craig), Culver 5 (Krueger 3, Harris, Carnegie); Rebounds: Tippy Valley 20 (Craig 6, Bussard 6), Culver 21 (Kureger 5, Krsek 5); Turnovers: Tippy Valley 10, Culver 14; Steals: Tippy Valley 5 (Craig 3), Culver 6 (Harris 4); Assists: Tippy Valley 14 (Craig 8), Culver 10 (Carnegie 5); Fouls (fouled out): Tippy Valley 12 (none), Culver 19 (Harris).
Records: Culver 13-6, Tippy Valley 8-12

Local student among recipients of national academic recognition

By Jan Garrison Culver Academies

A Culver residents was one of six Culver Academies seniors/first classmen have been recognized on a national level for academic excellence. Academic Dean Kevin MacNeil made the announcement during the academic convocation on Feb. 10.

Eleanor Ericson of Culver and five other students – Catherine Bevil (Omaha, Neb.), Dhruva Mehta (Bourbonnais, Ill.), Michael Noronha (Lake Forest, Ill.), and Suraag Srinivas (Chelmsford, Mass.) – have been named National Merit Scholarship finalists.

Senior Julia Hernandez (Pueblo, Colo.) has been designated by The College Board as a National Hispanic Scholar, an academic designation used by colleges to identify exceptional Hispanic students.

The National Merit Scholarship program honors individual students for their exceptional scholastic potential, as measured by the National Merit Qualifying Test, the PSAT. The qualifying score was 218, which corresponds roughly to a 2,200 on the SAT, MacNeil said. Culver Academies students are selected from a pool of boarding

school students covering a 10-state region.

Every year, approximately 1.4 million high school juniors in more than 22,000 high schools take the PSAT/NMSQT. The 15,000 finalists represent less than one percent of the total population who took the initial exam.

Finalists are eligible for one of approximately 7,400 National Merit Scholarships worth more than \$32 million. The awards include National Merit Scholarships of \$2,500, corporate-sponsored Merit Scholarships, and college-sponsored Merit Scholarships.

Scholarship winners are selected based on their academic records, information about the school's curricula and grading system, two sets of test scores, high school officials' written recommendations, information of the student's activities and leadership, and each finalist's own essay.

National Merit Scholarship winners will be announced starting in March and conclude by mid-June. The National Merit Scholarship Corporation has been in operation since 1955. It is a not-for-profit organization that operates without government assistance.

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Academies speech team claims conference crown

By Jan Garrison, Culver Academies

The Culver Academies speech team reached another milestone, winning its third-consecutive Central Indiana Forensic League (CIFL) Championship. Since joining the CIFL in 2014, Culver has dominated the conference with the performance of their first-year novices and young veteran members, head coach Mitch Barnes said.

Co-captains for the 49-member team are senior Katie Bevil (Omaha,

Neb.) and first-classmen Ethan Carter (Aurora, Colo.), and Clay Kingsbury (Raleigh, N.C.).

The team competed in four of the six CIFL after-school meets this season, establishing a strong lead in early November. In January, Culver repeated as the CIFL winter tournament champions, then brought home the conference title earlier this month.

The team has one regular season meet left, Chesterton High School's Skeff-

ington Memorial Tournament on Saturday.

The students and coaches will then focus on winning their fourth consecutive sectional championship at Lafayette McCutcheon on Feb. 27. The state finals will be conducted at Fishers High School near Indianapolis on March 12.

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Ancilla continues lecture series

DONALDSON – The thirst for knowledge is ever-quenched at Ancilla College's Lampen Lecture series. The purpose of these lectures is to promote each individual's ability to think beyond his or her own experiences and interests. The public is welcome.

The remainder of the Spring Lampen programs include: **March 9:** Canon Law presented by Sr. Kate Kuensler, PHJC, Canon Lawyer. To be held in the Hardesty Room C231 at 3 p.m. **April 20:** Trafficking presented by Rondi Wightman, MSW Hardesty Room C231 at 3 p.m.

Those with questions, please contact Sr. Jolise May, Vice President of Mission Integration, atjolise.may@ancilla.edu or (574) 936-8898 ext. 361.

Lafayette Jeff snaps CMA streak



PHOTO/PAUL PARÉ
CMA junior Jake Young drives for a layup while David Hanyard of Lafayette Jefferson contests his shot in a home game played Feb. 16 at Fleet gym. Jefferson won 61-52. CMA junior Dylan Powell led the Eagles with 17 points, including five from three-point range.

Lafayette Jefferson snapped a string of four straight Culver Military victories, 61-52, at Fleet Gymnasium Feb. 16.

Sophomore Dylan Powell knocked down five 3s en route to a team-high 17 points, while Jammario Rule finished with 14, and Ignas Masiulionis put up 11 for CMA, which was tied 15-15 with Lafayette Jeff after the first quarter but fell behind

34-25 at the half.

David Hanyard finished with 17 points to lead four Bronchos in double figures. Danny Isbell finished with 13, Keaton Schreckengest scored 12, and Cortiz Buckner had 11 for Lafayette Jeff.

• LAFAYETTE JEFFERSON 61, CULVER MILITARY 52
At Culver
Jeff: 15 34 45 61
CMA: 15 25 32 52
JEFF (61): Cortiz Buckner 11, Jalen Williams 6, Danny Isbell 13, David Hanyard 17, Keaton Schreckengest 12; Totals: 14-6 15-18 61.
CMA (52): Ean Anderson 0, Ignas Masiulionis 11, Ethan Brittain-Watts 2, Sam Concannon 2, Dylan Powell 17, Jake Young 6, Jammario Rule 14; Totals: 15-6 4-7 52.
3-pointers: Jeff 6 (Isbell 3, Williams 2, Buckner); CMA 6 (Powell 5, Masiulionis); Fouls (fouled out) Jeff 11 (none); CMA 15 (Brittain-Watts).
Records: Jeff 11-8, CMA 11-6.
JV score: Jeff 46 (C. Watson 14, Jensen Wenrick 13), CMA 43 (Jordan Freeman 11, Amari Curtis 10)

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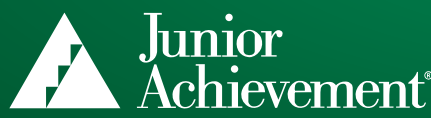
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