

area calendar

Monday Pizza Hut Fund-raiser: The Cass County Carousel will sponsor a Pizza Hut Fund-raiser from 5 to 8 p.m. Proceeds will go to the Carousel Maintenance Fund. The Brass Quintet: The McKinney House, 3901 High St., will feature The Brass Quintet at 7 p.m. The performance is free and the public is welcome. Refreshments will be provided.

Tuesday Easter Egg Hunt: The Cass County 4-H Junior Leaders will have an Easter egg hunt at 6 p.m. at the Cass County 4-H Park. Children age 7 and under are invited. Each child should bring his or her own basket for collecting the eggs. Community Luncheon: The Miami Baptist Church will host a Community Luncheon from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. in the church, on Cass County Road 600E, Adamsboro. The menu includes all-you-can-eat spaghetti and meat balls, garlic bread, tossed salad and dessert. Donations will be accepted.

area agenda

Monday WINAMAC TOWN COUNCIL will meet in regular session at 7 p.m. in the Municipal Utilities Complex, 623 W. 11th St. BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS will meet at 4 p.m. at 417 North St., Suite 102. Tuesday LOGANSPOUT COMMUNITY SCHOOL CORPORATION BOARD OF TRUSTEES will meet at 5:45 p.m. in the Administration Building, 2829 George St. ROCHESTER COMMON COUNCIL will meet at 7:30 p.m. in Rochester City Hall, 329 Main St.

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obituaries

Mary M. 'Margie' Gill A funeral Mass for Mary M. "Margie" Gill, 78, Logansport, will be held at 10 a.m. Tuesday in All Saints Catholic Church. She died at 4:21 p.m. Friday, April 11, 2003, in Methodist Hospital, Indianapolis. Born Jan. 23, 1925, in Logansport, she was the daughter of Bernard and Mary J. Bieker Hombach. When her mother passed away in 1929, her father married Josephine Spitznogle, who preceded in death in 1994. She was married on May 29, 1948, in St. Joseph's Church in Logansport, to Charles W. Gill, who survives. Mrs. Gill had been employed in the Treasurer's Office and Clerk's Office at the Cass County Courthouse. She also had been employed by Prudential Insurance in Logansport. A member of All Saints Catholic Church, she also was a member of the All Saints Ladies Society and Daughters of Isabella. She was a 1943 graduate of Logansport High School. Also surviving are two daughters, Annette Appel, Valparaiso, and Carolyn McDonald and her husband, David, Frankfort; one son, Bob Gill and his wife, Becky, Iola, Kan.; one sister and brother-in-law, Bernadine and Vince Bender, Logansport; five grandchildren, Lindsay Appel, Damien Appel, Rhianna Appel, Nicholas Gill and Nathan Gill; two nieces; and one nephew. Two brothers and one sister, all at infancy, and one nephew preceded in death. Father Philip Haslinger will officiate at the services. Burial will be in Mount Calvary Cemetery. Friends may call from 3 to 8 p.m. Monday in Kroeger Funeral Home, where a Scripture service will be held at 6 p.m. Monday. Memorial contributions may be made to the American Diabetes Association.



Mary M. 'Margie' Gill

Jaymie Grahman Salmons Private services for Jaymie Grahman Salmons, 6, of Onward, will be held at Fisher Funeral Chapel. She died at 9:34 p.m. Sunday, April 6, 2003, in University Hospital, Iowa City, Iowa. Born Oct. 30, 1996, in Logansport, she was the daughter of Jay F. Grahman and Shannon Christine Salmons. Surviving are her mother, Shannon Christine Salmons, Onward; her mother's companion, Bill Green; maternal grandmother, Lahoma Salmons, Logansport; maternal great-grandmother, Edna Clay, North Lewisburg, Ohio; two brothers, Jared Thomas Salmons and Jesse Stephens Salmons, both of Onward; two uncles, Scott Salmons and his wife, Angie, and Steve Salmons and his wife, Lori; one aunt, Cheryl Schroder, Logansport; and four cousins, Calvin Salmons, Stephen Salmons and Brandon Shephard, all of Logansport, and Heather Salmons, Monticello. Her father; maternal grandfather, Calvin Salmons; and one sister, Katie Christine Salmons, preceded in death. The Rev. Christopher Dodson will officiate at the services. Burial will be in Ever-Rest Memorial Park. Visitation will be private. Memorial contributions may be made to the Jaymie Grahman Salmons Fund in care of Security Federal Savings Bank.



Jaymie Grahman Salmons

Walter 'Sam' Reef FLORA — Services for Walter "Sam" Reef, 84, of 62W 155S, Bringham, will be held at 10:30 a.m. Tuesday in Reinke Funeral Home. He died at 1:25 a.m. Saturday, April 12, 2003, in St. Elizabeth Healthcare Center, Delphi. Pastor Steve Lauderdale will officiate at the services. Burial will be in Maple Lawn Cemetery. Friends may call from 4 to 8 p.m. Monday in the funeral home.

Roger E. Long Jr. WINAMAC — Services for Roger E. Long Jr., 86, of 2010E 750N, Monterey, will be held at 11 a.m. Monday in Frain Mortuary. He died at 10:12 a.m. Friday, April 11, 2003, in Pulaski Memorial Hospital. The Rev. David E. Childs will officiate at the services. Burial will be in Riverside Memorial Cemetery, Monterey. Friends may call from 2 to 7 p.m. today and after 8 a.m. Monday in the mortuary. Memorial contributions may be made to the Shrine Crippled Children's Hospital and the American Cancer Society.

Dean A. Snider GALVESTON — Services for Dean A. Snider, 84, Galveston, will be held at 10:30 a.m. Tuesday in Murray Funeral Home, Galveston Chapel. He died at 3:30 p.m. Friday, April 11, 2003, in Logansport Memorial Hospital, Logansport. Born Jan. 24, 1919, he was the son of Charles and Ida Amos Snider. He was married of May 6, 1945, in Indianapolis, to Mary Rhine, who preceded in death. Mr. Snider was a self-employed carpenter and cabinet maker. He was a 1938 graduate of Galveston High School. He was a member of the National Rifle Association and a longtime member of Carpenters Local #615. Surviving are one daughter, Sandra Snider Schroeder and her husband, Larry; three grandchildren, Kurt Schroeder, Karla Schroeder and Kyle Schroeder; and one great-grandson, Gavin Schroeder. Two brothers and one sister preceded in death. The Rev. Jonathon Gosser will officiate at the services. Burial will be in Galveston Cemetery. Friends may call from 4 to 8 p.m. Monday in the funeral home. Memorial contributions may be made to the Cass County Humane Society.

funeral notices

Brovont FLORA — Services for Paul J. Brovont, 91, Camden, will be held at 2 p.m. today in Deer Creek Old German Baptist Brethren Church. Burial will be in Maple Lawn Cemetery, Flora. Reinke Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Brumm ROCHESTER, Minn. — Services for Irene Anne (Koester) Brumm, 86, Minneapolis, Minn., will be held at 11 a.m. Monday at Redeemer Lutheran Church. Burial will be in Grandview Memorial Gardens. Friends may call from 4 to 7 p.m. today in Ranfranz Funeral Home and one hour before the time of services Monday in the church.

Foster GALVESTON — Services for Homer D. "Butch" Foster, 59, 404 E. Dutchess St., Walton, will be held at 6 p.m. Tuesday in Murray Funeral Home, Galveston Chapel. Friends may call from 2 to 6 p.m. Tuesday in the funeral home.

Fritz MEDARYVILLE — Services for Mary E. Mae Fritz, 98, of 225 National St., will be held at 10 a.m. Monday in St. Henry Catholic Church. Burial will be in St. Henry Catholic Cemetery. Friends may call from 4 to 8 p.m. today in Query-Ulbricht Funeral Home, where a Scriptural wake service will be held at 7 p.m. today.

Linton Services for Joyce E. Linton, 67, Crystal River, Fla., will be held at 1 p.m. Monday in Fisher Funeral Chapel. Friends may call one hour before the time of services in the funeral chapel.

Methner A funeral Mass for Joseph Alexander Methner, 32, Avon, will be held at 1 p.m. Friday, April 25, in St. Susanna Parish, Plainfield. Friends and family will be greeted one hour before the time of the Mass. Kroeger Funeral Home is in charge of local arrangements.

Scott MONTICELLO — Services for Homer C. Scott, 73, 6106 N. Lake Road 6.5E, will be held at 11:30 a.m. Monday in Fisher-Voorhis-Draper Funeral Home. Burial will be in Hughes Cemetery. Friends may call from 2 to 6 p.m. today in the funeral home.

today's lotteries

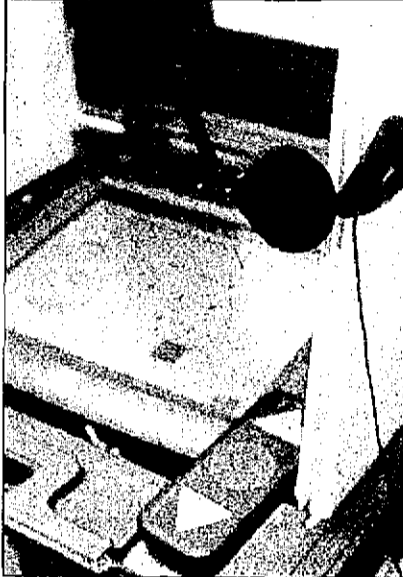
Hoosier Lottery Hotline: (900) 420-CASH (There will be a fee for this call) Indiana INDIANAPOLIS (AP) — Here are the winning numbers selected Saturday in the Hoosier Lottery: Daily Three-Midday 4-9-1 Daily Three-Evening 0-3-6 Daily Four-Midday 6-1-4-6 Daily Four-Evening 7-1-9-3 Lucky 5-Midday 2-8-11-26-31 Lucky 5-Evening 2-12-24-31-32 Hoosier Lotto 9-19-20-23-29-37 Estimated Hoosier Lotto jackpot: \$2.5 million Estimated Powerball jackpot: \$30 million Illinois SPRINGFIELD, Ill. (AP) — Here are the winning numbers selected Saturday in the Illinois State Lottery: Pick Three-Midday 8-3-5 Pick Three-Evening 6-2-3 Pick Four-Midday 0-8-6-5 Pick Four-Evening 4-6-3-1 Lotto 5-6-21-25-45-46 Estimated Lotto Jackpot: \$8 million Estimated Mega Millions jackpot: \$26 million Powerball DES MOINES, Iowa (AP) — The winning numbers drawn Saturday night in "Powerball" are: 17-27-28-35-52 Powerball 02 Estimated jackpot: \$30.5 million Power Play: 05

birth notice

Monticello Jason Z. and Amy M. Rans, Burdettville, are the parents of a son, Jonathon Robert Rans, born Wednesday, April 9, 2003, in White County Memorial Hospital, Monticello. Maternal grandparents are Lorena Turner, Monticello, and John Quade, Monon. Paternal grandparents are Mary Scher, Sumpter, S.C., and James Rans, Fulton.

Vote ...

Continued from page A1 "People will not be walking out of the polls and saying, 'Did I really vote for school board?' It will all come up screen by screen," she says. Acclimating voters to the new system has been a gradual process for Gibson and Crimmins. To date, they have taken the system to 45 locations in the county, including Lewis Cass High School where some voters will cast their first votes next year on the new system. "The response that we're getting from people after they use it is, 'Gee, is that all there is to that,'" Gibson says. Touchscreen voting also should make for a quick election to count, Gibson says. "I'm saying I'm going to be home in time to watch 'Jeopardy.' I think everything will be over with well before 7 o'clock." According to Voting Technologies, the machines are certified to meet or exceed Federal Election Commission standards, as well as National Association of State Election Directors standards. The product was initiated by Anthony Boldin, president and CEO of the company, who was disappointed by the controversies involving vote recounts in the 2000 presidential election. Hanging chads on punch ballots, paper ballots delayed the outcome of the election as recounts in Florida continued for weeks. Eventually, the election was determined in the U.S. Supreme Court. New locations In addition to new machines, most Logansport voters will be voting at new polling sites in the primary. To reduce election costs, all city precincts have been reduced to five polling sites, one for each city council ward. Voters have been notified by mail of their new polling site. The changes reduce the number of polling sites from 12 to five. Gibson says no precincts have been eliminated, but the costs of manning seven precincts will be.



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HELPING IMPAIRED: New computerized voting machines are equipped with special features for the vision and hearing impaired. Print on the computer screen is larger than traditional ballots on the gray manual machines the computers are replacing.

In case there is a recount, Gibson says the system also has a feature that takes a picture of each ballot cast to allow a manual recount. The system costs \$170,000, and the Dell computers purchased for it will be used in other county offices.

Voters who are not registered to vote in the primary will be unable to vote. Voters who want to register for future elections may register at the license branch or at the Voter Registration Office on the first floor of the Cass County Government Building.

Dave Kitchell may be contacted at 722-5000, Ext. 5150, or via e-mail at david.kitchell@pharostribune.com

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