



JONATHAN NEWELL has

accepted membership into Phi Kappa Phi at Purdue University. The honor society recognizes superior scholarship in all academic majors within the university. Membership is limited to seniors and graduate students who rank in the upper ten percent of their class and juniors who rank in the upper five percent.



Newell

Newell is enrolled as a junior in the school of engineering. He is the son of Richard and Donna Newell of Delphi.

LEANNA SMITH of Deer Creek, a freshman at Ball State University, has been elected chairman of Homecoming events by her sorority, Epsilon Sigma Alpha for the 2007-2008 school year.



Smith

ESA is a service sorority that raises funds for Camp Riley, St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, and Easter Seals. Smith has participated in many events for her sorority this year, including Up Til Dawn and Ride-A-Harley for St. Jude, Habitat For Humanity, Race for the Cure - the Susan G. Komen 5K Breast Cancer Run, Presents for American Soldiers Overseas, Muncie Mission Walk, Christmas for Lafayette's Underprivileged Kids, and Radio Telethon for Riley.

She has served as an ESA Big Sister this semester for BSU students pledging her sorority.

A 2006 graduate of Carroll Jr.-Sr. High School, she is the daughter of Robert and Bunti Smith.

CORY NORMAN, son of Greg and Susan Norman of Flora, was presented two awards at the Wabash College Student Honors Chapel on April 26.

He received the Underwood Award in Chemistry, which is presented to the top junior student majoring in chemistry, and the Howell Chemistry Award, which honors the upper class chemistry major.

Norman's parents, sister, and grandparents attended the ceremonies and the reception that followed.

Carroll eighth grade students KAYLA TUSSINGER of Bringhurst and SHELBY SPRAY of Flora recently served as Indiana House Pages for Representative Rich McClain (R-Logansport) during the 2007 session of the Indiana General Assembly.



Tussinger



Spray

As a page, students 13 years and older spend the day gaining a greater understanding about state government and how laws are made.

Pages tour the Statehouse and work alongside legislative assistants and interns. On session days, pages experience how a bill becomes a law as they watch legislators on the House floor debate issues. On committee days, the students witness where a bill receives first consideration and watch hearings where the public submits input.

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Camp Tecumseh begins 34th Year of Day Camp

Thirty-four years ago Camp Tecumseh YMCA offered its first Day Camp for local children. In the years since, thousands of children from Carroll and White Counties have gained self confidence and taken their first steps to youthful independence under the tutelage of the caring counselors at Camp Tecumseh. That first year a total of 32 youngsters attended. Last

summer nearly one thousand came. "The counselors are just great," commented Kirsten Pattengale, mother of a Day Camper. "They are so enthusiastic and they just love working with the children. Our son Josiah wants to be a counselor some day himself." Seven weeks of Camp Tecumseh YMCA Day Camp are being offered for this sum-

mer. Sessions are Monday through Friday, and campers are at camp from about 10 a.m. until 3 p.m. Bus transportation is offered on alternating weeks for children from locations in Carroll County and White County, though campers from those areas are not limited to those weeks. Many parents drive their children to camp each day.

Activities include a daily swim lesson plus recreation swimming at the camp's two swimming pools, archery, crafts, games, hikes, skits, singing, obstacle course, and visiting the animals at the mini-farm. Each week also has a special theme such as "Superheroes," "Stars and Stripes Forever," or "Olympics," with activities and special guests helping to bring the theme to life.

Another important and popular part of the Day Camp is the daily morning devotion. Counselors creatively introduce Christian values and character qualities that campers and staff can implement during the interactions of their day: faith, caring, hon-

esty, respect, and responsibility. The Thursday evening parent night allows mom and dad to see their youngsters interacting with their counselors during the camper show. It is a festive time when the whole Day Camp community comes together in Tecumseh's new Kampen Lodge to celebrate a fun week of camper growth. For more information and registration forms, parents are encouraged to visit www.camp Tecumseh.org or contact Camp Tecumseh YMCA at 765-564-2898. Spaces are limited and registrations are taken on a first received basis. Some financial assistance is available for those in need.

Winners with PRIDE

Comet staff report

Students at Delphi Community High School have found acts of Personal Responsibility In Daily Effort, or PRIDE, come with direct and indirect rewards. Direct rewards include gifts and prizes for academic excellence. Indirect rewards are the self satisfaction and confidence of knowing the best job has been done.

The following students were directly rewarded for their efforts in excellence this third nine weeks:

GOLD RECEIVERS
Janna Back, Ashley Baer, Julie Baker, Kristina Barnard, Kyle Bender, Kris Bender, Kelsie Blickenstaff, Morgan Borden, Liz Britt, Arielle Brosman, Jenna Buehler, Michael Buehler, Mara Burton, Ali Canen, Whitney Cripe, Hannah Evans, Nick Force, Kerissa Garrison, Olivia George, Kylee German, Kaitlin Harber, Irina Hariri, Blanca Hernandez, Emily Howard, Cody Ingle, Spring Johnston, Nicholi Kauffman, Emily Kayser, Leslie Kayser, Casey Keen, Jared Kelley, Shannon Kremer, Brent Kremer, Brittney LaFollette, Keltie Lake, An-

drew Martin, Jenny Maxwell, Chris Mayfield, Sami Mayhew, Ann Mears, Kayleigh Morgan, Caitlin Pritchett, Cale Rader, Katie Randall, Krysta Reef, Haley Richardson, Megan Rossetter, Josh Schlueter, Amanda Schultz, Rebecca Shoemaker, Christina Smith, Torie Sosbe, Nicole Springer, Brianna Stauffer, Hannah Strasser, Suwanate Sumetawewut (Oum German), Lauren Stokdyk, Nathan Trapp, Brittany Tyner, Tamara Veach, Tom Walton, Shawneci Windell, and Joanna Zink.

SILVER RECEIVERS
Donavon Alderman, Kris Anderson, Matt Anderson, Mike Atwood, Brittany Atwood, Braden Atwood, Jarrett Baird, Eric Barnard, Brandi Brown, Matt Brown, Ashlee Buchanan, Andrew Burton, Daniel Butler, Amber Caputo, Nadia Ceidel, Kenny Chinn, Jonathon Christiansen, Mason Clawson, Lizzy Cline, Scott Collins, Alex Conner, Tanner Cripe, Jeff Crowder, Abigail Diebolt, Kyla Francis, Natalie Garrison, Trevor Gick, Corey Girard, Brenton Hathaway, Monica Hutsell, Linae Ivey, Amanda James, Candice James, Katie Jeffrey, Matt Keen, Courtney Kingery, Kari Lake, Morgan Lavv, Matt Lewis, Brooke Lewis, Haley Lynde, Chelsea Marburger, Meagan Marler, Aubrey McCarty, Morgan McCauslin, Matt Meek, Morgan Minnicus, Katie

Mullin, Emily Murphy, Cole Natterman, Lisa Northup, Amanda Payne, Nichole Randle, James Reed, Jacqueline Richardson, Sondra Riley, Brett Rogers, Nick Russell, Brittany Sales, Kara Schwarzkopf, Marissa Scott, Marlaina Scowden, Koby Sieber, Neil Snoeberger, Kyle Stonebraker, Chelsey Tenwinkel, April Trapp, Megan Veach, Josh Welk, Matt Wilcox, Tyler Willis, Kayla Yates, and Travis Yoakum.

BRONZE RECEIVERS
Korby Anderson, Danielle Auten, Kory Banes, Jessica Barnett, Nancy Bautista, Sydney Baxter, Austin Beamer, Andrew Britton, Justin Burge, Danielle Burge, Ashlie Caldwell, Cory Cook, Ryan Cornwall, Brodie Dillon, Wes Everett, Brock Farrell, Andrew Flora, Daniel Heckathorn, Jonathon Hufford, Cameron Ivey, Matt Johnson, Derick Maxwell, Brooke Mears, Miguel Montero, Yesenia Moreno, Alisha Myers, Dustin Oliver, Bethany Pearson, Saul Pena, Autumn (Houston) Powers, Chris Royer, Blake Rude, Sterling Saiz, Lindsey Salyer, Erin Sammons, Zach Schnepp, Joseph Shanklin, Sydney Smith, Amber Spitznagle, Jeremy Sterrett, Anthony Westerhouse, Trent Wilson, Kisa Wood, and Paul Zink.

Biking in Indiana is better than ever

Comet staff report

May is National Bike Month, and the Indiana Department of Transportation (INDOT) is urging Hoosiers to ride their bikes and realize Indiana is becoming increasingly bike-friendly.

"Cycling in Indiana is better than ever in 2007," said INDOT Commissioner Karl B. Browning. "Within the past year, Indiana created the visionary Indiana Trails plan, launched the Safe Routes to School Program and developed many new multi-use trails. In addition, INDOT continues to support efforts to increase cycling safety and educate motorists about the importance of sharing the road with cyclists."

National Bike Month is a growing movement to promote biking as an excellent form of exercise, recreation and transportation. The nationwide effort brings to the attention of the motoring public the fact that more than 50 million people ride a bike each year. During the third week of National Bike Month, Indiana will again celebrate Bike to Work Week, a week-long effort promoting biking to work as an excellent way to commute and increase physical activity.

Efforts to increase cycling in Indiana include:
• The state adopted a new Indiana Trails Plan. The plan will place every Hoosier within 7.5 miles of a trail by 2016.
• INDOT awarded nearly \$11 million to fund new multi-use trails across the state in 2006.
• The InShape Indiana initiative urges Hoosiers to get active and promotes cycling as a beneficial form of physical activity.
• INDOT awarded nearly \$50,000 to Indiana State Department of Health to promote bicycle safety and

awareness in Indiana in 2006.
• Indiana now has more than 600 miles of trails suitable for cycling - about half of those trails are suitable for road bicycles, and the other half are for mountain bicycles.
• Indiana recently launched its Safe Routes to School program, which provides funding to increase walking and biking to school among children in kindergarten through eighth grades.

Cyclists are asked to remember the following safety tips
√Be visible - Wear bright clothing and use front and back lights in low-light conditions
√Wear a helmet - No matter how short the trip
√Obey traffic laws - Ride on the right, signal turns and obey all traffic control devices
√Ride predictably - Check for traffic, anticipate hazards and don't swerve
Safety tips for motorists include:
√Drive cautiously - Reduce speed and don't tailgate when you encounter a cyclist
√Pass with care - Leave at least four feet between your vehicle and the cyclist
√Watch for children - Kids on bikes are often unpredictable
√Yield to cyclists - Bicycles are vehicles and should be given the appropriate right-of-way.

For more information on safe cycling visit www.bike-month.org. For information on cycling activities in Indiana, go to the Indiana Bicycle Coalition's Web site at www.bicycleindiana.org and the Central Indiana Bicycling Association Web site at www.cibaride.org. To read more about the Indiana Trails Plan, visit the Indiana Department of Natural Resources Web site at www.in.gov/dnr/trailsplan.

Library

Rebecca McVay, Kyla Beery, Kayleen Baker, Noah Reed, Charlotte Moppin and Thomas Glenn.

Aspiring genealogists will not want to miss the May 18 "Ancestry Library Edition," genealogy database. Learn how to research a variety of online databases and library resources from 10 to 11:30 a.m. with staff member Rose Hoshaw. Call (765) 564-2929 to register.

Flora-Monroe Township

After almost three years, we are saying goodbye to student assistant Sarah Schnieb. Library staff and patrons will miss Sarah; we wish her much success and happiness. Sarah is a graduating senior at Carroll High School. She will attend Indiana University at Kokomo to study nursing.

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Delphi The last storytime this school year will be May 9 and the theme is Garden Fun. Children's librarian Marcia Sledd is busy planning and preparing the 2007 six-week Summer Reading program, "Get a Clue," for grades kindergarten to six.

An exhibition of students' work from the Tuesday Afternoon Drawing Studio will be displayed May 16 to June 6. Twelve artists, ages eight through adult, have contributed to the many pencil, colored pencil and pen and ink drawings. A mural and collaborative effort, entitled "Main Street Delphi," will be included.

The opening reception is May 16 from 6 to 7:30 p.m. Exhibiting artists are: Emma Germond, Clara Germond, Alisa Germond, Susannah Germond, Rebecca Etter, Eli Etter,

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Girls' Tennis

Northwestern 5, Delphi 0

SINGLES: Sarah-Ruth Egel def. Jacquelynn Richardson (D) 6-0, 6-2. Ally Nohs def. Haley Richardson (D) 2-6, 6-1, 6-1. Kayla Griessman def. Lindsey Nunnally (D) 6-3, 7-6 (8-6).

DOUBLES: Adria Snoddy-Sara Poppas def. Amber Caputo-Katie Mullin (D) 6-1, 6-1. Ashley Rodriguez-Kiley Rich def. Nicole Springer-Kelsie Blickenstaff (D) 6-4, 4-6, 7-6 (7-2).
Delphi is 2-5.

Eastern 3, Carroll 2

SINGLES: Jennifer Hardyniec (C) def. Rachael Lindgren 4-6, 6-1, 6-3. Molly Haines def. Kaitlyn Brewster (C) 6-2, 6-4. Hannah Jascour (C) def. Rebecca Kady 6-2, 6-4.

DOUBLES: Kourtney Cox-Karisa Burkholder def. Morgan Yoder-Angel Jackson (C) 6-3, 6-4. Kayci Detwiler-Celine Eng def. Emily Flora-Melanie Cox (C) 6-0, 6-2.

Hardyniec is now 6-0 at the number one singles position for Carroll. **Western Boone Tournament**
Rossville 3, Carroll 2

SINGLES: Jennifer Hardyniec (C) def. Elisabeth Wise 6-2, 6-0. Lindsey Zachman def. Kaitlyn Brewster (C) 7(6-8), 6-0, 12-7. Amy Stark def. Aurora Shands (C) 6-1, 6-0.

DOUBLES: Kristen Skinner-Sabrina Hackerd def. Morgan Yoder-Angel Jackson (C) 6-12, 6-3. Emily Flora-Melanie Cox (C) def. Shianne Holsclaw-Patricia Murphy 4-6, 6-7(4-7).

Western Boone 5, Rossville 0
Rossville 3, Covington 2

Softball

Delphi 3, West Lafayette 2

(9 innings)
Delphi 020 000 001 - 3 7 3
West Lafayette 100 000 100 - 2 8 3
Schultz, Atwood (7) and L. Kayser. Funston and Pekny. W - Atwood 6-1. L - Funston (1-10).

Scoreboard

Delphi is 7-3 (3-2 Hoosier Conference).
Carroll 1, Central Catholic 0
Central Catholic 000 000 0 - 0 6 3
Carroll 000 1000 x - 1 3 1
Shanahan and Gruse. Cossairt and Yoder. W - Cossairt 3-5. L - Shanahan.

Tri-County Invitational
Tri-County 10, Caston 0
Carroll 8, Hebron 5
Hebron 100 030 1 - 5 7 3
Carroll 105 020 x - 8 6 5
Orris and Higgins. Cossairt and Yoder. W - Cossairt 4-6. L - Orris. Championship

Tri-County 8, Carroll 4
Carroll 000 103 0 - 4 9 1
Tri-County 104 120 x - 8 8 2
Cossairt and Yoder. Faker and Meyer. W - Faker 8-1. L - Cossairt 4-7. HR - Erwin (TC).
Carroll is 4-7.

Twin Lakes 3, Delphi 2
Twin Lakes 010 000 11 - 3 3 1
Delphi 100 100 00 - 2 7 7
Williams and McClrath. Atwood and L. Kayser. W - Williams. L - Atwood 6-3.

Second Game
Twin Lakes 17, Delphi 0
(5 innings)
Delphi 000 00 - 0 2 1 0
Twin Lakes 442 7x - 17 14 0
Schultz, Hawn (4) and Barnard. L. Kayser (4), Dilling and McClrath. W - Dilling. L - Schultz 1-3.
Delphi is 7-6 (3-4 Hoosier Conference).

Harrison JV 14, Delphi 3
Twin Lakes JV 10, Delphi 3
Delphi JV 18, Twin Lakes 3
Delphi JV 6, Tri-County 4
Delphi is 3-4

Central Catholic 6, Carroll 2
Carroll 020 000 0 - 2 3 3
Central Catholic 213 000 x - 6 7 3
Cossairt and Yoder. Shanahan and Anthop. W - Shanahan 5-5. L - Cossairt.

Delphi 13, Rossville 1
(5 innings)
Rossville 001 00 - 1 3 4

Delphi 208 21 - 13 12 0
White, Clawson (4) and Butch. White (4), Schultz, Hawn (4) and L. Kayser. W - Schultz 2-3. L - White.

Delphi is 8-6. Rossville is 1-11.
Baseball
Central Catholic 19, Carroll 1
(5 innings)
Central Catholic 041 (12) 2 - 19
Carroll 001 00 - 1

Delphi 9, Twin Lakes 0
Delphi 200 160 0 - 9 9 1
Twin Lakes 000 000 0 - 0 4 2
Bender and Atwood, Bassett, Paul (5), DeWitt (7) and Angeles. W - Bender 2-2. L - Bassett 0-2.

Seeger 3, Delphi 0
Delphi 5, Clinton Central 4
Delphi 10, Carroll 5
Carroll 003 010 1 - 5 4 3
Delphi 008 101 x - 10 8 2
Benson, Clingenpeel (4) and Keown. Cebulla and Pennington. W - Cebulla 2-3. L - Benson.
Delphi is 5-7.

Golf
Logansport 173, Delphi 187
DELPHI: Scott Collins 39, Tory Minier 43, Brandon Delaney 52, Andrew Hall 53, Cale Rader 54.
Medalist - Collins (D).

Logansport JV 203, Delphi 22
DELPHI: Ryan Delaney 52, Daniel Clawson 57, Brodie Dillon 59.

Clinton Prairie 189, Carroll 226
(At Deer Track, par 36)
CARROLL: Cody Abdon 52, Blake Carter 56, Keith Webb 58, Dallas Butcher 60, Matt Clark 66.
Medalist - Myers (CP) 35.

Delphi 177, North White 222
(At Pine View, par 36)
DELPHI: Scott Collins 40, Aaron Minier 43, Andrew Hall 46, Tory Minier 48, Brandon Delaney 49.
Medalist - Collins (D) 40.
Delphi is 4-8.

Delphi JV 196, North White 259
DELPHI: Cale Rader 47, Ryan Delaney 47, Blake Dunbar 48, Dan Clawson 545, Brody Dillon 61.
Delphi is 4-4.