

**THINGS TO DO**

**TODAY**

**ARTS**

**A Bicentennial Legacy - Artsmart: Indiana:** All day today, Art Museum, 102 S. 10th St. An exhibit that captures 200 years of Indiana art history. Free. Call 765-742-1128. Visit [www.artlafayette.org](http://www.artlafayette.org).

**Indiana Now 2016: The Bicentennial; A Bicentennial Legacy Exhibit: Art Smart: Indiana; Art League: Past and Present:** 11 a.m.-4 p.m. today, Art Museum, 102 S. 10th St. Free. Call 765-742-1128 or email [cheryl@artlafayette.org](mailto:cheryl@artlafayette.org). Visit [www.artlafayette.org](http://www.artlafayette.org).

**Pop! Goes Purdue:** Noon to 7 p.m. today, Fountain Gallery, 330 Main St. A

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**DEATH NOTICES**

**Shana Jade Montgomery-Sharp, 48,** of Houston, Texas, died Saturday, May 21, 2016. Funeral Service will be at 2:30 p.m., Friday, June 3, 2016, at the Miller-Roscka Funeral Home of Monticello.

**Harold W. Irwin, 79,** of Michigantown, died Tuesday, May 31, 2016. Service at 11 a.m. Friday, June 3, 2016 at Archer-Weston Funeral & Cremation Center in Frankfort.

**June E. Brummett, 90,** of Lafayette, died Wednesday, June 1, 2016. Arrangements are pending with the Soller-Baker Lafayette Chapel.

**Christian Thomas Burns, 17,** of West Lafayette, died Tuesday, May 31, 2016. Funeral Mass at 1 p.m. Monday, June 6, 2016, at St. Thomas Aquinas Center, West Lafayette. Arrangements being handled by Soller-Baker Funeral Home.

**Alvina (Vi) Doerr, 93,** of Lafayette, died Tuesday, May 31. Memorial service at 9:00 a.m. Saturday, June 4, 2016 at the Reformed Presbyterian Church of Lafayette.

**OBITUARIES**

**Dale F. Baker**

Dale F. Baker, age 91, of Lafayette passed away at 6:15 am, Friday, May 27, 2016 at White Oaks Health



Campus of Monticello. He was born October 29, 1924 in Indianapolis, Indiana and was the son of Franklin J. and Vada Jane Baker residents of that city.

He was a graduate of Bainbridge High School, Bainbridge, Indiana and served in the U.S. Army from April 1943 until September 1945. Dale attended Purdue University and in 1950 received a BS Degree in Forestry.

On March 5, 1944, he married Maryanna Etnire in St. Luke Lutheran Church in Logansport, Indiana. They celebrated their 70th wedding anniversary in 2014. Theirs was a love of devotion and enduring companionship. Dale was a member of the Lafayette St. James Lutheran Church. Immediately after col-

**Joseph M. Sheagley, 92**

Joseph M. Sheagley, 92, of Cutler, died Tuesday, May 31, 2016 at St. Elizabeth Healthcare, Delphi.



Joe was born to the late Frank Monroe and Mina Maude Cook Sheagley on June 1, 1923

in Carroll County. Joe married Rosalea Catron on June 1, 1944 in Carroll County and she preceded him on October 5, 2002.

Joe spent his life in Carroll County, where he farmed and drove a livestock truck. He volunteered his time and truck to help with the Carroll County 4-H fair for years.

He graduated from Cutler High School where he was on the basketball team that won the sectional. Joe served our county during WWII in the US Army.

Joe is survived by his son and daughter-in-law: Larry

and Nelda Sheagley of La Porte. Three daughters and son-in-laws: Lana Boston of Flora, Pat and Tom Flora of Delphi and Pam and Carl Forgey of Camden. One sister: Barbara Draper of Cutler. Nine grandchildren, eighteen great-grandchildren, and three great-great-grandchildren with one on the way. He is preceded by a daughter: Marla Compton in 1986, four brothers and one sister.

Joe's family will receive friends Friday, June 3, 2016 from 3-6 PM at Wheeler Family Funeral Home-Baker Chapel, 204 South Center Street, Flora, IN 46929. Graveside service to follow at 6:30 PM Friday at Ball Hill Cemetery near Cutler. Diana McCracken officiating. Family asks that all donations be made to the Alzheimer's Foundation, envelopes will be available at funeral home. Please visit [www.wheelerfuneralhome.com](http://www.wheelerfuneralhome.com) to send condolences.

**Jose "Dr. Joe" Thomas Vieira, 93**

Jose "Dr. Joe" Thomas Vieira, 93, passed away peacefully on Sunday, May 29, 2016 surrounded by



his family. Born in Divisa Nova, MG, Brasil South America on March 21, 1923. He attended medical school in Rio de Janeiro, came to the USA in 1949 to do his internship in West Virginia, followed by his residency at Methodist Hospital in Peoria, IL. He met Doris Conley, an operation room nurse from Princeton, IL. They married November 28, 1951 and returned to Pocos de Caldas MG, Brasil where they began his surgery and family medical practice.

They returned to the USA in July of 1964 to open his Family Practice Clinic in Coatesville, IN and he was on staff at Putnam County Hospital in Greencastle, IN until 1990. From 1990 to his retirement in 2006, He was on staff for Community East Hospital Family practice in Indianapolis.

Dr. Joe is preceded in

death by his parents Dr. Romeu and Maria Brasilina Teixeira Vieira, his brother Rubens Vieira, and sister Dr. Ruth Vieira, all from Brasil South America. Also a Great Grandson, Tayte Curtis Richie of LeClaire, IA.

He is survived by his wife of nearly 65 years, Doris Conley Vieira, residing in Avon, IN as well as four children. Kim T. Vieira of Hamilton, OH (wife: Jenny) Debi O'Neil of West Lafayette, IN (husband: Dr. Nick O'Neil) Elizabeth Lukens of Indianapolis (husband: Dr. Dave Lukens) and Jose T. Vieira Jr of Coatesville IN (wife: Mary Jane).

He was blessed with 16 grandchildren: Courtney Kyle, Nicholas, Laura, Lindsey, Casey, Danielle, Leslie, Allison, Lance, Veronica, Ben, J.T., Logan, Tyler, Katie and 15 great-grandchildren: Tayte, Trystan, Maisen, Leighton Jo, Riley, Paityn, Case, Luke, Lexi, Emma, Isaac, Alex, Mae, Johanna, and Baby Wells.

A private family ceremony was held on Tuesday, May 31,

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years as a traveling construction instructor and a heating and air conditioning specialist.

In 1960 he was promoted to Plant Manager of the newly built manufacturing plant in Collins, Mississippi. At the end of 3 years he was transferred as a Regional Sales Manager to the manufacturing and sales center at Tyler, Texas, a functioning location that served dealers in eight states. In 1964, he was promoted to Corporate Vice President and General Manager of Tyler facility. Following in 1967 he was transferred back to the Lafayette home office and given the title and responsibilities of President of all Land Division activities.

After retirement from National Homes, he accepted an offer from the Indiana Department of Natural Resources, Division of Water in 1986 to become an Engineering Assistant. In this endeavor, he inspected and assisted in the supervision of the construction of dams, levies, bank erosion projects and many other water related activities

office of the Governor, the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers and several county elected officials. In 1994 he was I.D.N.R. employee of the year and received the state Richard Lieber award.

Dale was an outdoor sportsman. Any spare time he could garner away from work and active family participation was spent fishing or hunting somewhere in the U.S. or Canada.

Surviving with his wife is a son, Bradley Ray Baker (wife Diane) Monticello and a daughter Rhonda Rae Cattell (husband Donald) Valley Center, California. Sisters - Sandra O'Hair, Sharon Austin. (Sister Naomi Elliott-deceased) Brother, Jerry Baker; Five grandchildren, six great grandchildren, four great, great grandchildren.

The family will receive friends from 12 pm until the time of funeral service at 2 pm, Wednesday, June 8, 2016 at Hippensteel Funeral Home with Rev. James Barton officiating. Private interment will follow at Tippecanoe Memory Gardens, West Lafayette. The

**Gary L. Schoonover, 52**

Gary L. Schoonover, 52, of Lafayette, died at 1:19 PM Friday, May 27, 2016 in his residence. He was born May 18, 1964, in Lafayette, to the late Robert and Bonnie Schoonover. Once Gary graduated he served in the United States Marine Corps from 1983 to 1987. He was an outdoorsman who loved the river, fishing, trapping and hunting.

Surviving are, a brother, John Schoonover, of Indiana, an uncle, Larry Cornell (wife Judy) of West Lafayette, cousins, Dave Cornell and Cindy Hass both of Lafayette and numerous other cousins, and his aunt, Nancy Amos of Lafayette. He is preceded in death by his parents, Robert and Bonnie Schoonover

There will be a graveside service 11:00 AM Friday at Farmers Institute Cemetery. You may sign the guestbook and leave memories by visiting [www.soller-baker.com](http://www.soller-baker.com)

**Rev. Robert Alan McCracken, 68**

Rev. Robert Alan McCracken, 68, died Sunday. He was preceded in death by his daughter, Lisa McCracken and his parents, Emery and Ruth McCracken.

Survivors include: His wife, Dr. Cindy Keller McCracken, son, Robert McCracken (Jackie), daughter, Michelle Emmons (Mark), brother, Tom McCracken (Margo), sisters, Cathi McCracken and Annie May (Gordie), 4 Grandchildren: Brittany Harkins, Ethan Emmons (Crystal), Isabelle McCracken and Maya Emmons, and 1 Great-Grandchild, Caden Emmons.

Memorial Service: 12 Noon Saturday, June 4, 2016 at the Central Barren United Methodist Church(11170 Hwy 135 NE: New Salisbury, IN). Visitation: 10 AM - 12 Noon at the church before the service.

Memorial Contributions: The Lion's Club Leader Dog Program.

Funeral Arrangements have been entrusted to the Market Street Chapel of Seabrook Dieckmann & Naville.

**Herman W. Smith**

Herman W. Smith, Jr. of Sierra Vista, AZ and formerly of West Lafayette, In, passed away May 21, 2016 at Tucson Medical Center in Tucson AZ. He leaves behind his wife Diana, son Scott



(Anne), daughter Melinda Doran(Chris), grandson Joshua Smith, granddaughter Ava Doran, and a sister Shirley Guenther.

Herman worked as a parts manager for semi trucks for many years, and he retired from the Tippecanoe School Corporation in July of 2015.

He enjoyed most sports, especially the Chicago Cubs, Nascar driver Dale Earnhardt Jr, and NHRA racing.

He was preceded in death by his parents Herman and Fern Smith, brother Harold, sister Dorann War-moth, and son in law Steve Dunham.

There will be a Celebration of his Life in Sierra

**Charles Edward "Charlie" Mathew, 81**

Charles Edward "Charlie" Mathew, 81, of Rensselaer, Indiana passed away Tuesday, May 31, 2016 at



the Rensselaer Care Center . He was born in Wolcott, Indiana on September 30, 1934, the son of Herman and Ora (Marquis) Mathew. Charlie was raised in the Wolcott area, graduating from Wolcott High School with the Class of 1952.

He was a member of the St. Augustine Catholic Church in Rensselaer and enjoyed time with the extended church family which he came to know over many years. Charlie was a 4th Degree Knight, Knights of Columbus Bishop Dwenger Council #1881, and a member of American Legion Post #29, Moose Lodge #2272 and Fraternal Order of Eagles #2548. He enjoyed a good card game, fishing, attending his grandchildren's events, especially sporting events and the race team, and many hours of crackling walnuts.

Charlie was involved in many business adventures, including owner of the Hoosier Inn Hotel, Mathew Apartments and Rentals, American Breeders Service, Rensselaer Taxi, Northside Auto, and Superior Floor Cleaning. He was a former school bus driver and movie operator for The Palace Theater and at St. Joseph College. He was involved with the Chicago Board of Trade as a commodities broker and investments

with Signature Inns and Bardstown Distillery. Charlie also provided over-the-road transportation for many local businesses.

Surviving are his loving children, Roger (Kim) Mathew, Arlene (Jon) Castongia, Kent (Sharon) Mathew, Ave (Jill) Mathew and Marissha Mathew all of Rensselaer, Natalie (Ron) Hageman of Kentucky, and Vanessa (Ron) Sheldon of Remington, Ind.. He was blessed with twenty loving grandchildren and eighteen great-grandchildren. Other survivors include two brothers, Gerald (Marilyn) Mathew of Monticello, Ind., and Ernest Mathew of Florida and a sister, Rosemary (Bob) McCallister of Speer, Illinois. He was preceded in death by his parents Herman and Ora, brothers Kenneth Mathew and Richard Mathew, sister Donnamae Mathew and a great-grandson Gage Sheldon.

Friends may call at the Jackson Funeral Chapel of Rensselaer on Sunday, June 5, 2016 from 2:00 to 6:00 P.M. CDT. Funeral Mass will be held at the St. Joseph College Chapel on Monday, June 6, 2016, at 10:00 A.M. CDT with Fr. Tim McFarland officiating. Burial will follow at Sacred Heart Catholic Cemetery, Remington, Indiana. In lieu of flowers, Charlie would appreciate your support to the Saint Augustine Catholic School where his children and many of his grandchildren and great-grandchildren have attended.

Share memories and condolences at [www.jacksonfuneral.com](http://www.jacksonfuneral.com)

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**Barbara McClain**

Barbara A. McClain, 77, of Lafayette, passed away on Monday, May 31, 2015 at 3:32 p.m. at her



residence surrounded by her family. Barbara was born on July 19, 1938 in Kirkland, IN to the late Cecil and Emma (Brovont) Harshbarger. She graduated from Frankfort High School. Barbara married James "Jim" McClain on June 30, 1990, and he survives. She worked at ALCOA as a Heat Treat Operator before retiring in 2000. Barbara was a member of First Christian Church in Frankfort, enjoyed flowers, gardening. She especially loved her grandchildren and great grandchildren.

Surviving is one daughter, Brenda (husband: Jeff) Funk of Lafayette, 7 grandchildren, and 13 great grandchildren.

She is preceded in death by one son, Robert Jeffrey Brant, and one grandson, Chad David Brant.

No services scheduled at this time. Memorial contributions can be made to American Cancer Society

The Journal & Courier publishes basic death notices and personalized obituaries for those with a connection to our readership area. Free death notices include the deceased's name, age, city of residence and arrangement details. Personalized obituaries are paid advertisements and are written by family members. Local funeral homes can provide families with information including costs of obituary listings. Obituaries are coordinated by the Journal & Courier, call 765-420-5287 for details. Obituaries are online at [www.jconline.com/obituaries](http://www.jconline.com/obituaries).



**Diana Lynn Winegar Delph**  
02/20/1972 - 06/02/2006

10 years ago today we lost our baby with the face of an Angel, a smile as bright as the sun and laughter like a wind chime. We love and miss you always.

Love, Mom, Dad, Joe, Jessie, Joshua, Steve, Missy, Chris, Dylan, Aunt Clara and Uncle Ronnie