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## Addison Trail PE holds Walk-a-Thon for Terracciano

On Wednesday, Jan. 10, Addison Trail hosted an event to raise funds in support of Addison Trail student supervisor Fran Terracciano (inset). A part of the Blazer family since 2007, Terracciano was recently diagnosed with cancer. To help with her medical expenses, the school's Physical Education Department coordinated a Walk-a-Thon during all class periods, raising a total of \$240. Staff members also gave gift cards and donations to help Terracciano and her family.

## Addison Trail High School course night, athletic, activity fair Thursday evening

On Thursday, Jan. 25, Addison Trail High School, 213 N. Lombard Road, will host its annual Course Information Night and Athletic/Activity Fair.

The purpose of the evening is to provide incoming and current students and parents/guardians with information about the academics, clubs, activities and sports at the school.

The schedule is as follows:

- 5:30 to 6:30 p.m. – Athletic/Activity Fair (fieldhouse)
- 6:30 to 7 p.m. – Welcome presentation with Principal Jack Andrews and Director of Guidance Kevin Redding (main gym)
- 7 to 8 p.m. – Course Information Night, where District 88 Board of Education members, District 88 and Addison Trail administrators and representatives from each academic area will be available to answer questions.

## Addison man charged after leading police on high-speed chase Three spike strip maneuvers, taser finally stop suspect

DuPage County State's Attorney Robert Berlin and Villa Park Chief of Police Michael Rivas have announced that Judge Joshua Dieden granted the state's motion to deny pre-trial release for an Addison man accused of leading police on a high-speed chase.

Oscar Salazar, 35, of Addison, is charged with two counts of aggravated fleeing and eluding a police officer (Class 4 felony) and multiple misdemeanor and petty traffic offenses including aggravated speeding in a school zone.

On Wednesday, Jan. 17 at ap-

proximately 9:01 p.m., the Villa Park Police Department observed a vehicle in a grocery store parking lot that was suspected of fleeing from Bloomingdale police several days ago.

After a brief period of surveillance, the vehicle, allegedly driven by Salazar, pulled out of the parking lot and the officers followed the vehicle for approximately one mile before additional officers joined in. When the officers activated their emergency lights and sirens near Addison Road and Division Street to conduct a traffic stop, Salazar allegedly would not pull over.

It is alleged that after Salazar disobeyed a stop sign at Sunset Drive, an officer pulled up next to Salazar and deployed a mobile spike strip, disabling the right rear tire of the vehicle. Salazar continued to drive,

disobeying multiple stop lights, and ultimately, traveling westbound on North Ave., reportedly reaching speeds of approximately 80 mph. It is alleged that as Salazar maneuvered through an intersection against a red light, officers again deployed spike strips, disabling the front right tire.

Salazar reportedly continued to drive toward I-355 and as he attempted to enter the I-355 southbound ramp, officers deployed spike strips for the third time, causing the vehicle to come to a stop. It is further alleged that officers gave multiple commands to Salazar to exit the vehicle and when he refused, officers were forced to deploy tasers. Salazar was taken into custody at this time.

"Public safety remains the top priority of my office and the alle-

gations that Mr. Salazar ignored multiple traffic control devices and officers' attempts to pull him over while driving a disabled car are outrageous," Berlin said. "Even more alarming are the allegations that Mr. Salazar drove the disabled vehicle at a high rate of speed through a residential neighborhood. Thankfully, no innocent motorists or pedestrians were injured or worse, as a result of these alleged actions. Once again, I urge all motorists, if you hear sirens and see flashing lights behind you, pull over. I thank the Villa Park Police Department for their efforts on this case and for their ongoing efforts in keeping our roadways and neighborhoods safe."

"The public should know police departments in this region work

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# District 88 updating Strategic Plan

## Barbanente meeting with parents, guardians, legislators

District 88 is committed to providing an environment that promotes excellence for all students and prepares each child for a successful future.

To help ensure that environment, the district is updating its strategic plan, which was last reviewed and adopted during the 2018-19 school year. This process establishes the district's areas of focus and future direction.

"The strategic plan is the foundation on which we operate," said Dr. Jean Barbanente, D88 superintendent. "The updated plan truly reflects the depth and breadth of our work, and it will be a living document that forms the basis of our efforts. We have a responsibility to be transparent with and accountable to our stakeholders, and this allows us to achieve that objective."

The Strategic Plan Committee, comprised of D88 administrators and Board of Education members, first met in Aug. when they analyzed samples

from other school districts to determine best practices and set their vision for the updated plan. They met again in September, November and December.

The committee members formed three overarching areas of focus, or "pillars." Those are:

1. **Teaching and Learning:** Advancing excellence for all through culturally responsive curriculum, instruction, assessment practices, programming, resources and services.

2. **Student Voice, Climate and Culture:** Advancing excellence for all through a culture of inclusion and belonging, where all students feel safe, seen, heard, valued and respected.

3. **Family and Community as Agency:** Advancing excellence for all through family and community partnerships, expanding authentic opportunities and experiences for students.

Each pillar has three goals, and each goal is measured by correspond-

ing metrics.

The district's updated Mission is "to prepare students to be college and career ready in a diverse society."

The district's updated Vision is "to cultivate inclusive and rigorous learning opportunities for students to pursue individualized pathways to success."

To display the content of the plan visually – and to ensure it is tangible and meaningful – the district also will have an online dashboard, which will go live on Thursday, Feb. 1. This site will show the metrics in each area through data points, statistics, charts and graphs.

To view District 88's updated strategic plan and online dashboard, which will go live on Thursday, Feb. 1, go to [dupage88.net/strategicPlanFlyer2023](http://dupage88.net/strategicPlanFlyer2023).

"I would like to thank the committee members for their leadership in updating our strategic plan," said Donna Craft Cain, D88 Board of Education

president. "Their positive energy and lively discussion provided the necessary vision to enhance our plan to provide the best environment for our students and families. I also would like to thank our staff for designing the online dashboard, so the Board and all stakeholders can monitor our progress as we implement and maintain our strategic plan."

The plan was reviewed by D88 staff members throughout Oct. and Nov., and Dr. Barbanente provided many opportunities for input and feedback.

She is now meeting with parents and guardians at Addison Trail and Wilmette, as well as with community organizations and local legislators. The goal is to have the finalized plan adopted by the Board of Education during its Monday, April 8 meeting.

For more information, contact D88's Dani Brink at [dbrink@dupage88.net](mailto:dbrink@dupage88.net) or 630-530-3989.

## Addison Trail students earn ASE entry-level certification

Thirty-three Addison Trail students recently earned Automotive Service Excellence (ASE) Entry-Level Certifications. Students are listed below along with their area.

### Seniors

Edwin Barcenas, brakes; Christian Canino, engine repair; David Elbert, maintenance and light repair; Pedro Garcia, suspension and steering; Ruben Gomez, engine performance, heating and air conditioning, brakes; Kevin Guardado, suspension and steering, electrical/electronic systems, heating and air conditioning, manual drive train and axles, engine performance, maintenance and light repair, brakes, engine repair, automatic transmission/transaxle; Adrian Gurrola, brakes, automatic transmission/transaxle; Moises Herculano, heating and air condi-

tioning, maintenance and light repair; Jack Holleman, maintenance and light repair, manual drive train and axles, automatic transmission/transaxle, heating and air conditioning, brakes, engine repair; Jair Luna-Banda, brakes, maintenance and light repair, automobile service technology; Sage Kopecky, automatic transmission/transaxle; Antonio Lopez, maintenance and light repair, heating and air conditioning; Anthony Marquez Navarro, engine performance, suspension and steering, brakes, maintenance and light repair, engine repair; Brandon Mejia, brakes, electrical/electronic systems, engine repair, automatic transmission/transaxle, maintenance and light repair, automobile service technology, manual drive train and axles, heating and air conditioning, suspension and

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le, suspension and steering, heating and air conditioning, maintenance and light repair, electrical/electronic systems; Kaleb Vlad, brakes.

### Juniors

Sebastian Garay, brakes; Cesar Gomez, heating and air conditioning, engine repair; Emmanuel Juarez-Herrera, maintenance and light repair; Alexander Manriquez, engine performance, brakes, heating and air conditioning, maintenance and light repair, engine repair, automobile service technology; Alvin Mora, heating and air conditioning, automobile service technology; Jose Roque Hernandez, heating and air conditioning, brakes; Sebastian Taboada Castaneda, brakes, engine repair, automobile service technology.

### Sophomore

Konstantinos Giannopoulos, heating and air conditioning, maintenance and light repair, brakes, automobile service technology.

### Freshman

William Catlow, engine repair, brakes, maintenance and light repair, electrical/electronic systems.

## Chase

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really well together to arrest all alleged offenders who put citizens in harm's way," Rivas said. "Emergency lights and sirens signify we need the public to comply. In this incident, the alleged offender showed a complete disregard for the safety of others as well as the law."

"We can't thank the law enforcement agencies of Elmhurst, Lombard and the DuPage County Sheriff's Office enough for their assistance to our brave Villa Park officers."

Salazar's next court appearance is scheduled Jan. 29 for arraignment in front of Judge Ann Celine O'Halloran Walsh.



Oscar Salazar

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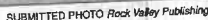
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## Principal appears on ACTV

Dr. Jason Hlavacs, principal of Technology Center of DuPage, 301 S. Swift Rd., Addison, appears during a taping of "ACTV Newsmakers," produced by Addison Community Television, during TCD's open house for prospective students and their families held Thursday, Jan. 18. Dr. Hlavacs spoke about the many career and technical education programs offered to high school juniors and seniors in the DuPage County region. Watch for ACTV Newsmakers airing daily on Addison Community Television (ACT).



Montini Catholic High School's dance team—the Bronettes—will take part in this week's IHSA competitive dance state meet at Grossinger Motors Arena in Bloomington. The Bronettes secured their state-meet berth with a third-place finish in the 1A level of Saturday's IHSA sectional at Joliet West High School. Fifteen teams competed in the 1A level at the Joliet West Sectional. The top six 1A teams at the sectional qualified for the state meet. Nazareth Academy delivered a first-place finish in the 1A level at the sectional. Providence Catholic finished second, while Montini placed third. Joliet Catholic, Glenbard South and St. Francis finished fourth, fifth and sixth, respectively; to qualify for the state meet, which takes place this Friday and Saturday. The members of the Bronettes' state-qualifying team include seniors Frankie Arroyo, Jasmine Gonzaga and Claudia Sipchen; juniors Maggie Cole, Bella Greco and Annabelle Nelson; sophomores Olivia Kosarek and Zoe Rohrich; and freshmen Gemma Getto, Julie Gedraitis and Cameron Kalata.

**Bread-making  
event at Villa Park  
Library Jan. 28**

**Library Jan. 20**  
Join Chef Cherise at the Villa Park Public Library on Sunday, Jan. 28, at 2 p.m. to make, take home, and bake your own bread. Chef Cherise will guide you in the process of making your own yeast dough. In addition, a bowl of dough in the fermentation stage will be ready for you to take home, shape, and bake in your own kitchen. Each registered student must bring three things to class: one large mixing bowl, one mixing spoon, and one liquid measuring cup. For more information, visit the library's website at [www.vppi.info](http://www.vppi.info) or call 630-834-1164.

The Glenbard East/South and Willowbrook boys bowling teams competed in Saturday's 15-team IHSA sectional at Bertrand Bowling Lanes in Waukegan.

The top six teams at the sectional qualified for this week's IHSA state meet, which will take place at St. Clair Bowl in downstate O'Fallon.

Additionally, the sectional's top seven individuals who weren't members of state-qualifying teams earned individual berths in the state meet.

The Glenbard East/South and Willowbrook teams did not qualify for the state meet.

Bowlers from the two teams were also unable to earn any individual state-meet berths.

Grayslake Central won the sectional title in Waukegan with its total score of 6,074. Vernon Hills (6,001), Glenbrook North (5,984), Glenbard North (5,862), McHenry (5,856) and Lake Zurich (5,847) also secured state-meet berths at the sectional.

The combined team of players from Glenbard East and Glenbard South, known as the Ramders, finished 10<sup>th</sup> at the sectional with its total of 5,377. The Willowbrook boys bowling program completed its inaugural season with a 12<sup>th</sup>-place total of 5,350 at the sectional.

Junior Nathan Dodmead led Willowbrook at the sectional with his six-game total of 1,214, which was 16 pins behind the total score (1,230) of the bowler who earned the seventh individual state-meet berth at the event. Dodmead opened the sectional with a 180 in his first game. He then fired scores of 265 and 228 in his second and third games. Dodmead completed the sectional with scores of 157, 189 and 195 in his final three games.

Willowbrook junior Tommy Whiting bowled a six-game total of 1,125 at the sectional. Junior Dean Romano compiled a six-game sectional score of 1,107 for the Warriors. Juniors Cole Williams (963) and T.J. Radomski (941) completed Willow-

brook's sectional lineup.

Junior Zack Poling delivered the Ramders' top six-game sectional total with his score of 1,158. Poling rolled a 149 in his first game at the sectional. He added scores of 218, 180, 241, 196 and 174.

Sophomore Justin Kay bowled a

six-game sectional score of 1,115 for the Ramders. Junior Landon Giron contributed a six-game total of 1,062. Junior Josh Roimicher, freshman Geovanni Clayton and junior Cooper Wooldridge bowled four games each for the Ramders at the sectional.

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# Sports

## Snyder's 3-point barrage leads Rams to thrilling win

*After a scoreless first half against Willowbrook, sophomore drains four 3-point shots and scores 20 points in second half; his late 3-pointer lifts Rams to 66-65 win*

The Glenbard East boys basketball team picked up two wins in a 24-hour period to raise its overall season record to 8-13.

The Rams pounded Streamwood 76-49 in Friday's Upstate Eight Conference game in Lombard. Glenbard East improved its conference record to 7-3 with Friday's victory.

The Rams edged Willowbrook 66-65 in Saturday's wild non-conference contest in Villa Park. Glenbard East trailed the Warriors 65-63 in the closing seconds, but sophomore Danny Snyder sank a 3-point shot with about two seconds to play to deliver what turned out to be the game-winning basket.

Snyder did not score any points in the first half of Saturday's game. He made five field goals, including one 3-point shot, in the third quarter. He then drained three critical 3-point shots in the fourth quarter to produce a team-leading 20 points.

Glenbard East led Willowbrook 18-14 after one quarter of Saturday's game. The Rams held a 31-24 half-time lead, and a 50-46 advantage at the end of the third quarter.

The Warriors took a 53-52 lead with a little more than 5:30 left in the fourth quarter. Two free throws raised Willowbrook's lead to 55-52 with 4:58 to play.

Snyder's first 3-point basket of the fourth quarter evened the score at 57-57 with 3:45 remaining. Willowbrook scored a basket to take a 65-60 lead with a little more than one minute to play. Snyder then delivered his second 3-point field goal of the quarter, which cut the Warriors' lead to 65-63 with 1:01 on the clock.

Glenbard East missed a pair of free throws with 22.6 seconds remaining, but the Rams came down with the rebound after the second missed free throw. After taking a timeout with 17.5 seconds to play, Glenbard East worked the ball around the perimeter of the 3-point arc. The left-handed Snyder then launched a 3-point shot from the right wing. The ball hit the rim and bounced up in the air before rattling through the hoop to give the Rams a 66-65 lead and set off a raucous celebration on the Glenbard East sideline.

The game was far from over after Snyder's go-ahead basket. After his shot went in, Willowbrook called a timeout with two seconds to play. The Warriors then inbounded the ball from under their own basket. Glenbard East senior Aleks Jajic jumped to grab the loopy pass out of the air. Jajic caught the ball and landed on his back. He was called for traveling, which gave the Warriors the ball

in the frontcourt with one second to play.

After another timeout, the Warriors fired and missed a 3-point shot at the buzzer. The Rams then converged on the court to celebrate their exciting victory.

"We led the entire way in the first three quarters, then we gave up the lead," said Glenbard East coach Eric Kelly after Saturday's win in Villa Park. "It just shows the character of our team. Our guys stuck around. We got really good leadership from

our seniors—Aleks Jajic and Ari Pierson—they were really big. Our sophomore—Danny Snyder—really stepped up."

Jajic and Pierson complemented Snyder's 20-point output by scoring 17 points each for Glenbard East in Saturday's win. Sophomore Michael Nee contributed six points, while junior Devin Kraft added five points. Junior Mateo Villalvazo contributed one point with a second-quarter free throw.

The Rams raced out to an ear-

ly 19-2 lead in Friday's conference game against Streamwood. Nee provided 17 points in the victory over the Sabres.

Glenbard East's schedule this week includes conference games against South Elgin and West Chicago, along with this Saturday non-conference matchup with Afton in a shootout event in Richton Park.

The Rams will face West Chicago in this Friday's conference meeting in Lombard.



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Glenbard East's boys basketball team trailed Willowbrook 65-63 in the closing seconds of Saturday's game in Villa Park. Sophomore Danny Snyder (No. 3) of the Rams fired a 3-point shot with a few seconds to play. The shot hit the front of the rim and bounced straight up before falling through the hoop to give Glenbard East a 66-65 lead with two seconds to play. One photo (above) shows Snyder and his teammates watching the shot. The other photo (below) shows the Rams celebrating after the shot dropped. Glenbard East beat Willowbrook 66-65 after the Warriors missed a shot at the buzzer. Snyder, who did not score during the first half, made four 3-point shots and piled up 20 points in the second half. He made three 3-point baskets during the fourth quarter.



## Rams vs. Warriors

Glenbard East and Willowbrook squared off in Saturday's boys basketball game in Villa Park. Willowbrook led the Rams 65-60 with a little more than one minute to play, but Glenbard East edged the Warriors 66-65. Sophomore Danny Snyder provided the Rams' final six points by making a pair of 3-point shots. One photo from Saturday's battle shows Glenbard East senior Aleks Jajic (No. 12) and Willowbrook senior Andrew Ciesinski. Jajic and senior Ari Pierson scored 17 points each for the Rams, who raised their overall season record to 8-13 with Saturday's win. Glenbard East improved its Upstate Eight Conference record to 7-3 following Friday's 76-49 victory over Streamwood in Lombard.

# Broncos improve overall record to 17-5

Nine-game winning streak ends, but Montini rebounds from loss to post two straight victories

The Montini Catholic girls basketball team won two of three games last week to raise its overall season record to 17-5.

The Broncos' nine-game winning streak ended with a 55-46 loss to Whitney Young in a Coach Kipp Hoopsfest game at Benet Academy in Lisle on Jan. 15. Montini bounced back from that loss to beat Fenwick 62-34 in Lombard on Jan. 18. The Broncos earned a 60-49 home win over a highly regarded Michigan team—Detroit Country Day—on Saturday.

Montini trailed Whitney Young 14-13 after one quarter of last week's game in Lisle. The Dolphins led the Broncos 29-21 at halftime and 41-36 at the end of the third quarter. Montini trimmed Whitney Young's lead to as few as four points during the fourth quarter.

Montini senior Victoria Matulevicius scored 23 points and grabbed 11 rebounds during last week's loss to the Dolphins. Junior Nikki Kerstein contributed 10 points and five assists for the Broncos, while senior Alyssa Epps provided eight points and six rebounds.

Montini improved its Girls Catholic Athletic Conference (GCAC) Red Division record to 4-2 with last week's home victory over Fenwick. The Broncos led the Friars 22-6 after one quarter and 43-15 at halftime.

Montini's lead swelled to 60-26 by the end of the third quarter.

Matulevicius scored a team-leading 17 points during the Broncos' Jan. 18 win over Fenwick. Junior Shea Carver drained a pair of 3-point shots and tallied 10 points for Montini. Kerstein supplied eight points, while juniors Peyton Farrell and Natalie 'Garlan' scored six points each. Epps netted five points. Junior Audrey Kinney added four points. Juniors Lauren Mellish and Lily Spanos contributed three points each.

The visiting Yellowjackets from Detroit Country Day led Montini 18-14 after one quarter of Saturday afternoon's contest in Lombard. The Broncos trailed Detroit Country Day 21-16 with three minutes left in the second quarter. Montini closed the quarter with an 11-4 burst to take a 27-25 halftime lead. Carver sank a corner 3-point shot during the 11-4 run. Her basket gave the Broncos a 25-21 lead with less than two minutes to play in the first half.

Montini led Detroit Country Day 36-34 with three minutes remaining in the third quarter. A pair of baskets from Matulevicius and a 3-point field goal from Kerstein helped the Broncos extend their lead to 43-36 with eight minutes to play.

Matulevicius scored two baskets early in the fourth quarter. Kerstein added a layup to raise the Broncos'



lead to 49-40 with 4:40 remaining. Farrell made a pair of free throws with 3:30 left in the game. Kerstein and Carver sank two free throws each during the final minute to help Montini seal the win.

Matulevicius scored 20 points and pulled down eight rebounds in her team's victory over the Yellowjackets. Kerstein contributed 17 points, six assists, four rebounds and four steals. Carver and Epps provided eight and seven points, respectively. Farrell supplied six points and four rebounds. Kinney added two points.

The Broncos' schedule this week includes games against Marist, Saint Ignatius, Rosary and Schaumburg.



CHRIS FOX PHOTOS/Rock Valley Publishing

Montini Catholic's girls basketball team raised its overall season record to 17-5 after winning two of three games last week. The Broncos began the week with a 55-46 loss to Whitney Young on Jan. 15. That loss snapped Montini's nine-game winning streak. The Broncos began a new winning streak when they beat Fenwick 62-34 in Lombard on Jan. 18. The Broncos earned another home victory on Saturday afternoon, when they defeated Detroit Country Day 60-49. Senior Victoria Matulevicius scored 23 points for Montini in last week's loss to Whitney Young. Matulevicius is pictured (above right) during last week's game against Fenwick. She scored 17 points in that contest. Matulevicius piled up 20 points in Saturday's victory. One more photo from last week's game against Fenwick shows junior Audrey Kinney (No. 22 - above left), who provided four points for the Broncos.

## Rams rout Streamwood to move to 11-0 in conference action

Johnson makes five shots from 3-point range and scores 21 points

The Glenbard East girls basketball team improved to 11-0 in Upstate Eight Conference play and 16-6 overall following Friday's 53-24 victory at Streamwood.

The Rams led the Sabres 22-4 at the end of the first quarter and 33-10 at halftime. Glenbard East's lead stood at 47-20 at the end of the third quarter.

Senior Ciara Johnson of the Rams

made three 3-point shots and scored 13 points during the first quarter of Friday's contest. Johnson made two more 3-point shots during the game—one in the second quarter and one in the fourth quarter. She made a total of eight baskets, including a personal single-game high of five 3-point field goals, and scored a team-leading 21 points in the victory.

Senior Catey Carney, who made

three 3-points shots against the Sabres, added 13 points in Friday's contest. Three Rams—senior Livia Robbins, junior Erin Brown and freshman Teagan Murphy—supplied five points each. Junior Veronica Witt and freshman Lily Carver added two points each.

The Rams' schedule this week includes conference games against Larkin, South Elgin and West Chicago.



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Willowbrook's girls gymnastics team won the championship plaque at Saturday's nine-team Riverside-Brookfield Bulldog Varsity Invitational. The Warriors earned a team score of 131.25 at the Invitational. Hinsdale South finished second with its score of 128.95. Willowbrook junior Naomi Campbell won the first-place medal in floor exercises at Saturday's competition. Campbell also won the Invitational's all-around title. Senior Mia McBride of the Warriors finished second in floor exercises. She also placed second in the all-around standings. Pictured after Saturday's victory are: (front row) McBride and (back row, left to right) sophomore Kala Capulong, Campbell, freshman Mallory Yeazel and freshman Lillian Macias.

## Warriors win team championship at Riverside-Brookfield

The Willowbrook girls gymnastics team outscored eight other teams to win the title at Saturday's Riverside-Brookfield High School Bulldog Varsity Invitational.

The Warriors earned an overall score of 131.25 at Saturday's invitational. Hinsdale South (128.95) finished second, while Glenbard South (126.825) and Riverside-Brookfield (124.5) placed third and fourth, respectively.

Willowbrook junior Naomi Campbell won the invitational's all-around title with her score of 34.675. Senior Mia McBride of the Warriors finished second in the all-around standings with her total of 34.225.

Campbell delivered a first-place score of 9.0 in floor exercises at

the invitational. She turned in second-place performances on the vault (8.8) and the uneven bars (8.575). Campbell placed fourth on the balance beam (8.3).

McBride received second-place honors in floor exercises (8.95), finishing right behind Campbell in that event. McBride won fourth-place medals on the vault (8.6) and the uneven bars (8.475). She turned in a sixth-place finish on the balance beam (8.2).

Willowbrook sophomore Kaia Capulong contributed a 10th-place finish in the invitational's all-around competition (31.475). Freshman Lillian Macias of the Warriors finished in a tie for 19th in the all-around standings (30.0). Freshman Mallory

Yeazel provided Willowbrook with a 21st-place score of 29.825 in the all-around totals.

Capulong earned a tie for sixth on the vault (8.5) and placed eighth on the balance beam (8.0). Yeazel tied for 10th on the vault (8.425). Macias finished 11th in floor exercises (8.0).

Two days before competing in Saturday's invitational at Riverside-Brookfield, the Warriors faced Downers Grove South in a West Suburban Gold Conference dual meet in Downers Grove. The Mustangs defeated the Warriors 143.5-128.35 in the Jan. 18 meet.

McBride finished fourth in the all-around standings with her score of

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# Warriors end losing streak with win over Blazers

One day after beating Addison Trail, Willowbrook suffers 66-65 loss to Glenbard East

The Willowbrook boys basketball team played a pair of interesting home games against nearby rivals on Friday and Saturday night.

The Warriors ended a seven-game losing streak when they beat Addison Trail 72-62 in Friday's West Suburban Gold Conference game in Villa Park. Willowbrook raised its conference record to 2-3 with its 10-point win over the Blazers.

The Warriors' overall season record slipped to 7-15 following Saturday's 66-65 non-conference loss to Glenbard East. The visiting Rams trailed Willowbrook 65-63 in the closing seconds, but a 3-point basket from Glenbard East sophomore Danny Snyder gave the Rams the lead. The Warriors then missed a last-second shot as the buzzer sounded.

Willowbrook's losing streak reached seven games after four losses at Wheaton Warrenville South's Martin Luther King Jr. Tournament. After losing a pair of games at the tournament on Saturday, Jan. 13, the Warriors suffered two more losses at the event on Monday, Jan. 15. Plainfield Central earned a 74-59 win over Willowbrook in one of the Jan. 15 contests. The Warriors closed out the tournament with a 72-51 loss to Glenbard North.

Addison Trail held a 23-15 lead after one quarter of Friday's conference battle in Villa Park. The visiting Blazers led the Warriors 33-31 at halftime. Willowbrook owned a 51-48 lead at the end of the third quarter.

Addison Trail junior Luke Smith made a 3-point shot in the first minute of the fourth quarter to even the score at 51-51. Willowbrook senior Noah Boyd drained a 3-point shot to give his team a 54-51 lead with 6:20 to play. Boyd's long-range basket began a 16-2 run by the Warriors, who owned a 67-53 lead with a little less than two minutes to play.

Willowbrook sophomore Otis Powell provided 22 points and eight rebounds during Friday's win over the Blazers. Senior Andrew Ciesinski contributed 13 points and 10 rebounds for the Warriors. Boyd scored 12 points, while sophomore Jaylen Griffin and junior Jaden Royal tallied nine and eight points, respectively.

Smith piled up 12 field goals, including three baskets from 3-point range, and sank 11 of 12 free-throw attempts to score 38 points for the Blazers in Friday's loss. Smith scored 18 points in the first half and tacked on 20 points in the second half.

Addison Trail dropped to 6-14 overall and 1-4 in conference play following Friday's loss to the Warriors.

Glenbard East led the Warriors 18-14 through one quarter of Saturday's battle. The Rams led Willowbrook 31-24 at halftime and 50-46 at the end of the third quarter.

Royal's driving basket gave the Warriors a 53-52 lead over the Rams with more than five minutes left in the game. Powell scored to give Willowbrook a 57-54 lead with four minutes to play, but Snyder launched and sank a 3-point shot to tie the score at 57-57 with 3:45 remaining.

Royal's three-point play gave the



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Willowbrook's boys basketball team ended a seven-game losing streak when it beat Addison Trail 72-62 in Friday's West Suburban Gold Conference game in Villa Park. The Warriors improved their conference record to 2-3 with their win over the Blazers. Sophomore Otis Powell (No. 22 - above left) scored 22 points for Willowbrook. Senior Noah Boyd (No. 25 - above middle) is pictured while sinking a 3-point shot in the third quarter. Boyd's basket broke a 51-51 tie and began a 16-2 run by the Warriors. Boyd scored 12 points in Friday's contest. One photo from Friday's game shows Willowbrook junior Jaden Royal (No. 11 - above right), who provided eight points. The Warriors' season record fell to 7-15 following Friday's 66-65 non-conference loss to Glenbard East.

Warriors a 60-57 advantage with 2:54 to play. Griffin drove to the hoop and scored an inside basket to push the Warriors' lead to 65-60 with 1:05 remaining. Seconds later, Snyder buried a 3-point shot to cut Willowbrook's lead to 65-63.

The Warriors missed a pair of free throws with 26.7 seconds left. Glenbard East then missed two free throws with 22.6 seconds to play, but the Rams gathered the rebound after their second miss and called a timeout with 17.5 seconds on the clock.

Snyder fired a 3-point shot with a few seconds to play. The ball hit the front of the rim, bounced straight up, then rattled around the rim before falling in to give the Rams their 66-65 lead.

Willowbrook called a timeout with two seconds to play. The Warriors then inbounded the ball from under its own basket.

The Rams intercepted the pass, but were called for traveling. The Warriors then inbounded the ball in the frontcourt with one second to play.

Boyd inbounded the ball to Royal, who fired a 3-point shot that bounced off the back of the rim as the buzzer sounded.

Powell scored 21 points and made eight rebounds in Saturday's loss to the Rams. Griffin and Royal provided 14 points each.

The Warriors' schedule this week includes conference games at Proviso East and Morton.



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## High-scoring Blazer

Junior Luke Smith (No. 1) of the Addison Trail boys basketball team scored 38 points during Friday's West Suburban Gold Conference game at Willowbrook. The Warriors beat the Blazers 72-62. Smith is pictured while driving for a basket at the end of the third quarter. He made 12 field goals, including three shots from 3-point range, during the game. Smith also drained 11 of 12 free-throw attempts. He scored 18 points in the first half and piled on 20 points in the second half. Smith made a 3-point shot to tie the score at 51-51 early in the fourth quarter. Willowbrook then unleashed a 16-2 run to take a 67-53 lead. Addison Trail fell to 6-14 overall and 1-4 in conference play following Friday's loss.

# Warriors suffer three straight losses

## Team's conference record falls to 6-3 after loss at Hinsdale South

The Willowbrook girls basketball team's overall season record fell to 10-15 following three losses last week.

The Warriors began the week with a 54-15 loss to Hersey at the Coach Kipp Hoopsfest event at Benet Academy in Lisle on Monday, Jan. 15. Willowbrook lost 53-33 to York in Elmhurst on Jan. 17. The Warriors completed the week with Saturday's 51-36 West Suburban Gold Conference loss at Hinsdale South. Willowbrook's conference record dropped to 6-3 following Saturday's loss to the Hornets.

York held a 15-8 lead over the Warriors after one quarter of last week's contest. The Ducks owned a 26-16 halftime lead. York extended its lead to 36-21 by the end of the third quarter.

Senior Elle Bruschuk scored 13 points for the Warriors in their loss to York. Junior Ayaani Gusman added six points for Willowbrook, while ju-

nior Kendall Medinger provided five points. Senior Lillian Vish contributed three points with a 3-point basket in the third quarter. Senior Kalina Henry contributed two points for Willowbrook, while junior Loralei McIntyre scored one point.

Hinsdale South led the Warriors 14-8 after one quarter of Saturday's contest. The Hornets led Willowbrook 20-12 at halftime and 32-21 at the end of the third quarter.

Bruschuk supplied 11 points and nine rebounds in Saturday's loss at Hinsdale South. McIntyre, who made a pair of 3-point shots, scored eight points. Gusman and Vish contributed seven and six points, respectively.

One week before facing Hinsdale South, the Warriors earned a 45-35 conference victory at Addison Trail on Jan. 13.

Gusman scored 16 points in the win. She also provided six rebounds and three steals. Bruschuk piled up 15 points, seven rebounds, six as-

sists and six steals for the Warriors, who completed a season sweep of the Blazers with the win. Willowbrook beat Addison Trail 45-30 in

the teams' first conference meeting of the season, which took place on Dec. 2 in Villa Park.

Willowbrook's schedule this week

includes a non-conference home game against Riverside-Brookfield, along with this Friday's conference home contest against Morton.

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33.55. Campbell claimed fifth in the meet's all-around competition (33.4), while Capulong placed seventh (31.0). Yeazel (29.75) and Macias (28.85) finished eighth and ninth, respectively.

### The Blazers battle Leyden

Addison Trail's girls gymnastics team faced Leyden in a West Suburban Gold Conference dual meet on Jan. 18. Leyden edged the Blazers 128.35-127.95 in Addison.

Senior Nicolette Franczak of Ad-

dison Trail won the meet's all-around title with first-place performances in all four events. Franczak delivered winning scores of 9.0 on the vault, 8.4 on the uneven bars, 8.0 on the balance beam and 9.25 in floor exercises to produce an all-around score of 34.65.

Junior Olivia DeBeauvoir of the Blazers placed third in the all-around standings (31.85), while sophomore Gabriela Trejo provided Addison Trail with a fifth-place all-around score of 30.9.

## Answers

### PUZZLE 1

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### PUZZLE 2

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## LEGAL NOTICES

**NOTICE**  
CERTIFICATE NO. 79307 was filed in the office of the County Clerk of DuPage County on JANUARY 2, 2024 wherein the business firm of NAILS BY SHERI, 3021 BUTTERFIELD ROAD SUITE #124, OAK BROOK, IL 60523 was registered; that the true or real name or names of the person or persons owning the business, with their respective post office address(es), is/are as follows:  
Sheri E. Orisek, 8302 Woodridge Drive, Woodridge, IL 60517.  
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and Official Seal at my office in Wheaton, Illinois, this 2ND day of JANUARY, A.D. 2024.  
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CERTIFICATE NO. 79311 was filed in the office of the County Clerk of DuPage County on January 9, 2024 wherein the business firm of T2DO Home Repair, 254 BOBWHITE LANE, BLOOMINGDALE, IL 60108 was registered; that the true or real name or names of the person or persons owning the business, with their respective post office address(es), is/are as follows:  
PAUL B. TARMAN, 254 BOBWHITE LANE, BLOOMINGDALE, IL 60108.  
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and Official Seal at my office in Wheaton, Illinois, this 8TH day of January, A.D. 2024.  
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**NOTICE**  
CERTIFICATE NO. 79321 was filed in the office of the County Clerk of DuPage County on JANUARY 18, 2024 wherein the business firm of VILLA PARK KATE, 341 S. ARDMORE AVENUE, VILLA PARK, IL 60181 was registered; that the true or real name or names of the person or persons owning the business, with their respective post office address(es), is/are as follows:  
Davin Patrick Andrekus, 302 Pine Street, Villa Park, IL 60181; Carter James Kampert, 175 E. Van Buren, Elmhurst, IL 60126.  
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and Official Seal at my office in Wheaton, Illinois, this 18TH day of JANUARY, A.D. 2024.  
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**Village Of Lombard Notice To Bidders For Sanitary And Storm Sewer Closed Circuit Television (CCTV) Inspection And Cleaning (FY 24)**

**Time and Place of Opening Bids**  
Notice is hereby given that the Village of Lombard, Illinois, acting through the Department of Public Works, will receive bids for the Sanitary And Storm Sewer Closed Circuit Television (CCTV) Inspection And Cleaning (FY 24) project until Tuesday, February 27, at 11:00 AM, local time only via online bidding through the Quest Construction Data Network (QuestCDN). Bids will not be accepted from any prospective bidder who has not purchased contract documents through QuestCDN. Paper bids will not be accepted and will be returned to the bidder unopened. Bids will be publicly read at the Public Works Facility, 1051 S. Hammerschmidt Avenue, Lombard, Illinois immediately after bids are due.

**Scope of Work**  
The work consists of Closed-Circuit Television (CCTV) inspection and cleaning of sanitary and storm sewers, which includes preparatory and heavy cleaning, disposal of debris, bypass pumping, traffic control, and the submittal of inspection videos, logs, and data. Project quantities total approximately 27,000 linear feet of sanitary and storm sewer pipe varying from 6 to 27 inches in diameter. The work also includes visual condition evaluation and documentation of manholes. Sewers are located within easements, license areas, and right-of-way within the corporate limits of the Village of Lombard.

**Availability of Contract Documents**  
Digital project bid documents are available at [www.questcdn.com](http://www.questcdn.com). Prospective Bidders must purchase contract documents through Quest Construction Data Network (QuestCDN). You may download the digital bid specifications for \$42.00 by inputting the Quest Project Number 8897091 on the website's Project Search page. Contact QuestCDN at 952-233-1832 or [info@questcdn.com](mailto:info@questcdn.com) for assistance.

**Bid Security**  
All bid proposals must be accompanied by a bid bond to the Village of Lombard for five percent (5%) of the bid amount. Bidders will need to upload a copy of their bid bond or elect to use Surety2000. No proposals or bids will be considered unless accompanied by such a bond.

**Rejection of Bids**  
The Village of Lombard reserves the right to defer the award of the contract for a period not to exceed sixty (60) calendar days after the date bids are received. The Village of Lombard reserves the right to reject any or all bids or parts thereof, to waive any irregularities or informalities in bid procedures, and to award the contract in a manner best serving the interest of the Municipality.

**Additional Information**  
Any question(s) must be submitted to Ray Schwab, Civil Engineer II at [SchwabR@VillageofLombard.org](mailto:SchwabR@VillageofLombard.org) by 4:00 PM on Monday, February 19, 2024. Questions submitted after the deadline shall not be acknowledged.

All work under this contract shall

comply with the Prevailing Wage Rate Act of the State of Illinois, 820 ILCS 130/0.01 et seq. and Employment of Illinois Workers on Public Works Act (30 ILCS 570).

Village of Lombard, Illinois  
Liz Brezinski  
Village Clerk  
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### NOTICE OF INTENT TO BORROW FUNDS AND RIGHT TO FILE PETITION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that, pursuant to Ordinance Number 2-2024, adopted on January 16, 2024, the Village of Bensenville of DuPage and Cook Counties, Illinois (the "ENTITY"), intends to enter into a Loan Agreement with the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency in an aggregate principal amount not to exceed \$8,895,599 and bearing annual interest at an amount not to exceed the maximum rate authorized by law at the time of execution of the Loan Agreement, for the purpose of paying the cost of certain improvement to the public water supply system of the Village of Bensenville. A complete copy of the Ordinance accompanies this notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY FURTHER GIVEN that if a petition signed by 845 or more electors of the Village of Bensenville (being equal to 10% of the registered voters in the Village of Bensenville), requesting that the question of improving the public water supply system and entering into the Loan Agreement is submitted to the Village of Bensenville Clerk within 30 days after the publication of this Notice, the question of improving the public water supply system of the Village of Bensenville as provided in the Ordinance and Loan Agreement shall be submitted to the electors of the Village of Bensenville at the next election to be held under general election law on November 5, 2024. A petition form is available from the office of the Village of Bensenville Clerk.

Village of Bensenville Clerk  
Village of Bensenville of DuPage and Cook Counties, Illinois  
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**NOTICE**  
CERTIFICATE NO. 79316 was filed in the office of the County Clerk of DuPage County on JANUARY 16, 2024 wherein the business firm of TC SIGNING SERVICES, 1373 TERRY ROAD, GLENDALE HEIGHTS, IL 60139 was registered; that the true or real name or names of the person or persons owning the business, with their respective post office address(es), is/are as follows:  
Teresa Campos, 1373 Terry Road, Glendale Heights, IL 60139.  
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and Official Seal at my office in Wheaton, Illinois, this 16TH day of JANUARY, A.D. 2024.  
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## Willowbrook dance team heading to the state meet

Willowbrook High School's dance team will participate in this week's IHSA competitive dance state meet in Bloomington. The Warriors earned their berth in the state meet with their performance at Saturday's IHSA sectional at Joliet West High School. Willowbrook competed against 15 other teams in the sectional's 2A-2 level. The top six teams in that level qualified for the state meet. Willowbrook earned a sixth-place score of 82.7

for its performance at the sectional. Benet Academy (82.43) finished seventh in the sectional's 2A-2 level. Geneva (92.87) won the Joliet West Sectional's 2A-2 title. Several members of Willowbrook's team are pictured while performing the Warriors' competition routine during halftime of Friday's boys basketball game in Villa Park. The IHSA state meet will take place this Friday and Saturday at Grossinger Motors Arena.

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