TAKE FIVE

A guide to people, issues and activities in your community.

DID YOU KNOW?

AT THE BALLOT BOX: The first election in Johnson County was conducted on March 8, 1823. Two judges were elected, along with a recorder and three commissioners.

The county population was about 500 at the time. There were two polling places, in White River Township and Blue River Township.

The first grand jury convened shortly after the election. It indicted four men for "assault, battery and affray" as a result of a drunken brawl on Election Day.

NOTEBOOK

ON DISPLAY: A Greenwood glass business makes windows that are anything but

Stained Glass Overlay, or SGO Design Glass, specializes in

clear.

custom windows that look like stained glass but are really regular windows with a stained glass design applied to the surface.

Greenwood resident Tony Milano runs his studio from a strip mall on Polk Street near downtown, serving most of central Indiana as one of only three in the state.

This weekend, anyone curious about what the locally created glass products look like can watch ABC's "Extreme Makeover: Home Edition" at 8 p.m. Sunday. The show will feature glass samples in a home in Oklahoma.

"You can get 27 different (styles of) blinds at Home Depot, and that's it; but here you can make your exact piece of glass," Milano said. "You're only limited by your imagination."

Milano and his five-person crew make glass for about 300 homes a year. The company has won about 20 national design awards since starting up in 2002.

Milano said he and his wife, Sarah, started the local franchise after about 10 years of studying and tinkering with decorative glass.

PICTURE PERFECT







MAKING SOME NOISE: Fifth-grader Dylan Berry, 11, above, plays violin Friday during an instrument petting zoo sponsored by the Indianapolis Symphony Orchestra at Needham Elementary School in Franklin. The event gives kids a chance to get their hands on instruments provided by the orchestra. Union fifth-grader Baily Johnson, 11, above left, plays a guiro percussion instrument. Union fifth-grader Allie Abney, 11, above right, gets help playing a trumpet from teacher Amy Kuroiwa. Staff photos by Scott Roberson



Web extra: Visit www.thejournalnet.com for more photos from the instrument petting zoo at Needham Elementary School on Friday.

WHAT YOU MISSED

If you didn't read the Daily Journal last week, you missed a lot.

MALL MOVES: The L.S. Avres store at Greenwood Park Mall may get the wrecking ball. A consultant talks about what is expected to go in its place.

A commercial and housing development is coming to the Clark-Pleasant area. A town official says: "This is the nicest plan to hit

Whiteland in the past 20 years."

BIG CHANGES IN WHITELAND: TOP PLAYER: The Daily Journal BIG-TIME SPEAKER: A Big Ten names the female basketball player of the year. "She brings a fire within herself," according to her coach.

coach will be the featured speaker at the 2006 Johnson County Athlete of the Year Banquet. The event is in June.

KNOW YOUR NEIGHBOR: **EMILY BUTLER**



Emily Butler lives in rural Trafalgar with Ted, her husband of 41 years.

The couple live in the house they built 30 years ago and where they raised sons Brian, Brett and Chad and daughter Niki Overby. Ted, who retired from Eli Lilly and Co., tends the grounds, while Emily pursues her passions: photography, teaching an after-school Bible club, and serving as the class instructor for two Weight Watchers classes. Together the couple take joy in their 10 grand-

What is your idea of perfect happiness?

Peace. Not being fearful when things go wrong.

What is your greatest food

temptation? Pizza and ice cream

What is your most embarrassing moment?

I got in the wrong car in the McDonald's parking lot in Columbus. I was buckled in when the man sitting in the driver's seat leaned over and looked at me. My husband and I were in a rental car that was the same color.

What was the most important thing you taught your children about life?

To depend on God

What is the most exciting thing that every happened to you? My open-heart surgery. It cemented in my heart things that I knew about heaven and reality.

Whom do you admire most? Jesus Christ

What's the best advice your mother gave you? Wait until you're 80. When you

make mistakes, people just laugh.

What do you like most about being

Seeing my children duplicate things that we did for our children.

If you could change anything, what would it be?

I'd like to be a photojournalist.

What's the first thing you think of when you wake up? What day is it?

What is one thing people would be surprised to know about?

I ran away from home when I was 7. I got a spanking.

> Interview by Annette Jones Photograph by Scott Roberson Web extra



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FIVE THINGS TO DO THIS WEEK

Sunday Nothing but net

Enter the tailgater's dream with bands cheerleaders and mascots during the Big Ten Tournament Pep Rally Time: 1:30 to 3:30 p.m.

Where: Conseco Fieldhouse, 125 S. Pennsylvania St., Indianapolis Admission: Free

Monday Surf's up

Learn the basics of the Internet and navigating the Web **Time:** 10 a.m.

Where: Franklin Library, 401 S. State St. Information: 738-2833

What you need to know: Class is designed for teens and adults

Wednesday Listen up

Tim Brickly Duo performs acoustic covers

Time: 6 to 9 p.m. Where: The Rathskeller, 401 E. Michigan St., Indianapolis Admission: Free

Information: 630-0396; www.rathskeller.com

Thursday Center stage

"The Music Man" Time: 7:30 p.m. Where: Greenwood Community

High School, 615 W. Smith Valley Road, Greenwood

Admission: \$7 for reserved seats, \$6 for general admission, \$1 discount for senior citizens Information: 889-4000

Friday Luck o' the Irish Shamrock & Roll 6,



music and St. Patrick's Day celebration When: 4 p.m. to midnight

Where: Claddagh Irish Pub, 234 S. Meridian St., Indianapolis Cover charge: \$5

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