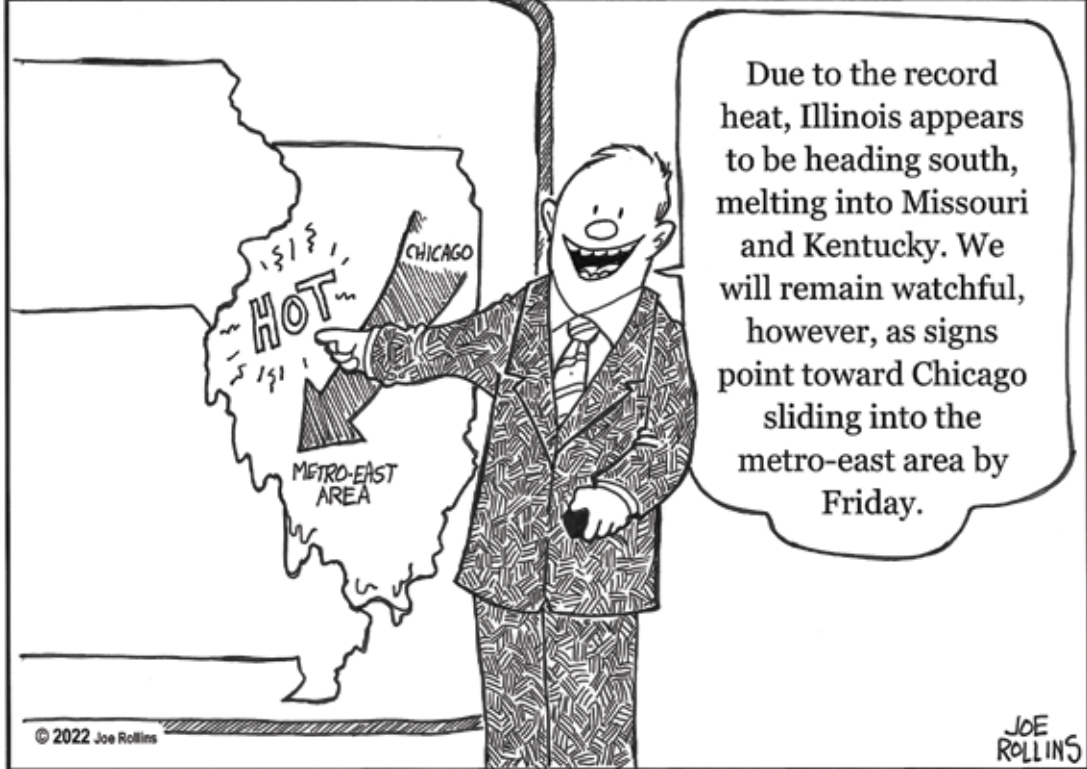


# Opinion

Joe's Corner

by Joe Rollins



IMAGINE HILLSBORO CHECKS IN • by Lucas Altenberger

## Summer In Full Swing In Hillsboro



Welcome back to Imagine Hillsboro Checks In. If this is your first time joining us, welcome! This column features a bi-monthly update regarding all things Imagine Hillsboro. Summer is in full swing in Hillsboro, which includes no shortage of events, markets and concerts. Several committees are also gearing up for events this fall and beyond. Let's jump in.

As mentioned in May's article, Farmer's Market season is in full swing. Every first and third Saturday, from now until September, you can visit Lincoln Plaza from 9 a.m. to noon to discover locally-grown produce, delicious snacks, beauty products, and handmade clothing and decorative items. View the "Hillsboro Farmer's Market" page on Facebook for ideas of what you might find. Be sure to visit multiple markets for a variety of goods to browse. So far, Hillsboro has enjoyed fresh eggs, jams, flower baskets, lip balms, cookies, unique art, bracelets and more.

In June, Shell customers were treated to a day of full-service pumps. By selling the most donation cards, Shell was the winner of Imagine Hillsboro's gas station fundraiser in May. The Volunteer Committee greeted individuals and offered to pump their gas and/or wash their windows. Thank you to all volunteers for donating your time and thank you to everyone who donated money during this fundraiser.

The Education Committee recently disseminated a survey to our local teachers and support staff. Thank you to all who completed this survey! Results will be used to determine how we can best help our teachers, whether that be through donating time, supplies or money. Those who completed the survey were entered into drawings for four local businesses. Congratulations to these winners: Beth Gonzalez from Hillsboro High School (Black Rabbit Coffee), Abby Reynolds from Beckemeyer Elementary (Frida's Tacos), Dana White From Coffeen Pre-K (Sweet Addictions) and Florence Clark from Hillsboro Junior High School (Uhlry's Country Market). The Education Committee's Spooktacular Golf Scramble will be making a return this October. More information will be shared soon on our social media channels, Spaces app, website and *The Journal-News*.

Bike Hillsboro is still working diligently to prepare the Oo-De-Lally bike trail system. If you are interested in helping out, message the Oo-De-Lally Bike Trail System's Facebook page with your cell phone number or use the "Contact" section on [imaginehillsboro.com](http://imaginehillsboro.com). Looking ahead, the Bicentennial committee is planning for Hillsboro's 200th birthday next year in 2023. If you are interested in helping with this once-in-a-lifetime celebration, please contact [bicentennial2023@imaginehillsboro.com](mailto:bicentennial2023@imaginehillsboro.com). If your organization, business, or group is planning a celebration or activity associated with the bicentennial, please share it with us so we can help cross-promote it on the Imagine Hillsboro Bicentennial web page ([imaginehillsboro.com/bicentennial](http://imaginehillsboro.com/bicentennial)), as well as help promote it on our social media page.

The Hillsboro Concert Series has recently hosted three live music concerts. Two concerts were held in June: *The Grand Moff and Bitter Pill*. On Saturday, July 16, concert-goers enjoyed all-day performances, including sets from *Hounds*, *Avery Kern*, *Starkillers*, *LS XPRSS*, and *Jarmon Bros*. Are you still ready for more live music in Hillsboro? There are two more shows planned in August. Visit [imaginehillsboro.com/concerts](http://imaginehillsboro.com/concerts) to see the lineups and learn more about the Hillsboro Concert Series!

LETTERS to the editor

## How Far We Have Fallen?

Please read the following with the national and state news in one hand and this letter in the other.

As you read the preambles to the Declaration of Independence and U.S. Constitution, notice how the principles cited by the founders have been lost. Where once America the beautiful was described as a shining city on a hill (President Ronald Reagan), she has become, in a plethora of ways, a city whose light is about to go out.

If others have been judged and destroyed? Now, if you think what I have said is over the top or extreme, you haven't been paying attention to what is going on in every aspect of our paganistic government, schools and society as a whole. Even the so-called church in America is turning from God to embrace the ideas of sinful man. Repent, America. Perhaps God will relent and show us his mercy for yet a little while.

The Lord told the Prophet Jonah to go to the city of Nineveh and proclaim to her, "Forty more days and Nineveh will be overthrown." Nineveh repented, men and animals, and fasted in sackcloth and ashes, and the Lord spared Nineveh for a time. Later, through the Prophet Nahum, the Lord said, "Although they have allies and are numerous, they will be destroyed and pass away." And, "You will have no descendants to bear your name. I will destroy the images and idols that are in the temple of your gods. I will prepare your grave, for you are vile." All the Lord said against Nineveh came to pass.

Please read the preambles carefully all the way through, especially after the first two sentences.

### Declaration Of Independence

We hold these truths to be self-evident, that all men are created equal, that they are endowed by their Creator with certain unalienable Rights, that among these are Life, Liberty and the pursuit of Happiness. That to secure these rights, Governments are instituted among Men, deriving their just powers from the consent of the governed. That whenever any Form of Government becomes destructive of these ends, it is the Right of the People to alter or to abolish it, and to institute new Government,

laying its foundation on such principles and organizing its powers in such form, as to them shall seem most likely to effect their Safety and Happiness. Prudence, indeed, will dictate that Governments long established should not be changed for light and transient causes; and accordingly all experience hath shown that mankind are more disposed to suffer, while evils are sufferable, than to right themselves by abolishing the forms to which they are accustomed. But when a long train of abuses and usurpations, pursuing invariably the same Object evinces a design to reduce them under absolute Despotism, it is their right, it is their duty, to throw off such Government, and to provide new Guards for their future security.

### U.S. Constitution

We the People of the United States, in Order to form a more perfect Union, establish Justice, insure domestic Tranquility, provide for the common defense, promote the general Welfare, and secure the Blessings of Liberty to ourselves and our Posterity, do ordain and establish this Constitution for the United States of America.

David Pence Hillsboro

### First Amendment

Congress shall make no law respecting an establishment of religion, or prohibiting the free exercise thereof; or abridging the freedom of speech, or of the press; or the right of the people peaceably to assemble, and to petition the government for a redress of grievances.

### Second Amendment

A well-regulated militia, being necessary to the security of a free state, the right of the people to keep and bear arms, shall not be infringed.

## MONDAY EVENING

JULY 25, 2022

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30																										
<b>BROADCAST</b>	ABC: The Bachelorette (TVPG) (N)	CBS: Neighbor. Bob Hearts	NBC: American Ninja Warrior: "Sentinels 2" (N)	FOX: Don't Forget (TVPG)	ION: MacGyver (TV14)	(01) Claim To Fame (N)	Local: Jimmy Kimmel Live	(35) Late Show (TV14)	Corden	Nightline																										
<b>CABLE</b>	A&E: Intervention: "Jordan"	AMC: (5:00) The Fugitive (93)	ANIMAL: Naked and Afraid XL: "You Left Us to" (TV14)	BET: Celebrity Family Feud (35) Movie	BRAVO: Below Deck (TV14) (N)	CARTOON: Hill	CMT: Man	CNN: Anderson Cooper 360*	COMEDY: (20) The Office (TV14)	DISCOVERY: Air Jaws: Top Guns (N)	DISNEY: Jungle ★★★ (50) Ultra	E!: To Be Announced	ESPN: ESPN Films: "Dicke V"	ESPN2: (6:00) The Basketball	FOOD: Beat Bobby	FREEFORM: Wreck-It	FX: Underwater (20, PG-13) ★★★½ Kristen Stewart.	HGTV: Love It or List It (TV G)	HISTORY: Modern Marvels (N)	LIFETIME: The First 48 (TV14)	MTV: Ridiculous	NEWSNAT: NewsNation	NICK: Wonder Park (19) ★★★½	PARMT: Movie	SYFY: (5:05) John Wick (19)	TBS: Bang	TCM: Breakin' (84, PG) ★½ Lucinda Dickey.	TLG: The Family Chantel (N)	TNT: (6:00) Star Wars: The Rise of Skywalker (19) ★★★	TRAVEL: Mysteries of the Unknown: "Killer Jazz" (N)	TV LAND: Loves Ray.	USA: WWE Monday Night Raw	VH1: Basketball Wives (N)	HBO: (5:58) The Heat (13, R)	MAX: Bloodsport (88, R) ★★★	SHOW: The Chi (TVMA)

## TUESDAY EVENING

JULY 26, 2022

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30																										
<b>BROADCAST</b>	ABC: Celebrity Family Feud	CBS: FBI: "Allegiance"	NBC: America's Got Talent: "Auditions 8" (TVPG) (N)	FOX: Crime Scene Kitchen	ION: Chicago Fire (TV14)	The Rookie (TV14)	Local: Jimmy Kimmel Live	(35) Late Show (TV14)	Corden	Nightline																										
<b>CABLE</b>	A&E: The First 48: "Chain of Death" (TV14)	AMC: (6:00) Armageddon (98, PG-13) ★★★ Bruce Willis.	ANIMAL: Naked and Afraid XL: "Carroll What" (TV14)	BET: (5:00) Movie	BRAVO: Below Deck	CARTOON: Hill	CMT: Mom	CNN: Anderson Cooper 360*	COMEDY: The Office	DISCOVERY: Impractical (TVPG) (N)	DISNEY: Big City	E!: (6:00) Movie	ESPN: (6:00) ESPN Films	ESPN2: (6:00) The Basketball	FOOD: Chopped (TV G)	FREEFORM: The Office	FX: Fast & Furious Presents: Hobbs & Shaw (19)	HGTV: Good Bones (TV G) (N)	HISTORY: MH370: Mystery (N)	LIFETIME: Castle (TVPG)	MTV: Catfish: The TV Show	NEWSNAT: NewsNation	NICK: Shrek 2 (04, PG)	PARMT: Movie	SYFY: Despicable Me (10, PG) ★★★½ Steve Carell.	TBS: (6:00) MLB Baseball: New York vs New York (Live)	TCM: In Harm's Way (65, NR) ★★★½ John Wayne, Kirk Douglas.	TLG: Welcome to Plathville	TNT: Star Wars: Episode VII: Return of the Jedi (83)	TRAVEL: UFO Witness (TV14)	TV LAND: Loves Ray.	USA: WWE NXT (Live)	VH1: Wild N Out	HBO: The King's Man (21)	MAX: The Vanishing (93, R) Jeff Bridges.	SHOW: The Contractor (22, R) Chris Pine.

## WEDNESDAY EVENING

JULY 27, 2022

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30																										
<b>BROADCAST</b>	ABC: Conners	NBC: Big Brother (TV14) (N)	FOX: MasterChef (TV14) (N)	ION: Blue Bloods (TV14)	Local Programs (TV14)	Press Your Luck	Local: Jimmy Kimmel Live	(35) Late Show (TV14)	Corden	Nightline																										
<b>CABLE</b>	A&E: Court Cam	AMC: Caddyshack (80, R) ★★★	ANIMAL: The Zoo: San Diego	BET: (5:00) Movie	BRAVO: Real Housewives (N)	CARTOON: Hill	CMT: Man	CNN: Anderson Cooper 360*	COMEDY: Crank (N)	DISCOVERY: Island Of (TVPG) (N)	DISNEY: Big City	E!: (6:00) Movie	ESPN: (6:00) MLB Baseball: New York vs New York	ESPN2: College	FOOD: Guy's Grocery Games	FREEFORM: The Office	FX: Baywatch (17, R) ★★½ Dwayne Johnson, Zac Efron.	HGTV: Bargain Block (TV G)	HISTORY: Forged in Fire (TVPG)	LIFETIME: Married at First Sight: "Sand, Sun, and" (N)	MTV: Ridiculous	NEWSNAT: NewsNation	NICK: Peanuts Movie (15) ★★★	PARMT: Movie	SYFY: Shallows	TBS: All Elite Wrestling: Dynamite	TCM: Medicine for Melancholy (08) ★★½	TLG: Dr. Pimple Popper (N)	TNT: Kingsman: The Secret Service (15, R) ★★★½ Colin Firth.	TRAVEL: Haunted Towns (TV14)	TV LAND: Loves Ray.	USA: SVU: "Savior" (TV14)	VH1: Caught In Act (TV14)	HBO: (5:30) The Matrix (21)	MAX: Something Borrowed (11, PG-13) ★★	SHOW: (5:00) Braveheart (90)

### Fifth Amendment

No person shall be held to answer for a capital, or otherwise infamous crime, unless on a presentment or indictment of a grand jury, except in cases arising in the land or naval forces, or in the militia, when in actual service in time of war or public danger; nor shall any person be subject for the same offense to be twice put in jeopardy of life or limb; nor shall be compelled in any criminal case to be a witness against himself, nor be deprived of life, liberty, or property, without due process of law; nor shall private property be taken for public use, without just compensation.