**Birth Announcement Form**

**NOTE:** *Your form will not be processed unless both boxes below are checked and payment is received.*

q Yes, I want my announcement to appear in the pages of The Pantagraph and on Pantagraph.com. I under- stand that there is a $20 handling fee for this service (which I will include with this form).

q I have read the instructions and milestone policy information on the second page prior to filling out this form. Baby’s full name: Weight: pounds and ounces Sex: q Male q Female

Parents’ names and

city/state of residence: Date of birth: Baby’s siblings’ full names and ages:

Maternal grandparents’ names and cities/states of residence:

Paternal grandparents’ names and cities/states of residence:

Great-grandparents’ names and cities/states of residence:

We do not publish deceased grandparents’ or great-grandparents’ names unless the baby is named for them.

Explain if the baby is named for anyone: Parents’ marital status:

Please select one choice below. If the parents are unmarried and the father’s name is to be mentioned in the announce-

ment, the father must come to The Pantagraph in person (301 W. Washington St., Bloomington) during business hours (8

a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Friday) and sign a release form allowing The Pantagraph to print his name.

q The parents are married.

q The parents are unmarried and the father will sign a release form.

q The parents are unmarried and the father will not be mentioned in the announcement.

Contact name:

Daytime phone: ( ) - Email address:

Additional notes or clarifications for the milestone announcement editors:

**Instructions and milestone policy information**

**Online submission alternative:** Rather than using this printed form, you can submit your form and pay- ment by credit card online by going to [www.pantagraph.com/milestones/submit.](http://www.pantagraph.com/milestones/submit)

**Deadlines:** Birth announcements run on Sundays in The Pantagraph and are posted online on Mondays at [www.pantagraph.com/milestones.](http://www.pantagraph.com/milestones) While a run date cannot be guaranteed, we will, when possible, pub- lish announcements received by noon Monday on the following Sunday (and online the following Mon- day).

**Editing:** All announcement submissions are subject to editing for style and content.

**Submitting your form:** After you have filled out the birth announcement form, please mail or bring it along with your payment to:

**Pantagraph Milestones**

301 W. Washington St.

P.O. Box 2907

Bloomington, IL 61702-2907

Please make checks payable to The Pantagraph.