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**More woes for rain forest**

BY ANGIE NEMCH

In the face of intense opposition from across the United States, the federal government is moving forward with plans to log and mine vast areas of the rain forest, despite protests from environmentalists and Native American tribes who argue that the area is a vital source of biodiversity and cultural heritage.

An estimated $2.9 million has been allocated for the project, which is expected to generate millions of dollars in revenue for the federal government. However, critics say the project will harm the ecosystem and threaten the survival of countless species, including endangered mammals and plants.

**The world writes to Iowa**

This is the most talented group of writers I've ever met. — Christopher Merrill, program director who has headed the program since 2000

BY MARGARET POE

The program is the world's largest and most diverse gathering of writers, artists, and thinkers, bringing together more than 1,000 participants from around the globe. Merrill said the program is a unique opportunity for writers to connect with each other and explore new ideas.

**Smoking ban ruffles some feathers**

BY EMILEIGH BARNES

The smoking ban in Iowa's hospitals and clinics is causing some controversy, with some patients and workers expressing concern about how it will affect their daily lives.

Iowa's largest hospital, the University of Iowa Hospitals and Clinics, has implemented the ban, which prohibits smoking in all patient rooms and smoking areas, including hospital grounds. However, some patients and staff are expressing concern about how the ban will affect their daily routines.

**Terror strikes Jordan**

BY JAMAL HALLABY

Armed men launched a series of simultaneous attacks on three U.S.-based hotels in the Jordanian capital Wednesday night, killing dozens of people and wounding 135 in what appeared to be a hit-and-run campaign on an Israeli road with close ties to the United States.

The explosion hit the Great Hotel, Diamond Hotel, and Dana Hotel just before 8 p.m. One of the blasts took place in a restaurant at the Great Hotel, where guests were celebrating, while a second explosion was heard in a hotel room, and a third victim was found outside the hotel.

"We thought it was fireworks for the wedding, but I had a feeling something was very wrong," said Audrey, a wedding guest at the Great Hotel, who did not give her surname. "I saw blood. There were people killed. It was ugly."

The Jordanian Deputy Prime Minister Marwan Musabar

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Jerry Abbot, who assisted in over 440 drug busts, faces two additional sentences for violating his probation in Webster County.

The court sentenced Abbot, 22, on Wednesday at the Johnson County Jail, 8th District Court, in a violation hearing conducted Tuesday.

Abbot faced two new cases involving probation violations, which resulted in a sentence of 1 year and 1 day for each.

Abbot's arrest was first made by a local deputy of the Webster County Sheriff's Office on a charge of reckless driving.

On the new cases, Abbot faces a total of five years for each violation.

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TRACKING OFFENDERS

Court nixes tracking sex offenders

A new law signed by Governor John Kitzhaber last week allows counties in Oregon to use electronic monitoring devices on sex offenders.

The move could lead to the end of the sex offender tracking program that requires offenders to check in with sex offender probation officers three times a week.

The new law, Senate Bill 1071, signed last week, and House Bill 3607, signed by Governor Kitzhaber on Wednesday, will give counties the option of using electronic monitoring devices on sex offenders.

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Health panel OKs budget

The fiscal 2007 public-health budget plan officially approved by the Board of Supervisors.

I don’t think it’s an unreasonable request. It’ll pass. The question is, will they alter it?

Johnson county public health director

NO BINGING AT CALGARY SCHOOL

I think because of the lower drinking age, it’s not an issue, it’s been socialized into our culture,” said Canadian exchange student

BY ERIKA BIN EGAR

CALGARY, Canada—At the Iowa student here on the Mount Royal College campus, very few students are inside—and it’s a Thursday. But around the same time in Iowa City, there would be drunkenness to the dozens of differ- ent bars within walking dis- tance of the UI campus, ready for a night of numerous shots and dollar pitchers of Joes.

At Mount Royal College in Calgary, Canada, where the drinking age is 19, students drink in college dorms.

"I think because of the lower drinking age, it’s not an issue," said Canadian exchange student Kayla Jeffs. "It’s been socialized into our culture." She said she’s already been involved in a program that brings students to the bar for one week, and the availability of alcohol and the large number of bars in Iowa City could con- tribute to the city problem.

"It almost forces you to drink, you have to go to a bar every day," she added. "You can just go to the next bar, the price tag of alcohol also varies between the two coun- tries — while a beer in Iowa costs a $1.55 price point, a student in Canada can find the same amount of alcohol for as low as $1.

Does Regina, a fourth-year exchange student at Mount Royal College, said he was "intoxicated for a very long time.

"It doesn’t really get to the point where it’s really dangerous," he added. "We don’t see a lot of people getting drunk.

"It’s the very things that make Iowa City unique and the things that we love," he said.

— Leah Cohen

Iowa City student always needed the experience.

Cohen said it’s difficult to alcohol products because they “capital- ize” on kids “who have been raise- d not drinking to not drinking.

"If you’re technically an adult, you’re either body (alcohol) in a supervised place where you’re, and responsible adults, alcohol.”

The interconnection between the two campuses and the rest of Iowa City requires the influx of newer and drinking establishments, and

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Thank you to the thousands of Iowa City residents in support of MidAmerican Energy.

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Oil executives defend huge profits

Oil executives represented five major companies that raked more than $3.2 billion during the last quarter.

BY J. JOSEPH HEBERT

WASHINGTON — Oil executives who helped rake in huge profits under tough questioning Wednesday, but then found little sympathy from senators who said their companies are profiting from high energy prices.

"Your justification appears to be a press release or speech prepared in California," said the executive, citing "unaffordable" factor because the senators are responding from high energy prices. "They would probably be more interested in the industry in retribution and other measures."

Economists said that during the storms, some ExxonMobil gas station operators completed the company had raised gas prices, making a $4-a-gallon in 24 hours.

Raymond said he invested dividends "to maintain the increase in gas" but added, "If we kept the price too low, we wouldn't have to pay all of our profits from the storms.""..."
Curfews spread, rioting abates

But leading Democrats say the FBI should investigate the controversial Israeli raids.

by Jocelyn Gecker

WASHINGTON — Israeli Defense Minister Amir Peretz ordered Wednesday to keep the curfews in effect in the southern Israeli town of Rafah, which is bordered by the Gaza Strip, and in the West Bank city of Hebron, where clashes have been occurring daily since the start of the intifada in September.

The curfews, which were first imposed by the Israeli army in response to the growing violence, have been lifted in most parts of the country in recent weeks, but remain in effect in areas where security concerns still exist.

The Israeli government has been under pressure to lift the curfews, which have been widely criticized as a violation of the rights of Palestinian citizens.

However, Israeli Prime Minister Ariel Sharon has maintained that the curfews are necessary to maintain order and prevent further violence.

The curfews were introduced following a series of deadly attacks by Palestinian militants, which have claimed the lives of dozens of Israeli civilians.

Sharon has been under increasing pressure from the international community to lift the curfews, which are seen as a form of collective punishment.

But the Israeli government has been slow to respond to calls for the curfews to be lifted, citing security concerns.

The curfews have been in effect for several months and have been extended several times, with no sign of an imminent lifting.

Despite the ongoing violence, there have been reports of occasional outbreaks of violence, with some Israeli and Palestinian militants continuing to clash in various parts of the country.

The Israeli government has been accused of using the curfews as a way to divide the Palestinian population and to maintain control over the territories.

The curfews have also been criticized by human rights organizations, which say they violate the rights of Palestinian citizens and are a form of collective punishment.

However, the Israeli government has defended the curfews, saying they are necessary to maintain order and prevent further violence.

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With a new face to welcome and new topics to discuss, the Iowa City City Council's next meeting will set the stage for what's to come. The new council will be able to look beyond the issues that dominated this past term and focus on the pressing matters facing Iowa City's future.

By-election standards, Iowa City's voters have not been this engaged for a very long time. Though only 32 percent of Iowa City's 45,011 registered voters turned out to vote, this is a major improvement over the 8.5 percent who showed up at the polls in 2009. This jump in voter turnout was likely sparked by the public-poll ballot initiative — which 67 percent of voters found cause to reject. Yet, despite the clear voter interest and ensuing media attention, the candidates' stances on public policy have not been clarified. Without a vote on the performance in the polls, this was the voters' choice, the winner's voice.

Although the public-poll motion may not be dead, the council must respect the opinion of the voters and move on to address other important issues. More than 50 percent of the electorate believe the city is not accountable for them teaching boneheads. Jerks.

The election results have also brought about a critical shift within the political landscape. The Iowa City City Council now has a minimum 5-year entry of age 21. With Amy Gerity taking Mayor Brian Leibach's at-large council seat, Dave Vanderhoof and Ross Williams are the only current council members left who served before the 2016-17 council's dissolution. For the first time, the city has a new and exciting opportunity to explore, effective solutions to the very real problem of teaching boneheads and brass-knuckling in Iowa City.

The new council should therefore be well-placed to address issues that attracted the attention in the run-up to the election. Concern over affordable housing and downtown development requires considerable attention since they have so far been shunted. Both of these issues directly affect Iowa City's student population, who must also assess this change in others for their future and become interested in other matters such as the D-I bulletin. If students wish to show the community that they care more about other issues and won't simply drop off the radar, they should start working internally and on their performance in the polls, this was the voters' choice, the winner's voice.

For its part, the council has the opportunity to connect with, rather than be divided from, the city's student population. Though it is not the council's job to make sure students are involved in local politics, it should provide the opportunity for them to do so. The mayor and the city council together form the community that candidates and citizens have expressed their desire to preserve. It is incumbent on our student government and city leaders to work together, solve the questions left by Tuesday's vote, and bring about positive change in Iowa City.

I need help! I think I have procrastination.

LETTERS

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR may be sent to the Daily-Iowan@daily-iowan.edu or by mail at the Iowa City Press-Citizen, 124 S. Gilbert St., Iowa City, IA 52240. Letters must be signed and include an address and phone number for verification. Letters should not exceed 200 words. The 15 names are to be cut off in order. The 25 published only on a per-letter, per-month basis. Letters chosen to be published will be edited for length, subject, relevance, and space considerations.

Game on

In regard to Anthony Walters' letter about the Iowa City City Council's meeting on Tuesday, Nov. 23, I want to share my thoughts about the city council's decision to meet in person instead of virtually.

There were some concerns about how this meeting would go, especially since we are in the middle of a pandemic. I think the city council's decision to meet in person was the right one.

First, it is important to remember that the city council's decision was made with the best intentions in mind. The council wants to ensure that all members are able to participate fully and have their voices heard. This decision allows for more direct interaction and ensures that everyone is able to participate equally.

Second, this meeting is an important one for the city of Iowa City. The city council is responsible for making important decisions that affect the community's well-being. By meeting in person, the council can address these issues more effectively.

I believe that the city council made the right decision to meet in person. This decision allows for more direct interaction and ensures that everyone is able to participate equally. It also allows the council to address important issues in a more effective way.

I am glad that the city council was able to make this decision and I look forward to seeing the outcome of this meeting.

Moral evidence

Moral evidence is a concept that people often use to justify their beliefs or actions. According to this view, what is right or wrong can be determined by the moral standards of a particular society or culture. This idea is a product of modernity, and it has been criticized by many philosophers for its lack of objective value.

The concept of moral evidence is often used to justify the actions of governments and corporations. For example, many people believe that it is morally correct for a government to impose sanctions on another country. However, this view is often criticized for its lack of objective value and its tendency to justify actions that are not necessarily in the best interests of the people.

Dim rhetoric

It seems that you're missing the point here. It's not about whether or not you have a color, but rather it's about the context in which it's used. If you can't keep up with the discussion, then you shouldn't be involved in it. You need to show that you care before you can participate.

Latin divide

I'm not sure if President Obama's discussions with Latin America will lead to the further integration of the region. It's difficult to say without more information. However, it's possible that these discussions could lead to increased trade and investment between the United States and Latin America.

I hope that these discussions are successful and that they lead to positive outcomes for both the United States and Latin America.

I'm looking forward to seeing how these discussions develop and what they'll mean for the future of the region.
Suicide bombers hit hotels in Jordan

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said there was no claim of responsibility but that Amman-based Dabab al-Qawm al-Islami, a "political" group, was a "prime suspect." An American government source, who spoke on the condition of anonymity because the investigation is ongoing, said the wrong question is to ask whether this was a "political" group. (In Iraq, "political" is an imprecise term that includes all factions.)

In February, U.S. intelligence officials said that Osama bin Laden was in contact with Amman-based suicide bombers, indicating this is a conduct attacks outside of Iraq, Jordan has asserted a right to investigate such bombers, a fact in carrying out not attacks but ongoing military missions. The Jordanians may believe, though, that it was a suicide attack, one of his Balkans.

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Not a stroll, but Hawks win

BY JASON BRUMMOND
THIRD PERIOD

It didn't look pretty, but No. 20 Iowa did enough to prove it.

The Hawkeyes forced 24 turnovers and held Oklahoma to 20 percent shooting from the floor in a 73-48 victory Wednesday night in Carver-Hawkeye Arena.

Oklahoma shot 21 of 68 for the night and Doug Thomas added 14 points, and the senior forwards combined for 24 rebounds. Although Iowa didn't blow past this exhibition opponent as it did twice earlier this season, Mike Horner didn't comment.

"I think that there's not enough credit given to kids that year or that level," said Alfords, who started his coaching career at Diniana III Memorial.

"That was an emphasis on defence, that was a deficiency..." he said.

"(Doug) Thomas was a first-year player last year and it was a good learning experience. Our guys learned some good things tonight and they responded through some adversity," Alfords said.

Alford also thought Iowa did a good job rebounding, shooting and forcing turnovers, and it was a good way to kick off the weekend, and the second-half half of a six-point game.

The Hawkeyes clinched the championship game with 15:14 remaining turned into a 15-point lead in just 4:30 minutes. In the opening rally, Iowa was slowed by West Virginia's Andy Reents, but Alford added 15 assists, 11 of which came in the second half.

"There's not a whole lot we could have done to help us with scoring 19 more points in the second half," said Alfords.

"We've got some work to do against a good team," said Horner. "But we're not giving up. We're not going to lose. We're going to keep fighting."

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The Chiefs’ rushing leader is out because of an injury from a helmet-to-helmet hit, and KC will now turn to Larry Johnson.

By Doug Tucker

The Chiefs have lost their leading rusher for the playoffs because of an injury from an “helmet-to-helmet” hit that ended his career rushing leader status this past September.

Johnson had been ruled out of the game on Thursday in the third quarter after being knocked out of the game on a hit by Saints defensive back Malaika Vakaitis.

The Chiefs’ leading rusher has been out since September 24 when he was ruled out with a concussion.

Johnson has gained 1,359 yards in 13 games this season, second only to LeSean McCoy’s 1,492 yards.

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BY BRYAN Bamonte

Brian Calhoun didn’t come from nowhere. It seems that way.

The Colorado transfer is the new star of the Badger running backs, leading the nation in touchdowns (22) and total points (132). Calhoun came to Wisconsin after two seasons in Boulder.

"Brian’s explosive performance was immediately obvious," Iowa running back Albert Young said. "He explodes through the hole at the right time."

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"Calhoun exploded when I saw a hole," Iowa coach Kirk Ferentz said. "And Davis, Michael Bennett, and, most recently, Anthony Davis. "He’s a nice runner. He’s very patient\n
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Wisconsin coach Barry Alvarez floated the idea of transferring to Madison, and his 1,256 rushing yards ranks fourth in the nation in touchdowns and total points; the Colorado transfer joined the Badgers for coach Barry Alvarez’s last season.

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BY RUSTY MILLER

Sports Columnist

The biggest success story in the Big Ten this year is the remarkable turnaround for the Minnesota team in its 10-year existence.

The team entered last Saturday's game in Minneapolis with a 5-2 record and with Michigan State in its sights. The Gophers had already knocked off Michigan State, but Saturday's win over Indiana was a real statement about the Gophers' confidence.

"We've been able to compete with top teams," said coach Urban Meyer. "We've got a lot of experience now, and we're really improving as a team."

Indeed, the Gophers are now 6-2 and have won their last five games. They have won the Big Ten title and will play in the Rose Bowl.

"We're a better team now," said Meyer. "We've played a lot of close games this year, and we've learned to respond and not give up."

The Gophers have won six of their last seven games, including a 27-21 victory over Penn State last Saturday.

"We've been able to get the job done," said Meyer. "We've been able to win close games, and we've been able to put together some good performances.

The Gophers will play the Ohio State Buckeyes on Saturday in Columbus, Ohio. Ohio State is 4-2 in the Big Ten and is currently ranked No. 11 in the nation.

"We're looking forward to the challenge," said Meyer. "Ohio State is a tough team, and we know we have to play our best to have a chance to win."
Steve said, "The first game was a good learning experience. Our guys learned some good things tonight and they responded through some adversity."

"We've driven by success. Everyone wanted to perform at a higher level than we had ever been at before," said Shane Stanley, All-American jumper.

Cross-Country

"This program has fallen so far off the path that it was kind of out of sight and out of mind," said the coach in an interview before the Hawkeyes' final result for the 2004 season. "I'm a guy who likes challenges. I knew we could win here. It was just going to be a matter of time.

"Some wasn't built in a day. It took hundreds of years."

The season began with the loss of a starting gun and refusal to grow old. The Hawkeyes debuted with a first-place finish at the McNeese State Shootout. Open and normal strong showings at both the Willamette Invitational and Pre-National meet. The first setback in the Hawkeye season came to already thinking about seven more races.

"We have the potential, if we can get out fast and execute, to be the back-to-back-to-back three-time national champions," said senior, who led the team to the national championship last year. "I believe we should have been there, but I'm not wallowing over it.

"We're really playing down the region. I'm taking the attitude approach.

"The performance at the national championship has given us a chance at that ultimate achievement. But it's hard to get down on a team that's accomplished something like we have."

"The lead in to the break was 1.5 points, the Hawkeyes will be with 13 at the Big Ten meet the next time.

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"It's good in the fall for a change of pace.

"We've got to win the men's race at the nationals."
The Nonfiction Writing Conference at the University of Iowa is not about definitions.

"We are against definitions," says Robin Hemley, the UI Nonfiction Writing Program head and conference co-organizer. "I think the whole validity of a genre is killed when you try to pin it down. The June 22-24 event fits into this category here.

So the ongoing intra-genre debate about what nonfiction is and how precisely it is defined by its relationship to the facts it represents on the surface of the page is antithetical to the conference's mission. The conference may not have more than 100 participants, but in a deep discussion of everything from writing about war to Montague and the video essay to its quarterly at the LITV for the next three days, the conference is not about stifling. It is about breathing.

Here the boundaries always seem to vary under the weight of yet more definitions. The genre has enjoyed a renewed life through the 1980s and into the millennium, with hundreds of nonfiction writers feeling themselves in this genre. Hemley says, "It feels like the growing, not dying," and the list of other genres are "dying.""The list of other genres is growing," he quickly adds.

Monday's Labor, Co-op, a past novelist, translator, and publisher organized together with poet William Kent, the Forum of cultural editors and writers, which focused on the visual arts and musical traditions and exhibitions in a converted Pentecost Movers garage, occurred at the dawn of Abstract Expressionism. It was included in the work of a then-unknown artist named Jackson Pollock.

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**WHAT'S GOIN' ON**

**THURSDAY 11.10**
- Doug Hillenton Butler, 7 p.m., Jonesy's, Coral Ridge Mall, Coral Ridge
- "Live from Prairie Lights," Anthony Bennett, noon, 7 p.m., Prairie Lights Booth, 11th Street and High Street

**THURSDAY 11.11**
- Iowa City Community Bands, 7 p.m., downtown's main streets, Iowa City
- "Live from the Iowa" with Richard Paul Evans and Haptrap in B. N. B., 11th Ave., Coralville, 213 E.
- "Live from Prairie Lights" with Haynes, Mary Swedeen, and Amy Johnson, celebration of the 9th anniversary of Prairie Lights and MUSC

**FRIDAY 11.11**
- "Up in the Heights" Anniversary Celebration, 6-8 p.m., Old Brick
- Donn McIntosh, 6-8 p.m., Coralville's Old Bagel Shop
- Iowa Brass Quintet, 6-8 p.m., Clarion Hall Auditorium
- "Straight Drive Project with Luke Zimmerman," 7 p.m., Yardbird, Coralville, 215 E.
- Early Birds, Breakfast at 9 a.m., Downtown, Mayfair (6:30-9 a.m.), Old Brick, 11th Ave.
- THEATER: "The Fantasticks," 7:30 and 9:30 p.m., The Theatre Building, Iowa City Public Library
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**SATURDAY 11.12**
- "Love, Loss, and What I Wore," 8 p.m., Iowa City Public Library
- "The Fantasticks," 7:30 p.m., The Theatre Building, Iowa City Public Library
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**SUNDAY 11.13**
- "That Thing You Love," University Club, 5 p.m.
- "Your Year," Terrace of Tomorrow, 7 p.m.
- "That Thing You Love," University Club, 5 p.m.

**MONDAY 11.14**
- "Live from Prairie Lights," Doug Hounsel, noon, University Library
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Scottish singer/songwriter Dougie MacLean will perform Friday at the Englert Theatre.

BY MAGGIE ANDERSON
11/24/2008

Dougie MacLean writes of his Scottish upbringing and experiences, and his mother, who played the guitar and the scythe, in his 18-year-old book, "Jarhead: A Marine's Tale of the Gulf War and Other Battles.

His comments and his mother's way of life reminds me of the sort of thing that's happening now, because it's the politics of war, the politics of taking risks, because I opened the book's being published.

The book was published in 2004, but long after the invasion of Iraq. Given its most recent look, the book's not long ago was regarded as a dangerous project for any film director to undertake. Swafford, the book's author, has said politics had very little with the book's publicizing. It's a no-brainer.
Inside Out, the fall lecture series that is part of the costume shop's ongoing program is a thousand shades of brown: the color of the season. Performances by the series' three showstoppers will demonstrate the scope of the form, be they cutting-edge performances that push the boundaries of fashion, or traditional garments that challenge the status quo. In addition, there are some things that can be learned from workshops that allow the public to learn about the world of design and fashion. Workshop instructors and participants bring in their work and share it with the public.

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City Circle's production of the 46-year-old story of cherity Chance Hope Valentine's enthusiastic search for love boasts a 17-piece orchestra, seven flashy dances, and a stage-packing chorus

Grit and madness abound

BY LOUIS VIRTEL

Neil Simon's comic musical Sweet Charity, thrusting Charity Hope Valentine's unpretentious search for love and adventure, makes its debut on the UI Mainstage this weekend. Through projecting Iowa City's world of desperation and madness, the show fashions an on-cherry Chance Hope Valentine's world. The letter also manifests in other productions this season. The theater critic says, "He really understands people think about sex and self-love."

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- **Career Services Information session on UI Employment Expo**
  Date: 9 a.m. to 1:30 p.m., 2100 Pomeroy Center

- **Terroir Preparedness Program**
  Date: 208 Westover

- **Futurist to South African News Conference**
  Date: 8 a.m. to 2 p.m., Information Center Lounge

**Conservation and Enhancement of Natural Resources in Urbanized Area**
Date: 12:30-2:30 p.m., Iowa City Public Library Meeting Room A

**Operation Diabetes**
Date: 6-8 p.m., Own Drug, ASP Motivation, Inc.

- **Accessing Small Business Innovation Research and Small Business Technology Transfer Research Funding Programs**
  Date: 12:30 p.m., Educational and Business Research Facility

- **Mapping the Unknown: European Women Travelers to Bangladesh's New World**
  Date: 4:30 p.m., Alireza Mousavi, 4-122 Phillip Hall

- **Night of a Thousand Dinners Eat Away at Landmarks**, Alexis Xenobit, 6-8 p.m., Old Brick, 28 E. Market

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**horoscopes Thursday, November 10, 2005**

**Aries** (March 21-April 19): A certain much needed rest is just what you need this week. This is not an all-out vacation, but rather a time to recharge your batteries. Be open to the possibilities. Nothing is too great to achieve if you put your heart and soul into it. Look for creative avenues to follow. Remember to focus on relationships that support you rather than drain you. You will find it easier to move forward if you can relax and let your mind wander. Be kind to yourself and take time to appreciate the beauty around you.

**Taurus** (April 20-May 20): Start the week with a renewed sense of purpose. You are in a positive space, and it's important to use this energy to make meaningful changes in your life. Don't be afraid to take risks, and remember to focus on the big picture. Your creativity is at an all-time high, so embrace it and let it guide you.

**Gemini** (May 21-June 21): Life is a series of choices. Be careful to choose wisely, and remember to listen to your intuition. You are in a receptive phase, so be open to new ideas and opportunities. Your relationships are strong, and you can rely on them for support and guidance. Take time to reflect on your priorities and make decisions that align with your values.

**Cancer** (June 22-July 22): A new beginning is on the horizon. You are ready to take on new challenges, and your energy is high. Focus on personal growth and development, and don't be afraid to challenge yourself. Your intuition is strong, and you can trust it to guide you. Be open to new experiences and opportunities.

**Leo** (July 23-Aug. 22): You are in a creative and ambitious phase. Use your talents to their fullest potential, and don't be afraid to pursue your passions. Your relationships are strong, and you can rely on them for support and guidance. Take time to reflect on your goals and make plans to achieve them. You are in a powerful position, so use it wisely.

**Virgo** (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): A new opportunity is on the horizon. You are ready to take on new challenges, and your energy is high. Focus on personal growth and development, and don't be afraid to challenge yourself. Your intuition is strong, and you can trust it to guide you. Be open to new experiences and opportunities.

**Libra** (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): You are in a creative and ambitious phase. Use your talents to their fullest potential, and don't be afraid to pursue your passions. Your relationships are strong, and you can rely on them for support and guidance. Take time to reflect on your goals and make plans to achieve them. You are in a powerful position, so use it wisely.

**Scorpio** (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): A new beginning is on the horizon. You are ready to take on new challenges, and your energy is high. Focus on personal growth and development, and don't be afraid to challenge yourself. Your intuition is strong, and you can trust it to guide you. Be open to new experiences and opportunities.

**Sagittarius** (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): You are in a creative and ambitious phase. Use your talents to their fullest potential, and don't be afraid to pursue your passions. Your relationships are strong, and you can rely on them for support and guidance. Take time to reflect on your goals and make plans to achieve them. You are in a powerful position, so use it wisely.

**Capricorn** (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): A new beginning is on the horizon. You are ready to take on new challenges, and your energy is high. Focus on personal growth and development, and don't be afraid to challenge yourself. Your intuition is strong, and you can trust it to guide you. Be open to new experiences and opportunities.

**Aquarius** (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Money matters are top of mind this week. You need to be careful with your finances, and it's important to keep track of your spending. Your relationships are strong, and you can rely on them for support and guidance. Take time to reflect on your goals and make plans to achieve them. You are in a powerful position, so use it wisely.

**Pisces** (Feb. 19-March 20): A new beginning is on the horizon. You are ready to take on new challenges, and your energy is high. Focus on personal growth and development, and don't be afraid to challenge yourself. Your intuition is strong, and you can trust it to guide you. Be open to new experiences and opportunities.

**the ledge**

**You are probably not a PIMP...**

A girl screams while running away and then laughs hysterically when you try to donate with her (true story)

- The only reason a girl would ever talk to you in a bar is to get more money.
- The only reason a girl talks to you in a bar is to steal your wallet.
- You are an engineering major.
- The trend of the women you are seeing is starting to worry you. You are not sure if your partner is really the one for you.
- “Sorry, wrong number!” was the biggest crime to be caught cheating someone else. You know that you can do better. Be unique and open to new experiences. Don’t lose sight of the big picture.
- Be aware of your surroundings, and don’t be fooled by someone else’s actions. Stick to your own plan. You will find it easier to move forward if you can relax and let your mind wander. Be kind to yourself and take time to appreciate the beauty around you.

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**CC today's choice for because over the last few months, I have become a new, confident person. I have been trying new things and making decisions that are in alignment with my values. I have become more open to new experiences and opportunities. I have become more confident about what I can do. I have become more open to the possibilities. Nothing is too great to achieve if you put your heart and soul into it.**

Do you want to give me the answer to this? If so, please write it down. If not, then go back to your usual routine and end up getting what you want. Use your head, and don’t be fooled by someone else’s actions. Stick to your own plan. You will find it easier to move forward if you can relax and let your mind wander. Be kind to yourself and take time to appreciate the beauty around you.

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**happily birthday to...**

Nov. 10 - Kate Livingston, Patricia Reed, 20

**the 4th Floor**

by Troy Hollatz

**I DON'T KNOW if you'VE BEEN TO the 4TH FLOOR. AS YOU KNOW, the 4TH FLOOR is WHERE the GESTE bitterly counterattack.**

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**PATV schedule**

- **11:00 a.m.: Farmers Market**
- **12:00 p.m.: Arts & Entertainment**
- **1:00 p.m.: News**
- **2:00 p.m.: Entertainment**
- **3:00 p.m.: News**
- **4:00 p.m.: Entertainment**
- **5:00 p.m.: News**
- **6:00 p.m.: Entertainment**
- **7:00 p.m.: News**
- **8:00 p.m.: Entertainment**
- **9:00 p.m.: News**
- **10:00 p.m.: Entertainment**
- **11:00 p.m.: News**

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**UITV schedule**

- **11:30 a.m.: News**
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