21-ordinance rises from ashes

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Area man pleads guilty to assault, false imprisonment

An area man charged with assault and false imprisonment for an incident earlier this year has pleaded guilty to the charges.

According to court records, the man, who is in his 20s, was arrested in May after a woman reported that she had been assaulted and imprisoned in her home. The man has been scheduled for sentencing on March 31.

By Sam Lane

Magazine recognizes Longfellow area

The Longfellow Neighborhood was chosen as the best neighborhood in the state for the issue being one of this year’s 51 areas recognized for its fulfill architecture or historic housing.

According to Scott Shoreman, the owner of the Old Town House, the goal of the contest was to recog- nize neighborhoods that have beauti- ful architecture or historic hous- ing that especially appeal to older residents.

The Longfellow Neighborhood was chosen for its age and history.

2 UI students win Hearst Awards

Two University of Iowa students have been honored with scholarships through the Hearst Journalism Awards.

The Hearst Journalism Awards program was established by William Randolph Hearst in 1956 and continues to be one of the most prestigious journalism awards in the United States.

Agency to look at bars’ appeals

The University of Iowa Board of Regents will hold a public hearing on Monday to discuss the appeal of a bars’ license revocation.

The hearing will be held at 3 p.m. on Monday in the Ballroom of the Iowa Memorial Union.

Man charged with drug possession

Police arrested a Corvallis man with possession of drug connec- tions Monday. 

Because of a local law enforcement.

Council backs flashing lights on cabs

The council voted to approve an ordinance that would allow for the use of flashing lights on cabs.

The council also discussed the potential use of other non-flashing signs with businesses.
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The big GOP split

BY KIRK NORDSTROM

The Daily Iowan

I wake up on Monday in Stone City, Iowa. It had been a long drive, but now, having arrived, I can finally appreciate the quiet of the tiny town. The church bells ring in the distance, and the only noise is the occasional car driving down Main Street. It's a peaceful morning, and I reflect on the events of the previous day.

The Iowa City Council convened, and the topic was affordable housing. During the meeting, a council member presented a proposal for an inclusionary zoning ordinance, which would require developers to set aside a certain percentage of units for affordable housing.

I was there to support the proposal. As a member of the local community, I believe that affordable housing is a crucial issue in Iowa City. The city's population is growing, and the cost of living is rising. Without affordable housing, many residents are faced with difficult choices, such as choosing between food and rent.

The proposal was debated, and there was a lot of discussion about the potential benefits and drawbacks of the ordinance. Some members of the council were opposed, citing concerns about increased costs and decreased property values. Other members were in favor, arguing that the benefits of affordable housing outweigh the costs.

In the end, the council voted 5-2 in favor of the proposal. I was thrilled with the outcome, as it represents a step forward in addressing the affordable housing crisis in Iowa City.

While the Iowa City Council voted on Monday, the debate in the Congress continues. The Inflation Reduction Act includes provisions for affordable housing, but the bill is facing opposition from some members of Congress.

As I reflect on my time in Stone City, I am reminded of the importance of affordable housing for all Americans. We must continue to push for policies that support affordable housing, so that everyone has a chance to live in a safe and stable home.

I return home to Iowa City, ready to continue the fight for affordable housing in our community. Thank you for reading.
Poets G.C. Waldrep and Joshua Marie Wilkinson will bring different styles to Prairie Lights tonight.

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Designer Rani Wall (right) walks the runway with a model wearing her design during the Oscar Designer Challenge fashion show at the Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sciences in Beverly Hills, Calif., on Feb. 23.

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When Wilkinson toured with Callebaut for a different project, he began working on the poetry for a different project, which eventually became Selengor. Wilkinson then rearranged the poems to suit the music. The result was his first published book.

"I dug through this big box of old papers," Wilkinson said. "I gathered poems I had written over the past five years or so and put them into this box." It was at this point that he decided he had enough poems to make a book. The book, which he titled Selengor, was published in 2001.

Wilkinson is also an artist. His poems take on a conscious element but are often not necessarily a conscious element. Wilkinson said, "Something happens when you really want to change. It's a desire to want to change. It's a desire to want to evolve," he said. "More mordantly, it's a fear of repeating oneself."

"I have a tendency to let the form come to me," Wilkinson said. "Sometimes it's just a page or two, then you can start making it your own." Waldrep, in contrast, begins with the content and allows the form to come to him. Together, these two poets will read from their new book tonight at Prairie Lights, 15 S. Gilbert St.

Waldrep, who teaches at Loyola University of Chicago, will read from Selengor, his latest book of poetry. Each poem is accompanied by a Polaroid photo taken by Callebaut. "Even when he's not collaborating with other artists, his poems take on different forms and styles in each of his books," This is form above content, meant to challenge the reader and keep things fresh. "I have a desire to want to change. It's a desire to want to evolve," he said. "More mordantly, it's a fear of repeating oneself." Waldrep, who teaches at Black Mountain College, said he'll begin with an image or a phrase that last resonance by the time he was putting it on paper. "I just decide to do it. I believe in it," said Waldrep. "I don't think I spent more than five minutes on any poem in the early draft." He said that the poems were better after being revised. The collaboration didn't end once the poems were written. The poet said, including keep- ing the project going and making sure not to save his best ideas for his own work. "Poets tend to be private people with their work," Waldrep said. "You have to open yourself up the other person and his work." Form above content, meant to challenge the reader and keep things fresh. "I have a desire to want to change. It's a desire to want to evolve," he said. "More mordantly, it's a fear of repeating oneself." Waldrep, who teaches at Black Mountain College, said he'll begin with an image or a phrase that last resonance by the time he was putting it on paper. "I just decide to do it. I believe in it," said Waldrep. "I don't think I spent more than five minutes on any poem in the early draft." He said that the poems were better after being revised. The collaboration didn't end once the poems were written. The poet said, including keeping the project going and making sure not to save his best ideas for his own work. "Poets tend to be private people with their work," Waldrep said. "You have to open yourself up the other person and his work." Form above content, meant to challenge the reader and keep things fresh.
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- You refer to your buddy as Po-KerKnight13.

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**Today’s events**

- **UT Student Health Fair**, 8 a.m.-2 p.m., Field House
- **Fahrenheit 451 Book Discussion in Spanish**, 10 a.m., Blumenthal Center, 208 E. Linn
- **Preschool Storytime**, 10:30-11 a.m., Iowa City Public Library, 123 S. Linn
- **Leadership Development Series** - 10 a.m., University of Iowa
- **Electronic Tax Filing, noon**, Iowa City Public Library
- **Computer Help Session**, 2-3 p.m., Iowa City Public Library
- **Earth Month Planning Meeting**, 6-8 p.m., UI Women’s History Month Eve Dreaws Library, 6 p.m.
- **Volunteer Income Tax Assistance, 5-6 p.m., Iowa City Public Library
- **Media, Space, and Race: The Case of Iowa City’s Southeast Side: Project on Rhetoric of Inquiry, 6 p.m., 3250D University Capital Centre

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- **10 a.m.**, Iowa City Public Library
- **10:30 a.m.,** Congregational United Church of Christ, 30 N. Clinton
- **10:15 a.m.,** Des Moines Center Library
- **10:30 a.m.,** Coralville Library
- **10:15 a.m.,** Lower Afterschool Clubhouse
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- **10:15 a.m.,** La Porte City Library
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**Daily Break**

"Comfort the afflicted, and afflict the comfortable." — Fanny Price Dawes
Changing the perception of aging

Mercedes Bern-Klug, at the helm of the Aging Studies Program, wants to emphasize cultural interdependence.

By PATRICK RAFFERTY

Aging is often a subject that people want to avoid. But it’s becoming increasingly difficult to ignore. The U.S. Census Bureau reports the elderly population will more than double between now and the year 2050, and almost 20 percent of the population will be considered elderly by then. As the country gets ready for a dramatic change, Mercedes Bern-Klug, a UI assistant professor of social work, is working to change the perception of aging.

“She loves to analyze and solve problems,” said Patricia Ellington, a co-worker and burnout prevention counselor at Mercy of Cedar Rapids. “There are two of the things she does really well. She’s inquisitive and curious and always looking for ways to expand the field of social work, especially connected with older adults.”

Most of the work the 49-year-old does on aging concerns nursing homes. She also works with people who have cancer, and she has the difficult task of helping people with end-of-life decisions.

“The biggest change is the perception of aging—how we are interdependent,” she said. “We’re relearning aging, and what it means to be older is changing, because we have people who are reaching 90 and who are healthy for the most part.”

Working to expand the role of a social worker, Bern-Klug is the director of the Aging Studies Program in the School of Social Work. There, she works with students from different disciplines to find how they can alter the social environment in nursing homes.

Funded by the John A. Hartford Foundation, Bern-Klug conducted the first-ever national survey of nursing-home social workers.

She and seven students had to stuff 2,000 envelopes to get the information she needed. “You love to analyze and solve problems,” she said. “That’s really stigma—those days are over.”

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The Iowa City native said older adulthood isn’t a stage of life but a phase of life. She also thinks the age group is an untapped resource.

“I love stories about people’s lives,” she said. “I like to hear people think about their lives. When people are 60, 70 years old, they have something to say, something to offer.”

Professor Lorraine Dorfman, 79, has known Bern-Klug since the latter was a student in her class almost 30 years ago. In fact, Dorfman directed her Honors thesis when she graduated from Iowa in 1984.

Last summer, the Aging Studies Program was looking for a new home and a new director.

Dorfman knew just the person.

Bern-Klug “was the logical person to do it,” Dorfman said. “I was just a natural that she lead the program. I would have expected her to do well, and she has. I’m proud of her.”

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Sports

Playing their hoops song

Tune Squad, 2-0, will try to continue its recent success in hopes of making it to Carver-Hawkeye Arena for the women's intramural championship.

By JERRY SCHERWIN JR. - jerry.scherwin@uiowa.edu

“We feel like all of the girls on our team can hold our own and have confidence in every player.”

— Holly Steger, Captain

“We're pretty fun to try our shooting stroke to our hands.”

— Reid Ulmes, Captain

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Hawks hit road
Iowa travels to Madison tonight for a showdown.

By SCOTT MILLER
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Iowa head coach Todd Lickliter has seen his Big Ten games in his nearly three years in Iowa City, but none of those have come consecutively.

His team's big victory over Purdue (58-49) on Jan. 20 was followed by a close loss to Purdue on Sunday. Three days after upsetting Wisconsin in early March, the Hawkeyes fell to Penn State by 18 in the Big Ten tourney.

And this season, Iowa suffered a 21-point loss at the BeilerMakers just four days after the Hawkeyes had blown out Indiana, 87-61. "I think that shows in the way that she plays."

"Jaime deserves it more than anybody else," said Iowa's starting 197-pounder, head coach Lisa Bluder. "I can't wait to show the system is working."

"I'm excited, and I think, just like everyone else, I'm geared up and ready to wrestle. It's just time to do it," said the senior, who is on target for the Big Ten title this weekend and the NCAA tourney next week.

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Freshman Chelsea Lyon hopes to fill the hole in Iowa's pitcher's circle left by a departed Hawkeye star.

By MITCH SMITH
Replacing Brittany Weil in the Iowa pitcher's circle appears as difficult as finding a successor for Brittany Weil in any other position...

Despite the tough task, someone had to take on the challenge. Those pitchers have been deployed to duplicate Weil's 69 wins, 310 complete games, and 1,093 strikeouts — all tops in Iowa softball history. Freshman Chelsea Lyon, in one of those three. Iowa pitching coach Shunsuke Beam said she saw Weil as an integration and separation for Lyon.

"I think the biggest thing is you're not going to replace a Brittany Weil. She's been there and compete at that level."

"I think it's pretty difficult as finding a successor for Brittany Weil."

Lyon began her Hawkeye career in an elimination on Feb. 15 making her college debut against Western Illinois. Lyon tossed six innings of three-hit ball in a 2-1 win over the Leathernecks in the Mizzou Classic Tournament and followed it up that performance with a win in relief against Drake.

One of her worst starts came last weekend against Maryland. Senior Terrance crossed home plate during her two-thirds of an inning on Feb. 20.

"The Hawkeye lost the game 11-8, but Lyon earned back the following day against North Carolina State. Lyon retired 17-consecutive Wolfpack batters and allowed three hits en route to her first career complete game victory.

"The 3-1 win was Iowa's lone victory in the National Fastpitch Coaches Association Leadoff Classic in Columbus, Ga.

While starting immediately was tough for Lyon, it's something Iowa head coach Gaye Elekdes expects from her underclassmen. "We always tell our young kids that they have a chance to contribute right away as freshmen," she said. "She knew that. It just puts a greater sense of urgency on your development and what you do in your freshman year."

As the season progresses, Lyon said, she hopes to learn how to pitch better down in the strike zone. She is trying to grasp the curve ball and the drop ball.

"Every game, she's learning," Bouman said. "She's just got to improve every day in practice. The more comfortable she gets, the better she's going to get. There's a lot of experience being made within the team and she's going to learn how hard she's willing to work to get to that point."

Iowa freshman Chelsea Lyon takes a breather while pitching during practice on Tuesday afternoon at the Softball Field.

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Iowa City Community Schools is looking for a motivated candidate to be the principal of Pleasant Valley High School. The ideal candidate will have at least a master's degree in educational administration. In addition, the successful candidate will have demonstrated success working with culturally diverse student populations and strategic and collaborative skills.

The Iowa City Community Schools is seeking a reading/ learning support teacher for Pleasant Valley High School. The successful candidate will have at least a master's degree in educational administration. The position is open immediately at Pleasant Valley High School. Interested applicants should e-mail a resume and cover letter to Greg Borman, principal, at gborman@icورو."

Applications are accepted through the Iowa City Community Schools website.

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Needed to transport PCA patients to and from home and to and from the St. Louis Clinic. This position requires individual be at least 18 years of age, drug free, clean criminal and driving records and a valid driver's license. Please apply online at: www.securitasjobs.com and then click on the "Find a Career" tab. Please apply online at: www.securitasjobs.com and then click on the "Find a Career" tab. Please apply online at: www.securitasjobs.com and then click on the "Find a Career" tab. Please apply online at: www.securitasjobs.com and then click on the "Find a Career" tab. Please apply online at: www.securitasjobs.com and then click on the "Find a Career" tab. Please apply online at: www.securitasjobs.com and then click on the "Find a Career" tab. Please apply online at: www.securitasjobs.com and then click on the "Find a Career" tab. Please apply online at: www.securitasjobs.com and then click on the "Find a Career" tab. Please apply online at: www.securitasjobs.com and then click on the "Find a Career" tab. Please apply online at: www.securitasjobs.com and then click on the "Find a Career" tab. Please apply online at: www.securitasjobs.com and then click on the "Find a Career" tab. Please apply online at: www.securitasjobs.com and then click on the "Find a Career" tab. Please apply online at: www.securitasjobs.com and then click on the "Find a Career" tab. Please apply online at: www.securitasjobs.com and then click on the "Find a Career" tab. Please apply online at: www.securitasjobs.com and then click on the "Find a Career" tab.
FOOTBALL
Season-ticket price rises
For the first time in three years, season-ticket prices for Iowa football games will increase, according to a release sent out on Tuesday to the Iowa athletics department.

"After a season in which the Hawkeyes won three of four Big Ten games and finished second in the Big Ten, the football season ticket for new customers will be $600, up from $560 last season. For renewals, the price will be $560 for UI faculty and staff members, and $520 for students," the release states. "Iowa football season tickets will be available through the ticket office, beginning March 22, for both new and renewal customers, beginning March 22, until the start of the 2010 season, with the season-ticket sales deadline set for Sept. 1.

"We're excited to work with Hawkeye fans to build another winning team this season," Athletics Department Director Gary Barta said in the release. "The move in ticket prices is consistent with the rise in our overall cost of operations. Through increased revenue, we will be able to maintain our commitment to success on the field."