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The Iowa City Community Theater will present John Steinbeck's *Of Mice and Men* this weekend. 80 Hours.

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## Clases de español ayuden a UIHC (Spanish class aids UIHC)

The University of Iowa Hospitals and Clinics will offer a new Spanish course for staff members.

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Officials at the University of Iowa Hospitals and Clinics will offer a new Spanish course this spring for the medical staff to better accommodate the growing Latino population in Iowa. The class is offered free of charge to any medical personnel who want to learn Spanish.

"The goal of this course is not to replace interpreters but to build a good rapport with Latino patients and give them a better grasp on American medicine ..." said Corinne Stanley, a UIHC language and culture facilitator.

The class organizers aim to create a trusting environment for Latino patients, while closing the cultural

gap in health care. They are focusing on cultural rituals, etiquette, pronunciation, and courtesy to aid the medical staff.

"It is one way to show that I care about another person, their language and their culture," said Julie McKillip, a clinical research coordinator in the Dermatology Department, who is attending the class.

Twelve UIHC staff members have enrolled in the eight-week course, and the response has been positive.

"I believe there is a great need for health-care providers who can speak Spanish," McKillip said. "We all use language to express ourselves in a very personal way."

Some of the medical staff enrolled in the course spent

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## UISG rolls out programs

UI Student Government anticipates the start of a new semester.

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As the new semester rolls in, the University of Iowa Student Government looks forward to continuing its current initiatives and seeing new ones develop.

Many of the initiatives from last semester will continue on into the new semester, including the off-campus recycling campaign, working for the Bike Share Program, SafeRide, and the free Coral Ridge Mall bus route.

The "Get to Know Us" initiative will join the UISG's current projects. In the new program, a chapter of a fraternity or sorority on campus will pair up with a multicultural student organization. These two groups are then encouraged to plan three events together: a multicultural event, a service event, and a social event.

This program will officially start on Jan. 30th with a kickoff event in the Iowa Theater at 5:30 p.m. There will be a network space provided in the Airliner afterwards.

"The purpose of this program is to provide an opportunity for participants from both sides to learn from each others' cultures," UISG diversity liaison Will Cai wrote in an email. "Thus, on the one hand, I hope students, especially international students from the multicultural side, can get a more comprehensive picture about fraternity [and] sorority life. On the other hand, I hope students from fraternity [and] sorority life will have a chance to dig more about cultures other than

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## Ronald McDonald House gets renovation

Renovations at the Ronald McDonald House creates a 'home away from home.'

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Shortly after the birth of Des Moines native Almeda Walker's second child, the family received unexpected news that son A.J. would need a kidney transplant.

Since Nov. 23, Walker's family have been staying at the Ronald McDonald House. With major renovations to the guest rooms, Walker said she finally feels a little bit more at home.

"They don't act like it's a job for them. When you are going through the most traumatic things in life, they care and understand," Walker said. "The new updates gives it more of a bedroom feel, and it makes it feel more at home when you're not actually able to go home."

The Ronald McDonald House updated 10 guest rooms in 10 hours last week. Mark Roberts of Larry Roberts Interiors of Cedar Rapids dedicated his time and expertise to renovate 10 of 31 rooms.

"It's a lot of fun to work on a project which helps these families," Roberts said. "I know one of the main goals of the house is to create a home away from home since most of the families stay for a large period of time. If we can make them more comfortable during a tough time in their lives, then that's a great accomplishment."

Roberts said his business usually uses custom-made materials for most of its projects; however, for this



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## UKRAINIAN PROTESTS CONTINUE



Protesters throw rocks at police in central Kiev, Ukraine, on Wednesday. City officials and police said that two people died of gunshot wounds during the clashes Wednesday morning. But the opposition charges that as many as five people died. The mass protests in the capital erupted after Ukrainian President Viktor Yanukovich spurned a pact with the European Union in favor of close ties with Russia, which offered him a \$15 billion bailout. (Associated Press/Efrem Lukatsky)

## Turnout small for health event

A local event provided an opportunity for community members to receive support when signing up for health care.

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Computers in the Iowa City Public Library sat prepped and ready, displaying a banner reading "Healthcare.gov" at the top of the screens. But even an hour into the event, the chairs sat empty.

Community members had the chance to have any and all questions answered about applying for marketplace health insurance under the Affordable Care Act during an event hosted by Planned Parenthood on Wednesday.

Shanette White, a navigator with Planned Parenthood, said at events such as this one, officials hope to have a turnout of elderly people, foreigners, and students — the demographics that have yet to register.

"[It's important] for students to find out if they are covered in their parents' insurance ... because the law does affect them, too," she said.

However, Planned Parenthood navigator Tristin Johnson said students are not the largest demographic to take an interest in applying for health

insurance.

"Part of the Affordable Care Act was to make it so people can be on their parents insurance until they're 26, so a lot of college students don't need to worry about it right now," she said. "But we have been trying to reach out to them because 26 comes faster than you think."

Peter Damiano, the director of the University of Iowa Public Policy Center, said most college students won't apply because they benefit from staying on their parents' plan.

"In general, they're still trying to get more younger people to apply," he said. "The [idea] is that not just sick people buy it, [but] it's a struggle to get the information out there."

Officials at the event said they were not surprised by the lack of turnout, citing weather, lack of communication, and lack of knowledge as drawbacks.

"I think a lot of people are waiting to see what this means, especially if there is no urgency," Damiano said.

Johnson said Planned Parenthood expect to see a larger turnout when the deadline for application in March draws nearer. The organization is planning to host more events throughout the state until the health-care deadline.

"There's going to be a huge influx of people in March ... nobody has had to pay a fine yet, and [some people are hoping] it will still be repealed," Johnson said.

"There are a lot of students that aren't on their parents insurance, because after they turn 18, they have been taken off, and it's [too] expensive to be put back on," she said.

White said it is important for students, and other members of the community, to be aware of their options, including learning information on comparing plans or learning the enrollment process.

"I encourage students [to apply] because it's also a life lesson," she said. "At that young age, you have to teach younger adults to be adults [because] they don't understand premiums against deductibles."

Rep. Dave Jacoby, D-Coralville, said a key component of the act is to make sure younger people are signed up and covered by insurers as well.

"Generally, younger people have better health and have less need for health insurance, but it does happen, and then it takes money from the general public [and] the taxpayers end up covering costs," he said. "It's never too early for someone to be covered under health insurance plans."

Jacoby said he thinks the majority of people who are applying are between the ages of 35 to 55 because young people do not see it as an immediate necessity.

"It's planning for the future, but it's also making sure there's not a gap in coverage when you leave college ... and get into the world

## Health care

- Families could save up to \$2,300 on their health care each year by purchasing private health insurance through the state-based exchanges.

- 3.1 million young adults have health insurance because the Affordable Care Act allows them to stay on their parents' plan until they turn 26.

- 20.4 million women with private health insurance have access to preventive health services at no additional cost.

Source: White House website

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of work," he said. "The chief component is that you never know what may happen to you."

Sen. Mark Chelgren, R-Ottumwa, said although he thinks predominantly students will remain on their parents' plans for as long as possible, he does not encourage nor discourage students from applying for health insurance.

"I think it's an individual decision," he said. "If you need health insurance, I think you should definitely sign up, but if you're under the age of 26, and you're on your parents' plan, you don't need to."

While Chelgren and Jacoby differed on whether students should register, according to the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, only 24 percent of the new registrants were between the ages of 18-34.

And in Iowa City, the chairs sat empty.

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## Mystery surrounds Purdue

By AMANDA LEE MYERS AND CHARLES D. WILSON  
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INDIANAPOLIS — A Purdue University engineering student who police say fatally shot another student in a basement classroom prepared to face a judge as those who knew both men struggled to make sense of the violence Wednesday.

Cody Cousins, 23, was scheduled to make an initial court appearance Thursday afternoon in a small courtroom at the Tippecanoe County Jail, Deputy Prosecutor Kristen McVey said in a statement.

Cousins, who has addresses in Warsaw, Ind., and Centerville, Ohio, is being held without bond

on a preliminary charge of murder in Tuesday's shooting death of 21-year-old Andrew Boldt of West Bend, Wis. Police have said Cousins targeted Boldt, but they haven't disclosed why or how the two might have known each other.

Conflicting portraits are emerging of Cousins. Former high-school classmates and teachers say he excelled academically. But some at Purdue say he could be rude and disliked being told he was wrong.

Police have said both Cousins and Boldt were seniors, and they identified Boldt as a teaching assistant. However, documents posted on the engineering school's website also listed Cousins as a

teaching assistant. Both he and Boldt worked under Professor David Meyer for separate classes, according to the documents.

Purdue spokeswoman Liz Evans would not comment on Cousins' status. A woman who answered the phone at Meyer's home said the professor would not comment.

Cousins graduated from Springboro High in southwestern Ohio, about an hour outside of Cincinnati, School District spokeswoman Karen DeRosa said.

"We know he excelled academically and was very strong in technology and computer science," DeRosa said.

Greg Adams, who graduated from Springboro

with Cousins, said the two weren't close friends but that Cousins seemed friendly.

"From what I saw he was very outgoing," said Adams, 24, who still lives in Springboro. "He had a girlfriend. After school, I'd see him in the computer labs, and he'd be talking to his friends and girlfriend."

Former high-school classmate Matt Herman, who works for WDTN-TV in Dayton, Ohio, told the station that Cousins was on an academic team and part of the skiing and snowboarding club in high school.

"We were all really shocked to hear this," Herman said about the allegations against Cousins.

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# Selling sustainability through character

One University of Iowa employee uses a unique method for sustainability outreach.

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To aid in the ongoing struggle for sustainability, one University of Iowa employee takes a unique approach to the subject.

Doug Litwiller, associate director of energy conservation at the UI, takes on the character of "Professor KW Therm" to make his message of energy efficiency more accessible to the public.

"People who aren't energy experts really don't want to hear an engineer-type lecture them," he said. "[I realized I had to come as a character] to make it more interesting to the typical layman."

Litwiller's alter ego serves to increase awareness of energy consumption while both UI and Iowa City officials plan to focus their sustainability efforts on this topic.

Litwiller's presentation is just part of the UI's overall efforts to reach its 2020 vision goal of net-negative energy growth.

Though the goal is ambitious, UI Office of Sustainability Director Liz Christiansen said the outlook is positive.

"We've reduced our energy consumption by over 3 percent since 2010," she said. "We're currently on track to help meet our target."

Litwiller originally developed the "Therm" character around 2004, when he worked at Alliant Energy. Part of his job was teaching employees of various companies how to be more energy efficient. Coming in as a character helped these employees become more engaged and entertained, he said.

While the net-negative energy growth goal is only one part of the 2020 vision, Litwiller said it is a crucial part.

"It's always cheaper to reduce consumption," he said. "If we can reduce consumption on campus, it will make [our other goals] easier to achieve."

One of the other goals of the UI is to decrease the production of waste by the university. Christiansen said there is still some progress to be made on this goal.

"We need to, in essence, double our waste-reduction efforts," she said.

The focus on sustainability at the university is also reflected by Iowa City, said Iowa City recycling coordinator Jen Jordan.

"To me, it all comes back to waste [reduction]," she said. "The city's making huge strides."

Iowa City saw a 20 percent increase in recycling in the last year, demonstrating that these efforts are working. Following that success, Jordan is turning the city's focus to energy conservation by focusing this year's educational outreach on the topic.

The city has additional energy events planned in the future, including a presentation on trends in Midwest energy use and production on and an energy fair.

Though he addresses conservation lightheartedly, energy use is a very important issue, Litwiller said.

"It's just not good to waste resources," he said. "So much of the energy we consume, we waste it."

The UI is employing many means to become more energy efficient, Litwiller said. Occupancy detectors have been installed at many university facilities, turning off

the lights when nobody is in the room. Though the school is on track to reach its goal, there is still a long way to go, he said.

"We're going to have to keep thinking outside of the box and really engaging the university community," he said.

## Conservation

Professor KW Therm makes sustainability accessible University of Iowa Associate Director of Energy Conservation Doug Litwiller takes on the character of "Professor KW Therm" to give useful energy tips to the public. These tips include:

- Turn off lights when not in the room
- Buy energy-efficient appliances and bulbs
- Unplug devices when not in use

Source: Doug Litwiller, UI associate director of energy conservation



A man uses the East Side Recycling Center on Monday. Iowa City's recycling number have jumped by 20 percent at its drop-off sites. (The Daily Iowan/Wanyi Tao)

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## COLUMN

### Battling wealth addiction



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A phrase currently floating around the infinite abyss that is the Internet recently caught my eye: “wealth addiction.”

I tend to think of addiction as a habit that is above all physically harmful, or at the very least a habit that debilitates you and prevents you from functioning normally in delay life. While this personal definition is by no means scientific, I had to wonder...can too much wealth really be that bad?

I'm not talking about “too much wealth” in terms of wealth disparity or the differences between the “haves and have-nots,” which is in itself an appalling issue in the United States. But speaking individually, if a person works and knows how to manage her or his continually amassing wealth, yet continually craves more, is that blind ambition or actual addiction?

Physically speaking, money itself cannot harm you, but transitively, it does run your life in many ways. The former Wall Street workhorse (now a philanthropist), who coined the term “wealth addiction” in his column in the *New York Times* this past Sunday compares his addiction to wealth to other addictions in his life: alcohol, cocaine, Ritalin... the list goes on. More “traditional” addictions for which he had sought counseling while in college, but none made him feel quite as powerful as both money and the possibility of earning more of it did. Money equated to importance. Ultimately, it was only realizing the notion that money earned could also one day be money lost that changed his outlook.

Whether or not you view the act of incessantly

chasing wealth as ambition or as greed, money is never a guarantee. More importantly, if there is always more money out there circulating to be had, it's hard to be satisfied with what you have.

But to merely live in a country where “wealth addiction” is a formidable concept is a luxury. Having just spent three weeks in India, a place that still has many elements of what we call the “Third World,” the idea that one can have wealth, obviously a relative term, and infinitely desire more seems absurd. Money, it seems, isn't inherently addictive, but it's made so by our culture.

In the United States, we are conditioned to believe that getting by isn't enough, and so we live in a perpetual state of wanting more rather than focusing on what we do have.

I am not one to preach about living minimally or wanting less, but I do think wealth addiction is a very real and present condition in this country. We to seek to educate ourselves to ultimately make a living, and for some, money is a driving motivational force. And it won't ever stop being a driving force, because the reality is that living costs money. However, what the concept of wealth addiction can teach us is that money doesn't make a life. If you think that it does, you will find yourself repeatedly short-handed and disappointed.

Wanting “things” is often what keeps us going, but most of the rewarding “things” in life — completing your first marathon, getting accepted into the college major you wanted — aren't actually things, which is why wealth can be construed as an addiction; even getting your fix can leave you feeling empty. It's up to people to choose their outlook on wealth acquisition and what it is exactly that wealth has granted them in the long run.

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## EDITORIAL

### Iowa lags in driver safety



Traffic at the intersection of Burlington and Capitol Streets is seen on Oct. 8, 2012. (The Daily Iowan/Joshua Housing)

**D**river safety in Iowa is subject to one of the weakest sets of driving-safety laws in the country, according to a report released Wednesday from the Advocates for Highway and Auto Safety.

The annual report graded safety laws around the country and placed Iowa among the bottom 11 states in the United States. Among the concerns raised in the report was Iowa's lack of a primary rear-seat seat-belt law and an all-rider motorcycle-helmet law.

Iowa's relatively weak laws may well be to blame for the state's higher-than-average rate of traffic fatalities. In 2012, 365 people died in automobile accidents in Iowa; that's 11.87 people per 100,000 residents, based on statistics from the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration. The national rate in 2012 was 10.69 deaths per 100,000 residents. In Illinois, a state ranked highly in the Advocates for Highway and Auto Safety report, the 2012 fatality rate was 7.43 per 100,000.

Though traffic-fatality rates have fallen slightly in Iowa over the past few years, there is clearly room for more improvement. Tighter safety laws such as those passed in other states could help bring Iowa in line with the country's safest states.

One such law that could help is a wholesale ban on cell-phone use by drivers, a law that has been on the books since Jan. 1 in Illinois. Currently, drivers are forbidden to text in Iowa, but the ban does not extend to other potentially distracting phone use.

Distracted driving is a leading cause of car crashes nationwide, accounting for 421,000 crashes and 3,328 fatalities in 2012. A full cell-phone ban, onerous as it may seem, would likely have a positive effect on the incidence of traffic fatalities.

Perhaps the most glaring weakness in Iowa's canon of traffic-safety laws is the lack of a motor-

cycle-helmet law. Iowa is one of only three states that do not require motorcyclists to wear helmets, despite clear evidence that helmets very often keep motorcyclists alive in crashes.

In 2012, there were 59 motorcycle fatalities in Iowa — 47 of those who died were not wearing helmets. Across the Missouri River in Nebraska, there were 22 motorcycle deaths in 2012; only two of those who died did not have helmets.

The most pernicious cause of traffic accidents, however, is alcohol impairment. In 2012, one-quarter of all traffic deaths in Iowa involved a driver with a blood-alcohol content greater than the current legal limit of 0.08.

For whatever reason, despite massive public-relations campaigns and stricter punishments, driving under the influence of alcohol remains a leading cause of death on the road. One way to potentially reduce impaired driving, however, would be to make ignition-interlock devices mandatory for all first-time OWI offenders.

Ignition-interlock devices are mechanisms linked to a car's ignition that require individuals to pass a breath test to start the engine. Data from a number of outlets show that recidivism rates among drunk drivers fall by about 70 percent when these devices are used.

The high incidence of death on Iowa's roads is unnerving, but there are some easy steps the Legislature could take to make Iowans safer. To do so, the Legislature should strike at the root causes of traffic accidents — distraction and alcohol, particularly.

## YOUR TURN

Do you think Iowa should adopt stricter driving laws? Weigh in at [dailyiowan.com](http://dailyiowan.com).

## GUEST COLUMN

### Toward a student-friendly criminal-justice system

Part of the reason I'm running for Johnson County county attorney is because that's the position that can end the local criminal-justice system's current over-aggressiveness toward young people. Working in the law school's clinic, I represented many young people, including students. Many of these folks were charged for petty victimless offenses such as public intoxication (for being rude to a cop who stopped them for no valid reason) or marijuana possession (for having small amounts of weed on them). The proper role of a criminal-justice system is to protect and serve. That should include protecting and serving — rather than looking for reasons to arrest — students.

To create a more appropriate law-enforcement environment here, if I'm elected, I'm committed to immediately implementing a variety of reforms, including ending all prosecutions for marijuana for personal use; ending

all prosecutions for public intoxication (if a drunk person commits a real crime, charge them for the real crime); and quick and careful review of all arrests and dismissal of those that are unserious, unjust, or the result of racial profiling.

For Johnson County to have the University of Iowa here is a privilege, and we should treat people here for school accordingly. Young people come here to learn and grow and figure out who they are. Yet too often, local law enforcement treats the presence of students as a problem. Instead of building friendly, problem-solving relationships with the student population and protecting students when someone harms them, too often local law enforcement goes around looking for reasons to bust students — often for victimless offenses like smoking pot or drinking too much.

Because of the over-aggressive local criminal-justice system, well over 10 percent of the

young people who come to Iowa City for an education leave town with a criminal record. For some, a petty arrest can contribute to a downward spiral that leads to dropping out.

It's long been true that plenty of college students smoke pot sometimes. The last three presidents — Bill “I Didn't Inhale” Clinton, George “When I Was Young and Irresponsible, I Was Young and Irresponsible” Bush, and Barack “Of Course I Inhaled; That Was the Point” Obama — have more or less admitted to smoking pot when young. And virtually everyone who was ever a college student — me included — at times drank too much. And yet here, in situations where no one at all gets hurt, current policies turn young people being young people into criminals.

Now, I'm all for prosecution of genuine crime, and there are some crimes that disproportionately affect students (including acquaintance rapes and landlord fraud) that should be prosecuted more

aggressively than they often are currently. Ending the ridiculous focus of resources on the petty stuff will actually free up resources to focus more on the serious stuff in which people genuinely get hurt.

The system in Iowa is that if the county attorney decides to dismiss something, it's dismissed. And if that includes all potential prosecutions for marijuana for personal use and public intox, they are dismissed and those cases are over. That's what will happen if I'm elected.

I'm running in the Democratic primary. Early voting will start in early May. A decent turnout by students who want to end the current overprosecution will result in more sensible policies directing the local justice system.

To be in touch, my Facebook page is [facebook.com/jz4justice](http://facebook.com/jz4justice) and my number is (319)499-8917. It would be my pleasure to talk with any group or individual.

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**UIHC**

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time abroad and empathize with Latino patients about how it feels and the degree of anxiety involved in living in a different country.

McKillip lived in Brazil for a year and gained a valuable insight for the need for personnel in the health care to be bilingual.

Anthony Bock, a UIHC medical assistant, traveled throughout Latin America for six months in 2013. Upon his return, he had a newfound desire to learn Spanish.

"I know how it feels to go to a place where no one speaks your native language," he said. "When I met people who spoke English on my travels, it was really nice."

According to Pew Research, 30 percent of Latino adults in the

United States are Spanish-dominant. Since 2000, the Latino population has grown by 18 million. Today, roughly 5.1 percent of Johnson County's population identifies as Latino — or 6,200 people. This is up more than 122 percent from the 2000 census, in which only 2,781 Johnson County residents were Latino.

Although the initial spike was more apparent in states such as Cali-

fornia and Florida, the increase in the Latino population has dispersed throughout the country, said Mark Lopez of the Pew Research Center.

Mercy Hospital in Iowa City has also made advances to cater to the growing population. Hospital officials have used translator services for the past few years.

But UIHC officials want to utilize the course not only as a logistical move. "I believe that being

**Spanish Class**

The University of Iowa Hospitals and Clinics offers classes to medical staff in order to accommodate the growing Latino population in Iowa.

- Latino population in U.S. has grown from 35 million to 53 million since 2000
- 30 percent of Latinos in U.S. are Spanish-dominant
- 17 percent of U.S. population is Latino

Source: Mark Hugo Lopez, director of the Hispanic Trends Project at Pew Research

able to speak Spanish in the health-care setting will increase my ability to provide health care

to the Latino population and connect with patients on a more personal level," Stanley said.

**UISG**

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their own."

Cai said while both greek life and multicultural life have had a great influence on the campus, there has been a lack of communication and collaboration between the two in the past. This is a problem the UISG hopes to correct.

"A partnership like this will be the first step of great things," Cai said. "I have always believed that this program can

serve as a catalyst for a more inclusive and equal campus."

Last year, officials initiated a campaign called "Get to Know Me," which appointed a council to serve fraternities and sororities that identify with different cultural or identity backgrounds.

Other programs of focus for the UISG plans to focus include the Collegiate Readership program as the UISG officials aim to better inform the student body of the program and Student Credit Money Management.

The Collegiate Reader-

ship program allows university students to read national newspapers for free by using their school IDs.

"That's one of my favorite things that the UISG has worked on," UISG President Katherine Valde said.

The Student Credit Money Management is a free, professional budget and counseling service for students in the IMU. A personal financial consultant will meet with students for free to help with expenses and paying off student loans.

UISG Vice President Jack Cumming said the

consultant "does a really good job at speaking to large groups," and several fraternities and sororities have received help from the program.

"The Student Credit Money Management could really grow and help students," Cumming said.

Valde said students welcomed several of the previous initiatives. The Bike Share program was one such example. Valde said students were "willing to pay" for the program to be put in place.

The biggest program the UISG worked on last semester was the tuition

freeze for in-state undergraduates, said Valde and Cumming.

The UISG proposed to continue the undergraduate tuition freeze was started this academic year, with undergraduate, in-state tuition set at \$6,678. Mandatory fees would push the price to \$8,061.

Valde said the UISG spent a great deal of time working to keep the freeze. The group took a summer road trip to speak with state legislators about how students appreciated the tuition freeze, wrote letters to

legislators, and spoke at the state address.

"We're really happy to see [the freeze] process through," Valde said. "It's really exciting to see that tuition freeze we talked about in July come to fruition."

As of now, there are no plans to freeze tuition for out-of-state undergraduate students, though Valde said they are "thinking of ways to keep out-of-state tuition as low as possible."

"The bulk of our efforts this year focuses on in-state students," Valde said.

**RENOVATION**

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project, he decided to partner with surrounding businesses.

JCPenney in Coralville supplied the new bedding, curtains, and lamps. New bed frames, dressers, and nightstands were constructed and purchased from Iowa Prison Industries.

Roberts said officials originally planned to have the

first five rooms updated in 2012, however, the construction required more time.

But the comfort of the families trumped the desire for a quick renovation.

"The rooms get used a lot, and for us to provide a home away from home, we want to make sure to provide the best foot forward for our families," said Kristin Roberts, the executive director of the Ronald McDonald House.

"We want to be able to escape and relax from the pressure of

the hospital."

She said the Ronald McDonald House usually sees roughly 1,000 to 1,500 families come through the house annually and approximately 3,500 individuals. She said the house will continue to see updates in the future.

She said bedding in some of the rooms were very limited for guests; after Mark Roberts designs, he was able to add three new full-size beds, allowing the Ronald McDonald

House to increase capacity.

"We want to have a nice and homey environment for the families," Kristin Roberts said. "With space limited in the rooms, we wanted to make sure as many family members as possible could rest their head on a pillow and comfortable bed at night."

UI spokesman Tom Moore said the Ronald McDonald House provides invaluable support to families who are facing difficult circumstances.

"The staff at the Ronald McDonald House creates a haven that gives families someplace they can go to take a much needed break to rest and relax a bit," he said. "The Ronald McDonald House is accessible, convenient, and truly a home away from home for our patients and their families."

Walker said her family will be able to return home on Feb. 3; however, she said her stay at the house has been a great

experience. She said the staff has embraced her 2-month-old A.J., 2-year-old Isaiah, husband Demarco Polson, and mother Lori Walker as if they were family members.

"They could not have treated me more like a family member," Walker said. "I literally cried on one of the girl's shoulders, and she talked to me for two hours. You don't get that very often with people, and the staff here, they care so much."

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**GOODWILL HUNTING**



Sarah Richards, a Goodwill employee for more than six years, works at putting together a new section of the store dedicated to crafts and DIYs on Tuesday. The new Goodwill store will officially open on Friday. (The Daily Iowan/Mariah Green)

**Goodwill opens new store**

A new Goodwill of the Heartland facility will open Friday at 445 Highway 6 E. in Iowa City.

The new 29,000-square-foot facility is the first under the new branding campaign "Look What I Found."

The new campaign's goal is to educate shoppers about the Goodwill mission to help others overcome barriers of independence.

The store is also hoping to eventually collaborate with shopgoodwill.com.

—by Alison Keim

**WORLD**

**Peace talks on Syria stuck over Assad's future**

MONTREUX, Switzerland — Furiously divided from the start, representatives of Syrian President Bashar Assad and the rebellion against him threatened Wednesday to collapse a peace conference intended to lead them out of civil war.

Assad's future in the country devastated by three years of bloodshed was at the heart of the sparring, which took place against a pristine Alpine backdrop as Syrian forces and rebel fighters clashed across a wide area from Aleppo and Idlib in the north to Daraa in the south.

U.S. and U.N. officials said merely getting the two sides in the same room was something of a victory, but U.N. chief Ban Ki-moon's claim that the discussions were "harmonious and constructive" was at odds with the testy exchange when he tried to get the podium from Syrian Foreign Minister Walid Moallem.

"You live in New York. I live in Syria," Moallem angrily told Ban. "I have the right to give the Syrian version here in this forum. After three years of suffering, this is my right."

With little common ground, the two sides were to meet separately today with U.N. negotiator Lakhdar Brahimi, who said he still did not know

if they were ready to sit at the same table when talks begin in earnest Friday. But, Brahimi said, both sides had shown some willingness to bend on local cease-fires and delivery of humanitarian aid, and Russian Foreign Minister Sergey Lavrov said they were also working on possible terms for a prisoner exchange.

The Western-backed opposition said Assad's departure was their starting point, echoing the position laid out by U.S. Secretary of State John Kerry.

"The resolution cannot be about one man's — or one family's — insistence on clinging to power," Kerry said.

The response from the government delegation was firm and blunt.

"There will be no transfer of power, and President Bashar Assad is staying," Syrian Information Minister Omran al-Zoubi told reporters.

The two sides seemed impossibly far apart in opening statements in the Swiss city of Montreux, famed for its stunning mountain views and mellow jazz festival. The waterfront road was barricaded by roadblocks and hundreds of security forces, with boats patrolling the shores of Lake Geneva day and night.

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# Swimmers' break builds team camaraderie

Iowa's training trip has left the Hawks better prepared for the championship season.



Swimmers dive into the water for the Men's 200-free event during the swimming and diving meet against Michigan State in the Campus Recreation & Wellness Center on Oct. 18. (The Daily Iowan/Alyssa Hitchcock)

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The Iowa men's swimming and diving team is coming off winter break hungrier and more determined than ever.

After a January that saw the team travel to San Diego for its annual winter training trip, the Hawkeyes head into the spring semester with their sights set on being competitive during the upcoming championship season.

"It's really the most im-

portant time of the year to train," senior Gianni Sesto said. "You can just focus on swimming and not have to worry about school, and you don't have a cap set by the NCAA on the hours you can swim. You can really work on the finer details of your stroke."

The team made the six-day trip to Southern California in early January for an opportunity to focus solely on swimming.

Swimming outdoors unencumbered by a normal college workload or

cold Iowa weather, the Hawkeyes took part in numerous sessions of intense training and team building. It helped them to further bridge the gap for where they need to be.

"Obviously, everything gets harder once school is involved, so it was nice to be able to not have to worry about it and just be able to stay focused on preparing for the end of the year," junior Chris Freeman said.

For head coach Marc Long, the trip was as much

a learning experience for him as it was for his swimmers.

"We definitely all learned a lot about each other," he said. "We spent a lot of time together during two-a-days, and to be able to get them away from the classrooms, we all got very comfortable with each other, not to mention the different level of training we got in that environment."

A lot of time is a bit of an understatement.

Every morning, the Hawks woke up early for a dry-land session consisting of weightlifting and stretching, followed shortly thereafter by a morning swim. With the whole team together at once, Long and his assistants were able to examine every little aspect of their swimmers' techniques and help them get better.

"Things like stroke technique, hand placement, and power of the stroke are all little things that we had more time to focus on in the pool," Sesto said.

After a midday break, the Hawks hit the pool for more technique work. The team even took a field trip to a local beach for training and team-building exercises, such as bucket races and a sandcastle-building competition.

The Hawkeyes returned to Iowa City confident that they had learned more about themselves as swimmers as well as their teammates.

"We have a lot of emotion behind us, and I think that's a good trait to have," Sesto said. "We always have each others' backs,

and I learned that if something needs to be said, none of us are going to be afraid to say it."

## BASKETBALL

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in the first half, finishing the opening frame with 15 points and 3 rebounds. In the second half, it was Aaron White's turn to be the lone producer on offense. The Strongsville, Ohio, native's 16 second-half points included a streak in which he scored 14-straight tallies for the Hawkeyes.

But despite White's ef-

forts and several comeback attempts, Iowa was never able to catch Michigan.

Wolverine guard Nik Stauskas continued his ascent as a candidate for conference Player of the Year, totaling 26 points on 57 percent shooting. It was the third-straight game that Stauskas finished with at least 20 points.

"The game plan was to pound it inside; they play four guards and we tried to take advantage of that," Basabe said in a release. "It's on me; in the second

half, I ran out of energy. That contributed to the pace of the game because I was supposed to continue my dominance."

More than anything, Wednesday's loss should serve as a reminder to the Hawkeye faithful that, regardless of how good Iowa may be, winning in the Big Ten remains as hard as ever.

Undeclared in conference play, Michigan and Michigan State now hold a two-game advantage on Iowa in the loss column. If the Hawkeyes want to

compete for the conference championship, they now must find a way to get wins against both the Spartans and Wolverines when they visit Carver-Hawkeye Arena next week.

"Every game in this conference is a challenge," Basabe said in a release. "You can't take them lightly. They play super hard, and every game is a battle. There is no time to feel sad for ourselves; we'll address what went wrong tonight and make sure it doesn't happen Saturday."

## WRESTLING

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than astounding. In his two years, he helped coach current Minnesota heavyweight Tony Nelson to two NCAA championships during the 2011-12 and 2012-13 seasons.

Following last season's title bout, Nelson was asked who worked out with him in the practice room to help him "climb the mountain" again. He credited Berhow for a lot of his success.

"He's been here the last three years," Nelson said then. "He's taught me a lot. I appreciate everything he's done for me. He's a big reason I've done what I've done."

It's no surprise, then, that when Berhow was introduced as Iowa's new assistant coach, head coach

Tom Brands said he had "had [his] eye on him for a long time." It was largely assumed that Berhow was going to come in and work with heavyweight Bobby Telford, perhaps to reach the same heights as Nelson previously did.

"When you work with an athlete as motivated as he is, it makes your job a lot easier," Berhow said about Telford. "I know where his goals are at, and that's to be at the top of the podium, to win an NCAA title. My goal is the same for him."

"It's easy to say that; to train for that is another thing."

Brands said on Tuesday that the addition of Berhow gave guys such as Telford, Terrance Jean-Jacques, and even Nathan Burak a durable practice partner. Berhow doesn't wrestle with each of Iowa's heavier weights every day,

but whenever any of them need some special attention, "he's game," Brands said.

Even more, Berhow has the experience and size to adequately coach the heavier weights — something Brands said he and some other coaches lacked, given their smaller stature.

"That's not to say that we can't," Brands said. "But it's good to feel it, as a coach, when you have a guy you're trying to teach. It's harder to feel Telford because he puts his thumb on you and you wilt, when you're a guy like me."

"He can't make Berhow wilt like that. He has to work harder. ... I think he enjoys it. I think it's refreshing for him."

It's been refreshing for Berhow, too. He's taken a different approach to coaching Telford from what he did with Nelson.

This was expected. Each wrestler is different, he said.

His new pupil and former one will clash on Saturday when the third-ranked Gophers come to Carver-Hawkeye Arena to wrestle against the second-ranked Hawkeyes.

For Berhow, it will be a nice reunion with the staff that he both wrestled under and coached with for so many years. He grew up a Gopher fan, he says, but has put that behind him. He's all about Iowa now.

Along with seeing some old practice partners and coaches, Berhow said some of his family will come down to Iowa City to watch the dual. Back at his cluttered desk, he's asked which colors those family members will wear.

Without hesitation, he smiles. "Iowa," he says. "This is home now."

## DISTERHOFT

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something that I had earned over the season and that we wanted to try something a little different — a little more offensive firepower is what she said," Disterhoft said. "Coming into that game, I just tried to play like myself."

In that game — an 81-74 win on Ohio State's home floor, Disterhoft provided that firepower. The Iowa City native registered a game-high 24 points and 10 rebounds. She was also key for the Hawkeyes late in the game, when she sank six free throws in the closing minutes and helped Iowa seal its first victory at Ohio State since 1998.

"[She] did a tremendous job," Bluder said. "I was a little disappointed that she wasn't Freshman of the Week in the Big Ten. I think that she put up numbers very capable of receiving that award."

With the ability to play a myriad positions for the Hawkeyes, Disterhoft has posted averages of 12.6 points and 5.8 rebounds per game. But perhaps most importantly, she's shooting 41.3 percent from beyond the arc.

On numerous occasions, the Hawkeyes' ability to shoot from deep has been the difference between winning and losing. When Iowa wins, it averages 8.3 3-point buckets per game; when the Hawkeyes lose, that number drops to just 4 from behind the arc.

"[Disterhoft is] quick and explosive," junior Sam Logie said. "People worry about her getting to the basket, but when she's knocking down 3s, too, it's pretty hard to guard."

But as with every promotion to the starting lineup, one starter must be asked to come off the bench. In this case, that player is sophomore Kali Peschel. Despite what some see as a demotion, Bluder made it clear that Peschel remains a crucial player for the Hawkeyes.

"I need Kali. And I don't want to lose Kali," Bluder said. "I want her to understand maybe she didn't play that much at Ohio State, but she will be counted on throughout the year."

Bluder also said that while the starting lineup

for the remainder of the season is not set in stone, Disterhoft is slated to start in Iowa's next contest, against Indiana in Carver-Hawkeye.

How much will change with Disterhoft in the starting lineup is yet to be seen. Even when she was starting the game on the bench, Disterhoft was an important player — she averaged the fifth-most minutes per game for the Hawkeyes with 26.1 per game.

Whether she's asked to provide a spark from the bench or from the opening tip, don't expect any changes in Disterhoft's approach.

"Nothing has really changed," she said. "I've always just gone in with the mindset of every game, I'm going to play aggressive, and every practice just attack it."

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## UPCOMING HAWKEYE SCHEDULE

**Friday**  
Women's Gymnastics vs. Nebraska, Carver, 7 p.m.  
Track at Gold Country Classic, Minneapolis, TBA

**Saturday**  
Men's Basketball at Northwestern, Evanston, Ill., 11 a.m.  
Men's Swimming at Northwestern, Evanston, Ill., 11 a.m.  
Women's Tennis vs. Nebraska-Omaha, Tennis & Recreation Complex, noon  
Wrestling vs. Minnesota, Carver, 1 p.m.  
Women's Tennis vs. Northern Iowa, Tennis & Recreation Complex, 5 p.m.  
Women's Basketball vs. Indiana, Carver, 6 p.m.  
Track at Gold Country Classic, Minneapolis, TBA

## Bulls upend Cavs

CLEVELAND — D.J. Augustin scored 27 points in a start for Kirk Hinrich, and Taj Gibson matched a career high with 26 filling in for Carlos Boozer as the Chicago Bulls improved to 7-2 since trading Luol Deng with a 98-87 win over the Cleveland Cavaliers on Wednesday night.

Augustin and Mike Dunleavy hit 3-pointers down the stretch to pace the Bulls, who at 21-20 moved over .500 for the first time since Nov. 22.

Deng went just 2-of-11 from the field in his first game against Chicago. The Bulls dealt the two-time All-Star forward to Cleveland on Jan. 6 for future draft picks.

Joakim Noah had 18 rebounds for the Bulls, who appeared to be looking toward the future when they traded Deng after losing superstar Derrick Rose to a season-ending injury.

Kyrie Irving scored 26 to lead Cleveland, which has dropped the first two games of a five-game home stand.

Although they were missing two starters in Boozer (calf) and Hinrich (hamstring), the Bulls had more than enough to hold off the Cavaliers.

Making just his fourth start, Gibson scored 12 in the third as the Bulls opened a 71-62 lead entering the fourth.

— Associated Press

## SCOREBOARD

**NBA**  
Charlotte 95, LA Clippers 91  
Chicago 98, Cleveland 87  
Atlanta 112, Orlando 109  
Toronto 93, Dallas 85  
Boston 113, Washington 111  
Philadelphia 110, New York 106  
Houston 119, Sacramento 98  
Milwaukee 104, Detroit 101  
Oklahoma City 111, San Antonio 105  
Phoenix 116, Indiana 93

**NCAAM**  
Michigan 75, Iowa 67  
Louisville 86, South Florida 47  
Richmond 58, Massachusetts 55  
St. Louis 76, Duquesne 72  
Wichita State 70, Illinois State 55  
San Diego State 75, San Jose State 50  
Minnesota 81, Wisconsin 68  
Duke 67, Miami 46  
Oklahoma 77, TCU 69

**NHL**  
Detroit 5, Chicago 4  
Phoenix 2, Calgary 3  
Montréal 1, Pittsburgh 5  
Carolina 3, Philadelphia 2

## THROWBACK THURSDAY

### Today in Hawkeye Sports

Jan. 23, 1944 — The Iowa basketball team defeated Illinois, 53-44. Down 17-14 to the Illini in the Field House at halftime, Dick Ives finished with 21 points, many of which thanks to "his uncanny hook and long shots," DI sportswriter Wally Stringham said. *Throwback Thursday* features a moment in Hawkeye sports history each week.



## MEN'S BASKETBALL

NO. 21 MICHIGAN 75, NO. 10 IOWA 67

# Hawkeyes stumble in Ann Arbor



Melsahn Basabe boxes out against Michigan forward Jon Horford in the Crisler Center on Wednesday. The Hawkeyes lost to the Wolverines, 75-67. (The Michigan Daily/Paul Sherman)

Humbled by its loss to Michigan, the Iowa men's basketball team will now face an uphill battle for the Big Ten's regular-season championship.

By RYAN PROBASCO  
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Until Wednesday night, Hawkeye fans could cling to the notion that Fran McCaffery's group hadn't been outplayed by any opponent yet this season.

There were several chances to put away Iowa State in Ames. The Hawks blew a sizeable lead against Villanova. And McCaffery's technical-foul debacle fogged an otherwise winna-

ble game against Wisconsin.

But this time around against a scorching Michigan squad, there weren't any excuses that could defend the Black and Gold's misstep. Michigan clearly outplayed the Hawkeyes Wednesday night in Ann Arbor, winning 75-67, in front of a loud and amped-up Crisler Center.

"The kids really hung in there and maintained their composure, and that's what it is all about," McCaffery said in a release. "When

you go on the road, you want them to play with composure. We can look at this constructively and get better from it."

Iowa failed to reach the 70-point plateau for just the second time this season. The deep 11-man attack that Iowa has disposed opponents with all year was clearly absent, as shown by the one-man attacks in both halves.

Melsahn Basabe more or less carried Iowa

SEE BASKETBALL, 7A

# New coach finds a home



Iowa heavy weight coach Ben Berhow watches 174-pounder Mike Evans' match in Carver-Hawkeye Arena on Dec. 12. (The Daily Iowan/Tessa Hursh)

Iowa's new assistant coach, Ben Berhow, will face his former team on Saturday when the second-ranked Hawkeyes wrestle the third-ranked Gophers.

By CODY GOODWIN  
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Ben Berhow is sitting in his office inside the Dan Gable Wrestling Complex. His desk is cluttered with papers of all sorts, but he doesn't really care about that right now. He's busy telling a story, one that he distinctly remembers about one of college wrestling's deepest rivalries.

"I remember watching them in 2002, at the Target Center in Minneapolis," he says. "It was under the lights. It was a big, big dual. Minnesota actually won. It

was tight. It went right up to the end. It was such an exciting atmosphere."

That 2002 wrestling dual — in which the Gophers beat Iowa, 22-15, during a season in which they won both the Big Ten and NCAA championships — was one of Berhow's earliest memories of the Iowa-Minnesota rivalry. Berhow has experienced both sides of it, first as a wrestler, then a coach for the Gophers and now as a coach for the Hawkeyes.

Berhow joined the Gophers as a blue-chip recruit from Albert Lea High. A na-

tive of Hayward, Minn., Berhow won the 2006 Minnesota state championship at 285 pounds and signed a national letter of intent the following April.

At heavyweight, he corralled 78 wins during his four years, including three NCAA Tournament appearances. After graduating in 2011, Berhow joined the Minnesota wrestling staff as an administrative assistant, where he worked with the heavier weights.

The results were more

SEE WRESTLING, 7A

# Disterhoft shines in 1st start

Freshman Ally Disterhoft is now starting for the Iowa women's basketball team.

By JACOB SHEYKO  
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After the Iowa women's basketball team's 88-72 loss to Michigan State on Jan. 16, head coach Lisa Bluder knew a change was needed.

The Hawkeyes had yet again fallen behind early in the game and spent the rest of the contest playing without the lead. But this was nothing new. The one similarity in almost all of Iowa's losses has been the Hawkeyes' inability to come out of the gate strong.

This prompted Bluder to move freshman Ally Disterhoft into the starting lineup for the Sunday matchup against Ohio State. It is the only change to the starting five Bluder has made all season.

"[Coach Bluder] just said that it's

SEE DISTERHOFT, 7A



Disterhoft  
guard

## Ally Disterhoft's Stats

PPG: 12.6  
RPG: 5.8  
FG percentage: 53.1  
3-PT FG percentage: 41.3

## Of mice, men, and us

By Justus Flair  
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Low draws drift in from two men scrunched over a table in a corner; the moment is private, not meant to be seen.

Kehry Lane scans the scene with the eyes of a raptor.

As he scribbles notes, he makes the most of one of the final rehearsals before he and the Iowa City Community Theater present John Steinbeck's *Of Mice and Men* at 7:30 p.m. Friday at the Iowa City Community Theater, 4261 Oak Crest Hill Road S.E. Performances will continue through Feb. 2. Admission is \$5 for students, \$13 for seniors, and \$16 for the general public.

Steinbeck's work, arguably one of the most famous American novellas, has presented certain challenges because it is so well-known.

"This is Steinbeck," Lane said. "It's a play actors would die to do and directors would die to direct."

He has directed several shows at the Community Theater, but a play of this stature is a special experience.

"I think we tried to stay true to the story of the book as closely as possible," he said. "There are certain parts you have to be loyal to, because people know that and expect it. I felt free to take liberties with other parts and make them our own."

Brett Borden, who portrays George, formed bonds with the plot to help him to understand the complexity and the high intensity required by some of the scenes.

"I would say we had to do a lot of prep work emotionally," he said. "Some of these scenes, you have to dig deep in order

to bring the emotion out and get to the place you need to be. To get there requires a lot of time to break down the scene by talking it out, then using that as a springboard for where you need to be."

Though understanding the emotional depth of the drama may have been difficult, finding a tie to the work proved to be easy for the actors. Nearly all in the cast members had read the book, a staple in high schools, and it stuck with them.

"A lot of people are able to relate to it, even though the situations in the 1930s are very different from now," said Gavin Conkling, who plays Carlson. "It's a good story. It made an impact on me; it's just one of those American classics."

When making production decisions, Lane paid attention to the book's status as an American classic, focusing on the words and the story rather than trying to produce a hugely elaborate show. With the production elements on a back burner, the story remains at the front.

"The set dresser [Michael Blake] had thrown it out to me to be minimalistic, and I was very much of the same mind," Lane said. "When you have something that's not literal, the audience must fill in the gaps, and that experience can actually be much richer."

While letting the audience members interpret the

SEE MICE AND MEN, 68



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# A sure lock on mystery

By **EMMA MCCLATCHEY**  
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During approximately 126 years, “consulting detective” Sherlock Holmes has become one of the most portrayed fictional characters in film history. But few adaptations have garnered the adoration that the BBC’s television series “Sherlock” has; its obsessive and ever-growing fan base rivals even Sir Arthur Conan Doyle’s original following.

The third season of “Sherlock” — created by “Dr. Who” producer Steven Moffat and writer/actor Mark Gatiss — premiered on New Year’s Day in the United Kingdom and in the United States on Jan. 19 on PBS. After a two-year hiatus, this modern-day Holmes donned his trench coat once again for three more electric 90-minute episodes. And in doing so, season two cliffhangers were resolved, beloved characters were pushed to new and extreme lengths, and jaws dropped the world over. (Or was that just me?)

Without divulging too much, I’ll simply say that season three is “Sherlock” as fans have never seen it, with more humor, character development, and blatant nods toward (and tongue-and-cheek rejection of) the array of fan fiction and theories surrounding the show. Viewers are finally rewarded with an explanation about how Holmes managed to fake his own

suicide at the end of the last season, but like much of the show’s action, it is presented only after subjecting the audience to several deceptive and often hilarious twists.

Benedict Cumberbatch is stronger than ever as the eccentric sleuth, injecting a previously unseen degree of wit and vulnerability into the title role. This is true of Martin Freeman’s Dr. John Watson as well — his reaction to Holmes’s appearance in the first episode, “The Empty Hearse,” after believing his best friend dead for two years is quite moving. And the addition of John’s vivacious fiancée Mary Morstan (played by Freeman’s real-life partner Amanda Abbington) doesn’t detract from the Holmes/Watson dynamic, but it adds an intriguing new dimension.

The marriage of John and Mary in the second episode “The Sign of Three” is the funniest and yet most tear-jerking installment to date. Even with the uproarious “stag night” scene (in which a drunk Holmes and Watson go “clueing for looks” after visiting a nightclub) and a nail-biting murder mystery, Sherlock’s surprisingly earnest Best Man speech anchors the episode.

As with its season-one and -two predecessors, the season-three finale, “His Last Vow,” isn’t short on curve balls; Holmes and Watson face their most chilling villain yet: the blackmailing Charles Au-

## Sherlock

**WATCH:** Tune in to PBS at 9 p.m. on Jan. 26 to see “The Sign of Three” and on Feb. 2 for “His Last Vow.”

**CATCH UP:** Keep an eye out for repeat airings of season three’s first episode “The Empty Hearse” on PBS’s “Masterpiece Mystery.” You can find “Sherlock” seasons one and two on Netflix.

gustus Magnussen (Lars Mikkelsen). Prepare for shock and awe — and another heart-pounding cliffhanger.

Overall, season three lived up to my expectations, but in very few of the ways I expected. The characters in “Sherlock” come alive this season — Cumberbatch’s and Freeman’s as well as their supporting cast — which enhances the crime drama. In addition, the creators have outdone themselves stylistically, with delicious cinematography and dynamic illustrations of Holmes’ deductions.

Despite the long hiatus between new seasons of “Sherlock,” the quality of the final product exceeds that of many American shows on air today (and certainly the CBS series “Elementary,” inspired by Britain’s modern Holmes adaptation). If you choose to hop on the roller coaster that is BBC’s “Sherlock,” you may have to nurse emotional damage, character crushes, and painful degrees of suspense for years on end. But trust me — it’s worth the ride.

[Score: 4.8 out of 5 stars]

## BEAVER’S NIGHT OUT

# Real food found in CR



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It’s a Mexican restaurant turned speakeasy club, serving amazing Iowa food and artisan recipes.

I’m talking about some delicious, ingredient-inspired, chef-created entrées and appetizers.

Sold, right?

If you’re willing to make a quick trip up 380, Syndicate Epicurean Pub lies in the heart of downtown Cedar Rapids.

I know that might sound far to some of you, but sometimes, you might need a change of pace. Iowa City felt familiar pretty quickly after break.

Opening in November 2013, this pub has the enthusiasm and service of a four-star restaurant, and the preparation of the plates only further validates this. The size of the glasses for drinks would scream this, being probably fewer than 5 ounces of drink after the ice. But our server wouldn’t let them get past half empty before coming to fill them back up.

That’s service. I would’ve felt comfortable asking them to keep my

seat warm while I ran to the restroom.

I went here on the suggestion of a friend who loves the foods of CR. But make sure you have the time for the full lunch hour and maybe a little more. The atmosphere is so inviting that time just flies by.

Whether you ordered an appetizer (I would suggest the hummus plate) or are just waiting for your main course, you completely forget how hungry you were when you ordered until the server comes around with your food.

The lemon and cilantro hummus is served with crumbled goat cheese and the standard pita chips and veggies to dip. The lemon and cilantro are a powerful combination that remind you of the name, as the flavor of the lemon is only accentuated with the massive bite of cilantro. Absolutely amazing for hummus not made in Iowa City.

The main course put the hummus to shame. A Portabella mushroom sandwich served on sourdough with caramelized onions, Swiss, and pesto aioli on top.

Some people would doubt a Portabella mushroom’s ability as a feature topping on a sandwich, but after one bite, that



argument would be retracted. The smooth and complementary texture of the vegetable allows the crunch of the bread to be the staple of the sandwich.

The taste reminds you why you choose to live in Iowa, the fullness of the mushroom is sometimes so delicious that you forget it isn’t a steak sandwich. The caramelized onions, which I would normally put on a steak myself, just confuse you more.

Even the cooked in-house kettle chips were amazing. Just the right crunch with enough tenderness that you remember they were cooked from actual potato slices by the chef.

Easily one of my new favorite restaurants in the Cedar Rapids area, I would encourage you to find an excuse to visit.

# weekend events

## MOVIES OPENING THIS WEEKEND



### Frankenstein

From the cowriter of *Underworld* comes the action thriller based on the graphic novel by Kevin Greivoux. Dr. Frankenstein’s creature, Adam, still walks the Earth 200 years after his creation and finds that he holds the key that could destroy mankind. The tale is brought to life by the cast of Aaron Eckhart, Bill Nighy, and Aden Young as Victor Frankenstein.



### Her

From writer/director Spike Jonze comes a sci-fi romance about a lonely writer (Joaquin Phoenix) who develops a relationship with his newly purchased operating system (the voice of Scarlett Johansson). The Oscar-nominated film is a look into the future of relationships in today’s society; it also stars Amy Adams, Chris Pratt, Bill Hader, and Kristen Wig.

## CAB



### Grown Ups 2

This action-drama tells the story of a 2009 hijacking of the U.S. container ship Maersk Alabama when a crew of Somali pirates came aboard. The film is a complex thriller that focuses on the relationship between the Alabama’s commanding officer, Capt. Richard Phillips (Tom Hanks) and the Somali pirate captain, Muse (Barkhad Abdi).

## DRINK OF THE WEEK



## Cinnamon Toast Crunch Shot

**Primary Alcohol:** Rum Chata Liqueur and Fireball Whiskey  
**Serving Size:** 4 oz Martini Glass

My encounter with this drink came while a coworker was making fun of my preferences in alcohol taste. Luckily for me, she was a bartender in a previous life and knew every delicious combination of drink known to mankind. So when happy hour started one day, this was our first shot.

Her alternative to a Fire and Ice shot, obviously not as strong but a better way to drink Rum Chata that doesn’t include coffee or drinking it straight. The richness of the liqueur is just too much for my stomach sometimes.

**Appearance:** Caramel with a milky appearance. If you stir up the milk after eating a bowl of cinnamon toast crunch, this is what your shot would look like.

**Taste:** It’s called a cinnamon toast crunch shot for a reason. And I love me some cinnamon toast crunch.

**Advice:** Not really necessary; it’s a pretty weak shot. Fireball by itself isn’t too bad, but the Rum Chata dilutes it and makes it taste delicious.

— by Ben Verhille

## Today 1.23

### MUSIC

- Open Mike, 7 p.m., Uptown Bill’s, 730 S. Dubuque
- Briar Rabbit, 9 p.m., Mill, 120 E. Burlington
- Gemini Karaoke, 9 p.m., Blue Moose, 211 Iowa
- Super Soul Session, 9 p.m., Gabe’s, 330 E. Washington
- Bailiff, 10 p.m., Yacht Club, 13 S. Linn
- Mixology, 10 p.m., Gabe’s

### WORDS

- “Live from Prairie Lights,” Jen Percy, nonfiction, 7 p.m., Prairie Lights, 15 S. Dubuque

### LECTURES

- “The Northwest Passage

and Oceans Beyond,” Opening and Gallery Talk with David Thoreson, 5 p.m., Old Capitol Museum

### MISCELLANEOUS

- Dr. Martin Luther King Jr., Celebration of Human Rights, “Weapons for Overcoming Adversity,” Spoken Word Workshop with Wisdom Beyond Words, 2 p.m., IMU Black Box Theater
- “Bringing the Vision Home, Celebrating Iowa Women of the Civil Rights Movement,” 6 p.m., Black Box Theater
- Campus Activities Board Cultural, Spoken Word with Jon Goode, 8:30 p.m., Black Box Theater

## Friday 1.24

### MUSIC

- Carberry for Johnson County Supervisor Fundraiser, 5 p.m., Mill
- 40th Anniversary Grievous Angel LP Release Party, 8 p.m., Mill
- Xposed, 10 p.m., Gabe’s
- David Zollo, 10 p.m., Yacht Club

### THEATER

- Good People, 7:30 p.m., Riverside Theater, 213 N.

### Gilbert

- Of Mice and Men, 7:30 p.m., Iowa City Community Theater, 4265 Oak Crest Hill Road S.E.

### DANCE

- Alice in Wonderland, 7 p.m., Coralville Center for the Performing Arts, 1301 Fifth St. Club

### MISCELLANEOUS

- WorldCavass, with Joan Kjaer, 5 p.m., Old Capitol Senate Chamber

## Saturday 1.25

### MUSIC

- Saturday Night Music, Jennifer Danielson, 7 p.m., Uptown Bill’s
- 11th Anniversary Party, 7 p.m., Yacht Club
- Free Bass Dance Party, 9 p.m., Blue Moose
- Aseethe, 10 p.m., Gabe’s

### THEATER

- Good People, 7:30 p.m., Riverside Theater
- Of Mice and Men, 7:30 p.m., Iowa City Community Theater

### DANCE

- Alice in Wonderland, Jr., 2 p.m., Coralville Center for the Performing Arts

### MISCELLANEOUS

- Work by Xi Jan, B.F.A. student in Graphic Design, 9 a.m., Studio Arts Building Ark Gallery
- Winter Farmers’ Market, 10 a.m., Sycamore Mall
- 2014 Eastern Iowa Brain Bee, 11 a.m., Eckstein Medical Research Building

## Sunday 1.26

### MUSIC

- Crystal City, Dex Walker, 7 p.m., Gabe’s
- Funny or Die Comedy Showcase featuring Mike Lawrence, 9 p.m., Blue Moose

### WORDS

- Live from Prairie Lights: Robert Fernandez and Mary Hickman, 7 p.m., Prairie Lights, 15 S. Dubuque

### LECTURES

- Studio Talks – Digital Connections: Finding an Online Home for Oral Histories, 12:30 p.m., 1117 University Capitol Centre

### THEATER

- Good People, 2 p.m., River-

### side Theater

- Of Mice and Men, 2 p.m., Iowa City Community Theater

### DANCE

- Alice in Wonderland, 2 p.m., Coralville Center for the Performing Arts
- REAC Dance, 6 p.m., Eagle’s Lodge, 225 Highway 1 W.

### MISCELLANEOUS

- Work by Xi Jan, B.F.A. student in Graphic Design, 9 a.m., Studio Arts Building Ark Gallery
- Winter Farmers’ Market, 11 a.m., Johnson County 4-H Fairgrounds

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# Yachting through 11 music-filled years in IC

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The Yacht Club may only be in its 11th year of existence, but it has become a staple in Iowa City's celebrated downtown. Not only has the pub expanded with an upstairs bar, it is now open all day serving food. Scott Kading, the bar's owner and talent buyer, said the future of the club is "looking bright."

"Everything is going to be really good and very fast," he said. "We will finally have a street presence with a nice little place to grab a beer."

The venue, 13 S. Linn St., will celebrate its changes with an 11th-Anniversary Party at 7 p.m. Saturday. Admission is \$10.

Numerous bands will headline the occasion, including top-tier local talent. One of the bands will be Paa Kow's By All Means Band. Its leader, Kow, grew up in Ghana, then made his presence known in America at a young age. He plays numerous instruments, and he fell in love with the

drums after watching his family create music.

"My uncle has a band in my village," he said. "I saw them playing, and I wished to be a part of that, so I rode that wave."

Playing drums isn't always easy, he said, but that makes it rewarding.

"To me, there is a lot to think about, and the left and right hands are doing different things," Kow said. "It's a challenge, and you

**'Everything is going to be really good and very fast. We will finally have a street presence with a nice little place to grab a beer.'**

— Scott Kading, Yacht Club owner

can make a lot of things from that."

The band members love to play a lot of jazz and funk with a heavy West African influence. The genre is unique, and Kow said he wanted to bring it to the American mainstream.

"I'm trying to do something that's not done in America a lot," he said. "That's what I want to bring out and have everybody say, 'Wow' — that's my goal."

## Yacht Club 11th Anniversary Party

When: 7 p.m. Saturday  
Where: Yacht Club, 13 S. Linn  
Admission: \$10

The musician's music is becoming so popular that he named his next album *Ask* after his fans' interest in the music.

"People always asked me when the new album was coming," Kow said. "So [I] called it *Ask*."

FireSale, a band from Iowa, will join him on stage. Band percussionist Joe Verstraete loves to have a good time during live shows.

"We like to get people dancing a lot and move to the music," he said.

In years past, Yacht Club has had as many as 10 headliners at its anniversary parties. However, this year will feature fewer bands but longer sets.

Kading said that while the party will still be great, it will be less chaotic.

"The anniversary party is truly an important event



for us, and it's a great way for us to kick off the year," he said. "It is always the first weekend after school starts, so everyone is back in town and ready to party."

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# Sailing into now

By ISAAC HAMLET  
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The Northwest Passage is a route sought by sailors for centuries to allow unimpeded passage from Europe to Asia. It wasn't until a voyage made by Roald Amundsen in 1903-06 that the endeavor was successful. Unfortunately, the journey lasted three years and was set in the perilous Arctic waters north of Canada.

Today, even with melting polar ice caps and ships built to better endure the environment, the dangers persist.

From today through March 25, visitors of the Old Capitol Museum will have the opportunity to see photos and gear used on such a voyage. At 5 p.m. today, Iowan David Thoreson, the sailor and photographer who set out on the Northwest Passage expedition, will speak about his experience.

"The subject was brought to me by one of my volunteers, who showed me his book, *One Island, One Ocean*," said Shalla Ashworth, the museum's director of operations. "[The exhibit has] photos and text panels of his trip. There are maps, equipment that he used, and an iPad displaying his journal entries."

In addition to his travels through the Northwest Passage, the exhibit includes documentation of his 2009 circumnavigation of the Americas.

"Having sailed the world, his pictures really give a sense of discovery, almost like you're actually there," said Casey Westlake, the communications coordinator and assistant to the director at the museum.

Thoreson's trip through the Northwest Passage was made on Cloud Nine, a 64-foot sailboat.

Though he first attempted the venture in 1994, it wasn't until 2007 that he and his crew were successful, marking the first time an American sailboat has made the journey.

"The most challenging part [of the trip] is the wear and tear," he said. "Not just on the boat, but the crew. It's cold; you're out in the elements. On the 1994 voyage, we had to call the Canadian Coast Guard to remove an injured crew member from the boat. Another crew member collapsed at the end of the trip because he had lost 30 pounds. It can be hard to spot that sort of thing with thick winter clothing and a beard. The trip wears on you,

body and mind. You have to understand what might happen when you set off."

A large part of the exhibit is meant to show the changes in the many places Thoreson visited over the years.

"There was a tremendous amount of ice; we nearly lost our vessel a number of times [in 1994]. On a sailboat, you generally don't have a powerful enough engine to push through the ice," Thoreson said. "When we went again in 2007, we found the environment changed. There was less ice."

Offering an eye into a place where humans' effect on the environment is so visible, Thoreson hopes to give an honest perspective on how our world is being changed.

"I really want to challenge people to look at issues of climate change and global warming without bringing in politics," he said. "I want to challenge people to think in different ways."

### Photo Exhibit

*The Northwest Passage and Oceans Beyond: An Iowan Sails into History*  
When: 5 p.m. today through March 25  
Where: Old Capitol Museum  
Admission: Free

## ARTS & ENTERTAINMENT

### Mission Creek announces more acts

On Tuesday, Jan. 21, Mission Creek Festival announced its second wave of 2014's music lineup.

Performers will include indie folk-rock band the Head and the Heart, psychedelic-rock band Of Montreal, and experimental violinist Kishi Bashi.

The Head and the Heart has recently released *Let's Be Still*, a twist on Americana roots with strong vocal harmonies. Bashi will embark on her indie orchestral solo project after she toured

with Of Montreal, Regina Spektor, and Sondre Lerche for many years. And Of Montreal will return to Iowa City after almost eight years to bring its psychedelic pop music to the stage.

The announcement highlights the festival's commitment to artistic diversity. The festival will also include such artists as S. Carey of Bon Iver, Mark McGuire, Basia Bulat, Jenny Hval, Dave Moore, Fake Your Own Death, and Iowa-based artists Trouble Lights, Curt Oren, and Dylan Sires and Neighbors.

The new acts will join the existing lineup featuring Philip Glass, Jason Isbell, Rachel Kushner, William Elliott Whitmore, and

Nat Baldwin.

The festival's literary events, tech conference, food programming, and artists-in-residence series will be announced in the next couple of weeks.

Mission Creek Festival will run April 1-6 this year, and individual event tickets will go on sale Jan. 31.

The weeklong experience will feature national, international, and regional musicians, writers, and artists who will perform and showcase their work in Iowa City venues including the Englert Theater, the Mill, Blue Moose, Public Space One, and Prairie Lights.

— by Samantha Gentry



The Antlers perform an encore for a large audience at the Blue Moose on March 31, 2012. The band was brought in by SCOPE as one of the Mission Creek Music Festival headliners. (The Daily Iowan/File Photo)

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# People being 'good' in hard-scrabble times

By **CASSIDY RILEY**  
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Margie Walsh has lived in South Boston her whole life. She was never able to finish school, she got pregnant when she was young, and her daughter was born with a severe disability. Now faced with losing her job and the possibility of homelessness, she is running out of options.

Walsh's story echoes the struggles of many Americans today. She is the main character in David Lindsay-Abaire's *Good People*, which will open at 7:30 p.m. Friday at Riverside Theater, 213 N. Gilbert St. Performances will continue through Feb. 16; admission ranges from \$15 to \$30.

*Good People* picks up when Margie loses her job because of chronic lateness. With nowhere left to turn, she looks up an old high-school boyfriend, Mike, to ask him for employment. He had left the neighborhood and had become a successful doctor.

Carrie Houchins-Witt, who plays Margie's friend Jean, said the play explores to what extent factors outside of hard work affect a person's success.

"Where you were born, who your parents are, if you have parents, what your school was like — all those things inform that as well," she said. "I think the whole play is open-ended enough that it doesn't really answer questions, it asks questions that the audience has to answer."

While tackling a potentially controversial issue, the play is also designed to be entertaining and has several moments of comic relief for the audience to enjoy. Riverside cofounder Ron Clark, the show's director, said that makes *Good People* such a strong show.

"It is entertaining, which makes it all the more effective as a play in which you can tackle serious ideas and really chew the information about a very serious problem with humor," he said.

In the United States in December, the unemployment was 6.7 percent, and

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as of 2012, more than 46 million Americans lived in poverty. Kristy Hartsgrove Mooers, who plays Margie, said because of the economic hardships many Americans face today, the show appears in Iowa City at the right time.

"It's all about bootstraps in this country," she said. "We always want to talk about how independent we are and how we do everything on our own. We don't appreciate how many sacrifices are made for us."

Osean Perez, 23, the youngest member of the cast and the show's costume designer, plays Stevie, the store manager who fires Margie at the beginning of the show.

Next to the exploration of success in the show, he said, there is also a look at what makes someone good. The journey the characters and the audience take to discover this



Jody Hovland, Carrie Houchins-Witt, and Kristy Hartsgrove Mooers play bingo during a *Good People* rehearsal at the Riverside Theater on Tuesday. The play features a woman living in South Boston who seeks help from her ex-boyfriend. (The Daily Iowan/Wanyi Tao)

mirrors reality in many ways, he said. "I think that the person who you think is going to be good people turns out not to be, and the people you think are the bad guys ... they turn out to be the good people," he said. "It's hard to tell who's good people and who's not, sometimes, in the world."

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AWAY FROM HOME

# Holidays in the States



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This winter break, I was able to change some of my original opinions about the United States through a month of traveling. I had the chance to visit many places on the East Coast

and spend time with my friends.

First, Christmas was not what I imagined. I found there was almost no one on the streets, and it was even difficult to find an open restaurant, bar, or anywhere to stay during the night. This is different from what most Chinese people have thought about Christmas — most Chinese spend Christmas day out with friends on the streets. During my experi-

ence, I realized Christmas is a family day for Americans to stay together, while it is a day for Chinese to relax and hang out with friends.

Second, most of my Chinese friends and I have the wrong opinion about the city of Washington, D.C. Originally, we thought Washington was only full of politics and law because we traveled around Capitol Hill, the White House, and many museums. But

as I spent most of my time there this winter break, my friends and I gradually found out Washington has everything people want — European-style Old Town, Friendship Heights shopping center, and tons of international restaurants and bars. Now, my Chinese friends have changed their opinion about this city, and it has become my favorite U.S. city. I would even like to spend the rest of my life there.

Last but not least, this break allowed me to have a new outlook on my life. Originally, I thought I was more likely to be a student because I have become accustomed to the simple style of living and learning new things. I even imagined I could become a Ph.D. student and major in Asian studies or international affairs. But as I traveled to different cities on the East Coast

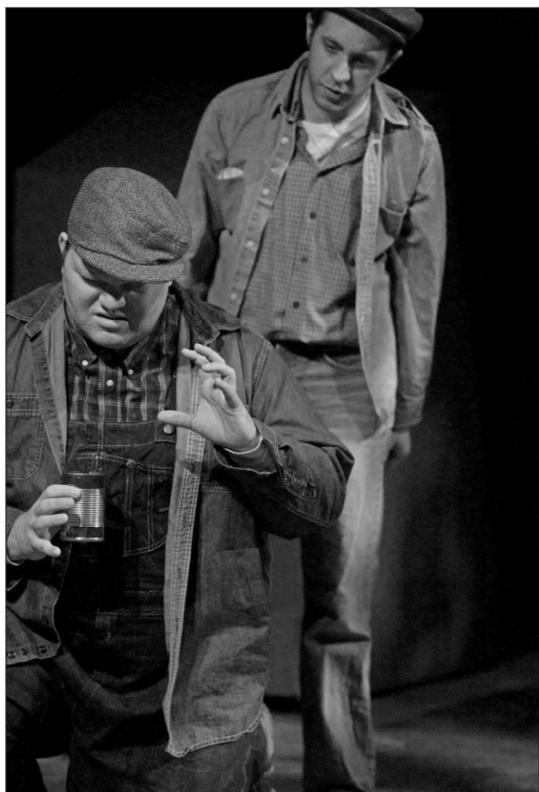
and talked with my Chinese friends, I gradually found out I am more willing to start working after graduation rather than going directly to graduate school. Many of my Chinese friends are working and starting families. So at this point, I want to work a 9 to 5 job and experience a new life after graduation.



Candy's wife (Rachel Howell) gets upset by comments made by George (Brett Borden) during dress rehearsal at the Iowa City Community Theater on Tuesday. (The Daily Iowan/Callie Mitchell)



Lennie (Jaret Morlan) listens to George's discussion with Candy during dress rehearsal at the Iowa City Community Theater on Tuesday. (The Daily Iowan/Callie Mitchell)



Lennie (Jaret Morlan) reacts to George (Brett Borden) during dress rehearsal at the Iowa City Community Theater on Tuesday. *Of Mice and Men* will open at 7:30 p.m. Friday. (The Daily Iowan/Callie Mitchell)

## MICE AND MEN

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show in their own ways, it was important to the design team to decide how to present the show, filling in necessary details.

Jill Beardsley, the show's costume designer, kept

this in mind when finding costumes for the actors.

"[Reading the script], I highlighted any moment costumes were mentioned — of course Curly has a glove on his left hand, spurs for the boss, and the boys are poor, so they're going to be dirtied up a bit," she said. "With things we found at thrift stores

and things in stock, we mostly kept it in period."

The attention to detail was shared by everyone on the artistic staff. While observing rehearsals, Lane considered whether the squared toe on a pair of work boots was appropriate for the 1930s before deciding to switch out the boots to remain accurate. The production-team members decided to be minimalist, because they believed it was Steinbeck's intention as he adapted his book for the stage.

"In the director's notes, Steinbeck heavily suggests that it can be done in a minimalist way, without all the flash — you don't need that," said Eric Burchett, who in addition to playing Curly designed the lighting for the production, using primarily ambers and blues. The simplicity is integral to the message, he believes.

"It's Steinbeck. It's our history as Americans, where we've come from in a lot of ways," Burchett said. "The language doesn't even sound dated — it still reads. The relationship between Lennie and George still reads. [The title] *Of Mice and Men* shows the best that we can be and the worst."

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# DAILY BREAK

## the ledge

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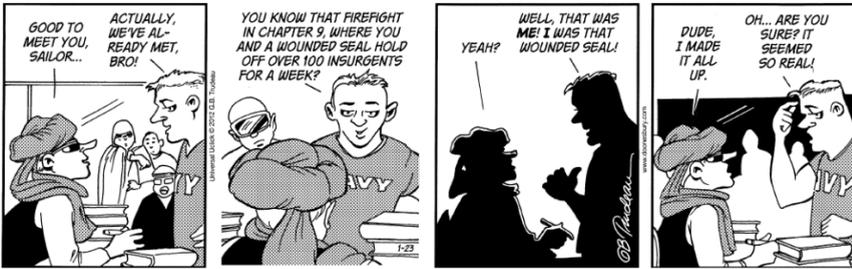
### Good First-Date Questions:

- Is your hair real, and how does it taste?
- Would you be willing to swing by a church and fulfill a prophecy before dinner?
- Who is your daddy and what does he do?
- There are two types of people in this world: Chumbawumba people and Hanson people. Which people are you?
- What are you ... about a size 14?
- Will you call my mom and tell her I made it here safely?
- I thought you'd be younger ... just how old ARE you?
- Does this dress make my penis look big?
- Do you think this looks contagious?
- What's your favorite weapon?
- Can you change my dressing and drainage tube?
- Wanna go Smurfing?
- Can I be Toad when we play Mario Kart?
- So you're not going to ask about my felony, right?
- What is the air speed of an unladen swallow?
- Can I see your ID?
- Want to see a dead body?
- If I said you were yiffable, would your murr hole be offended?

Andrew R. Juhl thanks the Ledge Crowdsourcing Facebook group for collaborating on today's Ledge.

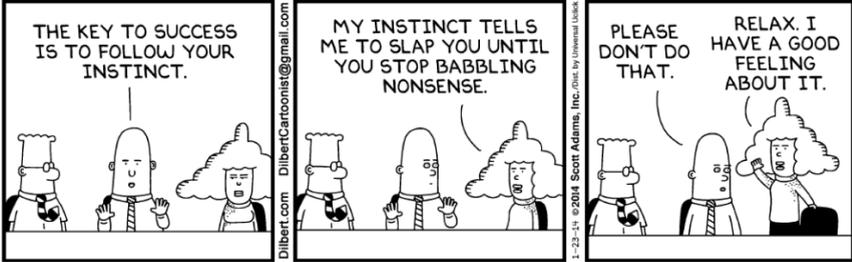
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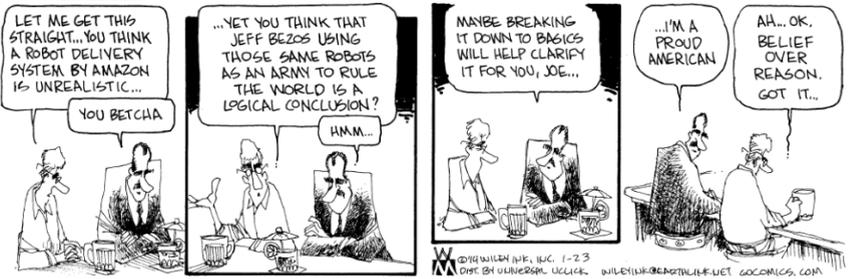
## DILBERT

by Scott Adams



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BY VIEW



## today's events

- **UIHC Scarf and Mitten Tree**, donate such winter accessories as hats, scarves, mittens, etc., UIHC Main Entrance Lobby (Elevator E, Level 1)
- **UI Health Care 2014 Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Distinguished Lecture**, Soledad O'Brien, noon, 1110 Medical Education & Research Facility
- **Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Celebration of Human Rights**, "Weapons for Overcoming Adversity," Spoken Word Workshop by Wisdom Beyond Words, 2 p.m., IMU Black Box Theater
- **Iowa City on the Eve of World War II**, 2 p.m., Senior Center
- **PubMed Express Open Workshop**, 3 p.m., Hardin Library East Information Commons
- **Life in Iowa, "Volunteering,"** 5 p.m., 1117 University Capitol Center
- **"Bringing the Vision Home, Celebrating Iowa Women of the Civil Rights Movement,"** 6 p.m., Black Box Theater
- **Community Resource and Volunteer Fair**, 6 p.m., The Spot, 1030 Cross Park
- **Open Mike**, 7 p.m., Uptown Bill's, 730 S. Dubuque
- **Campus Activities Board Cultural**, Jon Goode, Spoken Word, 8:30 p.m., Black Box Theater
- **Super Soul Session**, 9 p.m., Gabe's, 330 E. Washington
- **Mixology**, 10 p.m., Gabe's

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THE SAMURAI OF PUZZLES By The Mepham Group

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SOLUTION TO WEDNESDAY'S PUZZLE 1/23/14

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Complete the grid so each row, column and 3-by-3 box (in bold borders) contains every digit, 1 to 9. For strategies on how to solve Sudoku, visit [www.sudoku.org.uk](http://www.sudoku.org.uk)

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- 8-9 a.m. Morning Drive
- 10 a.m.-Noon Instru-Mental Madness
- Noon-2 p.m. Sports Block
- 5 p.m. KRUI
- 6-8 p.m. The Fuzz Fix
- 8-10 p.m. Eclectic Anesthetic
- 10 p.m.-Midnight The Chrysanthemum Sound System

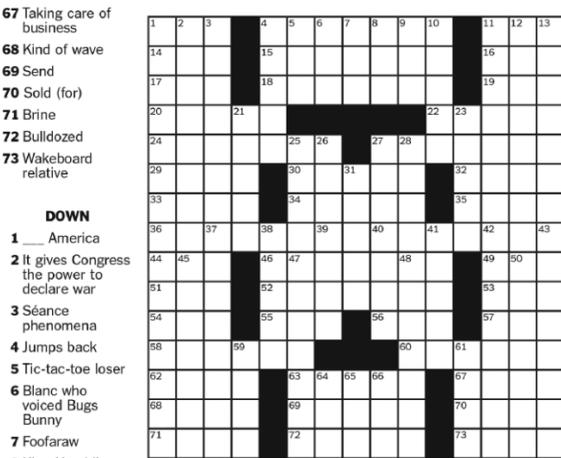
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## OBJECTS OF ART

### The New York Times Crossword

- ACROSS**
- 1 Cool dude
  - 4 Woo
  - 11 A train?
  - 14 Times column: Abbr.
  - 15 Canceled
  - 16 Falstaff's quaff
  - 17 Org. that usually meets in the evening
  - 18 Living room fixture since the '50s
  - 19 Born
  - 20 Food wrap
  - 22 Light for Aladdin
  - 24 Asks in public, say
  - 27 Flight simulator
  - 29 Makeup of les Caraibes
  - 30 Extreme
  - 32 A pride of lions?
  - 33 Great finish?
  - 34 Chicken for dinner
  - 35 Founded: Abbr.
  - 36 Incompatible
  - 44 Cow, perhaps
  - 46 Together
  - 49 Sch. with a campus in Providence
  - 51 Shrinking
  - 52 Soother of an aching joint
  - 53 Computer key
  - 54 It may come in loose-leaf form
  - 55 Poetic paean
  - 56 Alfred Hitchcock title
  - 57 Env. contents
  - 58 Quarter or half
  - 60 "L'chaim," literally
  - 62 1960s British P.M., \_\_\_ Douglas-Home
  - 63 Either the top or bottom half of this puzzle, figuratively speaking

Edited by Will Shortz No. 1219



- DOWN**
- 1 \_\_\_ America
  - 2 It gives Congress the power to declare war
  - 3 Séance phenomena
  - 4 Jumps back
  - 5 Tic-tac-toe loser
  - 6 Blanc who voiced Bugs Bunny
  - 7 Foolfaraw
  - 8 King Harald's land: Abbr.
  - 9 Director's cry
  - 10 Cry at an unveiling
  - 11 Fruit or nuts
  - 12 Fourth pope
  - 13 Crimson
  - 21 "All That Jazz" director
  - 23 Treated, in a way, as a lawn
  - 25 Big band member
  - 26 Camera type, briefly
  - 27 Numero di R's in "arrivederci"
  - 28 \_\_\_ avis
  - 31 Lightly scented perfume
  - 36 Final maneuver
  - 37 Seattle Center Coliseum, since 1995
  - 38 Rebel yell
  - 39 London gallery
  - 40 Razzes
  - 41 Rio \_\_\_ (Amazon feeder)
  - 42 Silhouettes
  - 43 Opera texts
  - 45 Cyclist's stunt
  - 47 Wee one
  - 48 Two- or four-seater, maybe
  - 50 Snitch
  - 59 Restaurant freebie
  - 61 Ideal condition in which to ford a stream
  - 64 Yellowhammer State: Abbr.
  - 65 Longtime Red Sox nickname
  - 66 Somme summer

**ANSWER TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE**

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## horoscopes

Thursday, January 23, 2014 by Eugenia Last

- ARIES** (March 21-April 19): Showing signs of inconsistency will hinder your chance of success. Regroup and reconsider what you want to do. Someone from your past will help you figure out what direction to take. A partnership will experience emotional ups and downs.
- TAURUS** (April 20-May 20): Your temper will surface if you have to deal with rules and regulations. Know all the ins and outs of a situation before you head into the eye of the storm. Make love, not war, and you will get better results.
- GEMINI** (May 21-June 20): Gather information, and you will find a way to use what you have to offer in a special way. Don't let anyone take advantage of you when it comes to your ideas. Make sure you are given proper credit and reimbursement.
- CANCER** (June 21-July 22): Keep busy, but don't take chances. Use your imagination and creativity to come up with fun things to do and services to offer. A personal relationship needs to be nurtured, or you may end up sharing harsh words.
- LEO** (July 23-Aug. 22): Keep your thoughts to yourself when it comes to personal encounters. Try something new that will occupy your time and get you heading in a direction less likely to end in a dispute with someone you love. Follow the rules.
- VIRGO** (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Greater interaction will bring you plenty of information that will help you plan how you want to proceed with a project or investment that interests you. Romance is on the rise, and a promise will improve your love life.
- LIBRA** (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Get chores done before someone complains. Once you have your responsibilities out of the way, you can move on to more enjoyable options, such as getting together with someone you love or exploring new hobbies that ease your stress.
- SCORPIO** (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Take action if it will help you achieve your goals. Getting involved in something that challenges you will reinforce your capabilities. Take steps to make your life unique and to your liking, and you will achieve happiness.
- SAGITTARIUS** (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Not everyone will be honest with you. A money deal must be looked at carefully. If the numbers don't add up, take a pass. An energetic offering of help will bring positive change to your home and family life.
- CAPRICORN** (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): A last-minute alteration from someone will make you leap into action. Don't get angry; just counter however you can to maintain balance so you can continue on your way. You'll impress someone with your stamina and control.
- AQUARIUS** (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Get down to business; clear up legal, financial, or medical issues that have to be dealt with before you can move forward with your plans. Good times are apparent if you are willing to make a couple of changes.
- PISCES** (Feb. 19-March 20): Sift through any matters that require secrecy or private attention. Look for a way to update your look, skills, or goals to suit the changing times. A romantic encounter is likely to end in possessiveness, jealousy, or an argument. Proceed with caution.

The secret of all victory lies in the organization of the non-obvious.

— Marcus Aurelius