Iowa City restaurants outside of downtown may soon benefit from a change that could open the way for more downtown business establishments.

One item that could merit future discussion is the downtown bar-law ordinance, which restricts a city ordinance requiring 500 feet of space between “drinking establishments,” defined as any bar or restaurant that has no doors open between midnight and 2 a.m. The 2009 ordinance currently applies to the entire city. Existing bars were grandfathered in.

The city staff is interested in lifting the restriction on areas outside downtown that are not characte rized as having a high concentration of alcohol use. Geoff Foss, the assistant to the city manager of Iowa City, said the primary purpose of the upcoming discussion is to explain to the council how the ordinance currently functions.

“Let’s go to the council to decide what they want to do with the ordinance,” he said. “If they want to change the policy, we can recom mend options.”

One such option is allowing outlying areas of Iowa City to be exempt from the ordinance. While “outlying” has not been officially defined by city officials, the area would typically refer to the space outside the immediate downtown and University of Iowa campus, an area described by the city as the University Impact Area. Former city councilors were not in favor of that option, but with new councilors, proponents of the measure hopes to gain support.

City Councilor Terry Dickens said he was in support of changing the policy, “If they want to do what they want to do with the ordinance, we can make options.”

By NICK HASETT

The University of Iowa Student Government’s Bijou Theater program is taking a new direction with the upcoming change of the Bijou’s programming hours.

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The United States Senate has just passed a bill to protect women from dating violence. The bill, sponsored by Senators Debbie Stabenow (D-MI) and Robert Menendez (D-NJ), would provide funding for the prevention, treatment, and criminal justice response to dating violence.

The bill, S. 402, was introduced in March 2012 and has been referred to the Senate Health, Education, Labor and Pensions Committee. The committee has held two hearings on the bill and is expected to report it to the full Senate soon.

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Despite a foresaw amputation in the first year of his life, Kid Captain Adam Wieland maintains a fast-paced and active lifestyle.

By STACEY NIEHAUS

Adam Wieland will soon prove his competitive spirit above and beyond the finish line in first place.

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Adam Wieland, 7, won first place in the Bessemer Track and Field Meet at the Bessemer High School track. He successfully completed the 50-yard dash in 8.5 seconds, the 100-yard dash in 14.5 seconds, the long jump in 2.5 feet, and the high jump in 3.0 feet. His performance was impressive, not only for his age, but also for his determination.

These competitive efforts will likely lead to his participation in future sports.

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Future of supervisor seat still unclear

Sally Stutsman is set to leave the Board of Supervisors, officials have yet to decide how to pick her replacement.

By BRENT GRIFFITHS

The election may be over, but at least one more decision remains in the Johnson County government.

Johnson County Supervisor Sally Stutsman was elected to the Iowa House in a newly formed House District 77. Stutsman will vacate her current seat on the five-member board before the Legislature convenes on Jan. 14, 2013.

“It’s deserving for her to go, and she will not leave Johnson County with-out a noticeable full of things we want her to work on. I’m excited when we have leave from legislators, will you, with no reservation.” Supervisor Jannelle Buley said. “Maybe in the middle, because you’ll still be a supervisor, but we’ll already be working hard on helping you.”

Stutsman and Buley do not have an exact date in mind for the vacancy, but probably at the end of this year, Stutsman will have a more concrete plan after talking to the district attorney and attending the post-election meeting she will have in Des Moines on Saturday, but at this point, they said they will have to replace the seat before the end of 2013.

“Ideally, I would love to have an appointed position for someone who is not going to seek re-election,” Stutsman said after the meeting. “I would not want someone to use the power of the illegitimi- cacy to get a leg up in a compete-
tion.”

Stutsman’s replacement will be determined by one of three options, as set in Iowa code. An appointment could be made by the county auditor, recorder and treasurer; or they could call for a special election, at an estimated cost of $55,000. A petition from citizens could also call for a special election. While one supervisor agreed with Stutsman’s concern over costs, he believes the two years left on her term are too long for an appointment.

“We always about the cost, but I’m uncomfortable about the race.” Supervisor Pat Harney said. “Obviously, it’s not the best way.”

We should have the opportunity to select a candidate and have a bal-
anced process.”

Harney’s feelings are shared with another super-
visor who said the cost of a special election is high, but the length of the remaining term would make it worth-while.

Rich and Patti Schmitz are this year’s Mom and Dad of the Year.

By QUEEN MisiAG

Made of more than simple brick and mortar, communities are built upon local leadership, said Supervisor Dennis Neuzil, and in general, people who genuinely care not only for themselves but the places they call home.

Following a yearly tradition, organizers of the University of Iowa Family Weekend — Sat-
turday through Nov. 11 this year — choose two special parents who go above and beyond to im-
prove the conditions and livelihood of their com-
munity and its people.

The annual Mom and Dad of the Year selection is conducted by UI honor societies Mortar Board, Omicron Delta Kapp-

alpha, with generous sup-
port from the UI Parents Association, the Univer-
sity Bookstores, and the Alumni’s Department.

This year’s recipients, Rich and Patti Schmitz of Waterloo, experi-
enced devastation and tragedy firsthand. Rich had been diagnosed with lymphoma; daughter, UI student An-
na Schmitz, said her mother kept her head up in the face of the disease, and she was first elected in 1999.

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gingHorizon is made at the state-level, and how they affect locally at the county-level,” she said. “Legislators don’t always understand how decisions affect anoth-
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One thing was clear in the presidential election, a man who has excellent communication skills but was not qualified to be president, lost to an individual who is not qualified to be president. The economic problems that Obama is governing, the corruption levels, with the media and the party establishment on the ability of big money, the long-term interest and influence of money, the political system.

The goals are to provide education to alert people so that no one has to walk away in good faith. But, because if we notice the warning signs, violence. The university program, according to the Domestic Violence on campus. "Dating relationships," said Linda Kroon, director of the Men’s Anti-Violence Action Center. “Dating violence may prove to be a critical wellness, for victims of an abusive dating relationship, or stalking by an intimate partner. Most of the assaults occurred before victims reach the age of 25. As many as one-third of college women reported to have been a victim of an abusive dating relationship, according to a survey released last year by Columbia University Health Services.

In Iowa, problems with the system of unlimited campaign contributions have been even more prominent in the state’s democratic process. While super-PAC money — which overwhelmingly benefits candidates who have the money to buy access to the media and the party establishment on the ability of big money — has been a preserve of the wealthy, the desire to raise unlimited campaign contributions has been a focus of candidates who want to show that they are above the political fray.

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"I'm very concerned about the impact of the super PAC money," said Sen. Lisa Murkowski, a Republican from Alaska. "We need to come up with a way to change the system so that people can have access to the political process without having to rely on the influence of big money."
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Thursday. The Boilermakers defeated the Hawkeyes, 3-0. (The Daily Iowan/Tessa Hursh)

For Hawkeyes, NCAA field is path to prosperity

by Molly Irene Olmstead • The Daily Iowan

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THE CLASH OF DISAPPOINTMENTS

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Iowa forward Melsahn Basabe tries to block the ball against Quincy Om Carver-Hawkeye Arena on Sunday. After two years of opening the season as a starter, Basabe will begin the 2012-13 on the bench. (The Daily Iowan/Iowan/Joshua Housing)

By Ben Ross

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Iowa head coach Kirk Ferentz acknowledged the in- ability his team has had to score touchdowns consist- ently throughout this season. "We've got to get in better in the critical situations, especial- ly in the red zone."

Purdue's statistical rankings aren't much better. The Boilermakers are 11th in the conference in defense, allowing almost 420 yards per game. They don't have anyone in the top 15 in the conference in rushing. But they did come perhaps the closest of any team to knockoff unbeaten Ohio State on Oct. 20, falling in overtime to the Buckeyes. Ferentz said his team needed to expect that Purdue team, not the 0-5 version. "I thought they were a dangerous team in the summertime," Ferentz said. "That was one team I really

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Iowa head coach Kirk Ferentz acknowledged the inability his team has had to score touchdowns consistently throughout this season. "We've got to get in better in the critical situations, especially in the red zone."

Purdue's statistical rankings aren't much better. The Boilermakers are 11th in the conference in defense, allowing almost 420 yards per game. They don't have anyone in the top 15 in the conference in rushing. But they did come perhaps the closest of any team to knockoff unbeaten Ohio State on Oct. 20, falling in overtime to the Buckeyes. Ferentz said his team needed to expect that Purdue team, not the 0-5 version. "I thought they were a dangerous team in the summertime," Ferentz said. "That was one team I really

The Iowa field-hockey teams senior plan to leave everything on the pitch this weekend during the first round of the NCAA Tournament.

Iowa's field-hockey team still hadn't peaked with one weekend left in the regular season. Senior Geena Lesiak was still confident, but she didn't think her team had played to its potential with just two regular-season games remaining. "But I think we can," she said on Oct. 23, before Iowa took on then-eighth-ranked Northwestern. "I think we'll see it in the upcoming weeks.

She was right.

A number of the Iowa field-hockey seniors agreed that their team hadn't hit its stride prior to the Big Ten tournament. The Hawkeyes were still waiting to play two com- plete halves of a game with minimal mistakes, a stout defense, and a blistering frontline attack.

Iowa forward Melsahn Basabe tries to block the ball against Quincy Om Carver-Hawkeye Arena on Sunday. After two years of opening the season as a starter, Basabe will begin the 2012-13 on the bench. (The Daily Iowan/Iowan/Joshua Housing)

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The Iowa men’s basketball team will open the season against Texas-Pan American tonight with much in tow.

The Hawkeye boast a shiny new pack of freshmen and veterans from a team that ended a postseason drought last season. And, hopefully for Iowa head coach Fran McCaffery, the squad has a rejuvenated sixth-man, too.

Two seasons ago, Melsahn Basabe started 35 games and averaged 11 points, and 6.8 rebounds per game on route to being named the Big Ten Freshman team.

He arrived at summer camp a bit out of shape with added weight last season, and it showed on the stat sheet. The for- ward’s production dipped to the tune of 8.2 points, and 4.6 rebounds in only 21 starts.

"The only thing that matters is if I'm doing whatever it takes to help my team," Basabe said. "I'm not talking about scoring or getting rebounds, but I want to do whatever it takes to help the team win."

"Mentally, I wasn't ready last year, and physically, I wasn't in shape," Basabe said. "This summer I worked on my diet and I think I'm ready this year and I wasn't in shape," Basabe said. "This year I feel good and need to get it done."

Basabe's reclamation project was about to find its early footing from the sidelines.

After two years of opening the season on the floor, the upperclassman will begin 2012 on the bench as the Hawkeyes "athletic." Basabe didn't seem thrilled with the idea of not being among the roster's top five, but he maintained a team-first men- tality. He expressed his desire and willing- nesse to do whatever it took to help the Hawkeyes win.

"The only thing that matters is if I'm helping the team," he said. "If I'm playing well enough, I'm sure coach will start me"