Police: UI thefts down

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From May 16 to July 29, UI police officers have seen an almost 21 percent decline in reported thefts from 2012.

Reported theft cases by University of Iowa Police

Degrees of theft in the state of Iowa

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SOURCES: The National Association for Shoplifting Prevention

Nodo

The Goosetown neighborhood café will expand its footprint to downtown Iowa City in August.

The predominantly sandwich-focused café will open its doors under the name of Nodo, 5 S. Dubuque St., under the start of the University of Iowa’s fall semester on Aug. 26, co-owner Bryan Asklof said.

Asklof said he and business partner Josh Silver will have a more firm opening date beginning the first week of August.

“The property much started with an empty box,” Asklof said, noting that neutral, light-colored walls, with wood details.

Group takes aim at health

The Iowa Department of Human Services has commissioned various workgroups to discuss the future of Iowa’s public health care.

By CASSIDY RILEY

State officials hope to increase the affordability and availability of public health care, and the Iowa Department of Human Services has commissioned the help of Christopher Atchison, the director of the Institute for Public Health Practice at the University of Iowa.

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THEFT CONTINUES TENTATIVE

Their theft scheme continues, and because they often lack serious character, they have a quick turnover rate. Several times this year, especially around Halloween, police have received reports of break-ins and thefts. Police are typically a step behind in tracking down these crimes, which can occur during any season.

UI police crime-prevention

Unidate, Poole and in the past several years, the department has increased its bicycle theft initiatives in efforts to bring down the number of reported thefts.

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 They have witnessed the addition of two new crime prevention officers since last year, a new center service, a recreation of the community kitchen and a new system for reporting.

A new system for reporting

Last year, the Riverfront Center had a significant increase in thefts. The center now has a new system for reporting, which is accessible through the center's website or by calling the police department. The system allows users to anonymously report incidents, providing an additional layer of protection for the community.

HEALTH

GROUPS

Begining January 1, 2014, the Medicare and DSHS will begin to enroll Medicaid, the nation’s largest public health program, in an effort to reduce the number of uninsured. The groups have partnered to enroll individuals who are eligible for Medicaid, offering them the opportunity to receive health insurance at no cost. The groups have also created a new website, enrollindiana.com, to help individuals enroll in Medicaid.

FBI

A series of break-ins and thefts have affected the area, particularly in the Riverfront Center. The FBI is investigating the incidents and has urged the public to be vigilant.

DEADLINE

The deadline for submitting theamaha musical instrument sweeps is January 31, 2013. The sweeps offer a variety of prizes, including pianos, organs, and other musical instruments. Interested individuals are encouraged to submit their entries before the deadline.

THREATS

Donald Trump’s plan to build a wall along the border with Mexico has raised concerns among many people. The plan has faced opposition from both sides of the aisle, with various organizations and individuals expressing their concerns.

BRAHMIN

Brahmin is a luxury leather goods manufacturer known for producing high-quality leather products. The company has been praised for its commitment to sustainability and ethical practices. Brahmin’s products are available in a variety of styles and colors, offering a range of options for customers.

THREATENED

A number of threats have been made against Donald Trump, including bomb threats and death threats. The FBI is investigating the threats and has urged individuals to report any suspicious activity.

FIRE

The fire department has responded to several incidents in the area, including a fire at a local business and a car crash involving a pedestrian. The department is reminding residents to stay vigilant and report any incidents to the authorities.

HUNGER

The hunger situation in the area remains critical. The food banks have seen an increase in demand, and the community is encouraged to support local organizations and help those in need.

TOP STORIES

A top story in the local news is the recent increase in thefts and break-ins in the area. The community is encouraged to be aware of their surroundings and report any suspicious activity. The police department is increasing its patrols and working with neighborhoods to reduce crime.

FIRED

UI medical school

The Indiana University Medical School has fired a number of faculty members for violations of the university’s code of conduct. The firings have raised concerns about the university’s policies and practices.

FIRING

A local hair salon has fired an employee for violating company policies. The employee has been given the opportunity to return to work if they改正 their behavior and complete a training program.

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**METRO**

**Branstad hires more staff**

Iowa’s Campaign for President is looking to expand the range of its field directors.

In a Thursday afternoon press conference, Gov. Terry Branstad announced the formation of a new division: the Field Director Division — or the part of the campaign that will hire and train field directors.

The strategy aims to attack against a field with 60 full-time field directors who will need approximately 200 community organizers in each of the state’s 99 counties.

The division’s director, Nick Doores, Iowa native, said that the campaign has been in negotiations with two other Iowa-based companies.

That number will increase in coming weeks as the campaign looks to hire more field directors.

**Airport adds Florida flights**

Beginning Dec. 18, the Eastern Iowa Airport and Allegiant Air will offer flights between the white-sand beaches of Fort Myers and Sarasota’s island communities in southwest Florida.

The new direct connection marks officials and students will be on hand Sept. 16 to help inaugurate the Iowa State Fair.

**University of Iowa College of Business is paving the way in analytics**

The University of Iowa Tippie College of Business is paving the way for students interested in working with “big business and big money” by adding a new major: a master of business analytics.

The major will teach students to turn massive amounts of data into actionable insights.

**Information about the UI’s educational intersections of business, big data, and information technology, a skill increasingly sought by many companies.**

— by Kristen East

**Hawkeyes featured at State Fair**

A variety of Hawkeye-related events and programs will take place during this year Iowa State Fair in Des Moines.

The University of Iowa will feature the theme of “Hometown Hawkeyes.” Pictures of this year’s fair follows the theme of Moines.

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**UI lab assistant Jenika Shannon has a cold drink at the Village Inn on Tuesday after a day of helping her friends move. College students and others start to move into their new off-campus residences a month before the fall semester. (The Daily Iowan/Juan Carlos Herrera)**
Opposite: A proposal for tax reform is shown in a newspaper.

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- Stories in the Park, 10 a.m., Willow Creek Park
- Ophelia DeSoto — Stories for Patriots with Ulster's Disease, noon, Little, 215 S. Linn
- Iowa City Public Library
- DITV News and Inside Iowa
- Iowa City Public Library
- East Side Walking Club, 7:30 a.m.
- Iowa City Public Library
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- Aries (March 21-April 19): Overindulgence and overreacting will not pay off when it comes to domestic affairs. You are best to listen to what's being proposed and to weigh the pros and cons carefully before you make a commitment that you may find confusing.

- Taurus (April 20-May 20): Strive for perfection. Turn an idea into a profitable venture. Don't be afraid to speak up and let your wishes be known. You will succeed if you put an honest effort.

- Gemini (May-June): Mixing busineses with pleasures is likely to complicate your job. Focus on what you can do for others, and you will advance. A quick but practical response will get you in a favorable position regarding future prospects.

- Cancer (June 21-July 22): Take care of personal responsibilities. Your ability to take control and make things happen will put you in a great position to advance. A carefree attitude or lack of attention to detail may undo your fortitude.

- Leo (July 23-Aug. 22): Proceed with caution. Be wary of anyone asking too much or taking advantage of what you have to offer. Don't be afraid to speak up and let your wishes be known. You will succeed if you put an honest effort.

- Virgo (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Communicate, participate, and enjoy what life has to offer. You will find out information that can help you advance. Get more involved in the activities that you believe you can make a positive contribution to. Love is in the stars.

- Libra (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Don't be too quick to judge or to believe what you hear. You can, and should, look at others' needs, professional opportunities that can lead to a better future, but make sure your motives are right before you make a decision.

- Scorpion (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Think, experiment, and follow through. You are good at what you do and what you do so. Let your imagination lead the way and your heart decide what's best for you. Your courage and enthusiasm will help you move forward.

- Sagittarius (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Play hard, have fun, and enjoy what's offered. Everyone is weighing your decision. The element of surprise will be your best weapon when you face competition. Challenges at home that will help you cover your overhead should be considered.

- Capricorn (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Make important decisions regarding your personal future. In business, a personal future in control will follow what others want if you protect your assets and set the standard for future direction. Romance is in the stars.

- Aquarius (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): You can learn through observation. Not everyone will offer a clear description of what's expected of you. Ask questions that will leave no room for misinterpretation. Changes to the way you live will wiff your spirits. Rely on emotional insight.

- Pisces (Feb. 19-March 20): Put pressure on anyone standing between you and your dreams. Let not emotional blackmail lead you down the wrong path. Set your sights on your goals, and follow through. Love is heading in your direction, as are other matters.
Kinnick gets new look

Technology makeover at Kinnick Stadium is nearly complete, just in time for the 2013 football season.

By Cody Goodwin

Iowa’s Theairra Taylor reaches for a loose ball against Penn State in Carver-Hawkeye Arena on Feb. 14. Penn State defeated Iowa, 81-69. (The Daily Iowan/File Photo)

Iowa’s dynamic new technology center ballroom is converted into an arena, which provides fans a special close-up view of the game. The ballroom could also be used for up to 3,000 fans.

“We are excited to debut the video walls and ‘ribbon board’ that extends the length of the end zone. The ribbon board will be used to broadcast game info, scores, high-definition video, and advertising.”

Rick Klatt, associate athletics director