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Nite Ride sees a rise

After a large drop after 2009, ridership on Nite Ride — a
free service that provides rides to women in Iowa City — is
rising. Officials are attributing the rise to the new
library commons and increased social-media presence.

The Nite Ride service on campus has seen an increment in ridership over the last year.

By LIZ ABRANDT

officials with the University of Iowa Nite Ride shuttle service and they have noticed an increase in the number of women taking up the blue leather seats every night.

But the Public Safety Department wants to see more riders using the service.

“I’d like to see a lot more riders, more people using it,”
said Ron Fradella, coordinator of the Security Division of Public Safety. “It’s a service provided to the university community, and I’d like to see people take advantage of the service provided for them.”

In 2009, the service provided 14,472 rides. In 2010, the number dropped to 12,794, then continued to steadily rise.

In 2013, there were 13,395 riders.

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Health team faces challenge

The cancer battle may be tough, but with the support of the health-care staff at the University of Iowa Children’s Hospital, the families fight strong.

By ABIGAIL WEIR

Child-life specialists and other members of the University of Iowa Children’s Hospital staff use children’s books to explain the worst possible scenario to those losing their battle with childhood cancer.
The parents sit with the children in their laps, leaning through one of the hospital’s worn books, as the families begin their journey.

These stories feature pets, who by the story’s end, pass away.

Another dorm sex assault reported

The latest student sexually assaulted in a residence hall is seeking charges.

By REBECCA MUNRO

The third sexual assault occurring in a University of Iowa residence hall in this school year was reported this past weekend, and the student will be the first person to pursue charges in a case of this nature.

A student reported a sexual assault to the University of Iowa police on Jan. 25 — the first of the semester. This assault reportedly occurred in a residence hall and by an acquaintance.

Last semester, four sexual assaults were reported, with each person reportedly being assaulted by acquaintances. Three of the four reported sexual assault victims chose not to press charges, and the other is under investigation.

Of the four assaults reported last semester, three were on campus, two in a residence hall.

The reported victim in the most recent case is the first to press charges.

Joseph Brennan, the UI vice president for Strategic Communications, said sexual assaults are taken seriously, and the university will continue to provide support to victims.

“One is too many, and we take these types of crimes very seriously,” he said. “We will continue to provide support and continue to pursue the investigation.”

The case is under investigation.

Medical pot not likely

Bolkcom unable to find support among Democrats for medicinal marijuana.

By BRENT GRIFFITHS

DES MOINES — State Democrats and Republicans alike agree medicinal marijuana will not be legalized this session, which does not surprise Sen. Joe Bolkcom, D-Iowa City, but the number of questions and the amount of skepticism from either senators make passage not only unlikely this year but possibly for years to come.

“Many times, they say, ‘Well, it happened when two or three or four or five years go by, and then finally people are to the point where they are willing to move that,’ Bolkcom said. ‘(Working on a medicinal-marijuana bill) is a con-
Open dialogue between state government and the public: a significant step forward in education funding.

By Claire Chapman

In an effort to bridge the gap in education funding, the Legislature will be allowing the use of Johnson County sponsored funds for the first time in Illinois on Jan. 25. This move is a significant step towards the goal of ensuring that every student in Illinois has access to a quality education.

Johnson County officials have expressed support for the legislation, stating that the money will be used to fund initiatives that will benefit students across the state. The funds will be directed towards improving educational infrastructure, increasing teacher salaries, and providing additional resources to schools.

Mayor Sarah Goodman has praised the move, saying that it is a significant step towards ensuring that every student in Illinois has access to a quality education. "We are excited to see this legislation move forward," Goodman said. "It is a step in the right direction towards ensuring that every student in Illinois has access to a quality education."
Mural to return to Iowa

Jackson Pollock's Mural will return to Iowa this summer after two years of conservation work by the J. Paul Getty Museum and the Getty Conservation Institute of Los Angeles.

The painting will be displayed at the Sioux City Art Center from June 10 to April 10, 2015, as part of the UI Museum of Art's sharing project "Legacies for Iowa." The program provides pieces from the UI's 14,000-part collection to museums, art centers, and galleries free of charge.

The painting was removed from the former UI Art Museum in June 2008 when the Iowa River flooded the Arts Campus. It was then loaned to the Figge Art Museum in Davenport and sent to the Des Moines Art Center in 2012. Since this initiative began, more than 150,000 people have seen the art exhibitions.

The painting was donated to the UI by Peggy Guggenheim and is currently valued at more than $150 million. UI staffers have claimed the painting is one of the most valuable pieces in the UI's collection.

— By Stacey Murray

2014 RAGBRAI route released

The RAGBRAI route for 2014 is a return to its roots.

The Register's Annual Great Bicycle Ride Across Iowa is a seven-day bicycle ride across the state from west to east. For the first time, the ride will begin in Rock Valley and end in Guttenberg. The 418 miles includes overnight stops in Okoboji, Emmetsburg, Forest City, Mason City, Waverly, and Independence.

The ride will occur from July 20-26. The route is the third shortest and second flattest route in RAGBRAI history.

"It is a true northern Iowa route, and it's very flat," said RAGBRAI Director T.J. Juskiewicz. "And when we're up in that corner of northeast Iowa, the state is a little smaller."

Organizers are aiming to return RAGBRAI to its roots.

"There are no massive towns, " Juskiewicz said. "We're getting back to smaller communities, which are the perfect size for RAGBRAI."

— By Stacey Murray

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COLUMN

No hope for gun reforms

That our lawmakers, even those who have children, were gunned down in Newtown, Conn., and the most marginalized of us are being gunned down in how the NFA and gun control laws have been broken gun reform.

If a week ago, an engineering student at Purdue University allegedly killed a teaching assistant in a classroom, how has there been a school shooting for every week of the year, and the 20,000 presidential election, during which all guns lost in Tennessee and West Virginia in part because of his support for gun control, the Democratic Party essentially gave up on gun control while the Republican Party kept riding in on their Tea Party coattails. We reform such as the assault-weapons ban. When the people to activate momentum, gun control became a political issue.

And the American people who have apparently lost interest in reforming this country's gun policy with polling showing that Americans have returned to their pro-Newton skepticism. Americans are gunting to bring the issues back to the fore today. If gun control failed during the.

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What's your prejudic... All people have at least one stereotype that they want to live up to. Everyone has a bias, and some of us are more conscious of them than others. "People of color" is a category that's been around for a long time, and it has been pretty handy. The Human Library – a municipal ID program in 2009. Iowa City would be the third in the country, after New Haven, Conn., and in San Francisco, a community ID works as a library card as well. Given Iowa City's University of Iowa College of Law, the human rights commission's recommendation. It would bring a level of accessibility to basic, commonsense benefits that can bring convenience for more than just the underprivileged. New Haven, Conn., issued the first instance of a municipal ID card program in 2009. Iowa City would be the third in the country, after New Haven, Conn., and San Francisco, a community ID works as a library card as well. Given Iowa City's human rights commission's recommendation. It would bring a level of accessibility to basic, commonsense benefits that can bring convenience for more than just the underprivileged.

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EDITORIAL

Offered Deals

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UI adviser steams through ‘Jeopardy’

By Megan Deppe

A University of Iowa Study Abroad adviser advanced through five games of ‘Jeopardy.’

McNitt had dreamed of being on ‘Jeopardy’ for many years, having originally applied to be on the show in 2009 and later applying in 2011 and 2012.

There is an online test every January, then, if you pass the test, you might or might not get an email inviting you to an in-person audition, McNitt said.

McNitt auditioned on Nov. 15, 2012, and began to play one of the five games of ‘Jeopardy’ that are taped at any one time.

‘It didn’t feel real until I heard my name called out in the dressing room and started running on my name in memory of McNitt’s mother for the Leukemia and Lymphoma Society’s Light the Moon in Ireland, the other of her favorite moments.


The prize money will be split between paying for her college and bone-marrow registry. She and Sprague said that the portion of the winnings will be used for her bone-marrow registry.

The shooting baffled authorities and shoppers.

Baltimore police said the gunman yelled, ‘This is for you,’ before opening fire.

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NITE RIDE (Continued from top)

Josh Klaren, a Public Safety senior at 15th Ave. and Nite Ride driver, said he has the opinion that the spreading of information about the program through word of mouth and social media actually, Klaren said, the Updated Library Commune, opened 24 hours, has created more of a demand.

DANCE MARATHON

The health staff sup- port the parents as they then explain—sometimes to children under the age of 5—that like animals in the wild, they too, are in danger.

A family walks into the Children’s Mercy Hospital waiting to receive a diagnosis of their child suffering from cancer. They hope to receive a diagnosis of a cure, or to be told that their child has survived cancer.

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“The president sees this as a year of action to work with Congress where he can and to bypass Congress where necessary,” White House Press Secretary Jay Carney said. The act-or-else posture bristled Republicans. “The president has sort of hung out on the left and tried to get what he wants through the bureaucracy as opposed to moving to the political center,” said Sen. Mitch McConnell of Kentucky, the GOP Senate leader. Added Sen. Rand Paul, R-Ky.: “It sounds vaguely like a threat, and I think it also has a certain amount of arrogance.”

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Today’s events

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- English Language Discussion Circles, 7:30 a.m., 103 Pupillo Teaching Laboratory
- Iowa Center for Retired Professionals: “How to Help Your Senior Citizen Find。”
- Joint Horizons Planning Workshop: “Creating a Positive Legacy,” 3 p.m., 103 Pupillo Teaching Laboratory
- Midwest Iowa Regional Society: “The Future of the Internet: A Panel Discussion,” 7:30 p.m., 103 Pupillo Teaching Laboratory

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When your work speaks for itself, don’t interrupt.— Henry J. Kaiser
Tennis starts with bang

The Hawkeyes women’s tennis team hit on all cylinders on Jan. 25 in the Hawkeye Tennis Recreation Complex as the Iowa women’s gymnastics team marched in front of a sea of students, coaches and fans on Jan. 24 as the Iowa GymHawks stumbled against Nebraska, 196.450-193.250. (The Daily Iowan/Tyler Finchum)

Iowa gymnast Amanda Kowalski performs on the beam during the match against Nebraska in Carver-Hawkeye on Jan. 24. The rest of the team; the two Culloch led the way for the Seaborne and Morven McComb's resilience and aggression in the evening. The No. 9 Nebraska Hawkeyes came back in strong form to face Northern Iowa, beating their second-highest team score of the season, but they ultimately fell to the two-time Big Ten champions Nebraska, 196-190-192-230.

The GymHawks posted a shut out Northern Iowa, 7-0. (The Daily Iowan/Alyssa Hitchcock)

Aimee Tarun, who made her début in the Iowa line-up against Nebraska-Omaha, and handled its first opponent, seemed to give the Hawks some confidence.
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Iowa 157-pounder Derek St. John wrestles Dylan Ness of Minnesota in Carver-Hawkeye on Jan. 25. Ness scored a decision in the dual after two matches, giving Minnesota the lead to 80 match points while the Hawkeyes compiled two dual wins this season. But what's also similar, there's a certain recipe for Iowa's chances to win. There were some things one can do. "Iowa's Bobby Telford" said the Hawkeyes on Jan. 25.

Men
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The Hawkeyes average close to 80 match points while surrounding on average of around 94. But what's also similar in the losses is the opposition's ability to halt any sort of momentum for Iowa. Against Minnesota, Francale opened with a 6-1 lead, and each time Iowa managed to tie the team score—which it did twice—a Gopher wrestler snagged a victory to give Minnesota the lead back.

Against Penn State, Iowa actually led the dual after two matches, 6-5, before Penn State wrestlers compiled two straight victories to take a 9-6 lead. Derek St. John scored a decision to the score at 9 after five matches, only to watch his team's chances to win either away in the next four that Iowa has. "There's been some things one can do in the dual" Iowa's Bobby Telford said on Jan. 25.

Iowa guard Samantha Logic drives for a lay-up against Indiana on Jan. 25 in Carver-Hawkeye. The Hawkeyes defeated the Hoosiers, 84-75. (The Daily Iowan/Caitlin Rasching)

Wrestling
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From Scott Schiller at 197 — while Iowa posted five dual victories.

Regardless of their turn, the Hawkeyes knew how much talent Tom Liles' squad brings, and they're mature enough to be able to prepare to play against them in the same way that they prepared to any other opponent.

"It's still a top-tier program with one of the best coaches in the game, so we're just got to come out and be focused," senior Deyvon McCaffrey said of Northwestern.

"Always focusing on the task at hand. It's what has allowed McCaffrey's team to earn some key wins, while at the same time help forget about a few tough losses. "But our biggest worry is how your team is going to respond to tough situations, and for ours, it's been with amazing maturity," McCaffrey said.
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The Daily Iowan
Hawks forge maturity

By RYAN RODRIGUEZ

The Big Ten is arguably the toughest basketball conference in the United States. With so much talent and depth, every game must be approached seriously, forcing teams to always look ahead and prepare for what’s next on their horizon.

The Iowa basketball team is no exception. The Hawkeyes are on the heels of a win yet to pick up their first win of the season. Your next game is always the most important game because it’s the one next," sophomore guard Mike Gesell said.

Dejá-vu for wrestlers

The Hawkeyes have found a simple way to win.

A tough schedule has forced Iowa to prepare one game at a time.

Iowa guard Mike Gesell dribbles past Northwestern guard JerShon Cobb in Welsh-Ryan Arena on Jan. 25 in Evanston, Ill. The Hawkeyes defeated the Wildcats, 75-70. (The Daily Iowan/Margaret Wostrow)

There is much in common in both of the Iowa wrestling team’s losses this season.

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Head to dailyiowan.com for Sunday evening’s Matside webisode, in which we break down everything you need to know about Iowa wrestling.

Monday, January 27, 2015

UPCOMING HAWK-EYE SCHEDULE

Tuesday

Fran Booth vs. Northwestern, Evanston, Ill., 2:30 p.m.

Wednesday

Women’s basketball at Minnesota, Minneapolis, Minn., 7 p.m.

Friday

Women’s tennis at Missouri, Columbia, Mo., 7 p.m.

Saturday

Men’s basketball at Ball State, Muncie, Ind., 2:30 p.m.

Sunday

Women’s tennis against Canisius, Buffalo, N.Y., 1 p.m.

SPORTS

A lot of things went wrong for the Iowa wrestling team on Jan. 25. No. 3 Minnesota came into Carver-Hawkeye Arena and took home a 13-5 victory, handing the second-ranked Hawkeyes just their second loss of the season.

The first loss occurred when top-ranked and three-time defending national champion, Penn State stayed home and blew the doors off the Hawkeyes in December.

And, in many ways, the two losses are very similar. When Iowa lost to Penn State, it was because of a combination of bonus points and a lack of offense. The Nittany Lions won seven of the 10 bouts, and three of those wins — from David Taylor, Ed Ruth and Morgan McIntosh at 160, 197 and 285 pounds — came by major decision.

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Wednesday’s win over aluminum, Champaign, Ill., 2:30 p.m.

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