

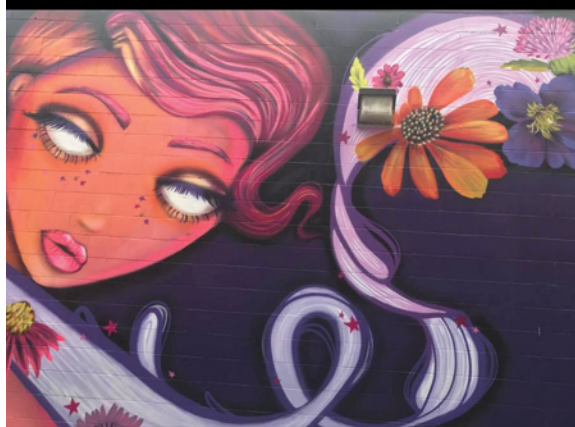
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WHERE'S WANDO?



WE'VE HIDDEN WANDO SOMEWHERE IN THIS ISSUE OF 365INK. CAN YOU FIND HIM?

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The issue so nice, I made it twice.

What a day this has been. My original Inkubator article was funny, I promise. And then today happened. The short story is, I'm an idiot. The long story is... gut-wrenching. To me anyway.

My trusty sidekick, Kristina is off in Korean, so I was doing this issue on my own. Finishing it anyway. She have it a nice head start before she dumped it in my lap past week. And like a good soldier, I put my head down and bulled through it. In fact, I did so good that the issue was done by lunchtime today. That's about 10 hours ahead of schedule. So I went out to lunch with a friend.

As I was only waiting for two last things to come in from contributors and since the internet at the office was slow today, I decided to pack up and go home to finish the paper. First I had to pick up this weeks CSA box of fresh veggies. Coco the miniature rescue wonder poodle and I went out to the jeep with our arms full. I set my laptop on the hood of the jeep, took the trash to the can and saw that Mr. Poopers got to take a leak. Then back to the Jeep and away we went. Only after my stop for veggies and then home did the panic hit me IMMEDIATELY. I left the laptop on the hood of the Jeep.

For 30 minutes I raced back and forth from my office to Inspire Cafe where the veggies boxes get delivered. It's was not on the side of the road. It was also not along my route from Inspire to my house. Trust me, I checks. Jeff Lenhart helped. Thanks Jeff. After quelling my huge desire to immediate vomit up my tasty lunch, I leveled my head and proceeded with purpose. This, despite basically the worst possible thing that could happen to me. Yes, the computed has been backed up, but not for a while. And, um, it's not like I have extras laying around.

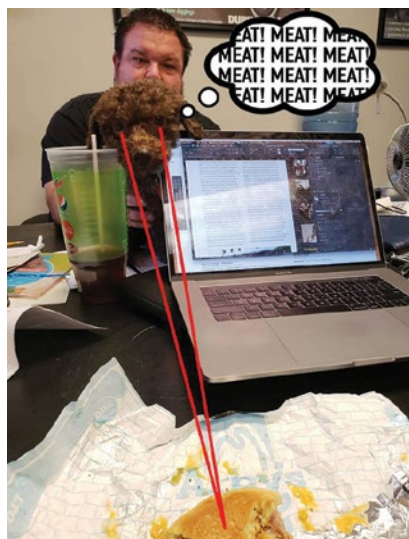
The police were very kind to check traffic cameras and confirmed to me that the laptop was NOT on the hood just a half block from my office. So that means it had to slide off immediate upon me leaving the parking spot behind my office. And it IS NOT THERE. So that leaves one real likelihood. Someone saw it in the alley and took it. It was is a nice padded case so it likely survived the fall. But just like my iPhone a year ago, I feel victim to the fact the people, in general, are no longer good-hearted.

My life is on that laptop. And more important, this issue of 365ink was on that laptop... DONE. It was DONE! And now it's gone. Thank all the gods that Kristina has sent me a download like to the files she had done to a point. It only took me three days after that point to finish the paper. Well, now it's 7 PM and I'm facing the need to completely rebuild the whole paper in 10 hours. I can do this right? Well, if you're reading this I guess I did. Thank all the gods also that unlike me, Kristina did have an extra Man laptop at home and let me break into her pad and snag it.

Hours later, my guy is still turning. I have soooooo much to solve after this paper goes to press. But I was like some kind of layout fool getting this thing done in just a few hours. I had none of the new files I had made or things I had written for the issue. I hav to admit in order to have a chance in hell of hitting my print deadline, I had to cut 4 pages of stuff. That totally sucks, but it's how the sausage is made I guess.

So please read this issue with a compassionate eye. Especially this article as it's is stupid late (or early in the morning) and nobody is awake to proof me. So if I was terrible with typos, before, welcome to fumble fingers 2.0! And everything is getting blurry. Is that bad?

Why can't people just be nice and do a good deed these days. I know it's my fault and I'm a colossal moron. But I'm one of the people who'd give it back. Why don't I ever find people's stuff?



Here's the last photo of my beloved laptop taked today. And my dog looking longingly over top of it at Jeff's Beef and Cheddar from Arby's.!

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THURSDAY, JUNE 14

5:30 PM @ HOTEL JULIEN DUBUQUE (200 MAIN ST)

Technori Dubuque is all about network-
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 stories and will be held at Hotel Julien
 Dubuque on June 14. Join the grow-
 ing network of entrepreneurs, business
 leaders, and interested community
 members to hear five promising Iowa
 tech startups pitch their businesses.

Networking, open bar, and appe-
 tizers begins at 5:30 p.m. followed
 by the Technori Startup Showcase at
 6:30 p.m. and TechBrew at 8 p.m.

Keynote speaker, Matt Davis, founder
 of gameFI, has had his work featured
 in Fast Company, Bloomberg, Yahoo
 Finance, MSN, Bankrate, TheStreet, and
 other national and international media

outlets. He was recognized as one of
 the Triad Business Journal's 40 Busi-
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Shake out your blankets, grab the kids,
 and head over to Eagle Ridge Resort &
 Spa in the Galena Territory for the 17th
 Annual Great Galena Balloon Race.

Prepare yourself for three days of
 family (and adult) fun including teth-
 ered balloon rides, Night Glow, a classic
 car show, and, of course, the balloon
 race! This year they are requesting a
 simple \$5 donation at the gate. There
 is free parking and a shuttle to the
 site. The Ale Fest and Wine Flights sell
 out so get your tickets in advance!

The Great Galena Balloon Race's mis-
 sion is to raise funds and awareness for
 juvenile diabetes. The proceeds from all
 purchases including but not limited to
 food and beverage purchases, ticketed
 events, and kids activities go to support
 the Juvenile Diabetes Research Founda-
 tion (JDRF) and scholarships for kids to
 attend Camp Hertko Hollow, a camp for
 children with diabetes located in Boone,
 IA. More than \$200,000 has been
 raised for JDRF from the support of the
 Great Galena Balloon Race. The money
 has gone to finding a cure for type 1
 diabetes, a disease that directly affects
 over 12,500 people in the Tri-State
 area. Eagle Ridge is the host sponsor

for the balloon race, and all activities
 take place on the North Course Practice
 Range at Eagle Ridge Resort & Spa.

"This event draws thousands of
 people to The Galena Territory year
 after year," said Thomas Ruhs, General
 Manager at Eagle Ridge Resort & Spa.
 "Visitors will experience a spectacu-
 lar three-day adventure with multiple
 balloon races, two night glows, bal-
 loon rides, a classic car show, live
 music, wine and beer sampling events,
 and activities for the whole family."

The Wundo Band returns at 5 p.m. on
 Friday night and the Adam Bartels Band
 takes the stage at 5 p.m. on Saturday
 night, adding great live music to the mix.
 Both nights also feature inflatable rides
 for the kids, and there will be a classic
 car show from 6 to 8 p.m. on Saturday.

The tethered balloon rides, wine
 tasting, great food, bounce houses, and
 live music mean there's something for
 everyone. We suggest you take cash
 for any purchases as there are no credit
 cards accepted at the event, but there
 is an ATM at the Inn. For more informa-
 tion, visit GreatGalenaBalloonRace.com
 or call the Eagle Ridge Resort
 & Spa at **800-898-2269**. ■

THURSDAY, JUNE 14



Dubuque Harley Davidson Bike Nights
5-9 PM @ DUBUQUE HARLEY DAVIDSON
June 14, July 12, Aug. 9, and Sept. 13. These outdoor parties feature grilled grub from Catfish Charlie's, cold beer and your chance to register to win a brand new 2018 Harley-Davidson Motorcycle. This month enjoy music from 4 Day Creep and a burnout contest. 50/50 raffle benefits the Veterans Freedom Center.

Local Food Takes Root with Author Beth Dooley

5:30 PM - 6:30 PM @ GALENA PUBLIC LIBRARY
A close look at the local food movement (where, when, and how it began), how it's evolved, and where it's headed. Samples will be available as well. Beth Dooley has covered the local food scene in the Northern Heartland for thirty years: she writes for the Taste section of the Minneapolis-St. Paul Star Tribune, and appears regularly on KARE 11 (NBC) television and MPR Appetites with Tom Crann. "In Winter's Kitchen" and "Savory Sweet: Preserves from a Northern Kitchen" will be available for purchase and signing.



School of Rock—The Musical

7:30 PM @ FIVE FLAGS THEATER
June 14-16. School of Rock, based on the hit movie, follows Dewey Finn, a failed, wannabe rock star who decides to earn an extra bit of cash by posing as a supply teacher at a prestigious prep school. There he turns a class of straight-A pupils into a guitar-shredding, bass-slapping, mind-blowing rock band. But can he get them to the Battle of the Bands without their parents and the school's headmistress finding out? Produced by student actors with Rising Star Theatre Company. Adults \$16; 18 and under \$13. 405 Main St. 563-589-4258. FiveFlagsCenter.com.



The Secret Garden

7:30 PM @ BELL TOWER THEATER
June 14-16 at 7:30 p.m. and June 17 at 2 p.m.
The Secret Garden is based on the classic novel.

This Tony Award-winning musical performed by area high schoolers tells the story of an orphan Mary who was sent to live with her reclusive uncle and his invalid son. \$12. 2728 Asbury Rd. 563-588-3377. BellTowerTheater.net.

POTOSI COMMUNITY BAND

7:30 PM - 9:00 PM @ EAGLE POINT PARK
Dubuque's own Tri-State Wind Symphony community band offers weekly Thursday evening concerts throughout June and July at the band shell in Eagle Point Park. This week they are visited by the Potosi (WI) Community Summer Band! Admission to the concert is free with admission to the park (cars \$1.00, annual pass \$10.00). Come early with a picnic and enjoy "the most beautiful band setting in Iowa."



Jackson County Pro Rodeo

@ BELLEVUE HORSEMEN'S CLUB (BELLEVUE, IA)
June 14-16. Horse and bull riding, barrel racing, plus kids games, food, music, mechanical bull and more! BellevueRodeo.com.

FRIDAY, JUNE 15

A Day on the Farm Ag Tourism Expo

9 AM-3 PM @ DIGMAN'S FARM, (PLATTEVILLE, WI)
Celebrate agricultural tourism. Kids will enjoy a petting zoo, ag olympics, wagon rides, and free ice cream. Local food, wine, and cheese vendors will be present. Watch gardening, canning, and chicken demonstrations. The expo is free and fun for the whole family. Visit Platteville.com.



Cemetery Walk

7-8:30 PM @ GRACE EPISCOPAL CHURCH
309 HILL ST., GALENA, IL
In recognition of the 100th anniversary of the end of WWI, this year's annual Cemetery Walk will feature individuals who lived during that period. Some fought and died; others supported the war effort from home. This event combines history with the dramatic arts to tell true stories about important past Galenians. The individuals portrayed this year include: General Edward Davis, Bertha Moser Stryker, Susan Rouse, Kenneth Nagel, Harry Wendlender, Walter Ehrler, Leo Elwood Allen, Petronella Huber, and Gladys Holtkamp. This is a seated, indoor performance.

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JUNE 15, JULY 20, AUGUST 17, SEPTEMBER 7
4-9 PM @ TOWN CLOCK PLAZA

Dubuque Main Street invites you to celebrate the beloved FREE summer concert series, Dubuque... and All That Jazz!, on opening night: June 15, under the Town Clock. June's Jazz! features a special appearance by the Eleanor Roosevelt Middle School Band at 4 p.m. before festival favorite The Salsa Band (Orquesta Alto Maiz) takes the stage at 5 p.m. All Jazz! concerts are held under the Town Clock on Friday evenings, from 4-9 p.m. Food begins at 5 p.m.

Award winning graphic designer Michael Schmalz, Jr. of Refinery Design Company creates new custom artwork every year for Jazz!, and 2018 is no exception. Schmalz's designs run the gamut of colors, art styles, and impressions. Limited-edition prints of these artistic designs are prized by local Jazz! aficionados.

Jazz! also means the chance to connect with fellow Dubuquers over delicious dinner options from local food vendors, in addition to ice-cold beer and Pepsi products served under the Town Clock. This year's selection of food vendors includes: Adobos, Freddie's Popcorn, Chocolate Hog, Catfish Charlie's, Magoos, and Elle & Becks.

As for the rest of the season: July 20 brings 10 of Soul, Aug. 17 features The Final Mix and The Grand Opera House opens, and The Lonely Goats close out another Jazz season on Sept. 7 with a George Washington Middle School Opener.

For more information, visit DowntownDubuque.org or contact Michaela at Dubuque Main Street at 563-588-4400. ■



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BACK WATERS STAGE: COLT FORD

SATURDAY, JUNE 16

7 PM @ Q CASINO BACK WATERS STAGE (1855 GREYHOUND PARK RD)

Big time outdoor music is back for a third year at Q Casino as the Back Waters Stage, presented by American Trust, turns it up to an 11 with a great slate of country and rock headliners.

Check out the Back Waters Stage on June 16 to see Colt Ford. Colt is an American country rapper, singer-songwriter, entrepreneur, and former professional golfer. Supporting act Moonshine Bandits is an American country rap duo formed in California in 2003.

The Back Waters stage is located outdoors behind Q Casino. All events

held on the Back Waters stage will go on rain or shine and are open to all ages. A Turpin Dodge VIP ticket gets you stage front access and a free drink! GA tickets are \$35 and VIP are \$55. Children 10 and under will receive free general admission.

Enjoy ice-cold beer, mixed, drinks, wine, pop and water as well as various food vendors serving up great things for you to try!

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SATURDAY, JUNE 16

**Shake Rag Alley Garden Tour**

9 AM-4 PM @ SHAKE RAG ALLEY,
MINERAL POINT, WI

Shake Rag Alley Center for the Arts invites the public to spend a lovely summer day strolling through special gardens during the June 16 Garden Tour & Art Sale. Proceeds from the \$15 tickets to this biennial rain-or-shine event, which starts at the Lind Pavilion at 411 Commerce St., benefit Shake Rag Alley educational programming and historic preservation. In lieu of a plant sale, which will not be held to avoid the possibility of spreading the invasive jumping worm, visitors can browse a delightful selection of garden-themed art and crafts 9 a.m.-4 p.m. in the Lind Pavilion. Tickets and detailed map with garden descriptions are available from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. June 16 in the Lind Pavilion at 411 Commerce Street. Be sure to stop in and pick up a little something to enhance your gardening experience or to treat the gardener you love before or after exploring the participating gardens in and around the charming art community of Mineral Point.

smART Saturdays: Time Capsules

10 AM - 1 PM @ DUBUQUE MUSEUM OF ART

Time Capsules: Join in the long tradition of creating a time-capsule to preserve memories for the future. smART Saturdays offer a fun opportunity to connect with your child through flexible open-ended art projects designed to encourage creativity and thinking outside the box. Instruction and project guidelines will be provided, but individual expression is encouraged. Activities offered on a drop-in basis, however you must register by phone or online. More info on the DuMA website. Sponsored by: Runde Autogroup \$10 per child, member families \$5.

**Galena Chalkfest**

11 AM-6 PM @ GALENA CFA (GALENA, IL)

The lower parking lot of the Galena Center for the Arts will be transformed into a gigantic work of art, showcasing regional artists as they use their creativity to make artwork with chalk on an asphalt canvas. Call to

reserve a space to chalk it up. The featured chalk artist will be Emily Cotton Cram.

Brews & Blues

12-5 PM @ 113 W. ELM ST., LANCASTER, WI

Sample over 30 different brews and local wines at this music and beer festival. Enjoy blues Bands Madtown Mannish Boys and The Chris O'Leary Band. Tickets are \$10-\$35. Visit BrewsAndBluesWI.com.

**Exploding Science**

12 PM @ EAST DUBUQUE DISTRICT LIBRARY

122 WISCONSIN AVE., EAST DUBUQUE, IL.

Absolute Science is family entertainment for all ages. Magician Rick Eugene will mix his magic skills with science fun for this summer reading event. Come join the fun on Saturday, June 16th at noon. Free snacks too. If you haven't signed up for Summer Reading yet, you can do that at this event as well. Visit www.eastdubuquelibrary.com.

**Meet Author Sue Jarosh**

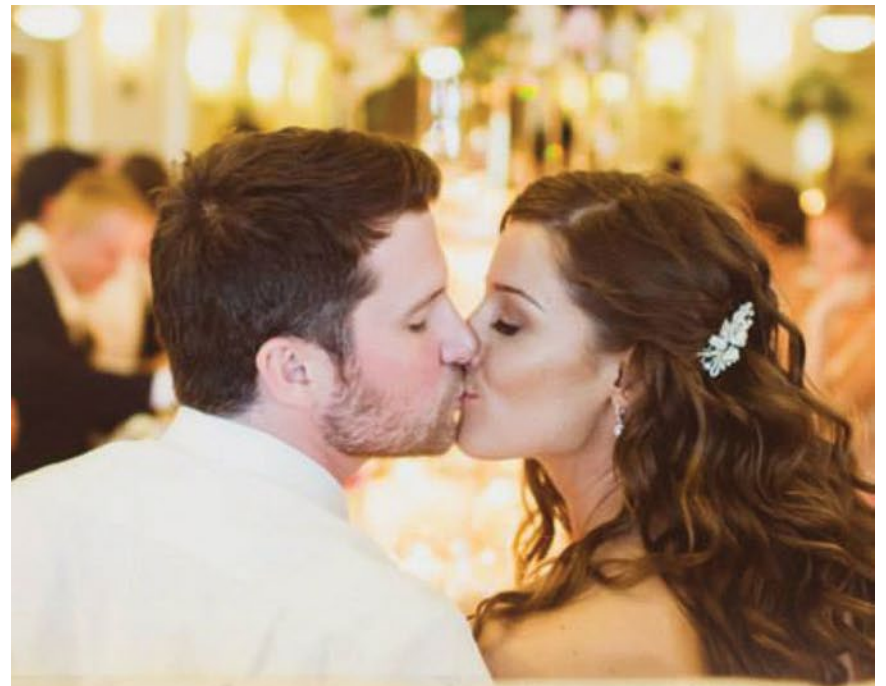
1 PM @ RIVER LIGHTS BOOKSTORE

Sue Steckart Jarosh and her husband, Joe, were elementary teachers in Dubuque. Her second book in the lighthouse series, *Baileys Harbor Range Lights Rascal*, is about the Range Lights in Baileys Harbor, WI, and the Larson family who actually lived there. The story is fictional, but the book includes historical facts and photos from the time the lighthouse was in operation. 1098 Main St. 563-556-4391. RiverLights.com.

**Juneteenth Celebration & Talent Show**

1 PM - 4 PM @ COMISKEY PARK,
24th & JACKSON STREET

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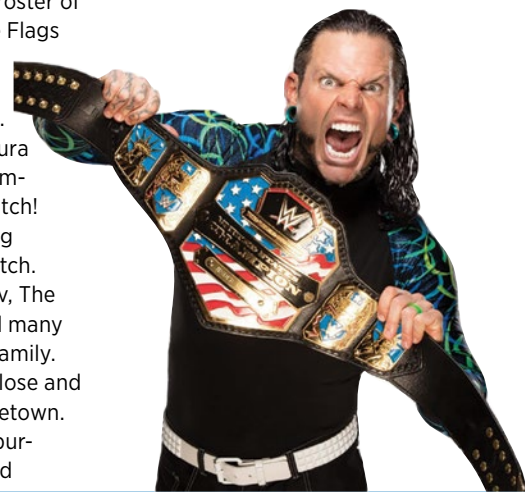
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WWE LIVE

SATURDAY, JUNE 16
7:30 PM @ FIVE FLAGS ARENA
(405 MAIN ST)

The wildly popular WWE Live professional wrestling tour returns to the Five Flags Arena on Saturday, June 16, at 7:30 p.m. After two very successful and well-received visits in 2017, the high-flying men and women of the legendary WWE are back for more with a roster of superstars sure to pack the Five Flags with wrestling fans of all ages on a huge Saturday night card. Watch Jeff Hardy vs. The Miz vs. Samoa Joe vs. Shinsuke Nakamura battle for the United States Championship in a Fatal Four Way Match! Also witness Daniel Btyan vs. Big Cass in a No Disqualification Match. Plus... The Usos, New Day, Rusev, The Bar, The Bludgeon Brothers and many more. This is fun for the whole family. See your favorite wrestlers up close and personal right here in your hometown. Tickets start at \$18 and can be purchased at **Ticketmaster.com** and

Five Flags Center box office, or charge by phone at **800-745-3000**. Five Flags Center Box office hours are Monday through Friday, 10 a.m.-5 p.m. For more information, visit **FiveFlagsCenter.com**. ■



TOUR OF GARDENS

SATURDAY, JUNE 23, 9 AM-4 PM
@ VARIOUS LOCATIONS IN DUBUQUE

The Dubuque County Master Gardeners in partnership with Dubuque Gardeners, Inc. will be showcasing some of Dubuque's best gardens. We have six very unique gardens on the tour this year. Garden themes range from a lemonade garden, jazz garden, hideaway garden, hosta garden, secretive garden, and a country garden. There will be three different mini workshops held at three of the gardens including the topics of: composting, perennials for small places, and hydrangeas. Tickets for the Tour of Gardens are \$10 per person and can be purchased on the day of the tour at any of the garden locations. Full details about the tour, including garden locations and mini-workshop schedule, can be also found on the event website: **dbqtourofgardens.com/2018-gardens**.



whimsical charm.

Workshop - Home Composting at 10:00 a.m. and 12:00 p.m.(noon).

3. Dick and Louise Strub 1060 Victoria Place

Incorporated into the garden beds are over 400 different Hosta species along with a wide variety of perennials and numerous antique iron pieces..

4. Sandi Besker and David Olson 909 Spires Dr.

Limestone terracing and many plantings including ground covers, grasses, iris, and hostas. A "tiny-house" greenhouse is a focal point.

5. Kassandra Powell and Karl Steichen 2393 Abbott St.

This perennial garden colorful and whimsical with Mississippi River driftwood and metal focal points throughout. Workshop - Perennials in a Small Space at 11:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m.

6. Deanna and Terry Biedermann 790 Boyer St.

Mature trees anchor an ornate tapestry of free form beds & more..

2018 Featured Gardens

1. Ron and Deb Schromen 8301 Southern Hills Court

There are several extensive gardens featuring a fountain, raised beds, walkways and beautiful retaining walls, accenting flowering perennials, bushes, ornamental trees and annuals. Workshop - Growing Hydrangeas at 9:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.

2. Pam and Bert Goffinet 1100 Victoria Place

Nested in the cul-de-sac is a modest yard with a plethora of color and

SATURDAY, JUNE 16



Hunter Fuerste Orchestra

6 PM - 8 PM, TURNER HALL,
115 S. BENCH ST., GALENA, IL

The Galena Foundation Concert features the nationally recognized, 14-piece Hunter Fuerste and His Vintage Orchestra. You'll be transported to another time with their authentic re-creations of the hits from the big band era of 1935 to 1945. Orchestra Director, Hunter Fuerste, painstakingly scores the music for each of the musicians in his entire orchestra by listening to vintage recordings on 78 rpm records. Performances regularly feature the hits of Glenn Miller, Tommy and Jimmy Dorsey, Artie Shaw, Benny Goodman, Harry James, Count Basie and many others. Although donations are welcome at the door, admission to the concert is free and the public is encouraged to attend.

MONDAY, JUNE 25



Mississippi River Art Workshops

Monday-Wednesday, June 18-20
(Tom Christopher) @ Dubuque, IA

Monday-Friday, June 25-29

(John Preston) @ DUBUQUE, IA
Mississippi River Art Workshops hosts workshops instructed by two top Midwest landscape artists. Tom Christopher specializes in pastel painting on textured surfaces. His work recently received Best of Show Award at the International Association of Pastel Societies annual competition. John Preston, whose work has been widely collected in the Midwest, is a specialist in quickly sizing up a landscape, creating a composition, and capturing a mood. His past classes have been highly praised for his teaching and mentoring. Cost is \$240-390. Visit BluffStrokes.org/MRArtWorkshops.cfm.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 20

IBM and US Bank Blood Drive

10 AM-3 PM @ ROSHEK BUILDING, 700 LOCUST ST.
IBM and US Bank are hosting a lifesaving blood drive! The blood drive is held in the Lobby of the Roshek Building from 10 AM-3 PM. Join the #MissingTypes campaign and help ensure patients have the blood products they

need. All presenting donors will receive a coupon for a FREE pint of Culver's custard!

THURSDAY, JUNE 21

Junior Achievement Business Hall of Fame

6 PM - 8:30 PM @ DIAMOND JO CASINO

The JA Business Hall of Fame recognizes individuals who demonstrate an entrepreneurial vision, serve as role models and positively contribute to the overall growth and development of the Tri-State Area. Join for cocktails and reception at 6 PM and dinner and induction at 7 PM. \$875 per table (10 seats) or \$80 per person. For more information, visit our website or contact Katie at Katie.sothmann@ja.org or 309-277-3919.



PechaKucha Night Dubuque, Volume 12

7 PM - 9:30 PM @ CONVIVIVUM URBAN

FARMSTEAD (2811 Jackson Street)

Come hear local stories from passionate people, told in the traditional PechaKucha 20x20 format. This event is free, with a \$5 cash donation suggested. Drinks and food are available for purchase. Thank you to our amazing host, Convivium Urban Farmstead. www.pechakucha.org/cities/dubuque.



Tri-State Wind Symphony

7:30 PM - 9:00 PM @ EAGLE POINT PARK

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FRIDAY, JUNE 22

ARC Corporate and Community Games

5 PM - 10 PM @ PORT OF DUBUQUE

Area Residential Care's Annual Corporate & Community Games is one of their largest fundraisers, raising money to support the mission of empowering people with intellectual disabilities to achieve their highest quality of life. Teams of 8-10 players from businesses around the tri-state area come together to compete by playing several team building, brain-teasing and physical games. Join some silly games for a serious mission. \$200 team registration. www.arearesidentialcare.org/corpgames.

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THE SINGING COWGIRLS

SATURDAY, JUNE 23

4 PM @ DUBUQUE COUNTY LIBRARY ASBURY BRANCH (5290 GRAND MEADOW DR)

Award-winning musician and educator Aspen Black's "The Singing Cowgirls" program is part of the Dubuque County Public Library's Summer Reading series on June 23, 4 p.m. at the Asbury Branch.

Music is the national Summer Reading theme for 2018. "The Singing Cowgirls" program is an interactive musical and cultural presentation by award-winning singer/songwriter and educator Aspen Black. Participants will discover historical and modern aspects of cowboy and cowgirl life through active listening, call and response, role-play, rhythmic body movements, singing, playing hand instruments, and dance. Children will get a glimpse into the contributions of Spanish, Native American, and northern European cultures in shaping the American West, the role of horses, mules, and cattle in modern day ranching, and traditions that keep the old west alive today. The program is targeted at toddlers—pre-teens and their families.

Aspen Black is a bona-fide cowgirl. She lives on a ranch and has trained

several world-class competitive barrel racing horses over her 26-year career as a horse trainer and riding instructor. She is also a singer/songwriter, poet, non-fiction author, multi-instrumentalist, and visual artist. Based in Rocky Mount, VA, she travels the country presenting educational programs, concerts, and workshops for all ages. Aspen's *Lovin' the West* CD won the 2017 Rural Roots Music Commission's Classic Western CD of the Year and her *Eastern Western Cowgirl* CD won the 2015 Rural Roots Music Commission's Female Country-Western CD of the Year. Aspen is joined by her 13-year-old daughter, Alice Black, an award-winning youth singer-songwriter and performer.

Children and families are encouraged to come out to the Asbury Branch to participate in "The Singing Cowgirls" program. Everyone attending is invited to dress up in the cowboy, cowgirl, or western style to add to the fun. The program is free to the public. ■

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FRIDAY, JUNE 22



Colts Summer Premiere

7 PM @ CHALMERS FIELD, UNIV. OF DUBUQUE
Join the Colts and Colt Cadets for their eight annual summer premiere, as they present their 2018 on-field performances for the first time to the public. The 230+ members of both corps appreciate the tremendous support they receive from the community. The University of Dubuque will have a wide variety of concessions available for purchase. Gates open at 6:00 p.m. Admission is free and open to the public. Visit Colts.org.



Artists Unite for All Art Sale/Auction

JUNE 22 - JULY 27th

Opening: Friday, June 22, 7 PM

GALLERY C, SCHMID INNOVATION CENTER

Carmela Cordero of the Hispanic Council of the Tri-State Area has been collecting art work from artists that will be sold to support area immigrants through these challenging times. Life here in the United States can be challenging for all of us. Now imagine not having a legal right to work here, not knowing the language, not having access to the same health care, or having the right to drive. Now imagine living with all these challenges and living with the fear that you or a family member could be arrested, detained and sent back the country you were so desperate to leave that you were willing to risk your life to get here. Artists participating in the Artists Unite for All Art Sale/Auction at the Gallery C June 22 through July 27th believe hard working people supporting families should not have to live in fear in our community. Opening night will be June 22nd at 7:00 PM and hosted by Carmela Cordero of the Hispanic Council of the Tri-State Area and immigrant advocate Mauricio Castaneda and feature the art of Ken Bichel, Stormy Mochal, Gail Chavenel, Doug Reynolds, Tony Molina, and many more. We don't have to stand on the sidelines while our neighbors live in fear.

SATURDAY, JUNE 23

Corkless in Galena

12 - 7 PM @ 91 BOUTHILLER ST, GALENA, IL
For the fourth year, the Northern Illinois Wine Growers, a nonprofit group of local wineries, vineyards, wine grape growing enthusiasts are host this wine



festival. The live music includes Jordan Daniels & Jef Spradley, The Jimmys, and The Lonely Goats. Tickets are \$16 in advance and \$20 at the gate, which includes admission, five wine/food sampling tickets and a Festival Wine Glass. Additional wine/food tickets are \$1. Visit CorklessGalena.com.

SUNDAY, JUNE 24



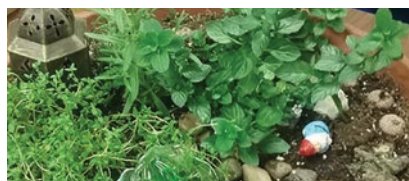
Dubuque Local Author Fair

1-4 PM @ CARNEGIE-STOUT PUBLIC LIBRARY

Book lovers are invited to join Carnegie-Stout Public Library as they celebrate the achievements of Dubuque's Local Authors at the Dubuque Local Author Fair on Sunday, June 24. The doors will open at 1:00 PM.

Learn more about the writing and publishing process from local authors including special guest Heather Gudenkauf at 1:30 PM, followed by presentations by other local authors from 2-4 PM. River Lights will have copies of books by local authors available for purchase. Authors will be available to sign autographs and answer your questions.

Participating authors include: Bruce Bothwell, Julianne Couch, Allan Ede, Larry Friedman, Maurine Harris, Erin Keyser Horn, William Jablonsky, E.M. Johnson, Mary Potter Kenyon, Carole Bartels Loetscher, Marianne Maili, Patrick McLaughlin, Cindy Nielsen, Constance Powell, Joe Potosi, Gerda Preston-Hartman, Jacob Gustav Robertson, Julie Schulte, Barbara Even Streif, and Adam Wacker.



Herb Society Festival

10 AM-2 PM @ DUBUQUE ARBORETUM

The Herb Society puts on an amazing display that you can taste, see, and smell. There will be free food, a workshop for kids, as well as handmade soaps, cleaners, and foods available for sale. The festival also includes free guided tours of the Herb Garden. Admission is free. Visit DubuqueArboretum.net.



Murder at the Fish Fly Club

Sunday, 06/24, 5 PM @ STONE CLIFF WINERY, 600 STAR BREWERY DR.

Murder Mystery Dinner Theatre with the Brew Ha Ha Players. A night of mystery and intrigue in the wild and romantic era of the roaring 20's! Buzz Nessman, the owner of Dubuque's most popular speakeasy—the Fish Fly Club—has just been murdered. Was it the prohibitionist NA O'Doul or Buzz's jealous business partner Bootleg Willie? Maybe it was the jazz singer Bea Sharpe or perhaps Betty Jane—Buzz's sweet-but-not-so-innocent mistress. Join the bumbling detective, Jack Slickman, as the murder unfolds before your very eyes. Call **563-583-6100**, ext 203; Reserve online: stonecliffwinery.com.

THURSDAY, JUNE 28

Tri-State Wind Symphony
"Star Spangled Spectacular"

7:30 PM - 9 PM @ Eagle Point Park Bandshell

This week, TSWS is visited by the Potosi (WI) Community Summer Band! Dubuque's own Tri-State Wind Symphony community band offers weekly Thursday evening concerts throughout June and July at the band shell in Eagle Point Park. Admission to the concert is free with admission to the park (cars \$1.00, annual pass \$10.00).

SATURDAY, JUNE 30



Pancreatic Cancer 5k Walk/Run

8 AM-12 PM @ THEISEN'S SUPPLY

Michael W. Oglesby Foundation's Faj Squad 5k walk/run to raise awareness and funds for pancreatic cancer research on Saturday June 30. The event will be held at the Theisen's Supply Inc. at 6201 Chavenelle Road, from 8 AM-12 PM. There will be food, drink, beer, music and silent auction along with the run. Contact Diane @ dmrambousek04@gmail.com.



Shenandoah Pro Rodeo

June 30 & July 1, 7:30 PM

@ SHENANDOAH RIDING CENTER

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SEASON TICKETS ON SALE MONDAY, JUNE 25!

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THURSDAY, JULY 19

6:30 PM

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TRI-STATE INDEPENDENCE CELEBRATIONS PREVIEW

Fireworks & Duck Race

SUNDAY, JUNE 24, 5 PM

@ **CAMP ALBRECHT ACRES (SHERRILL, IA)**
Albrecht Acres hosts its annual Fireworks and Duck Race fundraising event, Sunday, June 24. Gates for the event open at 5 p.m. with the duck race at 8 p.m. and fireworks set to begin at dusk. Admission to the event is just \$5 per person or \$15 per carload (pile in!), with kids 12 and under free. Food and drink will be available for purchase with kids' games, face painting, and a fishpond available and beanbags for adults. Proceeds of the event benefit the campers at Camp Albrecht Acres. 14837 Sherrill Rd, Sherrill, IA. AlbrechtAcres.org

East Dubuque Independence Day

SATURDAY, JUNE 30, 9:30 PM

@ **DOWNTOWN EAST DUBUQUE, IL**
East Dubuque gets a jump on celebrating Independence Day, hosting their annual Fireworks on Saturday, June 30. The display goes off shortly after dark, around 9:30 p.m. Earlier events include a wiffle ball, sand volleyball and bean bag tournaments, hay rides at 4 PM, The Barfly's play 5-9 PM with Drum and Bugle Corps Presentation at 7 PM. Plus Miller's Petting Zoo, Trackless Train and Bounce houses. And Food Trucks galore!

56th Annual Bellevue Heritage Days

JUNE 30-JULY 2 @ **BELLEVUE, IA**

Bellevue celebrates Heritage Days and the Independence Day holiday with a weekend of family-friendly activities and attractions. Enjoy carnival rides all three days. July 1 featured the Golden Knights at 1 PM, Hypnotist Jim Wand at 4 PM, Waterski Show at 6 PM and Fireworks as Dusk.



Radio Dubuque / Dubuque Jaycees Fireworks and Airshow on the River

SATURDAY, JULY 2

Southwest Tech in Fennimore, WI, 10 AM
The US Army Golden Knights jump at Southwest Tech in Fennimore, WI
Kennedy Mall, 1-8 PM
Military displays, US Army display. Enjoy a bounce house and games for the kids from Midwest Inflatables from 4-7:30 PM. Then the Golden Knights jump

into the Richardson Motors Drop Zone in the Kennedy Mall parking lot at 7 PM. Dubuque Airport Old Terminal, 4-6 PM
See the aircraft that will be flying in this year's July 3rd Air Show and meet the pilots flying the planes.

SUNDAY, JULY 3

S.W. High School, Hazel Green, WI, 10 AM
The US Army Golden Knights jump at Southwestern High School in Hazel Green, WI — get up close and personal with the Golden Knights and help them re-pack their chutes after their jump.

Dubuque Fireworks on the River Airshow, 6-8:30 PM @ HAWTHORNE ST.
Fireworks (Dusk - About 9:30)

The Independence Day celebration continues in AY McDonald Park next to the Hawthorne Boat Ramp just below Lock and Dam 11 Salute to our Heroes Air Show @ 6-8:30 PM featuring the Aerostars Demonstration Team, the U.S. Army Golden Knights Parachute Team, Mike Wiskus Lucas Oil Pitts Plane, US Navy F-18 Hornet, Navy MH-53E Helicopter, USAF A-10 Thunderbolt, A-10/P-51 Heritage Flight, USMC Osprey and more! Then, of course, the biggest fireworks display around at dusk over the mighty Mississippi.

Dyersville Independence Day

MONDAY, JULY 3, 5 PM

@ **COMMERCIAL CLUB PARK (DYERSVILLE, IA)**
The Dyersville Independence Day Celebration will be held Sunday, July 3 at Commercial Club Park. Enjoy food stands, games, and entertainment. Although the fireworks begin around dusk.

Galena Independence Day

TUESDAY, JULY 4, 10 AM

@ **MULTIPLE LOCATIONS**

PARADE AND FIREWORKS

6 PM @ DOWNTOWN GALENA, IL

The annual parade begins at 6 p.m. Live entertainment continues from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m. on the Green Street Plaza. Then at dusk, the fireworks will be launched from Grant Park and visible from all over downtown.



55th Annual Ham House Ice Cream Social

TUESDAY, JUNE 4, 11 AM-4 PM

@ **MATHIAS HAM HOUSE**

The patriotic celebration takes place at the Mathias Ham House Historic Site, 2241 Lincoln Ave., from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Visitors can tour the rooms of the stately Ham House, experience frontier life at the Arriandeau Log House and Humke one-room school, listen to live music, participate in colonial activities, and hear the thunder of cannon fire. ■

P MOVIE NEWS

COMING TO THEATERS

INCREDIBLES 2 (PG)

FRIDAY, JUNE 15

Everyone's favorite family of superheroes is back but this time Helen is in the spotlight, leaving Bob at home with Violet and Dash to navigate the day-to-day heroics of "normal" life. It's a tough transition for everyone, made tougher by the fact that the family is still unaware of baby Jack-Jack's emerging superpowers.



TAG (R)

FRIDAY, JUNE 15

Five highly competitive friends hit the ground running in a no-holds-barred game of tag they've been playing since the first grade—risking their necks, their jobs and their relationships to take each other down with the battle cry "You're It!" This year, the game coincides with the wedding of their only undefeated player, which should finally make him an easy target. But he knows they're coming... and he's ready.



SUPERFLY

FRIDAY, JUNE 15

The film that helped define a genre in its characters, look, sound, and feel—is reimagined with Director X, director of legendary music videos (Drake, Rihanna), introducing it to a new generation.



THE YELLOW BIRDS (R)

FRIDAY, JUNE 15

Two young men, Daniel Murphy (Tye Sheridan) and Brandon Bartle (Alden Ehrenreich), enlist in the army and are deployed to fight in the Iraq War. After an unthinkable tragedy, the returning soldier struggles to balance his promise of silence with the truth and a mourning mother's (Jennifer Aniston) search for peace.



JURASSIC PARK: FALLEN KINGDOM (PG-13)

FRIDAY, JUNE 22

It's been three years since theme park and luxury resort Jurassic World was destroyed by dinosaurs out of containment. Isla Nublar now sits abandoned by humans while the surviving dinosaurs fend for themselves in the jungles. When the island's dormant volcano begins roaring to life, Owen and Claire mount a campaign to rescue the remaining dinosaurs from this extinction-level event, uncovering a conspiracy that could return our entire planet to a perilous order not seen since prehistoric times.



MOVIE BUZZ

Variety reports that a standalone movie for Jared Leto's Joker is in the works, with the actor set to reprise the role as well as executive produce, "the studio's idea is to expand on the world created by *Suicide Squad* and tie into future installments of that property." Those future installments include *Suicide Squad 2*, with Gavin O'Connor set to write and direct, and Cathy Yan's *Birds of Prey*, which will focus on Margot Robbie's Harley Quinn



Godzilla creators Toho have announced that the film franchise's Japanese incarnation will continue after *Shin Godzilla* as a cinematic universe starring monsters like King Ghidorah and Mothra. The last few years of Godzilla films have been somewhat confusing, as the film franchise has been separated into two distinct continuities, divided by regionality. In the United States, the most recent *Godzilla* film was Gareth Edwards' 2014 film *Godzilla*. A follow-up movie directed by Michael Dougherty, *Godzilla: King of the Monsters*, is set to release in 2019 and will serve as the basis for a cinematic universe that will tie in with the *King Kong* film franchise.



Brad Pitt, Leonardo DiCaprio and Margot Robbie will be joined by Al Pacino in Quentin Tarantino's *Once Upon a Time in Hollywood*. Set in 1969, *Once Upon a Time in Hollywood* follows Rick Dalton, the former star of a Western TV series, trying to navigate the changing Hollywood landscape with his stuntman, Brad Pitt's Cliff Booth. Dalton and Booth's story will overlap with the Manson Family murders, as Dalton lives next door to Sharon Tate, who is being played by Margot Robbie. *Once Upon a Time in Hollywood* opens in theaters on Aug. 9, 2019.



MGM is bringing back Elle Woods for a third installment in the *Legally Blonde* franchise. Reese Witherspoon confirmed the gig this morning in a very Elle Woods way, by squeezing into the teeny-tiny, itty-bitty hot pink bikini she wore during the original movie back in 2001 for a social media post. She recently has had great success over at HBO for her *Big Little Lies* series, which is getting a second season. She also has a reported TV project in the works with Jennifer Aniston.



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Gallery 'C'
Schmid Innovation Center
Suite 113
10th & Jackson
Dubuque, Iowa

Opening night reception
June 22nd at 7:00 PM

Closing night reception
July 27th at 7:00 PM

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L TO R: AMY DOLAN (ROSIE), CHRISTEN TEBBE (DONNA), AND JENNIFER MOND (TANYA)
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soundtrack of ABBA classics, this tale of romances old and new is sure to have your toes taping all night long!

Seats are already filling up, so get your tickets now! Tickets are \$20 for adults and \$12 for children under 18 and can be purchased in person at the Box Office (Monday through Friday from noon until 4 p.m.) or by calling **563-588-1305**. Tickets can also be purchased at **TheGrandOperaHouse.com**. ■

ARTISTS UNITE FOR ALL

ART SALE, AUCTION AND EXHIBIT
JUNE 22-JULY 27
GALLERY C (900 JACKSON ST)

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For more information, visit **ArtistsUniteForAll.com** or call **563-556-5653**. ■



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JUNE 22-JULY 27
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FIRST FRIDAYS

FRIDAY, JULY 6
5-8 PM @ OUTSIDE THE LINES ART GALLERY (1101 MAIN ST)
5-8 PM @ DUBUQUE MUSEUM OF ART (701 LOCUST ST)
5:30-7:30 PM @ CARNEGIE-STOUT PUBLIC LIBRARY (360 W 11TH ST)

First Fridays is monthly, citywide gallery hop celebrating our creative community. Make sure to hop, hop, hop to all First Friday locations!

Artist Ron Hahlen will have a meet and greet and demo at Outside the Lines.

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The Carnegie-Stout Public Library hosts Art @ Your Library® highlighting 16 local artists in cooperation with the Bellevue Arts Council. Free.

For more information, visit **Facebook.com/DubuqueFirstFridays**. ■

ONGOING

St. Luke's Tiffany Windows Tour

SATURDAYS NOW THROUGH JUNE

9-11 AM @ ST. LUKE'S UMC

St. Luke's United Methodist Church is hosting free tours of its 5th largest collection of Tiffany Windows in the United States. St. Luke's is celebrating 185 years of ministry in the community during 2018. Free, donations welcome. 1199 Main St. **563-599-4497**.

Tri State Wind Symphony

THURSDAYS NOW THROUGH JULY

7:30 PM @ EAGLE POINT PARK BAND SHELL

The Tri-State Wind Symphony performs free concerts at the Eagle Point Park band shell every summer. June 14: Potosi Community Band; June 21: TSWS Concert; June 28: A Star-Spangled Spectacular with Legion Post #6; July 12: Dubuque Chorale; July 19: TSWS Concert; July 26: Big Band Express; August 2: Players' Favorites. **TSWS.org**.

Music in the Gardens

SUNDAYS NOW THROUGH AUGUST

6:30 PM @ DUBUQUE ARBORETUM

Presented by the Dubuque Arboretum or The Dubuque Arts Council, these free summer concert series offers a wide variety of family-friendly music. Bring lawn chairs or blankets and your own picnic and refreshments! June 17: Hunter Fuerste & his American Vintage Orchestra; June 24: Dubuque Symphony Orchestra; July 1: Sid V & the Human Resources; July 8: Kids from Wisconsin; July 15: Jason Stuart's Cobalt Blue; July 22: The Fez: A Tribute to Steely Dan; July 29: Denny Diamond (Neil Diamond Tribute); Aug. 5: Dog on Skis; Aug. 12: Schumacher Family Band; Aug. 19: Ralph Kluseman & Friends; Aug. 26: Endless Summer. **DubuqueArboretum.net**.

365ink Lunchtime Jams

FRIDAYS NOW THROUGH SEPTEMBER 7

NOON-1 PM @ TOWN CLOCK PLAZA

Hosted by your own 365 crew and local sponsor Prudential Financial, Lunchtime Jams feature laid back lunchtime performances by local acoustic musicians, weather permitting.

Gary's Graffiti Nights

THURSDAYS NOW THROUGH SEPTEMBER 13

4-9 PM @ PLAZA 20

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East Dubuque Cruisin' Thursdays

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FY5 (FINNDERS & YOUNGBERG) TOYS FOR TOTS COURTYARD CONCERT

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THURSDAY, JULY 19, 6 PM
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Thanks to the ongoing generous support of Dupaco Community Credit Union, 365ink Magazine is once again able to host a great night of live music and tasty wine under blue skies in the friendly confines of the beautiful Schmid Innovation Center Courtyard at 955 Washington St. in downtown Dubuque's Millwork District. The performance, featuring Colorado's FY5, will take place on Thursday, July 19 from 6 PM. Music starts at 6:15 PM with the tai-states' own Medicinal Purposes and then FY5 taking the stage around 7 PM. Tickets for the performance are \$15 at the door only, with proceeds benefiting Marine Corps Toys For Tots in the Tri-States. Great food and cold beverages will be available from Brazen Open Kitchen+Bar and complimentary ice water and lemonade will also be provided to keep you cool. So its safe to come hungry and thirsty, we have you covered. For more information, contact bryce@dubuque365.com.

Colorado's FY5 proudly swim in the deep currents of American music, playing new songs, well-informed of country and bluegrass traditions, but not bound to them. Featuring thoughtful arrangements, strong singing and musicianship, the band strives to connect to listeners with stories of common struggles and big ideas. While their sound evokes timelessness, it is decidedly contemporary, well-traveled 21st century sensibility that informs their songwriting.

As they share the stories that drive the songs, FY5's show leaves listeners certainly with tapping toes, but ranging thoughts as well. FY5 recently released their 4th full-length album on January

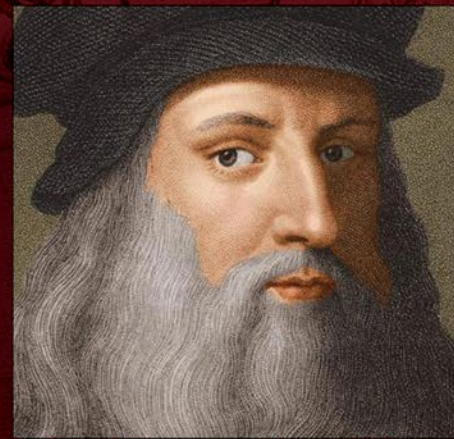
3rd, 2018, *The Way These Things Go*, featuring their trademark story songs, clever arranging, and catchy hooks. The band was selected as official showcase artists for the 2017 International Bluegrass Music Association conference including a songwriter showcase with Mike Finders. Mike is a Dubuque area native, very active in the local live music scene with many loved acts including Fingers, Pojamas, Electric Wonderland and more.

"FY5 brings us a self-assured vision of American music, rooted in tradition, but pointing to new creative directions that make it vital and relevant in today's modern world." - Crista Munro, Pagosa Folk & Bluegrass

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Voices Mural Initiative 2018

By Mike Ironside

Beginning in the fall of 2016 and stretching through the summer of 2017, downtown Dubuque was transformed into an open-air public art gallery with the painting of a number of large-scale murals on the walls of select buildings. Sponsored and curated by Voices Productions, the artwork was created by a range of nationally and internationally known mural artists. While many applauded the boost to downtown's cultural vibrancy, some decried the fact that local artists were not included, despite the fact that there were no experienced muralists living and working in Iowa.

Fast-forward to 2018 as the Voices Mural Initiative returns with a renewed focus and a workshop designed specifically to engage and mentor local and regional artists in the practice and techniques of mural painting. Voices Productions' Sam Mulgrew explains:

"Phase 1 of our strategy was to do public art, without permission, without a need to enroll consensus building but just do good public art that brought people to an awareness. Art in the public domain has a very meditative quality to it. It improves culture," he explains.

"Phase 2 is to, essentially, enroll the public and give creative placemakers tools to do the work themselves," Mulgrew continues. "So those that are interested in making art on public walls or putting art in the public domain, we give them some guidelines on how that's done, relative to how to deal with property owners, to handling low-pressure aerosol. So that's what this year's about. We're bringing in some fine muralists and instructors that are going to take on understudies and train them how to do this. All the understudies are regional and local and our hope is it will spark a movement where these people will be emboldened to go out and make beauty in spaces that have become complacent."

Mulgrew's wife and Voices organizer Wendy Rolfe Mulgrew apprenticed to a working muralist last year. A working artist herself, she admits the practice was a learning experience. "We learned so much that we knew, even though we had local artists going, 'Hey, why can't we do this?' we knew that they would need the same instruction as what we did," she relates. "We just sort of followed their lead and we had wonderful artists and they helped us to figure it out, step by step."

Toward that end, Voices is hosting a Mural Workshop June 25 through June 29. The workshop will feature two days of interactive lectures and presentations from experienced, working street artists. The workshop will provide a deeper understanding of consensus building street art, its history and current trends, and offer through hands-on experience the skills and techniques applied in mural making. Students from area high schools and colleges will be in attendance at the workshop, with a portion of the workshop participants working side-by-side with critically-acclaimed street artist Gaia (pictured right), completing four full days of work on a 150 foot-long public mural. (For more information on Gaia, see the September 7, 2017 issue of 365ink online at Dubuque365.com.)



"(The workshop is) to enroll people in the possibilities of making more art on walls and doing it with instruction with an emphasis on ethics and community improvement and engagement," explains Voices founder Gene Tully. "We have instructors that are internationally known coming in here to talk about the finer art (of mural making). And as we've learned in the last couple of years of doing this, there's a lot of nuance of producing work like this from the landowners perspective, the artist's perspective, and our perspective of what we want for this community and what we want to bring to this community. So we're going to open this up on June 25-29 and it's a great opportunity that people can learn and hear about street artists, the art that's going on in the international community, and how street art came from this thing that was once called graffiti to one of the highest art forms in international art form at this point."

New to the Voices Productions crew and the Mural Initiative, Kyle Fitzgerald recently became involved after moving back to Dubuque from Chicago and being surprised to see the combined efforts of the Voices team and the various commissioned mural artists.

"If you look around Dubuque, the interesting thing is (that) you're not going to find tagging or graffiti," Fitzgerald noted, "unless it's on a train that's rolling through town, and that's it. What brought me more involved with this is the fact that learning that this is a very curated process and building it from the ground up involving property owners and showing them the opportunities that their real estate can have. You can't put a dollar amount on how the downtown – where we are now

– improved in property value through the cultural value that's come with it. We keep hearing it from people we run into, whether it's the host at the restaurant when he's going to seat us and he's talking about how cool these murals are... You see it on Instagram, you see it on Facebook, you see people taking photos when you're walking down the street, you see all the local people picking this up. But it's not only that, it's the fact that people are buying into this. The real estate is the thing. Dubuque has a ton of really great walls. I didn't realize it until Sam brought my attention to it when I went to this presentation here. I had no idea that Voices did so much to curate what's already happened here."

It wasn't until Fitzgerald attended a meeting to learn more about who and what was behind all the new murals he was seeing in downtown that he learned that the Voices team was behind it.

"I really didn't have a full understanding of the organization behind these," he said, "how they came up with these designs, how they paired artists, how they found walls, what the financials behind this were. And it was really interesting and inspiring to know that this is not only a one-time deal. It's a concerted effort to continue to bring curated culture (to downtown). Going back to what I said that you see graffiti roll by on trains and it's very organic and undefined ... and that's totally cool because that's where it starts. Now you're taking people who started painting (train) cars and you're taking them and saying, 'Hey, we have a process that we've defined in this town because we don't want any old random thing just spray-painted. Now we're giving opportunities to property owners who happen to have a rougher wall to allow that to be curated and I think we're on the cusp of right now where it's going to shift from, 'Hey, we love your wall; we'd like to help bring this to you,' and doing it as a service to the property owner, (to) where now more property owners are saying to us, 'Can we be next? Will you please do my wall? We'd love to have something. Can you pick the right artist?' And there's a lot of thought that goes into the process of what artist would work best in this location, in this space? What energy can we bring to this location?"

Fitzgerald continues: Like the North Side, right now, with the thought of we've got hundreds of designs that could go but what is going to move the needle in a positive direction for this neighborhood? Or what more adequately meets the needs of that? Just being a part of the crew and seeing that there is so much depth and breadth that goes into the thought process is awesome. It's amazing. That's why I'm here, just to be around people who really think it through and kick all the different ideas back and forth, the options. Now we're seeing Dubuque get on the map in a huge way with the names that have come through here, the people that are involved. And now I've had friends of mine in Chicago that are big that are wanting to get involved. It will be





cool to see in fifteen years where this goes when we're all just standing at the sidelines and just seeing the ball roll."

Sam Mulgrew notes that like Voices shows in the warehouse gallery, some local artists were feeling left out. "Why didn't they get local artists to do the murals?" he echoes. "There are no muralists, really, in Iowa. But there are certainly very talented artists that live here. What we wanted was to reach out to those people who had an interest in doing art in the public domain and give them the tools to empower them to do it. The facility to accomplish this sort of thing is not as abstruse as it might seem at a distance. So learning the basic skills, usually this happens in an urban environment where you're raised and you see street writers and you go off to them and they mentor you and they take you under their wing and you learn all the techniques. But Dubuque doesn't have that culture so we have to introduce something that doesn't exist in Dubuque. The way we're doing that is by bringing acclaimed muralists in, taking on understudies and giving them the knowledge, the facility to do this. We've reached out to students and working artists and established artists and anybody who's had that inkling that they might want to learn this. I think right now we have 35 people involved. It's a master class."

Wendy Rolfe-Mulgrew explains that through fundraising work by the Voices team, they are able to offer the workshop for free. "It's a gift now," she said. "Everyone I'm dealing with is so grateful. Some of them are really nervous and they haven't done work in a long time and they're doing this for themselves to come out and experience something different."

The workshop will provide participating artists and students with the tools, skills, and hopefully, confidence to pursue large scale mural projects of their own, something that might not have seemed possible before Voices initiated the mural project downtown.

"You really have to know what you are doing," notes Rolfe-Mulgrew. "We'll have a couple of muralists talking and you need the information because you can't just do public art without knowing what you're doing because you have to get (property owners') trust. So we brought in professionals – famous, wonderful artists – because the building owners would trust

that. We can't just say, 'Oh, this guy's done a couple of paintings, we think he can do something on your wall.' That's huge. We can show them, he's been in Barcelona, he did three things in Paris ... then that would excite them. They'd say, 'Okay, I think we can trust you with our property.'"

"It's easier this year," adds Mulgrew, "because not only do we have property owners that are saying we want this and will subsidize it but going to somebody that has a cool wall that doesn't know anything about this art form and you just say, 'Have you been downtown?' 'Yeah, I like those murals,' they say, 'Yeah. Give us a shot.' It's easier now."

One would have to be living under the proverbial rock not to have seen or at least heard about the murals downtown. Many of the murals are clustered around the Old Main district, making it easy to view on a walking tour. "That's our portfolio," states Rolfe-Mulgrew. "I think it helps too that Voices has been around for a long time."

Always the visionary, Tully imagines the reaction by visitors to Dubuque's public art and what it says about our community.

"I think what is so intriguing is when a new visitor comes to Dubuque and is impressed in some way or at least is exposed to the murals in the downtown," observes Tully. "Dubuque's got its own unique qualities, absolutely – the river and it's such a grand place. But the murals present the people, the living people of Dubuque with an expression of daring and creativity and a willingness to advance our culture and our society. I really believe that or I wouldn't do it. This is our laundry on the line. We're hanging it out there. And it's risky, yes, but we're the only community with a demographic of this size and a wide, wide vision that is putting murals on the wall that aren't Civil War veterans or war heroes but murals that are inspirational and uplifting and curated to really affect those people that have the privilege of seeing them."

Rolfe-Mulgrew notes that some people can feel distant from the arts but the public nature of the murals offers an immediacy and accessibility. "My favorite moment from last year was – it was the very end, we were finishing one of our murals and this girl walked by with her friend and she goes, 'Oh my god, I love this. I love this mural.' And I looked at her and I said, 'Well, it's yours now. Now this is yours. Now you can come around it and you can do whatever you want.' And she just sort of lit up. She was very excited about that. I know how the arts can be very dividing and snobby and who wants to go into a gallery or museum? Maybe I will; maybe I won't. But it's for those people that don't do things like that."

While the existing murals have served as the backdrop to countless

selfies, their exposure on social media has served an even bigger impact and purpose. "Social media has presented a lot of opportunities for Dubuque to present itself in a new light, really," notes Tully. "Some of the artists here are so internationally recognized (that) they've got 100,000 followers on Instagram and whatever, and they see what's going on in Dubuque. So I don't know what other medium we would have to be able to present ourselves as a progressive community than what's going on here."

Following the workshop, Voices will be working on a series of murals between 14th and 18th Streets along Central Avenue using both experienced muralists and local artists.

"We're going to reinvent that neighborhood," states Mulgrew. "That's the neighborhood where we wanted to be. This (downtown) was a start. So we want to be in areas where we can dignify a neighborhood by giving those residents, those storefront tenants the feeling that this is a worthwhile place to be. So we'll plant a little seed up there and see if it takes root."

The project will start with three walls to be painted by the two guest muralists with the cooperation of local apprentices June 27-29. The Voices group have identified a total of ten walls available to be painted.



Jason and Sara Carpenter look at a rendering of the mural that is planned for their downtown Steve's Ace Hardware location.

"So our hope is that these people that go through this master class will be emboldened to undertake a public work of ours," explains Mulgrew. "Whether they can accomplish that through attending a short master class or I don't know but that's our hope."

"The value of public art in the community is not to be understated," declares Tully. "This form of public art is affordable. Rather than thinking that public art has to be a \$250,000 brown sculpture of the past governor, you know, this is something that can be done on a reasonable budget with a huge impact." ■

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Catch A Rising Star

by Danny Fairchild

"Mom and/or Dad? I can I do theatre?"

Lucky you! Your child has shown interest in a world that teaches confidence, responsibility, teamwork, boosts memory skills, how to safely and properly build things, and (somewhat counterintuitively) that they don't always have to be the center of attention. You're also lucky that you live in a community where an organization like Rising Star Theatre Company can take that interest turn it into a passion. Among all the summer camps and reading programs, Rising Star has theatre programs kids will love to participate in or watch, including full-production plays and workshops.

Formed in 2009 by University of Northern Iowa alumni Nick Halder and Megan Schumacher, Rising Star is dedicated to providing a vehicle for education in production and development of theatre, as well as encouraging community participation and appreciation of all aspects of theatre.

Three productions performed by tri-states students ranging from elementary to high school ages are set to take the stage this summer and the performances are not just for parents.

School of Rock a musical based on the hit film starring Jack Black, runs this weekend, June 14 - 16 at 7:30 p.m. It features book by Julian Fellowes and lyrics by Glenn Slater with additional new music by the legendary Andrew Lloyd Webber, but that's not

what makes this production so worth seeing. If you're familiar with the movie, you know that it's about a failed musician posing as a substitute teacher who uses his students' musical talents to form a face-melting rock band. You're also aware that the child actors in the band play their own instruments. Rising Star has rounded up the incredible child musicians in the area to do the same. In fact, according to Halder, it's a requirement to get the rights to the show that the band members actually play their instruments. Tickets are \$16 for adults and \$13 for students.

Later this summer, Rising Star is bring two more well known stories to the stage.

SISTER ACT

Sister Act (Music by Alan Menken; lyrics by Glenn Slater; book by Cheri Steinkellner and Bill Steinkellner) runs July 13 - 14 & 19 - 21 at 7:30 p.m. and July 15 at 2 p.m.

Based on the 1992 film starring Whoopi Goldberg, Sister Act is the feel-good musical comedy that has thrilled audiences for years. When disco diva, Deloris Van Cartier, witnesses a murder, she is put in protective custody in the one place the cops are sure she won't be a found: a convent. Disguised as a nun, she finds herself at odds with both the rigid lifestyle and uptight Mother Superior. Using her unique disco moves and singing talent to inspire the choir, Deloris breathes new life into the church

and community but, in doing so, blows her cover. Soon, the gang is giving chase, only to find them up against Deloris and the power of her newly found sisterhood.

Also familiar and beloved to audiences is **L'il Abner** (Book by Norman Panama and Melvin Frank, lyrics by Johnny Mercer, music by Gene de Paul, based on characters created by Al Capp, original direction and choreography by Michael Kidd). **L'il Abner** hits the stage August 9 & 10 at 1 p.m.; August 10 & 11 at 7 p.m.; and August 11 & 12 at 2 p.m.

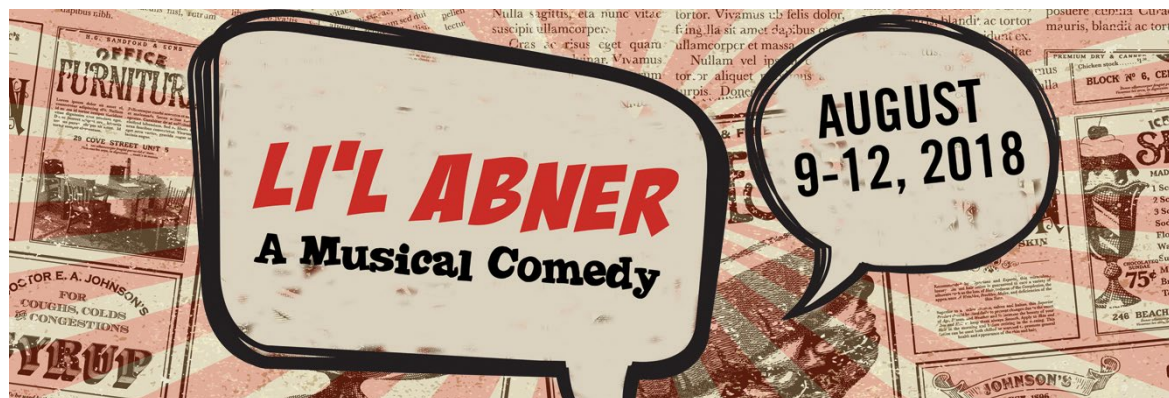
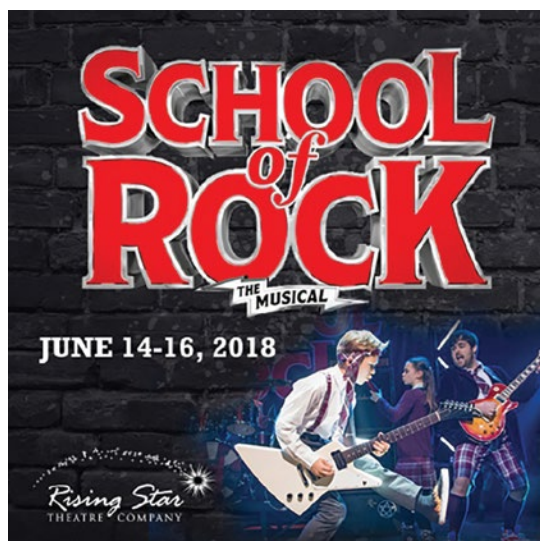
Capp's world-famous comic strip characters populate this upbeat musical extravaganza in a satisfying mixture of hillbilly nonsense and sharp, critical humor. "It's a Typical Day" as the citizens of Dogpatch, U.S.A. go about their daily activities. Daisy Mae intends to catch L'il Abner on Sadie Hawkins Day, so he'll be forced to marry her. But before that can happen, the small town learns it's been declared the most useless place in the country and will be used as an atomic test bomb site, unless they can prove their worth. Abner's mother, Mammy Yokum, could have the answer -- but even her Yokumberry tonic might not be enough to save Dogpatch. A fun-filled, foot-stompin' musical taken directly from the comics, L'il Abner is laced with gentle satire, rib-tickling humor, and a host of brash, catchy tunes.

All three productions have already been cast, but there's still a chance to get kids involved with Rising Star with their summer workshop series. For students ages 11-14, there's the Choose Your Own Adventure workshop, June 18 - 22. Based on the popular young adult literature genre, students will write and star in their own play as well as create basic costumes, and set pieces. Parents and friends are invited to a performance at the end of the week.

For students ages 14 - 18, there's Live at the Improv. Funny voices, quick thinking, and outlandish characters run wild as students learn the basics of improv and sketch comedy. Open to new or experienced improvisers, students will learn improv games and skills they will develop into a sketch comedy performance.

Price for each workshop is \$200.

Thanks to Rising Star Theatre Company, the tri-states theatre community is in safe hands and is set to flourish for years to come. Many past students have returned to help teach. When you're supporting the arts in Dubuque, do not overlook this valuable resource. It's not just for the students and their parents. It's for the community. ■



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NUNSENSE Musical Comedy

October 5, 6, 12, & 13, 2018, 7:30 PM

October 7 & 14, 2 PM



The Little Sisters of Hoboken are back at the Grand in the original Nunsense for the first time in over 25 years! The antics begin when their cook, Sister Julia, Child of God, has accidentally poisoned 52 of the sisters, and they are in dire need of funds for the burials. The sisters decide that the best way to raise the money is to put on a variety show. Hilarity ensues.

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Based on the novel by Charles Dickens

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November 25 & December 2, 2 PM

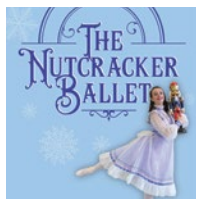


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The Dubuque City Youth Ballet Presents: THE NUTCRACKER BALLET

December 8, 14 & 15, 7:30 PM

December 9 & 16, 2 PM



The Dubuque City Youth Ballet's production of The Nutcracker is a yearly tradition for many families in the tri-state area and beyond.

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CALENDAR GIRLS By Tim Firth

Based on the Miramax motion picture by Juliette Towhidi and Tim Firth

February 22, 23 & March 1, 2, 2019, 7:30 PM

February 24 & March 3, 2019, 2 PM



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March 16 & 23, 2019, 7:30 PM



March 17 & 24, 2019, 2 PM
Artistic Director Marina O'Rourke will unveil a new, original interpretation of the ballet Firebird set to the glorious music by Igor Stravinsky. Megan MacLeod, Artist-in-Residence, will then present an original contemporary work which will feature the versatile, classically trained dancers of the company. The program, SOARING, is the perfect vehicle to launch DCYB into its next 50 years. Adults \$20 / Under 18 \$12

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July 12, 13, 18, 19, 20, 25, 26, 27, 2019, 7:30 PM,

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August 25, 2019, 2 PM



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(Nunsense, A Christmas Carol, The Nutcracker Ballet, Calendar Girls, Soaring Ballet, Mary Poppins, The Grand Extravaganza 2019)

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Subscription: Adult-\$90 Under 18- \$54

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November 3 @ 2 PM and 7:30 PM

A Grand yearly tradition, this classic



example of Big Band is sure to be fun for all ages. The show features recreations of the original hits of Glenn Miller, Tommy and Jimmy Dorsey, Artie Shaw, Benny Goodman, Harry James, Count Basie and many others. Enjoy the hits of yesteryear, in our gorgeously restored Opera House, nestled in the bluffs of Dubuque. All tickets \$20

Who's Holiday!

A Comedy With A Twist of Rhyme By Matthew Lombardo

December 21-23 & 25, 2018, 7:30 PM

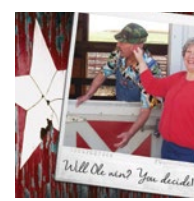


A new Christmas show for the grownups! WHO'S HOLIDAY! Is a wildly funny and heartfelt adults-only comedy that tells the story of Cindy Lou Who as she recalls that Christmas Eve she first met the Grinch and the twisted turn of events her life has now taken. You saw her last when she was just two Celebrate the holidays with Cindy Lou Who. Pull up a seat and fill up your cup 'Cause your favorite little Who is all grown up? This show is recommended for mature audiences only.

Ole Runs for Office

A Musical Comedy

January 20 @ 2 PM



Ole and Lena are back at the Grand with their first MUSICAL! It's time again when Muskrat Lodge 3412 elects officers and Ole has decided to throw his hat in the ring and run against longtime nemesis, Knut Knutson, lodge president for the past 20 years. Will Lena talk Ole out of the political limelight or cave in to the glamour of being "first lady of the lodge"? Be a part of all of the craziness yourself when you, the audience, determines the outcome in this laugh riot "Ole Runs for Office"! All tickets \$20. ■





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TRI-STATE LIVE MUSIC

Thursday, June 14

Mama Tess & The Chain of Fools
5 PM @ Millwork Night Market

Four Day Creep @ Bike Night
5 PM @ McGrath Harley-Davidson

Statue of Liberty
6 PM @ Tony Roma's

Tanner Scheckel Band
6 PM @ The Yardarm

Smokestack Jazz Night
7 PM @ The Smokestack

Tri-State Wind Symphony
Presents: Potosi Community Band
7:30 PM @ Eagle Point Park

Jimmy Berg & Friends
7:30 PM @ The Cornerstone

Friday, June 15

Maureen Kilgore @ 365 Lunchtime
Jam, 12 PM @ Town Clock Plaza

Dubuque... and All That Jazz
The Salsa Band
4 PM @ Town Clock Plaza

The Wundo Band, 5 PM @
Great Galena Balloon Race

Becky McMahon
6 PM @ Spirits (deck)

Massey Road
7 PM @ Grand Tap

Johnnie Walker 7 PM
@ Stone Cliff Wine & Beer Bar

Ian Gould
7:30 PM @ Frank O'Dowd's Pub

Korey Steil
7:30 PM @ The Cornerstone

BBI
8 PM @ Mississippi Moon Bar

Mixed Emotions
8 PM @ Q Casino

Theresa Rosetta
8 PM @ The Blu Room,
Breezer's Pub

Dev-o & Prince Ace EP Release
8 PM @ The Smokestack

Taste Like Chicken
8 PM @ The Yardarm

Hot Mess
8 PM @ Trackside

Ryne Doughty
8 PM @ Galena Brewing Co.

The Unincorporated
8:30 PM @ Grape Escape

Elizabeth Mary
9 PM @ 7 Hills Brewing Co.

DJ Abilities, DJ Shoba, Mr. Whiskerz
10 PM @ The Lift

Saturday, June 16

Johnnie Walker
1 PM @ Offshore

Acoustic Jam
1 PM @ Council Hill Station

Boys Night Out
2 PM @ Massey Marina

Adam Beck & Amber
2 PM @ Coconut Grove

Michael Breitbach
2 PM @ The Cornerstone

Medicinal Purposes, Music In The
Vines, 2 PM @ Galena Cellars Vineyard

Adam Bartels Band, 5 PM @
Great Galena Balloon Race

Hunter Fuerste Concert
6 PM @ Turner Hall Galena

Ron Lubbers, 6:30 PM @ Joliet
Event Center (KC Hall)

Ballyheigue
7 PM @ The Lift

Illusions Midwest Drag Show
7 & 9:30 PM @ The Smokestack

John Moran, 7 PM @ Stone
Cliff Wine & Beer Bar

Colt Ford & Moonshine Bandits
7 PM @ Q Casino Back Waters Stage

Rock Steady
7 PM @ Midtown Marina

Ian Gould
7:30 PM @ Frank O'Dowd's Pub

Tanya English Band
7:30 PM @ The Cornerstone

MJ Live: Michael Jackson Tribute
8 PM @ Mississippi Moon Bar

The Laurie Morvan Band, 8 PM
@ The Blu Room, Breezer's Pub

Half-Fast
8 PM @ The Yardarm

Steve Cavanaugh & Randy
Droessler, 8 PM @ Spirits

Brother Sun Sister Moon
Flatted Fifth Blues & BBQ
8 PM @ Potter's Mill, Bellevue

Bluesniks
8 PM @ Galena Brewing Co.

Mixed Emotions, 8:30 PM @
The Big House, Petersburg

Jordan Daniels & El Jefe
8:30 PM @ Grape Escape

Ten Gallon Hat
9 PM @ 7 Hills Brewing Co.

DuRocks
9 PM @ Dog House Lounge

Steve Cavanaugh
9 PM @ Coconut Grove

Emple & Flynninho
10 PM @ The Venue

Fathers' Day, Sunday, June 17

Open Mic with Scott Rische
12 PM @ Grape Escape

Tony Walker
1 PM @ The Yardarm

Acoustic Jam
1 PM @ Council Hill Station

Aaron Smith
2 PM @ PromiseLand Winery

Hoffmann, Troy, & Marceau
3 PM @ Stone Cliff

David Zollo, Blues in the Vineyard
3 PM @ Tabor Home Winery

Dylan Doyle, 3 PM @ New
Diggings General Store

The Good Stuff with Bill Golden
3 PM @ The Cornerstone

Steve Grismore Jazz Trio
Flatted Fifth Blues & BBQ
5 PM @ Potter's Mill, Bellevue

The Lonely Goats
5 PM @ Sandy Hook Tavern

Music In The Gardens:
Hunter Fuerste Orchestra
6:30 PM @ Dubuque Arboretum

Nathan Kalish
10 PM @ The Lift

Monday, June 18

Comedy Open Mic
8 PM @ Monk's Kaffee Pub

Tuesday, June 19

Hoffmann, Troy, & Marceau
6 PM @ Tony Roma's

Trivia Night
7 PM @ Riverboat Lounge

Open Mic
8 PM @ 7 Hills Brewing Co.

Wednesday, June 20

Jeff Theisen
6 PM @ Tony Roma's

Acoustic Jam with Jay Vonn
6:30 PM @ The Cornerstone

Gladdy's Open Mic Experience
6:30 PM @ The Blu Room,
Breezer's Pub

Comedian Michael Palascak
8 PM @ Mississippi Moon Bar

Mutilated By Zombies, Repaid In
Blood, Scylla, 10 PM @ The Lift

Thursday, June 21

Johnnie Walker & Kevin Beck
6 PM @ Tony Roma's

Steve Davis
6 PM @ The Yardarm

Tri-State Wind Symphony
7:30 PM @ Eagle Point
Park Band Shell

29 Cents a Pound
7:30 PM @ The Cornerstone

Smokestack Jazz Night
7 PM @ The Smokestack

Slaughter with Menace
8 PM @ Q Casino Showroom

Adam Faucett & The Tall Grass,
Riff Worm, Ben Dunegan
10 PM @ The Lift

Friday, June 22

Cal Coohy
365 Lunchtime Jam
12 PM @ Town Clock Plaza

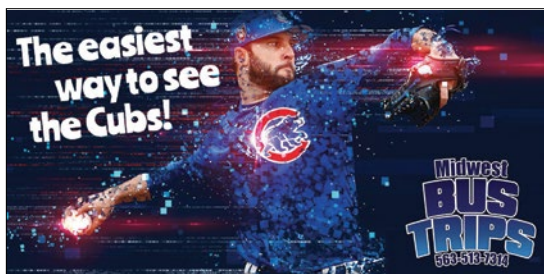
Drama Kings
6 PM @ Spirits (deck)

Roy Schroedl
7 PM @ Stone Cliff

Mixed Emotions, 7 PM
@ Swiss Inn

Langhorne Slim & The Lost
at Last Band, Dan Tedesco,
Carson McHone, 7:30 PM
@ Codfish Hollow Barn

Katie Sullivan
7:30 PM @ Frank O'Dowd's Pub



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7:30 PM @ The Cornerstone

King Explosion:
Three Decades of The King
8 PM @ Mississippi Moon Bar

Hard Salami
8 PM @ Q Casino

The Hector Anchondo Band
8 PM @ The Blu Room,
Breezer's Pub

Melanie Devaney
8 PM @ The Smokestack

Whiskey Revival
8 PM @ The Yardarm

Ernie Peniston
Flatted Fifth Blues & BBQ
8 PM @ Potter's Mill, Bellevue

Campfire Kings
8 PM @ Galena Brewing Co.

Laura McDonald
9 PM @ 7 Hills Brewing Co.

Saturday, June 23

River Glen Duo - Summer Concert
Series. 11 AM @ Maquoketa
Downtown Green Space

Corkless in Galena Wine Festival
The Jimmys, The Lonely Goats,
Jordan Danielsens & Jef Spradley
12 PM @ Galena Depot Park

Acoustic Jam
1 PM @ Council Hill Station

Johnnie Walker
1:30 PM @ Coconut Grove

Marty Raymon
2 PM @ The Cornerstone

King Explosion: Three Decades
of The King
3 & 7 PM @ Mississippi Moon Bar

Mixed Emotions
4:30 PM @ Weber's Bar & Grill

Tony Walker
7 PM @ Stone Cliff
Wine & Beer Bar

Zac Matthews Band
7 PM @ Q Casino Showroom

The Heavies
7 PM @ Midtown Marina

Mississippi String Band
7 PM @ Kat's Meow

Johnnie Walker
7 PM @ Potosi Brewery

Katie Sullivan
7:30 PM @ Frank O'Dowd's Pub

Xceleration & The Danny
Parker Project , 7:30 PM
@ The Cornerstone

The Bridget Kelly Band
8 PM @ The Blu Room,
Breezer's Pub

A Few Blind Mice Album Release
Party Feat. 6 Odd Rats
8 PM @ The Smokestack

Boxkar
8 PM @ The Yardarm

Boys Night Out
8 PM @ Spirits

Blue Dog Blues Band
Flatted Fifth Blues & BBQ
8 PM @ Potter's Mill, Bellevue

Ten Gallon Hat
8 PM @ Galena Brewing Co.

Joie Wails Band
8:30 PM @ Grape Escape

Dubuque Battle Rap League
With Casethejoint & DJ Jevity
9 PM @ 7 Hills Brewing Co.

Renegade
9 PM @ Shedly's

Sunday, June 24

Open Mic with Scott Rische
12 PM @ Grape Escape

Meghan Davis
1 PM @ The Yardarm

Acoustic Jam
1 PM @ Council Hill Station

Statue of Liberty
2 PM @ Spirits (deck)

Nutsy Turtle
2 PM @ PromiseLand Winery

Johnnie Walker
3 PM @ Stone Cliff
Wine and Beer Bar

Scott Dalziel
Blues in the Vineyard
3 PM @ Tabor Home Winery

Boots Hefel & Pat Kennedy
Band, feat. Doug Stock

3 PM @ Sunset Ridge Winery

Open Mic with Cal Coohy
3 PM @ The Cornerstone

Taste Like Chicken - Steak Feed
5 PM @ Sandy Hook Tavern

Fever River String Band
6 PM @ Lena Music In The Park

Music In The Gardens:
Dubuque Symphony Orchestra
6:30 PM @ Dubuque Arboretum

Andy Frasco & The U.N.
10 PM @ The Lift

Monday, June 25

Comedy Open Mic
8 PM @ Monk's Kaffee Pub

Tuesday, June 26

Steve Kalmes
6 PM @ Tony Roma's

Trivia Night
7 PM @ Riverboat Lounge

Open Mic
8 PM @ 7 Hills Brewing Co.

Wednesday, June 27

Steve Cavanaugh & Randy
Droessler, 6 PM @ Tony Roma's

Salsa Dance Night
6 PM @ The Smokestack

Gladdy's Open Mic Experience
6:30 PM @ The Blu
Room, Breezer's Pub

Nick Foytick
7 PM @ The Cornerstone

Comedian Gayle Becwar
8 PM @ Mississippi Moon Bar

Marbin, 10 PM @ The Lift

Thursday, June 28

Tapestry
5 PM @ Inspire Café

Just Cuz, 6 PM @ Tony Roma's

Adam Beck
6 PM @ The Yardarm

Tri-State Wind Symphony
Presents: A Star-Spangled
Spectacular with Legion Post #6
7:30 PM @ Eagle Point
Park Band Shell

Open Mic with Jeff & Jimmy
7:30 PM @ The Cornerstone

Smokestack Jazz Night
7 PM @ The Smokestack

Corn Potato String Band
10 PM @ The Lift



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SATURDAY, JUNE 16



Laurie Morvan Band

8 PM @ THE BLU ROOM (600 CENTRAL AVE)
The Laurie Morvan Band is a 5-piece high energy, rockin' blues band lead by a fiery female lead guitarist vocalist. A pumpin', thumpin', tight-as-nails machine from Long Beach, CA.



Brother Sun, Sister Moon

8 PM @ FLATTED FIFTH @ POTTER'S MILL (BELLEVUE, IA)
Brother Sun Sister Moon are the 2015 winners of the solo/duo division for Minnesota's Road to Memphis Blues Challenge, representing Minnesota at the International Blues Challenge in Memphis in January, 2016. The duo, comprised of Donna Dahl on drums/vocals and Dave Lambert on guitar/vocals, is known for their high energy Indie and Delta Blues.

SUNDAY, JUNE 17



Steve Grismore

5 PM @ FLATTED FIFTH @ POTTER'S MILL (BELLEVUE, IA)
Three Dawgs & a Bone Jazz returns to Flatted Fifth featuring Steve Grismore, co-founder of the Iowa City Jazz festival, anchoring the group on jazz guitar along with Scott Barnum on bass, and Rich Medd on Trombone. They'll be playing your favorite jazz standards from Ornette Coleman, Thelonious Monk, Steve Lacy, Herbie Nichols, Dave Holland, Duke Ellington, Paul Motion, Steve Swallow, and many others.

THURSDAY, JUNE 21

Fete de la Musique

10 AM - 4 PM @ WASHINGTON PARK, GALENA, IL
This "festival of music" is no ordinary festival, now celebrated in over 120 countries. Music takes over city streets, with live bands, singers,

amateur musicians, drummers, and dancers, expressing themselves through music and inviting the crowd to enjoy themselves. From 10 AM to 4 PM in Washington Park, Lenny Wayne and other musicians, sponsored by the Downtown Business Association, will be encouraging everyone, especially kids, to join in the music. In the evening from 7-9 PM, there will be a free celebration of music at the Center for the Arts. Bring your voice, your acoustic instruments and your dancing shoes.

FRIDAY, JUNE 22



The Hector Anchondo Band

8 PM @ THE BLU ROOM (600 CENTRAL AVE)
His guitar playing became a thing of legend in the Omaha area, where he was based. His dazzling introduction of "Black Magic Woman" stunned audiences who thought they had heard everything. Decades of single minded devotion to his craft showed every time he played. But as much as he was beloved by thousands of fans in the Heartland, he remained largely unknown to the rest of the world. Not anymore. With a finish in the finals at the 2016 International Blues Challenge and his masterful 2017 album Roll the Dice getting global radio play and leaping to the top of blues charts, Hector Anchondo is at long last taking his rightful place at the forefront of the contemporary blues world.



Ernie Peniston

8 PM @ Flatted Fifth Blues & BBQ @ Potter's Mill, Bellevue, IA
Ernie Peniston was most recently inducted into The Quad Cities Hall of Fame (Master Blues Singer) in 2018 and The Mid America Music Association of Iowa Hall of Fame in August 2015. This follows his induction into the Iowa Blues Hall of Fame in 2003. Ernie is a product, in part, of the Minneapolis music explosion of the 1980's. He is credited for introducing Jessie Johnson to Morris Day, and he has shared the stage with Johnson, Day, Prince, The Temptations, Koko Taylor, Lonnie Brooks, James Brown, Albert Collins, and many others. He also spent four years as the frontman for Blind Pig recording artists, The Chicago Rhythm & Blues Kings, traveling the US and Europe.



ROCKINFREAKAPOTAMUS & FRESH FIGHTERS

SATURDAY, JUNE 30 @ 8 PM

The Red Hot Chili Peppers and the Foo Fighters in the SAME SHOW? Need we say more?

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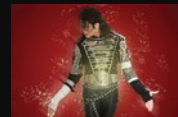
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SATURDAY, JUNE 16 @ 8 PM

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SATURDAY, JULY 21 @ 4 & 8 PM

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BBI

FRIDAY, JUNE 15 @ 8 PM

Laughing Moon Comedy: Michael Palascak

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 20 @ 8 PM

Laughing Moon Comedy: Gary Becwar

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 27 @ 8 PM

Lexi Parr & The Rubyblonde Band w/ Jabber Box

FRIDAY, JUNE 29 @ 8 PM

Rockinfreakapotamus & Fresh Fighters

SATURDAY, JUNE 30 @ 8 PM

Laughing Moon Comedy: Craig Allen

WEDNESDAY, JULY 11 @ 8 PM

Laughing Moon Comedy: Jeff Dye

WEDNESDAY, JULY 11 @ 8 PM

Lava Rock

SATURDAY, JULY 14 @ 8 PM

Laughing Moon Comedy: Charlie Weiner

WEDNESDAY, JULY 18 @ 8 PM

Laughing Moon Comedy: Brad Tassel

WEDNESDAY, JULY 25 @ 8 PM

Dueling Pianos

FRIDAY, JULY 27 @ 7 PM

Dueling Pianos

SATURDAY, JULY 28 @ 7 PM

Laughing Moon Comedy: Elliott Threatt

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 1 @ 8 PM

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SATURDAY, AUGUST 4 @ 9 PM

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SUNDAY: 1 PM - 4 PM

JUNE

6.14 **TANNER SCHECKEL**
6.15 **TASTE LIKE CHICKEN**
6.16 **HALF FAST**
6.17 **TONY WALKER**
6.21 **STEVE DAVIS**
6.22 **WHISKEY REVIVAL**
6.23 **BOXKAR**
6.24 **MEGHAN DAVIS**
6.28 **ADAM BECK**
6.29 **JAKE MCVEY**
6.30 **SUMMER SON**

JULY

7.1 **JOHNNIE WALKER**
7.3 **FIREWORKS: BROWN BOTTLE BANDITS, 1-5 BOXKAR, 8-12**
7.4 **ANDY WILBERDING**
7.5 **BROKEN STRINGS**
7.6 **JOIE WAILS BAND**
7.7 **SIX SHOTS 'TIL MIDNIGHT**
7.8 **MARK ZALAZNIK**

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SATURDAY, JUNE 23



Bluedog

8 PM @ FLATTED FIFTH

@ POTTER'S MILL (BELLEVUE, IA)

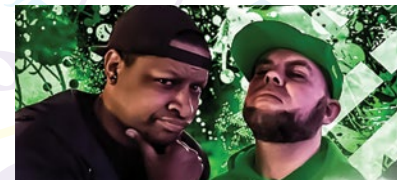
A five member blues/rock band out of Minneapolis, MN, formed in 2001, the Blu Dogs have been nominated for numerous awards for the recordings over the years. The music is influenced by life experiences of Native people. Joni states that "Native people have experienced the blues too. For us it reflects a significant part of life for Native people and our relationship with the U.S. government in the past, present and future. We are still here. Our music celebrates life, the good and bad."



The Bridget Kelly Band

8 PM @ THE BLU ROOM (600 CENTRAL AVE)

Inspired by classic & electric blues, the Bridget Kelly Band has placed their unique stamp on the blues genre, with high-energy live performances and a hybrid sound that mixes Texas and Memphis Blues with various Southern Blues traditions. The powerful and sultry vocals of singer Bridget Kelly and the incendiary lead guitar work of Tim Fik forge a signature hybrid sound that combines female urban blues with riff-driven rockin' blues guitar, held together by a dynamic rhythm section comprised of Tim Mulerry, who was a touring drummer for the Black Eyes Peas and Mark Armbricht on bass.



Casethejoint & Dj Jevity: DBRL

9 PM @ 7 HILLS BREWING CO.

Dubuque Battle Rap League (DBRL) crashes head on with 7 Hills Brewery, instigating a quality show experience like no other. Join Casethejoint and Dj Jevity for some classic hip hop stylings which will also include diverse performances by: Imperfekt, bringing live beats and raps with a confident, energetic stage presence. Young Phantom flows with that nerd appeal and witty wordplay. And Garrett Hillary to spice things up with comedic guitar antics. Sponsored by the Konnexion store. Support local music. Drink local beer. Lets get it!

SATURDAY, JUNE 30



River Glen Trio

9 PM @ 7 HILLS BREWING COMPANY

(1085 WASHINGTON ST)

COVER: FREE

River is a deft songwriter and powerhouse multi-instrumentalist from Dubuque. His lyrically-driven music blends elements of folk, pop, rootsy-rock, blues, and hip-hop. River and his band deliver performances that are upbeat, engaging, and tasty like biscuits and gravy. As the recipient of a 2017-2018 Iowa Arts Council Fellowship Grant, River continues to proudly represent his home state by bringing his brand of Iowa Grown Folk-Pop to audiences across the Greater Midwest, the Northeast, and Canada.

365INK LUNCHTIME JAM

FRIDAYS THROUGH SUMMER
NOON-1 PM @ TOWN CLOCK PLAZA

The 365ink Lunchtime Jam returns for another very laid-back summer season under the Town Clock in downtown Dubuque. For almost as long as there has been a 365 there has been a Lunchtime Jam. Sponsored by Prudential Financial, the Jam is a series of lunch hour concerts featuring the area's finest acoustic musicians and singer/songwriters.

Select Lunchtime Jams will also feature great food by Carlos O' Kelly's,

and there are, of course, a dozen great food options within a stone's throw of the plaza at lunch. Jams will be cancelled in the case of rain or excessive heat. ■

June 15: Maureen Kilgore

June 22: Cal Coohy

June 29: Liz Smith & David Minnehan

July 6: River Glen (solo)



Colt Ford with Moonshine Bandits
Saturday, June 16 | 7 PM (All Ages)
 Hits include: "The High Life," "Drivin' Around Song" & "Shoulda Named It After Me"
G.A. Tix \$40, VIP Pit \$60



Rapper, singer-songwriter, entrepreneur, and former professional golfer Colt Ford is best known for his music fusing country and hip hop, which has been categorized as "country rap". He has released six albums and charted six times on the Hot Country Songs charts.

Q SHOWROOM ENTERTAINMENT



Mixed Emotions

Friday, June 15 | 8PM - FREE SHOW!
 This 3-piece DBQ band is on a mission to bring back the sound of the 60's, 70's and 80's!

Slaughter with Menace

Thursday, June 21 | 8 PM
 Hits include: "Up All Night" and "Fly to the Angels"
Standing room only.
Tickets: \$25 Early Entry: \$35



In 1990, Slaughter hit radio, MTV and the U.S. touring circuit like a tornado. "Up All Night" got the party started while "Fly To The Angels" was more representative of the spirituality and awareness that goes into most of the band's music and lyrics.

Hard Salami

Friday, June 22 | 8PM - FREE SHOW!
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Craig Campbell with Jake Dodds

Saturday, June 30 | 8 PM
 Hits include: "Family Man," "Keep Them Kisses Comin" and "Outskirts of Heaven".
Standing room only. Tickets: \$19



Early Entry: \$29
 Starting in 2010, "Family Man" and "Outta My Head" both cracked the Top 15 on Billboard's Country Airplay chart. "Keep Them Kisses Comin" became a bonafide Top 10 hit, while "Outskirts of Heaven" showed an artist sensitive enough to share his soul and courageous enough to stand on conviction. Along the way he became a regular on the Grand Ole Opry.

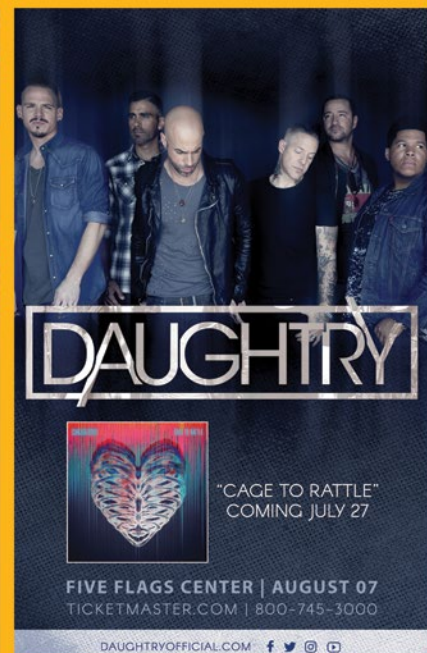
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Friday, July 13 | 8PM
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Early Entry: \$19.73
 Helmed by vocalist Spider (aka Michael Cummings, the younger brother of Rob Zombie), the Boston-based underground electro-metal band has released nine albums, notably *Tonight the Stars Revolt!*, and it's singles "When Worlds Collide" and "Nobody's Real". The band's latest release, *New Wave*, came out in 2017.

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Grammy-nominated Jamie O'Neal is an award winning Country Music Singer and Songwriter with multiple #1 hits, including chart topping "There Is No Arizona" and "When I Think About Angels."

Michelle Wright was the Academy of Country Music's Top New Female Vocalist in 1993. More than twenty-five singles, including six #1 hits: "Take It Like a Man", "One Time Around", "Guitar Talk", "One Good Man", "Nobody's Girl" and "Crank My Tractor".

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PETE'S TAHI KITCHEN

BY SUNIL MALIPATI

Of rice fields and tamarind trees



When it comes to food, 'authentic' is not particularly high on my requirements. As cuisines travel, they change and adapt just as immigrants in a new country do. However, if you assimilate too much, you are in danger of losing the essence of the cuisine and end up with chop suey.

Successful chefs retain the core elements of their cuisine while adapting to new situations and in doing so, please both themselves and their clientele. The aptly named Pete's Thai Kitchen (PTK) does exactly that: bringing the flavors from central and northern Thailand to Dubuque, but reflecting the singular vision of Pete Utthachoo.

Pete hails from the central rice-growing plains of Thailand while his wife Chayvam comes from the mountainous Northern region and the menu at PTK reflects that heritage. Pete emigrated to US following his mother and established a restaurant in Sioux City. Brad and Joanne Pinchuk, his business partners convinced him to make the move to Dubuque (a story related with panache in their menu!) and we are all the richer for it.



PTK is housed in the lovely building that housed Café Fraiche recently and the exposed brick walls are decorated with murals from the Thai version of the Ramayana. The artwork serves as a fitting introduction to the cuisine: the Ramayana is an Indian epic that mutated its identity after traveling to Thailand and now graces the walls of PTK as American graffiti. Influenced by Indian and Chinese cuisine, Thai cuisine developed its own identity and PTK has adapted it to cater to the steady stream of Dubuquers who are discovering new gustatory pleasures.



Thai cuisine has two general features. One, the food is prepared fresh and utilizes mostly fresh ingredients.

Two, the flavors are balanced in very complex ways unlike any other cuisine. Any given dish balances the salty, sweet, sour, bitter and umami tastes while providing intense aroma from fresh herbs and spices. Fish sauce and shrimp paste typically provide the salt and umami flavors, palm sugar the sweetness, lime or tamarind the tangy sour taste and bitterness from vegetables or herbs. With subtle variations in herbs, a chef can create a symphony of flavors. I cannot possibly describe the very extensive menu (though I did sample most of my way through!), though I will try and be a guide.

First, a general note about the spice level. Thai food is known to be blazing hot, but the dishes indicated by a fire symbol at PTK are only moderately spicy. They do not take requests to make the dishes spicier: I asked Pete and was gently rebuffed. However, they do have a condiment tray to increase the spice level by yourself. The tray has chili sauce in vinegar, chili sauce with fish sauce and lime juice, pickled jalapenos and ground roasted chilies. While I would have loved more heat in many of my dishes, the complex balance of flavor in each dish would have been impacted by it and I have to defer to the chef.

I could very well make a meal out of appetizers! The expected chicken satay, spring rolls and crabmeat rangoons are elevated by judicious choices. The grilled satay is tender and served with a robust peanut sauce and a tangy cucumber salad to provide the right counterpoint. The herbs in the Crabmeat Rangoon cut through the cream cheese filling and add a lot of flavor. The spring roll with gently spiced ground chicken and crispy jicama and vegetables felt wonderfully light, especially when paired with a sweet lemon-chilli sauce.

The unusual appetizers are worth seeking out. The Thai meatballs are made in house with ground beef, simmered in an aromatic beef broth and served with a sweet tumeric sauce that is divine in its subtlety.

The Fried Sweet Potatoes are a delightful surprise: Japanese sweet potatoes that are pale yellow in color and taste sweeter are dipped in a coconut batter, deep fried and served with a sweet peanut sauce (would



actually make a good dessert!). The best appetizers for my money are the crispy wings and the crepe: I cannot decide which I love more, I could happily eat just those two for an entire meal. The Crispy Wings are stir fried in hot oil and bathed in a sticky tangy sauce that is addictive- these are among the best wings I have ever had. The Thai Turmeric Crepe is a thing of wonder: a crispy crepe filled with ground chicken, shrimp, bean sprouts and sweet garlicky peanut sauce. The dish feels light while still delivering complex flavors.

The menu boasts 15 salads, many of which would qualify as a meal. The Fried Fish Salad delivered the most intense flavors of any dish on the menu. Crispy pieces of fried tilapia are served with thinly sliced red onion and carrots with cashews, expertly combined with herbs and dressed with a bracing ginger-lime vinaigrette. A simple salad of undressed greens accompanies the dish, just to cleanse your palate intermittently while each spoonful of the main salad explodes in your mouth like a flavor bomb. The Beef Salad combines tender charbroiled beef strips with a similar mixture to the fried fish salad, but with a spicy lime vinaigrette that provides a completely different flavor profile, much more suited to beef.

Among the soups, the tamarind based Tom Yum and coconut based Tom Kha are always good bets. Pete suggested the specialty Kang Jeed- by definition a clear soup. Pete's version comes with bean thread noodles and highlights seasonal vegetables. The vegetables used will change with the season.

And now the heart of the menu: curries and stir fries, influenced by Indian and Chinese cuisines respectively, but with a uniquely Thai identity. The Yellow Curry shows the Indian roots most clearly with the turmeric-based sauce and has a slightly gritty texture that made me feel at home. The Panang Curry and Roasted Duck Curry are the standouts, redolent of the central rice-fields and the mountain airs gently wafting down from





the Himalayan foot-hills. The Panang curry base has peanuts lending an earthiness that contrasts beautifully with the aromatic lemongrass and kaffir lime, the whole balanced with galangal (Thai ginger- milder in flavor) and coriander. The Roasted Duck curry uses a red curry base and adds a few sweet notes with bell peppers, tomatoes and pineapple. The sweetness wonderfully balances the richness of roasted duck as well as the coconut milk red curry sauce.

Among the stir fry options, Cashew Chicken and Garlic Peppercorn (both very good) show the most obvious Chinese influences. The Tamarind Fish has fried tilapia pieces with vegetables floating in a tamarind sauce that is surprisingly delicate (tamarind can be very strong if not used correctly). The two standout dishes for me were Thai Basil and Thai Peanut. The Thai Basil has an aromatic garlic chili sauce with the basil leaves adding to the heat of the chilies. The Thai Peanut has a stunningly

complex peanut sauce covering steamed cabbage, broccoli and carrots and choice of meat/ tofu- if there was any complaint at our table, it was that everyone wanted more of that wonderful sauce.



All curries and stir-fries come with a choice of meats: chicken, pork or tofu with beef, shrimp and mixed sea-food costing extra. They are served with steamed jasmine rice with brown rice, sticky rice, garlic rice and rice noodles available separately as options. The Noodles and Fried Rice options are great for those wanting a one-dish meal. Every Thai restaurant has to have a Pad Thai, and PTK's version is quite delicate with the tangy sour lime notes balancing well with the sweetness of radish and palm sugar and the savory notes of fish sauce, everything grounded by egg and peanuts. Fresh

bean sprouts and green onion add crunch to this ever-popular dish. The flat rice noodles come in two varieties; Thai Wok noodles with soy sauce and Spicy Wok noodles with garlic peppercorn sauce. Pete recommends the Spicy Wok noodles as a house specialty and my friend Michael liked it. Among the fried rice items, I loved the Spicy Basil Fried Rice with its garlic-chili base and the aroma of basil woven through the dish.

PTK has a small dessert menu that I have not tried. The Sticky Rice with Mango sounds great, though it will only last through the Mango season. The drinks menu consists of beer, wine and Thai iced tea and coffee. There

are two Thai beers- Singha and Chang available in the beer menu. Thai iced tea and coffee are both made with milk and tend to be on the sweeter side.

As I began writing this piece, the death of Anthony Bourdain was still fresh in my mind. He believed in food as a way to understand people, culture and the land. I'd like to think he would be pleased with Pete's Thai Kitchen, reflecting the journey of Pete and Chayvam from the central plains of Thailand to the river city of Dubuque. As I chew on some panang curry with jasmine rice, I imagine sitting underneath a tamarind tree breathing in air from the rice fields and I feel nostalgic for a land I have never been to... ■



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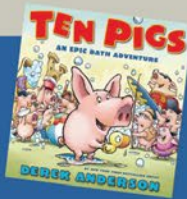
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THE STORY OF mattitude 1,000 MARBLES AS TOLD BY JOHN MAXWELL

BY MATT BOOTH

A few weeks ago, I was shuffling toward the basement shack with a steaming cup of coffee in one hand and the morning paper in the other. What began as a typical Saturday morning, turned into one of those lessons that life seems to hand you from time to time. Let me tell you about it...

I turned the dial up into the phone portion of the band on my ham radio in order to listen to a Saturday morning swap net. Along the way, I came across an older sounding chap, with a tremendous signal and a golden voice. You know the kind, he sounded like he should be in the broadcasting business. He was telling whoever he was talking with something about "a thousand marbles".

I was intrigued and stopped to listen to what he had to say. "Well, Tom, it sure sounds like you're busy with your job. I'm sure they pay you well but it's a shame you have to be away from home and your family so much. Hard to believe a young fellow should have to work sixty or seventy hours a week to make ends meet. Too bad you missed your daughter's dance recital."

He continued, "Let me tell you something Tom, something that has helped me keep a good perspective on my own priorities." And that's when he began to explain his theory of a "thousand marbles."

"You see, I sat down one day and did a little arithmetic. The average person lives about 75 years. I know, some live more and some live less, but on average, folks live about 75 years." "Now then, I multiplied 75 times 52 and I came up with 3900 which is the number of Saturdays that the average person has in their entire lifetime.

Now stick with me Tom, I'm getting to the important part."

"It took me until I was 55 years old to think about all this in any detail", he went on, "and by that time I had lived through over 28 hundred Saturdays. I got to thinking that if I lived to be 75, I only had about a thousand of them left to enjoy."

"So I went to a toy store and bought every single marble they had. I ended up having to visit three toy stores to round-up 1000 marbles. I took them home and put them inside of a large, clear plastic container right here in the shack next to my gear. Every Saturday since then, I have taken one marble out and thrown it away."

"I found that by watching the marbles diminish, I focused more on the really important things in life. There is nothing like watching your time here on this earth run out to help get your priorities straight."

"Now let me tell you one last thing before I sign-off with you and take my lovely wife out for breakfast. This morning, I took the very last marble out of the container. I figure if I make it until next Saturday then I have been given a little extra time. And the one thing we can all use is a little more time."

"It was nice to meet you Tom, I hope you spend more time with your family, and I hope to meet you again here on the band.

You could have heard a pin drop on the band when this fellow signed off. I guess he gave us all a lot to think about. I had planned to work on the antenna that morning, and then I was going to meet up with a few hams to work on the next club newsletter. Instead, I went upstairs and woke my wife up with a kiss. "C'mon honey, I'm taking you and the kids to breakfast."

"What brought this on?" she asked with a smile.

"Oh, nothing special, it's just been a long time since we spent a Saturday together with the kids. Hey, can we stop at a toy store while we're out? I need to buy some marbles." ■

"You can see the glass anyway you want, half-full or half-empty. While other's debate that, if you're thirsty, take a drink"—Matt Booth

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SAY HELLO TO DAD'S NEW FAVORITE SUMMER SNACK

BY HY-VEE NUTRITIONISTS MEGAN HORSTMAN (ASBURY) AND AMY CORDINGLEY (LOCUST)

For Men's Health Month, treat Dad to a peaceful little snack that's good for his heart ... and his appetite.

Listen up, men, this one's for you. June is not just about Father's Day. It's also Men's Health Month, an opportunity to raise awareness for men's health with a focus on prevention. We all know exercise, a good diet, hydration, and getting plenty of sleep are key factors of overall health, but let's talk specifically about snacks.

Nearly 94 percent of Americans report snacking at least once a day, with about half snacking two to three times daily. If you can identify with those numbers, perhaps it's time to evaluate your snack choices, and discover a new brand of Peaceful Piranha snacks that has some healthier options. Here's 4 things to look for when shopping for the perfect snack.

FIBER

Fiber is especially important for colon and heart health. Snacks that contain fiber include fresh berries, whole-grain crackers, nuts, roasted chickpeas, and dried apples—the latter of which contains 4 grams of fiber per serving.

SODIUM

Controlling your sodium intake can impact your blood pressure and affect your heart health. If you love salty snacks but need to watch your sodium, look for snacks that have savory seasonings instead of salt. Some flavored nuts,

like Peaceful Piranha Sweet Chili Peanut Poppers, have less than 10% of the Daily Value of sodium, contain 5 grams of protein, and have 2 grams of fiber. Plus, they satisfy the craving for something salty. If you're more of a salty-sweet person, look for low-sodium trail mixes that have a little bit of dried fruit, such as raisins or dried cranberries.

FOOD GROUPS

Snacks that fit into an actual food group are the most nourishing. Fresh fruits and veggies, dried fruit, baked vegetable chips, yogurt, beef jerky and grain-based snacks such as 100% whole grain crackers and popcorn are good choices. Bonus points if you choose a snack that contains more than one food group, like yogurt with berries, or Peaceful Piranha Beef Jerky & Tail Mix, which has 4 grams of protein and less than 60mg of sodium.

PORTIONS & CALORIES

It's important to understand what you're getting for the number of calories you're consuming.

A ¼-cup of almonds, for example, contains 3 grams of fiber (thumbs up) and 6 grams of protein (two thumbs up) for about 160 calories. But that's a pretty small handful. If volume is more your style, consider popcorn. A 4-cup serving of Peaceful Piranha Light Extra Virgin Olive Popcorn has 150 calories, 3 grams of fiber, and less than 120mg of sodium. ■

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BABY DRAGON

BY BOB GELMS

The most popular science fiction sub-genres are first contact and time travel stories. I know this must be serendipity because I have bumped into two of the best examples of both. I'm writing about first contact in this issue and time travel in the next issue.

In my little world, *Dragon's Egg* by Robert L Forward is in competition with Arthur C Clarke's *Childhood's End* as the best first contact novel off all time. It is delightfully surprising.

Dragon's Egg has NOTHING in common with *Childhood's End*. In fact, it has nothing in common with any other first contact novel I have ever read. It is unique. It is also a prime example of a hard science story. All of the science is explained and there is some help at the end of the book in the form of essays explaining the science in the book. After reading the novel you will be conversant in everything relating to a neutron star. It's fascinating.

500,000 years ago, in the constellation Draco, a star exploded, a supernova, clearly visible from Earth. After a while it cooled and was flung out into the Milky Way Galaxy. Eons go by and it finally reached the far outer edges of our solar system where it was detected by Earthlings. A science mission was sent out to study the little neutron star as it traversed our solar system. Because it originated in the constellation of Draco it was given the name Dragon's Egg.

In a wildly happy coincidence, the Earth mission discovers sentient life living on the surface of Dragon's Egg. This is completely unexpected. The gravity on a neutron star is utterly crushing, the surface temperature is about 8,000 degrees and the radiation could fry a human being from about 50 light years away.

Yet, there they were. They call themselves the Cheela. There is, however, one gargantuan monkey wrench thrown into the Cheela's life on Dragon's Egg. I'm not going to completely ruin the surprise but it's a bombshell.

The Earth mission discovers that the Cheela are a civilization that has only progressed to a very savage and early state in their development. Earthlings are very advanced compared to the Cheela so we decide to help them along. (Whatever happened to the Prime Directive-do not interfere, LOL?)

The Cheela rapidly progress in their development and are unequivocally brilliant. As they draw equal to us in technological advancement, we stay in contact but we stop teaching them and, as a parting gift, we send them an encyclopedia.

The Cheela use the encyclopedia as an intellectual springboard to race far ahead of us both in the advancement of their civilization and in the dazzling state of their technology. They have kept this from us just as we did with them. However, they have come to a generous bequest. I am not giving away the denouement, but it's a very special gift from one grateful race of sentient beings to another. Live long and prosper.

Dragon's Egg by Robert L Forward is a great, great book. It's everything science fiction reaches for. There

are abundant ideas that will keep your head spinning, new ideas and ideas for the future. The huge problems in the novel are solved in extremely clever ways. The solutions do not take advantage of the other race.

There are no wars, death from particle weapons, invasions, multi-generational starships, dastardly intentions, galaxy sized aggressive behaviors or zombies.

It is important to note that first contact with an extra-terrestrial sentient race in *Dragon's Egg* happens entirely by accident. We were not looking for it. As far as we were concerned, we were alone in the universe. SURPRISE! It turns out the Cheela were more stunned than we were.

A wise old science fiction writer once wrote, "Two possibilities exist: either we are alone in the Universe or we are not. Both are equally terrifying."

Del Rey Publishing has created a new imprint called Del Rey Impact. These are books that have slipped through the cracks for one reason or another and are being given a second chance to find an audience because they are important and should be widely read.

There are nine books on the Impact imprint and it just so happens that *Dragon's Egg* is accompanied by none other than my favorite science fiction book of all time and the best first contact book ever, *Childhood's End* by Arthur C Clarke.

Do yourself an enormous favor and discover or rediscover this timeless classic, *Dragon's Egg* by Robert L Forward. ■





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Conceptis Sudoku By Dave Green

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PUZZLE ANSWERS ON PAGE 35

YOU TOO CAN PREVENT FOREST FIRES CANCER!

BY DR. WILLIAM KUTTLER, D.D.S., KUTTLER DENTAL TEAM

I remember when I was scheduled for my first colonoscopy, I was reluctant to proceed with it. My doctor looked me in the eye and said “Colon cancer is the only cancer we can truly prevent, and we can do it by detecting polyps in your colon and removing them before they can develop into cancer.” His comments had a huge impact on me, and my colonoscopy was performed the next day—and several polyps were removed. Many years later I have colonoscopies scheduled when my doctors tell me to. Yep, it’s a small hassle. But based on the number of polyps I’ve had removed, it seems like a really small price to pay.

Having your children vaccinated against the human papillomavirus (HPV) is also a way to prevent cancers. Research has shown that 2.5% of adolescents have HPV, and that 1 in 9 American men have oral HPV. While HPV vaccinations are probably not quite as effective as colonoscopies, they are far easier. The statistics I’ve read indicate the vaccinations are probably preventing 90% of related cancers.

HPV causes 70% of oropharyngeal cancers. While happily the numbers of oropharyngeal cancer aren’t enormous, HPV causes about 31,500 cases of cancer in the US in both genders. (While not all of those cancers are oropharyngeal, I’m all about preventing ALL cancers. So, if vaccinations can prevent 70% of those linked to HPV, that strikes me as huge!)

I suspect that there are people reading this who are against all vaccinations. While I don’t agree with that perspective because I believe the safety of vaccinations is incredibly high, I’m not going to spend any ink arguing against that position. I simply ask that they study the research and the options.

What I know is that when I first became a dentist, people who developed oral cancers were generally older adults, mostly males, who have smoked and consumed an above average amount of alcohol. Today, the average age of people developing oral cancers is plummeting. A significant percentage of those people don’t use tobacco and most of them don’t drink excessive amounts of alcohol either. Further, most of them test positive for HPV.

For a large number of years the majority of HPV related cancers were cervical cancer in women. Today, with HPV related cancers, oropharyngeal cancer has overtaken cervical cancer. Also for many years it seemed that most HPV related cancers were in women. Today men are four times more likely than women to be diagnosed with oropharyngeal cancer. In less than 40 years, many of the statistics have been turned upside down—I find that both amazing and terrifying!

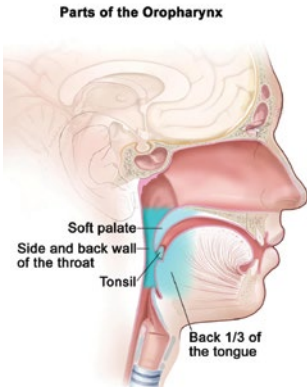
To make this even worse, many of the oropharyngeal cancers related to HPV are found in and around the tonsils and are often far more difficult to detect than the more “traditional” types

of oral cancer. That translates to the reality that by the time those are detected, they are larger and are more likely to have spread—making treatment far more difficult and less likely to succeed.

In the beginning HPV vaccinations were encouraged more for girls than boys. Today, I would want all of my children to be vaccinated. The recommended age is 11 to 12, but the vaccinations can be given as early as age 9, and it is most effective if given before the age of 13. Having said that, if your children have not been vaccinated or if you are a young adult, vaccinations can be given up to the age of 26, and they will still provide significant benefits.

I encourage you to have a discussion about HPV vaccinations with your medical doctor. April is Oral Cancer Awareness Month—this seems like a GREAT time to take action!

Don’t just be aware of it, PREVENT IT! (And tell your medical doctor that your dentist sent you.) ■



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SPOT THE DIFFERENCE

Find 10 differences in this photo from the freshly repainted street mural in the Washington Neighborhood in downtown Dubuque. Answers on page 34.



UPCOMING FAMILY EVENTS

SATURDAY, JUNE 16



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10 AM-3 PM @ HAZEL GREEN OPERA HOUSE (HAZEL GREEN, WI)

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Children's Book Author Derek Anderson

10 AM & 2 PM @ CARNEGIE-STOUT PUBLIC LIBRARY

Children's book author and illustrator Derek Anderson will be visiting the Carnegie-Stout Public Library on Wednesday, June 20 at 10:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m. Derek Anderson was born and raised in Iowa and is the bestselling artist and cocreator of the Little Quack series. He is also the talent behind *Gladys Goes Out to Lunch* and *Over the River: A Turkey's Tale*. Derek has created more than twenty-five books for children about ducks, dragons, more than a few dogs, a speedy hamster, a gorilla, ten pigs and some other furry and non-furry friends. His books have appeared on the New York Times bestseller list and garnered awards including the National Parenting Publication Gold Award, the CBC Children's Choice Award and many state awards. Books will be available for purchase through River Lights Bookstore. For ages 5 and up. Please register no more than one week in advance at the Children's Help Desk or by calling (563) 589-4225, ext. 2228.

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Creative Adventure Lab's summer camp programs are a great way to foster creative thinking

and innovation in a fun, interactive environment. Designed for children ages 6-9, 10-13, and 14-17, each program explores topics in art, science, and technology while building upon creative thinking and innovation skills. Camps run Monday-Thursday, 8:30 a.m.-3:30 p.m. during specific dates. Tuition ranges from \$150-\$250 per week, depending on camp. Register today at advntr.org/summer-camps.

Adult Pottery Adv. Techniques Workshop

Creative Adventure Lab

Thursday, June 14, 6:00pm-9:00pm

Cost: \$59 members, \$65 non-members

Have you taken our 6-week pottery course and are eager to learn more? This workshop will teach techniques to take your pottery to the next level. In this one-day workshop, adults will learn how to use equipment, such as slab rollers and extruders, that are not covered in our 6-week courses. Students will also learn how to make handles, spouts, as well as surface textures and designs. During the workshop, students will apply what they're learning while making a mug or pitcher. Creations will be bisque fired, but not glazed. Sign up for our Glazing Workshop to finish off your pottery! This class is open to the public, but we recommend that students have prior basic education in pottery.

Adult Pottery Glazing Techniques Workshop

Creative Adventure Lab

Thursday, July 5, 6:00pm-9:00pm

Cost: \$59 members, \$65 non-members

This workshop will teach adults glazing techniques to take their pottery to the next level. Over the course of the evening, students will apply techniques they've learned to their own pottery. Please bring 3-5 bisque fired items made with high fire clay (cone 6). Don't have your own bisque fired pottery? Premade bisque fired pottery can be purchased during the booking process. This class is open to the public, but we recommend that students have experience in pottery. Students are encouraged to bring their own bisque fired pottery. Pottery MUST be made with high fire clay. Anything that is not high fire, will be destroyed in the firing process. This includes pottery purchased in Creative Adventure Lab's Design Lab. Visit advntr.org/program-calendar for more details.

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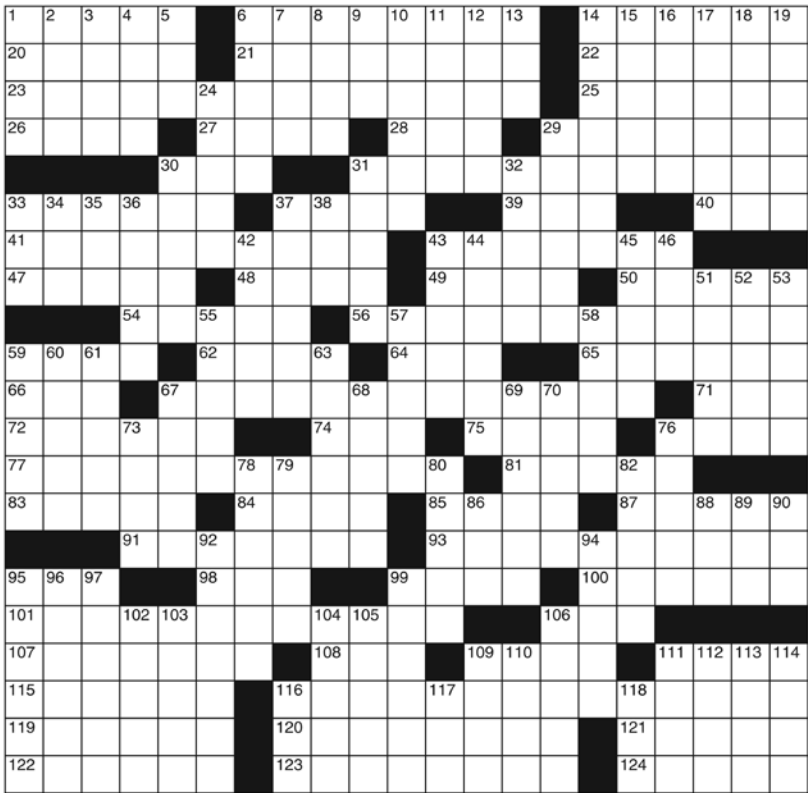
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PUZZLE ANSWERS ON PAGE 35



Annual Planter Maintenance

Did you get a beautiful hanging basket this spring? Are you struggling to keep these these planters continuing to look good? Did you try hard to recreate a planter from that pinterest post you found now to have them look wimpy? You are not alone. Here are a few tips that will help you accomplish your goals.



Water

Watering is the hardest part of keeping annuals. You don't want the soil too wet because it will result in root rot problems, you can't keep it too dry or the plant wilts and dies. The goal is finding a happy medium.

- Be sure your pot has drainage holes
- Water only when the top of the soil is dry to the touch
- Water until water comes out of the drainage holes
- Don't allow your pot to sit in standing water

Early in spring when your plants are smaller and the temperatures are lower, you may only have to water every 3 or 4 days. Now, as the plants get larger and temperatures rise, be prepared to water every day. With small pots or extra thirsty plants, you might even have to water twice a day. You will also need to water more quickly if it is a windy day. Wind will cause pots to dry out more quickly, especially hanging baskets. Larger pots will dry-out less quickly than small pots.

Fertilizer

Your container plants are depending on your for food After watering, fertilizer is the most important thing to keep your plants thriving. Consider adding a controlled-release fertilizer to your hanging basket right after you buy or plant it. This will provide your basket with a good constant dose of fertilizer.

There are two different approaches I suggest for fertilizing. Either use a low dose of fertilizer each time you water or be sure and do a full dose of a water-soluble fertilizer once every one to two weeks. I do this for two reasons

-- by this time the plants are very large and to keep them going takes more fertilizer.

Other Maintenance

There are two other things you may want to do to help maintain your basket for the long-haul. First, some plants may need deadheading. Most Proven Winners® plants have been selected to not need deadheading for continuous bloom, but many plants may benefit from it.



Consider trimming annuals back. Planters can become a bit stretched or open looking over time, even when you are doing everything right. Give your baskets a "haircut" in mid to late summer. This simply means I take a sharp pair of scissors or shears and trim a few inches off the entire basket, like when you get your hair trimmed. How much you cut off is up to you, a light trim of an inch or two is usually plenty, but there are times when a bigger trim might be good. If you have long trailing pieces that you don't like, feel free to cut them off.

Giving the basket a haircut will rob you of some flowers, but it will increase branching, tighten the habit, and help keep the basket looking good long-term. Your flowers should come back within a few days or so and your plant, is likely to start growing more strongly again. ■

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Advertisement for Ace Home & Garden featuring a grill and the text 'Ace is the place with the hottest names in grills.' It includes contact information for Steve's Ace Home Garden and Steve's Ace Hardware in Dubuque, IA.

Advertisement for Runde Auto Group featuring the slogan 'Sweet Ride!' and logos for Chevrolet, Buick, GMC, Ford, Dodge, Chrysler, Jeep, and Ram.

PICTURE YOURSELF IN THE TRI-STATES!



Famed former victim of abduction, Elizabeth Smart, speaks at the Riverview Center's Evening of Light event at the Grand River Center in Dubuque. Photo by Bob Felderman.



Storm-chasing photographer Mark Dierker captured this multiple lightning strike on Saturday, June near Luxemburg, IA.



The Dubuque Brewers get 2nd place, losing to the Padres at the Rising Stars Tournament. But you'd never know it from those smiles. Friendship is what it's all about. Photo by Stacy Hirsch.



Washington Street Neighborhood Assoc. volunteers re-paint the fun street mural at 18th & Washington St. in downtown Dubuque. Drive by and check it out! Photo by Council member Kate Larson.



A big crowd gathers to see Mike and the Moonpies perform at Cascase's Riverview Amphitheater for another edition of Rockin' On the River! William Clarke Green will perform July 14.



This young man cleaned-up, and now needs to clean up, after a BWB chicken wing eating contest at the American Cancer Society's Relay For Life in Wasington Park. Photo by Ron Tigges.



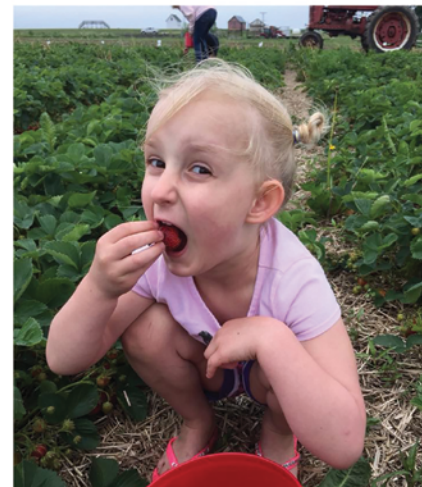
Addison Aronson came across mama and her babies while hiking the trails at Swiss Valley.



Night Ranger proves you can still rock at the America's River Festival in the Port of Dubuque.




Sevendust frontman, Lajon Witherspoon, rocks some faces off at Q Casino's Backwaters Stage. Photo by Steven Schleuning.



Alayna Spiegelhalter picks strawberries at Vesperman Farms in Lancaster, WI over the weekend. You can too... and raspberries!

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Gwen Werner's Good Advice



DEAR GWEN,

I got a Facebook friend request from a girl I knew in grade school. She was a bully to me and many of my friends. She humiliated me so much that my mother actually pulled me out of my sixth grade classroom and had the school transfer me to another teacher. To be honest, I've lurked her internet presence for the past couple of years, and it seems like she hasn't done very well in her adult life. Should I assume her friend request is her olive branch to me? Or should I just hit delete?

Sincerely,
The Mean Girl Returns

DEAR THE MEAN GIRL RETURNS,

The internet is a hellish place sometimes, isn't it? When I was in fifth grade, I had a bully who told me, "If you were my friend, you'd give me all your pencils." So I gave her my pencils! Every day! For a year! She's still cute and happy. How rude.

I'm not going to tell you to bully your bully. But I am going to tell you to start playing as many Facebook games as you can. I'm talking Farmville. I'm talking Candy Crush. I'm talking Tasty Solitaire. I'm talking Words with Friends. Hit that girl with as many annoying notifications as possible.

Maybe you're thinking, "Hey, what if she figures out how to block those?" Baby, buckle up. I want you to create and add her to as many group messages with as many people as possible. In-laws. Bachelorette parties. Every time someone leaves the message or responds to the group, she'll get a notification.

How opposed are you to being a part of a pyramid scheme? Or do you know other idiots selling for Herbalife, LuLaRoe, Beachbody, doTerra, or Isagenix? Invite your grade school bully to the selling parties, spam her with ads with before and afters. Use lots of hashtags!

Invite her to Facebook events! Doesn't matter what they are. Art openings, rock 'n roll shows, whatever. She 100% won't go because no one actually wants to go to anything, but after all your hard work, her Facebook will be a nightmare of invitations and notifications and group messages with moms talking about what they're making for brunch on Sunday.

Eventually she'll either delete you, or by some act of god, she'll decide you're cool and try to be your friend. Either way, you're back in the driver's seat, baby! Maybe you'll both actually get on the Beachbody train and you'll get in the greatest shape of your life. Anything can happen, my sweet.

- xoxo Gwen

DEAR GWEN,

My boyfriend is wonderful when he's sober, but when he's drunk he comments on my weight. Most recently, we got in a huge fight (while he was drunk) because he simply wouldn't let it go. I snapped a little, said I would support him in his journey if he chooses weight loss himself, but that negative talk about my body is off limits. I don't want to end our relationship over something so small, but I refuse to back down on this issue. Please advise.

Yours,
Chubby and Happy

DEAR CHUBBY AND HAPPY,

DUMP. YOUR. BOYFRIEND.

Honestly, everyone reading this: DUMP. YOUR. BOYFRIEND. My advice, no matter the circumstances, will always and forever be DUMP. YOUR. BOYFRIEND.

- xoxo Gwen

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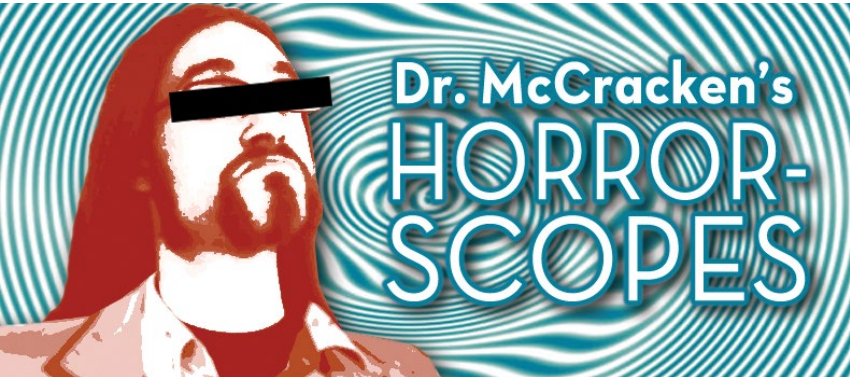
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(MAR 21-APR 19)
You've been feeling the pull of gravity a bit more as the stars revolve around their celestial plane, resulting in you looking at yourself in the mirror and wondering when you turned into a slow motion video of a wax museum burning down. Try rubbing under your eyes with cucumber slices and the blood of your enemies.

TAURUS
(APR 20-MAY 20)
So you've turned into a minotaur. Not to worry! Your body is mostly unchanged with the exception of your head, which is now that of a bull. Buy some new hats and a bigger toothbrush and you'll be amazed at how much people still like you and your newfound tolerance for eating your grass clippings.

GEMINI
(MAY 21-JUNE 20)
There's a little quote about money that keeps running through your head lately in these trying times: A penny shaved, is a penny yarned. Your new line of clothing made entirely out of pennies and hot glue will be a big hit if you can find a model who can support the weight and the inevitable staining of the skin from the copper.

CANCER
(JUNE 21-JULY 22)
There's been no word recently about the Federation of Vaporous Government Entities "supposedly" being "involved" in a "massive trafficking incident involving human souls" down at the outerdimensional salt mines near the edge of town, but it's surely just hearsay and nothing to worry about, be interested in investigating, or even mention beyond this blurb.

LEO
(JULY 23-AUG 22)
You've acquired a lot of spare time and energy toward fixing up your living space, starting with organizing and finding a safe space for the repurposed Rockstar and Monster energy drink cans filled with as much sweat from night-terrors as you could save. A nice armoire painted to match the endless blackness of your anxiety would be a nice match. If not that, burgundy looks nice, too.

VIRGO
(AUG 23-SEP 22)
When you saw one set of footprints in the sand, it was because someone had jumped you and Jesus, tied you side-by-side, removed

one of each of your feet, sold them in a vending machine in a weird part of Japan, and then forced you two to walk to your destination.

LIBRA
(SEP 23-OCT 22)
Get rid of the people in your life who you can't trust because there's no need sharing your happiness with someone you can't even rely on to pick you up at the airport or collude with you in a computer hacking scheme that will bring down the infrastructure of capitalism or, at the very least, make the president stop tweeting.

SCORPIO
(OCT 23-NOV 21)
Your lucky number is 31.

SAGITTARIUS
(NOV 22-DEC 21)
As you're walking around your place of employment, try not to think about what you wanted to do when you were younger and the world was a place of multiple opportunities instead of a big place you pay a lot to exist in and which you have maybe four or five things you could possibly do unless you want to live completely off the grid in a difficult and short life of obstacles.

CAPRICORN
(DEC 22-JAN 19)
Stop singing "Sweet Caroline."

AQUARIUS
(JAN 20-FEB 18)
Your garden's been looking pretty good since you dug it up two weeks ago, took a picture of it for Instagram, didn't plant anything, and haven't touched it since.

PISCES
(FEB 19-MAR 20)
With the heat coming in hard and heavy for summer this year, make sure to take a little time for yourself by kicking back with a cold glass of sun tea, a good book, and complete assurance that the sun will burn out completely someday and the idea of a legend or legacy or history itself will be nothing more than nothing at all.

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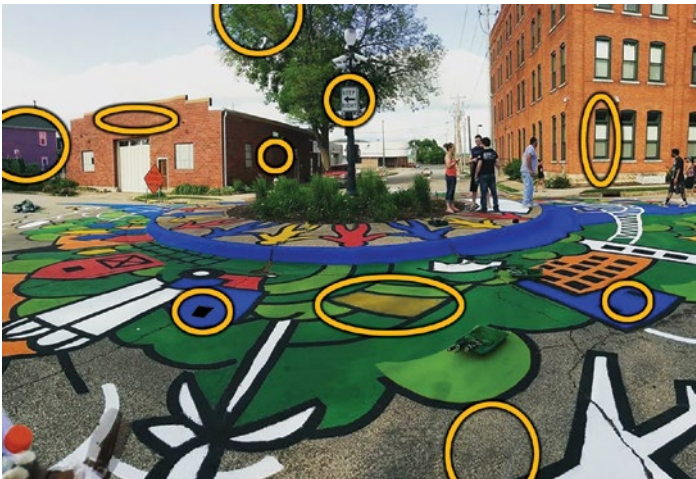
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