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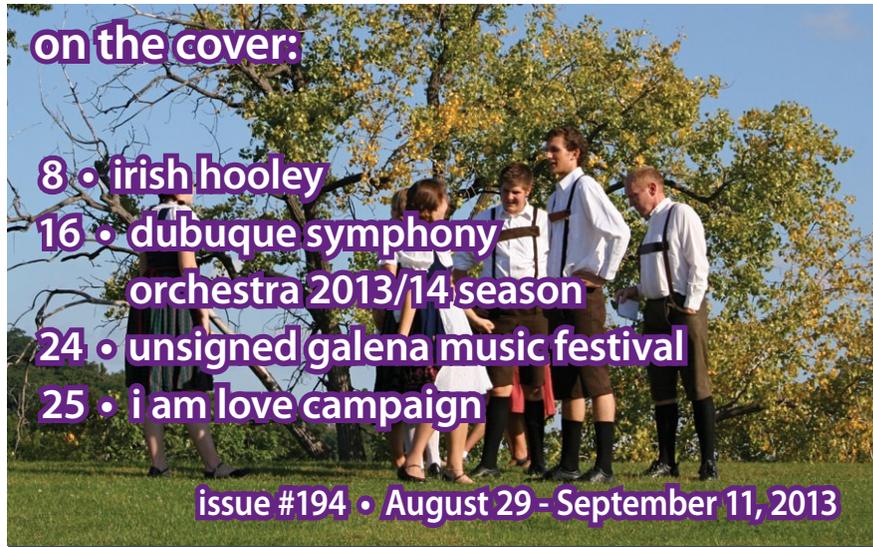
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Where's Wando
We've hidden Wando somewhere in this issue of 365ink. Can you find him?



I see the school board elections are coming around again. I'm sure voter turnout will once again be in the whopping single digits. I admit that I don't really know what the hot button issues are this year. I don't know if there are a slate of level-headed caring individuals running or if there are a couple of one issue hotheads or goofballs in there. I didn't look yet. Hopefully not. I'm just not in the loop anymore. But I was once.

Back in the day, what seems like forever ago, I worked for the School District as the district's technology coordinator at the central administrative offices. It was called The Forum back then. Outside of the School Board and the top administrators in the district, I probably knew as much about the school board as anyone since I was at every single school board meeting for a few years straight. I was the guy that made sure they were on TV. Except instead of watching the meetings from the board room, I was upstairs in my office where the control studio was, so I could safely make running commentary and or beat my head against the walls when people said truly dumb things at school board meetings. It was not usually the board though. It was clear that some people who were angry about things really didn't put a ton of thought into what they were going to say. I remember one guy brought a noose to a meeting. Then again there was the school board member who was concerned about the threat of riots if we brought soccer into the districts as an official sport. You know, because of the soccer riots in Europe. Yeah, I know.

In her defense, she was pretty old and generally always pretty cranky. But overall, I don't know why anyone would want to be on the board. It seems like a pretty thankless job. Basically people always seem to be mad at everything you decide. Some get so mad they decide to run against you for the board because clearly they could do it better. Their knee-jerk reaction is that this was a much better choice than just getting the facts and discovering that indeed they were misinformed about an issue.

When I think of the perfect school board member, I always think of Suzie Robey who always seemed to have a level head about everything and luckily sat on the board for a fair span of human history. But there were then and are today also a great supporting slate of volunteers serving on the board. It seems like word gets around and Dubuque does a pretty good job of sorting out the nuts and the angry ones.

In my day, in addition to the candidates forum, we also did a one-on-one interview show with each candidate. I remember a couple of them being so clearly unfit for the position that all I had to do to display their ineptness was to air their interviews in an unedited format. But the powers that be made me cut out the parts where they asked to start over again and again or just clearly got lost in what they were saying and looked dumb. They thought everyone should get a fair shot. I thought this was giving them an unfair shot and something they should not be shooting at. Note that I didn't even reference Sarah Palin there at all.

There are occasionally big issues that drive school board elections, like the mega-school debate a couple of years back. But generally, back in the 90's, if people were running with some kind of bee in their bonnet it was because they were convinced that the district was just frivolously wasting money all over the place and the school board were the evil geniuses pulling the strings. Of course, this was completely bologna, but you know how people can get when they've got their opinions and no facts to support them. These people generally always lost in the end. But if they won, it was about a month before they'd figure out that indeed the district was being wise and frugal with its limited resources now that their argument was squashed. But now they were in one of the thankless positions that had to figure out how to run a ten dollar operation on eight dollars, so to speak. And in two years someone else would be pointing fingers at them calling them money wasters. Ah, poetic justice, or irony. Whatever you call that. I'm now an English teacher. I just own a newspaper.

There was a guy who home schooled his kids and sat on the school board back then. How that made any sense is beyond me. It's like having a corporate board member who has no stock in the company. Who would do that? Government, that's who. Because people who vote don't always think first and when you have low voter turnout like at a school board election, a small group of people with an ax to grind can make dangerous waves. So VOTE! ... But for who?

Like I said at the start. I don't know the issues this year. I don't even know the candidates yet. There's a good chance you don't either. But I do still know people at the school district who I trust and respect. I'll be asking them who they're voting for and I'll vote the same way. I'll do that because these are not greedy corporate tycoons running the ship. These are educators. If ever there was a profession of intelligent people who clearly chose the love of their work over the love of money it was educators (or newspaper staff). You might try doing the same.

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Be Made Whole Book Signing
Friday, August 30, 5:30-6:30 p.m.
River Lights Bookstore

Be Made Whole is the story of a man whose abusive childhood caused his mind to split into nine different personalities. After many years of torment and searching for answers, Dan received Jesus into his heart and life. He was made whole and knew that God wanted to use everything he had been through to share the healing message of the Gospel to the world. Meet Dubuque author Daniel Levi. For more information, visit www.riverlights.com.

Galena Studio Tour
Saturday-Sunday,
August 31-September 1
Downtown Galena

Join a self-guided studio tour through historic Galena, IL. Six downtown locations host a unique opportunity to not only meet the artists and view their art work, but to learn something about the creative process that the artist undertakes and the story behind their artwork. Tour runs from 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Sat. and 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Sunday. Maps and additional information are also available at www.galenastudiotour.com.

Grape Stomp
Saturday, August 31
Park Farm Winery

Park Farm Winery in Bankston celebrates the fall harvest with Grape Stomp, an afternoon festival of well, grapes, stomping, wine, and

live music including Bob Door & The Blue Band, who apparently plays every wine-based live music event in eastern Iowa.

Art Exhibition 2013

THE SALON

The Salon Opening Reception
Saturday, August 31, 6-11 p.m.
902 Main Street

Named after the Salon Des Refusés, an exhibition of works rejected by the jury of the Official Paris Salon, The Salon seeks to promote artists who have applied to and were not accepted by the annual Voices from the Warehouse District Exhibition and the Dubuque Museum of Art's Biannual Exhibition. All artists who were rejected within the past five years who apply will be accepted. The reception will feature live music by Kristina Casteneda & Shawn Healy, Feast of Mutton, and Vene-real Crush. Admission is free. For more information, visit www.facebook.com/SalonDesRefusesDbq.



Dubuque Labor Day Parade
Monday, September 2, 9:30 a.m.

Downtown Dubuque parade Route
The annual celebration of working men and women of our community and country at the Bill Delaney Annual Labor Day Parade sponsored by the Dubuque Area Labor-Management Council. The parade will begin at Jackson Park and end at Washington Park.

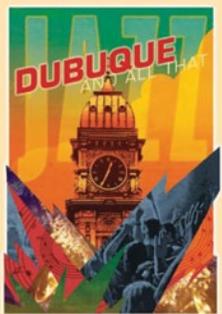
UW-P Welcome Weekend Concert
Monday, September 2, 7 p.m.

William's Feildhouse, U.W. Platteville
This year's Welcome Weekend concert will feature country music performers Chris Cagle, Jason Michael Carroll, and Scarletta. Scarletta will open the event at 7 p.m., Carroll will perform at 8 p.m., and Cagle will headline, taking the stage at 9:15 p.m. A limited number of tickets for the concert are available. Tickets are \$20 (plus taxes and handling) at the University Box Office or by calling (608) 342-1298 or toll-free at 1-877-727-1CFA.

Human Rights Celebration
Friday, September 6, 9:30 a.m.
Dubuque Arboretum

The 2013 Human Rights Celebration, "Breaking Down the Doors of Injustice," sponsored by Dubuque Church Women United will meet at the Dubuque Arboretum and Botanical Gardens, 3800 Arboretum Dr., Dubuque. A celebration service and program will be at 10:00 a.m. Guest speaker Judy Nemmers, board member of NAMI Dubuque and a Licensed Independent Social Worker providing patient mental health therapy, will present "Faith & Mental Health – Building Bridges of Hope." Ann E. Michalski, former Dubuque City Councilwoman, will be honored with the Church Women United Human Rights Award. She will be recognized for her tireless efforts towards positive changes in human rights within the Dubuque community. All interested are welcome.

Dubuque... And All That Jazz!
Fridays, September 6, 5 - 9:30 p.m.
Town Clock Plaza



Dubuque biggest free festival series concludes with the September installment featuring, for the first time ever, home-grown entertainment in the form of River Glen and headliners, The Lonely Goats. In addition to music, the festival features a wide variety of foods, cold beverages served up by the Dubuque Jaycees.

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Galena Food & Wine Festival
Galena Convention Center
September 6, 7 - 10 p.m.

The Galena Food and Wine Festival aspires to be a culinary dream featuring the talents of Galena area restaurants as well wine tasting—showcasing approximately 150 varieties—sponsored by Family Beer & Liquor. The event—with a portion of the proceeds to benefit the Galena Art and Recreation Center—will also include live music, a raffle and silent auction. The event also kicks off Go Galena Getaway Weekend, organized by the Galena Area Chamber of Commerce. Additional events are planned throughout the weekend, including the Chamber's famed "Quartermania" to be held on Saturday. For more information, visit www.galenachamber.com and see the add on page 17. Cost is \$50.00 per person.



Dubuque Dragonboat Festival
September 6-8
Miller Riverview Park

The Dubuque Dragon Boat Association will be hosting the 26th Annual Dubuque Dragon Boat Races at Miller Riverview Park (behind Mystique Casino), September 6-8. A pre-arty of boats will take place on Friday, Sept 6th, while the public racing get rowing on Saturday and Sunday, September 7-8 beginning with a "waking the dragon" ceremony on Saturday and all day racing both days, with awards presented on Sunday afternoon. This event typically brings 500-700 team participants on about 40 teams to the races, plus additional family members and spectators. The Dragonboat races are free to attend. Visit www.dubuquedragonboat.org.

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Four Bitchin' Babes
Saturday, September 7th, 2013, 7 PM

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Maggie May Saturday, October 12th, 7 p.m.

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Vettes of the River
Saturday, September 7, 8 a.m.
Port of Dubuque

The Key City Corvette Club & Mid-West Corvettes invite you to join Vettes on the River, Saturday, September 7, starting at 8 a.m. in the Port of Dubuque. All Corvettes are welcome and so is the general public. The goal is to fill the Port with Corvettes and to support Hospice of Dubuque. Last year the event was in Le Claire, IA with 280 Corvettes on the River. They are moving the event to Dubuque this year for more room for parking, hoping for a turnout of 300+ Corvettes. Local radio will broadcast live from 10 a.m. - Noon. In addition to trophy ceremonies for participants, there will be a group dinner, walking poker and 50/50 drawings for charity.

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Airport Open House/EAA Breakfast
Sunday, September 8, 8 a.m. - Noon
Dubuque Regional Airport

The airport and the local Chapter of EAA will be hosting an Open House/Fly-in/Drive-in breakfast in the Blue Skies over Dubuque hangar. Funds raised by the breakfast go to support aviation promotion activities to include the Young Eagles program. Multiple aircraft and equipment will be on display on the airport ramp along with several aircraft in the Dubuque Jet Center Hangar. Airplane rides will be available for \$25 per person through Iowa Flight Training.

TOAST & JAM
SUMMER CONCERT SERIES

Party at the Park
Saturday, September 8, 3-8 p.m.
Park Farm Winery

Park Farm Winery, at 15159 Thielen Rd, Bankston, IA, hosts a special edition of Toast & Jam as a fundraiser for Domestic Violence Awareness.

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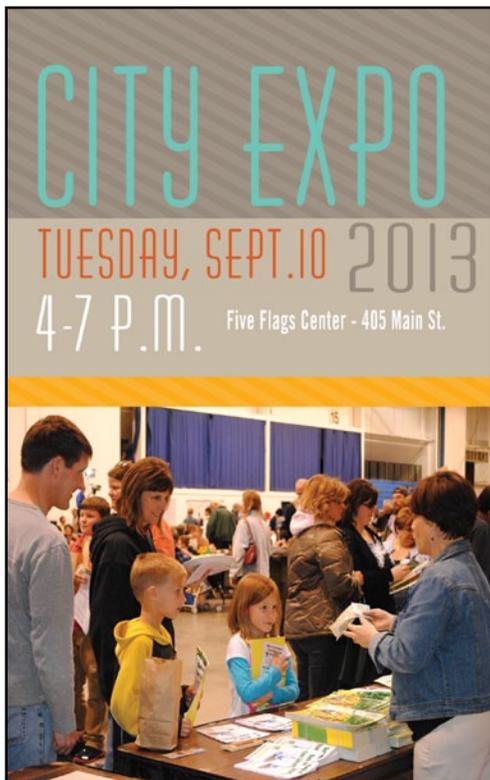
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City of Dubuque Expo
Tuesday, September 10, 4-7 p.m.
Five Flags Center

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This year's event is being held in a new season and at a new time as part of an effort to "overhaul" City Expo and make it a more accessible and engaging experience for attendees. It will again offer booths and displays featuring all City departments and divisions as well as many partner organizations but the displays and activities provided are being redesigned to be more informative and engaging for residents. Look also for an outdoor display area on West Fifth Street between Locust and Main streets plus a series of presentations/seminars on a variety of topics on two stages in the arena throughout the event. Topics will be posted at www.cityofdubuque.org/cityexpo.

Attendees are encouraged to BYOB (bring your own bag) to collect materials of interest to them. Free refreshments will also be provided for attendees. Visit www.cityofdubuque.org/cityexpo or call the Public Information Office at 563.589.4151.



Platteville Dairy Days

September 6-8, 2013

Legion Field and Main Street, Platteville, WI

The biggest party of the year in Platteville returns again from September 6-8 as Dairy Days takes over Legion Field for three days of cheesy good fun. Rather than rehash it all into paragraphs, we thought you'd prefer that we put it all in schedule form. So check out all of the great happenings planned for Dairy Days this year and make your plans to get the family and head to Platteville for some end of Summer entertainment. All events will be held at Legion Field on Pitt Street on the North side of Platteville, except for the Dairy Days parade on Main Street.

Friday, September 6th

- 5 PM - Amusement Midway Opens
- 5 PM - Flea Market/Craft Fair
- (Ride Bracelet Specials \$20 (Unlimited rides for 1 low price each session. Friday 6-10 PM, Saturday, Noon-4 PM, 6-10 PM, Sunday Noon - 4 PM)
- 7 PM- Fantasy Truck Pull
- 8 PM - 11:30 Tony Rocker and the Comeback Special

Saturday, September 7th

9:30 AM - The Dairy Days Parade returns on Main Street in downtown Platteville, WI. Thake in over 100 parade entries including bands, horses, floats & more.

- 10 AM - Flea Market/Craft Fair
- 10 AM - 4 p.m. - 4-H Exhibits & Judging (Art Hall Building)
- Noon - Band & Float Awards on the Main Stage
- Noon - Dairy Cattle Show
- Noon - 4 PM Cheese Tent (Free amples and judging)
- Noon - J.C.'s bean bag tourey reg. (Call 752-250-0752)
- 12:45 PM - Magician Brian Imbus Master of the Supernatural (Main Stage-FREE). Also @ 3:15 PM
- 1 PM - Jaycee Bean Bag Tourney - Chamberlain Field
- 2 PM - Hometown Talent Showcase (Main Stage-FREE)
- 5 PM - Dairy Queen Dilly Bar Eating Contest (Main Stage) (Register at Info Booth 1-4:30 pm)
- 6-7:30 PM - Turnpike Troubadors: The Aquatic Hitchhikers
- 6 PM - Platteville Dairy Days Open Tractor Pull
- \$7 admission / \$1 off w/ a Dairy Days button / \$10 Pit Pass
- 8:00-11:30 PM - Dairyokee, Karaoke with a twist (Main Stage)

Sunday, September 8th

- 9 AM - Southwest Auto Club Car Show
- 9 AM - Flea Market/Craft Fair
- 10 AM Garden Tractor Pull (pulling track, FREE)
- 10:30 AM Platteville United (Main Stage) (Featuring Youth Christian Rock Group Redeemer)
- 12:30-3:30 PM Ken Kilian Swingtet (Main Stage-FREE)
- 1 PM- Kids Pedal Tractor Pull - Registration 12:30 PM
- 1 PM Dairyland Antique Tractor Pull (FREE)
- 2 PM Fire Dept. Water Fights

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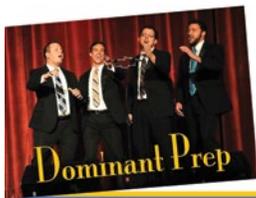
CELEBRATE HARMONY
A Salute to the
Barbershop Harmony Society's
75th Anniversary
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of
The Music Men
Barbershop Chorus of Dubuque

Saturday, September 21, 7:30 PM
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Women's Leadership Conference
Thursday, September 12
NICC, Town Clock Center

The Women's Leadership Network's 11th annual conference is designed to promote professional and personal development for women from 8 a.m.-4 p.m. at Northeast Iowa Community College's Town Clock Center for Professional Development, 700 Main St., Dubuque, . Keynote speaker Michelle Ray, motivational speaker and leadership strategist, will share "The Power of Personal Leadership." For more information or to register, visit www.dubuquewln.org.



Beauty and the Beast
A Gala for the Good of
Tri-State Area Animals
September 12, 5:30 p.m.
Diamond Jo Casino

The Dubuque Regional Humane Society (DRHS) is having its annual fall gala on Sept. 12, 2013, at the Diamond Jo Casino; this

year's theme is "Beauty and the Beast." Cocktails begin at 5:30 with dinner following at 6:30 p.m. The evening includes dinner, silent and live auctions, a vacation raffle drawing, and more! Plus, special guest emcee "Voice of the Hawkeyes" Gary Dolphin!

Change the fate of animals in the tri-state area by attending "Beauty and the Beast" to help make it the most successful gala event yet. The DRHS challenges you to share your passion for animals and bring a new person or couple with you as your guest(s)! Dinner features bacon-wrapped pork loin encrusted with maple syrup, brown sugar and mustard, served with little Italy salad, potatoes, seasonal vegetables, and dinner rolls. Dessert is Tiramisu. Attendance is just \$75 per person and you can RSVP online at www.dbqhumane.org.

Prepare to bid on silent and live auction items as well. Proceeds will benefit the nearly 5000 abandoned, lost and unwanted animals the DRHS provides care for each year.

Live auction items include a custom-designed ring from McCoy Jewelers, a luxury leather recliner from Flexsteel Furniture, an Ultimate Party Package, a Holiday Season Entertainment Package, and more! Silent auction items come from many fine area businesses and restaurants including Accessorize Me, Body & Soul Wellness Center, Creative Touch Gallery, Dubuque Mining Company, TOMY International, Tour Dubuque, Woodfire Grille, and many more!

The Dubuque Regional Humane Society (DRHS) is a private 501(c)3 non-profit organization committed to building life-long bonds between people and animals through adoptions, humane education, community outreach programs, and animal cruelty prevention. See the ad on page 17.

Midwest Culturally Inclusive Conference
September 12-13
U.W. Platteville

The Midwest Culturally Inclusive Conference (MCIC) is a regional conference for business and community leaders, college students,

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and educators who want to strengthen diversity. A great slate of keynote speakers is on the sate for the third annual Midwest Culturally Inclusive Conference, September 12-13 at the University of Wisconsin-Platteville.

Dr. Joe Bertolino and Bil Leipold, better known as Joe and Bil, will kick off the conference at 9 a.m. on Thursday, Sept. 12. with the program, "When the Gays Move Into Mr. Roger's Neighborhood," exploring the realities and human dimensions of living in a world of heterosexual privilege. Will Allen, founder and CEO of Growing Power Inc. will be speaking at noon on Thursday, Sept. 12, as an urban farmer who is transforming the cultivation, production and delivery of healthy foods to underserved, urban populations. Dr. Maura Cullen is author of "35 Dumb Things Well-Intended People Say: Surprising Things We Say That Widen The Diversity Gap."

Wes Moore is author of "The Other Wes Moore," and a New York Times and Wall Street Journal bestseller. Plus, Reyna Grande's Perspective on Immigration and Maya Lily's MIXED: A One-Woman Show. More information to come in the next issue of 365ink or can be found now at www.uwplatt.edu/inclusivemw/.



Signature Chefs Auction
Thursday, September 19, 6-9 p.m.
Grand River Center

The March of Dimes' Signature Chefs Auction, taking place in the ballroom of the Grand River Center in the Port of Dubuque on Thursday, September 19, 6-9 p.m., features regional and international dishes and culinary creations

from Dubuque area's top chefs, live entertainment, and a live auction. Guests are also invited to Fund the March of Dimes Mission by making a 100% tax-deductible gift. For more information or to purchase tickets or tables, visit www.marchofdimes.com/iowa.

Back to School Family Fun
Friday, September 20

From 5:30-7:30 p.m. at the Dubuque Community Y, 35 N. Booth St., Dubuque, enjoy swimming, games, music, prizes, and more with a Day of Peace theme. There will also be an opportunity to donate school supplies for local students.



Ring of Fire
Sunday, September 22
UWP, Center for the Arts

At 7:00 p.m. at the Center for the Arts on the University of Wisconsin, Platteville, WI, stories of faith, family, passion, redemption, and humor set the stage in this new national tour featuring more than 35 hit songs from the legendary

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CELEBRATE HARMONY
A Salute to the
Barbershop Harmony Society's
75th Anniversary

**Music Men of Dubuque
Barbershop Chorus Annual Show
Sept. 21, 7:30 p.m.**

Emmaus Bible College

The Music Men of Dubuque Barbershop Chorus' annual show Celebrate Harmony will take place on Sept. 21, 7:30 p.m. at the Auditorium on the Campus of Emmaus Bible College. In addition to a complete program of barbershop songs, some old and some new, the show will feature the award winning quartet Dominant Prep, sponsored by Mediacom. These young men will also be holding barbershop learning sessions at Hempstead and Senior High Schools and Eleanor Roosevelt, Washington, and Jefferson Middle Schools on Friday, Sept. 20 during the school day. Celebrate harmony will also include a song set by Youse Guys, the Music Men's own quartet, and also a set by the quartet Chordination from Cedar Rapids. Tickets are \$12 at the door, or on-line at www.musicmen.org. Call 563 552-7064 for more details. See the ad on page 8.

**Hike to Help Refugees
Sunday, September 22, 2 p.m.**

Bergfeld Recreation Area

Hosted by Iowa United Nations Association, in collaboration with the Peace Festival host a hike to educate the community about refugee issues and the severity of these crises such as in Syria and Sudan and experience a refugee's journey on a small scale by hiking, and to raise funds for the UN Refugee Agency, which provides refugees with food, water, and shelter. Participants are encouraged to raise \$50, but \$10 will allow you to participate. For more information, contact hope@unaiowa.org.

**The Sunshine Boys by Neil Simon
The Grand Opera House
Sept 27-29, Oct 4-5, \$18**

Two noted Dubuque Actors, Vince Williams and Art Roche star in Neil Simon's The Sunshine Boys.



The Play focuses on aging Al Lewis and Willy Clark, a one-time vaudevillian team who are invited to reunite for a TV special on the history of comedy. Tickets online at www.thrgrandoperahouse.com.

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**Dubuque Chorale Presents:
Songfest 2013**

Saturday, September 28, 7:30 p.m.

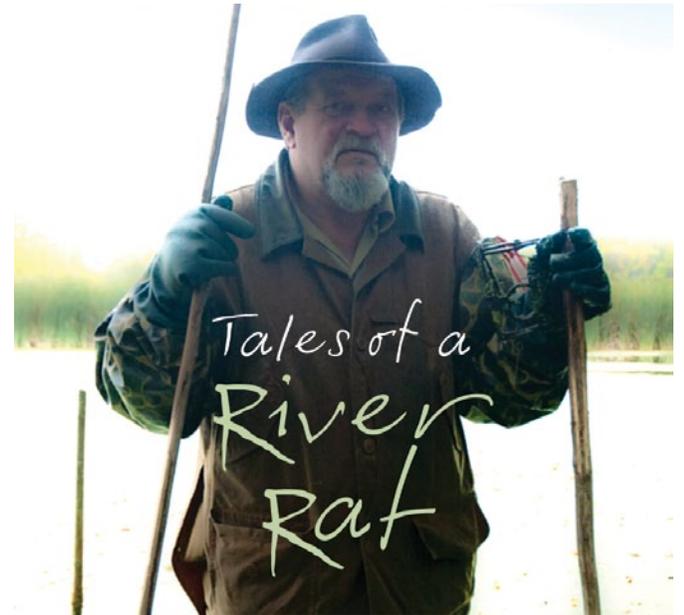
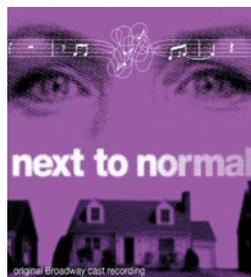
Church of the Nativity

The Dubuque Chorale joins local choral groups to celebrate the musical talents of the tri-state area. Vocal ensembles including the Julien Chamber Choir, Clarke University, Emmaus Bible College, Loras College, University of Dubuque, and University of Wisconsin-Platteville collegiate choirs will join the Dubuque Chorale and Cadenza to share their music with the community. Each ensemble will be given the opportunity to perform their own repertoire followed by an a cappella group performance of Stephen Paulus's Pilgrim's Hymn; a poignant anthem sung at the funerals of presidents Ronald Reagan and Gerald Ford. Admission is free of charge; a free-will offering will be taken.

**Next to Normal
October 3-6**

Clarke University

The Clarke University Drama Department has received a grant from the Iowa Arts Council that will help the school partner with the National Alliance on Mental Illness to produce the musical, "Next to Normal" from Oct. 3-6 in Terence Donaghoe Hall on the Clarke campus. Show times are 7:30 p.m. Oct. 3-5, and 2 p.m. Oct. 6.



**Nature Trek with the Last River Rat
Sunday, September 22, 2-5 p.m.
Mines of Spain**

Nature Trek at the Mines of Spain offers an afternoon to align with nature. Events will be held from 2-5pm in and around the EB Lyons Nature Center located at the Mines of Spain 8991 Bellevue Heights, Dubuque, IA 52003.

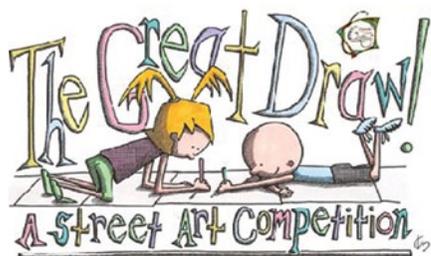
"Nature Trek at the Mines of Spain with the Last River Rat" begins at 2 p.m. where Kenny Salwey, our feature presenter will regale listeners with stories of life on the Mississippi. He is the Wisconsin author of the forthcoming book, "The Dogs and I: True Tails from the Mississippi." Salwey, who has made a living hunting, fishing and trapping in the Mississippi backwaters, has also written other books, including "Muskrat for Supper" and "The Old Time River Rats."

Following the talk, people will be able to participate in guided or unguided hikes in the Mines of Spain Recreation Area or enjoy the wildlife in and around the center. A 3pm guided tour will include a lesson in geocaching- a treasure hunting game where you use a GPS to hide and seek containers.

After the hike, the Dubuque chapter of the National Alliance on Mental Illness will offer a short program connecting positive experiences of nature with improved mental and spiritual health. Included will be a cameo preview of the musical "Next to Normal" by the Clarke University Drama Department.

The event is being hosted by Chuck Isenhardt, Maria Araeipour and Tim McClain, NAMI Dubuque, an affiliate of the National Alliance on Mental Illness, the Friends of the Mines of Spain and Active Minds from Loras College. They are organizing the free event in memory of loved ones who have died this year who were devoted patrons of the outdoors: Alex Araeipour, Bud Isenhardt and Andy Isenhardt.

The activities are planned to last until 5 p.m. Families are invited to come together and bring their own backpacks with food and water bottles. Water, lemonade and cookies will be provided. No advanced registration is required. People may come and go as they wish.



**The Great Draw
Street Art Competition**
Saturday, September 14, all day

Outside the Lines Art Gallery is proud to host the third annual Great Draw Street Art Competition to be held on Saturday, September 14, 2013, on 4th Street, between Bluff Street and the base of the Fenelon Place Elevator.

Application forms and instructions are available online: www.thegreatdraw.com, www.otlag.com, on Facebook and at the gallery at 409 Bluff Street in Dubuque. Entry fees are \$10 for ages 18 and under, \$15 for adults and \$25 for teams. Entry deadline for the competition is September 11.



There are five categories this year: youth to age 12, ages 13 – 18, adult, artist, and new this year, a “teams” category, which can be a family, friends, work mates etc. A free area will be set aside for small children so they can take part in the creative process too.

This is a unique opportunity to work side by side with Art for After Hours artist, Shawn

McCann of Crystal, Minnesota. Shawn travels all over the world doing demonstrations and teaching. He will create a custom street painting throughout the day; visitors are encouraged to come down to watch his street painting unfold. Additional information on Mr. McCann can be found at www.artforafterhours.com/0310_ShawnMcCann.html.

Independent judges will choose first, second and third place winners in all categories. \$2,000 in cash and prizes will be awarded. The public is invited to vote for their favorite drawings by purchasing \$1 votes, (6 for \$5) and the top vote-getter will receive the People’s Choice Award. There will be a reception for the artists immediately following the award announcements.



On Friday September 13, 2012, Mr. McCann will be creating a street painting on Town Clock Plaza, on the pedestrian plaza just west of the Town Clock from 8am – 4pm.

Proceeds from The Great Draw Street Art Competition will fund The Great Draw Visual Arts Scholarships which will be awarded to graduating seniors from Dubuque Senior and Hempstead High Schools in May, 2014.

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**Gallery C Debut Exhibition
“Perception” Grand
Opening Reception**
Friday, August 30, 6-9 p.m.
Schmid Innovation Center

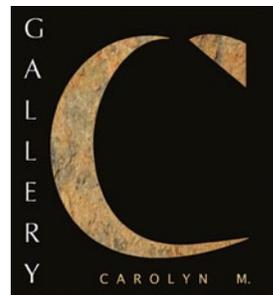
Gallery C, Dubuque’s newest contemporary fine art gallery, announces its grand opening and inaugural exhibit entitled Perception on Friday, August 30, 2013, from 6-9pm. Located in the newly renovated Schmid Innovation Center in the historic Millwork District, Gallery C showcases both established and emerging artists.

All are invited and welcome to attend this show, and to participate in the expanding art scene in the Millwork District. There is no charge and refreshments will be served. Live music will be provided by Dylan Sires and Neighbors, a high-energy, pop-infused rock band.

Artists featured in the gallery’s debut group show include Janet Checker and Harold Martin of Galena, IL, Stephanie Funke of Manchester, IA, and Adam Eikamp, Wendy S. Rolfe, and Tom Metcalf

of Dubuque, IA. According to Holly Flood, Gallery Director, this body of work “explores our perceptions; beauty versus ugly, feminine versus masculine, power versus weakness, real versus imaginary”.

Gallery C, is a contemporary art gallery specializing in innovative art by emerging and established artists from around the globe. Showcasing artwork and featuring events that create dialog, engage the community,



and enrich the experience of the arts, the gallery also emphasizes a collaborative effort among artists and arts organizations to most fully impact the community.

Gallery C, Carolyn M, is located at 900 Jackson Street in Dubuque, IA. Main entrance doors are on Jackson St near 10th Ave. Be a part of the gallery’s monthly exhibitions that create dialog, engage the community, and enrich the experience of the arts in Dubuque.

Perception will remain on view through Sunday, Oct. 6. Gallery hours: Wed-Fri. 10-4, Sat-Sun. 1-4 or by appointment.

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ISLAND FEST 2013

Mystique Casino September 13-14

We're not sure if we've ever seen a single umbrella event with so much happening in one place at one time in our history of covering such things in Dubuque. To say that Island Fest is ambitious for a first time festival is a huge understatement. You've often heard event organizers say, "there's something for everyone." But this time, I think that statement just might ring true.



In order to wrap our minds and eventually our newspaper around this incredible weekend of activities, I sat down with Tom Wiedmayer, Vice President & COO at Mystique Casino to find out where this monster of an end-of-summer party came from.

The first question I asked was if they gathered a committee and asked what a great idea would be for a summer festival and then just said yes to all of their ideas. Tom laughed and explained that everything started simply and organically and just grew from there.

"The guy who really had the idea for all of this was Tony Wernke, our Marketing Manager. It started out as humble beginnings, a Battle of the Bands competition outdoors, and it kept growing. He kept coming to me with new ideas that made sense and I said, "Tony it's great, but it's a lot to handle in our first year of a festival, so I want to keep it as simple as possible." But his ideas for additional aspects to the event all made sense as far as adding value to the overall festival. I think it's going to be a lot of fun for everyone that attends."

But a huge roster of Major League Baseball Hall of Famers or legends can't be chalked up as an add-on to pretty much anything. It's huge! As great as the Battle of the Bands is going to be, this "addition" is clearly going to be taking center stage and deservedly so.

"We were contacted by an autograph agent representing Wade Boggs who is involved with the Field of Dreams investors. He was coming out to do an appearance in Dyersville, and they had the idea of also bringing him to the casino and that grew into, 'what about bringing this person and this

person,' and eventually became 'why don't we bring in a lot of guys and do a softball game out at the Field of Dreams and have an autograph show back at Mystique.' So it went from one to now fourteen baseball legends with the recent addition of Ricky Henderson to the line-up. What happened is a lot of these guys heard about what we doing and wanted to come along. It is, after all, the holy grail of baseball movies and they all wanted to be a part of it."



That's understandable as the Field of Dreams has a special "mystique" all its own for everyone who loves the game, pros and fans alike.

"The celebrity game will split the roster of superstars with 7 vs. 7 and include some of our sponsors filling out the roster as well as opportunities for players here at Mystique to win spots on the roster. Some of the players may not play in the field. Johnny Bench can still play but won't be crouching behind the bench, for example. Pete Rose will likely manage one of the teams. What it's all about is putting a very fun and entertaining event on. Not so much a game, but an opportunity for fans to see these guys up close and mic'd up on the field together.

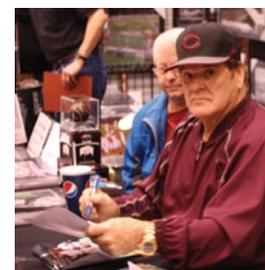


It was also recently clarified that Randy Owen, lead singer from the superstar country music band, Alabama, will be appearing at the celebrity game and singing the national anthem, but there is not a concert slated to accompany his appearance. Like everyone else, he just wants to visit the field.

Tom Wiedmayer was also quick to point out that if you don't get your tickets in advance for the celebrity game, you're not going to get tickets. They WILL sell out. Only \$20 general admission tickets remain. (Hey isn't that the amount that

James Earl Jones said people would pay to come to the field to see their heroes?) There will also be shuttles to the field from Dyersville, so if you get tickets, get there early for the festivities. More on this in the event summaries to follow.

And for anyone wondering where the Cubs are in the roster, don't forget that Bruce Sutter was a Cub! The Brewers, Cardinals, Twins and White Sox are also represented. The 14 household names visiting Dubuque are Johnny Bench, Carlton Fisk, Pete Rose, Frank Thomas, Rod Carew, Ozzie Smith, Wade Boggs, Jim Rice, Paul Molitor, Reggie Jackson, Doc Gooden, Jim Palmer, Bruce Sutter and Rickey Henderson.



Returning to the casino, a huge autograph show will feature not just the players, but 80 exhibitors of baseball and sports memorabilia. So even if you can't get to the game, you can still get a chance to meet your heroes in person.

"If it wasn't for the fact that we have such a tremendous team here at the property that I knew and was confident could pull this off, we wouldn't have had it be so robust," Wiedmayer shared. "So we're going to hit the ground running and then we have to top it next year."

"Since arriving at Mystique about a year ago, I've been looking for ways to partner up to bring a major event to Schmitt Island and here to Mystique, and this is definitely it. This is all about driving regional tourism as well as raise money for some great charities including Wounded Warriors Project, the recipient of funds from the celebrity game. The Veterans Freedom center will benefit from the car show and Honor Flight Dubuque is going to benefit from the Motorcycle Rally we're also doing."

Tom sees the event as a capstone to a great summer in Dubuque. "America's River is wonderful as a big opener to the summer season, and we saw this as something we could do to close out the season in a big way, and at the same time be very different from America's River. But like America's River, it is American Trust & Savings Bank we have to thank as the main financial sponsor of the festivities in addition to Mystique Casino.

The events are generally targeted to adults, but youth are allowed at most of the outdoor events held outside of the Casino itself. The Celebrity Game and Memorabilia Event in particular are great opportunities to involve kids in the fun and older teens may find the Battle of the Bands to be right up their alley. See the schedule follow this article for details on age restricted events.

The vision of the festival is in-line with an overall entertainment based future that Mystique G.M. Jesus Aviles sees for Schmitt Island. On that front, Mystique has selected a firm to do a study over the next seven months to help determine the long range plan for further developing Schmitt Island into a diverse entertainment destination taking into consideration respect for the natural resources, examining

usable space and best use for those spaces. Tom sees the development as a five year plan at least with the final result being similar to the revitalization we've seen at the Port of Dubuque. Perhaps not on as large of a scale, but definitely with more of an entertainment based focus. So watch for more on that in the coming months.

For now, it's party time, and we have not even touched on two-thirds of the events yet. But rather than brush over them lightly here, we figured it would be best to line them up in order by date and let you browse all the incredible opportunities you have for fun at Island Fest 2013. There really is something for everyone and more than likely, a number of things for you.

Ticket and additional information for all events is available online at www.islandfestdbq.com.

PINNACLE COMBAT'S FRIDAY THE 13TH: FIGHT NIGHT

Thursday, September 12, 7p.m.

Weigh-In and Pre-Fight Party in TPC

Friday, September 13, Doors @ 6.p.m / Fights @ 7 p.m.

Friday, September 13, Post-Fight Party, Outdoor Party Tent



Let's step outside! Watch some of the toughest and most athletic MMA competitors in the region Friday night – outside under the lights in this wildly entertaining and rapidly growing full-contact sport that incorporates elements of boxing, kickboxing, taekwondo, karate, wrestling, jiu-jitsu, and other disciplines of the martial arts. Fair warning: there will be blood, though we can't confirm or deny the rumor that Jason Voorhees will be there. Like Jason though, these fighters possess superhuman strength, near invulnerability and incredible regenerative powers.

Disciplines of the martial arts. Fair warning: there will be blood, though we can't confirm or deny the rumor that Jason Voorhees will be there. Like Jason though, these fighters possess superhuman strength, near invulnerability and incredible regenerative powers.

Don't miss the weigh-in and pre-fight face-offs in TPC Sports Bar Thursday night, September 12 or the post-fight party after the fight Friday night. The fight card will include Tristin Hunsberger vs. Mark Stoddard for the Welterweight Championship and DJ Sykora vs. Larry DiGulio for the Bantamweight Championship. Get advance tickets online at islandfestdbq.com.

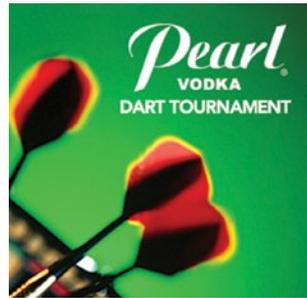
PEARL VODKA DART TOURNAMENT

Friday, September 13, 7 p.m.

Singles @ TPC at Mystique Casino

Saturday, September 14, 11 a.m.

Doubles @ TPC at Mystique Casino



Inside Mystique, some of the sharpest dart throwers in the region will be competing in the Pearl Vodka Season Opening dart tournament in TPC Sports Bar. Brought to you by Rich & Junnie's Vending, individuals and teams will compete for more than \$6,000 in prize money as well as for points to qualify for the

\$400,000 Pearl Vodka Tournament of Champions. Singles men's and women's tournaments will be held on Friday night, where competitors will face off in games of Cricket, 501, and players' choice (if necessary). Doubles tournaments for both men and women will be held on Saturday, where competitors will again face off in Cricket, 501 and players' choice (if necessary). Must be 21 to attend.





BALLGAME AT THE FIELD OF DREAMS MOVIE SITE

Saturday, September 14, 9:30 a.m. - 1 p.m.
Field of Dreams Movie Site
Satellite parking lots open at 6:30 a.m., Shuttle service begins at 7 a.m.

(Allow a minimum of 1 hour travel time)
 Venture to the mystical baseball "heaven" and witness history as the Team of Dreams comes from out of the corn to entertain us in a way that only these guys can. And before the game, legendary lead singer Randy Owen of Alabama country music fame will sing the national anthem. Then, they'll all play a game of celebrity softball intermingled with a group of sponsor representatives and lucky winners who will enjoy the opportunity of a lifetime taking the field alongside baseball royalty. It is bound to be a very special experience for the whole family to enjoy.

To make the morning even more special, all ticket proceeds will be donated to the Wounded Warrior Project, benefitting those veterans who have sacrificed so much to preserve our ability to enjoy and

share special experiences such as this.

After the Team of Dreams game, get your photo taken with the player of your choice, and watch the legendary Ghost Players take the field. Relive the magic as the Ghost Players, clad in 1919 White Sox uniforms portraying the men who came back from the dead to play the game they loved so much, put on another exhibition after the Team of Dreams.

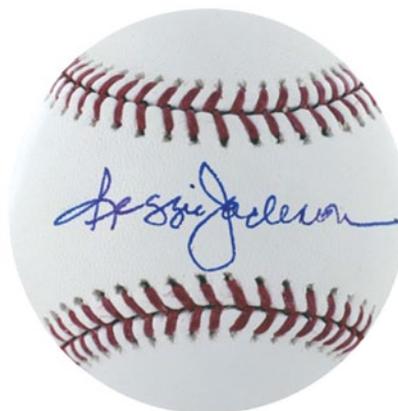


HONOR FLIGHT BIKE RALLY & POKER RUN

Saturday, September 14, 10 a.m.

Join your fellow motorcyclers on a great early fall ride on a poker run for charity! Your \$10 entry fee will benefit the Honor Flight of Greater Dubuque AND you could cap off your ride by having one of the three best poker hands and sharing in \$600 in prize money! Pre-register and save! \$10 per bike in advance or \$10 per person day of the ride. Your \$10 gets you on the road, a \$5.00 Bon Appetit coupon, a custom Island Fest bandana and entry into the poker run! Registration starts at 10a.m. in the lot next

to the skateboard park behind McAleece ball complex. Ride starts at 11 a.m. and will run through beautiful southwest Wisconsin with stops at New Diggins, Belmont and the Potosi Brewery before heading back to Island Fest to take in all the music, food and festivities.



AUTOGRAPH AND MEMORABILIA SHOW

Saturday, September 14, 11 a.m. - 8 p.m.
Mystique Casino

See the players up close and personal, get your photo taken with the player of your choice (additional fee required), peruse thousands of sports collectibles from collectors across the country, witness celebrated artist James Fiorentino paint original portraits of the stars, and take home some special autographed mementos (additional fee required) of the day, time and era that helped shape our country and created some of the purest moments of excitement and joy for millions of fans. This show is truly one for the ages. Children 10 and under are admitted for free!



BBQ BASH

Saturday, September 14, 11 a.m. - 8 p.m.
Mystique Casino

Some of the greater Midwest's most accomplished and competitive BBQ'ers face off Saturday in four categories (chicken, pork, beef brisket, and ribs) for \$4,000 in cash. Come watch them face off and enjoy some great barbecue!



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IOWA/IOWA STATE BUD LIGHT TAILGATE PARTY
Saturday, September 14, 2-8 p.m.
Mystique Casino

While the music is crankin', Bud Light will host the biggest and best tailgate party

this side of Ames and Iowa City under the tailgate tent at Island Fest! Don your black and gold or red and gold to show your allegiance and get chances to win some great prizes including: Iowa football and basketball tickets, Bud Light mini fridge and more! You could also win your way into the Bud Light Super Bowl Sleepover at the Hilton Garden Inn. Prizes total over \$3,000! Free to attend! Must be 21 to attend.



BLACKJACK TOURNAMENT
Saturday, September 14, 2 p.m.
Mystique Casino

Players will be competing in the weeks leading up to the event to qualify for 1 of 126 seats to compete in Mystique's \$10,000 Fall

Classic Blackjack Tournament. Watch the excitement build as players are eliminated and the final winner ultimately receives the lion's share of the \$10,000 prize pool. Play and qualify to compete! Must be 21 to attend. See MyClub for complete details.



BATTLE OF THE BANDS : MIDWEST CHAMPIONSHIP
Saturday, September 14, Doors @ 7 p.m.
Mystique Casino

Featuring finalists from regional competitions in Madison, Quad Cities, Rockford and Dubuque, the Rockstar Energy Drink Midwest Battle of the Bands Championship will rock the house all day long on Saturday. There is NO cover charge or tickets to buy for these bands, so come on down and enjoy the music! Our four regional finalists include

Helforstout from Dubuque, Amberstein from Madison, The Atlantis Dialogue from the Quad Cities and T.B.D. from Rockford.



\$50,000 TEAM OF DREAMS BOUNTY POKER TOURNAMENT
Saturday, September 14, 8 p.m.
Mystique Casino

Five Team of Dreams players will sit down at the poker tables alongside 50 qualifying players to compete for \$50,000 in prize money playing No Limit Texas Hold'em. As if \$50,000 in prize money and the opportunity to hobnob at the poker table with some of baseball's biggest heroes wasn't enough, anyone who takes out a Team of Dreams player will receive their Team of Dreams game-worn jersey off their back, autographed on the spot! With a first prize of \$20,000 and only 54 players to outlast, you can't afford to miss this opportunity! Must be 21 to attend. •••

CHAMPIONSHIP

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Helforstout	Amberstein
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OKTOBERFEST

2013

Dubuque Oktoberfest 2013

Saturday, September 14
Alliant Amphitheatre, Port of Dubuque

By Mike Ironside

By all reports, the Dubuqueland Irish threw one heck of a party at the Irish Hooley in August so it only makes sense that Dubuque's other founding ethnic group, the Germans (well, not counting that one French guy), would host a celebration of their own. Dubuque's Oktoberfest returns to the Alliant Amphitheater Saturday, September 14 from 1 to 8 p.m. A fundraiser for Camp Albrecht Acres, Oktoberfest will feature German food, a beer tasting, ethnic dancers, and live music of the German variety. German, Irish, or otherwise, all are invited to join the festivities.

Like the traditional fall festivals in Germany, Dubuque's Oktoberfest will be held under the huge "Festspiele Zelt" (festival tent), set up in the Alliant Amphitheatre in front of the Star Brewery at the Port of Dubuque. "We call it the Tri-State's largest festival tent," reports Oktoberfest organizer Terry Mozena. "That's going to be up rain or shine so if it's going to be hot and sunny, there'll be a place for some shade and if it's raining out, we'll have the whole thing underneath."

The festivities will begin at 1 p.m. with a grand march led by a polka band, followed by the ceremonial tapping of the keg, an Oktoberfest tradition. Once the beer is flowing, Oktoberfest kicks into gear with a variety of German music and dance. "We've got the

Guttenberg German Band, the Americana Band, Loras College and the University of Dubuque German Band, and the University of Northern Iowa International Dance Theater group," notes Mozena. "Ballroom by Jennifer (dance instructors) will get everyone out there and teach them how to polka."



Another feature of the festival that has already begun to become a favorite tradition is the Bier Tasting, or "Drie Straaten Bierprobe" (Tri-State Beer Tasting) as we like to call it, which gets underway at 3:00 p.m. "We've got close to 15 breweries coming," reports Mozena. "It's five dollars to get into the festival grounds and after that, if you want to go to the beer tasting, it's an extra fifteen. I'm going to guess you can taste 50 different kinds of beer." While we don't yet have the full list, bier lovers can expect to see representatives from



7G Distributing, Back Pocket, Galena Brewing Co., Goose Island, Great River, Magners/Hornsby, Millstream Brewing, Potosi, Schlafly, and Summit.

"I think people really enjoy that. They like to talk to the people who make the beer," observes Mozena. "We've also got the Dubuque Society of Breweries (a.k.a the S.O.B's) coming. So they'll be talking about homemade beer and how to make homemade beer and you get to sample some of theirs." In addition to the opportunity to taste dozens of great brews, the first 500 tasters will get a special Oktoberfest tasting glass!

If drinking beer and dancing make you hungry, you're in luck. There will be plenty of traditional Oktoberfest fare on hand. "Van's Liquor Store is bringing Shullsburg cheese over so there will be cheese sampling," notes Mozena. "We'll have the big German pretzels, German potato salad, bratwurst, hamburgers, all that good stuff."

Dubuque's Oktoberfest also prides itself on hosting a variety of fun festival games, including the return of the ever-popular



"Hammerschlagen." A traditional Oktoberfest game, Hammerschlagen is played with hammers around a large stump or log placed on end. Two competitors take turns trying to hammer large nails into the stump using the narrow end of a cross peen hammer. The first one in, wins! While this might seem pretty straightforward, trust us: hitting a nail with the narrow end of the hammer is not easy, especially if you've participated in the bier tasting. Because of the popularity of the game, Oktoberfest will offer two Hammerschlagen logs this year.



Also returning is Masskrugstemmen, a contest that requires the competitors to hold heavy beer steins out in front of them for as long as possible – or at least until the competition succumbs to the forces of gravity. "We are doing the Tri-State championship 'Masskrugstemmen' beer stein holding contest,"



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emphasizes Mozena. "We're talking the championship – men and women's division. This is it! This is going to decide the city champion ... for a whole year!"

In addition to last year's Oktoberfest, Mozena and organizers hosted a Masskrugstemmen competition at the Potosi Brewery Dubuque on Ice Brewfest at Mystique Ice Arena in February to promote Dubuque's Oktoberfest and provide beer lovers an opportunity to become more acquainted with the sport. Though curious at first, once underway worthy competitors stepped forward to try their hands, or uh ... arms at the game. But Hammerschlagen and Masskrugstemmen are not the only games Oktoberfest has in store.

"We've got a new game this year called the Toilet Plunger Toss or 'Toilettenschmeissen,'" explains Mozena. "It's a team of two, with one person 20 paces or so away from the other, and then there'll be five or six teams competing against each another. One guy will be on his knees with a toilet plunger on his head

and the handle sticking up and then the other guy has to throw the rings. And whoever gets the most rings on the Toilettenschmeissen, wins. He can maneuver a little bit, as long as the plunger stays firmly attached to his skull. Yeah, so that's something different."

Volunteers from Senior High School's German Club will be on hand to promote their club and help with the Oktoberfest games. In addition to the "adult" games, Checkers the Clown will be on hand with some games for kids.



It should also be noted that festival attendees are encouraged to wear traditional German or other Eastern European dress. "If you wear your lederhosen or the ladies wear their dirndl dress, they can get into the festival grounds for free," notes Mozena. "We really want to encourage people to do that. We really would like to see people dress up and have fun with that – in the German costume or the Slavic costume – traditional clothing. We've got people who are Czech or Slovak, Slovenian, all the other eastern European



(cultures) so if they coming wearing their traditional clothing, they get in free."

If you don't have lederhosen, don't worry, you can still join the party and 100 percent of the proceeds go to Camp Albrecht Acres. Now in it's fifth year Mozena estimates Oktoberfest has contributed \$50,000 to Albrecht Acres so far and hopes to raise another \$20,000 this year. So whether it's for festival admission or bier tasting, it all goes to a great cause.

Admission to Dubuque's Oktoberfest is just \$5, with kids under 10 in free, or \$20 for festival and bier tasting admission (\$15 if you're wearing your lederhosen or dirndl!). Advanced tickets are available at all three Premier Bank locations (2625 NW Arterial, 1975 JFK Road, and 9th & Iowa Street). The event is sponsored by Premier Bank, Sedgwick, the McCoy Group, Weber Paper, and 365ink. For more information, visit www.dubuqueoktoberfest.org.



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VOICES FROM THE WAREHOUSE

OPENING RECEPTION: SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 7

FIND YOUR VOICE

By Mike Ironside

What started as a one-time art exhibit in a raw gallery space has now become an annual celebration of the arts and the Historic Millwork District that hosts the show and the party. Voices from the Warehouse District returns in its ninth year with yet another cutting edge art exhibit and series of arts events this September. The month-long series begins Saturday, September 7 with an opening reception, starting at 7:00 PM. The opening will be the first opportunity for the public to see the works from 16 local, national and international artists who were chosen to display their work at this year's show. The exhibit and series of events runs through Friday, October 4.

Arguably, one of the biggest and most important art events in the annual calendar, the Voices show takes place over a four-week period in the lower level of the Wilmac Building,

at the corner of 10th and Jackson Streets in the Historic Millwork District. The 15,000 square foot warehouse space will be transformed into a unique, world-class art gallery and unique performance venue.

Over the years, the Voices show has inspired a variety of collaboration with other arts groups and this year is no different. In honor of the opening, the Dubuque Symphony Orchestra will bring a chamber ensemble to perform an abridged version of Stravinsky's *Rite of Spring*. Never has a musical piece evoked so much controversy. Stravinsky used strange and modern sounds to depict ancient pagan rituals, shocking audiences and shattering all expectations. Over 100 years later, the piece is still surprisingly modern.

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VOICES GALLERY

10th and Jackson, Dubuque

Gallery Hours:
12:00–5:00 PM Saturdays and
Sundays through October 4

VoicesGallery.org

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 7

Opening Reception

7:00–11:00 PM | \$10

Sponsored by American Trust & Savings Bank

The opening reception will be the first opportunity for you to see the works from 16 local, national and international artists who were chosen to display their work at this year's show. In honor of the opening, the Dubuque Symphony Orchestra will bring a chamber ensemble to perform an abridged version of Stravinsky's *Rite of Spring*.

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 8

Artist Walk Around

1:00 PM | FREE

This is your opportunity to meet the artists and ask all those questions you've been dying to have answered! Many of the Voices IX artists will be on hand to discuss their work in a casual and informal walk-around. All are welcome to take advantage of this free event to learn more.

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 8

Tom & Kitty Stoner Video Collection Viewing

6:00 PM | FREE

Kitty and Tom Stoner are passionate about the arts. Their annual pilgrimages around the world deepen their understanding of the artists whose works they collect. They are currently collecting video art with a focus on nature and spirit. Join us for a viewing of selections from their private collection with a prelude by the collectors.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 10

IMPACT Arts & Business Consulting Ribbon Cutting

4:30–6:30 PM | FREE

The mission of IMPACT Arts and Business Consulting is to promote, support and provide strategies to artists, performers and entrepreneurs to help them advance and grow their business, career or individual goals. IMPACT is a firm specializing in new media, business solutions, artist management and consultation services, performance and productivity and human wellness.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 12

W.H. Brinton Historic Film Collection

DOORS AT 6:00 PM | 7:00 PM | DONATION

Sponsored by Julien Dubuque International Film Festival

Area historian Mike Zahs brings one of the most significant collections of pre-1900's movies along with posters, tickets and catalogs to Dubuque. The Julien Dubuque International Film Festival, in partnership with Humanities Iowa, invites you to learn about the little known early history of film in Iowa and the significant role it has played.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 13

Galen: Jazz Performance

7:00 PM | FREE

Enjoy a night of interactive jazz featuring master flutist and jazz historian Galen. During Galen's performance you'll learn about the five pillars of jazz, test your knowledge in some jazz trivia, and maybe even sit in on a jazz session with Galen and his crew! This program is made possible through a partnership with Loras College and through arts funding from Humanities Iowa and the City of Dubuque.

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 15

Art & Yoga

1:00 PM | FREE

This is a free yoga class for people of all levels, from beginners who have never practiced yoga to advanced yogis. Traci Cooley will lead participants in an hour long yoga class incorporating yoga poses, modified to match ability levels, with a visual art experience. Participants will have the opportunity to view the artwork during their yoga practice and reflect on the effect that yoga and art can have on the mind, body and soul.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 19

Art Gumbo

6:00 PM | \$10

Art Gumbo is an innovative, microfunding, quarterly soup dinner where artists can earn funding for their projects and art patrons can invest in our art community. Those attending receive a bowl of soup and a ballot and are asked to vote on proposals submitted by the artists. All collected proceeds go directly to the artist with the most votes at the end of the night.

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 21

Art Slam

8:00 PM | FREE

Sponsored by Premier Bank and the Dubuque Museum of Art

Art Slam puts artist teams against each other in a timed art competition. This year there will be student teams and professional artists competing for the \$1,000 prize. They have exactly 90 minutes to create a work of art to fit the theme. People's choice will also be awarded.

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 22

Emergence of Spirit: Fate of the Faeries

DOORS AT 6:00 PM | 7:00 PM
\$25 ADV (VIP) | \$15 DOOR (GA)

Through the medium of hair, makeup and wardrobe, three local stylists and their team of artists will each create a collection of their own interpretation of this year's theme and send them down the runway into your view. Come and support the art of hair, makeup, costume and performance. Dress as your own faery inspiration for a chance to win prizes! Arrive early and enjoy the gallery of soulful artwork and a few cocktails in the classy speakeasy. For more information, visit emergenceofspirit.wix.com/emergenceofspirit.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 24

Diáne Mandle "Peace Tour"

DOORS AT 6:00 PM | 6:30 PM

\$15 ADV | \$18 DOOR

Sponsored by Body & Soul

The Peace Concert is an intense transformational sound immersion with Tibetan bowls, gongs and percussion that soothe, inspire and awaken body, mind and spirit leaving audiences speechless. In addition to creating a sacred experience designed to relieve stress, enlighten the mind and bring people into a transcendent state of being, it offers simple, accessible ways of developing compassion, well-being and peace in the world. Advance tickets are available at Body & Soul.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 26

Dubuque Symphony Orchestra Mad Men Cocktail Party Fundraiser

5:00–9:00 PM | \$25

Break out the fedoras, suits, pearls and pencil skirts, it's time to Party Like a Mad Man (or Woman)! The Dubuque Symphony Orchestra and the Julien Dubuque International Film Festival are throwing a swanky Mad Man inspired bash with live music, old fashioned mixers and primo hors d'oeuvres. As Betty Draper says, "Only boring people are bored." So get out and gallivant like your favorite Sterling Cooper ad execs in support of two great art organizations!

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 27

Mary Swander Iowa Poet Laureate

7:00 PM | FREE

Capture a sense of place when Iowa's own Mary Swander presents a reading of her autobiographical poetry. With words rooted in religious faith, rural life, natural wonders and the beauty of the land and of the people who inhabit here. This program is made possible through arts funding from Humanities Iowa and the City of Dubuque.

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 28

Anis Mojgani: National Poetry Slam Champion

7:00 PM | FREE

"His hands open like gates when he writes..." Get inspired by the truthful magic of two-time National Poetry Slam Champion and winner of the International World Cup Poetry Slam, Anis Mojgani. This program is made possible through arts funding from Humanities Iowa and the City of Dubuque.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 2

Society of Brewers "Throw-down"

7:00 PM | FREE

Experience the craft of micro-brewing by local masters. Choose your favorite brew in a throw-down competition.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 4

Fall Into Art Gallery Tour

5:00–10:00 PM | FREE

Dubuque Main Street's Fall Into Art Gallery Tour is a one night gallery tour through the downtown Dubuque Cultural Corridor, and Voices is one stop in the tour. Walk, bike, drive or hop on the trolley to see the other twelve galleries! End your night at the Voices Gallery for the gallery tour closing party with the Waubeek Trackers and special guest Robert "One-Man" Johnson for some great music from 7:00–11:00 PM.



VOICES FROM THE WAREHOUSE

OPENING RECEPTION: SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 7

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“This is one of my all time favorite pieces. I’ve always dreamed of conducting it,” said William Intriligator, Dubuque Symphony Orchestra music director and conductor. “It is so incredibly full of life and in a primal way helped to create the idea of modern music. The raw energy and revolutionary spirit of *Rite of Spring* is perfect for Voices.”

The opening is just the first opportunity for the public to view the artwork and experience the raw energy of the industrial warehouse space as other events are planned through the month of September. Voices special events include a viewing of selections from the Tom and Kitty Stoner video collection on September 8; an interactive jazz performance with master flutist and jazz historian Galen on September 13; the return of Art Slam, the popular timed painting competition on September 21; and readings by Iowa Poet Laureate Mary Swander on September 27 and two-time National Poetry Slam Champion and winner of the International World Cup Poetry Slam Anis Mojgani on September 28.

In between is a full calendar of great events with more art, music, film, guided meditation, yoga, a retro cocktail party, a beer tasting, an Art Gumbo event, downtown’s annual Fall into Art celebration, and the return of the Emergence of Spirit hair and fashion show. (Check out the full listing of events here in 365ink or visit VoicesGallery.org.) Whew!

Artist, founder and director of Voices from the Warehouse, Gene Tully says that the show began as an experiment in contemporary art. “Voices from the Warehouse, which first debuted in 2005, began as an opportunity for local artists to showcase large-scale, contemporary pieces that may not have had a home—either literally or figuratively—in more traditional venues in the area,” Tully said.

In the decade since those tentative first years, Voices has evolved into one of the largest arts events in the region and showcases works from artists around the world. In 2012, over 5,000 people walked through the gallery or attended a performance during the month-long event.

Named before the City of Dubuque and the arts and historic preservation communities rediscovered the collection of neglected (for the most part) buildings in the neighborhood now known as the Historic Millwork District, Voices from the Warehouse District has proved to be a catalyst for renovation and renewal of the massive structures and indeed the entire neighborhood which once served as one of Dubuque’s thriving industrial centers. City, state and federal investment in infrastructure has leveraged private investment resulting in a new life for the district with beautiful upscale loft apartments in the CARADCO Building and more service, retail and residential space in development throughout the district.

The Voices exhibit has also drawn the attention of artists and art lovers from around the region and even nationally and internationally. The sixteen artists exhibiting in this year’s show represent Dubuque; Chicago; Muscatine, Iowa; Forest Park, Illinois; Madison, Wisconsin; Prairie du Sac, Wisconsin; Memphis, Tennessee; Tampa, Florida; Annapolis, Maryland; Los Angeles, California; and Paris, France.

The Voices from the Warehouse District Opening Reception is scheduled for Saturday, September 7 at the Wilmac Warehouse on the corner of 10th Street and Jackson Street. Doors open at 7:00 PM. Admission is \$10 at the door. Check out the September 12 issue of 365ink for more information and visit VoicesGallery.org.

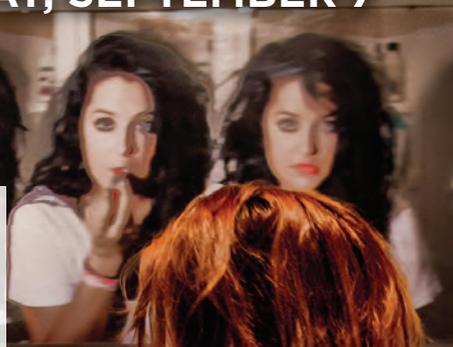


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Monica Balc
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Trish Feldman-Jansen
Erica Fiero
Ellen Hartmann Henkels
Megan Kalmes
Marcellous Lovelace
Brian Murer
Randy Richmond
Jason Scott
Kitty and Tom Stoner (Contributors)
Dominique Winders (Contributing Artist)
Ted Wittman (Contributing Artist)



TRI-STATE LIVE MUSIC

Thursday, August 29

Full Code, Tony Roma's, 6 PM

Andy Wilberding
Park Farm Winery, 7 PM

Dueling Pianos
Mississippi Moon Bar, 8 PM

Jazz Night w/ Round Midnight Trio
Monk's Kaffee Pub, 8 PM

Open Mic with Jeff & Jimmy
The Cornerstone, 8 PM

Friday, August 30

365 Lunchtime Jam
Town Clock, 12 PM

The Wundo Band
Dubuque Driving Range, 7 PM

Outta Control
Galena Brewing Co., 7:30 PM

Fizgig
Mississippi Moon Bar, 8 PM

Kevin Beck & Johnnie Walker
Mystique Casino, 8 PM

Danny Whitson, Spirits, 8 PM

Kruzer, The Yardarm, 8 PM

Katie & Brownie
Frank O'Dowd's Pub, 8 PM

Johnny Rocker
Grape Escape, 8 PM

The Skywalkers
The Cornerstone, 8 PM

TKO, Whitetail Bluff
Camp & Resort, 8 PM

The Mascot Theory, Corey Hart
eronel, 9 PM

Hot Mess, Northside Bar, 9 PM

Matt McPherson
Keil's Tavern, 9 PM

Saturday, August 29

Crude But Effective, Offshore, 1 PM

The Rocker & Marty
Shark's Roadhouse, 1 PM

Justin Morrisey
Grape Escape, 2 PM

The Rocker Band
Shark's Roadhouse, 2 PM

Garrett Hillary
Woodbine Bend, 2 PM

Castaneda/Healy, Feast of Mut-
ton, Venereal Crush
The Salon Opening, 902 Main, 6 PM

Blue Willow
Stone Cliff Wine & Beer Bar, 7 PM

The Odd Couple
Dubuque Driving Range, 7 PM

Laura & The Longhairs
Offshore, 7 PM

Larry Michael, Potosi Inn, 7 PM

The Fast Clydes
Galena Brewing Co., 7:30 PM

Club 84: Back to School
Mississippi Moon Bar, 8 PM

Zero 2 Sixty, The Yardarm, 8 PM

Katie & Brownie
Frank O'Dowd's Pub, 8 PM

DJ Jevity, Grape Escape, 8 PM

Sam Knutson,
The Cornerstone, 8 PM

Ben Castaneda, The Lift, 9 PM

Ignighter, Northside Bar, 9 PM

The Dawn, Embe Eatery, 9 PM

Johnny Rockers
The Depot, Cuba City, 9 PM

Mobil Moosic
Sandy Hook Tavern, 10 PM

Sunday, September 1

Open Mic with Scott Rische
Grape Escape, 12 PM

Johnny Rocker & Marty
Shark's Roadhouse, 1 PM

The Lonely Goats
Iron Horse Social Club, 1 PM

Open Mic,
Cornerstone, 1:30 PM

Andy Wilberding
The Yardarm, 3 PM

Sunshine
Chestnut Mountain Lodge, 3 PM

Plus Family Business
New Diggings Gen. Store, 3:30 p.m.

Johnnie Walker
Sunset Ridge Winery, 4 PM

Sun Green,
Iron Horse Saloon, 4 PM

Americana Band
River's Edge Plaza, 5 PM

Buzz Berries, Offshore, 7 PM

Uncle Luchius
El's Club, Platteville, 7 PM

Terry McCauley
Mystique Casino, 8 PM

Katie & Brownie
Frank O'Dowd's Pub, 8 PM

Wheelhouse
Benton Street Dance, 8 PM

Taste Like Chicken
Sandy Hook Tavern, 9 PM

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The ARC Taste of Galena and Galena Wine Lovers' Weekend committees have teamed to plan an evening of flavor featuring samples from ten Galena-area restaurants and wine tasting. Live music sets the stage, and a raffle and silent auction will benefit the Galena Art and Recreation Center.

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Monday, September 2

New Diggs Labor Day Smoke Off!
Bring your smoker and choice of meat~ smokin' starts at 11 a.m.
Sampler Plattets @ 3 p.m.

Country Tradition
New Vienna Labor Day Picnic, 12 PM

Brown Bottle Bandits
Offshore, 1 PM

Johnny Rocker & Marty
Shark's Roadhouse, 1 PM

Brews Brothers
Sandy Hook Tavern, 4 PM

Tuesday, September 3

Odd Couple, Tony Roma's, 5 PM

New Voices: Open Mic
Rendezvous Coffee & Tea, 6:30 PM

Wednesday, September 4

Laura McDonald & Jeff Weydert
Woodfire Grille, 5 PM

Acoustic Jam
The Cornerstone, 6:30 PM

Laughing Moon Comedy
James Johann
Mississippi Moon Bar, 8 PM

Thursday, September 5

Brown Bottle Bandits Duo
Tony Roma's, 5 PM

Corpus Christi VIP Reception & I
AM Love Awards, eronel, 7 PM

Dueling Pianos
Mississippi Moon Bar, 8 PM

Jazz Night with 'Round Midnight
Trio, Monk's Kaffee Pub, 8 PM

Friday, September 6

Garrett Hillary
Riverboat Lounge, 4 PM

River Glen & The Lonely Goats
All That Jazz, Town Clock, 5 PM

Weed & Roses
Stone Cliff Wine & Beer Bar, 7 PM

Laura McDonald & Jeff Weydert
Offshore, 7 PM

Blue Willow, Timmerman's, 7 PM

Andrew Houy
Galena Brewing Co., 7:30 PM

Chris Kattan & Friends, 7 PM
Robbie Bahr, 8 PM
Mississippi Moon Bar

Roy Schroedl
Perfect Pint, Platteville, 7 PM

Massey Road, Spirits, 8 PM

Jon Conover
Frank O'Dowd's Pub, 8 PM

Jason Ray Brown
Grape Escape, 8 PM

Slip Silo Trio, eronel, 9 PM

Ignighter, Northside, 9 PM

Brown Bottle Bandits
Dirty Ernie's, 9 PM

Crude But Effective
The Depot, Cuba City, 9 PM

Saturday, September 7

Boots Hefel, Offshore, 1 PM

John Moran
Crimson Sunset Winery, 1 PM

10 Gallon Hat
Shark's Roadhouse, 2 PM

CarMa, Woodbine Bend, 6 PM

Roy Schroedl
Stone Cliff Wine & Beer Bar, 7 PM

River City Rounders
Dubuque Driving Range, 7 PM

BlackWater Gin, Menace
After Silly String Run
Sandy Hook Tavern, 7 PM

Country Tradition
Mooney Hollow Barn, 7 PM

Midnight Crisis
Galena Brewing Co., 7:30 PM

Separate Ways – the Band
Mississippi Moon Bar, 8 PM

Adam Beck, Mystique Casino, 8 PM

Crystal Leather, The Surf, 8 PM

Jon Conover
Frank O'Dowd's Pub, 8 PM

The Claireens, The Bradshaws,
Elusive Parallelograms, The Lift, 9 PM

Kevin Beck & Kerry Erickson
Spirits, 9 PM

Enemies of Confusion, Embe, 9 PM

Renegade, Northside Bar, 9 PM

Sunday, September 8

Open Mic with Scott Rische
Grape Escape, 12 PM

The Matriarchs
Council Hill Station, 1 PM

Open Mic,
The Cornerstone, 1:30 PM

Sugar Free Allstars
Carnegie Stout Public Library
(outside), 2 PM

Ignighter, George & Dale's, 2 PM

Lenny Wayne Hosey
Shark's Roadhouse, 2 PM

Bryce Janey
Tabor Home Winery, 3 PM

Aaron Williams & The Hoodoo
New Diggings Gen. Store, 3:30 PM

True Colors with Becky McMahon
& Gregory James
Stone Cliff Wine and Beer Bar, 4 PM

Nick Staebell
Sunset Ridge Winery, 4 PM
Americana Band
River's Edge Plaza, 5 PM

Finger Lickin' Good
Toast & Jam
Park Farm Winery, 5 PM

Paul Collins Beat
The Lift, 9 PM



Tuesday, September 10

Kevin Beck & Johnnie Walker
Tony Roma's, 5 PM

New Voices: Open Mic
Rendezvous Coffee & Tea, 6:30 PM

Wednesday, September 11

Acoustic Jam, Cornerstone, 6:30 PM

Laughing Moon Comedy
David Dyer
Mississippi Moon Bar, 8 PM

Open Mic with Dave, Cricket, &
Tim, The Lift, 9 PM

Thursday, September 12

Null Void, Tony Roma's, 5 PM

Dueling Pianos
Mississippi Moon Bar, 8 PM

Jazz Night with 'Round Midnight
Trio, Monk's Kaffee Pub, 8 PM

Dubuque Ink & Art Expo
Meet & Greet with Jane Rose,
Deadend Boys, eronel, 9 PM

Friday, September 13

Island Fest
Mystique Casino, 7 PM

Garrett Hillary
Woodbine Bend, 6 PM

Corey Jenny & Mojo Busted
Steve's Pizza, 7 PM

Frankie Lee, Richard Wiegel
Galena Brewing Co., 7:30 PM

Sean Costanza Band
Mississippi Moon Bar, 8 PM

Friday the 13th: MMA Fight
Night, Mystique Casino, 7 PM

Steve Cavanaugh & Randy
Droessler, Spirits, 8 PM

Pash N Brew
Dubuque Driving Range, 8 PM

Brownie & Sam
Frank O'Dowd's Pub, 8 PM

Roy Schroedl
Woodlands Lounge,
Eagle Ridge, 8 PM

L'Assassins, Snake Island,
Busted I
Dubuque Ink & Art Expo After
Party, eronel, 9 PM

Hot Mess, Northside Bar, 9 PM

Saturday, September 14

Doug & Lisa Frey
Crimson Sunset Winery, 1 PM

Garrett Hillary
The Cornerstone, 1 PM

Half-Fast
Birchwood Golf Course, Kieler, 6 PM

Two Ugly People
Stone Cliff Wine & Beer Bar, 7 PM

Ten Gallon Hat
Galena Brewing Co., 7:30 PM

Club 84: Celebrity Look-Alike
Night, Mississippi Moon Bar, 8 PM

Rockstar Battle of the Bands
Midwest Regional
Mystique Casino, 8 PM

Boys Night Out, Knickers, 8 PM

Brownie & Sam
Frank O'Dowd's Pub, 8 PM

Jane Rose & The Deadend Boys
Grape Escape, 8 PM

The Family Business, 8 PM
Jackson Taylor & The Sinners, 12 PM,
Sandy Hook Tavern

Black Actress, Legal Fingers,
Lines, Dubuque Ink & Art Expo
After Party, eronel, 9 PM

Mister Wiskers, Coolzey, Muscle,
Lipstick Homicide, The Lift, 9 PM

Brown Bottle Bandits, Spirits, 9 PM

Six Shots 'til Midnight, Jumpers, 9 PM

Taste Like Chicken
Northside Bar, 9 PM

Buzz Berries, Budde's 9 PM

Crude But Effective
Jimi B's, Leisure Lake, 9 PM

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The Mascot Theory, Corey Hary
Eronel, Friday, August 30, 10PM
NO COVER - With their debut record "Under The Borrowed Moon" now under their belt, Madison, WI four-piece The Mascot Theory has been called a full-fat, high-energy dose of Americana-tinged, folk-country rock. With lyrics and melodies laced with passion, depth, reflection and accusation working across a spread of influences, they're building a reputation in the Midwest as being able to relay raw emotion in their songs and connect with people through the good times and the bad. Coming with them this time through is life-long songwriter and fellow Madison musician Corey Hart. This will be a free show on Friday, August 30 at 10 PM.



Slip Silo Trio
Eronel, Friday, September 6, 10 PM
Iowa City electronic/jazz/rock quartet Slip Silo Trio will be in town on to continue promotion of their first full length album, Monsoons, as well as play some new jams. A band as composed as the musical framework they build around, Slip Silo Trio are thoughtful musicians with jazz backgrounds and a taste for groove, with members having appeared in groups such as Koplant No, OSG, Big Funk Guarantee, The Critical Hour, New Beat Society, and many more. Come down to Eronel on Friday, September 6 at 10:00 PM.



Elusive Parallelograms, The Bradshaws, The Claireens
The Lift, Saturday, September 7, 9 p.m.
The Claireens, a four piece bassless band from Iowa City, take to mining the classic riff rock and roll of the '70's to express their sound. Obvious nods to Aerosmith, Led Zeppelin, and ZZ Top provide the base and boogie for these young players. The Bradshaws, Dubuque's own working class punk rock outfit, plays second. The Bradshaws play blunt force trauma rock n roll mixed with humor, part potty mouth class clown antics, part serious pokes at "Big Brother". Lead singer Big Dave plays a perfect foil to guitarist Andy Schneiders' Tourette's style outbursts. Milwaukee, Wisconsin's Elusive Parallelograms defy genre, according to their website bio. "Elusive Parallelograms sound like your favorite band. If not on this track, then on the next one. Or the one after that. Or the one on the last album you didn't get. Which you should. Get. Like, now. It's totally different than the new disc. Which you should also get. Like, now. Whatever your favorite rock genre, Elusive Parallelograms play that, awesomely. And your second favorite genre. And a couple they just made up that you'll love." \$5 cover.



DJ Ben Casteneda
The Lift, Saturday, August 31, 9pm/\$5
Los Angeles based DJ Ben Casteneda will be performing Saturday August 31 at The Lift. Here are a few words from Ben about his process and the show he's bringing to town. "I suppose I could be criticized and appreciated at the same time, when it comes to "DJing". Then again, any publicity is good publicity. If they aren't talking about you anymore, whether it be good or bad, you might as well be dead. Today I have left turntables & CD players for a new technology, technology embraced by such artists as BT, Paul Van Dyk, Max Graham, Matthew Dekay & my personal favorite, Sasha."

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Paul Collins Beat, Twins
The Lift, Sunday, September 8, 9 p.m.
FREE SHOW! Rock icon and cult favorite Paul Collins got his start with Peter Case and Jack Lee in 1974 with The Nerves. They toured with the Ramones, had Blondie take their song "Hanging on the Telephone" to the top ten on both sides of the Atlantic. Paul formed the Beat in 1979. Signing to CBS records and releasing their acclaimed self titled debut power pop masterpiece that same year. He continues to tour the world year after year in D.I.Y. fashion. And he will be stopping at The Lift in Dubuque on Sunday September 8th with Iowa's own premier power pop up and comers TWINS opening. If you're someone who has never heard the Paul Collins Beat or the Nerves and you enjoy Buddy Holly, the Ramones, Hard Day's Night era Beatles and late '70's punk rock than his work is most definitely right up your alley. This will be an evening to spend witnessing the past, present and future of power pop music. Timeless Melodies brought to new life!! ROCK AND ROLL IS ALIVE AND WELL!!



vention established to open the Dubuque community to the idea of modern tattooing as a fine art. Presented in part by INK Tattoo Studio and Dubuque Tattoo Club, there will be an opportunity to meet these exciting artists and take in the break-neck rockabilly roll of Jane Rose and The Deadend Boys, in Dubuque to put Nashville in your head and boots in your pants. Stop in early to Eronel on Thursday, September 12, with music starting at 10:00 but a good time happening much earlier.



Dubuque Ink and Art Expo After Party 1 w/ L'Assassins, Snake Island!, Busted I
Eronel, Friday, September 13, 10 PM
Night two of the First Annual Dubuque Ink And Art Expo will commence with a varied rock show of local and regional acts. L'Assassins from Minneapolis are an all-female rockabilly punk explosion with qualities that can only be attributed to the time spent in a garage. Snake Island! is a fuzzed-out trip from Omaha that sink into the deep dark parts of the

blues and earn the exclamation point at the end of their name. Busted I is a local street punk band whose members have been pounding out tunes in Dubuque for years. Party all night at Eronel on Friday, September 13, with music starting at 10:00.



Dubuque Ink and Art Expo After Party 2 w/ Black Actress, Legal Fingers, Lines
Eronel, Saturday, September 14, 10 PM
The third night of the First Annual Dubuque Ink And Art Expo will cap off your weekend partying with a rock show of epic proportions. From Chicago come Black Actress, a revved-up sleaze machine ready to bring terrible pleasure to your ears and your sister, equal parts LA strip and LA stripper. Legal Fingers are the hometown heroes with the 40 oz hearts, ready to get ready, get set, and get wet. Other local act, Lines, will be laying down creepy soundscapes and breaking them down with monolithic riffs and rhythms, with just enough room to snake about inside. Get inked and come down to Eronel on Saturday, September 14, with music starting at 10:00 and going until we drink ourselves to death.



Mr. Whiskers, Coolzey, Muscle, Lipstick Homicide
The Lift, Saturday, September 14, 9 p.m.
For this show, we give you a little bit of everything we can. Coolzey, a man of the world who bounces from all coasts and couches brings you sharp, satirical hip hop with beats created by him and some of the best underground producers in the game. Honing his style for well over a decade, the man works hard to bring you new flows and flavors without ever getting stale or mainstream. Muscle and Lipstick Homicide, though completely different bands, bring the RAWK to the stage. Muscle is a two piece female fronted psychedelic rock band, while Lipstick Homicide works the pop punk angle so well its gotten them an opening spot for Green Day and a ton of other top notch punk acts. Mr. Whiskers, the elusive man behind the laptop and turntables, will be DJ'ing in between sets and closing the night. The man gets low, gets out, and crushes dance floors in town and regionally on a regular basis. If you are interested in seeing something different on Saturday Sept 14, The Lift has you covered.

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Friday, September 13, 8 p.m.



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September 20, 8 p.m. - NO COVER

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October 11, 8 p.m. - NO COVER!

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American Icon: A Tribute to Johnny Cash

October 12, 4 & 7 p.m.

The characters of Johnny Cash and June Carter Cash are portrayed by Doug Al-



len and Nicole Evans in this multimedia theatrical show. Tix \$15-\$35



Gregg Allman

October 18, 2013, 8 p.m. (\$43 - \$78)

Gregg Allman is an American rock and blues singer-songwriter, keyboardist, guitarist and a founding member of The Allman Brothers Band. The Allman Brothers Band enjoyed huge success in the early 1970s and a number of their most characteristic songs were written by Gregg Allman. Allman was inducted with the band into the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame in 1995 and received a lifetime Achievement Award from the Georgia Music Hall of Fame in 2006.



Project Pink: Pink Floyd Tribute

October 25, 8 p.m.

North America's premier Pink Floyd tribute band. Project Pink faithfully recreates the complete Floyd experience with sights, sounds and intangible vibe. \$7-\$25.



Drive-By Truckers with Special Guest the Fast Clydes

October 30, 8 p.m.

An alternative country/Southern rock band, their 2008 album, Brighter Than Creation's Dark, went to number 37 on the Billboard 200 album chart and was billed a gothic masterpiece.



Chris Kattan

September 6, 7 p.m. \$25 \$35

Chris Kattan is a comedian and actor best known for his work on Saturday Night Live. Kattan's recurring characters included Mr. Peepers, Mango, Azrael Abyss, Kyle DeMarco from The DeMarco Brothers, Suel Forrester, and most notably, one half of the Butabi Brothers with fellow SNL cast member Will Ferrell, known for their trademark head-bobbing. Kattan and Ferrell continued the characters in the movie A Night at the Roxbury.

Kattan has also appeared in a supporting role in The Middle, an episode of How I Met Your Mother, and a Diet Pepsi MAX commercial during Super Bowl XLII that featured "What Is Love" and had many actors in the commercial performing the Butabi head bob. Kattan made a guest appearance on Saturday Night Live's Christmas show in 2011. Kattan was also a member of several improv/sketch comedy troupes including The Groundlings in Los Angeles. Comedians Josh Arnold and Tim Sullivan will also perform.



Pat Benetar & Neil Geraldo

November 1, 8 p.m.

The queen of 80's angst filled female rock and roll returns to the Mississippi Moon Bar with her huge roster of hits and her husband and collaborator Neil Geraldo.

3 NEW SHOWS ANNOUNCED!



Rodney Carrington: Laughter's Good Tour

Saturday, November 23

The multitalented comedian, actor, and country music artist returns!

Close to You: The Music of The Carpenters

Saturday, November 30

Singer Lisa Rock and her 6-piece band are bringing the music of The Carpenters back to the stage with their spot-on renditions of Carpenters classics



John Tesh - Big Band Christmas

December 15, 7 p.m. \$25 - \$35

Much more than a TV host, John Tesh has penned some of the most recognizable jingles and theme songs on Television is now a bandleader with a devoted following. Tix on sale August 17.

Hairball

Friday, December 13

Hairball is the world's ultimate "80's Rock" impersonation act, recreating the good-time party atmosphere of the decadent decade with unmatched authenticity. The highest capacity show at the Moon Bar to date was a Hairball show. They're that good!



directed by Nic Arnzen and was lauded by critics, continued to sell out for months at Los Angeles' Zephyr Theatre, and went on to tour across America. In Europe, the play was an Amnesty International Freedom of Expression nominee at the 2007 Edinburgh Fringe Festival, and was awarded the Intercultural Dialogue Award at the International Dublin Gay Theatre Festival in 2008. After, the company celebrated the show's 10th anniversary Off-Broadway at the Rattlestick Theatre, benefiting the Matthew Shepard Foundation and New York's Gay Community Center. The show continued to tour through 2011 nationally and internationally, while a documentary crew followed their travels to less tolerant communities.

The current production has received glowing praise from the The L.A. Times, L.A. Weekly and the New York Times said, "Without the noise of controversy, the play can finally be heard. Staged with admirable delicacy, this 108 Productions revival has moments of hard-won sentiment that will win over the biggest skeptic."

Live performances of Corpus Christi will take place at Five Flags Theater on Friday, September 6, at 8 p.m. as well as Sunday, September 8, at 1 p.m. A free diversity dialogue open forum will follow the 1 p.m. Sunday performance. Suggested Donation for play performances is \$20 or \$10 for Students and Seniors.

I AM Love Campaign
September 2-8, Various Locations
 Visit www.corpuschristi-themovie.com

Corpus Christi: Playing With Redemption
 Mindframe Theaters, Tuesday - Thursday 7:30 p.m.

I AM Love VIP Reception & Awards Gala
 Thursday, September 5
 VIP Reception, 7 p.m.
 I Am Love Awards Gala, 8 p.m.
 Eronel, Art + Music Venue

Corpus Christi Play Performances
 Friday, Sept 6 | 8 p.m., Five Flags Theater
 Sunday, September 8, 1 p.m., Five Flags Theater
 followed by Open Forum at 3:30 p.m.

Better Together Dubuque, Sustainable Dubuque, and 108 Productions present the premiere launch of the I AM Love Campaign's National Tour at Five Flags Theater and Mindframe Theatres Sept 2-8, 2013. The week-long Campaign events include performances of 108 Productions' internationally acclaimed production of Terrence McNally's CORPUS CHRISTI, screenings of their new documentary CORPUS CHRISTI: PLAYING WITH REDEMPTION, Dubuque Diversity Dialogue open forum with local leaders, and the I AM Love Awards.

The Campaign

The I AM Love Campaign's mission is to ignite dialogue on religious bullying and homophobia, in all ages and walks of Life, by teaching self-empowerment through artistic endeavors, community collaboration, and educational outreach. Said McNally: "Fifteen years after CORPUS CHRISTI premiered in New York, I am thrilled that 108 Productions continues to perform the piece all over the world. PLAYING WITH REDEMPTION and the I AM Love Campaign add a new dimension to

the conversation that my play continues to provoke, and I look forward to CORPUS CHRISTI starting many more conversations around the country."

"Our tour aims to bridge the gap between faiths, ages, races, genders and orientations knowing that through connection, we can learn to become more tolerant of that which we may not understand. As the voices of intolerance around the world continue preaching ignorance and hate, we will keep raising our voices from a place of love," says Nic Arnzen, Co-Founders of 108 Productions and the I AM Love Campaign (w/ James Brandon).



The Awards

The I AM Love Awards, on Thursday, September 5 at 7 p.m. at Eronel, Art + Music venue in the lower level of 285 Main Street, honors notable advocates who have helped shape the positive dialogue in the LGBT and allied community. The I AM Love Awards shine a light on local individuals and organizations who use their own love and light to help the community find a clearer path of respectful dialogue and understanding in the face of diversity and fear. Suggested Donation: \$20. The official announcement of recipients will be August 19.

The Play

The staged production, CORPUS CHRISTI, was conceived as a modern passion play by McNally (Kiss of the Spider Woman, Master Class, Ragtime), which imagines Jesus as a gay man living in modern-day Texas, ignited a firestorm of controversy upon its debut in 1998. Beginning in 2006, 108 Productions launched a resoundingly successful revival production



Dubuque Diversity Dialogue on Sunday, September 8 at 3:30, will follow the 1 p.m. play performance at the Five Flags Theater. Facilitated by Better Together Dubuque and 108 Productions, is our community symposium which will give voice to diverse viewpoints and explore peaceful solutions. This dialogue explores issues affecting the community, filtered through themes addressed in the play such as bullying, marriage equality, racial discourse and civil rights. These leaders, who serve as resources and mentors, are catalysts in assuring the dialogue continues after the Campaign leaves. The community dialogues are filmed and shared on website and social media forums to strengthen local and national outreach.

The Documentary

Now, seven years after the original production, the film, CORPUS CHRISTI: PLAYING WITH REDEMPTION will begin a tour across the country. The Religious Right meets the 'gay Jesus play' in this documentary film inspired by the play, which continues to face censorship, protests, bomb threats and religious condemnation. Mirroring the reflections of change in society today in regards to freedom of speech, civil rights, marriage equality and separation of church and state, this production has become a vehicle for a community struggling to find its voice. Meanwhile, the company of actors finds itself on a journey that would forever change their lives.



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Closed Circuit, August 28, (R) - Two ex-lovers find their loyalties tested and their lives at risk when they are joined together on the defense team in a terrorism trial.

One Direction: This Is Us - August 30, (PG) Drop off your daughters at this one. Or hope that something else is playing at the same time that you can go see.

Getaway, August 30, (PG-13) - A former race car driver (Ethan Hawke) is trying to save his kidnapped wife by stealing a Shelby Cobra Mustang w/ Selena Gomez in tow.

Touchy Feely, September 6, (R) - Rosemarie DeWitt, Ellen Page, Allison Janney and Ron Livingston star in a closely observed examination of a family whose delicate psychic balance suddenly unravels.

Riddick, September 6, (R) - I guess they're still making these? Good for Vin Diesel. Must not be getting enough money from the Fast and Furious movies.

The Family, September 13, (R) - A mafia boss (DeNiro) and his family (Michelle Pfeiffer) are relocated to a sleepy town in France under the witness protection program after snitching on the mob. But they can't help but revert to old habits and blow their cover by handling their problems the "family" way, enabling their former mafia cronies to track them down. A Luc Besson film.

Insidious Chapter 2, September 13, (PG-13) - The sequel follows the haunted Lambert seeking to uncover the mysterious childhood secret that has left them dangerously connected to the spirit world.



MOVIE BUZZ

Breaking Bad's Aaron Paul is in talks to give his talent for profound desert incidents to Ridley Scott's Exodus., joining Christian Bale's Moses and Joel Edgerton's Ramses in the Biblical epic.

Warner Bros. has reportedly started development on another chapter of their long-vacant Scooby-Doo franchise, but for the sake of humanity's future, it will be an all animated feature.

Imagine Entertainment's long-gestating James Brown film is still moving forward with 42 star Chadwick Boseman in the lead role. The Help's Tate Taylor is attached to direct. Um, I feeeeeeel good!

Arrested Development creator Mitch Hurwitz confirms "I'm working on the movie right now," to Rolling Stone." So there's that.

Disney's Brad Bird directed Tomorrowland has been surrounded by secrecy but now

has been given an official premise: "Bound by a shared destiny, a bright, optimistic teen bursting with scientific curiosity and a former boy-genius inventor jaded by disillusionment embark on a danger-filled mission to unearth the secrets of an enigmatic place somewhere in time and space that exists in their collective memory as "Tomorrowland."

Matt Damon has entered talks with Universal to rejoin the Bourne franchise. His involvement would be contingent on director Paul Greengrass also coming back which is in the works. Renner's Aaron Cross will be sticking around, "with potential crossover/merger of the characters' stories."

Ben (Batman) Affleck is officially not directing Stephen King's The Stand anymore. Warner Bros. and CBS Films have already found someone new to take over the planned trilogy. Now Crazy Heart director Scott Cooper has reportedly entered talks to rewrite and direct the post-apocalyptic epic.



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Embe Eatery & Lounge

by Rich Belmont



When you are walking on South Main Street in Galena, IL it's possible to walk right by Embe without noticing it. The sign is high up on the building and the eatery isn't very big.

What caught my attention, though, was the little sign in the window proclaiming Embe features homemade, natural deli style food right up until the bar's 1am closing time. The sign further states there is an enormous selection of beers, cocktails and martinis and there is live music every week-end.



Embe (pronounced EMM-BEE) is owned and operated by Mary Beth Forsberg and her son Charlie Quick. Embe is

named after Mary's nickname of M for Mary and Be for Beth. She answers to Mary, Mary Beth or Embe so take your pick.

This little eatery and lounge (that's bar for you young people: does anybody call them a lounge anymore?) is directly across the street from the DeSoto House. It's in a building that was erected in 1847 and has housed many businesses including a couple of clothing stores, a dentist's office, a small museum and at one time even live fish bait was sold out the back.



Mary started Embe three and a half years ago and before that she operated CC Dithers Clothing Boutique just up the street for 17 years.

Embe Eatery & Lounge

233 S. Main Street, Galena, IL 61036

608-348-5000 www.EmbeGalena.com

www.facebook.com/embe.galena

HOURS: Mon - Sun: 7 days 11 a.m. - 1 a.m.

DINING STYLE: Come as you are

NOISE LEVEL: Conversational; Loud during live music

RECOMMENDATIONS: Cream of Mushroom Soup, Beef and Turkey, Caryn, Almost Famous Charlie's Way, Beef and Bleu, Screaming MB, Embe Salad, Hot Bread Pudding

LIQUOR SERVICE: Full Bar, Specialty Drinks, Shooters, Specialty Martinis, 88 Beers

PRICE RANGE: \$4.25 - \$8.95

PAY OPTIONS: Cash, Debit, All Credit, Local Checks

ACCESSIBILITY: Front Door & Restrooms

KIDS POLICY: Kids are welcome but there is no menu, highchairs or boosters

RESERVATIONS: Yes for up to 12 persons

CATERING: Yes TAKE OUT: Yes DELIVERY: No

PARKING: On Street

However, Mary is no stranger to the food service business. While she was still in high school she started working in an Italian restaurant in Algonquin, IL called Simonini's Corner. Then she continued building her food career for several years at the Cary Country Club in Cary, IL.

She wasn't the all-work-and-no-play type of girl either. She probably doesn't want me to tell you she also played keyboard in an all girl band called Candyland. She used to hang out at a place in Chicago called the Kinetic Playground that hosted famous rock bands. Back in the day she and Jimi Hendrix were good friends.

Charlie learned how to run a restaurant and bar while working at Grandpa's Deli in Barrington, IL. Charlie and his mom run a very organized and efficient operation. Their employees are all dedicated and experienced. They are considered members of the family and are called co-workers.

Everyone is cross trained and can do every job from making homemade sandwich spreads, dressings and soups to making drinks. And boy can they make drinks. Charlie and his expert mixologists, Courtney Casino and Dave Rakusek, are always experimenting with cocktail recipes and creating new ones.

The Specialty Drinks are all unusual, colorful and so lip-smacking good! The Cucumber Collins is smooth and refreshing and the most requested. Effen (the word is Dutch for smooth) cucumber vodka from Holland is mixed with half sweet and sour and half lemonade. The Twisted Sister is a combination of the ingredients in two shakers. The first one contains X Rated Fusion Liqueur with citron, OJ and cranberry and the second one has Midori and sour. My favorite is the OR-G on the Beach. It has OR-G French vodka, papaya, mango, lime, citron, OJ, cranberry and pineapple juice. If you order this one I dare you to have just one!



There are also a number of Specialty Shooters to choose from. For example there is the House Signature 815 Bomb made with pineapple vodka, pineapple juice and Red Bull or Dave's Homemade Cherry. This one is made from a 5 pound tub of cherries mixed with secret ingredients.



Embe has a number of Specialty Martinis too. Right now the Specialty Board lists eleven of them. You might like a Pomegranate or Bloody Mary Martini. Some of them make great desserts. For instance, the Fat Elvis is peanut butter dissolved in vanilla vodka with chocolate bananas. Or how about this one, the Jamaican Ten Speed: a tropical blend of banana, melon, Malibu, OJ and cream. I love Snickers so of course I have to order the Snickers Martini which is chocolate vodka, caramel vodka, Frangelico and heavy cream.

Embe says they have an enormous selection of beers and that's no lie. In fact there are 88 beers in stock, 6 of them on tap. Some of the newest arrivals are Potosi Tangerine IPA, Tall Grass Buffalo Sweat, Shiner Ruby Redbird, Capital Supper Club and Rogue Juniper Pale Ale.

Embe has a wonderful selection of salads, too. There are



currently six on the menu waiting to be drizzled with your favorite homemade dressing. There are seven dressings to choose from and Mary says they are so popular she is having them bottled for takeout and expects to have them available by Thanksgiving.

I highly recommend you try one of the two soups that can be ordered on any day. They are made from scratch on the premises. The signature soup is the Embe Cream of Mushroom. For this soup a mixture of roux and gluten-free rice flour is combined with broth, chicken base, special seasonings and at least 3 different kinds of fresh mushrooms. I recently had Bleu Cheese and Kale soup that tasted way better than it sounds.



Embe has acquired a well deserved reputation for excellent sandwiches. They are all true deli-meat style sandwiches because they comply with established deli criteria: First, delicatessen lunchmeats must be of high quality. Here only Hormel Natural Choice Premium Deli Meats are used. They have no chemicals or preservatives. Second, deli meat must be sliced very thin. All Embe cold cuts are thin-sliced in the kitchen and only as needed. Third, the bread must be artisan quality. Embe has sourdough and wheat rolls baked locally to their specifications. And fourth, toppings are limited so the flavors of the meats are not overpowered.



So the Caryn (left) is perfectly seasoned hot pulled chicken with a little Embe horseradish mustard and a sprinkling of parmesan cheese. The Beef and Bleu is cold roast beef with just the right amount of bleu cheese dressing. The Screaming MB (above) is a delicious combination of pastrami and corned beef



topped with melted Swiss cheese, horseradish mustard, chopped dill pickle and homemade coleslaw. I like the Big Joe sliced pastrami or corned beef with Embe horseradish mustard, chopped dill pickle and melted Swiss cheese. Probably my favorite, though, is the Lisa So Rare: very rare roast beef sliced paper thin piled high on a toasted sourdough bun with a little horseradish mustard, it is so good!



The kitchen crew is always happy to customize your sandwich. As a case in point, a few regulars like to request the Daverator (above). This is a combination of The Dave, a sandwich consisting of your choice of roast beef, ham, pork or turkey and Caesar pesto and The Refrigerator which includes all of these meats. So by combining the two you get all the meats and the pesto. Many of the experienced customers will add coleslaw to their sandwich. That's because the slaw is exceptional. It is made in small batches all day long so it doesn't get soupy and the mayo dressing is kept to a minimum so the cabbage is always crispy.



I have observed the sandwiches are made with lunchmeats layered about an inch thick. I have also noted the dressings are used sparingly. They remind me of The Big Bang Theory's Sheldon Cooper exclaiming his pleasure with a hamburger in Series 1, Episode 5. Like Sheldon's hamburger, Embe's sandwiches have "a much more satisfying meat to bun to condiment ratio".

You must not forget to save room for dessert at Embe, either. The Hot Bread Pudding is simply marvelous! Day-old wheat



rolls are mixed with butter, eggs, whipping cream, milk, sugar, raisins, slivered almonds and homemade rum sauce. There are people who come from Chicago and Madison just to have some of Embe's Bread Pudding. In fact, every Wednesday is Sweet Tooth Wednesday when you get a free bread pudding with your order for any full-sized sandwich.

While you are at Embe take a look at the paintings. They are acrylics done by world-renowned artist Mark Skidmore. He painted these music-themed works of art specifically for Embe. The current three paintings are The Beatles, Janis Joplin, Jimi Hendrix and The Doors. They are available for purchase and proceeds go to an ongoing cancer benefit. You might even want to visit Skidmore Art Gallery (www.skidmoreart.com) which is just a few doors south of Embe on Main Street. All of Mark's art is as awe-inspiring as it is beautiful. However, his pastels are particularly magnificent. These are the ones framed under glass because they are painted with a chalk substance. Mark uses only his fingers and no brushes when he does these. It's hard to imagine how he can possibly do all the intricate details with just his fingertips!

Embe's is not only a great place to eat and drink it's also a great place to have a great time. Every Friday and Saturday night the live entertainment starts at 9 pm and there is no cover charge. Last week-end the music was provided by Box Car Phantoms and Slip Silo. This week-end the Girl from Wisconsin will appear on Friday and Saturday the music is provided by the Dawn.

Do you have a favorite restaurant you would like to see reviewed? Please send your requests, suggestions and comments to argomark@mchsi.com.



Driftless Farm Crawl and Farm to Table Dinner



Driftless Farm Crawl Saturday, September 21, 1-5 p.m. Multiple Locations

Thanks to a grant from Sustainable Dubuque, the Dubuque County ISU Extension will be hosting the region's first ever Driftless Farm Crawl and Dinner. Think pub crawl, but with farms. Think dinner... but better. A select group of tri-state area farms will open their doors on Saturday, September 21st, from 1-5 p.m., to any families and residents interested in learning more about where and how their food is produced. Maps and information for families, as well as descriptions of each participating farm will be available.

Participating farms will host at least one scheduled tour during the day. Free demonstrations and education information will also be available for participants. Farms will be encouraged to sell their products on site during the event, as the ISU Extension hopes to increase the economic viability of local, family farms.

"We are hoping to expose hundreds of participants to a variety of farm operations, including: orchards, vineyards/wine making, pasture-raised beef, dairy, diverse vegetable production, hogs, commercial vegetable production, poultry, flowers, and so on, explains Brittany Bethel, Regional Foods Coordinator for the Dubuque County ISU Extension. "It's a great excuse for families to spend a day outside on a variety of local farms."

The Dubuque Food Co-op will have a Welcome Center for Farm Crawl participants to pick up a free bag the day of the event. Each bag will include the farm tour map, educational information, a local farm directory and brochures from the participating farms, in case you can't make it to all five! The Welcome Center will be located at Courtyard in the Schmid Innovation Center (formerly CARADCO Building) at

900 Jackson Street from Noon to 2:00pm. If you'd like to learn more about the Dubuque Food Co-op, plan to visit the Welcome Center at 12:30pm for an official Co-op tour, before you start your farm crawl!

PARTICIPATING FARMS

O'CONNELL ORGANIC ACRES
20595 Asbury Road, Durango, Iowa
TOUR TIME: 1:30 p.m. & 3:30 p.m.

A certified organic farm near Bankston in Dubuque County, specializing in raising grass-fed cattle and crops such as barley, corn, hay, and soybeans.



TREE OF LIFE CSA
232 Kirkwood Rd, Cuba City, WI
TOUR TIME: 4 p.m.

A certified organic farm distributing fresh produce and attending local farmers' markets. Sign up to get a weekly box of fruits and vegetables here.



LANGE FARM MEATS
1214 S. W. Road Platteville, WI
TOUR TIME: TBA

Organic farming techniques certified through Oregon Tilth, providing top quality organic beef, pork, and poultry.

NEW HOPE FARM
6697 Mitchell Mill Road, LaMotte, IA
TOUR TIMES: 1, 2, 3 & 4 p.m.

An intentional Christian community who live and share their resources with one another and those in need. They grow organic vegetables and tend 30 acres of pasture, cows, chickens, sheep, orchards, and bees.

RESCUE MISSION GARDEN
4th & Iowa, Dubuque, IA
TOUR TIMES: 1 p.m. & 2 p.m.



Residents help plant and grow rows and rows of fresh vegetables serving them with meals inside the shelter each day. A planned green house in the garden is coming soon to teach area children about fresh produce.

Farm to Table Dinner Saturday, September 21, 6-9 p.m. Tri-State Market

Following the Farm Crawl, a ticketed Farm to Table dinner will take place at 6:00 p.m. at the Tri-State Market, at 1887 Highway 35 in East Dubuque, IL. This four-course dinner will be prepared by local restaurants and chefs, including One Eleven Main, L.May Eatery, East Mill Bakeshop and the Driftless Market in Platteville, and will feature locally-produced items in each dish. Among the goals of the event is to explore new and interesting ways to connect people to food and community. This dinner will be a one night only, family-style, four course creation based on what's ripe and good from our farmer's fields.

Dinner will be held outdoors (weather permitting) at tables surrounded by the beautiful bounty at Tri-State Market's Farm. You will enjoy the freshest possible fare and sip local beer and wine, with a lovely view of the farm fields and the rolling hills beyond.

This dinner will benefit the Dubuque Rescue Mission and its efforts to connect homeless adults to fresh, local and sustainable food sources. The purchase of your dinner ticket will directly seed the creation of their greenhouse project, and will help to purchase seeding tables for year-round vegetable production, to be used in the Rescue Mission kitchen.

Organizers are particularly excited about this model of fundraising "We feel it connects

people to food and farms through a tangible, creative and inspiring process," says Ciri Burbach, the City of Dubuque's Sustainable Community Coordinator. "The food will be superb, of course, and the experience truly magical, but our motivation is not profit driven. Our goal is to make our farms and food better through the support of our community. This dinner enables you to uplift local farms with a wine glass in place of a spade."

Dinner Schedule:

6 p.m. – Arrive, mingle, enjoy local music and breathe in the fresh country air. Dress casually and wear comfortable shoes. Sip on a beer or cocktail.

6:30 p.m. – Welcome and introduction of our host farm, Tri-State Market, who they are, and what they are all about. We will also introduce and thank the farms that donated or discounted their farm product for this meal.

6:45 p.m. – Gather at the harvest tables to enjoy good company and begin our feast! Meet the chefs as they will talk a bit about the meal they have prepared for you and their restaurant missions and connection to locally produced foods.

Tickets for the dinner are \$75 each from September 14-19 (with early-bird tickets available for just \$65 now through September 13). Proceeds from this truly delicious experience will benefit the Dubuque Rescue Mission greenhouse project. A cash bar will be available.

Get your limited availability advanced Farm to Table dinner tickets as well as Driftless Farm Crawl maps, sponsor details and more information online at driftlessfarmcrawl.blogspot.com. You can also e-mail bbethel@iastate.edu.

Art Gumbo Call For Submissions from Arts Organizations or Groups

(through Sept 12)

Art Gumbo Soup Dinner

Thursday, September 19, 6-8 p.m.

Voices Warehouse Gallery, 275 East 10th Street

Art Gumbo, a quarterly soup dinner that supports local art projects with community-supported micro-funding, is now accepting applications from arts organizations or creative groups for the spring funding cycle. Applications for Art Gumbo mini grants are available now through Thursday, September 12, 2013. Applications are available at artgumbodubuque.blogspot.com

\$10 donation at the door entitles the attendee to a locally prepared soup dinner and the opportunity to review all submitted proposals and to vote for



their favorite. The Art Gumbo fund's nightly proceeds will be awarded to the two proposals that receive the most votes. The next Art Gumbo Soup Dinner is scheduled for Thursday, September 19, 6-8 p.m. at Voices Warehouse Gallery, 275 East 10th Street in Dubuque and is open to anyone interested in attending the event.

The September 19, soup dinner will feature up to seven proposals submitted by local arts organizations or creative groups whose project demonstrates an impact on the Dubuque community. The proceeds from the door will fund two proposals, first and second place, splitting the funding in a 70/30 fashion.



Art Gumbo dinners and micro-funding program are an independent effort initiated by local arts activists Paula Neuhaus and Megan Starr. The project's mission is to bring artists together with art patrons to explore and fund projects, create working relationships, and to build an all-arts network.

Download the application and find more information by visiting artgumbodubuque.blogspot.com or contact Paula Neuhaus at art.gumbo.dbq@gmail.com.



Fall funding cycle is open to creative groups or organizations. Individual artists are not eligible to apply during this cycle. The first seven eligible applications received by 11:59 p.m. on September 12 will qualify to compete for funding.



Art Gumbo is an independent community-based initiative that funds local arts projects using money collected at quarterly soup dinners. During each Art Gumbo funding cycle, artists or arts organizations are invited to submit a brief project proposal that demonstrates an impact on the Dubuque community. The public is invited to attend and vote for their favorite proposal. A



Men are From Mars, Women Are From Venus LIVE! Saturday September 21, 7:30 p.m. Five Flags Theater

The one-man fusion of theatre and stand-up starring Peter Story and based on the New York Times #1 best-selling book of the last decade by John Gray, will play Five Flags Theater, one night only, on Saturday September 21, at 7:30 p.m. Moving swiftly through a series of vignettes, the show covers everything from dating and marriage to the bedroom.

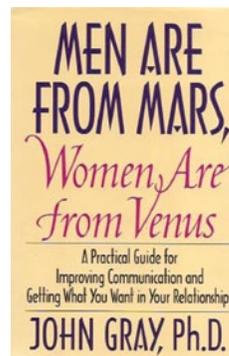
Since being published in 1992, John Gray's "Men Are From Mars, Women Are From Venus," exploring the differences between the sexes, has sold in excess of 50 million copies, been translated into 40 different languages and is one of the most recognizable titles in the world. When Mars and Venus collide, the adventures are earth-shatteringly hysterical.

After beginning in Paris in 2007, Men are From Mars-Women are From Venus LIVE! has been seen by more than one million people around Europe. It debuted in the

United States in February 2013 in Raleigh, North Carolina and will be playing to audiences around the United States and Canada throughout the year.

This hysterical show will have couples elbowing each other all evening as they see themselves on stage. Sexy and fast paced, this show is definitely for adults, but will leave audiences laughing and giggling like little kids!

Starring in this theatrical comedy is PETER STORY. Peter has appeared in primetime on all major networks from CSI to Ugly Betty and recurring roles on The Tonight Show. Commenting on the show, Peter said, "It's a great recipe for a night out: a little storytelling blended with some comedy and a dash of sage wisdom from the book. A delicious evening of entertainment."



Tickets are on sale now at the Five Flags Box Office, all Ticketmaster outlets, 1-800-745-3000, and Ticketmaster.com. For this Sneak Preview show, regularly priced \$40 tickets will be half price! That's right, only \$20 (plus fees) - use passcode MARS to receive half price tickets.

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**Dubuque Ink and Art Expo
Presented by Ink Tattoo Studio
and Dubuque Tattoo Club
September 13-15
Grand River Center**

By Mike Ironside with Bryce Parks

Since the art of tattooing was once again licensed in Dubuque, the interest level has skyrocketed, and by interest level, we mean there are a lot of tattoos around these days, not to mention related body modifications like piercings and scarification. For some people, it's a little hard to understand and maybe even a bit frightening. But for others, it's a fiercely loved art form that is a very personal form of self-expression, as well as fairly permanent.

Inspired by visits to other tattoo conventions and expos, Mark Weiland of Ink Tattoo Studio thought it might be a good idea to bring a larger tattoo event to Dubuque, to show people what is going on in the world of tattoo art. Weiland joined forces with

Greg Howell of Dubuque Tattoo Club to organize the Expo and invite tattoo artists from around the country. The Dubuque Ink and Art Expo will be held at the Grand River Center over the weekend of September 13-15. In addition to a variety of talented tattoo artists and their walking canvases, the event will feature an exhibition of other artwork, contests, performances, and an auction of skateboard decks with the proceeds benefiting local skate parks.

The Dubuque Ink and Art Expo was established with the goal of opening the broader community to modern tattooing and its close relation to fine art, breaking down the barriers between what many would see as a niche culture and the general populous. But a simple look around the general populous will quickly show that these barriers have long been removed. Tattoos are not just for bikers anymore. If you don't have one yourself, you undoubtedly know or work with many people everyday who do, whether you can see them or not.

If you've ever had questions about the art, or just want to see what it looks like when the art form is taken to a higher level, this is the event for you. With a visit to the Expo, you will observe artists plying their craft and also have the opportunity to participate in being tattooed. But don't worry, you can also just look! Granted, this is not everyone's cup of tea. But if you see the beauty in the art form, then consider this event Dubuque's first fine art show opening for a whole new artistic medium.

"Tattooing is less than five years old in Dubuque," noted Greg Howell. "It's only been legal for five years so there's not a lot of history for it and a lot of people who

– sleeves and half-sleeves and stuff like that."

With a decade of experience as a tattoo artist, Howell was previously a truck driver when he developed an interest in the art. "I got into it when it was kind of underground here in Dubuque," he admits. "It was illegal so no one was legit. I was one of the first with a home studio. I converted a room in my house to a shop. I had an autoclave and everything; I just wasn't licensed. Then when Mystic Tattoo opened in Wisconsin I got my foot in the door, got into a legitimate shop, so I've been tattooing about ten years now, legitimately."

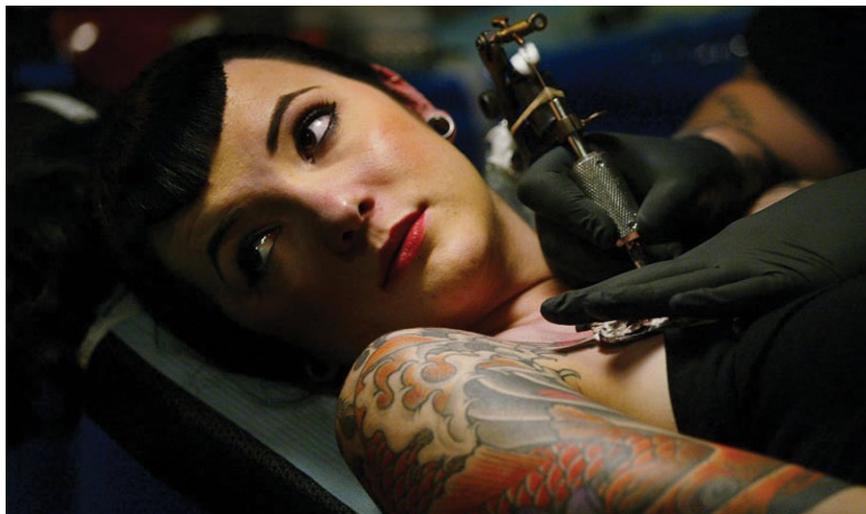


Greg Howell of Dubuque Tattoo Club and Mark Weiland of Ink Tattoo.

live here don't realize what can be done in tattooing now. The art form has come a long way. It's not jailhouse, dirty stuff anymore. People are really fine artists in this craft now. Putting this on, we can present it to people. We're putting it on as a family thing so they can bring their kids in and check out what's going on, see what's available here in Dubuque and around the area. We have artists coming from all over."

Howell notes that with a half-dozen tattoo shops in Dubuque the art form seems to be well established. "We get people from all walks of life getting tattooed, from police officers to doctors, attorneys, nurses," he observes, "we've got all kinds of people that come in. And they're not just getting little stuff. People are getting big things

Weiland has been a working tattoo artist for eight years, first getting started while studying art in college. "I was going to college for art and after my first year I'd heard enough of the 'What are you going to do with your art degree? You're not going to make a living, blah, blah, blah. You're not going to do anything with it,'" he recalls. "I'd always been an artist, since I was a little kid drawing Ninja Turtles or whatever. Then in high school, I would draw on myself or draw on my friends. I thought, 'I should probably look into this as maybe this is something I could do as a career.' So I looked into it and started doing my apprenticeship as I was going to college. When I graduated, I decided, 'This is what I'm doing. Period.'"



As experienced tattoo artists, both Howell and Weiland have seen an expansion of custom work in the tattoo culture in recent years, with most shops moving away from the standard designs offered from “flash sheets.” “A lot more shops are going custom,” notes Howell. “I know in my studio, we don’t have a sheet of flash in the shop. It’s 100 percent custom. Come in, tell us your idea and we’ll draw it up for you and tattoo it.” Seeing the move toward custom art as a positive change, Howell draws inspiration from a younger generation of tattoo artists and enthusiasts who he sees pushing the art form to new levels.

Still, both artists admit that there are some people who don’t understand tattoo art. “People freak out when they see my (tattooed) neck,” Howell says chuckling. “Oh my god! Why did you do that? You’ll never get a job. I have a job!” he laughs. But as an artist he counsels clients to seriously consider the ramifications of getting neck or hand tattoos before proceeding. It’s one thing for an established tattoo artist with full sleeves to take the next step and get a neck tattoo and another for an 18-year old to decide it’s a good idea because a favorite performer or athlete has one.

In fact, being careful not to go too far was a very real concern for Weiland and Howell in planning the Ink and Art Expo. In creating an accessible atmosphere for their first year with the event, the tattoo artists have been careful to not invite any of the more extreme body modification personalities that make appearances at other conventions. “I don’t think Dubuque is ready to see that,” says Howell. “I think that would really freak people out.”

In addition to being a way to share and promote tattoo culture to Dubuque, Howell sees the Ink and Art Expo as a way to share and promote Dubuque to regional tattoo artists and enthusiasts. “Any convention I’ve been to, there’s nothing outside the convention center to do except go to a bar,” he reports. “People will be able to come here and see how awesome this little town is, what we have to offer, and hopefully, it will keep growing more and more every year.”

Weiland notes that in addition to tattoo art, the Expo will feature other artwork

by both tattoo and non-tattoo artists, contests, competitions each day, as well as skate deck artwork, which will be sold to raise money for local skate parks. There will be guest artists including special guest Halo Jankowski and the finest tattoo artists from Dubuque and across the Midwest. And yes, Dubuque has some

insanely skilled artists. The Expo will include some other vendors and an appearance by the Dubuque Bomb Squad Roller Derby team. The Enigma, known for his puzzle piece tattoos that cover his entire body and his sideshow



performances is scheduled to make an appearance on Sunday of the Expo.

As a prelude to the expo, eronel, the alternative music and art space below Crust restaurant is hosting an exhibit of artwork by local tattoo artists leading up to the weekend event. Eronel will also be hosting a Dubuque Ink and Art Expo Meet & Greet with Nashville rockabilly artists Jane Rose and The Deadend Boys on Thursday, September 12 at 10 p.m. and a Dubuque Ink and Art Expo After Party with Minneapolis all-female rockabilly garage punk outfit L’Assassins, along with Omaha psych blues band Snake Island!, and local punks Busted I on Friday, September 13 from 10 p.m. It’s a whole weekend of ink, art, music, and culture!

The Dubuque Ink and Art Expo will be held at the Grand River Center over the weekend of September 13-15. Exhibit hours are Friday, September 13, 4-10 p.m., Saturday, September 14, 11 a.m. – 10 p.m., and Sunday, September 15, 2013: 11 a.m. – 6 p.m. This three-day event is open to the general public. Admission is \$10 for Friday and \$15 for Saturday or Sunday with a \$30 three-day pass available.

Children 12 and under are free.

Artists/Exhibitors Include:

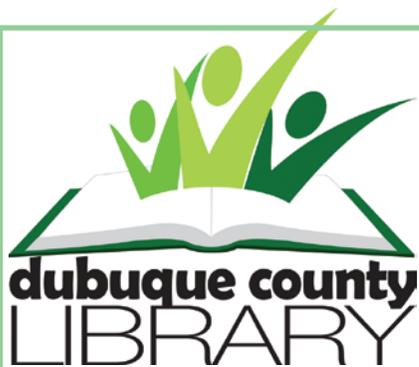
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- **Chuck and David from Nine Dot Studio**
- **Archangel**
- **Joe and Cory from Third Eye**
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Farley Cemetary Walk Thursday, September 12

Ever been on a Cemetery Walk? Now is your chance! This event offers a great way to explore and discover local history. This year our Farley Cemetery Walk will include Fairview & St. Joseph's Cemeteries. We encourage you to meet at the Farley/Drexler Branch of the Dubuque County Library by 5 pm to car pool, as parking is limited at the cemeteries. The tour will begin at Fairview (South hill overlooking Farley on Y13, by towers) 5:15-6pm. Al LaPage will be our guide representing the Fairview Cemetery Association. From there, we will travel to St. Joseph's (Northeast edge of Farley on 7th Ave. NE), 6:15-7pm, and our guides will be Joe Simon, cemetery caretaker & Jeff Simon, Farley Mayor.

Following the tours a reception will be held in the Farley/Drexler Library. Members of the Farley Area Historical Society will be available to answer additional questions you might have about local history. Sponsored by the Dubuque County Library in cooperation with the Farley Area Historical Society.

Big Library Read

"Big Library Read" offers young readers the opportunity to be a part of a worldwide digital version of a local book club. Special thanks to NEIBORS &



OverDrive which will provide unlimited downloads of the book selection: "Nancy Clancy, Super Sleuth" by Jane O'Connor. Free downloads will be available September 16th - 30th. Check out the Dubuque County Library webpage www.dubcolib.lib.ia.us for more details.

Many other library programs & events are available for all ages. Stop by one of our five branch locations for our monthly calendar or follow us on our webpage www.dubcolib.lib.ia.us, Facebook or Twitter.

More Great September Events

Grandparents Day Book Giveaway
All Branches, Sept. 3-7, Get a free book to read with someone special!

LEGO My Library & Games too!
Farley/Drexler Br., Sept. 10th, 3:15 p.m.
Peosta/NICC Br., Sept. 24th, 3:15 p.m.

Adult Craft Gathering - Epworth
September 12th, 6-7:30pm
Learn new crafts, work on your own projects, discover a new activity

American Girl Book Club
Epworth Br., Sept. 19th, 6-7:30pm
Asbury Br., Sept. 21st, 10:30am-noon

Book Club (GAB) - Peosta
Sept. 19th, 6-7:30pm "Eat, Pray, Love"

Family Movie Night - Peosta
Peosta/NICC Br., Sept. 19th, 6:30
"Jack Giant Slayer", Rated PG-13

Banned Books Week - All Branches
September 22-28, 2013
Pick up a Banned Book Mystery Bag.

Computers 101 - Epworth
Epworth Br., Sept. 23rd, 1-2:30 p.m.

Create-Challenge-Swap-Read, Holy Cross Br., September 26th, 3:30-5 p.m. Come CREATE with Legos,

Movie Night - Epworth, Sept. 26, 7-9p.m., "Admission" Rated PG-13



Multicultural Family Center Golf Outing

Friday, September 6
Bunker Hill Golf Course

The Multicultural Family Center (MFC) will host the first annual golf outing on Sept 6 with a shotgun tee-off at 12:30 p.m. at Bunker Hill Golf Course, 2200 Bunker Hill Rd., Dubuque, . The format will be 18-hole best shot with the opportunity to win prizes, skins contest, and a 50/50 raffle. The cost to participate is \$75 per person (\$300 per four-some). Admission includes a light dinner and drinks. Proceeds from the event will benefit MFC's Future Talk. Vist www.mfcdubq.org; register by August 30. (Maybe if you call late they'll be able to still slip you in...)



Rotary Club of Dubuque Golf Outing

Thursday, September 12
Dubuque Golf & Country Club

With a soup and sandwich lunch from 11:00 a.m.-12:15 p.m. an a shotgun start at 12:30 p.m. at the Dubuque Golf & Country, 1800 Randall Pl., Dubuque, this annual golf outing supports local charities. The event also features a silent auction, cocktails,

steak dinner, and a presentation by Craig Beytien. In inclement weather, the price for golf will be refunded and the dinner will proceed as planned. The deadline to register is September 6. For more information, visit www.dubuquerotary.org.



Blummer Memorial Golf Outing and Concert Saturday, September 14 Birchwood Golf Course

Children Affected By Cancer hosts this golf outing and concert to help tri-state families affected by cancer with tee times at 12:00 p.m. and 3:00 p.m. at Birchwood Golf Course, 3976 Eagle Point Rd., Kieler, WI, . \$60 per person includes 9 holes of golf, shirt, cart, steak dinner, and live music by rock band Half Fast from 5:00-8:00 p.m. \$20 per person includes steak dinner only (no golf). First tee-time is 12:00 noon. There will also be a silent auction, 50/50 drawings, and door prizes. Local rockers Half Fast perform from 5-8 p.m. All proceeds will be donated to local tri-state families affected by cancer. Contact Birchwood Golf Course for reservations, (608) 748-4743.



This is how we BBA in DBQ Saturday, September 21, 2-6 p.m. Clarke University, Kehl Center

From 2:00-6:00 p.m. at the Kehl Center on the Clarke University campus, Dubuque, this free community barbecue with music and games celebrates and promotes community bonding in Dubuque.

In late 2011 the City of Dubuque's Human Rights Commission sat down to have their annual goal setting meeting. From that meeting, Goal #3 was created: Increasing opportunities for community dialogue and bonding, with an emphasis on bullying and violence. From this goal spawned the idea of a community BBQ.

The organizers' goal is to make everyone feel like they belong to the Dubuque community by creating atmospheres in which differences aren't barriers, but rather building blocks which turn weaknesses into strengths. For more info visit website at: www.bbqindubq.org.

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	Asbury Branch 5900 Saratoga Plaza, Suite 5 563-582-0008	Epworth 110 Bierman Road S.E. 563-876-3388

Why I Don't Shop Here Anymore by pam kress-dunn

Dear [Name Deleted] Store,

You may have noticed that I don't come around anymore, debit card in hand. We had a good thing for a while there, me charging into your racks of clothes / shelves of food / acres of furniture, you happily taking my money. Now the thrill is gone. There are many reasons, as many as there are shops around here. Here's a list of the most common reasons I take a store off my shopping list:

Cashiers ignoring customers. There's nothing like standing there, ready to fork over too much cash for too little merchandise, as two teenage clerks discuss what they're going to do after work. Even worse is overhearing two disgruntled employees complain about having to work there. What am I supposed to do? Apologize?

Music that's too loud. I said, YOUR MUSIC IS TOO LOUD. If I can't carry on a conversation with my shopping companion without shouting, your music is a problem. I don't care if it's my favorite R.E.M. song, I need to be able to think.

No doors on your dressing rooms. I have only encountered this once, at a store not (yet) in Dubuque, but it was a trauma I'm still trying to get over. I should send you the therapy bill.

Harassing me during check-out to apply for a "rewards" card, open a credit card and "save" on today's purchase, buy a book/toy/piece of gum for a needy child, or do anything at all besides pay for the items I've placed on the counter. I feel guilty when I say No, and why would I want to come back to a place that makes me feel bad?

Broken bathroom locks. I mean, really. You've got to be kidding.

Constantly being out of my favorite yogurt or shampoo or cat litter or underwear or lipstick color or anything, anything at all. If you want to put Dannon Strawberry Fruit-on-the-Bottom yogurt on sale, for heaven's sake, stock up first!

I can't reach the stuff up high, or down low. Don't make me find a non-existent member of your Store's A-Team in order to buy a new toaster, all right? I can order it online from another store. And yes, that's a threat.

Two words: Scented candles. Okay, three words: Incense. If I start to get a headache just walking by your spot in the mall, you can bet I'm not going in, even if you sell other stuff I like that's not scented enough to make a dumpster smell like springtime.

Shoving free samples at me the minute I edge close to your door. It could be that I've been to your store before, so I've already tried your merchandise. In fact, I may be trying to stop by for a quick refill of something I've already sampled. So let me in! And then, let me out!

Making me buy things I really don't like in order to score points on your Fuel Saver / Rewards / Loyalty Card. You know who you are.

Putting basic stuff I need every week in the farthest reaches of the store. If I have time to browse, believe me, I'll browse. But not when I'm just out of church and on my way to Chicago and really need to buy some [insert basic thing here] before I go.

Displaying live baby animals anywhere near where I need to shop in your store. I'm sorry, but I've already given a home to as many rescue animals as I'm allowed. And so has everyone else in my family. Guilt again. Why do stores want to make us feel guilty?

Clerks not leaving me alone when I say I'm "just looking." That means I do not want to know about today's sale, or tomorrow's blow-out event, or this weekend's Black Saturday. I just. Want. To. Look.

Clerks hiding in the back somewhere when I really need help getting something down, or finding something you moved since the last time I was here, or asking the price of something I'm pretty sure I can't afford but need to be sure about.

Marking prices up on your purses just before your GIANT HALF-OFF PURSE SALE. I have friends who used to work at your store. I know all about your scams.

Trying to convince me I look great in that dress, that hat, or – ha ha! – that swimsuit. See that mirror? So do I.

Saying "Bye!" sarcastically after I've wandered in to see if you have something, and you do, but it's outrageously overpriced. This really happened to me. Like I'm ever going in that store again.

No longer selling strawberry sodas. Really, Dubuque? I have to drive to Davenport or Iowa City for a strawberry soda?

Trying to supersize me. If I want the large soft drink, I'll order it. I have been places where ordering the smaller size (drink, burger, or fries) actually costs more. And we wonder why obesity is the new epidemic.

Trying to upsell me. I know what this means, because I know someone who used to work for a catalogue that rewarded staff who did it. If they could talk a customer into ordering more than they originally intended, they got a tiny bonus.

Closing down without warning me. Or even with plenty of warning. Where are my favorite stores of yesteryear? How I miss you, Petite Sophisticate! Not you, Borders! <sniff> And that other one, the place with the great – you know which one I mean. How can an entire chain shut down? Don't talk to me about the Great Recession. If you want me to spend my money, don't take away my favorite stores! The list is getting way too short.

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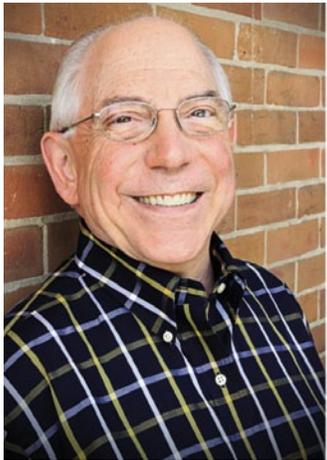
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ATHLETIC SUPPORT FOR YOUR MOUTH

How much do you like your front teeth? Do you enjoy smiling? Do you enjoy eating corn on the cob? If the answer to any of those questions is "yes" and you are at all active in sports, you would benefit from getting and WEARING a mouthguard.

Children participating in certain sports in schools are required to wear mouthguards. That requirement came about because of the number of dental injuries that occurred before mouthguards were mandated. Unfortunately, there are many other "non-contact" sports where they aren't required, but contact still does occur. Mouthguards would be a great idea there as well. When I was in college, I played racquetball a couple times per week with a friend. One day during a very competitive game I swung at the ball when I thought he was out of the way and took his wristwatch right off his wrist. It flew into the corner of the court and shattered. Luckily, I actually missed his wrist, and he was fine. People I've told this story to who play racquetball always ask me "why was he wearing a watch?" But I think that misses the point. Competitive urges, even in non-contact sports, often do lead to contact and some of those contacts lead to injuries.

It is in some ways ironic, but dental injuries, while certainly not the most severe, are often the most long-lasting and difficult to deal with. Broken bones do heal even if the process is not fun, and they usually heal well enough that there are no long term problems. Broken or knocked-out teeth usually continue to cause problems for people for the rest of their lives. And, unfortunately, those problems are often expensive to treat. Potentially of even greater importance, there is some research that at least hints at the fact that mouthguards can also prevent or reduce the severity of concussions and other head trauma. That certainly makes them a great investment!

Mouthguards come in three varieties: stock, "boil and bite", and custom. They each have their advantages and disadvantages. The first two can often be purchased at a sporting goods store or a drug store. The stock ones are usually the

least expensive. They often come in small, medium or large sizes, and you pick one you think will fit you, take it out of the box, and wear it. They usually fit poorly, inhibit speech, and make breathing difficult. But they do offer some protection and, as mentioned above, are fairly inexpensive.

The "boil and bite" type is purchased at a store, taken home and put in very hot water until it softens, and then molded around your teeth by finger and tongue pressure. As a result, it often fits somewhat better than the stock variety, but still lacks retention and usually need to be held in place by biting on it. Because of that this variety also makes speech difficult and breathing may be affected. It is usually more expensive than the stock variety and may offer somewhat better protection. The concern, however, is that during the fitting process, some people squeeze them so much that they no longer provide a minimal amount of bulk and therefore, don't provide very good protection.

The custom type is made by a dentist, often with the assistance of a dental laboratory. It is made on a model of your teeth that your dentist creates. Because of that it fits much better, is usually far less bulky, and usually stays in your mouth much better. It also provides far better protection because of the way that it is made. And, unfortunately, because of how it is made, it is more expensive.

For most people mouthguards are made for only the upper teeth. There are exceptions to that based on the way your mouth is shaped and if you have braces or some other types of dental treatment. Your mouthguard needs to be cleaned well—brushing it with your toothbrush will help. It should be stored in a rigid container with ventilation holes in it to allow it to dry well. Store it in a cool place and keep it out of direct sunlight, which could cause it to distort. Take it to your dentist at your "check-up" appointment. That will allow your dentist to examine it as well and provide you with some input as to how well the mouthguard is doing its job.

Based upon all of this, if you or your children are active in sports, relative to mouthguard wear, I want to borrow a line from Nike ads: "Just do it!"

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Carnegie-Stout PUBLIC LIBRARY

Check out the possibilities!

NERF CAPTURE THE FLAG Sat. September 7, 4:45-7:00 p.m.

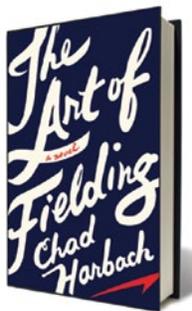


Join us at 4:45 p.m. on Saturday, September, for an evening of ducking and dodging between the books as we play capture the flag with Nerf blasters! This program is open to anyone over 18. Participants must supply their own blaster, up to two per

person. Since the library closes at 5 p.m., latecomers will not be admitted. To register or get more information, call the library at 589-4225 and ask for the Reference Desk.

LET'S TALK BOOKS: The Art of Fielding Tues. September 10, 7:00 p.m. in the Aigler Auditorium

Carnegie-Stout Public Library's book discussion for adults meets at 7:00 p.m. on the second Tuesday of every other month in the Aigler Auditorium. Copies of the book will be available for checkout at the Circulation Desk one month before the discussion date. No registration is required; all adults are cordially invited to the discussion. The September title is *The Art of Fielding* by Chad Harbach.



INDIA: TRAVEL AND TEA WITH TERRY MOZENA Sat. September 14 from 1:00-2:30 p.m. in the Aigler Auditorium



Have you been fascinated by the customs and culture of India? Would you like to know more about traveling in that country? Please join host Terry Mozena on Saturday, September 14 from 1-2:30 p.m. in the Aigler Auditorium as she talks about her travels in India. Enjoy a taste of chai (tea), listen to Indian music and watch as a volunteer

is wrapped in a sari, the traditional native dress of Indian women. This event is free and open to the public. Please RSVP to the Reference desk by Tuesday, September 10.

Sunday, September 8 – 2:00 – 3:00 in front of the library We'll kick off our first day of Sunday service!



Join us in front of the library for an outdoor concert featuring Grammy award-winning Sugar Free Allstars. This groovy duo puts on a concert full of fun and funky tunes with so much interaction that everyone gets to be a part of the act. With their diverse musical influences and unusual instrumentation, this family friendly organ/drum duo from Oklahoma City doesn't quite fit into any given pigeonhole. The

music blends New Orleans funk, Memphis soul and Hammond organ-drenched gospel, wrapped in a colorful rock and roll package. Add to the mix a touch of pop songwriting sensibilities, humor and a high-energy live show, and you've got the Sugar Free Allstars. Rock 'n' Roll for all ages at the Carnegie-Stout Public Library! Don't forget to bring your lawn chairs and blankets. If it rains, we will move to the 3rd Floor Aigler Auditorium.



Eat to Compete with nutritionists Megan Horstman & Amber Jaeger

Eating a well-balanced diet is one of the most important things you can do to promote optimal performance.

Eating a variety of high-carbohydrate, low-fat foods and consuming enough fluid to avoid dehydration are key. To increase endurance, muscle strength and speed, you must eat to compete!

Get the Athletic Advantage with High-Performance Nutrition...

Fuel Up with Pre-event Preparation

Fuel up with familiar foods on competition day and allow adequate time for that food to digest. A large meal can take three to four hours to digest, a small meal can take two to three hours, and a snack will digest in one to two hours. A substantial pre-event meal will help prevent fatigue and ensure you have the fuel stores needed to power your way to peak performance. Include complex carbohydrates, lean protein, fruit and healthy fats. About two-thirds of your plate should be carbohydrates. Top off fuel stores with a carbohydrate based snack one to two hours before competition.

During the Event

Continue to refuel during competition, as needed, with carbohydrates, electrolytes and fluid to prevent fatigue and prevent depletion of fuel stores. Sports drinks, gels and bars are all efficient ways to refuel.

Refuel to Recover Post-Competition

Refueling begins immediately after competition with a recovery snack consisting of carbohydrate and protein to refuel stores and repair damaged tissue. Chocolate milk can be a perfect sports recovery drink as it contains the ideal ratio of carbohydrate and protein to refuel muscles. Continue refueling with a meal one hour after the recovery snack.

Stay Hydrated in the Heat

Maintaining adequate hydration in the hot summer heat can be a challenge. Dehydration can severely impair athletic performance, making it crucial to go into a competition well-hydrated. Consume fluids

throughout competition day, then hydrate two to three hours prior to competition with 16 ounces of fluid and again 10 to 20 minutes before event with 8 ounces of fluid. Fluid should be consumed during competition and fluid replacement of all sweat loss should take place following competition. Choosing the right fluid for hydration is important. Water is appropriate for mild to moderate intensity exercise lasting less than 60 minutes. Sports drinks are preferred for high intensity exercise lasting more than 60 minutes. Soft drinks and fruit juices are best avoided.

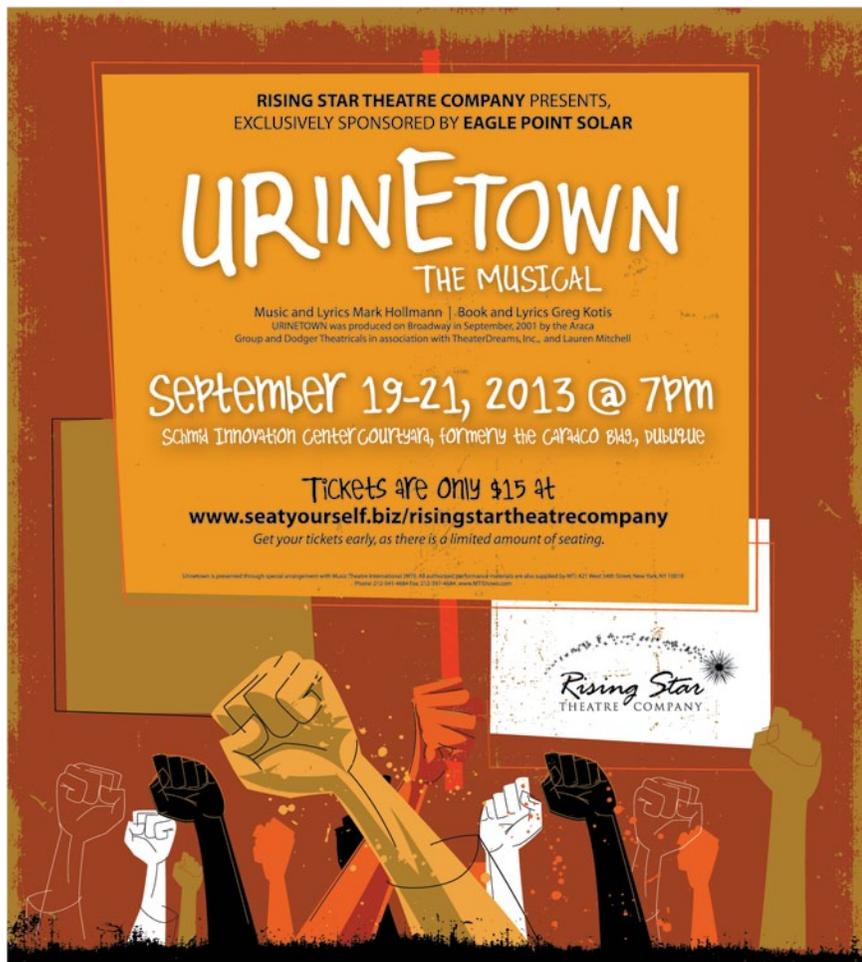


High-Performance Snacks:

- Oatmeal with almonds, strawberries and low-fat yogurt.
- Whole-grain wrap with turkey, spinach, tomato and pesto
- Peanut butter and jelly sandwich and a glass of low-fat milk
- High-protein energy bar and fruit
- Whole-grain crackers and low-fat cottage cheese topped with fruit
- English muffin with an egg, sliced tomato, lettuce and avocado
- Low-fat string cheese and baked whole grain chips
- 1/2 whole grain pita stuffed with choice veggies, edamame and hummus
- Trail mix made with nuts, whole grain cereal and dried fruit
- Smoothie made with low-fat milk, yogurt and frozen berries
- Banana dog – whole wheat tortilla with peanut butter and banana slices
- Granola, yogurt and fruit parfait



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Urinetown, the Musical
Rising Star Theatre Company
September 19-21, 7p.m.
Schmid Innovation Center Court-
yard, formerly the Caradco Building

Rising Star Theatre Company presents Urinetown, the Musical, sponsored exclusively by Eagle Point Solar. One of the most uproariously funny musicals in recent years, Urinetown is a hilarious tale of greed, corruption, love, and revolution in a time when water is worth its weight in gold. In a Gotham-like city, a terrible water shortage, caused by a 20-year drought, has led to a government-enforced ban on private toilets. The citizens must use public amenities, regulated by a single malevolent company that profits by charging admission for one of humanity's most basic needs. Amid the people, a hero decides he's had enough, and plans a revolution to lead them all to freedom!

Inspired by the works of theatre world's

finest, Urinetown is an irreverently humorous satire in which no one is safe from scrutiny. Praised for reinvigorating the very notion of what a musical could be, Urinetown catapults the 3comedic romp² into the new millennium with its outrageous perspective, wickedly modern wit, and sustained ability to produce gales of unbridled laughter.

Performances will take place outdoors in the courtyard of the historic Schmid Innovation Center, formerly the Caradco Building located on Jackson Street between 9th and 10th streets. Tickets are \$15 and can be purchased starting September 2 at www.seatyourself.biz/risingstartheatrecompany or at the door the night of the performance. Get your tickets early so you do not miss out on this hilarious night of theatre, as there is a limited amount of seating. This event is in partnership with the Dubuque Area Convention & Visitors Bureau, Dubuque Main Street, Gronen Properties and Voices from the Warehouse.

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Live at Heritage Center Presents:
**Doc Severinsen
 and His Big Band:
 "Once More with Feeling!"**
 Saturday, September 21 at 7:30 p.m.
 Heritage Center, University of Dbq.

Heritage Center, the University of Dubuque's new performing arts, worship, and campus center, opens its inaugural Live at Heritage Center Performing Arts Series with Doc Severinsen and His Big Band: "Once More with Feeling!" on Saturday, September 21 at 7:30 p.m. This CenterStage Series performance will feature Doc's seventeen-piece band as well as guest vocalist Vanessa Thomas.

"Heeeeere's Johnny!" That lead-in, followed by a big band trumpet blast, was the landmark of late night TV for decades. The 'Johnny' was Johnny Carson, host of "The Tonight Show", with Doc Severinsen leading the Tonight Show Band. When Doc's late night career came to an end in 1992 after nearly thirty years on the show, he and his big band took to the road, gracing audiences across the country with Ellington and Basie standards, pop, jazz, ballads, and big band classics.

An eccentric and engaging performer known for his witty banter and flashy attire, Doc is a world-renowned trumpeter, having made over 30 albums during his career and winning a Grammy award in "Best Jazz instrumental Performance - Big Band" for his recording of Doc Severinsen and The Tonight Show Band- Volume I. His albums encompass all styles, from big band to jazz-fusion to classical.

Doc's performance marks the first of nine events planned for the inaugural Live at Heritage Center Performing Arts Series. The series will also include an Elton John & Billy Joel tribute concert, the King's Singers, Soweto Gospel Choir, San Jose Taiko (Japanese drummers), as well as family performances of The Very Hungry Caterpillar, Charlotte's Web, and more.

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Say-Do-Ratio
 by matt booth

The Say-Do ratio is the equation between the things a person says they'll do and those that actually get done.

around them. A high Say-Do ratio tells them that our words and our actions support one another. This reduces questions and confusion.

**WHAT YOU SAY / WHAT YOU DO
 = SAY-DO RATIO**

Colleagues, friends and family members learn to pay more attention to what you actually do rather than what you say. Your behavior is a much more accurate indicator of your intentions than your words. Unfortunately many people will say one thing and then do something different. The simple definition of integrity is doing what you say you are going to do when you say you are going to do it. If people would consistently do what they said they were going to do things would run a lot smoother and people would sleep better at night. What's the Say-Do Ratio of the people around you? What's your Say-Do Ratio?

Likewise, as a parent, I can feel the disconnect right away when I tell my 3 1/2 year old to behave in a certain way and then I behave differently. The old "Do as I say, not as I do" makes the world an uncertain place. Plus, children have very little hesitation in pointing out our inconsistencies. The other day I asked him to put his shoes away where they belong. He did as I asked and then promptly handed me my shoes and told me to put them back where they belong. Not modeling the behavior I expect from him puts him in the position of having to decide whether to believe and follow my words or my behavior.

Your Say-Do Ratio is critical both professionally and personally. Broken promises lead to lost clients and customers. If you think about a few people you really respect and trust. They are probably people who do what they say they are going to do. What they promise, they deliver.

The Say-Do ratio is critical because past behavior predicts future success. If you do what you say you will do, you will earn great trust and respect from those around you. It creates integrity and integrity is crucial for success. If you want to have a high Say-Do ratio then you really need to think about things that come out of your mouth. When you want to say something that you will do, stop yourself and ask yourself, "Do I have any intentions of actually doing this?" If the answer is no, then just don't say it. Be intentional about what you promise and then deliver on your promises. As Emerson said, "What you do speaks so loud I cannot hear what you say."

In our professional lives, people are looking for the consistency between our words and our behavior. The bigger the gap between what we say we will do and what we actually do, the greater the confusion and loss in credibility. People like to know what to expect from those

Mattitude Quote

"People who have positive attitudes participate in life. People who have negative attitudes watch others participate in life"

- Matt Booth

Matt Booth is passionate about Attitude. As an award winning speaker and author he has been on stage in Japan, England, Brazil, Ecuador and Suriname. Through stories, Matt will engages, entertains and educates audiences. People leave Matt's programs with the belief that they control their own attitude and with simple ideas on how to improve it!



**TRIXIE
KITSCH**
BAD ADVICE FOR THE STUPID

Dear Trixie:

I have been getting to know this woman--I'll call her Rhonda, and enjoyed her company. It was totally casual and nobody had any real plans to make it permanent. Then I met her room mate. This girl is smoking hot and I really wished I met her first. I know it is bad manners to make that evolutionary dating leap from one lady to the other without it ending badly for all involved. What is the best way to get rid of Rhonda and nab the smoking hot room mate?

--Larry on Loras

Dear Larry on Loras:

There are very strict edicts in our social world that prohibit this type of behavior. If you hurt Rhonda's

feelings her room mate will NEVER have anything to do with you. The sisterhood is powerful thing. If you maneuver this incorrectly it could mean bringing on the dangerous wrath of two hormonal woman. The only solution is to continue to date Rhonda until she dumps you. That shouldn't be much of a problem since most men behave like selfish jackasses naturally.

I would recommend the following tips:

- *Only urinate off her front porch
- *Stop bathing and wearing deodorant
- *Lick your silverware and plate at a nice restaurant
- *Get ripped on cheap beer and say bonehead things in front of her friends like: "Is your ass getting wider? Hey, I meant no disrespect. But really Babe, your ass looks a lot bigger than it used to."
- *Then belch and scratch yourself
- * Break something valuable in her house like her Granny's Haviland china tea cup collection. This could be the final act. Try throwing your bulk directly into the curio cabinet. Then lie on the floor amid the debris and laugh until she starts screaming for you to get out. I'd wait at least an hour to

text the room mate.

Dear Trixie:

I am a moderately attractive woman in my 40s living in Dubuque. It is almost impossible to find a single guy my age who is tolerable. They are either giant drunks with beer bellies or they have just gotten divorced from a bitch who looks just like me. I am totally not interested in any sort of committed relationship. I would just like a young guy in his late 20s with a flat abdomen who can hold his liquor and keep his mouth shut. Honestly Trixie, I think I really only need someone for an irregular rowdy sex romp on an occasional basis. Also they have to have a job. How do I go about finding someone like that?

-- Tara Firma

Dear Tara:

What kind of shape is your roof in? Pick up the phone book and make an appointment for an estimate from every single company listed. Not only can you audition them by sight but roof estimates are always free. You can sunbathe topless while they work shirtless and then you can have a 12 pack of ice cold Heineken for them after their first hard day of sexy sweaty labor. Men are pigs and will never change. So you might as well use them as they were meant to be utilized. You go, girl.



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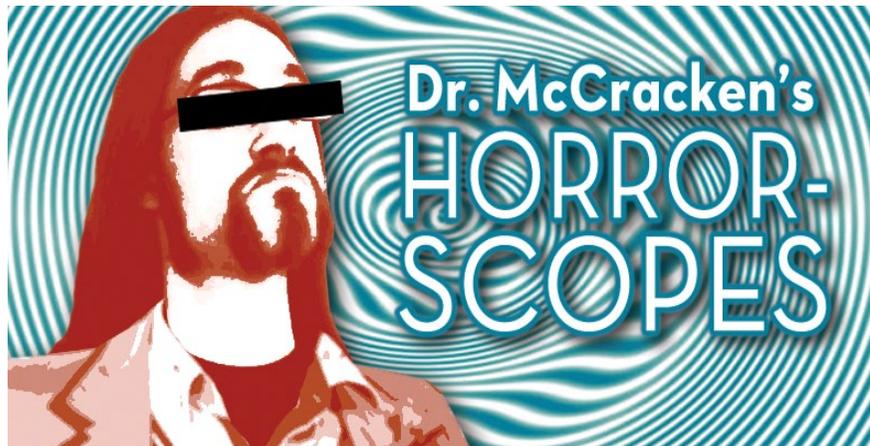
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Are you preoccupied today? You may want to consider yelling into your closet until the sun goes down. This will most likely relive no fear of anything.

Taurus 4/20-5/20
The way the planets align, with Mars against Jupiter's moons, has nothing to do with you still needing to pay rent. Despite nervous energy, it turns out you aren't too artsy to get a job.

Gemini 5/21-6/21
There might not be any real reason, but you'll wake up feeling as if you've spent 85% of your adult life trying to make the last 15% of it worthwhile. Pudding can only fix so much. Make strides, but not into traffic.

Cancer 6/22-7/22
Harrigan, a brash policeman who is fighting drug lords in a decaying L.A. finds that the criminals are being killed in a very odd fashion. The federal authorities keep telling him to stay out, even though his own men are also being killed. He catches sight of a nearly invisible alien hunter who is searching for trophies. Harrigan injures the creature and pursues it, becoming the hunter. Your lucky number is 33.

Leo 7/23-8/22
Communication may seem strained between you and a friend. Try throwing up in time with jazz records. If you jump to conclusions, make sure they are irrational enough to seem legitimate if considered from straightforward angles.

Virgo 8/23-9/22
Keep your emotions inside of yourself and let them explode

in thirty years, assuming you live that long. Open a bank account and see how many herring deposits they'll let you make.

Libra 9/23-10/22
Write "WHOOOPS" on a dollar and try to buy a house with it. When that fails, try to buy the realtor's car with it. Those thoughts about dentistry? Don't.

Scorpio 10/23-11/21
This is perhaps not the best time to invest money in the peach cobbler market that you've invented just now.

Sagittarius 11/22-12/21
If a former lover seems preoccupied or distant, try asking them to open the window you're looking through. If you scream about molecules long enough, someone will listen.

Capricorn 12/22-1/19
Make it clear that you will not stand for injustice of any kind, that all men are truly brothers, all women are truly sisters, that as a race of people we are a family of many designed to stumble along as best we can, that you would like extra ranch dressing with your chicken tenders, that you will not stop screaming in this restaurant, that this isn't a restaurant, it's a damn Burger King, that you will leave but you will keep the crown.

Aquarius 1/20-2/18
I've heard you sing. It's beautiful.

Pisces 2/19-3/20
Pisces: Some wonderful news will come to you soon. All you need to do is find the app on your iPhone that will make it self-destruct and send you outside amongst, as odd as it may seem, other people.

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By Dave Green

3	2				5	8
	8				2	
5			1			4
		2		4		
		6			3	
		3		6		
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	9				7	
8		5			1	2

Difficulty Level ★★★★★

Sudoku Answers

2	9	1	8	7	6	5	7	8
8	1	6	2	9	4	7	1	9
8	2	8	9	2	9	7	6	1
3	5	8	7	1	3	2	9	
6	9	4	7	8	1	3	2	9
7	4	7	8	3	1	5	1	6
4	7	2	4	9	8	3	1	6
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8	5	1	6	4	2	8	3	7
6	1	6	4	5	2	8	3	7
4	3	7	2	1	8	6	9	5
4	3	7	2	1	8	6	9	5
2	1	2	9	6	3	5	7	4
8	6	5	7	9	4	2	1	3

Crossword Answers

FLAG	FLAME	EBBS	SHIN
IOTA	LOUDER	NOAH	TACO
BRAVO	ENCORE	LIXER	OWEN
SIDE	DINE	MISER	PASS
LOA	DISCOVER	RY	SPIKE
CORSICA	STONE		LILLIAN
EKE	SALT	NOZCE	BEATS
LIFETIME	TLC	SARA	NEE
NFL	ODIOUS	ALPH	
BAITERS	MARLEE	BOOGIE	
OWNOVATION	COXY	GENLOGO	
ZAGREB	DREDDGE	REDDENS	
OLIVE	DEARTO	ESQ	
TDS	DIAL	TN	HALLMARK
WATTS	PLATIN	ONER	PEA
INNATE	TRIOS	SADDEST	
NICKELODEON	HUB	EVI	
PELE	AMEND	MAYS	DODGE
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