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

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I'd go off on a political diatribe this week because, well, it's defiantly warranted. But hey, if you still don't get it, then there's no explaining your own ignorance to you. So lets talk about dogs.

I don't think I've written about Coco the Miniature Rescue Wonder Poodle since shortly after we got him, so I think the dead of winter after football season is over is a good time to catch up.

In eight months since we got the nearly 10-year-old fuzzy little turd, he has fully taken control of the household and is pretty much Daddy's boy, much to Mom's irritation. But since he goes to work with me each and every day, it only makes sense that he'd want to be my constant companion (they tell us that's why his name is Coco... get it?).

He's also taken control of my office. He generally greets everyone who comes in with an excited wagging nub of a tail...and then, for some reason, when they leave, he chases them down at the door with vicious barking. No biting or anything. Just tons of bravado. Part of this exit assault is his charging run to the door which always ends with him leaping to a stop on the small rug inside the door. The only thing is the rug is dry on the bottom and slides easily. So every time, he hits the rug and then he and the rug slide into the wall. After a few hundreds times of doing this. he has not learned his lesson at all.

Conversations between me and Christy now revolve a lot about when the last time he pooped was. Even though he doesn't give her the love he gives me, she is still the one who hates to leave him alone at the house for very long. She's also the one who will sit and hand feed him his entire bowl of food when he hasn't eaten on his own in a long time. She's the best mom.

He's not very social with other dogs. By that I mean he pretty much hates all other dogs. We've been to Wags at the Flags. He's not a fan, even though he was on the cover of *365ink* for the issue highlighting Barks Bourbon and Brews at Five Flags. Oh well, he was adorable, and he works cheap.

Winter has been a new experience. Every time I saw dogs in sweaters and booties I thought, "Are you kidding me, stop humiliating that dog!". And then I had a dog. A little dog. A little dog that gets cold very, very fast. I can tell you that nothing will break your heart faster than a tiny poodle sitting down in the snow and lifting three feet off the ground because they are



freezing, as he switches between which foot keeps him propped up as he sits with his head bowed as he shivers. So immediately after, we were the proud owners of a silly sweater and tiny red snow boots. And guess what, they work. He could finally poop outside again.

He doesn't seem to grasp how physics works when it's icy out. He goes barreling full gallop down the hill to the house and when he tries to turn into the driveway, he tumbles ass over tea kettle, but he bounces right back up like its nothing. It's especially funny watching him try to walk up an icy driveway in the little booties. It doesn't work, and he just kind of walks in place, much to his confusion.

Just the other day when we had the big snowfall, we went for a walk to pee 47 times in 10 minutes (he's dry after the first three) and hopefully poop once. We stopped at a tree on a slope. He did the hyper extended leg lift to pee, and as he did his thing, he started to slip down the slope, his legs spread and his "doogiehood" buried into the snow which made his eyes open wide in panic, and I had something to laugh about for the rest of the day.

Speaking of cold puppies. I mentioned that he goes to work with me everyday. This means hopping in a freezing Jeep every morning for the drive. And each day he sits there next to me, visibly shivering so hard that you can see him vibrate. Add to this that he's looking at me with miserable, sad puppy dog eyes. And what happens is Dad spends a few hundred dollars on auto start for the Jeep so he doesn't have to get into a cold vehicle everyday. Note here that the auto start costs more than the rescue dog did. And if you too are a dog owner, you completely get it.

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### THE EDWARD J. AND CATHY GALLAGHER ARTS AT CLARKE SERIES **STEP AFRIKA!**

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 12 7:30 PM @ CLARKE UNIVERSITY JANSEN MUSIC HALL (1550 CLARKE DR) The Edward J. and Cathy Gallagher Arts

at Clarke Series is thrilled to welcome Step Afrika! back to the Clarke University campus on Monday, Feb. 12 at 7:30 p.m. in Jansen Music Hall.

Step Afrika! is the first professional dance company in the world dedicated to the tradition of stepping. They began in 1994 as an exchange program with the Soweto Dance Theatre of Johannesburg, South Africa and have expanded to become an international touring Company presenting worldwide performances, residencies, and workshops.

Step Afrika! has grown to become one of the top 10 African American Dance Companies in the United States and the largest African American led arts organization in Washington, DC. The Company annually performs in ten countries for more than 50,000 people and reaches 23,000 youth through its arts education

## LIVE AT HERITAGE CENTER PERFORMING ARTS SERIES AMAZING GRACE: A NEW BROADWAY MUSICAL

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 13 7:30 PM @ UNIVERSITY OF DUBUQUE HERITAGE CENTER JOHN AND ALICE BUTLER HALL (2255 BENNETT ST)

University of Dubuque Heritage Center continues its fifth annual Live at Heritage Center Performing Arts Series by hosting its first touring Broadway show on Tuesday, Feb. 13 at 7:30 p.m. at the University of Dubuque Heritage Center. Fresh off its Broadway run, *Amazing Grace: A New Broadway Musical* will stop at Heritage Center as part of its first national tour. This new original musical is based on the awe-inspiring true story behind the world's most beloved song.

"Amazing Grace," the world's most recognizable hymn, was written by ruthless slave trader turned abolitionist, John Newton. The hymn tells the story of a man suffering under the weight of his own cruelty. He has a dramatic conversion where his eyes are opened to his own decrepit ways and to the grace and forgiveness that washed it all away.

Amazing Grace: A New Broadway Musical is a captivating tale of romance, rebellion, and redemption.

"It's a legitimate Broadway production with all of the accoutrements. The set is as if it were to be performed



programs. In addition, they perform at more than 50 colleges and universities throughout the United States each year.

In stepping, the body is used as an instrument to create intricate rhythms and sounds through a combination of footsteps, claps, and the spoken word. Stepping is based on a long and rich tradition in African-based communities that use movement, words, and sounds to communicate allegiance to a group.

Tickets are \$5 and can be purchased at clarke.edu/artsatclarke/stepafrika. For ticket information, call 563-588-6575. For additional information, contact the Clarke University Visual and Performing Arts Department at 563-588-6575.

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on West 41<sup>st</sup> Street in New York," said the Rev. William "B.J." Weber (S'79), a University of Dubuque Theological Seminary alum who is friends with Copeland and resides in New York.

Prior to the show, *Amazing Grace* producer Carolyn Rossi Copeland will deliver a free pre-show lecture from 6:30 to 7 p.m. in the Straatmeyer Room, adjacent to Butler Hall, where she will offer insights and background on the development and production of this Broadway musical and its national tour.

Tickets are \$45-\$50 for adults, \$41-\$45 for military and UD alumni, and \$20 for children and student. Tickets can be purchased Monday through Friday from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the Heritage Center Farber Box Office; by phone at **563-585-SHOW**; or online at **DBQ.edu/heritagecenter.** 

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#### BILL ENGVALL THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 15 7:30 PM @ FIVE FLAGS CENTER (405 MAIN ST)

Grammy nominated blue collar comedian Bill Engvall will perform his new stand-up routine at the Five Flags Center on Feb. 15 at 7:30 p.m.

Most recently Bill was a contestant on season 17 of ABC's *Dancing with the Stars*, and as a fan favorite, he made it to the finals. He is best known for the Blue Collar Comedy concert films, which sold over 9 million units and received a Grammy nomination. Bill's first album, *Here's Your Sign*, is certified platinum and held the No. 1 position on the Billboard Comedy Chart for 15 straight weeks. His second album, *Dorkfish*, also debuted at No. 1 on Billboard's Comedy Chart, as did his subsequent comedy albums. Bill has written several books, including his 2007 autobiography *Bill Engvall—Just A Guy*.

Tickets are \$39-\$59 and can be purchased at **Ticketmaster.com** and Five Flags Center box office, at Ticketmaster Outlets or charge by phone at **800-745-3000**. Five Flags Center Box office hours are Monday through Friday, 10 a.m.–5 p.m. For more information, visit **FiveFlagsCenter.com**. ■



#### THE BLUZMEN SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 17 7 PM @ OHNWARD FINE ARTS CENTER (1215 E PLATT ST, MAQUOKETA, IA)

When The Bluzmen explode on stage as with their tribute to The Blues Brothers, it's like a non-stop freight train! The Bluzmen are slated to perform at Ohnward Fine Arts Center on Saturday, Feb. 17 at 7 p.m.

Eric Martin and Carmen Romano have been performing together as "The Blues Brothers" for over 20 years. For 10 years, they were a staple in the award winning show "Legends in Concert" in Las Vegas. To this day they are still considered to be one of the most popular acts to have ever graced the highly successful show.

Tickets are \$22 in advance or \$25 at the door for adults and \$13 in advance or \$15 at the door for students. Tickets can be purchased at The Ohnward Fine Arts Center at **563-652-9815** (Monday through Friday, 9 a.m.-1 p.m.), Osterhaus Pharmacy and the Maquoketa State Bank Main Office; Anderson Pharmacy in Preston; the Bellevue Pharmacy in Bellevue; and online at **OhnwardFineArtsCenter.com**.

## LIVE AT HERITAGE CENTER PERFORMING ARTS SERIES **ONDEKOZA**

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 17 7:30 PM @ UNIVERSITY OF DUBUQUE HERITAGE CENTER JOHN AND ALICE BUTLER HALL (2255 BENNETT ST) University of Dubuque's Heritage Center continues its fifth annual Live at Heritage Center Performing Arts Series with Ondekoza, direct from Japan, on Saturday, Feb. 17, at 7:30 p.m. in John and Alice Butler Hall. In collaboration with Dubuque Arts Council and as part of Arts Midwest World Fest, this five-member ensemble features the delicate and soulful sounds of the shakuhachi and the sheer power of the taiko drums.

Ondekoza has captivated audiences across the globe since 1969. At the foundation of Ondekoza's style is a unique combination of physical fitness, running, and drumming—a philosophy called sogakuron in which "running and drumming are one, and a reflection of the drama and energy of life." They demonstrated this principle in 1975 in Boston where, after completing the Boston Marathon, Ondekoza immediately ran on stage and performed a full concert. Ondekoza members live together in Japan, running and drumming at the base of Mt. Fuji.

Prior to the concert, members of Ondekoza will deliver a free pre-show lecture from 6:30 p.m. to 7 p.m. in Babka Theatre.

Tickets are \$15-\$20 for adults, \$11-\$15 for UD alumni/military, and \$10 for children and students. Tickets can be purchased Monday through Friday from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the Heritage Center Farber Box Office; by phone at **563-585-SHOW**; or online at **DBQ.edu/heritagecenter**. ■



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#### **THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 8**

#### **Night in N'awlins**

#### 6-9 PM @ NATIONAL MISSISSIPPI RIVER MUSEUM & AQUARIUM

Shake off the winter blues and step into Cajun Country. Tickets include wine tastings from local wineries, New Orleans-inspired treats, Bourbon Street photo booth, Mardi Gras mask and beads, a complimentary Hurricane drink, and live music from The Lonely Goats. A cash bar and 20% discounts throughout the Museum Store. 21+. \$8 Museum members; \$10 nonmembers. **563-557-9545. RiverMuseum.com**.

#### Inspiring People Series: I Am A Dubuquer

7-9 PM @ INSPIRE CAFÉ These monthly presentations are offered as informal and intimate exchanges for the openhearted and curious. Inclusive Dubuque's "I'm a Dubuquer" campaign invites five speakers to share their stories and what it means to be a Dubuquer to them. Free. 955 Washington St. 563-583-8338. inspire-cafe.com.

#### FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 9

#### Galena Mardi Gras Pub Crawl

6 PM @ DOWNTOWN GALENA, IL Galena kicks off Mardi Gras weekend with the Galena Mardi Gras Pub Crawl, hosted by Miss Kitty from the Grape Escape on Friday, Feb. 9 at 6 p.m. Pub crawlers will gather at the Green Street Tavern in the DeSoto House Hotel at 6 p.m. and work their way up Galena's Main Street, finally ending up at The Grape Escape with live music by The Lonely Goats. Mardi Gras beads, drink specials, and a chance at prizes are all part of the fun. Pub Crawl participants can register to join the crawl and win prizes at 6 p.m. at the Green Street Tavern or during the day at the Grape Escape. **wine@GrapeEscapeGalena.com**.

#### Daddy/Daughter Valentine's Dance

6-8 PM @ DUBUQUE COMMUNITY Y Girls ages 4 to 11 can bring Dad, Step-Dad, Grandpa or Uncle to this exciting party! The party includes dinner, dessert, photobooth, DJ, and dancing. \$25 per couple (\$20 members) in advance; \$30 per couple at door; \$5 each additional daughter. 35 N Booth St. 563-556-3371. DubuqueY.org.



7 PM @ FIVE FLAGS CENTER American country singer and songwriter, Lee Brice is a craftsman, the kind whose boundless desire to hone his skills and relentless pursuit of perfection are matched only by his humility about the entire process. \$35–\$65. 405 Main St. **800-745-3000. FiveFlagsCenter.com**.

#### SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 10

#### **Ice Golf Classic**

8 AM @ MID-TOWN MARINA (EAST DUBUQUE, IL)

St. Mark Youth Enrichment will again be hosting the Annual Ice Golf Classic. Registration is now open for the event. Shotgun start at 10 a.m. Team check in at 8 a.m. Awards for best sled and best dressed team and an overall themed costume and sled combo. Golf an 18 hole course constructed from snow, ice and old Christmas trees. 50/50 and raffle drawing. All proceeds from the event will go to benefit children and family programs at St. Mark Youth Enrichment. Space limited, register ASAP. 285 5<sup>th</sup> St, East Dubuque, IL. **563-582-6211 x102**. **StMarkYouthEnrichment.org**.

#### **RSTC School of Rock Auditions**

**1-4 PM @ WASHINGTON MIDDLE SCHOOL** Feb. 10 and 11. Open to students currently in 6<sup>th</sup> grade to those 18 years of age. Based on the hit movie and featuring new music by Andrew Lloyd Webber, *School of Rock*, with its sensational live kids' rock band, is a loving testimony to the transforming power of music. **563-213-0110**. **RisingStarTheatreCompany.com**.



Millwork Marketplace Mardi Gras 5-11 PM @ MILLWORK MARKETPLACE The Millwork Marketplace Mardi Gras party will feature hurricanes, beer specials, beignet, jambalaya, and live music all evening long. Music begins at 5 p.m. with MamaBird and continues with Zydeco dance band Derty Rice at 7 p.m. 333 E 10<sup>th</sup> St. **563-581-6823**.



Dubuque Fighting Saints 7:05 PM @ MYSTIQUE ICE CENTER Feb. 10, 16, 23 and 24. The Saints take on the Central Illinois Flying Aces on Feb. 10, and it's Olympics Night. Then they battle the Madison Capitols on Feb. 16, and it's College Night. On Feb. 23 and 24, they go head-to-head with the Sioux Falls Stampede. Celebrate Red Out for Women Night on Feb. 23 and Mascot Mania on Feb. 24. 1800 Admiral Sheehy Dr. 563-583-6880. DubuqueFightingSaints.com.



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### 2018 JDIFF GALA SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 24

#### 6 PM @ DIAMOND JO CASINO HARBOR ROOM (301 BELL ST)

The Julien Dubuque International Film Festival is creating another Simply MAR-VELous evening for gala guests this year! JDIFF'S second annual gala event will take place at The Harbor Room of the Diamond Jo Casino on Saturday, Feb. 24. The festivities begin promptly at 6 p.m. with a silent auction and open bar, compliments of Peckosh Pediatric Dentistry.

Enjoy a plated dinner along with sneak previews of festival film selections, auctions, live themed music, and more with emcees Lisa and Johnny from Radio Dubuque. Take a walk on the red carpet with Digital Dubuque and pose with super hero accessories. Auction items include a Northern Ireland golfing adventure, exclusive items from George Lucas' Skywalker Ranch, and custom Captain Marvel Nike trainers signed by the Captain herself—2017 Oscar winner Brie Larson!

Individual tickets are \$100 and can be purchased at JulienFilmFest.com. Tables for 10 are \$900 and can be reserved by emailing JDIFFGala2018@gmail.com. Seating is limited, so reserve your spot today! For more information, visit JulienFilmFest.com.

### LIVE AT HERITAGE FAMILY SERIES GUESS HOW MUCH I LOVE YOU & I LOVE MY LITTLE STORYBOOK SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 25

#### 2 PM @ UNIVERSITY OF DUBUQUE HERITAGE CENTER JOHN AND ALICE BUTLER HALL (2255 BENNETT ST)

University of Dubuque Heritage Center continues its fifth anniversary Live at Heritage Family Series with *Guess How Much I Love You & I Love My Little Storybook*, performed by Mermaid Theatre of Nova Scotia, on Sunday, Feb. 25, at 2 p.m. at University of Dubuque Heritage Center. You can meet performers and puppets in the lobby immediately following the show.

In Guess How Much I Love You, Little Nutbrown Hare loves Big Nutbrown Hare as far as he can reach and as high as he can hop. But Big Nutbrown Hare loves Little Nutbrown Hare as far as his long arms can reach and as high as his strong legs can hop. And so it continues with this adaptation of the award-winning classic from author Sam McBratney and illustrator Anita Jeram.

In *I Love My Little Storybook*, an eager little bunny lies on the grass and opens

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his book, and, within moments, the story he's reading comes alive in fascinating detail. Internationally acclaimed Mermaid Theatre of Nova Scotia has adapted this story into an enduring celebration of the joy of reading.

Established in 1972, Mermaid Theatre is known for unique stage adaptations of children's literary classics and has been applauded by six million youth in 19 countries on four continents.

Tickets are \$15 for adults, \$13 for military and UD alumni, \$9 for children and student, and \$4 lap seats for children 3 and under (lap seat available with purchase of an adult ticket). Tickets can be purchased Monday through Friday from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the Heritage Center Farber Box Office; by phone at **563-585-SHOW**; or online at **DBQ.edu/heritagecenter.** 

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## GLOBAL PERSPECTIVES LEADERSHIP AWARD

DEADLINE: THURSDAY, MARCH 1 @ 5 PM

The Thomas Determan Global Perspectives Leadership Award was established in 2013 to recognize outstanding high school seniors who have demonstrated behaviors focused on "thinking globally and acting locally."

Scholarships are available to graduating high school seniors from the East Dubuque, Dubuque, Wahlert Catholic, Beckman Catholic, Galena, Southwest Wisconsin, Cascade, and Western Dubuque districts and home-schooled within these districts. Any student planning to attend community college, trade or technical school, four-year college or university, or school focused on the creative arts is eligible. The top award for scholarship grants for the 2017–2018 academic year will be \$1000. At least three scholarships will be awarded. The award is for one year only. Details and information about the online application can be found at **TDGlobal.org**.

Thomas Determan devoted his career as a teacher in the Dubuque public schools to educating sociallyconscious and curious future leaders who approach their lives from a global perspective. Determan said that this scholarship is for "...people who see themselves as visionaries, pioneers, and paradigm shifters." Although Determan passed away in 2014, his words and actions continue to inspire students and teachers to learn about the world around them.

Applications must be completed no later than 5 p.m. on Thursday, March 1. For more information, visit **TDGlobal.org**.

#### SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 11

#### Dubuque Flea Market & Antique Show 8 AM-3 PM @ DBQ CO FAIRGROUNDS

Feb. 11, April 8 and Oct.7. This event has been a mainstay for more than 50 years! It takes place three times a year on Sundays at the Dubuque County Fairgrounds. Featuring vendors with an array of some of the most unusual items. From antiques, arts and crafts, as well as new and used merchandise, this market is sure to offer a unique shopping experience. Vendor spaces still available, 8 ft space with table provided for \$17. \$1 Adults; free for children 11 and under. 14569 Old Highway Rd. **815-747-7745**. **facebook.com/dubuquefleamarket**.



#### Evolution Weekend Lecture: Robert J. Richards "Darwin's Biology of Intelligent Design"

1 PM @ CLARKE JANSEN MUSIC HALL Robert J. Richards from the University of Chicago will speak on the movement of Intelligent Design. Intelligent Design adherents argue that organisms give evidence of design, and this indicates the operations of a causal agent capable of producing intelligently designed creatures. This also suggests that human beings have a special place in the scheme of life. Charles Darwin also thought human beings had a special place in the hierarchy of organisms and argued for a biology of intelligent design. In the lecture, Richards will address the question, "What does Darwin's accomplishment mean for our contemporary attitudes about morality and the role of God in a neo-Darwinian world?" Free. Clarke.edu.

#### **Colt Cadets Open House & Rehearsal**

1-5 PM @ JEFFERSON MIDDLE SCHOOL Feb. 11 and 25. The Colt Cadets Drum and Bugle Corps no cost, open rehearsal includes an informational meeting for students and parents, followed by clinics in brass, percussion, and color guard (dance). There is absolutely no obligation to join Colt Cadets by attending. These rehearsal clinics are set up as a way for students to check out the group in a casual environment and see if they enjoy the drum corps activity. Open to middle and high school students. No experience necessary. All equipment provided. Free. 1105 Althauser St. **563-582-4872. Colts.org**.

#### Valentine's Murder Mystery Dinner, "Marriage is Murder"

5 PM @ STONE CLIFF WINERY Because nothing says, "I LOVE YOU," like a KILLER night out on the town with the ones you enjoy most in the world! Join the BREW HA HA PLAYERS for a little Valentine's Day-themed Murder Mystery, "Marriage is Murder". The evening includes a four course Mediterranean chicken dinner, wine or beverage of your choice, and the theater. Allow about two hours for dinner, from 5–7 p.m. Vegetarian and gluten-free options available. Gluten-free options are made in a kitchen that uses gluten. An Irish-themed Murder Mystery follows on March 11. \$49.95. **StoneCliffWinery.com**.

#### **MONDAY, FEBRUARY 12**



"Guess How Much I Love You" Storytime VARIOUS DBQ CO. LIBRARY LOCATIONS Feb. 12 at 6 p.m. at Holy Cross, Feb. 13 at 5:45 p.m. at Farley, Feb. 14 at 11 a.m. at Asbury, Feb. 15 at 10:30 a.m. at Epworth, and Feb. 16 at 10 a.m. at Peosta. In conjunction with UD Heritage Center's Family Series, join the Dubuque County Library for this Valentine's-themed Storytime. Read *Guess How Much I Love You* and participate in activities with a light snack. All children will receive a copy of *Guess How Much I Love You* and a child's voucher to the Center's performance (good with purchase of an adult ticket). Age preschool-kindergarten.

#### **TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 13**

## Explore Improvisation Workshop 5:30-7:30 PM

@ CARNEGIE-STOUT PUBLIC LIBRARY Learn about improvisation, improve you communication skills, meet new friends, and have fun! Receive \$5 off if you refer a friend or sign up by Feb. 11. RSVP by Feb. 12 at noon. \$30. kkobliska6@gmail.com.

#### WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 14



Museum & Aquarium Valentine's Day Candlelight Dinner

6-9 PM @ NATIONAL MISSISSIPPI RIVER MUSEUM & AQUARIUM The National Mississippi River Museum & Aquarium hosts its seventh annual Valentine's Day Candlelight Dinner among the aquariums and exhibits in the Mississippi River Center. Staff-supervised programming is provided for children across campus at the National River Center. The children's program is \$5 per child for members and \$10 per child for non-members. Children must be potty-trained to attend. Seating is limited, and reservations are required for this five-course dinner. \$55/person. 350 E 3<sup>rd</sup> St. **563-557-9545 x201. RiverMuseum.com**.



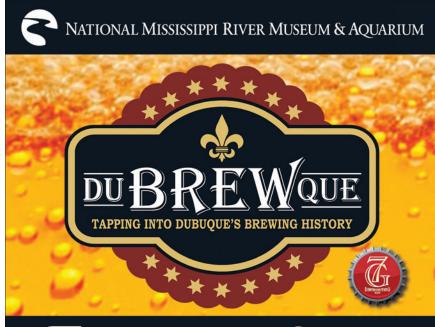
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# February 7 - April 22

Dubuque has always been a city full of true beer lovers. Its early settlers brought strong brewing traditions with them to the Key City and those traditions live on today. The DuBREWqueexhibit will immerse visitors in Dubuque's rich brewing history through a host of interactive experiences. Free with general admission.

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# Hoppy Hours

**5-8 p.m. February 15, March 15, April 19** Tasting events featuring 7 Hills Brewery. 10/person, includes admission to the DuBREWque exhibit, beer tasting, commemorative DuBREWque pint glass, games, snacks, and more. Cash bar available.





### LIVE AT HERITAGE CENTER PERFORMING ARTS SERIES THE SECOND CITY: LOOK BOTH WAYS BEFORE TALKING! TUESDAY. MARCH 6

7:30 PM @ UNIVERSITY OF DUBUQUE HERITAGE CENTER JOHN AND ALICE BUTLER HALL (2255 BENNETT ST)

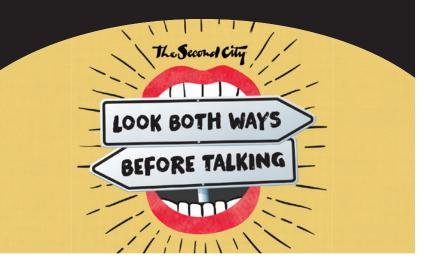
The legendary Chicago-based sketch and improve comedy group The Second City will perform as part of University of Dubuque's fifth anniversary Live at Heritage Center Performing Arts Series on Tuesday, March 6, at 7:30 p.m. in John and Alice Butler Hall. The Second City's Look Both Ways Before Talking performance replaces the formerly scheduled PUPPET UP! – UNCENSORED by Henson Alternative. Organizers of PUPPET UP! canceled their tour of the upper Midwest region.

The Second City's Look Both Ways Before Talking dives into touchy subjects that you've thought about but are too afraid to say out loud. Edgy, thought-provoking, and spectacularly funny, The Second City is celebrating nearly six decades of producing cuttingedge satirical revues and launching the careers of generation after generation of comedy's best and brightest such as Tina Fey, Stephen Colbert, Steve Carell, Gilda Radner, Bill Murray, Chris Farley, Dan Aykroyd, Mike Myers, and Amy Poehler.

Come witness the trademark improvisation and see where it all began during this special onenight only engagement. This show contains PG-13 content suitable for mature audiences only.

A free preshow CyberCafé Knapp Stage concert from 6 to 7 p.m. featuring singer/songwriter Ace Jones, of Marion, Iowa, precedes the performance.

Tickets are \$28–33 for adults, \$24–28 for military and UD alumni, and \$15 for non UD students. Tickets can be purchased Monday through Friday from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the Heritage Center Farber Box Office; by phone at **563-585-SHOW**; or online at **DBQ.edu/heritagecenter.** 



#### THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 15



DuBREWque Hoppy Hour 5-8 PM @ NATIONAL MISSISSIPPI RIVER MUSEUM & AQUARIUM Feb. 15, March 15, and April 19. *DuBREWque: Tapping into Dubuque's Brewing History*, explores the city's rich history of beer making, dating back to the mid-19<sup>th</sup> century. The Museum & Aquarium is partnering with 7-Hills Brewery to host several "Hoppy Hour" events. Admission includes the *DuBREWque* exhibit, beer tasting with 7-Hills Brewery, and a commemorative DuBREWque pint glass. Cash bar available. 21+. \$10. 350 E 3<sup>rd</sup> St. 563-557-9545. RiverMuseum.com.v



Get S—A Dubuque Symphony Social Event 6-7:30 PM @ MONK'S KAFFEE PUB Get to know the DSO! Meet Concertmaster Eleanor Bartscho and Principal Clarinetist Corey Mackey as they share what they love about music and offer a sneak peek of their Feb. 24 and 25 concerts. Join them for complimentary appetizers and great conversation. Free. 373 Bluff St.

#### Slightly Creep Book Club: The Terror

7 PM @ RIVER LIGHTS BOOKSTORE The Slightly Creepy Book Club will discuss The Terror by Dan Simmons. 1098 Main St. 563-556-4391. RiverLights.com.

#### FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 16

#### Winter Carnival

EAGLE RIDGE RESORT & SPA (GALENA, IL) Feb. 16–18. Have "snow" much fun with the whole family. Enjoy a cozy bonfire while watching the Hot Air Balloon Glow, play snow games, watch ice carving and more. 444 Eagle Ridge Dr, Galena, IL. 815-777-5000. EagleRidge.com.

#### SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 17

Dubuque County Library Mardi Gras 10 AM-NOON @ DBQ CO LIBRARY FARLEY/ DREXLER BRANCH (FARLEY, IA) Featuring food, music, masks, and dancing because, hey...it's Mardi Gras time! Costumes are encouraged, but not required. Register in advance. dubcolib.lib.ia.us.

#### W.E.B. Du Bois and the Study of Race

**1 PM @ CARNEGIE-STOUT PUBLIC LIBRARY** Learn about African American intellectual W.E.B. Du Bois and his contributions to the field of Sociology. Rachel Daack, Ph.D. will analyze Du Bois' article "The Study of the Negro Problems," and discuss its relevance to the present. An emphasis will be placed on Du Bois' lasting impact as a major contributor to social justice as well as the various academic disciplines he pursued. Discussion following the presentation. Dr. Rachel Daack is a professor of Sociology at Clarke University. She holds a Doctor of Philosophy in Interdisciplinary Studies. Free. **563-589-4225. dubugue.lib.ia.us**.

#### SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 18



The Good Life Redefined: How buying choices can affect climate workshop 2-4 PM @ SISTERS OF THE PRESENTATION The Dubuque Chapter of Iowa Interfaith Power & Light offers The Good Life Redefined Workshop. Sarah Paulos, Iowa IPL Program and Outreach Coordinator, who will lead the workshop, says how we choose to spend our time and money can make a big difference not only for our personal happiness but for the well-being of the planet. Learn how our "stuff" affects the planet and find meaningful ways to create a more joyful life that also improves our relationships with each other and the earth. Receive tips, resources, and a handy wallet buddy for climate friendly choices. Refreshments provided. Free. RSVP by Feb. 15. 2360 Carter Rd. iowaipl.org.

#### **TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 20**

#### **El Kahir Shrine Circus**

4:30 & 7:30 PM @ FIVE FLAGS CENTER Produced by Carden International Circus, the 2018 El Kahir Shrine Circus is a throwback to the glory of the traditional big top spectacular filled with amazing animals, clowns, acrobatic performers and more. Bring the kids for an evening they'll remember forever. Come one hour before show times and ride the exotic animals and meet the circus stars. Proceeds benefit the Kahir Shriners. Adults \$19; children 12 and under \$15. 800-745-3000. FiveFlagsCenter.com.

#### Campaign for DBQ Municipal Internet Public Forum

6-7:30 PM @ CARNEGIE-STOUT PUBLIC LIBRARY A panel of experts have decades of experience researching and implementing municipal broadband in Iowa, including Cedar Falls and Bellevue. Most importantly, they want to hear from you. The Campaign for DBQ Municipal Internet Public Forum hopes to bring fast, reliable, and democratically-controlled internet to Dubuque. **DubuqueMunicipalInternet.org**.



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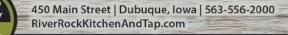
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### **AN EVENING WITH JUDY COLLINS** SPECIAL FUNDRAISING EVENT FOR THE GRAND OPERA HOUSE

#### SATURDAY, MARCH 24

#### 7:30 PM @ GRAND OPERA HOUSE (135 W 8<sup>TH</sup>ST)

Join the Grand Opera House for An Evening With Judy Collins on Saturday, March 24 at 7:30 p.m. Judy Collins has inspired audiences with sublime vocals, boldly vulnerable songwriting, personal life triumphs, and a firm commitment to social activism. In the 1960s, she evoked both the idealism and steely determination of a generation united against social and environmental injustices. Now, her luminescent presence shines brightly as new generations bask in the glow of her iconic 50-album body of work and heed inspiration from her spiritual discipline to thrive in the music industry for half a century.

The award-winning singer-songwriter is esteemed for her imaginative interpretations of traditional and contemporary folk standards and her own poetically poignant original compositions. Her stunning rendition of Joni Mitchell's "Both Sides Now" from her landmark 1967 album, *Wildflowers*, has been entered into the Grammy Hall of Fame. A Grand Gala pass includes VIP

A Grand Gala pass includes VIP seating in the first five rows as well as a pre- and post-show reception. Concert only tickets are also available. VIP tickets are \$125, main floor is \$49, and balcony is \$39. Tickets can be purchased in person at the Box Office (Monday through Friday from noon until 4 p.m.) or by calling **563-588-1305**. Tickets can also be purchased at **TheGrandOperaHouse.com**.

## LORAS COLLEGE ALL-SPORTS CAMP



2018 Loras All-Sports Camp Dates Registration opens February 6th. Session 1: June 17-22 Session 2: June 24-29 Session 3: July 8-13 Session 4: July 15-20 The Loras All-Sports Camp provides children ages 7-14 with an opportunity to have a fun, exciting camp experience where they can explore a wide range of sports taking place in an atmosphere that stresses Christian values, sportsmanship and citizenship.

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#### THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 22

#### **Burger Night for Hempstead Spain Trip** 5-8 PM @ DUBUQUE EAGLES

Enjoy hamburgers, cheeseburgers and chicken strips with fries or onion rings. There is also a bake sale and a 50/50 drawing. Bring your family and support Hempstead students' trip to Spain in June of this year. \$8. 1175 Century Dr.

#### Winter Wineland

**5:30 PM @ STONE CLIFF WINERY** Enjoy an evening of wine, food, and entertainment at the 4<sup>th</sup> Annual Winter Wineland event. This social fundraising event supports the Dubuque Community YMCA/YWCA's

#### ONGOING

Theisen's Wags at the Flags NOW THROUGH MARCH 7 4:30-8 PM @ FIVE FLAGS ARENA Wags at the Flags is an indoor dog park as well as a Barka Lounge with food, drinks and adult refreshments. Four vendors are featured at every event. \$3 per dog. 405 Main St. 563-589-4375. FiveFlagsCenter.com.

#### **Fabulous Fridays**

FRIDAYS: NOW THROUGH MARCH 23 12:05-12:35 PM @ ST. LUKE'S UMC Area musicians and performers are featured in this 27<sup>th</sup> annual series. More than 200 artists have performed for these informal downtown concerts during the series' history. Bring your lunch and enjoy time together after the concert in the church Fellowship Hall, where coffee and desserts are available. Metered street parking is available. Accessible entry is in back of of church. Free. **StLukesUMCdbq.org**.

#### Winter Farmers' Market

SATURDAYS NOW THROUGH APRIL 28 9 AM-NOON @ FORMER COLTS CENTER More than 20 regional vendors will be offering seasonal produce, eggs, meats, cheeses, baked goods, and more. Dubuque Winter Farmers' Market also features hot breakfast options. Free parking is available in the parking lot on Central Avenue at 11<sup>th</sup> St. 1101 Central Ave. **WinterMarketDBQ.com**.

youth, families, and programs. Entertainment by Ralph Kluseman. Silent auction.

\$40. 563-556-3371. DubuqueY.org.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 24

Pokémon GO Community Day

1-4 PM @ DOWNTOWN DUBUQUE

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#### **Family Game Night**

FIRST WEDNESDAY OF EVERY MONTH 6-8 PM @ KENNEDY MALL Check out a board game from customer service. Free.

Salsa Dance Night—Baile Conmigo LAST WEDNESDAY OF EVERY MONTH 6 PM @ THE SMOKESTACK Salsa dance lesson with Katie Koerperich. Bring a partner or come solo, all are welcome.

Free. 62 E 7<sup>th</sup> St. **SmokestackDBQ.com**.

#### SUBMIT YOUR EVENTS!

DO YOU HAVE A TRI-STATE EVENT THAT YOU'D LIKE TO SHARE WITH OUR READERS? LET US KNOW WHAT'S GOING ON BY SENDING US YOUR INFORMATION! EMAIL: **INFO@DUBUQUE365.COM** 

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## **COMING TO THEATERS**

#### Fifty Shades Freed (R) FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 9

Believing they have left behind shadowy figures from their past, newlyweds Christian and Ana fully embrace an inextricable connection and shared life of luxury. But just as she steps into her role as Mrs. Grey and he relaxes into an unfamiliar stability, new threats could jeopardize their happy ending before it even begins.

#### 15:17 to Paris (PG-13) FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 9

In the early evening of Aug. 21, 2015, the world watched in stunned silence as the media reported a thwarted terrorist attack on Thalys train #9364 bound for Paris, an attempt prevented by three courageous young Americans traveling through Europe. The film stars the actual men who saved the day.

#### Peter Rabbit (PG)

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 9 The mischievous and adventurous hero who has captivated generations of readers, now takes on the starring role of his own irreverent, contemporary comedy with attitude. In the film, Peter's feud with Mr. McGregor escalates to greater heights than ever before as they rival for the affections of the warm-hearted animal lover who lives next door.

#### Black Panther (PG-13)

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 16 After the events of *Captain America: Civil War*, T'Challa returns home to the isolated, technologically advanced African nation of Wakanda to take his place as King when he is drawn into a conflict that puts the entire fate of Wakanda and the world at risk.

#### Early Man (PG)

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 16 From the makers of *Wallace & Gromit*. Set at the dawn of time, when dinosaurs and woolly mammoths roamed the earth, *Early Man* tells the story of how one brave caveman unites his tribe against a mighty enemy and saves the day!



## **MOVIE BUZZ**

There's already a petition out there to make Dundee: The Son of A Legend Returns Home a reality, based on the Tourism Australia Super Bowl ad with Margot Robbie, Chris Hemsworth, Hugh Jackman, Danny McBride and Paul Hogan, the original Crocodile Dundee. It had been teased for a few weeks as a fake sequel, leading up to the big game ad. Chris Hemsworth mentioned how he's found the response to be "incredible," so he'd be willing to participate in a legitimate Dundee movie if approached. The videos leading up to the ad also featured cameos from Hugh Jackman, Margot Robbie, Russell Crowe, Ruby Rose, Isla Fisher and Liam Hemsworth, among others.

It looks like the *Star Wars* franchise has just taken yet another significant step forward by pulling talent from Westeros. *Game of Thrones* creators David Benioff and D.B. Weiss have been tapped for a brand new set of *Star Wars* films exploring new corners of the galaxy. They will get to work on the new *Star Wars* films as soon as *Game of Thrones* finishes its final season.

In unsurprising news, Jumanii: Welcome To The Jungle officially has a sequel in the works. The Jake Kasdan-directed quasi-reboot was released in December of last year and has been on a roll ever since, scoring five first place finishes and grossing \$857 million worldwide on about a \$100 million budget. Now Sony Pictures has set the last two writers. Scott Rosenberg and Jeff Pinkner, to pen the sequel. Hoping to recreate the magic and the unexpected success of Jumanji, the sequel film will reunite stars Dwayne Johnson, Kevin Hart, Karen Gillan and Jack Black. The reboot/sequel has also proven to be the most successful, non-Fast & Furious film for Dwayne Johnson.



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## **UPCOMING EXHIBITS**

#### **DUBUQUE HIGH SCHOOL** JURIED ART SHOW

#### **SHOW: NOW THROUGH FEBRUARY 13 RECEPTION: TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 13** @ 6-7:30 PM UNIVERSITY OF DUBUQUE HERITAGE **CENTER BISIGNANO ART GALLERY**

## (2255 BENNETT ST)

Always a popular community exhibit at the Bisignano, this unique show is juried by the students' art teachers themselves: Dubuque Senior High School, Hempstead High School and Wahlert High School. What is always so surprising is that the works in this show by these young artists are, in fact, so surprising.



The reception will take place in conjunction with Amazing Grace: A New Broadway Musical at John and Alice Butler Hall.

#### SPACE AND SPIRIT BY GAIL CHAVENELLE SHOW: NOW THROUGH APRIL 2 **RECEPTION: FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 9 @ 4-7 PM** SINSINAWA ART GALLERY (585 COUNTY RD Z, SINSINAWA, WI)

Space and Spirit features artworks in metal by Dubuque artist Gail Chavenelle. She bends and folds a single sheet of steel to form threedimensional images as she cuts the metal with either a plasma torch or a pair of tin snips. Finishes include stainless steel; rusted steel; and a variety

powder-coated finishes. For more contact Sister

Priscilla Wood, OP, at 608-748-4411 or visit sinsinawa.org/moundcenter.

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#### WOMEN OF THE AMERICAS ARTWORK BY JANET CHECKER SHOW: FEBRUARY 9-APRIL 8

#### **RECEPTION: FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 9 @ 5-7 PM** GALENA CENTER FOR THE ARTS (219 SUMMIT ST, GALENA, IL)

Women of the Americas is a series of 17 paintings Janet Checker has been working on for the last three years. The paintings are depictions of indigenous women from both North and South America in native dress and place in society.

The opening will also feature new work by many artists in the Regional



the Feature Gallery. For more information, call 779-214-0261 or go to GalenaCenterForTheArts.com. info@GalenacenterfortheArts.com.

#### **EXPERIENCING JTERM: SNAPS OF JTERM 2018** FEBRUARY 15-FEBRUARY 23 UNIVERSITY OF DUBUQUE HERITAGE **CENTER BISIGNANO ART GALLERY** (2255 BENNETT ST)

For seven years, JTerm has been part of the University of Dubuque academic curriculum. For three weeks in January, students study "experientially" and often the courses on offer are a bit out of the ordinary, as in "Cooking with Coaches," "A Tale of Two Cities:



London and Paris," "Literary NYC," "New Orleans Jazz History," and "Science of Star Trek." These photos are by students of students in this rather unique educational experiential time.

## **FEAR & MISERY IN** THE THIRD REICH FEBRUARY 9 AND 10 @ 7:30 PM

FIVE FLAGS BIJOU ROOM (405 MAIN ST) Fly-By-Night Productions' presentation of Fear & Misery in the Third Reich takes

a look at German life, 1933-38, before the horrors of The Third Reich were fully realized. Catch Fear & Misery in the Third Reich in its final week on Feb. 9 and 10 at 7:30 p.m. at the Five Flags Bijou Room.

This is a montage of scenes focusing on the ordinary German populace, living in chaos, fear, uncertainty and how to survive under an ever growing fascist regime. And in Brechtian style, at times surprisingly and absurdly amusing.

Join the cast and director, Doug Mackie, for a talk back following the Feb. 9 performance.

Tickets are \$20 and can be purchased at Ticketmaster.com and Five Flags Center box office, at Ticketmaster Outlets, charge by phone at 800-745-3000,



or at the door 1 hour before showtime (cash only). For more information, visit FlyByNightDubuque.com or call 563-582-6572.



## YOU'RE NEVER TOO OLD FEBRUARY 9-10, 14-17, AND 21-24 @ 7:30 PM

FEBRUARY 11, 18, AND 25 @ 2 PM **BELL TOWER THEATER (2728 ASBURY RD)** 

The area premiere of the comedy You're Never Too Old by Carl Megill takes place at the Bell Tower Theater in Dubuque on Feb. 9-24.

Sixteen years ago, twin brothers Max and Barney had a terrible argument, and they haven't spoken to each other since. When Barney wins millions in the lottery, he decides to pay his estranged brother a visit, with his new, very young wife in tow. Not surprisingly, their sibling rivalry picks up right where it left off with hilarious results.

The cast features Bell Tower veterans Cindy Campton-Iwasaki, Chris Becker and Scott Schneider. They are joined by newcomer to the Bell Tower Theater Abby Ferguson. Directed by Sue Riedel.

Feb. 9 and 10 are the Early Bird Special performances with \$10.50 tickets. Tickets for all other performances are \$21. Thursdays are Girls' Night Out; all audience members get a free glass of wine. For information and to purchase tickets call 563-588-3377 or visit BellTowerTheater.net.

#### SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 10 NOON-4 PM @ WASHINGTON PARK (700 LOCUST ST)

In partnership with the Dubuque Museum of Art, the City of Dubuque Office of Arts and Cultural Affairs will sponsor Art in the Park Snow Sculpting Event, a snow sculpting competition and a community snow sculpting event on Saturday, Feb. 10, from noon to 4 p.m. at Washington Park. The public is invited to attend the free events which are being offered as part of the Dubuque Museum of Art's Second Saturdays event series.

The snow sculpting event will feature three teams including a Dubuque team that participated in last year's U.S. National Snow Sculpting Competition. Each team began carving their block of snow on Wednesday, and they have until noon on Saturday to complete their sculpture. Vote for a People's Choice Award, and the juried selection will be announced at the event at 3:45 p.m.

The community snow sculpting portion of the event offers the public an opportunity to sculpt as well, either as a team or individually. Community teams or individuals of any age interested in



creating snow sculptures of their own will have access to a limited number of designated blocks. Tools will be provided. Those interested in carving snow should wear clothing appropriate for the weather. Light refreshments will be available on museum grounds. In the event of inclement weather, contact the Dubuque Museum of Art at **563-557-1851** or call **563-580-2485**.

For additional information, visit cityofdubuque.org/artinthepark or dbqart.com or contact City of Dubuque Arts and Cultural Affairs Coordinator Debra Alleyne at 563-690-6059 or dalleyne@cityofdubuque.org.

### THE MAN WHO CAME TO DINNER FEBRUARY 23 AND 24 AND MARCH 2 AND 3 @ 7:30 PM

FEBRUARY 25 AND MARCH 4 @ 2 PM GRAND OPERA HOUSE (135 W 8<sup>TH</sup>ST) Get your tickets now to see *The Man Who Came to Dinner* at the Grand Opera House on Feb. 23–25 and March 2–4.

EXTRA! EXTRA! "Portly Sheridan Whiteside, critic, lecturer, wit, radio orator, intimate friend of the great and near great, last week found his celebrated wit no weapon with which to combat an injured hip. The Falstaffian Mr. Whiteside, trekking across the country on one of his annual lecture tours, met his Waterloo in the shape of a small piece of ice on the doorstep of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest W. Stanley, of Mesalia, Ohio. Result: Cancelled lectures and disappointment to thousands of adoring clubwomen in Omaha, Denver, and points West. Further result: The idol of the air waves rests until further notice in home of surprised Mr. and Mrs. Stanley."

Beloved radio personality and murder expert Sheridan Whiteside has fallen at the home of the Stanley's in Mesalia, Ohio. Having injured his hip, Mr. Whiteside is expected to make a full recovery but must remain at the Stanley's home for the duration of his



rehabilitation on doctor's orders. Mr. Whiteside's jet-setting lifestyle may be curbed for a short time, but you can be sure his friends from across the globe will keep his isolation in the Midwest winter freeze exciting.

Tickets are \$20 for adults and \$12 for children under 18 and can be purchased in person at the Box Office located at 135 W. 8<sup>th</sup> Street in Dubuque, or by calling **563-588-1305**. Box Office hours are Monday through Friday from Noon until 4 p.m. Tickets can also be purchased at **TheGrandOperaHouse.com**.

## DUBUQUE SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA PRESENTS A CONFESSION OF THE SOUL— SIBELIUS 2

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 24 @ 7:30 PM SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 25 @ 2 PM LECTURE: SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 25 @ 1 PM FIVE FLAGS CENTER (405 MAIN ST)

The Dubuque Symphony Orchestra (DSO) presents the third in its 2017-18 Classics Concert series: *A Confession of the Soul—Sibelius 2*. The concerts will be held at Five Flags Theater on Saturday, Feb. 24 at 7:30 p.m. and Sunday, Feb. 25 at 2 p.m. Intriligator will also present a free pre-concert lecture in the Five Flags Theater on Sunday, Feb. 25 at 1 p.m.

Peter Warlock's *Capriol Suite* continues the orchestra's season-long exploration of lively dance suites, this short collection of six tuneful court dances will open the concert, and may remind some of our regular concert-goers of the Grieg Holberg Suite performed in November.

Chicago-based violinist and DSO Concertmaster Eleanor Bartsch is featured in Mozart's *"Turkish"* 



Violin Concerto. This piece, composed when Mozart was only 19, captivates with its matchless elegance and delight in pure melody.

The concert culminates with Sibelius' *Second Symphony*, which brings mystery and majesty together in a sweeping, climactic musical expression.

Tickets are \$17-87 and can be purchased at **DubuqueSymphony.org**, Five Flags Center box office (**563-589-4258**) or through the Dubuque Symphony Orchestra app available as a free download in the App store and Google Play. Discounted \$7 student tickets will be available in the theater lobby one hour prior to each performance with student ID. For more information, visit **DubuqueSymphony.org.** 

CALL FOR ARTISTS **DUBUQUEFEST** SUBMISSION DEADLINE:

THURSDAY, MARCH 15 @ MIDNIGHT EVENT: MAY 18–20 WASHINGTON PARK AND TOWN CLOCK PLAZA

The 2018 DubuqueFest Art Fair applications are now open! Join the eclectic mix of artists who gather each May to exhibit and sell their work. The two day art fair features juried fine art and fine craft by 70 artists and artisans throughout the region. \$1000 in Artists Awards are given to first, second, and third place. The DubuqueFest Art Fair Judge is an independent agent from the Tri-State Area. Artists are honored at an artists appreciation reception on Saturday evening.

As Dubuque's reputation grows as a tourist destination for art and culture, the popularity of the Dubuque-Fest Fine Arts Festival grows with it, drawing lovers of art and history to the oldest festival in Iowa's first city.

For full submission details or more information, contact artfair@dubuquefest.org or visit DubuqueFest.org. FRAME SHOPPE

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#### THE NASHVILLE CELTS Celtic Roots of Great American Music A must-see Irish music and dance extravaganza!

SATURDAY, MARCH 3, 2018 - 7:30 P.M. John and Alice Butler Hall

Free live music on CyberCafé Knapp Stage, 6:00-7:00 p.m. featuring indie-pop duo, 7000apart.



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## **10<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL 365INK IMPACT AWARDS** NOMINATION DEADLINE: FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 9 @ 5 PM AWARDS CEREMONY: TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 27 @ 7 PM DIAMOND JO CASINO MISSISSIPPI MOON BAR (301 BELL ST)

The 365ink Impact Awards, sponsored by The Community Foundation of Greater Dubuque and Premier Bank, return for a landmark-worthy 10<sup>th</sup> big year to the Mississippi Moon Bar at the Diamond Jo Casino on Tuesday, Feb. 27 at 7 p.m. Doors open at 6 p.m. The event is FREE and everyone (21 and older) is welcome to attend.

Who wins is not a secret. After all, we want you to be able to come down and celebrate your friends when they take the stage. But picking the winners is always a painful process. Naturally, everyone who gets nominated is worthy of an award, but, alas, we have but 20 original fine art statues to give out, created for this year's event by potter Ken Bichell. So we have to hunker down and select great representatives for 20 different categories. Categories that we make up each year as they fit the nominees. Hey, it's our show, we make the rules!

But before we make some tough decisions about who deserves a little piece of the spotlight this year, we need to hear about those worthy of recognition for their impact on the Tri-States in 2017. That's where you come in. The mission at *365ink* is to help connect people to relationships, opportunities and the best possible living experiences in our community. And the 365ink Impact Awards are designed to honor those who choose to make the effort to impact the community in the spirit of our mission.

Do you know someone, an organization or a business who did something particularly special in 2017 and deserves a little credit for their efforts? Maybe someone who's been knocking it out of the park year in and year out and deserves a shout-out just for keeping the bar set high all of these years. Nominate them now for a 2018 365ink Impact Award. It doesn't matter the category. Think art and music. Think community pride and inclusion. Think great spaces and generous spirits. These are the people we want to know about. Just tell us who did what and why it was great. Email your nominations to **info@dubuque365.com**. Please include one descriptive paragraph about why the nominee is worthy. If they don't get nominated, they can't win, so get on it! Nominations are due by Friday, Feb. 9 at 5 p.m.

This year's Impact Awards will take place on Tuesday, Feb. 27 at 7 p.m. at the Mississippi Moon Bar inside the Diamond Jo Casino. The event is totally free to attend. You must be 21 to attend. There will be hors d'oeuvres and a cash bar with live music accenting the evening's awards. Mark your calendar to attend the event this year! It's a lot of fun, and you will discover amazing things you never knew about your community. I promise, if I learn new things at every Impact Awards event, you are sure to as well.

The 365ink Impact Awards are generously sponsored by Premier Bank and the Community Foundation of Greater Dubuque. With their generous support, *365ink* is able to honor these people right, with original, local artwork, created this year by potter Ken Bichell, doubling as an award. Impact Awards started with artist Gene Tully and have always been handmade by great local artists ever since.

And if you are one of those special people who make the extra effort to improve the community around you, thank you, thank you!

Send your nominations by Friday. Feb. 9 at 5 p.m. to **info@dubuque365.com**, and join us at the Mississippi Moon Bar to honor all of those who have made an impact in our community on Tuesday, Feb. 27 at 7 p.m.

## **PICTURE YOURSELF IN THE TRI-STATES!**



Handmade scarves were left around downtown Dubuque for those who may need them by staff and patrons of Carnegie-Stout Public Library. Photo by Jeff Lenhart.



Fred Scharff shows he's still got the rock and roll moves during his band G.H.S.'s gig at the Sandy Hook Tavern. Photo by Mark Dierker of Bear Dancer Studios.



Bostyx brought an amazingly precise tribute show to the Mississippi Moon Bar featuring the music of Boston and Styx, naturally! Photo by Bob Felderman.





ARK Advocates host an adaptive ski day at Sundown Mountain for adventurous types like Ally Darter. Photo by Jolene Darter.



Johnny Rogers brought his tribute to Buddy Holly to the Q Showroom at Q Casino. Photo by Bob Felderman.



St. Mark Youth Enrichment was one of scores of great local non-profits on display at the Mystique Ice Center for the Community Foundation of Greater Dubuque's Community Showcase event.



Traxx Monster Trucks brought 4 big shows to Five Flags Arena and gave fans a chance to get up close and personal with their rides. Photos by Brian Rapp and Josie Smith.



Majestic young eagles doing a little fishing in the Mississippi. Photo by Mark Dierker.



Chef Jonathan from the Diamond Jo Brings out part of a massive sandwich for halftime buffet during the big game at the Moon Bar.



Packed and ready to carve, these snow cubes already look like art prior to the Dubuque Museum of Art's coming event.



Molly and Jameson Norton greet the Dubuque Fighting Saints as they take the home ice in Dubuque.



## DUBUQUE ON ICE BREWFEST

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he 7<sup>th</sup> Annual Dubuque On Ice Brewfest will be held on Saturday, Feb. 17 at the Mystique Community Ice Center in Dubuque, IA. Following up on another highly successful Dubuque On Ice Brewfest in 2017, event organizers plan to take the festivities to even greater heights in 2018.

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With more than 30 breweries sampling over 100 craft beer selections, in addition to a variety of distilleries, wineries, craft coffee roasters and local food vendors planned to be in attendance, tickets are expected to sell out in record time. Live music will be provided by The Lonely Goats along with various other competitions, games, and activities.

Originally founded in 2011, the Dubuque On Ice Brewfest is a joint venture between the Potosi Foundation and the Mystique Community Ice Center, with proceeds going to support of the Dubuque Community Ice and Recreation Center and the National Brewery Museum in Potosi, WI.

"The Dubuque On Ice Brewfest is always one of our very favorite events each year," said Potosi Brewing Company's Brewmaster and Director of Brewery Operations Steve McCoy. "It's a great chance for us to invest in our local Dubuque market and to get our and meet the great folks drinking our beer and to take on their energy and their feedback." The Mystique Community Ice Center looks forward to hosting the event each year as well. "Our arena offers a unique space for a brewfest, with vendors set up on top of the covered ice in addition to the mezzanine level. We invite the community to come on down and enjoy a fun event in a great space," said Mystique Ice Arena General Manager Ron Breitbach. Doors open to General Admission (\$40) from 1 p.m.

to 4 p.m. and VIP (\$55) at noon. For tickets and more information, visit **DubuqueBrewfest.com**.

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## TRI-STATE LIVE MUSIC

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 8 JJ Schmitz Duo 5:30 PM @ Filament, Diamond Jo Casino

The Lonely Goats Night In N'awlins Mardi Gras Party 6 PM @ River Museum

John Moran 7 PM @ Riverboat Lounge

Lenny Wayne 7 PM @ Grape Escape

Garrett Hillary 7:30 PM @ The Cornerstone

Smokestack Jazz Night 7 PM @ The Smokestack

#### FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 9

Fabulous Fridays Series: Dr. Peter Szeibel 12:05 PM @ St. Luke's Methodist Church

Lee Brice 7 PM @ Five Flags

Jef Spradley 7 PM @ Stone Cliff

Becky McMahon 7 PM @ DBQ Driving Range



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Roy Schroedl 7 PM @ The Perfect Pint

Garrett Hillary 7:30 PM @ Taste Country Roadhouse

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

Michael Breitbach 7:30 PM @ The Cornerstone

Todd McDonough 8 PM @ Riverboat Lounge

Anthony Orio w/ Wheelhouse 8 PM @ Mississippi Moon Bar

Hard Salami 8 PM @ Q Casino

Brickyard Road 8 PM @ Spirits

The Wundos 8 PM @ Galena Brewing Co. The Lonely Goats

(Following Galena Mardi Gras Pub Crawl) 8:30 PM @ Grape Escape



Rock Steady 9 PM @ 7 Hills

> SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 10 Brown Bottle Bandits 1 PM @ Sundown Mountain

> Acoustic Jam 1 PM @ Council Hill Station

Andy Wilberding 2 PM @ The Cornerstone

Melanie Devaney 2 PM @ Grape Escape

Millwork Marketplace Mardi Gras: MamaBird @ 5 PM Derty Rice @ 7:30 PM @ Millwork Marketplace Event Center

Heartbeat Research for Kids Fundraiser 5 PM @ Airline Inn

Broken Strings 6 PM @ Sundown Mountain

Roy Schroedl 7 PM @ Stone Cliff

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

Xcelerate 7:30 PM @ The Cornerstone

Statue of Liberty 8 PM @ Riverboat Lounge

LoveMonkeys 8 PM @ Mississippi Moon Bar

Windbreakers 8 PM @ Q Casino



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The Nick Bell Band 8 PM @ The Blu Room, Breezer's Pub

Massey Road 8 PM @ Spirits

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Toxic Blonde 8 PM @ Northside Bar

Altered Five Flatted Fifth Blues & BBQ 8 PM @ Potter's Mill, Bellevue

Smiley Tillmon 8 PM @ Galena Brewing Co.

Mojo Busted 8:30 PM @ Grape Escape

Cranes/Vultures 9 PM @ 7 Hills

Juice & Tommy Gunzz 10 PM @ The Venue

Ugly Sunday 10 PM @ Sandy Hook Tavern

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 11 Open Mic w/ Scott Rische Noon @ Grape Escape

Massey Road 1 PM @ Sundown Mountain

Acoustic Jam 1 PM @ Council Hill Station

Julien's Bluff 2 PM @ DBQ Driving Range

Becky McMahon 3 PM @ Stone Cliff

Broken Strings 3 PM @ Northside Bar Marty Raymon 3 PM @ The Cornerstone

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Ethan Cox 3:30 PM @ New Diggings General Store

Sun Green 4 PM @ Hawg Dawgs

Three Dawgs Jazz Flatted Fifth Blues & BBQ 5 PM @ Potter's Mill, Bellevue

Freebo in Concert w/ Alice Howe & Kirsten Maxwell 7 PM @ The Smokestack

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 12 Comedy Open Mic 9 PM @ Monk's

FAT TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 13 Ken Killian Jazz Quartet Tunes on Tuesday 5:30 PM @ Parkway Grill

Derty Rice Mardi Gras Party 6 PM @ Jumpers

Trivia Night 7 PM @ Riverboat Lounge

Open Mic Night 8 PM @ 7 Hills

VALENTINE'S DAY WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 14 Gladdy's Open Mic Experience Valentine's Day Party

Valentine's Day Party 6:30 PM @ The Blu Room, Breezer's Pub

Marcus DeJesus 7 PM @ Riverboat Lounge

Scott Waterhouse 7 PM @ 7 Hills

Valentine's Jam w/ Jay Vonn & Steve Catron 7 PM @ The Cornerstone

Garrett Hillary 7:30 PM @ Chestnut Mountain

Forgetaboutit Italian Comedy 8 PM @ Mississippi Moon Bar

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 15 Meghan Davis 5:30 PM @ Filament, Diamond Jo Casino Comedian Bill Engvall 7:30 PM @ Five Flags

Duo Dodo 7:30 PM @ The Cornerstone

Steve McIntyre 7:30 PM @ Grape Escape

Smokestack Jazz Night 7 PM @ The Smokestack

Grassfed 10 PM @ The Lift

#### FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 16

Fabulous Fridays Series: Senior High School Jazz Band 12:05 PM @ St. Luke's Methodist Church

Dylan Doyle @ 7 & 10 PM w/ Sleepy Gaucho @ The Lift

Al Ronek 7 PM @ Stone Cliff

Blue Dogs 7 PM @ DBQ Driving Range

Campfire Kings 7 PM @ Sundown Mountain

Hearthfire Duo 7:30 PM @ Frank O'Dowd's Pub

Roy Schroedl 7:30 PM @ The Cornerstone

Scott Waterhouse 8 PM @ Riverboat Lounge

Steve Moris Unplugged w/ Bowman, Pick 8 PM @ Mississippi Moon Bar

Mixed Emotions 8 PM @ Q Casino

Becky McMahon 8 PM @ Spirits

Meghan Davis 8 PM @ Galena Brewing Co.

A Few Blind Mice 8:30 PM @ Grape Escape

Mississippi String Band 9 PM @ 7 Hills

#### NIGHTLIFE PRETZEL STICKS. MUST HAVE 7 HILLS PRETZEL STICKS.

#### **SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 17**

The Lonely Goats Dubuque On Ice Brewfest 1 PM @ Mystique Ice Arena

Acoustic Jam 1 PM @ Council Hill Station

Hot Mess 2 PM @ The Hangar, **Dubuque Airport** 

Terry MCauley 2 PM @ Sundown Mountain

Steve McIntyre 2 PM @ The Cornerstone

Reza: Edge of Illusion 4 & 8 PM @ Mississippi Moon Bar

John Moran 7 PM @ Stone Cliff

Buzz Berries 7 PM @ DBQ Driving Range

Ondekoza 7:30 PM @ UD Heritage Center

Hearthfire Duo 7:30 PM @ Frank O'Dowd's Pub

**Broom Street Drifters** 7:30 PM @ The Cornerstone

Statue of Liberty 8 PM @ Riverboat Lounge

SFO: Tribute to Journey, Kansas & Foreigner 8 PM @ Q Casino

Studebaker John & The Hawks 8 PM @ The Blu Room. Breezer's Pub

Jason Ray Brown 8 PM @ Spirits

Bobby Messano Flatted Fifth Blues & BBQ 8 PM @ Potter's Mill. Bellevue

5<sup>th</sup> Fret 8 PM @ Galena Brewing Co.

Spare the Pig 8:30 PM @ 7 Hills

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

Illusions Midwest Retro Rewind Drag Show 9 PM @ The Smokestack

Massey Road 9 PM @ Dog House Lounge

**Brown Bottle Bandits** 9 PM @ Shenanigans

Charles Walker Band, Malachi 10 PM @ The Lift

DJ Jevity, feat. Luis Eduardo 10 PM @ The Venue

The Family Business 10 PM @ Sandy Hook Tavern

**SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 18** Open Mic w/ Scott Rische Noon @ Grape Escape

Mississippi Band

1 PM @ Sundown Mountain Acoustic Jam 1 PM @ Council Hill Station

Andrew Houy 2 PM @ Galena Brewing Co.

Adam Beck 3 PM @ Stone Cliff

Massey Road 3 PM @ Northside Bar

Open Mic w/ Korey Steil 3 PM @ The Cornerstone

Sam Wooden 3 PM @ New Diggings **General Store** 

Sandy Hook Chili Cook-Off 4 PM @ Sandy Hook Tavern

**MONDAY, FEBRUARY 19** Comedy Open Mic 9 PM @ Monk's

**TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 20** Tristan Hirsch Tunes on Tuesday 5:30 PM @ Parkway Grill

Trivia Night 7 PM @ Riverboat Lounge

Dr. Charles Barland Faculty Organ Recital & University of **Dubuque Concert Choir** 7:30 PM @ St. Luke's Methodist Church

**Open Mic Night** 8 PM @ 7 Hills

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 21 Acoustic Jam

w/ Medicinal Purposes 6:30 PM @ The Cornerstone

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

Comdeian Lee "LA" Lycan 8 PM @ Mississippi Moon Bar

**THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 22** A Few Blind Mice 5:30 PM @ Filament. Diamond Jo Casino

John Moran 7 PM @ Riverboat Lounge

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

Marty Raymon 7:30 PM @ Grape Escape

Smokestack Jazz Night 7 PM @ The Smokestack **FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 23** 

Fabulous Fridays Series: Marcia Martin, C.J. Greer 12:05 PM @ St. Luke's Methodist Church

Dave Minnihan 7 PM @ Inspire Café

Massey Road

Hoffmann, Troy, & Marceau 7 PM @ Stone Cliff

7 PM @ DBQ Driving Range Casev Klein

7 PM @ Sundown Mountain Andrew Houy 7:30 PM @ Frank O'Dowd's Pub

Mississippi String Band 7:30 PM @ The Cornerstone

Steve McIntyre 8 PM @ Riverboat Lounge

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**Time Machine** 8 PM @ Mississippi Moon Bar

Adam Bartels Band 8 PM @ Q Casino

**Mixed Emotions** 8 PM @ The Blu Room, Breezer's Pub

Laura McDonald & Jeff Weydert 8 PM @ Spirits

Garrett Hillary 8 PM @ Galena Brewing Co.

Jef & A Sidekick 8:30 PM @ Grape Escape

Jason Ray Brown 9 PM @ 7 Hills

Space Burial, American Dust 10 PM @ The Lift

Confluence & Kingpin 10 PM @ The Venue

**SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 24** Acoustic Jam 1 PM @ Council Hill Station

Massey Road 2 PM @ The Hangar, **Dubuque Airport** 

**Brown Bottle Bandits** 1 PM @ Sundown Mountain

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Marty Raymon 2 PM @ The Cornerstone

Tapestry 6 PM @ Inspire Café

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**Bally Heigue** 7 PM @ The Lift

lake Bender 7 PM @ Stone Cliff

Swamp Donkeys 7 PM @ New Diggings General Store

DSO: A Confession of the Soul: Sibelius 2 7:30 PM @ Five Flags Theater

Joe McShane 7:30 PM @ Frank O'Dowd's Pub

Steve Grismore Jazz Trio 7:30 PM @ The Cornerstone

Marcus DeJesus 8 PM @ Riverboat Lounge

Gear Daddies w/ Box 10 8 PM @ Mississippi Moon Bar

Lady Luck 8 PM @ Q Casino



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### THE BLUZMEN Saturday, February 17, 7 PM

When the Bluzmen explode on stage as with their tribute to the Blues Brothers, it's like a non-stop freight train!! With the opening number Can't Turn You Loose", to the climatic finale of "Shout", this Blues Brothers tribute captivates audiences with a high-energy performance However, these "BLUZMEN" go a step further. The look, the sound, every move and the crazy antics!!!" Eric and Carmen have been performing together as "The Blues Brothers" for over 20 years in over 9500 shows worldwide. For ten years, they have been a staple in the award winning show "Legends in Concert" in Las Vegas. To this day they are still considered to be one of the most popular acts to have ever graced the highly successful show.

Tickets: \$22 (adv) / \$25 (door) Students: \$13/\$15

## Buduveiser BUDWEISER LIVE MUSIC FEATURES

#### SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 10



The Nick Bell Band

8 PM @ THE BLU ROOM (600 CENTRAL AVE) Quoted by *Rock Chicago Magazine* as "Chicago's Hottest Up and Coming Guitar Player. PERIOD!" The Nick Bell Band has performed at Sturgis, Buddy Guys Legends, The Arcada Theater, The Hard Rock Cafe, The Double Door Chicago, Chicago Blues Festival and many more. Come see why the blues is alive and well in the next generation.



#### **Altered Five**

8 PM @ FLATTED FIFTH BLUES & BBQ (300 POTTER DR, BELLEVUE, IA) Flatted Fifth Blues & BBQ is delighted to welcome Altered Five from Milwaukee, WI. This five-piece group brings their original contemporary blues infused with vintage soul. The Blues Foundation announced Jan. 9 that the band is nominated for a prestigious Blues Music Award in the category of "Best Emerging Artist Album" for their latest CD, *Charmed & Dangerous*.

#### SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 11



Three Dawgs 5 PM @ FLATTED FIFTH BLUES & BBQ (300 POTTER DR, BELLEVUE, IA) Round out your Mardis Gras weekend with Three Dawgs Jazz featuring Steve Grismore, co-founder of the Iowa City Jazz festival, anchoring the group on jazz guitar along with Scott Barnum on bass, and Rich Medd on Trombone. They'll be playing your favorite jazz standards from Ornette Coleman, Thelonious Monk, Steve Lacy, Herbie Nichols, Dave Holland, Duke Ellington, Paul Motion, Steve Swallow, and many others.



#### Freebo in Concert with Alice Howe + Kirsten Maxwell 7 PM @ THE SMOKESTACK (62 EAST 7<sup>TH</sup>ST) COVER: \$15

Freebo is a folk, rock and blues icon regarded as one of today's most gifted singer/songwriters, a multi-award winner with more than 40 years recording and touring with many of the great artists of our time. As a producer, he brought Kirsten Maxwell and Alice Howe into his studio, and they're now on tour. From Long Island, NY, Kirsten Maxwell is a 2016 Kerrville New Folk Finalist and 2017 Most Wanted Artist at Falcon Ridge Folk Festival. A lifelong songwriter, Boston singer-songwriter Alice Howe's musical sensibility lies in '60s folk and '70s Southern California songwriters. Her original song "Homeland Blues," debuted at #1 on the April Folk DJ chart, and she is a 2017 Falcon Ridge Folk Festival Emerging Artist. Doors at 5 p.m.

#### **TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 13**



Mardi Gras with Derty Rice Dubuque Trees Forever fundraiser 6-10 PM @ JUMPERS (2600 DODGE ST) Jumpers has established a Mardi Gras tradition of epic proportions in years past with complimentary jambalaya and beads, and adult beverages worthy of the celebration. As always, zydeco party band Derty Rice will be there to provide music for dancing. This year hosts a fundraiser for Dubuque Trees Forever with a raffle with great prizes.

#### THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 15



Grassfed

10 PM @ THE LIFT (180 MAIN ST) Grassfed is a quick-picking string band. Pivoting on the foundation of bluegrass, Grassfed entwines tradition with an eclectic array of influences. Forged by songwriters and driven by instrumental conversation, the band brings a punching sound all its own.



### **REZA: EDGE OF ILLUSION** SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 17 @ 4 & 8 PM

Reza "Edge of Illusion" is a fresh, ground-breaking spectacle merging signature grand scale illusions with incredible interactive magic. Hailed by critics as the World's Top Touring Illusionist, Reza has sold out venues, entertained millions, and was featured on television and radio in 31 countries around the world. Reza is intriguing, engaging, and captivating. His ability to connect with the audiences and let them feel his magic on a personal level is astounding.



## **MISSISSIPPI MOON BAR** ENTERTAINMENT

All shows at the Mississippi Moon Bar are 21+ only and tickets for all performances are available at the Diamond Club inside the Diamond Jo Casino or online at MoonBarRocks.com.



## STEVE MORIS UNPLUGGED: WITH SPECIAL GUESTS BOWMAN, PICKNEY, AND EVANS FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 16 @ 8 PM

Since 1980, Steve Moris has performed his blend of comedy and live music for audiences around the world. In the 2007 "Laugh" issue of *Reader's Digest*, Moris was recognized for creating one of the top-50 funniest lines in comedy history.



**GAELIC STORM** THURSDAY, MARCH 8 @ 7 PM

Gaelic Storm is one of the most celebrated performance groups combining traditional Celtic music with modern rock, country and folk influences. Ballyheigue opens.

#### BRET MICHAELS' BIRTHDAY BASH THURSDAY, MARCH 15 @ 7 PM

Bret Michaels rose to fame as the front man of the rock band Poison. He began his solo career in 1998 and has released several solo efforts and singles.

#### Anthony Orio with Special **Guest Wheel House** FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 9 @ 8 PM

The LoveMonkeys SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 10 @ 8 PM

Laughing Moon Comedy: Forgetaboutit Italian Comedy WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 14 @ 8 PM

Laughing Moon Comedy: Lee "La" Lycan WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 21 @ 8 PM

**Time Machine** FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 23 @ 8 PM

Gear Daddies with **Special Guest Box 10** 

Laughing Moon Comedy: Henry Phillips WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 28 @ 8 PM

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 24 @ 8 PM

**Dueling Pianos** FRIDAY, MARCH 2 @ 7 PM

Club 84 SATURDAY, MARCH 3 @ 7 PM

John Mueller's Winter Dance Party SATURDAY, MARCH 10 @ 3 & 7 PM

Lexi Parr & The Rubyblonde Band FRIDAY, MARCH 16 @ 8 PM

Pop ROCKS SATURDAY, MARCH 17 @ 8 PM

**Psychic Medium Mindie Adamos** SUNDAY, APRIL 8 @ 3 PM

**Arch Allies** SATURDAY, APRIL 14 @ 8 PM

Here Come The Mummies FRIDAY, APRIL 27 @ 8 PM









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## Budweiser BUDWEISER LIVE MUSIC FEATURES

#### FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 16



Dylan Doyle (2 shows)

7 & 10 PM @ THE LIFT (180 MAIN ST) Hudson Valley based Dylan Doyle has been putting on spellbinding performances nationally as well as internationally. Southern bred, northern raised, his trio's style of music lies somewhere between roots rock and jam funk. It's a uniquely American sound Doyle calls "a big melting pot."

#### SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 17



Studebaker John and the Hawks 8 PM @ THE BLU ROOM (600 CENTRAL AVE) Studebaker John Grimaldi was born in an Italian-American section of Chicago and started playing harmonica at age 7. Under the spell of music he heard on Maxwell Street, Grimaldi began performing as Studebaker John and the Hawks in the '70s. As a songwriter and musician, Studebaker John has emerged as a major creative force in the world of the blues today.



Bobby Messano 8 PM @ FLATTED FIFTH BLUES & BBQ (300 POTTER DR, BELLEVUE, IA) Legendary guitarist Bobby Messano's storied career includes 7 solo CDs, songs in many TV shows and contributions to over 50 major label and indie albums. Experience a special evening with this prolific contemporary blues songwriter.



Charles Walker Band + Malachi 10 PM @ THE LIFT (180 MAIN ST) Deliciously Stanky. Dynamically Funky. Recklessly Hopeful. Grounded in soul, the Milwaukee based Charles Walker Band has refined their sound into Neo-Funk, a fusion of funk infused rhythms with pop melodies.

#### FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 23



Space Burial, American Dust

**10 PM @ THE LIFT (180 MAIN ST)** Space Burial started in 2015 as a side project by lead singer/guitarist Aaron Whites and singer/ guitarist Shawn Splinter. Along with Billy Jentz on bass, and Terry Stowers on drums, Space Burial quickly grew to become a progressive psychedelic rock band reminiscent of the psychedelic '60s with a modern twist. Local roots rock/grunge kings American Dust open.

#### SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 24



#### **Johnny Kilowatt**

8 PM @ THE BLU ROOM (600 CENTRAL AVE) At times highlighted by a horn section, Johnny Kilowatt is a four-to-six-member band featuring some of Iowa City's best veteran musicians. Klinkowitz was a founding member of this legendary Iowa band The Blues Instigators and played with Patrick Hazel and Mother Blues from 1997 to 2007. He's also backed Bo Diddly and opened for some of the great names in blues over the years.



The Wildwoods

**10 PM @ THE LIFT (180 MAIN ST)** Nebraska natives, The Wildwoods, bring a pioneering sound to Americana Roots Music. With influences from old time country masters and today's indie/folk sound, The Wildwood's nostalgic melodies captivate people of all ages. The Wildwoods strive to make music that touches the soul, music that speaks of truth, and music that shares inspiring stories of effortless love that will be sure to melt your heart after every performance.

## Q SHOWROOM ENTERTAINMENT

#### Hard Salami

Friday, February 9 | 8PM

"Songs You Know & Love", focusing on having fun and getting the crowd involved. FREE SHOW!

#### Windbreakers "Party After Dark" Saturday, February 10 | 8PM



troubadours will make you want to splash on some Old Spice, grab a Pina Colada and sail into

memories of the 70's. You've never had so much fun with the soft rock sounds of the 70's. FREE SHOW!

#### **Mixed Emotions**

Friday, February 16 | 8PM 60's, 70's & 80's :: Free Show!

#### SFO - A Journey Tribute Saturday, February 17 | 8PM



"Separate Ways," "Open Arms," "Don't Stop Believing," and 'Faithfully," wash over you as Gabs Jacobs and SFO bring an amazing tribute

Let the Journey hits

show to Q Casino. Throw in a salute to Kansas & Foreigner's best songs and you're set for the night. Plus, the first 100 Tickets are half price at just \$5!

#### **Adam Bartels Band** Friday, February 23 | 8PM

Singer/Songwriter from Platteville playing great cover and originals like "Drinking This Cold One Down". Also featuring Casino Host Nick Feist! FREE SHOW!

### Lady Luck

#### Saturday, February 24 | 8PM



## The 80's rock that you

love and the new rock with an edge, featuring one of the Twin Cities' hottest female singers! FREE SHOW!

#### **Tyler Farr** Saturday, March 3 | 8PM



With top hits like "A Guy Walks Into A Bar", "Whiskey in My Water", and his #1 platinum-selling title-track "Redneck Crazy", which was called the "song of the summer" by The New York Times, you know country music star Tyler Farr in bringing the party on the road to Q Casino. Tickets from \$35.

#### **Dizzy Reed of Guns N' Roses** with Alex Grossi of Quiet Riot Sunday, March 4 | 7PM



Unplugged N' Personal show from the keyboardist, pianist and percussionist for the rock band Guns N' Roses, with whom he has played,

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toured and recorded since 1990. \$10 tix.

#### FireHouse Saturday, March 17 | 8PM



Your Eyes." Local hard rock favorites, Johnny Trash, open the show. Tickets from \$25.

#### Easton Corbin Thursday, March 22, 8 PM



star with two #1 hits. "A Little More Country Than That" and "Roll With It." Tix from \$49.

## John Conlee



County legend boasts 7 #1 Hits Including "Backside Of Thirty," "Common Man" & "In My Eyes". Tix from \$25.

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Girls Do," "Thank God For You" and "Six Days on the Road". Tickets from \$35.

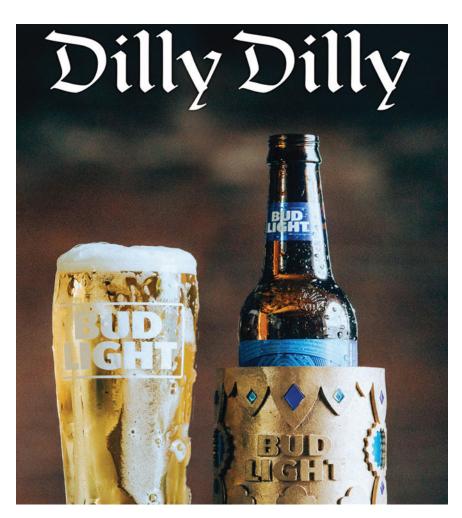
#### Super Troopers: Kevin Heffernan & Steve Lemme

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## **THE FARMHOUSE TCHEN** BY RICH BELMONT

The restaurant in the Q Casino and Hotel was closed approximately four months. On Jan. 18, 2018 it was reopened and curious onlookers, like me, could see it had been transformed, as if by magic, into a real Farmhouse Kitchen!

Not since 2002 when the Smithsonian Institution recreated Julia Child's Cambridge, MA home kitchen has so much detail been added to a farm style commercial kitchen.

That's because a gifted and talented design team was brought in to do the interior decorating. Kris Gorton of Kris Gorton Design and owner of Living on Main in Dubugue and Adam and Dawn Eikamp, owners of Eikamp Arts, did the farmhouse makeover. Adam painted the artwork of local farm houses adorning the walls, Kris and Dawn came up with high sliding barn doors and several chandeliers made from clear soda bottles and one made from chicken coop wire!

The Farmhouse Kitchen is operated by an accomplished staff of experienced professionals. They include:

- John Torres, Director of Food & Beverage. He received his training at Washburne Culinary Institute in Chicago. He has been in the Food & Beverage Industry for 40 years and has learned from French Master Chefs at Maxim's de Paris and LaTour, both in Chicago. John holds a Bachelor's Degree in Art and an MBA from University of Dubuque. He is now in his 18<sup>th</sup> year at the Q Casino.
- Dave Masterson, Executive Chef. Dave has been cooking for 33 years. He started in Massachusetts and came up through the ranks. Dave moved to Dubuque and was Kitchen Manager at Cedars for 8 years. Dave has been at Q Casino for over 17 years and was promoted to his present position 2 years ago.
- Dustin Potter, Main Kitchen Sous Chef. He started cooking when he was 18. He cooked on the Diamond Jo Casino Riverboat then became a line cook and later a banguet chef at the Woodfire Grille.

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- Ben Donovan, Farmhouse Sous Chef. Ben has a degree in Culinary Arts from Kirkwood Community College in Cedar Rapids, IA. He cooked at Loras College and the University of Dubuque and has been a Chef at Q Casino for over 2 and half years.
- Lisa Dalsing, Food & Beverage Manager. Lisa started working in the industry when she was 21 at the Silver Eagle Casino. She has now been with the Q Casino (formerly Mystique Casino) for 22 years.
- Wells Kaiser, Farmhouse Supervisor and Mixologist. He is from Cuba City, WI and has been in the Casino F & B Industry for 8 years.
- Tim Slade, Bartender. He is from Dubuque and has tended bar for 10 years, four of them at the Q Casino (formerly Mystique Casino).

The Farmhouse Kitchen Lounge is open from 8 a.m. to 11 p.m. every day. It is a great place to try some expertly mixed craft cocktails. Here is just a sampling of some of the specialties:

- The Barn Burner -UV Sriracha, pickle juice, horseradish
- and homemade spicy Bloody Mary Mix. • Q-Tini - Chambord, Bacardi Limon and pineapple juice finished with a "Q", whatever that is.
- The Iowa Buck Tail Iowa's Templeton Rye Whiskey, Saranac Ginger Beer and fresh lime.
- Blackberry Bourbon Smash this is my favorite! Iowa Cedar Ridge Bourbon, fresh lime juice, blackberries, homemade simple syrup and club soda or ginger ale. I prefer the ginger ale and save the blackberry for the final sip!
- Wisconsin Old Fashioned the Old Fashioned • is considered American's first craft cocktail. All across the country an Old Fashioned is made with Bourbon, Irish or Rye Whiskey, bitters and sugar.



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However in Wisconsin the Old Fashioned is made with Brandy and most Wisconsinites demand Korbel. So this cocktail is made with Korbel Brandy, orange, cherry, homemade bitters, sugar cube, homemade sour mix and soda water. (Fun Fact: experienced bartenders call the sweet or sour mixer a "wash").

The Farmhouse Kitchen is open for breakfast, lunch and dinner every day and offers a Lunch Buffet on Saturday, Dinner Buffet on Friday and Saturday evenings and Sunday Brunch.

The food is just what you would expect if you were going to eat on a farm: it is high quality, plentiful and delicious.

The lunch offerings are all smaller portions of the dinner items. There are only four lunch entrées not on the dinner menu. They are: Club Sandwich



- sliced turkey, bacon, tomatoes and lettuce in a triple decker.
- Open Faced Meatloaf this is an excellent loaf made from straight beef, green peppers, onions, bread crumbs, eggs, Worcestershire sauce, chopped Italian herbs and a little ketchup and mustard.
- Open Faced Roast Beef inside round beef cooked low and slow in an Alto Shaam Cook and Hold Oven. Served with beef gravy and Yukon Gold Mashed Potatoes.
- Open Faced Carved Turkey roasted turkey breast on seared white bread with turkey gravy and mashed potatoes.

The Dinner Menu has something for everybody. Starting with some of the appetizers the food gets interesting really quick. For example:

· Breaded Catfish Nuggets - lightly breaded chunks of catfish are flash fried with Cajun spices and served in a New Orleans style Rémoulade (ray-muh-lahd).



TIM SLADE, WELLS KAISER, AND BEN DONOVAN







BACON WRAPPED PORK TENDERLOIN



- Fried Shrimp Cocktail 5 Extra Jumbo Shrimps are hand breaded and tossed in Cajun seasonings and served with a homemade cocktail sauce.
- Smoked BBQ Pork Sliders pork shoulder is smoked seven to eight hours in a gas fired wood chip smoker.
- Meatloaf Sliders slices of meatloaf on Texas Toast make a surprisingly good appetizer.

The Soup and Salad section contains four salads and a soup of the day and the soup specialty: corn and ham chowder. This is a wonderful combination of chicken stock, mirepoix (meer-pwa consisting of chopped onions, carrots and celery) a Roux (roo equal parts flour and fat) with some ham, clarified butter, and when this cooks down, corn, diced potatoes and a lot of heavy cream added in.

The Homestyle Entrées are all specialties in their own right. Each one has a story behind it. Some examples are:

- Chicken Dinner hand battered and cooked under high pressure in a Broaster.
- Burgundy Beef Short Ribs short ribs are short portions of meaty rib bones with a high percentage of connective tissue. They are floured and seared with red wine and mirepoix then covered in beef stock and mushrooms. They are slow braised 4 to 5 hours. Then finished with a burgundy wine reduction. The recipe for this dish is based on one from the New James Beard Cookbook.
- Bacon Wrapped Pork Tenderloin. This is Chef Ben's Specialty. He takes whole pork tenderloins wraps them in bacon and then sears them. They are served covered with a Smoked Gouda Cheese Cream Sauce.
- Chicken Pot Pie Velvety Chicken Supreme breasts are placed in a puff pastry pie crust. Onions, carrots and celery are sautéed in butter and added to the chicken stock and finished with heavy cream. (Fun Fact: Chicken Supreme is a term used to describe a boneless, skinless chicken breast. Velvety is a tasting term for lush, silky, smooth texture).





CHICKEN POT PIE



The Farmhouse Kitchen is very proud of its Smokehouse Specialties. That's because Executive Chef Dave Masterson is an expert smoker. For the current menu he is doing:

- BBQ Chicken flavored with a homemade dry rub and finished with homemade BBQ sauce.
- Beef Brisket the beef is cut from the animals' lower chest so it is tough but so very flavorful when cooked right. Here it is roasted low and slow for over 12 hours and then smoked for another 2 hours.
- Apple and Cherrywood Smoked Baby Back Ribs. They are baked with a dry rub and then slathered with homemade BBQ sauce.

All of the Smokehouse platters are accompanied by homemade delicious corn bread. As much as I like the BBQ sauce I like to ask for it on the side so I can try the BBQ



sauces on the table. You will find a variety including:

- Tabasco Hot Sauce made exclusively from Tabasco peppers, vinegar and salt.
- Pecanwood Smoke Bourbon Vanilla Sauce - is fruity, sweet and nutty.
- Cowtown Night of the Living the heat comes from Chipotle purée and watch out it's hot!
- American Stockyard Harvest Apple sweet and tart Washington apples with cane sugar, molasses, mild chilies and spice.





Of course, I always recommend you finish a great dinner with a fabulous dessert. The current choices are:

- Crème Brûlée (cream broo-lay)
- Double Chocolate Bundt Cake. This is my favorite: it's a chocolate cake with a hot fudge sauce!
- Peach Cobbler it's just peachy.
- Cheesecake a John Torres specialty. Very creamy and not too sweet.

Thank you Q Casino and Hotel for bringing us The Farmhouse Kitchen. Now we can all eat like happy, well-fed and satisfied farmers!

## **THE FARMHOUSE** TCHEN 1855 GREYHOUND PARK RD. DUBUQUE. IA 52001

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Hours: Breakfast: Daily: 8-10:30 AM; Lunch: Mon-Sat: 11 AM-3 PM; Dinner: Sun-Thu: 5-9 PM; Fri-Sat: 5-10 PM; Buffet: Fri: 5-9 PM; Sat: 11 AM-3 PM & 5-9 PM; Brunch: Sun: 10 AM-3 PM; Lounge: Daily: 8 AM-11 PM; Lounge Appetizers: Daily: 11 AM-10 PM Dining Style: Casual Noise Level: Loud when busy Recommendations: Farmhouse Omelets; Corn & Ham Chowder; Open Faced Meatloaf Sandwich; Open Faced Turkey Sandwich; Broasted Chicken; Bacon Wrapped Pork Tenderloin; Chicken Pot Pie; Broiled Cod; Smoked Baby Back Ribs; Smoked Beef Brisket; Iowa Pork Chop; Sirloin Steak; Ribeye Steak Liquor Service: Premium Bar, Craft

Cocktails; Wisconsin Old Fashioned Prices: Breakfast: \$5-\$9; Lunch: \$8-\$20; Dinner: \$12-\$37

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#### **RICH BELMONT**

DO YOU HAVE A FAVORITE RESTAURANT YOU WOULD LIKE TO SEE REVIEWED? PLEASE SEND YOUR REQUESTS, SUGGESTIONS AND COMMENTS TO ARGOSY AT ARGOMARK@MCHSI.COM

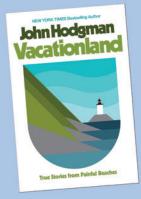




# W.E.B. DUBOIS AND THE STUDY OF RACE

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 17 @ 1-2 PM Rachel Daack, Ph.D. will present on the Du Bois' article "The Study of the Negro Problems," and discuss its relevance to the present. An emphasis will be placed on Du Bois' lasting impact as a major contributor to social justice.





## LIT & LAUGHTER BOOK CLUB VACATIONLAND

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 21 @ 6-7 PM Everybody needs a good laugh sometimes! Join the new Lit & Laughter book club. We will be reading a variety of books, hopefully all of which will tickle your funny bone. This book group meets the opposite month of the regular book discussion held at Carnegie-Stout. Open to adults 18 and over. February's book will be "Vacationland" by John Hodgman. Books are available at the checkout desk now.

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TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 27 @ 6:30-7:45 PM

Attend a presentation where current and future business owners can learn how to

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## **OPPOSITE OF** mattitude ENTITLEMENT BY MATT BOOTH

Self reliance is key to a positive attitude. Self reliance means that you think for yourself, you depend on yourself and you act for yourself. A self reliant attitude is the opposite of an entitlement attitude. Self reliance is daring to stand alone. To develop your true self reliance, you should understand that life is a battle you must fight for yourself. You must be your own warrior. The world doesn't owe you anything. The world is busy with its own cares, sorrows and joys, and pays little attention to you. There is but one great password for a positive attitude, self reliance.

There are individuals with great talents and skills who fail in life because they feel entitled to success. If you are dependent on others, you become weak, hesitant and full of doubt. As you depend on others to do what you should do for yourself, your self reliance weakens and your powers and your control of them becomes continuously less. If you are sitting in your basement in your underwear applying for jobs online while drinking a Monster, you are in need of some self reliance. Get off of your ass and go get a job! Other people can only give you opportunities. Self reliance is being prepared for the opportunity when they come, and going after opportunities and finding them when they do not come. A self reliant person works for their own salvationfinancially, socially, mentally, physically, and morally. Your life is an individual challenge that you must solve for yourself.

You are either you own best friend or your own worst enemy. You have the option to decide which it will be. When you are in the midst of doubt, you have two choices: either give up or dig in and keep going. The self reliant attitude would say that it is time to dig in and keep going. Here are a few steps to help you keep going.

- Assume responsibility. Start taking responsibility for your life and all that is in it. Don't blame others when something isn't going right. If you make a mistake, own up to it, and try to make it right. Taking responsibility for your life isn't all that fun. It requires doing things that are often boring, tedious, frustrating, and time-consuming.
- Improve Yourself. The self reliant person is always looking for a chance to learn and expand their knowledge and skills. Don't worry about being better than others, worry about being the best you.
- Know where you're going. A self reliant person has a written plan and works the plan. If you don't have a plan for your life, you'll spend your entire life working to accomplish someone else's plan.
- Make your own decisions. It's tempting to simply let life happen to you and hope that it will all work out. It probably won't. While you should certainly seek advice from others to inform your decisions, don't rely on them to make your decisions for you. It's your life. Don't let others live it for you.

In the trials of life, you are only as strong as you are self reliant. The more self reliant you become the stronger you will become and the more you will be able to help others in their time of need. Your self reliance will be a constant example and strength to others. Your attitude, positive or negative, is ultimately, self generated by your self reliance.

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"If you spend enough time with negative people, they will eventually suck you down to their level." —Matt Booth

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## SHOULD YOU BE TAKING A FIBER SUPPLEMENT? BY HY-VEE NUTRITIONISTS MEGAN HORSTMAN (ASBURY) AND AMY CORDINGLEY (LOCUST)

Perhaps this is a better question: are you getting at least 28g of fiber per day? That's the recommended daily value based on a 2,000-calorie diet. Turns out the average American only gets 15 or 16g of fiber each day. While many dietitians encourage clients to consume fiber-rich fruits, vegetables, whole grains, and legumes to reach that number, consumers may still turn to fiber supplements. But not all supplements are created equal, or even contain the same types of fiber.

The first thing to know about fiber is that there are two different types: soluble and insoluble. Soluble fiber is the one that slows down digestion and prevents blood sugar from raising too quickly. As it passes through your intestine, it soaks up water to help keep things moving. It also binds with fatty acids and helps reduce LDL (bad) cholesterol. Like soluble fiber, insoluble fiber also aids in digestion by remaining relatively intact and pushing things through.

Soluble fiber is the most common type found in supplements, but there are many different sources of this type of fiber. Four popular kinds include wheat dextrin, psyllium, inulin, and methycellulose.

Wheat dextrin, the form of fiber used in the supplement Benefiber, comes from wheat starch and is used to help reduce cholesterol, lower the risk of coronary heart disease, and may help lower blood sugar.

Psyllium is the form found in Metamucil and Konsyl, and is most recognized for lowering LDL (bad) cholesterol while improving HDL (good) cholesterol and preventing constipation.

Inulin, which is usually extracted from chicory root, is considered a prebiotic as it helps increase good bacteria in the gut. However, inulin isn't considered a "functional fiber" according the FDA, and remains the topic of a somewhat controversial debate surrounding the definition of functional fiber. Inulin can be found in Nature Made Fiber and Fiber Choice supplements.

Methylcellulose is a synthetic soluble fiber with laxative-like effects. It's often used to treat constipation and can be found in Citrucel supplements.

Before reaching for a fiber supplement, talk to your Hy-Vee dietitian or your physician about your diet, medications, and overall health. While supplements might be appropriate for some, there's certainly not a one-size-fits-all approach.

For more great recipes and ideas, visit **Hy-Vee.com/recipes-ideas**. ■



The information is not intended as medical advice. Please consult a medical professional for individual advice.

## **DOOFUS IN SPACE** BY BOB GELMS

Space Team: A Comedic Sci-Fi Adventure by Barry J. Hutchison is not only a "must read" but also a "read immediately," "read as soon as possible," "read yesterday," and very definitely "URGENT READ." With everything happening in our country at the moment, what we all can use its multiple belly laughs. This book is where you will find them.

Comedy and science fiction don't often play well together. One book that quickly comes to mind as a complete success in merging these two genres is Douglas Adam's *The Hitchhikers Guide to the Galaxy*. Mr. Adams is who our Mr. Hutchison is most frequently compared. I have to scrape the bottom of my memory to come up with any other books that are both great sci-fi and clever/humorous at the same time.

The main character in *Space Team* is Cal Carver, a third-rate thief and con-man who keeps getting caught and thrown into prison. This time Cal is found guilty of identity theft and sentenced to two years in the slammer. He was supposed to serve his time in a general type prison but the prisoner delivery section dropped him off at the wrong place. Cal was conveyed to the dirtiest, darkest, toughest, most dangerous prison in America.

One of Cal's flaws is having a smart, sarcastic mouth which he unleashed on the warden trying to convince him they had made a mistake. Not very smart, as wardens always get the last laugh. They stuck him in a cell with a half-naked, psychopathic, cannibalistic serial killer, Eugene "The Butcher" Adwell. Cal went to a corner of the cell and tried to become part of the wall. He did not sleep well that night for other reasons, too. A prison riot started in the middle of the night. The cell door swung open and they grabbed Cal. He woke up in a room with a wall to wall picture of the Milky Way only to discover that it wasn't a picture, it was a window and that WAS the Milky Way. A guy named Sinclair came in and welcomed The Butcher of Earth. It didn't take Cal long to figure out that he was kidnapped from his cell and mistaken for The Butcher when Mr. Sinclair, the CEO of Zertex Corp and President of this part of the galaxy, needs Eugene to do a secret service for him.

Cal as Eugene "The Butcher" Adwell will have some thoroughly dangerous help on this mission. First, Princess Mizette of the Greyx, part humanoid and part she-wolf, who has killed so many people nobody has an accurate count. Second, Gluk "Mech" Disselpoof, a Cyborg, half biological, half machine and full time "best hacker in the galaxy." He has stolen billions of dollars and, oh yeah, a Class 11 Starship. Third, an adorable little guy named Splurt, a two-thousand-year-old shapeshifter. And last, Gunso Loren, a member of the Zertex Corp Army and newly minted pilot – on simulators She is to accompany the group to make sure they stay on task.

Their mission is to go to one of the worst parts of the Galaxy disguised as pirates and deliver a ransom to the most fearsome warlord in this part of the Milky Way. They are to take away the plans for a weapon so terrifying and so powerful that it could allow the Zertex Corp to conquer this part of the Universe.

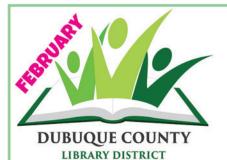
You put all of that together and what you have is a blueprint for some great science fiction and a pure joy to experience. Cal can't chew gum and think at the same time. He features himself Captain of their pirate starship. No one in the crew can think of a name for the ship. Cal was a TV



junkie when he wasn't in the can and he came up with the name "Shatner." Since Cal is the only one who knows what Star Trek is, the pirate starship becomes "Shatner".

There is another element at work in *Space Team:* A Comedic Sci-Fi Adventure, that is, Cal's character. Even though it seems the plot is driven forward by Cal's screw-ups, he does have some redeeming qualities. He is fiercely loyal to his friends and crew, to the point of putting his own life on the line, which he does a number of times. He doesn't t even think twice about it. It's what you do for friends. He shares everything he has with his friends and crew and, most importantly, somehow it all works out in the end to Cal's advantage.

Space Team: A Comedic Sci-Fi Adventure is a good example of a western disguised as sci-fi. This, by the way, is book #1 in a series of eight. I'll admit to you that I am doing something I almost never do: read past the first book. I liked this one soooooo much I just finished reading book #5. I intend to read them all nonstop. I'm having a fantastic time. I'll admit to you something else. I identify with Cal and I have no trouble at all putting myself in the story. It makes me forget about everything. The story takes me completely away from my life. That's pretty darn good.



Storytimes - Come Love Your Library! (Age 2 - preschool, whole family is welcome) Peosta: Thursdays, Feb. 8, 15 & 22, 9:30-10 AM Asbury: Thursdays, Feb. 8, 15 & 22, 10:45-11:15 AM Farley: Fridays, Feb. 9, 16 & 23, 9-9:30 AM Epworth: Mondays, Feb. 12 & 26, 5:15-5:45 PM Holy Cross: Wednesdays, Feb. 14, 21 & 28, 5-5:30 PM Put your hearts into reading this month as we read about hugs, kisses, and Valentine's Day. Craft, literacy, or numerical activities weekly.



Family Movie (Rated PG) Asbury, Saturday, February 10, 10:00am-12:00pm Farley, Friday, February 16, 3:30-5:30pm Peosta, Tuesday, February 20, 5:30-7:30pm Six equestrian friends embark on a journey to save their country. Check website for title.



Level-up! (3rd--6th grade) Asbury, Saturday, February 10, 1-3 PM Take over the program room with board games and the library's Wii-U. Bring your own Wii or Wii-U games (nothing above E10+ rating). Light snacks will be served.



Lego Explorers (Ages 4 and up) Asbury, Monday, February 12, 4-5 PM Holy Cross, Monday, February 26, 5:30- 6:30 PM We provide Legos, the monthly theme for February, "Ninja Mission", and a story with building challenges for you to complete.

"Guess How Much I Love You" Storvtime (Preschool - Kindergarten) Holy Cross, Monday, February 12, 6-6:30 PM Farley, Tuesday, February 13, 5:45-6:15 PM Asbury, Wednesday, February 14, 11-11:30 AM Epworth, Thursday, February 15, 10:30-11 AM Peosta, Friday, February 16, 10-10:30 AM



Heritage Center's Family Series, join us for this Valentine's-themed Storvtime. We'll read Guess How Much I Love You and participate in activi-

ties, with a light snack. All children will receive a copy of Guess How Much I Love You and a child's voucher to the Center's performance (good with purchase of an adult ticket).



Random Fandom (1st-5th grade) Peosta, Tuesday, February 13, 4-5 PM Holy Cross, Thursday, February 15, 5:30-6:30 PM Epworth, Tuesday, February 27, 3:45-4:45 PM Fans unite! Each month we'll have crafts, snacks, and discussion around a popular fandom. February's fandom is Harry Potter.



#### **NEW! Device Advice** Asbury Programming Room, Wednesday, February 14, 2-3 PM

This monthly event allows seniors the opportunity to increase comfort with, and knowledge of their current technology in a causal environment for interaction with peers, and a chance to explore digital library services. This month's topic: device security.



Mardi Gras @the Library (All ages) Farley/Drexler, Saturday, February 17, 10AM -12 PM Food, music, masks, & dancing - it's Mardi Gras time! Costumes are encouraged, but not required. Please register online.



Writing Lab Services (Middle school +) Asbury Study Rm, Thursday, February 20, 3:30-5 PM Would you like help improving writing skills, assistance with writing assignments, editing/proofreading your work? Drop in, no registration.

#### **SOMETHING NEW!** Sentimental **Reflections Video Magazine** Farley/Drexler, Tuesday, February 20, 6-7 PM

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Come experience this new video magazine that presents America in story, scenery & song. Wide range of topics.



Imagination Center (1st grade and up) Asbury, Monday, February 22, 4-5 PM Fire up your imagination and cultivate creativity. Engage in three different creativity centers each month and listen to a short story read aloud with discussion afterwards.



Movie Night (All are welcome) Epworth, Thursday, February 22, 7-9 PM Showing movie adaptation of The Shack by author William P. Young (Rated PG-13).

Color My World (For ALL ages) Asbury, Monday, February 26, 4-5:30 PM Come escape the winter blues! Relax with soothing music while you 'color YOUR world'. Great multigenerational opportunity.

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WHERE'S GENERAL BOB?

General Bob is out and about. Do you know where he's at?



PUZZLE ANSWERS ON PAGE 34



#### **SPOT THE DIFFERENCE**

Can you find 10 differences in these photos of the old electronic sign being removed from Five Flags to make room for a new HD digital sign? Answers on page 35.





## **UPCOMING FAMILY EVENTS**

### SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 10

#### L&MOP Concert Series: The Mistletones 10-10:30 AM

@ CARNEGIE-STOUT PUBLIC LIBRARY The "L. & M. O. P." concert series is offered for preschool children and their families. Children will leave each concert with a greater appreciation of music and a lollipop to enjoy! Children must be accompanied by an adult. Free.

### TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 13

#### Baby & Me Tours

**9-9:30 AM @ DUBUQUE MUSEUM OF ART** Babies and their caregivers are welcome to participate in a 30-minute tour of the Museum exhibitions, focused on shapes, colors and textures. Baby and Me tours are offered every 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday of the month. Advance registration required. **563-557-1851**.

#### Young At Art

**2-2:45 PM @ DUBUQUE MUSEUM OF ART** Every 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday, toddlers ages 3-5, accompanied by a parent or grandparent, are invited to the Museum to enjoy a merry and messy time creating art. Please come dressed to get messy! All supplies are furnished. \$3. **563-557-1851. mbuhr@dbgart.com**.

#### SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 18



**Bird Banding Winter Program 1 PM @ E. B. LYONS INTERPRETIVE CENTER** David Shealer is a Professor at Loras College. He will identify, weigh, measure, sex and determine their health. Assist in the capture of song birds and get a chance to hold and look at various song birds found in the area. This is a good chance to learn to identify and get familiar with birds at your feeders. There are over 15 different species of songbirds utilizing the feeders during the winter. All ages. Free. 8991 Bellevue Heights. **563-556-0620. MinesOfSpain.org**.

#### ONGOING

#### Free Math, Science & Mandarin Tutoring NOW THROUGH MAY 3 @ 3:30-7:30 PM MULTICULTURAL FAMILY CENTER

The Multicultural Family Center is offering a free tutoring program focusing on current 8<sup>th</sup>–12<sup>th</sup> grade students needing assistance in the areas of Math, Science and Mandarin (Chinese). This drop-in style tutoring program will be offered Monday-Thursday from 3:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. Additional support may be available after May 3<sup>rd</sup> if necessary. **563-582-3681**. **MFCdbq.org**.

#### CREATIVE ADVENTURE LAB EVENTS



#### Pottery Happy Hour

MONDAYS-THURSDAYS THROUGH MARCH 15 2-4 PM @ CREATIVE ADVENTURE LAB Visit Creative Adventure Lab during Pottery Happy Hour and enjoy 20% off all pottery found in our Design Lab from 2 to 4 p.m., Monday-Thursday, now until March 15! Choose from a sweet selection of pottery items and glazes for a fun, hands-on experience. 210 Jones St. **advntr.org**.

#### Adventure Day: Acrylic Painting and Virtual Reality FRIDAY, MARCH 30

8:30 AM-3:30 PM @ CREATIVE ADVENTURE LAB COST: \$65

Adventure Days (designed for ages 6-12) occur on select days when Dubuque Community Schools are not in session. The day includes two different guided learning topics, as well as opportunities for your child to freely explore our Adventure Labs, all supervised by our engaging and fun staff. Your child will design, build, test, and explore several new ideas using a wide variety of materials, all in a single day. Remember to pack your own lunch. Visit **advntr.org/youth-programs** for additional information and registration details. 210 Jones St.





## THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 22 5:30 PM – 7:30 PM

Stone Cliff Winery 600 Star Brewery Drive, Dubuque, IA

\$40 Ticket per person includes: heavy hors d'oeuvres, dessert, three wine tastings and a full glass of wine.

For more information, please contact Abbey Degenhardt at 563.556.3371 or adegenhardt@dubuquey.org.

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In 2013, 365Ink was a sponsor of McCoy Jewelers, kind of amazing, \$40K for 40 years event. Charities competed each month through a simple online voting contest that awarded the winning charity the piece(s) of fine jewelry. McCoy's won the Greater Tri-State Chapter of the Association of Fundraising Professionals Outstanding Philanthropic Organization award and the prestigious 365Ink Impact Award too! Hey, donating over a dozen uniquely handcrafted designs was just darn cool.

We had so much fun five years ago, we decided to do it again. For our 45th anniversary \$45,000! This month's charities and voting information is detailed here, as well as a monthly snapshot of how you can participate.



But first, let's chat with Jonathan McCoy and learn more about McCoy Jeweler's and why they started, and have now continued, this fabulous tradition of giving.

McCoy Goldsmith & Jeweler 261 Main St, Dubuque IA, 52001 Hours: McCoyJeweler.com Tue-Sat Facebook.com/McCoyJeweler 9am-6pm Instagram/McCoyJeweler

#### **GIVING FOR A CAUSE**

Jewelry and retail in general is a challenging business these days. Internet shopping, showrooming, and outsourcing what was once all handled locally has an impact on the bottom line of all businesses. Just look at the number of local and national retailers that have closed their doors for good. Sure, we have all seen a restaurant or bar open

up, but how many locally-owned retail businesses have opened and stayed open during the past five years? As one of the few custom, full-service jewelers in the tri-states, we needed to keep evolving what we do, and how we do it. Not just to keep up with trends, styles & technology, but to stay relevant, to stay open.

Our business model is rare in our industry, as we are not simply merchants of the ideas of other, we make stuff. And by stuff, I mean we design & craft engagement rings, wedding bands, earrings, pendants, and a bunch more "stuff" that our customers treasure for a lifetime, or longer. As the number of jewelry store closings each year climbs, gratefully, our business has grown thanks to those in this community. People simply love what we've crafted. The significance of the ring or band is remembered and cherished for years, even decades.

So we wanted to celebrate a bit ourselves and created a way that let's us make some cool designs while also giving back.

#### LAB GROWN DIAMONDS



What is a lab grown diamond? It not a like a cubic zirconium or Moissanite. In fact, it is a diamond, just created above the ground, instead of below. They are identical in their composition, as well as in their physical appearance, to mined diamonds. A gemologist cannot tell the difference between a lab grown diamond and a mined

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- Same hardness and durability of a mined diamond
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- gemological labs, with the lab report number laser inscribed on the diamond's girdle
- Cut and polished using the same processes
- Available in a wide range of sizes, gualities and shapes

McCoy Jewelers has the largest selection of lab grown diamonds in stock in a variety of shapes and sizes. Come see and compare for yourself.

#### **FEBRUARY JEWELRY**

McCoy Jewelers is thrilled to announce the next two organizations in our \$45k for 45 Years giveaway- Make a Wish lowa and Boy Scouts of America. During the week

of February 13th-17th these two groups awesome groups benefiting the children of Eastern Iowa will compete for your vote to try and win a 14K two-tone, 1.00ctw diamond tennis bracelet. This beautiful bracelet holds 72 round brilliant channel set diamonds and a hand applied brush texture. This bracelet is valued at \$3750!

#### **FEBRUARY CHARITIES**

**Boy Scouts of** America is one of the nation's largest and most



prominent values-based youth development organizations, providing programs for young people that build character, trains them in the responsibilities of participating citizenship and develops personal fitness.

#### Make A Wish lowa grants a wish every other



day - each one a life-affirming testament to hope, inspiration, and resilience. Wishes strengthen wish kids and their families, rally communities together, and change the lives of everyone involved. Experience the stories of those who know firsthand the power of a wish-come-true.

**VOTE FOR YOUR FAVORITE CHARITY!** @ McCoyJeweler.com

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**ONE VOTE PER DAY February 13-17** 



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Must be 21 or older. If you or someone you know needs gambling treatment, call 1-800-BETS OFF.

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#### DEAR GWEN,

The boys and I are taking a trip to Las Vegas, a sort of bachelor weekend. Problem is, we're all married. You think we can get away with some serious "What happens in Vegas stays in Vegas" shenanigans? —Yours, Party Boy on West 5<sup>th</sup>

### DEAR PARTY BOY,

Here's the thing: you sound like you suck, but I really want you to be a good person. I've made a little list of things you can do instead of committing infidelity, just to give you some options.

Ahem: 1) You could adopt two dogs and teach them how to high five. 2) You could make a giant snow sculpture. If you're feeling cheeky, sculpt something anatomical, something involving genitals. You have an imagination, I'm sure. 3) You could start digging a hole to the center of the Earth. Spoiler alert! Even if you had the muscles, you'd burn in lava and die. Still better than cheating on your wife, though! 4) You could buy every copy of Paris Hilton's book, *Confessions of an Heiress: A Tongue-in-Chic Peek Behind the Pose*, the title of which makes me dry heave, and have an enormous bonfire with marshmallows, etc. for you and all of your friends. 5) You could go to Vegas and have a really nice time without cheating on your wife.

l only listed five, but you have a lot of options that don't include cheating on your wife. But seriously, it's number one for a reason, do the thing with the dogs high-fiving. —xoxo Gwen

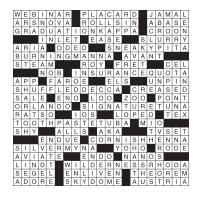
#### DEAR GWEN,

I was always the "chill" girl. Lately, I've found myself being a nagging wife. I whine about dishes and clutter and dust and I feel like I've lost myself to this whirlwind of a life. How do I get my cool back? —Best, Bored with Badgering

#### DEAR BORED WITH BADGERING,

You need to spice up your world! Make some messes and leave them there! Light your house on fire! Do the thing from *Parent Trap* where they put honey and water balloons everywhere! Put a sandcastle

#### **PUZZLE ANSWERS**



where sandcastles don't belong! Make bigger messes, life messes, the kinds of messes that don't get clean with Lysol. Put your car in drive and push it off a bluff! Quit your job and moon your boss! Cash your 401k and buy lifetimes worth of donuts! Dump your whole life and become a rodeo clown!

There are so many messes to make and so much time. I believe you can be the "chill" girl once again.  $-{\rm xoxo}$  Gwen

#### **DEAR GWEN**,

My sister-in-law wants to use my Netflix account. It's not about the money, I just really don't want her shows to come up on my feed. Am I being selfish? How do I get her to stop asking for my login info? —Sincerely, MYflix

#### **DEAR MYFLIX**,

If you don't want your sister-in-law on your Netflix, that sounds like a you thing. What's the big deal if you have to click past Vanderpump Rules every now and then? Just kidding, Vanderpump isn't even on Netflix right now and if it was, we all know I'd be watching it, not writing this advice. Come on! I just love to hate Stassi! Maybe what you need is a different sister-inlaw. Is there any way you can low-key knock off this one and get a new one? Wait...I'm not suggesting vou kill her, okay? I'm not allowed to suggest murder in my advice column. I've gotten the "you can't tell people to kill people" talk. Can you get her involved in a complicated drug scheme and/or land her in a nonmurderous kidnapping situation? If that's not possible, maybe you can somehow manage to give her amnesia in a non-violent sort of way, so she forgets Netflix even exists? Again, not suggesting murder. —xoxo Gwen

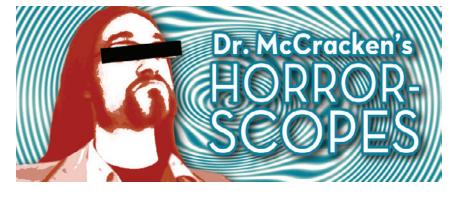
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ARIES (MAR 21-APR 19)

To get rid of any lethargy you've been feeling, make a glass of green tea, go outside, and slowly peel off the layers of skin from your face. Make sure you're getting enough off that it's not painful, but make sure you can still feel the wind becoming colder and colder as you have more and more open-nerve exposure. Stop when you either look like a boiled steak or are almost certain you don't have a soul anymore. You could also watch a yoga video.



#### (APR 20-MAY 20) Seize your open moments of

downtime to be active in helping others fulfill their lifelong goal of hearing you talk about different dreams you've had and what you think it all means. If you can, do some gardening underneath the carpet in your living room and see how long it takes for something to grow through.



## (MAY 21-JUNE 20)

Explore your creative side by screaming into empty coffee cans, sealing them up quick, and selling them on Etsy for \$10,000 each. All you have to do is sell one and then you can retire as long as you only spend \$1 a day and then disintegrate after 10,000 days.



#### CANCER (JUNE 21-JULY 22) You'll likely find yourself feeling

positive and energetic recently, but a guick inventory of your personality traits, looks, and general lack of emotional and social success should put you back into a more appropriate confidence level for someone like you. If you take it a bit too far and start to feel too much like yourself, maybe go to the store and find a good sale.



#### LEO (JULY 23-AUG 22)

Upon accidentally dialing 976-EVIL, you will find yourself with odd, supernatural powers. At first, you may try use them for good, but it turns out that the "EVIL" part of the number isn't just a clever name, and your life devolves into a whirlwind of the occult and, oddly enough, romance.



## (AUG 23-SEP 22)

It won't be surprising if you find yourself getting frustrated with the sentient lump of otherworldly flesh growing out of the side of your head. The sentient lump's inability to help with chores and its hyper-focus on over-throwing the citizens of Earth really gets in the way of your

"go-get-'er" attitude and desire to not be eradicated from or enslaved on your planet. Just remember that it takes all kinds.



See about using your good relationships with friends and loved ones today to get some group activities going, like volleyball or a pyramid scheme. Chances are the idea of socializing will appeal to the more manipulative and attention-seeking parts of you, so maybe bribe a doctor to put a cast on your entire body before filling up your social calendar too much.

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#### NOV 21) our lucky number is 31.

#### SAGITTARIUS (NOV 22-DEC 21)

Extra energy will complement your organizational skills, but you still might have a hard time getting your internal organs in alphabetical order from the top of your body to the bottom. Consider donating to charity, something more than your time, as you've already shown how valuable that isn't.



Just because you can't stop thinking about the Federation of Vaporous Government Entities possibly spying on your thoughts, doesn't mean you [REDACTED]



You could make up a lunch menu, but you probably don't want to read "Popcorn, fizzy water, one of my boss's protein shakes she doesn't want the rest of" every day.



Put your ambition into action and try to answer an unanswerable question of life: why? When you figure it out, change the question. After you've lived for hundreds of thousands of years and have become immortal, you might notice a slight change in both physical and emotional atmospheres, so give yourself some wiggle room.

#### **RYAN WERNER**

RYAN WERNER IS A PROFESSIONAL SPEAKER. ATTITUDE EXPERT AND PROBLEM SOLVER. HE ENGAGES, ENTERTAINS AND EDUCATES AUDIENCES AROUND THE WORLD.



## HIS FRIDAY





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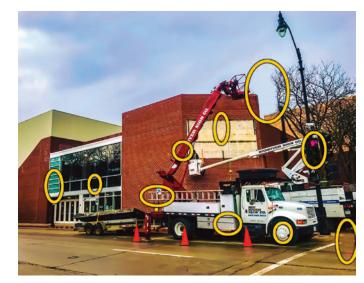
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