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Now, we know what you're probably thinking: *yuck*. Well, it's time to get over the embarrassment! Get off your behind and call your doctor to discuss your best screening options. It could *save your life*.



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We're remodeling a bathroom.  
(PART 1)

It's like saying, I'm just gonna move this mountain over here real quick. Just shoot me next time.

We've had moisture issues in our upstairs bathroom since day one, but we just roll with it. The bathroom has an old, short bathtub that we literally never used in 11 years because it also had a separate shower and, well, it's short. You can't really stretch out and soak or anything, so there it sits. And after the most recent span of sitting without any attention, my wife discovered some weird mushrooms growing around the spigot. Yikes! We've also had some water leak issues that soaked through the floor and stained the main floor ceiling above the dining room. It's been like that for what seems like eternity.

Convinced that mold in the house was making us sick, she got some testing done and yep, we got us some mold issues. So it was time to move on this problem.

Note that we had been wanting to remodel this weird bathroom layout since day one. We've even had replacement bathroom furniture from IKEA sitting in a spare room next door to the bathroom for about four years. So clearly, we're very, very motivated. But getting sick was enough of a push to do it. So the demolition began.

You ever try to book a contractor? You ever try crush charcoal into a diamond with your fist? It's about the same level of difficulty and frustration. Especially when your project is not, in their minds, that big. But we worked at it and worked at it, and I think Christy may have played my cancer card a little along the way. Might as well use it for something constructive (pun intended). SO we got out guys line up... sort of.

I didn't realize that one needed to be a choreographer to do home remodeling. But indeed you need to dance with the general contractor for a while and then the plumbing guy for a bit before spinning bats with the general and then to the electrical guy, the drywall guy, back to the general, back to the electrical, the plumber, the tile guy, the general and then you still need to the finish work yourself. And these guys aren't sitting around waiting for you to call. They have other jobs to do. Bigger jobs than your job and it's all booked up. So you get helped when they can squeeze you in, but you can book with guy #4 until guy #1 gets his next bit of work done first. So needless to say, I haven't peed upstairs since Halloween.

Okay that's not true either. Once you lose your prostate to cancer, you tend to pee a little more often than usual. And going downstairs three times a night really sucks. So if you have a very loving and understanding wife, you suggest you use that pee jug they sent home with us from the hospital and put it by the bed. I was like, "Are you suuuure?" And she was. So there's a lovely visual for you! You're welcome, America! Cancer boy peeing in a hospital jug until he finally gets his bathroom back. I'm living the dream!

Basically, this is not a home remodel project. This is a sitcom.

We started the chaos ourselves, and by ourselves I mean, I was on a couch two weeks after massive cancer surgery, helping not at all, while my in-laws and my wife are upstairs with a sledge hammer and very non-historic and non-cool cast iron tub. Note that they are of retirement age. I think I've mentioned before that my mother-in-law is a freakin' dynamo. She's not happy if she's not building something or tearing something apart. I have a great video on my Facebook page of her tearing up floorboards in the bathroom while you can see right through the floor around her to the main level of the house. It made her a bit of an internet celebrity. And eventually, the bathroom got gutted right down to the joists. And not to be outdone, the dining room ceiling was about 1/3 ripped out, plaster, lath and all. So basically, a huge mess.

In the process of preparing to take a load to the dump, I managed to break both my pick-up and my Jeep within minutes of each other. Thank you to Mitchell Tigges for being spider-monkey mechanic guy and crawling under the truck with a tiny but very important part and coming out with a fully operational pickup. The Jeep, on the other hand, was not quite so "easy." That was a nice \$800 bill and two trips to the mechanic. Why do my cars always seem to cost \$800 to fix every time I break them?

I'm really glad that my architect wife is really smart about this stuff, because as handy as I am, I'd have probably screwed this up a dozen times by now. It's fun for me to watch contractors when my wife starts dropping shop talk at them. But they're cool about it. They're downright impressed and appreciate the forethought she put into things, saving them lots of time and questions to do their jobs. And we got some great guys doing out work. I'll tell you all about them in the next installment of "thank God Bryce has something funny to write about that's not cancer anymore!" ■



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LIVE AT HERITAGE CENTER PERFORMING ARTS SERIES

## STEEP CANYON RANGERS

FRIDAY, JANUARY 10

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

Steep Canyon Rangers will appear at University of Dubuque's Heritage Center on Friday, Jan. 10 at 7:30 p.m. in John and Alice Butler Hall.

Steep Canyon Rangers has affirmed their place as one of the most versatile bands in contemporary American music. The Grammy Award-winning sextet blends a bluegrass aesthetic with elements of pop, country, and folk to create something original. Based in Asheville, North Carolina, Steep Canyon Rangers formed in 2000 and have developed a catalogue of original music.



A free pre-show concert featuring local guitarist and singer Ralph Kluseman takes place from 6 to 7 p.m.

Tickets are \$29-\$39 for adults, \$25-\$34 for UD alumni and military, and \$19 for children and students. All tickets increase by \$5 for purchases on the day of the performance. Tickets can be purchased at the Heritage Center Farber Box Office; by phone at **563-585-SHOW**; or online at [DBQ.edu/heritagecenter](http://DBQ.edu/heritagecenter). ■

## DUBUQUE FIGHTING SAINTS HOCKEY

VS CHICAGO: SATURDAY, JANUARY 11

VS WATERLOO: FRIDAY, JANUARY 17

VS WATERLOO: SATURDAY, JANUARY 18

VS NTDP U17: THURSDAY, JANUARY 23

VS DES MOINES: FRIDAY, JANUARY 31

7:05 PM @ MYSTIQUE COMMUNITY ICE CENTER (1800 ADMIRAL SHEEHY DR)

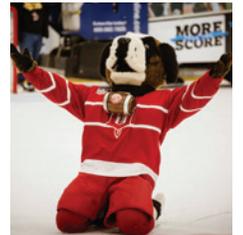
The Dubuque Fighting Saints celebrate their 10<sup>th</sup> season since they returned to the USHL. Join the Saints at Our House for a fun night of hockey for the family.

On Jan. 11, Chicago Steel heads to Our House and it's Two by Two Character Education Night. Then the Saints take on Waterloo on Jan. 17 for a Tribute to KISS and Jan. 18 for Superhero Night.

Enjoy Thirsty Thursday when the Saints battle Team USA NTDP on Jan. 23.

The Saints go head-to-head with Des Moines on Jan. 31 and it's STEM night.

Season tickets, mini plans, group tickets, and single tickets are available now! Call the Fighting Saints at **563-583-6880** or visit [DubuqueFightingSaints.com](http://DubuqueFightingSaints.com) for more information. ■



## ROCKIN' THE USA

A TRIBUTE TO LINDA RONSTADT

SATURDAY, JANUARY 18

7 PM @ OHNWARD FINE ARTS CENTER (1215 E PLATT ST, MAQUOKETA, IA)

Dawn Turlington has been wowing people for over 20 years with her charm and audience appeal. Her tribute to Linda Ronstadt is spot on, and she's bringing her show to Onward Fine Arts Center on Saturday, Jan. 18 at 7 p.m.

Dawn hails from the Midwest and often times closes her show with "I'm So Glad I'm Living in the USA" while recognizing the veterans in the audience. Not only does she favor the entertainer, her voice is dynamic and versatile. She hits all of Ronstadt's genres from country, big band, folk, to rock and roll.



Tickets are \$22 in advance or \$25 at the door for adults and \$13 in advance for \$15 at the door for students. Tickets can also be purchased at The Onward Fine Arts Center box office, by calling **563-652-9815**, or at [OnwardFineArtsCenter.com](http://OnwardFineArtsCenter.com). ■

## THU 1/9

**Re-imagine Comiskey Community Kick-Off**

6-8 PM @ AUDUBON ELEMENTARY SCHOOL  
The City of Dubuque Leisure Services Department is planning for the future of Comiskey Park and needs your input to make it a success. The park has been expanded from 3.6 acres to 5.7 acres and will be updated to meet current recreation demands. Food will be served. All ages. Free. 605 Lincoln Ave. [cityofdubuque.org/comiskey](http://cityofdubuque.org/comiskey).

## FRI 1/10

**Artistic Diversity: Elevating and Celebrating Regional Artists Reception**

5-7 PM @ GALENA CFA (GALENA, IL)  
Have a glass of wine and see the unique creations from area artists in any media. The exhibit runs

from Jan. 10 through March 7. Free. 219 Summit St, Galena, IL. **779-214-0261**. [galenacenterforthearts.com](http://galenacenterforthearts.com).

## SAT 1/11

**Veterans' Moment of Truth**

9 AM @ FIVE FLAGS CENTER  
Veterans are invited to listen to an open forum with candidates for President of the United States and a debate among candidates to represent Iowa in the US Senate. Topics will be general veterans' issues, national defense, and foreign policy. Doors open at 8:30 a.m. Free. VNRC.US.

**Change Your Life With One Word Retreat**

9:30 AM-1 PM @ STATERA  
Have you set New Year's resolutions only to lose

momentum and give up? Join this wellness retreat to learn how discovering your One Word can keep you inspired and change your life. In addition to learning sessions, the retreat includes meditation, yoga, light lunch, Statera 2020 Life Planner, and gift bag. \$30. 3375 Lake Ridge Dr. **563-207-8932**. [stateraintegrated.com](http://stateraintegrated.com).

**Film Screening: I Am Still Here**

10 AM @ GRAND OPERA HOUSE  
*I Am Still Here* is an award winning film against child trafficking. It shows some of the difficulties in combating the fast-growing illegal enterprise in the world: the child sex-slave industry. Doors at 9:30 a.m. Adult supervision is advised. Free. 135 W 8<sup>th</sup> St. [TheGrandOperaHouse.com](http://TheGrandOperaHouse.com).

**A Grand Event Bridal Show**

10 AM @ GRAND RIVER CENTER  
Win over \$5,000 in prizes at Radio Dubuque's A Grand Event Bridal Show. Doors open at 10 a.m.; fashion show at 1 p.m. Complimentary tickets at I Do Bridal in Galena, Kat FM studios in Dubuque, or [KatFM.com](http://KatFM.com).

**Dubuque Sports & Recreation Festival**

10 AM-3 PM @ KENNEDY MALL  
This festival is a unique expo-style event that promotes different sports and recreation venues in the area. The event is also a great outlet for local vendors to showcase their products and services. [DBQSportsFestival.org](http://DBQSportsFestival.org).

## SUN 1/12

**Wildlife Photography Showcase**

1 PM @ EB LYONS INTERPRETIVE CENTER  
Dubuque Camera Club presents Wildlife Photography tips and tricks and announcement of Friends of the Mines of Spain and Iowa DNR 2020 photo contest. Free. 8991 Bellevue Heights Rd. **563-556-0620**. [minesofspain.org](http://minesofspain.org).

**Following Ulysses S. Grant Through our National Parks System**

3 PM @ GALENA MIDDLE SCHOOL (GALENA, IL)  
David Kroese, a Northwest Illinois native, made it his mission to visit over 400 national parks, monuments, historic sites, preserves, memorials, rivers and

waterways, and recreation sites. Once completed, he turned his stories into *The Centennial: A Journey Through America's National Parks System*. Hosted by The Galena-Jo Daviess County Historical Society. Light refreshments provided. Free. 1230 Franklin Street, Galena, IL. **815-777-9129**. [galenahistorymuseum.org](http://galenahistorymuseum.org).

## MON 1/13

**Special Olympics Iowa Winter Games**

VARIOUS LOCATIONS IN DUBUQUE  
More than 400 athletes with intellectual disabilities from across the state competing in Alpine and Nordic skiing, figure skating, snowshoeing, speed skating and more. The Grand River Center, Sundown Ski Area, Albrecht Acres and Mystique Community Ice Center will host the competitions and activities. [SOLowa.org](http://SOLowa.org).

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## ICE FEST

JANUARY 18-20

10 AM-5 PM @ NATIONAL MISSISSIPPI RIVER MUSEUM & AQUARIUM (350 E 3<sup>RD</sup> ST)

The National Mississippi River Museum & Aquarium will celebrate its 16<sup>th</sup> Annual Ice Fest presented by Dupaco Community Credit Union, Jan. 18-20.

Winter-themed activities include ice harvesting, ice rescue demonstrations, Alaskan Malamutes, IPTV Kids Club's Dan Wardell and his friend Curious George, snow sculpting, art projects, Sid the Science Kid, live animals, a KCRG-TV9 Weather Academy, outdoor and indoor programming, movies, and more. All activities will be held inside the Mississippi River Center, the Boat Shop, on the William M. Black, and in the Boatyard.

Presented by Dupaco Community Credit Union, Ice Fest and all of its activities are included with general admission to the River Museum. Ice Fest is sponsored by Skyline and Casey's General Stores, Inc. Special media and in-kind support is provided by KCRG-TV9, Sundown Mountain Resort, McCoy Group, Inc., and the Diamond Jo Casino.

For tickets, the full schedule, and more information, call 563-557-9545 or visit [RiverMuseum.com](http://RiverMuseum.com). ■

4<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL

## CABIN FEVER MINI CON

SATURDAY, JANUARY 25

NOON-5 PM @ CARNEGIE-STOUT PUBLIC LIBRARY (360 W 11<sup>TH</sup> ST)

Celebrate comics, games, science fiction, cosplay, and more at the fourth annual Cabin Fever Mini-Con on Saturday, Jan. 25, from noon to 5 p.m. at the Carnegie-Stout Public Library.

Cabin Fever Mini-Con will have a variety of activities happening throughout the library including a video game tournament, tabletop/board game stations, Magic the Gathering tutorials with Dyersville Comics & Games, the Galena Ghostbusters, and more! People are encouraged to dress in costume, both cosplay and original costumes are welcome. To participate in the costume contest, register in advance at [dubuque.lib.ia.us](http://dubuque.lib.ia.us).

Special guest Seanan McGuire is the award-winning author of several series including *Wayward Children*, *October Daye*, and Marvel Comic's *Spider Gwen: Ghost Spider*. She is also the author of *Newsflesh* and *Parasitology* series under the name Mira Grant. Her urban fantasy and science fiction/horror style expands to her short story *The Wine in Dreams* which was published as part of the novella collection *Star Wars: Canto Bright*, a tie-in to the 2017 film *Star Wars: The Last Jedi*.

Attendees will have the chance to meet McGuire for an author signing. Books and comic by McGuire will be available for sale at the event. A few lucky attendees will also have the chance to play a game of Dungeons & Dragons with McGuire and local Dungeon Master Luke Vorwald.

This is a free event for all ages. For more information, call 563-589-4225 x2224 or visit [dubuque.lib.ia.us](http://dubuque.lib.ia.us). ■

LIVE AT HERITAGE CENTER PERFORMING ARTS SERIES

## TOM COTTER

FRIDAY, JANUARY 31

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

Tom Cotter has taken the comedy scene by storm since finishing as runner-up and becoming the breakout star on season seven of NBC's *America's Got Talent*. He was the first comedian to be a finalist on the show, and he's bringing his act to University of Dubuque's Heritage Center on Friday, Jan. 31 at 7:30 p.m. in John and Alice Butler Hall.



In Jan. 2019, Cotter was invited back to the AGT stage to perform against the best of the best AGT performers from previous years in *America's Got Talent: The Champions*. Cotter's other television and radio credits include *The Tonight Show*, *Last Comic Standing*, *Comedy Central Presents ... Tom Cotter*, *The Howard Stern Show*, and *The Late Late Show*.

5<sup>th</sup> Fret open the show and will also play afterwards on Knapp Stage in CyberCafé. A free pre-show reception will be held from 6 to 7:15 p.m. in the Bisignano Art Gallery in conjunction with the *Plein Air Painters of Dubuque* exhibit.

Tickets are \$20-\$30 for adults, \$17-\$27 for UD alumni and military, and \$17 for children and students. All tickets increase by \$5 for purchases on the day of the performance. Tickets can be purchased at the Heritage Center Farber Box Office; by phone at 563-585-SHOW; or online at [DBQ.edu/heritagecenter](http://DBQ.edu/heritagecenter). ■

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## WED 1/15

Over the Edge  
Launch Party5-6 PM @ RIVERBOAT  
LOUNGE

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Winter Writers  
Reading Series:  
Marilyn Annucci7 PM @ SHAKE RAG  
ALLEY LIND PAVILION

(MINERAL POINT, WI) Annucci's writing has appeared in numerous journals and anthologies and her collection of poems, *The*

*Arrows That Choose Us*, won the 2018 Press 53 Poetry Award and the Council of Wisconsin Writers' Edna Meudt Poetry Book Award. She is also the author of *Luck and Waiting Room*. 411 Commerce St, Mineral Point, WI. **608-987-3292**. [ShakeRagAlley.org](http://ShakeRagAlley.org).

## THU 1/16



## Movie Screening: Judy

6 PM @ CARNEGIE-STOUT  
PUBLIC LIBRARY

Starring Renée Zellweger, *Judy* is a 2019 biographical drama about legendary performer Judy Garland and her 1968 concert series in London. Rated PG-13. The first 100 attendees will receive popcorn. Free. **563-589-4225**. [dubuque.lib.ia.us](http://dubuque.lib.ia.us).

UD High School  
Honor Band Concert

7 PM @ UD HERITAGE CENTER University of Dubuque's Department of Fine and Performing Arts welcomes 100 high school musicians from nearly 30 area schools to join together and spend a day making music which culminates in a public concert. Free.

Songwriters'  
Showcase:  
Chad Elliott7-9 PM @ GALENA  
CFA (GALENA, IL)

Iowan Chad Elliott's original music is rooted in love, loss, fatherhood, divorce and homelessness. He performs more than 200 shows each year highlighting his love of roots-rock, soul and blues music. Free. 219 Summit St, Galena, IL. **779-214-0261**. [galenacenterforthearts.com](http://galenacenterforthearts.com).

## SAT 1/18

## Empowered Wellness

8:30-10:30 AM @ STATERA

Jan. 18, Feb. 1, 15, 29, and March 14. Over the 10 weeks, discover what fitness, nutrition and mindfulness programs work best for you. Discuss what it takes to make long lasting lifestyle changes, rather than trying to implement another fad diet or fitness program.

RSVP by Jan. 10. \$395. 3375 Lake Ridge Dr.

**563-207-8932**.[Stateraintegrated.com](http://Stateraintegrated.com).Bald Eagle Watch  
and More

9 AM @ GRAND

RIVER CENTER

The Dubuque Audubon Society hosts programs, activities, and a bald eagle watch. Programs include UMN Raptor Center and

The RARE Group. Children's activities, exhibitors, and vendors will be available. Free shuttles to Lock & Dam 11 take you to the Bald Eagle Watch. 500 Bell St. [AudubonDubuque.org](http://AudubonDubuque.org).

## Beginning Gardening

9-11 AM @ CONVIVIVUM

URBAN FARMSTEAD

Convivium's Farm Manager teaches the why, what, where, and most importantly, the how of gardening basics. \$15. 2811 Jackson St. **563-557-2900**. [convivium-dbq.com](http://convivium-dbq.com).

4<sup>th</sup> Annual  
Women's March

10:30 AM @ STEEPLE

SQUARE

Enjoy the music of local actress and artist Maddie Ripperger. Support local nonprofits as you browse through their informational tables as well as women owned businesses. Presidential and US Senate candidates have been invited to speak. Kimberly

Graham, Eddie Mauro, Cal Woods, and John Delaney are confirmed. 101 E 15<sup>th</sup> St.

Book Discussion:  
The Thin Places2-3:30 PM @ SINSINAWA  
MOUND (SINSINAWA, WI)

Discuss local writer Kevin Koch's *The Thin Places*, a book of creative nonfiction which connects places in Ireland with places in the American Midwest's Driftless Area along themes of Celtic spirituality. 585 County Rd Z, Sinsinawa, WI. **608-748-4411**. [sinsinawa.org/moundcenter](http://sinsinawa.org/moundcenter).

## GIT Improv

7:30 PM @ BELL

TOWER THEATER

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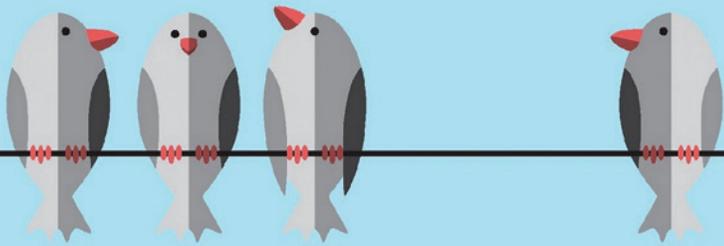
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**MON 1/20**

### Martin Luther King, Jr. Birthday Celebration

7-9 AM @ GRAND RIVER CENTER

Keynote speaker Soong-Chan Rah, D.Min., Th. D is a professor of church growth and evangelism at North Park Theological Seminary, speaker and author. Hosted by Faces & Voices. Breakfast at 7 a.m. and celebration at 7:30 a.m. RSVP by Jan. 13. \$25 Adults; \$10 youth 12 and under. 500 Bell St. [dbqschools.org/facesandvoices](http://dbqschools.org/facesandvoices).

### Winter Open House

9 AM-2 PM @ SWISS VALLEY NATURE CENTER (PEOSTA, IA)

Enjoy the best of winter recreation with snowshoes, cross country skis and kick sleds. Warm up inside with hot chocolate. 13606 Swiss Valley Rd, Peosta, IA. **563-556-6745**.

**TUE 1/21**

### Table Reading: Agnes of God

7 PM @ GALENA CFA (GALENA, IL)

Agnes of God by American playwright John Pielmeier tells the story of a court appointed psychiatrist who must assess the sanity of a novice who was accused of murdering her newborn. Cathy Goodman, Nala Kathleen and Emily Painter will perform. \$8. 219 Summit St, Galena, IL. **779-214-0261**. [galenacenterforthearts.com](http://galenacenterforthearts.com).

**THU 1/23**

### Fearless in the Kitchen

6-8 PM @ STATERA

Learn how to build your immunity through the foods you eat and which fruits and vegetables can get you through the cold and flu season. \$16 Individual; \$25 couple. 3375 Lake Ridge Dr. **563-207-8932**. [Stateraintegrated.com](http://Stateraintegrated.com).

**SAT 1/25**



### Galena Whiskey Weekend

1-3:30 PM &

5-7:30 PM @ TURNER HALL (GALENA, IL)

Sip your way through winter with more than 200 premium whiskey offerings. Your tickets includes the whiskey tasting, heavy hors d'oeuvres, and a Glencairn keepsake glass. Ages 21+. \$110. 115 S Bench St, Galena, IL. [GalenaWhiskeyWeekend.com](http://GalenaWhiskeyWeekend.com).

**SUN 1/26**

### History of the Rockdale Flood

1 PM @ EB LYONS

INTERPRETIVE CENTER

Local Historian Kyle Cox will present on this monumental storm in Dubuque's history. The centennial storm ripped its way across Madison and Warren Counties in Iowa on it way east, leaving dozens dead in its wake. When the storm reached Rockdale, a small town nestled in the Catfish Creek Valley, it unleashed its full fury. The storm claimed 39 lives in Rockdale with entire families killed and children left orphaned. Free. 8991 Bellevue Heights Rd. **563-556-0620**. [minesofspain.org](http://minesofspain.org).

**THU 1/30**



### JDIFF Winter Film Series: Gridshock

6:30 PM @ HOTEL JULIEN DUBUQUE BALLROOM

The Julien Dubuque International Film Festival Winter Film Series features a cause-related film and Q&A opportunity. Gridshock explores the often-overlooked

reality about why the sex trafficking industry thrives, shining a light on buyers and how they fuel the demand for exploitation. Vanessa McNeal will speak on her experiences and the process of making this film. Free. 200 Main St. [JulienFilmFest.com](http://JulienFilmFest.com).

**FRI 1/31**



### Theisen's Snocross National

10 AM-11 PM @ DUBUQUE COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS

Jan. 31 at 10 a.m.-11 p.m. and Feb. 1 at 7 a.m.-11 p.m. AMSOIL Championship Snocross powered by RAM is back! Snocross is the most fan friendly form of snowmobile racing. It combines the big-air jumps and exciting action of motocross with the crisp winter environment, providing snowbelt race fans with race action, world class athletes to cheer, and a fun time for the whole family. Advanced tickets at any Theisen's location. 14569 Old Highway Rd. **563-588-1406**. [snocross.com](http://snocross.com).



### Trivia Bowl

7 PM @ GRAND RIVER CENTER

Kick off Super Bowl weekend with Opening Doors annual Trivia Night on Jan. 31 at the Grand River Center! Doors open at 5:30 p.m. and trivia starts at 7 p.m. Gather your team of up to eight players and test your wits with 10 rounds of trivia. Food and full bar will be available for purchase. Dress in your favorite team gear! Cash prizes for the top three teams. RSVP. \$12. 500 Bell St. **563-582-7480**. [OpeningDoorsDBQ.org](http://OpeningDoorsDBQ.org).

## DUBUQUE WINTER FARMERS' MARKET

**SATURDAYS: NOW THROUGH APRIL 25, 2020 @ 9 AM-NOON KENNEDY MALL FORMER YOUNKERS MEN'S STORE (555 JFK RD)**

The Dubuque Winter Farmers' Market has moved to the Kennedy Mall in the entrance of the former Younkers Men's store. The entrance is located on the west side near Planet Fitness. It is held Saturdays now through April 25, from 9 a.m. to noon.

Approximately 40 regional vendors will be offering seasonal produce, eggs, meats, cheeses, honey, maple syrup, starter plants, herbs, baked goods, and more. Dubuque Winter Farmers Market also features hot breakfast options by Holliberri Icelandics and coffee by Verena Street Roasters.

You can use your credit or debit card to purchase market tokens if you



don't have cash on you or the Roshek Building has an ATM. Users of the SNAP/EBT network in Iowa can also shop at the market for fresh, affordable local alternatives. Visit the info booth to purchase your tokens.

You can become part of the energy, and not just by shopping regularly. To volunteer, contact Paula Neuhaus at [neuhaus.paula@gmail.com](mailto:neuhaus.paula@gmail.com). For more information about Dubuque Winter Farmers' Market, visit [WinterMarketDbq.com](http://WinterMarketDbq.com). ■

### ONGOING

#### Dubuque Area Writers Guild

2<sup>ND</sup> AND 4<sup>TH</sup> TUESDAYS

6:30-8 PM @ MONK'S  
Come with 5-10 copies of one poem or a prose piece for critique. Observers welcome. 373 Bluff St.

#### Theisen's Wags at the Flags

WEDNESDAYS: JAN. 15, 22, AND 29; FEB. 12; AND MAR. 4 AND 11  
4:30-8 PM @ FIVE FLAGS ARENA

This indoor dog park that accommodates both large and small dogs. The Barka Lounge offers refreshments, food and adult beverages for purchase. Rules closely resemble the City of Dubuque's dog park rules. Cleaning supplies will be available. Dogs that do not reside in Dubuque's city limits need to be up-to-date on all immunizations,

de-wormed and wear their rabies tags. \$4 per dog; free for humans. **563-589-4254. FiveFlagsCenter.com.**

#### Salsa Dance Night

LAST WEDNESDAYS  
6 PM @ SMOKESTACK  
Salsa dance lesson with Adam's Dance Connection. Bring a partner or come solo. Free. 62 E 7<sup>TH</sup> St. **SmokestackDBQ.com.**

#### Adult Pottery Painting Night

1<sup>ST</sup> AND 3<sup>RD</sup> FRIDAYS  
THROUGH JAN. 17  
5:30-8 PM @ CREATIVE ADVENTURE LAB  
Creative Adventure Lab provides all the needed supplies, glaze, and will kiln fire your piece and have it finished within a few days. BYOB (adult beverages are allowed). Admission is free, pay only for what you paint. Pieces range in price from \$8-50. Ages 16+. 210 Jones St. **563-607-5366. creativeadventurelab.org.**

#### Boomerang Bags

2<sup>ND</sup> SATURDAYS  
11 AM-1 PM @ UPCYCLE DBQ  
Make reusable shopping bags and prevent the use of single use plastic bags. **Facebook.com/UpcycleDBQ.**

#### Illusions Midwest Drag Show

3<sup>RD</sup> SATURDAYS  
10 PM @ SMOKESTACK  
Featuring the Illusions cast and special guest drag queens and kings. \$10. 62 E 7<sup>TH</sup> St. **SmokestackDBQ.com.**

#### Red Cross Everyday Heroes Nominations

THROUGH JANUARY 20  
The Northeast Iowa Chapter of the American Red Cross is looking for honorable and selfless citizens who have demonstrated heroism in their community. The Everyday Heroes of Northeast Iowa breakfast will be held at the Holiday Inn in Dubuque on March 12 at 7:30 a.m. **redcross.org/iowa.**

#### SUBMIT YOUR EVENTS!

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## GALENA LITFEST

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The sixth annual Galena LitFest boasts eight free author events and writers workshops as well as two ticketed events featuring bestselling author Lorna Landvik, award-winning author David W. Berner, and Chicago actress Deb Miller. Events take place between Jan. 5 and 19 in Galena, IL.

Remaining events include:

- Introducing **Inkie.org**  
Jan. 9 @ 2-3 PM @ Galena Public Library
- Jane Austen & the Uses of the Gothic  
Jan. 11 @ 2-4 PM @ Galena Public Library

- A Tale of Beatrix Potter  
Jan. 12 @ 11 AM @ Fritz and Frites
- Commando: Poetry Reading  
Jan. 13 @ 6 PM @ Grape Escape
- Beginning Writing for Publication  
Jan. 18 @ 9 AM-Noon @ Galena ARC
- Sound Play: A Poetry Workshop  
Jan. 18 @ 2-4 PM @ Galena ARC
- Dining with the Authors  
Jan. 19 @ 6 PM @ DeSoto House

Tickets and registration information can be found at the Galena Public Library, by calling **815-777-0200**, or visiting **GalenaLibrary.org**. ■

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## ULTIMATE ROCK HITS

JANUARY 17 AND 18

8 PM @ DIAMOND JO CASINO MISSISSIPPI MOON BAR (301 BELL ST)

The Dubuque Symphony Orchestra (DSO)'s eighth annual Ultimate Rock Hits concert returns to the Mississippi Moon Bar at the Diamond Jo Casino Jan. 17 and 18 at 8 p.m.

The orchestra joins with local rock bands Joie Wails, Johnny Trash, Full B.O.A.R., Boogie Monster, Yellow Brick Road, and A Few Blind Mice to present an amazing symphonic rock experience! These concerts, featuring chart topping hits from the 1970s to the present, will include legendary songs from Bruce Springsteen, Alanis Morissette, Kiss, Guns N' Roses, Alter



Bridge and more! You won't want to miss this unique collaboration that has never failed to bring the house down!

Limited tickets start at \$20. Purchase tickets at **MoonBarRocks.com** or by calling the Moon Bar box office at **563-690-4758** (Wed. 5-9 p.m. and Fri-Sat 3 hours prior to show). Must be 21 years or older to attend.

Ultimate Rock Hits is made possible by the generous support Runde Auto Group and Premier Bank. For more information, visit **DubuqueSymphony.org** or call the symphony office at **563-557-1677**. ■

OLE AND LENA RETURN IN

## CAFÉ CHAOS

SUNDAY, JANUARY 19 @ 2 PM

GRAND OPERA HOUSE

(135 W 8<sup>TH</sup> ST)

Ole and Lena are back at it in 2020! They return in *Café Chaos* at The Grand Opera House stage on Jan. 19 at 2 p.m.

Lena's Cousin Mildred from the snooty suburbs has returned to Potsdam and purchased the Chat and Chew Café. Mildred has aspirations of turning the Potsdam landmark into a fine dining experience. After a couple of months of successful operation Mildred heads off to a food show in Minneapolis and asks Ole and Lena to look after the place (The Norse Nook) for her. Lena is elated at the



opportunity but for Ole this sounds like work and something he wants no part of. Join in all the fun as fine dining goes to hilarious dining in this newest and most unique Ole and Lena Live production *Café Chaos*

Tickets are \$23 and can be purchased in person at the box office, by calling **563-588-1305**, or at **TheGrandOperaHouse.com**. ■

## PINOCCHIO

**AUDITIONS: MONDAY, JANUARY 20 @ 4:15-6:15 PM**  
**SHOW: SATURDAY, JANUARY 25 @ 10 AM AND 2 PM**  
**UNIVERSITY OF DUBUQUE HERITAGE CENTER JOHN**  
**AND ALICE BUTLER HALL (2255 BENNETT ST)**

Missoula Children's Theatre will host auditions for a special one-week intensive drama workshop for its production of *Pinocchio* from 4:15 to 6:15 p.m. Monday, Jan. 20 at University of Dubuque's Heritage Center. Performances will be held on Saturday, Jan. 25 at 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. Tickets are \$15 for adults, \$13 for UD affiliates, \$9 for children and students, and \$4 lap seats (with adult ticket).

The charming tale of *Pinocchio*, the wooden puppet who longed to become a real, live boy, will come to life when more than 50 local students perform MCT's original, musical adaptation of this classic tale. In *Pinocchio*, Geppetto fashions a puppet in the image of a small boy. As the lonely and kind woodcarver works far into the night, he is not aware the wood under his chisel came from the trunk of an enchanted tree. But the Blue Fairy, who watches from afar, knows and gives that puppet the gift of life. Join Pinocchio on his adventures as he learns there are no shortcuts on the road to becoming a real, live boy. There will be an opportunity to meet performers in the lobby following the show.

For auditions, students in kindergarten through 12<sup>th</sup> grade should arrive



between 3:30 and 4 p.m. and plan to stay for the full two hours. Some of the cast members will be asked to stay for a rehearsal immediately following the audition. Advance preparation is not necessary. Assistant directors may also be cast to aid in rehearsals and take on essential backstage responsibilities. The MCT tour actor and directors will conduct rehearsals throughout the week from 4:15 to 6:15 p.m. and 6:45 to 8:45 p.m. daily.

Auditions are free. However, there will be a \$50 participation fee (\$25 for children of UD affiliates) for anyone cast in the production. The fee includes two tickets for the 10 a.m. performance.

For more information, contact the Heritage Center by phone at **563-585-SHOW** or online at **DBQ.edu/heritagecenter**. ■

FLY-BY-NIGHT PRODUCTIONS PRESENTS

## THE MOUNTAINTOP

**JANUARY 31, FEBRUARY 1 & 7, 8, @ 7:30 PM**  
**FEBRUARY 2 @ 2 PM**  
**FIVE FLAGS BIJOU ROOM**  
**(405 MAIN ST)**

Fly-By-Night Productions kicks off 2020 with Katori Hall's *The Mountaintop*. Performances are Jan. 31 and Feb. 1, 7, and 8 at 7:30 p.m. and Feb. 2 at 2 p.m. at the Five Flags Bijou Room. Join the cast and directors for talk backs following the Feb. 1 and 7 performances.

On April 3, 1968, we find Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. in his room at The Lorraine Motel the night before his assassination. When a mysterious stranger arrives with surprising news, Dr. King is compelled to confront his destiny and his legacy to his people.

This is a fictional, re-imagined depiction of events in which we encounter an exhausted Dr. King in his privacy and, in the end, celebrate him through a lens more moving



and inspiring than sainthood. Note: Mature themes and language.

*The Mountaintop* stars Will Martel as Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. and Lindsey Reiter as Camae. Directed by Lenore Howard and Assistant Director Peggy Jackson.

Tickets are \$20 and can be purchased at **Ticketmaster.com**, the Five Flags Center box office, and at the door one hour before showtime. For more information, call **563-599-9486** or visit **FlyByNightDubuque.com**. ■

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# 2020 MOVIE PREVIEW

Although the weather has been rather decent lately, I still consider this the dead of winter. Fewer major events, though the ones we do have are still great. Overall, when it's cold and bleak, it takes more to get off of our couches from under our blankets to get out and do something. But even in the dead-est of winters, there's one place you can always go where there is still something interesting to see, and that's the movies. And if you go to Phoenix Theatres, you can still have the recliner and the heat.

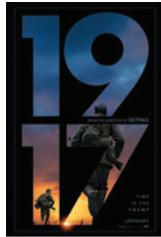
While the weeks after the new year used to be when studios would dump their crappy movies (and some surely still do), more and more they are targeting this season as fertile ground for a bored audience looking for excitement. And a look at the upcoming slate of new releases supports that. We took the time to sift through all of the major releases through the mid-year so you can get excited about what's ahead and plan your movie calendar. And especially for the next couple of cold, dreary months, here's some fun to keep you warm until we get back to T-shirt weather. ■

## JANUARY

### 1917 (R)

JANUARY 10

At the height of the First World War, two young British soldiers, Schofield and Blake, are given a seemingly impossible mission. In a race against time, they must cross enemy territory and deliver a message that will stop a deadly attack on hundreds of soldiers—Blake's brother among them. Directed by Sam Mendes who made great far like *American Beauty*, *Road To Perdition*, and the last 2 Bond Films. Early critical buzz is amazing and it looks visually stunning in the trailers.



### JUST MERCY (PG-13)

JANUARY 10

(Michael B Jordan, Jamie Foxx Brie Larson)

After graduating from Harvard, Bryan had his pick of lucrative jobs. Instead, he heads to Alabama to defend those wrongly condemned or who were not afforded proper representation. One of his first, and most incendiary, cases is that of Walter McMillian, who, in 1987, was sentenced to die for the murder of an 18-year-old girl, despite a preponderance of evidence proving his innocence and the fact that the only testimony against him came from a criminal with a motive to lie. In the years that follow, Bryan becomes embroiled in a labyrinth of legal and political maneuverings and overt and unabashed racism as he fights for Walter, and others like him, with the odds—and the system—stacked against them. The Rotten Tomatoes audience score is 99% fresh. Sounds like a must-see.



### UNDERWATER (PG-13)

JANUARY 10

(Kristen Stewart, Vincet Cassil, T.J. Miller)

A crew of underwater researchers must scramble to safety after an earthquake devastates their subterranean laboratory. So, angst-y Kristen Stewart in a wet spooky thriller. Not allowing early reviews does not bode well for critical praise.



### BAD BOYS FOR LIFE (R)

JANUARY 17

(Will Smith, Martin Lawrence)

Seventeen years after *Bad Boys 2*, they return for the third and final installment in the *Bad Boys* franchise. The film follows detectives Lowrey and Burnett reuniting once again when a Romanian mob boss exacts revenge on the duo just as they are about to officially retire. It's a Bruckheimer film, so... you know.



### DOLITTLE

JANUARY 17

(Robert Downey Jr., Antonia Banderas, Michael Sheen)

After losing his wife seven years earlier, the eccentric Dr. John Dolittle, famed doctor and veterinarian of Queen Victoria's England, hermits himself away with only his menagerie of exotic animals for company. But when the young queen falls gravely ill, a reluctant Dolittle is forced to set sail on an epic adventure to a mythical island in search of a cure, regaining his wit and courage as he crosses old adversaries and discovers wondrous creatures. Iron Man and a ton of taking CGI animals... we shall see.



### THE GENTLEMEN

JANUARY 24

(Matthew McConaughey, Charlie Hunnam, Henry Golding, Michelle Dockery, Colin Farrell, Hugh Grant)

Mickey Pearson is an American expatriate who became rich by building a marijuana empire in London. When word gets out that he's looking to cash out of the business, it soon triggers an array of plots and schemes from those who want his fortune. Written and directed by Guy Ritchie.



### THE LAST FULL MEASURE

JANUARY 24

(Sebastian Stan, Christopher Plummer, William Hurt, Ed Harris, Sandal Jackson, Peter Fonda, Jeremy Irvine)

The true story of Vietnam War hero William H. Pitsenbarger, a U.S. Air Force Pararescuemen medic who personally saved over 60 men. During a rescue mission on April 11, 1966, he was offered the chance to escape on the last helicopter out of a combat zone heavily under fire, but he stayed behind



to save and defend the lives of his fellow soldiers of the U.S. Army's 1<sup>st</sup> Infantry Division, before making the ultimate sacrifice in the bloodiest battle of the war.

## FEBRUARY

### BIRDS OF PREY (AND THE FANTABULOUS EMANCIPATION OF ONE HARLEY QUINN)

FEBRUARY 7

You ever hear the one about the cop, the songbird, the psycho and the mafia princess? A twisted tale told by Harley herself. When Gotham's most nefariously narcissistic villain, Roman Sionis, and his zealous right-hand, Zsasz, put a target on a young girl named Cass, the city is turned upside down looking for her. Harley, Huntress, Black Canary and Renee Montoya's paths collide, and the unlikely foursome have no choice but to team up to take Roman down.



### SONIC THE HEDGEHOG

FEBRUARY 14

(James Marsden, Jim Carrey)

A live-action adventure comedy based on the global blockbuster video game franchise from Sega. Originally set for release in November, it was delayed in the wake of criticism over the look of Sonic and his creepy human teeth.



### THE KING'S MAN

FEBRUARY 14

(Aaron Taylor-Johnson, Stanley Tucci, Ralph Finnes, Gemma Atkinson)

A prequel to the *Kingsman* franchise, *The King's Man* stars Ralph Fiennes as the Duke of Oxford. As a collection of history's worst tyrants and criminal masterminds gather to plot a war to wipe out millions, one man must race against time to stop them. Discover the origins of the very first independent intelligence agency.



### FANTASY ISLAND

FEBRUARY 14

"Your life is about to change... I hope you're ready." Based on the classic '70s TV show of the same name, this is no relaxing island vacation. It's a terrifying horror movie produced by Jason Blum's iconic Blumhouse.



### BLOODSHOT

FEBRUARY 21

(Vin Diesel, Elza Gonzalez, Guy Pearce)

Based on the comic-book character of the same name, Bloodshot (a soldier recently killed in action and brought back to life as the superhero) seeks revenge on the people who killed his wife. This is not a MCU or DCCU film.



**THE CALL OF THE WILD**

**FEBRUARY 21**  
(Harrison Ford)  
Jack London's classic story of Buck, a big-hearted dog whose blissful domestic life is turned upside down when he is suddenly uprooted from his California home and transplanted to the exotic wilds of the Alaskan Yukon during the Gold Rush of the 1890s. As the newest rookie on a mail delivery dog sled team—and later its leader—Buck experiences the adventure of a lifetime, ultimately finding his true place in the world and becoming his own master.



**MARCH**

**ONWARD**

**MARCH 6**  
(Chris Pratt, Julia Louis-Dreyfull, Octavia Spencer, Tom Holland)  
Set in a suburban fantasy world, two teenage elf brothers embark on an extraordinary quest to discover if there is still a little magic left out there. The first of a surprising two Disney/Pixar movies of 2020. *Soul* follows in June.



**THE WAY BACK**

**MARCH 6**  
(Ben Affleck)  
A former HS basketball phenom, struggling with alcoholism, is offered a coaching job at his alma mater. As the team starts to win, he may have a reason to confront his old demons. But will it be enough to set him on the road to redemption?



**A QUIET PLACE 2**

**MARCH 2**  
(Cillian Murphy, Emily Blunt, Djimon Hounsou)  
Following the deadly events at home, the Abbott family must now face the terrors of the outside world as they continue their fight for survival in silence. Forced to venture into the unknown, they quickly realize that the creatures that hunt by sound are not the only threats that lurk beyond the sand path.



**MULAN**

**MARCH 27**  
(LIU YIFEI, DONNIE YEN)  
The live-action adaptation of Disney's animated classic. When the Emperor of China issues a decree that one man per family must serve in the Imperial Army to defend the country, Hua Mulan, the eldest daughter of an honored warrior, steps in to take the place of her ailing father. Masquerading as a man, she is tested every step of the way and must harness her inner-strength and embrace her true potential.



**APRIL**

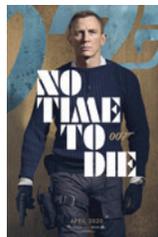
**THE NEW MUTANTS**

**APRIL 3**  
(Maisie Williams, Anya Taylor-Joy, Antonio Banderas)  
The story of a team of mutant heroes comprised of the first graduates from Charles Xavier's school (Magik, Wolfsbane, Sunspot), thus an origin story of sorts in the X-Men franchise.



**NO TIME TO DIE—JAMES BOND 25**

**APRIL 8**  
(Daniel Craig, Rami Malek)  
Bond has left active service and is enjoying a tranquil life in Jamaica. His peace is short-lived when his old friend Felix Leiter from the CIA turns up asking for help. The mission to rescue a kidnapped scientist turns out to be far more treacherous than expected, leading Bond onto the trail of a mysterious villain armed with dangerous new technology.



**THE SECRET GARDEN**

**APRIL 17—UK (US DATE NOT CONFIRMED)**  
When Mary Lennox's parents suddenly die, she is sent to live with her uncle, Archibald Craven, on his remote country estate deep in the Yorkshire moors. While exploring, she discovers a hidden magical garden. Adapted from Frances Hodgson Burnett's book of the same name. I thought, "didn't they just make this?" Yes they did... in 1993.



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**ANTEBELLUM**

APRIL 24

In this terrifying new Southern Gothic thriller, successful author Veronica Henley finds herself trapped in a horrifying reality and must uncover the mind-bending mystery before it's too late. From the producers of *Get Out* and *Us*.

**BAD TRIP**

(Eric Andre, Lil Rel Howery, Tiffany Haddish)

APRIL 24

A part-prank, part-hidden-camera, and part-road trip comedy about two best friends who embark on a madcap cross-country journey, during which several outrageous scenes were secretly filmed with real-life people who had real-life reactions. Sounds very interesting and uncomfortable.

**MAY****BLACK WIDOW**

MAY 1

Although she died in *Avengers: Endgame*, Black Widow (Scarlett Johansson) returns in this prequel entry set after the events of *Captain America: Civil War*. Ok, I'll probably see it, but I think this one won't have the draw that the MCU movies have had to this point.

**GREYHOUND**

MAY 8

(Stephen Graham, Tom Hanks, Elizabeth Shue) During World War II, a Merchant Marine skipper must maintain his ship's place in a convoy being stalked by Nazi U-boat wolf packs. Come on, Tam Hanks man!

**THE PERSONAL HISTORY OF DAVID COPPERFIELD**

MAY 8

(Dev Patel, Tilda Swinton, Ben Wishaw, Hugh Laurie, Gwendoline Christie) Dev Patel stars as David Copperfield in this film that chronicles the life of the Charles Dickens character.

**LEGALLY BLONDE 3**

MAY 8

Reese Witherspoon will reprise her role as Elle Woods, the sorority president turned ace lawyer. Apparently there was enough fashion-based courtroom hijinks comedy in the bottle to eke out one more of these. Maybe this one brings in fashion baby? But maybe the second one already did that. I don't see it. But for all the Elle Woods fans, prepare to get all giddy!

**FAST & FURIOUS 9**

MAY 22

The gang is back for the 10<sup>th</sup> installment in the *Fast & Furious* franchise. I have never seen a *Fast & Furious* movie and plan to keep the streak alive here, but maybe you'll love it?

**ARTEMIS FOWL**

MAY 29

Based on the novel series of the same name, Artemis Fowl (Ferdia Shaw) searches for his father who mysteriously disappeared. I read the first couple *Artemis Fowl* books and I have to say there is a lot better youth fiction out there waiting to be adapted. Hopefully they gave the movie a lot more reason to like this kid than the books did. I watched the trailer and nothing looks even vaguely familiar.

**JUNE****WONDER WOMAN 1984**

JUNE 5

Wonder Woman (Gal Gadot) will battle the Soviet Union and Cheetah (Kristen Wiig) in this sequel to the 2017 film. Wonder Woman squares off against the Cheetah, a villainess who possesses superhuman strength and agility. And it's the '80s so expect a lot of nostalgia, like *Captain Marvel* but 10 years earlier.

**SOUL**

JUNE 19

Following an accident, a music teacher (Jamie Foxx) is separated from his soul. This is Pixar's second film of 2020. When has Pixar ever disappointed? Right?! So plan to borrow someone's kids if you don't have any and are afraid to admit you love Pixar movies.

**TOP GUN: MAVERICK**

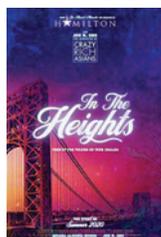
JUNE 26

Thirty-four years after the original *Top Gun*, Tom Cruise returns as Pete "Maverick" Mitchell in the high-flying action sequel where everyone except Tom Cruise has aged normally. That's not a plot point, that's real life. You know you're going to see it so just shut up and take our money.

**IN THE HEIGHTS**

JUNE 26

Based on the Broadway musical written by Lin-Manuel Miranda (before his *Hamilton* stardom), *In the Heights* stars Anthony Ramos, Leslie Grace and Corey Hawkins.

**JULY****MINIONS: THE RISE OF GRU**

JULY 3

The sequel to 2015's *Minions* will focus on the origin story of the single-celled yellow organisms. How did it take them 5 years to make a sequel to a movie that made like a bazillion dollars? Hopefully the gap means they actually really tried on the story. Well, I guess there were 3 *Despicable Me* movies though, so...

**FREE GUY**

JULY 3

(Ryan Reynolds) A bank teller (Ryan Reynolds) discovers he's a background character in a video game that will soon go offline decides to become the hero of his own story...one he rewrites himself. Now in a world where there are no limits, he is determined to be the guy who saves his world his way...before it is too late. Ryan Reynolds looks fantastically cast in the teaser trailer.

**GHOSTBUSTERS: AFTERLIFE**

JULY 10

(Finn Wolfhard, Paul Rudd, Bill Murray, Dan Aykroyd, Ernie Hudson, Sigourney Weaver) In the fourth film in the *Ghostbusters* franchise, a single mother and her two children move to a new town, they soon discover that they have a connection to the original *Ghostbusters* and their grandfather's secret legacy. It took 30 years for Jason Reitman to bring together his dad's pals, bury the hatchet and make a new *Ghostbusters*. The teaser trailer looks extremely promising.

**JUNGLE CRUISE**

JULY 24

(Dwayne Johnson, Emily Blunt) From Disney, a riverboat captain escorts a scientist into a jungle to find a mysterious tree. It seems like the Rock has just the right quality for these kinds of flicks. The second *Jumanji* was a lot of fun. Expect an entertaining popcorn flick.

**MORBIUS**

JULY 31

The second film in Sony's Marvel Universe will star Jared Leto as Morbius, a scientist who tries to cure himself of a rare blood disease. The teaser trailer didn't do much for me. Meh.





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# 365INK IMPACT AWARDS

**NOMINATION DEADLINE: FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 7 @ 5 PM**  
**AWARDS CEREMONY: TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 25 @ 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 the 12<sup>th</sup> year to the Mississippi Moon Bar at the Diamond Jo Casino on Tuesday, Feb. 25 at 7 p.m. Doors open at 6 p.m. The event is FREE and everyone (21 and older) is welcome to attend. There will be hors d'oeuvres and a cash bar with live music accenting the evening's awards.

The mission at 365ink Magazine is to help connect people to relationships, opportunities and the best possible living experiences in our community. And the 365 Impact Awards are designed to honor those who choose to make the effort to impact the community in the spirit of our mission.

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 only a select few will win.

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 2019. That's where you come in.

Do you know a person, an organization, or a business who did something particularly special in 2019 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 365ink Impact Award. It doesn't matter the category—they change every year! 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.

Fill out the nomination form at [dubuque365.com/impact-awards](http://dubuque365.com/impact-awards) or email [info@dubuque365.com](mailto: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. 7 at 5 p.m.

The 365 Impact Awards are generously sponsored by Premier Bank and the Community Foundation of Greater Dubuque. Impact Awards started with artist Gene Tully and have always been handmade by great local artists ever since.

The event is free to attend. You must be 21 to attend. It's a lot of fun and you will discover amazing things you never knew about your community. And if you are one of those special people who make the extra effort to improve the community around you, thank you, thank you, thank you!

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### THU 1/9

Blu Flame  
6 PM @ Stone Cliff

### FRI 1/10

Fabulous Fridays: Barland, Hattel, Duchow, & Patterson  
12:05 PM @ St. Luke's United Methodist Church

Jake McVey  
4:40 PM @ Spirits, Days Inn

Jeff Theisen  
5 PM @ Sundown Mountain

Ron Lubbers  
6 PM @ Timmerman's

Theresa Rosetta  
7 PM @ Dimensional Brewing Co.

Jeff Spradley  
7 PM @ Stone Cliff

Elizabeth Mary  
7 PM @ Happy's Place

Steep Canyon Rangers  
CyberCafe Pre-Show w/ Ralph Kluseman @ 6 PM  
7:30 PM @ UD Heritage Center

Garrett Hillary  
7:30 PM @ Frank O'Dowd's Pub

Andreas Tranzo  
7:30 PM @ The Cornerstone

Andy Wilberding  
8 PM @ Riverboat Lounge

Joie Wails Acoustic  
8 PM @ Southend Tap

Comedian Kristen Toomey  
8 PM @ The Comedy Bar, Novelty Iron Works

HTMF  
8 PM @ Spirits, Days Inn

Shekina King  
8:30 PM @ Grape Escape

Legal Fingers, Split Pricks, Glimmer Blinks  
9 PM @ The Blu Room

Surf Zombies  
10 PM @ The Lift

### SAT 1/11

Dan Opelka  
1 PM @ The Pop-Up Boutique

Acoustic Jam  
1 PM @ Council Hill Station

Joie Wails  
1:30 PM @ Sundown Mountain

Massey Road  
2 PM @ Burkey's Bar

LA Suess  
2 PM @ Galena Cellars

The Lonely Goats  
Snowflake Ball  
6:30 PM @ Galena Territories

Todd McDonough  
7 PM @ Wicked Dame

Joie Wails  
7 PM @ Stone Cliff

Matt McPherson  
7 PM @ Mac's Wine Cellar, Maquoketa

Garrett Hillary  
7:30 PM @ Frank O'Dowd's Pub

John Moran  
8 PM @ Riverboat Lounge

Donnie Baker  
8 PM @ Mississippi Moon Bar

Enemies of Confusion  
8 PM @ The Blu Room

Comedian Kristen Toomey  
8 PM @ The Comedy Bar, Novelty Iron Works

Rock Steady  
8 PM @ Spirits, Days Inn

Tony Walker  
8 PM @ Galena Brewing Co.

Kara Gordon  
8:30 PM @ Grape Escape

Flash In a Pan  
9 PM @ The Lift

### SUN 1/12

Open Mic w/ Scott Rische  
Noon @ Grape Escape

Acoustic Jam  
1 PM @ Council Hill Station

Massey Road  
1:30 PM @ Sundown Mountain

Jimmy Welty Band  
2 PM @ The Wharf

Becky McMahon  
3 PM @ Stone Cliff

Open Mic  
3 PM @ The Cornerstone

The Frazer Project  
3 PM @ Hawg Dogs, Savanna

### MON 1/13

Comedy Open Mic  
8 PM @ Monk's Kaffee Pub

### TUE 1/14

Trivia Night  
7 PM @ Riverboat Lounge

Trivingo  
7 PM @ DBQ Driving Range

### WED 1/15

Acoustic Jam  
6:30 PM @ The Cornerstone

Gladdy & Bob's Open Mic  
6:30 PM @ The Blu Room

Comedian Greg Warren  
8 PM @ Mississippi Moon Bar

### THU 1/16

Elizabeth Mary  
6 PM @ The Dungeon

Blu Flame  
6 PM @ Stone Cliff

### FRI 1/17

Fabulous Fridays: Doc McCaully  
12:05 PM @ St. Luke's United Methodist Church

Casey Klein  
5 PM @ Sundown Mountain

Chuck Bregman  
7 PM @ Wicked Dame

HTM  
7 PM @ Stone Cliff

Boots Hefel & Wayne Cook  
7 PM @ DBQ Driving Range

Windy City Dueling Pianos  
7 PM @ Galena Brewing Co.

Ron Lubbers  
7:30 PM @ Joliet Event Center

Meghan Davis  
7:30 PM @ Frank O'Dowd's Pub

Ben Dunegan & Todd McDonough  
8 PM @ Riverboat Lounge

DSO: Ultimate Rock Hits  
8 PM @ Mississippi Moon Bar

Mama Tess & The Chain of Fools  
8 PM @ Q Casino

Denny Garcia  
8 PM @ The Blu Room

Comedian Russ Williamson  
8 PM @ The Comedy Bar, Novelty Iron Works

MissBehavin'  
8 PM @ Spirits, Days Inn

Reverend Raven & The Chain Smokin' Altar Boys  
Flatted Fifth Blues & BBQ  
8 PM @ Potter's Mill, Bellevue

Kampfire Kings  
8:30 PM @ Grape Escape

20 Watt Tombstone,  
Woodcreeper, Daykeeper  
10 PM @ The Lift

### SAT 1/18

Chuck Lewis  
1 PM @ The Pop-Up Boutique

Acoustic Jam  
1 PM @ Council Hill Station

Tete de Mort  
1:30 PM @ Sundown Mountain

A Pirate Over 50  
2 PM @ Galena Cellars

Ardy Michaels  
2 PM @ Grape Escape

Mixed Emotions  
6 PM @ Knickers

Rick Tittle Band  
6 PM @ Dubuque Eagles Club

Scott Waterhouse  
7 PM @ Wicked Dame

Truffle Pig  
7 PM @ Dimensional Brew Co.

Tony Walker  
7 PM @ Stone Cliff

JaCi Leigh  
7 PM @ Mac's Wine Cellar, Maquoketa

Meghan Davis  
7:30 PM @ Frank O'Dowd's Pub

DSO: Ultimate Rock Hits  
8 PM @ Mississippi Moon Bar

Party After Dark:  
Taking Back Emo  
8 PM @ Q Casino

Brown Bottle Bandits  
8 PM @ Southend Tap

Winterlong:  
A Tribute to Neil Young  
8 PM @ The Blu Room

Comedian Russ Williamson  
8 PM @ The Comedy Bar, Novelty Iron Works

Becky McMahon  
8 PM @ Spirits, Days Inn

Aaron Williams & The Hoodoo  
Flatted Fifth Blues & BBQ  
8 PM @ Potter's Mill, Bellevue

Jason Ray Brown  
8 PM @ Galena Brewing Co.

Broken Rubber Band  
8:30 PM @ Grape Escape

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Disco Brunch  
10 AM @ Convivium

Open Mic w/ Scott Rische  
Noon @ Grape Escape

Acoustic Jam  
1 PM @ Council Hill Station

Theresa Rosetta  
1:30 PM @ Sundown Mountain

Elizabeth Mary  
3 PM @ Stone Cliff

Open Mic  
3 PM @ The Cornerstone

Roscoe & The Talent, Pure Service, Patient Wolf  
5 PM @ The Blu Room

**MON 1/20**

We Are The Willows, Ben Dunegan  
7 PM @ The Lift

Comedy Open Mic  
8 PM @ Monk's Kaffee Pub

**TUE 1/21**

Trivia Night  
7 PM @ Riverboat Lounge

Trivingo  
7 PM @ DBQ Driving Range

**WED 1/22**

Acoustic Jam  
6:30 PM @ The Cornerstone

Gladdy & Bob's Open Mic  
6:30 PM @ The Blu Room

Comedian Josh Arnold  
8 PM @ Mississippi Moon Bar

**THU 1/23**

Blu Flame  
6 PM @ Stone Cliff

**FRI 1/24**

Fabulous Fridays:  
Kim Yoko & Dennis Williams  
12:05 PM @ St. Luke's  
United Methodist Church

5<sup>th</sup> Fret  
5 PM @ Sundown Mountain

Live Music Crawl: Nutsy Turtle & Lori G  
6 PM @ Southend Tap

Ron Lubbers  
6 PM @ Timmerman's

Live Music Crawl:  
Justin Goodchild  
6:30 PM @ Dimensional  
Brewing Co.

Live Music Crawl: David Zollo  
6:30 PM @ The Blu Room

Jacquie Miller  
7 PM @ Wicked Dame

Ballyheigue  
7 PM @ The Lift

Secrets  
7 PM @ Stone Cliff

Massey Road  
7 PM @ DBQ Driving Range

Joradan Danielsen  
7 PM @ Mac's Wine  
Cellar, Maquoketa

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

Live Music Crawl: Searchlight Soul  
8 PM @ Riverboat Lounge

Live Music Crawl: Patient Wolf,  
Ben Dunegan, Chad Olson Jr, Todd  
McDonald, Addison Anderson  
8 PM @ Skinny Maginny's

Live Music Crawl: Ladies of  
the '80s  
8 PM @ Mississippi Moon Bar

Party After Dark: Sushi Roll  
8 PM @ Q Casino

Live Music Crawl: A Few Blind  
Mice  
8 PM @ Smokestack

Comedian Kevin Bozeman  
8 PM @ The Comedy Bar,  
Novelty Iron Works

Elizabeth Mary  
8 PM @ Spirits, Days Inn

Live Music Crawl: The Struggle  
9 PM @ 7 Hills Brewery

Live Music Crawl: Buffalo Galaxy  
10 PM @ The Lift

**SAT 1/25**

Ron Frank  
1 PM @ The Pop-Up Boutique

Acoustic Jam  
1 PM @ Council Hill Station

Tony Walker  
2 PM @ Sundown Mountain

Steve McIntyre  
2 PM @ Galena Cellars

Yellow Brick Road  
7 PM @ Wicked Dame

Andrew Hoyt  
7 PM @ Dimensional Brew Co.

Angella Meyer  
7 PM @ Stone Cliff

Joie Wails Acoustic  
7 PM @ Mac's Wine Cellar

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

Emily Webb & Ben Dunegan  
8 PM @ Riverboat Lounge

Dueling Pianos  
8 PM @ Mississippi Moon Bar

New Boots: Craig Gerdes  
8 PM @ Q Casino

The Danny Parker Project  
8 PM @ The Blu Room

Comedian Kevin Bozeman  
8 PM @ The Comedy Bar,  
Novelty Iron Works

Mixed Emotions  
8 PM @ Spirits, Days Inn

Avey/Grouws Band  
Flatted Fifth Blues & BBQ  
8 PM @ Potter's Mill, Bellevue

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

Jordan Danielsen  
8:30 PM @ Grape Escape

**SUN 1/26**

Open Mic w/ Scott Rische  
Noon @ Grape Escape

Acoustic Jam  
1 PM @ Council Hill Station

Terry McCauly  
1:30 PM @ Sundown Mountain

John Moran  
3 PM @ Stone Cliff

Open Mic  
3 PM @ The Cornerstone

**MON 1/27**

Comedy Open Mic  
8 PM @ Monk's Kaffee Pub

**TUE 1/28**

Trivia Night  
7 PM @ Riverboat Lounge

Trivingo  
7 PM @ DBQ Driving Range

**WED 1/29**

Acoustic Jam  
6:30 PM @ The Cornerstone

Gladdy & Bob's Open Mic  
6:30 PM @ The Blu Room

Comedian Steven Michael  
Quezada  
8 PM @ Mississippi Moon Bar

**THU 1/30**

Blu Flame  
6 PM @ Stone Cliff

**FRI 1/31**

Fabulous Fridays: Chuck  
Bregman  
12:05 PM @ St. Luke's  
United Methodist Church

Mississippi Duo  
5 PM @ Sundown Mountain

Roy Schroedl  
7 PM @ Stone Cliff

Hot Mess  
7 PM @ DBQ Driving Range

Comedian Tom Cotter w/ 5<sup>th</sup> Fret  
7:30 PM @ UD Heritage Center

Josh Yeltman  
8 PM @ Riverboat Lounge

Saving Abel w/ The Zealots  
8 PM @ Mississippi Moon Bar

Killbourn  
8 PM @ Q Casino

Massey Road  
8 PM @ Spirits, Days Inn

Jef Spradley  
8:30 PM @ Grape Escape

Elizabeth Mary  
9 PM @ Two Gingers, Cascade

Civil Engineers, Wurk  
10 PM @ The Lift

**SAT 2/1**

Acoustic Jam  
1 PM @ Council Hill Station

Marty Raymon  
2 PM @ Galena Cellars

Carnage, Casethejoint,  
Imperfekt, Lyric  
10 PM @ The Lift

**SUN 2/2**

Open Mic w/ Scott Rische  
Noon @ Grape Escape

Acoustic Jam  
1 PM @ Council Hill Station

Open Mic  
3 PM @ The Cornerstone



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**FRI 1/10**



**Surf Zombies**

10 PM @ THE LIFT (180 MAIN ST)

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Surf Zombies raise surf rock from the dead with fast, crazy, original instrumentals that straddle retro surf, bubblegum punk, and garage rock. A Surf Zombies show is some combination of Saturday morning cartoons, beach parties, and hot rod car shows. The driving rhythms, swirling tremolo, crashing spring reverb from dueling guitars and authentic growl of vintage tube amps make for a truly weird Midwestern wonder. Their fifth studio album, *Return of the Skeleton*, was released in Oct. 2018 for fans of surf, punk, leather jackets, vintage guitars, and exceptional melodies.

in sight. In their five years, they have played with big names in bluegrass including Yonder Mountain, Green Sky Bluegrass, Jeff Austin, and The Travellin' McCourys, as well as up-and-coming artists like The Lil Smokies, Horseshoes and Hand Grenades, and Old Salt Union.

**FRI 1/17**



**Reverend Raven & The Chain Smokin' Altar Boys**

8 PM @ FLATTED FIFTH BLUES & BBQ (300 POTTER DR, BELLEVUE, IA)

Rev will tell you he hasn't done much and that you're only as good as your last show. That said, 20 years in the Milwaukee and Chicago blues scene has given Reverend Raven & The Chain Smokin' Altar Boys some serious street cred.

**SAT 1/11**



**Flash In a Pan**

9 PM @ THE LIFT (180 MAIN ST)

COVER: FREE

Flash in a Pan is folk and grass stringband from Iowa City, IA. Founded in 2012, the band was named on the assumption that they would play two shows and dissolve. After many line-up changes the band is still playing with no end



**20 Watt Tombstone, Woodcreeper, Daykeeper**

10 PM @ THE LIFT (180 MAIN ST)

COVER: FREE

Wisconsin lords of heavy grooves and dirty blues 20 Watt Tombstone make their way back for doomed and stoned night of rock n roll! Woodcreeper's new CD will be available and Daykeeper lead off the night with some low riffage.

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## SAVING ABEL

FRIDAY, JANUARY 31 @ 8 PM

Saving Abel, a solid rocking five-man group with rich vocals out of Corinth, MS, was formed in 2004. Their southern rock hooks, contagious melodies and dominating guitar solos have been burning up the charts since their debut LP, *Saving Abel*, in 2008. Reaching top 40 and hitting No. 1 on several charts with their debut single "Addicted," these boys have been a force to be reckoned with ever since. The platinum selling single helped sell over 750,000 copies of their first record and charted two more top 10 hits with "18 Days" and the fast track rock song "Drowning (Face Down)."

Their second album, *Miss America*, also topped the Active Rock and Hard Rock charts, and stuck out again to every listener and fan with the infectious melodies delivered. The principal single "Stupid Girl (Only in Hollywood)," showing the darker side of fame, started the charting machine all over again. The raw and catchy, "The Sex is Good" hit the top 10 on several charts, followed by the heartfelt explosive title track "Miss America."

In 2012, Saving Abel debuted their new single "Bringing Down the Giant," off their third album, *Bringing Down the Giant*, and released their fourth album titled *Blood Stained Revolution*, in 2014 introducing their latest single "15 Minutes of Fame."

Opening for Saving Abel is Radda Radda.

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## MISSISSIPPI MOON BAR ENTERTAINMENT

All shows at the Mississippi Moon Bar are 21+ only, and tickets are available at the Diamond Club or the Mississippi Moon Bar Box Office inside the Diamond Jo Casino or online at [MoonBarRocks.com](http://MoonBarRocks.com).



**DONNIE BAKER**  
TUESDAY, DECEMBER 31 @ 8 PM

Comedian Donnie Baker is best known for his prank call jokes on the nationally-syndicated "Bob and Tom Show." Played by actor Ron Sexton.



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**Laughing Moon Comedy: Greg Warren**  
WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 15 @ 8 PM

**Laughing Moon Comedy: Josh Arnold**  
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**Ladies of the 80's**  
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**Dueling Pianos**  
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**Laughing Moon Comedy: Steven Michael Quezada**  
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**Saving Abel**  
FRIDAY, JANUARY 31 @ 8 PM

**Heywood Banks**  
WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 12 @ 8 PM

**Project Pink**  
SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 22 @ 8 PM

**Puddle of Mudd**  
FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 28 @ 8 PM

**Greg Hahn**  
WEDNESDAY, MARCH 4 @ 8 PM

**Howard Jones Acoustic Trio**  
THURSDAY, MARCH 5 @ 8 PM

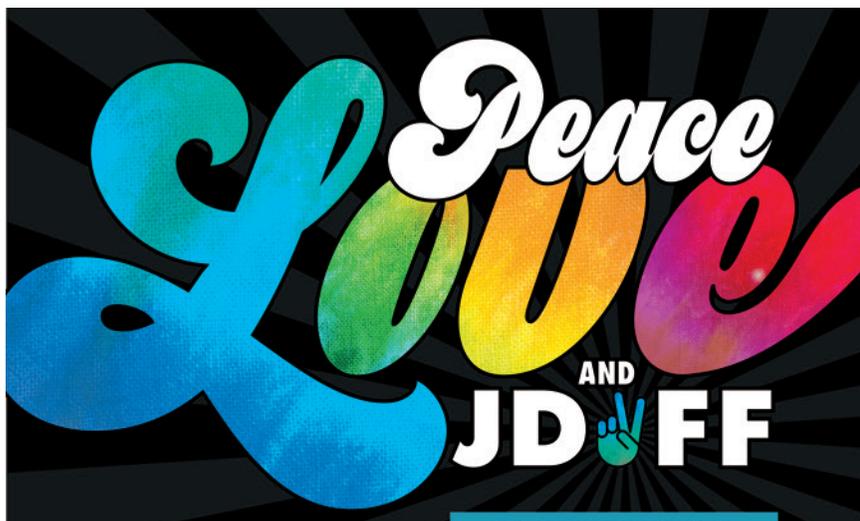
**Gaelic Storm with Ballyheigue**  
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**Ashley McBryde**  
FRIDAY, MARCH 20 @ 8 PM

**John Mueller's Winter Dance Party**  
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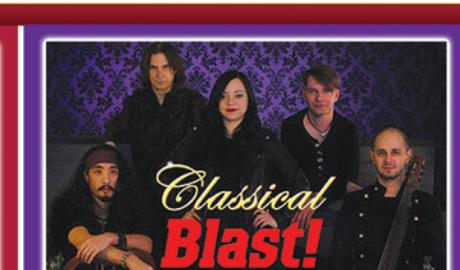
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A melding of classical and classic rock, the show explores the many links between today's rock music and the famed classical composers, from Bach to Beethoven, Handel and others, along with their influence on modern artists like The Beatles, The Police, Queen, Pink Floyd, Procol Harum, and so many others. It's a wild ride through the ages that totally rocks out!

**Tickets: \$22(advance) / \$25(door)**  
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**LIVE MUSIC FEATURES**

**SAT 1/18**



**Aaron Williams & The Hoodoo**  
8 PM @ FLATTED FIFTH BLUES & BBQ  
(300 POTTER DR, BELLEVUE, IA)  
Formed as a trio in May of 2008, Aaron Williams (vocals, guitar), Eric Shackelford (drums, vocals) and Z (bass, vocals) have fused blues, roots and rock music into an original sound that a growing fan base is recognizing and following. With second round Grammy nominations in 2011 for "Blues Album of the Year" and "Best New Artist" they've been skyrocketing towards a nationwide breakout. They also had the distinct pleasure of being named WAMI Blues Artist of the Year (2012).

and voices combining to create energetic rhythms and intricate melodies. Their heartfelt arrangements evoke shared nostalgic feelings of love and loss. Local singer songwriter Ben Dunegan opens the show.

**SAT 1/24**



**Ballyheigue**  
7 PM @ THE LIFT (180 MAIN ST)  
COVER: FREE  
Come grab a pint and enjoy some Irish tunes!

**FRI 1/31**



**Civil Engineers, Wurk**  
10 PM @ THE LIFT (180 MAIN ST)  
COVER: FREE  
The Civil Engineers are a rock and soul band based in Madison, WI. Drawing from a broad spectrum of influences ranging from Tower of Power to Vulfpeck, TCE delivers lively original dance music that attracts live music fans of all genres. Wurk is a 7-piece funk-fusion group which formed in Madison, WI in 2016. Inspired by Snarky Puppy, Umphrey's McGee, The Motet, Herbie Hancock, and many others; their innovative original songs and ambitious interpretations of popular covers offer an impressive multi-genre exploration of funk, jazz fusion, prog rock, reggae, and more.

**MON 1/20**



**We Are the Willows (solo), Ben Dunegan**  
7 PM @ THE LIFT (180 MAIN ST)  
COVER: FREE  
We Are The Willows is an orchestral indie rock band based out of South Minneapolis. The 6-piece ensemble features songwriter/frontman Peter Miller's unique countertenor voice and guitar, supported by Jeremiah Satterthwaite (guitar), Hilary James (cello/voice/keys), Travis Collins (bass), and Josh McKay (drums). We Are The Willows craft dynamic, intimate songs with instruments



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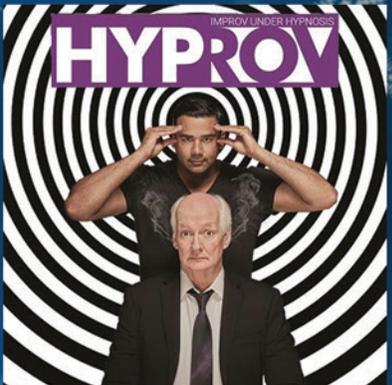
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Dubuque Main Street's third annual Live Music Crawl features nine venues in downtown Dubuque with live music on Friday, Jan. 24. The music crawl will start 6:30 p.m.

Exclusive Access passes are \$20 and limited to the first 250 registrants. The pass provides you with trolley transportation between venues, no cover charges, exclusive hors d'oeuvres or drink specials, and access to Uber credits. New to 2020, Music Crawl participants will also be eligible to win a grand prize through a passport activity! Guests without passes are able to enter the venues but will have to pay for the cover charge.



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Life can be such a Struggle so do what you love and dance while you can! The Struggle is a new five-piece band based out of Dubuque. They perform covers of favorites from all sorts of genres but add their own flair of funk/soul.

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If you're a follower of the Midwestern indie music world (or of American roots music generally) you might be forgiven for thinking David Zollo has been around forever. Since bursting on the scene as a baby-faced 21-year-old with Iowa City's white-hot, road-chewing pub-rockers High and Lonesome in 1992, Zollo has done just about everything you can do in the rock and roll business. You'll get a chance to experience the timeless power of a voice that seems to have been with us forever.

### Mississippi Moon Bar

301 BELL STREET

#### LADIES OF THE 80'S

A musical tribute to the girls and guys who rocked our world in that Totally Awesome era! This high energy Las Vegas style song and dance review features non-stop appearances by your favorite music icons.

### Dimensional Brewing Company

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#### JUSTIN GOODCHILD

Iowa City's Justin Goodchild performs acoustic top 40 music that people of all ages can enjoy. He uses guitar looping to create a sound unlike most solo musicians you hear.

### The Lift

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Exploring deep space with light speed bluegrass, Buffalo Galaxy brings gravity to their songwriting, energy to their live shows and moments of weightlessness with improvisations. Elements of bluegrass, country, jam and jazz coalesce and Buffalo Galaxy burns bright in the bluegrass universe!

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Local musicians playing multiple genres of music with a mix of covers and original music.

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A Few Blind Mice performs killer covers and great originals featuring local musicians Ty Bailey, Shaina Ruiz, William J. Brown, Ray Oatis, Ted Tenney, and Stone Von Dayne.

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Dubuque native, Doug Bredesen, conjures the perfect visage of the late Hayden Fry when he attended the Holiday Bowl where Iowa trounced USC.



Neil Diamond tribute performer, Keith Allyn, lights up the Mississippi Moon Bar Stage for two big shows over the holidays.  
Photo by Bob Felderman.



Retro Rewind organizer, John Wells (left), strikes a pose during the popular "kounter-kulture" car, guitar, music and art show at Five Flags.



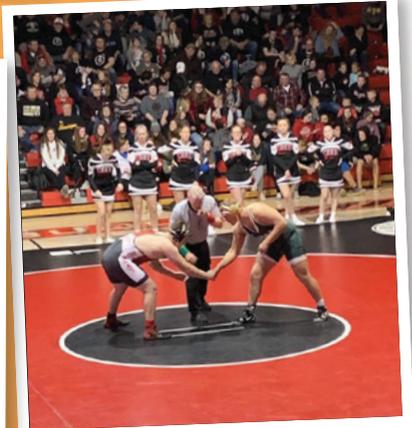
"He's a Lumberjack now BABY!" Jesse James Dupree and Jackyl tear it up on stage at the Q Showroom.  
Photo by Dave Haas.



The Dubuque County Board of Supervisors celebrate the 100th Anniversary of womens' right to vote with an official proclamation and a host of our local female elected officials: Pam Jochum, Ann McDonough, Denice Dolan and Lindsay James.



New Second Ward City Council Representative Laura Rousell is sworn-in at the start of the most recent council session as was new 4th Ward Rep, Brad Cavanagh.



West Dubuque and Hempstead wrestlers square-off in a recent bout at West Dubuque.  
Photo by Janet Lovett.



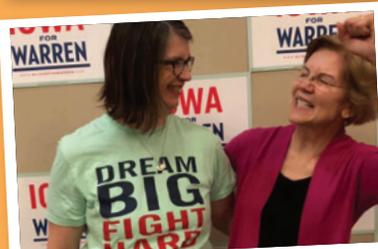
The first day hike at the Mines of Spain recreation area seems to get bigger and bigger every year. Maybe it was the nice weather. What a turnout!



Sundown Mountain Ski Patrol keeps things safe on the slopes during ski season at the popular tri-state winter venue.



Mississippi Moon Bar General Manager, Aaron Rainey, is still all smiles in his 11th year of hosting the New Year's Eve Bash at the Diamond Jo Casino.



Presidential candidate, Sen. Elizabeth Warren, responds with a fist pump when she finds out that supporter, Kate Parks, recently won a seat on the Dubuque School Board.

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# THE GAME SPORTS BAR

BY BRYCE PARKS

About a year ago we introduced you to the reimagined and remodeled The Game Sports Bar at the Diamond Jo Casino, and while the venue has been mostly unchanged since then, something has changed. Something big... huge! And no, we're not talking about the Vikings winning a playoff game. We are, of course, referring to the arrival of sports betting in Iowa.

At the Diamond Jo Casino, sports betting has found a home through a partnership with FanDuel in their amazing FanDuel Sportsbook located on the main floor of the casino next to the South entrance. The newly renovated gaming space offers 2,150 square feet of sports betting, with 4 betting windows, 34 screens, 3 sports tickers, and 9 self-serve betting terminals. FanDuel offers spreads, single bets, parlays, round robins and more for all major U.S. sports, including professional baseball, basketball, soccer, football, golf, boxing, motorsports, and collegiate football and basketball. And while you feed your hunger for sports, you can order from, you guessed it, The Game Sports Bar, to feed your cravings for the best burgers, wings, and more!

In the very recent past, Boyd Gaming, the parent company of Diamond Jo Casino, made a significant investment to reinvigorate their non-gaming amenities across several of their casinos and as part of that investment's first wave, the Diamond Jo added a new gastro pub to its gaming floor with the opening of The Filament Meetery + Eatery. In addition to a huge list of craft beers, the menu is a more eclectic mix of fare, ranging from the expected to things like the Texas Burger, Reuben Egg Rolls, Calamari, and Bison Bolognese.

But if you want good old-fashioned sports bar fare along with your ball game, it's more recently updated The Game Sports Bar upstairs that fits the bill. The Game Sports Bar is a brand within Boyd that already exists in their Blue Chip Casino in Indiana and is now going to the Suncoast Casino in Las Vegas as well as Dubuque. The sports bar-themed eatery was already a family-friendly environment, having removed gaming and smoking from the venue six years ago.

"It created more of a synergy with our family friendly upstairs entertainment at Cherry Lanes bowling alley," explains Diamond Jo Casino's Director of Marketing, Marty Maiers. "It's all ages, so you can bring the kids. Maybe take in some games of bowling before or after dinner. You can even order from the full 'Game' menu in Cherry Lanes next door."

Or send the kids bowling while you catch up on the big game.

"We kept a lot of our favorites on the menu and carried some over from other restaurants. For example, the Reuben was our No. 1 sandwich at the former Jo's Deli, so we've added it to The Game's menu."

"We installed new pizza equipment so we could provide faster service to our patrons, but what you notice first and most of all is the new audio-visual equipment. Technology changes in the blink of an eye, and what was the latest and greatest 10 years ago is old now. We put in all new and more ultra-high definition flat screen televisions."

We counted 17 TVs on our visit, measuring up to about 75 inches on at least 6 of the screens. If you want to see any game in any sport, you can probably find it or request it at The Game.

The vibe is fresher and more energetic, and if you're looking for a great place to watch a game, look no further. For a lot of sports lovers, they're not looking for a place to reinvent the wheel. People want the favorite pub foods they love and expect, and that's what The Game delivers. At its core, The Game is a burger, pizza, wing, and sandwich joint. For a pizza piled high, a classic burger assortment, various wing flavors and, of course, a host of game time appetizers, you've found your home for the big game.

If you want a curveball on the menu, you can go downstairs to The Filament and discover something new.

Let's run through the menu quick.

Appetizers include your staple of the "World's Greatest Fries" (they really are pretty good), onion

rings, cheese curds or sticks, nachos, and chicken tenders. If you want to go crazy, add chili and cheese to those fries and try out the fried pickle chips.

We feel it is our duty to admit that yes, you can get a salad at The Game. Three of them, so your healthy friends are safe to come along.

But let's get real. A sports bar is about the key platters, starting with chicken wings. The wings at The Game are meaty, breaded, bone-in traditional drummies and flats or you can go boneless (but that's not really a wing, is it?). Call it what you like, they're still good, and you can choose from eight great sauces ranging from mild to hot and including buffalo, parmesan garlic, Asian sesame, bourbon BBQ, sweet chili, and Caribbean jerk.

Four specialty pizza options are featured on the menu, and we enjoyed our Pig Out, which featured a meat-a-palooza mix of pepperoni, bacon, Italian sausage, and ham. It had a good crust and a nice flavor with plenty of toppings piled high. Other specialty pies include the BBQ chicken, taco, and deluxe, or you can just create your own with a host of topping options.

The burgers will fill you up with half pound deluxe options including the Cheese Head which features three cheeses, the Western with bacon and smoky BBQ sauce, or the Grilled Portabella. Any of these burgers will do you right for \$10.

The selection of sandwiches is nice as well. A host of chicken sandwiches include favorites like the Buffalo Chicken and the classic chicken sandwich, grilled or fried. And then there's the Parmesan with ricotta, provolone, and marinara. The Baja Chicken features fresh takes of pico de gallo, avocado, and jalapeños, with the prerequisite bacon and pepper jack cheese with chipotle ranch, yum!

Like Marty said, the famous Jo's Deli Reuben lives on at The Game with shaved corned beef, sauerkraut, Swiss and thousand island on grilled marble rye. It's joined by the fan-favorite Philly Cheesesteak and the Patty Melt, which is basically a burger that



FANDUEL SPORTSBOOK

thinks it's a Reuben. It can be whatever it wants if it goes in my belly.

Finally, straying just slightly from the traditional sports pub fare, The Game keeps some Cajun favorites from the Mojo's days with southern fried catfish and shrimp, or get them in a combo if you can't decide.

Across the board, prices at The Game are very affordable. Apps range from \$3 to \$10, pizzas from \$13 to \$17, burgers are all \$10, and sandwiches from \$10 to \$12.

Add to that your favorite selection of domestic beer in the bottle as well as several craft beers on tap, and you're all set for kick-off, tip-off, face-off, or the green flag. You can even get one of The Game's signature cocktails like the Slam Dunk featuring Southern Comfort, cranberry and orange juice. But I'm more of a touchdown guy, with is Jim Beam, lemonade, and iced tea. The Hit the Slopes features vanilla vodka, cherry soda, and ice cream.

"We want to create the comfortable experience of a traditional sports

bar," says Maiers. "It's a great fit for our casino which now has five great restaurants (including the Kitchen Buffet, Woodfire Grille, the Filament, and Subway). This is your traditional burgers, wings and pizza, done well and at good prices with lots of seating, big TV's and conveniences. It's comfort food."

One last thing to mention is convenience. It's right in the heart of a great casino with lots of other gaming and entertainment options, most notably the new FanDuel Sportsbook. Place your bets and come upstairs to see if your prognostications were on-point or order from The Game menu delivered to the Sportsbook. You can park in a covered ramp with easy access to all of the amenities in the dead of winter. And unlike some sports bars, the bathrooms at Diamond Jo are always wonderfully clean and accessible, and as we mentioned before, there's no smoking upstairs, so no worries there.

If the game is important, The Game Sports Bar is the place to enjoy it in comfort. ■



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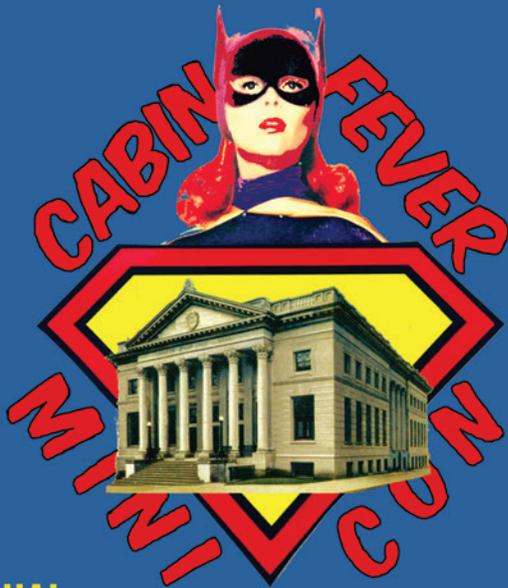
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# EMPATHY

BY MATT BOOTH

**mattitude**  
A common sense approach to a **positive attitude**

Recently, I walked into my local place to eat lunch and saw my favorite lunch lady, a young woman named Brandy. I asked Brandy how she was doing, and she said, "Not good, not good at all, my kid is sick, I have to work late and two of my coworkers didn't show up today." With every fiber in my motivational speaker body, I wanted to say, "AT LEAST" you have a good job! I stopped myself and didn't say anything. Empathy—I thought. Brandy doesn't need a motivational speech right now; she needs empathy. I've been working on showing more empathy and it is difficult. They always say we should walk a mile in someone else's shoes. When was the last time you walked a mile in someone else's shoes? When was the last time you even tried on someone else's shoes? When was the last time you even thought of someone else's shoes?

Empathy has been thrown out like the baby with the bathwater. When you say "At least" to someone, the empathy is gone. My Grandpa Kennedy just passed away in November. As I was grieving, many well-meaning friends said something like this, "At least" he didn't suffer. "At least" he lived a full life. "At least you got to see him a lot." Even though all of that is true, when "At least" is thrown in, empathy is thrown out. Then, I had a buddy of mine say, "I know how much I love my Grandpa, it sucks that your Grandpa died." I lost it on the phone and began to cry. He hit the empathy nail right on the head. He didn't mean to make me cry he just wanted to let me know that he could understand what I was going through.

When bad crap happens (and it will), it is easy to fall into a hole. We've all been there. Falling into a hole is lonely, damp, dark, gloomy, stinky and can be hard to climb out. Nearly 1 in 4 Americans are in some sort of lonely dark place right now. Some of those lonely places have to do with mental or physical health, money issues or relationship problems. When we see someone down in a hole, it has become way too easy to assume they

are okay and carry on with our business. Showing a bit of empathy means considering what they are going through. Maybe walk a bit in their shoes. You don't have to fix their problems or change them but showing a bit of empathy can go a long way.

Brandy was having a horrible day and all I wanted to say was "At least" you have a good job, get my lunch and carry on with my day, but this time I didn't. I looked at Brandy down in that hole, and said, "This sucks!" Then I climbed down into that hole and continued, "It's dark down here. It stinks. It's cold and damp down here. I know how hard work can be. I know what it's like to have a sick kid. Your day does kind of suck." I stayed in that dark place with Brandy for a minute or two and Brandy looked at me and said, "This day does suck...but at least I have a good job!" I said yes, yes you do, I'll see you next week and I climbed out of the hole and I went on my way.

Showing empathy doesn't mean I need to solve Brandy's problems. Empathy means attempting to understand from her perspective. I didn't walk a mile in Brandy's shoes, I hardly even tried them on. I just considered what it would be like to be in Brandy's shoes. I tried to put myself in her shoes for just a moment and that made a difference. If more people showed more empathy there would be less conflict and more conversation. Empathy, give it a try! ■

## CHECK YOUR ATTITUDE

Try not to think about a pink elephant. In order to not think about a pink elephant, you must first think about a pink elephant. The thing about elephants is they are big and not very good at hiding. Especially in a room. If you see an elephant in the room, the other people in the room probably see the elephant as well. The best way to get an elephant to leave the room is to simply point the elephant out. To improve your attitude and the attitude of those around you, point out the elephant in the room. If you Check Your Attitude on a regular basis, you won't have to worry about Covering Your Butt!

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# THE SUNSHINE VITAMIN

## ARE YOU GETTING ENOUGH THIS WINTER?

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



You may be familiar with the many benefits of vitamin D, but just in case it's been a while, here's a quick refresher. Vitamin D is a fat-soluble vitamin that helps your body absorb calcium. It can prevent your bones from becoming brittle, keep your teeth strong, and support immune, brain and nervous system function. Additionally, it may help support muscle function, strength and balance.

So how do you know if you're getting enough? Well, just as its nickname implies, many people can produce vitamin D when their skin is exposed to the sun (without sunscreen). However, because of the risk of skin cancer, many experts recommend limiting sun exposure with the intent of getting vitamin D to just 10 minutes a day. But even that small amount of time is not always practical for Midwesterners during winter.

Another option is to eat a diet that includes many vitamin D-rich foods. The Reference Daily Intake (RDI) for vitamin D is 600 IU per day from diet. Foods that contain high amounts of vitamin D include wild-caught salmon, herring, sardines, cod liver oil, canned tuna and shrimp. A 3.5-ounce serving of wild salmon can pack upward of 900 IU, and the same amount of tuna can get you more than 200 IU. If you're not

a fan of seafood, reach for eggs (the yolks) and mushrooms that have been treated with UV light.

If you think you may not be getting enough vitamin D through foods or sun exposure, talk to your dietitian or doctor about a possible supplement, such as Nature Made Vitamin D.

### YOU MAY BE AT RISK FOR VITAMIN D DEFICIENCY IF...

- You have an increased need for vitamin D due to weight or age.
- You limit sun exposure by wearing sunscreen, are restricted to indoor activity, live at higher latitude or live in a region with a long winter season or air pollution.
- You do not take a daily multivitamin with vitamin D and/or a vitamin D supplement.
- You do not make vitamin D in your skin from UVB rays as efficiently (such as older adults and darker-skinned individuals).
- You have a malabsorption syndrome, liver disease or renal disease.
- You take medications that interact with vitamin D absorption or metabolism. ■



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

# I BELIEVE IN GOD THE FATHER ALMIGHTY, SOMETIMES

BY BOB GELMS

At some point every religion that ever existed reached a tipping point. Almost all of them tipped into obscurity. A select few managed to appeal to billions of people and control most of the Earth. Christianity is, arguably, the biggest and most influential religion of them all. It had a beginning when it had a few believers centered in the Middle East and it grew rather slowly into what we see today. Back then, however, it was a rag-tag group of churches with their own religious texts and, largely, similar beliefs centered on a poor itinerate rabbi named Jesus.

There were two events that catapulted Christianity into the big time. One was the blessing of the Emperor Constantine. Under his rule, Christianity transformed into the dominate religion of the Roman Empire. The other event was the Council of Nicaea in 325 CE (Common Era). At Constantine's urging the loosely defined leaders of the Church met to rule on a wide raging agenda of issues; setting the date of Easter, the makeup of the books of the bible, married clergy, and the settling of the Arian heresy among other agenda items. This all happened in the public meetings. In this issue's book *The Vatican Cop* by Shawn

Raymond Poalillo there were most private decisions made involving three items that, from that day forward, would remain hidden from the faithful until the present day when their existence almost became known.

In real life these so called relics, were only rumored to be real and were dealt with by Peter the first Pope. If these items are a reality, they remain hidden to this day. In Mr. Poalillo's novel the Pope alone came up with an ingenious method for keeping the relics a well guarded secret in perpetuity. It was fool-proof. Almost. He got word that one of the three men guarding the relics was murdered by a radical group outside the church and the relic was stolen.

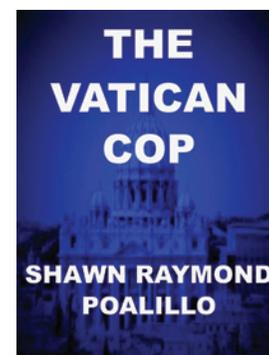
The Pope then called on the services of Michael Poe, a special agent of the United States Department of Homeland Security. He was made an officer in the Vatican Police Force and a special Papal Investigator answering only to the Pope. He is assisted by two investigators one of whom is a stunningly beautiful woman who has a few surprises in store for Agent Poe

This is the current book in the Michael Poe series, number four. I have read two other books in the series and, although, *The Vatican Cop* is by far the best one

in the series, they are all immensely entertaining and they are easy, quick reads. It is interesting to note that Mr. Poalillo is a retired investigator for the U.S. Dept. of Homeland Security. He brings to the books a clear sense of realism that puts you right there in a meeting with Pope Francis or an argument with Investigator Giada, his beautiful partner.

There are speed bumps, in a manner of speaking, and quite a few are unexpected. This kept me reading to find out what happens. There is way too much to talk about because there is way too much to give away, more than in most thrillers. I will nevertheless touch on the ending which is clever, unexpected and very satisfying. Just when you thought the book has ended, Mr. Poalillo has one gargantuan completely amazing conclusion delivered by the author IN ONE WORD.

If you love thrillers like I do Mr. Poalillo's *The Vatican Cop* is the first must-read, do-not-miss, buy- immediately thriller of 2020. Get the New Year started with a 2,000 year old mystery, a collection of wonderful characters, and a story you cannot turn away from. ■



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## PUZZLE PAGE

### WHERE'S GENERAL BOB?

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



### Conceptis Sudoku

By Dave Green

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Difficulty Level ★★★★★

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PUZZLE ANSWERS ON PAGE 34

## PREMIER Crossword

By Frank A. Longo

### OFF DUTY

#### ACROSS

- 1 Pillager
- 7 Branch of Buddhism
- 10 Mosque minister
- 14 Stallone role
- 19 Large lizard
- 20 Shirt-pocket audio player
- 22 Wine coolers
- 23 Gasohol, e.g.
- 25 Italy's largest port
- 26 Apartment, e.g.: Abbr.
- 27 Sculling need
- 28 That, in Spanish
- 29 America's Cup sport
- 31 Passed-on value system, say
- 36 Ever and —
- 38 "The Fresh Prince of — Air"
- 39 Volkswagen hatchback
- 40 Ellipsis bit
- 41 Serious moral offense
- 45 Big Apple airport code
- 48 Superbright colors
- 52 "Relax, Gil!"
- 53 — Kippur
- 54 Song of thanksgiving
- 56 Drink sample
- 57 Tattoos and piercings
- 59 Journalistic profession
- 63 Childbirth assistant
- 66 Two-spinoff CBS series

- 67 Quit sleeping
- 68 Very manly
- 72 Like gross profits ... or how the ends of eight answers in this puzzle might appear
- 75 Digital greeting
- 76 Illicit love affairs
- 78 Helen's city
- 79 4-point Scrabble piece
- 81 Events to move merchandise for charity
- 84 Redgrave of film
- 89 Ending for Canton
- 90 Leg bone
- 91 Pro hoops gp.
- 94 Tested the weight of by lifting
- 95 Take hold
- 98 Flanders on "The Simpsons"
- 99 Bucolic byway
- 101 Here-there linkup
- 103 Madam's partner
- 105 Plains tribe
- 106 Shady giants
- 107 Earnings not allocated for necessary items
- 115 Very brave
- 116 Adam's partner
- 117 Suffix with northwest
- 118 Provided with a meal

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- 122 It may be trespassed on
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- 128 Bristlecone, for one
- 129 "Tru" subject
- 130 Made of turf
- 131 River through Flanders
- 132 37-Down part: Abbr.
- 133 Neighbor on "Seinfeld"
- 30 "El —" (1961 epic film)
- 32 Oct. 24 observance
- 33 Count (on)
- 34 Besides that
- 35 Boisterous merriment
- 36 Hail — (yell "Taxi!")
- 37 Western mil. alliance
- 42 Dancer Duncan
- 43 Roman despot
- 44 Global financial gp.
- 46 Reaches
- 47 Jacuzzi sigh
- 49 Honshu port
- 50 Saltpeter
- 51 Fork out
- 54 Purple-brown
- 55 School lobby gp.
- 58 Soaking spot
- 60 One way to serve ham or pastrami
- 61 "It's Pat" star Julia
- 62 Tic-toe linkup
- 64 Leaves alone
- 65 "Yes, sorry to say"
- 68 Former fillies
- 69 Entertain
- 70 Tailed orbiter
- 71 Engine noise
- 73 Dancing girl in "Return of the Jedi"
- 74 VII times II
- 77 Boss of a cpl.
- 80 Actor Bert of "The Wizard of Oz"
- 82 A, to Wilhelm
- 83 — -cone (frozen treat)
- 85 Actor — Zimbalist Jr.
- 86 Robbed
- 87 Stitched line
- 88 Counts up
- 92 Wave-tossed bobber
- 93 Voting "no"
- 96 Exclusive group of people
- 97 Lack of a response
- 99 Fancy tie
- 100 Copier ink
- 102 Agent, for short
- 104 "The nerve!"
- 107 Wafers, e.g.
- 108 Prelim
- 109 Fine fiddle
- 110 Prone to tilt
- 111 "The Wire" actor Elba
- 112 Trendy again
- 113 Earthen pot
- 114 Comparable (with)
- 119 Feminizing suffix
- 120 Batik artisan
- 123 Feminizing suffix
- 124 Ending for cannon
- 125 Cribbage pin
- 126 Green-minded gp.

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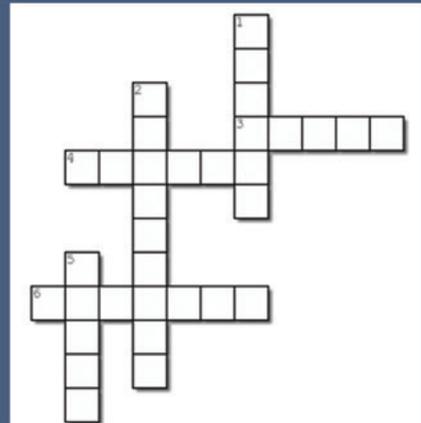
1. Sierra 2. Gladiator 3. Runde 4. Blazer 5. Buick 6. Mustang

#### Across:

- 3. Family dealership established in 1927
- 4. Chevrolet's newest SUV
- 6. Ford's horse

#### Down

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- 2. Jeep + Truck = \_\_\_\_\_
- 5. #ThatsA\_\_\_\_\_



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## UPCOMING FAMILY EVENTS

**FRI 1/10**

### Stars & S'mores

7-8 PM @ SWISS VALLEY NATURE CENTER

Explore objects in the night sky and discover constellations to look for this time of year. Plus campfire and s'mores will be available. RSVP. 13606 Swiss Valley Rd, Peosta, IA. **563-556-6745**.

**SAT 1/11**

### L&MOP: String Q

10-10:30 AM @ CARNEGIE-STOUT PUBLIC LIBRARY

NISOM hosts Lollipops and Music for Our Preschoolers (L&MOP), a free and fun monthly concert series that introduces children and their families to a variety of musical styles and instruments. Children leave with a greater appreciation of music.... and a lollipop!

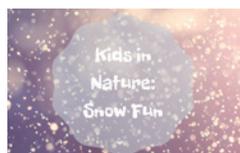
### Toddler Time

10:30-11:30 AM @ NATIONAL MISSISSIPPI RIVER MUSEUM & AQUARIUM

Programs include a variety of hands-on and active activities, including a craft

and a game. Open to children ages 2-4, and a parent or caregiver. RSVP suggested. \$8 Member toddler; \$10 non-member toddler; parent/caregiver free. 350 E. 3<sup>rd</sup> St. **563-557-9545** x213. [RiverMuseum.com](http://RiverMuseum.com).

**WED 1/15**



### Kids in Nature: Snow Fun

9-10 AM @ SWISS VALLEY NATURE CENTER (PEOSTA, IA) Bundle up and have some fun in the snow! Look for signs of animals in the winter wonderland of the preserve. RSVP. 13606 Swiss Valley Rd, Peosta, IA. **563-556-6745**.

### Movie Screening: The Karate Kid

6 PM @ FIVE FLAGS Enjoy a nice, relaxing evening while watching The Karate Kid (rated PG). Hosted by City of Dubuque's Leisure Services Department. Free. 405 Main St.

**MON 1/20**

### School's Out Ed-Venture Camps

9 AM & 1 PM @ NATIONAL MISSISSIPPI RIVER MUSEUM & AQUARIUM

School's Out Ed-Ventures provide elementary age youth with fun and educational programs on select dates when the Dubuque Community School District is not in session. Half day and full day options are available. RSVP by Jan. 13. \$50/full day, \$30/half day Members; \$60/full day, \$35/half day non-members. 350 E. 3<sup>rd</sup> St. **563-557-9545**. [RiverMuseum.com](http://RiverMuseum.com).



### Pinocchio Auditions

4:15-6:15 PM @ UD HERITAGE CENTER See page 11 for details.

**SAT 1/25**

### Pinocchio Performance

10 AM AND 2 PM @ UD HERITAGE CENTER See page 11 for details.



### Sid the Science Kid Explores Snow and Ice

11 AM-1 PM @ NATIONAL MISSISSIPPI RIVER MUSEUM & AQUARIUM Stop by Sid the Science Kid: The Super-Duper Exhibit! for a super-duper specially themed activity and visit from Sid himself. 350 E 3<sup>rd</sup> St. **563-557-9545**. [rivermuseum.com](http://rivermuseum.com).

**MON 2/3**

### Kids Take the Stage

BELL TOWER THEATER Feb. 3-March 13. Kids from kindergarten to sixth grade are encouraged to indulge themselves in the world of theater in these weekly sessions. Aspiring actors and actresses will learn a variety of skills and techniques for live performances. Classes include: Let's Pretend, Pete the Cat Adventures, Creative Theatrics, Fractured Fairy Tales, and Acting. RSVP by Jan 22. \$70-\$95. 2728 Asbury Rd. **563-588-3377**. [BellTowerTheater.net](http://BellTowerTheater.net).

## SPOT THE DIFFERENCE

Can you spot 10 differences between these two photos?



## SPOT THE DIFFERENCE ANSWERS

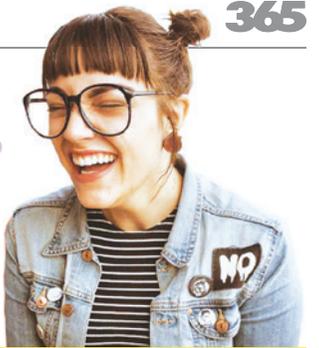


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# Gwen Danzig's Good Advice

**DEAR GWEN,**

I work from home, but occasionally I have Skype video calls with my team in the office. Do I have to get up and shower and get ready just for people to see me on a webcam? I don't know the protocol here.  
—Sincerely yours, Dirty Desk Monkey

**DEAR DIRTY DESK MONKEY,**

Do you have a Macbook? If so, yes, you must shower and put on something with buttons. You even need to do your makeup. If you have a garbage \$15 webcam, you have grace. You can be hungover and zitty, so long as your webcam is a potato.

Pants are optional in both scenarios, but if you ever come back to me and say you're in deep with corporate because you forgot about being pantsless and stood up during a staff meeting? That's not on me, talk to legal.  
—xoxo Gwen

**DEAR GWEN,**

I'm trying to nail down a workout regimen. I'm not usually one for New Year's resolutions, but this year I've been trying to stretch, do crunches, and lift every day after work. My trouble at the moment is getting motivated. Any ideas on how to stick to a workout plan?  
—Thanks, Gainz on Grandview

**DEAR GAINZ ON GRANDVIEW,**

Bless you for this beautiful question, which allows me to pepper in the fact that I have run a half marathon. A year and a half ago I ran a half marathon! (Ask me how many times I've run since. You can't, but it's zero. Zero whole times.) When people find out I ran a half marathon, (because, like everyone who has ever run a long distance, I mention it, usually apropos of nothing) I say, "I wanted to see if I could do it, so I did it," like I'm giving my own impromptu

Ted Talk in the break room to people who definitely didn't pay for it, let alone ask for it.

Here's the truth, dear question asker: The truth is I got in way too deep. My friend Hannah said, "Want to run a half marathon at Disney with me?" and it sounded like a good idea! I could quit smoking! I could get fit enough to kill a man, why not? So I signed up for the race and I spent hundreds of dollars.

Hundreds of dollars are the reason I trained on ice through the winter and why I woke up at 3 a.m. to run in Florida humidity. At the end of the race, a woman walked up to me with a blue cloth and I yelled, "What is that?!" And she said, "A cool towel!" and I sobbed in this strange woman's arms. I did this because I spent hundreds of dollars. I did this so I can drop it in conversations wherein everyone knows I'm bragging and exactly zero people care. Exactly zero. The amount of times I've worked out for free.

Did I quit smoking? No, it's all I have left. Did I get swoll? No, I am still extremely breakable. I did neither of those things. But I did ride Pirates of the Carribean 14 times.

What I'm saying here is working out is irrefutably terrible. And unless it is quite literally your job to be muscley, like a pro wrestler or Terry Crews, eat your snacks and sit on your couch because you already have one job, why give yourself another unpaid internship?  
—xoxo Gwen

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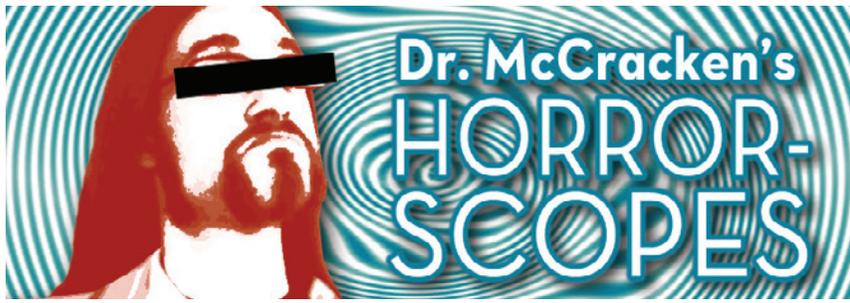
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**ARIES**  
(MAR 21-APR 19)  
Mood swings and irritating little distractions could have you temporarily at odds with the ringleader of the internet chain e-mail scam you've unfortunately fallen for. Make sure to stay focused and have a lot of documentation when you put \$3,000 into escrow and then mysteriously disappear into the vast woodlands of rural Russia.

**TAURUS**  
(APR 20-MAY 20)  
It's best to get out by yourself for a while and do something entertaining that really speaks to you, like licking the display remotes at Best Buy or running an illegal traveling combat zone where you make a mongoose and a snake fight to the death.

**GEMINI**  
(MAY 21-JUNE 20)  
If you're feeling like you haven't been your old, charming self lately, try arranging a meeting with a doctor whose license has been suspended and see if they can perform a new, experimental procedure that will successfully remove your blood and replace it with delicious, affordable, ailment-curing TWIX-FLAVORED MILK. Try the brand new, scrumptious, life-altering, semi-blinding TWIX-FLAVORED MILK.

**CANCER**  
(JUNE 21-JULY 22)  
Inspiration could hit you today like a wine-drunk kangaroo punching you in the face for insulting them for being left-handed.

**LEO**  
(JULY 23-AUG 22)  
Whatever you devise or discover on the spiritual journey you've been thinking about taking, remember that you can always leave everything in your life behind and move into an abandoned model home in a long-forgotten subdivision in Idaho that was shut down because the water in the area was just over the government-allotted acceptable levels of fish blood.

**VIRGO**  
(AUG 23-SEP 22)  
Try to remain calm and not get too flustered if you hit a few roadblocks while driving through a construction area.

**LIBRA**  
(SEP 23-OCT 22)  
Help with a creative project—either working on the project or promoting it in some way—can always be obtained as long as you're willing to share your vision without someone who is only using to get to the top of your respective artistic world and then dangle you out a window so all the money falls out of your pockets and into a bucket they've placed below. Make sure you keep your money stuffed inside your socks and don't associate with anyone who has an airbrushed skull on the side of the houseboat they won in a settlement.

**SCORPIO**  
(OCT 23-NOV 21)  
Your lucky number is an emoticon that means "I have a kebob skewer stuck in my retina."

**SAGITTARIUS**  
(NOV 22-DEC 21)  
This is an excellent time to present anything you've done wrong to the public and then disappear off to Tijuana to run a bodega that sells bootleg energy drinks. Once you burn all your bridges there, present your wrongdoings to the public once again and relocate to the most ice-filled area of Greenland where you'll survive by opening a gourmet lemming meat restaurant. When you burn it down for the insurance money, go back and buy your hometown.

**CAPRICORN**  
(DEC 22-JAN 19)  
If you're feeling especially innovative lately, you should rethink your abilities.

**AQUARIUS**  
(JAN 20-FEB 18)  
"We're very lucky in the band in that we have two visionaries, David and Nigel, they're like poets, like Shelley and Byron. They're two distinct types of visionaries, it's like fire and ice, basically. I feel my role in the band is to be somewhere in the middle of that, kind of like lukewarm water."

**PISCES**  
(FEB 19-MAR 20)  
The group activity you've been thinking about hosting will be greatly improved if you don't try to convince everyone to join your Multi-Level Marketing scheme at the end.

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