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When our office mates at *Julien's Journal* sold the publication and the new owner decided not to continue working out of our shared space, it then led me to decide that doubling all of my rent-related bills was not the most attractive way forward. So, we're moving to new digs as well. In our case, you can find us after Nov. 1 in the Schmid Innovation Center in the lower level of the Caradco Building in Dubuque's Historic Millwork District.

Thus, the last two or three weeks have been a slog of going through everything we own at the office and deciding what to do with it because our goal is to take as little as possible with us to our new home. This means divesting tons of furniture and equipment; figuring out what to do with a bunch of art, awards, and items we've collected; and, of course, recycling or tossing out loads and loads of, well... crap.

When we moved into our most recent Cable Car Square office from so far away (across the alley where U.S. Cellular is now), we brought a lot of stuff with us that went directly into the basement for storage. Why did we do this? When do you ever move stuff into storage and then later decide it was a good idea to have all of that stuff in storage? I'll bet I've been in that basement about 10 total times since we moved into the office, and that was usually to add more stuff to the pile of stuff we'll already never likely need again.

Even after going over the things we've amassed down there this week, I still feel that it could be well served by a nice controlled burn. But we can't do that, so I think we're going to have the Errand Boys in Dubuque haul it all upstairs, out the back door, and to the dump. Even things like flat screen computer monitors are now an extra 10 years old. Who wants that? Nobody. That stupid vacuum cleaner never worked, why did we put it down there? Grrrr!

This is also the time when you realize it was kind of a big waste of time to save hard copies of every issue of the paper ever. Especially if we saved a few copies of each issue. When you have almost 450 issues and multiples of some, it's a crazy stack of papers, and you have to know when it's time to say goodbye. I'll always have you digitally... and I ain't hauling you around one more darn time.

Sure, a lot of this stuff had value, but as I want to get out of here in a few days, I feel like the best thing to do with much of these desks, file cabinets, chairs, and accessories is to give it to friends and

local organizations who can put it to good use. Yeah, I could try to sell it all, but that just sounds like a massive headache, and I've made a lot of people very happy with the gifts I've bestowed so far.

The timing of the move is not so great. While I'm still far from 100% after my recent cancer surgery, hauling furniture around is not really high on my list. Then there's the imminently, fast ramping up of Toys for Tots season starting in about three days. Oh, and the massive Toys for Tots auction that we always host on Facebook looks slick and easy, but man, it is a TON of work for a week or two. I'll bet you can empathize with me when I say that it feels like I'm trying to push a snow shovel in five directions at the same time, making a bit of progress on each front and jumping back and forth as I try not to let the snow creep back on any one front. A little moving progress, a little auction, progress, a little Toys for Tots progress, and trying not to hurt myself in the process.

So, my late October and November are going to be a huge juggling game where I smile and act like everything's fine and I have it all under control and just hope like hell that when it all settles down, that's the case. Because you know exactly how it goes. You can work a score of miracles, but if you drop that one ball, you're going to be the bad guy to someone. So, cross your fingers for me.

How can you help you ask? I'll give you one great way, and it's something you can do with family, friends, or co-workers. We have a big Toys for Tots toy distribution event coming up at the Multicultural Family Center in Dubuque. It will run six days a week from Nov. 29–Dec. 13. Each day, we have 3 or 3.5 hours shifts where people like you assist people to "shop" for their kids for Christmas. We need five volunteers per session, two sessions a day, across two weeks. So you can see the need. 120 volunteers. But it's fast and fun, and you can do it with friends to make it even more enjoyable. It's a great community service opportunity for businesses. All you have to do is visit volunteersignup.org/RJXX4 and choose a day and time slot and sign up to help! It'll be a huge help to me and the toys program, and you'll get to see a bit behind the scenes of what the Toys for Tots program is all about.

Oh, and watch for this year's Toys for Tots silent Facebook auction on my personal Facebook page at facebook.com/Bryce365 starting (I hope) Nov. 6! Stay tuned to see if I can pull it all off! ■

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VS YOUNGSTOWN PHANTOMS: NOVEMBER 10 & 11 @ 7:05 PM

IMON ARENA (1800 ADMIRAL SHEEHY DR)

The Dubuque Fighting Saints season is underway. They came out of the gate like a shot, starting the season with seven big wins over top opponents like Green Bay and racking up a whopping 53 goals. Certainly scoring goals is their thing so far in 2023-24, and lots of goals makes for a fun time at the ImOn Arena.

Upcoming home games include Friday, Oct. 27 vs. Tri-City Storm. Everyone's favorite mascot Bernie the Saint Bernard is celebrating his birthday! Enjoy a night of birthday festivities and come dressed in your Halloween costume to celebrate.

Nov. 10 and 11 will see the Youngstown Phantoms at Our House. Nov. 11 is Military Appreciation Night sponsored by Hirschbach Motor Lines. Honor the men and women of our armed forces as the Fighting Saints will be wearing special military-themed jerseys. All jerseys will be auctioned off post-game benefitting the Veteran's Freedom Center. All retired, veteran, disabled,



and active military men and women can receive a free ticket at the box office.

The team is looking strong this season as they sit alone atop their divisions. Make this the year you wave your Dubuque Fighting Saints fan flag at every home game!

Single game tickets range from \$13 to \$25 with season tickets and flex plans also available. For tickets and more information, visit DubuqueFightingSaints.com. ■



SUNDOWN MOUNTAIN MOVIE NIGHT

Legend Has It

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 3 @ 6-7:30 PM

PHOENIX THEATRES (555 JFK RD)

Sundown Parks is excited to partner with Phoenix Theater to bring you Teton Gravity Research's latest action-packed ski and snowboard film: *Legend Has It*. Join for a special screening on Friday, Nov. 3 at 6 p.m. at Phoenix Theatres.

Ski lore is riddled with stories, sometimes of unknown origin, describing plausible but extraordinary past events. Often shared on chairlifts, the skintrack, or over a beer, these legendary tales, whether it be mythical storm cycles,

heroic feats, or whispers of fantastical terrain, all contribute and shape the present experience. For 28 years, Teton Gravity Research has been traveling the globe with the best athletes to the most incredible locations often based on this fabled history to uncover the experience... and sometimes creating legends of their own along the way.

All proceeds will benefit improvements to the Sundown Parks' Terrain Parks. The film is suitable for all ages.

Tickets are available through Nov. 2 for \$15 at sundownmntn.com or purchase at the door for \$20. For more information, call Sundown at **563-556-6676** or visit sundownmntn.com. ■

Become a Reading Volunteer!

Adults in the community can support children's reading proficiency and help them form positive, lifelong experiences by signing up to read in Dubuque elementary schools.



Jason Neises, community development officer at the Community Foundation of Greater Dubuque, reads to students at Prescott Elementary School.



**By Kelly Krause,
Ed.D**
*Education Officer,
Community
Foundation of
Greater Dubuque*

There's something special about reading aloud to a child. Reading to children not only creates good memories, but it also helps them learn. Scientist Carl Sagan has said, "One of the greatest gifts adults can give to their offspring and to their society is to read to children."

Now you can provide that magic gift for students in the Dubuque Community School District as a reading volunteer. Adults in the community are invited to partner with area elementary schools to read to students and listen to individual students read to them.

This new effort is part of the

Community Foundation of Greater Dubuque's Every Child Reads initiative, which supports reading proficiency by the end of third grade, a benchmark for young learners. In fact, third-grade reading is the most important predictor of high school graduation and career success.

While offering extra support for learners of any age is important, students at the elementary level need time and assistance when learning new skills, especially reading. A patient adult who

spends time with a young child can serve as a strong role model for good reading habits.

"As an educator of 32 years, I have seen first-hand how the gift of reading with a child opens their minds and their possibilities," says Lisa TeBockhorst, executive director of elementary education for the Dubuque Community School District. "Reading is truly a gift with forever impact; the more adults engage with children through reading, the greater the impact."

This opportunity is made possible through our partnerships with the Dubuque Community School District and United Way of Dubuque Area Tri-States, as well as funding support from the Dubuque Racing Association.

You can choose to read at any public elementary school throughout the city. All you need to do once you sign up online is complete a background check. Then, you will be connected with the school of your choice to coordinate reading sessions.

Volunteer today!

Visit volunteerdbq.com/need and type "Reading" in the search bar to find schools looking for volunteers.



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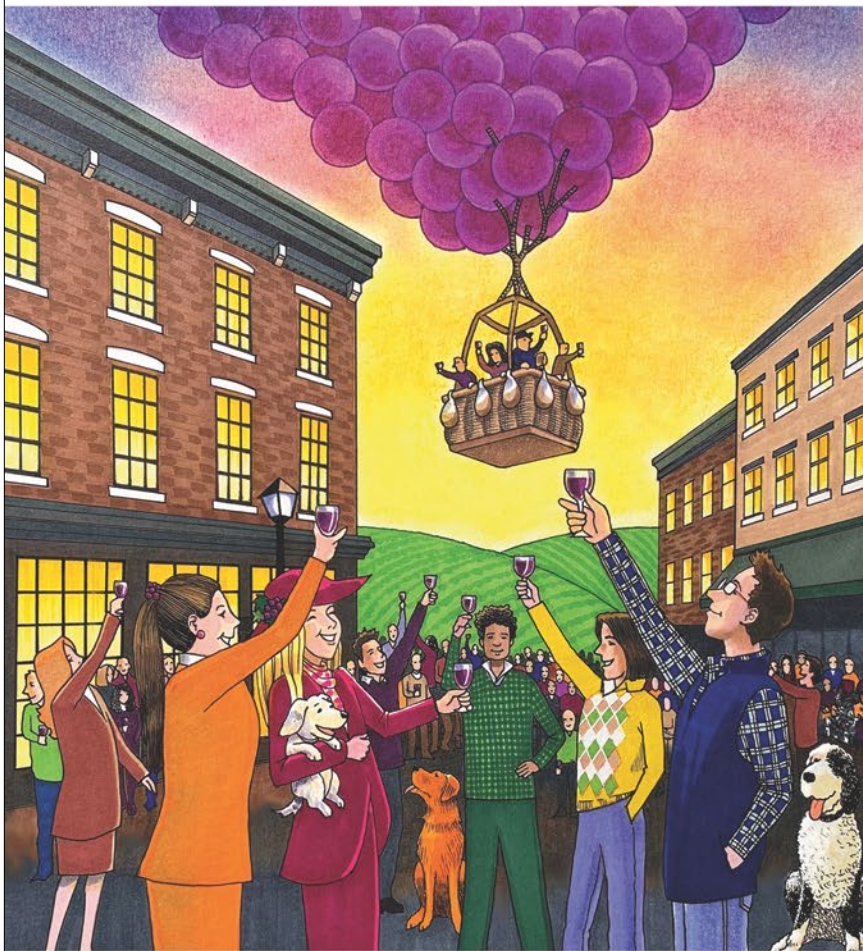
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Dubuque Winter Farmers Market

SATURDAYS: NOVEMBER 4-APRIL 27
@ 9 AM-NOON
KENNEDY MALL WEST CONCOURSE
(555 JFK RD)

Welcome back to the Dubuque Winter Farmers Market. Just because it gets a little cold outside and gardens go to sleep for the season, it does not mean that the fresh, delicious, and creative locally-sourced grown and baked goodies are not readily accessible. Join every Saturday from 9 a.m. to noon, November to April, at Kennedy Mall in the West Concourse next to Planet Fitness.

Dubuque Winter Farmers Market picks up right where the summer market left off with bushels and bushels of healthy, locally-grown goodness. You'll discover veggies, eggs, honey,

beef, maple syrup, pork, baked goods, chicken, flowers, candy, and much more.

And because it opens from 9 a.m. to noon, you don't have to get up at the crack of dawn to get your pick of the goodies. Come and see the bounty that continues year round in our community with a Saturday morning shopping outing pop-in at market!

You can use your SNAP/EBT card if you're trying to eat healthy on a budget. Stop by the information table at the front entrance to learn more.

Bring your own reusable shopping bags and drop off clean egg cartons, glass jars, and plastic clam shells.

The all-volunteer driven market focuses on supporting our regional food system, eating from our food shed year-round, and providing annual funding to farmers through a grant program. Sign up for the weekly newsletter and find more information at WinterMarketDBQ.com. ■



are an elite national touring company that has opened for and/or performed with Weird Al Yankovic, Norm MacDonald, Howie Mandel, and many more!

At its core, improv is the art of making things up on the spot—characters, song lyrics, situations, whole scenes. You never know what's going to happen. For that matter, the comedians performing for you have no idea what's going to happen. And because of that, no two shows are at all the same. It'll leave you hurting from laughing so much, and you can truly say you saw a show that no one else will ever see... unless they were at the same show.

GIT Improv has been coming to Bell Tower Theater for years and consistently sells out. So if you want to see this crazy show, get your tickets early or you WILL miss out. Tickets are \$23, and Bell Tower Theater Season Ticket Holders receive \$5 off tickets. For more information and to purchase tickets, call Bell Tower Theater at **563-588-3377** or visit BellTowerTheater.net. ■

GIT Improv

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 4 @ 7:30 PM
BELL TOWER THEATER (2728 ASBURY RD)

Bell Tower Theater's favorite improv comedians are back for their only Dubuque show in 2023 on Saturday, Nov. 4 at 7:30 p.m. This evening of nonstop laughs all made up on the spot is great for the whole family. GIT Improv

SAT 10/28

**Grand River Center
20th Anniversary
Celebration**

11 AM–3 PM @ GRAND RIVER CENTER
Celebrate with a variety of activities, entertainment, and giveaways for all ages. Free. 500 Bell St. grandrivercenter.com.

SUN 10/29

**Dubuque Alternative
Transportation Plan
Visioning Event**

2:30–4 PM @ BACKPOCKET DUBUQUE
Discuss the future of Dubuque's transportation system. Iowa Initiative for Sustainable Communities wants to hear your ideas, opinions, and feedback on how alternative transportation options in Dubuque can be improved. One free drink ticket will be given to participants that RSVP in

advance. Hosted by Iowa Initiative for Sustainable Communities. Free. 333 E 10th St. eventbrite.com.

**Darkbird Halloween
Pawty**

7–9 PM @ DARKBIRD TAPHOUSE (PEOSTA, IA)
Guests and furry friends are invited to come in their best Halloween costumes. Prizes will be awarded to the best dressed doggo and hooman—1st, 2nd, and 3rd place. Darkbird will have treats for doggies, along with food and drink specials. Judging begins at 7 p.m. 7305 Thunder Valley Dr, Peosta, IA. **563-590-7081**. darkbirdtaphouse.com.

THU 11/2

**Self Defense Basics
with Empowermental**

9:30 AM @ CARNEGIE-STOUT PUBLIC LIBRARY
Nov. 2 at 9:30 a.m. and Nov. 14 at 1 p.m. Learn mental, physical, and vocal exercises for effective self-defense that applies to real-life situations. Eryka Cook has been teaching self-defense for more than 20 years and has a black belt in Karate. She opened her own studio, Empowermental, in 2021. Ages 18+. RSVP required. Free. 360 W 11th St. **563-589-4225**. carnegioustout.org.

Farm Toy Show

NOON–6 PM @ DUBUQUE COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS
Nov. 2 at noon–6 p.m., Nov. 3 at 8 a.m.–5 p.m., and Nov. 4 at 8 a.m.–3 p.m. Featuring youth tractor build on Saturday at 10 a.m. while supplies last, a wide variety of all colors, scales, diecast brands, 3D printed, customs, new,

old, R/C Display, 1/2 scale tractors and everything in between. Hosted by Builders & Collections Society. \$7/day, \$15/3-day pass, free ages 12 and younger. 14569 Old Highway Rd. **563-608-5408**. dbqfair.com.

FRI 11/3

**45th Annual National
Farm Toy Show**

8 AM–8 PM @ DYERSVILLE, IA
Nov. 3 at 8 a.m.–8 p.m., Nov. 4 at 8 a.m.–6 p.m., and Nov. 5 at 8 a.m.–2 p.m. Filling Beckman High School, The National Farm Toy Museum, and the Commercial Club Park, highlights include a Collectors Dinner on Saturday at Royal Lanes, a sanctioned Micro-Mini Pull at Commercial

Club Park in South Building on Saturday at 11 a.m. and Sunday at 9 a.m. plus the National Farm Toy Show Auction at 10 a.m. Saturday at Beckman Auditorium (1325 9th St. SE.). The granddaddy of farm toy shows draws about 6,000 people each year. toyfarmer.com.

**Local Pro Wrestling
Meet & Greet**

3–5 PM @ TRI-STATE BLIND SOCIETY
Meet current champions Casey Jax and Johnny Cass. Casey Jax trained at Black and Brave (WWE Champion Seth Rollins wrestling academy) in Davenport, IA and debuted in March of this year. Johnny Cass is a super fan of '80s, '90s, and '00s pop culture and is a major retro gamer. He trained at The Vault academy from Impact Pro Wrestling in Des Moines, IA. He is also the grandson of one of Iowa's greatest boxers, Tommy Gavin, who had an impressive 107 bouts with 88 wins. 1068 Cedar Cross Rd.

SAT 11/4

**Dubuque Tweed Ride
11 AM @ MONK'S**

Raising funds for the Ginter Family Thanksgiving Dinner. Dress in tweed and grab raffle tickets. Ride to Monk's, Jubeck New World Brewing, 7 Hills Brewing Co., Madison Park, and Dimensional Brewing Co. Find "Dubuque Tweed Ride" on Facebook.

Off Shore Fall Fest

NOON–4 PM
@ OFF SHORE EVENT CENTER (BELLEVUE, IA)
Local breweries, wineries, local vendors and live music from Nashville country music star Luke Thomas. Vote for the best contender in the smoke off competition. Includes a beer glass, beer tasting, and 2 tickets to sample meat. VIP access opens at 11 a.m. Proceeds benefit Research for the Kids. \$30 GA, \$40 VIP. RSVP required. 4115 N Riverview St, Bellevue, IA. facebook.com/offshoresort.

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AMERICAN LEGION POST #6
Veterans Day Ceremony

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 11 @ 10:30 AM
IMON ARENA (1800 ADMIRAL SHEEHY DR)

Join the Dubuque American Legion Post #6 for the Veterans Day Ceremony on Saturday, Nov. 11 at 10:30 a.m., at ImOn Arena on Chaplain Schmitt Island. All military Veterans and patriotic citizens are encouraged to attend. The program will last for approximately 30 minutes.

The featured speaker is Jacob Krapfl. He grew up in New Viena, IA. Jacob

served two tours in Iraq with the U.S. Army. He served four years active duty with the 2/319th Airborne Field Artillery Regiment 82nd Airborne Division. Jacob was honorably discharged in 2006.

Music will be included in the program. Heather Cunard will sing the national anthem. The East Dubuque Drum and Bugle Corp and Dubuque Fire Pipe and Drums will participate in the ceremony.

Everyone is invited to attend the annual chili luncheon at the American Legion Club House, 1306 Delhi St, at 11:30 a.m.

For more information, visit

facebook.com/DubuqueAmericanLegionPost6. ■



Ohnward's Community Christmas

NOVEMBER 11-26
OHNWARD FINE ARTS CENTER
(1215 E PLATT ST, MAQUOKETA, IA)

The 19th Annual Festival of Trees is now Ohnward's Community Christmas. Browse and bid on items Nov. 11-26. Ohnward Fine Arts Center in Maquoketa, IA will be open on Monday-Friday at 10 a.m.-4 p.m., and Saturday and Sunday at noon-4 p.m.

This year, Ohnward is offering more opportunities for participation. Decorated

trees and wreaths will still be plentiful, but additional holiday decorations and gifts will also be available. All who visit can register for a Christmas basket.

For those interested in donating an item, consider gathering a group of miniatures, creating a centerpiece to decorate a table, or assembling a basket full of goodies... let your imagination run wild! If you are short on time, you can select from the custom trees and wreaths made by Ohnward's Artisans. Contact Ohnward at **563-652-9815** for more information.

Join in on the Gingerbread House Competition. Bring in the houses on Nov. 18 to be judged with winners announced on Nov. 19. The categories for this competition will be families and individuals ages 0-12 years, 13-18 years, and 19+.

Prizes will be awarded in each category. You can purchase a Holiday Family Gift Pass for \$90 which offers you four passes (tickets) to any of our 2024 Ohnward Fine Arts Center productions.

All the proceeds from the silent auction of sponsored and donated OFAC items help to ensure that Ohnward Fine Arts Center's 841-seat theatre will remain operational for future generations. For more information, contact Ohnward Fine Arts Center at **563-652-9815** or visit **ohnwardfineartscenter.com.** ■



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10/28 The Music Men Barbershop Chorus of Dubuque
11/11 Branson Country Christmas/Veteran's Tribute featuring Ozark Jubilee
12/1 Christmas at Heritage Center "All the Souls on Earth Shall Sing!"
12/5 Away in the Basement: A Church Basement Ladies Christmas
12/10 The Velveteen Rabbit

THE MUSIC MEN



CHRISTMAS AT HERITAGE CENTER



A CHURCH BASEMENT LADIES CHRISTMAS



THE VELVETEEN RABBIT





SUN 11/5



Quilts of Valor Display & Ceremony for Veterans

2 PM @ CARNEGIE-STOUT PUBLIC LIBRARY
Carnegie-Stout Public Library and the NE Iowa chapter of the Quilts of Valor Foundation® invite the public to join for a ceremony honoring local veterans. This year marks the first time that all honorees are women veterans or service members that have been touched by war. The quilts will be on display Oct. 24–Nov. 2. Free. 360 W 11th St. **563-589-4225. carnegiestout.org.**

WED 11/8

Pechakucha Night Dubuque Vol. 20

6:30–8:30 PM @ SMOKESTACK
Every story is unique. Come hear local stories from passionate people. Presenters share their stories using 20 slides and a limit of 20 seconds per slide. Dubuque organizers strive to curate presenters who can share an eclectic variety of stories. Free. 62 E 7th St. **pechakucha.org/cities/dubuque.**

THU 11/9

Vignettes Home Christmas Open House

3–8 PM @ VIGNETTES HOME
Celebrating 25 years! Enjoy the sights and smells of the season. Refreshments and prizes hourly. Come celebrate the season with the girls at Vignettes. Free with donation to the Dubuque Food Pantry. 700 Cedar Cross Rd. **815-541-1263.**

The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe

7 PM @ HEMPSTEAD HIGH SCHOOL AUDITORIUM
Nov. 9–11. *The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe* is based on the first published novel in *The Chronicles of Narnia* series by C.S. Lewis. Four siblings are sent to live in a country estate during the London Blitz of WW2. There they discover a portal into a magical world, called Narnia. The children must bring a prophecy to fruition to save Narnia from the White Witch and restore the lion, Aslan, to the throne. Performed by Hempstead High School students. Doors open at 6:30 p.m. \$10. 3715 Pennsylvania Ave.

FRI 11/10

Dubuque Symphony Orchestra Sound Bites Luncheon

11:30 AM–1 PM @ DUBUQUE GOLF & COUNTRY CLUB
Enjoy a lunch buffet followed by insightful commentary by Dubuque Symphony Orchestra Maestro William Intrilligator and the concert guest artist, Amanda Huntleigh. RSVP by Nov. 8. 1800 Randall Place. **563-557-1677. dubuquesymphony.org.**

SAT 11/11



Polar Plunge

11 AM @ DIMENSIONAL BREWING CO
The Polar Plunge is a signature fundraiser for Special Olympics where individuals and organizations raise money to support Special Olympics Iowa by jumping into frigid waters. In 2022, over \$410,000 was raised for Special Olympics Iowa through Polar Plunges. Costumes are encouraged. 67 Main St. **515-986-5520. soiowa.org.**

SUN 11/12



Open House + Ski/Snowboard Swap

9 AM–3 PM @ SUNDOWN MOUNTAIN RESORT
Enjoy chairlift rides, food, and live music from Casey Klein from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m., and visit the swap meet to buy/sell gently used ski equipment from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Advanced purchased 2023–2024 season passes will also be available for pick up in the Mountain Center. 16991 Asbury Rd. **563-556-6676. sundownmtn.com.**



Fall into the Holidays

10 AM–3 PM @ DUBUQUE COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS
Jodi & KT Invite You to Fall into the Holidays. Three buildings and an outdoor market to shop the more than 100 local and area crafter and vendors. A portion of the door proceeds will be donated to a local nonprofit. \$5. 14569 Old Highway Rd. **563-588-1406. facebook.com/JodiandKT.**

Build a Board Game

2 PM @ CARNEGIE-STOUT PUBLIC LIBRARY
Celebrate International Games Month by learning more about how board games are made and creating your own game. Dr. Jacob Heidenreich, a Loras College mathematics professor, will give a talk about game design for older teens and adults on Nov. 12. Then, gamers of all ages will be able to design and build their own board game. Finally on Nov. 19, play the board games created plus games from the library's collection. RSVP required. 360 W 11th St. **563-589-4225. carnegiestout.org.**

22nd ANNUAL
Attitude
OF GRATITUDE

NOVEMBER 18, 2023

All proceeds support Opening Doors—the nonprofit organization that operates Teresa Shelter, Maria House, and a permanent supportive housing program at Francis Apartments.

Grand River Center
Doors Open: 4:30 PM
Program/Dinner: 6:30 PM
Tickets \$80
Register by November 10

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CLARKE UNIVERSITY MACKIN-MAILANDER LECTURE SERIES

Joan Lingen Presentation

CLARKE LIVES:
LIVES THAT MAKE A DIFFERENCE

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 15 @ 7 PM

CLARKE UNIVERSITY JANSEN
MUSIC HALL (1550 CLARKE DR)

Celebrate the history of Clarke University with Joan Lingen, BVM '61 as she presents, "Clarke Lives: Lives That Make a Difference" on Wednesday, Nov. 15, in Jansen Music Hall on the Clarke University campus. The lecture will begin at 7 p.m. with light refreshments to follow. The event is free and open to the public.

Joan spent more than 47 years with Clarke University as a student, professor, and member of the administration. In that time, she collected many amazing stories of the people who made Clarke what it is today and those still charting the course for its future. In her lecture, she will recount some of those stories, from the school's founding in 1843 to the Clarke Fire of 1984, and those making an impact today.

"Joan's retelling of key moments from Clarke's history is not only informative but sparks moments of joy and inspiration," said Gina Burkart, Director of Learning Services and member of the Mackin-Mailander Lecture Series committee. "As Clarke reflects on 40 years since the fire of 1984, it is a fitting time to acknowledge how far we have come and the many incredible leaders that have graced these halls."

The Clarke University Mackin-Mailander Lecture Series was established in 1997 after Clarke received gifts from two alumnae, Mary Mackin '34 and Verna Slattery-Mailander '20, to establish an endowed lecture series. The annual series consists of three lectures, including a prominent outside speaker, a faculty lecture, and an alumni lecture.

The lecture is free to attend. For more information, visit clarke.edu. ■

Her Night Out: Charcuterie & Wine

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 16 @ 6 PM

GRAND RIVER CENTER (500 BELL ST)

This year at Her Night Out: Charcuterie & Wine, enjoy a charcuterie board demonstration and judge the Charcuterie Board Showdown. And, of course, munch on your personal charcuterie board. Plus shop with local vendors to the live tunes of the talented Elizabeth Mary. It all takes place at the Grand River Center on Thursday, Nov. 16 at 6 p.m.

Are you a charcuterie board maven? Show off your charcuterie board assembly skills during our Her Night Out. To keep things fair, the contest has both amateur and professional categories. (Professional here means experienced with catering or preparing charcuterie for large events.) Entrants must start with a (self-provided) serving "board" of any shape or material and load it with cheese, cured meat, and an array of condiments. All food materials will be provided by the Grand River Center and included in the cost of contestant participation. Participants will receive a list of

provided food options before the competition day. Absolutely no carry-in of food. The only food used on the boards must be what is provided by Grand River Center. Your contestant station will be judged on your board presentation, use of materials, overall theme, and decoration. Categories for both amateur and professional teams will include most creative use of materials, best thematic display, people's choice, and judge's choice.

Each contestant registration includes entrance into the competition and event for two people with the ability to add one more teammate for an additional \$35, dinner for each contestant, door prizes and gifts, and a 6-foot table and two chairs. Be sure to come up with a catchy and fun team name! Winners of the Charcuterie Showdown receive a gift card and an award.

All Her Night Out attendees will be eligible for door prizes from each local vendor with a grand prize from Rhombberg's Fur & Leather Gallery and Riddle's Jewelry, a \$1,400 combined value.

General admission tickets are \$40, and the charcuterie contest is \$75. You can also reserve a corporate sponsor/girlfriend table for 10 with a free beverage per person for \$450. Get your tickets at telegraphherald.com/hernightout. ■

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TUE 11/14



Museum X: The River Museum: A History in 20 Objects

5-7 PM @ NATIONAL MISSISSIPPI RIVER MUSEUM & AQUARIUM

Join Emma Sundberg, Director of Curatorial Services, and Kristin Glomstad-Yoon, Curator of Historic Collections, as the River Museum celebrates the 20th anniversary of becoming the National Mississippi River Museum & Aquarium using 20 objects that highlight their unique blend of museum and aquarium. RSVP. \$10 Non-members, free members. 350 E 3rd St. **563-557-9545 x220**. rivermuseum.com.

WED 11/15



She Unites: Let's Talk About Sex

6:30-7:30 PM @ 7 HILLS EVENT CENTER

Denise Stapley is from Cedar Rapids, IA where she's been practicing as a Licensed Mental Health Counselor and AASECT Certified Sex Therapist for the last 25 years. In her time there, she's had the pleasure of working with a wide variety of clients for a variety of concerns including sexual pain/discomfort, libido discrepancies, couples intimacy, as well as a gender identity and expression. You may also recognize Denise from the CBS reality show *Survivor* where she first competed in season 25 and again in season 40 for *Winners At War*. Free. 1098 Jackson St. SheUnitesIowa.com.

THU 11/16

Loras Players Present: Ride the Cyclone

7:30 PM @ LORAS COLLEGE HOFFMANN HALL ST. JOSEPH AUDITORIUM

Nov. 16-18. In this hilarious and outlandish dark musical comedy, the lives of six teenagers from a Canadian chamber choir are cut short in a freak accident aboard a roller coaster. When they awake in limbo, a mechanical fortune teller invites each to tell a story to win a prize like no other—the chance to return to life. \$10. 1450 Alta Vista St. lorasplayers.yolasite.com.

SAT 11/18

Dubuque Discovery Shop Holiday Open House

9 AM-5 PM @ DUBUQUE DISCOVERY SHOP

Shop for Christmas and holiday décor, pre-loved women's clothing, designer handbags,

and jewelry. There will be door prizes and fun. All proceeds benefit the American Cancer Society. Free. 2197 University Ave. **563-582-9800**. diane.callahan@cancer.org.

Meet the Artists: Arthur Geisert and the Dubuque Camera Club

1:30-4 PM @ DUBUQUE MUSEUM OF ART

At 1:30 p.m., award-winning artist and author Arthur Geisert will discuss the making of his book *Country Road ABC: An Illustrated Journey through America's Farmland*, a refreshingly realistic view of contemporary rural life in eastern Iowa. At 2:30 p.m., Dubuque Camera Club members will discuss the 2023 iteration of their annual photography exhibit, *Rural Midwest*. Members will talk about their experiences and the personal stories behind their work. Free with regular Museum admission. 701 Locust St. **563-557-1851**. dbqart.org.

Basic Cupcake Decorating

2-3:30 PM @ GALENA ARC (GALENA, IL)

Learn the craft of cupcake/cake decorating, and make your holiday gatherings extra special. Tint icing, fill icing bags, practice different piping designs, and decorate cupcakes. Includes six cupcakes, frosting, frosting dye, sprinkles, and the use of piping tips. Ages 10-adult. \$50. 11084 W US HWY 20, Galena, IL. galenaarc.org.

The Generals' Christmas Ball

7-10 PM @ DESOTO HOUSE HOTEL (GALENA, IL)

Join The Galena Generals for a night of dinner, dancing, music and fun with Galena's nine Civil War Generals. Request to be seated with your favorite General! Period dress encouraged but not required. \$60, \$80 for General Grant's table. 230 S Main St, Galena, IL. **815-777-0090**. desotohouse.com.

SUN 11/19

Cowboy Christmas

10 AM-3 PM @ DUBUQUE COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS

Jodi & KT Invite You to Cowboy Christmas. Three buildings will be filled with area businesses. Shop new and used equine tack and equipment, country and farmhouse style décor, and boho chic and western style apparel, as well as holiday gifts, children's toys and more. A portion of the door proceeds will be donated back to a local nonprofit. \$5. 14569 Old Highway Rd. **563-588-1406**. facebook.com/JodiandKT.



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- After the show, join us for a discussion of how the play's environmental themes are still relevant today.
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SQUATTERS ON RED EARTH



TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 7 AT 7 P.M. IN TERENCE DONAGHOE HALL

•• The Edward J. and Cathy Gallagher ARTS AT CLARKE SERIES



Squatters on Red Earth is a one-man play written by Mary Swander with guidance from the Meskwaki Settlement. The play delves into the white settler land grab from Native Americans, focusing on a peaceful encounter between the Meskwakis and the Inspirationists amidst colonialist actions. Supported by grants from Anon Was a Woman Environmental Art Award and The State Historical Society of Iowa, it stars Rip Russell and is directed by Brant Bollman.



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39TH ANNUAL

Galena Cellars Nouveau Wine Release Celebration

NOVEMBER 17-18

DOWNTOWN GALENA, IL

Galena Cellars, a revered name in the Illinois wine industry, invites you to partake in their 39th Annual Nouveau Wine Release Celebration, set for Nov. 17 and 18 at their downtown Galena, IL location.

The Nouveau Wine Release Celebration is a lively event that marks

the release of the year's newest wine vintage, captivating wine enthusiasts and connoisseurs alike. This year's event promises to uphold the tradition of Galena Cellars in showcasing their latest Nouveau wine with an array of festivities.

The parade of revelers will assemble at 2:30 p.m. for a trek around Galena's Main Street in assorted modes of transportation and merriment from horse-drawn wagons to trollies as the 39th Annual Nouveau wine is delivered to Galena merchants who sport the Nouveau posters in their shop windows. All are welcome to join!

The luncheon attendees will have the opportunity to indulge in traditional French stew served in a bread bowl made to pair perfectly with this year's Nouveau wine.

At the unveiling, Galena Cellars will proudly present their highly anticipated 2023 Nouveau wine; a toast to the end of harvest and the enjoyment of this young, celebration wine.

Local restaurants and Galena businesses continue the celebration all weekend with live music, wine tastings, dinner specials, and receptions.

For more information, visit

GalenaCellars.com. ■



Save the Date!

Christmas Open House | November 9th, 3 pm - 8 pm
- Dubuque Location -

Free Admission with a donation to the Dubuque Food Pantry

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22ND ANNUAL

Attitude of Gratitude

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 18 @ 4:30 PM
GRAND RIVER CENTER (500 BELL ST)

Opening Doors 22nd annual Attitude of Gratitude will be held on Saturday, Nov. 18 at the Grand River Center. Doors open at 4:30 p.m. with cocktails and music by Tapestry, along with an up-close look at more than 120 silent auction packages. The program starts at 6:30 p.m. with hosts Bobbi Earles and Jeff Vaassen and includes a plated dinner, entertainment, and an inspiring resident story.

Online bidding opens on Nov. 1 and closes at 7:30 p.m. on Nov. 18.

Raffle tickets are \$5 and are available in advance (call **563-582-7480**) or at the event. Ticket options include a \$300 "Dine Around Town" package or the 50/50 cash raffle. Winners announced the evening of the event, and they do not need to be present to win.

Opening Doors is a nonprofit organization that helps women and children who are experiencing homelessness. They provide goal setting and life skills training that enable the women to achieve their full potential. They offer a hand up in the world, not a handout.

Teresa Shelter offers emergency and extended stay programs. Maria House offers transitional housing for up to two years. Francis Apartments offers an opportunity for income-based affordable housing with support services; a combination that has proven to be effective at ending the cycle of homelessness. Opening Doors offers much more than a place to sleep. They provide the opportunity for women to claim their own power and become self-sufficient.

Join Opening Doors on this night of celebration, gratitude, and generosity. Tickets are \$80 for individuals, and sponsorships are available. For registration information, visit OpeningDoorsDBQ.org/AOG. ■

Ongoing & Recurring Events

DAILY

Great River Reapers Home Haunt

NOON-9 PM @ 2750

BURDEN ST

THROUGH OCT

Sun at noon-9 p.m., Mon-Thu at 5-9 p.m., Fri at 5-10 p.m., Sat at noon-10 p.m. Stroll through a graveyard, see spiders on the roof, animated figures, a horse drawn hearse, and more. They do a food drive for the Dubuque Food Pantry and accept cash donations for the Veterans Freedom Center. Bring the little ones during daylight hours. Free.

Grimmwood Acres

6-10 PM @ 13549 SURREY LN

THROUGH OCT

Grimmwood Acres is a ghastly experience sure to thrill all ages! The haunt is a complete song and light show in a handcrafted cemetery with your local favorite: the singing pumpkins. Piping out holiday classics like "This Is Halloween" and "Monster Mash," these ghostly pumpkins are hoping to spook you this holiday season. Free.

MONDAY

Haunted History Walk

6:30 PM @ LINWOOD

CEMETERY

MON, WED, FRI

THROUGH OCT

Join a local paranormal group at the beautiful and serene Linwood Cemetery. Hear eerie tales of times long ago as you learn about one of the oldest river towns west of the Mississippi. Walk with us and discover the people, legends, traditions and folklore of our city. Bring a flashlight and wear comfortable walking shoes. Ages 10+. \$10. 2736 Windsor Ave. **563-213-9043**. gripsghosthunt.com.

TUESDAY

Early Explorers

10 AM @ NATIONAL MISSISSIPPI RIVER MUSEUM & AQUARIUM
1ST TUE

Discover the ABCs through hands-on and active activities including a craft and a game. Ages 2-5 with parent/caregiver. RSVP suggested. \$10 Non-members; \$8 members; adult free. 350 E 3rd St. **563-557-9545 x222**. RiverMuseum.org.

WEDNESDAY

Dubuque Area Humanists Social Hour

6 PM @ BACKPOCKET

DUBUQUE

1ST WED THROUGH DEC

Enjoy a craft beer and join the Dubuque Area Humanists for lively, informed discussions centered around values, philosophy, and life experiences. Free. 333 E. 10th St. facebook.com/dubuqueareahumanists.

She Unites

6:30-7:30 PM @ 7 HILLS

EVENT CENTER

3RD WED

No event in Dec. An inclusive women's group working to connect women across the region through education, philanthropy, mutual support, and more. Free. 1098 Jackson St. SheUnitesIowa.com.

Toastmasters Speakeasy Club

6:30-7:45 PM @ DUBUQUE

COUNTY LIBRARY

ASBURY BRANCH

(ASBURY, IA) & ONLINE

2ND, 4TH, AND 5TH WED

No event on 11/22. Develop your public speaking and leadership skills. This safe and fun environment will help you become a more skilled and confident speaker. Each meeting will have a few prepared speeches, time to practice your ability to think on your feet with short improvised speeches, and feedback to guide growth. Meetings on a 5th Wednesday will be held online. Free. 5290

Grand Meadow Dr, Asbury, IA. facebook.com/ToastmastersSpeakeasyClub.

THURSDAY

New World Brewing Curated Conversation

7:30 PM @ JUBECK NEW WORLD BREWING
4TH THU

Join strangers and friends for a pint (or NA beverage) and some uncommonly meaningful conversation. Conversation starters present a topic before attendees split into small groups for further discussion. Free. 115 W 11th St. **775-375-5692**. facebook.com/newworldbrewing.

FRIDAY

First Fridays

VARIOUS LOCATIONS
IN DUBUQUE

1ST FRI

First Fridays is Downtown Dubuque's monthly visual art series, hosted by galleries, museums, and venues, celebrating Dubuque's great visual arts scene. Free.

SATURDAY

Dubuque Farmers' Market

8 AM-NOON @

11TH-13TH AND IOWA ST

THROUGH OCT

Iowa's oldest farmers' market offers a variety of produce, meats, cheeses, baked goods, handmade goods, and on-site prepared foods. Market Money tokens allow you to shop at all vendors if you don't have cash. Rain or shine. **563-588-4400**. DubuqueFarmersMarket.org.

Galena Farmer's Market

7 AM-NOON @ GALENA

CITY HALL PARKING LOT

(GALENA, IL)

THROUGH OCT

Families sell seasonal produce, flowers, maple syrup, raw honey, baked goods, re-purposed crafts, meat,

roasted coffee beans, nuts, spices, canned goods, unique decor, and much more. Rain or shine. 101 Green St, Galena, IL. **563-542-0996**. facebook.com/galenafarmersmarket.

Platteville Summer Farmer's Market

8 AM-NOON @

PLATTEVILLE CITY PARK (PLATTEVILLE, WI)

THROUGH OCT

Find everything from delicious vegetables to a variety of flowers, great gift items to canned preserves, and just about everything in between. All of the products you'll find are locally grown, harvested, or handmade by local vendors. 75 N Bonson St, Platteville, WI. **608-218-4374**. PlattevilleFarmersMarketWI.com.

Dubuque Winter Farmers Market

9 AM-NOON @ KENNEDY

MALL WEST CONCOURSE

NOV-APRIL

No event on 12/30. Regional vendors offer homemade and baked goods, meat, cheese, eggs, seasonal produce, and more. Bring your own reusable shopping bags and drop off clean egg cartons, glass jars, and plastic clam shells. The all-volunteer driven market focuses on supporting our regional food system, eating from our food shed year-round, and providing annual funding to farmers through a grant program. 555 JFK Rd. wintermarketdbq.com.

Platteville Winter Farmer's Market

9 AM-NOON @

ROUNTREE GALLERY

(PLATTEVILLE, WI)

1ST & 3RD SAT NOV-APRIL

Find homegrown and handmade products from fresh produce and prepared food to stained glass and bath

bombs. 120 W Main St, Platteville, WI. **608-218-4374**. PlattevilleFarmersMarketWI.com.

Lollipops & Music for Our Preschoolers

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

2ND SAT THROUGH APRIL

Nov. event on Nov. 4. Northeast Iowa School of Music is pleased to present Lollipops and Music for Our Preschoolers (L&MOP) preschool concert series. L&MOP is a monthly concert series that introduces children and their families to a variety of musical styles and instruments. Audience members should come prepared to sing, play instruments, and dance a bit with their family. Children leave with a greater appreciation of music and a lollipop. All ages. Free. 360 W 11th St. **563-690-0151**. nisom.com.

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FOR MORE DETAILS, VISIT SUNDOWNMTN.COM

Events at Five Flags Center



The Five Flags Center is located at 405 Main St. in Downtown Dubuque. Fees may apply to ticket purchases. Tickets are available at [Ticketmaster.com](https://www.ticketmaster.com) or at the Five Flags Center Box Office. For more information, call 563-589-4254 or visit [FiveFlagsCenter.com](https://www.FiveFlagsCenter.com).

Girls Night: The Musical

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 3 @ 7:30 PM
FIVE FLAGS THEATER

Share the fun and laughter at this hilarious, feel-good comedy as five girlfriends go from heartbreak to happiness during a wild night of karaoke. Get your girlfriends together and come sing along, dance along, and sip on cocktails as you take in this party of a show at the Five Flags Theater on Friday, Nov. 3 at 7:30 p.m.

Girls Night: The Musical has been thrilling audiences and earning raves from critics throughout North America since it began touring after its sensational Off-Broadway debut. This touching and hilarious “tell-it-like-it-is” musical



takes audiences on a journey into the lives of a group of female friends. Audience members can't help but laugh, cry, and even find themselves singing and dancing in the aisles as some of the most popular hit songs of the '80s and '90s make this musical a fan favorite.

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Blippi The Wonderful World Tour

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 9 @ 6 PM
FIVE FLAGS ARENA

Blippi: The Wonderful World Tour brings the vivacious, energetic, and educational antics of global sensation Blippi to the Five Flags Arena on Thursday, Nov. 9 at 6 p.m.

So, come on! Dance, sing, and learn with Blippi and special guest Meekah as they discover what makes different cities



unique and special. Will there be monster trucks, excavators, and garbage trucks galore? You bet! So get ready to shake those wiggles out and OJ Twist your way through this brand-new musical party.

Tickets start at \$28. ■



Dubuque Symphony Orchestra

CLASSICS 2: THOSE WHO SERVED
SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 11 @ 7:30 PM
SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 12 @ 2 PM
FIVE FLAGS THEATER

The Dubuque Symphony Orchestra honors veterans with a special program Veterans Day weekend. “Classics 2: Those Who Served” will be performed on Saturday, Nov. 11 at 7:30 p.m. and Sunday, Nov. 12 at 2 p.m. at the Five Flags Theater.

Copland's inspiring *Fanfare for the Common Man*, written during WWII in

honor of our troops, begins the musical tribute, followed by Joan Tower's exciting *Fanfare for the Uncommon Woman*. The Dubuque Chorale is featured in two selections about freedom and the costs of protecting it. Some DSO audiences will remember the last time the DSO performed the beautiful and haunting “Hymn to the Fallen” with wordless chorus and orchestra. Duke Ellington's jazzy suite from “The River” rounds out this All-American program.

On Friday, Nov. 10, enjoy a lunch buffet at the Dubuque Golf & Country Club followed by insightful commentary by Maestro William Intrilligator. RSVP by Oct. 8. Saturday evening concert attendance includes the post-concert Encore Reception at Five Flags. Enjoy refreshments and visit with DSO musicians. At 1 p.m. prior to each Sunday Classics Concert, Intrilligator gives a free pre-concert lecture.

Tickets start at \$20. For more information, call the Dubuque Symphony at **563-557-1677** or visit [dubuquesymphony.org](https://www.dubuquesymphony.org). ■

Events at Heritage Center

Live at Heritage Center
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Heritage Center boasts a variety of programming for all ages on the University of Dubuque campus, 2255 Bennett St. Tickets can be purchased at the Heritage Center Farber Box Office; by phone at 563-585-SHOW; or online at DBQ.edu/heritagecenter.



The Music Men Barbershop Chorus of Dubuque

WITH SPECIAL GUESTS

MAIN STREET BARBERSHOP QUARTET

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 28 @ 7:30 PM

HERITAGE CENTER

JOHN AND ALICE BUTLER HALL

The Music Men Barbershop Chorus of Dubuque with special guests Main Street Barbershop Quartet celebrate 74 years of harmony during their annual barbershop show, *It's a Wonderful Day*, on Saturday, Oct. 28, at 7:30 p.m. at Heritage Center.

The Music Men Barbershop Chorus of Dubuque is the primary performing ensemble of the Dubuque chapter of the Barbershop Harmony Society. Established in 1949, the Dubuque chapter has been one of the Tri-State area's most active musical organizations.

Main Street Barbershop Quartet is a traditionally-styled barbershop quartet based in Orlando, FL. Since being formed in 2011, they have become six-time medalists of the worldwide quartet competition sponsored by the Barbershop Harmony Society.

Tickets are \$22. ■



Branson Country Christmas

(WITH A SPECIAL TRIBUTE TO VETERANS)

FEATURING THE OZARK JUBILEE

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 11 @ 2 PM

HERITAGE CENTER

JOHN AND ALICE BUTLER HALL

Branson Country Christmas (with a Special Tribute to Veterans) Featuring the Ozark Jubilee will perform at 2 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 11, at Heritage Center.

Direct from Branson, MO, the Ozark Jubilee features an all-star cast of Branson's top entertainers. The all-new

Christmas show has new music and jokes but with the same world-class talent that fans have come to expect.

The second half of the show features a variety of Christmas music from traditional standards such as "Silent Night" and "White Christmas" to some more contemporary Christmas selections.

The Ozark Jubilee also features Branson's funniest comedian and world-class fiddler Doofus Doolittle, who has a new lineup of jokes and hilarious routines along with captivating fiddle and violin music. This year, he salutes the great comedians of yesteryear such as Archie Campbell, Stringbean, Minnie Pearl, and more.

If you like country music and good, clean family entertainment, you'll want to bring all your friends and come out and see Branson Country Christmas (with a Special Tribute to Veterans) Featuring the Ozark Jubilee.

Tickets are \$27-\$37. ■



DUBUQUE ARTS COUNCIL PRESENTS

Vienna Boys Choir

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 17 @ 7:30 PM

HERITAGE CENTER JOHN AND ALICE BUTLER HALL

The Dubuque Arts Council presents the Vienna Boys Choir on Friday, Nov. 17 at 7:30 p.m. at Heritage Center.

"Through the generous support of Mark and Cheryl Falb and the Falb Family Foundation, we are delighted to bring the Vienna Boys Choir back to Heritage Center," said Dan Flynn, president of the Dubuque Arts Council. "The Vienna Boys Choir performs around the world, and we are grateful to have them here as part of our 55th anniversary special events performances. We remain focused making world-class arts and cultural performances accessible to all."

The Vienna Boys Choir is one of the most famous choirs in the world—and one of its oldest. For centuries, the choir has been delighting music lovers across the globe with their purity of tone, distinctive charm, and diverse repertoire that includes everything from medieval to contemporary to experimental music.

In 1498, Emperor Maximilian I moved his court to Vienna to establish the Chapel Imperial along with the Vienna Boys Choir. Over the centuries, the court attracted musicians like Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart and Anton Bruckner. Joseph Haydn, Michael Haydn, and Franz Schubert were themselves choirboys.

Today, the Vienna Boys Choir maintains a primary school, a junior high school, and a senior high school. Three hundred boys and

girls between the ages of 6 and 19 attend the Vienna Boys Choir's schools in Vienna's Augarten. They receive individual voice lessons and sing in one of the choirs.

About a third of the students go on to become music professionals.

There are 100 boy choristers between the ages of 9 and 14 who are divided into four choirs. Between them, the choirs perform around 300 concerts each year, reaching almost half a million people around the world. Since 1924, Vienna Boys Choir has presented over 1,000 tours in 100 different countries, which has resulted in a staggering 29,000 performances. At the Sunday services in Vienna's Imperial Chapel, they perform with members of the Vienna Philharmonic Orchestra and the State Opera Chorus.

The Vienna Boys Choir's singing tradition is listed by UNESCO as intangible cultural heritage in Austria. Professor Gerald Wirth, himself a former choirboy, is the artistic director of the entire campus.

These gifted musicians with voices of unforgettable beauty are a beloved institution, presenting a diverse array of vocal music that is both appealing and inspiring.

A free pre-show reception for *International Photography Exhibit: Photos by UD Students, Staff, and Faculty* will be held from 6:30 to 8 p.m. The exhibit will be open all of November.

Tickets start at \$35-\$55. ■



Drinking Habits 2

OCTOBER 26–27 @ 7:30 PM

OCTOBER 28–29 @ 2 PM

BELL TOWER THEATER (2728 ASBURY RD)

Celebrate Arts & Humanities Month with the local premiere of a new comedy, the sequel to one of the Bell Tower's best-loved shows: *Drinking Habits 2*. The comedy runs through Oct. 29.

The Sisters of Perpetual Sewing pine for the excitement of the past when their secret wine making was saving the convent and bringing lost loves

back together. When they discover that the local orphanage is in peril of closing, they resolve to act. Everyone pitches in to mount a play to raise money, and hilarious hijinks ensue. Anything that can go wrong does. Can the sisters save the day again?

Tickets are \$23. Thursdays are Girls Night Out; all audience members get a free glass of wine. For more information and to purchase tickets, call **563-588-3377** or visit **BellTowerTheater.net**. ■

UPCOMING PERFORMANCES



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Nov 24 - Dec 3

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Sun @ 2pm



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December 9–17
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Community Day and Regional Art Exhibitions

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 28 @ 10 AM–6 PM

DUBUQUE MUSEUM OF ART

(701 LOCUST ST)

Celebrate the bounty of fall, the power of community, and the opening of new exhibitions at the Dubuque Museum of Art on Saturday, Oct. 28 at 10 a.m.–6 p.m. The day includes family architecture workshops, artist and author conversations, and a block party. Admission is free with donation of a non-perishable food item to the Dubuque Food Pantry.

Community Day begins with a children's architecture workshop with Az Rashidi and Paul Schulhof, the architects designing the new museum campus. Participants will share their ideas for the new museum with Az and Paul and build their own models that describe their vision.

At 1 p.m., join *Long Time Passing* artists Roberta Condon and Lorraine Ortner-Blake inside the Falb Family Gallery for a conversation with Beth Hoffman, author of *Bet the Farm*. The three women will discuss the changing rural landscape, the struggles and joys of life on the farm, and how their experiences inspire their art.

At 3 p.m., artist Katie Schutte will discuss *Distorted Recollections* in the Kris Mozena McNamer Gallery.

The afternoon culminates with a block party from 4 to 6 p.m. on 7th Street that includes food trucks, a community workshop with Schulhof and Rashidi, live music by Joie Wails, and autumnal décor from local farmers.

Long Time Passing: A Visual Chronicle of Farm Life in the Midwest, Past and Present

On display Oct. 21–Feb. 4, *Long Time Passing* is both a celebration of regional talent and an elegy for rural communities. In this joint exhibition, works by Roberta Condon and Lorraine Ortner-Blake evoke

the stories, memories, shapes, and colors of Midwestern farm life. The title is drawn from the song "Where Have All the Flowers Gone" by Pete Seeger, which similarly evokes a sense of inexorable change and lamentation for what has been lost.

The Wisconsin-based artists use different visual languages in their respective 26 works to communicate the subtle and readily apparent shifts in farm life. Ortner-Blake's paintings are rooted in her mother's and her own reminiscences of life on their family farm. DuMA is the final stop of *Long Time Passing*, which has toured throughout the Midwest over the past three years.

Distorted Recollections: Paper, Paint and Fiber Works by Katie Schutte

On display Oct. 28–Feb. 11, Katie Schutte is a Wisconsin-based artist who uses a wide variety of techniques to explore the vagaries of memory. For the 15 works on view, Schutte sprayed paint over and through antique, vintage, and artist-made crocheted doilies, then stitched and crocheted found fibers onto the substrate. In the process, the hand-made doilies—themselves a vestige of an earlier time—are reconfigured and remade. Outside the Museum, Schutte installed two additional works: *Barn Doily* on the exterior of the building and *Recursive* on DuMA's grounds.

Rural Life: Dubuque Camera Club Annual Exhibition

On display Oct. 21–Feb. 4, 65 photographs, from over 120 submitted by Camera Club members, were selected for an exhibition that showcases a range of perspectives on rural life around the region. Some photos highlight the compositional rigor of fields of crops, others the melancholy tinge of harvest, still others portraits of the Midwesterners that call this area home. The Dubuque Camera Club is a local group open to photo enthusiasts of all skill levels.

For more information, call the Dubuque Museum of Art at **563-557-1851** or visit **DBQart.org**. ■



FLY-BY-NIGHT PRODUCTIONS PRESENTS

OBSESSION | POSSESSION

A PLAY READING IN TWO PARTS

VENUS: SUNDAY, OCTOBER 29 @ 3:30 PM
CONVIVIAM URBAN FARMSTEAD

(2811 JACKSON ST)

LUCRECE:

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 18 @ 7 PM
VOICES STUDIO (1585 CENTRAL AVE)

Fly-By-Night Productions (FBNP) presents *OBSESSION | POSSESSION*, a play reading in two parts. When one person is obsessed with another person,

how far will they go to possess their obsession? Catch *Venus* on Sunday, Oct. 29 at 3:30 p.m. at Convivium Urban Farmstead and *Lucrece* on Saturday, Nov. 18 at 7 p.m. at Voices Studio.

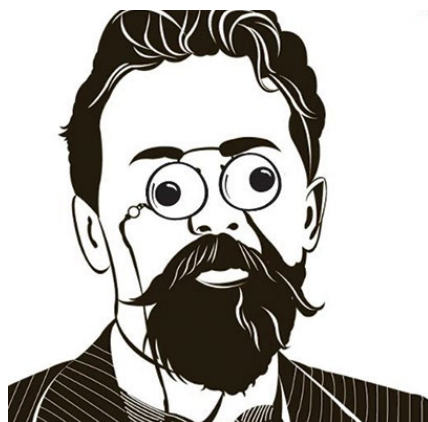
Explore two of Shakespeare's narrative poems adapted by Sunil Malapati. The theme of obsession and possession will be examined in two different contexts staged in two different venues.

Venus, an adaptation of *Venus and Adonis* tells the story of a goddess infatuated with a youth who does not welcome her attention. Set in nature and narrated by a pair of nymphs, the lush poetry is full of incident and metaphor.

Lucrece, an adaptation of *The Rape of Lucrece* tells the tale of a ruler's son setting his sights on an underling's wife and violating her. The drama is narrated by Brutus, an important noble who worked on establishing the Republic of Rome.

Fly-By-Night Productions, co-founded in 1982 by Doug Donald and Lenore Howard, was established to foster diverse theatrical opportunities for artists and audiences alike. FBNP's mission is to create community connection through bold, engaging live theatre.

Adult content advisory. Free will donations welcome. For more information, visit FlyByNightDubuque.com. ■



LIVE AT HERITAGE CENTER
PERFORMING ARTS SERIES

The Good Doctor

NOVEMBER 2-4 @ 7:30 PM

NOVEMBER 5 @ 2 PM

UNIVERSITY OF DUBUQUE
HERITAGE CENTER BABKA THEATRE
(2255 BENNETT ST)

The Good Doctor is a series of standalone scenes based on the short stories of the great Russian playwright and storyteller Anton Chekhov. See the University of Dubuque's Department of Fine and Performing Arts' performance on Nov. 2-4 at 7:30 p.m. and Nov. 5 at 2 p.m. at University of Dubuque Heritage Center Babka Theatre.

Dramatized by the American playwright Neil Simon, each scene is a look at a moment in life that could be very mundane—an accidental sneeze at the theater, pulling a tooth, falling in love, or finding the perfect birthday gift for your son—and turns it into a ridiculous, tender, or bizarre comment on the human condition. This sometimes touching, often hilarious show is a celebration of the folly and tenderness of being human. Come to the show for the laughs, and maybe find your own inspiration in the mundane along the way.

The production will be directed by Michelle Blanchard, adjunct professor of theatre.

"I am thrilled to be working with the University of Dubuque community to present this play. There is a wonderful group of students from a variety of backgrounds involved in the show, and each of them brings something different to the performance. After only a few rehearsals, I am so excited to get to work with this group on this hilarious piece," Blanchard said.

Due to adult content, this show is not recommended for children under 13. Tickets are \$10 for adults and \$5 for children and students. Tickets can be purchased at the Heritage Center Farber Box Office; by phone at **563-585-SHOW**; or online at DBQ.edu/heritagecenter. ■

First Fridays

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 3

NOON-8 PM @ STONED ART STUDIO & GALLERY (1800 CENTRAL AVE)

NOON-7 PM @ WIDDERSHINS GALLERY (2204 CENTRAL AVE)

4:30-7:30 PM @ OUTSIDE THE LINES ART GALLERY (1101 MAIN ST)

5:30-7:30 PM @ CARNEGIE-STOUT PUBLIC LIBRARY (360 W 11TH ST)

6-8 PM @ PLANTED. (245 W 1ST ST)

7-10 PM @ SMOKESTACK (62 E 7TH ST)

First Fridays is Downtown Dubuque's monthly visual art series, hosted by galleries, museums, and venues, celebrating Dubuque's great visual arts scene. Visit all of the locations and celebrate our creative community. All stops are free.

Stoned Art Studio and Gallery showcases the art and Driftless Region photography of Henry Matthiessen III. Stop by, talk art, talk photography, talk Driftless. Blues music, jazz music along with refreshments will be on hand.

Widdershins Gallery at Bear Dancer Studios hosts artwork by local, regional, and national artists including Mark Dierker, John Potter, Debra Sullivan, Sara Mess, and Dan Alderman. Enjoy the comfy vintage furniture while listening to classic rock tunes. Refreshments will be available.

Outside the Lines features Des Moines artist Cat Rocketship who will be demonstrating their drawing technique throughout the evening

and again the following morning. Light refreshments will be offered.

Carnegie-Stout Public Library welcomes Soutru for the Music @ your library concert. The Davenport, IA artist belts out soulful melodies over his acoustic guitar and writes songs influenced by hip-hop, pop and more.

Join Planted. for a walk through a photorealistic oil painting exhibit depicting old, *Forgotten Family Photographs* by artist Angie Huffman. She hopes to encourage viewers to slow down and find beauty passed over in their daily life, as well as to draw attention to the innate strength women and children possess that may be overlooked, ignored, or suppressed.

Dubuque Area Arts Collective (DAAC) at Smokestack invites you to enter the realm of the *Morbid Muse Gala* art exhibit, where artists embrace the allure of the enigmatic and the beauty found within darkness. Costumes encouraged. ■

Callahan Holiday Arts & Crafts Show

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 4 @ 9 AM-4 PM

GRAND RIVER CENTER (500 BELL ST)

Make plans to attend the annual Holiday Arts & Crafts Show on Saturday, Nov. 4 at 9 a.m.-4 p.m. at the Grand River Center.

This is the area's largest show with over 125 talented exhibitors presenting and selling thousands of unique hand-made products such as oak furniture, jewelry, floral arrangements, lawn and garden art, pottery, ceramics, quilts, and more.

Admission is \$5 with kids 10 and younger free. Show the ad from this issue of *365ink* at the gate to get \$1 off admission! For more information, call **563-357-1986** or find "Callahan Promotions, Inc. Iowa's Largest Arts & Crafts Shows" on Facebook. ■



Wrap yourself in a tapestry of music with two Dubuque Chorale groups for *Threads of Hope & Love* on Saturday, Nov. 4 at 7 p.m. at Church of the Nativity.

Join both of the Dubuque Chorale Children's Choirs—the Legati Singers and the Staccati Singers—as well as the Chorale's chamber choir, Cadenza, as they present a concert interlacing the themes of compassion and optimism. Dr. Amanda Huntleigh, Karmella Sellers, and Victoria Bausman will direct this program highlighting young singers in honor of the 10th anniversary of the Dubuque Chorale Children's Choir's founding.

The performance is free to attend, and freewill donations will be accepted. For more information, visit DubuqueChorale.org. ■

Threads of Hope & Love

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 4 @ 7 PM

CHURCH OF THE NATIVITY
(1225 ALTA VISTA ST)

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 31
8PM GRAND OPERA HOUSE

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Squatters on Red Earth

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 7 @ 7 PM

CLARKE UNIVERSITY TERENCE

DONAGHOE HALL (1550 CLARKE DR)

Clarke University is thrilled to host a performance of *Squatters on Red Earth* on Tuesday, Nov. 7 at 7 p.m. in Terence Donaghoe Hall. It is written by Mary Swander under the guidance of members of the Meskwaki Settlement.

The drama explores the issue of the white settler land grab from the Native Americans. The core story revolves around a peaceful encounter

between the Meskwakis and the Inspirationists near what is now the Amana Colonies, a German Utopian group, all the while the colonialists were forcing the Natives from their land.

"*Squatters on Red Earth* will resonate with those who have desired a more comprehensive history of the United States," said playwright Mary Swander. "It addresses serious questions like what civilizations, ecological and agricultural systems were in place before the white settlers arrived? And how do they compare to our present systems? How did two communal groups hidden in the middle of Iowa become an example of peace and cooperation for the rest of the country?"

This drama is enacted through the use of a crankie, a medieval puppetry device, designed and built by Shelley Buffalo (Meskwaki Settlement in Iowa).

Following the performance, ecologist and author Connie Mutel will explore the play's environmental themes with a discussion of how native ecosystems were impacted during the settlement of Iowa and continue to adapt today.

The performance is free. For more information, visit clarke.edu/artsatclarke. ■



Trick- & Trunk-or-Treating

Loras Trick-or-Treat Night

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 26 @ 5:30-7 PM
855 LORAS BLVD

Dubuque County Fairgrounds

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 26 @ 5:30-7 PM
14569 OLD HIGHWAY RD

Peosta Community Parkway

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 26 @ 6-7:30 PM

Dubuque Farmers' Market

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 28 @ 8 AM-NOON
11TH-13TH AND IOWA ST

Dodge, NW Arterial, & Locust Hy-Vee

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 28 @ 10 AM-1 PM

Westminster Presbyterian Church Trunk-or-Treat

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 28 @ 2-4 PM
2155 UNIVERSITY AVE

Bellevue, IA

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 29 @ 4-6 PM

Farley, IA

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 29 @ 5:30-7 PM

Epworth, IA

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 29 @ 6-7 PM

EXIT Realty

MONDAY, OCTOBER 30 @ 4:30-6 PM
1200 CEDAR CROSS RD

East Dubuque, IL

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 31 @ 5-7 PM

Potosi & Tennyson, WI

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 31 @ 5-8 PM

Galena, IL

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 31 @ 5-7 PM

Shake Rag Alley

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 31 @ 5-7 PM
18 SHAKE RAG ST, MINERAL POINT, WI

Dubuque, IA

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 31 @ 5:30-7:30 PM

Asbury, IA

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 31 @ 5:30-7 PM

Platteville, WI

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 31 @ 5:30-7:30 PM

Dyersville, IA

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 31 @ 5:30-7:30 PM

Peosta, IA

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 31 @ 6-7:30 PM



Dubuque's 2nd Halloween Ball: Where Magic Meets Mystery

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 27 @ 7 PM-MIDNIGHT
GRAND RIVER CENTER (500 BELL ST)

Step into a world of enchantment and excitement, where Halloween's finest moments come alive! Dubuque's 2nd Halloween Ball melds magic and mystery at the Grand River Center on Friday, Oct. 27 at 7 p.m.-midnight.

Venture into our Halloween odyssey that effortlessly shifts from one captivating location to another, each featuring even bigger and better decorations than the last. Despite the journey,

the enchantment endures, guaranteeing you an extraordinary adventure.

Doors swing open to the beats of DJ Broz (Press Play Entertainment) mixing up your favorite '80s, '90s, and 2000s tunes. A photo booth will be waiting for you and your ghoulish gang. Enjoy delectable hors d'oeuvres until 9 p.m., and sip on a selection of alcoholic and nonalcoholic beverages available for purchase at the concession stand.

Join in the spine-tingling excitement of the costume contest, where the prizes are as hauntingly good as the fun. Secret judges will be selecting the most spellbinding costumes. If selected, you will be personally asked to join the other contestants on the stage at 11 p.m., where the final verdict lies in the hands of the crowd. Awards await the best of the best: \$200 for 1st place, \$150 for 2nd place, and \$100 for 3rd place.

The night crescendos to its peak at the stroke of midnight, leaving you with memories that will give you chills in the best way possible. Join for a night of wonder, where Halloween's magic dances with mystery.

Early bird tickets are available for \$30. But beware, after Friday the 13th, they'll transform into \$40 ghoulish delights. If you're a last-minute planner, need not worry, you will be able to buy the tickets at the door. For tickets and more information, visit DubuqueHalloweenBall.info. ■



Galena Shakespeare Festival: Macbeth

OCTOBER 27-28 @ 8 PM
THE IRISH COTTAGE FAIRY RING
(9853 U.S. 20, GALENA, IL)

Galena Shakespeare Festival thrusts you into a nightmarish world of passion, perversion, and dark romance in its immersive outdoor production of Shakespeare's horror masterpiece

Macbeth. Presented in the natural amphitheater of The Irish Cottage's historic Fairy Ring on Oct. 27-28 at 8 p.m.

You are invited into the mythic circle of stone and fire to experience a sadistic ritual from the ancient past, honoring the great legendary butcher king Macbeth and his savage, sensual sorceress queen. No longer content to be the old king's beast of the battlefield, Macbeth embarks on a murderous quest for greatness... spurred on by his animalistic love for his wife. Ritual sacrifice, black magic, and a battle to the death are only the beginning.

Galena Shakespeare Festival's cruel, kinky, occult *Macbeth* will leave you breathless and begging for more.

The outdoor cash bar will be open from 7:30 p.m. until 5 minutes before start time and again during intermission. Also, before or after the performance, enjoy drinks and dinner indoors at Frank O'Dowd's Irish Pub.

Be warned: This experience includes vivid depictions of violence, assault, and deeply morally ambiguous behavior.

Tickets are \$25 and can be purchased at GalenaShakes.com or in cash at the door. For more information, call **954-593-8796** or visit GalenaShakes.com. ■



Sweet Treats on Main

**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 28 @ 11 AM-1 PM
MAIN STREET, PLATTEVILLE, WI**

Enjoy a safe and fun place to take the kids trick-or-treating at Sweet Treats on Main in Platteville, WI on Saturday, Oct. 28 at 11 a.m.-1 p.m.

The event features a large number of Main Street merchants who will happily fill your little ones' bags with various goodies. Many of the merchants also offer special discounts as a treat for the adults as well.

See many of your children's favorite characters also trick-or-treating. Winnie the Pooh, Tigger, Goofy, and the Cat in the Hat are just a few of the guests known to make an appearance at the event.

In addition to trick-or-treating, several other fun activities will be happening. There is a free children's movie at Avalon Cinema at 9:30 a.m. The Mining & Rollo Jamison Museums will be offering train rides (weather permitting). Decorate pumpkins in front of Garvey's. Plus, get your photo taken with Disney Princesses!

Take a short trip to Platteville for one of Main Street's most fun and successful events. For more information, visit PlattevilleMainStreet.com. ■



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Galena Halloween Parade

**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 28
COSTUME CONTEST @ 3-5:30 PM**

**WASHINGTON PARK
(201 S MAIN ST, GALENA, IL)**

PARADE @ 6:30 PM

MAIN STREET, GALENA, IL

The 43rd Annual Galena Area Chamber of Commerce Halloween Parade will be held on Saturday, Oct. 28, at 6:30 p.m. on Main Street in Galena, IL. A costume contest precedes the parade at Washington Park at 3-5:30 p.m.

Pictures for the contest will be taken at Washington Park for two categories

(including children): Best Group Costume and Best Individual Costume.

Shuttle service from the Walmart parking lot is only \$5 per person. There will not be parking allowed on Main Street after 3 p.m. Donations are appreciated. This is a great deal—trust us!

The massive parade is free to attend and is off the hook! There's nothing like it in the Tri-States. Hundreds, nay... thousands of people pack Main Street in historic downtown Galena to take in the spectacle. This is a bucket list kind of family event, and your kids and grandkids will absolutely love it.

There may still be room for floats or walking groups in the parade. To find out, contact Director@galenachamber.com. For more information, call **877-434-5114** or visit GalenaChamber.com. ■

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Mad Scientist Party

**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 29 @ 9 AM-5 PM
NATIONAL MISSISSIPPI RIVER MUSEUM & AQUARIUM (350 E 3RD ST)**

Join the National Mississippi River Museum & Aquarium for their annual family Halloween event, Mad Scientist Party, on Sunday, Oct. 29 at 9 a.m.-5 p.m.

Everyone is welcome to come in costume (not just kids). Trick-or-treating and other activities including games, science experiments, glow-in-the-dark fun, special activities in the Maker Space,

music with The Americana Band, and all of the regular daily programming will be available throughout the day.

Both hands-on experiments for kids and demonstrations run 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Learn about dry ice, electricity, and chemical reactions along with "invisible" creepy crawlies (Spoiler alert: they're not invisible, they're just very small!)

Register online ahead of time for discounted admission of \$15.95. Tickets purchased on the day of the event will be regular general admission price. For tickets and more information, call the River Museum at **563-557-9545** or visit RiverMuseum.com. ■

Haunted Attractions & Pumpkin Patches

Great River Reapers Home Haunt

NOW THROUGH OCTOBER 31

SUNDAY @ NOON-9 PM

MONDAY-THURSDAY @ 5-9 PM

FRIDAY @ 5-10 PM

SATURDAY @ NOON-10 PM

2750 BURDEN ST

Stroll through a graveyard, see spiders on the roof, animated figures, a horse drawn hearse and new scenes for this year. In conjunction with the haunt, they do a food drive for the Dubuque Food Pantry and accept cash donations for the Veterans Freedom Center. Bring the little ones during daylight hours. Free.

Grimmwood Acres

NOW THROUGH OCTOBER 31 @ 6-10 PM

13549 SURREY LN

Grimmwood Acres is a ghastly experience sure to thrill all ages! The haunt is a complete song and light show in a handcrafted cemetery with your local favorite: the singing pumpkins. Piping out holiday classics like "This Is Halloween" and "Monster Mash," these ghostly pumpkins are hoping to spook you this holiday season. Free.

Schuster's Pumpkin Patch & Corn Maze

NOW THROUGH OCTOBER 31

SATURDAYS AND SUNDAYS @ 10 AM-5 PM

7541 SCHUELLER HEIGHTS RD

In addition to the corn maze and pumpkin patch, Schuster's features a smaller kids maze, pumpkin launcher, paint ball rides, and kids' games and activities. **563-556-2879**. SchustersPumpkinPatch.com.

Dittmar Farms & Orchard

NOW THROUGH OCTOBER 28

SATURDAYS @ 10 AM-5 PM

SUNDAYS @ 11 AM-4 PM

256 S. GREBNER RD, ELIZABETH, IL

Dittmar Farms & Orchard has been family owned and operated since 1854. In addition to a variety of pumpkins and u-pick apples, the farm offers a hayride, corn maze, petting zoo, kids maze, cornwagon, and more. \$8 Adults, free ages 3 and under. **815-218-6942**. DittmarFarms.com.



Dark Chambers Haunted Attraction

OCTOBER 26-29 AND 31

LIGHT FRIGHT @ 6-7 PM

FULL SCARE @ 7-11 PM

1341 FRONTAGE RD, KIELER, WI

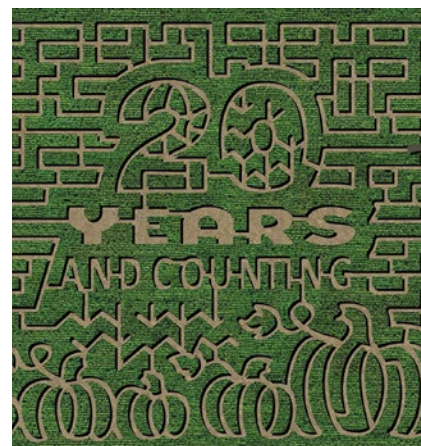
Dark Chambers, the Tri-States' most exciting haunted attraction experience is already open for business and scaring the pants of kids of all ages just across the river in Kiel, WI. With all the thrill and chills you love, dark turns and terrifying sights that will get your heart pounding, it's time to get your friends and anyone else you think will help you make it out and come test your mortality inside the Chambers. Future dates for the haunted attraction include Oct. 26-29 and 31. A \$5 Light Fright opportunity for younger kids and the thin-skinned runs 6-7 p.m. each night. A \$15 Full Scare event follows at 7-11 p.m.

Even as the only real haunt game in town, these guys and ghouls never rest on their past successes. They have been doing this for so many years now simply because they love doing it and it shows.

"The crew is so ambitious that every season they want to tear half of it apart and rebuild it again," says head hunter, Trent Johnson. "And I'm like, the reason I bought this was so that we could have some inside stuff we don't have to take down and put back up all the time, but they just always want to do something new, which, of course, leads to a haunt that's always fresh and better, so I can't argue with that. The kids and groups of young ladies are easy to scare. But if I can scare Dad, that's a special kind of success, because if the kids see dad is scared, they're even more scared."

Dress for the weather, and on super busy nights there may be a wait. That's where the \$25 Fast Pass sure comes in handy. There are few Halloween traditions as near and dear to people's hearts as a good haunted house, so let's show Trent and the crew how much we appreciate their hard work, year in and year out, and really pack this place for the next couple of weeks. You're going to love it! Well, most of you will!

Light Fright is \$5, Full Scare is \$15, and Fast Passes are \$25. For more information, find "Dark Chambers Haunted Attraction" on Facebook. ■



Vesperman Farms Fall Season

NOW THROUGH OCTOBER 29

VESPERMAN FARMS

(8149 STAGE RD, LANCASTER, WI)

Vesperman Farms' landmark 20th anniversary year is in full swing, located just outside of Lancaster, WI. The fall season runs from now through Oct. 29. Week-day hours are noon-7 p.m., Saturday 10 a.m.-7 p.m., and Sunday 10 a.m.-5 p.m.

There are always new amenities on the farm, adding to a selection of choices that will make your head spin. If you and your kids can't find things that you like to do here, then you clearly don't know how to have a good time! There are hay wagon rides out to the famous pumpkin patch, where you can pick your own pumpkin. Or you can stop by the retail area for pre-picked pumpkins and gourds. The pumpkin cannon and trebuchet that get fired every hour are always fun to see. Kids can ride the popular ziplines, run up and down Tire Mountain, compete in duck races, enjoy new giant slides, ride the wagon train, and pose

for scores of family photo ops against great backdrops all across the acreage.

The biggest new thing on the farm is the biggest investment they've ever made. Last year they moved a historic century-old round barn to the grounds, and this year, it's a great place to sit and eat with a new food stand there next to it featuring pretzels, nachos, pulled pork, mac and cheese, soda, and more.

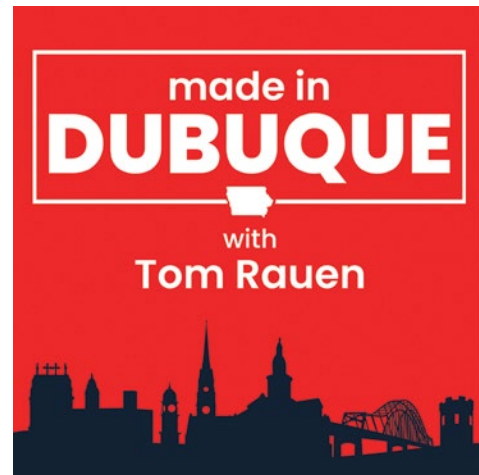
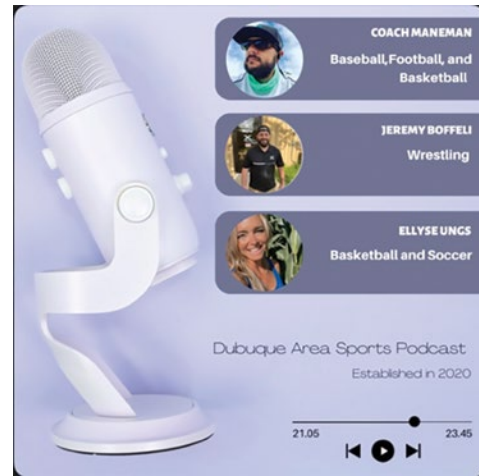
Live farm animals are always a huge reason to visit Vesperman, and no, we didn't forget the corn maze. One of the biggest in the Midwest, it's always a marvel to see and then to attempt as a visitor. There's also a little corn maze for the smaller tykes. This year's 20th anniversary design is pretty fantastic.

The already-famous homemade ice cream is featured in the dining barn, plus apple cider donuts, caramel apples, and kettle corn are seasonal must-haves. And thanks to the giant catering kitchen, you can also get burgers, dogs, and fries, hot and fresh. It's all made there to-order, including really good chicken strips from scratch.

The whole farm is open and running at full steam every afternoon, but most amenities are also available everyday.

"We're hoping to see somewhere around 23,000 visitors here in the next six weeks," says proprietor, Kyle Vesperman. "It's a fun gig," Kyle says. "You're dealing with families. You're dealing with people who are here to have a good time!"

Admission is \$14.49 per person and ages 4 and younger are free. Day passes purchased online are just \$12.49, and season passes are available online for \$29.99. Parking is free. You can also call **608-723-2542** for group rates and special times by appointment. Find more at VespermanFarms.com or follow them on Facebook. ■



Dubuque Podcasts

In this online world where there's a podcast for everything and everyone has a podcast, we thought it worthwhile to go find all of Dubuque-based and Dubuque-centric podcasts that we could and bring them together for you here. There are not a ton, but certainly people are starting to get out there locally to tell their stories and thereby tell our story as a community. We have not listened to them all and cannot

speak to the content. So, understand that *365ink* does not endorse all of these podcasters nor can we make any promises about language or topics discussed, but like the rest of the internet, proceed with caution. We can say for sure that *Dubuque Rising* and *Rethinking Rural* are broad-based and safe for all ears. These podcasts are mostly all available for free on all major podcast streaming services unless noted. Happy listening! ■

Dubuque Rising with Alex Dixon: A Surprising Gem on the Mississippi

5 EPISODES

HOST: ALEX DIXON

The podcast series hosted by Alex Dixon, president and CEO of DRA and Q Casino, focuses on various Dubuque-related topics and provides an inside look at this unique community's future. Each episode strives to connect the past to the future through stories and the voices of people who play a role in the betterment of Dubuque, a great American treasure located on the shores of the historic Mississippi River. A natural conversationalist and big promoter of all things Dubuque, Dixon's conversations with featured guests cover a variety of timely topics and reveal big ideas—all while shining a positive light on the rich history and evolution of the community. The goal is to educate listeners about the rich, "community-first" innovation that has occurred in Dubuque over the years, which has allowed the community to survive and grow into a destination-type area where thousands of people live, work, and play on a daily basis. DRAdubuque.com.

The Johnny-O Podcast

17 EPISODES

HOST: JOHN OHNESORGE

As owner of Top Billing Entertainment, Johnny O. has had the privilege of meeting a lot of awesome people including musicians, comedians, and more. The sole purpose of this podcast is to bring awesome conversations to the masses. Johnny creates his podcast with the talented folks at Asylum Recording Studios (AsylumRecordingStudios.com) and Mr. Zills in Dubuque who offer podcasts as one of their specialised services. Johnny credits them with making him sound good.

Dubuque Area Sports Podcast

187 EPISODES

HOST: NICK MANEMAN

Dubuque is a sports-rich community, and the Dubuque Area Sports Podcast covers the great stories, teams, and players from the past, present, and future.

Great People to Know

4 EPISODES

HOSTS: A. ALANDA GREGORY AND CARLA ANDERSON

Hear interviews with people who are doing great things in the world, mainly based out of Dubuque. Learn about their stories, their passions, and the advice they have for others. Guests are from all walks of life, but they all have one thing in common: They're all inspiring and worth getting to know. Whether you're looking for motivation, inspiration, or just a good story, *Great People To Know* is the podcast for you. Join each week as they chat with some of the most amazing people on the planet... right here in Dubuque.

Do You Want to Start a Tab?

41 EPISODES

HOST: CARL BUSCH AND RILEY TAYLOR

A podcast sharing bar stories that teach a lesson. Don't be a d&#%. Tip your bartender. And, drink responsibly. Hosted by three-time Iowa Restaurant Association State Mixology Champion, Carl Busch, and Riley Taylor, "a huge part of this success." In addition to bringing an award-winning slate of drinks to Hotel Julien Dubuque's Riverboat Lounge, Carl has also developed the distinctive drink menus for other regional venues. DoYouWantToStartATab.com.

Dick Rogers: Space Detective

25 EPISODES

HOST: N.E.R.D.S.

Dick Rogers: Space Detective is an old-time radio show for the space age. Follow our hero as he solves mysteries and explores the final frontier! Created and hosted by Dubuque creatives.

Locally Famous DBQ

50 EPISODES

HOST: ADAM MUIR

Active from 2020–2021, this podcast is designed to make the Dubuque, IA community a little smaller. Host Adam Muir is a lifelong Dubuque resident, but he felt he didn't know anything about the city. What types of business are here, and how are they different? What amazing things do the people of Dubuque do? What is Dubuque's history? Join as he figures out what he's been missing.

Rethinking Rural

12 EPISODES

HOST: COMMUNITY FOUNDATION OF GREATER DUBUQUE

Each episode of *Rethinking Rural*, active in 2021 and 2022, brings you conversations with residents of Northeast Iowa who share stories about the ways they are inspired to give generously to transform the region for the better. Hosts Bobbi Earles and Jeff Danna from the Community Foundation of

Greater Dubuque welcome guests who talk about their experiences addressing critical issues like increasing access to brain health services; building welcoming, inclusive communities; and supporting the needs of children and families. These inspiring stories offer a glimpse into what life in rural America is like today and how everyday people are making a lasting impact.

Made in Dubuque

COMING SOON

HOST: TOM RAUEN

A podcast highlighting CEOs, founders, and entrepreneurs that are starting, building, and growing companies in the Dubuque area. The greater Dubuque region in Iowa has long been home to blue-chip and home-grown businesses creating a diverse landscape for people to live, work, and play. With a rich history of locally owned, multi-generational businesses from large industrial businesses to the vibrant downtown of small businesses, you will learn about the people and products with a behind-the-scenes look at what is *Made in Dubuque*.

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Bell Tower Theater

2024 Season

The Bell Tower Theater, Dubuque's hometown theater, is pleased to announce its 2024 season, featuring five brand-new comedies, two youth productions, and Bell Tower favorites GIT Improv. Season tickets are on sale now. The Bell Tower Theater is conveniently located in Fountain Park at 2728 Asbury Rd in the city's vibrant west end.

Subscription Series

Subscription Series evening performances are on Thursdays, Fridays, and the first two Saturdays of the run at 7:30 p.m. Afternoon performances are on the third Saturday of the run and every Sunday at 2 p.m.

Tickets are just \$24 with discounts available for groups of 20 or more. The popular Early Bird Special performances will continue in 2024. On select days in the opening weekend of each show, tickets are half-price. That's just \$12! As always, Thursday night performances are Girl's Night Out so everybody (21 years of age and older) will get a free glass of wine before the show.



Baggage

FEBRUARY 9-25

The season begins with *Baggage* by Sam Bobrick. Two demanding, single strangers get their luggage mixed up at the airport. After a disastrous first meeting, they decide to force a friendship to help each other heal their past heartbreaks. These two are too difficult for everyone else to date, but are they perfect for each other? This witty romantic comedy is great for Valentine's Day.



Ken Ludwig's Baskerville: A Sherlock Holmes Mystery

APRIL 12-28

Holmes and Watson are on the case in this fast-paced comedy mystery! The world's greatest detective must solve the case of "The Hound of the Baskervilles" before a family curse dooms its newest heir. Watch as they try to escape a dizzying web of deceit, silly accents, and disguises. Can our heroes discover the truth in time in this wildly funny comedy?



Is There Life after 50?

AUGUST 9-25

Summer brings the hilarious story of three wives who trick their unsuspecting husbands into spending their yearly vacation at a "health resort." Will pizza, beer, and *The Godfather* win out over salad, sparkling water, and Jazzerise? This battle of the sexes divides the cabin in half as they answer the question: Is there really life after 50?



Love, Lies & the Lottery

OCTOBER 11-27

Celebrate Arts & Humanities month with the Iowa premiere of *Love, Lies & the Lottery*. Peter is an unlucky guy. With

a treacherous soon-to-be ex-wife, an overbearing mother, and a not-so-bright best friend, he just can't catch a break. When he finds a winning lottery ticket worth \$510 million, his luck seems to turn around, but with just a couple of days left to cash in the ticket, this bizarre band of characters must navigate mistaken identities, psychics, and the home shopping network to secure the grand prize.



Seasonal Allergies

DECEMBER 6-22

What are the holidays without a little chaos? Julia's life is turned upside down when her soon-to-be-divorced brother shows up unexpectedly and stays from Thanksgiving through New Year's. Don't miss the local premiere of this funny, heartwarming comedy about friends, family, and holiday stresses.

Youth Musicals

The popular Free Summer Musical Program will once again include two full-scale musicals.



Urinetown

JUNE 21-30

This Tony Award-winning musical pokes fun at capitalism, bureaucracy, and musical theater itself. After a severe water shortage leads to a ban on private toilets, an evil corporation monopolizes all the public amenities. Tired of being charged admission for humanity's basic needs, a hero rises up to overthrow the tyrannical movement. Filled with witty humor, fast-paced action, and a star-crossed love story, *Urinetown* is sure to keep you laughing! All performers in *Urinetown* will be high school students from throughout the area. Tickets are \$15.



Seussical

JULY 18-27

The 17th Annual Kids-for-Kids Summer Musical will be *Seussical*. This delightful musical takes audiences into the whimsical world of Dr. Seuss and brings many of his beloved characters to life. Follow Horton the Elephant, The Cat in the Hat, Lazy Mayzie, and a whole bunch of Whos as they discover the power of friendship, loyalty, and community. Imaginations soar in this playful tale filled with color, laughter and plenty of rhymes. This show will be performed by two casts of kids ages 7 to 16 from throughout the area. Tickets are \$12.

Special Event



GIT Improv

JANUARY 27 AND NOVEMBER 2

Bell Tower favorites GIT Improv will be back for two shows in 2024. These master comedians offer improv comedy at its best. Every performance is a brand-new adventure as they create a unique show right before your very eyes using suggestions from you and your fellow audience members. Tickets are \$24.

Ticket Information

Season subscriptions are on sale now. For just \$95, subscribers to the Bell Tower Theater will receive one ticket to each of the five subscription series plays and musicals along with \$10 in Bell Tower Bucks to spend at the concession stand; free ticket exchanges; and the chance to purchase discounted tickets for other events.

Gift certificates are always available. To order tickets or gift certificates, call the Bell Tower Theater at **563-588-3377** or visit **BellTowerTheater.net**. ■



PHOTO: ELEVATED IMAGES

Elevated Images Finds Bricks and Mortar Success

BY SARA ELIOT STEUER

For owners Mike Williams, the photographer and drone pilot behind Elevated Images, and his business partner and fiancé, McKenzie Marley, finding “home” was easy. As a Dubuque native, Williams instinctually returned to the city after college, bringing along his girlfriend, Marley, where the couple immediately embarked on a new venture. Since 2018, Elevated Images has offered high-quality aerial drone photography of Dubuque and the surrounding areas. From architecture to nature shots, they’ve been a staple at the Dubuque Farmers’ Market, Millwork Night Market, and Galena Territories Market for the past five years, but the pair officially opened their first storefront at 129 Main St., in the heart of Dubuque’s historic downtown district, on Oct. 3, 2023.

“I’m a Dubuque native, and I wanted a store for Dubuque people,” said Williams referring to the emphasis that his images place on capturing the local beauty of the historic Mississippi River town. “A drone offers a new perspective on everything. It’s like a tripod you can place anywhere, 2 feet up or 400 feet up, and it’s incredible to see the city from that perspective.”

From a young age, Williams was an avid reader of *National Geographic* magazine, but it wasn’t until studying abroad during college, where he knew that he needed to take advantage of the opportunity to capture the sights around him, that he ventured into the world of photography. He began utilizing drones, which made him “feel like a real *National Geographic* photographer,” and the pull became so irresistible that soon the marketing and computer science major made aerial drone photography his full-time career.

With both a love for his hometown and excitement for a wider world view,

Williams’ offerings don’t stop at aerial images of the Tri-State area. Enthusiastic travelers, Williams and Marley have had the opportunity to capture images on trips overseas to nearly a dozen countries including Greece, Egypt, and Spain, in addition to traveling the United States photographing Arizona, Colorado, California, and many other ever-expanding locations. The couple are currently preparing for a trip to French Polynesia where Williams is eager to experiment with underwater photography, another untapped means of expanding his creative view.

It’s in this vein of “not wanting to be limited to the style we started with”, that Elevated Images’ move to a permanent storefront has allowed them to expand not only the images they offer as prints, but to also stock new offerings such as post-cards, magnets, and ornaments, among a host of other new merchandise still being rolled out. The goal is to have something for everyone, be it a Dubuque resident looking to add a modern hometown touch to their space or a tourist looking for a souvenir of their time in Dubuque. “We have such a vibrant downtown, and we want to show off all the different sides of Dubuque,” Williams said. “Everywhere here there’s something that can be captured to create a beautiful image.”

The studio, located at 129 Main St., is open 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday through Saturday and 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. Sunday. The couple plans to continue to sell work at the Dubuque Farmers’ Market, Millwork Night Market, and Galena Territories Market. More information on Elevated Images can be found on their Facebook and Instagram pages or their website at ElevatedImagesDubuque.com. ■



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Saturday, November 25, 2 PM

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TRI-STATE LIVE MUSIC

THU 10/26

Gina Owens Duo
w/ Fisher Woodley
6 PM @ Textile Brewing Co
(Dyersville, IA)

The Gutheries
7 PM @ Frank O'Dowd's
Irish Pub (Galena, IL)

Songwriters Showcase:
Jim Mantey, Liliانا Asta
7 PM @ Galena CFA (Galena, IL)

Kristina Marie Castañeda &
Shawn Healy
7 PM @ Grape Escape
(Galena, IL)

FRI 10/27

Jef Spradley
6 PM @ Stone Cliff Winery

Caden Matthew
6 PM @ Millennium Marina
(East DBQ, IL)

Steve Davis
6 PM @ Champagne on Main
(Galena, IL)

Rebel Wells
6 PM @ Galena Cellars
Downtown (Galena, IL)

Johnnie Walker
6 PM @ Annex Back Bar
(Platteville, WI)

DJ Bob
6 PM @ River Ridge Brewing
(Bellevue, IA)

Quinn Dahle
7 PM @ Comedy Bar

Boogie Monster
7 PM @ Days Inn Spirits Bar & Grill

Theresa Rosetta
7 PM @ First Reserve

Tarrah Farewell Show
7 PM @ Gary Dolphin's Iron Bar

Karaoke w/ Denise
7 PM @ Northside Bar

Rock Steady
7 PM @ Southend Tap

Jimmy Welty Band
7 PM @ Timber Lanes
(Maquoketa, IA)

Nathan Hansen
8 PM @ Diamond Jo Casino
Mississippi Moon Bar

Certainly So, Coyote Island
8 PM @ Fox Den Motel

Scott Cornwell & Chuck Murphy
8 PM @ Hotel Julien Dubuque
Riverboat Lounge

Funkatude
8 PM @ Smokestack

Andreas Tranzo
8 PM @ Frank O'Dowd's
Irish Pub (Galena, IL)

Kara Gordon
8 PM @ Grape Escape
(Galena, IL)

Horseshoes & Hand Grenades,
Chicago Farmer,
Joseph Huber Band
8 PM @ Codfish Hollow
Barnstormers (Maquoketa, IA)

Frank Martin Busch
and the Names
9 PM @ The Lift

Church Fire, Arc Numbers,
Sophie Coyote
9 PM @ Monk's

SAT 10/28

Dubuque Farmers' Market:
Brion Bowman, Ace Jones
8 AM @ 11th-13th & Iowa St

Chris Ross
11 AM @ Breitbach's Country
Dining (Balltown, IA)

John Moran @ Noon
Jim Mantey @ 2 PM
Galena Cellars Downtown
(Galena, IL)

Daniel Stratman
1 PM @ Galena Cellars Vineyard
(Scales Mound, IL)

Detour Band
2 PM @ Burkey's Bar

Kampfire Kings @ 2 PM
The Lonely Goats @ 8 PM
Grape Escape (Galena, IL)

DuMa Block Party: Joie Wails
4 PM @ Dubuque Museum of Art

Shannon Woulfe
5 PM @ Dimensional Brewing Co

Barefoot and Sunshine
5 PM @ Darkbird Taphouse
(Peosta, IA)

Boos & Brews Bar Crawl:
Adam Bartels Band
5 PM @ Public House
(Platteville, WI)

DR Band
6 PM @ Stone Cliff Winery

The Guthries
6 PM @ Wicked Dame

Triple Threat
6 PM @ O So Good Winery
(Dyersville, IA)

Quinn Dahle
7 and 9 PM @ Comedy Bar

Tony Walker
7 PM @ Days Inn
Spirits Bar & Grill

Sam Ness
7 PM @ Gary Dolphin's Iron Bar

DJ Nita Beat @ 7 PM
BKBMusix @ 10 PM
Hotel Julien Dubuque
Riverboat Lounge

Mississippi Band
7 PM @ Knicker's Saloon

Karaoke w/ Denise
7 PM @ Northside Bar

Back Booth Alley Duo
7 PM @ Southend Tap

RatchetJaw
7 PM @ Yardarm

Karaoke w/ Becky McMahon
7 PM @ Trackside Bar and Grill
(Peosta, IA)

Jeff Theisen
7 PM @ Gehlen Barn Beer in the
Barn Brewery (St. Donatus, IA)

Larry Michael & Debra Kay
7 PM @ Twisted Vines
(Potosi, WI)

Big Night Out
7 PM @ The Whiskey Bar
(Monticello, IA)

The Music Men Barbershop
Chorus Barbershop Show
7:30 PM @ UD Heritage Center

Menace
8 PM @ Diamond Jo Casino
Mississippi Moon Bar

River Glen, Joel Sires,
Abbie Sawyer
8 PM @ Fox Den Motel

Three Quarter Buzz
8 PM @ Asbury Eagles Club
(Asbury, IA)

Andreas Transo
8 PM @ Frank O'Dowd's
Irish Pub (Galena, IL)

Joie Wails
8 PM @ Red N Deb's
(Platteville, WI)

Dave Weld +
The Imperial Flames
8 PM @ Flatted Fifth Blues
& BBQ (Bellevue, IA)

Secrets
8 PM @ The Big House
(Petersburg, IA)

Latin Night w/ DJ Papi
9 PM @ Smokestack

Brushfire Bandits
9 PM @ Lock 12 (Bellevue, IA)

Jason Kane and the Jive
10 PM @ The Lift

SUN 10/29
Chris Ross
11 AM @ Breitbart's Country
Dining (Balltown, IA)

Jimmy Welty Band
1 PM @ O So Good Winery
(Dyersville, IA)

Scott Waterhouse
2 PM @ Darkbird Taphouse
(Peosta, IA)

River Glen Duo
2 PM @ River Ridge Brewing
(Bellevue, IA)

Johnnie Walker
3 PM @ Stone Cliff Winery

Laura McDonald & Robbie Bahr
3 PM @ Galena Lions Den
(Galena, IL)

Dubuque Symphony Orchestra
Youth Ensembles Fall Concert
5 PM @ Clarke University
Jansen Music Hall

Shekinah King
7 PM @ Grape Escape
(Galena, IL)

MON 10/30
Reed Foehl
7 PM @ Fox Den Motel

Julien Chamber Choir
Fall Concert
7:30 PM @ Galena CFA
(Galena, IL)

DJ Williams
8 PM @ The Lift

TUE 10/31
Pallin with Hal
7 PM @ Kava Kava

Halloween Trivia
8 PM @ Southend Tap

Trivia
8 PM @ Frank O'Dowd's
Irish Pub (Galena, IL)

WED 11/1
Northside's "Absolute Best
Singer" Contest
6 PM @ Northside Bar

The Guthries
6 PM @ Grape Escape
(Galena, IL)

Tobin Kirk
7 PM @ Fox Den Motel

Collegiate Jazz Night
7 PM @ Smokestack

Jukebox Bingo
7 PM @ Southend Tap

Dennis Christie
8 PM @ Frank O'Dowd's
Irish Pub (Galena, IL)

IV and the Strange Band,
Riff & The Heist
10 PM @ The Lift

THU 11/2
Jef Spradley
7 PM @ Grape Escape
(Galena, IL)

Jukebox Bingo
7 PM @ Off Shore Resort
(Bellevue, IA)

Yule Ball
8 PM @ Frank O'Dowd's
Irish Pub (Galena, IL)

FRI 11/3
Kara Gordon
5 PM @ Galena Cellars
Downtown (Galena, IL)

Music @ your library: Soultru
6 PM @ Carnegie-Stout
Public Library

DR Duo
6 PM @ Stone Cliff Winery

Theresa Rosetta
6 PM @ Millennium Marina
(East DBQ, IL)

Broken Rubber Band
6 PM @ Darkbird Taphouse
(Peosta, IA)

Sarah Day
6 PM @ Textile Brewing Co
(Dyersville, IA)

Tyler Fischer
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7 PM @ Days Inn
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Karaoke w/ Denise
7 PM @ Northside Bar

Trivia
7 PM @ Gehlen Barn Beer in the
Barn Brewery (St. Donatus, IA)

Girls Night: The Musical
7:30 PM @ Five Flags Theater

Steely Dane
7:30 PM @ Grand Opera House

Ryan Niemiller
8 PM @ Diamond Jo Casino
Mississippi Moon Bar

Devour Cafe Benefit Show:
Mike Adams at His Honest
Weight w/ Dubuque Rock City
8 PM @ Fox Den Motel

Ian Gould
8 PM @ Frank O'Dowd's
Irish Pub (Galena, IL)

Lojo Russo
8 PM @ Grape Escape
(Galena, IL)

SAT 11/4
L&MOP: Callie Fitzgerald
10 AM @ Carnegie-Stout
Public Library

Kayla Brown @ Noon
Garrett Hillary @ 5 PM
Galena Cellars Downtown
(Galena, IL)

Off Shore Fall Fest: Luke Thomas
Noon @ Off Shore Event Center
(Bellevue, IA)

Jordan Danielson
1 PM @ Galena Cellars Vineyard
(Scales Mound, IL)

Iowa Hawkeye Party: University
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SAT 11/4

Jabberbox Reunion Show
6 PM @ Jumpers

Jef Spradley
6 PM @ Stone Cliff Winery

GIT Improv
7 PM @ Bell Tower Theater

Tyler Fischer
7 and 9 PM @ Comedy Bar

Big Night Out
7 PM @ Days Inn Spirits Bar & Grill

Paul Filipowicz
7 PM @ Gary Dolphin's Iron Bar

Karaoke w/ Becky McMahon
7 PM @ R Place (East DBQ, IL)

Marc Bailey
7 PM @ Gehlen Barn Beer in the Barn Brewery (St. Donatus, IA)

The Phil Collins Experience
8 PM @ Diamond Jo Casino
Mississippi Moon Bar

Marques Morel, Michael Gay,
Mark Ambrose
8 PM @ Fox Den Motel

Ian Gould
8 PM @ Frank O'Dowd's
Irish Pub (Galena, IL)

Joie Wails
8 PM @ Grape Escape (Galena, IL)

Adam Keith
8 PM @ The Big House
(Petersburg, IA)

The Gutheries
9 PM @ Lock 12 (Bellevue, IA)

SUN 11/5

Abbey Rode
1 PM @ O So Good Winery
(Dyersville, IA)

Johnnie Walker
1 PM @ PromiseLand Winery
(Guttenberg, IA)

Julien Winds and Clarke Wind
Ensemble: Strange Things
2 PM @ Clarke Jansen Music Hall

Scott Waterhouse
2 PM @ Dimensional Brewing Co

Jacque Miller
3 PM @ Stone Cliff Winery

BJ McAndrew
3 PM @ Darkbird Taphouse
(Peosta, IA)

Tri Wizard Tourney
6:30 PM @ Frank O'Dowd's
Irish Pub (Galena, IL)

Corey Jenny
7 PM @ Grape Escape
(Galena, IL)

TUE 11/7

Comedy Night
w/ Todd Baysinger
7:30 PM @ Fox Den Motel

WED 11/8

Northside's "Absolute Best
Singer" Contest
6 PM @ Northside Bar

Jukebox Bingo
7 PM @ Off Shore Resort
(Bellevue, IA)

THU 11/9

Brooks Wheelan
7 PM @ Comedy Bar

Marty Raymond
7 PM @ Frank O'Dowd's
Irish Pub (Galena, IL)

Danny Parker Project
7 PM @ Grape Escape
(Galena, IL)

Buffalo Galaxy
9 PM @ The Lift

FRI 11/10

Ky & Ty Acoustic Duo
5 PM @ Galena Cellars
Downtown (Galena, IL)

Stone Wolf Trio
6 PM @ Stone Cliff Winery

Sweet Trav
6 PM @ Millennium Marina
(East DBQ, IL)

Joie Wails
6 PM @ Obie's Bar
(Maquoketa, IA)

Steve Cavanaugh &
Randy Droessler
7 PM @ Days Inn
Spirits Bar & Grill

Karaoke w/ Denise
7 PM @ Northside Bar

Rock Steady
7 PM @ Hilltop at Menominee
(Menominee, IL)

Hypnotist Gabriel Holmes
7 PM @ Gehlen Barn Beer in the
Barn Brewery (St. Donatus, IA)

Aaron Putnam
8 PM @ Comedy Bar

Ed Bassmaster
8 PM @ Diamond Jo Casino
Mississippi Moon Bar

Prince Ace Rap Show
8 PM @ Fox Den Motel

Hearthfire Duo
8 PM @ Frank O'Dowd's
Irish Pub (Galena, IL)

Young & Jones
8 PM @ Grape Escape (Galena, IL)

SAT 11/11

Lenny Wayne @ Noon
Kara Gordon @ 5 PM
Galena Cellars Downtown
(Galena, IL)

David Czech
1 PM @ Galena Cellars Vineyard
(Scales Mound, IL)

Jimmy Welty Band
2 PM @ Burkey's Bar

Branson Country Christmas
2 PM @ UD Heritage Center

The Guthries @ 2 PM
Jef Spradley @ 8 PM
Grape Escape (Galena, IL)

Johnnie Walker
4 PM @ Son Chasers
(Cassville, WI)

Kampfire Kings
5 PM @ Dimensional Brewing Co

John Moran
6 PM @ Stone Cliff Winery

Gypsy
6 PM @ O So Good Winery
(Dyersville, IA)

Aaron Putnam
7 PM @ Comedy Bar

Rock Steady
7 PM @ Days Inn Spirits Bar & Grill

Mini Monster
7 PM @ First Reserve

DR Band
7 PM @ Gehlen Barn Beer in the
Barn Brewery (St. Donatus, IA)

Dubuque Symphony Orchestra:
Classics 2
7:30 PM @ Five Flags Theater

The Struts
8 PM @ Diamond Jo Casino
Mississippi Moon Bar



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Upcoming Entertainment



Ryan Niemiller

NOVEMBER 3 @ 8 PM

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Nathan Hansen

OCTOBER 27 @ 8 PM

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Menace

OCTOBER 28 @ 8 PM

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Additional Entertainment

THE PHIL COLLINS EXPERIENCE

NOVEMBER 4 @ 8 PM

ED BASSMASTER

NOVEMBER 10 @ 8 PM

THE STRUTS

NOVEMBER 11 @ 8 PM

SLAMABAMA BAND

NOVEMBER 17 @ 8 PM

SLAMABAMA PRESENTS SHANIA/SWIFT

NOVEMBER 18 @ 8 PM

THE DOUGT HYPNOSIS SHOW

NOVEMBER 22 @ 8 PM

POPROCKS

NOVEMBER 24 @ 8 PM

SPAZMATICS

NOVEMBER 25 @ 8 PM

WALKING MOLLY

DECEMBER 1 @ 8 PM

JABBERBOX

DECEMBER 2 @ 8 PM

DIAMOND JO 
C A S I N O

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Ongoing & Recurring Nightlife

SUNDAY

Disco Brunch
9 AM @ Convivium Urban Farmstead
2nd Sun

Open Mic w/ Scott Rische
1 PM @ Grape Escape (Galena, IL)

Gladdy Ressler, Jamie Jones, Special Guests
1 PM @ Council Hill Station (Council Hill, IL)

Bingo
4 PM @ Gary Dolphin's Iron Bar

Open Mic & Sketch Group w/ Addison Aronson
4 PM @ Smokestack
1st Sun

MONDAY

Trivia w/ Fun N Games Co
6:30 PM @ Textile Brewing Co (Dyersville, IA)
1st & 3rd Mon

Taproom Trivia w/ Fun N Games Co
6:30 PM @ The Corner Taproom (Cascade, IA)
2nd Mon

TUESDAY

Dance Dance Party Party
5:30 PM @ Smokestack
2nd Tue

Tuesday Night Record Club w/ DJ Jon Purvis and DJ Nick Riedman
7 PM @ Fox Den Motel

Trivia w/ Triviawithbrett
7 PM @ Hotel Julien Dubuque Riverboat Lounge

Leo-oke: Live Piano Karaoke
7 PM @ Wicked Dame

Trivia w/ Fun N Games Co
7:30 PM @ Backpocket DBQ

WEDNESDAY

Trivia w/ Triviawithbrett
6 PM @ Hy-Vee Locust

HitMix Music Bingo
7 PM @ 7 Hills Brewing Co

Trivia For Dorks
7 PM @ Dimensional Brewing Co

WORDS:
Poetry Hip-Hop Open Mic
7 PM @ Esther's Lounge

Open Mic
7 PM @ Gary Dolphin's Iron Bar

Trivia w/ Fun N Games Co
7 PM @ Lina's Lounge

The Mixologist DJ AA
7 PM @ The Other Side (East DBQ, IL)

Rockstar Bingo
7 PM @ 7 Hills North (Platteville, WI)

Karaoke w/ Becky McMahon
8:30 PM @ Denny's Lux Club

Karaoke w/ Dante Steele Entertainment
9 PM @ Baraboo's on Main

THURSDAY

Trivia w/ Triviawithbrett
6:30 PM @ Hy-Vee Dodge
No event on 11/23

Dolph's Vinyl Night w/ Jeff Danna
7 PM @ Gary Dolphin's Iron Bar

Family Game Night
7 PM @ 7 Hills West (Dyersville, IA)
No event on 11/23

Music Bingo w/ Think & Drink
8 PM @ Barrel House
No event on 11/23

Tomato Throw Show
8 PM @ Comedy Bar
No event on 11/23

Thirsty Thursday Open Mic
8 PM @ Smokestack

Karaoke
9 PM @ Southend Tap

FRIDAY

Dolph's Vinyl Night w/ Jeff Danna
7 PM @ Gary Dolphin's Iron Bar
3rd Fri

Karaoke w/ Becky McMahon
7 PM @ Offside Sports Complex
2nd Fri

Karaoke & Live Music w/ Johnny C
7 PM @ Swiss Inn (East DBQ, IL)
2nd Fri

Trivia Night
7 PM @ Maquoketa Brewing (Maquoketa, IA)
1st Fri

Karaoke
7:30 PM @ Lock 12 (Bellevue, IA)
1st & 3rd Fri through Dec

Speedquizzing Trivia w/ GQ Entertainment
8 PM @ 7 Hills Brewing Co

Open Mic Karaoke
8:30 PM @ The Big House (Petersburg, IA)

Karaoke w/ Dante Steele
9 PM @ Baraboo's on Main

SATURDAY

L&MOP
10 AM @ Carnegie-Stout Public Library
2nd Sat, Nov event on 11/4

Gladdy Ressler, Jamie Jones, Special Guests
1 PM @ Council Hill Station (Council Hill, IL)

Karaoke w/ Dante Steele Entertainment
9 PM @ Baraboo's on Main

Karaoke & Live Music w/ Johnny C
9 PM @ Swiss Inn (East DBQ, IL)
Last Sat

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Regional Nightlife & Festivals

DAVENPORT, IA

Theresa Caputo
Nov 1 @ Adler Theatre

Banda Limon
Nov 4 @ Rhythm City Casino

Newsboys
Nov 5 @ Adler Theatre

Nurse Blake
Nov 9 @ Adler Theatre

John Cleese
Nov 10 @ Adler Theatre

Gary Allan
Nov 11 @ Adler Theatre

Blue Oyster Cult
Nov 18 @ Rhythm City Casino

Sal Vulcano
Nov 19 @ Adler Theatre

Luminare Christmas
Dec 10 @ Rhythm City Casino

Wayne Newton
Dec 15 @ Adler Theatre

Nate Bargatze
Dec 16 @ Adler Theatre

Michael W. Smith
Dec 18 @ Adler Theatre

Jesse McCartney
Jan 25 @ Rhythm City Casino

Sawyer Brown
Feb 24 @ Rhythm City Casino

MOLINE, IL

Pentatonix
Nov 27 @ Vibrant Arena

EAST MOLINE, IL

Wheeler Walker Jr.
Oct 26 @ The Rust Belt

Steel Panther
Dec 3 @ The Rust Belt

Sevendust
Dec 30 @ The Rust Belt

CEDAR RAPIDS, IA

Teresa Caputo
Oct 29 @ Paramount Theatre

Matt Rife
Nov 3 @ Paramount Theatre

Sal Vulcano
Nov 11 @ Paramount Theatre

Joe Bonamassa
Nov 12 @ Paramount Theatre

Lindsey Stirling
Dec 2 @ Alliant Energy PowerHouse

Jo Koy
Dec 8 @ Alliant Energy PowerHouse

Maddie Poppe
Dec 10 @ Paramount Theatre

Mannheim Steamroller
Dec 20 @ Alliant Energy PowerHouse

Home Free
Dec 21 @ Paramount Theatre

IOWA CITY, IA

Sun Ra Arkestra, Theon Cross
Nov 4 @ The Englert Theatre

The Del McCoury Band
Nov 8 @ The Englert Theatre

Sara Evans
Dec 10 @ The Englert Theatre

Preservation Hall Jazz Band
Dec 12 @ The Englert Theatre

Martin Sexton
Jan 18 @ The Englert Theatre

Paula Poundstone
Jan 20 @ The Englert Theatre

Foy Vance, Bonnie Bishop
Jan 26 @ The Englert Theatre

Demetri Martin
Jan 28 @ The Englert Theatre

Mariachi Herencia de México
Feb 2 @ The Englert Theatre

John Waite
Feb 9 @ The Englert Theatre

Postmodern Jukebox
Feb 25 @ The Englert Theatre

The Blind Boys of Alabama
Feb 29 @ The Englert Theatre

RIVERSIDE, IA

Larry the Cable Guy
Oct 27 @ Riverside Casino

Nikki Glaser
Oct 28 @ Riverside Casino

.38 Special
Nov 17 @ Riverside Casino

Clint Black
Dec 8 @ Riverside Casino

Clay Walker
Feb 9 @ Riverside Casino

MADISON, WI

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Oct 26 @ Liquid

Tchami
Oct 27 @ Liquid

Nurse Blake
Oct 27 @ Overture Center

HYO
Oct 28 @ Liquid

Chelsea Handler
Oct 29 @ The Orpheum

The Wailn' Jennys
Nov 1 @ Barrymore Theatre

John Cleese
Nov 2 @ The Orpheum

DakhaBrakha
Nov 2 @ Overture Center

Lil Yachty, Nick Hakim
Nov 4 @ The Sylvee

Loreena McKennitt
Nov 5 @ Barrymore Theatre

Craig Ferguson
Nov 5 @ Overture Center

Hunter Hayes
Nov 7 @ The Majestic

Flosstradamus
Nov 10 @ Liquid

Maverick City Music
Nov 10 @ The Sylvee

Flannel Fest
Nov 11 @ Barrymore Theatre

Kai Wachi
Nov 11 @ Liquid

Jim Brickman
Nov 12 @ Overture Center

Sultan + Shepard
Nov 17 @ Liquid

ATLiens
Nov 18 @ Liquid

Kevin Bozeman & Friends
Nov 22 @ Comedy on State

Bush, Bad Wolves, Eva Under Fire
Nov 28 @ The Sylvee

6lack, Quin
Nov 29 @ The Orpheum

Joe Russo's Almost Dead
Nov 30 @ The Sylvee

Valentino Khan
Dec 1 @ Liquid

Keys N Krates
Dec 2 @ Liquid

Hannah Berner
Dec 2 @ The Orpheum

Lil Tjay, Dej Loaf, Skillia Baby
Dec 3 @ The Sylvee

Andrew McMahon in the Wilderness, Michigander, Wildermis
Dec 6 @ The Sylvee

Pete Davidson
Dec 7 @ The Orpheum

Liz Phair, Kate Bollinger
Dec 8 @ The Sylvee

Darren Criss
Dec 12 @ Barrymore Theatre

Christopher Titus
Dec 15 @ Comedy on State

Steel Panther, Moon Fever
Dec 15 @ The Sylvee

Sean Patton
Dec 31 @ Comedy on State

Sam Morril
Jan 4-6 @ Comedy on State

Jared Freid
Jan 11-13 @ Comedy on State

James Kennedy
Jan 25 @ Liquid

Ms. Pat
Feb 3 @ Barrymore Theatre

Ashley Gavin
Feb 8-10 @ Comedy on State

Roy Wood Jr
Feb 10 @ The Orpheum

Subtronics, Hedex, Jon Casey, Distinct Motive, Skellytn
Feb 18 @ The Sylvee

Bruce McCulloch
Feb 24 @ The Majestic

Journey
Feb 26 @ Kohl Center

Static-X, Sevendust, Dope, Lines of Loyalty
Feb 26 @ The Sylvee

Postmodern Jukebox
Feb 28 @ The Orpheum

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Steely Dan

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 3 @ 7:30 PM
GRAND OPERA HOUSE (135 W 8TH ST)
 Experience the ultimate Steely Dan tribute with Steely Dan at the Grand Opera House on Friday, Nov. 3, at 7:30 p.m.

Steely Dan is dedicated to not only faithfully reproducing the Steely Dan and Donald Fagen songbook but to bringing an energetic live-show experience to the crowd as well. Fourteen of the Midwest's best jazz and rock musicians

have banded together around their passion for Steely Dan music, playing in the same configuration as the Steely Dan touring band including a four-piece horn section, two female background singers, two guitars, and more. Shows consist of hits and deep cuts and sometimes even complete albums and are sure to have you out of your seats singing along.

Tickets are \$27-\$37 and can be purchased in person at the box office, by calling **563-588-1305**, or at **TheGrandOperaHouse.com**. ■



Brooks Wheelan

NOVEMBER 9 AND 12 @ 7 PM
THE COMEDY BAR (333 E 10TH ST)
 The Comedy Bar at Novelty Iron Works is welcoming one of Dubuque's own back to town for two nights filled with hilarious laughter, on Nov. 9 and 12 at 7 p.m. Aside from an illustrious past as Homecoming King at Hempstead High School once upon a time, Brooks Wheelan also was a cast member of *Saturday Night Live* in 2013. *Rolling Stone* named him as one of the top 45 acts from the 2014 Bonnaroo Music and Arts Festival.

Since then, he has also chalked-up the No. 1 comedy album on iTunes with the release of his debut album, *This is cool, Right?*, which was hailed by many outlets as one of the best comedy albums of 2015. He also released a Comedy Central *The Half Hour* special. Naturally, he has appeared on a slate of shows across the TV spectrum including *Conan*, *Late*

Night with Seth Meyers, *Girls*, MTV's *Ridiculousness*, Comedy Central's *This Is Not Happening*, Comedy Central's *Adam Devine's House Party*, and more!

This is a great venue for live comedy, and if you have not experienced it yet, let this night of local-boy-does-funny comedy be the one that finally gets you off your duff.

All shows are 17 and over. There is a two-drink minimum per guest. Shows run about an hour and 15 minutes. Doors open 30 minutes prior to showtime. Arriving at least 15 minutes before show time is always a good idea. Seating is first come first serve with a strict no-call, no-show policy. Please call The Comedy Bar if you are running late! Most tables seat four guests. You may be seated with strangers.

Tickets to see Brooks Wheelan are \$20 for GA and \$25 for VIP. For more information, call The Comedy Bar at **563-855-7004** or purchase tickets at **comedybar.com/dubuque**. ■



LIVE MUSIC & ENTERTAINMENT FEATURES

SAT 10/28



Sam Ness

7 PM @ GARY DOLPHIN'S IRON BAR
(333 E 10TH ST)

COVER: FREE

Mixing traditional folk-Americana roots with a new-age, alternative, singer-songwriter feel, Sam Ness finds inspiration in the ancient cobblestone streets across the globe. His percussive playing paired with an assortment of special effects including a loop system, have built a sound larger than most full bands. Wisconsin male vocalist and guitar player of the year. **garydolphins.com**.



Dave Weld + The Imperial Flames

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

COVER: \$5

The authentic, real deal blues band with high energy and versatile talent, variety, and a cohesive show. Enjoy original driving house rockin blues, blues rock, funk, boogie, and soul. Blues originals are classic in nature while the standards are revitalized with striking three-part vocal harmony. Passionate slide guitarist Dave Weld was mentored by Grammy-winning Master J.B. Hutto and legendary slideman, along with blues diva and two-time Rami winner Monica Myhre (Mona Rose). **pottersmill.net**.

SUN 10/29



River Glen Duo

2 PM @ RIVER RIDGE BREWING
(303 S RIVERVIEW ST, BELLEVUE, IA)

COVER: FREE

River Glen was born at home alongside the Mississippi River in the Driftless Area of Dubuque. His songwriting strikes a delicate balance of pop-appeal and lyrical substance. From wonderings about love, family, and belonging, to the celebration of death and loss as a natural part of life, River critiques modern pop-culture through the lens of familiar, traditional folk themes. River holds audiences with a comfortable confidence as he shares his original music; playfully blending elements of folk, pop, and rock. Every performance is an opportunity to showcase his proficiency in guitar, violin, and mandolin, alongside powerhouse vocals. In 2017, River was named Fellow by the Iowa Arts Council for his original music. His latest release, *As Above, So Below*, features over 150 singers and musicians almost entirely from Iowa. **riverridgebrewing.com**.

WED 11/1



IV and the Strange Band, Riff & The Heist

10 PM @ THE LIFT (180 MAIN ST, LOWER LEVEL)
COVER: \$10 ADV/\$15 DOOR

As the great-grandson of Hank Williams Sr., grandson of Hank Williams Jr., and only son of Hank 3, Coleman spent years waging an internal battle



Classical Blast: Dark Side of the Yule

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 18 @ 7 PM
OHNWARD FINE ARTS CENTER
 (1215 E PLATT ST, MAQUOKETA, IA)
 Classical Blast melds classic rock and Christmas in this exhilarating concert experience at the Ohnward Fine Arts Center in Maquoketa, IA on Saturday, Nov. 18 at 7 p.m.

Dark Side of the Yule is not your typical Christmas concert! Prepare your ears for medieval holiday music like “Coventry Carol” mashed with Pink

Floyd’s “Great Gig in the Sky” or a new spin on “Gabriel’s Message.” “Amazing Grace” melds with Leonard Cohen’s “Hallelujah.” “Silent Night” seamlessly blurs into Simon & Garfunkel’s “Sound of Silence,” while Tchaikovsky’s “Dance of the Sugarplum Fairy” flirts with Metallica’s “Enter Sandman.” Rockin’ versions of traditional Christmas, sweetly haunting originals, and so much more!

Classical Blast has created one of the most unusual and enjoyable holiday shows to be found. Is it Christmas, is it rock, is it pop, is it traditional? It’s all of the above and more, all rolled into a series of musical stories that explore some of the holiday season’s darker themes. But don’t worry, everyone see the light by the end! The Sugarplum Fairy herself would be proud of the eye and ear candy of Dark Side of the Yule.

Tickets are \$22 in advance or \$25 at the door for adults and \$13 in advance or \$15 at the door for students. Tickets can be purchased at the Ohnward Fine Arts Center box office, by calling **563-652-9815**, or at **OhnwardFineArtsCenter.com**. ■

with the expectations thrust upon him by others about his own lineage. Coleman channeled his love of the weird into his first album *Southern Circus*. Now, leading to the upcoming follow-up record *Hang Dog*, he hopes to show people a journey of love for his old dog and the strange moments in life that can define us. Finding a balance between spectacle and spirit, melodies, and muscle. Making the music of a man honoring his family tree while planting his own garden. Locals Riff & The Heist open. facebook.com/theliftdubuque.

FRI 11/3



Devour Cafe Benefit Show: Mike Adams at His Honest Weight w/ Dubuque Rock City

8 PM @ FOX DEN MOTEL (920 MAIN ST)
There Is No Feeling Better, the fourth album from Bloomington, IN’s Mike Adams at His Honest Weight finds the titular Adams—the singer/songwriter/multi-instrumentalist/producer at the center of the independent pop

institution—focused less on who he is and more on where he is. Earlier this month, Devour Cafe suffered damages that have kept it closed since. Come out to Fox Den Motel to help raise funds for this local business. foxdenmotel.com.

FRI 11/10



Gabriel Holmes

7 PM @ GEHLEN BARN BEER IN THE BARN BREWERY (101 MAIN ST, ST. DONATUS, IA)
TICKETS: \$5

The fun, fresh, and purely entertaining hypnosis show will bring enjoyment for members of the audience as well as the participants. Hypnotic induction is a completely observable process that draws the audience in while witnessing the transformation. Gabriel’s amazing presence produces one of the hottest and most unforgettable experiences in the country. He has performed more than 1,600 shows in 48 states. Gabriel’s high-energy and fabulous imagination creates an unforgettable show you will truly love. facebook.com/GehlenBarn.

PUZZLE ANSWERS

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Pepper Sprout

By Danny Fairchild

Every year around this time I start to wonder when Pepper Sprout will have their fall menu. That's not to say I get to try it every year. I have a toddler and a 12 year old along with all the responsibilities and activities that connote. Some years I just go online and drool over the menu like Charlie gazing longingly at Wonka's factory. BUT! My partner and I suddenly found ourselves with childcare and a reservation at Pepper Sprout for Friday night.

Damn, do I love Pepper Sprout on a Friday night. The bar is lively and feels familiar even if you don't know a soul there. Just give it a few minutes and you will. The dining room is intimate, but you don't feel like you're stacked up on top of each other. I've had experiences where an older couple would have drinks sent over to our table cuz we just look so cute. This time, someone saw us taking all these food pictures and offered to take our picture. I felt compelled to explain that the photos were journalistic in nature and not for the gram. But no explanation was needed. Good dude. I'm not saying it feels like a bunch of strangers are eating together. Yeesh, that's my nightmare. You're eating

separately and privately, but it feels like we're all in this thing together. It's... it's very Midwest. And Chef Kim Wolff's Pepper Sprout is proudly Midwest cuisine. No, seriously. "Midwest Cuisine" is on the signage, the website, socials, everywhere.

Now... I've lived in the Midwest all my life. Hell, I've lived in Iowa all my life. Never, in all my life, have I been particularly proud of our cuisine. What does "Midwest cuisine" even mean? Jell-O salad? I mean... I wouldn't put it past Chef Kim. She doesn't have anything like that on the menu right now, but I'm sure she could make us an aspic that would give us wet dreams. Dubuque might not be ready for that, though. Does it mean casseroles? It certainly could. One of the biggest reasons I look forward to Chef Kim's fall menu is because she always has the greatest pot pies I've ever had.

Here's the thing about (fill in the blank) cuisine. It is ALWAYS, at its heart, comfort food. Italian cuisine, Mexican cuisine, Chinese cuisine, Indian cuisine, Ethiopian cuisine, Cajun cuisine, and on and on and on. ALL food is comfort food. Except, sometimes, French cuisine. But only sometimes. And so here comes Midwest cuisine. And holy crap do we know comfort food around here.

I don't know Chef Kim that well. I've talked to her some when she's come around to tables. I approached her to do Baconfest back when I worked for Area Residential Care. (Yes, I was one of the many people who organized Dubuque

Baconfest. You're welcome.) I've been trying to define what sets Chef Kim apart from other chefs in the area. She knows her flavors, that's for sure. She knows what complements what well enough to break the rules effectively. Like a true artist. But she's not the only one 'round here who can do that. She knows her ingredients both intuitively and through experience. But that's not unheard of around here. She respects her guests.

I think I've figured out what makes Chef Kim so special. One of the things, anyway, and it's one of those things I'm hesitant to point out because it's something where if you're using it right, nobody knows you're using it at all. Chef Kim, probably more than any chef in the area, has an absolute mastery of acid.

"Acid" is a bit of a culinary buzzword these days. *Salt Fat Acid Heat* by Samin Nosrat is a best seller that inspired an equally interesting Netflix series. You hear characters in popular shows like *The Bear* say things like, "Your dish needs some acid." And now, suddenly, my favorite chocolate chip cookie recipe is a King Arthur Flour recipe that calls for a teaspoon of cider vinegar. It adds brightness to flavor. A taste of freshness, too. That's why salad dressing tastes good on salads. And it balances and marries other flavors. It might be overstating to say that acid brings a dish to life, but it certainly gives that dish a life worth living.

And now I hear all the GERD boys and girls with their Prilosec prescriptions

saying, "Acid? No, Fairchild. Not for me." Yes. For you. Like I said, if used correctly, you don't know it's being used at all. Look, you might come out of Pepper Sprout suffering because you ate too much, but that's on you.

Enough crushing hard on Chef Kim. Let's crush hard on her food.

We started with the Local Mushroom Napoleon. Folks, I think I've said before that I have a hobbit-like affinity for mushrooms. So when I read this description: "Local mushrooms, sautéed onion, pancetta, and arugula in a bleu cheese blend, layered in a puff pastry. Served warm and finished with balsamic vinegar reduction," I just about went there and back again. And you see that last part, right? The balsamic vinegar reduction? Yeah, that's some acid right there. A lot of sweetness in balsamic, too. But the acidity marries the sweetness with the sharpness of the blue cheese and the bitterness of the arugula... look, I know that's more than two things getting married in this metaphor, but do not object to this union. Apparently polyamory is delicious. Knowing we were going to be trying several things on the menu, we only ate half of it during our seating. But it didn't last the night. Nom.

I ordered the Pan-Seared Duck Breast with Duck Leg Confit because if you put duck on your menu, I will order it. And "confit" is such a fun word I can't resist. So, I was made to order this dish. I like it because it tastes wild without tasting gamey. I've had Chef Kim's duck several

times, and every time it's like the first. I'm in safe hands with Chef Kim's duck. Remember the whole ALL-food-is-comfort-food thing? Case in point. In fact, I could write about Chef Kim's duck completely from memory and ordered a different dish to tell you about. But I didn't. I couldn't help myself. Had to get the duck. It is served over rice with a cranberry-apple chutney. It's like Thanksgiving came early. Guess what that cranberry-apple chutney adds? Acidy brightness, that's right.

My duck came with soup. This night featured a vegetarian chili. Now... I already hear you. "But Fairchild! Chili is a stew! Maybe you CAN have a stew without meat... but SHOULD you?" Yes. If by "you" you mean Chef Kim. And quit being so dogmatic about chili. And look. I'm a meat-and-potatoes-fed Iowa boy. If there's no meat where there should be meat, I'm suspicious. But damned if it wasn't hearty and delicious with a brightness to the veggies that comes from... say it with me... ACID! This chili was perhaps the most effective use of acid. It took a vegetarian chili and made it eat like chili con carne.

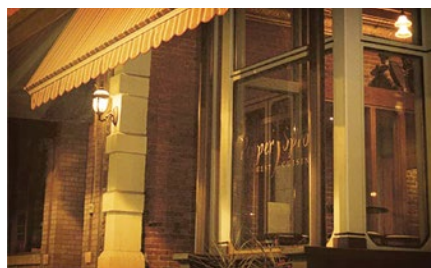
Annie ordered the grilled salmon. Maybe it's a stupid litmus test, but I think you can't really know how good a chef is until they serve you fish. It's unforgiving, and you HAVE to pay attention. Or at least that's how mere mortals experience it. Chef Kim probably isn't mortal, though. Annie often orders salmon at restaurants, and she doesn't ask much. Just make sure it's not UNDER done. She's generally fine with overcooked fish, but if you can thread the needle and give her the perfectly prepared salmon... well... it was a good night for me, I'll say that much. Thanks, Chef Kim. And thank you for the tomato artichoke Kalamata olive dill relish the salmon was served with. It's brilliant in concept and flavor.

We went ahead and ordered a beef pot pie, too. I've been craving a Pepper Sprout pot pie for so long, even if I only had a few bites before taking it home, I'd be happy. And I was. You might be wondering what role acid has to play in something as hearty as a pot pie. Welcome to class, students. The components of a pot pie, when all is said, done, and baked, are delicious all by themselves. Spearing a piece of beef or a potato in that rich heartiness and popping it into your mouth? Hell yeah. Oh, what's that? A mushroom? Hell yeah, mushroom! Down it goes. All these ingredients bubbling together under a wonderful puff pastry crust making each other better in the process. Amazing. You know what can help that process? Acid. You know what can make it so the myriad deliciousness tastes even better all together instead of individually? Acid. Not a lot, mind you. But it's there. Because it belongs there.

We took dessert to go. No picture because clamshell containers ain't sexy. But that friggin' lemon tart was amazing. The sweetness and acidity of the lemon with the nutty sweetness of the brown butter crust? Holy crap, yo. More than once we've wished we had more.

It's weird to link Midwest cuisine with a fine dining experience like Pepper Sprout. Until you experience it, that is. Chef Kim kicks ass. You should let her kick yours. And the servers and bar staff are so knowledgeable and there to make everything better. If your server tells you the Caesar salad is very garlicky, believe them. Chef Kim's Caesar salad dares to ask the age-old question, "How much garlic is too much garlic?" Results are inconclusive because yeah, it's garlicky. But it's friggin' delicious. And if both you and your date eat it, then no harm no foul. If your server tells you the pot pie is very hot, temperature-wise, believe them. Don't try to be tough. If your server gives you some lottery numbers, believe them.

But don't do that stupid joke where you ask for the winning lottery numbers when your server asks if there's anything else they can get you. There's a special place in hell for those people. ■



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Salmon BLTs

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All You Need:

- 4 (¾-inch thick) slices Hy-Vee Bakery bread
- 3 tbsp Gustare Vita olive oil, divided
- 3 slices Hy-Vee bacon, halved crosswise
- 3 tbsp Hy-Vee plain Greek yogurt
- 1 tbsp finely chopped fresh dill
- 1 tsp finely chopped green onion
- ¼ tsp lemon zest
- 2 (6-oz each) skinless salmon fillets, ½- to ¾-inch thick
- Hy-Vee Mediterranean sea salt
- Hy-Vee ground black pepper
- Spinach leaves for topping
- ½ Roma tomato, sliced
- ½ avocado, pitted, peeled and sliced

All You Do:

1. Brush both sides of bread with 2 tablespoons of olive oil. Place bread slices in a large nonstick skillet, toast over medium heat, turning occasionally. Remove bread from skillet; set aside.
2. Place bacon in same skillet. Cook over medium heat for 8-10 minutes or until desired doneness, turning occasionally. Drain on paper towels; set aside. Wipe skillet clean with paper towels.
3. Stir together yogurt, dill, green onion and lemon zest in a small bowl. Set aside.
4. Pat salmon dry with paper towels. Lightly sprinkle both sides of salmon with salt and pepper. Heat remaining 1 tablespoon of oil in skillet. Add salmon; cook over medium-high heat for 5 to 9 minutes or until fish flakes easily with a fork (and reaches 145 F), turning once halfway through.
5. Spread yogurt mixture on bread. Add spinach leaves, salmon, tomato, bacon, and avocado. Top with remaining bread slices.

Recipe source: hy-vee.com/recipes-ideas/recipes/salmon-blt



Foods that Promote a Healthy Pregnancy

By Hy-Vee Nutritionist Megan Dalsing

Before ever becoming pregnant, I imagined eating while pregnant as a nice stage of life where you can indulge in all the cravings and enjoy “eating for two.” But nobody can prepare you for how it feels to have morning sickness and food aversions. You may find that nothing sounds good to eat and everything smells incredibly strong! Then something very specific and odd sounds tolerable to eat, and it is a quest to find that exact item at that particular time. Plus, don’t forget about following all the extra food safety precautions while also keeping in mind the recommended ranges of weight to gain during pregnancy. Yikes! Even as a dietitian, I found eating during pregnancy extremely challenging. But my best diet advice during pregnancy is to—if possible—do what you can prior to pregnancy to be well-nourished, and then give yourself grace and flexibility with your eating during your pregnancy.

I learned that finding support throughout my pregnancy was key! If you are looking for individual nutrition support during your pregnancy, reach out to a Hy-Vee registered dietitian for help. In the meantime, here are some of my recommendations to promote a balanced diet and, in turn, a healthy pregnancy.

Before pregnancy, if possible, do what you can to be well-nourished. Talk with your health care provider about starting a prenatal supplement prior to pregnancy. Hy-Vee has prenatal multivitamins containing essential nutrients such as folic acid and DHA, an omega-3 fatty acid important to infant development. If possible, prior to pregnancy, talk with your care provider and consider adopting a lifestyle routine that leaves you feeling energized with how you’re eating and moving your body. A Hy-Vee dietitian can help you create a personalized plan!

During pregnancy, remember to—above all—give yourself grace and be flexible with your intake as you navigate morning sickness, food aversions, cravings, and exhaustion. Later on in pregnancy, pregnant women require only about an additional 300 calories per day. If possible, aim to make this extra intake nutritionally dense to give yourself and baby all the required nutrients. Here is a list of key nutrients I recommend to support a healthy pregnancy—and which foods are sources of these nutrients.

Folate/Folic Acid

Folate is a B vitamin that helps prevent problems with the brain and spinal cord during development. Folic acid is the synthetic form of folate found in fortified foods and supplements. You can find folate/folic acid in fortified cereals, spinach, beans, asparagus, oranges, and peanuts.

Protein

Protein is critical to a baby’s growth and development. Try incorporating sources of protein such as beef, poultry, fish, cheese, milk, yogurt, lentils, beans, nuts, and eggs.

Vitamin D

Vitamin D regulates the amount of calcium and phosphate in the body—nutrients which are needed for healthy bones and teeth. Consider adding fortified milk or juice, fatty fish, and eggs to your diet. The body also makes its own vitamin D when exposed to sunlight in the summer; just don’t forget to apply sunscreen if you plan on being out in the sun for extended periods of time.

Calcium

Calcium is needed for strong bones and teeth and also supports the circulatory, muscular, and nervous systems. Foods that contain calcium include fortified cereal and orange juice, cheese, milk, yogurt, salmon, spinach, broccoli, and kale.

Iron

Iron is used to make hemoglobin in red blood cells to carry oxygen to various tissues. A pregnant woman needs twice the amount of iron as a non-pregnant woman because her body needs to make more blood to supply the baby with oxygen. Add iron to your diet via fortified cereal, beef, poultry, spinach, beans, and iron supplements which may be needed later on in pregnancy. Always consult with your care provider prior to starting any supplements.

Iodine

Iodine is a mineral needed for thyroid hormone production; iodine also helps a baby’s nervous system develop. Iodine is commonly found in iodized salt, fish, milk, cheese, yogurt, enriched bread, and fortified cereal.

When feeling up to it, enjoy this Salmon BLT recipe which includes key nutrients to help support a healthy pregnancy by incorporating nutrient-dense foods like spinach, salmon, and yogurt.

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Collecting Opportunity

By Matt Booth

Life's journey is a series of intertwined moments, choices, and pathways. Each decision we make, and every challenge we face, brings with it a cascade of opportunities waiting to be seized. Collecting opportunity is not about merely seeking what's easily available but discovering what's possible. If you are committed to growth, this means developing a mindset geared towards recognizing and harnessing these potentials.

- Attitude.** Your attitude sets the tone for how you approach any situation. A positive attitude opens your mind to possibilities, whereas negativity can blind you to the same chances. By maintaining a positive attitude, you position yourself to spot, and more importantly, capitalize on opportunities.
- Awareness.** Being in the moment and cultivating a heightened sense of awareness helps you see opportunities that others might overlook. This means being attuned to the needs, desires, and pain points of those around you. By understanding and empathizing, you can offer solutions, create connections, or simply be the support someone needs.
- Perspective.** Shift your perspective and the world shifts with you. By choosing to see challenges as

learning moments and failures as feedback, you create a fertile ground for opportunities to flourish.

- Relationships.** Every person you meet is a doorway to a new opportunity. By fostering meaningful relationships and maintaining open communication, you open avenues of possibilities that might not have been apparent initially.

When you start collecting opportunities, it is like discovering a surprise sale on your favorite ice cream—it's too good to resist! It's all about keeping your eyes wide open for those golden chances that life throws your way. Whether it's leaping into a new career adventure or deciding to finally try skydiving, seizing opportunities requires the boldness of a squirrel trying to snag the last acorn before winter.

Life is full of opportunities, both apparent and hidden. To collect the opportunities, one must be prepared, attentive, and willing to take risks. Embrace the mindset of possibility and navigate your way to a world rich in opportunities. Who knows, you might just stumble upon your own hidden treasure chest of success along the way! ■

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Promoting Downtown Dubuque

By Danielle Jacobs

Dubuque Main Street works on downtown Dubuque development following the national "Four-Point Approach" developed by Main Street America under the direction of the National Trust for Historic Preservation. One of the four points is promotion of downtown Dubuque's 10 districts. This includes marketing and events.

Downtown Dubuque is a bustling hub of activity! As part of our new strategic plan, Dubuque Main Street will identify and update the recurring events that take place downtown, who is responsible for them, and who they target. This information will be compiled into a resource guide for individuals or businesses/

organizations wishing to put on their own events. We hope it will bring event planners together and inspire others.

Dubuque Main Street has also identified regional opportunities to bring more activity downtown, both for special events (such as cruise ships and weddings) and for ongoing programming. In order to promote the downtown area, a list of hospitality and retail businesses have been identified to actively promote throughout the year.

Furthermore, Dubuque Main Street is in the process of rebranding our assets and assisting the districts in their own branding. To ensure their message is communicated effectively, we are reaching out to the community and stakeholders for input. This goal will take years to complete but is a valuable change that will bring more visitors to downtown Dubuque.

We are passionate about downtown Dubuque, and we are actively working to drive more visitors, events, and community members downtown. To learn more about the resources we have created for promoting downtown, please feel free to email me! ■

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FRIDAY, OCTOBER 27

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FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 3

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FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 3

A young mother must confront her long-buried past as the child of a kidnapper and the girl he held captive when her father breaks out of prison. Convinced he intends to take her daughters, she sets out to find and kill him herself.



WHAT HAPPENS LATER (R)

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 3

Snowed-in at a regional airport overnight, ex-lovers Willa and Bill realize they're still attracted to each other, but also still equally annoyed with each other. As they unpack their mutual past and compare their lives to the dreams they once had, they begin to wonder if their reunion is a mere coincidence or something more.



Movie Buzz

While there have been rumors of casting (including Aaron Taylor-Johnson, Rege Jean-Page and Henry Cavill) and directors (Christopher Nolan most frequently), *James Bond* producer Barbara Broccoli says that there's a big road ahead to reinventing the character and the producers "haven't even begun" to work on the next 007 installment.



Director James Wan says the upcoming *Aquaman and the Lost Kingdom* is very tonally different from the first movie, which he described as an action-adventure romantic comedy. *Lost Kingdom*, he says, is a straight-up buddy comedy, along the lines of *Tango & Cash* or *Men in Black*.



The actors' strike has claimed another victim. Originally scheduled for release on May 3, 2024, *Deadpool 3* has been removed from Disney's release schedule entirely as the movie is only half-filmed. *Captain America: Brave New World* has moved from July to fill the May 3 slot. At the same time, Paramount has delayed *Mission: Impossible—Dead Reckoning Part Two* (which will now have a different title) from next June all the way to May 2025.

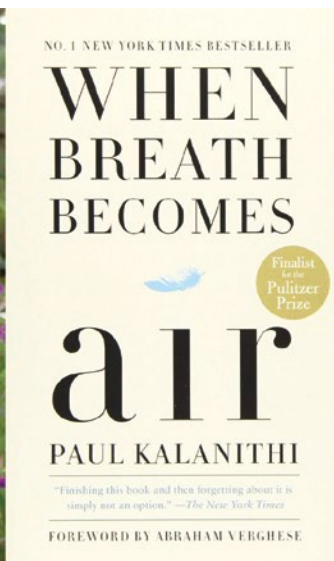


Henry Selick, who directed the classic film *The Nightmare Before Christmas*, says that he has an idea for a potential prequel movie, which would tell the story of how Jack Skellington became the King of Halloween Town. While Selick has his story ready to go, however, producer Tim Burton still has to sign off.



Killers of the Flower Moon just hit theaters, yet Martin Scorsese, all 80 years young, has confirmed that his next project is an adaptation of David Grann's nonfiction book *The Wager*. The book is about 30 men who land on the coast of Brazil and claim to be the survivors of a crashed British ship. However, they are later accused of being mutineers.





Memento Mori

By John McAndrew

As the stoics say, “*Memento Mori*,” or, “Remember—you’re gonna die.”

Dr. Paul Kalanithi was a gifted neurosurgeon resident at Stanford University when he was diagnosed with Stage IV lung cancer. The odds of a man in his 30s coming down with that particular variant was so small as to make its appearance diabolical. Life is, after all, unfair. His memoir, *When Breath Becomes Air*, was a finalist for the Pulitzer Prize. As a surgeon, he was one in a million: brilliant, indefatigable, empathetic, and effective. As a writer, it’s hard to believe this is his first—and last—book, it is so accomplished. It would have been great for all of us if he’d had the long and distinguished career of Oliver Sacks.

The lessons to be learned from death and dying aren’t found in general observations or sentimental nostrums. Knowing that we—like every other person, plant, and animal—will die doesn’t touch us emotionally, or not much. It’s too abstract. The particular case is what gets to us. It doesn’t matter that all dogs and cats die; what matters is that Duke or Cara died. It doesn’t matter that all humans die; what matters is that my wife or husband or grandpa or hero died.

Kalanithi asks, “If the unexamined life was not worth living, was the un-lived life worth examining?” He demonstrates a gift for the kind of reflection and engagement a pastor hopes to have. In fact, being a pastor was one of the paths he considered. People of faith will find a kindred soul here. He went through a period of

atheism but found it ultimately lacking and returned to faith with a more mature view of its nature. Spending time as patient, instead of doctor-surgeon, is a revelation, requiring a reorientation which he instinctively resists. It’s not easy, moving from being the caregiver to the one who needs care—all within a fortnight.

We spend our days trying to make sense of life, or at least managing it well. Just look at LinkedIn. There you’ll see an entire world of people who have figured it out, who should be hired because they rode the waves of the world like a master surfer, and how they can help you, you job seeker, you employer, to surf those waves, too.

And then someone they care about dies. Or they “get diagnosed.” Or we do. Getting diagnosed is not in anybody’s Five Year Plan. Maybe that’s the thing about death and about Dr. Kalanithi’s book: That which overthrows us, instructs us. “When the student is ready, the teacher appears.” Death is the teacher who appears whether we are ready or not. It’s the earthquake that tells us that even the world on which we stand is unstable. It’s the credits rolling when we’re still trying to figure out whodunnit.

But only if it gives us a little time. And only if we care for the person dying. Dr. Kalanithi, in his remaining time, shares who he is—his journey, his family, hopes, loves, aspirations, failures, and vulnerabilities—and takes care of his biggest priorities: writing a book and taking care of his family.

We lost a gifted and graceful surgeon, researcher, and author when Dr. Kalanithi died. We are lucky to have had him for as long as we did and lucky to have this book as his legacy. The worst bad luck illuminates the good luck we may not have noticed before. Read it while you think you still have time. ■

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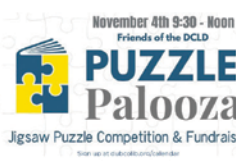
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from the time period of Colonial America. For all ages. RSVP by 11/13: dubcolib.org/calendar
Farley: Saturday, November 18 10:30 - 11:30 AM
Asbury: Saturday, November 18 1:30 - 2:30 PM

Holiday Spa Day

Make a special spa gift for yourself or a loved one, including bath bombs, sugar scrubs, and more with favorite holiday scents like peppermint and cocoa. For all ages.



Holy Cross: Monday, November 27, 6 PM
Peosta: Tuesday, November 28, 5:30 PM
Farley: Wednesday, November 29, 3:30 PM
Epworth: Wednesday, November 29, 5:30 PM
Asbury: Thursday, November 30, 5:30 PM

Dino Party!

Celebrate the prehistoric world of dinosaurs with crafts, snacks, and activities. Go on a dino scavenger hunt, do a fossil dig, pin the tail on the stegosaurus, and more! For preschoolers.



Epworth: Tuesday, November 14, 10 - 11 AM
Asbury: Thursday, November 16, 9:30 - 10:30 AM

Culture Club - Madagascar

Learn about countries all over the world! Try a snack, do a craft, learn a little language, and play games. For kids in K – 5th Grade. November’s country is Madagascar.



Peosta: Monday, November 20, 1 PM
Holy Cross: Monday, November 20, 6 PM
Farley: Tuesday, November 21, 10:30 AM

Snack on Science: Ocean Zones

For kids K - 3rd grade. We'll learn about a science topic and do an experiment we can eat to go along with it. November's topic is ocean zones.



Holy Cross: Monday, November 13, 6 PM
Peosta: Tuesday, November 14, 4:30 PM
Epworth: Wednesday, November 15, 4:30 PM
Asbury: Thursday, November 16, 4:30 PM
Farley: Friday, November 17, 4:30 PM

Kids Craft Club - Dino Lava Slime

Join Miss Kayla for a craft club! For kids K - 5th grade. November's craft is Dino Lava Slime.



Peosta: Wednesday, November 1, 4:30 PM
Holy Cross: Monday, November 6, 6:00 PM
Epworth: Wednesday, November 8, 4:30 PM
Asbury: Thursday, November 9, 4:30 PM
Farley: Thursday, November 9, 6 PM

Page to Stage: Stuffed Animal Maker

Make a cute stuffed animal to love! Every child who attends will get a ticket voucher to the Velveteen Rabbit at the Heritage Center on December 10. For K-5th graders. Register by 11/13: dubcolib.org/calendar



Epworth: Tuesday, November 21, 1:30 PM
Asbury: Monday, November 27, 4:30 PM

Craft Club: Chalkboard Tiles

November's craft is chalkboard tiles. Registration is recommended but drop-ins are welcome while supplies last.: dubcolib.org/calendar



Asbury: Monday, November 20, 5:30 PM

Five Convenient County Locations...

- Asbury 5290 Grand Meadow Dr., 563-582-0008
- Farley Municipal Bldg, 206 1st St N. 563-744-3475

- Epworth - 110 Bierman Road S.E., 563-876-3388
- Holy Cross - 895 Main Street, 563-870-2082
- NICC/Peosta - 8342 NICC Dr., 563-556-5110 ext. 224

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Spot the Difference Answers



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Upcoming Family Events

SAT 10/28



Dubuque Farmers' Market: Trick or Treat

8 AM-NOON @ 11TH-13TH AND IOWA ST
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DubuqueFarmersMarket.org.

herself off on A Halloween Adventure. Hazel and her little black cat make friends with a scarecrow girl, a skeleton and a cowardly cow as they travel the blacktop road to find The Big Cheese. All ages. \$5. 2130 Main St, Hazel Green, WI. **608-732-6404**. hazelgreenoperahouse.blogspot.com.

THU 11/16



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Children's Holiday Workshop

5:30-7:30 PM @ HOSPICE OF DUBUQUE THEISEN EDUCATION CENTER
Nov. 16 is recognized as Children's Grief Awareness Day. In an effort to support Tri-State-area children who are grieving, families are invited to join Hospice of Dubuque for an evening of conversation and activities centered around navigating the holidays during a time of grief. RSVP. Free. 1670 JFK Rd. **563-582-1220**. hospiceofdubuque.org.



Fever River Puppeteers: A Halloween Adventure

11 AM AND 2 PM @ HAZEL GREEN OPERA HOUSE (HAZEL GREEN, WI)
Oct. 28 at 11 a.m.-2 p.m. and Oct. 29 at 2 p.m. After a bump on her green noggin, Witch Hazel Green finds

FRI 11/17

Loras College Women's Basketball Annual Kids Night Out

5:30-8:30 PM @ LORAS COLLEGE GRABER SPORTS CENTER
Hang out with the Loras College Women's Basketball Team and enjoy games, a bounce house, food, and more. Grades Pre K-6. RSVP. \$25 One child, \$40 two children, \$50 three children. lorasgirlsbasketballcamp.com.

SAT 11/18

Family Literacy Book Swap

1-4 PM @ CARNEGIE-STOUT PUBLIC LIBRARY
Bring in your new or gently used kids books (graphic novels, board books, picture books, chapter books, and YA novels) to the Children's Help Desk from Nov. 1-15. For every book brought in, you will receive one "book buck" to shop for new-to-you books at the Book Swap event on Saturday, Nov. 18. 360 W 11th St. **563-589-4225**. carnegiestout.org.

SUN 11/19



Horse Play

10 AM @ SHENANDOAH RIDING CENTER (GALENA, IL)
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SEVEN PIECES PER SERVING! HOW COOL IS THAT?

Take My Dishes (Maybe)

By Pam Kress-Dunn

I inherited many things from my parents. Some are practical, others simply lovely. Mom's sewing machine is in for a tune-up right now; we used Dad's shovel last week. Two items from their bedroom set—the mahogany chest of drawers and vanity—are used daily, and daughter Allison slumbers on the matching bed. But one beautiful thing, or rather, set of things, is taking up a lot of storage space. That's my parents' china, the "good dishes."

There is a story behind Dad's purchase of this vast service for eight. During World War II, people were allegedly going into stores and smashing anything made in Japan. At the time, it sort of made sense, although the creamer and sugar bowl, the soup bowls and plates, were definitely not at fault. But Dad knew a bargain when he spotted the set at a store in downtown Davenport. Patterned with flowers and rimmed with gold, they were pretty, and Mom was thrilled.

We only used them when company came, as people did back then. I'm not sure if it was a fear of breaking them if my sister and I used the fancy bowls for our morning Cocoa Puffs, or a more aesthetic concern for rendering them less special if we had our bologna and ketchup sandwiches on a good plate.

The china is presently the biggest space user in the house, taking up most of the not-so-big laundry room. We had room for it at the old house on Wood Street, which had a built-in china cabinet as well as the freestanding teak Danish one I inherited from the folks. There was more than enough room for my own Ruseel Wright and Dansk dishes, along with this Kongo China, as the stamp on the back reads. It was easy to set the table with it for our own Christmas, Easter, and Turkey Day, but now that's impossible.

Boxing it up when we moved seven years ago was a major endeavor, and I'm pretty sure Allison did that. I was at my wit's end by then, packing everything we owned in the height of a summer hot spell our amateur movers barely survived. (All we could provide was money, water, and a lot of guilt.) She packed it well, separated by foam plates, wads of the Sunday *New York Times*, and every spare towel we threw her way. So when they went onto the shelves and into the cupboards of the laundry room, I was in no mood to open them up, not even for the most traditional of holidays. No thanks; not this year.

By now, I'm itching to release those shelves and cupboards for more practical uses—lining up laundry supplies, storing tools not in the garage but inside. I'd like to paint the walls or rather, let's face it, have someone else do that, along with my other dream-work for an all-new space to wash, dry, and fold clothing. Put in a dropped ceiling! Replace the cupboard doors and hardware! Cover the bare ceiling bulb with a fixture or, better yet, a tiny chandelier!

There was a time when antiques stores populated downtown Dubuque,

and I took advantage of them before we moved. Down went the odd lots of dishes and plates that meant nothing to me, as well as the errant end tables. Had I been up to it, I could have carted down those six—no, seven—moving boxes packed with the good dishes, pocketed a small sum, and wiped my hands of them. It was not about the money, but giving them a chance to be owned and loved and above all, used by someone else.

But I wasn't ready. The fifth circle of hell—which is, you must agree, where moving a household lies—does not serve well as a time for such important decisions. Yes, yes, for some things, and some people, it's the perfect time, especially if you're relocating to a smaller place. But we were not. We were, in fact, moving to a larger house with a giant yard, the wisdom of which escapes me right now but made perfect sense at the time.

For the most part, we have room for everything, even though I often bring in more new things (I'm looking at you, Target) than I toss out. It's just these dishes which are, now that I have opened every single box in order to take a photo that shows you all the pieces comprising each serving, enough for 12 people, not eight. If I sit here and count the aunts, uncles, and cousins who often joined us for High

Holy Days, then I can see it had to be more than eight dining plates, salad plates, dessert plates, small bowls, soup bowls, coffee cups and saucers, not to mention the covered soup tureen, the large and small platters, and, well, you get the idea.

One of the last times we used them, back at the old house for a Thanksgiving feast featuring the traditional fold-out centerpiece turkey (so old we had to tape it together) as well as two baby girls held in various people's arms, I asked my son to heat up the gravy. He placed it in the microwave only to see it spark—proving at last that the gold rim was genuine.

That whole set is pure gold. I keep thinking how cool it would be for a young person setting up house to have a set of china as fine as this. Dan and his sister have promised to tell me, soon, if they would mind seeing it given away. If not, I'll let you know. ■

PAM KRESS-DUNN

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PUZZLE ANSWERS ON PAGE 35

PREMIER Crossword

By Frank A. Longo

MAKING MENDS

- ACROSS
- 1 "Venerable" Eng. monk
 - 7 Place to grow cultures, for short
 - 13 Furious with
 - 20 "You can't get out this way"
 - 21 Catwoman portrayer Kitt
 - 22 Panamanian dictator Manuel
 - 23 Net access provider available on passenger flights?
 - 25 "Jerry Maguire" studio
 - 26 Petition
 - 27 Hairy TV cousin
 - 28 Women's garment with an adage printed on it?
 - 30 Video chat between people stroking their dogs and cats?
 - 35 Sail supports
 - 36 Gridiron divs.
 - 37 Maiden name preceder
 - 38 52 weeks
 - 41 Brewpub drink, in brief
 - 44 Burning
 - 46 Situation creating strife within a sports squad?
 - 50 Perfume bottle
 - 53 Partner of Principe
 - 55 Guarantee
 - 56 Gulf ship
 - 57 Chinese soup additive
 - 58 Hobby
 - 60 Touring actor representing his kingdom?
 - 65 Broody rock genre
 - 66 Blast stuff
 - 67 Starting from
 - 68 Gymnast Comaneci
 - 70 Mild cheese
 - 73 In days past
 - 76 With 19-Down, toaster pastry brand
 - 78 Ransack Oregon's capital?
 - 83 Locale of Baylor University
 - 87 Time of note
 - 88 "Laughing" scavenger
 - 89 Big name in train travel
 - 90 Hovering ominously
 - 94 Establish contact (with)
 - 95 Give a fleet commander new weapons?
 - 97 Melancholy woodwinds
 - 99 Immigrants' class, in brief
 - 100 Minimally
 - 102 Part of UNLV
 - 103 Here, in Haiti
 - 106 Grilling place
 - 109 Put the notation "this means the opposite" next to a word?
 - 112 Junk email touting wellness products?
 - 117 It's continent

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- 120 Stitched clothing line in the Haitian style?
- 125 Utterly foolish
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- 127 Austria's capital
- 128 Discount item labels
- 129 Nome's state
- 130 "Strut" singer Sheena
- 29 Dec. 24
- 31 Enlightens
- 32 No, in Berlin
- 33 Wise about
- 34 Come upon
- 39 Retired NBAer Ming
- 40 Actress Watson
- 41 Language akin to Aleut
- 42 Argentina's Eva
- 43 "— you clever!"
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- 45 Gas option in Canada
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- 48 Actress de Armas
- 49 Suffix with Marx
- 50 In favor of
- 51 Bit of untruth
- 52 In the way of
- 54 "Son of —!"
- 57 Roald Dahl's "fantastic" title animal
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- 61 Kansas' capital
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- 69 "You said it!"
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- 79 Jason's ship
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- 81 Jr. officer
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- 84 Bruins' Bobby
- 85 Piper's cap
- 86 Garden dirt
- 91 Refinery input
- 92 Lady's title
- 93 Rick's love in "Casablanca"
- 94 Part of S&L
- 96 Yellow-disked blooms
- 98 Siren noise
- 101 37-season "Jeopardy!" host
- 103 Purpose
- 104 Writer — de Bergerac
- 105 1965 Yardbirds hit
- 106 Herbivore's meal
- 107 Heart parts
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- 110 Coleridge's "— Khan"
- 111 Wet spots in deserts
- 112 Frozen dew
- 113 "To be," to Horace
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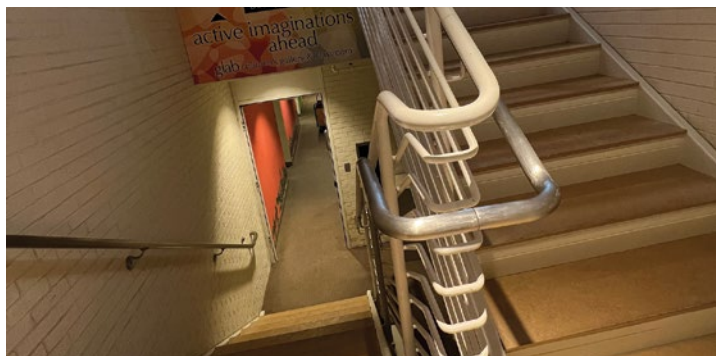
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WHERE'S GENERAL BOB?

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



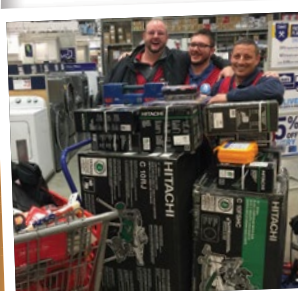
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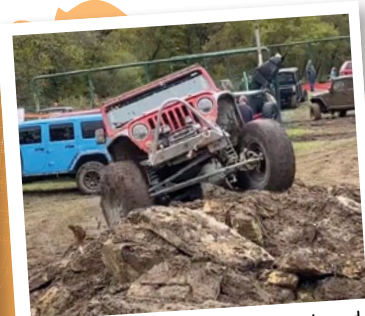
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Art For Us and Dubuque Main Street hosted the first Annual "Art For Us" fashion show showcasing the clothing and designs of local entrepreneurs bridging the gap between urban street and couture excellence.
Photo by Henry Matthiessen III



General Manager Mike Bryson and the crew from Lowe's Home Improvement in Dubuque hook up the Heart Partnership with the tools they need to support their adult vocational programming.



The Jeeps on the Mountain event returned to Sundown Mountain Ski Resort in October, allowing local Jeep and other 4x4 enthusiasts the opportunity to put their rides to the test against some fun natural elements. Photo by Steven Schleuning.



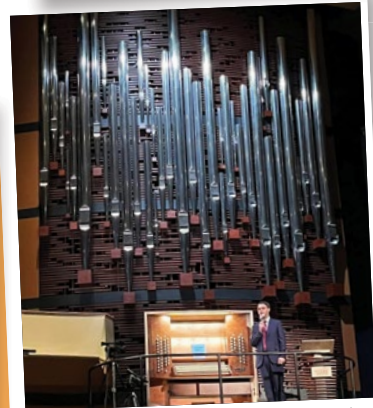
Fun was in focus for the Julien Dubuque International Film Festival's Annual Halloween Parade in Downtown Dubuque. A great turnout and great parade entries.



The Dubuque Fighting Saints partnered with MercyOne Dubuque Medical Center to Pink The Rink, supporting the fight against cancer. And the Saints won too, beating Omaha!



The DSO hosted a very special day of intensive music education to 120 7th and 8th-grade string students at the Grand River Center on October 5, showing how orchestras can rock with special guest violinist Ginny Luke.



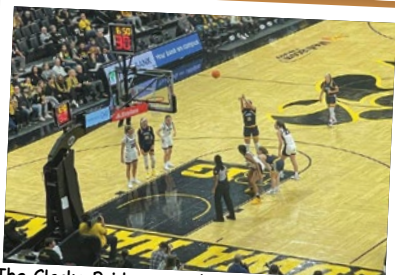
Organist James Kealey, first prize and audience prize winner of the 2022 National Young Artists Competition in Organ Performance of the American Guild of Organists visited the University of Dubuque for a recital in John and Alice Butler Hall. Photo by Sue Davis.



Ron Tigges at Digital Dubuque captured this stunning look at the deep red fall colors of the trees lining the road on the U.D. Campus.



An annual family favorite, Dog-O-Ween, returned to Theisen's Home • Farm • Auto in Dubuque where the competition was... adorable! Photo by Rob Anglin from Radio Dubuque.



The Clarke Pride women's basketball team took on the juggernaut Caitlyn Clark and Iowa Howkeyes on Sunday, Oct. 22 in a pre-season exhibition game in Iowa City. It wasn't close, but that wasn't the idea anyway. Two great programs highlight women's sports in Iowa.



Direct from America's Got Talent and their award-winning residency at The STRAT in Las Vegas, iLuminate, an immersive mix of dance, music, light, and laughter, brought the dance moves to Five Flags Arena. Photo by Sandy Meyer.

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DEAR ANGELA,

I'm so tired of cooking for my family. I bend over backwards making meals that I think they will like, and all I ever hear in return is, "Honey, this chicken is still raw," or "Mom, I can't eat, this I'm allergic to peanuts." Then I end up making something different for each person based on all these silly demands. Is it so bad to just want my family to eat the meal I serve?
—Pissed off on Penny Lane

DEAR PISSSED,

Well, if you just keep doing what you're doing, this won't be a problem much longer. You could simply stick it out and wait for the inevitable conclusion of your consequences. Otherwise, I have heard about this delicious meal replacement option that has all the nutrients needed to keep your family

strong, without all the hassle of making new meals each day: Soylent Green.

DEAR ANGELA,

Apparently I spilled the beans on a family secret that I didn't know was a secret, and now my mother is furious with me! A friend of mine asked for pie crust recipes on social media, and I kindly replied that my late grandmother always used store-bought pie crusts, and she still won awards with her pie recipes. My mom saw my response and called me at work to yell at me! I guess it was my grandmother's dirty little secret that she didn't make her own crusts; now I've "ruined her reputation as a baker." I don't think it's a big deal, and it's not like the county fair is going to take back the blue ribbons she won back in the '50s! Am I in the wrong here?
—Baking on Becker Court

DEAR BAKING,

Honestly, you couldn't have revealed this deception at a worse time! Right before the main pie eating holidays, you choose to besmirch your grandmother's name?! It's time to take out an ad in the paper publicly apologizing to your family for even thinking that your grandmother could have used anything else

than her own, tedious, time-consuming pie crust recipe (even if she never actually made her own). From now on, you are required to bring your own, completely homemade pie to every Thanksgiving, and it must be really delicious. This is the only way you can even think about apologizing to your mother. She will still bring it up every Easter and Fourth of July, but that's the price you pay for this ultimate betrayal.

DEAR ANGELA,

I recently met this guy, he is really nice and funny and is super cute, but my friends are questioning things about him. He never really talks about his job, and when I do ask him questions, he says things like, "I'm an accountant," and "I do things that accountants do." He knows I'm not a big fan of math, so I think he just doesn't want to bore me with talk about auditing budgets. My friends aren't so sure and are suspicious about why he travels a lot over the weekend. I've searched for him online, and it is kinda weird that I can't find any social media profiles; he's not even on LinkedIn which I thought was the main place accountants hang out online, posting content like "Top 5 Excel tips and tricks to help you

master pivot tables". Anyway, do I have anything to be worried about?
—Concerned on Kemp

DEAR CONCERNED,

I think you and your friends both know that your boyfriend isn't an accountant. He is either a traveling stripper or works for the CIA, and for your sake, I'm hoping that it's the former. To find out which, I would use these two tricks. Take him dancing and ask the DJ to play "Pony" by Ginuwine. Apparently, if you ask someone, "Are you a stripper?" while that song is playing, they are legally required to tell you. Next, watch the 2009 George Clooney movie *The Men Who Stare at Goats*, which is about a CIA plot to harness psychic abilities. During the movie, think thoughts really loudly and ask if he can hear them. One of those two things should do the trick, and you'll have your answer!

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By Danny Fairchild, Friend to the Cosmos

ARIES
(APR 19–MAY 13)
If you love something and it makes you happy, don't stop pursuing it. Notice I said "someTHING" and not "someBODY," you creep. Respect "no."

TAURUS
(MAY 14–JUNE 19)
Confucius may have said, "Wherever you go, there you are." But if I may paraphrase the poets and prophets known as Tag Team-Wherever you whoop... there it is.

GEMINI
(JUNE 20–JULY 20)
Now is the time to follow your passion. Unless your passion is passion itself, in which case you'll just get caught up in a passion feedback loop, and you'll die. Worse ways to die, tho.

CANCER
(JULY 21–AUG 9)
The next fortnight heralds a time where you can take it to the next level. You might even beat your high score. Just make sure you keep waiting for straight pieces to complete Tetris.

LEO
(AUG 10–SEP 15)
The way you're going, you're just a big ol' walking bad habit. That might be why people keep dropping you, literally and figuratively.

VIRGO
(SEP 16–OCT 30)
If you're still trying to figure out your Halloween costume, perhaps you should try dressing as the deep, inky blackness that colors your soul. But like... sexy.

LIBRA
(OCT 31–NOV 22)
You have the power to create a life that pleases you. It's terrifying, really. It's like *Wandavision* or that one episode of *The Twilight Zone*. Please. Please just set us free.

SCORPIO
(NOV 23–NOV 29)
The partial eclipse of the moon brings melodious harmony

to your life. Of course, a partial eclipse of the moon is nowhere near as moving as "Total Eclipse of the Heart," but that's because it's one of the greatest songs ever written.

OPHIUCHUS
(NOV 30–DEC 17)
With the Sun entering your communication zone, you will have the power to solve any problem. So if you could get on that whole Israel-Palestine thing, we would really appreciate it. No genocide or acts of terrorism, please. In case that wasn't a given.

SAGITTARIUS
(DEC 18–JAN 8)
Make sure you get your finances in order. It's the best way to make sure the ransom hasn't been paid in sequential bills. And I am NOT going down due to your carelessness.

CAPRICORN
(JAN 9–FEB 15)
In the next few weeks, you'll be walking a line. Or crossing a line. Or signing on one. Or learning your lines. Look, just be careful of lines. Especially if you wish for your mother's back to remain unbroken. Just in case.

AQUARIUS
(FEB 16–MAR 11)
If you wish to face your demons, you must first summon them by name. In hell, they are called Mogthelen, Arzadath, and Executive Dysfunction.

PISCES
(MAR 12–APR 18)
Let your reputation do the talking for you over the next few weeks. Unless you have a reputation as a chatterbox. In which case, do you.

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