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Subway settles in at Courter Center

By Ethan Lyle
Staff Writer

An addition to the Courter Center here in Boone since fall 2014 has been receiving some support as well as some criticism. This school year, a Subway was built into the previous café. Student Brian Berg shared what he thought about the new food option.

“I eat at Subway every day that I’m on campus. I’ve always been a fan of Subway and I love that it’s here on campus now,” stated Berg. Berg said he wished there were more of a variety. “Although I do like Subway’s healthier choices.”

No matter your criticism or support of the fast food chain, Subway’s success on campus is apparent to anyone who walks by. They’re so busy that there isn’t a time in the day where you don’t have to stand in line. Boone campus’ previous café had more food options so, naturally, many people wondered why DMACC decided to make a change.

Tom Lee, Boone campus’ Provost, explained what had happened to the Campus Café.

“We were having to supplement the café’s contract and we were losing money each month. Also, sales were going down,” stated Lee. Lee said it seemed that people had stopped eating on campus and a change had to be made. Still, students may be curious as to why the college had chosen Subway out of dozens of other possible chains.

Lee answered, “Subway was interested, and offered to do the renovations and set-up at no cost to the college. We also receive a portion of the sales. Bringing in a second chain would not be feasible to either company as it would cut sales of each one. One of them would eventually go under.”

Lee explained further, “Subway also has a diverse menu with many healthy options. It is quality food and a known product. They have exceeded our expectations for sales. We are very pleased with the success of the restaurant.”

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By Megan Olson
Staff Writer

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For upcoming midterm exams students may go to their advisors for advice, the Writing Center for help, or the Academic Achievement Center (AAC). The AAC’s hours are 8 a.m.-8 PM Monday-Thursday and 8 AM-3 PM on Friday.

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Income tax help on campus

Free income tax help will continue through April 10 each Friday from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the DMACC Boone Campus. DMACC has been offering this service since 2008. DMACC accounting students, who have been certified by the Internal Revenue Service will help prepare federal and Iowa individual income tax returns for qualified residents. No appointment is necessary for tax returns processed at the DMACC Accounting Student Help Center. All tax returns will be prepared on-site at the DMACC Boone Campus by trained and certified DMACC student volunteers using software provided by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS). Each return will be reviewed by the site coordinator and, after approval and signature of the taxpayer, will be filed electronically with the IRS and the Iowa Department of Revenue. There is no cost to eligible taxpayers for this service.

Individuals may call 515-433-5029 to schedule an appointment. Parking is available on the north side of the building, and people may enter through the northeast doorway. There will be no free tax help offered on February 20 or March 20.

Help stock campus pantry

As the semester begins, please consider helping restock the campus food pantry. Current needs include: Canned chicken, Spaghetti sauce, Canned fruit/Dried fruit, Applesauce, Rice, Peanut butter, Jam/Jelly, Dried beans, Oatmeal/Hot cereal mix, Bread, Milk, Oils (vegetable, olive, etc.), Toothpaste, Bath soap and shampoo.

Please drop off donations to Erin Neumann, Room 124 or Jane Martinson’s office (Room 122).

All donations are greatly appreciated. The food pantry is available to any student who might need assistance. If a student has a more significant need for food/resources than a visit to our campus food pantry can assist with, please contact Erin Neumann, euneumann@dmacc.edu.

Writing Center open

Writing Center consultants are available to help with any writing assignment, during any part of the writing process. With their experience in different types of writing (technical to creative writing) and a broad range of life experience (journalism, firefighting, novel writing, Hawaiian culture, literature, and veterans affairs), you’re sure to find someone that “gets you.” Stop by anytime during our hours. No appointments are necessary for this free service.

For more information, contact Krystal Hering, WC coordinator, khering@dmacc.edu or visit http://go.dmacc.edu/writingcenter/.

Hours: Boone Campus Room 170, Monday–Friday from 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. and 1:00 p.m.-3:00 p.m.; Hunziker Center (Look for signs for our location.), Monday–Thursday 4:30-6 p.m.

Phi Theta Kappa

Phi Theta Kappa is the International Honor Society for two-year colleges. PTK will host several informational meetings on the Boone campus. Students are invited to attend to find out more about joining PTK. For more information, contact Nancy Woods, naswoods@dmacc.edu, 515-433-5056 or Stacy Amling, slaming@dmacc.edu, 515-433-5089.

Honors seeks applicants

The National Collegiate Honors Program is seeking highly motivated students to apply for honors. There are openings for current DMACC students who want to challenge themselves and graduate from the Honors Program. If you have completed a college-level English and one college-level math class or fewer are currently enrolled, have completed a minimum of nine (9) college credits and fewer than (50) credits at the end of the summer semester you are eligible. If you are higher, you are eligible to be a DMACC Honors Student. To read more about Honors and submit your application goto dmacc.edu/honors and get started on your way to a rewarding, challenging educational opportunity.

Student publication

One of DMACC’s Summer 2014 REU (Research Experiences for Undergraduates) students, Myra James, recently had the results of her summer investigative research published along with her co-researchers; the research has been published in Advanced Healthcare Materials (2015). Professor Nancy Woods said: “It’s a wonderful testament to the excellence and dedication that our students demonstrate through these summer research programs, especially when their experience in different types of writing (technical to creative writing) and a broad range of life experience (journalism, firefighting, novel writing, Hawaiian culture, literature, and veterans affairs), you’re sure to find someone that “gets you.” Stop by anytime during our hours. No appointments are necessary for this free service.

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Netherlands contest

As part of DMACC’s celebration of the Netherlands during the 2014-2015 academic year, there is a contest in which each of three persons will win two tickets to the Netherlands Govert Bredero Dinner on Thursday, April 25, 2015. Go to the Netherlands Year site for details.

Writing Center Workshop

Join us in the Writing Center next week for a writing workshop—Ways to Get Started. Consultant Bethany Sweeney will discuss ways to generate ideas and organize your material; The free workshop is also a great way to meet other students working on writing assignments.

Wednesday, February 25 at 1:30-2:30 p.m. Boone campus, Room 170

Free money for school

Have you done farm work in the last two years? If so, contact Carrie at Proteus Inc. 515-271-5306 ext. 129

Childcare and Transportation help

A program called Iowa New Opportunities offers assistance with childcare and transportation for qualifying single parents and displaced homemakers (separated, divorced, widowed or spouse disabled.) For information, contact: Erin Neumann, Room 124, euneumann@dmacc.edu. Or call 515-433-5037.

Skiing at Seven Oaks

The Boone DMACC Seven Oaks Ski Night will be on Thursday, Feb. 26. The Student Activities Council will pay for the lift ticket. Each skier/snowboarder/snow tuber will need to pay their own rental and show their DMACC Student ID. Students may share this bargain with up to five family members or one guest.

Free Pasta Dinner and Grocery Bingo

Residents and evening students can come to the Courter Center at 5 p.m. on February 26 for a free meal from Valentine’s and a chance to win a variety of prizes in grocery Bingo. This event is sponsored by the Student Activities Council.

Foundation Scholarships available

DMACC students who are enrolled in 6 credit hours or more and have a 2.00 grade point average are eligible for DMACC Foundation Scholarships.

The following DMACC Foundation Scholarships and applications are now available on the DMACC Website:

Summer 2015 Application Deadline is 3/13/15 at 4 p.m.

Fall 2015 Application Deadline is 4/24/15 at 4 p.m.

If you would like to apply for a Summer and a Fall scholar- ship, please complete only one application and make sure to mark both the “Summer” and the “Fall” boxes to indicate which semester you are applying for.

These scholarships may be applied toward charges for tuition, fees, and/or book charges at DMACC for the semester for which the award is given.

To learn about the specific award criteria and to apply online, visit: https://go.dmacc.edu/foundation/Pages/district-wide-scholarship.aspx.

If you have any questions, please contact Sue Rardin, Financial Aid Specialist-Scholar- ships at 515-965-7179 or via email at sgrardin@dmacc.edu.

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Meet student Ethan Lyle

Editor's note: This section will feature a student, staff member, or instructor from the Boone DMACC campus. Do you have a suggestion for someone we should feature? Send your ideas to bannernews@dmacc.edu

By Megan Olson
Staff Writer

DMACC student Ethan Lyle traveled to Haiti several times to teach English but returned to the United States with many lessons of his own.

“I wanted to go to Haiti to make a real difference and to really experience what it was like to make a real difference and to live in Haiti,” says Ethan who is also a reporter on the Banner News staff.

Ethan visited Haiti six times since his sophomore year in high school in 2011. He went with his church on a missionary trip. He stayed in Haiti for three months in 2013 from September until November. He was given the opportunity to teach classrooms of students English by a missionary organization called Global Ministries.

Along with being a teacher, Ethan was also the physical education and sports director for all ages at the school.

Occasionally Ethan traveled with the American missionary teams that did work at several construction and medical sites around Port-au-Prince (Haiti’s capital city).

Ethan lived in Port-au-Prince. Global Ministries paid for his rent and vehicle. Donations and his church supplemented the rest. He did not get paid.

Ethan explains the living conditions as being very poor “Running water, electricity, and general safety were a daily struggle,” Ethan says.

He talks of these struggles and explained some days his electricity would only be on for a few hours a day and other times it wouldn’t be on for a few days in a row.

He was told not to go outside his compound after dark unless escorted by another Haitian in a vehicle.

Ethan talked about the days he did not have to work when he would go to the beach or a nice hotel because these places were secure with armed guards making it a safe area.

Ethan returned home due to conflicts in and between Global Ministries and CONASPEH (the Haitian run partner organization in Haiti).

“Global Ministries and I decided my time was up and it was time to return home for good.”

Ethan enjoyed Haiti, which is why he decided to go for a longer period of time.

Now Ethan is back in the United States attending DMACC then transferring to Iowa State. He hopes to go back to Haiti again whether it is long term or short.

“After spending time in another country, it is hard not to want to go back. I have friends and memories in Haiti and I hope to see them again and make some new memories.”

DMACC student Ethan Lyle has traveled to Haiti several times on mission trips. While there, he taught English and physical education. Ethan is also a reporter on staff at the Banner News.

Photos contributed by Ethan Lyle

FAFSA Fridays

It’s time to file the 2015-16 FAFSA!

Stop in during an upcoming FAFSA Friday to get free assistance with completing and submitting your FAFSA. (No appointment necessary.)

February 27: 9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.
March 27: 9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.
April 17: 9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Location: DMACC Boone Campus Room 141

Receive a FREE $5 Subway card when you complete your FAFSA during FAFSA Fridays.

Students and Parents should bring the following items when possible to be prepared to complete the FAFSA:

- Social Security number of student, parent, or spouse;
- Student and parent federal tax returns;
- 2014 federal and state tax returns;
- 2014 W-2s and/or other records of income earned in 2014 if you have one;
- Bank statements and investment records;
- Records of untaxed income received in 2014 (e.g., veterans benefits, child support received, etc.);
- Alien registration number, if not a U.S. citizen;
- If you have filed for FAFSA free filing your federal personal identification number (PIN) if possible.

Students and parents should meet with our FAFSA counselors to complete the 2015-2016 FAFSA.

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Director: ‘Every film alters fact.’

(2.25.2015) Long before the Oscar-nominated “Selma” was championed as the first major motion picture about the Rev. Martin Luther King Jr., another film chronicled the civil rights leader’s rise from Selma, Ala., to Montgomery.

“Selma, Lord, Selma” was a made-for-TV movie on Walt Disney Pictures. Originally broadcast in 1999, the docudrama was an adaptation of a memoir by Shy- ann Webb-Christburg, Richard West Nelson and Frank Sikora.

Webb-Christburg and West were young girls at the time of the march, ages 8 and 9, respect- ively. The two films were made 15 years apart but share some of the same stylistic and script choices, and just like “Selma” director Ava DuVernay, writer and fire for her portrait of President Lyndon B. Johnson, Webb-Christburg restored the main point of the film. It was these young girls’ experiences. It’s their discovery of the movement and the things that they witnessed growing up.

At the start of the Disney film, a young Shyann (Jurnee Smollett) skips class, against Ra- chael’s warnings, to hear King speak at a church where he arrives in Selma. From that moment, she’s bitten with the activism bug. The King movie becomes an anthem throughout the film, is the freedom song “Ain’t Gonna Let Nobody Turn Me Around.”

He’s going to be an inspiration to me, “ said Shyann Webb-Christburg, a New England, is excited to see the movie in theatres soon.

“Once I saw the trailer for it I knew I had to see that movie when it came out,” he stated. It looks like it would be very inter- esting with a meaningful story behind it. I haven’t had the time to see it yet, but when I do I find the time I will for sure attend.”

Burnett was excited when he heard that DuVernay would be at the helm of a new King film.

“Selma, Lord, Selma” inac- curately recalled the death of Dan- nis Lee Cooper (Oprah Winfrey) in the church, who also directed the 1977 film “King of the Ghetto” and the 2007 film “Nabaria: The Struggle for Liberation.”

“Every film alters the fact of whatever it is,” he said. The blow- back that DuVernay has received, he added, is “somewhat unfair and taken out of proportion.”

“I think scholars have a right to point out if there are things that are wrong with anything,” he said. “We all subject to criticism. But, OK, it was said. Is there a point where we move on?”

A member of the Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sci- ences since the early ’90s, Burnett doesn’t know if the negative pub- licity led to the perceived Oscar snub of DuVernay and the film’s star, David Oyelowo.

What’s more important, he said, is the timelines of the pic- ture. Considering recent social and political conversations, from the U.S. Supreme Court striking down parts of the Voting Rights Act in 2013 to the local and na- tional responses to police bru- tality, he said those who watch “Selma” should realize “the fight isn’t over.”

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Kuster said he usually is more into comedy than drama, “but for me this movie was not hard to get into.”

Before its release, Selma was believed to be a serious Oscar award contender with its great acting and story. Soon after its release, some film critics claimed that the movie was inaccurate when it comes to the history that it shows.

However, praise has gone particularly to the film’s acting, cinematography, direction, and screenplay. It has also received positive reviews by Joe Morgen- stern from The Wall Street Jour- nal, and Richard Roeper, of the Chicago Sun Times.

“Selma” has received 4/5 stars and could be a good movie to see for a movie date night.

Nick Noah is a student in a Newwriting, Reporting class. He wrote this story as part of an “enter- prise” news assignment, where students had to find a own news angle of their choice for the Martin Luther King, Jr. holiday. Nick is also a member of the DMACC Bears basketball team.
Men win in OT thriller
By Nick Noah
Contributing Writer

The DMACC Bears (22-4) went against the Spartans from Southwest Iowa Community College (18-9) Feb. 14 for their second conference matchup game in Creston and won 83-78 in quite the fashion in an overtime game.

“We knew they weren’t going to let us blow them out again,” said Bears point guard Marquet Newsome from Normal, Ill.

“We were prepared for their best effort out there, and that’s what we got.”

The last time these two teams met there was a 50 point spread in the Bears’ favor. The Bears came out firing right away, which led to an early 15 point lead in the first half. But soon after the Spartans caught fire and limited the first half to be only a 7 point lead by the Bears.

“By the end of the half, we looked like a totally different team out there. That may have been some of the worst basketball that we have ever played all year,” stated redshirt Tate Larsen from Des Moines, Iowa.

About halfway through the second half the Spartans found a way to limit the game to be a one possession game, trailing only by 3 points. A set of three pointers by the Spartans later gave them a 6 point lead during the game with only 40 seconds left to play. DMACC Bears guard Trey Sampson of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, but a very clutch 3 point basket to limit the Spartans lead to just 3 with 12 seconds left to play. After the shot the Bears fouled to put the Spartans on the line. After a missed free-throw, DMACC’s Aarias Austin threw a pass to Sampson for a 3 point bucket to tie the game as regulation expired.

Overtime started by a hard fast break dunk by Bears forward Jamar Hurdle, which seemed to give the Bears some more momentum. Soon after Hurdle’s dunk, Austin followed up with a 3 point basket to give the Bears a 5 point advantage. The Bears never looked back from there. After this game, DMACC was 8-1 in conference play. They are set to play the Tritons of Iowa Central on Feb. 21 for another conference matchup in Fort Dodge, IA.

EDITOR’S NOTE: Nick Noah is a student in a Newswriting and Report class. He wrote this story as part of a “spot news” assignment. He is also on a totally different team out there. That may have been some of the worst basketball that we have ever played all year.” stated redshirt Tate Larsen from Des Moines, Iowa.

DMACC Sports Calendar

Feb. 25: Women’s Basketball vs. Kirkwood * 8:30 p.m.
Feb. 25: Men’s Basketball vs. Kirkwood (Soph Night) * 7:30 p.m.
Feb. 28: Women’s Basketball vs. Ellsworth, Iowa Falls 1 p.m.
Feb. 28: Men’s Basketball vs. Ellsworth, Iowa Falls 3 p.m.
Feb. 27: Baseball vs. Northern Oklahoma, Enid, Enid, OK, 7 p.m.
Feb. 27: Softball vs. Century, Rochester, MN, 1 p.m.
Feb. 27: Softball vs. Rochester, Rochester, MN, 3 p.m.
Feb. 28: Baseball vs. Northern Oklahoma, Enid, Enid, OK, 1 p.m.
March 1: Baseball vs. Bacone, Enid, OK, 1 p.m.
March 3, 5, 7 Basketball, Region XI Games, TBA
March 7: Baseball vs. Southeast (NE), Beatrice, NE 1 p.m.
March 7: Softball vs. Neosho County, Chanute, KS, 1:30 p.m.
March 8: Softball vs. Allen County, Iola, KS, 12 p.m.
March 8: Baseball vs. Southeast (NE), Beatrice, NE 1 p.m.

*denotes home game at Boone

Baseball team improves to 3-3

The DMACC baseball team ran its record to 3-3 with two victories in a three-game series against Barton County Community College (BCCC) February 20 and 21 at Great Bend, Kan.

The two teams split a pair of games Feb. 20. DMACC took the opener, 5-4, and dropped the nightcap, 5-1. The Bears won the only game on Feb. 21, 5-0.

Sophomore Anthony Mroda of Coon Rapids, Minn., and freshmen Brad Mathiowitz of Rochester, Minn., and Eric Weisbrod of Racine, Wis., had two hits apiece to lead the Bears past BCCC in the Feb 20 opener. DMACC led all the way, scoring a pair of runs in the first and one run each in the second, fourth and fifth innings. BCCC tallied one run in the second and three in the sixth inning of the seven-inning game.

Softball begins season in Texas

The DMACC softball team began its 2015 season Feb. 20-21 with a five-game series in Fort Worth, Texas.

DMACC is coming off a 2014 season that saw the Bears compile a 47-12 record and a third-place finish in the National Junior College Athletic Conference (ICCAC) at 22-6 and won the NJCAA Region XI championship. The Bears will begin 2015 with a No. 7 national ranking in NJCAA Division II.

Women win 83-77 at ICC

Freshman London Vasi of Adair scored a career-high 31 points to lead the Des Moines Area Community College (DMACC) women’s basketball team to an 83-77 win over Iowa Central Community College (ICCC) February 21 at Fort Dodge.

Freshman Kiana Peterson of Madrid came away with 15 points, all on three-point buckets, and sophomore Latasha Harmon of Milwaukee, Wis., had 13 as the Bears improved to 18-11 for the season and leveled their Iowa Community College Athletic Conference (ICCAC) record at 6-6.

Men beat ICC, 71-56

Sophomore Jon Faqua of Maywood, Ill., scored a career-high 21 points and sophomore Jamar Hurdle of Milwaukee, Wis., had a double-double with 15 points and 10 rebounds as the DMACC men’s basketball team defeated Iowa Central Community College (ICCC) 71-56 February 21 at Fort Dodge.

Freshman Paris Collins of San Antonio, Texas, also had 15 points for the Bears, who improved to 23-4 overall and 9-1 in the Iowa Community College Athletic Conference (ICCAC) with their sixth consecutive victory. The win also avenged DMACC’s only conference loss of the season.
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-Well-informed (sources cited)
-Approximately 500-700 words

Southern colleges still wrestle with racist pasts

The “rewriting history” argument doesn’t work for Charles Vice, a call to action. As for feminism, Dictionary.

Amanda Betz, Editor-in-Chief
albertb@dmacc.edu

I don’t know about you, but I’m really tired of cold it’s hard to get to class really hard in the mornings, and from what I hear, we are in for more snow this week and week-end. Stay bundled up my friends!

The last two weeks have been quite eventful. We are coming up on midterms, and I hope you are all preparing yourselves for the upcoming round of tests.

The lack of cool things coming up on the events calen-dar. Adam Devine will be at ISU February 27, and Carly Aquilino from MTV’s Girl Code will be at ISU March 6. And Aaron Carter is back everyone!

Also, the one person perfor-mance, One Drop of Love, will be at ISU’s Great Hall on March 1. Produced by Ben Affleck and Matt Damon, the show has been getting great reviews, and I will definitely be attending.

This issue Ethan tells us about Subway in the Courier Center, and how long we can expect to see it. He offers the “subway” option on campus. Do you agree with the choice? Or are you tired of the same thing every day? Tell us what you think. Do you like having Subway here?

I wish you all good luck with your upcoming mid-terms, and make sure you bundle up out there. I’ll see you all in a couple more weeks.

By Sarah Muller
Staff Writer
It’s reached that moment in the evening. He reaches out. I’m getting nervous. Then, just like that, he opens his mouth. I exhale all of the tensions because the chance has passed and he has allowed me to succumb to his gesture as a gentleman. This has happened on almost every date I’ve been on, which has raised the question. Where can chivalry and feminism coexist? Now before you pull out your pitchforks and torches, let’s break down the definition.

According to Dictionary.com, chivalry is “the sum of the ideal qualifications of a knight, including courtesy, honor, valour, and dexterity in arms.” Now, I’m not expecting my date to ride in on a white stallion with recently buffed metal armor on. More research shows that over time society has developed chivalry into a word referring to the respectful duties of a man, typically toward a woman. As for feminism, Dictionary.com has established that “feminism is the doctrine advocating social, political, and all other rights of women which would be comparable to those enjoyed by men.” It’s clear that there is a disconnect that it does not declare that all women hate men or want to put down men, it states that we are just as capable of achieving the same things as men are.

How I see, being a gentle-man and showing acts of chivalry is a form of respect towards others. It’s the idea that when showing that they care. On the other hand, I find a dinner for my mother and at the decision that doesn’t mean that I’m falling into a housewife stereotype, it means that I enjoy cooking and am showing that I appreciate him. I’m on a date with my bae, I’m also okay with picking up the bill or opening my own drink every once in a while. Dating can be expensive, especially at the col-lege age. So, when partnering in activities such as going to a play, movies, or bowling, splitting in a way is for women to making the playing field equal.

Chivalry is an old firm believer that chivalry and feminism can coexist. As long as couples communicate about their expectations in the relationship and are able to depict the levels of respect, no sexist wars will spark.
DMACC’S TOP TWEETS FOR THE WEEK

COC0 @BurroughsCory Feb 16
I’m gonna be the Stifler of Dmacc in Boone.

Cheyenne Vinsick @CheyennesVinsick Feb 20
I love Boone DMACC.

T-Rev @trev123 Jan 9
Waiting to see a counselor at boone Dmacc is like waiting for pigs to fly.

Alli Anderson @24AlliChristine Feb 15
When people wear capes to dmacc

TNS File Photo
Who took home Oscars this weekend?
Here’s the short list....

- Best picture
  Birdman

- Best actor
  Eddie Redmayne
  The Theory of Everything

- Best actress
  Julianne Moore
  Still Alice

- Best supporting actor
  J.K. Simmons
  Whiplash

- Best supporting actress
  Patricia Arquette
  Boyhood

- Best directing
  Alejandro G. Inarritu
  Birdman

- Best animated feature
  Big Hero 6

- Best original song
  Glory
  Selma

Francine Faraday dies and leaves her entire estate to her longtime companion H.P. Manly. While the loyal members of Francine’s staff are delighted, her money-hungry relatives are furious. Though the will is ironclad, the relatives find that they can inherit the fortune if H.P. dies of “natural” causes. As the family plots H.P.’s demise, the staff schemes to save him, resulting in counterplots and mixed-up romances aplenty.

Directed by DMACC Drama Dept. Professor Kay Mueller.

Opens Friday, March 6 & 7 at 7:30pm in the Boone Campus Theatre. Tickets are $5 and can be purchased at the door. DMACC students are FREE.
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### Taurus (April 20-May 20)

- **Taurus** is a very patient sign. They take their time and don’t rush into things. They are practical and grounded, and they tend to be very loyal and reliable. They are also very stubborn at times.
- **Meditate on the possibilities. A strong partner inspires action. Send your services to ISU Great Hall, MU, 7pm.**
- **Reach. Don’t overdo where food is concerned. It’s an excellent moment for finding your passion and release.**

### Gemini (May 21-June 20)

- **Gemini** is a very adaptable sign. They are quick thinkers and can change direction at a moment’s notice. They are also very outgoing and enjoy social situations.
- **Send your services to ISU Great Hall, MU, 7pm.**
- **Reassess your resources, and plan different options for a new venture. Take action.**

### Cancer (June 21-July 22)

- **Cancer** is a very emotional sign. They are caring and protective, and they tend to be very sensitive. They are also very intuitive and can be very empathetic.
- **A lucky career surprise awaits you.**
- **Send your services to ISU Great Hall, MU, 7pm.**

### Leo (July 23-Aug. 22)

- **Leo** is a very dramatic sign. They are confident and self-assured, and they tend to be very passionate. They are also very adventurous and enjoy taking risks.
- **Send your services to ISU Great Hall, MU, 7pm.**

### Your love life

- **Send your services to ISU Great Hall, MU, 7pm.**
- **Your love life is on the rise.**

### Your finances

- **Send your services to ISU Great Hall, MU, 7pm.**
- **Watch out for unexpected expenses.**

### Your career

- **Send your services to ISU Great Hall, MU, 7pm.**
- **Work on a project and get a promotion.**

### Your friends

- **Send your services to ISU Great Hall, MU, 7pm.**
- **Keep in touch with old friends.**

### Your health

- **Send your services to ISU Great Hall, MU, 7pm.**
- **Watch for minor health issues.**

### Your family

- **Send your services to ISU Great Hall, MU, 7pm.**
- **Work on a family project.**

### Your pets

- **Send your services to ISU Great Hall, MU, 7pm.**
- **Take your pets for a walk.**

### Your travel

- **Send your services to ISU Great Hall, MU, 7pm.**
- **Plan a trip and enjoy it.**

### Your dreams

- **Send your services to ISU Great Hall, MU, 7pm.**
- **Dreams are important.**