

### Sign up for spring classes

Registration begins on Oct. 20 and ends on Oct. 29

JOSE VILLALPANDO **News Editor** 

ly advised that they do so in that area. as soon as possible.

rent juniors or students tions. with 60-89 credits earned

can start registering on Oct. 22. Sophomores or students with 30-59 credits earned can begin registering on Oct. 26. Finally, freshmen or students with 0-29 credits earned may begin on Oct. 28.

Students who are having trouble planning or registering for classes should contact their advisors as soon as possible so they do not miss out on registering for classes. Class registration is For freshmen, this would fast approaching for the be their LAR professor Spring 2022 semester. or First-Year Academic If students have not yet Advisor Rhonda Lake, planned their courses or unless they have already requested approval from declared their major and their advisors, it is strong-received an advisor with-

An email from the For seniors or stu-Registrar's Office back dents with over 90 cred- on Oct. 5 also details regits earned, registration istration steps that may opens on Oct. 20. Cur- help students with ques-

### **SPRING 2022 REGISTRATION**

Plan your courses

Get advisor approval

Register once you are able

Seniors - Oct. 20, 21

**Juniors - Oct. 22, 25** 

Sophomores - Oct. 26, 27

Freshmen - Oct. 28, 29

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## Film shines light on youth

SARAH DALY Staff Writer

Doane's Schools Library Services sociation. Department.

Belmont

as the Teammates Men- January 2021. toring Program, Food program is partnering tle One schools have 40 of "We Will Not Be Si- low-income households. Marilyn lent" on Oct. 19 at 6:30 Parents and guardians said. p.m. in Heckman Audito- are invited to be involved rium. This film was pro- with the school through the film is part of the Belduced by Lincoln Public the Belmont Family As-mont TRACKS Scholar the same view of the film.

Elementa- lent" follows eight Bel- leadership development JohnsonFarr said. ry is located in Lincoln, mont Elementary fifth that highlights self-advo-NE and is home to 750 graders and their mentors cacy skills and looking grade. Belmont is a Title including the COVID-19 was the students' par-One school district with pandemic and preparing ticipation in the MLK various support pro- for the Martin Luther March and rally in Janugrams for students such King Jr. Youth March in ary 2021.

persistence, voice and bewith several groups to percent or more of their ing one's authentic self," sponsor a film screening student population in Education Professor Dr.

The fifth grade class in told KLKNTV. Empowerment Program. "We Will Not Be Si- This program focuses on ing for your own truth,"

"It's how they handled "I think there are les- the Capitol riots, how Bank Backpack Program, sons embedded in this they handled the elec-Math Intervention Sup-documentary that we all tion, how they handled Education port and many more. Ti- can learn from. Courage, having to go to school with masks, how they handled when kids were in quarantine," MLK JohnsonFarr Youth Rally and March advisor Peter Ferguson

JohnsonFarr shared

"It leaves you search-

The premiere of this film was in May 2021 at students in grades pre- over the course of four to the future. The main the Lincoln Community school through fifth months, with main points highlight in this program Playhouse. Students and their families were invited to walk the red carpet.

Oct. 19's screening is open to all students.



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#### Weekly COVID-19 update

JOSE VILLALPANDO News Editor

The level of community transmission remains past seven days. There is as fully vaccinated. currently one active case campus.

the last seven days as of quirements are different

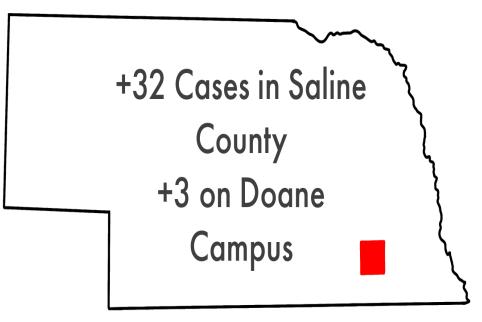
pital admissions due to CDC urges individuals to COVID-19 have been re- follow local accordances corded within the last sev- and guidance in stopping en days. 54.2 percent of the spread of COVID-19. vaccine-eligible residents, anyone equal to or over sued by the Lincoln-Lanhigh for Saline Coun- the age of 12, in Saline caster County Health ty. Three new cases of County have been fully Department remains in COVID-19 have been vaccinated, marking 45 effect through Oct. 28. reported throughout all percent of the total pop-Doane campuses in the ulation of Saline County gathered from the Do-

on the Doane Crete cam- ease Control and Pre- COVID-19 Data Tracker. pus and two active cases vention (CDC) advises on the Doane Lincoln that all people should still wear masks while indoors Saline County has re- or in high foot traffic arported 32 total cases over eas. Although mask re-

Oct. 18. Zero new hos- from place to place, the

The mask mandate is-

This information was ane COVID-19 Risk The Centers for Dis- Dashboard and the CDC



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## FAFSA applications open

**Federal** Student Aid applications available

JOSE VILLALPANDO **News Editor** 

The time has come Aid (FAFSA) for 2022.

cial Aid Office on Oct. email, letting them know. 8. once the Financial Aid

can then preview their estimated financial aid package for the next Fall and Spring semesters.

After Spring grades have been posted, students can log-in to their Financial Aid Self-Service portal via WebAdvisor to view their official financial aid package. After reviewing the Doane award package, it is essential that students must accept this package for it to take effect for the next academic year.

For any student that once again for students to does not wish to fill out fill out the Free Applica- the FAFSA for next year tion for Federal Student and may have done so in the past, the Finan-According to an email cial Aid Office asks such from the Doane Finan- students to reply to their

Students can contact Office has received a stu-the Financial Aid Office dent's FAFSA, students at FAOffice@doane.edu.



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### Facebook servers crash

Router update causes 7 hour outage

> **JOEY WINTON** Managing Editor

Facebook, Instagram and WhatsApp all suffered outages on Oct. 4 due to an internal server issue caused by an update to Facebook's routers.

According to NPR, the outage lasted for roughly six hours and was worsened because Facebook's difficult for technicians to was exposed and sold. resolve the issue.

platform to be offline for proof to back her claim. nearly twenty-four hours.

Despite statements Marsha Blackburn (R- journalism group Belling- Washington Post, Hau-Tn.) alledged on Oct. 5 cat, stated that someone gen testified that Face-



Courtesy photo | Flickr.com

Her allegation came out that it was a scam. The outage occurred after a Senate subcom-Facebook since a 2019 to The New York Times, incident that caused the there is no definitive

Blackburn's Some businesses re- stems, in part, from an the forum that's advertis- work to protect the pub- ings. ported losing nearly an anonymous account on entire day of work be- a forum that promised cause of the outage as "scraped" data on "more businesses often use than 1.5 [billion] Data-Facebook to reach out to base of Facebook" that Haugen testified in Concustomers and clients, ad- contained email addressvertise to potential buyers es, locations, phone num- lied multiple times to the and reach a wider audi- bers and other identifying public about the ways in data.

Aric Toler, a researchfrom Facebook, Senator er with the investigative

internal systems and tools that data from over 1.5 claimed to have paid for book was aware that its directly work on the iswere affected, making it billion Facebook users the supposedly hacked platform hurt the self-im- sues she testified in court information only to find

between 11:40 a.m. and mittee hearing with a Joe Osborne addressed software to protect users before the British Par-6:30 p.m. EST, making Facebook whistle-blower Blackburn's claim and from hate speech. it the longest setback for on Oct. 5, but according other hacking concerns in a statement.

> ing the alleged data," Os- lic and that she did not borne said.

This comes after a whistle-blower, Frances gress that Facebook has which its platform causes harm to society.

According to The

age of teen girls, and that about. executives were hesitant Facebook spokesman to change Facebook's er, Sophie Zhang testified

Another whistle-blowliament on Oct. 18 with Facebook has come similar claims of public forward against Haugen harm, but it is unclear "We are investigating stating that she is pre- what actions Parliament this claim and have sent senting a mis-characteri- and the U.S. government claim a take-down request to zation of the company's will take after these hearThis Week's Weather **Forecast** Wednesday

10/20

High: 58 Low: 38 Thursday 10/21



High: 61 Low: 38 **Friday** 

Low: 35 Saturday 10/23



High: 67 Low: 43 Sunday 10/24



Low: 45 Monday 10/25

High: 68 Low: 43 **Tuesday** 

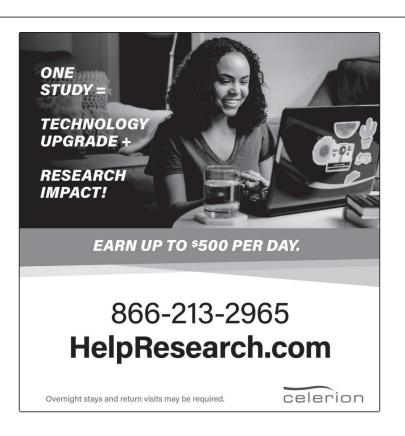
High: 70

10/26

Low: 48

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Weather data retrieved from weather.com.





### Climate change and Tesla smiles

**KYLIE HUGHES** 

class to give a presenta- more informed. tion about climate change

coln City Council as well energy, insurance, etc. as the Nebraska Legislature for eight years. In must be done by all peohis time, he focused on ple are "adapt" and "mitthe health of the environigate," according to Haar. ment.

future and the environ- track towards a solution. ment," Haar said.

tion off with a survey giv-things," Haar said. en to the students to gauge their thoughts and beliefs students that it will be about climate change.

Haar then emphasized Life & Culture Editor that based on the survey results, people do not On Nov. 14, former talk about climate change Senator Ken Haar and which leads to prob-University of Nebras- lems. If people were to ka-Lincoln (UNL) Pro- start talking about global fessor Don Cox visited an warming more, the gen-Environmental Science eral public would become

The presentation conas well as electric vehicles. sisted of various statistics Professor of Envi- about the United States ronmental Science Russ but also more locally, Souchek hosts this experidiscussing Nebraska and ence for his Environmen- Lincoln statistics as well. tal Science students every He demonstrated that human factors are contrib-Haar gave a presen- uting to the influence of tation to the class about climate change. Haar also climate change and future discussed what will be impacts and solutions. affected such as water re-Haar served on the Lin-sources, livestock, health,

The two things that This could potentially put "My motivation is the the world on the right

"We, as human beings, He started his presenta- have the ability to change

He then explained to vehicles. their generation that is go- most often thought about they also had the chance wants to show that they change.



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ing to have to be the ones when it comes to electric to drive it. to change things.

There were a wide range of solutions mentioned by Haar. These included wind energy, solar energy, hydro energy, nuclear energy, etc. One solution mentioned that is currently gaining popularity is the use of electric

While Tesla is the brand

vehicles, almost every car company is making elec- ious college campuses to tric vehicles now.

ease of use of an electric this because he wants stuvehicle, Cox brought two dents to see the future of of his four Tesla vehicles vehicles that they could that he owns. Not only did one day be driving. Cox plained the importance of students have an opportualso acknowledged that nity to look at the 2010 many people are appre-Tesla Model S 90D, but electric vehicles, and he

Cox often goes to var- normal car." To demonstrate the vehicles. He said he does Tesla Roadster and 2017 hensive about driving

are "easier to drive than a

Another reason Cox allow students to drive his does this so often is that he loves to see the "Tesla smile" that occurs after a student drives a Tesla.

> Both Cox and Haar exgoing to college campuses to share their knowledge and help open the conversation about climate

### **Zodiac Killer** possibly identified annoyed viewers

Gary Francis Poste

suspected as

Zodiac Killer

**EMMA RYAN** 

Multimedia Coordinator

than 50 years.

The Zodiac Killer is reported. one of America's most in the late 1960's.

gators who have declared the anagrams. they have identified the

the Case Breakers, which people from 1968 to itary officers.

is the man they suspect firmed killings. Bates to have been the Zodiac was an 18-year-old found Killer. Poste was a U.S. dead in an alleyway on Air Force veteran and the Riverside City Colpassed away at the age of lege campus. 80 in 2018.

digging uncovered new Bureau of Investigation A team of cold case in- forensic evidence and (FBI) has yet to come out vestigators claimed they photos from Poste's dark- saying it is true. have discovered who the room. One image features infamous Zodiac Kill- scars on the forehead of Department officers and er is, a case that has re- Poste that match scars on FBI agents both said the mained open for more a sketch of the Zodiac," theory is bunk," an artian article from Fox News cle from the Daily News

The Case Breakers also prolific serial murderers. deciphered some of the people to wonder if Poste The killer is known for letters sent by the Zodiac is actually the serial murhis cryptic riddles he sent that revealed Poste to be to law enforcement and the killer. Apparently, in ac Killer or if all this evmedia in San Francisco order to understand the letters, one must know The group of investi- Poste's full name to break

serial killer are known as for killing at least five ine that they could come

is a group composed of 1969. However, the group over 40 police investiga- of investigators believe tors, journalists and mil- he also killed Cheri Jo Bates on Oct. 31, 1966, Gary Francis Poste two years before the con-

With these new ac-"The team's years of cusations, the Federal

"San Francisco Police reported.

This leaves several derer known as the Zodiidence is just a string of coincidences.

"I don't necessarily believe it was Gary Poste. The Zodiac is known I think it's hard to imag-

> to that conclusion without being able to have live DNA," Maddie senior Shoemaker said. "They are basing this case on a scar on Poste's forehead that supposedly matched the murderer's. I think there needs to be more evidence before it can be confirmed."

If you would like to read more information from the Case Breakers investigation, you can visit their website at https://thecasebreakers.org.

## Twitch leak leads to

Staff Writer

On Oct. 6, there was a data breach at twitch.tv, a popular streaming website where people play video games, host game shows, perform autonomous sensory meridian response (ASMR) and stream all of it to a live audience. Viewers support streamers they like by subscribing to their channels and donating money, and some streamers, as the leak revealed, make a lot more than what their

viewers thought. The over 100GB leak was originally posted on the online forum 4chan by an anonymous user. In a statement from Twitch's Twitter account on Oct. 6, they confirmed a leak had taken place and reassured followers they were monitoring the situation closely.

"Twitch passwords have not been exposed. The exposed data primarily contained documents from Twitch's source code repository, as well as a subset of creator pay-

their community.

including Félix "xQc" many subscribers they Lengyel, Jaryd "Sum- have.

tact with several streamers who confirmed that stream and put on an act the earnings from the last and pretend to be broke." couple years being reported were accurate.

"Twitch famously fiercely guards operational details such as how much its streamers are tremely embarrassing for the company," BBC reporter Joe Tidy said.

In a video titled "Huge

MATTHEW MITTLIEDER out data," Twitch report- Twitch Leak," Youtuber ed in an Oct. 15 update. and streamer Charles They then assured White (username penusers that they take pro- guinz0) responded to tecting data very serious- some of the outrage ly before apologizing to against some streamers for making as much mon-According to the ey as they do. He remind-Washington Post, one ed his viewers that they of the biggest takeaways can easily calculate an esfrom the leak is the rev-timate of any streamer's elation that some of the income using the price top streamers on the site, of subscriptions and how

> mit1g" Lazar and Hasan "Some streamers have "Hasanabi" Piker, reg- their [subscription] count ularly make millions on the screen in front of from their streams. They them at all times. They're also note that there is a begging you to do the steep drop off, and many math to see how much streamers even amongst money they make. And the top 10,000 do not yes, it's a lot, that's no even make minimum surprise," White said. "I understand how lucky I BBC News got in con- am to be in the position that I am. I don't go on

> > He also acknowledged how grateful he and many other streamers are for the support they get on the site.

There are no further paid, so this looks ex- updates as of this publi-

#### October 29th is World Stroke Day

#### Would you recognize the most common signs of a stroke?



#### **FACE DROOPING**

Does one side of the face droop or is it numb? Ask the person to smile. Is the person's smile uneven



#### ARM WEAKNESS

Is one arm weak or numb? Ask the person to raise both arms. Does one arm drift downward?



#### **SPEECH**

Is their speech slurred? Is the person unable to speak or hard to understand?



#### TIME TO CALL 9-1-1

If the person shows any of these symptoms, even if the symptoms go away, call 911 and get them to the hospital immediately.



www.stroke.org

### Doane Crime Log

Doane Safety Office reported incidents in their public crime log. The Doane Crime Log has not been updated since Oct. 10. No further incidents have been reported between Oct. 12 and 19.



## 4 life & culture Students serve over fall break

**KYLIE HUGHES** Life & Culture

opportunity to travel to Brandenburg said. Denver, CO to serve with Alternative Fall Break.

and Assistant Director of according to Knopik. Leadership and Service tal sustainability.

cused on environmental Knopik said. sustainability. Jovial Con-Knopik.

variety of urban commu-perience Denver. All of nity gardens where Do- the activities centered ane students volunteered around community serharvesting and caring for vice as well as leadership the early spring semester. the plants. This organi- and group bonding, aczation then uses the pro- cording to Brandenburg. duce from the gardens to provide to Denver's un- ities included visiting Crete community.

der-served populations.

incredible to be a part of Over fall break, a and see the reach of the group of students had the impact spread so far,"

In doing work with Jothe non-profit organiza- vial Concepts, students tion Jovial Concepts for were able to get a new perspective on Denver Site leader and senior that most people who vis-Brandenburg it the city would not get,

"We had conversations and advisor for the trip with local residents and Nick Knopik, came up the Jovial Concepts staff with the idea to center the to learn about the food trip around environmen- access needs in Denver and how an organiza-From there, Branden- tion like Jovial Concepts burg looked into various is working to meet that Denver-area non-profit need through sustainorganizations that fo- able urban gardening,"

Students volunteered cepts emerged as a top with Jovial Concepts candidate who welcomed during the morning and said. volunteers, according to afternoon, then during the evenings they had Jovial Concepts has a the opportunity to ex-

Some of these activ- and be leaders in the

unique restaurants, mini-"This experience was golf, hiking, walking around Larimer Square,

> Overall, Knopik said that Alternative Break gives students an opportunity to "experience a city through service." Alternative Break has also changed Brandenburg's experience at Doane, creating some of her most valued memories.

> "To me, fall break is the best of Doane put on a trip: the service that we value so much here at Doane and the idea of leaving an impact, the bonds with other members of Doane's campus that are incredible connections and all the fun and unique opportunities as well," Brandenburg

Students who are interested in a service opportunity such as this one can apply to the Alternative Spring Break. More information will be out in Knopik also challenges students to go out, serve



Courtesy photo | Maddie Brandenburg

Doane students visiting Denver had the opportunity to volunteer with Jovial Concepts as well as get to know the city from a serving prospective.

### Humanities receives large grant

**KYLIE HUGHES** 

Life & Culture

two weeks ago that the of the Integrated Human- the pandemic, reduced Integrated for the Humanities has how "different disciplines itization process, the huawarded Doane the "Sus- approach the same topic manities were negatively another pathway started become part of the Do- understanding why partaining the Humanities from different perspec- impacted. through the American tives." Rescue Plan" grant.

will ultimately help with is to focus on issues and in the humanities. First, to become long-term. the Integrated Human- complex problems in our it will pay for 14 months

manities Program creates facing when they go out Clanton's salary. It will there is a lot up in the ities Program can take

interdisciplinary gi said. thinking when it comes to Endowment ities Program is to see enrollment and the prior- Program.

This grant for \$500,000 designed the program a variety of things with- ing more resources for it fund networking events adults in their professions ities Program at Doane. own community that of Associate Professor and leadership team and pathways through the to start their careers or similarly pay the salary air as to what Doane's the Opioids and Addic-Doane Core to demon- graduate schools," Hang- of an ethics professor for priorities will be, and I tions class offered next

14 months so that they am hopeful that the in-semester. Due to timing In applying for the can re-imagine religious tegrated humanities will conflicts, the Interfaith understanding a problem, grant, Hanggi and the studies and philosophy as remain a priority or be- and Ethics pathway will according to Director of team involved in the In- interfaith studies and eth- come something that likely be pushed to the fall After applying last Integrated Humanities tegrated Humanities Pro- ics. This will then become they would want to invest semester. The first grant May, it was announced Katy Hanggi. The goal gram argued that, due to another pathway in the in," Hanggi said. Humanities

> The money awarded administration the oppor- cording to Hanggi. "One of the ways we to Doane will help fund tunity to consider invest-

"With a new president tial guest speakers.

the Integrated Human-Those 14 months to get ities Program is to see it

in the future and poten- beyond Doane. I think

The Integrated Hu- students are going to be of Religious Studies Dan a new strategic vision, the Integrated Human- said.

meeting will be held in The ultimate goal for the near future to start to work on a plan.

"I think students value will then provide Doane ane Core long-term, ac- ticular courses or ideas are relevant to who they The money will also are going to become as these pathways really Students interested in emphasize that," Hanggi

### JET Program accepting applications

**KYLIE HUGHES** 

Life & Culture

The Japan Exchange sistant in Japan.

The goal of the JET program, according to students who are apply- cants will be chosen to of experiences. Associate Professor of ing must have a strong move on to the next phase Spanish and Nation- interest in Japan and be which is the interview teaching experiences be-Joshua Pope, is for En- interest. glish speakers to provide "linguistic and cultural helped with Adventure in the past, he has hosted mean that you can't apply resources" to Japanese Zone, a program that as-mock interviews for final-to this," Pope said.

The applications for dents from Japan at Do- willing to do that again accepted will be notified ing to gain teaching and

open and are due Nov. according to Pope.

and Teaching (JET) Pro- to anyone who is a native application form. It also ple from Japan, inter-culgram is a program that or near-native English includes a statement of tural experience and is also an opportunity to type. There are similar allows English speakers speaker and will have ob- purpose, some essays, let- some type of teaching learn about Japan. to become a teaching as- tained a bachelor's degree ters of recommendation experience. Pope reminds before going.

Pope emphasized that

this program are now ane, are at an advantage, this year.

and transcripts.

Students who have February. Pope said that education major doesn't thinking about it about a sists middle school stu- ist students and would be

A strong candidate is The application pro- someone who has experi- only allows JET Program ger candidates. The program is open cess starts with a basic ence interacting with peo- recipients to be a teaching students that teaching thing to foster inter-cul- who are interested in Roughly half of appli- comes in a wide variety tural communication and teaching English abroad

"Many people have Pope said.

in the Spring.

assistant in Japan, but it not the only one of its

inter-cultural learning,"

year ahead of the application. Within that year, People who have been students should be work-

inter-cultural experiences This opportunity not to make themselves stron-

The JET Program is programs in other coun-"It's a really good tries as well that students could look into.

Students interested in For students who are any of these opportunial Fellowships Advisor able to demonstrate their process. Interviews will youd the classroom. Just interested in the JET Pro- ties, can email Pope at take place in January or because you're not an gram, they should start joshua.pope@doane.edu.

### New opportunities for health students

Wounded Healers offers new learning experiences

> **JOHN DAWES** Staff Writer

English Professor Phil- according to Weitl. lip Weitl is working with

New Xanadu, one of Do-said in a press release for medicine in the coming experience," Weitl said. ane's writing organiza- the project.

tions managed by Weitl. will "examine the increas- students

the Doane English De- healing arts in the wake best out of students. partment to reveal a new of COVID-19, illness and

Wounded Healers is be focusing on these top- lease. based on a concept that ics and is targeted at sturative Medicine course The goal of the project is sciences field to partici- know that this opportunilast spring. The project to contrast what health pate in Wounded ing importance of liberal learn with the more ab- lenge typical perarts training in medical stract liberal arts teaching spectives of medieducation and practice," in Doane's curriculum. cine. Weitl said he believes this "Topics will include the will help augment the vocation from new

"We will explore how [you] ponder the project called "Wounded trauma, mortality and Doane may leverage its future while re-Healers: A Medical Hu- meaning, undergraduate heritage and human cap- flecting on the inmanities Workshop," a curriculum opportunities ital for the benefit of its dispensable value collaboration with the and so much more," Weitl students and the field of of [the] liberal arts

years," Weitl said in the

traditionally Healers to chal-

"Consider this perspectives

Despite Wounded

Wounded Healers will aforementioned press re- Healers being geared to- more information about ward students interest- the project by emailing Weitl wants students ed in healthcare, Weitl Weitl at philip.weitl@dowas taught in Weitl's Nar- dents in the health field. interested in the health wants every student to ane.edu.

ty is open to all students. Students can receive



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## Weekly Horoscopes

Aquarius (January 21 - February 19): Be aware of your confidence level this week. Last week's struggles may become this week's blessings. Keep your head up.

Pisces (February 20 - March 20): Tensions are high this week, but do not fear. The tension will fade as quickly as it came on.

Aries (March 21 - April 20): There may be some push and pull within both your love life and job this week. This may lead you to feel defeated, but all things happen for a reason.

Taurus (April 21 - May 21): You will feel success due to the fact that others will recognize all the hard work you've been implementing in your life lately.

Gemini (May 22 - June 21): An ex lover may reappear in your life. Whether this is a good or bad thing, embrace it to its fullest potential.

Cancer (June 22 - July 22): You often give too much of yourself to the point that you feel drained at the end of the day. Schedule time for yourself to really think about what you want and your goals for the future.

Leo (July 23 - August 22): Drama has filled your life recently, but do not worry because it will soon come to an end. Begin to shift your focus on what and who is most important to you.

Virgo (August 23 - September 22): Focus on budgeting and planning this week. It is alright to let things have some chaos for awhile but know when it's time to sit down and anchor yourself.

Libra (September 23 - October 22): Take some time to meditate and work on your breathing. A few minutes of meditation can clear your mind and help you get back on task.

Scorpio (October 23 - November 21): Find a solution, not an escape within your daily battles. Don't let yourself procrastinate. Prioritize the important things.

Sagittarius (November 22 - December 21): Let yourself have a break from social media. This simple task may improve your mental health.

Capricorn (December 22 - January 20): Embrace past memories. It is alright to feel sentimental and recognize the person you have become today.

## life & culture 5 Sorority raises breast cancer awareness

**SARAH DALY** 

Communications Manager

Since 1985, October has been declared as Breast Cancer Awareness Month.

According to the World Health Organization (WHO), in 2020 alone, 2.3 million women were diagnosed with breast cancer. Globally, there were 685,000 deaths due to breast cancer in that same year. The American Cancer Society has found that in the state of Nebraska in 2021, there have been an estimated 11,180 cases so far.

At Doane, members of Phi Sigma Tau sorority are hosting informational activities at the Beige Desk by the dining hall in Perry Campus Center every Wednesday during the month of October. There will be information on topics such as how to detect early signs for breast cancer, statistics and pink ribbons for students to wear or pin to their backpacks.

"Breast cancer is very common among women and being aware of the definition of breast cancer and the signs that come with it can be very crucial to a person's health," sophomore active member of Phi Sigma Tau Tiffany Carnahan said.

The members of Phi Sigma Tau sorority are encouraging students to participate in Breast Cancer Awareness month by wearing pink every Wednesday or by picking up pink ribbons to wear at the Beige Desk.



Photo by Emma Ryan | The Doane Owl

Phi Sigma Tau member sophomore Mandi Laib raises awareness and offers educational activities at the beige desk for Breast Cancer Aware-

Phi Sigma Tau and Relay they undergo breast cancer treatfor Life are partnering to create Breast Cancer Awareness shirts to sell to students, staff and faculty. Carnahan encourages students to keep an eye on their emails for more information about ordering shirts. Profits from the shirt sales will go towards the National Cancer Society's HOPE kits and Relay for Life. HOPE kits are filled with encouraging and comforting items to give to patients when

"I like being able to supply students with information about breast cancer and how they can look out for themselves when doing self-examinations and seeing those early signs of breast cancer," Carnahan said.

Students can find more information at the Beige Desk every Wednesday in October.

### Indigenous Peoples' Day recognized

**JOEY WINTON** Managing Editor

Proclamation, House President Joe Biden became the first U.S. Presi-Day on Oct. 8.

The proclamation peoples. tions."

It recognizes that detunity for all, the United U.S. population. States has not lived up to

and displace Native peo- peoples and that raising the reservations to make false or exaggerated tell- Lakota tribe members by ples and eradicate Native more awareness to what them a more stable and ing of historical events," cultures for generations.

In an official White said he believes Biden's but that America as a rick's views and agrees erty the residents face," whole still has a long way that while the statements Schumacher said. dent to openly acknowl- to go in terms of recog- from the Biden administive peoples.

states Indigenous Peo- the right direction of words. ples' Day is to be a day of where the nation should able contributions and ment of Indigenous peo- are saying, 'yeah, we are to do better on. resilience of Indigenous ples. I think this should clearly doing something [recognizing] have been done many, about this,' and do not not educated in regards to there is not as much glosstheir inherent sovereignty many years ago, but I am actually follow up their our treatment of Native ing over, but there is still and [committing] to hon- happy the proclamation promises," Schumacher peoples. In my personal improvement to be made, oring the Federal Gov- was made even if it could said. ernment's trust and treaty have and should have obligations to Tribal Na- come sooner," Patrick more funding should be actions of our ancestors] as I don't think I knew said.

spite the country's prom- more can and should be reservations need to com- mation and understand- high school," Schumachise of equality and oppor- done to help the Native pletely change to better ing came from personal er said.

"I think increasing reside in them. its promise. It also calls funding to critical parts

our ancestors did is essen- nurturing Junior Jacob Patrick tial," Patrick said.

Sophomore statement is a good start, Schumacher shares Pat- stem from extreme pov-

community because the biggest prob-Alias lems of reservations all

edge Indigenous Peoples' nizing and uplifting Na- tration are nice, they do ervations is one solution critical towards Doane's not mean much unless ac- to the issue, Schumacher teaching of events. "Î thînk it is a step in tion is taken to back their said he believes education "Personally, it feels like Native peoples is another dedicated to Nebraska recognizing the "invalu- be headed in the treat- political 'b.s.' where they area that the nation needs history, and a large part

He said he also believes up in a small town, [the systems for younger kids, put into Indigenous com- were hugely glossed over about any atrocities we Patrick said he believes munities and that U.S. and most of my infor-committed until well into support the people that research and media and "There should be more is there to educate, so I ed Knee Massacre which, attention to the fact that of tribal leadership needs funding to help people should not have to get according to Britannica, federal policies systemat- to happen to show further either get off of reser- my sources from pop cul- was the slaughter of apically sought to assimilate support of Indigenous vations or to build up ture which can present a proximately 150 to 300

Schumacher said.

While the public education system needs to improve on the narrative it tells in regards to Native populations and coloniz-While building up resers, Schumacher is not as

and representation of half of our program is of that is Native Amer-"A lot of people are ican history. So, luckily, experience, since I grew especially in education

Schumacher specificalpop culture. Education ly referenced the Wound-

U.S. Army troops in December of 1890 in what would be the climax of their efforts to repress the Plains Indians (Native American peoples inhabiting the Great Plains of the U.S. and Canada).

"I find [the celebration of Christopher Colum-"As a history major, bus] to be problematic as he and others like him committed horrible acts of murder, rape, mass extermination and repression of Native people, and I do not believe enough is being said about their treatment towards [the] first peoples," Schumacher said.

The Biden administration's proclamation can be read in full at

https://www. whitehouse.gov/briefing-room/presidential-actions/2021/10/08/a-proclamation-indigenous-peoples-day-2021/.

### Calif. stealthing law takes effect

SARAH DALY

Communications Manager

became the first state in Australia found that 30.9 autonomy, your individthe United States to cre- percent of men and 41.2 ual dignity, your right ate legislation against percent of women that to make decisions about is important due to the stealthing.

According to "stealthing" Guardian, is when a sexual partner removes the condom behind this new law during sex without the comes from Alexandra ing considered a civil ofother partner's knowl- Brodsky's, a former law fense, victims now have edge or consent.

stealthing.

proposed measure with- consensual sex. out opposition.

On Oct. 7, California ducted in Melbourne, has no concern for your the rienced stealthing one or when and how," Brodsky more times in their lives.

Some inspiration NPR. California Governor article about stealthing. petrators in civil court. Gavin Newson signed Brodsky is now a civil and enacted a bill to rights attorney and au- decision-making in the ing, usually women, make it a civil offense in thor of "Sexual Justice." hands of the state of California Brodsky confronted the which can be particularly for someone to engage in issue of stealthing and important in the wake of how victims can face ad- sexual violence, which is The California State ditional opposition due to itself a denial of the vic- no policy against stealth-

"The experience of A 2018 study found in realizing that your partattended the clinic expe- who you have sex with, said in an interview with tors.

Due to stealthing bestudent's, 2017 journal the ability to sue the per-

"Civil litigation keeps survivors,

sions about their lives," Brodsky said.

Campus tion (CAPE) Project's Lead Peer Educator Noa Snyder said that this act amount of accountability it presents to perpetra-

"This action is so revolutionary because it shows that nuanced conversations about sexual assault are making their way to the policy level. It gives survivors of stealthpower back to hold their attacker accountable," Snyder said.

Nebraska currently has Legislature approved the stealthing beginning with tim's right to make deci- ing or affirmative con-

sent regulations at this https://nebraskalegislatime. Students can find ture.gov/laws/statutes. Advocacy, Nebraska's first degree php?statute=28-319. PloS One Journal con- ner, your sexual partner, Prevention and Educa- sexual assault statute at



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### - STAFF EDITORIAL -

### Don't stress over registration

right for you.

It is completely fine if you do not have a major what you want your major to be.

majors after some time for are all valid.

With class registration figuring out what you want here so do yourself a favor at all, even after trying and the Owl would like to draw be very stressful so here are and your interests. attention to the importance some tips that will hopeanxiety.

selected and it may take a actually sound interesting yourself more time to take while before you figure out to you and that you will classes related to your maor every other day. There is fun for you. You may also find that nothing worse than signing you will want to switch up for a class that is an ab-draw from a class, provided a variety of reasons that feel like you are wasting frame. There is the chance

struggling with registration as possible. If you finish all your FAKs by sophomore 1) Enroll in classes that or junior year, you give enjoy going to every day jor or classes that are more

3) You can always withsolute bore and makes you you do it within the time your time. Remember, you that a class you enroll in Relax and take it easy, are paying to take classes just does not work for you self.

on the horizon, the staff at your future career to be can and pick ones that suit you asking for help. If that is the case, it is better for you 2) Try to get the FAK to withdraw than to have of choosing classes that are fully help you if you are classes over with as soon an "F" on your transcript.

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### Hot takes; it's a Disney Halloween

A weekly rating of random things by Joey Winton

**JOEY WINTON** Managing Editor

Halloween draws ever nearer so this week's Hot Takes will be all about those classic Disney Halloween movies from the early to mid 2000's.

Growing up, these movies were essential to my enjoyment of Halloween, and I would eagerly sit down for Disney's "Monstober" movie marathon with my family.

That being said, there are some of these movies that are objectively better than others, even though they all have a special place in my heart.

Each movie is graded based on quality, rewatchability and their impact on Halloween pop culture as a whole.

Quality is the most important factor because I want to watch a good movie, and if it's a stinker, then I won't bother giving it the time of day.

Rewatchability is the second most important factor even though I only watch these movies once a year during the month of October. If the prospect of watching one of these movies is a chore, it loses points



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compared to one that I am totally excited to rewatch.

The final category is cultural impact, which boils down to how large of an audience knows about and can reference the movie.

S Tier - The movies in this tier are the cream of the crop, the best of the best, the creme de la creme. Everything about them is perfect, and they need to be stored in archives alongside "Citizen Kane" and "The Maltese Falcon."

A Tier - While not as good overall as the ones above, these are still extremely worthy movies, and I will not fault anyone too much for

picking them over ones in the tier above.

B Tier - These movies are just alright, there's nothing bad about them, but they lack the magic and imagination and heart that the movies in the tiers above

C Tier - While it breaks my heart to say this, there are some movies that are just mediocre and feel phoned in, and as such, they are banished to this

F Tier - These movies are too ingrained in my childhood nostalgia for me to justify putting any of them in this tier, even if there

are some that deserve to be here.

\*Note: All rankings are final and no amount of hate/ convincing will change my mind

S Tier: (The best)-Twitches, Halloweentown, Hocus Pocus

A Tier: (Second Best)-Halloweentown II, Phantom of the Megaplex, Twitches Too

Haunted Mansion, Halloweentown High

B Tier: (Average)- The

C Tier: (Below Average)-Return to Halloweentown

F Tier: (Garbage)-

Again, let me say: no amount of debating with me will change my mind so please save yourself the time and energy, you have better things to do than argue with a college kid about tier lists.

Do you have a topic you want me to make a ranking of? Email me at joey.winton@doane.edu with the subject line Hot Takes and I might write about it!

### Album review: "Punk"



JOHN DAWES Staff Writer

Jeffery Lamar Williams, better known as Young Thug, is one of the most creative and versatile trap artists to come out of this century. His impact and influence stretch far beyond his own work and into artists like Travis Scott, Lil Baby and Gunna.

Thug compared to even the most well-respected trap artists is he is always tampering with his sound. The disparity in sound from "Beautiful Thugger Girls" which wears country influences on its sleeve, to "Barter 6" and and the artists he brings in

more trap-inspired, is something so distinct that only Thug can pull off.

"Punk" is technically only Young Thug's second album and a follow-up to his 2019 debut album, "So Much Fun." "Punk" continues the trend of Thug never repeating the same sound twice, but it could have committed a little more effort into what makes it distinct.

To start the album, "Punk" is Thug's attempt at a singer-songwriter pop album with his signature autotune, adlibs and slippery vocals. From the first track "Die Slow," Young Thug enters the song on a smooth guitar and eases you into the album with a song you can just sway with. It is also one of Thug's most emotionally-charged lyrics, talking about fighting for his brother to stay out of prison and his What separates Young mother's health problems.

Feature artists like Future, Doja Cat, Gunna and Post Malone refrain from rapping and take a far more melodic approach, singing on hooks and verses like their lives depend on it. Of course, Thug "Slime Season" which are with trap backgrounds don't

do a 180 on their roots. Hearing a flushing piano and trap jumps with melodic hooks on "Peepin Out The Window" is such a distinct mixture of genres that only Thug can pull off.

"Livin It Up" is another highlight of a strong first half for the album. Post Malone and Young Thug float on a song with bright strings and minimal production. The two make a song that belongs on any summer playlist; it is emblematic of what "Punk" does at its highest points, taking a variety of genres and influences to make a dynamic song.

However, after the melodic and slow tempered "Insure My Wrist," the album does fall out of its sonic sweet spot and struggles because of it. "Scoliosis" is a dynamic and energetic trap banger, but it feels out of place. "Bubbly" is the climax of the album's struggles. It is completely different from the album's previous sound, and it is augmented with a truly awful Drake verse.

Drake sounds offbeat, his inflections on the verse are off-putting and his verse is immature at best. At least the song is short, but the album doesn't find its sweet spot until six tracks later on "Love You More."

That is another fault on the album, where even the best tracks like the aforementioned "Peepin Out The Window" are so short to where you can only wonder what the song would be like with another minute on it. With 20 tracks and the vast majority of them being only two minutes in length, the album goes fast, but it would be great to have more substance. At least the album ends on a high note with "Hate The Game" and "Day Before."

Thug shows incredible potential with a new and expressive singing that could make him a pop powerhouse as much as he is a rap mainstay. It would be appreciated if he stayed committed to that sound, trimmed down some of the fat on "Punk" and made the best songs longer so listeners can see the best of Young Thug's continued evolution. 6.5/10

### opinion

### A must-see with love, hate and toilets



**EMMA RYAN** Multimedia Coordinator

that handles heavy topics such as homelessness, dois actually based on the luxury mansions on the best-selling book "Maid: beach. As she cleans, Hard Work, Low Pay and she begins writing about a Mother's Will to Sur- the people who reside in vive" by Stephanie Land.

At the center of the Margaret Qualley, and

If you're looking for a to find a place to live, everything except a baby good sob story to binge receive assistance from and a happy marriage. watch, look no further, the government and to "Maid" on Netflix is a acknowledge her emo- away any spoilers, but me wish there was a sec- limited series have gotten might not be for everymust see, powerful series tional abuse as domestic the end of the series ends violence.

This 10 episode series abandoned homes to these houses.

Throughout the story, story is a young female we get a glimpse of sevwriter Alex, played by eral other people's backgrounds and the probher 2 year old daughter. lems they faced. There's Throughout the series, Paula, Alex's mom, Alex is trying to leave her played by Qualley's real boyfriend Sean due to the life mother Andie Macfact that he is emotionally Dowell, who has bipolar abusive and an alcoholic. disorder. Then there is With only \$18 in her also the rich Regina who pocket, she leaves one is one of the people Alex night with her daughter cleans for, played by Anin her car. She struggles ika Noni Rose. She has

well for Alex and her



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I don't want to give be clarified, which makes newal. However, other ond season.

Alex eventually finds now 3 year old daughter. limited series, and Net- larity and several awards the teary eyed watching it. mestic abuse and mental herself a job as a maid. However, there are some flix hasn't given any hint nominations," an article She cleans for the worst things that still need to yet about a Season 2 refrom Marie Claire said.

renewals after they were one, but I was certainly "'Maid' is billed as a released to massive popu- hooked, and maybe a lit-

Overall, this series

### Do your part, please and thank you



**ABRIANNA MILLER** Editor-in-Chief

For better or for worse, I try my best to avoid discussing my opinions about COVID-19 publicly. As you have probably talking about today.

I have been in Spain for ing lifted each day and it is liberating. about 80 percent of the



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almost two months, and has been amazing, almost could take a few notes the COVID-19 response unimaginable. I never from Spain. Here's my If you want to eat at a not put a whole popula- you have no room to has been shockingly won- thought that I would be top five tips for my peers restaurant, go to an event tion at risk because you complain about the conderful. Businesses are meeting people without in the U.S. to combat or travel, you need to be want to be negligent. at 100 percent capacity, a mask on for at least an- COVID-19: mask restrictions are be- other year, but I am, and

From the limited in- wore a mask for 16 hours thing, and for good rea- ing through the same

The shift to normal life the country as a whole

already guessed, though, population where I am formation that I have straight even during a son- you don't want to discomfort of guidelines that is exactly what I am staying is fully vaccinat- about the COVID-19 sit- nap, and I survived. You get sick when grabbing a and just follow them. uation in the U.S., I think can manage a run to drink with a friend. Walmart.

> vaccinated. It is neces-1. Wear your mask. sary to show proof of We know it sucks; we It sucks; we all know. I vaccination to do any- are all quite literally go-

2. Get vaccinated are not vaccinated. Do demic is continuing, and

4. Stop complaining.

things as you during this pandemic. Complaining about every little thing helps nothing and makes everyone feel worse, so just stop.

5. Monitor your health. You should be doing this anyway just to make sure you're not dying imminently, but it is especially important these days.

At this point in the pandemic, I am very reluctant to sympathize with complaints and refusals to adhere to COVID-19 guidelines. This is the world we are living in; we have to accept that.

Choosing not to follow advice from professionals is stupid. You are putting everyone, including yourself, at risk. Get over the inconvenience and

If you don't, you are 3. Don't travel if you the reason that the pansequences of your own actions.

### Bueller, Bueller, Bueller



**MATTHEW MITTLEIDER** Staff Writer

Bueller's Day Off." With the surface as well. Netflix removing it at fore it's gone.

an audacious high school Cameron. senior that gets away

decides to take a day off his mythical power to of school by faking a get anything he wants, deadly illness. During his there is something flawed day off, he takes his best about him. While he may friend and his girlfriend seem positive and perfect along to downtown Chi- superficially, the way he cago to have an impossi- treats people can be danble best day of their lives. gerous and manipulative,

person who likes campy, much less one dimenfeel good movies, this film sional and more of a real certainly has something character. for you, telling a classic 80's coming of age story. is the one that I actually On the other hand if you find most fascinating, as like something more real- a look into the human istic in film, I would still condition and having recommend it as there are purpose. With the help This week I decided to some serious real world of Ferris, he goes through do a throwback to 1986 topics about abuse, men- an arc of at first feeling with another one of my tal health and even exis- nothing and not wanting favorite movies, "Ferris tential dread underneath anything out of life, to

For a movie about and finding meaning. the end of this month, 3 kids ditching school, I thought it would be a there is actually a lot to too much like an English good recommendation be said about the events professor, I'll stop there for everyone (with a Net- of the film and the char- and let anyone who reads flix account) to watch be- acter's perspectives about this decide for themselves life. I think my favorite what they think of the If you haven't seen it part about the movie is movie. You can watch before, the film stars Mat- the relationship between Ferris Bueller on Netflix thew Broderick as Ferris, Ferris and his best friend until Oct. 31, or you can

Despite the comedic with just about anything tone, Ferris' happy-go-

he sets his mind to, who lucky personality and If you're the kind of which makes him feel

Cameron's character standing up for himself

At the risk of sounding find it on Paramount+.

### ...THUMBS UP

Casper

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**Edward** Scissorhands



The Doane Owl editorial staff cast their opinions on different current topics and their responses are represented in 'Thumbs Up, Thumbs Down' every week. THUMBS

**CASSIE KESSLER** Sports Editor

On Oct. 13, both men's and womens' soccer played against Hastings College at home and on Oct. 16, women's soccer traveled to Omaha to play College of Saint Mary. All three games resulted in losses for the Tigers, making the men's record 2-9-1 and the women's record 3-9-1.

Despite their losing records, there is still optimism among members of the team as they look to finish their season strong. Junior Jarryd Stone believes that as long as the team continues to work hard and be patient, that their luck will start to change.

"I think we need to understand we're in the rebuilding phase and be offensive team is high

patient with ourselves; just keep working hard and training and eventually things will start coming around," Stone said. "We will start finding our rhythm and things will start coming around for us."

A big part in creating an environment to be successful is understanding and preparing for who the teams are up against. For members of the women's team, like sophomore Lexi Torok, that means practicing for the team they are going to play.

"We know the team we play this weekend does a lot of high pressing, so we've been working on high pressing and how to defend against it, as well as how to get the ball out of our back line and up the field when the



Photo by Emma Ryan | The Doane Owl

Sophomore Denise Gomez prepares to kick the ball in an attempted goal for the

pressing," Torok said.

With several upcoming home games left in their season, sophomore Emily Guiton believes that having all the support from the Doane

community really makes a difference, as well as avoiding travel.

"It is beneficial to play on our home field because we are used to bodies awake and ready it due to the fact that we to play," Guiton said.

practice on it a little bit, and also we aren't sitting for long periods of time traveling to another field and having to get our

With the potential recipe for success lining up for Doane Soccer, both teams look to get on a roll and finish the season on a high note. Even if they are not at the stage they would like, there is still plenty of time for both records to improve.

"We're still in the rebuilding phase, but we definitely have the team and the potential to do well," Stone said. "I think it's just more of a mental block for us at the moment, but I think if we just get that one big win, then it'll have a domino effect of good benefits that'll come for us."

Both teams will be back in action this week on Oct. 20 playing Midland University at home before heading to Sioux Center, IA on Oct. 23 to play against Dordt Uni-

### Football shuts down Hastings

**CASSIE KESSLER** Sports Editor

Over the weekend, the football team secured their third win of the season at home. The team was able to defeat Hastings College 44-0, with certain players, like junior Frazzie Wynn, having stellar performances.

Although the team has had a rough season thus far, everyone is working on improving their play in order to continue winning the rest of their games. Senior Cedric Gooch believes that especially with the majorhome games, they have a good opportunity to finish strong.

"I'm looking forward to our team fixing everything we have going wrong right now and winning these next two home games," Gooch said. "I feel like we do have somewhat of a home field advantage with students and people in Crete coming out and supporting us, as well as family members."

While football is a team oriented sport, a lot of the players have individual goals and expectations set for themselves.

ity of their games being Even if they cannot accomplish team goals, players like junior Logan Herman are still striving to achieve their personal goals for improvement.

"I always stay focused on improving myself and it just happens that a big part of myself is football," Herman said. "So by always improving myself it just works hand in hand with improving my game regardless of where we are at in the season."

A lot of the ability for improvement, whether it be individual or team, comes from the players' devotion to their sport as well as having strong leadership that keeps the team focused and cohe-

"I think it just comes down to people being leaders on the team," Gooch said. "Some of the leaders are constantly bringing energy to practice and constantly reminding us after drills to keep focusing and giving 100 percent effort, making sure we get everything done."

With just a few games left in the season, the team feels an extra push to accomplish everything they set out to achieve at the beginning of the season. No matter how their season turns out, they still have the ability to play every week with their teammates.

"The end of the season always drives me to get better and work harder because the ultimate end goal is a championship while you achieve a lifetime of great memories and friends," Herman said. "When the end goal isn't met it just makes you want to work harder to achieve it."

Currently, the team is working hard to finish their season on a high. Improving their record is what the team is looking

forward to now, and they have the opportunity to do so over their last three

"I feel like as a team, we are striving to finish with a positive record at this point," Gooch said. "We don't want to finish last and we currently haven't had the best season. We're not trying to finish with a negative record, so we want to push to win these last few games."

The football team will be back in action on Oct. 23 at home when they play their first game against Mount Marty University.

### Volleyball battles through away games

Team faces two tough losses while on the road

> **CASSIE KESSLER** Sports Editor

Over the weekend, the volleyball team travelled to both North and South Dakota to play against the University of Jamestown and Dakota Wesleyan University respectively. While both matches were well came from a service er- 12-15, setting them up to

fought, Doane unfor- ror made by the Jimmies, games.

versity of Jamestown. With their volleyball ference, the Tigers faced a tough game.

The first points scored by Doane, giving Jamestown the lead. After a 4-0 run by the Jimmies, the first points for Doane were scored off a kill made by senior Gabby Menghini.

tunately lost both road but that was followed by a run for Jamestown The team started their that resulted in a score of weekend on Oct. 15 in 2-11. After another kill North Dakota at the Uni- from Menghini, an attack error by Jamestown and another kill from team currently sitting at freshman Taylor Sluka, number one in the con- Doane attempted a late comeback and put the score at 6-12.

However, it would not came from errors made be enough as the first set would go to the Jimmies, the final being 15-25. The second set was a much closer game, the score going back and forth until an error made from Doane let James-Doane's next point town grow their lead to

take the set 18-25.

The third and final set was the closest Doane came to winning a set. The Tigers were up 25-24, but an error from Doane and two kills from Jamestown allowed the Jimmies to win 27-25, winning the game.

The volleyball team then travelled to South Dakota to play against Dakota Wesleyan University. This game went to four sets, but still saw DWU come out on top.

The first set started out a close game, with the first couple of kills for Doane coming from junior Ally Wallace, Sluka, and senior Genna

Ryan-Piasecki. However, a late run from DWU saw them victorious, the final score being 25-16.

The second set was the only win secured by two from senior Kenne-Ryan-Piasecki. Junior Jaime Renshaw scored the final point for the Ti-DWU clinched the set for Doane.

close set in the third and versity on Oct. 23. Both almost came out victorious, tying the game 24-24. Despite coming close, Dakota Wesleyan scored the final two nual pink out game.

points back to back and won 26-24.

The final set was not nearly as close. Doane started with an early lead of 8-2, and maintained a Doane. Doane was able lead until the score was to score from four aces, 17-13. After that, DWU went on a game winning dy Scheele and two from run, making the final score 18-25.

Doane faces several games this week, playgers before an error from ing Kansas Wesleyan University on Oct. 20, Northwestern College on Doane had another Oct. 22 and Dordt Uni-Oct. 22 and Oct. 23 will be home games, with the first night being senior night followed by the an-

### Women's Tennis finishes fall season

**CASSIE KESSLER** Sports Editor

On Oct. 16, the women's tennis team had their last match of the season. The team traveled to play Southwest Minnesota State, where they faced a tough loss of 3-4.

Despite finishing their season with a loss, the team had spent the week leading up to the match preparing as much as possible. Members of the team, such as sophomore Amber Weston, had a vigorous week of training in order to get ready both physically and mentally.

"We've been playing

out more singles and doubles points, being more in competition with each other, and advancing mentally and working on that mental focus," Weston said. "We also do a lot more drills, that way you practice hitting back and forth, but we're also practicing what strategies work best on other players."

Although the goal for the last match may have been to secure one last final win, the team was focused on playing to the best of their abilities, regardless of the circumstances.

"Obviously, you want to win, but being able to

just be there and be competitive and be together is an experience in itself," Weston said. "Doing well and upholding ourselves to good standards, no matter how they play, we stay true to ourselves."

Now that their season is over, the team has a bit of a break, but their work is not done. Over the next few months, the team will continue to practice and improve in order to come back stronger next season.

"In the off season, even though this will be our last tournament, we will still continue practice," Weston said. "Also,

staying in different tournaments and things like that in your area helps to keep you mentally there so that way you don't lose focus and training."

Even though the season may not have ended the way everyone would have hoped, there is still plenty for the team to be proud of. Regardless of how they finished, the team stayed connected and supportive the entire season.

"I'm really proud of my team and the way they work," Weston said. "I like how they come together and everybody just really cares a lot about each other. I think

what makes Doane great ent, but who we are toisn't necessarily our tal-



## Scoreboard Snapshot

### **VOLLEYBALL**

October 15 @ JAMESTOWN, N.D.

7:30 versus UNIVERSITY OF JAMESTOWN

**SET ONE JIMMIES** 

SET TWO

**SET THREE JIMMIES** 

**SET THREE** 

DWU

BRONCOS

0 - 3

October 16 @ MITCHELL, S.D.

3:00 versus DAKOTA WESLEYAN UNIVERSITY

**SET ONE** DWU

**SET TWO SET FOUR** 

### **WOMEN'S SOCCER**

October 13 @ HOME

5:00 versus HASTINGS COLLEGE

October 16 @ OMAHA, NEB.

**FLAMES** 1:00 versus COLLEGE OF SAINT MARY

### **FOOTBALL**

October 16 @ HOME

1:00 versus HASTINGS COLLEGE

TIGERS

### **WOMEN'S TENNIS**

October 16 @ MARSHALL, MINN.

12:00 versus SOUTHWEST MINNESOTA STATE

MUSTANGS

### **MEN'S SOCCER**

October 13 @ HOME

7:15 versus HASTINGS COLLEGE

**BRONCOS** 0 - 3

### Next week for Tiger Athletics

#### **VOLLEYBALL**

October 20 @ SALINA, KAN.

7:00 versus KANSAS WESLEYAN UNIVERSITY

October 22 @ HOME (SENIOR NIGHT)

7:30 versus NORTHWESTERN COLLEGE

October 23 @ HOME (PINK OUT NIGHT)

5:00 versus <u>DORDT UNIVERSITY</u>

#### **SHOTGUN SPORTS**

October 23 & 24 @ LINCOLN, NEB. WAYNE STATE INVITATIONAL

### MEN'S BASKETBALL

October 19 @ HOME

7:00 versus UNION COLLEGE

October 22 @ MADISON, S.D.

5:30 versus PRESENTATION COLLEGE

October 23 @ MADISON, S.D.

7:30 versus DAKOTA STATE UNIVERSITY

#### **FOOTBALL**

October 23 @ HOME

1:00 versus MOUNT MARTY UNIVERSITY

#### **WOMEN'S BASKETBALL**

October 23 @ PERU, NEB.

4:00 versus PERU STATE COLLEGE

#### **WOMEN'S CROSS COUNTRY**

October 23 @ WINFIELD, KAN.

10:15 NAIA MID-STATES CLASSIC

#### **MEN'S CROSS COUNTRY**

October 23 @ WINFIELD, KAN.

11:00 NAIA MID-STATES CLASSIC

#### **WOMEN'S SOCCER**

October 20 @ HOME

5:00 versus MIDLAND UNIVERSITY

October 23 @ SIOUX CENTER, IA.

1:00 versus DORDT UNIVERSITY

#### **MEN'S SOCCER**

October 20 @ HOME

7:15 versus MIDLAND UNIVERSITY

October 23 @ SIOUX CENTER, IA.

1:00 versus DORDT UNIVERSITY