

Class registration reminders

KYLIE HUGHES Copy Desk Chief

Classes for Fall and of credits they have. Summer 2023 sections have been released for the Registrar's Office on students to start their ac- Feb. 20, students are ofademic planning.

Students should start minders. now and plan their courses for the Fall semester or in the academic planning the Summer on WebAd- tab on WebAdvisor, it is visor.

planned their courses, dents should also make edu. they should gain advisor sure to pick the "2023" approval. Students can Fall: Crete" semester so reach out to their advisors that they are planning for

to schedule a meeting or the appropriate time. they can select "Request Approval." Once courses riods are done by class have been approved they will receive a thumbs up with 90 or more credon WebAdvisor.

The last step of the registration process is for students to register during their allotted time frame depending on the number

In an email sent from

If there is any trouble recommended to use a Once students have different browser. Stu-

The registration pelevel. Seniors or students its will go first starting March 22 to March 23.

The period for juniors or students with 60 to 89 credits will be March 24 through March 27. Sophomores or students who have 30 to 59 credits will register on March 28 and 29. Finally, freshmen or fered helpful tips and re- those with 0 to 29 credits will register March 30 and March 31.

> Questions can be directed to your advisor or to the Registrar's Office at registraroffice@doane.



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Off-campus exemption reminders

Applications open from Feb. 13 to March 20

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Off campus housing applications opened up on Feb. 13.

aware of the application process opening up to all students by Residential Life and Education (ResLife) on Feb. 13.

be open from Feb. 13 until March 20. It can be additional application is under the be reviewed on a case-by-"2023/2024 Off Campus case basis. For medical Exemption Process" tab.

closing date. To fill out the application, students one of the off-campus exemptions.

the academic standing of a senior, which is 90 is no guarantee that they pus. will be accepted.

home of a legal guardian next issue of the Owl.

within 40 miles of Doane. To apply for this exemption, students must have a guardian sign a commuting form and submit a copy of a valid state ID or driver's license.

If a student has a child or is married they are eligible to apply for the exemption as well. Proof of dependency or a marriage certificate will need to be submitted.

Students who are studying abroad or student teaching outside of Students were made Crete can both apply as well.

If students have been through an email sent out independently living for six months or more or are involved in the military, they can also apply The application will for off-campus housing.

Finally, there are some extenuating found on eRezLife. The circumstances that will requests, documentation The application must from the Americans with be completed prior to the Disabilities Act (ADA) Office must be provided.

Off-campus applicamust qualify for at least tions will be reviewed and approved or denied in the following week The first exemption is after applications close. that students must have There will be a period for appeals in case of denial.

Students should also credits. Students who are know the address of their within 10 credits of 90 housing next year when may still apply, but there applying to live off-cam-

On-campus housing Another exemption is will be opening in the if the student is a com- near future. More informuter who lives in the mation will follow in the

OFF CAMPUS APPLICATION TIMELINE

February 14- off campus app OPENS – February 17- off campus info session – February 22- off campus office hours - February 23- off campus info session - March I- off campus info session – March 3- off campus office hours March 13- off campus app CLOSES

Application Review Timeline

Application review will look differently this year. Apps will be reviewed weekly depending on the exemption applied under. Below is the timeline for reviewing applications

The following exemptions will be reviewed from March 14-18. Approvals and denials will be sent out on March

18 by 5pm; appeals are due March 23 by 5pm. a.Child and Marriage

- b. Study Abroad
- c.Student Teaching
- d. Independent Living Experience
- e.Military Involvement
- f. Extenuating Circumstance

The following exemptions will be reviewed from March 21-25. Approvals and denials will be sent out on March 25 by 5pm; appeals are due March 30 by 5pm. a.Commuter

The following exemptions will be reviewed from March 28-April I. Approvals and denials will be sent out on April I by 5pm; appeals are due April 6 by 5pm. a.Academic Progress

The Off Campus Info Sessions will be from 6-7pm in Kleinkauf West Dining Room. The info sessions will walk you through the off campus application process, what the available exemptions are, and give time for students to ask questions.

individually ask a Reslife staff member questions about the off campus process or application. Join the Feb 22nd hours at this link:

exceptions, please email doanehousing@doane.edu.

DOANE UNIVERSITY OFF CAMPUS EXCEPTIONS

OFFICE OF RESIDENTIAL LIFE AND EDUCATION

ACADEMIC PROGRESS



Students who have successfully completed 90 credits or earned an Associate's Degree by the end of spring semester are welcome to apply for this off campus exemption. Credits are verified with the Registrar's Office.

COMMUTER

Students who are commuting from the home of their legal guardian within 40 miles of Doane are eligible to apply for this exemption Students applying under this exemption must attach the two documents below to their application for consideration.

- I. Notarized Commuting Form signed by their guardian and notary
- 2. A copy of your valid state ID or driver's license

CHILD AND MARRIAGE



Students with a dependent child or students who are married are eligible to apply for this exemption. Proof of dependency and/or a marriage certificate should be submitted with their application.

STUDY ABROAD

Students who are studying abroad during the fall semester are eligible to apply for this exemption. Under this exemption, the student is only approved for off campus housing while they are student teaching. Proof of study abroad status will be verified with the Office of International Programs.

STUDENT TEACHING



Student Teachers who are assigned a placement outside of Crete are welcome to apply under this exemption. Under this exemption, the student is only approved for off campus housing while they are student teaching.

INDEPENDENT LIVING EXPERIENCE

Students who have 6 or more months of independent living experience are eligible to apply for this exemption. The student will need to supply documentation that proves independent living experience such as a lease or utility bills under the student's name

MILITARY INVOLVEMENT



Students who are involved in the military at the time of application completion are eligible to apply for this exemption. Under this exemption, the student is only approved for off campus housing while they are involved in the military.

EXTENUATING CIRCUMSTANCES

Students with true extenuating circumstances may apply under this exemption. These requests are reviewed on a case by case basis. Medical requests will be reviewed, however, the student will need to submit documentation from Doane's ADA office noting that the student meets the need for off campus accommodations. Additional documentation may be requested to ensure an all-encompassing review.



The Off Campus Application is only available online on eRezLife. It will be released n February 14, 2022 and close at 11:59pm on March 13, 2022. Only complete applications will be reviewed. If you have questions about the application process or the off campus exceptions, please email doanehousing@doane.edu.

Residential Life and Education-Doane University ALL APPLICATION MATERIALS WILL BE AVAILABLE AT HTTPS://DOANE.EREZLIFE.COM/.



Editor-in-Chief

mandated.

also encouraged to donate to the Class of 2023 Senior Gift Campaign,

tination Survey and April

will become available.

(May 13, @ 2 pm)

WebAdvisor ASAP

FA senior loan counseling at

start the job search process

if you have any questions

Madness

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For more informa-



Feb. 28, March 28, and April 25 12:00 – 1:00 PM **Trobough Dining Room**



UFOs shot down over North America

news

JOSE VILLALPANDO Multimedia Coordinator

In continuation from recent news about the alleged Chinese spy balloon, multiple unidentified flying objects (UFOs) have been shot down over North American airspace within recent weeks.

The New York Times (NYT) reports that three UFOs were shot down by the United States military over both U.S. and Canadian territory. NYT also provided a timeline of events for the three incidents, while NPR also behind why these UFOs were shot down.

combination of informa-



NYT.

provided some reasons down on Feb. 10 over not a balloon but was shot can Aerospace Defense of the object similar in water off of the coast of down because it posed a (NORAD) Command appearance to the origi-Alaska after having been possible safety concern after it had crossed into nal balloon that was shot the time of this publica-The following will be a first sighted on the eve- for civilian flight. ning of Feb. 9, seemingly tion from both NPR and heading toward the North shot down on Feb. 11 by border. Canadian Prime that it "violated Canadi-

Pole. It was reported that an American F-22 fight- Minister Justin Trudeau The first UFO was shot the object was most likely er via the North Ameri- ordered the destruction

the Canadian Yukon down off the coast of The second UFO was from across the Alaskan South Carolina, saying

an airspace" on Twitter.

The last UFO was shot down on Feb. 12 over the Great Lakes region, specifically Lake Huron, after it reappeared after being spotted the day before over Montana. This UFO was described as octagonal in shape with strings hanging off of it and flying at an altitude of 20,000 feet, though no discernable payload was seen. The reasoning behind shooting down this one was to both ensure the safety of the public but also to help protect against any potential surveillance capabilities this one may have had.

No further information has been released at tion.

Ohio town affected by chemical spill

JOEY WINTON Managing Editor

The town of East Palestine, Ohio is experiencing a number of adverse side effects after a train derailed on Feb. 3.

According to NPR, 50 cars of a Norfolk Southern train went off track, 11 of which were carrying hazardous chemicals like butyl acrylate and vinyl chloride. On Feb. 6, after evacuating residents of East Palestine, crews in their eyes, sick or dead noted that The Guardian lion fund for the affected conducted what officials animals and a strong odor reports that the contraccalled a "controlled re- in the town. lease" of the toxic chemplume of black smoke.

ing a burning sensation of Feb. 12. It should be has announced a \$1 mil- As of Feb. 17, Norfolk pects Norfolk Southern



The icals, resulting in a large Protection Agency (EPA) were hired by Norfolk has been monitoring the Southern, leading some The evacuation order air quality in East Pales- to question the legitimacy was rescinded on Feb. 8, tine and stated it has not of the results. but residents have been detected "any levels of reported to be experienc- concern" in the town as Watch, Norfolk Southern the company's response.

tors who conducted the Environmental air quality tests in homes

According to Market (R), are unsatisfied with it caused.

community and more than \$1.7 million in direct financial support to residents and businesses.

However, many people, including Ohio governor Mike DeWine Courtesy photo | Flickr.com

Southern's value was \$53 billion, with their quar- faulty wheel bearing on terly income being \$1.3 one rail car which likely billion. A spokesman for caused the derailment. DeWine stated that the The NTSB says it expects governor intends to make to release a preliminary sure the company pays its report by late February or fair share for the damage early March.

"The governor ex- as of this publication.

to make the residents of East Palestine whole. He does not view what has been down to date as having completed that obligation. We intend to hold the company's feet to the fire to continue to remediate the site and make citizens whole," the spokesman said.

The National Transportation Safety Board (NTSB) is investigating the derailment and early conclusions point to the derailment being the result of a mechanical error. Signs point to a

There are no updates

Anti-Trans legislation going to debate

JOHN DAWES Design Assistant

ate will soon debate restrict trans youth from firming surgery. receiving medical proce-

logical sex.

The Nebraska Sen- dubbed the "Let Them youth compete in sports Grow Act," prohibits any teams based on biologibills which are directly and all gender-altering cal sex. targeted at trans youth. medical practices. This The two bills, introduced includes but is not lim- lature Health and Huby State Sen. Kathleen ited to puberty blockers, man Services Committee Kauth of Omaha, aim to hormones and gender-af- heard testimony on both

The second bill, LB on Feb. 15. dures until they are 19 575, the "Sports and These bills follow a na- ing to a national study by Sen. Dave Murman and would require trans Spaces Act," makes trans tional trend of anti-trans by The Trevor Project, a of Glenvil, LB 810, the

youth to compete in a youth have to use bath- and anti-LGBTQ legisla- nonprofit LGBTQ+ sui- "Medical Ethics and Disport based on their bio- rooms and locker rooms based on biological sex, The first bill, LB 574, as well as makes trans

The Nebraska Legisbills at the State Capitol

tion nationwide, as there are currently 18 states banning trans youth from participating in sports.

Critics of these bills say that these bills directly hurt LGBTQ+ youth who are already a vulnerable group. One in five transgender and nonbinary youths attempted suicide in 2022, accord-

cide prevention group.

would most likely put participate in any meditrans youth at greater cal procedure for ethical risk of mental health de- or religious reasons and terioration, as the Trevor would allow doctors to Project found that trans refuse gender affirming youth report better mental health in schools and states that don't restrict have been passed at the them.

A third bill introduced

versity Act," would al-These proposed bills low doctors to refuse to care.

> None of these bills time of this publication.

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Doane Crime Log

The Doane Safety Office reported incidents in their public crime log. Incidents reported between Feb. 9 and 20 include:

- 2/9 Trespassing : Campus Property Doane Crete
- 2/16 Emergency Alert : Campus Property -Doane Crete
- 2/16 Emergency Alert : Off Campus Crete
- 2/19 Vandalism : Campus Property Doane Crete : Residence Halls : Sheldon Hall

life & culture





Photo by Abrianna Miller | The Doane Owl

Photo by PJ Ramsey | The Doane Owl

Left: Doane students dance to the DJ at the Stoplight Dance hosted by SPB. This event allowed students to dress up and wear wrist bands that correlated with their relationship status. Right: PRISM members pose with the professional and student drag queens after the Drag Queen show.

Doane is Love events successful

KYLIE HUGHES Life & Culture Editor

Last week, People for als of Sexual Minorities the Beige Desk in Perry cy, Prevention and Ed- love and build a stuffed ucation (CAPE) Project tiger. and the Student Program-Doane is Love.

campus.

To celebrate these stuwere a wide variety of events.

the Rights of Individu- sex education was held at (PRISM) partnered with Campus Center. The next to hold a Pronouns and pronouns in the class- was unfortunate that the well and was a positive the Division of Diversi- day held a Build-a-Boo Trans Identity Work- room. ty, Equity and Inclusion event with SPB where shop and CAPE's Love (DEI); Campus Advoca- students could celebrate

ming Board (SPB) held and Share" event where was moved to Feb. 23 in fecting some events, Feb. highlight of the week was aren't ready to come out students could decorate the West Dining Room 17 still hosted the Drag the Drag Show. This past week was cookies with PRISM in Perry Campus Center Queen show and Stopa celebration of all members, start up a con- from 12 p.m. to 12:50 light Dance. LGBTQ+ students on versation and learn sex p.m. education trivia.

dents and educate the had a lot of people come visor of PRISM Amanda said. Doane community there sit down and have a chat Irions will be providing with us while decorating education and scientific Jolkowski agreed that the sional drag queens who cookies," PRISM Pres- information about trans- week went well even with "absolutely amazed the On Feb. 13, inclusive ident senior PJ Ramsey gender identities, infor- the weather. said.

Shouldn't Hurt cam- students to attend in per- decorations to be hidden paign; however, due to son and on Zoom," senior or washed away," Jol- celebration that wasn't the snow day, events were Sophia Coniglio said. Feb. 15 held a "Sugar canceled. The workshop

Assistant Professor of went amazing even with

"On Wednesday we Communication and Ad- the huge storm," Ramsey annual Drag Show that

Sophomore

"I think the week went Ramsey. Feb. 16 was meant and how to use correct okay for the most part. It snow caused some events celebration despite set-"We still encourage to be rescheduled and our backs. kowski said.

see this event come to- too," Ramsey said. "I think Doane is Love gether," Coniglio said.

This was the second

PRISM put together. Rowan There were three profescrowd," according to

Overall, the week went

"It was a wonderful just for those in PRISM For Jolkowski, the but for the people who to the world, they deserve "It was so beautiful to to have that celebration

Theatre students prepare for play

ISABEL HENSON Staff Writer

ten by Stephan Karam. Dalton Specht, Ben Thei-It highlights an impover- ler and Jess Pelchat; ju-

Russian playwright An- Samuel Province, Noah Lincoln Professor Jamie

ative instruction.

mation about pronouns

Despite the snow af-

The performance will ished landowning family niors Percy Earle, Logan be held in the Whit- director for 'The Cherry wonderful cast mates," whose estate is soon to Capek, Jules Damme, comb Lee Conservatory Orchard' has been one Earle said. be auctioned off. Cutting Alias Schumacher and March 8 through March of the best learning ex- For the full synopsis of

Cast member sophoton Chekhov and rewrit- Reestman, Trey Porter, Bullins is offering cre- more Percy Early shares perform this show with her experience thus far.

"I truly cannot wait to such an amazing techni-"Working with a guest cal team and with such

"The Cherry Orchard," upcoming production.

"The Cherry Orchard"

Department has the offi- orchard is one of the few mores Kaidan Smith cial cast for the next play, options to save the estate. and Hailey Trahern and The family faces many freshmen Ella Zubieni, as they prepare for the battles both internally Jules Harlow and Cody and externally.

Cast members include

The Doane Theatre down their prized cherry Taye Unongo; sopho-Crist.

Guest Director and was originally written by seniors Nicole Carraher, University of Nebraska students.

the Theatre Department my Doane Theatre expesocial media accounts to rience," Earle said. buv tickets.

10. Those interested in periences and one of the the play and more inforattending can keep an most challenging process- mation, visit eventbrite. eye on their emails or es that I have had during com.

Earle is excited for the Tickets will be free for show to come together in front of an audience.

Service opportunities for students



Weekly Horoscopes

Aquarius (January 21 - February 19): Your finances are not going to be on your side this week. Take some extra time to budget and do your best to limit unnecessary spending. Your wallet will thank you.

Pisces (February 20 - March 20): This is your week to get caught up on things. You have been slacking a little lately and procrastinating things that you need to get done. Use any extra motivation to get caught up.

Aries (March 21 - April 20): Do your best to not let people get you down this week. It feels like time and time again you are just being put down. Things will start looking up sooner or later, you just have to stick through the

to ugh patch to make it to the positive thirds. **Taurus (April 21 - May 21):** We all know how you like to stand out in a crowd. While this is not a bad thing it may get you into a little trouble this week. Do your best to blend in until you feel it is the right time to be your normal self again.

Gemini (May 22 - June 21): This might be a tense week for you this week Gemini. It feels like everyone is trying to start a fight with you. Do not engage in these situations and instead do your best just to let things blow over naturally.

Cancer (June 22 - July 22): This is going to be a week of connections Cancer. Sometimes it may be hard for you to get deep with people. Do not shy away from these deep conversations, they will build better connections.

Leo (July 23 - August 22): This is going to be a week of change. Things that you thought were set in stone may prove to not be. Therefore, be cautious for the various changes coming your way.

Virgo (August 23 - September 22): It seems like everything is going to be a distraction for you this week Virgo. Do not engage with the temptations as they will only distract you from your goal. Keep your head down and get things done this week.

Libra (September 23 - October 22): It feels like every thought in your head will be or needs to be over-thought. Though over-thinking comes naturally to you, it usually

is a negative thing so do your best to avoid it. Scorpio (October 23 - November 21): Some of your closest relationships may be starting to bug you. You feel like you are losing yourself, Scorpio. Take some time away but not too much time or you could lose that relationship.

Sagittarius (November 22 - December 21): Be cautious of miscommunications this week. What starts out as a small miscommunication could grow into something so much larger. Do not let it get to that point, Sagittarius. Stomp it out while it is still early.

Capricorn (December 22 - January 20): You are going to be feeling very overwhelmed this week. Try your best to just get done what you can. Make a schedule and stick to it.

life & culture KDNE grows with news segment

ABRIANNA MILLER Editor-in-Chief

A few weeks ago 91.9 KDNE Radio began a News Hour program with host and junior Zeke Krecji-Hyde.

KDNE General Manager and senior Trey Porter said this program has been a work in progress for quite some time, finally coming together this semester.

'Every radio station needs a news program, so I knew I needed to get one going. I already had a show planned I was going to do," Porter said. "I knew [Krecji-Hyde] had previously mentioned he'd like to do something with the station, so I asked [Krecji-Hyde] if he'd like to be the news show host and he was on board."

Since the News Hour began, Porter said each show has been better than the last. Krecji-Hyde also said that the segment has provided the news station with extra publicity.

"[Porter] was talking about getting more shows started because COVID definitely hit the station hard and not a lot of people on campus are even aware that Doane has a radio station ... " Krecji-Hyde said.

The News Hour includes everything from "factual and concise" "Internet discourse," Krecji-Hyde said. The music played during the News Hour is also hand selected heard from," Porter shared.

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by Krecji-Hyde.

"What's cool is that [Krecji-Hyde] will also read select stonews reports, to the forecast, to ries from the Doane Owl... and [that] provides another way for important Doane stories to be dents/Student-organizations/

Courtesy graphic | KDNE

The KDNE News Hour program can be heard at 91.9 FM every Wednesday at 9 a.m. or on the KDNE website at https:// web.doane.edu/current-stukdne.

ASC holds Money Matters workshop

JOSE VILLALPANDO Multimedia Coordinator

talk about scholarships ify for TRiO services," the two.

"We try to target a va- tent varies but the pur- will be held on two dif- family history helps me never too late to start.

riety of student concerns pose remains the same of ferent days, one for un- to see and relate that this Those small changes can like loan information," improving students finan- derclassmen and one for is not an easy subject. I'm lead to big rewards in the Academic Specialist Ra- cial literacy, in particular upperclassmen, to cover not going to assume this future because you're chel Jank said. "We also those students who qual- the differences between is an enjoyable process, able to see how things al-I'll likely assume it's the low you to move forward

Feb. 16 due to a hazardous amount of snowfall, apply for junior or senior and spending practices." the Academic Success year to cover expenses." Center's (ASC) Money 17.

multiple-part series of workshops, sponsored by that offers students finan- with disabilities. cial literacy instruction.

and every single time we Jank said. Following the Do- do a scholarship search so

Matters series followed series is mostly for TRiO ing and consider new through with only offer- eligible students but is ways to adjust it," Jank Money Matters is a TRiO Program is a student support service offered to first-generation, ters workshop for the se- workshops, I run them the ASC TRiO Program, low income or students mester will be about fu- from a place of knowl-

ane campus closure on that [students] can look ey Matters workshop shop has yet to be deter- mentioned that the series attending the final workfor scholarships they can focused on "wise saving mined.

The Money Matters analyze [student's] spending the workshop on Feb. open to all students who said. "It's more about the nances is that it's uncomour finances with."

The date of the final opposite." This most recent Mon- Money Matters work-

"It was a way to gently comfortability often assoone's own finances.

"The truth about fi- demic year. who have money," Jank The final Money Mat- said. "When I run these "[Money Matters] con- for the final workshop also my financial and mation," Jank said. "It's

As a final note, Jank runs annually. Any un-Jank also noted the un- derclassman who was not lookout for an upcoming able to attend workshops email detailing when the ciated with talking about this year will still be able event will be, but Jank to during the next aca- recommends getting in

want to attend. The mentality we approach fortable even to people peated content is good, nancial literacy. especially since our life circumstances change so via email at rachel.jank@ frequently. The flavor will feel different when you ture planning. The plan edge and expertise but encounter the same infor-

in a new way."

Anyone interested in shop should be on the contact with her with any "I'm a believer that re- questions in regards to fi-

> Jank can be contacted doane.edu.

Rall Gallery hosts former professor



Photo by PJ Ramsey | The Doane Owl

ABBY REEDY

Journalism Student

Rall Gallery in the Doane University Library has new art in the gallery as of Feb. 6.

a collection from Doane and the art collections it in or visited" such as Professor of Art, Emer- contained. itus, Richard Terrell. It ly titled "Richard Terrell, Terrell said in his artist his art communicates Selected Works 1970- statement. 2022."

instruct at the university, years after. teaching design, paint-

versity (BFA: 1962) and in the community of clasthe University of Wis- sical piano performance consin (MFA: 1964). For after mentoring under five years before arriving musician Feifei Jiang. at Doane, Terrell taught at Blackburn College in a variety of works, many

Carlinville, Illinois. ane, Terrell also admin- "landscapes reflect envi-

features a collection of my thanks and apprecihis work, created at any ation to the Doane Art self a traditional artist, time in the last 52 years. Department to have this working with traditional The collection is official- exhibition at this time,"

Richard Terrell began created during his time at and cognitive or emotionteaching at Doane in Doane, but some of the al. 1970. He continued to pieces were created in the

ing, drawing, printmak- rell's attention to visual p.m. in the Rall Gallery. ing and art history until art developed into an in- Terrell will be coming to 2009. He studied art at creased emphasis on mu- talk about the work at 5 Illinois Wesleyan Uni- sic. He is currently active p.m.

The exhibition features of which are landscapes. During his time at Do- Terrell said that the The new art feature is istered the Rall Gallery ronments that I've lived Central Illinois, Nebras-"This is to express ka, England and Ireland.

Terrell considers himmedia and hoping that shared human experienc-Most of his art was es, whether that be visual

The closing ceremony for the exhibition will be In 2015, though, Ter- on Feb. 28 from 4 to 6

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- STAFF EDITORIAL -**Need community cooperation**

be a little different. Normally we try to offer some advice or promote a useful event on terviewed, please respond in are on a set schedule that can campus, but this week will be a timely manner. We do not rarely be manipulated. us reaching out to the community.

would like covered in the paper, please reach out to us. We love hearing from the community and what the readers want to see.

This semester has been great, in that many people have contacted us to cover something. We love that, and

care if you say yes or no- that know as soon as you can.

content is usually less than spond as soon as you can. that.

commitments get in the way, and this community. That and we try to be as accommo- only works if the community

This editorial is going to it makes the process of our dating as possible. However, jobs so much more enjoyable. we cannot bend over back-If you are asked to be in- wards for people. We truly

Please respond to any inis your right. It is very helpful quiries in a timely manner. If you have an event you to us, though, if you let us It puts less stress on the writer and the entire staff. Not We are on a timeline that answering an email sets the resets every week. The turn- entire staff back by at least around time for articles and a couple hours, so please re-

Again, we are YOUR me-We understand that prior dia. We want to represent you

works with us.

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Not takes; late reaction A weekly rating of random things by Joey Winton

JOEY WINTON Managing Editor

Wait a sec, this isn't Hot Takes! This is just a regular ol' opinion! Instead of Hot Takes this week, I'm writing about the HBO docu-series "Chernobyl."

I know I'm like SUPER late to the party but I only just recently got an HBO Max subscription so I'm catching up on all the shows 'n stuff that it has.

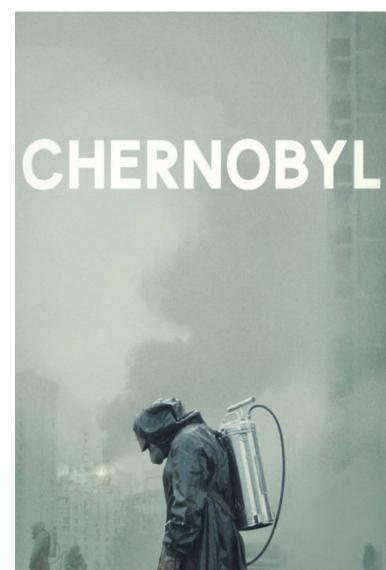
I already knew some about the 1986 Chernobyl reactor meltdown, but nowhere near to the depth and nuance that the show goes into. I'll spare you my half-baked explanation as to how atomic energy works (if you want to hear it, talk to Jacob Patrick, he's an engineer or something) but know that there were a litany of causes for the reactor meltdown.

Probably the biggest contributing factor to the reactor meltdown was that the Soviets used the cheapest materials possible to construct their nuclear plants. There's a master override button in every nuclear plant that instantly "shuts down" the reactor by basically neutralizing the uranium core with boron control rods. However, because of the Soviets being cheapos, the control rods used graphite, so when the plant workers threw the kill switch, instead of boron being the first thing the core came into contact with, it was graphite. Because of how graphite and decaying uranium works, it's pretty much a humongous nuke.

All this is to say, that under LITERALLY ANY other circumstance, Chernobyl would not have occurred if any one of dozens of bad decisions hadn't been made. The show is absolutely amazing but incredibly bleak.

We, as the audience, know that there is beyond deadly levels of radiation, but the firefighters, first responders and the people of the surrounding area don't. This creates an indescribable sense of anxiety and dread that I haven't really found on any other TV show.

There's so much more I can talk about from the acting, to the soundtrack, to the makeup, to the incredible historical accuracy, but you really need to see it to understand.



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Flag photo by Elenna Koenig

"Chernobyl" can be found on HBO Max.



Trying to survive the semester



ABRIANNA MILLER Editor-in-Chief

I don't know what force decided to pump this semester full of absolute shit, but they need to take it back right now.

I made the mistake of looking forward in my calendar, and I can safely say that the next two weeks are going to be horrible. Between meetings and classes and work, I am going to be drowning.

Even up to this point there has been a lot, and many people have agreed with me. Everyone seems up to their necks in classwork, practice, meetings, etc. Why this semester? Why now?

This is my last semester of

undergraduate. I should be enjoying my time and having fun, maybe even missing the campus already. But I'm not. I am running around like my life depends on it, and for once, I would like to stop and reminisce.

The first year or so of my time at Doane was fantastic, and I would like to leave this place remembering that- not everything that has happened since. I simply don't have time, though.

In one day in March, I have two meetings, two class-

es, work and two events to go to. What is that? They're not even things I can back out of; I need to be there. How did I end up with a schedule more packed than that of the president?

I have intentionally backed off of responsibilities over the past year or two in order to avoid this very problem. It feels like those efforts have been made in vain.

I don't know when I'll have time to go see my family and relax. That is a dreadful feeling. Maybe some of the things I have coming up will fade away, but I highly doubt that. It seems like four more things jump out at me around every corner.

At the beginning of the academic year I promised myself that I would try to be more positive. This does not help.

Send me all the coffee you have, I'm going to need it.

Cartoon by Joey Winton | The Doane Owl

Ready to get back on track next season

opinion



JOHN DAWES Design Assistant

This weekend Doane Track and Field had their conference meet. Both lines made me feel awful. reach heights we could the Men and Women placed second, with the ence, if only I could give Men's team only barely uum, second place isn't something." anything to be ashamed of. In reality, it was heart- ing doesn't get me anybreaking watching my where, the only thing

I've met so many talented meet the moment, ask and capable teammates teammates to hold them and coaches who real- accountable and help ly bring the most out of pick up those around you. not only themselves, but those around them as door season I only have well. This is a truly spe- one thing on my mind. cial team. There's noth- Meet the moment. Did I ing else like it. It's what underperform my indoor makes seeing them lose season? Did I have bigger the conference so diffi- goals for myself? Both are cult.

qualify for conference, to meet that moment. and I'm not going to make excuses about that; teammates, and I am ultimately I didn't set my- grateful for my coaches. self to succeed and make We have a lot to be proud the cut. But watching the of this season, but only Men's team fall just short through adversity can we while I sat on the side- get stronger, faster and

them even just one point, and I hope everyone is losing to Dort. In a vac- if only I could've done ready for us.

But that line of think-

teammates fall just short. anyone can do is improve Being on that team, themselves so they can

Going into this outa resounding yes, and I'll Individually I didn't do all I can in my power

I am proud of my "If only I made confer- only dream of.

It's only up from here,



Photo by John Dawes | The Doane Owl



Suspiciously sleepy at the cabin

CHASE WILKINSON Journalism Student

A grandparent's home evokes a range of emotions. It is a place of joy, reality. But the most common one is relaxation.

There must be something about the house of is something that she puts and I know everyone an elderly relative that in the food that always loves a good nap, so why makes you always want makes me tired, but she are you questioning it?" to relax and take lengthy called me crazy. She was naps. But for me, it rais- right: her food is way too them doesn't quite make es an interesting question good to ruin it by spiking me scared or anything, in my mind: Why do I it. always take naps at their house?

home about five years ger." ago, and every single time that I have visited them, I house has a fuzzy, plush house. Although I am to lie down on without a more than happy to lie pillow or blanket. down and rest every now me very suspicious.

laughter and escape from like Grandma's house," Grandma Wilkinson said.

They purchased the pose so we will stay lon-

Even the floor at their have taken a nap at their carpet that feels amazing

The house raises quesand then, it tends to make tions in my head: Is it my grandparents? Is it the "Well, there is no place house? Is it something in the air around this place?

"Stop complaining," my grandpa said. "I take I have also asked if it naps every day I'm here

This new house for but it does just make me I'm not the only one wonder why I and the

Courtesy photo | Flickr.com

Card game drains bank account



PJ RAMSEY

Graphic Designer

much time and money at

price attached.

I've only profited from buying bundles is spendmy poor spending habits, ing so much money for and now you may be ask- no profit, but that's also ing yourself, how did I do the fun in it, mystery. that? Well, definitely not with the prices of cards in bundle. We rushed home. total, but with the experi- I was so excited and I ence that has come along ended up pulling some with it.

play magic with, I just ly a \$15 one. enjoyed the collecting These last few months want to spend time with right? Right?? Maybe not I ended up getting back them, we end up getting but I'll probably still do it into a very special card into a group and play- anyway. game of mine, Magic the ing for hours. It's fun to Gathering. I started off back in 2015 and ended come together and battle is fun but also Wizards up spending a little too against each other.

the measly age of 14, and out of the way, let's ad- a choke hold with all the now at 21, I am doing the dress my terrible spend- sets that are coming out. exact same thing but with ing habits, Doane Owl I'm telling myself to wait adult money. After pay- therapy moment or some- until fall for the set I'm ing rent and utilities, all thing. I did, in fact, spend really excited about. Let's that adult stuff, what else about \$50 on a new bun- see how that goes. could I spend my money dle from the set that just

on other than cardboard, came out. It's been fun but cardboard that has a and I like the cards and the possibilities for new In my opinion, I think decks. The problem with

Anyways, I got the really expensive cards. I Back in 2014 I didn't got one that's worth \$42, have a lot of people to another for \$25 and final-

Now, thinking wisely, I part of it. But now I have paid off that bundle just a whole group of peo- with two cards, so it was ple who enjoy playing well worth the price orig-Magic and any time I inally... so now it's time have some time off and to get another bundle

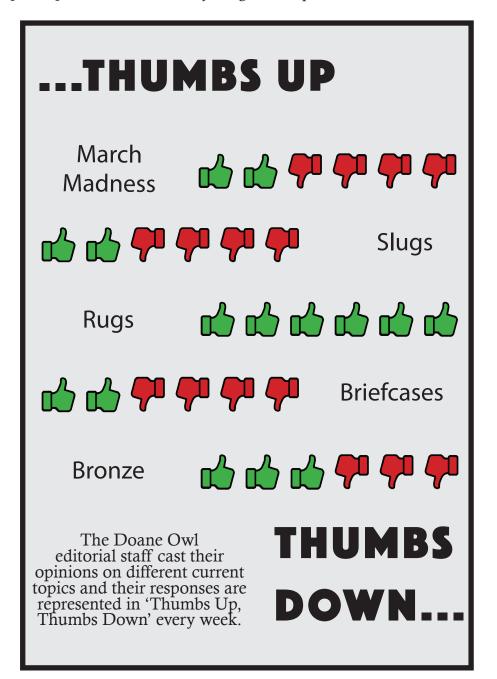
The main point of this see everyone's playstyles is, Magic the Gathering of the Coast will most So now that I got that likely have your wallet in

My have recently moved to my uncle and my other tion here. It may be one a log-cabin house about cousins also have the is- of those mysteries that 10 miles outside of Crete, sue of passing out at my may never be solved. right across from Blue- grandparents' house. stem Lake. The home is nestled between dense ex- soft furniture," my old- of an answer for it, panses of trees, making it est cousin Sydney said. though.

with a sleeping problem rest of my family tend to grandparents at the house. My mother, go into a minor hiberna-

a perfect place to unwind. "They bought it on pur-

I might need a quick "It has to be their power nap before I think



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BRANDON ORGILBOLD Journalism Student

Doane's Track and Field teams competed in the Great Plains Athletic Conference (GPAC) Championships on Feb. 18. Both the Men's and Women's teams placed second in the conference.

On the Men's side, four athletes placed in the 60m dash. Sophomore JaDae Moore placed second (6.85), grabbing the NAIA A standard. Sophomore Luke Davis was next in fourth (6.96), followed by senior Emmett Black in fifth (6.99). Junior Chris Vincent rounded things out at sixth (7.03).

Moore also placed second in the 200m dash with 22.27, helping him hit the NAIA B Standard. Fifth-year Austin Drake followed in third with 22.29, also hitting the NAIA B standard.

Also in the 200m, junior Zach Turner placed fifth with 22.36, meeting the NAIA B standard. In the 400m, Turner placed second (49.18) while hitting the NAIA A standard. His teammates, freshmen Joaquin Gutierrez (50.07s) and Caleb Mulder (51.26s) placed sixth and eighth, respectively.

Turner also ran 7.97 in the 60m hurdles, winning and helping him reach the NAIA A standard.

Running the 600m, senior Kingdon Hawes came in third (1:23.40), and senior Jordan Tasler placed sixth (1:24.00). Junior Duncan Blankenship was the lone runner for Doane in the 800m and took fifth with a time of 1:58.35.

The 1000m saw four tigers place: junior Thomas Oliver placed fourth (2:36.33), senior Kalen Dockweiler placed fifth (2:36.44), freshman Michael Grigsby placed sixth (2:36.47) and junior Ryan Evans placed eighth (2:38.90).

In the mile, Dockweiler came in sixth with 4:16.58, grabbing a NAIA A standard. Oliver came in behind his teammate in the mile with 4:19.88, grabbing a NAIA B standard. Both athletes placed in the 3000m as

well; Dockweiler grabbed sixth (8:48.22) and Oliver took seventh (8:51.81).

The Men's 4x400 relay team, consisting of Drake, Mulder, junior Andrew Mahoney and Gutierrez, placed third with 3:22.36, earning the NAIA B.

Their 4x800 relay team, consisting of sophomore Will Wenz, junior Trace Ebert, freshman Jordan Kwiatkowski and Evans, placed third overall.

In the high jump, junior Carter Reckling (1.96m) and sophomore Dylan Starr (1.91m) each earned All-GPAC honors.

Senior Mike Pulliam placed third in the pole vault (4.85m), reaching the NAIA A standard, while freshman Branson McDonald took seventh (4.35m).

Senior Vince Lauenroth jumped 14.38m in the triple jump, winning and getting the NAIA A standard. Junior Trev-Malone (13.82m) or and sophomore Cordale Moxey (13.70m) took fourth and fifth, respectively.

In the long jump, Lauenroth took fourth (6.82m), Davis took sixth (6.79m) and junior Nolan Mayer took eighth (6.69m).

Fifth-year Matthew Campbell placed third in shot put with a mark of 15.84m, helping him reach the NAIA A standard. Senior Zachary Stieb came fifth (15.14m), sophomore Trey Dickey sixth (14.74m) and freshman Andrew Schmitz eighth (14.72m).

Campbell placed first in the weight throw with 20.52m and qualified for the NAIA A standard. Junior Luke Partridge (17.80m), Dickey (17.26m) and sophomore Jaedon Lothrop (17.24m) also qualified for the NAIA A standard in the weight throw. Schmitz grabbed a NAIA B mark with 16.44m.

Senior Jack Krejci (4,513 points) and sophomore Devin Jepson (4,187 points) each reached the NAIA A standard in the heptathlon.

For the Women's team, senior Annika Pingel qualified for the NAIA A standard in the 600m with a time of 1:35.47, placing first. In the 1000m, Pingel placed third with a time of 3:02.06, helping her qualify for the NAIA B standard.

Also for the distance crew, senior Rachel Walters took sixth in the 800m (2:27.66). Fifth-year Allie Binder took sixth in the 3000m (10:54.65) and first in the 5000m (18:43.05). Senior Jaden Hilkemann came eighth in the 5k with a time of 19:25.77.

Senior Isabel Bothwell won the 60m dash with 7.80, earning a NAIA B standard. Senior Caitlyn Cotton came in fifth with a time of 7.92.

In the 60m hurdles, sophomore Lindsay Adams placed fourth (9.01), along with freshman Josie Garrett who placed sixth (9.06). Both qualified for the NAIA B standard.

The Women's 4x400 team took fifth place, run by Pingel, freshman Candela Manrique, freshman Kat Vogt and Cotton. Their 4x800 team took seventh, run by Walter, sophomore Aly Plock, junior Rylee Rice and Vogt.

Freshman Kennedy Stanley hit a mark of 3.42m in the pole vault, placing her seventh and helping her reach the NAIA B standard.

Sophomore Lindsay Adams won the long jump with a leap of 5.48m. Freshman Rosalyn Roggasch jumped 11.04m in the triple jump, also taking first in her event.

Fifth-year Allison Skala threw 14.45m in the shot put, placing her first and reaching the NAIA A standard. Sophomore Alivia Baucom followed with a 14.04m throw in second place which also put her in the NAIA A standard.

Junior Macy Fuller threw 17.15m in the weight throw, helping her place third and putting her in the NAIA A standard.

The NAIA Track and Field National Championships will be held March 2 through March 4 in Brookings, South Dakota.

Men's Wrestling takes second in GPAC

CASSIE KESSLER Sports Editor

The Men's Wrestling team hosted their conference championship over the weekend. The team finished second overall, with several athletes receiving bids to the national championship.

was the first Tiger to win the championship at his weight class, winning the round at 125. That marks his third straight conference championship title in a row.

Senior Baagii Boldmaa added another conference championship to his long list of achievements, Senior Michael Scarponi ceive a wildcard bid to go

conference title. He now has a winning streak of 97, the sixth best ever in collegiate wrestling.

At 197, junior Bradley Antesberger added his second career conference championship. Junior Nate Lendt took second place in his 149 division.

Senior Daniel Vargas making that his fourth also took second place in his division, grabbing his bid to nationals.

Senior Brandon Antesberger finished third in the heavyweight class, securing a spot at nationals. Senior Chinges Tsermaa placed second at his weight class but now waits to see if he will re-

to nationals.

In the same boat is senior Tristan Zamilpa who placed second. Sophomore Benjamin Dobler placed fourth, and teammate senior Garrett Cornwell placed fifth. Also coming in fifth in his weight class was freshman Devin Avedissian. Freshman Ben Miller

would finish things off with a sixth place finish.

The Tigers now wait to receive wildcard bids before competitors who qualified will be competing at the NAIA Championship in Wichita, Kansas on March 3 and 4.

Basketbal teams play final home games first and opened the day tighter competition than rebound by Mount Marty

CASSIE KESSLER

with a high scoring first the one previous, going gave them one last oppor- was Doane's best per- tied at 75, and Briar Cliff

The second quarter es in total. Things were

Sports Editor

The Men's and Women's Basketball teams closed out their regular seasons last week after both teams battled on the road before coming back home to host. Senior players were honored in their final home game at the George and Sally Haddix Recreation Center.

The teams started the week in Yankton. South Dakota to play against the Mount Marty University Lancers. The Women's team was on the floor

half. After 22 points in the

first quarter and 23 more in the second, the Tigers held a 45-34 lead going into halftime. Coming back to start the third quarter, both teams stepped up their defensive performances.

Doane held Mount Marty to just nine points in the third, scoring 13 for themselves. An additional 16 in the fourth allowed the Tigers to cap off the day with a 74-57 win. After quite the performance from the Women's team, it was the Men's team up next.

down to the wire. Two opposing runs kept things close in the first half, with Mount Marty going on a 17-5 run before Doane answered with a 10-0 run.

At the half, the Tigers led 28-23 but still had a lot of work to do in the second. After several back and forth scoring runs, Mount Marty was trailing by just one with 20 seconds left to play.

sophomore After Brady Timm put the Tigers up by three with a pair of free throws, the Lancers pulled things within two after they made a free throw of This game was a far their own. An offensive

tunity to force overtime.

However, senior Will Grixby would save the game by stealing the ball and being sent to the line where he made a free throw, giving Doane a three-point lead to win the game 63-60. Both teams would then return home to host the Briar Cliff University Chargers.

Once again, the Women were up first but were unable to recreate the same success achieved on the road. Doane was held to just nine points in the first quarter while Briar Cliff put up 24, a lead they would be unable to come back from.

formance, acquiring 28 points to make the score 37-51 heading into the half. That would be the closest the Tigers got to overturning the Chargers, as they would continue to be outscored in the following two quarters.

After the Women's team lost 76-96, it was time for the Men's team to see if they could hold Briar Cliff at bay. They got off to a slow start just like the game prior, allowing the Chargers to go into halftime with a sixpoint lead.

The second half saw a lot of back and forth action, with 18 lead changhad possession with 11 seconds left. A fadeaway shot from the lane gave the Chargers the buzzer beater they needed to win the game.

Seniors Kate Jansky, Grixby and Alec Oberhauser were honored in between games for their years of hard work and dedication to their teams. While the Men's season ended in tragic fashion, the Women's team heads to the Great Plains Athletic Tournament as an eight seed. They will play Feb. 22 in Sioux Center, Iowa in the quarterfinals against Dordt University.



CASSIE KESSLER Sports Editor

Both Men's and Women's Tennis teams were in Red Oak, Iowa over the weekend to play against Grand View University. Despite individual wins Men walked away with the match title.

On the Women's side, senior Nina Ngo and sophomore Ashlyn Kucera won their doubles match, along with senior Kailyn Groski and fresh-

on both sides, only the man Grace Schroller winning their doubles match as well.

> Ngo was the only singles winner, which View allowed Grand to bring home a lot of points. The Tigers would lose the match 2-4 before

the Men's team took the court.

Junior Federico Infante and freshman Diego Infante won their doubles after going to a tie break. Senior Jorge Chevez and junior Donat Beke also won their doubles match.

Federico Infante and Chevez went on to win their singles matches, as did sophomore Jose Purizaca and junior Esteban

Gutierrez.

Both teams will be in Lawrence, Kansas on Feb. 24 to take on Ottawa University.

Athlete of the Week



Nazarene hitless through five innings as the team built a 4-0 lead in the win on Saturday.

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Baseball & Softball travel

JAKOB TADLOCK Journalism Student

The Baseball and Softball teams were back in action this weekend, with both teams having multiple games on the road.

Opening the weekend for the Baseball team was a trip down to Oklahoma

City, Oklahoma where and 26. Doane beat Midamerica Nazarene University 6-0. They would go on to split a two game series on Sunday with Oklahoma City University, winning the first 10-7 and dropping the second 4-1.

Their next games are this weekend, playing a doubleheader in Kansas City, Missouri on Feb. 25

Softball team The opened their season traveling to Aberdeen, South Dakota, first taking on Minnesota State Moorhead University and falling 4-9. They came back in their second game of the day against Valley City State University, winning 4-3.

They were not able

to hold that momentum very long, dropping the next day's doubleheader against Dickinson State University North Dakota, first 4-2 and then 9-1.

Their next games are Feb. 24 and 25, competing in a doubleheader against Ottawa University and Benedictine College.

<u>Sports</u> Scoreboard Snapshot

