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Calendar of Events

TUESDAY, FEB. 26
SGA meeting, noon

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 27
SYE – Career Services –
How to Write a Resume,
noon

Bus to men's basketball
at UPark for PSU vs.
Michigan, 5 p.m. SHL

THURSDAY, FEB. 28
Heart and Soul
performance, 8 p.m.
cafe

FRIDAY, MARCH 1
Dr. Joseph Ranalli,
faculty talk, noon to 1
p.m.

MARCH 2
Celebrate Dr. Suess's
birthday today

MARCH 4-8
Spring Break

MARCH 11
Women's history
display at the library

TUESDAY, MARCH 12
SGA meeting at noon

Steve Accardi, faculty
talk, noon to 1 p.m.

THURSDAY, MARCH 14
CCSG Weekend (March
14-16)



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HazleTHON dancers recount experience

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From the dancing to the tears, THON 2013 was filled with emotions only those who experienced it live can understand.

It seems like everyone who was involved in THON weekend has the same one word response when asked to describe the weekend, "amazing." THON dancers Leeann Tufaro, Megan McGee, Gabriela Herrera, and Mike Bailey all danced for 46 hours during THON weekend representing the small but big hearted campus of Hazleton.

Tufaro, along with her three fellow Hazlethon members, loved having a chance to interact with the children at THON for the chance to raise enough money to find a cure for pediatric cancer.

Audrianna Bartol lost her battle with cancer just hours before the start of THON. But she and the other fallen angels drove other Penn Staters to get to the stands of the Bryce Jordan Center and dance FTK, (for the kids.) McGee, 22, dedicated her weekend to Audrianna.

"Audrianna, one of our pen pals, was my biggest motivation. She suffered so much, so THON weekend was my turn to suffer," McGee said.

On the bright side of things, Bailey described his favorite moment of the weekend was when it was almost over.

"The end was the best. Not only was the band Go Go Gadget amazing, but to see the total earnings wowed me," Bailey said.

THON raised \$12,374,034.46.



Photo by Ryan Aten

Gabriela Herrera, Megan McGee, Mike Bailey and Leeann Tudaro all danced for 46 hours.

"It was completely worth it!" Tufaro said.

Many say the first time at THON is the toughest but Tufaro wouldn't take anything back.

"I went into THON knowing exactly why I was there, FTK; that was my motivation along with my nephew. He's 2 years-old and that's usually the age that most children are diagnosed with certain types of cancer. And my moraler kept me going and active; she was amazing!" Tufaro said.

A moraler is a THON dancer's ultimate support system. This is a person who the dancer can rely on during THON weekend and help them if any problems arise.

So is the experience any different when on the stands rather than on the dance floor? Yokasta Lara, a sophomore, said she looks up to all the THON dancers who were there.

"Every time I saw my good friend Gaby Herrera, I would jump up to get her energy pumping," Lara said. "My motivation for

dancing may be a little different than the dancers on the dance floor, I danced of course FTK, but I danced to energize the dancers and to keep them motivated because they are the ones who motivate the Penn State Hershey Medical Center families to never give up the fight."

Thinking about being a THON dancer next year? Listen to the THON professionals like Herrera.

"If I could change one thing about the weekend I would change nothing, but if I could change something about my preparation for THON, I would have exercised more to prevent the pain in my legs and feet."

So get in shape because who knows, maybe you'll be dancing on behalf of Penn State Hazleton for THON 2014.

EDITOR'S NOTE: Read more about Audrianna's memorial on page 4 and see more photos of THON on page 5.

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Students sitting pretty in new chairs at library

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Changes have come to the library in the form of 136 new chairs. When asked to describe these new chairs, head librarian Valerie Lynn says the library “decided to go with a wood maple back finish to match the Knowledge Commons redesign color scheme which incorporates maple wood to brighten the library’s physical space. We selected a blue pattern fabric with a high rub count for durability.”

As Lynn notes, these changes were carefully thought out, as part of the Knowledge Commons. As the PSU Collegian previously reported, the Knowledge Commons process was started last summer. Library staff spent the summer months culling the library collection to address issues of currency and space in preparation for the massive changes the Knowledge Commons will bring.

“These chairs have wheels for greater mobility,” Lynn says adding this is done to allow students to work collaboratively in the new



Casey Petty / The PSU Collegian

New maple chairs part of Knowledge Commons plan.

spaces envisioned by the changes.

In the future, perhaps as close as the Fall 2013 semester, there will be further changes in the form of tables.

“The new tables also have 2 wheels and 2 glides that will enable students to move them around to create their own learning environments,” Lynn adds,

In the face of such progress, one might wonder where the old chairs have gone. Library staff, in efforts to be as environmentally friendly as possible, recycled the

chairs that have served the campus since 1972. After being such a fixture of the library landscape for so long, one student said they were excited for the changes. After her departure from campus last spring, Kelly Pandolpho, a junior at University Park, said she “wants to see the new library” that she passed so much time in while at Hazleton.

The library is an active place on campus and students should keep a look out for more changes ahead.

Second Year Experience schedule

Date & Location At Noon	Topic	Activity
2/27/13 G-115	Career Services & How to Write a Resume	Spkr: Kathy Maxwell Advising Office
3/12/13 G-115	Academic Support Services	Jane Waitkus Learning Center
3/20/13 G-115	Resume Writing*	Workshop Groups
3/27/13 G-115	Managing Your Finances	Guest: TBA
4/10/13 G-115	Degree Audits & Information	Spkr: Kathy Maxwell Advising Office
4/15/13**	Tour	Tour of UPark
4/24/13 G-115	Wrap-Up	Celebration of Learning

*Note that you will want to be prepared to get the most out of this interactive workshop. Details will be announced in advance.

**Note that the date of the tour is a Monday. The bus will leave at 4 p.m. Details will be announced prior to the trip.

Please note that events and speakers are subject to change, but you will be informed promptly as to any changes.

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Monday, Feb. 25, 2013

Amanda's Corner



15 MOVIES IN 15 WEEKS

On the Waterfront (1954)
An ex-prize fighter turned longshoreman struggles to stand up to his corrupt union bosses.

-credit imdb.com

All movies available for 24 hour rental in the library.

JOKES OF THE WEEK

Old Bubba was fishing along the Bayou for catfish one day when he spots a water moccasin slithering across the water with a toad in its mouth. Being a longtime fisherman, he knows the best bait for large catfish are toads. In a flash, Bubba grabs the snake from behind and carefully removes the toad from its mouth and puts the toad in his side bag. Fearing the angry snake would bite him; Bubba grabs his bottle of daddy's moonshine from his pocket and carefully pours two drops into the snake's mouth. The snake's eyes glaze over and quickly go limp. Bubba carefully places the snake back in the water.

A few hours later, Bubba is just about to head back home, when he feels something tapping on his leg. He looks down and is amazed to see the same water moccasin with two frogs in its mouth.

TEACHER: What is the chemical formula for water?

SARAH: "HIJKLMNO"!

TEACHER: What are you talking about?

SARAH: Yesterday you said its H to O!

"INFERIOR ADJECTIVES?" By Holden Baker — Edited By Timothy E. Parker

ACROSS

- 1 One responsible for Dogpach
- 6 Traffic mess
- 10 Small inlet
- 14 Diminutive, commercially
- 16 Mathematical proportion
- 16 Geographical region
- 17 Battledid advantage
- 20 Tennis shot
- 21 Air, day, or brain lead-in
- 22 Humble home
- 23 Old photograph color
- 26 Turning point
- 26 XRE maker
- 29 Partida
- 30 Reporter
- 31 Beau Brummell's concern
- 34 Rudius
- 37 Form of stream-of-consciousness writing
- 40 SS and ID
- 41 Instal a Minister
- 42 The --- Reader (eclectic magazine)
- 43 Miscellany
- 44 Hairsplitter?
- 46 Roam carelessly
- 49 Caper
- 51 Of ample girth
- 52 Surprising word
- 53 Changed to ice
- 57 Concealed purposes
- 60 Thousands, in slang
- 61 Add up
- 62 Marc Antony's loan request
- 63 Gets it wrong
- 64 Easel, especially
- 65 Gin flavoring

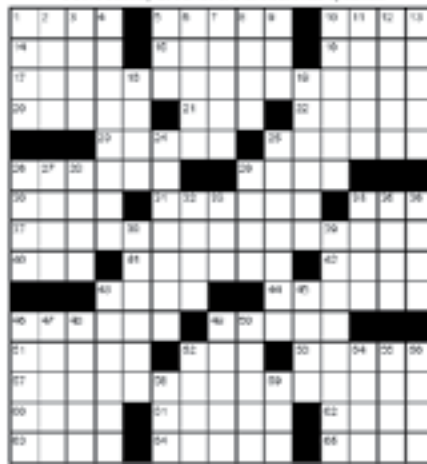
DOWN

- 1 Musical Mama

- 2 Astringent or styptic
- 3 Baseball legend Cool --- Bell
- 4 Word with cooler or point
- 5 Lanka lead-in
- 6 Model Campbell
- 7 Open courtyards
- 8 Orange or lemon peel
- 9 Getting, Pinella or Brock
- 10 You may hail him
- 11 Three-part cookies
- 12 Italian opera composer
- 13 Alluvites
- 16 It can't take wing
- 19 Weasel's cousin
- 24 Rolling grassland
- 25 Small crown
- 26 Pay the invitation fee
- 27 Part of A.D.
- 28 Understands, as a joke
- 29 Maurice Chevalier hit
- 32 Kind of list

- 33 Lava lead-in
- 34 Utah ski resort
- 35 "--- touch that dial!"
- 36 S-shaped curve
- 38 Painter's toid
- 39 Expressions of protest
- 43 Frey on one's mind
- 45 Cool-book direction
- 46 Common cosmetic
- 47 More qualified
- 48 Foer's rhythm
- 49 Frinical artery
- 50 "--- is an island" (John Donne)
- 52 Wellington
- 54 Shape of an important office
- 55 Entertainer Motel
- 56 To be, to Nero
- 58 "--- My Party" (Lesley Gore hit)
- 59 Superannuated

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Massive Xbox Live sale begins tomorrow

To distract us all from the PS4, Microsoft is discounting 60+ games 75-85% off from February 26-March 4. See some of the games below.

- Assassins Creed
- Assassins Creed 2
- Batman: AA
- Batman: AC
- Bioshock
- Borderlands
- Borderlands 2
- Assassin's Creed: Brotherhood
- Call of Juarez
- Call of Duty 2
- Call of Duty 3
- CoD: Black Ops
- CoD: Black Ops 2
- CoD: MW
- CoD: MW 2
- CoD: MW 3
- CoD: World at War
- Code Veronica
- Dark Messiah of Might and Magic: Elements
- Dead Island
- Dirt 2
- Dishonored
- El Shaddai Ascension of the Metatron
- Fable III
- Fallout 3
- Fallout 3 New Vegas
- GRID
- Halo 3
- Halo 4
- Halo Reach
- Halo Wars
- Kane & Lynch Dead Men
- King of Fighters XIII
- Left for Dead 2
- Max Payne 3
- Metal Gear Solid HD
- Metal Gear Solid Peacewalker
- Mortal Kombat
- MK vs. DCU
- Orange Box
- Portal 2
- Raccoon City
- Rainbow Six Vegas
- Rayman Raving Rabbids
- Resident Evil 4
- Resident Evil 5
- Resident Evil 6
- Red Dead Redemption
- Revelations
- Sid Meier's Civilization Revolution
- Street Fighter IV
- Street Fighter X Tekken
- Super Streetfighter IV Arcade Edition
- TC's H.A.W.X.
- Tekken 6
- Tekken Tag Tournament 2
- The Darkness
- TC's GRAW
- TC's GRAW 2
- Tomb Raider Legend
- Virtua Fighter 5

Last week's solution:
Crossword by Mike Torch and Will Shortz



G2K...



Jairo Estrella

From: Hazleton, PA

YR: Sophomore

Why PSU?
It was right next to my house!

What do you do for fun?
Rock climb, cliff jump, and bungee jump

Scariest thing you've done?
Sky dive

Do you like traveling? Where?
Love to travel to the Middle East. Gaza City especially!

Something you want others to know about you?
I'd like to become President of the United States of America.

What would you change if you were president?
"Not to change, but to fix"
I would fix the broken education and welfare system and help lower income families with the high costs of education.

Audrianna's love lives on

Youngster's life celebrated by those who loved her

It was a celebration of a life. It was only six years long but it was a life many will not forget.

Audrianna Bartol lost her battle with neuroblastoma on Feb. 15. Although only 6 years-old, Audrianna experienced more than most who live much longer.

The little girl from Hazleton was remembered this past weekend at a memorial celebration for all she gave, how she struggled and how her family thought she would want to be remembered.

Streams of people filled the Faith United Church of Christ in Hazle Township to offer condolences to the little girl's family and also to celebrate the youngster's time with those who loved her.

"Audrianna had so many people who loved her, 80,000 followers on her Facebook page, and every person who met her touched their heart and they loved her," Angela Bartol, Audrianna's mother, said in a television interview Saturday night.

Audrianna's mother said the family chose to have a memorial, with balloons, painting and food instead of funeral services.

"We wanted to have a celebra-



Audrianna with her mom, Angela, at left and PSU HN student, Mike Warner, above.



tion of life, that's the way Audrianna was, any smile on her face would brighten up your life," Judy Kasarda, Audrianna's grandmother, told reporters who were the event.

The Penn State Hazleton Student Government Association and THON members adopted Audrianna and held fundraisers for her as she struggled to battle her cancer. The students visited the little girl and her family on many occasions in the hope of bringing some cheer into her life.

According to WNEP's website, Audrianna's family said they will continue Audrianna's memory, continue to raise money and turn

Audrianna's wish into a foundation to help other children who are battling cancer.

They will fulfill these kids' last wishes, like going up in a hot air balloon or a helicopter because it's what Audrianna would have wanted.

"Then they'll be able to say Audrianna sent us up in a hot air balloon because that's what she wanted, that's her legacy, that's her voice, and her legacy will not be silenced, and she will live on," said Angela Bartol.

Along with the foundation, Audrianna's family will also plant a butterfly garden at helping hands in Luzerne County this spring.

PSU Hazleton basketball players earn PSUAC honors

Four Penn State Hazleton basketball players recently earned Pennsylvania State University Athletic Conference (PSUAC) All-Conference honors.

Freshman guard Ashkan Naderi was picked to the second team. He led the team in points per game (14.4) and 3-point field goal percentage (43.1), was second in field goal percentage (42.5) and fifth in rebounds per game (2.2).

The Herndon, VA native grabbed 54 rebounds, dished 108 assists and made 26 steals.

Dwayne Vines received an honorable mention selection. The freshman forward was first on the team in field goal percentage (67.9) and rebounds per game (8.2) and second in points per game (12.2).

The Brooklyn, NY native sank 69.8 percent of his foul shots and recorded 197 rebounds, nine assists, 23 steals and seven blocks.

The Lions finished the season 11-13 overall and 9-8 in the conference.

Hazleton Area graduate Taylor Cannon was an honorable mention selection for the Lady Lions. The sophomore forward was also a 2012 All-Conference selection.

Cannon was second on the team in points per game (11.4), field goal percentage (45.0) and rebounds per game (7.3) this season. She recorded 167 rebounds, 28 assists, 27 steals and nine blocks.

Alexis Daly, a Wyalusing graduate, was named to the second team. The freshman forward was the PSUAC Player of the Week for the week of Jan. 22. She led the Lady Lions in points per game (15.6), field goal percentage (50.2) and rebounds per game (9.3). Daly totaled 214 rebounds, 23 assists, 40 steals and 26 blocks and finished the season with 12 doubles-doubles, including highs of 28 points and 17 rebounds versus PSU Scranton.

The Lady Lions posted a 13-11 record and finished 8-7 in the conference.

Protect your heart through exercise

Exercise helps you maintain a healthy weight and, perhaps more importantly, can decrease the chance of developing a heart condition.

Your heart delivers blood to the muscles during physical activity. As you increase the intensity of your workout, your heart beats faster to adjust the amount of blood needed in your muscles.

Make the most of your workout by understanding the heart rate zones.

Understanding these zones will also guide you with the level of exercise that's right for you.

There are five heart rate zones:

HEART HEALTHY ZONE: This zone consists of light exercise, such as walking briskly, and is used during warm-up and recovery.

This zone is the safest and most comfortable with 50-60 percent of your maximum heart rate used. While in this zone, you will become healthier, but you won't increase your cardiovascular fitness level.

FITNESS ZONE: Though this zone is still a fairly low level of effort, the fitness zone starts training your body to increase the rate of fat release from the cells to the muscles for fuel.

This zone can also be called the "fat burning zone." Sixty-70 percent of your maximum heart rate is used.

AEROBIC ZONE: Your functional capacity is increased during this zone (reached by running easily for example).

Your heart rate increases in strength and size so you

can exercise for a longer period of time before becoming fatigued. Seventy-80 percent of your maximum heart rate is used.

ANAEROBIC ZONE: This is when your heart will be pumping extremely fast and where the term "feel the burn" originated.

At this point, your heart cannot pump enough blood and oxygen to supply the exercising muscles fully so they respond by continuing to contract anaerobically. Here you get faster and fitter.

Eighty-90 percent of your maximum heart rate is used.

RED LINE ZONE: The Red Line Zone is when you reach your maximum heart rate and can only be maintained for a short period of time (like a sprint).

Competitive athletes mainly use this zone, but it can be reached during interval training.

If you like to exercise but do not use machines that provide a heart rate, you simply can purchase a heart rate monitor. This can help you understand what zone you're in, and can be beneficial for training. Train "in the zone" that's right for you.

Understanding these zones will help you with any fitness goal you would like to achieve not to mention, it will help build a stronger heart.

EDITOR'S NOTE: This article was provided by Paige Strathmeyer, PSU undergraduate in Advertising-Public Relations and Spring 2013, Health Matters Intern.



Photo by Daphnie Vega

Teshira Newton, Brendon Spencer, Alexis Fitts, Bria Marable and Kirsten Bordell all came out to represent the Hazleton campus while supporting THON



Photo by Daphnie Vega

The Bryce Jordan Center was where the big event was held.



Photo by Ryan Aten

The center was packed from beginning to end as people came out in big numbers for a great cause.



Photo by Ryan Aten

The big stage is where many entertaining performances and events were held throughout the weekend from contests to musical performances.



Photo by Daphnie Vega

Go Hazy! A number of students from the Hazleton campus came out to represent and show some pride. Students from other campuses were there as well as the many pieces of Penn State came together to support THON and what it supports.



Photo by Ryan Aten

One of the many signs posted in the building to remind people why they were there -- for the kids. When everything was over, more than \$12 million was raised making the pain, sweat and lack of sleep of the participants worth it.

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We'd love your help in making The PSU Collegian a better newspaper. You can do that by completing this questionnaire then placing it in the marked box located in Upper Butler and we'd be very grateful for your feedback. Your identity will remain anonymous and we'll only be using your responses to improve the quality of your newspaper.

1. Gender

Male Female

2. Position

Student Faculty

3. Do you have friends on other campuses?

No Yes

(If no) Are you interested in what happens on other campuses?

No Yes

(If yes) Are you interested in what happens on their campus?

No Yes

4. Which format would you prefer?

Print Online Both

5. How much would you be willing to pay for the paper?

Nothing 25¢ 50¢ \$1

6. Picture to text ratio

More photos and Less print
 More text and less visuals
 Balance between the two

7. Which scheme would you prefer?

Black & White Color

Check all that apply

8. Where do you usually get the paper?

Library Cafeteria
 Butler Dorm

9. How would you prefer to get involved with the paper?

Submit an article
 Submit a photo
 Submit a drawing or poem
 Be interviewed
 I do not wish to get involved

10. What kind of advertisements would you prefer to see?

None
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 Food
 On campus event
 Other: _____

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Letter to the editor
 'Dear Sally'
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 Political cartoons/Comics
 Other: _____

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Weekly Often Sometimes
 Rarely Never

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Features Campus Events
 Entertainment Sports
 Other? _____

14. Which section of the school newspaper is the most important to you?

Features Campus Events
 Entertainment
 Other? _____

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 Where do I get it?
 Lack of articles
 Don't like to read
 Other? _____

Circle the number that best reflects your feelings.

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1	2	3	4	5

17. Rate the layout of the paper.

High	Mid	Low		
1	2	3	4	5

18. Rate the quality of the articles.

High	Mid	Low		
1	2	3	4	5

19. Rate the quality of the photos.

High	Mid	Low		
1	2	3	4	5

20. What general comments, criticisms or advice do you have for the newspaper?

Thank for your time.