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SGA elections 'Let's Make a Deal'

Voting for officers and senators is March 29-30

Cassandra Neuharth Staff Writer

It's that time of year again, when Minot State University students gather to run for office, hang posters, campaign and vote for the 2010-2011 Government Student Association positions. Elections are from noon to 2 p.m. Monday and Tuesday in Manlove (Pres.) Elker (V. Pres.) the Beaver Dam, with free pizza. Students must present an MSU ID to vote.

Candidates running for SGA President include: Chase Lee, Minot, a senior with a degree in physical education; Eric Manlove, Fargo, a senior in the broadcasting depart- Hines (V.P.) ment majoring in production and Jack Fowler, Minot, sophomore with a major in public relations and international business.

"It's nice to have three candidates running for president," Ann Rivera, MSU Student Kuntz (Treas.) Activities Coordinator, said.

"It demonstrates students' interest in Student Government. Any of the candidates would make a good representation on Student Government."

Candidates vying for SGA Vice President include: Vaquita Hines, Pedricktown, N.J., a sen

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Fowler (Pres.)









Roise (Sec.)



Lee (Pres.)





Sannes (V.P.)







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relations, (far left) and Kayla

(center).

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Six signs that tell you it's time to see a doctor

Sometimes students have difficulty knowing what symptoms are serious enough to get medical attention. Knowing these signs can help you make the right decision. The following article is submitted by Student Health 101, written by Re-I Chin, freshman, Washington University in St. Louis, Missouri.

When freshman Donald Steinburk of Washington University in St. Louis, Missouri fractured his foot during karate, he immediately decided to see a doctor. On the other hand, when he felt "sick" with the occasional urge to vomit, he wasn't sure if he should rush to the doctor or wait and see how his illness progressed.

Students have to cope with various ailments and illnesses, ranging from minor colds to life-threatening diseases, like meningitis. But like Steinburk, they can sometimes have difficulty deciding when it's time to go to a doctor or clinician.

According to a Student Health 101 survey of more than 1,000 college students from across the U.S. and Canada, 63 percent of the respondents said they hesitate about visiting a doctor. Part of this reluctance stems from students' uncertainty regarding the severity of their conditions.

"When I do not feel normal, I usually just wait, maybe take some over-the-counter medicine, and see if the symptoms disappear," freshman Teresa Yeh at Rice University in Houston, Texas, said.

How do you know when it

is time to see a doctor? Watch for these six warning signs that demand professional attention.

1. Fever that lasts more than a few days.

While fever is a part of the body's natural immune response to infection, a fever higher than 102°F that lasts for more than a few days calls for medical attention. Persistent fever can signal hidden infections that range from common cold viruses to tuberculosis.

For example, persistent fever may be a symptom of strep throat, mononucleosis or pneumonia, according to Dr. John Beckett, a medical content writer, editor, and is also an authority in triage, ehealthcare and emergency medicine.

2. Persistent or severe pain.

According to Student Health 101's survey, 53 percent of respondents experienced persistent or severe pain, making this the most prevalent symptom of the six conditions listed.

Pain is a symptom typically triggered by inflammation or infection. Inflammation is often the result of an injury, but may also be caused by strep throat, a sexually trans-

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3-D design class helps with 'Kick Up Your Heels' project

Boma Brown Staff Writer

One in three women will experience sexual assault in her lifetime. One in six boys will experience sexual assault by the time he is 18. North Dakota in 2009 recorded 1,205 victims of sexual assault; at least sixty-eight in Minot alone. More than half of these women attended the Domestic Violence Crisis Center (DVCC) sexual assault support group.

Minot State University faculty and student volunteers from the art, communication arts, and foreign language departments are assisting members of the DVCC in implementing a campaign to increase awareness of sexual assault.

The DVCC has joined forces with the international event, "Walk a Mile in Her Shoes," to create awareness and educate community **See Heels – Page 7**



Student spotlight

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Beavers on Business provides 'Helping Hands for Haiti'

By Anthony Anderson Staff Writer

The Minot State University student members of Beavers on Business are doing their best to help with disaster relief in the wake of the recent earthquake in Haiti. On April 3, they will host a large-scale fundraiser, "Helping Hands for Haiti," from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. in the Dome.

Monica McLeod, senior business management major, is spearheading Helping Hands for Haiti. She was inspired to take action after watching news coverage of the earthquake.

"I watched a special on ABC when the earthquake first happened. You wouldn't believe how much of that one hour I cried," McLeod said.

"I went to the dean (of the College of Business), and she told me to get in touch with Beavers on Business. I contacted David (Beavers on Business president), and he took my ideas and expanded on them."

McLeod stated that all fundraising efforts in Minot have collectively raised \$12,000 for natural disaster relief in Haiti.

"We hope to raise double that amount," she said.

The event's activities include a walkathon, children's games, a cakewalk, a jumping castle and a silent auction. Food will be available for purchase, and there will also be numerous points where individuals can make free-will donations.

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A free raffle is also included in the event.

"Everyone will get a ticket," McLeod said. "We're doing a drawing at two and at six. The person must be present to win."

All proceeds from the event will go to the American Red Cross, and be designated for the International Disaster Relief Fund.

"This money will go to help rebuilding Haiti until it's not needed anymore," McLeod said.

McLeod stresses that Helping Hands for Haiti needs the support of the public.

"We're encouraging everyone to come to the event, donate, and have a good time! Bring your kids, play the games," McLeod said. "We want people to realize that there is something bigger going out there than what we see in Minot, and we can help."

For more information about Helping Hands for Haiti, visit the project's Facebook page, or call 858-4498.

Hailee Kizima

By Anthony Anderson Staff Writer

Minot native Hailee Kizima has found her passion in life and knows how to put it to use.

Kizima, a Minot State University English major with a French minor, is a fan of all things French. (Or, she puts it. as "Francophone-y.")

Exploring her love for the French language and culture, Kizima recently spent three weeks visiting France, and is already planning a possible return trip through the Minot State study abroad program.

Kizima spent the first several days of her trip experiencing the city of Nice.

"It's gorgeous, right on the Mediterranean," Kizima said. "And Nice has the best hot chocolate I've ever tasted."

The sophomore then spent a week in Arles with a host family.

"It's a little city in the south of France," she said.



"It's in the middle of a valley, which is surrounded by mountains. It was absolutely beautiful."

Kizima is active in both the French Club, and is currently serving as the president of

where life takes me." - Hailee Kizima French Club President the latter. She does her best to keep the club active, and is the organizing force behind the group's French language movie nights and service projects. In addi-

tion, she works at Joan's Hallmark and as a barista at the Red Roaster Coffee Company in Minot.

After she graduates, Kizima wants to put her French skills to use professionally.

"Ideally, I want to work in the State Department as an interpreter, but I'm just going to have to see where life takes me," she said.





Games





Level: Intermediate

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Sudoku puzzles are formatted as a 9x9 grid, broken down into nine 3x3 boxes. To solve a sudoku, the numbers 1 through 9 must fill each row, column and box. Each number can appear only once in each row, column and box. You can figure out the order in which the numbers will appear by using the numeric clues already provided in the boxes. The more numbers you name, the easier it gets to solve the puzzle!

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Your brain on cardio The benefits of BNDF for your health

Angela Gaston Staff Writer

We all know that cardio does wonders for our bodies such as: physical shape, lowering stress levels and increasing energy. But did you know that scientists have found links between cardio and the brain? When you work out, your brain cells receive more oxygen and glucose, which they need to function. The more oxygen and glucose the brain has, the better it can function.

Hormones rush to your brain every time you move your muscles. These hormones mix with a chemical called brain-derived neurotrophic factor, or BDNF. BDNF helps with cell growth, mood regulation, and learning. John J. Ratey, Ph. D., of Harvard Medical School, calls BDNF "The fertilizer for the brain."

"Without it, our brains can't take in new information or make new cells," he said.

In one study, researchers scanned the brains of people who exercised one hour a day, three days a week. They found a size increase of the hippocampus, the part of the brain that controls memory and learning. Charles H. Hillman, Ph. D., of University of Illinois, says, "Exercise improves attention, memory, accuracy, and how quickly you process information, all of which helps you make smarter decisions."

If you feel like you don't have time for cardio, think again. Including cardio in your day can be as simple as taking the stairs opposed to the elevator, or instead of driving your car to class, you could walk.

Can't find the motivation to get moving? Adding just thirty minutes of cardio to your day will help enhance brain functions such as memory, decision making and problem solving. Not only that, but it boosts your productivity and gives you total body benefits.

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about every department store and supermarket chain is offering their brand of the reusable shopping bag. But are they better for the environment? It depends on how you look at it.

It's certainly better to reuse than toss plastic bags in the trash. But how reusable bags are being made, and a person's propensity for using them, play a role in just how good they can be for the environment.

Hidden Cost #1: Quality. It's important to purchase reusable bags that are of good quality. Otherwise they, too, could end up in the trash prematurely. Bags need to hold up to the tasks for which they have been assigned --hauling your goods to and from the store.

#2: Hidden Cost Manufacture. Upon investigation, you may discover free or low-cost reusable bags are being manufactured in a way that doesn't fit in with a green or responsible lifestyle. It is

(Metro Services) — Just suspect when something can be produced so cheaply. Ensure that fair trade and labor practices are being met which generally means a higher sale price for the bag.

> Hidden Cost #3: Human nature. In a society of consumers, things tend to be purchased and then gravitate toward the back of the closet or drawer. Reusable bags aren't effective if they aren't being used.

> Hidden Cost #4: Advertising. Most of the reusable bags that are low- or no-cost are emblazoned with a company logo -- making you a walking billboard. Do you feel comfortable taking your Walmart bag into Kmart to shop? Some may not appreciate working for the advertising staff without getting compensated.

> Hidden Cost #5: Materials. What are reusable bags made from? If the answer is environmentally harmful materials or plastic, then you may want to look elsewhere. There are environmentally friendly bag



manufacturers, but there's a good chance the cheap bags offered at your supermarket

are not made from organic cotton or recycled materials. You, and the environment,

will brin

you one step closer

might just be better off bringing back previously used plastic bags to reuse instead.

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members on issues relating to rape, sexual assault and gender violence. The walk, on April 24 at 11 a.m. in Town and County Mall, encourages men to publicly stand up and show their commitment to ending violence by walking in women's shoes.

In preparation for National Sexual Assault Awareness Month (SAAM), which officially begins in April, DVCC has designed the "Kick Up Your Heels" community education and fundraising project.

The 3-D design class (ART 124) is in charge of designing the shoes for this project. Fifteen students in the class will each design three pairs of shoes. These students will break up into teams, and will adopt and move the shoes around the city, from businesses to people's backyards throughout the month of April. The shoes will be on display around the city, and will travel on within 24-48 hours of placement.

Participants make a donation to forward a shoe to a friend. They can request to forward a shoe by filling out the address form (included), prior to picking up a shoe. They put the forms back in the packet and place it back in the shoe. Then they mail back checks, made payable to the DVCC, in the self-addressed envelope, also provided.

"We were approached by Linda Olson as part of SAAM and I was more than happy to help out with this project," said Doug Pliger, professor of ART 124. "This project also fits well into the course's servicelearning theme," he added.

For questions, call Deanna at the Domestic Violence Crisis Center, 852-2258.



Students, let your voice be heard. Weigh in on the issues that matter most to you.

In 15 minutes, you can make a difference in the way Minot State serves you. MSU will be conducting the Student Satisfaction Inventory (SSI) and the Priorities Survey for Online Learners (PSOL) and we need your help.

Look for the online arrivey in your e-mail marring Monday, Marth 22, 2010.



Games

Five Minutes Remaining

A column by Tanner Larson, MSU sophomore

Mini-review bonanza

Too many games, too little time. Thank goodness for spring break so I can catch up, at least.

There were some notable titles that came out earlier in the year, and I didn't get a chance to play them. Along with those games, there were two big launches called "Final Fantasy XIII" and "God of War III." You'll see the reviews of those two games next week.

This week will be dedicated to the games that were released earlier, but were not reviewed by me. Until now!

Bayonetta (PS3, 360): From the makers of "Devil May Cry" comes a rip-off-yet-notreally-because-it's-from-thesame-people kind of game that has a cool concept to begin with, but will get repetitive from time to time. However, if you're a fan of "Devil May Cry" and you're looking for a game to just soak up the time, this game is it. I say rent it first, then buy it if you like it.

Darksiders (PS3, 360): "Darksiders" is, in a nutshell, "The Legend of Zelda." What separates it from "Zelda" is the story, which is odd to say. The story is about determining the balance between Heaven and Hell, so "The Charred Council" sends the Four Horsemen of the Apocalypse to intervene a truce between the two kingdoms. This is where I lost interest, as the two should never have a truce. I say rent it, then move on. Not worth the purchase, in my opinion.

Tatsunoko vs. Capcom (Wii): If I were to only play one genre of games ever, it would be the fighting genre. I grew up playing "Mortal Kombat" and "Street Fighter II" in arcades, along with "Marvel vs. Capcom 2." So when I got a chance to play the "North American-new 'Tatsunoko vs. Capcom," I kind of got too excited to play it.

Frank West, the protagonist from "Dead Rising," is an exclusive character in the NA version, but I couldn't tell if he was Niko Bellic from GTA IV or Frank West. Overall, buy this for a great fighting game to play hours on end.

Dark Void (Wii, PS3,

360): A familiar face voices the protagonist,William Augustus Grey, in the game. Nolan



North, who seems to voice every main character in every game ever now, plays as Will Grey, a cargo pilot, who gets transported into another world while flying through the Bermuda Triangle. Seems a little silly to me. I mean, for a video game, even this is a bizarre plot twist to start the story. Either way, the "vertical combat system" is a fresh look at playing a platform-shooter. For \$30, I say go buy it.

Sonic & SEGA All-Stars Racing (all consoles): Normally, for a Sonic game, I would write this off as shov-

elware. However, Sumo Digital did "OutRun" for Xbox Live Arcade, which I really liked, so I decided to give it a try. I really liked it and bought it. For a "Mario Kart rip-off," it does some things, like weaponry and tracks, better than "Mario Kart." The best part? Each achievement / trophy (360/PS3) is a reference to either a Sega franchise or the Sega Game Gear. This is one of the few games I just had a blast playing. Go out and buy it if you're looking for a really fun time with a racer.

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Sports

Not coming back

Coach Hultz's contract not renewed

(MSU Sports Information — Minot State Office) University has decided not to renew men's basketball coach Mike Hultz's contract for the 2010-11 season, the university announced last week.

Hultz has been the head coach since the 1997-98 season.

"I want to thank Mike for his 12 years of service to Minot State," MSU Athletic Director Rick Hedberg said. "This was not an easy decision, but one that we feel is necessary as we go forward in our move to NCAA Division II."

Hultz became the school's all time wins leader, surpassing Herb Parker, last season.



Hultz

Hultz's overall record at Minot State was 194-159, qualifying for the NAIA national tournament twice, and was named the 2005 DAC-10 Coach of the Year.

Hedberg stressed that his decision had more to do with the direction of the overall program than the Beavers play on the court.

"Mike is a good person who has a great knowledge of the game," Hedberg said. "I don't think I've met anyone who analyzes the game of basketball like Mike does. He brought a lot to our program over the last decade. At this point, it's our decision to move in a different direction."

MSU will begin a nationwide search immediately. Hedberg hopes to have a new coach in place by the end of April.

Boon, Hornecker receive DAC award

(MSU Sports Information Office) Minot State University senior Kerry Boon, Red Deer, Alberta, earned the Dakota Athletic Conference Baseball Player of the Week on Monday, March 15.

Boon batted .476 with a 1.000 slugging percentage

in helping the Beavers to a 4-2 record. He was 10-for-21 at the plate with four doubles, two triples, a home run and 13 runs batted in. He also scored six runs. This was the first week DAC announced player-of-the-week honors for baseball.

MSU shortstop Ryne Hornecker, Minot, earned the Dakota Athletic Conference Baseball Player of the Week, Monday, March 22.

Hornecker hit .500 (13-for-





Hornecker

26) on the week and sported a .594 on-base percentage as the Beavers went 4-4 on the week in Arizona. In eight games, Hornecker had three doubles, scored eight runs, knocked in six, finished with six bases on balls and was a perfect 6-for-6 in stolen base attempts.

The Beavers (10-9 overall) finished their road trip to Arizona with a 9-3 win over Middlebury College Monday. MSU went 9-4 on the

road trip.

Mack and Hendrix receive honors

(MSU Sports Information Office) Minot State University senior forward MacKenzie Mack from Scranton, N.D. and senior guard Ari Hendrix from Ventura, Calif. were both named NAIA All-American Honorable Mention.

Mack led the Beavers in both points per game (16.1) and rebounds per game (7.83). She ranked in the top 25 in the country in field goal percentage, hitting 50.9 percent of her shots. Mack also surpassed 1,000 points in her career during her senior season.

Hendrix played just one



Mack

season at Minot State, but left her name on the record books as she set a single-game record for assists in a game at 14. She was sixth in the NAIA in assists, dishing out 152 on



Hendrix

Beavers to a 21-9 overall record, tying the school record for most wins in a season, and into an at-large bid to the NAIA national tournament.

the season, leading the Beavers in steals at 2.37 per game. She was also second on the team in scoring at 14.1 per game. The duo helped the www.minotstateu.edu/redgreen/ С 0 н в А 0 Р Е С А s Α о s D м т H 0 М Α s J



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mitted infection, or gastroenteritis, for example.

Abdominal inflammation such as appendicitis and kidney stones may cause vague or ill-defined and poorly localized pain.

Pain which is impeding regular daily activities or sleep for more than several days in a row, especially despite the use of acetaminophen or ibuprofen, is probably cause to contact a healthcare provider.

3. Frequent headaches or vision changes.

While headaches are common and are generally not of concern, frequent headaches may suggest severe problems. Headaches that impede sleep or impinge on normal academic, athletic, or social functions are worthy of medical attention.

Sudden or rapid changes in visual function are cause for evaluation. Blurry vision may be the result of an eye infection called conjunctivitis, a disease commonly known as pink eye. Conjunctivitis is usually viral and treated with cold compresses, but may become secondarily infected by bacteria. Contact lens wearers are at increased risk for bacterial conjunctivitis.

4. Inability to hold down food.

Vomiting may be due to a viral or bacterial infection of the gastrointestinal tract, causing gastroenteritis, a disease commonly known as stomach flu, which is unrelated to the influenza virus. While most people successfully recover from gastroenteritis, some become dangerously dehydrated from the loss of fluids, which upsets the body's electrolyte balance.

"If you are vomiting repeatedly and are unable to hold down food, especially fluids, for more than six to eight hours, you certainly should consider contacting your health care provider," Dr. Beckett counsels.

Also, do not eat or drink

anything for at least two hours after vomiting, because it aggravates an irritated stomach and prolongs vomiting.

5. Bloody stool or abnormal bleeding.

"The most common cause of blood in the stool is a simple hemorrhoid," Dr. Beckett said. Hemorrhoids are the swelling of veins in the rectum and anus due to constipation, diarrhea, or obesity. Bloody, black, or tarry stools and abnormal bleeding can be a sign of something more serious. Abnormal bowel behavior may also indicate a bacterial, viral, or parasitic infection. Excessive bleeding from the gums or cuts, or bruises that easily form from minor injuries may be symptoms of a bleeding disorder or clotting abnormality.

6. Recurrent dizziness and nausea.

It is common to feel lightheaded from time to time, but recurrent dizziness and nausea may signal major problems. For example, you may suffer from dehydration, irritation of the middle ear, or inflammation within the inner ear called labyrinthitis. These illnesses may cause vertigo, a term that describes the feeling of spinning, whirling, or motion either of yourself or your surroundings.

Concerning vertigo, Dr. Beckett says, "It is not common, but it certainly occurs in the college age group."

Getting Informed Medical Advice.

Other than watching out for these symptoms, students can take a more active role to ensure their health. Instead of waiting for these symptoms to surface, some health experts recommend that students get a checkup from a clinician or physician at least once a year.

If you are still uncertain whether your symptoms require a doctor's visit, there are several steps that you can take. Most college health centers are readily accessible and college health clinicians tend to be much more available than in the real world. Call your health center to schedule an appointment or review your concerns with a nurse.

In addition to online resources, many health insurers provide similar services, such as phone consultations with nurses. Sometimes, unsure students can directly contact their doctors to evaluate the need for a face-toface visit.

Although these resources are quick and convenient, sometimes there is no substitute for going to see a professional.

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ior in broadcasting; Stetson Sannes, Minot, a sophomore working on an international business degree as well as marketing and management and Melissa Elker, Bismarck, a junior majoring in psychology.

SGA secretary Amanda Roise, a junior from Minot majoring in biology, is the one candidate running for re-election.

Students running for SGA Treasurer are Tara Kuntz, Rugby, elementary education and Trey Welstad, Minot, a junior studying business management and marketing.

Also on the ballot are students running for positions as senators of the colleges of business, arts and sciences, education and health sciences, general studies and graduate school. Those candidates include: Annamaria Holt, Tashina Wilkie, Juan Vadell, Sara King, Cassie Neuharth, Jesica Sanders, Jordan Bethany Tedford, Kluck, Anthony Anderson, Aaron Jaeger, Camila Oliveira, Kala Wangsness, Lana Wyatt, Alyssa Jenkins, Lisa Brule, Brandon Velasquez Georgia and Siourounis.

For more information on the election, contact Rivera at 858-3987, or ann.rivera@minotstateu.edu or current SGA President Sarah Perry at sarah.perry@my.minotstateu.edu or 858-3090.





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