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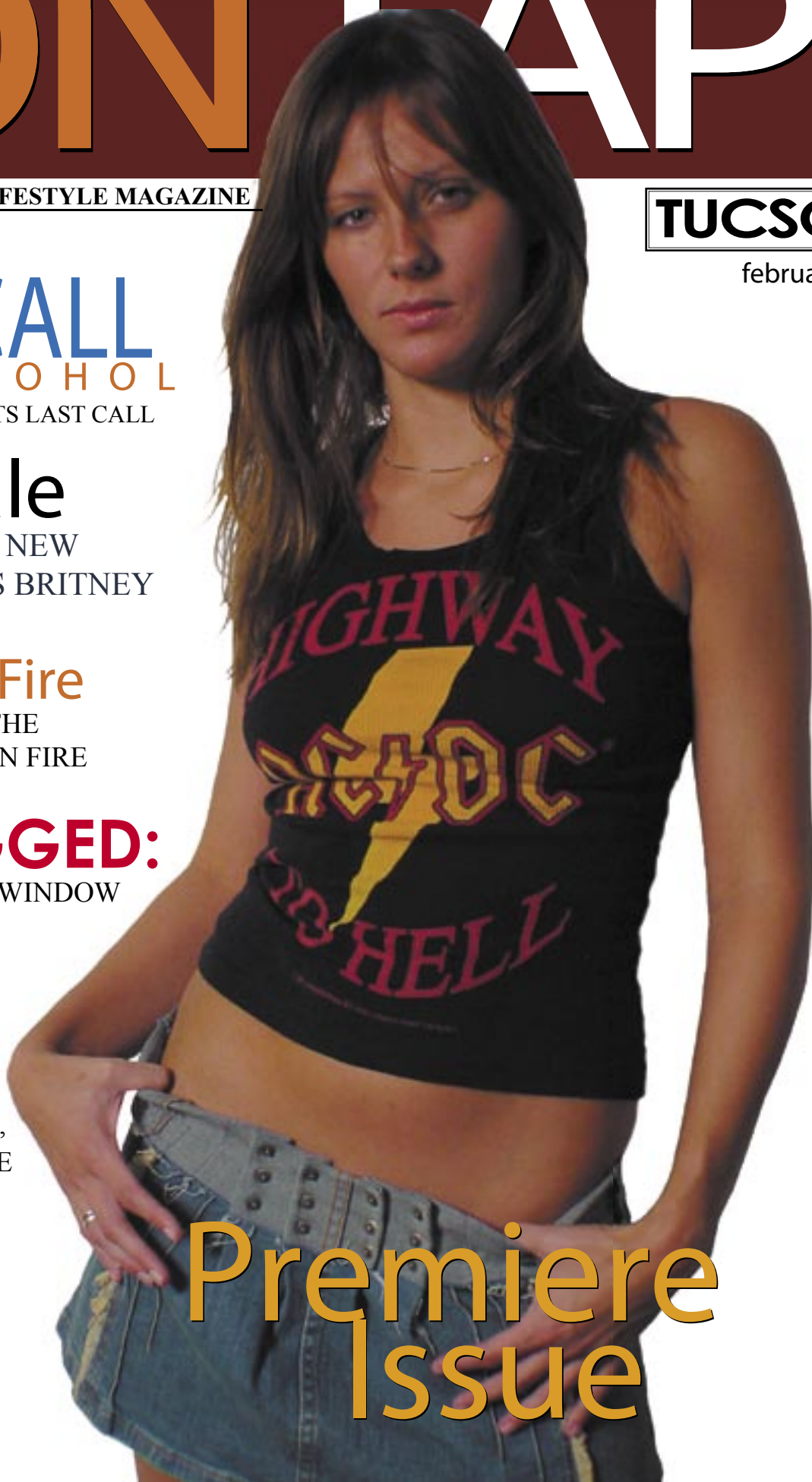
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On the Cover

For our first cover, we had to give the magazine a professional, but fun look. The following were essential to its success:

- Photography:** Paul Rose
- Model:** Jaime Baird
- Clothes:** Zoe Boutique
- Location:** Film Creations Ltd.

NEW YEAR'S RESOLUTIONS:

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In Tucson**



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One down, many more to come....

Every morning when I wake up and look at all the work that has been put into this magazine I cannot help but take pride in the fact that we have taken an idea and brought it to fruition. So much hard work has been brought into its production, it's almost a daunting task to even think about all the people who deserve thanks. I can start with everyone whose name appears to the right of this letter, and I would still fall far short.

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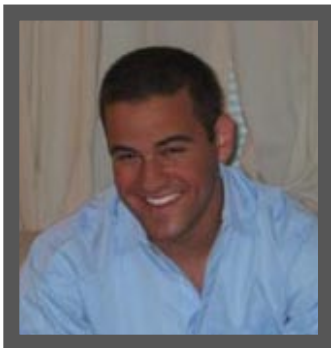
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So it's my duty to welcome everyone to Tucson. Not just the newest freshman class at the UofA, nor those returning to Tucson from summer vacation. I'm not just welcoming the snow birds who are going to start trickling down to Tucson over the next few months to escape the bitter cold elsewhere in the country. They are not the only people who have made the journey to our fair city this month.

I'm writing to welcome OnTap to our town, to our businesses, to our lives. Tucson is growing up, and we're a part of that. So next time you see us out at the bars, take us home. We'll be there in the morning when you wake up, I promise. Enjoy our first issue, and the many more to come!

Eric Rice

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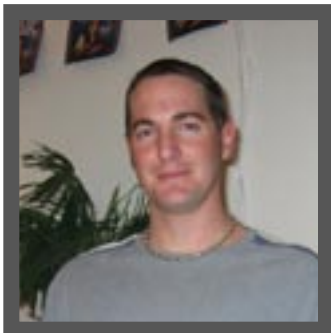
Great writers are hard to find. That's why we were dissappointed to let **Brian Yetwin** move to Los Angeles last month. We realized that just because he lived out-of-state didn't mean that he had to stop submitting articles for us. Brian is responsible to a great degree for the style of writing that we have pursued in the magazine. Check out his feature, OnTap's Poker Guide to find out why he will always have a soft spot in our hearts.



You may have seen **Becca Yetzer** driving around Tucson rocking out in her car. If you're lucky enough to spend your summers in San Diego, you may have seen her partying in PB. From the moment we met Becca, we knew that we needed her on board our magazine. Check out her features on the New Rialto Theatre, Camp Corageous, and review of Blue Willow in this month's issue, and check back next month for even more.



There are few photographers in town who can take a lonely day, and suddenly make it all seem worthwhile. We couldn't be happier with this girl, who has taken photography to a new level that we would never have thought possible. Look for more of her work at www.monkeyclaw.com.



Jon Hocking is a man of dignity, honor, and most of all, he's an advertising madman. When it comes to selling space, Jon becomes a reliable, intelligent friend who is always ready to pull out all the stops and get stuff done. In that way, he reminds us of the guys over at West Coast Choppers.



Shawna has been trouble in the office ever since she came to intern for us. Besides taking care of all her responsibilities in a timely, effective manner, she has stolen the hearts of most of the staff members. Thank God for women like her, because without them, life would not be worth living.

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Finally, OnTap!

I'm so glad that someone has finally thought to come out with a magazine like this for Tucson. Tucson is a college town through and through, yet there aren't any publications out there for us. It'll be a nice change to read about things that are more relevant to our age group. I look forward to reading On Tap at the beginning of each month!

John Peterson

The Photoshoot is Hot

This is ingenious! A magazine devoted to college students in a college town. Why hasn't someone thought of this before? It's about time someone realized how relevant we are to Tucson and how much we are a part of this community. Thanks for taking the time to focus on us and our lifestyles for a change! Good luck!

-Mike Cornell

Best of Tucson

You know what I like best about Tucson? Our lack of a spectacular local magazine to enjoy. I mean, that would just suck if someone took the initiative to hold Tucson's hand into some of the hottest bars and social events of the season. "Hey loser, it's Tucson, not New York City or Los Angeles."

Hey, voice in my head, fuck off with your nonsense. It's been raining for three straight months in NY and LA acts like a high school football hero- all trophies and no heart. The last thing Tucson would need, nay, want-would be a convenient place to look when a night seems destined to flop. Why would I need some rag to tell me what's up? I know what's up. I've been going to Skate Country East since middle school and the hotties - they keep on a flockin'!

You want fun? Buy a bunch of



“ Why hasn't someone thought of this before? ”



eggs at Bashas, drive around town, and toss 'em at parked cars! Rrrraaad. It's soo fun to be destructive when you could be wasting your time on getting laid or partaking in an On Tap event- where the beer flows like the Chinchillas of Tegucigalpa.

So bravo, Tucson, for rejecting great magazines in the past. Zonis are loners. We don't need anyone to tell us what to do. Reading about fun stuff around town is for suckers, in fact, fun is for suckers. Keep on keepin' on T-town. See ya' at Bashas. - Richard Kimble

Big Thank You

Thank you, thank you, thank you, On Tap for existing. My girlfriends and I are tired of lonely nights of trying on each other's clothes, renting movies, and pillow fights. We have been forced into the really, really, hot girl cliché because frankly, we didn't always know which bars to go to or where the party was.

Indeed, it's still fun to stay home and video tape ourselves reenacting scenes from great classics like *Gone with the Wind*, *Citizen Kane*, and *Debbie Does Dallas*, but who does a hot Tucson girl need to know to get a little tang around here? On Tap, you're my pimp. - Suzy Gorman

Golf and OnTap

You know who has a good reputation? Tiger Woods. I hear that guy can golf the crap outta' stuff... Okay, so I don't know much about golf, but I do believe in reputation and On Tap, I've heard of you. I've heard you have the best writers (drunk or otherwise), the sauciest articles, explosive photos, and top notch fun packed into every page. Welcome to Tucson, On Tap. Now let's see you magazine the crap outta' stuff...

-Randy L. Johnson



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Maloney's Beach Party

June 27



Fall Crawl Fashion Show

October 4



Zoë and Heart Five teamed up during Fall Crawl to bring Tucsonans the latest in fashion from fcuk, Von Dutch, and Juicy Couture. This shoot also features clothing by local designer Lisa Simth and her line Fancy the F Word. All clothing is available now at Zoë, located at the corner of 4th Ave. and University.



WEWERETHERE



Fall Club Crawl

October 4

To look at the crowded underpass that connects 4th Ave. and Congress St. on October fourth was enough to understand the size and scope of this year's Fall Club Crawl. With numerous bands playing at local watering holes as well as outdoor stages, this event was not one to miss, and here are the photos we took to prove it.



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5 THINGS TO DO IN TUCSON, AZ (IN CASE YOU GET BORED)

I was recently scanning through an article in a local magazine trying to find fun things to do in our fair city when I ran across an article appropriately titled: 101 things to do in Tucson. Now, in order to afford the majority of these over-priced activities, most of us starving college students would have to sell our organs on the black market. Hey, I wasn't really using that extra kidney anyway. But since I understand that some of you are a bit emotionally attached to your seemingly superfluous organs and that you would rather buy a twelver than go to the Arizona Historical Museum, I composed a list of thrifty timekillers for those of you who (oops) forgot to go to class again or are just got bored of either A) playing X-Box or B) watching your neighbor, boyfriend, brother play X-Box.

1 **Laff's Comedy Café:** When was the last time you went to a comedy club? Laughed out loud? If you catch yourself lingering on comedy specials when they show up on HBO, make sure to check out Laff's. Thursday night is student and military night, so just present your current ID and your group gets in for free. Go with a bunch of friends and expect to get heckled...in a good way.

2 **The Airplane Graveyard:** Tons of retired airplanes and helicopters can be viewed from Kolb Rd., south of Broadway. A great place to look at the stars with a "friend" or just reminisce about that scene from Can't Buy Me Love.

3 **Golden Pins Bowling Alley:** Put on some sanitized shoes and knock down some pins at "Rock & Roll" 9:30 p.m.- 12:30 a.m. every Mon., Fri., and Sat. night and don't forget "Bowling to the Oldies" every Thurs., 12-3 p.m. 1010 W. Miracle Mile 888-4272

4 **The Casinos:** The closest thing Tucson has to Vegas action, and when you're in Casino Del Sol's newest addition to their beautiful facility, you can imagine yourself in one of the Strip's bohemoths. There aren't free drinks, but there's a lot of action.

5 **Sabino Canyon:** We know you didn't end up in Tucson because of the summer weather (unless you love sunburns), but we also know you're not here because you hate the outdoors. There's a lot of that here, and one of the best spots to go hiking is up in the foothills in a little place called Sabino Canyon. Take the tram up the mountain, or if you're feeling adventurous, put on some hiking boots and take the trek up one of the many trails. Our personal favorite is Seven Falls, just make sure there's water flowing, and bring a trashbag to help clean the place up.

Around Tucson



bartender of the month

Jenny from Belushe's is no pushover. She is a strong independent woman who serves even stronger drinks. Watch out for her on Fridays when she teams up Mia for double trouble at the former Rhino Pub.

Hailing from New York City, Jenny got her start bartending at the ripe age of 17. "I guess I was just in the right place at the right time," she notes. "I was dancing on the bar when a local bar owner happened to notice me. I've been working here ever since."

Jenny is known around Tucson for her ebullient personality and her crazy shot concoctions. "I love making Cocaine Shooters, and we have them cheaper than anyone else in town.

So next time you're in the neighborhood, looking for a little something extra, head to Belushe's for a drink and if you're lucky enough to catch her on a slow night, a helluva conversation.

CITY BRAWL



Venice

Location: Italy
Population: 300,000
Founded: 421

Tucson

Location: United States
Population: 475,000
Founded: 1775

SMELL

Smells like an open sewer pretty much year round.

Only smells like a sewer around Miracle Mile.

WATERWAYS

Beautiful canals that are used for transportation.

Dried up washes that serve no useful purpose.

COST EFFECTIVENESS

\$200 gets you a gondola ride down the famous canals.

\$200 gets you a drink at every dive bar in town.

AFTER-HOURS MEAL

Pizza and a bottle of wine for late night snacking.

Tacos and a Coke from cheap 24 hour Mexican restaurants.

TRANSPORTATION

They roll on boats.

We roll on dubbs.

HISTORY

An exciting cultural hub that boasts museums and concert halls.

They filmed Nickelodeon's Hey Dude TV show here.

HYDRATION

The water is totally unsafe to drink.

The water just tastes funny.

LOCALE

A hop, skip and jump to destinations like Pompeii, Rome and France.

We're close to Nogales.

NIGHTLIFE

You get lost in the poorly planned, narrow streets.

Fourth Avenue always leads to Dirtbag's for last call.

Tucson wins with a score of 6 to 3.

If You're Daring Enough...

DRINK OF THE MONTH

NAME: The Rusty Bolt
CLASS: A Shot

This shot is not for the weak of heart. You must be brave, strong, and willing to grow some hair on your chest (ladies, best to avoid this one).

4/5 Whiskey
1/5 Worcestershire Sauce

It's got the cowboy bite you've been hankerin' fer! Just don't use this as a shot to impress anyone. You could find yourself worshipping the porcelain gods.

MOVE OVER GIZA

What do you get when you mix a busy intersection, a glass and steel loving architect, and a business that is starving for attention? Why, an inverted pyramid of course!

So where did this architectural anomaly come from? The mind of Robert Swaim, a local designer whose projects have ranged from the Student Health expansion on the UofA campus to the Giraffe and Polar Bear exhibits at Reid Park Zoo.

If you never get the chance to bank over on Wilmot, or you want to check out more of Swaim's designs, log on to www.swaimaia.com.



WRONG WAY BUDDY!

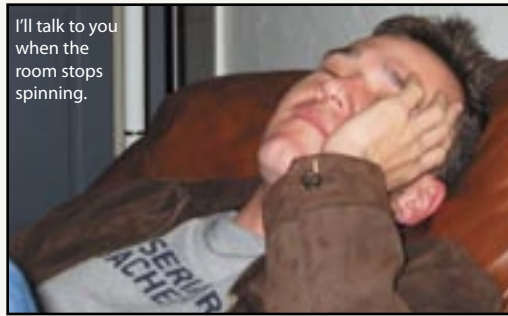
STRANGE MEDICINE

One of the many plights of a night of drunken debauchery is the inevitable "morning after." Just the mere mention of these two words is enough to instantly conjure up feelings of embarrassment and remorse. As if the last night's actions weren't enough to deal with, you've got to explain to your roommate why the back seat of his car is full of cantaloupes, why a stripper is passed out on the couch, and how a blow-up doll ended up duct-taped to the ceiling, all while fighting back symptoms of headache, shakiness, nausea, and diarrhea.

That's right, you've got a hangover! The worst hangovers can last a whole day, making you wish you called it quits at that 1st Grey Goose and club soda. You're going to drink, but the next day, you've got shit to do. So how do you make sure that job interview doesn't get abruptly terminated by the debut of your vomit?

Well, everyone has their own hangover cure. If you don't have one yet, try the following till you find the one that works for you:

1. Before you even get out of bed, reach into the mini-fridge and grab a Gatorade. You get a hangover because you're dehydrated so you gotta start drinking, ASAP. Even better is if you had one before you passed out, but who ever remembers to do that at 4:30am?
2. "I just start drinking again," says Sarah Poythress, a student at the University of Connecticut. "Bloody Mary usually. Those sticks of celery and that tomato juice make it seem almost good for you."
3. www.soyouwanna.com offers this involved recipe for a hangover remedy:
 1. Call in sick
 2. Take 2 aspirins
 3. Take 200mg cysteine (available at specialty food stores)
 4. Take 600mg vitamin C
 5. Take 1 tablet vitamin B-complex
 6. Mix the following ingredients together in a blender:
 - 1 banana · 1 small can V-8 · 6 large strawberries · 2 tablespoons honey · 1 cup orange juice · 1-2 cups milk (or soy milk), to desired consistency · ¼ tsp. salt · dash of nutmeg
 7. Drink it all up.
 8. Go back to bed.



Tucsonism



If it says "Do not enter when flooded," then DO NOT ENTER WHEN FLOODED!

COLLEGE URBAN LEGEND — DEBUNKED!

THE CLAIM:

"Such-and-such campus doesn't allow sorority houses because five or more women living together in a house constitutes a brothel!"

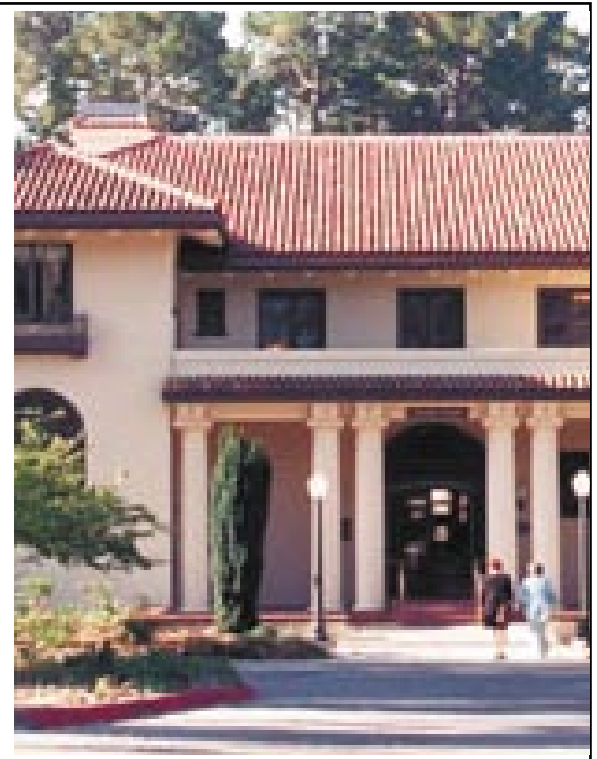
THE VERDICT: FALSE.

While many cities do in fact have laws that are designed to prevent more than a certain number of unmarried adults to live in a house, no law exists that would classify the house as a brothel. The only way such a classification can come to be is if the occupants of the house engages in the act of prostitution.

While this urban legend varies in the numbers of women that designate a household with the taint of the world's oldest profession, the use of this urban legend to explain why a certain campus is without sorority houses does not.

Perhaps the most common place Tucsonans have heard this whopper is at neighboring school to the North, Arizona State. The school that once designated certain floors of their dormitory buildings as "Sorority Floors," the school recently built a new complex called Adelphi Commons where each sorority has its own mini-dorm.

So next time your friend from Penn State tells you this whopper, you'll be prepared.



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OVERHEARD

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Girl1: Oh my god, he has a hot dog over his penis!

Girl2: That's not a hot dog, that's a bratwurst!

Girl: Have you tried that low carb beer?

Guy: Yeah, it tastes like piss.

Girl: But it's low carb. Alcoholics can have abs-
Women love abs.

Guy: My piss is low carb, that doesn't mean I want to drink it.

Girl: What if you could get drunk off of it.

Guy: What? My piss...Yeah, I suppose.

Girl: You'd drink your piss!?

Guy: If it got me drunk and it were low in carbs? Shit yes!

Girl: That's gross, man.

Guy: ...I didn't say I'd drink your piss.

Man: hey baby, do you wanna' dance?

Woman: with you, no.

Man: I'm sorry?

Woman: No!

Man: No what? I said, you look fat in those pants.

Guy1: There were, like, eight other guys interviewing for the same job as me. All pretty much dressed the same, well, except for this cowboy wearing a ten gallon hat...

Guy2: Who wears a ten gallon hat to an interview?

Guy1: It's not a fuckin' riddle, I said a cowboy.

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WHO ARE YOU HITTING ON TONIGHT?

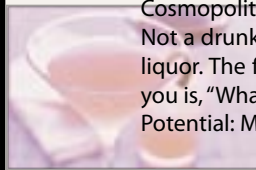
It's all in the drinks



LADIES

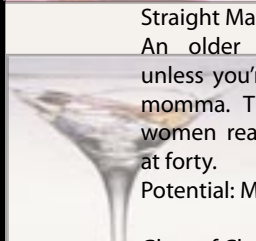


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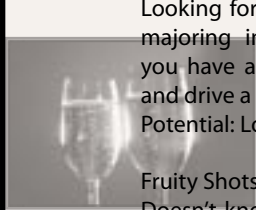


Cosmopolitan
Not a drunk – she can handle her liquor. The first question she'll ask you is, "What do you drive?"
Potential: Medium

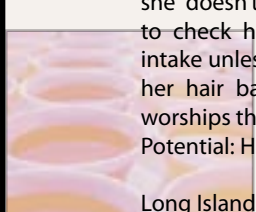
Jack and Coke
A man's woman. She likes to eat red meat and hang out with the boys. Just watch out for the hooking up with your friends factor, these girls can sometimes go through a group.
Potential: High



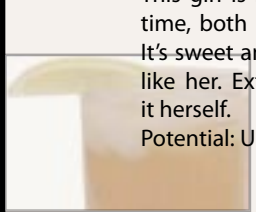
Straight Martini
An older woman. Steer clear unless you're looking for a sugar momma. Though they say that women reach their sexual peaks at forty.
Potential: Medium



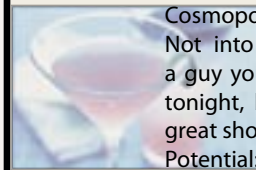
Glass of Champagne
Looking for a sugar daddy and is majoring in MRS. Abort, unless you have a Platinum Credit Card and drive a BMW.
Potential: Low



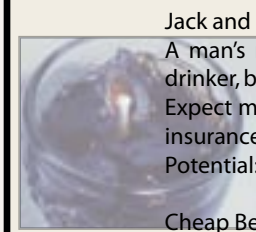
Fruity Shots
Doesn't know what she likes, but she doesn't like alcohol. Be sure to check her ID, and watch her intake unless you feel like holding her hair back for her while she worships the porcelain god.
Potential: High



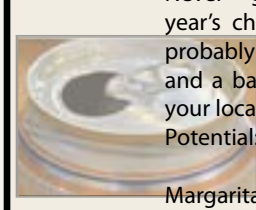
Long Island Iced Tea
This girl is ready to have a good time, both in and out of the bar. It's sweet and packs a punch, just like her. Extra points if she buys it herself.
Potential: Ultimate



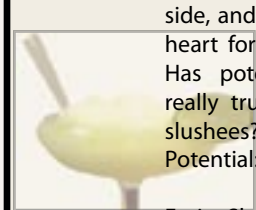
Cosmopolitan
Not into the ladies. This isn't a guy you're going home with tonight, but he could make a great shopping partner.
Potential: Low



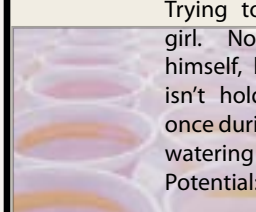
Jack and Coke
A man's man. He's definitely a drinker, but not a total alcoholic. Expect manly antics and a high insurance premium.
Potential: Medium



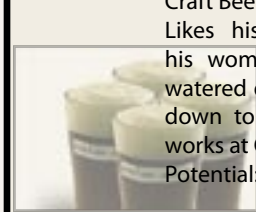
Cheap Beer
Never got over freshman year's cheap beer phase. He's probably got a sense of humor, and a bachelor pad that rivals your local frat house.
Potential: High



Margarita
In touch with his feminine side, and has a soft spot in his heart for spring break revelry. Has potential, but can you really trust a guy that drinks slushies?
Potential: High



Fruity Shots
Trying to impress a younger girl. Not necessarily fruity himself, but take notice if he isn't holding a beer at least once during his visit to the local watering hole.
Potential: Questionable



Craft Beer
Likes his beer like he likes his women: special, and not watered down. He's intelligent, down to earth, and probably works at OnTap.
Potential: Ultimate



UGLIEST THING WE FOUND AT A LOCAL THRIFT STORE

The Fourth Ave. Value Village appears at first glance to be a normal, run of the mill establishment. That is, to the untrained eye.

When we set our crack OnTap Thrift Store-a-teers loose on the mean streets of Tucson to find the ugliest, tackiest, gnarliest item they could, we had no idea they would complete the task so perfectly.

This pick of the litter normally would have cost \$1.98 each, but we talked them down to \$2 for the pair. We affectionately named them Piss and Vinegar, and have them on display in the OnTap office. They're our new mascots, if you will. We think it's fitting anyway. The UofA has Wilbur, and we have our fearsome felines.

Check out the Village when you have a chance, not everything there is as tacky as this, we promise.

Tucsonism



If you're not sweating, you haven't been outside today.

This Dating Life



by Julia Goolia

“Nothing makes me hotter than a guy telling me exactly what he wants and aching for me to do it.”

Moaning shouldn't be the only sound coming from your bedroom. Talking about your sexual needs and wants is a great way to bring a relationship to a new level. Sharing embarrassing fetishes and kinky fantasies can bring a couple closer together in a lot more than one way. It's important to be direct and honest when it comes to sex; that way you can make sure the moaning is for real.

Without honesty you can find yourself in some pretty uncomfortable situations. My first sexual experience was a disaster. Don't worry, we didn't get that far, but far enough so that the unlucky guy ended up with a sore member and I ended up with a hand cramp and a bruised ego. I walked into the potentially sticky situation without the advantages of instructions, experience or lubrication. Let's just say it was a very dry run.

Not one to accept defeat easily, when I saw my next opportunity I jumped right back on the bed. Round two also began as a disaster, and would have remained one if my boyfriend hadn't leaned over and whispered those three special words every girl wants to hear, "try doing this...". These three words, followed by a helping hand opened up the world of earth shaking experiences to me. Nothing makes me hotter than a guy telling me exactly what he wants, and aching for me to do it. This works in the bedroom as well as in relationships. Every bad hook-up or failed relationship I've ever had all had one thing in common; we were afraid to tell each other what we really wanted. We were too busy pretending

to be sex gods to really find out what got each other off. Good sex and good relationships are learned, so the best advice is to slip into a short pleated skirt, put on a pair of sexy glasses and play teacher.

If you need to take a few shots of tequila before the lesson plan, go ahead! I'm pretty sure half my college professors were drunk most of the time anyways. What's important to remember is to not get into a pattern where you can only communicate when you're drunk. The repetitive drunk hook up often gets old, and you normally don't remember all the kinky stuff you taught each other anyways. If a guy wants me to whip out the hand cuffs or dress up as Princess Lea, I want to know about it and remember it.

If people are straight forward about sex in a relationship, it usually seeps into other areas. Once you've told your boyfriend that you'd like to have a threesome while he's tied up and pulling your hair with his teeth, it's easier to tell him that you hate when he farts during dinner, or doesn't call when he's out with his friends. Relationships are based on being comfortable with each other, and nothing says I trust you better than sharing your hottest fantasy. Being honest about your sexual needs makes for an overall healthier relationship, and let's face it, it's a lot more fun. So stop hogging all the astro-glide and share it with the one you love. The best part is once everything is laid out on the table, you just might get laid yourself, and exactly the way you like it.



Ninja for President

(Riverside, CA) It seems that the American Ninja has tired of his cheesy 80s Kung-Fu film career and has moved on to a college political circuit. A student at the University of California Riverside was arrested for altering computer data without permission after he hacked in to the school computer and casted several hundred votes for his hero the American Ninja during student elections. Though the student claimed that his efforts were done in order to prove that the university network was vulnerable, UCR felt that the student's method was excessive and as result he may face expulsion.

Reality Bytes

(Seattle, WA) Just in case you ever wanted to spend your class time fighting orcs in a virtual world, here's your chance. While many new classes in universities have made the jump to cyberspace, eliminating the need for a classroom, a professor at the University of Washington in Seattle has taken this idea one step further.

The class not only meets predominantly online, it meets in the realm of the popular Everquest massively multiplayer online role playing game (MMORPG). Communication 480, or "The Ethnography of On-Line Role-Playing Games," expects the student to purchase the Everquest computer game, and subscribe to the service for three months, an almost \$50 investment. The course seems to be quite popular with computer science department and all the college freshmen who could not get laid.

Friendly Hangups

(New York, NY) It appears that new communication technology is used for more than just communicating. In a survey of college students conducted by Sony Ericsson, approximately 74 percent of college students who use cell phones have hung up on a friend,

later citing bad reception.

Reverse Psychology Reversed

(Boston, MA) So what if two-thirds of university students have less than three drinks when they go out? According to research by Henry Wechsler from Harvard University, university programs to curtail binge drinking on campus have actually been doing the opposite by effectively separating non-drinking students from the status quo. He claims,

in fact, that most students simply don't care about what the average student drinks, and is instead content to worry about his own intake, and getting the quarter out of the bottom of that dam cup.

Beer vs. Home

(Dunedin, New Zealand) It appears that the bums aren't the only ones that spend more money on booze than they do on housing. A recent study conducted at the University of Otago found that some students spent twice as much on alcohol as they did on rent. In response, the university's own survey wished to point out that the majority of students' greatest contribution to the local city economy did in fact come in the form of rent.

Local bar owners admitted that the

college students were the majority of their customers and were quite fond of the beer guzzling youngsters, remarking that without them they wouldn't be in business.

Green Beer Holiday

(Oxford Ohio) I guess green beer isn't all that's required for a holiday or at least that was the response of the University of Miami Ohio when they prosecuted a student for sending out a hoax email to over 30,000 students, staff, and faculty canceling class for Green Beer Day.

Though Green Beer Day is a tradition amongst the bars in town, it is not sanctioned by the university. The student was charged with unauthorized use of a computer and now has refocused his efforts from emailing and holidays to raising money for his legal fees.



College Kids Will Drink Anything

(New York, NY) Next time you think about using alcohol bottles for decoration in your new apartment, be careful to let your roommates know what you're doing. Two college students recently fell victim to a decorative vodka bottle that was filled with anti-freeze in order to create a glowing effect in a blackout. Believing the bottle to contain alcohol, the students proceeded to drink from it, instead of leading to a state of inebriated bliss; it landed them in the local emergency room.

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model behavior



Seeing her dreams of becoming a model come alive this year, Liz is ready to take on the big shots. Zoe provided us with the bikinis and Liz supplied us with the looks (thanks a lot).

Swimsuit by Thrid Eye Designs.



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New in Tucson



LA ENCANTADA

There's a brand new mall that just opened on the north side of town

While some developers scramble to revamp existing shopping centers around Tucson, Phoenix based Westcor has decided to start fresh. The managers of upscale malls, such as Scottsdale Fashion, is taking its formula to T-Town for a shopping and dining experience that is long in the making.

The shopping center, designed to blend in with its natural surroundings, will be an open-air affair, and consist of upscale shopping and dining. For a complete list of the stores, check out the sidebar on the left.



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| Casual Corner | Pottery Barn |
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A FRESH LOOK AT MEX

Burrito with a capital "B"

So the first thing that goes through your mind is, "Why does Tucson need another burrito place?" In a city inundated with Mexican food, is it really necessary to add another fast food taco joint? What you are forgetting, though, is that Baja Fresh comes from a long line of successful chains in California that serve up smokin' hot, fresh burritos.

Trust me, it's exciting for those of us who have lived in Cali and missed the guacamole goodness of the Baja Burrito. Take our word for it and stop in for a bite. We know you'll be back for more.

Extending our

LAST CALL

The Last Call Initiative and how it could affect your bar-going antics.

It's another bumping Friday night and you're at your favorite Tucson bar sucking down a beer. You've finally gotten sufficiently schnoekered and have just gotten up the gall to go talk to that hottie who's been flirting with you from across the room all night. You're half way across the room and things couldn't be going better. Your future friend gives you a sideways smile that lets you know that this is definitely your lucky night when BAM!!! The overhead lights come on in all their glory, and the hordes of drunken coeds scatter like an ant colony under a magnifying glass.

You stand there, frozen and utterly confused, as your sexy love interest picks up and walks out the door, giving you a forlorn look as on the way. What's going on? You solemnly glance at your watch and realize the nature of your predicament. It's 12:56 and this bar is closing fast. Soon, both you and your single butt will be kicked out onto the street.

There is hope yet. All we need to do is get you and 122, 611 of your closest friends together for a party. Oh, and while they're there, we'll have them sign the "Last Call Act of 2004" petition, which is attempting to extend bar hours until the prime pick-up time of 3 AM. If we can manage to round up all those signatures, then the issue will be put on the ballot in November 2004. If enough Arizona college bums get up enough initiative to put down their cans of MGD and show up at the polls, then hopefully the issue will get voted through, and Arizona bars will then have the option of staying open 2 hours later. And you know what that means...2 more hours, 120 more minutes, 7200 more seconds to chat up your future ex, and convince him/her that you are the person of their dreams.

It sounds like a great idea, eh? Well OnTap can't really take all the credit. OK. In fact, OnTap can't rightly take any credit. We were probably drinking a beer or writing an article about drinking beer when a pair of West Side College guys (we'll just call them Bud and Miller) came up with the brilliant plan of extending Arizona bar hours. Of course, Bud and Miller claim that the initiative's primary goal is not to inebriate more college kids but rather to help out the state of Arizona during its budget crisis. It is true that the increase in drink sales during this 2-hour window would result in more sales tax, but do you really think that's why two college guys went to all this trouble? I think not. Irregardless of their motives, this is a merit-worthy idea, and On Tap duly supports you putting down the aluminum and picking up the ballpoint to sign this one.

Of course, there are a number of Arizona citizens that are not too keen on the idea of this bill passing. Can you say parents, teachers,



MADD members? Luckily, Bud and Miller are crafty fellows who anticipated the complaints that this section of the population would have, and they intelligently address these complaints in the FAQ section of their website (www.lastcallact.com). They claim that extending bar hours will in fact cut down on the number of drunk driving accidents, and they go on to show that states with later bar hours actually have fewer drunk driving related deaths. They assure us that, "drivers will pace themselves instead of rushing to get drunk or 'binge drinking,'" and that "there is more time for drinkers to 'sober up' or work off some of the alcohol before going home."

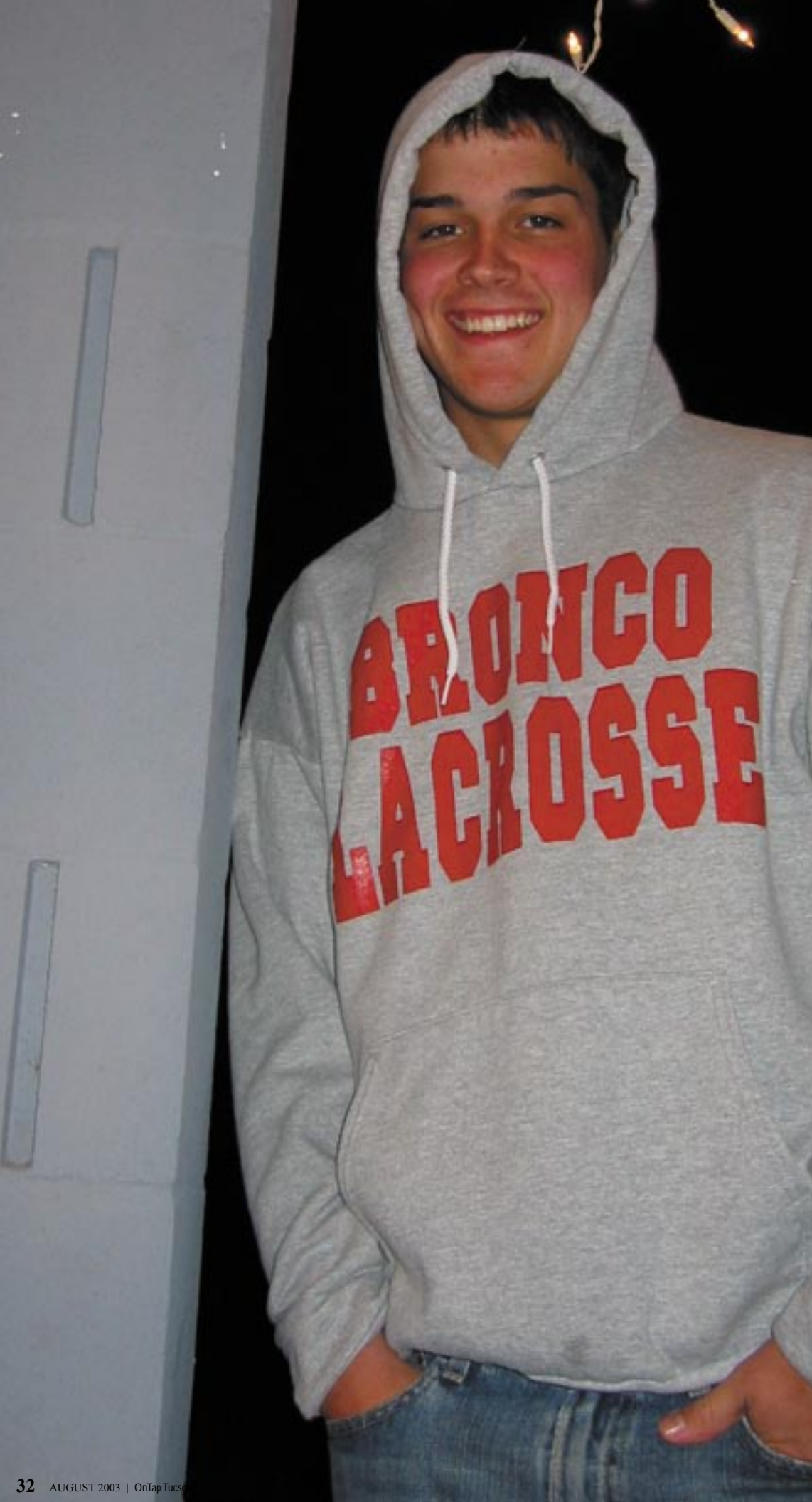
If this all sounds like good stuff to you, then make sure to sign that petition when it passes your way or download it at the website listed above. However,

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you need to remember that your signature merely puts the issue on the ballot; your vote will be required to finish the deal and transform this idea into a reality. And don't think that your vote isn't needed, because it is quite possible that this act won't pass even if it does make its way onto the ballot in November 2004.

Think about it. The beautiful state of Arizona is a haven for older retired individuals (meaning sober Republicans) who haven't stayed out at a bar until closing time since 1964, and they don't think that you drunken hoodlums should be out that late either. If enough of them visit the polls on voting day, which you know they will, while all of you stay home reading On





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Tucson local but born in Columbus, Ohio

September 20, 1981

University of Arizona business major

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So would you say you have the Jerry Maguire mentality?

"Hell yeah, show me the money. And for the ladies...you complete me, just kidding."

What's your best quality?

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Worst?

"Sometimes I'm too honest, I guess I haven't learned when to cut it off yet."

So how about all the basics? Favorite music, movies, food, t.v. shows?

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Where would we find you out at night?

"I'm not really a regular anywhere... but I'll be drinking Pacifico or Beefeaters Wet gin and tonic. My pet peeve is when bartenders look directly at you and ignore you though, I hate that."

What's your most embarrassing moment?

"Probably when I accidentally walked into my mom's room in high school, I was wasted obviously, and pissed on her bed. She wasn't too happy about that!"

Finally, what would your E True Hollywood Story title be?

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COLLEGE GOURMET

Mediterranean Chicken*

It's cheap, easy, and nothing says "lets get naked" better than a great meal.



* in Tucson



The ingredients in all their glory: 1 bag of spinach, four chicken breasts, sun-dried tomatoes (soaked in oil), 1 jar of garlic, string beans, and good old Rice a' Roni.



Sautee the spinach in olive oil infused with garlic clove until it turns a dark green (usually a few minutes.)



Don't forget a nice, cheap bottle of white wine (the more the merrier)



Flatten chicken by pounding gently with a mallet and wax paper. Spread goat cheese evenly over breasts and place spinach & sun-dried tomatos on top. Roll chicken into a tube and place a toothpick to close.

Bake in Pyrex dish at 350 for 45 minutes, cook chicken in 3 parts balsamic vinegarete, 2 parts white wine (about 1/2 inch of sauce)

sushi & sake bombs



Where the Sake Flows Like the Salmon of Capistrano

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Sushi Saga

2955 E Speedway Blvd

Go everyday for \$6.00 sake bomb specials, and stay for the fish tacos!

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Sakura Teppan Steak & Sushi

6534 E Tanque Verde Rd

6091 N Oracle Rd

Check this place out for live jazz, fresh fish and killer sake bombs!

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Yuki's Japanese Restaurant

2962 N Campbell Ave

Friday nights, this is the place to be for cheap sake bombs and karaoke!

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Housenka Restaurant

1800 E Fort Lowell Rd # 116

Get cheap sake bombs here, then stumble over to Penguins for frozen yogurt!

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Sushi Hama

3971 N Oracle Rd

Try the all you can eat sushi, and see if you have room left for sake bombs at all.

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Takamatsu

5532 E Speedway Blvd

A great staff and awesome bar will provide the best experience for large groups.

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Sushi-Ten

4500 E Speedway Blvd # 1

A sushi lover's sushi restaunt.

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Sushi-Cho Restaurant

1830 E Broadway Blvd # 148

Close to campus, fabulous fish, and a cheap buzz with \$5.80 sake bomb specials!



yoga & pilates

Pencils ready folks, it's time for a celebrity fitness quiz. What makes Madonna the buffest Mom on the planet? How does Jennifer Aniston get her abs so fabulously Friend-ly? Why does Patrick Swayze still look good after all these years? And what about Gwyneth ñ how does the swan-like siren keep her machine so lean? Pat yourself on the back and do a headstand if you knew that the Material Girl and gal-pal Paltrow swear by yoga, while Jen and Patrick are Pilates enthusiasts.

Yoga and Pilates are the hottest trends in the workout world, not only among celebrities but among students, professionals and soccer moms as well. If you're sick of your treadmill and want to get on the bandwagon,

you might be wondering which system is right for you. The answer to that question goes beyond which celebrity you relate to most ñ a Rachel Green fan does not equal a Pilates practitioner. Both yoga and Pilates are highly complicated systems that target much more than just cellulite and flabby arms. Either practice, in its own way, could change not only the way you look at your body but the way that you look at your life. In an ideal world free of time and financial constraints, you might do both yoga and Pilates ñ but let's get real. Since most schedules allow for only one intense exercise regimen, you need to know which mat will be a hit with you.

Yoga and Pilates come from very different backgrounds. Yoga was born in India over 5,000 years ago and eventually traveled to the West in the late 1800s. The ancient practice was

popularized in the United States by practitioners like Paramahansa Yogananda and Indra Devi, and by the late twentieth century, yoga had a firmly established place in mainstream fitness. Pilates is an infant in comparison, tracing back only to the 1920s. The system, created by German athlete Joseph H. Pilates, was originally developed as a rehabilitative technique geared at injured soldiers returning from World War I. The machines and movements soon became popular among dancers who sought strong muscles that also appeared long and lean. The practice was soon dubbed the "Pilates method" and has been growing in popularity ever since.

The fundamental difference between yoga and Pilates is obvious from the historical background of each system. As many enthusiasts have noted, Pilates is about mind and body

while yoga is about mind, body and spirit. Pilates seeks to connect the body and the mind through an understanding of basic anatomy and biomechanics, while yoga seeks to disconnect the body and the mind so that a near meditative state may be achieved.

"Yoga is a practice of self-realization and reintegration of all aspects of our being," said Donna Goodhart, a yoga instructor at Tucson's Providence Center. "It's more than just going to some cookie cutter class and doing the same practice over and over again."

Goodhart, who has been practicing yoga for over 30 years, points out another key difference between yoga and Pilates. While yoga focuses on quiet stillness, Pilates is all about movement. Goodhart's colleague Tracie

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ALL THE ANSWERS

Now You Can Know it all Too!

Answers to the Really Tough Questions You've Always Wanted to Know

Dear On Tap: I'm a straight, good looking guy, who's had sex with over sixty women. I'm currently in a relationship with a woman whom I may ask to marry me. I feel ridiculously shallow, but the only reason I'm waiting is because I've never tried anal sex and I want to, at least once, before I die. My girlfriend says she would never let me. Should I break things off, go try anal, and get back with my girlfriend? - Barry (32) Tucson, Arizona

Dear Barry- You're a jackass. I mean, what's the breakup letter going to say? "Went out for some sodomy, hope you take me back later"? Somewhere in your sixty plus women, you must have learned that women aren't stupid. Your girlfriend will know what your up too, especially since I assume you've been begging her for some back door action. Your question should have been, how do I get my girlfriend to let me put it in her pooper. I have an answer to that which works every time. Too bad you didn't ask me that question. Dear On Tap: I'm a neat freak. I shower twice a day, always have a load of laundry going, and spend a fortune on cleaning supplies. I just started dating a woman that I really like but when we have sex, she ejaculates all over me and my sheets. The sex is great but I get really grossed out. What should I do? - Rick (24) Scottsdale, Arizona Dear Rick- Have you ever tried having sex with a baby wipe? It's soft, sterile, smells fresh...oh wait, IT'S A WET TISSUE! Sex is dirty, brotha', if you can't handle the slop, get out of the pen. Since lubrication doesn't seem to be an issue, try having sex in the shower or the jacuzzi. Make up some freaky game that ends with you humpin' on a Slip'n Slide. If you want clean, stick to checkers. Dear On Tap: My boyfriend's from Spain and when we go swimming, he wears one of those European

style suits. Skin tight and super short. They don't really bother me but we're going to a Barbecue and the invitation told us to wear a swimsuit. I don't want him to wear the suit in public but I don't want to hurt his feelings. Any suggestions. -Stephanie (21) Tucson, Arizona Dear Stephanie: You know what I love about the US of A? Men don't wear crap like that here. Welcome him to our country with a pair of board shorts. Guys are usually pretty cool about fashion advice from women. We know we can't dress ourselves. Grape smuggling man panties are only cool on really over weight men with sun burns and a beer in each hand because they know it's a laugh and we know it's a laugh...Just don't laugh at them in front of them...they could still eat you. Dear On Tap: My mom is divorced and has started dating. Men sleep over and I can hear them having sex all the time. I've told my mom it bothers me but she thinks I'm joking. What do I do? - Staci (17) Chandler, Arizona Dear Staci: All people must endure the horrific rite of passage that is hearing our parents bump uglies. Try writing her a letter. Parents usually respond better to letters from kids. Old folk are slower and they need to digest information. If that doesn't work, you'll be out of the house and into a college dorm room soon, where you get to listen to your roommate go at it.

g on how dense your chest hair forest is.

I recently broke up with the girl I thought I was going to marry because her family couldn't accept me. Soon after, I met this other girl who completely fell for me. I liked her alright at first and we dated for a couple months, but I now want nothing to do with her. I've told her that many times now but she just won't leave me alone. And of course each time she comes over we have sex. I don't want to lead

this girl on, and I don't want to hurt her feelings. What can I do to get her to leave me alone?

It is really quite simple. Stop sleeping with her. You say you have told her many times that you don't want to be with her, yet you continue to sleep with her? Of course she continues to go back to you. To a girl, sex with a guy she dated for so long means you do still want to be with her. Your actions are speaking louder than your words. Next time you tell her it is over, follow those words with what you do, or in this case, what you don't do.

Ok, Britney or Christina?

This is an endless debate, one that my answer will do nothing to resolve. They have been rivals from the beginning and will probably remain so until the end. Each has an incredibly strong following and deserves to be where she is today. But to answer your question, I would have to say both of them. Britney wins in terms of style and public appeal, as her image has grown bigger and faster. But Christina has her beat in vocal ability as many of her songs encompass more range and difficulty.

I had been dating this guy for about a month when we got into a huge, drunken fight late one night at his house and he kicked me out. I was drunk, didn't have my car with me and couldn't call a friend because my cell phone battery had died, so I had to walk more than 3 miles to get home. He never called to see if I made it. I saw him two nights later and he acted like nothing had happened.

I still really like the guy but can't get over the fact that he made me walk home. Am I making too big a deal of all this?

Absolutely not. Anyone who lets you walk alone more than three miles late at night, especially under the influence, is not a friend. Let alone someone who you should want to date. Whatever his reason for letting you walk home alone, it could not have been worth compromising your safety. Simply put, it is not safe for a young woman to be walking around the streets at night. Do not waste time pining over this guy, he's not worth it. Every girl deserves better than this. You need to be with someone who respects you and your safety.

Collar Question

I have been wondering for a long time the best way to wear a collard shirt out at the bars. Usually, I'll button up to the second from the top, but what would you suggest?

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CHIP HALE

University of Arizona Alumni Interview

Baseball Player, Baseball Manager, Baseball Fan.

The new manager of the Tucson Sidewinders is not new to Tucson, Az. While a native of Northern California, Chip Hale made his way down to the UofA for an impressive academic and athletic career. As a Wildcat, his baseball team won the National College Championship, and he was recognized with the All Pac-10 Award, Pac-10 Co-player of the Year, and the Pac-10 medal for academics and athletics. He moved on to play for the Twins, Dogers, Angels, and Something where he led the league in pinch hits. Soon after the end of his Major League playing career, he took a management position within the Arizona Diamondbacks organization. After very successful seasons with the Missoula Osprey and the El Paso Diablos, Chip now finds himself back in Tucson to manage the Sidewinders, much to everyone's delight.

How did you become a baseball fan?

I think that it all started with my mother. I grew up in Northern California in the San Fran Bay area. My mother would have the Giants game on every day. I loved playing anything outdoors, football, baseball. It continued because of my stature, because I wasn't tall enough to play football, which was my favorite.

Who do you talk sports with?

Anybody that will listen. Mainly my son Jack -- he and I talk sports all the time.

Describe yourself in under five words.

Energetic, active, impulsive, and a little bit anal.

What is your greatest achievement?

In college, being able to graduate in four years and play baseball for four years as a Wildcat. I was able to start in every game, I'm the only player at the UofA who has been able to do that.

Now that you're in Tucson again, you're able to attend UofA baseball games. Is it good to be around the program again?

Yes, it's very good. I've always enjoyed it. It's great to be in this city, and the whole UofA, whatever sport it is.

You and your team in college showed a lot of comraderie back in the day. What is your favorite memory with the guys?

The best memories for us were going

on the road and playing. In 1986 we traveled to Omaha and were there for 17 straight days. There's not a lot to do in Omaha when you're not playing, so we had to find other ways to entertain ourselves.

Which bar around campus were you most often seen at?

In my day, the Wildcat House was the place to go. Probably second most was Dirtbag's.

How many players from your National Championship Team went to the Major Leagues?

Four, counting myself. Tommy Henzo played for the Indians, Gil Haradea played with the Oakland A's and the Giants, and Dave Roadie played with the Houston Astros.

What's the best part about playing college sports?

The competition. Being at Arizona we got to play a great schedule, and play against a lot of great and talented players. We also got to go to a lot of neat places, like Taiwan.

You sent Rodney McCray through a plywood fence chasing a home run you hit out in right field once while you were playing for the Portland Beavers. What were some of the comments in the locker room after that game?

Well, we were shocked that he was still alive to be honest. When he hit the wall the wall snapped in half and there was

a metal bar there. Luckily, he just went under it. Once we found out that he was okay, the comment I got the most was why didn't I get a home run? The guys gave me a hard time for not making it all the way around the bases.

What is the best part about playing in the Major Leagues?

The competition and the comraderie. A lot of players have a hard time leaving baseball because they love the high of competing every night, and also just hanging out with their teammates in the locker room. The locker room is a place where there is no racism, it's just 25 players and 8 coaches. You can say anything you want -- everyone is equal and it's the perfect community.

What were your favorite ball parks to play at?

Yankee Stadium and Fenway Park. When you walk into Yankee Stadium you think about Babe Ruth and Mickey Mantle and all the great players. At Fenway you have Ted Williams and the Big Green Monster. There's so much history.

You share a birthday with Britney Spears. You also both worked for Disney at one point in your careers. Any other similarities?

[laughs] No. None whatsoever.



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Now You Can Know it All Too!

Aries

March 20 - April 19

Passionate and motivated, your self assertive nature will become an asset this month as your workload goes up. Take care when venturing into new things, but keep your confidence high. If you keep your cool, you may just get what you're after.

Bar compatibility – Dirtbag's

Taurus

April 20 - May 19

Your emphasis on pleasure could get you into trouble this month. Instead of looking elsewhere for satisfaction, don't take what you have for granted. If you do, those who you hold most dear to you might not be there anymore, and you'll be stuck empty-handed.

Bar compatibility – Guido's

Gemini

May 20 - June 20

You are an conversationalist at heart, so head out this month and meet some new people. Never be afraid to make contact, this month shows potential for greatness. Don't wait for it to fall in your lap, however, you

have to go out and get what you want.

Bar compatibility – Maloney's

Cancer

June 21 - July 21

While it's true that you would usually prefer to be home sitting on your couch with the latest movie rental than going out partying, take time this month to see what else is out there. Be careful not to press your luck, however, for you might find yourself in a sticky situation if you continue to sway between the two things that are most important in your life.

Bar compatibility – The Shanty

Virgo

Aug 23 - Sept. 21

Your attention to detail might cause you to spend some extra hours on a project that you undertake this month. Whether it's a new love, a new career path, or a simple reorganization, make sure you don't spend too much time getting everything to work out perfectly. Life is about risks as much as getting everything right.

Bar compatibility – O'Malley's

Libra

Sept. 22 - Oct. 22

Don't let yourself fall into routines this month, as doing so will prevent you from branching out and making new friends. You may question loyalties this month as something comes up that will test your strength and will, so make sure you know who your real friends are before standing up for yourself.

Bar compatibility – Frog and Firkin

Scorpio



Leo

July 22 - Aug. 22

It's always all about you. Why fight it? This month is the time for you to take action, and to make sure everyone knows about it. Whether you're trying to impress someone or working to get ahead elsewhere, it's all for you.

Bar compatibility – Trident

Oct. 23 - Nov. 21

Make sure you don't overstep your bounds this month when you get to know new people. A new friend may prove to be more than just a friend, but only if you don't scare them off with your typical serious nature. Don't be so pushy, and you'll discover a new side of yourself that can relax a bit more in tough situations.

Bar compatibility – Plush

Sagittarius

Nov. 22 - Dec. 21

Don't quit your day job this month. That's not to say that you're not good at what you do, but watch out if you get discouraged, stick with it and you'll triumph in the long run. Don't let anyone else rule your world, all your dreams and creativity will pay off when you apply them in a new way to your daily routine.

Bar compatibility – Fat Tuesday

Capricorn

Dec. 22 - Jan. 19

Slow and steady wins the race. Keep that in mind this month as you are pressured into things you find yourself unready for. Take it slow, you'll be rewarded in the end. Take bad news in stride, and make sure that you

revel in good news. Take the opportunity to party when a friend lets you in on a secret.

Bar compatibility – North on Fourth

Aquarius

Jan. 20 - Feb. 17

When the opportunity comes this month to make a difference in your (or someone else's) life, take it. You'll be especially glad you did when someone else rewards you for your generosity and returns the favor. Don't let it get to your head, however. Let yourself be the person you are regardless of what your friends tell you.

Bar compatibility – Belushe's

Pisces

Feb. 18 - Mar. 19

Go with the flow this month and you might find yourself in a precarious position. If you find that you're having trouble deciding between two things, calm down and let nature take its course. You are a good enough person that the solution to your problem is to let it work itself out. You might save some heartache that way too.

Bar compatibility – Che's Lounge

Things We Like

this month in tucson



Belushe's

1118 E. 6th St.

A GREAT BAR, CLOSE TO CAMPUS

This is definitely the place in Tucson where everyone could know your name. From the moment you walk into this fabulous watering hole you fell right at home, from the long bar in the main room to the couch and coffee table upstairs.

When you're in the mood to sit back, relax, and have a few beers with friends, Belushe's is your place. It's also well known for great music, often charging

the atmosphere with hot local and national bands.

That's not all. Show up for lunch or dinner and you'll be treated to some of the best half-pound burgers in town, and they don't skimp on the fries.

Drink specials include every day \$2.50 Coronas and cheap shots, and rotating specials throughout the week. Located just south of the University, t's the perfect place to go before the game, or inbetween classes.



BlueWillow 2616 N Campbell Ave

Healthy menu items, such as whole wheat raisin toast and cranberry-pecan granola, are what make this family-owned establishment stand out like a mighty wave in the sea of restaurants along Campbell Avenue. Located in a renovated house, it is no surprise that the Blue Willow provides a comfortable, right-at-home atmosphere.

Wooden tables and bright southwest style paintings fill the intimate dining room without overcrowding, setting its customers at ease. Massive plants supply luscious greenery, in addition to exotic flowers surrounding the spacious, covered patio, which is illuminated by strung twinkle lights at night.

Celebrating its 25th anniversary last June, Blue Willow continues to serve a wide variety of meals from morning to night with distinctive items like tofu, crepes and quiche. With over 14 different omelets to choose from, their breakfast is booming, but don't forget their array of lunch and dinner options which include sandwiches served on whole wheat, marble rye, and French bread along with fish, pasta, and salad specials.

All of these sizeable portions range anywhere from \$3-8 during breakfast and \$5-10 during lunch and dinner.



ArizonaInn 2200 E Elm St

Anyone can stay in a big name hotel. Next time you have guests, make sure you put them up somewhere that has some style. The Arizona Inn is an award winning, gorgeous hotel with all the amenities of its larger competitors, but a great Tucson feel that you can't get anywhere else.

This isn't just a hotel for your parents, however. Next time you're looking for a romantic getaway, this is the place. Between the great food in the dining room and the nightly piano music in the lounge, you won't find a better place to impress your girlfriend within the city limits.

The hotel has been impressing its guests since 1930, and will not disappoint.

OldPuebloGrill 60 N Alvernon Way

We know you didn't move to Arizona for the heat, the big city nightlife, or the suicide lanes on Grant. We do know, however, that you came to drink some of the finest margaritas this side of the border.

Now the OnTap staff is no stranger to Tequila (we'll go into details at the next party we throw), and therefore we know where to go for the flavor, presentation, and buzz factor that a great margarita should deliver.

So when you're ready to try the best, check out the Old Pueblo Cafe for the perfect blend of fine Tequila, Triple Sec, and lime that we've all come to know and love (except for that one night when....).





ButzJeans

4330 N Campbell Ave # 54

This clothing store on North Campbell doesn't fit into the category of "stuff we like" -- it's far closer to "stuff we love!" It's impossible to walk out of this store without seeing something you can't live without, even if your credit cards are maxed and your parents cut you off for the third time this month.

We can prove it too. Flip to the fall fashion shoot we did for this issue, and try to resist jumping in your car right now. That's right, Butz provided all the clothes for this issue, but we promise we're not biased.

Butz specializes in all the latest fashion trends and brands that we've all come to know and love. So look no further for the best place to go for that fresh new look for the bars.

Copenhagen

3660 E Fort Lowell Rd

Sure, you've got a new place this year. I can't remember the last time I stayed in the same house for longer than two semesters. I do know this, however: there is nothing more important than furniture.

There's something about owning a nice sofa that screams independence, not to mention giving your friends a nice place to crash at the end of the night. So don't pick up the couch at the end of the street with the "Please Take Me" sign. You'll never get that smell of cat pee out, believe me.

Do yourself, and your living room, a favor: go to Copenhagen, pick a couch to match your style (it's easy here with their huge showroom), and be comfortable when you're watching Smallville on Wednesday nights.



CoyoteWoreSideburns

630 N 4th Ave



Ladies, if you want more from your hair than tired styles that typical barbers picked up in the 1980s, and gentlemen, if the last thing you ever want to hear your barber ask is the question "What number do you want?"

Friends, give your hair a break and see the stylists at Coyote Wore Sideburns on Fourth Ave. Trust me, you'll be glad you did. This funky little shop on our favorite street will never let you down when it comes to your hair, and they do it in a comfortable, friendly atmosphere.

So save your electric clippers for more appropriate places than your head, and sit down to some of the nicest stylists in town.



Cafe Poca Cosa

88 E Broadway Blvd

If it needs to be great Mexican food, and it needs to be downtown, than it needs to be Cafe Poca Cosa. The name might mean "Little Thing," but this is the place for big tastes. Just don't expect to find tacos or burritos.

This lively and colorful restaurant features a daily changing menu of fantastic meals, a bright, lively atmosphere, and a flan to die for. The next time you're out to impress a date, or check out a concert at the refurbished Rialto, make this a destination that I guarantee you won't forget.

ParkPlace

5870 E Broadway Blvd

There is a fantastic mall in Tucson, Arizona. The recently renovated Park Place mall is as much a delight to the eyes with its tall, colorful ceilings, as it is to your legs when you sit down in the comfy leather chairs. If you need to stop by Borders, Macy's, Abercrombie and Fitch, Victoria's Secret, and The Gap all in one afternoon, than you need to go to Park Place.

This mall doesn't stop at fine retailers, but also boasts an impressive food court, a twenty screen movie theatre, and a Bamboo Club and Metro Grill restaurant.



CasaVideo

2905 E Speedway Blvd

So you absolutely need to rent and watch an old school Howard Hawkes film for your Media Arts class by tomorrow at noon. You know you can't go to a big name chain store to find it, and Amazon doesn't deliver that quickly. Let's say you also have a strange hankering to check out every Clint Eastwood movie while nibbling on free hot popcorn. There's only one place to do it, and it happens to also be the only two story video rental place in Tucson.

Next time you want to converse with self-proclaimed movie buffs about The Godfather, or pose questions to local Tucsonans about the importance of supporting local businesses, go to Casa Video and get lost in their aisles of great films.

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC NUISANCE

PURSUANT TO TUCSON CODE SECTION, 11-140, AS A RESULT OF A LOUD OR UNRULY GATHERING AT THESE PREMISES, THE NEXT LOUD OR UNRULY GATHERING WILL RESULT IN CIVIL PENALTIES IMPOSED UPON ALL PARTICIPANTS AND SPONSORS OF THE EVENT, AND ALL PROPERTY OWNERS OF THE PREMISES AND THEIR AGENTS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT, pursuant to Tucson Code Section 11-140 on JANUARY 25, 2003, at 0230 a.m. p.m., the Tucson Police Department found that a public nuisance caused by a loud or unruly gathering occurred at the premises located at 2601 E. WAVERLY. If there is a subsequent event on these premises which constitutes such a public nuisance and necessitates the intervention of the Police Department on or before 05/25/03, (120 days from date of the first police intervention) every participant in and sponsor of such event, and the owner of the premises, shall be jointly and severally liable for the civil penalties connected with this response as set forth in the Tucson Code, Chapter 11, Article VIII.

J. ALZAGA #42983

(Signature of Officer issuing notice)

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THIS NOTICE MUST REMAIN POSTED FOR 120 DAYS
This posting may be contested by filing a written request for a hearing at Tucson City Court at 103 E. Alameda within 10 calendar days.
THE REMOVAL, DEFACING, OR CONCEALMENT OF THIS NOTICE IS A CIVIL INFRACTION AND WILL RESULT IN A \$100.00 FINE.

RED TAGGED

This year, the Tucson Police Department have all but declared war on house parties around the University.

Red Tag Throwing a house party in the Tucson area just isn't what it used to be. During the past year, the Tucson Police Department (TPD) has begun cracking down on local gatherings by placing a red tag violation on any house that is causing a disturbance to the neighboring houses. However, the TPD's idea of a "disturbance" is quite conservative. According to the TPD, a disturbance can be: "a gathering of five or more people, excessive noise or traffic, obstruction of public streets by crowds or vehicles, drinking in public, the service of alcohol to minors or consumption of alcohol by minors, fighting, disturbing the peace and littering." Other violations warranting a red tag include excessive drinking, having bonfires, urinating in public and charging a cover fee to enter a party. This literal red tag is adhered to the window of the accused house, where it must stay for 120 days. Some officials are fighting to pass some legislation which will extend that period to 180 days. If the red tag is removed or defaced during this 120 day period, the TPD is notified and all tenants are issued a \$100 fine. If a second violation is reported during this period, the police issue an official citation, at which time all tenants

will be forced to pay a \$500 fine (even if they were not present at the party) and the landlords or homeowners will be notified. At each subsequent violation the fine will be increased by \$500. Why is this being done? Earlier this year, many neighborhood residents near the University began to complain that the University was not doing its part in disciplining its students concerning off-campus parties. The residents claimed that the students were creating noise disturbances, destroying property, which was changing the character of otherwise pleasant neighborhoods. The UofA responded by holding a meeting of UA and Tucson officials, City Attorney's office and Ward III neighbors, where the topic of student disturbances was discussed. The UA vice president for campus life, Sandra Taylor, attended the meeting and admitted that the university was not doing its best to enforce the student code of conduct, which allows the UA to take disciplinary action (i.e. suspension and expulsion) against students who are proven guilty of alcohol abuse or the use of illegal drugs (and other behaviors). Taylor felt that the university's lack of discipline was having a negative effect on the surrounding area, and she went so far as to say that, "the university

(is) not a good neighbor." In previous years, the university had only applied the code of conduct to students living on campus, and they now hope that the red tag system will help oversee the students with off-campus living arrangements. Are red tags going to solve this problem? But will this be the case? Last year, of the 600 homes that were issued a red tag in the midtown area, only a handful was issued a repeat offense. The assistant city attorney, Alan Merritt, commented on the red-tag system, saying that it "is not flawless but it works."

View from the Mt.
Lemmon Highway.



SUMMER BLAZE

A look inside the Aspen Fire through the eyes of the firefighters who saw it firsthand.

by Megan Doughty

LIGHTNING. CAMPFIRES. BONE-DRY air. Searing, 100-degree heat. These are the explosive ingredients of an Arizona wildfire. Throughout June and July, the Southwest is at the mercy of Mother Nature, as the slightest spark can take hold of a thirsty forest and burn for weeks on end. On June 23, 2002 the Rodeo and Chediski fires collided to form the largest wildfire in Southwestern history.

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Yet in a city where Fourth of July fireworks were upstaged by Fourth of July fire, simple statistics tell only part of the story. Mount Lemmon, a summer playground for many Tucsonans, was thoroughly scorched in the

Aspen Fire.

The idyllic town of Summerhaven was practically obliterated, as homes and businesses were burned to the ground. Real perspective comes from the men and women who witnessed this destruction firsthand – the dedicated firefighters who battled the blaze and finally won. While some crew members were shipped in from other parts of the country, many were in their own backyard. For the officers of many local fire departments, this was a personal affair. Their stories tell us what dollar signs and acreage cannot.

LARRY BEAR Northwest Fire Department

Around three in the afternoon on June 17, Larry Bear was running errands in Tucson. Between stops, he noticed a column of smoke billowing above Mount Lemmon. Bear's department, the Northwest Fire District, is regularly called to the Coronado National Forest, so he was hardly surprised to get a

page a few minutes later. By seven o'clock that evening, Bear was up on the mountain trying to tame the northwest flank of the fire. The 35-year-old crew boss and his team worked into the wee hours of the morning, all the while remaining in awe of the blaze.

"The first night we kind of just sat there and watched the fire," Bear said. "It grew from a couple of acres to a couple of hundred [acres] in like two hours."

Bear's hand crew battled the Aspen Fire for two straight days. After Type I Incident Commander Larry Humphrey took control of the fight, the team was bumped over to the Helen II Fire in the nearby Rincon Mountains, only to return to the Catalinas a few days later. As the flames roared towards the upper reaches of the Foothills, he hopped on an engine and took action. Bear spent the next four days defending vulnerable structures and communities.

While Summer 2003 was certainly a fiery season, Bear says last year was much worse. He was assigned to a total of 33 different

fires and nearly missed his own wedding last July. Luckily Bear's wife, a reserve firefighter for Northwest, understands the nature of the job.

"She knows I enjoy it, so she lets me go out and play," Bear said.

The couple, who met in the Fire Academy, recently celebrated their one year anniversary.

JACKIE JANTON Northwest Fire District

Squad boss Jackie Janton has been fighting fires since she was 23 years old. This past June, after 14 years of grueling experience, she was faced with a magnificent challenge: to defend her city and its outskirts from a massive summer blaze.

Janton was paged by Northwest Fire Department in the afternoon of June 17, but had little idea what she was up against until later that evening. As she drove up the mountain with the rest of her team, she began to understand the enormity of her task.

"The fire activity was pretty extreme. It was cracking and popping and roaring...we knew going in there that we didn't have much of a chance because of the fire conditions," Janton said. "But we were going to try anyway."

Janton and her coworkers set out to cut a line around the then 50-acre blaze. The fire was stubborn, however, quickly jumping into surrounding canyons and refusing to be contained. The crew worked through the night and then returned after sleeping through the morning, rested and ready to fight through the hottest part of the day.

As the situation worsened and specialized "hotshot" crews were called in, many of the initial workers were reassigned or released from duty. Janton was sent home to recover and gear up for other inevitable summer surprises.

Janton's experience is particularly unique because she was one of the few women involved in the Aspen fight. Yet while she is a female in a male-dominated line of work, she says she rarely feels out of place. She feels respected by her coworkers and is, in fact,



Firefighters on the job



View from Tucson

married to a fellow firefighter. Janton says her biggest challenge, rather than fitting in with the guys, is to keep up with the rookies, many of whom are right out of high school.

"You have to be physically fit for the job," she said. "It's great if you like being outdoors and lots of physical activity, but it's definitely a challenge. It's not for everybody."

Janton stays strong by running and hiking frequently, particularly in the "off-season" of winter. While her job is highly demanding year-round, she finds it extremely fulfilling.

"There's a true sense of accomplishment when you attack a fire and put it out...you get to look at it and say, hey, we did that."

RICH KVALE Forest Aviation Officer Incident Commander, Eastern Arizona Incident Management Team

"I've fought fire for thirty years," said Rich Kvale, 51-year-old grandfather of six. "I've seen a lot of devastation in my career, but when it comes into your home unit, the place where you go to eat lunch everyday, it's quite different."

Kvale, Type II Incident Commander and Forest Aviation Officer, was battling the Thomas Fire in the Apache/Sitgreaves National Forest when the Aspen Fire first broke out. He and his team were informed that a wildfire had sparked just southwest of Summerhaven, posing a direct threat to

the peaceful village. On June 18, Kvale's team was pulled off the Thomas Fire and reassigned to the Aspen Fire, making the several hundred mile trek only to find the town in ruins.

"I drove into Summerhaven two days after it burned," Kvale said. "I guess I really wasn't quite prepared to see how hot it had burned, and all the homes and businesses destroyed...I knew that it had happened, but you just can't prepare for that."

Kvale and his team officially took control of the fire on July 1, after it was downgraded from a Type I to a Type II situation. The following four days were some of the more stressful of Kvale's career. With structures such as the Palisades Ranger Station and the Mount Bigelow telecommunications complex in jeopardy, Kvale was faced with some very weighty decisions. The unruly terrain was perhaps the most significant challenge. Firefighters were dealing with steep, wooded areas that allowed for few escape routes, making non-aerial firework extremely dangerous. Changing winds also made fire behavior difficult to predict. As a powerful gust drove the fire across Sabino Creek, the front range of the Catalina Mountains became vulnerable and the flames became plainly visible.

"The most lasting visual memory was watching the fire burn down Sabino Canyon towards Tucson," Kvale said. "You could see it from the city, and at night it would just glow...it was beautiful, but I know it scared a lot of people."

On July 3, Kvale called for the return of a Type I Incident Management Team. He

The fire activity was pretty extreme. It was cracking and popping and roaring...we knew going in there that we didn't have much of a chance because of the fire conditions. - Larry Bear

remained in control until they arrived, citing July 4 as one of the most stressful days. There was little time for celebration as Kvale's men attempted to control the fire while simultaneously transferring responsibility to the new unit. But Kvale, who was also Incident Commander of the Chediski fire, is no stranger to missing out on summer fun.

"My birthday is in the first part of August, and my kids can't remember the last time I was around for it," he said. "That's just the way fire season goes."

Such sacrifices simply go along with the job – and for Kvale, missed birthdays and grueling hours are redeemed by the eventual result.

"It was a good experience," Kvale said, reflecting on his work with the Aspen Fire. "A lot of work, long hours...but ultimately it's so gratifying when you're successful."

STUART RODEFFER
Northwest Fire District

When they first heard that a wildfire had ignited in the Coronado National Forest, Stuart Rodeffer and his colleagues were cautiously optimistic. Rodeffer, 38, had been fighting the Thomas Fire under the command of Rich Kvale since early June. As hopes of containing the fire quickly dwindled, he headed back to Tucson to join the fight. Upon seeing the blaze, Rodeffer was immediately concerned; it seemed apparent that the fire would run away.

"At first we thought it would be nothing, that they'd be able to catch it," Rodeffer said. "But then the pagers started going off a little bit more...we acknowledged early on that if it got going, it'd be hard to catch, and that's exactly what happened."

Rodeffer said firefighters faced an uphill battle both literally and figuratively.

"All of the contributors to a major wildfire were present," Rodeffer said. "There was a lot of fuel up there, and it was dry. The land, the weather and the fuel stacked up against us. Everything that could have possibly been in the column against us was there."

After a brief encounter with the Aspen blaze, Rodeffer was moved to the neighboring Helen II Fire. From his new assignment – a smaller blaze of no threat to any structures – Rodeffer watched as the Aspen Fire swelled and shifted unpredictably with the wind. Because he could see that the fire had grown considerably, Rodeffer was hardly surprised when he was redirected to his original assignment. He was sent up Mount Bigelow with one of the few engine crews able to maneuver through the wilderness. As he fought to contain the flames and direct them away from susceptible fuel supplies, Rodeffer was met with intense smoke, heat and ash.

"If you've ever stood by a campfire or a

barbeque, and you instinctually want to get away from it, that's kind of what it's like," he said. "Except you have nowhere to go."

Perhaps even more overwhelming was the universal feeling of helplessness. The wildfire was a national priority, so resources were abundant, yet no amount of water or manpower was able to quell the blaze.

"I saw some of the finest firework that I've seen anywhere, and it didn't make a difference," Rodeffer said. "You were still standing there with your jaw on your chest."

While the Aspen Fire certainly stood out because of its power and proximity to home, Rodeffer has grown accustomed to the business of fighting wildfires. Like Kvale, he is rarely around for summer events. Rodeffer and his wife, another fire worker, celebrated their tenth anniversary on August 2nd. The occasion marked only the fourth that they've been able to spend together.

"We're a fire family. This is nothing new, it's just the nature of what we do...of course my wife and I miss each other when we're away, but it becomes a way of life," he said.

According to Rodeffer, his devotion is hardly unique.

"We have such a dedicated group of fire professionals in this country," he said. "I always feel fortunate to be working with such phenomenal people."

STEVE HULLAND
Elephant Head Fire Rescue

As Chief of a tiny volunteer fire department in the Green Valley area, Steve Hulland lives and works a good distance from Mount Lemmon. Yet neither the trek nor the size of his crew kept this seasoned firefighter from the Aspen blaze. Hulland's department, Elephant Head Fire Rescue, was among the first to dispatch a team, with several men en route by 4:45 p.m. on June 17. Many other small departments followed, from such varied locations as Three Points, Picture Rocks and the Tohono O'odham Native American Nation. Hulland says none of these firefighters had to be asked to join the fight twice.

"It was a tremendous community effort," Hulland said. "They just asked, and everyone came."

Hulland and his team were called to duty for two specific reasons: to join the initial engine attack and to set up a "dip site" for the firefighting helicopters. Elephant Head firefighters specialize in these services, and according to Hulland, are highly trained and capable in both areas. This reputation undoubtedly prompted the Forest Service to call on the Elephant Head team.

"It takes a while for folks to become proficient in wildland firefighting...it can be very dangerous...you have to be careful who you send," Hulland said.

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facts



June 17, 2003

At 3:30 PM, the Aspen Fire started somewhere near Marshall Peak.

Number of miles away from the town of Summerhaven that the fire started:

2

85,000

The number of total acres burned between June 17 and July 12.

\$15
Million dollars: estimated amount in damage to Mt. Lemmon.

350
Homes destroyed by the fires.



After the devastation of the fire.

The Elephant Head attack engine arrived at the burn site around 6:30 p.m., while Hulland and his water tender – one of the largest around – did not reach Mount Lemmon for another two hours. Such bulky equipment can only be moved at a ten mile per hour crawl, making Hulland’s climb up the mountain a slow one. By the morning of the 18th, however, the White Tail Dip Site was fully established and ready to service the helicopters. Six dips, each providing 2,000 plus gallons of water to the helicopter in need, were carried out on the 18th despite dangerous wind conditions. A convoy of trucks kept the site hydrated, bringing water up the mountain to the vat, or “pumpkin”.

“The object is to keep that pumpkin filled to the brim,” Hulland said. “If it goes down, it’s harder to get water into the chopper.”

A former air-traffic controller and a pilot himself since the age of eight, Hulland is well-versed in aerial logistics. Such experience was extremely valuable to the water-tending operation and, therefore, to the fight as whole. After all, without water – from both the dip sites and Mother Nature’s monsoons – the Aspen Fire would still be raging.

SEAN CULLINEY Northwest Fire District

Mount Lemmon was once a cool and peaceful retreat for Sean Culliney and his

fiancée. They would often hike the Aspen Trail with their two dogs, enjoying the exercise and the escape from the boiling heat of Tucson. As Culliney and his fellow firefighters rode towards the Santa Catalina Mountains on June 17, he watched this very area go up in flames.

“When we first heard there was a fire up on Mount Lemmon, the crew was a little bit giddy,” Culliney said. “A lot of us hike up there, so we knew there was a lot of fuel...we knew we had a job to do. But when we got there, we realized just how full our hands were.”

Culliney, under the supervision of crew boss Larry Bear, was part of the initial attack on the Aspen Fire. At first, the team was surrounded by blackness, as the fire was deep in the woods and not yet driven by the wind. But in the early morning of June 18, it was clear that they were dealing with a monster.

“The fire started getting real active on us,” Culliney said. “It sounded like a freight train right next to us, and the night sky was just bright orange. Everyone just kind of looked at it in awe and fear and thought, ok, this is more than we can handle.”

The town of Summerhaven sat just uphill of the blaze, right in the path of the burn. Yet the fire was so complex and unpredictable that Culliney and his teammates were essentially unable to strategize. The town lay dangerously close to wooded areas, making it difficult to set up fire breaks, and the weather was less than cooperative. Culliney’s initial

feeling of giddiness soon turned to helpless wonder.

“After the first night, we realized how much trouble we – and the town – were in,” Culliney said.

Firefighters were unable to shield the village from the flames, and most of Summerhaven was consumed. The Type I Incident Management Team soon took over, and the long battle continued. The Aspen Fire was declared officially contained on July 15, with the help of midsummer monsoons.

Culliney, 32, is getting married in November. While his future wife has grown accustomed to his risky lifestyle, the Aspen Fire was still a nerve-racking experience for her. His parents were also uneasy, as they live out of state and know only as much as they see on the news. Like his coworkers, however, the firefighter has accepted his fate. Last year’s Bullock Fire kept him from a family reunion; before that, he was unable to attend his grandmother’s funeral in Ireland. For Culliney and his fellow firefighters, it’s all in a summer’s work.

“It’s kind of a given that when the summer comes around, we go away.”

DESTINATION: Phoenix



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The combined blaze eventually consumed nearly 470,000 acres of the Tonto and Apache/Sitgreaves National Forests as well as 40 million dollars in funding. This summer brought an encore performance, as the Aspen Fire ripped through the Santa Catalina Mountains just north

of Tucson. This year's blaze, which began on June 17, was significantly smaller, burning only 84,750 acres at less than half the cost.

Yet in a city where Fourth of July fireworks were upstaged by Fourth of July fire, simple statistics tell only part of the story. Mount Lemmon, a summer playground for many Tucsonans, was thoroughly scorched in the Aspen Fire.

The idyllic town of Summerhaven was practically obliterated, as homes and businesses were burned to the ground. Real perspective comes from the men and women who witnessed this destruction firsthand – the dedicated firefighters who battled the blaze and finally won. While some crew members were shipped in from other parts of the country, many were in their own backyard. For the officers of many local fire departments, this was a personal affair. Their stories tell us what dollar signs and acreage cannot.

Around three in the afternoon on June 17, Larry Bear was running errands in Tucson. Between stops, he noticed a column of smoke billowing above Mount Lemmon. Bear's



department, the Northwest Fire District, is regularly called to the Coronado National Forest, so he was hardly surprised to get a page a few minutes later. By seven o'clock that evening, Bear was up on the mountain trying to tame the northwest flank of the fire. The 35-year-old crew boss and his team worked into the wee hours of the morning, all the while remaining in awe of the blaze.

"The first night we kind of just sat there and watched the fire," Bear said. "It grew from a couple of acres to a couple of hundred [acres] in like two hours."

Bear's hand crew battled the Aspen Fire for two straight days. After Type I Incident Commander Larry Humphrey took control of the fight, the team was bumped over to the Helen II Fire in the nearby Rincon Mountains, only to return to the Catalinas a few days later. As the flames roared towards the upper reaches of the Foothills, he hopped on an engine and took action. Bear spent the next four days defending vulnerable structures and communities.

While Summer 2003 was certainly a fiery season, Bear says last year was much worse. He was assigned to a total of 33 different fires and nearly missed his own wedding last July. Luckily Bear's wife, a reserve firefighter for Northwest, understands the nature of the job.

"She knows I enjoy it, so she lets me go out and play," Bear said.

The couple, who met in the Fire Academy, recently celebrated their one year anniversary.

Squad boss Jackie Janton has been fighting fires since she was 23 years old. This past June, after 14 years of grueling

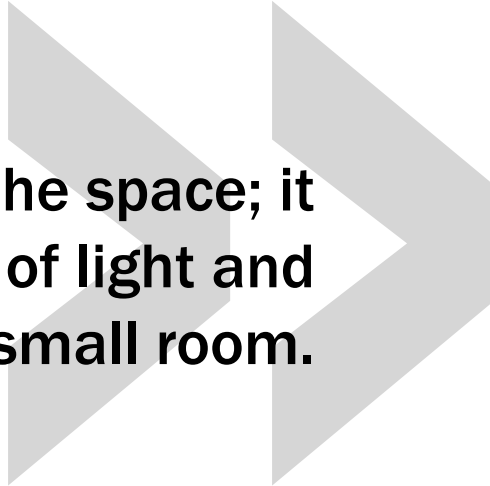


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anatomy of a **CRIIB**

The wall of mirrors defines the space, and gives guests an impression of light in space in an otherwise small room.

The wall of mirrors defines the space; it gives guests an impression of light and space in an otherwise small room.





the guy's house





A comfortable environment is just as important as a nice looking one. You should never sacrifice comfort for beauty.





**the girl's
house**



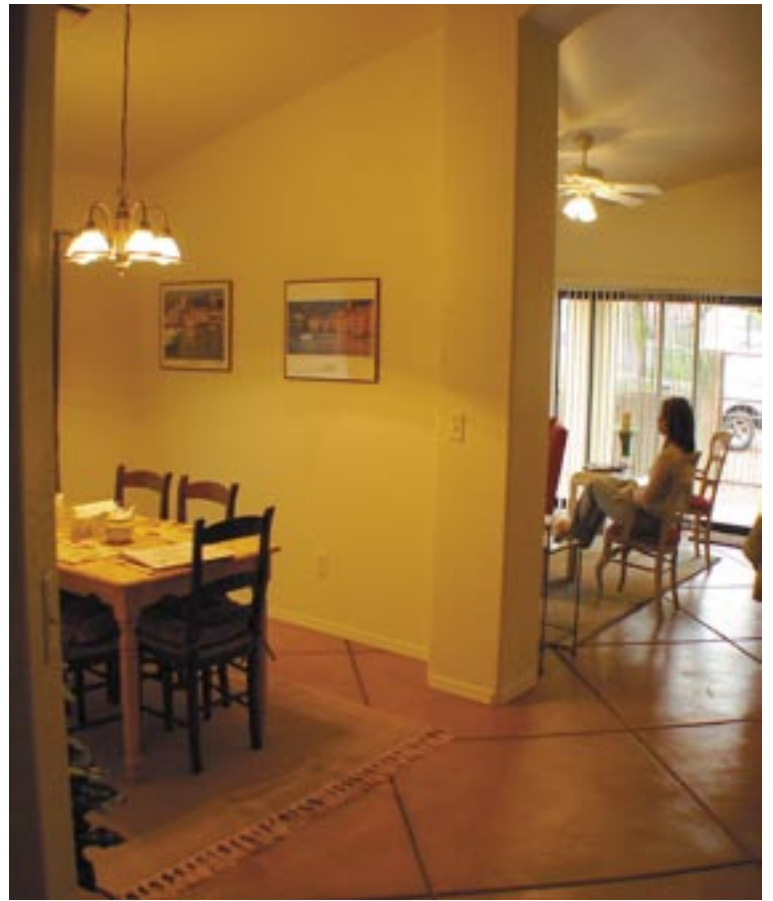
We wanted to decorate the house in a smart, saavy way without coming off too girly. We used a tapestry over the tv to add texture, and plenty of candles for variety.





My bedroom needed to fulfill several functions for me. I wanted a quiet place to study and relax, but also a place to get away from studying. The colors are a soothing light yellow, and the television is pushed into a corner so I won't be tempted to watch it that often.







OnTap's Friday Night POKER GUIDE

* You've all seen Maverick, and probably have recited a line or two from Rounders, but have you ever tried to get your own weekly game going?

Guy's Poker Night May never be the same.

Like jeans and a tee shirt in a black tie lounge, a plasma screen television doesn't fit in my apartment. My second hand furniture whispers to my third hand carpet abhimukti dreams of dying and coming back as something, anything, plasma. I didn't hold up a bank and I don't have a fancy job, but I do have one hell of a fancy poker game that allows for heavy spending- if I win.

Necessities for a weekly poker game:

1) Good group. You miss a week, you're gone.
-- A fixed group of at least five people you can count on to show up at the same time every week. Some of the most successful games I've seen have been played on Wednesday night. People look forward to the weekend warm up and crave something to break up the work week.

2) Start at a fixed time. End at a fixed time.
-- If you're a workin' stiff, 8 P.M. to 12 A.M. is ideal. It's after dinner; after quality time with the spouse, kids, television. It's an important rule that everyone with chips, must stay in until the end. Particularly with new games, people will win big shoes early and try to cash out. The alternative is playing a tournament where there's an initial buy in and you play until one person has taken all of the chips.

3) If you loose your dough, your done for that week. No buying back in.

-- Buying in can go a few ways. An agreed upon number will be chosen, let's say \$40. Then dish out \$40 worth of chips (giving enough small chips to have a lasting game) and get ready. At no point can a player buy back in. That is to say, if someone loses the \$40 in an hour, they are out of the game until next week. No exceptions.

Essential Tools:

1) Cards. New are nice but not necessary. If any of the cards are torn, marked, bent- save 'em for Solitaire. Two or more decks.

2) Chips. This can be a status thing. In my early games, we used plastic Bicycle chips purchased at any toy store. As I moved around, I noticed the chips got fancier and fancier. If they come in a case that looks like it could be holding an Uzi, the chips are most likely hot- or

it's an Uzi and you should politely excuse yourself from the game.

3) A table. If you're serious about having a weekly game, invest in a real table. There are games where I've seen people toss a hotel blanket over a kitchen table... The game wasn't taken seriously and the player wasn't taken seriously.

4) Atmosphere. West coast games can always be, should always be, played outside. Those that want to smoke can do so. The fresh air keeps your alert and fresh. If your game is inside, one rule- no mirrors anywhere.

5) Button. The button is passed around from dealer to dealer. If you have a fixed dealer, the button is still passed around as if others were dealing. The purpose of the button is to keep track in double blind and single blind games.

6) Edibles. Up to you and yours. Booze to carrot sticks- go nuts.



The Five Commandments of Strip Poker:

- I. Though Shall Keep a Girl to Guy Ratio of 1:1.
- II. Though shall never let a girl win just because she is hot.
- III. Though shall keep copious amounts of beer and fruity drinks (for the ladies) on hand.
- IV. Nothing is sexier than watching a girl puff on a big, fat, long...cigar.
- V. Money and or clothes lost in a poker game become the sole property of the winner.

7) Reference Guide. If nobody knows how to play poker very well, have a basic guide on hand to clear up any discrepancies.

Tips:

1) If your group's goal is to get better at cards, make deals. If a player folds, they never have to show their cards to anybody. In fact, if you're the dealer and you sneak a peak, it's very much in poor taste- but- you can ask to see the cards and it's up to the folded player whether or not you shows the table. This helps the other players learn to read people and helps folded players set up a potentially false poker personality. For example, if I took a player to the last round with a bluff and fold at the last minute, I might show my bluff, making the table think I bet big on small hands when in fact I may not.

2) Watch the pros. ESPN has great coverage.

3) Play internet poker. Many professional poker players hone their skills online. You can make small bets and get a feel for the game.

4) Read up. I suggest starting with Ben Mezrich's "Bringing Down the House." It's not a poker study book but it gets you in the mood. After that, go crazy- read 'em all, read 'em hard.

5) In big games, six players or more, fold a lot. Poker is a marathon, not a sprint. Those that win big early, can go home with nothing and vice versa. The chances that you can bluff that many players with a weak hand may be slim.

6) Count your outs. After your cards have been dealt and the flop has been made, how many different cards can you get to give you a strong hand?



Okay. Does a straight beat a flush or is it the other way around? You probably wouldn't be surprised to learn that most of the people who play poker have absolutely no idea what hand beats what (including most of our staff). So for all of you poker defunct here's what determines wheter you lose your pants or she loses her top..



1. **Straight flush:** five cards of the same suit in sequence, such as 76543 of hearts. Ranked by the top card, so that AKQJT is the best straight flush, also called a royal flush. The ace can play low to make 5432A, the lowest straight flush.

2. **Four of a kind:** four cards of the same rank accompanied by a "kicker", like 44442. Ranked by the quads, so that 44442 beats 3333K.

3. **Full house:** three cards of one rank accompanied by two of another, such as 777JJ. Ranked by the trips, so that 44422 beats 333AA.

4. **Flush:** five cards of the same suit, such as AJ942 of hearts. Ranked by the top card, and then by the next card, so that AJ942 beats AJ876. Suits are not used to break ties.

5. **Straight:** five cards in sequence, such as 76543. The ace plays either high or low, making AKQJT and 5432A. "Around the corner" straights like 32AKQ are usually not allowed in casinos.

6. **Three of a kind:** three cards of the same rank and two kickers of different ranks, such as KKK84. Ranked by the trips, so that KKK84 beats QQQAK, but QQQAK beats QQQA7.

7. **Two pair:** two cards of one rank, two cards of another rank and a kicker of a third rank, such as KK449. Ranked by the top pair, then the bottom pair and finally the kicker, so that KK449 beats any of QQJJA, KK22Q, and KK445.

8. **One pair, two cards of one rank accompanied by three kickers of different ranks,** such as AAK53. Ranked by the pair, followed by each kicker in turn, so that AAK53 beats AAK52.

9. **High card:** any hand that does not qualify as one of the better hands above, such as KJ542 of mixed suits. Ranked by the top card, then the second card and so on, as for flushes. Suits are not used to break ties.

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BEST IN THEATRES:



The Rundown

September 24

Warner Brothers

★★★★★

Cast Notes: (6/6/02) I imagine the next role to be cast after Nicolas Cage would be his daughter. I don't know how young the character is in the novel (since it's not published yet), but given the tendency in modern Hollywood films for A-list actors to not be shown with children that would date their age too much, I'm

guessing she's probably in the single digits. I was going to make a joke about Dakota Fanning (so that if she was cast a few days later, I would seem amazingly prescient), figuring she was the most likely choice, but she's going to be busy in July with another movie called "Molly Gunn" (preview page coming soon). Um, okay.... so how about Haley Joel Osment's little sister, Emily, maybe?

Director: Ridley Scott

MOVIE FILES:
FILMED IN TUCSON

Costner was here...

MOVE OVER HOLLYWOOD, TUCSON IS POISED to take over as the movie capitol of the world. Don't believe me? While you watch in disbelief as Bob DeNiro moves in next door, here is a quick list of several movies and television shows that were filmed in our small town:

TV

Hey Dude! A must watch for the children of the eighties.
The Young Riders

Movies

- Boys on the Side
- Can't Buy Me Love
- Revenge of the Nerds
- Tin Cup
- Young Guns II
- The Three Amigos'



Dickie Roberts:
Former Child Star

September 5
Warner Brothers

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The Fighting
Temptations

September 12
Warner Brothers

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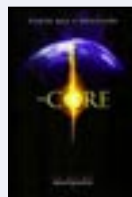
ON DVD THIS MONTH:



RENT

Identity

This spooky Thriller starring John Cusak has an ending that you won't soon forget. With a plot twist that rivals *The Sixth Sense*, *Identity* is sure to thrill and surprise even the most jaded soul. Pick it up if you're in the



SKIP

The Core

If you're looking for an intelligent, scientifically accurate thriller that involves tunneling to the center of the Earth to release a nuclear explosion to "restart" the planet, well, one out of three isn't bad, right? This movie is so terrible



BUY

Bulletproof Monk

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RENT

Malibu's Most Wanted

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Have you never left your parents' basement? Are you entirely too familiar with the backside label of the Doritos packaging? Are you widely considered to be a "social deviant?" If so, then I suggest you skip this review section because you are most likely aware of all of these films already.



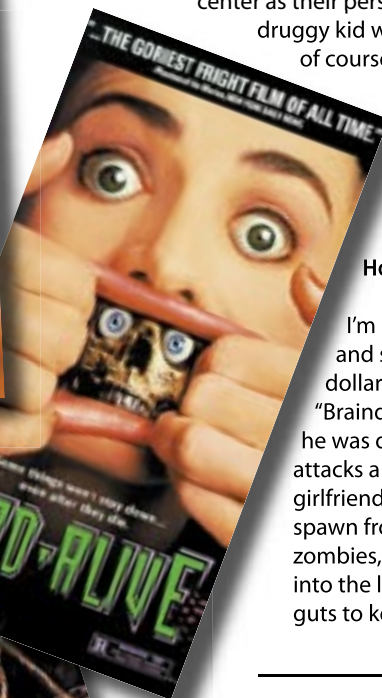
Comedy – "Heavyweights"

That's right. It's hard to believe, but Disney has made one of the funniest movies of all time. Why is "Heavyweights" such a chumbucket of monkeys? Yes, there are fat kids, but it's not entirely that. The gem of this film is an astoundingly good performance from the great Ben Stiller. Stiller stars as Tony Perkis, a fanatical fitness guru attempting to melt the excess pounds off the pudgy campers. In a turn of characteristic Disney predictability, the fat kids overcome Perkis in a hijink-filled romp of incredibly fat proportions. This is truly Ben Stiller's best performance in anything, anywhere. Seriously.



Drama – "Over the Edge"

It's 1979. Sex, drugs, and rock and roll rule pop culture, but you're only thirteen. Well it wouldn't matter if you were in "Over the Edge." In this movie, a bunch of young whippersnappers who are forced to live in a planned community resort to the local rec center as their personal center of drugs, sex, and general debauchery. There is the druggo kid who sells the LSD (11 years old), the local tramp (16 years old), and of course the community police officer who tries to bring down the kids. This movie features both a VERY young Matt Dillon and a great climax. So load up on the liquid acid, punch your mom in the face, and run out to the video store.



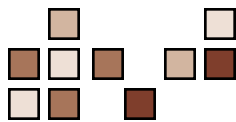
Horror – "Dead-Alive"

I'm sure you're familiar with that movie trilogy with all the rings and magic and stuff? Well, Peter Jackson, the director of those respectable multi-million dollar films got his start with some much smaller potatoes. "Dead-Alive," or "Braindead" as it is sometimes called, was one of Jackson's first films on which he was director, writer, actor, and did special effects. In the movie, a "rat monkey" attacks a loser named Lionel and zombifies his mother. He must then protect his girlfriend Paquita and the other townsfolk from the legions of zombie doom that spawn from his rotting corpse of a mother. "Dead-Alive" includes pregnant/baby zombies, a kung-fu priest, and a very large lawnmower. And while it definitely drifts into the land of "Horror-Comedy" at times, there is more than enough blood and guts to keep any enthusiast happy.



Cult – "The City of Lost Children"

Being "foreign" film directors, Jean-Pierre Jeunet and Marc Caro are hardly household names here in the US. You may know Jeunet, however, from last year's "Amelie" which gathered a fair US audience. "The City of Lost Children" is the anti-"Amelie" in both story and themes, but not in visuals or style. The movie is just about as beautiful as any has ever been. While "Amelie" features light music, several heartwarming stories, and is basically happiness captured on film, "City of Lost Children" is a dark, twisted tale of an incredible degree. The strange story takes place in a dark, urban city where a mad scientist is plagued by the fact that he cannot dream. To solve this problem, he kidnaps children and steals their dreams. His plot is put in jeopardy when he kidnaps the little brother of a Russian circus strongman called One. This movie is just a steaming hot pile of eye candy, so eat damn you!



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“We’re all
one-fifth of
the band.
No more, no
less.”

- Jon D’Auria
Bass

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CAMP COURAGEOUS

A local band with a
national flair



Building up a dedicated following this indie/ambient rock group has come to deliver a mellowed out, emotional show for fans of all different genres of music. Comparable to the sounds of Radiohead and Bjork, Camp Courageous has been serenading the Tucson bar scene since August of 2002. All five are Tucson locals and friends since even before high school and express that playing and working together remains fun and easier due to their fusion of friendship. “We’re all 1/5 of the band, no more, no less” comments Jon D’Auria, bass.

Precisely true, each member contributes equally to writing lyrics and creating their hypnotic sound. As singer, Danny Moreno, gently holds the microphone palm up facing the ceiling the rest of the band joins in with strong unity to the very personal and vulnerable music,

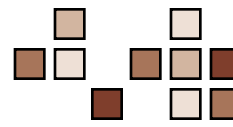
each looking around at each other and at the crowd shining with inner light. Their most intense show so far was the 2003 Club Crawl where they played for a crowd between 500-700 wonderers. They describe it as a surreal experience but D’Auria adds that “even if there was only one person in the crowd, as long as they are enjoying themselves, it is all worthwhile”.

Camp Courageous has been keeping busy, recently playing a couple shows in Huntington Beach, Calif. and can be seen monthly at Plush, located at 340 E. Sixth St., and Club Congress, 311 E. Congress. They are finishing up recording their 10 song full-length cd, *Circadian Rhythm*, due out this September. The smooth title is in reference to, “the body’s natural cycle. Sleeping, waking up, hunger, daily routines of every day life” explains Bobby Saavedra,

guitarist. In addition, they’ve been in connection with local stations 92.1 KFMA and 96.1 KLPX putting out press packets. A 3 song EP can be purchased at all their shows as well-do yourself a musically enhancing favor and check them out Aug. 23rd at Plush and an upcoming show in Sept. at Club Congress. Visit www.atcampcourageous@aol.com for more information and merchandise.

THE GUYS:

Clockwise: Danny Moreno, Vocals, Age: 21. Jon D’Auria, Bass, Age: 21. Bobby Saavedra, Guitar, Age: 21. Jon Mancusso, Guitar, Age: 21. Brian Martin, Drums, Age: 21.



Peer to Peer Reloaded

NAPSTER 2.0

NAPSTER IS SET TO RISE LIKE A PHOENIX FROM the ashes this Christmas holiday season, but this time with its legal affairs in check, Napster owner Roxio said Monday.

The fallen song-swapping service, which was knocked offline last year after a prolonged legal battle with the record industry over copyright infringement allegations, will re-emerge as a legal paid music service Napster 2.0.

At launch, the new Napster will boast access to up to 500,000 tracks through individual download, monthly subscription of Internet radio, Roxio said.

The service will be offering its music content through deals with all five major record labels and a variety of independent labels, Roxio said, in stark contrast to the service's freewheeling days when it offered users the ability to trade their music for free.

Santa Clara, Calif.-based Roxio has been laying the groundwork for a Napster relaunch since it bought the service's remaining assets late last year.

Since then, it scooped up online music subscription service Pressplay for \$39.5 million and added eLabs president and music veteran Larry Kenswil to its board. ELabs is the new-media and technologies division of Vivendi Universal's Universal Music Group.

Roxio chairman and CEO Chris Gorog said that the early prototypes of Napster 2.0 are progressing well and that more details of the service will be revealed closer to launch.

Speaking at the Jupiter Plug.In music conference in New York, Gorog offered few details about the new Napster, but said that his experience with PressPlay has shown that online services need to make buying music as easy as possible.

"It's not about analyzing the business model du jour," Gorog said in the conference's keynote address. Consumers should be able to buy and listen to music online the way they find most convenient, he said. "There have to be no obstacles to downloading music, you should be able to access any song you want, pay a fair fee, and leave. Is it about a la carte? Of course it is. Are subscriptions an important part of it? Yes."

Gorog said that a European launch of the new Napster would take place within a year after the U.S. launch, and the Canadian launch would take place before that. He did not specify a timeframe for launch of the service outside of North America and Europe.

Gorog hinted that Napster will let consumers download music and play songs on a variety of different devices, though he did not specify the legal conditions or technology that would allow this to happen.

"It's not about being tethered to the music, it's all about the music being tethered to the individual... and within the next 12 months Napster will be delivering on this vision."



OUT THIS MONTH

The hottest new cds from your favorite national bands

John Mayer

Heavier Things

Sony Records



WHEN JOHN MAYER RELEASED

his first album last year, it opened to rave reviews and a seemingly instant fan following. His new album, Heavier Things (Sony) will be less a continuation of his old style, and more an evolution into a new realm.

"It's going to change a little bit. It's not going to be so crazy. It's going to become a little more electric – but not heavier – still smooth. The record is also going to be a little less sunny than No Such Thing (I remember somebody saying that it had a tropical light). It will be more complex. I like the idea of producing record after record, and them all being completely different. Hopefully, I won't lose too many fans in the process."

Expect the same soothing voice and outstanding lyrics from the first, but now with a more grown up Mayer be realy for some surprises.



Dido

Life for Rent

Sony Records



FEMALE SINGER DIDO will release her sophomore album 'Life For Rent' on September 30. The first single from the set is "White Flag." Dido and her brother Rollo of the group Faithless produced the album.

Dido, who has recorded and performed with Faithless ever since their debut in 1995, tells that Rollo has always had a unique musical vision. "I mean, he's not a musician, but he totally knows what he wants to hear," Dido says. "He's great with words—he's an amazing lyric writer as well. You know, he's better at writing the slightly bitchier songs (laughs)."

The album is the follow-up to No Angel, which was certified four-times platinum in the States with worldwide sales of more than 12-million copies. No Angel spawned the hits "Here With Me," the theme song to the vintage television series Roswell, and "Thank You," which achieved global

A Perfect Circle

Thirteenth Step

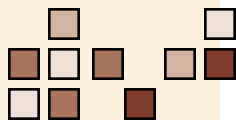
Virgin Records



KNOWN FOR ITS dark yet soothing sound and its morbid, sometimes devoid lyrics, the band A Perfect Circle has come full circle on their new album Thirteenth Step. A Perfect Circle are taking the 12-step program a step further.

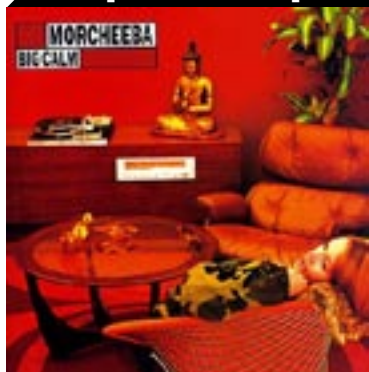
Tool singer Maynard James Keenan's other band has titled its second album Thirteenth Step. The follow-up to 2000's platinum Mer de Noms is due September 16 and will be preceded by a 12-date club tour beginning July 26 in Denver. A Perfect Circle are still deciding on a first single, according to a Virgin Records spokesperson.

Thirteenth Step marks the band's first release with ex-Marilyn Manson bassist Jeordie White (a.k.a. Twiggy Ramirez), who replaced Paz Lenchantin after she left to join Billy Corgan's post Smashing Pumpkins band Zwan.



[BIG CALM]

morcheeba



★★★★★

This album f%*&ing rocks, It's perfect for the person who actually owns an astro lounge. Morcheeba's smooth voice and catchy beats are sure to keep the conversation going and your head nodding. Perfect for the late-night entertainer, or to accompany a fantastic dinner.

[20 GREATEST]

james brown



★★★★★

Not too much needs to be said about this album, James Brown is the man, nuf said. If you don't own it feel ashamed and go get it. It has a song for every occasion, and even more if you feel like "Getting' It On" you "Sex Machine". "Payback" is my personal favorite.

[PERMISSION]

the darkness



★★★★☆

Remember the eighties, hair bands and slash metal? Well so do these guys. This highly anticipated album is just the crossover that hard-core eighties fans need. I'm not a huge fan of that crap, but this album rocks, perfect for those drug induced late nights. It combines the few good qualities of glam-rock, and gives them a new twist.

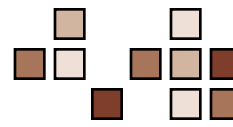
[GOD LOVES UGLY]

atmosphere



★★★★☆

An underground hip-hop group from Minnesota, Atmosphere lays down sweet beats with even sweeter lyrics. Few groups can produce consistently good tracks with completely different moods. Atmosphere is on the cusp of being the next big thing, pick up this album so you can claim you were a fan before he sold out.



■ ■ ■ ■ ■ keller williams

(LAUGH) ■ ■ ■ ■ ■



KELLER WILLIAMS LAUGH

★★★★★

I had the privilege of seeing this “jam band” great perform his one-man show at the Rialto. Almost every instrument on this album was played by Keller himself. Anyone who can write an entire song on how awesome Bob Barker is deserves my loyalty. Tracks like “Kidney in a Cooler” are sure to please even those who think Phish should rot in hell.

■ ■ ■ ■ ■ soundtrack (THE SEPTEMBER SESSIONS) ■ ■ ■ ■ ■



★★★★★

Very few people have heard this incredible album before. The tracks featured on this album were from a self-titled film by Jack Johnson, which features two songs by Jack, including the Jimmy Buffet cover “Pirate Looks At 40”. Other bands included in this album are G. Love & Special Suace, Ozomatli, Greyboy feat. Karl Denson, amongst others. This is the perfect album for Tucson, it conveys drugs, sex and alcohol, all fun things in my opinion.

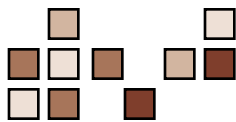
(THERE'S NOTHING WRONG WITH LOVE)



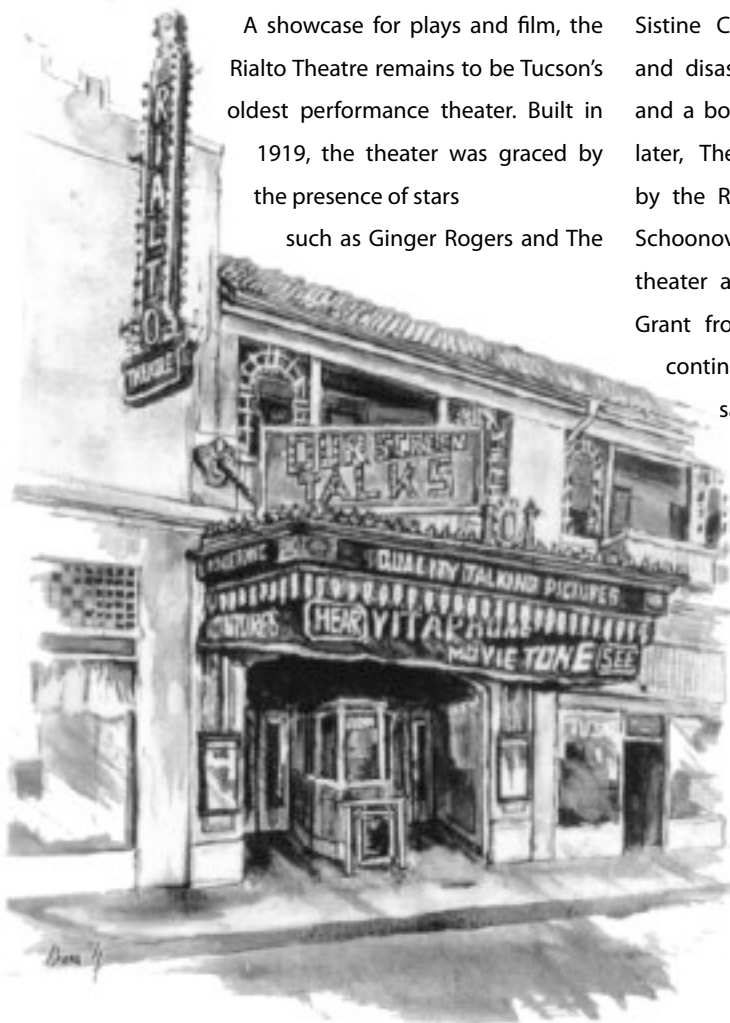
built to spill

★★★★★

This group comes from all the way up in Boise, Idaho. Fans of Modest Mouse and Rocket Annie will love “There’s Nothing Wrong With Love”. Every track on this album is better than the last. “Twin Falls, Idaho” and “Car” will definatley have you searching for more of their albums. There latest release “Ancient Melodies of the Future” was on the college top-ten list for weeks.



A THEATRE RESTORED



A showcase for plays and film, the Rialto Theatre remains to be Tucson's oldest performance theater. Built in 1919, the theater was graced by the presence of stars

such as Ginger Rogers and The

Sistine Choir. After dramatic changes and disasters, including a fire in 1981 and a boiler explosion just a few years later, The Rialto was saved in 1995 by the Rialto Theatre Foundation. Jeb Schoonover and Paul Bear bought the theater and received a Heritage Fund Grant from the State of Arizona and continue the process of restoring this sacred entertainment venue.

While the theater remains a work in progress, the restoration persists in areas of décor and the finest in technical equipment to please the performers as well as the audience.

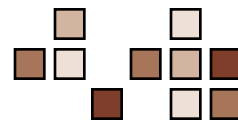
This 1200 seat venue has keeps shows intimate without cramming in concert goers and provides

a variety of ways to enjoy performances. There is a general standing area directly in front of the stage with seating available in the back, slanting upward allowing those in the back visibility of the stage happenings. The best part about the theater is the balcony area, which hangs above the downstairs seating area. Seating is provided but not restricted to and the bonus is the separate upstairs bar area that helps to avoid the thirsty crowd downstairs. Expect to find shows with big names as well as local band performances serving up some of the best in alternative rock music. Tickets may be purchased on-line at www.rialtotheatre.com or by calling the box office Monday thru Friday 2-6 at 740-1000. The non-profit theater is located at 318 E. Congress. For more information call 798-3333.

Upcoming Shows

Sat. 10/25 Mushroomhead
 Mon. 10/27 Saves The Day & Taking Back Sunday - (a personal favorite)
 Fri. 10/31 Dick Dale
 Mon. 11/3 Liz Phair
 Sat, 11/8 Sex Workers Shows
 Tues. 11/11 The Ataris, Hopesfall, Planes

Mistaken For Stars, The Go Reflex
 Wed. 11/12 Modest Mouse
 Fri. 11/14 Lucinda Williams
 Sat. 11/15 Twiztid
 Thurs. 11/20 Cesaria Evora
 Tues. 11/25 Bella Fleck
 Tues. 12/2 Suicide Machines



A PROFILE OF UOFA'S MIKE JOLIVETTE



M Mackey's Moment: Adrienne Mackey sat down with Arizona senior All-Pac-10 cornerback Michael Jolivette to discuss the new energy now that there has been a coaching change.

The Arizona Football team has had a wildcat week to say the least. After four straight detrimental losses - Jim Livengood and Co. said Mack is whack and we like Mike (Hankwitz) for the job of head coach. Underneath all the hoopla are the actual players. This firing and potential hiring are all about the warriors. Some may say that money or prestige is more important, but not really.

All Livengood wants to do is win and turn all of those red and blue frowns upside down. Starting senior defensive back Michael Jolivette has already seen a change in attitude from the first day of practice under a new puppet master pulling the strings. "The first day was kind of hyped. In the warm-ups we were clapping like we want it. We weren't just going through the motions in practice - we were out there making a lot of plays," he said. No. 8 has a great positive attitude when it comes to shorter practices that began on Tuesday.

"We have less time to get it done, but that makes things a lot more intense. The guys are really going at it. When we're in practice, I know on the defensive side, we go to it." The lifted morale and maneuvering is a good thing considering the tumult-ridden team travels north to get back into the Pac and take on No. 14 Washington State this Saturday. And don't forget that the Cougars just whooped Oregon (yes the Oregon that beat Michigan) last Saturday with a score of 55-16.

Mike J's favorite memory at Arizona

came when he faced WSU as a freshman. "Man, it's been awhile, but I liked that game when we beat Washington State at home in triple overtime." Maybe cat fans can hope for some "in the year 2000" déjà vu up in Pullman this weekend. No matter what's going on with the team this hard-hitting pass deflector has received much love from fans when off the field "everywhere and all of the time". Support has been abundant for the senior in all areas. Mike appreciates the U, for it has prepared him for "the real world". "To balance football, academics and life you just have to learn to communicate with all types of people. I've had a chance to get to know what the world is like here. About sticking to it, commitment and getting in the habit of things," he said. The Houston born and bred corner cannot wait to return to his home state though. He's got a good shot at the pros with 10 career interceptions and superb speed - he was once clocked at 10.6 seconds in the 100-meter dash. "That's my dream - to be back home playing for the Texans or the Cowboys," he said with a spark. And speaking of Texas, Tucsonans and Cat fans abroad might get to know a little bit more about the lone star state as of late, considering current head coach Mike Hankwitz put together a stellar defense at Texas A & M. And according to Jolivette, Texans do things a little bit different when it comes life and football.

"I like Coach Hankwitz. He's an enthusiastic coach. I went on a recruiting trip to Texas A & M when he was there. It was really different. From the attitude of the coach you could tell he could make something happen." The team needed a shake-up after a season started with disappointments.

WHERE ARE THEY NOW?

NBA DREAMS FULFILLED Tracking the careers of these five former Wildcats was an easy task considering the fact that these players were invaluable to the team over the past two years. Leading the Cats to the Finals in 2001, these players guaranteed themselves picks in the draft.



Rick Anderson
Boston Celtics

Position: F

An immensely versatile player, Anderson's leadership role last year helped the Wildcats to no end. His strong shooting and rebound skills will lead to success in the NBA.



Luke Walton
Los Angeles Lakers

Position: F

Son of our favorite basketball announcer Bill Walton, Luke is one of three Pac-10 players with 1000 career points. Picked seventh in the NBA draft by the Lakers.



Gilbert Arenas
Washington Wizards

Position: G

Students fortunate enough to have seen games in which Arenas played were often dazzled by his smooth and accurate three pointers. A definite MVP, Arenas left UofA after only two seasons.



Loren Woods
Miami Heat

Position: C

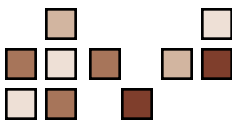
It's easy to describe Woods in just two words: points and rebounds. The man was almost unstoppable, racking up two double-doubles and a triple-double his Junior year at UofA.



Richard Jefferson
New Jersey Nets

Position: F

Known for his impressive dunks and stalwart defense, Jefferson was picked 13th in the first round by the Rockets. Was even more powerful when teamed with Nets point guard Jason Kidd.



SportsTalk

You're gonna hate me.
Or you're gonna love me.
There won't be any middle ground. But isn't that what sports is about?

More on that in a second... but first, you're gonna have to get to know me a bit. After all, anyone who promises to elicit such emotions as love or hate is someone you should get to know.

First of all, I'm a sports fan, just like you. I know you're a fan because you're reading this, and it's virtually the only thing sports-related in this magazine.

I don't seriously bet on sports, although I still owe KOLD's Todd Grisham \$50 after a sure thing went sour. It's only been two years. Don't rush me.

I supported John Mackovic. (Hate me yet?)

I played college football, back when the Earth's crust was cooling.

This column isn't about me, just so you know. I'll stop introducing myself soon.

I work for the Arizona Icecats, the best-kept secret in Tucson. More on them in a couple weeks, but you should know their season begins Oct. 25th against ASU.

I'm the king of all sports media in Tucson. Not really. But my voice has been heard talking sports on no fewer than four local radio stations, and can currently be heard in the nation's first and only Internet-based sportstalk program... Sports Apocalypse. www.azstarnet.com/sportsshow. Check it out, anytime... 24 hours a day seven days a week. I'll be waiting for you. I'm the tall guy with the flower in my lapel.

I will never lie to you. I will tell it the way I see it. You may or may not agree with me, and that's great. E-mail me if you feel strongly about something I've written here. E-mail me and I'll use it in the column whether you like me or not. This column won't work without you.

I will never say "shizz-nit" or "off the hook" and I will never "get my drink on." That's because I am old.

Like you, I like music and movies and cheerleaders, although I'd prefer they not interfere with the games.

I am originally from Detroit, and while we Detroiters have enjoyed recent success with the Redwings, we should be pitied for the Lions and the Tigers. Try as I might, however, I cannot throw my allegiance behind the Cardinals. The Lions are the only NFL team I have any real passion for. God, I'm a mess.

I support women's athletics, and actually enjoy watching women's hoops. It's a much more pure form of basketball than the game the men play. Having said that, there's not much more exciting than watching the Wildcat men play. More on that in a couple weeks.

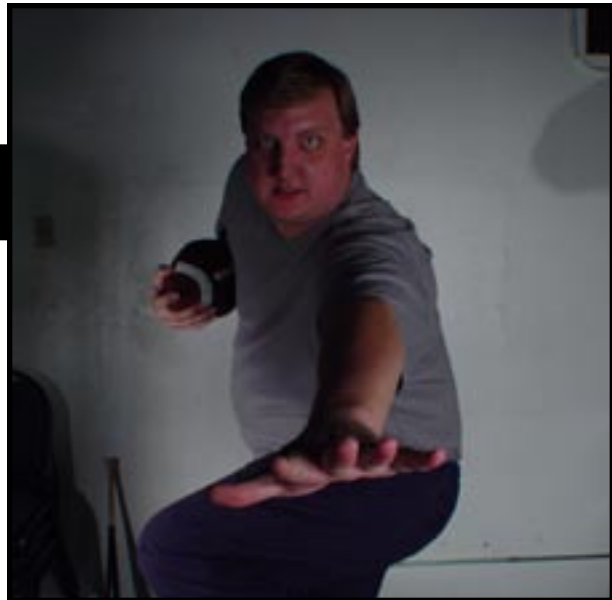
Ok... I've had enough of me; I can only imagine how you feel.

Here are this issue's incoherent ramblings:

Earlier I said I supported Arizona football coach John Mackovic. It's true, I did. I may be the only person in Tucson who thought he shouldn't have been fired.

But, fired he was... almost a month ago now. Coach Mackovic got his golden parachute, and those left behind got the shaft.

In spite of what may happen the rest of the way... the Arizona



Football program is a wreck. And I think I can tell you when the ship began taking on water.

It was 1999. The Arizona Wildcats were coming off their best season ever, a 12-1 campaign that saw them finish the year by beating Nebraska... that's right... Nebraska, in the Holiday Bowl on December 30th, 1998.

Their only loss in 1998 came to UCLA; a 52-28 hammering here in Tucson, and yet the Cats still had a shot at their first trip to the Rose Bowl. But a hurricane blew them out of Pasadena.

In late September of '98, Hurricane Georges was tearing through Southern Florida the same weekend that UCLA was set to take on the Miami Hurricanes. The game was cancelled- and not rescheduled- until Miami and UCLA needed the game to qualify for a run at the National Championship. The game was magically rescheduled for December 5th and Miami beat the Bruins 49-45. UCLA got left out of the National Championship game and settled (settled?) for the Rose Bowl- a trip Arizona would have killed for.

Wisconsin beat UCLA in the rose Bowl, and Arizona was left with a nice Holiday Bowl trophy... and memories if the best season in Wildcat history... but still no Rose Bowl.

The next Fall, Arizona entered the season ranked third in the nation ready to prove to the world they were contenders.

The first game- at Penn State. A national stage for two highly ranked teams.

Arizona got killed. If you thought the three games Arizona played this year against LSU, Oregon and Purdue were ugly, you missed the Penn State game in 1999. It put the Ugh in ugly.

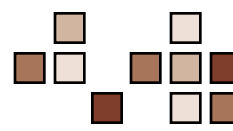
The 'Cats went 6-6 that year, 5-6 in 2000 and Dick Tomey quit in a teary postgame press conference after a loss to ASU at home.

August 28, 1999. Penn State 41 Arizona 7.

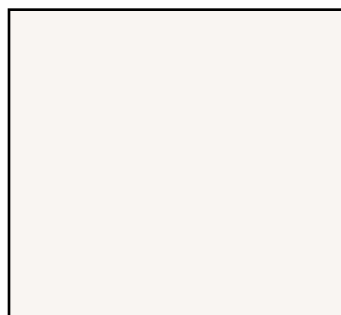
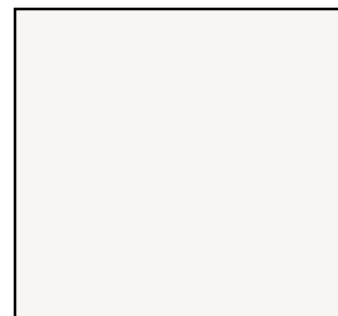
The program hasn't been the same since.

See you next time.

You can hear more from Brian 24 hours a day/7 days a week on Sports Apocalypse at www.azstarnet.com/

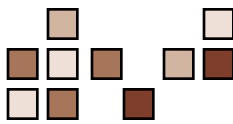


Video Game Two



Video Game Three





HARRY POTTER AND THE ORDER OF THE PHOENIX

J. K. Rowling with the latest installment of the wizard world
Scholastic Books



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Expect a darker, more grown up version of the Potter series with the fifth book.

48 LAWS OF POWER



Robert Green and his book about the rules of social interaction.
Penguin Books



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Lenclos (said to have bed Rochefoucauld, Moliere, and Richelieu), Greene wages a 360 degree assault onto each scenario, leaving no stone unturned, no weakness uncorrupted.

Greene's approach is less of a how-to guide and more of an intellectual exploration of the way the most sinister parts of the mind work. If you think Machiavelli is merely the name of a Tupac album, perhaps this book isn't for you, but if you have appreciation for victory and embrace your A.D.D. - this book would serve your well - plus, it looks good sitting on your desk next to an over sized letter opener and satin glove for that iron fist of yours.



THE NEW LOCAL MAGAZINE

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FASHION AND STYLE

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styleQ&A

Where can i find designer looks on a college budget?

Tucson actually hosts some great places to find trends without spending a fortune. Saks Off Fifth (the Saks Fifth Avenue outlet store) has great name brands at discounted prices. Despite popular belief, the merchandise is mostly current with very little from last season.

They offer brands such as Seven, Allen Swartz, Parallel, Marc Jacobs, To The Max, Sweet Pea, Burberry, Jill Stuart and DKNY to name a few. Plus they are usually stocked with Fendi, Coach, Kate Spade and Prada bags. They also have Gucci and Kate Spade sunglasses among others, and it's all discounted! So make the trip to the Foothills Mall and check it out!

Other options are Forever 21, which always has inexpensive, trend items. Take the time to sort through their items because they always have Prada, Marc Jacobs and Chanel knockoffs. Plus you can never feel guilty about buying a shirt and wearing it once!

The chandelier earring trend is still really huge, so if you don't have a pair, get some.

Another option is Target, who has re-vamped their image towards a younger, hipper audience. Since they have brought in Mossimo and Isaac Mizrahi, their fashions have become very stylish and contemporary. These are just a few options. You can also shop on the Internet to find exactly what you are looking for. Happy discount hunting!



Fall fashions seem to be really expensive to dry-clean with all the with all the luxury fabrics. How can i save on my dry-cleaning bill?

Drum roll please...introducing washable clothes in your favorite fabrics. It's true; a lot of fall's fabrications are washable thanks to our innovative friends in textiles! Washable silks, satins, sueds and chiffons are now being manufactured for fall. Most of them require delicate washing or had washing followed by an old-fashioned line dry.

But for stains, definitely take it to the cleaners. Also look for cotton-lycras this season, which feel great and look great. This fabrication allows for pieces to mold to your body, but not stretch too much. No more cardboard cotton!

What accessories should I wear for fall?

Fall accessories are very ostentatious and girly. To go along with the 80's theme, pendants and pearls are essential. But you can find inexpensive ones easily. Get an extra-long strand of pearls so you can wrap it several times. This season also offers beads and stones of all sorts. The BIGGER, the BETTER.

The chandelier earring trend is still really huge, so if you don't have a pair, get some. There are now versions with beads that you can wear through the fall. Also, leather cuffs are going to be a big part of fall fashion, especially since they are starting to look more feminine and delicate. Envelope handbags and clutches are great purses to get for fall. While they are adorable, but not totally functional, you may have to forgo the usually big items you toss in your purse. Finally, knit and cashmere hats and scarves are back. Although we rarely need them in Arizona, they can be a great investment if worn in the spring with tees.

If I were to buy one jacket this season, what is the best one to buy?

You have two great options for fall coats: You can either get a great blazer or a stylish bomber jacket. Either style is prominent this season in dark denim, gray or purple velvet, earth toned corduroy or metallic satin. Extra embellishment could include shearling under a leather bomber jacket or a ribbon or belt around a blazer. Be sure that the blazer has

it to the other side. Now you have a sexy, semi-off-the-shoulder shirt. Add ribbon and embellish however you want. One suggestion is to make a bow on one side. (bows are everywhere in fall fashion). Or you can attach the flower with a safety pin to your shirt below your shoulder. You can also use your ribbon and flower on your hats. Homemade projects are always unique and encompass your style. Have fun, 'cause you'll be addicted!

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no more than two buttons. And the bomber should be cropped. Also look for detailing with buckles and zippers. If you want to wear a coat with a mini, you want it to be at least six inches longer than the skirt. Look for coats at the Gap, Saks Off Fifth, Urban Outfitters or Guess.

I have this t-shirt that I love, but I want to update it for fall. What should I do?

First go to a fabric and crafts store like Michael's. Get some ribbon you like. Maybe buy a flower that you can attach with a safety pin (try to get a silk one instead of plastic). Get some fabric glue and invest in some sharp scissors (you will use them for future projects). Take your shirt and lay it flat on the floor. Begin cutting towards the neck about an inch away from the top of the shoulder. Then cut



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men

Fall fashions for men are fun and easy. No, we're not talking about the sorority girl next door. We are talking about the clothes. But, perhaps if you try these trends, it could be the girl next door.

Men's fall fashions are closely paralleled to women's this fall. The primary look is layering. You do it anyway, with your tees under your three-button polo under your button-down, so just tweak it a little. It needs to be a little more polished to create the fall style. Try to mix up textures, fabrics and weights. This look allows you to be pulled together but not overly styled. The great thing about layering is if you are slender, it can beef you up. And if you are carrying a little extra drinking weight, you can hide your belly that's seen a few too many parties.

Also, don't steer clear of color and patterns.

according to Reez, the best investment you can make this fall is denim.

Reez believes strong sellers are going to be Energie, Gsus, Diesel and Franki B. (which is launching guy's jeans for the first time this fall). They are all well over \$100, but they are a staple item that can last you a long time.

Other brands to consider for the season include Paper Denim & Cloth and G-Star. Invest!

The low-down on jeans this season is simple. You can opt for the punkier look. The fit is slightly tighter around the thigh region and the legs flare out slightly at the bottom. They can be torn in strategic places and feature some patchwork detailing. Punk-style jeans offer a jagged look that seems unique. Experiment with them in black, charcoal or very light washes.

You could also go the carpenter jeans route. The look is reemerging in the denim spotlight. But be careful not to fall into the Old

shrink when they are subjected to long periods of heat, so line dry them. We don't need Huck Finns wandering around campus.

Accessories may not be your thing, but this fall you should consider a leather band. It can be a cuff or watch. Diesel makes some thick vintage ones and so does Billy Kirk. They can complete your outfit perfectly. Look for them at Sounds Fresh.

Now, that wasn't so bad, was it, guys? You are now fully prepared for fall fashions. Mix up rugged and polished. Look put together, but not overly styled. Don't be afraid to try a wild shirt or unfamiliar pants. This season is all about originality, so own your style. You may now recommence your thoughts about hot chicks, beer and the MLB playoffs.

winter

FASHION

This season offers amazing retro color palettes and playful, bold patterns. Most wearable for college dudes are stripes. You probably own lots of striped pieces, so wear them. If you are willing to take it a step further, purchase pinstripes. It doesn't have to be dressy. Just a button down you can pair with jeans will work.

As for color, red and orange are the key accent hues for men this winter. They may be bright, but they are effective in getting a girl's attention. But if you are not feeling the emergency lights vibe, at the very least buy a shirt that matches your eyes. It is classic, attention-getting and sexy.

Alex Reez, owner of Sounds Fresh on Fourth Ave., thinks fall will be "a lot cleaner, but still cool."

Reez suggests checking out the WR brand. It offers button down shirts with sport fits, ¾ length sleeves and stylish cuffs. They start around \$60 and come in a multitude of colors, patterns and styles. They are a great way to dress up jeans for fall.

Sounds Fresh offers several other up-and-coming lines that are worth checking out. Reez likes Grypho, which gives you a rugged, sleek look. He also thinks Visa, Ben Sherman, Efecto cero uno and Religion are hot lines. But

Navy style carpenter. They tend to be overly manufactured and generic. They just don't look right. Try to find a pair that features a funky variation, like diagonally-angled flap button pockets at thigh level, a tighter flare cut or embellishment with pronounced stitching.

This season you can also go for anything with retro inspiration. Those of you who mock cowboys in tight jeans will be disappointed to hear that Wrangler and Lee jeans are back in the saddle. They are inexpensive, so try a pair and reinvent the look with your own modifications.

And for all you skater boys out there, you will be kick-flipping that you are ahead of the fashion curve, because baggy skateboard-style jeans are going to be hot. The skater look is making a strong comeback over the next few months.

Avoid any jeans that have too much going on. Get rid of any jeans with major holes or big bleached patches. They aren't even worthy of donating. Just get rid of them already.

A final note for you guys who think you can wash everything together in hot water. Wash all jeans separately inside out. Also, jeans



women

When the fashion frontrunners bring style to the U of A, the trends spread faster than wildfires in July. If you don't want to get burned this fall, then be the one to start the fire with this season's must-haves! Say goodbye to grunge and hello to glam! Adios oversized and baggy cargos. Sayonara sloppy tees and vintage everything. This fall is all about chic, elegant and polished sexiness.

They say sex sells and this season is all about it. Fashion capitals New York and L.A. are stocked with fitted satin camisoles, dare-to-wear minis, and lace and chiffon tops and dresses. With summer coming to an end, fall fashions have begun trickling into Tucson.

For the most part, there are three ways you can go this season: You can do the whole glamour, timeless, feminine theme. Or you can work the 60's mod squad, futuristic, screaming metallics look. Or you can rock the crazy, edgy, sex-kitten style of the 80's.

But, ladies, please proceed with caution if you choose to flashdance back into the 80's. I mean, do we really want to relive an era of

Whether you choose to sport the glam look, the mod look or the punker look, your must-have, daddy-I-need-it-now-can-I-have-the-credit-card-please item should be a miniskirt. Do a sexy satin one with a feminine top and knee-high boots. Add a clutch and your date outfit is complete. Or wear a denim one with pumps and the latest printed and embellished beater. Add a leather cuff and cheers! Let the party begin.

Afraid of the merciless, menacing and not so modest mini? Have no fear. Get your sexy gams into one of those pencil skirts that hugs your curves. Or better yet, snag the latest denims in new washes and silhouettes.

Update your denim with clean, dark washes. There are less of the tattered, vintage looks this season. Butz Jeans & Clothing Co. and Piece by Piece Wear boutiques' co-owner Julie Penny believes that winter fashion is very denim-driven.

"It's a cleaner, deeper, darker denim," she says, which allow "bright colors to pop. It's a

and flashy fabrics like satin and chiffon. Even corduroys are more feminine. Cargos are more tailored and less boyish and baggy. Her suggestion for updating your wardrobe is to wear a feminine cami on top instead of a plain beater.

Senger's brand to try this season: Da-Nang. Many of the Da-Nang styles are washable silk and have super-cool embroidering and flattering styles. Pants start around \$140.

When it comes down to it, all the experts and boutique storeowners agree that a miniskirt, of any kind, is the key item to have this fall. With all the major assets showing with this brazen trend, make your underwear selection wisely.

Regardless of whether you choose to adhere to the winter fashions, remember that you create your own style. It's ok to be unique. So, if you feel like you are getting caught in the blazes of the fast-spreading trends at the U of A, keep in mind that fashion is only as stylish as your attitude.

Guys, fashion may not be as interesting as Britney or the latest Z-model car or the fact that

mullets and neon? Yeah, arm warmers are kind of cool and fishnets can be scandalous and provocative, but what happened in the 80's, should stay in the 80's.

Unless, of-course, you can pull off the kick-your-ass 80's rock star chic. Think Gwen Stefani mania.

Lissa Marinaro, owner of Zoe boutique on Fourth Ave., is all about the 80's reinvention for this season. Marinaro envisions ankle boots, oversized sweaters, denim minis and tons of punk glam.

"Fall is kind of 80's. A little feminine, a little rocker," she says.

Her favorite new designer is Hussy Jr. Tees are priced around \$40. She thinks it is the next hip brand. With vulgar images and statements that read "mother fucker" across tee-shirts, the brand is likely to gain attention and stir up controversy.

Achieving the 60's mod look tastefully is more challenging to pull off than the 80's style. Definitely be careful with geometric patterns, black and white blocking, minis with boots and metallics. Do we really want a parade of "fembots" walking around campus? Not likely. So tone it down a little. Remember, this is Tucson, not Studio 54.

cleaner look."

Her favorite jean brands for fall are Citizens of Humanity, Blue Jeanous, Oliver Twist, and AG.

Another trend she suggests is layering. Layering tees, or all tops for that matter, promises to be a great and adaptable look for winter. Don't be afraid to mix colors, cuts and styles. Penny loves the C & C California tees, which are all over Hollywood. The tees come in great colors, long bodies and the softest sheer cotton jersey fabric. They range in price from \$38 to \$56.

And if you have the cash, the hottest pants this season are by Alvin Valley. They start around \$230, but they fit and compliment almost every body type. According to Penny, they coincide with the "cutting edge chic" image of fall fashion.

Sigi's owner Jennifer Senger agrees that color is important this fall. This season offers lots of interesting mixes like pink and brown, purple and black, and earth tones with metallic highlighting.

"Fashion is definitely dressier this season," she says.

She adds that it is important to dress up outfits this season with fitted garments

Bill Parcells has come out of retirement yet again to save the struggling Cowboys, but this new year please try to take some fashion risks. Be adventurous and try new things. We realize that when you hear the phrase "try new things" your mind automatically wanders to bedroom antics, but let's focus. It will be quick and painless-promise.



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On Whitney: Top by C& C Design, jeans by Paper Denim. Bracelet and necklace by In Designs.

On Kim: Top by Juicy Culture, jeans by Seven.

On Jamie: Top by C & C Designs, skirt by Paper Denim.



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* warm-ups by Juicy Culture.



On Kim (right): Shrit by C @ C Designs, jeans by Seven.

On Jamal: Watch by Diesel.





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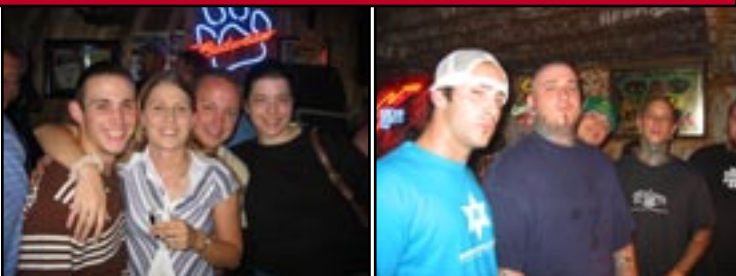
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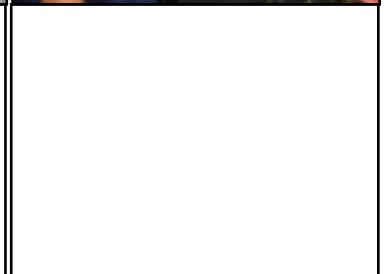
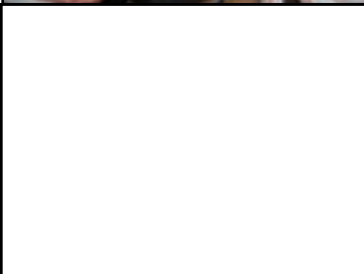
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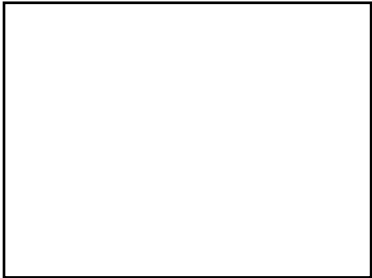
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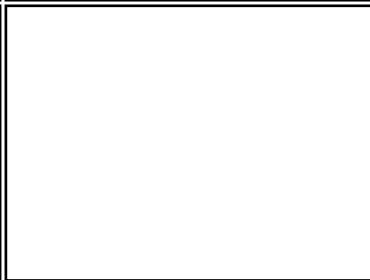
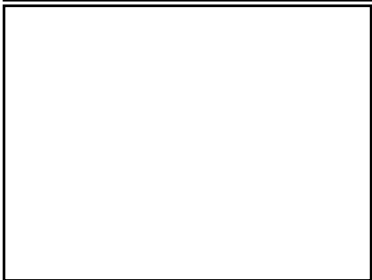
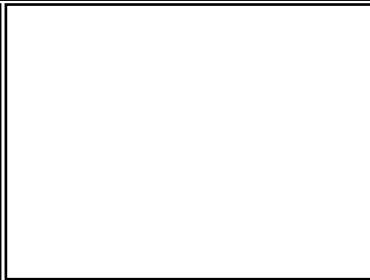
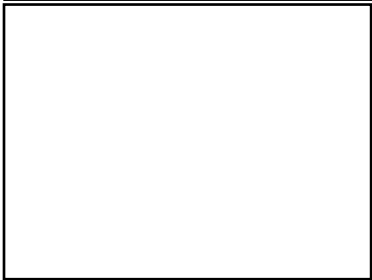
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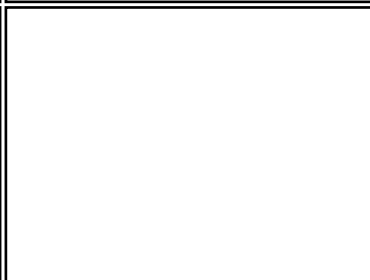
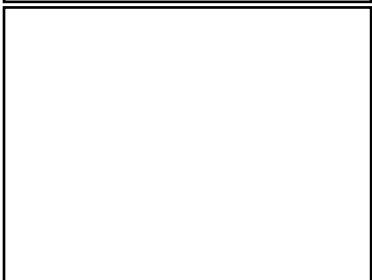
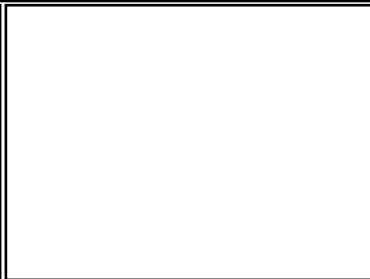
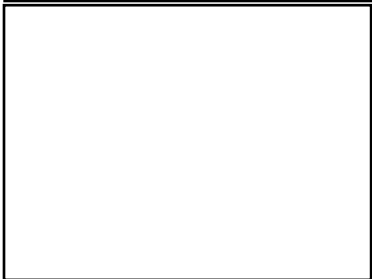
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Yoga and Pilates

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Anderson, who splits time between the Providence Center and her own Pilates studio, agrees with this assessment.

"Yoga is about pause whereas Pilates is about movement," Anderson said. "In Pilates, we teach functional body mechanics and explore how you relate with your body...we focus on what you can touch and what's there."

While these theoretical differences may seem abstract, they directly affect what students experience in classes. First, it's important to remember that there are many different varieties of both yoga and Pilates. More traditional forms of yoga include Iyengar and Ashtanga, while commercialized styles such as Hot Yoga and Power Yoga are also gaining momentum. Pilates has developed different brand names such as Winsor and Stott which couple their own machines, tools and movements with the original German method. Instructors like Anderson usually offer group "mat classes" as well as personalized, one-on-one Pilates sessions.

Regardless of the style you choose, there are some distinct characteristics that set a yoga class apart from a Pilates class. Your yoga instructor will guide you through a series of breathing and stretching exercises, and will most likely do this very slowly. Yoga poses such as downward dog and headstand are held for long periods of time, in hopes of increasing flexibility and strength while simultaneously quieting the mind. A Pilates instructor, on the other hand, will demonstrate tiny, precise movements that are to be repeated over and over again for maximum benefit. Again, it's clear that yoga is about stillness, whereas Pilates is about movement.

According to Goodhart, the long-term

effects of Pilates and yoga are quite similar. Both systems, if practiced diligently, will lead to a lean, muscular body with a strong trunk. In order to choose, she suggests balancing your workout with your personality type.

"We tend to be drawn to things that lead us to be more out of balance," she said. "Fiery personalities are drawn to more fast-paced exercise, when really they should be using opposites to balance."

So if you're a mover in everyday life, consider yoga ñ you may benefit from focused, quiet reflection. If you're more sedentary, Pilates might be for you, because it will get your blood flowing and build up some much-needed strength. Anderson also recommends Pilates to anyone with chronic pain, artificial joints, or specific exercise needs due to injury. Both Goodhart and Anderson emphasize the stress-release that their practices provide. Students and adults with high-stress jobs or family lives (so, most of us) will most likely feel more at peace with yoga or Pilates in their lives.

"It's amazing how it permeates into your daily routine," Anderson said. "I had a client call me up just because he noticed that he was holding his shoulder a certain way that I had suggested."

Goodhart cites similar reactions from her yoga students. Either system is likely to benefit you, your body and your overall lifestyle ñ yet it's critical that you understand the philosophy behind your practice. Goodhart and Anderson warn that those who are in it purely for the exercise tend to burn out faster than they start. So before you grab a tape of Winsor Pilates or Denise Austin's Yoga Buns, consider which program is right for you. Try to think less about your buns, your favorite stars, or what your favorite stars are doing with their buns. Instead, consider yourself ñ your whole self ñ and what would realistically change your life for the better.

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 AVA - Anselmo Valencia Amphitheater

GuitaRevolution
 City Limits
Friday, September 5

Three Doors Down
Tuesday, September 9
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The Drop Kick Murphys
 Rialto
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Delerium
 City Limits
Wednesday, September 10

Drive Thru Record Tour
 Rialto
Wednesday, September 10

Ottmar Liebert
 Berger Performing Arts Center
Tuesday, September 16

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Mogwai
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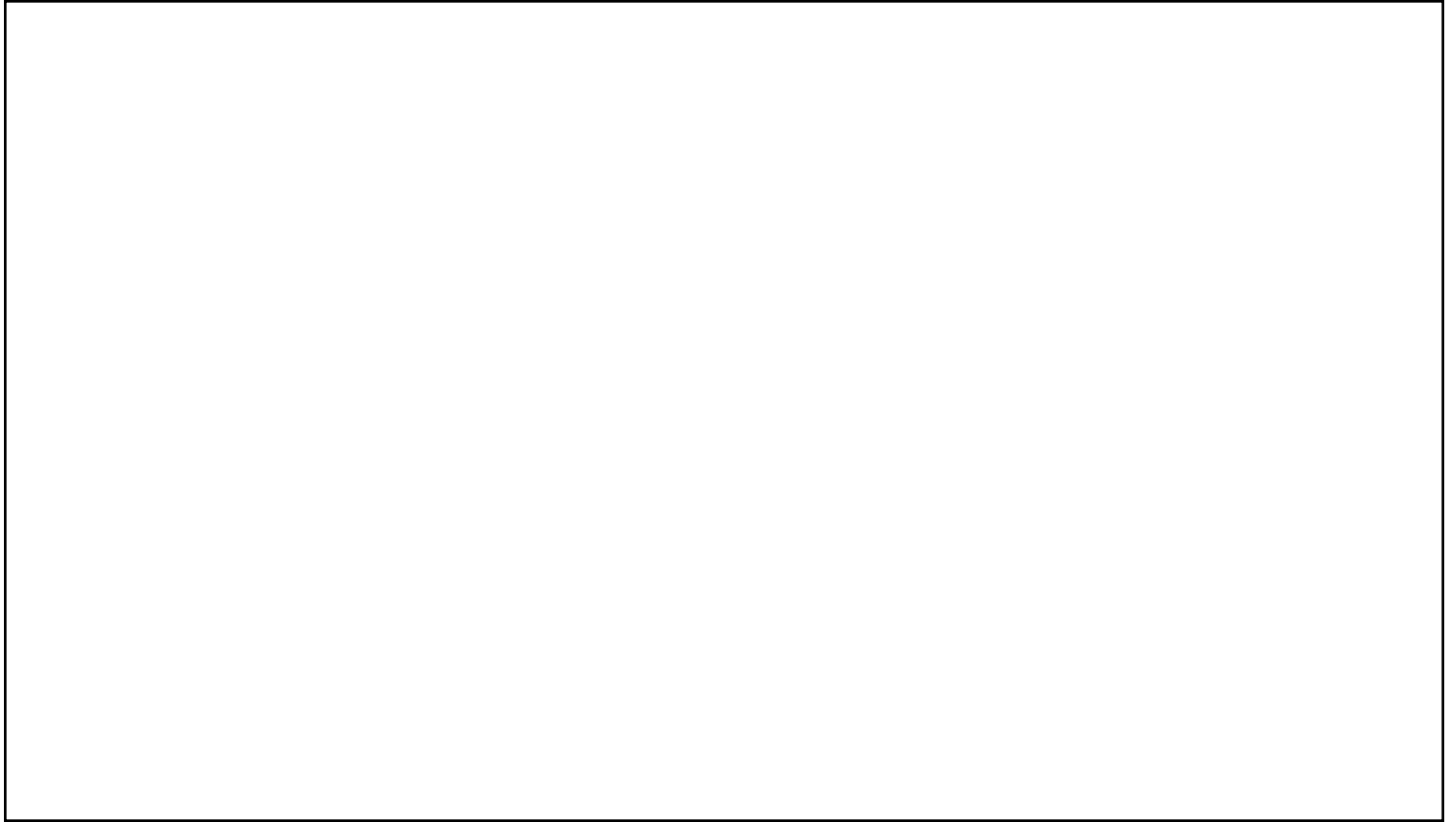
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Things We're Looking Forward to In 04:

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