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Interview with two Bryant juniors concerning new collegiate e-magazine

By Molly Funk

News Editor & Editorial Assistant

Molly: Can you tell a little about the mission of CVC?

Dayo Owoyemi: Sure, the mission of Career Vision Collegiates or CV Collegiates is to improve the awareness of college students of their fields and in the world by organizing pertinent information and making it easily accessible. To talk a bit more about the mission we are really making relevant information that is already out there easily accessible to collegiates in order to create diverse and globally aware individuals for tomorrow so they will leave their impact on the world. We personally believe every collegiate should be aware and should be apprised about what's happening around them. If you don't know what's happening around you or do not have the skills that would allow you to flourish in the workplace how can one expect to be impactful? We believe school is great but there is just some information or some skills you cannot acquire in a classroom that are necessities to success in a career. CV Collegiates is here to fill that gap.

To that extent we have created an e-magazine that can be accessed right now on cvcollegiates.com. The e-magazine contains vital information around Career Insight, Skill Development, Global Trends, Industry News, Society and Culture, and Bryant News, and is published on a weekly basis. The areas we have focused on are the areas that will contribute the most towards the awareness and preparation of college students and will enable us to add value in their profession and in the world.

Molly: What was the motivation behind starting CVC?

Richard Aduhene: Personally I have always had an interest in doing my part to make the world a better place. I always envisioned myself doing this through business and hence decided to go to Bryant. I realized that to do that I would have to literally know the world around me. So I



Richard Aduhene and Dayo Owoyemi discusses the future of CVC. (Charde Hunt-Jeanty)

began to read a lot. I'll spend hours and hours reading a lot of business books and articles as a way to remain adept and knowledgeable in a constantly changing world. After a while I began to notice that the way I could interact with people in the working world really surprised them. I mean I never really saw myself as smart so why were business executives surprised. I began to realize unconsciously I had become so well read that I had gained an edge that I would have never gained in a classroom. I want to be able to provide a platform through which fellow students can also easily receive the benefits for their careers that I believe I was able to gain through reading articles on a constant basis. I want each and every student in the world to be able to engage with professionals on an intellectual level just because they have become aware. The benefits are tremendous to the future of our society.

Dayo: Like Richard, I too spend quite a bit of my idle time reading articles on Business

Insider, The Wall Street Journal; Yahoo news is my favorite.

I began working on this project because I have experienced firsthand how being in the know translates to tremendous success and how frustrating it often is to find the information that you really need.

In an interview with Google last November, I was asked "How many hours will Americans spend on their smart phones today?"... I took a deep breath. I wanted to blurt out some random number but I didn't. Questions like this demand a holistic answer that's more about your thought process than accuracy. So I began. I talked about technology as a global trend; I talked about the percentage of Americans that use smart phones; I talked about the breakdown in the age demographic in the US; How many different hours different age demographics spend on their smartphones (which I had read about two days before my interview). I did some math and arrived at 705,000 hours.

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First-year Gateway Dean's List

By Allie Miller

Staff Writer

You made it through your first semester! You might have had to pull a few all-nighters to keep up with the unprecedented amount of work, and you might have had to ask someone how to find Salmo, but you did it! Surviving the transition from high school to college is hard enough and thriving through that transition is even more difficult. By making it onto the prestigious Bryant University Dean's List during your first year, you did exactly that – you thrived! And that deserves a celebration!

As a member of the Bryant Dean's List, you have created a strong foundation for your college education, and you have made an impression on the scholarly community. As defined in Bryant's very own Professor Laurie Hazard's book

Foundations for Learning: Claiming Your Education, a scholarly community is "a group of people working toward intellectual pursuits." But we must remember that membership into this community is not guaranteed by simply attending Bryant.

Joining the scholarly community is a difficult task. To be considered a peer among the scholarly community, you must claim responsibility for your education, you must become an active learner, and you must possess intellectual curiosity. Doing well at the college level requires hard work and motivation. Instead of passively consuming the minimum information provided, true university scholars seek to learn more. They research, attend office hours, and they collaborate with peers.

The first semester of college is tough, even without the pressure

of schoolwork. In a completely new element you are forced to make new friends, find your place on campus, and quickly understand how everything works. As you adjust to campus life, you must also quickly adjust to an entirely new level of academics. Suddenly, you are trying to understand syllabi, create your own schedule, and work with others.

Quickly, you realize that college work is very different from what you did in high school. You're expected to read 50 pages in one night of a book you had to pay for, just for one class? And those reading assignments become a lot more involved than simply skimming the chapter until you happen upon some key words. You soon learn that in college you are entirely responsible for your success. There is a lot of self-learning, and there is a lot of work that happens outside of the

classroom.

By achieving the Dean's List during your first semester, you have taken a grand step toward joining the scholarly community. As a member of this distinguished group, you have proven that you are in charge of your academic success and you are capable of thriving. With this recognition you are able to stand out as one of the best at an institution that is one of the best!

Congratulations on this excellent achievement! To celebrate this accomplishment, be sure to attend the Eighth Annual First-Year Gateway Dean's List Reception on March 18, 2015. Keep an eye out for registration; this is your one and only chance to celebrate as a first-year Dean's List recipient, and you definitely don't want to miss out on the honor.



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Bursting the ‘Bryant Bubble’

Another Clinton?

Hilary Clinton and her advisers are hinting she plans to enter the presidential race as early as April- a move that would allow her party to come together and increase fundraising.

Freed Christians

The Islamic State has released 19 Christians from the 220 that they captured in Syria last week.

Warren Buffet’s Replacement

Buffett hinted that there are two candidates to take over as the heads of Berkshire’s reinsurance and energy units, Ajit Jain and Greg Abel.

Twitter Murder

A post by the Islamic State has encouraged ISIS members to kill Twitter co-founder Jack Dorsey because Twitter is continuously shutting down any official ISIS accounts that attempt to join the site.

Central Chinese Bank

The central bank in China has cut the key rates by a quarter of a point, which has undercut Beijing’s aggressive efforts to boost the economy.

By Molly Funk

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Department of Public Safety Log

THEFT (LARCENY)
Feb 22, 2015-Sunday at 16:53
Location:
RESIDENCE HALL
Summary:
A student called to report her table stolen from her suite common room.

VANDALISM (SCHOOL)
Feb 23, 2015-Monday at 09:33
Location:
RESIDENCE HALL
Summary:
Facilities reported wall damage in the laundry room of a Residence Hall.

(MVA) MOTOR VEHICLE ACCIDENT
Feb 25, 2015-Wednesday at 19:51
Location:
DORMITORY ROAD PARKING
Summary:
DPS received a report of a vehicle attempting to pull out of parking spot and sliding on ice, striking a vehicle.

EMT CALL / MEDICAL SERVICES RENDERED
Feb 27, 2015-Friday at 23:38
Location:
RESIDENCE HALL
Summary:
DPS received a call from Smithfield Fire/911 reporting and EMT call in a Residence Hall. EMS was activated. Patient was transported by SFD Rescue 3 to Fatima Hospital.

EMT CALL / MEDICAL SERVICES RENDERED
Feb 27, 2015-Friday at 23:44
Location:
RESIDENCE HALL
Summary:
DPS was requested in a Residence Hall for a report of an intoxicated person. EMS was activated. Smithfield Fire advised. SFD Rescue 1 transporting patient to Fatima Hospital.

VANDALISM
Feb 28, 2015-Saturday at 11:45
Location:
TOWNHOUSE VILLAGE
Summary:
A student reported their side view (sport) mirror broken

(MVA) MOTOR VEHICLE ACCIDENT
Feb 28, 2015-Saturday at 16:47
Location:
HALL 16 LOT
Summary:
A student called to report her car is damaged. Her driver side door will not open.

DISORDERLY CONDUCT
Feb 28, 2015-Saturday at 23:39
Location:
RESIDENCE HALL
Summary:
A DPS Officer requested assistance with problem male student. A student conduct report was filed.

EMT CALL / MEDICAL SERVICES RENDERED
Mar 01, 2015-Sunday at 00:19
Location:
RESIDENCE HALL
Summary:
An RA requested an evaluation of a female student. EMS was activated. Smithfield Rescue was requested. Patient was transported by SFD Rescue 3 to Fatima Hospital.

ASSAULT AND/OR BATTERY
Mar 01, 2015-Sunday at 00:39
Location:
TOWNHOUSE
Summary:
A student was arrested for assaulting a DPS officer.

EMT CALL EMT CALL / MEDICAL SERVICES RENDERED
Mar 01, 2015-Sunday at 00:45
Location:
TOWNHOUSE
Summary:

DPS was notified of a male with a laceration on his chin. EMS was activated, Rescue transported the student to Fatima Hospital for treatment.

DRUG (POSSESSION OF DRUG PARAPHERNALIA)
Mar 01, 2015-Sunday at 00:51
Location:
RESIDENCE HALL
Summary:
An RA reported possible drug use in a Residence Hall. DPS investigated and found where the smell was coming from. Student was charged for possession of drug paraphernalia.

VANDALISM (RES) VANDALISM (RESIDENCE)
Mar 01, 2015-Sunday at 02:39
Location:
RESIDENCE HALL
Summary:
Occupants stated that someone threw something at window and broke it. HVAC called to see if they could seal it for the evening. Custodial also called to pick up glass shards in room.



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I was wrong. But in that moment everything I had read relative to Google, the world, answering crazy interview questions, played a role. And I also knew that the interviewer recognized that I was aware of what was happening in the world, and how that relates to the question. This summer, I will be an Account Strategist intern at Google.

Now often times when we try to find information related to our field we come across so much irrelevant saturated information that distracts us, discourages us and leave us frustrated. It’s unfair really. The process has got to be made easier. So I decided to commit myself to simplifying that process and help all college students accomplish so much more with our understanding of what is happening around us.

I have cultivated a habit of seeking out what is happening in the world. You talk about how chocolates were more expensive this Valentine’s Day and I can tell you about the growing appetite for chocolate in China and other Asian countries, which has caused the price of cocoa to rise dramatically over the past year. The human mind always seeks to form associations between things to understand them more. So really CV Collegiates is helping you to engage with your peers, students, professionals, and the world, in a more meaningful way.

You stand out to recruiters and professionals when you include some insight about what is happening in the world or in that company’s industry or what you saw in the news that affects that company, in your spiel. You add that to being hardworking, and following up, and I can tell you, you’ve got a pretty amazing cv for the job.

And most of us have big dreams of impacting the world. But the first step to impacting the world is understanding it. Without understanding it you can’t really change much.

Molly: How do your personal backgrounds give you an advantage to this project?

Richard: Being an individual who is well versed on his global surrounding and my career of choice I want to find a way to share this relevant information to the world. The information that might make someone get that job or get that promotion over another person is out there. When people receive this information they are able to impact the world and communicate on a level that makes them seem superior to their co-workers. I want to be able to share and provide this information to our demographic in a user-friendly way.

Dayo: I think the biggest advantage we have is being students. As students we know what other students need and the constraints, thoughts, and concerns we have that may be difficult for an individual that is not a student to understand. Also as students, it is very easy for us to receive genuine feedback, which we ask for very often, especially from our most critical friends.

Also, I have a vast and diverse professional experience gives us an advantage on this project. I interned at PwC for two summers, I was a Finance intern at a Soap company in Warwick, RI last winter, and did consulting for a non-profit organization in RI called Young Voices last winter as well. My exposure to real world problems and professionals helps me understand what is really needed to stand out, land the job, and make an impact. And I believe that with this extensive professional experience that we have and growing network of professionals supporting us, we can help all college students achieve their career goals.

Molly: What do you hope to achieve with CV Collegiates on Bryant’s campus?

Dayo & Richard: We hope to be able to leave a large impact on Bryant University’s campus. In the sense that every single student is knowledgeable and aware about what is going on around them in order to succeed in their career field, be it an entrepreneur or an artist.

We are extremely appreciative of the support from faculty, students, and staff here at Bryant that have gotten a chance to hear about our project. We hope to see their continued support. As we work continuously towards make this a success, we hope to see CV Collegiates integrated within our student body. We see this as a way to improve our community and bring Bryant closer to achieving its goals for its students. We see this as a way to really improve Bryant’s brand as students would show more promise to the world than there has ever been.

Molly: Where do you see the future of CV Collegiates going?

In the future we hope to see CV Collegiates be the primary source of insight for career preparation and development for all students. We hope to have created something that is adopted by all universities in the United States. We hope to expand and create a whole new generation of collegiates that are fully equipped and ready to add value to the world. Every single collegiate will be well versed and so therefore all the complaints about how most students are not ready for the workforce or how many students are not getting jobs will cease. We want to be the reason employment will increase for recent graduates all over the world.

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Tupper’s Tidbits

Top Five Favorite Things about Bryant Basketball

Iron Clad Tupper I



Hanging out on my throne in the stands at the half, waiting for some scratches. *(Christina Senecal)*

To say that I love basketball is an understatement. Well, if I’m being completely honest, I love all sports in which a ball is being thrown around and might come tantalizingly close to my jaws.

You may have noticed that I often walk around with some sort of ball in my mouth. If you mentioned that fact to my mom, she might have told you that I refuse to move WITHOUT my ball. Hey, everybody’s got their “thing,” right? Someone who’s insecure about their intellect might always talk about grades...someone who’s insecure about looks might post, like, a THOUSAND selfies a day.

Me? I KNOW I’m smart and beautiful. And charming. And humble... BOL! Some people speculate that I like to suckle on a ball because I was taken from my bulldog Ma too soon, but that’s definitely not the case – I lived with my bulldog mom till I was 16 weeks old. That’s twice as long as most puppies! Most of my bulldog friends (I got tons on Twitter, IG, and FB!) like to suck on blankets or stuffed animals, too.

Anyway, Bryant Basketball isn’t ALL about the ball. I present to you “Tupper’s

Top Five Favorite Things About Bryant Basketball”:

5. BASKETBALL. I know I said it isn’t ALL about the ball. But it’s a little bit about it! I love to watch the players run up and down the court bouncing it. It’s mesmerizing. Still waiting for someone to bounce it my way.

4. DRIBBLING. Glad to know I’m not the only one who does this. Dribbling, I mean. Oh...Ma says it’s a different kind of dribbling. Wait...so I’m still the only one drooling at the games? Ma says other people might be drooling figuratively for different reasons, but I’m the only one who does so literally. That’s cool. I’ve always been a rebel.

3. POPCORN. Sometimes, I’ll drop the ball when someone lets their kid carry his or her own popcorn ‘cuz that stuff goes EVERYWHERE when little kids try to walk and hold onto it at the same time!

2. MY THRONE. Do you see my throne in the picture? My Uncle DP made that for me. And he brings it to every game I go to so that I have someplace to sit because the benches are too narrow. Hey, my legs are too short to anchor me. It’s a ruff life being the mascot sometimes...BOL! My Uncle DP and Auntie Kristin are awesome. They are not only MY fans – they’re fans of all Bryant athletics and huge supporters.

And my number one favorite thing about Bryant Basketball is:

1. PEOPLE. Tons of people and most want one thing: To scratch my bum. I approve.

Don’t forget – I’m on Facebook (/bulldogtupper), Twitter (<http://twitter.com/bryanttuppy>), Instagram (http://instagram.com/mascot_tupper), and Vine (<http://vine.co/bryanttuppy>). Get at me! I’ll see you soon. ’Til next time... WOOF!

ISIS frees 19 prisoners

By Stephanie Johnston
Staff Writer

It seems like the first to have the ISIS name is being published without it being followed by horrific word of new undertakings. Instead, this time, there is the slightest sliver of hope: this Sunday, ISIS released 19 of their Christian prisoners, according to a London-based human rights group focused on the area.

For ISIS, a terrorist group infamous for extremely brutal and inhuman killing tactics, the stroke of mercy upon these prisoners seems incredibly uncharacteristic. Yet in Syria, 16 men and 3 women made it out of ISIS captivity alive and unharmed. The release came due to the fact that the decision did not come from the core of the militant leadership. Instead according to CNN, the move was derived from an ISIS Sharia judge order. Sharia law is a code of law and Islamic legal system. The law is followed closely and conservatively by ISIS. While that idea is typically the downfall of anyone that comes in contact with Islamic State militants, it may have the saving grace of these 16 Christian men and 3 women. The court judge ordered the hostages be released on the grounds that they did nothing to disobey the Islamic body of law, according to CNN reports. Interestingly enough, there is actually a small clause in the Sharia Law that looks to specific protect Christians, seemingly a natural enemy for the hardcore Islamic group.

All but one of the freed are from a mass capture of 220 Assyrians (which included entire families) in a Northern

Syrian province known as al-Hasakah back on February 23. The area is under control of the terrorist group and has been forced to recognize them as authority figures. The release of 10 more captives has been ordered but they have get to be released. Especially as the political motivation for this first release remains unclear to officials, the fate of the remaining hostages is still unknown.

Many fear a growing trend looking at the larger picture. Religious minority groups are growing more and more fearful as attacks become more specific based upon ethnicity—a small twist away from the typical Muslim victim for ISIS. Disregarding any law, just last week it was reported that 21 Egyptian Christians were beheaded in Libya by those associated with the group. True to the barbaric standard, a video captured the mass murdering. The five minute video included the beheading of the prisoners (instead of fading to a black screen) and made a direct reference to the Christian group in the area.

Human rights activists based out of Europe will continue trying to negotiate for a peaceful exchange of the remaining Christian hostages before more of unspeakable happens. In the meantime, Iraqi forces are continuing to push against the terrorist group. The army there has teamed up with Shiite militia, according to NBC. With any luck, the Iraqi army can recapture bits and pieces of their own country back as it moves to the ISIS headquarters state of Syria.

Has TV become reality?

By Molly Funk
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Dell’s Maraschino Cherries is a real-life Breaking Bad situation.

A cherry plant, located in Brooklyn New York, was owned by Arthur Mondella, who killed himself after authorities discovered his illegal enterprise: an underground marijuana farm. The underground facility had one-hundred and twenty high powered lamps, and a “sophisticated irrigation system,” according to the New York Daily News. It was also reported that the set up had the ability to grow approximately one-thousand plants of marijuana each week.

Authorities discovered the operation after noticing an outdated shelving system while executing a search warrant for environmental crimes at the cherry factory. Behind the shelving system was a crawl space which led to a fifty square foot area divided into offices and different growing rooms. The Daily News reports that in one of the offices there were about fifty books concerning botanics and a copy of “World Encyclopedia of Organized Crime,” as well as seeds of sixty different marijuana strains. The office also contained approximately \$125,000 in cash and three luxury cars according to CBS News.

Mondella was able to hide his illegal operation underneath his legitimate family business due to the size of the industrial plant and the scent of cherries which masked not only the smell of the

marijuana plants, but also the energy costs of such a large operation.

The company is cooperating with the District Attorney’s office, and will continue to resume their cherry business in spite of the recent discovery. Authorities believe that Mondella had a partner in the illegal enterprise, but have not released suspects names at this time.

Authorities were brought to the plant to “close a case relating to illegal dumping of toxins,” according to the Daily News. Detectives admit that they had heard rumors about potential marijuana involvement, but this issue was not discussed before investigating the plant.

It is reported by the Daily News that after the crawl space was discovered, Mondella “excused himself to the bathroom” and told his sister to take care of his children. Once in the restroom, Mondella used an “ankle-holstered pistol” to shoot himself in the head.

Dell’s was founded in 1948, and is one of the largest maraschino cherry producers in the country. Each year they process approximately 14 million pounds of cherries to supply to restaurants such as TGI Friday’s and Chick-fil-A. Mondella was the third generation of his family to operate the cherry factory; he leaves behind his three children.

This instance really raises the question whether or not TV shows such as Breaking Bad or Weeds are encouraging people to pursue illegal activities while under the impression they can outwit the authorities.

Krupp Korner Interlibrary Loan: The Short, Short Version

By Bill Doughtry
Borrower Services Librarian

It happens to everyone. You’re working on that big paper and though you’re finding a lot of useful information through the HELIN catalog or the library databases, the one book or article that seems so crucial – the one you know will help prove your point beyond the shadow of a doubt, earn you an A, and win you fame forever – is frustratingly out of reach.

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Will Apple drive into a new market?

By Nicholas Calabro
Staff Writer

First, there was the Apple I, followed by the Apple II, computer. They were followed by the Mac, and eventually Apple branched out. They moved into music downloading with the iPod, into phones with the fittingly-named iPhone, and tablets with the iPad. Clearly, this corporation is able to utilize their expertise in different industries. There is however one particular industry that Apple is believed to be entering, where some are not sure if they should or actually will. This is the automobile industry.

There are a variety of reasons people have that suggest Apple should not enter the automobile industry. First, according to a CNBC News article, being successful in this industry would require “a radical restructuring of both Apple’s design-oriented asset-light business model and the car industry’s decades-old franchised dealer system and tightly-controlled manufacturing.” There are also significant differences between the automobile industry and what Apple usually gets for a profit margin. According to CNBC, Apple had a 29% profit margin, where Ford could only manage a 2.3% profit margin. The point here is that going into the automobile industry would give them less profit and less value.

Another reason is that Apple does a lot of outsourcing for its products. This is very different from the trend in the automobile industry, where companies are more often than not making their own cars. And the Apple Car bandwagon itself, is about vehicles that

are electric and self-driving, according to CNBC. Unfortunately, this is something that is not happening in the world today. CNBC reports that there are more than 88 million cars sold globally, and only 400,000 were electric, while none were self-driving.

Also, Apple may not really need to make a car to get into that market. According to CNBC, this is because of its CarPlay business. Using this, Apple can “deliver its content to cars already.” This can also lead to Apple “reengineering other instrumentation and control systems or even designing cars’ interiors that they write,” according to CNBC. They also say that this is the more profitable part of the industry, which would be the most attractive to Apple. The final potential obstacle is that a projected 20% growth in the automobile industry is mostly dependent on areas of the world where there is struggling, according to CNBC. They have noted that this is compared to a projected 50% growth in



smartphone shipments.

However, there are moves which Apple has made to suggest that they are going to make cars. For starters, they hired Mujeeb Ljaz, who has patents for “integrating large-scale batteries with automobiles,” as reported by CNBC. In addition, they have hired the former Research and Development Chief of Mercedes-Benz, Johann Jungwirth. Another thing to consider has to do with the automobile industry itself. CNBC has reported that car systems have not changed in decades, which leaves the industry vulnerable to disruption.

Another thing is that the auto industry may represent an untapped market for what Apple already does. Advertisers also want to reach people in their car, so according to CNBC, both Apple and Google have been working with car companies. In fact, they also state that Google has a self-driving program in the works, but is probably not making their own cars. This will create pressure on Apple to move in to the automobile industry. And while the profit margins might seem like a problem, according to CNBC, Apple can negate this issue with their higher-quality technology and materials.

Finally, we cannot assume that people will want the same thing(s) in the future as they do now. As stated earlier, the automobile industry is vulnerable to disruption, which means that a new technology can lead to the overtaking of incumbents. With Apple’s innovation, they could be the company that disrupts the industry.

Medical device on the horizon

By Joe Carlson
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Thousands of people around the world have been exposed to toxic chemicals generated by their metal hip implants. Similarly, many patients have contracted infections from pieces of implanted mesh used in hernia-repair surgery, even though materials less prone to causing complications were available.

In these cases, and many more like them, experts say the health care system is failing to quickly detect and react to problematic medical devices. It’s all the more puzzling because the health care system is generating more data than ever on patients, and the safety gaps in the system have long been recognized by Congress and health care researchers.

Quicker detection and communication could spare scores of patients from suffering complications, if researchers could tap the vast troves of health data that doctors and hospitals have begun to collect on their patients.

That’s why harnessing the potential of data on patients is one of the main goals of a national device surveillance system proposal unveiled last week by the health care arm of the Brookings Institution, the Washington think tank.

The report, “Strengthening Patient Care,” written at the behest of the Food and Drug Administration’s device-safety division, lays out an ambitious seven-year, \$250 million proposal to study and then launch the

National Medical Device Postmarket Surveillance System.

“Interactions with the health care system are generating new insights every day,” said Yale cardiologist and health care outcomes expert Dr. Harlan Krumholz. “If a million people have had a device, we should have the benefit, as a society and as the next patient, of what you could learn from the experience of a million people.”

The system would track each medical device through its life cycle with patients on a mass scale, offering insights not possible with clinical trials that might only track a few thousand patients over the course of one or two years.

Besides securing funding from Congress, one of the biggest hurdles will be figuring out the best way to securely access electronic medical records without exposing personal health information. Study authors say several different models may work, which is why they’re recommending two years of pilot studies before a five-year rollout of the program.

Krumholz, who served on the study’s planning board, said the goal is for the industry to design a voluntary public-private partnership model with input from devicemakers, health care providers, insurance companies and patients. It’s intended to avoid a cumbersome top-down regulatory mandate that could follow in the wake of Congress’ 2012 order to the FDA to begin including medical devices in its new Sentinel System for monitoring medical safety.

The Sentinel System tracks

drugs and vaccines, but not devices. Although Congress’ mandate to include devices is now three years old, the FDA hasn’t been able to implement it because medical gadgets still lack a universal system for product numbering like the familiar VIN on a car.

The agency has since unveiled rules for how it plans to have companies put unique device identifiers, giving product-safety advocates a way to track the safety of each device.

“That is something that we do not have today. And it is something that we absolutely need in health care,” said Greg Daniel, managing director of the Engelberg Center for Health Care Reform at Brookings.

So far, medical-device industry officials say they are supporting the effort, though they’re still parsing the details of the Brookings report.

Janet Trunzo, senior executive vice president with industry trade group AdvaMed in Washington, said device makers agree that input from all stakeholders in the system can be harnessed to promote public health. Companies also support using unique device identifiers in a national device-safety surveillance system.

“Any National Medical Device Postmarket Surveillance System should promote optimal patient care by leveraging the input of patients, physicians, industry and other stakeholders to inform decisions about medical technology safety, effectiveness, and quality,” Trunzo said in an email.



Business Quote of the Week

**“Making money is art
and working is art and
good business
is the best art.”**

- Andy Warhol

Make it *your* business to write for the Archway!

Meetings are at 5:30pm on Mondays in Room 3 of the Fisher Student Center!



Pebble announces new smartwatch design

By Tracey Lien
MCT Campus

Pebble Technology, the Kickstarter-funded wristwatch company, announced its third-generation smartwatch Tuesday.

The Palo Alto, Calif., company took to the crowdfunding platform to announce the Pebble Time, a computerized watch with a slimmer design and longer battery life compared with its current model, and a color e-paper screen that mimics ink on paper. It also has a microphone for responding to incoming messages and recording voice memos, and new software (including fitness tracking) built around the idea of a continuous timeline instead of having to open individual apps.

Pebble Technology chief executive Eric Migicovsky said in the company’s Kickstarter launch video that Pebble was turning to crowdfunding again because it wanted to give the Kickstarter community -- which helped the company get off the ground three years ago -- first dibs on the new watch.

The smartwatch announcement came in the form of a new Kickstarter campaign in which Pebble was hoping to raise \$500,000 (a goal it surpassed in less than half an hour of the campaign going live). Creators generally turn to Kickstarter to raise the money required to bring an idea to life. In Pebble’s case, the watch is already near completion. When asked what the company planned to do with the funds, Migicovsky said, “We are laser-focused on bringing the watches to the Kickstarter community first. It’s not about the money.”

Early supporters can “back” the watch starting at \$159, which equates to a order for the device.

Kickstarter backers are scheduled to receive their watches in May, a month after Apple is expected to launch its smartwatch, the Apple Watch. The Pebble Time is expected to hit retailers later in the year for \$199.

New Tinder Plus: would you pay \$9.99 a month?

By Paresh Dave
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Tinder Plus, the dating app’s first attempt at converting its millions of users into paid subscribers, launched Monday.

An update to the Tinder app adds buttons for two of the paid features. When either is clicked, most U.S. users are prompted to pay \$9.99 a month. Pricing varies by country and by user’s age. For example, users in some developing countries pay about \$2.99 a month while people 30 and older in the United States are charged \$19.99 a month.

With Tinder Plus, users get to “rewind” if they accidentally reject someone and receive a “passport” to search for people outside their region. Tinder is the “dominant” dating platform in 56 countries and international usage has doubled in the last three months, Tinder co-founder Sean Rad said Monday morning on CNN.

Tinder, based in West Hollywood, Calif., has been among the few online matchmaking systems to be rapidly adopted by the 25-year-old and younger crowd. Analysts have raved about the hundreds of millions of dollars Tinder could bring in each year for IAC Corp., the media company that owns a majority of the startup. But whether millennials, who pay for extra features in

smartphone games or music and video apps, would do the same in a dating app has been up for debate.

Tinder started testing Tinder Plus in November, and the response has been positive, according to Rad.

“We’ve already tested this and we’ve already received signals from users that they love these features, they are good for the ecosystem and they are willing to pay for them,” Rad said on CNN.

The testing showed age-based pricing worked because cash-poor younger users aren’t willing to pony up as much, according to Tinder.

Plus also removes advertising - another way Tinder plans to make money. Rad pledged Tinder’s main matchmaking features would always be free of charge. Tinder has produced 6 billion matches, up from 1 billion last March.



Business

SolarCity and Google partner on \$750 million solar fund

By Jeremy Owens
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SolarCity and Google liked their partnership that funded residential solar installations so much they’re doing it again _ only bigger.

The two Silicon Valley companies are teaming up on a fund expected to finance \$750 million in residential solar projects across 14 states and the District of Columbia, which the companies say would be the largest nest egg of its kind. Google will put in \$300 million, which the search giant said was its largest renewable-energy investment yet, topping the \$280 million invested in a similar SolarCity fund in 2011.

Jonathan Bass, vice president of communications for SolarCity, said the \$750 million _ which will include \$450 million in debt financing _ will cover solar systems for 25,000 homes, and the company expects to fully exhaust the cash in 2015.

These types of funds are a core part of SolarCity’s business model, allowing the company to attract 190,000 customers and install solar systems that generate more than a gigawatt of power through the end of 2014, more than the output of two coal-fired power plants. Customers, in turn, lease the systems with little to no upfront costs.

“There’s no cost for the equipment or installation, they instead pay for the power the systems produce, and typically pay less for that power than for their current utility rates,” Bass said.

Part of that money pays back the partner that put up the funds with a profit, making it an attractive option for large companies with cash to burn. SolarCity announced three similar funds in 2014, totaling roughly \$850 million, with large banks as partners: JPMorgan, Bank of America and Capitol One.

“They absolutely earn a return on the fund, but there are very few investments that deliver as broad an impact as distributed-generation solar,” Bass said, noting that the investment directly creates jobs and helps fight climate change.

Google has focused on investing in clean energy, with the company striking a deal earlier this month to entirely power its Mountain View headquarters with wind energy. Google said at the time that it operates with 35 percent renewable power worldwide.

“We’re happy to support SolarCity’s mission to help families reduce their carbon footprint and energy costs,” Sidd Mundra, a Google executive focused on clean power, said in a prepared statement. “It’s good for the environment, good for families and also makes good business sense.”

Stock Market: A Week in Review

By Dillon Manfredi
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The market this week stayed pretty flat; it did not lose or gain too much. The major exchanged were mixed, the NYSE slumping back .11%, while the NASDAQ achieved a slight gain of .05%. The Indexes experienced about the same, the Dow Jones managed to gain .09% while the S&P dropped by about .24%.

The stock market was mixed overall, however neither exchange nor index suffered any major losses. These may be the type of weeks investors will come to expect, as all four, both indexes and both exchanges, teeter on not just 52-week highs, but All-Time highs. What does this mean? The markets are reaching heights that we have never seen before.

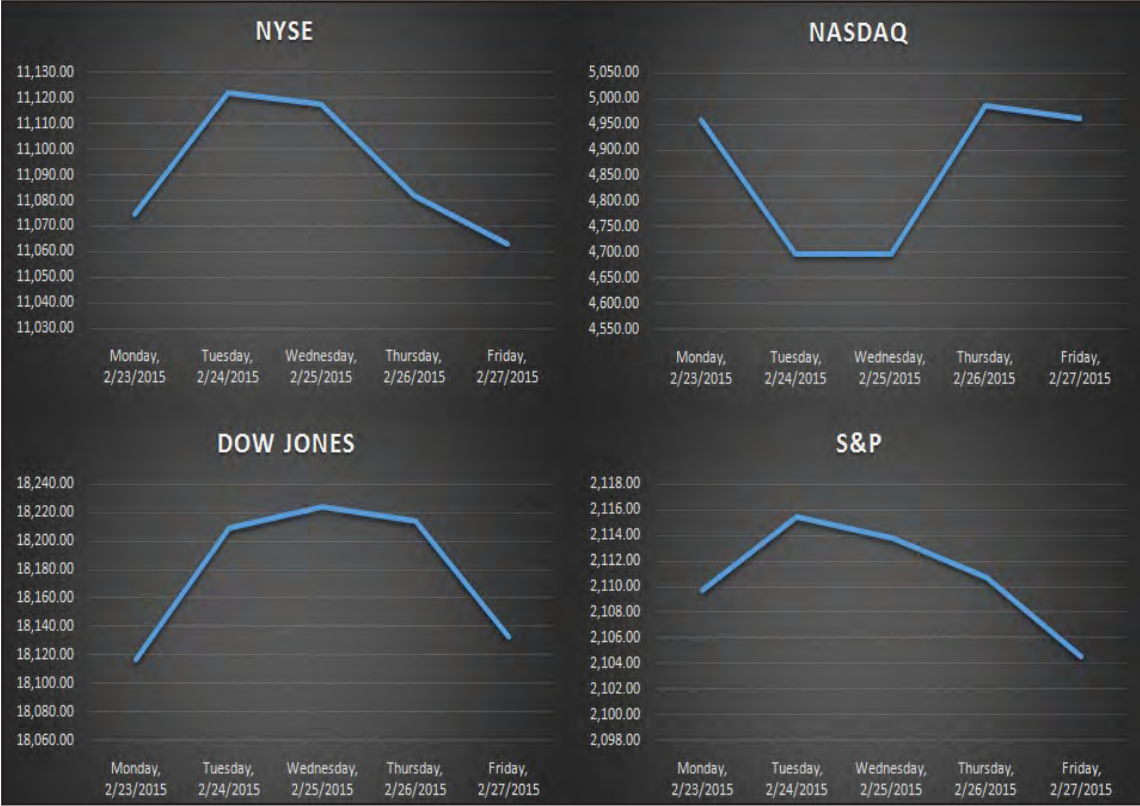
Does this automatically mean that we will see the current values recess back? Or does the fact that the market is reaching all-time highs, alone, mean the market is destined to fall back? No. The markets of today are affected in the same way they were affected last year at this time: Potential Investor value.

Investors will always be interested in an

opportunity where they feel there is money to be made. On the contrary, if they believe room for growth in a certain investment is limited, or even that it is bound to fail, they will be more hesitant or avoid it entirely. If investors see profitability, they will continue to invest, no matter what level the market reaches.

However, there is no doubting the fact that as the market rises, the chances for profitability decreases. But it does not negate the chance completely. With the market being as high as it is now, it becomes ever so important to perform sufficient research into a company before purchasing shares. Take time to look at key statistics, like P/E and EPS, and financial information, like the balance sheet or income statement. Performing adequate research will not guarantee profits, however, it will put you in a better position to make some money.

All in all, approach the market right now with a certain level of caution, look for stocks to buy that may be undervalued, and look for stocks to short that may be overvalued. There are always ways to make money in the stock market, you just need to do your research.



Bryant baseball runs into hard times

By Mark Gallant
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After being swept by the UTSA Roadrunners in San Antonio to open their season, the Bulldogs baseball team was looking to bounce back against Liberty this past weekend. However, they were unable to take advantage of their opportunities and made some costly mistakes that allowed the Flames to sweep the series.

In game one on Friday, ace Kyle Wilcox took the mound for his second start of the season. Despite allowing several base runners, he was able to make his way out of multiple jams and didn't allow a run in four innings of work. Freshman James Karinchak took over for Wilcox in the fifth inning and was very impressive despite being handed the loss. In 3.2 innings, Karinchak struck out seven and allowed just one hit. Unfortunately, three errors turned into three runs for the Flames and the Bulldogs were not able to overcome their

miscues, losing 3-2. Matt Albanese led the way for the offense with two hits, including an RBI double.

On Saturday, senior lefthander Trevor Lacosse hoped to get Bryant's winning ways started, but opposing starter Victor Cole pitched the game of a lifetime. Mistakes once again cost the Bulldogs the game, as three errors led to six unearned Flames runs. Lacosse went five innings striking out eight. Through two starts, his ERA is just a miniscule 0.90. Brandon Bingel worked two innings in relief and freshman Ryan Johnson threw his second straight scoreless appearance out of the bullpen.

The Bulldogs were not able to touch Cole, however, and managed just one hit on the day. Down to their final three outs,



Alexa Lagos pictured above

Albanese was able to break up the no-hitter with a double and was later driven in on a sacrifice fly from Captain John Mullen. The Bulldogs dropped the contest 6-1.

In the series finale, the Bryant bats stayed cold like the weather. Although the prior two games saw temperatures reach just the mid-30s, at least the sun provided some warmth.

Sunday's game was a different story, as a cold mist shrouded the field and temperatures dipped below the freezing mark.

In this less than ideal baseball weather, both teams' pitchers had a difficult time finding the plate. The Bulldogs bullpen was busy, as six pitchers appeared, none of whom threw more than two innings. Despite racking up a combined 10 strikeouts, they also allowed a combined 11 walks.

The offense started out strong with a Jordan Mountford triple and an Albanese sacrifice fly creating an early 1-0 lead. However, after allowing four straight walks to Liberty in the second inning to tie the game, Josh Close broke the game open with a grand slam making the score 5-1.

Two more errors on the day for Bryant didn't help their cause, but once again, the Bulldogs were limited to just one hit. They were, however, able to draw eight walks on the day, leading to four runs. Freshman Mickey Gasper started his first game behind the plate and drew two walks in two plate appearances. Albanese was able to drive in two runners on the day despite being held hitless for just the second time this season.

It was a weekend to forget for Bryant, who dropped to 0-6 on the young season. This deep offense cannot stay cold for long, though, and the blunders in the field are sure to decrease as the season continues.

Bryant will head back down the eastern seaboard this weekend as they travel to Towson, Maryland for a three game series. Over spring break, they will take on Delaware State and Duke in back-to-back one game outings before heading to South Carolina to play the Coastal Carolina Chanticleers in a three game series.

Bulldogs breeze past Manhattan

By Bryant Shapiro
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The Bryant University Bulldogs women's lacrosse team opened up the arsenal this past Saturday, defeating the Manhattan Jaspers 17-2. From start to finish, the Bulldogs dominated the entire game.

After dropping a tough loss to intrastate rival Brown University last weekend, the Bulldogs were hungry for a win.

The first five minutes of play were even between Bryant and Manhattan, both trying to get on the board. But with 19:58 left in the first half, senior Shannon Burns netted a shot and got the Bulldogs in front. A minute later Manhattan's veteran scorer Megan Yarusso got a goal and equalized the score. But the Bulldogs proceeded to retaliate with eight goals by halftime. Junior Lauren Descalzo was the standout offensive player on the day, having a career high of seven scores with one assist. She reached her 100th career goal as a Bryant Bulldog.

Sophomore Emily Columbus had two goals and played well offensively registering two assists. Shannon Burns ended the day with a hat trick and veteran midfielder Nicole Britton had one goal and two assists. Senior Skylar Zlotnick also had a goal on the day. Offensive action was also spread among many new players; the freshman from California, Catlin Brown, had two scores while freshman Christine Kelly had her first collegiate goal.

But this game was not just how well Bryant played offensively, but rather defensively. With seniors Corey Mania and Aileen Pearman both out due to injuries, it was up to Bryant's less experienced defense to stop Manhattan's offense, a team that registered twenty five goals on the season so far.

But Manhattan was no match against freshman goalie Daja Andrews who started her first ever collegiate game and played outstandingly. She saw time against Holy Cross two weeks ago, registering three saves. On the day she had eleven saves as Manhattan went 1-8 on free position attempts.

Sophomore Molly Martin played very well on defense, causing four turnovers. She also had her first ever career assist to Lauren Descalzo. Freshman standout Meghan Brennan also played well. She picked up one ground ball and played a key role in Bulldog transition. Shannon Burns and freshman Kendall McCartney alongside Haley Hallenbeck did well on draws, going 12-21, many of which resulted in back to back offensive possessions for the Bulldogs.

However, Bryant will have to focus on the week ahead with games against Yale on Wednesday and Siena on Saturday. For more information visit www.BryantBulldogs.com.

The Sox are back!



By Pat Curran
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The Red Sox were one of the most active teams in all of Major League Baseball this offseason. This is due in large part to their lousy 71-91 record in 2014. Expectations were high for the Red Sox last season as they were coming off a World Series victory, but their young players faltered and could not make the leap to become serviceable players.

The Sox mainly focused on improving their anemic offense from 2014. The two biggest bats that they signed were former Sox farmhand Hanley Ramirez and former World Series MVP Pablo Sandoval. These two players look to provide a much needed boost to the middle of the Red Sox lineup.

Last year Ramirez hit .283 with seventeen home runs and 71 RBI while appearing in 128 games. Ramirez will be making the transition to left field as he will be trading in his shortstop glove for a much larger outfield mitt. The Sox hope that playing the outfield will let him focus on his offense and help him get in the thirty home runs range.

Sandoval will be the starting Third Baseman for the Sox in 2015. Last year he hit .279 with sixteen home runs and 73 RBI. While those numbers aren't gaudy, they are certainly an upgrade over the numbers that Brock Holt and Will Middlebrooks put up last year for the team. The major issue with Sandoval is his weight. He has struggled with it all of his career, however he is surprisingly agile for

a 250 pounder and is known for his late season theatrics. If he gets a clutch hit that propels the Sox to the playoffs, people can live with him looking like the Michelin man.

Many fans in Red Sox Nation believe that the team should have signed an ace. They lost out on John Lester and did not replace him with any big name free agents. Many fans wanted the team to make a major run at high profile pitchers like Max Scherzer and James Shields, however the team decided to sign and trade for solid but not spectacular guys.

The Sox acquired Justin Masterson through free agency and traded for Wade Miley and Rick Porcello. In order to get Miley the team had to trade young, but struggling pitchers in Rubby De La Rosa and Allen Webster. Webster gave off the deer in the headlights look every time he stepped on the mound, so I'm sure not too many fans were crushed to see him go. In order to get Porcello the team had to trade Cuban slugger Yoenis Cespedes. Cespedes was solid and provided excitement in his brief tenure with the team, but he did not seem to fit in well in the locker room.

I am personally the most excited about the Masterson signing. When healthy he has shown the potential to be a low-end number one pitcher or a high grade two pitcher. Look for more articles on the team in the upcoming weeks, but for now we're on to Boston College!

Mike Sielski: Embiid’s surgeon optimistic about 7-footer’s future after stress fracture

By Mike Sielski
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Even before he stepped into his Los Angeles office to deliver the diagnosis that changed everything about this year’s NBA draft, that might yet change everything for the Philadelphia 76ers, Dr. Richard Ferkel already had taken the measure of the sweet, 7-foot-tall kid who would soon lie on an operating table in front of him.

In an exclusive interview with The Inquirer, his first since performing the surgery that is supposed to salvage the career of Joel Embiid, Ferkel described in depth the nature of Embiid’s injury and the process by which he will treat it. More, he sounded a note of optimism that the Sixers were right to select Embiid with the draft’s No. 3 pick and wait for him to recover from a stress fracture in the navicular bone in his right foot.

By his own estimation, Ferkel has done between 20 and 30 navicular-fracture surgeries, and in terms of the injury’s severity and the patient’s likelihood for a full recovery, he said that Embiid’s situation was far from the worst of those.

“Once he’s fully healed, his chances of having a long career are very good,” Ferkel said in a phone interview. “There’s no reason he shouldn’t have a great NBA career and be very successful. Once this heals, hopefully this won’t be an issue for him in the future.”

The director of the sports medicine fellowship program at Southern California Orthopedic Institute, Ferkel has repaired some of the most famous feet in basketball, allowing the likes of Ray Allen and Manu Ginobili to extend their careers into and beyond their mid-30s. Player agents and team doctors seek him out for both his sure hands and his expertise, and after Embiid had complained of pain in his right foot during a predraft workout in Cleveland, Embiid’s agent Arn Tellem had called Ferkel to arrange an appointment.

Now it was Tuesday, June 17. Tellem had provided Ferkel with the results of tests that doctors in Cleveland had conducted on Embiid’s foot, and Ferkel had examined Embiid himself just a few days earlier, performing his own tests before probing Tellem for

insight into Embiid’s personality and background.

“Twenty years old. ... Had played just one season of college basketball at Kansas. ... From Cameroon. ... Parents are still there, so no family support group here. ... Be realistic, but positive. ...

Once Ferkel began to speak, he could see the shock spread over Embiid’s face. He wanted to insert two screws into Embiid’s foot to stabilize it, then have him begin a rehabilitation program that would last five to eight months. The news left Embiid crestfallen, Ferkel said, fearing for his future in the sport, until Ferkel explained that there was no need for panic. In that moment, Ferkel might as well have been talking to Sixers general manager Sam Hinkie, the rest of the team’s power people, and a fan base forever seeking reassurance that the sky wasn’t about to come crashing down.

Embiid sustained what Ferkel called a “clean break” of the navicular – a weight-bearing bone in the middle of the foot – “without any major separation, which is important.” Here’s why: Navicular fractures can be notoriously difficult to diagnose, in part because they’re not easily identified on an x-ray, in part because the symptoms are often so vague that the patient can’t pinpoint the pain’s origin. If the athlete continues to play, subjecting the foot to more pounding and trauma without realizing it’s been fractured, the two sides of the bone can move apart and harden at the break, inhibiting healing. The fracture widens and deepens. Fluid-filled cysts can develop within the bone.

But Ferkel diagnosed Embiid’s injury so soon after Embiid had broken his foot that none of those potential side effects presented itself. Ferkel operated on Embiid on June 20. Soon after, eight to 10 NBA teams with realistic chances of drafting Embiid, the Sixers among them, requested copies of Embiid’s medical records. If Embiid had been the consensus No. 1 pick before the injury, he wasn’t anymore, not with Andrew Wiggins and Jabari Parker having clean bills of health. So the two teams ahead of the Sixers in the draft took safer routes: The Cavaliers selected Wiggins; the Milwaukee Bucks selected Parker. And Hinkie, who’d had Nerlens Noel sit out a full season after knee surgery, was willing to

be patient with another player whom he judged to be a franchise centerpiece.

“He is a remarkable talent,” Hinkie said, “and in our minds, in only this scenario does he fall to 3.”

Embiid’s rehabilitation will proceed in stages. He’s in the midst of a six-week stretch during which he cannot put any weight on the foot. From there, he’ll don a specialized boot and train both in a swimming pool and on an antigravity treadmill. After 12 to 16 weeks, he’ll begin a running program, and Ferkel will use an ultrasound stimulator on him to hasten the bone’s growth and healing.

Hinkie hasn’t said for certain whether Embiid will play during the 2014-15 season, choosing to be as cagey as he was about Noel. Given the familiar history of big men whose careers were truncated by leg and foot problems – Bill Walton, Sam Bowie, Yao Ming, Greg Oden it would seem understandable for the Sixers to be as prudent as possible.

Just understand: Ferkel made it clear that, assuming there are no setbacks, a five-to-eight-month rehab period should be enough to have Embiid physically ready to return to the court by late February at the latest.

“It’s certainly possible that he could come back this season,” Ferkel said.

If he doesn’t, there ought to be no doubt about the lengths that Hinkie and the Sixers will go to preserve a better opportunity for another top-three draft pick.

But then, this coming season was always going to be just the next phase of the Sixers’ rebuilding, and since that sit-down with Ferkel, since he heard the news that shook him to his core, Embiid hasn’t appeared inclined to worry about his foot or his future.

On June 20, he posted a series of photos on his Twitter account, offering a glimpse into what might prove the most consequential day of his career. There he was, wearing an oxygen mask and a hair net, lying on a hospital gurney, making silly faces, joking that he “wasn’t even asleep while they were doing the surgery.”

He had turned his body and basketball life over to Richard Ferkel, and Joel Embiid’s mind was at ease. For now, everyone else’s ought to be, too.

Week’s Best Sports Tweets

“WBB: @BryantWBBall downs CCSU, wins share of NEC Regular Season Title; set to play #7 Mount Sunday at home” @BryantAthletics

“Congratulations to the Bryant men’s and women’s track & field team for their successes in New England...” @BryantAthletics


“Bulldogs finish third in NEC. Congrats on a great season. Thank you to our Senior ladies for 4 great seasons” @Bryant_Swimming

“WLAX: Descalzo, Andrews earn NEC weekly honors <http://bit.ly/1FOTa3g> #BarkOut to the NEC Offensive POTW and NEC Rookie of the Week!” @BryantAthletics

“Pitchers and catchers are ready to go here at the final day of the Wildcat Invitational. Taking on Arizona at 1 and 3” @BryantSoftball

“Talbot on how he used to view Bruins: “You kind of look at the calendar and say, OK, we play the B’s, better go to bed early and get ready”@NHLBruins

“My lil bro @DomWill2 is having a hellava SR year at CWU.. Keep it going, this marathon don’t stop family!” @Isaiah_Thomas



THE MULTICULTURAL 'STUDENT' UNION'S ANNUAL FASHION SHOW



EXTRAVAGANZA 2015 FASHION OF THE GODS

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Expanding the Bulldog gym for the greater good (and our sanity)

By Henry Holmes
Contributing Writer

Busy, small, packed gyms are what we love to hate. Who likes waiting in line for someone to hop off the machine you have been looking at for ten minutes, hoping they would leave? No one enjoys patiently checking the clock as people continuously bump into each other trying to get by to grab some water. At the Chace Athletic Center upstairs gym, students know these feelings all too well.

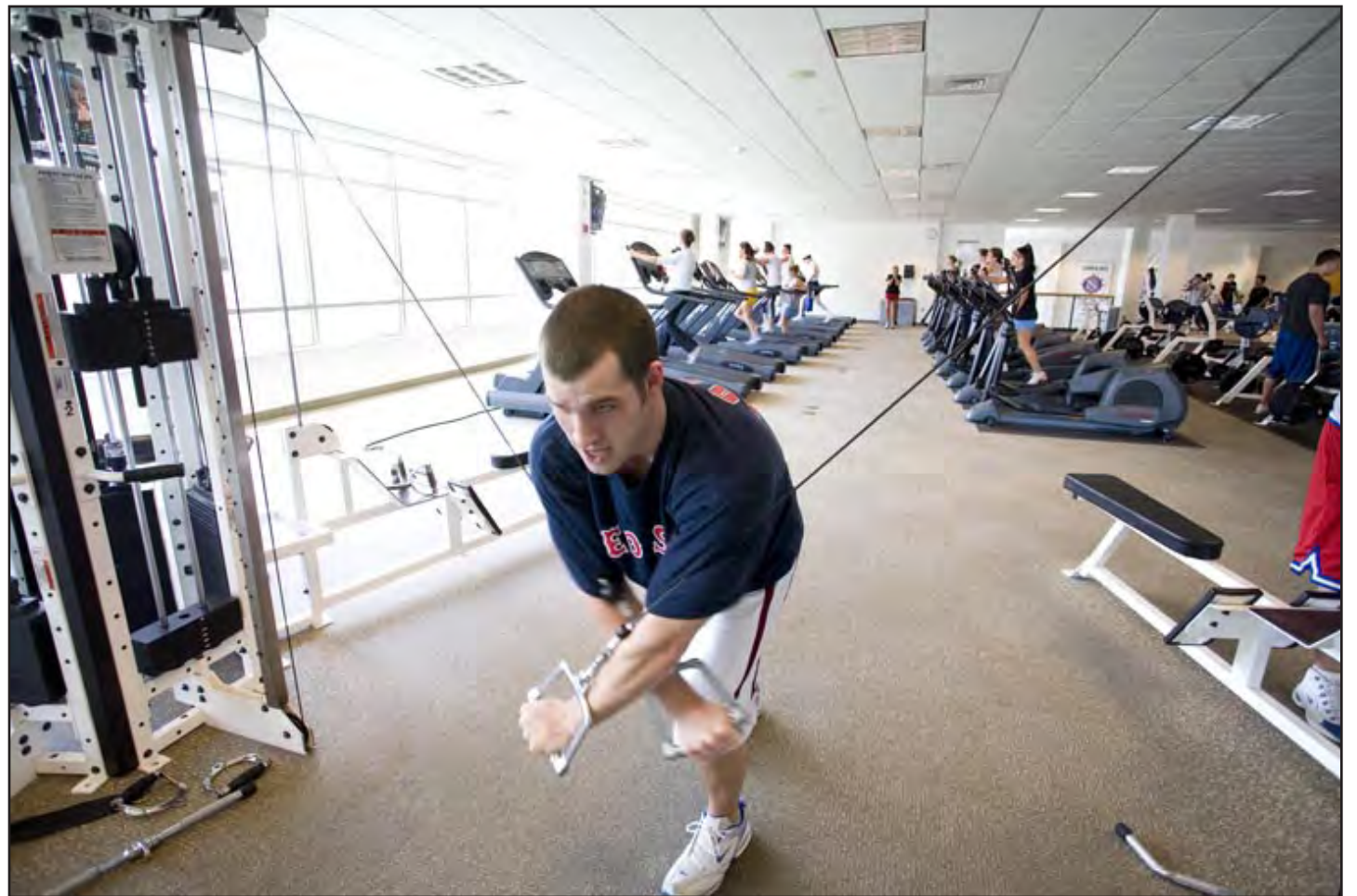
Bryant University, over the past few years, has become an emerging super power in Division I sports. However it's time we start thinking about changing the look of our gym to fit the look and mentality of being such a successful school in the world of sports.

Typically, if a Division I school is getting funded and supported then they turn that support into positive change around campus. Whether it be adding or altering the look of a building or new team uniforms, there is a difference in the school and all it contains.

Ask any student or anyone on the campus who goes to the gym and they will all agree that, although the equipment may be new, the gym is far from it. Everything, from only having one water fountain—with a filtration system that never seems to be fixed—to limited space between cardio and free weights, it is evident that change must come. Our school continues to grow and bring in more eager gym-goers day and night, yet the gym seems to have remained the same.

Upon talking to dozens of students on this topic, the general consensus seems to be that it wouldn't hurt to have a few more machines all over the gym, however the real problem lies within the size of the gym itself. The fitness center is listed at 9,000 square feet which seems much bigger than it actually is. Those 9,000 square feet don't seem so big after putting hundreds of students, all ready to get fit and be healthy, in them.

Consider this: we all basically have the same class schedules. Some classes are ear-



Students at Bryant feel cramped when students all have the same mind set: go to the gym when you find time. Unfortunately, some students avoid going simply based on the fact that machines aren't available and there is no room to move. (Bryantbulldogs.com)

ly; some are late. Yet the bulk of all of our in-class scheduling is clumped into similar daytime hours. Therefore those of us that wish to hit the gym, find it packed with others with the exact same mindset—fit it in when I can. We are a community among ourselves. Unfortunately, we all function on the same clock. When we empty the classrooms, we fill the gyms. Logic states that we need more room for the masses to burn off steam.

Expansion is necessary. It would be ideal to be able to go to the gym at any time

and not have to worry about how busy or how long the lines are at each machine. Now I am not saying that we need to put a wellness center in that takes up half of the campus but, for the time being, anything would be better than what we are dealing with right now.

The gym truly needs a gutting out and a new makeover, something more in keeping with the times. It is entirely possible that with a new look there could be a new audience that would partake in workouts, making the campus a much healthier place than other schools nationwide.

Now it is obvious that I cannot speak for my school as a whole here, but who wouldn't want more room to move around, more places to fill up your water bottle, and more machines to get you closer to that summer body? This idea isn't impossible and to be honest, the school could use an upgrade in this department.

The athletes at this school are given another choice as we have an athlete-only gym in the basement of the same building. But even that seems a little run down and not state of the art. All in all, I think a little change is all us Bulldogs really need.



This building looks big from the outside, but in reality, students have a hard time finding their own space within the gym. (Bryantbulldogs.com)

Amid climate change, what’s more important: Protecting money or people?

By James K. Boyce
MCT Campus

At the latest round of international climate talks this month in Lima, Peru, melting glaciers in the Andes and recent droughts provided a fitting backdrop for the negotiators’ recognition that it is too late to prevent climate change, no matter how fast we ultimately act to limit it. They now confront an issue that many had hoped to avoid: adaptation.

Adapting to climate change will carry a high price tag. Sea walls are needed to protect coastal areas against floods, such as those in the New York area when Superstorm Sandy struck in 2012. We need early-warning and evacuation systems to protect against human tragedies, such as those caused by Typhoon Haiyan in the Philippines in 2013 and by Hurricane Katrina in New Orleans in 2005.

Cooling centers and emergency services must be created to cope with heat waves, such as the one that killed 70,000 in Europe in 2003. Water projects are needed to protect farmers and herders from extreme droughts, such as the one that gripped the Horn of Africa in 2011. Large-scale replanting of forests with new species will be needed to keep pace as temperature gradients shift toward the poles.

Because adaptation won’t come cheap, we must decide which investments are worth the cost.

A thought experiment illustrates the choices we face. Imagine that without major new investments in adaptation, climate change will cause world incomes to fall in the next two decades by 25 percent across the board, with everyone’s income going down, from the poorest farmworker in Bangladesh to the wealthiest real estate baron in Manhattan. Adaptation can cushion some but not all of these losses. What should be our priority: reduce losses for the farmworker or the baron?

For the farmworker, and a billion others in the world who live on about \$1 a day, this 25 percent income loss will be a disaster, perhaps the difference between life and death. Yet in dollars, the loss is just 25 cents a day.

For the land baron and other “one-percenters” in the U.S. with average incomes of about \$2,000 a day, the 25 percent income loss would be a matter of regret, not survival. He’ll find a way to get by on \$1,500 a day.

In human terms, the baron’s loss pales compared with that of the farmworker. But in dollar terms, it’s 2,000 times larger.

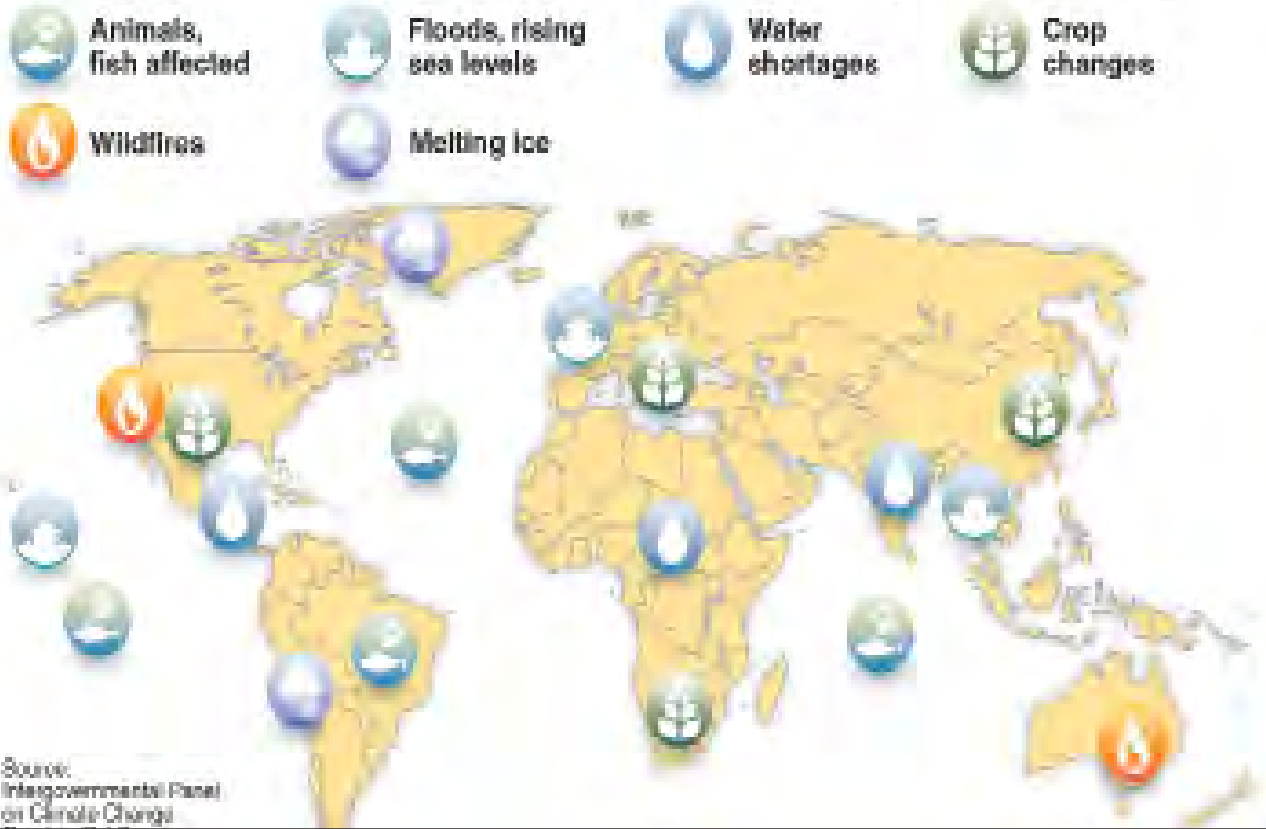
Conventional economic models would prescribe spending more to protect the barons than the farmworkers of the world. The rationale was set forth with brutal clarity in a memorandum leaked in 1992 that was signed by Lawrence Summers, then chief economist of the World Bank. The memo asked whether the bank should encourage more migration of dirty industries to developing countries and concluded that “the economic

Climate change effects around the world

More flooding and wildfires, decline in crop yields and fish catches and water shortages are among the risks from rising temperatures, according to a new U.N. report.

Significant impacts of global warming

Higher temperatures pose risks to health and economy worldwide, and especially in poorer areas



World map with icons showing the significant effects of climate change, according to a new U.N. report. (MCT Campus)

logic of dumping a load of toxic waste in the lowest-wage country is impeccable and we should face up to that.” Climate change is just a new kind of toxic waste.

The “economic logic” of the Summers memo _ later said to have been penned tongue-in-cheek to provoke debate, which it certainly did _ rests on a doctrine of “efficiency” that counts all dollars equally. Whether it goes to a starving child or a millionaire, a dollar is a dollar. The task of economists, in this view, is to maximize the size of the total dollar pie. How it’s sliced is not their problem.

A different way to set adaptation priorities is to count each person equally, not each dollar. This approach rests on the ethical principle that a healthy environment is a human right, not a commodity to be distributed on the

basis of purchasing power, or a privilege to be distributed on the basis of political power.

This equity principle is widely embraced around the world, from the affirmation in the U.S. Declaration of Independence that people have an inalienable right to “life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness,” to the guarantee in the South African Constitution that everyone has the right “to an environment that is not harmful to their health or well-being.” It puts safeguarding the lives of the poor ahead of safeguarding the property of the rich.

In the years ahead, climate change will confront the world with hard choices: whether to protect as many dollars as possible, or to protect as many people as we can.

The power of positive thinking

By Joseph Blanchard
Contributing Writer



Positive thinking is more than just a way to think about something; it is actually a lifestyle. Some people go about their whole lives thinking in a positive way about everything they come across. We all know the struggle every day to wake with a smile on your face and think about everything in a positive light, but somehow people do it every day.

Now what is positive thinking? Simply put, it is a mental and emotional attitude that focuses on the bright side of life and expects positive results. It is characteristic of someone who anticipates happiness and believes they can overcome any obstacle or difficulty that comes into their life.

Load of bullcrap, right? You’re probably

thinking it’s just some made up thing or some sort of extension of the hippies’ “just relax, man” type of living. But it is not; there is actually some benefits to positive thinking in our lives. Now I do not mean drop everything you are doing and change the whole cognitive way you process everything. That just would not work. You do not have to adopt this lifestyle to get the benefits from it. With a positive mindset to everything you do, it will improve your overall situation.

Having a positive attitude will make you happier, obviously, and with that brighten you up and make the people around you happier. What I mean by this is, if you’ve ever been around someone who isn’t the cheeriest person in the world, they kind of bring you down a bit; well that’s what positive thinking is trying to stop.

So that exam you had last week and you woke up and remembered you had it the morning of it. First thought, panic, second thought, where’s my notebook, I must remember everything. Evidently you walk into the exam thinking about how horribly you are going to do, and you blank on everything because you cannot get the idea of you failing out of your head. Ever think that that is actually the reason you failed? Because you told yourself you were going to fail. Let that sink in for a moment.

So what I just told you is that you can control the outcome of your exam by simply thinking about it, well not exactly. Imagine if you thought positively in this situation; you did not think about what you did not know, but about what you actually knew. You could focus what you remembered from your notes and the lectures, and then everything would fall into place.

‘With a positive mindset to everything you do, it will improve your overall situation’

Now I am not saying do not study for anything and just let everything fall into place, because that is not positive thinking. Let’s introduce something called mindfulness. In the theory of mindfulness, there are two sides of the brain that are used in thinking and making decisions. One is the emotional side of the brain; the other is the rational side of the brain. Someone who is thinking too much with their emotional brain will most likely overreact to a situation, get caught up in the moment, and let their emotions run the show, and we all know that never ends very well. Now someone who thinks too rationally is the opposite, they rule out emotions and think

only quantitatively about something, like Spock to all you Leonard Nimoy fans.

What mindfulness entails is using both sides of the mind to employ what is called a wise mind. A wise mind is one which does not let emotions take control and turn it into a derailed train and uses reason to make sense of everything. Now I myself try my best to use mindfulness and think in the moment about something, and I can say it works.

So positive thinking helps keep you happy and looking at the bright side of life, now how do you do it? Well there is no simple answer to that really, it is all up to you. Whatever people say to you, you cannot let it get to you too much; that is the emotional side taking over.

You have to not let what other people think of you control your happiness. In the end, you’re the only one that is going to be there for you, so you have to be happy for you. The simple way to positive thinking is really just to keep everything in the light, do not dwell on the past; do not see the world as a glass half empty. See every failure as an opportunity for development and take everything that comes at you in a positive way. The world is your canvas; you have to forge your own path, go forward without looking back, and make sure you keep smiling.



Bryant U Bulldogs Love MADD



MEDIA ADVISORY

BRYANT UNIVERSITY, MADD, & SMITHFIELD POLICE DEPARTMENT
RAISE AWARENESS ABOUT DRUNK DRIVING ON ST. PATRICK’S DAY

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WHAT: Bryant University in partnership with Mother’s Against Drunk Driving (MADD) and the Smithfield Police Department, will be hosting an awareness event on Tuesday, March 17th. The event will be held in the Bryant University Rotunda from 10 am to 2 pm. The goal of this event is to raise awareness about drunk driving, specifically on a day where a significant amount of drinking usually occurs.

The event has been coined “BRYANT U BULLDOGS LOVE MADD” since Bryant has an ongoing partnership with MADD and believes strongly in their message of preventing drunk and drugged driving.

The Smithfield Police Department will be bringing three pairs of Fatal Vision Goggles for students to perform sobriety tests. The students will also be able to see the impact that drinking can have on routine activities, such as playing catch, or dribbling a basketball. The Fatal Vision Goggles have three different settings allowing the students to perform the tests at varying and realistic levels of intoxication. The levels range from simulating a blood alcohol content (BAC) of .06 to .2. In addition, Bryant University Health Services will be providing information to educate students about the dangers of drunk driving.

WHEN: Tuesday, March 17, 2015, 10am - 2pm

WHERE: Bryant University Rotunda
1150 Douglas Pike
Smithfield, RI

WHO: The following people will be in attendance:

- Denise Alves, State Programs Manager, MADD RI
- Renee Weidele, Youth Programs Coordinator, MADD RI
- Officer Paul Gorman, Smithfield Police Department
- Officer Gary Masterson, Smithfield Police Department
- Cassandra Gaffney, Bryant Health Services Nurse Practitioner

Bryant Said What?!

Compiled by Bryant Students

“Am I doing homework right now? No. Am I eating vday cookies I bought for 50% off at Target yesterday? Maybe...”

“Wondering if a funnel would get confiscated by airport security”

“I love when I call triple A and they tell me ‘it sounds like you don’t know anything about cars’... Hello that’s why I’m calling you!”

“Took a big gulp of water just to find out it was Burnetts... Hello Monday I’ve missed you too”

Profit and Loss



Be safe and have a blast on Spring Break!



Congrats to the Women’s Basketball Team for grabbing No. 2 overall seed in the upcoming NEC Tournament!



We hope everyone did well on their midterms...



The Archway won’t see you until the 26th.

CIA report encourages terrorists, makes allies reluctant to help

By Lawrence Haas
MCT Campus

Though they preside over the world’s most important nation, our leaders in Washington can be startlingly oblivious to the audiences beyond our shores that watch and listen closely to whatever we say or do.

That’s the only rational explanation for why _ 13 years after the terrorist attacks of September 11, 2001 _ Senate Intelligence Committee Democrats issued a graphic, self-flagellating report about the CIA’s “enhanced interrogation” methods in the frightening days, weeks and months after that fateful day.

With its provocative detail splashed across the TV screens, front pages and websites of our leading media, the report will undoubtedly endanger American lives by giving terrorists one more rallying cry to attack U.S. interests, strengthening terrorist recruiting efforts and forcing other governments and intelligence services to show that they’re keeping their distance from Uncle Sam.

To be clear, the report was revealing only in its raw detail of CIA activities against particular detainees, not in the

broad subject matter. We’ve known for many years that the CIA used unsavory methods.

In fact, when news surfaced years ago that the CIA deprived suspects of sleep, chained them to walls, threatened them with gruesome death and so on, government officials, opinion leaders and the broad public began a serious and cathartic national debate over whether the United States should ever torture.

Despite the outliers, we even reached a general consensus that we should avoid anything that smacks of torture and consider employing it only in the most extreme cases _ such as when the United States faces the imminent threat of a catastrophic attack that could kill hundreds, if not thousands, of people.

That’s all fine years after the fact but, as the Senate Intelligence Committee Chair Diane Feinstein (D-California) acknowledged in her “Forward” to the report, the days after September 11, 2001 were not ones in which our government and intelligence services could take a leisurely approach to national security. Instead, they were days of overwhelming fear that much greater attacks were coming.

In fact, Feinstein noted that, after September 11, the CIA “was encouraged by political leaders and the public to do whatever it could to prevent another attack,” and that, as a general matter, the “Intelligence Committee as well often pushes intelligence agencies to act quickly in response to threats and world events.”

That, by the way, is no different than how our nation’s leaders have behaved at other perilous times, such as when Abraham Lincoln suspended the writ of habeas corpus during the Civil War. What later seems heinous often seems vital at the time.

Feinstein says that she hopes the report will serve as a warning for the future, as a preemptive measure to ensure that, even when facing national security perils, the United States never again abandons its values.

Indeed, she and her Democratic colleagues were so determined to render their judgments against the CIA’s post-September 11 methods that they never even interviewed the officials whose activities they judged so harshly.

Now, the terrorists of al-Qaida, the Islamic State and other dangerous groups who plot every day to attack America

and its global interests will have one more rallying cry and recruiting tool. That means more terrorists with more motivation to plot and launch more attacks against more Americans.

Now, governments and intelligence agencies with which Washington has worked regularly, whether in Europe, the Middle East, or elsewhere, will hesitate before aligning themselves too closely with the United States.

That means less intelligence from around the world will flow to Washington, leaving us more vulnerable to plots that our intelligence services lack the information to prevent.

America debated torture and rendered its judgment long ago. Rather than advance that debate, the committee’s report is just making American deaths more likely.

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Matt Kearney's Just Kids will not age well

By Nick Colantonio
Staff Writer

It has been about 3 years since Matt Kearney released his album *Young Love*. Two years prior we were blessed with *City of Black & White* and three years earlier came *Nothing Left to Lose*. I think Kearney's lack of album consistency explains his apparent struggle to remain trendy and the singer to hear. This is not to say he has not created great work. *City of Black & White* was a beautiful album, full of honest lyrics and luscious instrumentals. Kearney is an artist, though I feel who gets tied into too much on albums sometimes, like when he raps, which cut his talents tremendously thin. *JUST KIDS* reflects Kearney's most obvious weaknesses more than ever before.

The title track off this album, *Just Kids*, is the most genuine song on the album. The worst part though is how obvious that is throughout the album. The song is misplaced and sounds nothing like the rest of the project in truly any aspect, for the most part. This is the best way to explain the album. It is not a bad project; it makes good points at times and follows a solid wholesome concept. The album just does not have the heart or inspiration of any work Kearney has done before. *JUST*

KIDS sounds more like what I would imagine Macklemore's sophomore album to sound like than its own decisive piece of work in music history. This album definitely has some better songs though, more specifically, *Let it Rain* and *Ghost* which are more artistic and interesting. Overall, *JUST KIDS* does not do it for me and will not age well.

My Rating: light 5

What do you think of "JUST KIDS"? What should I review next? Email me at: ncolantonio@bryant.edu



Women and The Bachelor



By Alex Klein
Contributing Writer

The Bachelor is an American reality television dating show which debuted in 2002 on ABC. The show is hosted by Chris Harrison, and there are three related series: *The Bachelorette*, *Bachelor Pad*, and *Bachelor in Paradise*. The series revolves around a single bachelor or bachelorette who has about twenty-five individuals of the opposite gender to "choose" from.

When I say choose, I literally mean choose; this bachelor or bachelorette gets to pick who from the group will be sent home each week. Candidates are eliminated throughout the season, and the candidate left at the end of the show will potentially be proposed to by the bachelor or bachelorette him/herself.

So why do women watch a show that seems so unrealistic?

1) Many people believe that Monday is the worst day of the week. The weekend is unfortunately over; the work week is just beginning... What a dull day. But there is always something to look forward to Monday night. The Bachelor is on at 8 pm!

2) The show is a conversation starter – fans are already talking about relationships, friendships, and what they do or don't agree with from the episode just minutes after it ends. Not only does it create talk about who people think will win the current season, but it also sparks conversation about who fans think the next Bachelor or Bachelorette will be. Gossip is just oh so appealing.

3) Each season, we devoted watchers know that Chris Harrison will promise us

"the most dramatic season yet." The dates will be unbelievably expensive and our version of "dream dates." We know that some of the candidates will be quite close to the dictionary definition of crazy. The predictability and craziness of the show is what keeps us coming back for more.

4) After watching an episode, you have to admit that some of the candidates on the show embarrass themselves, and it's pretty funny to watch. For example, how about the girls that claim to be "searching for the perfect husband" but are falling over drunk their first night? The bad outfits, over-applied makeup, and unfortunate mishaps of some of the candidates almost make us, as viewers, feel better about ourselves.

The Bachelor is one of the few reality shows which keep making new seasons. This just shows its success each year. As women, we love the unrealistic expectations, gossip, drama, and appeal of the show - it's what reels us in for the ride, and it doesn't look like we'll be getting off this roller coaster any time soon.



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Drake vs Big Sean: new albums

By Nick Colantonio
Contributing Writer

American rappers Drake and Big Sean have led comparable and successful careers since their rise. Both artists released a circuit of fruitful mix tapes in the beginning of their careers, giving them much recognition back around 2007. Examples being Sean’s tape, Finally Famous, and Drake’s, So Far Gone. I consider both tapes to be some of each respective artist’s best work. Since their escalations into mainstream, they have bothh struggled tremendously with finding a workable sound, place in hip-hop and confidence in their albums. With that said, I am going to break down and rate both of their recent releases, albums which are comparable, sound wise.



If You’re Reading This It’s Too Late, was given to us by surprise by Drake on February 13th. There was much speculation on this album as to whether or not Drake just released it to close out his record deal with Cash Money Records, upon some drama with label mate/CEO Birdman and label mate Lil Wayne. Regardless, I find this album to be highly interesting. It is hard to tell the difference sometimes while listening, whether you are actually listening to a Drake album or a Finally Rich by Chief Keef cover album or something by Migos. Even with that, most tracks on this album seem to mimic the 0/100 song formula, which he laid out months prior to this release, with that song as a single. In this case, that formula actually helps this album tremendously in bringing it cohesiveness and it is easily Drake’s most mature album to date.

In terms of originality, instrumental quality, sonic quality, or memorability, this album is quiet terrible. Drakes rapping comes off as cheesy, and weak compared to past work he has put out. For example, with the song Energy, which is a tribute to the haters of sorts, why is that a concept he would tackle at this point in his career? Drake has been receiving hate since his first studio album in 2010, Thank Me Later. With the song Legendary, he chants about going down in history, when the song is so simple and lackluster I will be shocked if people even remember a mere thing about the cut in a couple years. The only song which I feel has substantial depth on the entire piece is, Know Yourself. There are rumors that Drake’s, View From the 6th, album will be released this year as well, which I will be following closely. Hopefully he can pull through with the same confidence and cohesiveness on a much better body of work.

My rating: 3/10
Dark Sky Paradise, I found much more exciting while listening with the hype built up to its release on February 24th . This album, though on similar lines of Drake’s album sub-genre wise, is just as cohesive and confident. Big Sean just comes through with immensely better deliveries, concepts, word play, and probably the most significant category in my book, memorability. Comparisons between Dark Sky Paradise and If You’re Reading This It’s Too Late aside though, DSP is actually fire. For the first time in Big Sean’s career he has released a project, where he feels completely comfortable and owns it. I feel he has finally found his place in rap music. The hi hat combos layered by the dark synths and baseline on Paradise complement Big Sean’s vocals so perfectly it sounds like he was specifically born and raised to release the song. Sean has ascended from the jester to Kanye’s throne and holds his own much stronger than on prior projects. Even the song IDFWU, which is probably the biggest change up on the album sound wise, fits well into the midst of Sean’s Dark



Sky Paradise. A must listen.
My rating: decent 9/10

What do you all think of If You’re Reading this It’s Too Late and Dark Sky Paradise? What should I review next? Email me at: ncolantonio@bryant.edu

- Other albums of the past week to check out:
- Gliss Riffer – Dan Deacon
 - Sour Soul – BADBADNOTGOOD & Ghostface Killah
 - Supersonic Home – Adventures
 - The Changing Color of Hip Hop – Iggy Azalea
 - Citizen Zombie – The Pop Group
 - Man, it Feels Like Space Again - Pond

Commuter Hub

- Commuter hub faces bribery charges in their 2013 attempt to convert ACE accounting room into sister hub
- Hall 7 laundry room now under control of commuter hub
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Comic of the Week



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Question 1: How do you deal with your ex-boyfriend being everywhere on campus with his new girlfriend?

I think what you really want to know is how to break them up. But for real, there's a reason you broke up, it might be time to move on. I think at some point we've all had to deal with this, and it's definitely hard.

Question 2: Is it trashy to hook up with tinder people?

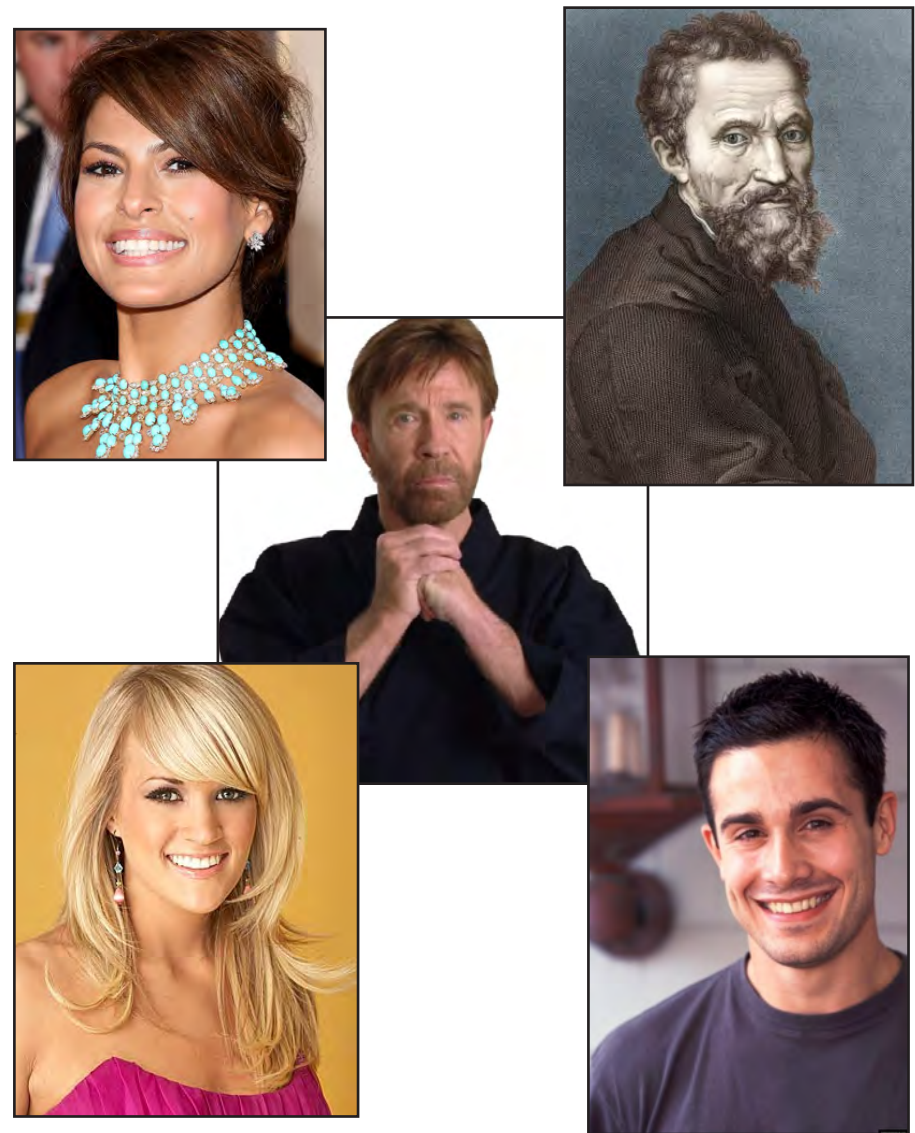
It depends on the people you are talking to. Some of them may be worth your time and energy, even for just the simple hook up. While others you should not give the time of day. In the end, use your own discrepancy when choosing who to meet from Tinder, and always be safe.

Question 3: How do to well in class?

Well the first step is getting there. I like to set my alarm for ninety minutes before class begins. This gives me time to make sure I have all the necessary materials for class. I also have a good breakfast before I head out. This ensures that I am alert and actively participating with my professor. That's the best way to increase your grade in a class: come prepared and participate.

Who do you share a birthday with?

- 3/5 Eva Mendes, Michael Irving , Mike Brown
- 3/6 Shaq, Tim Howard, Michaelangelo
- 3/7 Bryan Cranston, Laura Prepon, Jenna Fischer
- 3/8 Freddie Prinze Jr, Hines Ward, James Van Der Beek
- 3/9 Bow Wow, Matthew Gray Gubler, Clint Dempsey
- 3/10 Carrie Underwood, Chuck Norris, Robin Thicke
- 3/11 Johnny Knoxville, Anthony Davis, Terrence Howard



The College Scoop

SEE WHAT STUDENTS AT OTHER COLLEGES ARE READING ABOUT

The Stanford Daily
Stanford College

In the wake of Sigma Alpha Epsilon losing an appeal of the University’s decision to revoke its housing, The Daily took a look at the recent history of fraternity evictions.
In 1995, fraternity Delta Tau Delta lost its housing. Dean of Students Marc Lee Wais cited three reasons for the decision: Delta Tau Delta’s significant debts to the University, behavioral problems and management issues. Theta Xi lost its housing in spring of 1998 for not being able to meet the “100-percent rule.” A new rule put in place just that year, this stipulation required any housed chapter to have a large enough membership to completely fill its house. Theta Xi was not able to do so and was evicted from its housing. In fall of 1998, Phi Delta Theta was evicted shortly after an intoxicated member of the fraternity was injured after falling from a balcony to the concrete below. The fraternity had already been on a one-year probation from alcohol-related functions at the house after a Phi Delt pledge was seriously injured in an alcohol-related incident on a weekend retreat. In 1999, Delta Kappa Epsilon (DKE) lost their housing for failing to meet a number of requirements. They could not fulfil the membership requirements, did not meet the June deadline for paying financial obligations and failed to submit financial reports. Kappa Sigma was stripped of its housing in 2011 following two violations of its probation. “The house has had patterns of behavior that go beyond what I would call shenanigans... to a level that was dangerous,” said Deborah Golder, dean of Residential Education (ResEd).

The Miscellany News
Vassar College

After two failed attempts in the past 15 years, Vassar’s Safety and Security officers have successfully formed a union and have ratified a contract. The officers have made several attempts to organize a comprehensive union in the past but haven’t been successful. However, In May 2014, organizing officers were certified by the National Labor Relations Board (NLRB) to be represented by the Bard College Safety and Security Officers Union which changed its name to the Hudson Valley Safety and Security Officers Union in July 2014.

THE POETRY CORNER

Reciprocity
By Florence Widmer

My sister and I
Diners at the Sea Haven
Celebrants of her 80th birthday
End of meal
Ready for check
Advised by waitress
Bill already paid
Remember a lone diner
Seated at a nearby table
Never know her
Never got to thank her
Perhaps we reminded her of her Mom
Perhaps a long lost friend?
Perhaps a rendezvous of her past?
Perhaps a dear lost soul?
Many returns to The Sea Haven
Seeking her presence to no avail
A lone diner seated at nearby table
She never got to know me
Never got to thank me



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