**DEATH UNTO DAYTON?**

Stephanie Vermillion  
Chief Staff Writer

Dayton, Cleveland, Youngstown and Canton, all homes for many UD students, are considered by Forbes.com magazine to be four of the top 10 fastest-dying cities in the United States.

Richard Stock, director of UD’s business research group, disagrees.

“I would not say these cities are dying,” Stock said. “The difficulties these cities face which put them on the list is associated with a substantial decline in durable goods manufacturing and the difficulties the automobile industry has faced over the last eight years.”

The loss of jobs from employers such as Delphi, Dayton’s primary automobile parts manufacturer, is a major reason Dayton made Forbes’ top 10 list. When asked what he would consider when looking closely, Stock said it’s not as detrimental to the city as it seems.

“Dayton has lost 26,000 manufacturing jobs over the last seven years,” Stock said. “But how many total jobs have we lost? Maybe 25,000. That means in part we’re already replacing some of those lost manufacturing jobs with employment in other sectors.”

Even though unemployment has increased at manufacturing plants, that doesn’t mean there aren’t any jobs available. Dayton still employs 52,000 people in the manufacturing industry.

“These are not bad jobs, they are still well-paying and there are a lot of people retiring out of those particular positions,” Stock said. “So for someone graduating from high school, jobs in manufacturing still exist.”

Dayton is critiqued continuously for its unemployment rate, but as Stock indicated, the numbers tell a different story. Beyond the math and calculations disputing Dayton’s reputation as a quickly dying city is the rich culture it has continuously upheld.

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The following incidents were reported to the Department of Public Safety between Aug. 24 and Aug. 24. This log was compiled by Flyer News from actual police reports obtained from the Department of Public Safety.

Theft
Aug. 24, 1:57 a.m.
Officer Pease was approached by a UD alumnus who said her wallet had been stolen from her purse at Stonenhill Road between 1:00 a.m. and 1:55 a.m. The alumnus stated that her purse had been under a table while she was inside the residence. The black leather bi-fold wallet contained a Fifth-Third Bank debit Mastercard, True Line Credit Union Visa card, Macy’s, Banana Republic, The Limited and Victoria’s Secret credit cards.

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**National and World news briefs**

These news reports were compiled since Wednesday, Sept. 3, 2008, from the Web sites of a variety of news sources. The following information was considered accurate at press time.

- **On Wednesday, New Orleans Mayor C. Ray Nagin** announced that all residents would be allowed to enter the city again following the evacuation of the city due to Hurricane Gustav. According to The New York Times, a decision was made to allow people to enter Wednesday instead of Thursday due to pressure from residents who wanted to return. Many houses remain without power, but the storm did not produce as much damage as expected. Only 10 deaths have been attributed to the storm so far, much lower than the 1,600 killed by Hurricane Katrina in 2005.

- **At the Republican National Convention**, being held in St. Paul, Minn., 284 people were arrested, including 130 felony arrests, the first day of the convention. According to The St. Paul’s Pioneer Press, the protesters were arrested due to scattered violence, with another 10 being arrested on Tuesday. The protesters are a part of the RNC Welcoming Committee, which is a group dedicated to disrupting the convention. Being held in the Ramsey County Jail, around 100 have refused to give their names, demanding first to meet collectively to negotiate pleas for lesser charges.

- **Bisphenol A**, an ingredient in plastic that humans are consistently exposed to, may be putting humans at risk for some serious health concerns, according to a report in USA Today. A government agency has “some concern” that the controversial ingredient is harmful, linking the chemical to cancers, early-onset puberty, obesity, and Type 2 diabetes. This contradicts a report by the FDA that people are not endangered by their current exposure to the chemical.

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**Eatin’ good in your neighborhood**

**JENNIE SZINK**
News Editor

Though the leaves will soon turn hues of red, it seems America has never been greener. Composting, recycling, conserving and renewing, nothing has been left untouched. What’s Dayton’s latest contribution to the green fad? Consuming local foods, on campus and off.

**Buying Locally on Campus**

About 50 consumers have already jumped on UD’s green bandwagon and ordered their $10 biodegradable bags of local food from the UD Local Foods club. Each Monday holds a surprise from Yankee Street Farm Market in Centerville, be it red potatoes, stalks of corn, plums, peaches or more. Sept. 6 is the last day to order the bags from udlocalfoods@gmail.com for pick-up. After that, the club will sell organic eggs, meats and cheeses from a local farmer.

Dining Services’ wholesaler has purchased Ohio grown produce for years, according to Jim Froehlich, assistant director of systems and marketing. They recently marketed it when students asked for more information about the purchases. A full list of locally grown foods in the cafeterias can be found on dining.udayton.edu.

**Buying Locally off Campus**

Dayton’s year-round local food market National City 2nd Street Market is less than 10 minutes from campus at 200 E. Second St. local growers, bakers, artists and performers set up shop Thurs. to Fri. 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. and Sat. 8 a.m. to 3 p.m.

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**SPREADING THE WORD**

UD Local Foods club is in its first year and is hoping to carry out three goals by integrating local and smart food choices into college students’ lifestyles.

“We realize a lot of times it’s more expensive to eat healthy,” said Kimber Lucius, president of Local Foods. “We’re trying to teach people how to make healthy and informed eating decisions.”

Their other two goals are to raise awareness on UD’s campus about sustainable food choices and help students carry them out by supplying them with organically and locally grown foods. Lucius said students can visit www.localharvest.org to get more information about “eating locally” in Dayton.

The club meets every other Tues. at 7:30 p.m. in the basement of Liberty Hall. Join in the discussion for a taste of something new.

** udlocalfoods@gmail.com**
UDRI solves TWA Flight 800 crash

DAN LUKENS
Staff Writer

The healing abilities of living organisms allow them to repair and maintain themselves so they might function at full potential. What if this type of technology could be implemented into a faulty part of a machine? University of Dayton Research Institute chemist Bob Kauffman happened upon a way to do just that.

When working at UDRI, Kauffman undertook a project to determine the cause of a catastrophic failure that caused the crash of TWA Flight 800. Research showed that frayed fuel sensor wiring likely played a large part in the crash. When frayed fuel lines are exposed to moisture and fuel residue near fuel tanks it can cause ignition and even explosion. However, wires of this kind are in airplanes all over the world and this kind of fraying is notoriously difficult to detect and repair.

“You don’t want to be taking apart bundles of wire just to look for a couple of hairline cracks,” Kauffman said. “You can do a lot more damage to good wires trying to find and fix a bad one.”

Kauffman’s inspiration for a solution came, as many great ideas do, by accident.

“I was conducting experiments in the lab to recreate the scenario that most likely caused the TWA fuel tank explosion, and a baseball game was playing on a radio in the background,” Kauffman said. “Every time I put a drop of water on live copper wires, the game went away. It just went to static. I realized that wet copper wires give off a radio frequency just before shorting out.”

The wires were emitting a radio frequency just as they shorted out, this phenomenon led to the realization that a fairly simple listening device could be made to find such malfunctioning wires.

This innovation allowed Kauffman to come up with his revolutionary idea, Power-Activated Technology for Coating and Healing or PATCH, for short. The formula draws upon the same elements that make these frayed wires dangerous and instead,

See Self healing wire on p. 5
Preview lectures, study using iTunes U

RANDI HESHULL
Staff Writer

Who knew iPods could come in handy for more than listening to music and watching movies? Apple’s Web site now offers podcasts for students to review lectures, notes, or other information provided by professors. More than half of the nation’s top 500 schools use iTunes U, according to www.apple.com.

University of Dayton School of Law student Abagail Hempfling is among college students cranking open her iPod playlist to review her lectures.

She can do it by downloading lectures from iTunes U, a free service at Apple’s commercial iTunes store.

Hempfling, who owns an iPod Shuffle, also plans to listen to podcasts on her computer.

“I could use them in the car or gym,” Hempfling said in a recent press release. “Then, I’d listen to them again to take notes.”

Hempfling also said it’s nice to rewind parts for which she needs clarification.

Students are not the only ones benefiting from the iTunes U podcasts. Any school can open all or part of its site to the public, according to Apple. Parents can listen to what their children are learning in class. High school students can get a sneak preview of a particular subject or potential professor’s teaching style. Anyone with a particular interest will find something of use on the Web site.

“I am not podcasting my entire class. I have 10 five- to seven-minute podcasts planned for the semester,” law professor Sheila Miller said in a recent press release. “I review important concepts or expand on things not fully covered in class. I hope a student who did not get something in class will listen to the podcast and understand it more.”

Miller started podcasting her class when she noticed how many students regularly used iPods before and after class. She saw it as another way to reach the millennial generation.

David Wright, UD’s director of curriculum innovation and e-learning, thinks this new way for students to learn beyond the classroom has great potential.

“Students like having a choice as to how to learn and podcasting offers course content for busy students on the move,” Wright said in a recent press release. “This is a maturing approach. We will grow this slowly and eventually add more content.”

Wright says podcasting lectures allows for more face-to-face discussion in the classroom. Another benefit is that students in different disciplines such as law and business can listen to one lecture about a common topic such as intellectual property.

Michael J. Doyle Scholarship
Matthew Doeherty
Lisa Ehren
Thomas Martin
Molly O’keeffe
John E. Ellis Jr. Scholarship
Kelly Burns
Abigail Cover
Monique Cimberlee
Jacquelyn Swartz
Frances J. Brady Scholarship
Chris Daues
Timothy G. Noreyto Endowed Scholarship
Jennifer Daley
Eric Schultiss
David & Gayle Sanders Scholarship
Joseph Oel-Beamer
E & Y Scholarship
Ashley Armstrong
Lindsey Murphy
OSCPA Scholarship
Shelby Eiking
Sara McFarland
Kristen Simon
Ohio Foundation of Independent Colleges Scholarship
Abigail Cover
Deloitte Touche Scholarship
Dane Caffe
Brett Yoder
Crowe, Chizek and Company LLP Outstanding Student Scholarship
Michelle Brothers
Edward Walker Rodgers Memorial Scholarship
Leah Cooksey
Michael Denko
Andrew McDonald
Kyle Vonderhaar
Beta Alpha Psi Endowed Scholarship
William Hakse
Walter L. & Carol A. Bennett Endowed Scholarship
Joe Bonito
Catherine Cahill
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Abigail Cover
Michelle Kleinhenz

Congratulations Accounting Majors!!!
The SBA Department of Accounting presented over $60,000 in scholarships to the following majors for the 2008-2009 academic year.

Abigail Cover
Shelby Elking
Ashley Armstrong
Erin Schultheis
Jennifer Daley
Chris Daues
Jacquelyn Swartz

INFORMATIONAL SEMINARS
DON’T MISS THIS MEETING

WHO SHOULD ATTEND:
Sophomores and juniors who are interested in entering the Co-op program in January or May 2009

WHERE:
Sears Auditorium (Humanities Bldg.)

WHEN:
Wednesday, September 10 at 3 p.m.
or
Thursday, September 11 at 4:30 p.m.

CO-OP INTERVIEWS ARE
OCTOBER 22 AND 23

DEADLINE
FOR CO-OP APPLICATIONS
OCTOBER 1, 2008

ENGINEERING MAJORS ONLY

GET THE ANSWERS TO:
What is the difference between a co-op and internship?
How do I find a co-op position?
What steps do I need to complete?

CARLY SCHOTT
Assistant News Editor

For a while now you’ve been hearing all the hype about the presidential candidates for the 2008 election. Come November, you’ll no doubt want to finally voice your opinion. Since many students will not physically be in the state they are registered to vote on Election Day, Nov. 4, they’ll want to submit an absentee vote before the actual election.

Twenty percent of voters said they cast their ballots early in the 2004 election, according to The National Annenberg Election Survey. You can be an early voter too by applying for an absentee ballot.

though specific steps are different in each state, most application processes are similar to this:

1. Visit your state’s Secretary of State Web site. Usually there are links that give step-by-step instructions.
2. Print out the provided absentee voter application and mail it into the specified address, usually the local election authority, by the specified deadline.
3. Receive your absentee ballot in the mail.
4. Vote.
5. Mail ballot to the specified address by the provided deadline.

It is as easy as that. States have already begun accepting requests, with absentee voting continuing up until the day before the election. Applications can also be accepted in person and sometimes by fax, but not over the Internet.

State-by-State
• For Ohio, visit http://www.sos.state.oh.us/SOS/ and click on the “Your Voice, Your Vote: Register” icon at the bottom and follow the links to absentee voting. An application is provided, but not required to be used.
• For Missouri, visit http://www.sos.mo.gov/. The left sidebar link “Candidates and Voters” will take you to “Voting Info,” then “Absentee Voting.” Notice the absentee ballot request form.
• For Illinois, visit the Illinois State Board of Elections at http://www.elections.state.il.us/VotingInformation/welcome.aspx. Follow the directions under the link “Absentee voting” under “Voting Before Election Day.”
• For Indiana, visit http://www.in.gov/sos/ and click on the “INNotes” link at the top of the homepage. Click on “Voter Information Portal,” then “Absentee Ballot Applications and Forms” under the heading “Absentee Voting.”

Remember, most states require that you are a registered voter about a month before the next election.

TUESDAY NOV. 4
Get involved.
Get informed.
Get interested.
Exercise your right to vote.
FLANAGAN’S PUB is looking for Help. Bar- tenders, Wait Staff and Kitchen Staff. Stop by and Fill out an application. You don’t have to be 21.

HELP WANTED

FLANAGAN’S PUB

Babysitter needed: Monday, Thursday and Friday from 5-8PM. Oakwood family needs assistance with active 5 year old boy and 7 year old girl. Activities would include playing with the children, participating in dinner prep, clean up and other household activities, enjoying a delicious meal with our family and helping with baths and bed time. The applicant would ideally be a freshman or sophomore from the Dayton area, but this is not required. Please call 643-9213 for more information.

Help Elect Obama!
Work with moveon.org Political Action and Grassroots Campaigns, Inc. to register voters in Dayton. Positions available immediately! Call 937-694-3084. Ask for Alex.

MISCELLANEOUS

Help Employ a Friend, Patronize FLANAGAN’S PUB.

Do you like Good Chicken Wings and Football? Check out FLANAGAN’S PUB on Monday Nights.

Watch the Upcoming Playoff and World Series Games at FLANAGAN’S PUB.

WE WANT YOU BUSINESS at FLANAGAN’S PUB.

Have a Band or Small group? Flanagan's is looking for Entertainment for Tuesday, Thursday and some Saturday nights. Come see Ashley

FLANAGAN’S is available for Fundraisers. Please Call for Dates.

NOTE:

ACE is a comic strip by university artist Nate Christopher. The artist has intended it to be a continuing story. The events in each plot will build off each other until the final strip in issue 20. They will appear in every even numbered issue.
Indie band to rock ArtStreet

ANNA DANES
Staff Writer

If you enjoy live music outdoors and want to get another show in before summer ends, CAB has just the event for you.

Life In Jersey, an alternative rock band from Kansas City, Mont. is taking the ArtStreet Amphitheater stage this weekend. CAB is sponsoring the free concert as part of the first Weekend Scene this semester.

Steven Parker, CAB’s concert and comedy co-chair, said the band was chosen to play at UD because the band’s style appeals to the student body.

“CAB has had alternative rock bands perform on campus in the past and had great success,” Parker said. “The band plays with great energy and is perfect for students looking to enjoy themselves this Friday night.”

The four-piece band formed in 2005, and since then has toured all around the country and performed with bands such as The Hush Sound, The Used, The Plain White T’s, Anberlin, and Story of the Year.

The buzz surrounding Life In Jersey has been growing ever since. Recently the band competed against five others in a contest held by Kansas City radio station 96.5 The Buzz to share a stage with The Used and Shiny Toy Guns at the station’s annual Buzz Beach Ball, according to www.bostoneventworks.com. The winner was chosen by listener votes and Life In Jersey won by 18,000.

The site also lists Life In Jersey as one of 20 finalists out of 2,000 bands in Fuse TV’s “getmeloaded” contest. “CAB attended NACA (National Association of Campus Activities) in February of 2008 and met with several agents representing a very diverse group of bands,” Parker said. “Life In Jersey was recommended to us by many of the agents as a band that would appeal to our college campus.”

The band, made up of Beau Gabriel on drums, Carson E. Land on guitar and vocals, David Willey on bass, and Chris Mullins on guitar, released their debut five-song EP “Skeletons” in May 2007, and according to www.bostoneventworks.com, have sold 1,500 copies without distribution. They are releasing a full-length album in spring 2009.

“They work harder than 95 percent of bands out there and it shows in their studio work and their live show,” producer/engineer J. Hall said on the band’s MySpace page. “Between Carson’s poetic, yet aggressive vocals, countering guitar work, meticulous bass lines, and crushing drum beats, you’ll soon find yourself enveloped into something you haven’t quite heard before. A breath of fresh air amongst the stale gloom of the current rock ‘n roll scene.”

BarnJam 21 is back with live music and camping

NICK IANNARINO
Assistant A&E Editor

There’s nothing I can tell you about BarnJam (especially in a university publication) that you probably haven’t already heard from someone else. Instead, I’ll use this space to beg, nay, shamelessly plead with you to do this one very simple, painless thing: If you like live music, get off your butt and go.

The biannual music festival hosted by UD faculty legend Eric Suttman and his wife, Meg, has entered its 11th year of endless jam sessions on two stages, roaring bonfires and peaceful dancing under the stars with 300 of your classroom buddies. All this takes place on the Suttman’s five-acre farm, called “commonground,” located only 13 minutes from campus.

“Dancing outside next to your friends, listening to great music—that scene is hard to beat.” Senior Steve Priefum, who will attend his fifth BarnJam Saturday, said. “As fun as the Ghetto is, it really can’t compare.”

Headlining on the barn stage yet again is the UD behemoth The Werks, a high-energy, style-blending improvisational groove rock band that all students should see at least once before they graduate. This time, they’ll bring along Ohio University’s Papadosio, who toured across the country with them this summer. UD graduate Pat Kelly and his Early Times band will also play, joining the up-and-coming Kelly Fine with Rob Brodrick.

Expect BarnJam traditions to continue as Jerrie Joe leads the musicians in a great cover of “The Weight” by The Band, along with several Rob Marley tunes. The Backporch Jam, a group comprised entirely of UD faculty and fronted by Dr. Kurt Mosser, might also perform a few songs, but Suttman—who plays bass—jokes that contract negotiations are currently pending.

“They have some outrageous backstage demands for their shows,” he said.

Suttman seems especially jazzed for Possum the Light Doctor’s light show, which can only be enjoyed through the slight cloud of dust raised from dancing on the barn’s dirt floor, he said.

The camping aspect of BarnJam is also an enormous draw, with about 50 to 60 tents expected on Saturday. A huge rope swing is set up near the back camping area, and an all-night drum circle usually forms around the large bonfire sometime during the evening.

“My favorite part is all the late night conversations around the many small bonfires by the tents,” Suttman said.

Along with hot dogs and s’mores, Vegan chow will also be provided throughout the night by a new vendor. In addition to tents, drinks and tents, Priefum recommends BarnJammers bust out old Grateful Dead or Allman Brothers tie-dies, and grab some extra snacks, a flashlight, bug spray and a nice group of friends.

The festival community is so tight-knit that “baby BarnJammers,” the kids of returning alumni, often make appearances. Suttman’s own 1 and 3-year-olds, Elliot and Declan, are also prone to jamming out from time to time.

Even Priefum’s got his family hooked.

“I’ve only been once because I’m only a sophomore, but I’ll be there for sure Saturday,” his sister Amanda said.

WHAT: BarnJam 21
WHERE: Saturday, Sept. 6
Doors open at 6 p.m., music starts at 8 p.m.
WHERE: 3948 Soldiers Home-Miamisburg Road, Miamisburg, OH 45342
COST: $10 at the door. Proceeds benefit Appalachian Club.
MORE INFO: www.barnjam.com

DIRECTIONS:
Take Brown St. toward Downtown Dayton
Get on SR 35-W (Seven miles)
Turn left on Infirmary Road (Two miles)
Turn right on SR 4/Germantown Road (One mile)
Bear left onto Soldiers Home-Miamisburg Road
3948 Soldiers Home-Miamisburg Road
Fall into autumn fashion with style

AMANDA LEECH
Staff Writer

Fall is only a couple of weeks away and with it comes a whole new set of trends. It is almost time to put away your miniskirts and tank tops and update your wardrobe for the cooler weather. Before you break out your wallet and head to the mall, there are a few trends you should keep in mind.

One of the big trends on the runways for fall 2008 was a minimalist take on fashion favorites, according to www.style.com. Stark, architectural tailoring and simple colors were prominent in runway shows for Yves Saint Laurent, Calvin Klein, and Prada.

So you ask, what’s the new black this fall? Black. An easy, affordable way to achieve this minimalist look is a simple shift dress or a tailored tuxedo jacket worn with jeans.

Accented waists are also in for the fall, so show off those curves. This silhouette, which was popular in the 40s, is making a big comeback, according to style.com.

Designers like Chanel and Lanvin cinched in waistlines to shine a spotlight on curves. An easy way to emulate this trend is a simple belt around the waist.

Do not say goodbye to florals just yet. According to “Runway Report” by Harper’s Bazaar, winter florals are another big trend this season. The prints are big, bold and superfeminine. Try pairing a floral cardigan with jeans and flats for a low maintenance look for class.

Harper’s Bazaar also lists “Country Chic” as one of their top trends for fall. This trend, as seen on the runways for designers like Ralph Lauren and Burberry Prorsum, includes tweed fabrics and feathers galore. For those who do not wish to wear a feathered party dress to class, a simple headband with feather accents is a good way to imitate this trend.

A few other trends that are making splashes in the fashion world are lace, which was seen on the runway for designers like Elie Saab and Stella McCartney, and ruffles, as seen on the runway with Givenchy and Valentino. A ruffled tank under a simple cardigan and lace accents with accessories are easy ways to experiment with this popular trend.

Beauty Trends
(according to Elle.com)

Candy color eyes—bright colors accent the eyes. Try a purple or blue to get noticed on the weekend.

Chunky waves—an easy way to look glamorous. Wrap sections of hair around a one-inch curling iron and separate with fingers when done.

Stained lips—the matte stains that are inspired by the look of the 20s gives a look that is “both youthful and grown-up at the same time.”

French twist—an easy way to look elegant without being too overdone. Tease roots before putting up for extra volume.

Dolcessa Gelato Café offers alternative ice cream, Italian style

ALEXIS BUHELOS
Staff Writer

Yum! Delicious ice cream I can eat everyday that doesn’t make me fat — OK, that’s an overstatement. But the authentic, homemade Italian ice cream served at Dolcessa Gelato Café has about 60 to 70 percent less fat than regular American ice cream.

“It’s made fresh on the premises with ingredients from Italy,” said Dale, a Dolcessa employee. “We have a total of 77 flavors and offer 22 daily.”

Dolcessa, founded in 2006 in Dayton, recently opened a new location on Brown Street. The family-owned and operated business strives to bring the ambience and flavor of a European gelateria to the city.

Along with gelato (Italian ice cream), Dolcessa carries a line of sorbetto, which is made from fruits, sugar and water. It has more of an Italian Ice flavor but the fresh fruit really makes it stand out. Some of their flavor options include kiwi, mint chocolate chip, peanut, strawberry, tiramisu, and pistachio.

They allow you to combine any two flavors of either gelato or sorbetto into one cup — perfect for any indecisive ice cream eater.

Dolcessa also offers 10 high quality Paninis, which Dale said were the most popular items. They all have a variety of ingredients including fresh cheeses such as French brie, mozzarella and provolone, crisp vegetables, delicious meats, balsamic sauce, and pesto spread. If you’d rather opt out of eating the entire Panini, they have a mini option.

If you’re in the mood for something hot, Dolcessa has an Italian espresso bar with options including moka, Italian coco, and flavored mint chocolate and chai tea lattes. The café also has some interesting combinations of their items: affogato (espresso or hot cocoa over gelato), gelatte (blended espresso with gelato), and bubble tea (tea with tapioca pearls).

The service was decent and they usually only have one employee working at a time. The ambience had an artistic, energetic feel with black tables and chairs and interesting modern art (you could actually understand the modern art, so that was a plus).

Dolcessa is definitely a treat to have right next to the student neighborhood. The location is ideal if you live on the Darkside, don’t want to walk all the way to ArtStreet Café and are looking for a great panini for just about the same price.

DOLCESSA GELATO CAFÉ

Where: 1109 Brown St.

Hours: Mon to Thu, 11 a.m. to 9 p.m., Fri to Sat 11 a.m. to 10 p.m., Sun noon to 7 p.m.

Website: www.dolcessa.com

Average Cost: Panini $6.50, Gelato/Sorbetto $3 to $5, Espresso Bar $3 to $4.50

Student Reviews:

AOLXIS BUHELOS JUNIOR JOURNALISM

What did you order? Peanut gelato

Reasonable price? I thought it was a little excessive, but then I tasted how amazing it was.

Rate it: 10, definitely.

Why did you give it that rating? It tasted so good and it had little peanut chunks in there too! I wasn’t too much to eat, perfect size, and it was very homemade tasting.

Would you come back? Yes, I can’t wait to try something else.

MOLLY MCCORMACK JUNIOR PRE-MED

What did you order? Strawberry sorbetto and Birthday Cake gelato

Rate it: 8 for Strawberry, 9 for Birthday Cake, but together 10.

Why did you give it that rating? The strawberry’s good, it’s a refreshing taste. It doesn’t have the thickness of ice cream. The ice cream was better, but together they were awesome! I like that you can put two flavors in that little cup because they are really good combined.

Would you come back? Yes.

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AMANDA LEECH
Staff Writer

So you ask, what’s the new black this fall? Black. An easy, affordable way to achieve this minimalist look is a simple shift dress or a tailored tuxedo jacket worn with jeans.

Accentuated waists are also in for the fall, so show off those curves. This silhouette, which was popular in the 40s, is making a big comeback, according to style.com.

Designers like Chanel and Lanvin cinched in waistlines to shine a spotlight on curves. An easy way to emulate this trend is a simple belt around the waist.

Do not say goodbye to florals just yet. According to “Runway Report” by Harper’s Bazaar, winter florals are another big trend this season. The prints are big, bold and superfeminine. Try pairing a floral cardigan with jeans and flats for a low maintenance look for class.

Harper’s Bazaar also lists “Country Chic” as one of their top trends for fall. This trend, as seen on the runways for designers like Ralph Lauren and Burberry Prorsum, includes tweed fabrics and feathers galore. For those who do not wish to wear a feathered party dress to class, a simple headband with feather accents is a good way to imitate this trend.

A few other trends that are making splashes in the fashion world are lace, which was seen on the runway for designers like Elie Saab and Stella McCartney, and ruffles, as seen on the runway with Givenchy and Valentino. A ruffled tank under a simple cardigan and lace accents with accessories are easy ways to experiment with this popular trend.

Beauty Trends
(according to Elle.com)

Candy color eyes—bright colors accent the eyes. Try a purple or blue to get noticed on the weekend.

Chunky waves—an easy way to look glamorous. Wrap sections of hair around a one-inch curling iron and separate with fingers when done.

Stained lips—the matte stains that are inspired by the look of the 20s gives a look that is “both youthful and grown-up at the same time.”

French twist—an easy way to look elegant without being too overdone. Tease roots before putting up for extra volume.
On the decline: Forbes thinks Dayton is dead

Forbes.com seems to think that the state of Ohio is not only in a current state of decline, but is actually slowly falling right off the face of the earth. According to their study, which ranks America’s top 10 fastest dying cities, Youngstown, Canton, Dayton and Cleveland all, “…face fleeing populations, painful waves of unemployment and barely growing economies.” The only other state with multiple cities that made the list was Michigan, which had Flint and Detroit.

Even worse, the study goes on to state that the future will not see things get any better in these areas, as there have been no signs in recent years of things turning around. This is somewhat disconcerting, as many of us on campus call these areas home, and we all go to school in one of these so called “dying” cities.

It can certainly be conceded that Dayton may not be the most bustling metropolitan area in the world. The streets downtown are generally empty during the day and except for a few areas, there is not much flair to the area as a whole. It is clear that Dayton is a town that had long been dependent on manufacturing to succeed, and in recent years this has become a dying industry in the region. As a result, Forbes.com has found it necessary to completely write off the city, basically saying that coming out of this slump will be impossible.

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Then there is UD, which can be argued is the centerpiece of the city. UD uses them as solutions for some problems, and encompassing representation of UD, but as citizens of the U.S., to be informed what is going on in every day life by an uncensored source.

As editor in chief of Flyer News, I can promise this university that nothing will be held back in order to please the administration. If the editorials of Flyer News and I believe something should be printed, students of UD will soon be reading it in the paper. We feel it is your democratic right not just as students of UD, but as citizens of the U.S., to be informed what is going on in everyday life by an uncensored source.

That source is our newspaper. And unlike the admissions office, we don’t cater to prospective students and parents — we cater to the people that are already here on campus, and more importantly to the people that call UD home.

"The greatest achievement of humanity - freedom of speech - has served as both the source and the incentive of progress."

Eduard Shevardnadze, former Georgian Georgian, 2001

Word on the street...
Do you think it’s a good idea to lower the legal drinking age to 18?

"Yes, it would help take the novelty out of binge drinking."

BRITTANY YODER SENIOR ACCOUNTING

"Coming from a military family, if you’re old enough to carry an M-16, you can handle a six-pack."

PAT CLINE SENIOR PREMED, ENTREPRENEURSHIP

"After studying abroad in Spain, I realized a lower drinking age often results in more responsibility."

AUDREY LEEKER JUNIOR SPANISH, INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS
Students entitled to their basements

Currently I am a lucky housing resident not just because I have a house in the Ghetto and haven’t gotten shot at (which is increasingly rare) but because I still have a basement. In fact I’ve had a basement for two years now.

I’ve seen basements used as bars, breweries, workout rooms, couch lounges, karaoke stages and storage. Personally my basement served as a workout room, box storage, a beer pong table and most importantly the home of the circuit breaker.

In my College Park residence, whenever the microwave and the coffee maker were running at the same time, BAM, there goes the power. Last year when that happened I was able to simply turn around, walk downstairs to the basement and flip some switches. Most days I was able to start the day with a hot cup of coffee and a lava spewing Hot Pocket.

This year residents in my old house do not have that luxury. The basement is now locked. What is their solution for a blown fuse? Freak out and call the police to come unlock the basement and restore power? No need for the police and maintenance to worry about bigger problems, I need my basement unlocked so I can cook my Hot Pocket now!

You could also carry your microwave into another room and search for that elusive three pronged outlet. Typical mornings will now look like power off in the kitchen, microwave in the living room, coffee maker in the bathroom and your Tangle in the bedroom. Girls, don’t even think about blow drying your hair.

I’ve heard stories ranging from gas leaks, to blown circuits, to water heaters leaking all that needed to be discovered and fixed in the basement. Can we be responsible tenants without access to these things? Shouldn’t the University be educating the whole person including life skills?

Residents signed a contract before these basements were locked and now the housing unit has changed so that students come home surprised to find their basements locked. According to Ohio Landlord Tenant Law 5321.05 it’s the obligation of a tenant to “Use and operate all electrical and plumbing fixtures properly.”

How can we do this without access to circuit breakers and water heaters?

The University will not fix these problems until you fight for your right to have a basement.

Demand a meeting with Sister Dr. Dan! Google Ohio Landlord and Tenant Law! Figure out your price per square footage and demand a refund of what you lost! Know your rights!

Tim Ludwing
Education
Senior

Privatizing school systems could end debate

In my most recent Evolution class we discussed the ongoing fight between the supporters of evolution and those of intelligent design.

The battleground exists mainly in schools, where one side tries to make it so their theory is the only one taught.

I am not looking to support one side or another in the public sphere.

My belief is that such a question should not be answered by the public.

For instance, I don’t think it is necessary to have a fight over sexual education in high schools. In fact, there should be no official stance on such an issue made by the government.

Where am I going with this? Well, the only way I think we can remove these problems from the public sphere is to privatize the education system.

In such a system, it would not be up to government to decide what is taught. Each school would be independent of the government, and parents could choose a school on the basis of what they want their children to be taught.

As far as paying for the system, we would simply subsidize every child in a family so that she can attend a school. Therefore, parents would be sending their children to a private school on a government voucher.

If a school costs more than the given subsidy, it is the choice of the parent to pay the difference. This would allow the system to remain equitable while at the same time in jecting it with competition.

Parents would choose from a variety of schools. Any given school would not have guaranteed enrollment nor would they have to accept every student.

Competition among schools as well as competition among students would raise the quality of both.

Issues concerning what should be taught in a classroom would remain in the domain of each individual school, and any dissenting parent can simply attempt to change that school’s curriculum or move their child to a school whose curriculum they agree with. If that is not possible, they can home-school their child.

So, if John and Jane Q want to send their daughter, Susie Q, to a school where they teach creation-ism and abstinence-only sexual education, that’s their prerogative.

If Susie gets an STD or pregnant because she was ignorant of safe sex methods, tough.

Likewise, if they want to send her to a school that teaches evolution and shows everyone how to put condoms on a cucumber, so be it. If she becomes sexually active beyond the level her parents want her to, at least they know she’ll hopefully use protection.

Either way, Susie Q’s development will remain the sole responsibility of her parents’ choices.

It is not the responsibility of the government to raise children. That power remains with parents. A privatized school system would maintain parental choice but also allow the government to keep the system equitable.

As a side note, if a privatized school system were properly implemented, you would see costs go down, teacher salaries go up, and proficiency levels sky rocket.

And, we would no longer have to worry about hare-brained politicians trying to influence how children are taught. Instead, they can remain at the feeding trough.

Peter R. Blazunas
Economics
Senior

Music has power to take us to new places

Music is powerful. Or at least I believe it can be. Then again, I’m one of those “suckers” who believes that the person writing this music actually feels like this or has experienced such events. I hope that they’re making this music for the love of the art, not just because they’re money-hungry corporate sell-outs that will do anything to make some scratch.

So as a believer in music, tell me: What is it about music that can literally “take you away.” Listen to songs such as Donavon Frankenreiter’s “Too Much Water,” Jason Mraz’s “I’m Yours” or Incubus’ “Wish You Were Here.” After listening to such songs you think you would rather be relaxing on a beach with powder white sand or jumping into waves of crystal blue water as they crash on the beach. Why do we feel like this? Don’t get me wrong, I love that feeling, but what about those songs makes us think like this?

Another question that could be posed is whether the life depicted in these songs is actually that great. Not to sound like a complete pessimist, but do we long for these types of feelings simply because we are where we are? I love Dayton and specifically UD, but come on, who wouldn’t rather be on a beach or even, dare I say, in Dayton?

But are these thoughts just a break from the norm? We long for these feelings simply because every time we go to the beach it’s because we’re on vacation. We don’t have to worry about making money or any other problems that might arise.

So, for the time being we can say: “Man, why don’t I just pack up all my stuff and move out to a beach house.” But once we get there will things be any different? Or will we continue to have our constant daily struggles?

This is why music is powerful. If we analyze the situation it can get messy. But for that brief three minutes and change, these artists can take us to a completely different place and give us a whole new outlook on life. The choice is yours: You could go anywhere you want through the use of music. You’ve got an afternoon to spare, where do you want to go?

Tim Keating
Electronic Media
Senior

“The University will not fix these problems until you fight for your right to have a basement.”

TIM LUDWIG
SENIOR
EDUCATION

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OPINIONS

Letters to the editor

Flyer News is the student-run newspaper of the University of Dayton. It works to serve the campus community and offers a forum for opinion. The university makes no representations or warranties regarding products or services advertised in Flyer News. Flyer News reserves the right to edit or reject all copy. Flyer News does not necessarily uphold or advocate the opinions in the columns, letters or cartoons appearing in the opinion pages. Send 50-500 word letters to editor @flyernews.com. Submissions must include name, major and year.

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While most of campus was enjoying their long labor day weekend travelling home or just relaxing on campus, the women’s volleyball team had a different kind of long weekend in Arizona; one that they hope to soon forget.

Now that might sound crazy to some — spending Labor Day weekend in beautiful, sunny Tempe, Arizona and not enjoying it? Well try to enjoy this, the Flyers just finished an agonizing road trip at the Arizona State Sheraton Classic where they finished a disappointing 1-2. They were swept in straight sets to the Sun Devils and lost 3-1 to South Carolina. The lone bright spot for the Flyers came in their first game of the tournament when they downed the UNLV Rebels last Friday 3-1.

The best cure for the road trip blues is some home cooking. And the Flyers will get just that this Friday and Saturday when they return home to host the Dayton Flyer Invitational at the Frericks Center. The team returns to the raucous confines of the Frericks gym to host Towson, Cleveland State, and Big Ten powerhouse Northwestern for the two-day tournament.

The Flyers begin their play in the tournament this Friday with their season opener against Northwestern at 7 p.m. Red Scare is offering 50 spirit points for the match.

The women then continue play on Saturday with matches against Towson at 11 a.m. and wrap up the tournament against Cleveland State at 7:30 p.m.

So come out this weekend and support the volleyball team. Help make this weekend one they’ll want to remember.

Placement of both the men’s and women’s cross country teams in last weekend’s Flyer 5K in Kettering. The two teams both put two runners in the top 10. For the men, sophomore Chris Lemon took fifth, while RS Junior Mike Andersen took sixth. For the women, sophomore Liz Coorey took eighth, while sophomore Maureen Bulgrin took tenth.

Passing yards by Rob Florian in Sunday’s football game with Central State. Florian took over the starting quarterback job this season following the graduation of Kevin Hoyng. Florian went 17 of 34 passing and threw two touchdowns and two interceptions. The Flyers defeated the Marauders, 31-12.

Votes received by the Volleyball team this week in the AVCA national poll. The Flyers have gone 1-2 so far on the season, but their losses have come against volleyball powers Arizona State and South Carolina. They return home to face Northwestern this evening at 7:30.

Women’s soccer team’s ranking in the NSCAA/Adidas Great Lakes Regional Rankings. They will travel to Ann Arbor today to take on Michigan. Next weekend they will take on Rutgers and Duke, with both games being at Baujan Field.

There’s strong. Then there’s Army Strong. If you want to be a leader in life, joining Army ROTC in college is the strongest way to start. Army ROTC provides hands-on leadership development to round out your college studies. Plus you can earn a full-tuition, merit-based scholarship. After graduation, you’ll begin your career as an Army Officer. With a start like that, there’s no limit to what you can achieve.

There’s Strong. Then there’s Army Strong.
Chappell making name for himself across the nation

Paul Conte Staff Writer

Each summer the top up-and-coming golfers in the world convene at the U.S. Amateur Championship. The premier amateur tournament in the world has featured the likes of Bobby Jones, Jack Nicklaus, Arnold Palmer and Tiger Woods over the history of the 113-year-old annual event.

In 2008 over 300 players entered the competition but only 64 made the cut and advanced to match play. Among those 64 was Rob Chappell, a senior at UD and captain of the golf team.

After completing a season in which Dayton came in second at the A-10 championship and Chappell himself clinched the top prize in the individual championship, he qualified for the tournament at a match in Cincinnati in early August.

However, he did not fully appreciate his accomplishment until later at the Open when, according to Chappell, “everything just hit me.”

This year’s championship was held at Pinehurst Country Club in North Carolina. Chappell, who had previously caddied at the PGA’s U.S. Open, said the Amateur Championship is just as big of an event.

“Torda said that he hopes to work on his game overall and maintain focus on controlling the ball.

“Once he has learned the game enough to play on the PGA tour.”

Hale feels the most important aspect of Chappell’s game that needs improvement is his wedge game.

With Hale’s guidance and his own determination, do not be surprised in the near future if you see Rob Chappell walking the greens of the U.S. Open Major Championship as a professional.

Men’s Golf

Alex and Alex share common bond on Hermann list

Allison Dunn Staff Writer

Who could predict that when Alex Torda’s parents placed their son in soccer at such a young age that he would eventually become one of the top midfielders in the nation at the collegiate level.

Junior Alex Torda made Flyer history by making the Missouri Athletic Club’s Hermann Trophy watch list. The list consists of all male soccer players at the Division I intercollegiate level. Nominees for the Hermann Trophy are selected by program representatives of our team and our school.

After his sophomore year at UCLA, Yi signed with the Royal Salmon FC. The former Bruin is a three-time Hermann Trophy watch list selection.

“Torda said he is already looking forward to the upcoming season at Dayton. “This is a season that we have very high expectations for,” Chappell said.

Building off the success of last year, both Chappell and first-year coach Chris Hale feel the team has a legitimate chance of knocking off powerhouse Charlotte for the A-10 title.

“Torda said. “A bunch of people have found me,” Yi said. “I was just really fortunate and lucky.”

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“Coach Dennis Currier found Yi and contacted him at his home in Maryland to join the Flyer soccer program.

“I am unbelievably lucky for Dennis to have singled me out and found me,” Yi said. “I was just really fortunate and lucky.”

Torda, originally from Dallas, won a number of awards playing for the Flyers last year. He placed on the All-Conference, All-Oho, and All-Region teams and was Dayton’s MVP. This year he hopes to add All-American honors and ultimately the Hermann Trophy to that list.

“I actually have several friends on the [Hermann Trophy] list that I’d love to have coach [Currier] will help me out.”

Torda, however, isn’t getting caught up in the hype.

“More importantly, it’s about the team to me and what we all want to do,” Torda said.

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“The core of the team is juniors so most of us are upperclassmen now and we have the experience under our belt,” Torda said. “I know we have the talent. It’s going to take a good season for us, but I know we have the potential.”

Fifteen semifinalists will be chosen in November and those selected will be processed down to three finalists in December. The trophy will be presented in St. Louis Jan. 29.
Flyers looking to bounce back after last year’s A-10 Tournament loss to Massachusetts

JOHN BEDELL
Assistant Sports Editor

There’s not a whole lot in sports that compares to the devastation of having a soccer season decided by penalty kicks. Imagine playing 90 grueling minutes and grinding out two 10-minute overtime periods only to have your team’s talent, experience and strategy negated. Now your season hinges on, in essence, luck.

Well that’s exactly what happened to the men’s soccer team last year in the quarterfinals of the Atlantic 10 conference tournament. At the end of regulation and two overtime periods the score remained tied 1-1. The Flyers then lost 4-3 in PKs to one of the country’s elite teams in Massachusetts. The Minutemen then went on to win the A-10 tournament and advanced to the final four in the NCAA tournament.

While this might leave some teams discouraged the following year, the Flyers are eager to start this season and are hungrier than ever to finish strong this year. Head Coach Dennis Currier and his players know that they are so close to an NCAA bid they can taste it.

“That UMass loss was not easy to swallow,” Currier said, “but what it helps you with is putting the season in perspective and it teaches you that you’re not as far away as you think you are (from an NCAA tournament bid).”

Senior midfielder Simeon Zapryanov agreed.

“I felt we were better [than UMass] and everyone thought so,” Zapryanov said. “But with penalty kicks you never know, it’s just luck. We’re hoping this year that history will not repeat itself. We want to get to the A-10 tournament and ultimately the NCAA tournament.”

The positive attitude that Currier and Zapryanov reflect is something that keeps this team together and drives all of its members. They share a bond that makes them like brothers. Junior midfielder Alex Torda said that was one of the things that sold him on Dayton’s program.

“We all get along great,” Torda said. “It’s not like there are outcasts or anything; and each other very well,” Currier said. “Randy is the premium communicator.”

That communication is vital to the team’s success.

Top: Junior forward Jeff Poppella works his way across the field in an exhibition game against Kentucky. Bottom: Junior defender Ryan Handbury corrals a loose ball during an exhibition match with Kentucky. The men’s soccer team is trying to advance into the NCAA Tournament this season for the first time since 1998. The team is trying to regroup after a heartbreaking loss to Massachusetts in the A-10 Tournament where it lost on penalty kicks.

Although the UMass loss is not something the team talks about, it will be something that drives them this season as they work through another challenging schedule.

“At the time I was devastated,” Handbury said. “But it certainly is going to make myself and the team stronger. It’s not going to happen to us again, it just won’t.”

ON OUR TURF

2008 men’s soccer home schedule

SEPTEMBER

SEPT. 19 MARSHALL
SEPT. 21 ROBERT MORAIS
SEPT. 26 SIU-EDWARDSVILLE

OCTOBER

OCT. 10 RICHMOND
OCT. 12 GEORGE WASHINGTON
OCT. 24 FORDHAM
OCT. 26 LA SALLE