Super Bowl Sunday
By Ben Welch & Jacob Karras

Time to pat down the chair, roll out the keg, and make those famous nachos one last time to get ready for the NFL Super Bowl matchup on Sunday February 1st. The final game of the season is a rarely seen matchup between the NFC’s Arizona Cardinals and AFC’s Pittsburgh Steelers. Arizona is no doubt an underdog in this Super Bowl matchup going up against BIG Ben and that devouring Steelers’ defense, led by the Associated Press Defensive Player of the Year undrafted hard-hitting versatile Kent Stater James Harrison.

This year’s super bowl is going to be better than most people realize. Both quarterbacks Kurt Warner for Arizona and Ben Roethlisberger for Pittsburgh have both been to the Super Bowl and won. **Super Bowl:** See page 3

A New Era
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“On this day, we gather because we have chosen hope over fear, unity of purpose over conflict and discord,” Obama said.

President Barack Hussein Obama started his first full day as president January 21, 2009. Our country’s first African American president made true on his persuasion of “yes we can” which was made official at the 2009 Inauguration held on Tuesday January 20, 2009. His first act of business as the president included a proclamation declaring a national day of renewal and reconciliation and calling on American’s to serve one another. In his Inaugural Address, Obama said, he would “begin to responsibly leave Iraq to its people and forge a hard-earned peace in Afghanistan.” Obama’s election pledge was to pull out of Iraq on a 16-month timetable. Obama has also promised to close down the Guantanamo Bay camp, where about 245 foreign captives are held in the US war on terrorism. What most American’s are concerned with today and what Obama will focus mostly on in his first weeks is the disastrous US economy. He is taking **A New Era:** See page 3

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**Student Health**

Student Health General Information: Welcome new and returning students! Here is some general information about Student Health Services at UMC. It is staffed by a Registered Nurse, Stacey Grunewald, Monday – Friday, 8:30 – 4:00. Appointments are recommended, but not necessary. There are over-the-counter medications available free of charge. Dr Kanten, a family practioner from Riverview Clinic, is on campus most Thursdays (note the day change) from 3:00 to 4:30 and is free for students. You must contact Stacey, 8512, to make an appointment with the doctor.

Here is information on off-campus clinics in Crookston:
- Altru, Crookston Clinic is located at 400 S. Minnesota Street, 281-9100, 8:00 to 5:00, M-F.
- Riverview Clinic is located at 323 S. Minnesota Street, 281-9595, 8:00 to 4:30, M-F.
- Riverview Family Practice & Integrative Medicine Center is located at 323 S. Minnesota Street, 2nd floor of the hospital, and is open M-F, 8:30 to 4:30. Dr. Bell is only available, Monday, Wednesday, Thursday all day and Tuesday mornings.

Urgent Care at Crookston: There is an Urgent Care facility located within the RiverView hospital in Crookston that is open from 7:00 am to 8:00 pm, Monday through Friday, and 9:00 am to 1:00 pm Saturday and Sunday. The cost is comparable to a regular office visit. There is no need to make an appointment.

Polk County Public Health is located at 721 S. Minnesota Street and is a facility that can assist you with your family planning needs, such as – birth control pills, pregnancy testing, STD screening, pap smears, etc. They charge based on a sliding fee scale which makes it an affordable alternative. You can make an appointment to see a Family Planning nurse by calling 281-3385.

**Music on Mondays Presents Shevy Smith January 26**

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Shevy Smith
Monday, January 26, 2009
11:30 a.m. - 1 p.m.
Northern Lights Lounge
Sponsored by S.P.A.C.E.
Kurt Warner is the first starting quarterback in NFL history to take two different teams to the Super Bowl. We all remember the exciting season he had with St. Louis which ended by beating the Titans by a yard in the Super Bowl.

Kurt Warner leads his high-powered offense along with wide receivers Larry Fitzgerald and Anquan Boldin who is expected to play in the Super Bowl after a hamstring injury. Arizona will have its hands full going against the league number one defense. Pittsburgh has forced 6 turnovers during this post season and is looking to do more of the same against Arizona. This game is going to come down to who makes the least mistakes and how well Ben Roethlisberger manages the Pittsburgh offense.

The Steelers are a national popular team and are broadcast well past their region of interest. Six of the Steelers’ games this year were shown to more than 60% of the country. They have been to 6 super bowls and have come out on top 5 out of those 6 times. Arizona is a completely different story. Arizona has only two winning seasons (both 9-7) including this season since moving to Arizona from St. Louis. Arizona has never won a super bowl, but the franchise while in St. Louis did win the NFL championship in 1947. They don’t have the fan base like Dallas, NY Giants, or the Patriots and their games were shown to only 4% of the U.S. at times. Throughout the playoffs the team’s popularity has grown from 21 million viewers in their first playoff game to over 38 million viewers in the NFC championship game. Which poses the question where will you be on Super Bowl Sunday? Will this Super Bowl get the record 97.4 million viewers the undefeated Patriots vs Giants game brought?

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over at a crucial time where there is an $825 billion dollar economic stimulus plan set in motion. “Homes have been lost, jobs shed, businesses shuttered,” Obama said in his Inauguration Address. America has fallen in the worst times economically in 70 years as a consequence of “greed and irresponsibility” on the part of some, Obama said. With new hope and new ideas we can pull this great drowning nation’s head above water.

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Career & Counseling Corner

* Friday, January 30 - Workshop “How to work a Job Fair,” 11 a.m. - Noon, 244 Sargeant Student Center

* Check out the on-line résumé posting service GoldPASS at www.goldpass.umn.edu. Our staff is here to help you with your job or internship search.

* UMC students looking for help with resumes writing, interviewing techniques and Graduate School plan can find free online tutorials on the Career and Counseling Services web page. http://www.umcrookston.edu/ccs/

* February 9 - University of Minnesota Job and Internship Fair from 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. at the Minneapolis Convention Center. CCS is sponsoring a bus for students to attend this fair. The cost for students is FREE. Students need to register in 236 Student Center for the bus. A $10 refundable is required to sign up. This will be refunded when you board the bus. Students must also register in advance for the fair at www.umjobfair.org.

* Monday, February 2 - Workshop “How to Work a Job Fair”, 11 a.m. - Noon, 244 Sargeant Student Center

Joke of the Week

In the back woods of Arkansas, Mr. Stewart’s wife went into labor in the middle of the night, and the doctor was called out to assist in the delivery. To keep the nervous father-to-be busy, the doctor handed him a lantern and said, “Here, you hold this high so I can see what I’m doing.” Soon, a wee baby boy was brought into the world. “Whoa there Scotty!” said the doctor. “Don’t be in a rush to put the lantern down... I think there’s yet another wee one to come.” Sure enough, within minutes he had delivered another little baby. “No, no, don’t be in a great hurry to be putting down that lantern, young man... It seems there’s yet another one besides!” cried the doctor. The new father scratched his head in bewilderment, and asked the doctor: “Do ya think it’s the light that’s attractin’ them?”

Source: cleanjokes4u.com

Sargeant Student Center Offers
Extended Hours

Effective immediately the Sargeant Student Center will be open extended hours. The hours are:
Sunday from Noon to Midnight
Monday - Thursday from 8 a.m. to Midnight
Friday - 8 a.m. to 9 p.m.
Saturday - 1 p.m. - 6 p.m.
7th Annual
Winter Job and Internship Fair

Wednesday, February 4, 2009
Bede Ballroom
9 a.m. - 3 p.m.

Hosted by the University of Minnesota,
Crookston Career and Counseling Department
and Students in Free Enterprise (SIFE).

Come prepared by dressing professionally and having your résumé in hand!

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We reserve the right not to publish any article/submitted question that is deemed inappropriate and/or is in violation of University policy, State or Federal law. All content must establish and nurture an environment that actively acknowledges and values diversity and is free from racism, sexism and other forms of prejudice, intolerance or harassment, for men and women, faculty, staff and students from varying racial, religious and ethnic backgrounds and of varying sexual orientations, as well as people with disabilities.
The Specialty Scholarship online application will be open from January 6th-February 15th. Please go to http://onestop.umcrookston.edu/financial_aid/ to apply online during that timeframe. These scholarships are for the Fall 2009, Spring 2010 academic year and you must be a full-time student (12 credits or more) in order to qualify (with the exception of two scholarships).

UMC awards over 250 Specialty Scholarships ranging in value from $250 to $5000 and totaling over a quarter million dollars!

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The Polk County Humane Society needs dog walkers!!
Please Help these dogs.
The Humane society also needs reliable animal lovers who are willing to work a regular shift at the shelter. Volunteers can work as little as one shift a month. If you are willing to give some of your time
Please contact Mary Solberg at 281-7225

The Polk County Humane Society
720 East Robert Street

*Humane Society*: They are desperately in need of volunteers to help clean kennels and walk dogs. The greatest need is from 9:30 a.m. to 11 a.m.
The Polk County Humane Society is located at 720 East Robert Street.
Please contact Mary Solberg at 281-7225 for more information or to volunteer.

*Humane Society Thrift Store*: This new thrift store is a fundraiser for the Humane Society. Help is needed to sort items and in sales. Contact Betty Chapman at 281-3781 or 281-7225 for more information.

*Home Delivered Meals*: Three times a year we are asked to assist a very worthwhile program, Home Delivered Meals. Our next week to deliver meals is February 16 - 20. Meals need to be picked up at the Employee Entrance on the west end of RiverView Hospital at 11:30 a.m. The deliveries usually take about 30 minutes. You can expect to be back at UMC by 12:15 p.m. If you aren’t all that familiar with Crookston, don’t worry! You are provided with a map and very specific directions. Grab a friend to help navigate!

*Hunger Banquet*: Event will be held Thursday, February 26. Work with Lisa Loegering to help plan this event. Beforehand, I need help creating a PowerPoint, hanging up posters, selling tickets. On the day of the event, I’ll need help with set-up, the presentation, and welcoming guests. Contact Lisa for more information.

*National Youth Service Day*: Mark your calendars for Saturday, April 25 from 9 a.m. to noon. We will do service projects around Crookston.
Sign-up sheet is on bulletin board across hall from Lisa Loegering’s office.

*Month of Young Child Family Event*: This is a family event sponsored by early childhood organizations. Help will be needed for set-up, clean-up, and attending children’s activity booths. Date and location are still TBD, but it will be in late April. More details coming.

Super Bowl Events

****The Eagle’s Eye is sponsoring a guess the score contest. Stop by the Information Desk between Monday, January 26 and Friday, January 30 and register your guess as to what the final score of Super Bowl XLIII will be. The winner will receive a $20 gift card to Buffalo Wild Wings.

****The Information Desk is sponsoring a Super Bowl party on Sunday, February 1 in Sargeant Student Center. There will be refreshments and prizes and of course the game will be playing on the big screen. Come dressed to support your favorite team. The best dressed will receive a prize. The student center will be open from Noon until Midnight.
Upcoming Events

♦ January 29 - BSA Speaker, Noon
♦ January 29 - CSA Executive Board Meeting, 8 p.m., Minnesota Room
♦ January 30 - Women’s & Men’s Basketball vs University of Mary, 6 & 8 p.m.
♦ January 30 - Workshop “How to Work a Job Fair,” 11 a.m - Noon *244 SSC
♦ January 30 - Hockey vs Lawrence University, 7:30 p.m.
♦ January 30-31 - Ag-Arama
♦ January 31 - Hockey vs Lawrence University, 4 p.m.
♦ January 31 - Women’s & Men’s Basketball vs Northern State 6 & 8 p.m.
♦ February 1 - SuperBowl
♦ February 2 - Workshop “How to Work a Job Fair,” 11 a.m. - Noon, 244 Sargeant Student Center (CCS)
♦ February 3 - Workshop “Professional Dress and Etiquette Dinner,” TBA
♦ February 4 - 7th Annual Winter Job & Internship Fair, 9 a.m. - 3 p.m., Bede Ballroom
♦ February 4 - Musician John Rush, 7 p.m. Kiehle Auditorium (S.P.A.C.E.)
♦ February 5 - CSA Executive Board, 8 p.m., Minnesota Room
♦ February 6 - Workshop “Jobs and Internship Fair Do’s and Don’t’s,” 11 a.m., 244 SSC (CCS)
♦ February 6 - Women’s & Men’s Basketball vs MN State Mankato 6 & 8 p.m.
♦ February 6 - Stoplight Dance, 10 p.m. (S.P.A.C.E.)
♦ February 7 - Women’s & Men’s Basketball vs SW MN State 6 & 8 p.m.
♦ February 7 - Dad’s Breakfast 11 a.m. - 1 p.m. (S.P.A.C.E.)
♦ February 9 - Music on Mondays Ryan Home, 11:30 a.m., Northern Lights Lounge (S.P.A.C.E.)
♦ February 9 - U of M Job Fair Minneapolis Convention Center, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., Sign up for the Bus with Meloni in 236 Student Center by February 3. A $10 refundable deposit is required.

Family Fun Sundays

FREE and open to all area children, families and adults!

Refreshments will be served – Many door prizes.

GET UP, GET OUT and HAVE FUN!

Sunday, February 1 ~ 1-3pm
Free SWIMMING at the Crookston Community Pool

Sunday, February 8
11:30am-1:00pm Indoor SOCCER at Highland School Gym
1:15-2:30pm ACTIVE PLAY-ZUMBA DANCE and TAE KWON DO at the Family Service Center Gym
(S.P.A.C.E.) Formerly Carmen School

Sunday, February 15 ~ 1-2:30pm
Free ICE SKATING at the Crookston Arena
(sticks available for use)

Sunday, February 22 ~ 1-3pm
SLEDDING at Sunrise Hill and Cross Country SKIING at Mt. St. Benedict Trails
Warm up at Cathedral gym
(sticks available for use with the last ski check out at 2:30pm)

Thank you to the many local sponsors. Polk County Public Health. We put healthy ideas to work!

Eagle’s Eye Welcomes New Staff

The Eagle’s Eye would like to welcome Ben Welch and Jacob Karras to the Eagles Eye Publication Staff. That brings our staff members to a total of three. If you have any story ideas or information you would like to see included in this publication please send one of us an email: Ben Welch at welc0149@umn.edu, Jacob Karras at karr0040@umn.edu or Meloni Rasmussen at melonir@umn.edu.
Brain Teasers

Last week’s winner and the only one to get it right is Klint Mahne. Klint can pick up his free movie pass from Meloni in 236 Student Center. Can you guess this week’s puzzle? If you think you know the answer, send an e-mail to Meloni at melonir@umn.edu. A winner will be chosen from the correct answers. The winner will receive a free ticket to the Grand Theatre in Crookston. Email your answer to Meloni prior to noon on Thursday, January 29, 2009. The winner’s name will appear in the February 2, 2009 Eagle’s Eye.

Classified Ads

* House for Rent - Male student needed to share a house. If interested call (218) 693-1871

* Help Wanted - Transystems has part-time driver positions available. Must have CDL/Class A drivers license. For more information contact Melody at (701)-746-0389 or email her at mberg@transystemsllc.com. You may also apply on-line at www.transystemsllc.com.

* Personal Care Attendant wanted for a teenage male who is ambulatory and verbal. Looking for somebody to accompany individual to community events. Also possible respite care once per week. Prefer a male candidate for the position. Hours are flexible. If interested contact Mary at (218) 281-0652

* Help Wanted - Need someone to shovel snow and light house cleaning, and maintenance work. Wage is negotiable. Hours per week will vary. This position is located in Climax, MN (16 miles from Crookston). If Interested please call Karen at (218) 857-3522.

* The Academic Assistance Center/Student Support Services (AAC/SSS) is looking for academic tutors in all subjects. If you received an A or a B in any course and would be interested in tutoring, stop by at 270 Owen Hall. Tutoring pays $7.00 per hour and we work around your schedule. Specifically, we need ecology, botany, horticulture, chemistry, macroeconomics, Animal Nutrition, Genetics, and any Nat R tutors. If you are interested in tutoring any of these or something else, please stop by 270 Owen Hall to pick up the appropriate forms.

* The Writing Center has a few positions open for student tutors - The main duties and responsibilities for these positions are to provide one-on-one writing assistance to UMC students who need it. If you have taken Comp I & Comp II with good grades and would like to do a few hours’ of peer tutoring each week, you are strongly encouraged to apply for these positions. To apply, you can stop by AAC at 270 Owen to pick up a yellow Competency to Tutor form. After you fill it out, have your comp instructor certify your competency, and drop it off together with a writing sample to 270F Owen as soon as possible. This position pays between $7.00 to $8.00 depending on which year you are in college.

If you would like to include an ad in the classified section of the Eagle’s Eye, email your request to Melonir or drop your ad off in 236 Student Center. Ads will be included in the Eagle’s Eye FREE of charge to students, faculty and staff. Off campus ads will be charged $5 per ad. Ads will be included on a first come first served basis. Ads will run for two weeks if space allows. We reserve the right to reject any ads.

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