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Dynamic Duo
Wednesday, February 9, 2011

Wednesday, February 9, 2011
7 p.m.
Bede Ballroom

Fighting Crime across The United States for the better part of the past 2 years, The Dynamic Duo are poetry's favorite crime fighting pair. Heralded for their high energy live performances involving complex dual voice work, comedy, and emotionally raw poetry Panama Soweto and Ken Arkind have brought their show to both coasts and all points in between. From The Nuyorican Poets Café and The Bowery Poetry Club in New York City to Da Poetry Lounge in Los Angeles, World Famous Red Rocks Amphitheatre, Yale, Rutgers and numerous universities, slam venues and high schools across the country.

They have been featured in the documentaries "SPIT!" and "Slamplanet" and have been on a combined eight Denver area slam teams including the 2006 National Championship Team. Panama Soweto is a two-time member of the Mercury Café Slam Team (home of the 2006 National Championship title) and a founding member of the Slammubal Team. He was the 2005 and 2006 Pablo Neruda Poetry Festival Barrio Slam Champion. He is currently a Teacher for The Denver Housing Authority and has spent many years working with underprivileged youth as an art teacher and educator.

Ken Arkind is a five-time member of the Mercury Café Slam Team and 2 time National Poetry Slam Finalist being on the 2004 2nd place Team and The 2006 Championship Team. A 2004 Barrio Slam Champ and 2005 Denver City Slam Champion. He is the current project coordinator for the Denver Minor Disturbance Youth Slam and has taught workshops in numerous high schools and Juvenile detention centers throughout the mid west.

They have shared stages with notable performance poets The Chicano Messengers of Spoken Word, Mike McGee, Pulitzer Prize winner Yusef Komunyakaa, Andrea Gibson, Blair, and New York's Jive Poetic Falu, Rainmaker, and Mahogany Browne. Musicians such as The Flobots, Zebra Junction, and Sage Francis as well as World Famous Last Comic Standing winner Josh Blue.

Their work covers subjects as far reaching and broad as politics and video games, depression and comic books, racism and relationships proving that poetry can be about whatever you want it to and that it can be enjoyed by anyone.
Upcoming Events

- **February 7** - Blood Drive, 9 a.m. - 3 p.m., Bede Ballroom
- **February 8** - Career Services Webinar "Career Ethics" with Corey Cicocchetti, 4 p.m., Minnesota Room
- **February 8** - Mixed Blood Theatre “African American”, 7 p.m.
- **February 9** - Dynamic Duo, 7 p.m., Bede Ballroom
- **February 10** - CSA Full Board Meeting, Noon, Dowell Hall 225
- **February 10** - Open Ride Night- Open to the Public
- **February 11** - Women’s & Men’s Basketball vs Bemidji, 6 & 8 p.m.
- **February 12** - Women’s & Men’s Basketball vs University of Minnesota, Duluth, 4 & 6 p.m.
- **February 15** - Career Services Webinar “Career Planning” with Christine Hassler, 4 p.m., Minnesota Room
- **February 15** - Special Olympics, 6 p.m., Lysaker Gym
- **February 16, 18 & 19** - Play “Dracula the Musical?”, 7:30 p.m., Kiehle Auditorium
- **February 17** - UMC Campus Lions Club Meeting, 1 p.m., Prairie Room
- **February 18** - Women’s & Men’s Basketball vs Upper Iowa, 6 & 8 p.m.
- **February 18** - Women’s Softball Chili Feed
- **February 18** - Club Hockey
- **February 19** - Women’s & Men’s Basketball vs Winona State, 6 & 8 p.m.
- **February 19** - Club Hockey
- **February 20** - Play “Dracula the Musical?”, 3:30 p.m., Kiehle Auditorium
- **February 21** - Music on Mondays, Austin Kyle, 11:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m., Northern Lights Lounge Sargeant Student Center
- **February 22** - NSLS Videoconference: Josh Linkner “Unleashing Creativity: Your Most Important Competitive Advantage”
- **February 23** - W.O.W. : Mr. UMC
- **February 24** - CSA Full Board Meeting

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**SUPERBOWL GREEN BAY PACKERS WIN!**

Rodgers threw three touchdown passes to receive MVP honors, and Nick Collins returned an interception for another score, leading the Packers to a 31-25 victory over the Pittsburgh Steelers on Sunday. This was Green Bay’s fourth Super Bowl title. The Packers won the first two Super Bowls with Vince Lombardi coaching Bart Starr, and they claimed another with Brett Favre in January 1997.

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Sudoku puzzles are provided by www.sudokuoftheday.com - visit them and get a new Sudoku in your email inbox every day! Answers to Sudoku on page 10.

This year, the Eagle’s Eye will feature a new section called “Getting to Know U.” This section is meant to help students to get to know faculty, staff, and student leaders on a fun, more personal basis.

Name: April Jordan
Title/Position at UMC: Student
Major (students) or Area of Expertise (faculty/staff): Ag Business and Communications
Hometown: Beaver Dam, WI
How long have you been working/studying at UMC? 2 years
Family: My parents live and work on the farm in Beaver Dam, Wi and I have a two older brothers.
Favorite Movies: Jumper, Step Up, New in Town, Without a Paddle, Country Strong
Favorite Music/Bands/Performers: Garret Hedlund, Tim Mcgraw, Reba McEntire, George Stait, I’ll listen to just about anything
Favorite TV Shows: Desperate Housewives, Hellcats, How I Met Your Mother, Big Bang Theory
Favorite Books: There’s way to many to list
Favorite Sports or Activities: Track, Football GO PACK GO!!
Pastimes and Hobbies: Horseback Riding, Spearing, Hanging out with Friends
Favorite Vacation Spot: I’d love to go to Ireland
Complete the following sentences:

Most people don’t know I’m really very good at: Swimming
If I could change one thing about the world, I would: End war.
If I wasn’t a student, faculty, or staff member at UMC, I would probably be: A student at UW Madison

I really enjoy the U of M, Crookston because: It’s small campus allows you to get to know everyone, which makes it feel like home.

April is the new Communications Assistant who will be assisting with the Eagle’s Eye this Semester.

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University of Minnesota, Crookston Specialty Scholarships are open for application starting on January 5 through February 15, 2011. Students can apply by clicking the Application Form link located on the U of M, Crookston Financial Aid webpage.

The Specialty Scholarship application form is available and will close at midnight on February 15, 2011. All supporting documentation, if required must be turned into the Financial Aid office no later than 4:00 p.m. on February 15, 2011.
The Golden Eagle Women’s Basketball team traveled to Northern State University Saturday, February 5 to play the Wolves who are currently ranked second in the NSIC and fifth in the region. The Golden Eagles led by as many as six in the first half but NSU came back and at the 5:40 mark took the lead and went into the break leading 37-34. The lead did not last for long as UMC retook the lead at the 17:54 mark of the second half and didn’t look back to take the 75-66 victory.

Minnesota, Crookston’s 75 points is the second most given up by the Wolves this season. Leading the way offensively for UMC was Bri Zabel (F, 6-0, Sr, Northfield, Minn.) who scored a game and season-high 24 points. She was 7-9 from the field, a season-high 5-6 from long range and 5-6 from the free-throw line. Jamie Zelinsky (G, 5-11, Sr, Brooklyn Park, Minn.) followed Zabel with 19 points and seven rebounds in 39 minutes of play. Laurie Tyson (C, 6-1, So, Rosemount, Minn.) grabbed a game-high 10 rebounds for the second night in a row. The Golden Eagle defense held the Wolves to a 29.4 shooting percentage in the second half to help secure the victory.

Northern State was led by Emily Becken who scored 16 points. She was followed by Jodi Reinschmidt who scored 12 points, grabbed eight rebounds and dished a game-high six assists.

Minnesota, Crookston advances to 10-10 overall and 7-9 in conference play. Northern State falls to 15-6 overall and 11-5 in conference play. The Golden Eagles have two crucial home weekends coming up. UMC hosts Bemidji State and Minnesota Duluth on February 11 and 12. Game times are set for 6 p.m. and 4 p.m. On February 18 and 19 the team hosts Upper Iowa and Winona State. The games are set for 6 p.m. and 4 p.m. and will be carried on Midcontinent Cable.

For more information, visit the Golden Eagle Athletics website at: www.goldeneaglesports.com.
**Volunteer Opportunities**

**Letter Writer** – There is a resident living at Villa St. Vincent who once enjoyed writing to her friends. Unfortunately, she is no longer able to write. She is in need of someone willing to handwrite letters for her once or twice a month. For more information, please contact Jean Ann Bienek, Enrichment Coordinator, Villa St. Vincent, 218-281-9723, jean.bienek@bhshealth.org.

**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 14-18. 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 are not all that familiar with Crookston, don’t worry! You are provided with a map and very specific directions. Grab a friend to help navigate! If you are interested, please email Lisa Loegering.

**Family Festival** – Several events working at children’s events during the month of April. More information about specific events to come.

**North Country Food Bank:** They are looking for groups to help pack boxes and backpacks. To set up a date and time, please contact Lori Tate at 281-7356.

**Humane Society:** The Humane Society is run by volunteers. There is a huge need for volunteers to help clean cages from 9:30 – 10:30 or 11 a.m. every day. Additionally, dogs love to be walked! Get some exercise and share a walk with a very appreciative friend! The Polk County Humane Society is located at 720 East Robert Street. Please contact Tracy Janisch at 281-7225 to schedule a time to volunteer.

**Horticulture Club Valentine’s Day Plant Sale**

**Monday**
February 14, 2011
8 a.m. - 3 p.m.
International Lounge
Sargeant Student Center

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**Local Weather**

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**Stressed out? Overworked? Need help deciding where to go in life? Or Do You Just Need Someone to Talk to? The Counseling Center is Here For You!**

**HI!**

My name is Gabriel Hertler and I am the career and counseling center’s intern this semester. I would really like to have the opportunity to meet with students to talk about anything that’s going on in their lives. I have a passion for helping people, and I try to meet people where they are at without judging them. I can be found in the Counseling Center room 245B in the Sargeant Student Center every Wednesday 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Feel free to stop in at any time or contact me at hert1008@umn.edu if you have any other questions. Other counselors are available every school day.
What: Sugar Cookie Decorating  
When: Monday, February 14  
11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.  
Who: YOU! : )  
Where: Student Center  
Why: It's Valentine's Day!

Mixed Blood Theatre AFRICAN AMERICA  
Date: February 8, 2011  
Time: 7:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.  
Location: Kiehle Auditorium

In this insightful look at the modern Africans in Minnesota, the unexpected appearance of a magical African man leads a modern interracial couple to a better understanding and appreciation of the experience of immigrants to Minnesota from Liberia, Ethiopia, and Somalia and helps them consider how to connect with and celebrate one’s heritage. Mixed Blood Theatre's entertaining, eye-opening productions brilliantly spotlight the pluralistic threads of the American cultural fabric. Don't miss out on this great opportunity to learn more about other cultures!

If you have any questions, contact Thomas Williams, Director of Diversity Programs at will3140@umn.edu or at 218 281 8580.

Upcoming Job Fairs

Tuesday, February 8 -  
UND Spring Career Fair  
Wellness Center  
Grand Forks, ND  
11 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Wednesday, February 9 -  
NDSU Spring Career Fair  
Fargodome  
Fargo, ND  
10 a.m. - 3 p.m.

If you would like a ride to either of these fairs please stop by and sign up with Meloni in 236 Sargeant Student Center or email her at melonir@umn.edu.
Undergraduate Research Opportunities-Crookston (UROC)

In order to encourage undergraduate research on the UMC campus, funding has been set aside for projects approved on campus. The process for awarding these funds is separate from the University-wide UROP.

All proposals submitted for campus funding need to be approved by the appropriate unit head and submitted to the Academic Affairs office by the following date and time. Late proposals will not be considered.

March 21, 2011, 4:00 p.m. – for summer or fall semester 2011 projects

For application forms and guidelines, please contact cournia@umn.edu. You will need Policy and Procedures 2010-2011; Application Spring 2011; Faculty Mentor Recommendation Spring 2011.

Submitted projects that do not follow the procedures and/or not submitted on the correct forms and do not include all requested information will be returned and run the risk of not being considered.

Undergraduate Research Opportunities Program (UROP)

The deadline for submitting UROP proposals is March 7, 2011. For information, requirements, forms, etc., go to http://www.urop.umn.edu/

If you submit a UROP proposal, please also send a copy of the proposal to the Academic Affairs Office.

Games, Cards, Pizza, and Ice Cream Night

Place: Centennial Classroom
Data: February 12, 2011
Time: 6:30 p.m.-12:00 a.m.
Cost: Free
Sponsored by: UMC H2O Club
Contact: Eric McCoy mccoy150@umn.edu, Andrew Rice ricex307@umn.edu

If have any questions.
Open Ride Night

What: Open riding on university horses  
$3 per ride  
When: Thursday February 10, 5-7 p.m.

Where: University Teaching and Outreach Center,  
Why: To support the U of M, Crookston Horseman’s and Rodeo Associations

Look forward to seeing you there!

Recycle Mania Trivia Question - Win Prizes

Recycle Mania Trivia Question – Be the first to email Tim Knudson (knud0194@umn.edu) with the correct answer and win a prize!

There is a rare metal that comes from Africa used in cell phones and some other electronic equipment. The harvesting of this resource has impacted local ecosystems, and this is why it is important to recycle your cell phone. What is the name of this metal and where can it be found?

Hint: Check out the Mother Nature Network for information on this and lots of other interesting stuff!

UMC Enters 2011 RecycleMania. Pitch In!

The Crookston Students for Sustainable Development (CSSD) and the UMC Sustainability Committee are proud to announce that UMC has entered a nation-wide recycling competition called RecycleMania. Over 575 colleges and universities will be participating in the 2011 RecycleMania competition that begins on January 23 and runs through April 2. The goal of this competition is to increase awareness of campus recycling. All participating schools are required to report measurements (pounds of recycled materials divided by campus population) on a weekly basis. The school that collects the most recyclables in a variety of categories per capita wins!

Let's set a goal of placing 100% of our beverage containers and paper products in the appropriate recycling bins throughout campus. Cardboard should be flattened and placed behind the recycling bins. Student organizations will collect the recyclables and place them in outside containers for pick-up and weighing.
UMC 2011
Intramural Basketball League
Spring Semester

- No More than 10 players on a team.
- Registration forms can be pick up in the Sports Center Office #142 or downloaded form the UMC website.
- Deadline for registration is Friday February 4, 2011.

Follow us on Facebook.

Registration form must be turned into David Jackson in the Sports Center, Office #142.

For more information Contact David Jackson in the Sports Center Office #142 or by phone at 261-8189

University of Minnesota Job and Internship Fair 2011
Friday, February 25
10 a.m. - 4 p.m.
Minneapolis Convention Center
www.umjobfair.org
Cost: $10, if you pre-register online by February 22, 2011 or $25 at the door on the day of the fair.

Register for the bus ride down with Meloni in 236 Sargeant Student Center.
Limited seating available so reserve your seat early!!!
Brain Teasers

Last week's winner is Cody Metcalf. The correct answer to last week's puzzle is “Shop til you drop.” He can pick up his free movie pass from Meloni in 236 Sargeant Student Center. Can you guess this week's puzzle? If you think you know the answer, send an e-mail to melonir. 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, February 10, 2011. The winner’s name will appear in the February 12, 2011 Eagle’s Eye.

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Residential Life Ski Trip

BUENA VISTA (Ski Area)

When: 12:00 p.m.-6:30 p.m.
Ski or tubing
$10 on campus residents
Includes transportation, lift ticket and ski rental
Additional $10 for board rental
Must pay at sign up

Off Campus Students
Transportation, Lift ticket and Ski rental
$35 Additional $10 for board rental
Sign up at the Centennial front desk
Must pay at sign up

What Are YOU Doing for Spring Break?
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