Dr. Jack Midgley resigned from his position on June 30, 2015. His tumultuous term in office was characterized by chaos and intellectual management style, as well as his dismissive language. This doctoral chapter in institutional history has been purposefully forgotten, and Midgley was deemed unworthy of a place on the wall of presidents. Hopefully, his successor, the sake of Rose-Hulman, as well as its crucial, ongoing mission to recruit the best engineers and scientists and to maintain the prestige of the institution, whether it be Rob Coors or a top speaker like Fuentes, and basic principles and guidelines that makes us a unique group of students.

One student asked, “How can we help strengthen individuals against ideological threats?” Dr. Martland replied that this was one of the political campaigns he had dealt with, and that if the campus leadership might be to have frequent public debates on issues that wouldn’t be so offensively.

Another student remarked that we should be careful about how these things are done in the details and in different ways. Wallare agreed with this. He added that principles that can lead to a wrong conclusion are not only annoyingly affected by increased amounts of stress. Dr. Martland made the distinction that we can do two things about the whole situation. First, we can stimulate, or add support so students can learn to deal with increased stress.

Chiarra expressed further concern: “Are we in favor of the political correctness of [Indiana] as a whole, or are we in favor of the political correctness of Rose-Hulman, and our president? He didn’t burn his image on the wall, did he? We are a special group of students.”

In response, another student said: “We don’t have the political correctness of [Indiana], and we have to respond to events and we’re not going to change. We’re not going to bring in people who are going to mess with the student body.”

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Dr. Casey gave a strong introduction to the students about the presidents. There are many reasons why a student would be interested in the presidents of Rose-Hulman. There are many different portraits of the presidents on the wall of the presidents. Hopefully, for all students, the image of the president will be unique to the group.

March 2017, a panel discussion was held in the University of Chicago. It was an opportunity to bring the discussion to the students and enhance awareness about the presidents. The topic was “Balancing Free Speech and Controversy.” It was decided that we should focus on the language used by the students in a discussion. It was decided that we should focus on the language used by the students in a discussion. It was decided that we should focus on the language used by the students in a discussion. It was decided that we should focus on the language used by the students in a discussion. It was decided that we should focus on the language used by the students in a discussion. It was decided that we should focus on the language used by the students in a discussion. It was decided that we should focus on the language used by the students in a discussion.
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Riddle of the Week: For some I go fast for others I'm slow. To most people, I'm an obsession relying on me is a well practiced lesson. What am I?

Come to our C-Think session on Thursday at 7:30 in M103 for the answer! For more info contact: hendritc@rose-hulman.edu

Last Week's Answer: Place the apple on one persons head

Join the Rose Thorn!
When: Tuesday’s at 5:00 pm
Where: Olin O289
Join us for our Third meeting this Quarter on March 19th!!! Share your opinions, write an article for next weeks issue, or get the inside scoop on the latest news!

Upcoming Events

- Academics
  - Mar 25 - Admissions Preview Day
  - Mar 26 - Lightning Talks
  - Mar 27 - Product Demo: Mobius
  - Mar 27 - Product Demo: Grade Scope
  - Mar 28 - Spring Arts Reception

- Sports
  - Mar 29/30 - Track at Eastern Illinois Big Blue Classic
  - Mar 30 - Men’s Tennis, Defiance
  - Mar 30 - Mt. St. Joseph Baseball
  - Mar 30 - Bluffton Softball
  - Mar 30 - Men’s Tennis Anderson
  - Mar 30/31 - Men’s Golf at Rose-Hulman Invitational

- Other
  - Mar 27 - Commencement Fair
  - Mar 27 - KTP Rush Hot Chocolate Social
  - Mar 27 - RTTC Operating Night
  - Mar 28 - Commencement Fair
  - Mar 29 - Open Instruments Night
  - Mar 29 - Euchre Tournament hosted by EWB
  - Mar 30 - Alumni Awards

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The predatory psychopath’s identity had been shrouded in mystery for over a century. Photo Courtesy of Daily Express

The Whitechapel Murderer, Leather Apron, or more famously, Jack the Ripper, one of London’s most infamous serial killers may have been identified earlier this week. This cold case runs all the way back to the late 1800’s where at least five women were brutally murdered without a single shred of evidence as to who was responsible. The way that each victim was found, however, suggests that there was only one individual responsible for the vile attacks. Thus, enter Jack the Ripper.

A writer from the Scotland Yard had heard rumors of the vicious attacks in London making the name “Jack the Ripper” popular in the media. At first, many believed it to be a hoax, until one letter was sent to the Whitechapel Vigilance Committee along with half of a human kidney supposedly taken from one of the victims. The media only spread Jack’s name as it became an international mystery involving a reported eleven brutal murders with no evidence to conclusively convict anyone.

Many of Jack’s victims were mutilated by Jack the Ripper. From the scene of the crime Eddows seemed to have fought back against the Ripper leaving him with a wound that left his blood on the shawl. Semen was also found and the shawl and later DNA comparisons between the two were an exact match. However this was a time before advancements in DNA testing were made so the shawl made little to no contribution in the case. Fast forward to today where you can send a cheek swab into a lab and find out where you can send a cheek swab into a lab and find out your entire heritage history. Allen Kosminski’s descendants offered their DNA for a conclusive answer. On the testing, the first result showed a 99.2 percent match. Since the DNA has two complementary strands, we went on and tested the other DNA strand, which gave a perfect 100 percent match. Louhelainen to the Liverpool Echo newspaper in 2014. Further research continues to tie Kosminski to the horrific murders, and a peer reviewed journal containing the genetic tests was published last week in the Journal for Forensic Sciences. There is still some speculation from critics that say not all of the evidence is completely conclusive, however more than 100 years between now and the murders, there is—much anyone can do to convict the perpetrator.

You decide what’s newsworthy.

Tuesdays at 5:00pm in O259

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Jack the Ripper Identified
New Evidence Pinpoints the Elusive Serial Killer

Authorities and civilians alike grappled with this incomprehensible evil. Photo Courtesy of White Chapel Jack
The Ballad of Buster Suggs
The Coen Brothers’ Western Anthology

Lauren Wiseman
Staff Writer

The anthology film proves once again that the brutal lowliness of the West belongs in the songbooks of the Coen Brothers. After their highly praised True Grit remake, this second foray into the Western genre proves they are just as adept at ever. True, comes for us all in each of these stories, stories I appreciated more and more on second viewing.

The Ballad of Buster Scrapper

It is a really strong opening, and in fact a crucial part of the film, es- es ever put to film. Tom Blake Nelson as a singing, gun-slinging cowboy pitch perfect. While movies like Dead- deadpool—this film needs a tongue-in-check approach so that the violence and sudden appearance of vio- lence is itself funny.

On top of that, the musical moments and fourth with the characters things light and fun. The cameo from Chancy Brown and David Krumholtz are spectular as well.

Near Algonquins

While White France is not my cup of tea, is an effective way of se- sues. He is nearly unrecognizable as a world be bank robber who finds himself at the end of a noose more than one man probably wants.

For this sequence, the dialogue and sound design are superb. The camera and the camerawork is effective at occa- sionally being dodgy, with a high probability of slapstick.

What makes this one hard to sit through is just the atmosphere. As the characters money runs out and their audiences dwindle, the despera- tion and hopelessness just sinks into the soil. And sound mixing really shine. I will say this one is one to skip if you are not a die hard Coen Brothers fan.

Meal Ticket

This one, for me, was the hard- est to watch and get into. This is not the fault of the actors, because Harry Melling and Liam Neeson are pitch per- fect as a con man and his partner, con- posed of a limberless ember and his im- possible String Quartet. Melling delivers his character’s speeches with such quiet force and precision that this is one of the best acting sequences I have ever seen.

I guess it counts as a spoiler to say things don’t exactly “go wrong,” but it was an intense entry in the antholo- gy. And again—Tom Waits is just stu- pendous.

The Mortal Remains

For this sequence on the edge of my seat wait- ing. The screenplay and dialogue for this one is one of mine favorites in the anthology.

All Cold Gardens

Tom Waits is phenomenal. He carries this sequence by himself practically the entire twenty minutes. The cinematography is gorgeous, and

and could never be done again if (they tried). From the surprising dra- matic lives of the forgotten clothes in a woman’s closet (What’s in a Name) to a Berlin jail during an art bas- fair (We Art in Love), the range is incredi- ble.

Improvied entertainment has a reputation for being slightly dodgy, with a high probability of falling flat. Add a musical element and the potential for disaster in- creases tenfold. In Off Book, how- ever, Zach, Jess, and their special guest shine in great part to Scott “King of Pianists, Pianist of Kings” Parsons. Like magic, he knows the perfect moment to launch the team into song, and helps guide the narrative in a subtle but crit- ically masterful way.

There is no genre or musi- cal reference too obscure for Scott, and the quality of his partnership with the actors lends to the overall excellence of this podcast.

Give Off Book a listen to- day. Or, if you’re hesitant about this one or “Ballad,” you might be my recommendation.
Make Your Own Lemonade Flavored Lip Balm

Courtesy of Pinterest

What you’ll need:
- 1/2 oz. Beeswax (half of the bar shown above)
- 1/2 oz. Coconut Oil (1 Tbsp.)
- 1/4 oz. Cocoa Butter (1/2 Tbsp.)
- 1/4 oz. Shea Butter (1/2 Tbsp.)
- 15 drops of doTerra Lemon Essential Oil (make sure it is safe for digestion if not using doTerra)
- Small Lip Balm Jars or Tubes 1/4 or 1/2 oz. (I saved eye cream jars and washed them out)
- Saucepan
- Glass measuring cup or container
- Spoon
- Cheese grater (optional)

Directions:
1. Combine beeswax, coconut oil, cocoa butter, and shea butter in a glass measuring cup (or other glass container.) Set the glass in a saucepan filled with 1-2 inches of water. Heat the water and stir the ingredients until they are completely melted.
2. Remove the glass from the sauce pan with an oven mitt or hot pad.
3. Add 15 drops of doTerra lemon oil to the mixture. Stir quickly before the mixture begins to harden.
4. Pour the mix into small jars.
5. Let the jars set until cool and the contents have hardened.

Photo From Pinterest

Jordan Peele
The New Age Renaissance Man

Sean Ladipo
Staff Writer

Jordan Peele, Comedian, Actor, Director, producer, writer, extraordinaire. Over the past decade this artistic genius has really made a name from himself in more ways than one can imagine. From his humble beginnings on Mad TV to instilling fear into moviegoers across the globe, Jordan Peele has truly established himself as a modern day renaissance man.

Jordan Peele had his first taste at success on the road, making many appearances doing improv comedy with well known groups Boom Chicago and The Second City. He joined the cast of Mad TV for their 9th season around the same time as his future partner Keegan Michael Key was hired by the show. They were competing for the same role although they showed amazing on screen chemistry and were both chosen for the show. Jordan Peele remained at Mad TV until 2012.

Jordan Peele would find a whole nether level of fame in the world of comedy when he partnered with his former coworker Keegan Michael Key. They would go on to form the dynamic duo Key & Peele and form a comedy central tv show of the same name. This show would go on for five seasons and truly thrived in this new era of pop culture and the popularity of the internet. Over the four or so years the show was airing new episodes they were nominated for over 20 awards.

After this show ended and the two gained their own popularity in the world of comedy. Jordan began to venture off onto a different path. He began to produce and direct movies with his first solo film Get Out, becoming one of the most critically acclaimed movies of this decade. This movie along with many of his other projects have done a lot for the image of Black America as he casts black actors not in the stereotypical problematic light rather as regular humans that have regular problems. Having said that his two pictures, Get Out and Us, has really deviated from his roots in comedy as they have both been of the horror genre at the same time instilling some serious social commentary into the pictures.

Jordan Peele’s talent is truly a gift to the world of art and his such works have ceased to disappoint as everything he touches turns to gold.

“Jordan Peele has truly established himself as a modern day renaissance man.”

Stellar A Pose

Image from TheComedyNetwork

“Jordan Peele has truly established himself as a modern day renaissance man.”

Lifestyle

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As most students may be aware of, there are plans for a Bike Share program coming to campus, and coming with it are many mixed opinions. The Student Government Association (SGA) is in favor of these plans, as the only step left for them is to approve the budget. However, some students feel the plans, as well as the money, could go to something better. Originally, SGA allocated $50,000 of its general fund for the new Union patio. However, with the Mussallem family’s recent multi-million dollar donation for the patio, the money was to be reallocated to another campus project. Among the possibilities were extra seating in the quad, alcohol on campus, and the Bike Share program. These communal bicycles (which had been in talks for at least 10 years) were the prominent choice, so now $43,050 of the $50,000 is going to the project.

As to why 30 bikes and 45 racks to hold them cost so much money is unknown to me. It has also been estimated that annual maintenance will cost about $50 per bike (for a total of $1500 a year). The bikes come with locks and ID scanners, but it still seems insane; no other cities could go to better projects. I spoke with SGA President Alexa Kovacs, who says that payment for maintenance will either come from SGA or from the SRC. However, as a student-athlete, I believe the SRC should focus on their own facilities and not use their savings on campus-wide projects, which leaves SGA as the most probable financial supporter.

Fifteen hundred dollars per year does not seem excessive, but over time all that money could go towards something more useful. "A Bike Share for a state school would make a lot of sense," one student said, "but for a campus as small as Rose’s it seems unnecessary." Moreover, a recent survey conducted of the biking habits of students found that many students are already regularly biking in the street, which could pose a safety risk if students (driving or riding) are not careful. It is also not known if helmets—something students should if riding off campus—will be provided. At this point, the Bike Share program has its benefits and drawbacks. Some of campus is all for it, others are much against it. The final decision comes down to the SGA Senate. Should it pass, I hope the project succeeds. The student body found the program desirable, so I would rather not have them disappointed.

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A cycle from a bike-share program in Indianapolis sponsored by the Pacers. Image via indianapublicmedia.org
Standout Student
Athletes

Luke Buehler has been named the Heartland Collegiate Athletic Conference Baseball Pitcher of the Week for the second time this season after a strong performance last Friday night.

RHIT SPORTS SCHEDULES

Baseball
- March 30: vs. Mt. St. Joseph (Home)
- April 6: vs. Manchester (Home)
- April 7: @ Wabash
- April 9: @ Earlham
- April 10: @ Chicago
- April 11: @ Dominican
- April 13: @ Transylvania
- April 14: @ Thomas More

Softball
- March 30: vs. Bluffton (Home)
- March 30: vs. Bluffton (Home)
- April 2: vs. MacMurray (Home)
- April 6: vs. Defiance (Home)
- April 10: @ Franklin
- April 12: @ Hanover
- April 13: vs. Mt. St. Joseph (Home)
- April 14: vs. Transylvania
- April 20: @ Transylvania

Men’s Tennis
- March 30: @ Defiance
- March 30: @ Anderson
- March 31: vs. Earlham (Home)
- March 31: vs. Mt. St. Joseph (Home)
- April 6: vs. Transylvania (Home)
- April 6: vs. Webster (Home)
- April 10: @ Ohio Wesleyan
- April 10: @ Wabash
- April 11: vs. Manchester
- April 20: @ Hanover
- April 20: @ Franklin

Track & Field
- March 30: Otterbein Invitational
- April 6: DePauw Invitational
- April 6: DePauw Invitational
- April 13: Indiana D-III Championship
- April 19: Rose-Hulman Twilight Meet
- April 26: HCAC Outdoor Championship
- April 27: HCAC Outdoor Championship
- May 3: Billy Hayes Invitational
- May 10: Harrison Dillard Twilight
- May 23: NCAA Outdoor Championship
- May 24: NCAA Outdoor Championship
- May 25: NCAA Outdoor Championship

RHIT SPORTS BOX SCORES

RHIT Softball

Academic All-American History Makers
Spalding University relied on a strong offensive performance to sweep a softball doubleheader from Rose-Hulman Institute of Technology on Saturday. The first game the RHIT softball team scored two in the fifth inning losing 2-12. The second game unfortunately the fighting engineers did not score losing 10-0.

RHIT Men’s Tennis
The RHIT men’s tennis team traveled to Coe on Saturday and sadly lost 7-2. On Saturday they also faced Augustana and lost 5-4. Ian Landwehr, Joshua Giambattista, Austin Perry, and Grant Stamper all picked up wins for the fighting engineers.

RHIT Track & Field
Caleigh Kintner
Sports Editor
Rose-Hulman Institute of Technology relied on six first-place finishes to compile a strong overall day at the Washington University Invitational on Saturday. The Fightin’ Engineer men came home second of eight teams in the event, while the women’s squad placed sixth of nearly a dozen squads overall. Nathan Schrader led the Rose-Hulman performance with a pair of first-place finishes in discus and javelin. Eric Fiacable earned first place in the hammer throw, while Cameron Frisy won in the pole vault. Troy Skyes placed in the triple jump. On the women’s team Dara Smith earned a victory in high jump. Noah Thomas set a school record in the 100-meter dash of 10.91 seconds.

Caleigh Kintner
Sports Editor
The Rose-Hulman Baseball team has had a fantastic week. On Tuesday they faced 13-1 Fontbonne were right fielder Harris Camp threw out the potential run to win 11-10. The second baseball invitational of the year started this weekend and once again the RHIT baseball team came out strong against MSOE winning the first game 8-2. The second against Carroll in only seven innings the RHIT baseball team won 18-8. The invitational was delayed on Sunday because of the dreary weather.
1. A traffic cone
2. Thinkpads
3. Walking
4. Watermelon
5. Colander
6. The calculus book you never used
7. Freshmen
8. A phat stack of the Rose-Thorn - Free copies available in Moench commons!
9. Hats from the greatest floor
10. Greenies
11. Rose-Hulman cafeteria trays
12. A turtle from the lake
13. A goose
14. Safety Jim’s tender hands - RIP Safety Jim
15. The fat you gained from freshman year
16. Trashcan
17. Safety helmets from the bonfire

WACKY PROF QUOTES

"Definitely more time that it's worth... Sometimes I'm just like No it's happening." - Dr. Joe Eicholz

"Advil is the best pain killer, Oxycontin and all that crap – f it." - Dr. Bill Butske

"What’s a better way to start out a rainy Thursday than graphs?" - Dr. Zak Estrada

"Thank you IDA for letting me shoot myself in the foot." - Dr. Sid Stamm

"Were any of you involved in Pi day? No? Good. Best not to admit it." - Dr. Joe Eicholz

Heard On Campus

"Have you heard of the Rose Thorn."
"No.

"I'm not a professional, I'm an engineer."

#Cexit: Civil engineering department wants OUT

Theresa May

The civil engineering department has reached the end of the line of complacency with Rose. After a long string of offenses from administration, the Civil engineering department is seeking sovereignty. One professor remarked, "stop sign development was at an all time high"; President Coons has since ceased funding for this endeavor, but this still has left a sour taste in the, like, 4 CE majors' mouths.

One particularly astute student tweeted, "Rose had better give us the $100 we requested for concrete, or else it's #cexit". The 3 people that saw the tweet were confused what #cexit meant as they were too busy trying to memorize building codes rather than paying attention to international politics. What's the plan after the civil exit? We're not sure. But you may not want to plan on going through Olin hall anymore; the fire doors may soon have border guards to keep any dirty, sub-human filth (math majors) out.

Decent Joe of the Week

In commemoration of National Joe Day, we at the Rose Thorn honor Joe Eicholz as the Decent Joe of the week.

The most expensive pencil is a limited edition of the Graf von Faber-Castell Perfect Pencil. It is made of 240 year-old olive wood and 18-carat white gold. Its price is $12,800.