Halloweekend Brings I.V., UCSB Parking Restrictions
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Isla Vista, Goleta and UC Santa Barbara will implement parking restrictions this weekend in anticipation of an influx of visitors for Halloweekend.

Parking restrictions have been enforced for the past several years in response to a historically large out-of-town presence in I.V. for party weekends like Halloween and Fallalia.

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According to the Associated Students’ (A.S.) Halloween website, movie parking will be prohibited starting at 9 a.m. on Friday, Oct. 27, and 4 a.m. on Wednesday, Nov. 1, in the 6500, 6600 and 6700 blocks of Del Playa Drive, the 6000 Block of Three Trees Road and between Del Playa Drive and Del Aire Avenue, Cemento, and Del Playa Drive and the Embarcadero Road.

Cars parked on the 6300 block of Del Playa Road and on the 6500, 6600 and 6700 blocks of Sabado Tarde Road are not be allowed to enter over this time period, but motorists will be placed on these blocks to prevent cars from entering and exiting.

UCSB

According to the A.S. Halloween website, visitors are not allowed to park on-campus.

Vehicles parked on campus without a matching permit are subject to a $100 citation and towing.

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Biden Expresses Hope for Future, Surprises UCSB with Appearance

Hannah Jackson

Former Vice President Joe Biden spoke to a sold-out audience at the Arlington Theatre last Sunday afternoon, welcoming a smaller group at Campbell Hall later that night to surprise UCSB.

"This event was part of the UCSB Arts & Lectures series."

Though he often became visibly uncomfortable with the intensity of the questions, "I was kind of surprised by myself when he said he was embarrassed by being labeled as a 'white male,'" Platoff said.

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she added. While rabies also happens to infect raccoons, rabies is not as common in raccoons in California as it is on the East Coast, according Weinstein. She nevertheless advises against petting raccoons.

Glick said she estimates that fewer than three raccoons bite humans a year and added that it’s a very rare occurrence.

UCSB students may be interested to hear that the infamous albino raccoons may still be roaming around the Isla Vista area. Weinstein explained that one was caught on camera in Coal Point about a year ago.

“The albino genes are still out there,” she said.

Questions?
Call UCSB Office of Student Life
(805) 893-4568

Tell your out of town friends not to visit during Halloween weekend, it’s not worth it. Overnight guests aren’t allowed in residence halls or university-owned apartments on Halloween. Friends won’t be able to find parking in Isla Vista or Goleta.

There’s more to Halloween than Isla Vista. Check out the Associated Students calendar for events on Halloween weekend. http://events.as.ucsb.edu

Keep it legal to avoid citation or arrest. Remember, there is strict enforcement and zero tolerance during Halloween weekend. There will be hundreds of Sheriff, Police, and CHP officers in IV during Halloween weekend.

Close your parties — keep the door shut to your apartment/house and don't allow anyone you don't know in, even if they look like college students. Overcrowding your residence, especially your balcony, can be dangerous.

Move your car off the street. Buy a campus Night and Weekend parking permit for only $58.45 ($52.50 + $5.95 S&H). You can use it year round. Apply by October 15. http://www.tps.ucsb.edu. After October 15 limited supplies are available at TPS.

In an emergency, CALL 911!

IMPORTANT PHONE NUMBERS
Isla Vista Foot Patrol: (805) 681-4179
UCSB Campus Police: (805) 893-3446
CSO Escorts: (805) 893-2000
Campus Advocacy, Resources & Education 24/7: (805) 893-4613
Santa Barbara Rape Crisis Center, 24/7: (805) 564-3696
Emergency 911 (off campus)
9-911 (on campus)
Santa Barbara County Jail: (805) 681-4260
JUST CALL 911

Know the warning signs for alcohol poisoning and drug overdose.

Symptoms of alcohol poisoning or drug overdose: Person cannot be awakened; cold, clammy, or bluish skin; slow and/or irregular breathing; vomiting while passed out. Turn the victim on his/her side to prevent choking in case of vomiting.

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Have fun, enjoy Halloween regret-free! http://lifeoftheparty.sa.ucsb.edu

CONFIDENTIAL ADVOCACY
CARE offers free, confidential advocacy for those affected by stalking, sexual assault, and dating/domestic violence. To reach a confidential advocate 24/7, call (805) 893-4613.

A.S. PARDALL CENTER SAFE SPACE
A Safe Space for anyone who may feel triggered or harassed on Halloween weekend. 6350 Pardall Road, 2nd floor.

www.UCSBHalloween.com
www.facebook.com/KeepIslaVistaSafe

1. Always carry an official photo ID.

Be aware that combining alcohol with other drugs, even prescribed medication, can lead to dangerously slowed breathing and heart rates and can be lethal. If you are concerned about your friend, don’t hesitate to call 911. There are no repercussions to those calling for help. CA law provides immunity to those who seek medical assistance for another person experiencing a drug related overdose.

Keep your social media posts about Halloween to a minimum.

Direct, Delegate, Distract are the three ways that you can safely intervene when you see something going down that just doesn’t seem right. If you are comfortable intervening — then do it! Wouldn’t you want someone to do the same for you?

If you see illegal, dangerous, or suspicious activity, call 911.
PARKING INFORMATION – ISLA VISTA
All cars in following locations must be moved off the street by 3 p.m. on Fri., 10/28 until 6 a.m. on Tues., 11/1, or will be towed:
- 6500-6700 blocks of Del Playa
- 6500 block of Trigo
- Camino del Sur between Del Playa and Trigo
- Camino Pescadero between Del Playa and Trigo
- El Embarcadero between Del Playa and top of loop
Cars parking in violation will be towed.

PARKING INFORMATION – UCSB
- Registered UCSB undergraduates with the Annual Night & Weekend (N&W) Parking Permit are eligible to park in designated campus lots or structures from 9 a.m. on Fri., 10/28 to 7:30 a.m. on Tues., 11/1.
- The cost for the undergraduate N&W parking permit is $26.25, plus $5.95 shipping/handling fee.
- Apply online for permit at www.tps.ucsb.edu. Select waitlist; once eligibility is approved, payment must be made to complete order and generate mailing of decal.
- You are encouraged to apply/order by 10/14 to ensure your permit arrives by mail prior to Halloween weekend. After 10/14 you may purchase your permit at the TPS office, pending availability.
- Only one permit per registered student.
- Parking for Halloween weekend is allowed only in specific campus areas: 22 Parking Structure, 18 (Mesa) Parking Structure, and Lot 16. All other campus lots and areas will be closed to public parking.
- Vehicle info must match permit, or it will be towed, resulting in a $300 citation plus stow charge.
- Individuals without a regular UCSB or N&W parking permit will not be allowed to park on campus; cars not displaying valid permits will be cited and towed.
- Temporary, paper permits will not be honored; vehicles must display the Annual N&W decal, Faculty, Staff, IVA 22, or authorized special event permits to get past all check points on campus.
- IVA 22 permit allows you to store your vehicle in 22 parking structure. The permit does not restrict your ability to freely move your vehicle in and out of the parking structure.
- Community members, UCSB staff, faculty, and non-resident students are eligible to purchase the IVA 22 permit. Only 100 are available.

POLICE ROADBLOCKS
- Police roadblocks will be placed at six intersections from 4 p.m. to 6 a.m. each night on Fri., 10/28 through Tues., 11/1.
- The roadblocks will prevent vehicle access to Del Playa, Sabado, El Nido and Trigo roads, from 6500 through mid-6800 blocks.
- Taxis, Ubers and Lyfts will be not allowed to access certain parts of campus. They will be directed to a designated pick up and drop off location.

WWW.UCSBHALLOWEEN.COM
You can use a N&W parking permit year round! Use it to park near the Library when you’re studying late at night!
Friday 10/27

**An Evening of Electronic Powwow Beats— 8:00pm, MCC Theater**

A Tribe Called Red, composed of DJ NDN, Bear Witness, and 2oolman, mix traditional pow-wow vocals and drumming with cutting edge electronic music. This fusion has been hailed as the natural progression of the powwow, and has collaborated with artists like Mos Def/Yassin Bey, Narcy, Saul Williams, and Das Racist. The highly award-ed Canadian band has become the face of urban Native youth renaissance since 2010, championing their heritage and speaking out on aboriginal issues, through music, fashion and art. The concert will feature traditional dancers of the Halluci Nation.

**Hallowheels at the Rec Cen— 9:00pm-1:00am, Rec Cen**

Grab a pair of roller skates (FREE rentals!), enjoy pizza while watching a classic Halloween movie and paint a pumpkin! Don’t forget to wear your best Halloween costume for a chance to win a prize in the costume contests. This event is free for students and no registration is required. Please bring your Access Card to gain entrance. Sponsored by UCSB Department of Recreation.

**The Rocky Horror Picture Show— 11:59pm, Embarcadero Hall**


Saturday 10/28

**Halloween Dance Spooktacular— 8:00pm, The Hub**

Presented by SBKlub featuring SAWil, BOochata, and Kizombie. Dance with the creatures of the night! This will be a night filled with fun, lots of food and drinks, music, and most importantly, dancing. Wear your costumes and enter the costume contest. A photobooth will be available to capture this spooky night forever. Bring your friends and catch this spooky fun night. Free food and drinks. Halloween costume contest. Admission: $5 for Students. Sponsored by SB Klub and the Hub.

**ASPB Presents Delirium ft. TCHAMI— 8:30pm-12:00am, Thunderdome**

AS Program Board presents their annual Halloween concert! UCSB students only. Presented by AS Program Board.

Sunday 10/29

**Halloween Clean-Up: HalloClean 2017—11:00am-1:00pm, IV Recreation & Parks**

Costume Contest! Wear your costume and win cool stuff! For information and to sign-up, email clean-iv@ivparks.org. Volunteers should meet at Isla Vista Recreation & Parks (961 Embarcadero Del Mar) to check-in. For all cleanup events, volunteers should wear close-toed shoes and their favorite cleaning clothes/Halloween costume, and bring a water bottle!

**The Conjuring Double Feature— 7:00pm. IV Theatre**

Free Tuesday Films: The Conjuring at 7pm followed by The Conjuring 2 at 10pm.
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“The Night and Weekend parking permit is a good value, allowing access to campus for the entire academic year,” Covarrubias said in an email. “The equivalent cost to purchase daily passes for the Halloween period alone would come out to $32.”

Parking & Transportation Services has sold 354 N&W permits this year. The department sold 465 permits by this time last year, Covarrubias said.

According to Covarrubias, Parking & Transportation Services issued 95 parking citations between Oct. 28 and Oct. 30 last year. He said 94 of the citations were issued at $48, and one was issued at $238 because the vehicle was parked in front of a fire hydrant.

GOLETA
Between 7 p.m. and 7 a.m. Friday through Sunday, street parking will be limited to residents with parking permits for the weekend. Two such parking permits were sent to each Goleta household in preparation. Street parking on 6500 to 6700 blocks of Del Playa will be prohibited beginning on Friday and continuing through Wednesday. Road blocks will also be in place during the evening on certain roads.

Campus departments or programs wishing to sponsor a fee measure for the Spring 2018 election must first submit an Intent to Petition to the Campus Elections Committee.

Intent to petition forms are due November 3, 2017 at 5:00 PM.
Forms are available online at: http://campuselections.sa.ucsb.edu/guidelines.aspx

Please call 893-4364 for further information and assistance.

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Boston Business: Welcome to the Winner’s Circle

Kendra Jackson

Albert is entertaining and exciting, it is fairly easy to forget that professional sports is a business. A successful business requires a great many parts that need to work together in order to achieve the company’s goals. The Boston Celtics fit that bill. They are a team that has a great deal of potential, and with the right management and leadership, they could be a force to be reckoned with in the NBA.

The team has made some changes this season, most notably the addition of Kyrie Irving from the Cleveland Cavaliers. This move has made the Celtics one of the most exciting teams in the league this season. The team is currently in the playoff hunt, and with a few more wins, they could make a deep run in the playoffs.

However, the team is not without its challenges. The Celtics have struggled with consistency this season, and they have had some tough losses. But the team has not given up, and they are still fighting for a playoff spot.

The Celtics have a bright future, and with the right management and leadership, they could make a deep run in the playoffs. But for now, the team is focused on getting to the playoffs. If they can do that, they will have accomplished something special.
Chos Aim to End Season on a Positive Note vs Blue-Green Rival

No. 10 UCSB Seeking First GCC Win of the Year

UCSB and UCI are top 10 teams and have talented hopes of gaining some momentum. Tournament settings, Friday’s contest will be recorded at the Mountain Pacific Invitational. While Irvine earned an 11-8 victory at the Mountain Pacific Invitational games at one win apiece with UCSB capturing the most recent loss. As the race for seeding in the GCC tournament this Friday at home. Currently on a four-match losing streak, the No. 10 UCSB women’s soccer team is set to take on the Cal Poly Mustangs in the latest iteration of the Blue-Green rivalry this Sunday. The matchup between these Central Coast rivals is also the season and home finale for UCSB who will play host to its rival at Harder Stadium. Both teams are out of playoff contention and are part of a three-way tie with Long Beach State for eighth in the Big West standings. Despite undergoing similar rough patches, both UCSB and Cal Poly are top 10 teams and have talented rosters and star to back up these rankings. UC Irvine’s Love Majdic is second in the GCC in goals scored through 17 games with 49 and first in assists with 35, making him the overall point leader for the conference with 87. Milan, a senior from Croatia, also ranks fourth in goals for the GCC with 15.

While the Gauchos don’t have any players in the top 10 for the GCC in goals or assists, senior Shane Hansbrough is tied at 16th for assists at 14 and ninth in goals at 17. Azerbaijan’s Justin Baratta is fourth in the GCC in saves with 100 on the season.

An interesting development for the Gauchos this season has been the absence of senior Ivan Grodono and Benje Jovetic. The Serbians had actually accounted for over a quarter of UCSB’s points or roughly 27 percent of Santa Barbara’s goals (as of Oct. 9).

Without Grodono and Jovetic, the Gauchos have understandably struggled mounting enough offense to take down opponents. In the last game that the Serbians had played in, Grodono and Jovetic scored a combined four goals, but the Gauchos haven’t won a game without them since.

The absence couldn’t come at a worse time, either, as Santa Barbara had to face No. 1 USC and then go on the road for three more competitive games against some of the nation’s top programs. Although the absence of two of its best playmakers provides some legitimacy to the recent struggles, it also means without Grodono and Jovetic, it will have a rough night in the season. Friday night against the Mustangs should provide concrete insight regarding the team’s ability to potentially meet its offensive end.

The Gauchos will look to end their losing streak when they face off against UC Irvine on Friday, Oct. 27, at 3 p.m. at Campus Field.

Halloween 2017 parking restrictions in Isla Vista may affect you!

Isla Vista Parking

No street parking in Isla Vista beginning at 9am on 10/27 for Del Playa residents (6500, 6600, 6700); Camino Del Sur residents between Del Playa and Trigo; Camino Pescadero residents between Del Playa and Trigo; El Embarcadero residents between Del Playa and Top of Loop; Trigo residents on 6500 only.

El Nido residents on 6500 and Sabado Tarde residents on 6500, 6600, 6700 do not need to move cars off street, but residents between Del Playa and Trigo; Camino Pescadero residents between Del Playa and Trigo; El Embarcadero residents between Del Playa and Top of Loop. Parking is allowed only in Structure 22, 18 (Mesa Structure) and Lot 16 (visitor spaces only). All other campus lots are subject to closure and may be physically closed.

No Overnight Visitor Parking is allowed on the UCSB Campus from Friday October 27th through Sunday October 29th

Registered UCSB Undergrads with an Annual Night & Weekend parking permit can park in designated lots on campus beginning at 9am Friday, October 27th until 7:30am on Wednesday, November 1st. Parking is allowed only in Structure 22, 18 (Mesa Structure) and Lot 16 (visitor spaces only). All other campus lots are subject to closure and may be physically closed.

Apply/order on-line by October 16th to ensure your permit arrives by USPS mail prior to October 27th. Visit our office to purchase a permit now through October 26th (permits ordered after the 16th are NOT guaranteed to arrive by the 27th). NOTE: Temporary paper permit printouts will not be valid during these dates. Vehicles must display the actual permit decal.

Order online today! Deadline to order is October 16th!

Halloween 2017 parking restrictions in Isla Vista may affect you!
"Loving Vincent," by directors Dorota Kobiela and Hugh Welchman, functions oddly as a work of art. It is by no means a bad film, in fact, by many measures, it is a masterpiece. Inspired by the life and work of Vincent van Gogh, "Loving Vincent" is a curious attempt to fuse art and film together. Every single frame in the movie is the work of a team of artists who meticulously recreated the efforts of hundreds of people working for hundreds of hours. Their work and talent is manifested in the film, which is never anything less than stunning. That is the "heart" of the movie, and it is beyond reproach. As a work of visual art, "Loving Vincent" deserves to be seen by everyone with even a passing interest in van Gogh.

Unfortunately, "Loving Vincent" is not a painting. It is a movie, and as a movie, it is rarely more than, well, fine. The movie is never astoundingly bad. "Loving Vincent" follows Armand, the son of van Gogh’s postman, as he attempts to deliver Van Gogh’s last letter, a year after van Gogh’s death. In the process of finding the rightful owner of the letter, Armand learns more about the man and is drawn into the mystery of van Gogh’s apparent suicide. What follows is a meandering and slow-stakes murder mystery that feels utterly incoherent — even in the basic description of the movie’s plot, it begins to feel like a little bit of a stretch. The protagonist has too little to do with the subject. The story is not enticing, and it has little narrative drive. Great effort is made to incorporate the subjects of van Gogh’s actual paintings into the narrative. The thought of that is nice, but it only slows the plot even further. In this movie, every frame is a memorial of the great artist, and every time it is to the expense of the elements of a film that typically differentiate film from the other visual mediums.

The movie is about a murder mystery a year removed from all of the action, which is in any heady centerstage removed from us. It begs the question: “Why not watch this? This is not interesting.” Van Gogh is only present in the occasional black and white flashback, as if for a more dedicated as a monument to the painter, we see frustratingly little of him. We mostly hear about him, through the mouths of all the characters he knew and painted. Thus, the movie feels distinctly the accidental mistake of showing nearly nothing and telling almost everything. The mise-en-scène feels, at times, like a compromise of this paradox. In the sense that the least of the movie is its visual potency, it is a biopic film, but it is mostly a film of talking heads. What would I give for a more kinetic film in this style.

The performances in the film are fine. They’re an odd mix of live action and animation, as actors performed the scenes on soundstages for the animators to paint over. The actors fell their painted world with little charisma, but can certainly express their material to any sense of urgency or importance. It’s hard for the actors to get over the fact that all of their lines are biographical exposition.

I’m left with an odd feeling after watching the film. There are many things that stuck out to me as mistakes. There are many things about it that I will gleefully criticize because, in many ways, it is a bad movie. But I liked it.

In spite of all of its flaws as a film, it was an entrancing experience. The amount of love that went into the movie is evident, and it can be felt in the soft, ever-so-slightly changing brush strokes and in the credits as I watched the names of hundreds of artists fly by. The movie is, quite all, an impressive testament to the lasting power of art and the impression it has made on so many people through so many years. From van Gogh to the directors, the directors to their team of tireless painters and the painters to us.

At the beginning, there is a scene where two drunks get into a fight. It’s a relatively complicated shot, with the camera weaving between the two figures. Here is when the illusion of the film is at its strongest, where the two art forms meet. As it stands, "Loving Vincent" is a beautiful film, a biopic, and a love letter to Van Gogh, who’s vision is brought to life in the credits as I watched the names of hundreds of artists fly by.
The Relationship Between Pesticides and Infants

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Science Editor

Virtually all agricultural communities worldwide are affected by the adverse effects of pesticide exposure. The consequences of chronic pesticide exposure are often subtle and may be masked by other causative factors, making the identification of specific pesticide effects difficult. The health outcomes associated with chronic pesticide exposure are not well understood, and the relationship between exposure and health outcomes is complex and multifactorial. The relationship between pesticide exposure and birth outcomes is of particular concern due to the potential for long-term health effects in exposed populations.

In a recent study, researchers investigated the relationship between residential agricultural pesticide exposure and birth outcomes in California. The study was conducted in collaboration with the California Department of Public Health and the California Department of Pesticide Regulation. The study included a retrospective analysis of data from the California Pesticide Exposure Registry, which contains information on residential pesticide use in California. The study covered the period from 2001 to 2013 and included over 1.2 million birth records.

The results of the study showed a significant association between residential agricultural pesticide exposure and birth outcomes. The study found that exposure to pesticides during pregnancy was associated with an increased risk of low birth weight, preterm birth, and other adverse birth outcomes. The study also found that the association between pesticide exposure and birth outcomes was stronger for children born to mothers who were exposed to higher levels of pesticides.

The study was significant because it is one of the largest studies to date to investigate the relationship between residential agricultural pesticide exposure and birth outcomes. The study provides evidence that residential agricultural pesticide exposure is associated with adverse birth outcomes and highlights the need for further research to better understand the potential health effects of pesticide exposure on future generations.

Larsen and her colleagues concentrated their samples on the agriculturally dominated San Joaquin Valley, California. California is the most populous state in the United States and is one of the most productive agricultural regions in the world. The San Joaquin Valley is known for its high pesticide use, and the study was designed to investigate the potential health effects of residential agricultural pesticide exposure on birth outcomes.

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If we can identify who and why these extremely high levels of use are occurring, particularly near human settlements, policymakers and health workers can work to reduce exposure extremes near agricultural communities in information campaigns or foster outreach," Larsen said. The researchers found that for most births, there is no statistically identifiable impact of pesticide exposure on birth outcome. Yet, for individual cases, the low sample size and the variability of pesticide exposure makes it difficult to draw clear conclusions.

"In extending research, Davenport is studying how household access to electricity could lead to changes in birth outcomes. He hopes to find more data on pastoralists to better account for adaptation strategies and climate change patterns. In pastoral areas, it's harder to capture with a household survey. The second is that pastoralism tends to be a flexible lifestyle, so it's harder to capture with a household survey. Data sets or other ways we can measure them better.

Household access to electricity could lead to increased access to basic infrastructure and therefore a higher standard of living. Increased living conditions can provide more employment opportunities beyond agriculture farming, which is often the only option for people who abide by pastoralism, in which their dwellings round are on their livestock farms. In many cases, they might have to bring food and income if they're on the move. Pastoralists often are nomads who graze their herds over extended territories, and they are notoriously difficult to sample in household surveys, where the researchers-gathered much of their socioeconomic data, and tend to be underestimated. Pastoralists often are nomads who graze their herds over extended territories, so they are notionally difficult to sample in household surveys, where the researchers-gathered much of their socioeconomic data, and tend to be underestimated.
ON THE MENU

Halloween History: How the Candy Apple Came To Be a Fall Favorite

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This year was the first time I had a caramel apple since probably elementary school, and I was taken back to childhood memories of harvest festivals and dusk-lit trick-or-treating. It also made me think of how unique of a treat it is and how I had no idea where it came from. So here I am educating myself and anyone else as curious as myself on the sweet yet treat.

First of all, let’s get something straight: candy apples and caramel apples are different things entirely, as are taffy apples and jelly apples. All are similar in the fact that they are glazed apples on a stick, but the key difference is the glaze itself.

The candy apple is glazed with a bright red cinnamon sugar glaze and was created by Newark candy man William Kolb in 1908, who was trying to advertise his cinnamon flavored candy in a unique fashion. The apples were sold for five cents each.

Caramel apples, on the other hand, are similarly glazed but in a caramel concoction rather than a cinnamon one. They were invented much later in 1958 by another candy maker trying to make use of caramel candy leftovers from his Halloween supplies.

Taffy apple is the name given to caramel apples that have been adorned with additional toppings such as chopped almonds, chocolate chunks and cookie bits. They can be adorned with as crazy or extravagant of toppings as possible.

On another note, our cousins over on Coney Island make their version of candy apples called jelly apples which consist of a cinnamon Harrowed glazed with a much stickier and gooier texture.

Glazed apples have become a seasonal favorite not just because of the annual apple harvest but because the lower temperatures are perfect for setting the glaze. Pej and Granny Smith apples are often the go-to for these sweet treats because of their tart flavor and crunchy texture.

They have always been a crowd favorite for Halloween, at one point even being a common goodie given to trick-or-treaters until rumors of razor blades being hidden in the apples put a halt to giveaways and made them a treat more for purchasing.

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IN THE KITCHEN

Sweet Spooky Treats

GRANNY SMITH’S INSIDE OUT CARAMEL APPLE

If you are trying to get festive, here is a recipe for inside-out caramel apple treats courtesy of justapinch.com

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Step 1: Mix entire contents of vanilla pudding mix and milk in a large bowl with a whisk. Set in fridge to chill 5-10 minutes.
Step 2: Pull Oreos apart and scrape off the filling. Cut or break each side of the cookie to form one set of bat wings. Frost the back corner of the wings with a small dot of frosting.
Step 3: Secure the bat wings onto each side of the mini Reese’s Pieces cup.
Step 4: Apply the candy eyes in between the wings with a small dot of frosting.

Dirt in a Cup

Pudding cups
1/4 cup instant Oreo Pudding Mix
1/2 cup Whole (2 percent) Milk
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15 Oreos (regular)
3 tbsps. Instant Chocolate Pudding Mix
Ziploc bag

Step 1: Mix entire contents of vanilla pudding mix and milk in a large bowl with a whisk. Set in fridge to chill 5-10 minutes.
Step 2: Set aside 10 Oreos and put the rest into a Ziploc bag and crush them into small pieces.
Step 3: Mix the whipped topping into the Oreo vanilla pudding mixture. Break up the remaining 10 Oreos. Hang two or three gummy worms on the sides of the cup.
Step 4: Put the finished mixture into a pudding cup 3/4 of the way and fill the rest with a portion of the remaining 10 Oreos. Hang two or three gummy worms on the sides of the cup.

Candy Critique

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1. Kit Kat, Twin Seekers, Hershey’s, Crunch, Reese’s, Mr. Goodbar, Butterfinger, Baby Ruth, Milky Way: How this list for you. Do Halloween. I have a soft spot for these. They are a crowd favorite on the honor in the favor of the house on the block. You can’t go wrong with any of these choices, except 3 Musketeers. Pack 3 Musketeers.
2. Sour Patch Kids: As a sour rather than sweet lover, these caramel coated candies are some of my favorites. I hate the head off of one and let the candyknow what it should be.
3. Starburst: What kind of kid doesn’t like Starburst? With more flavors to choose from every day, the only thing to this candy is that you may open it and everyone will be fighting for the pile. It is one of the most popular candies to this side.
4. Skittles: Given in you “fun-size” individual packaging, you’ll be wanting to pour an entire bag into your mouth, then some self control and you’ll be good to go.
5. Caramel Apple Pops: You know what you say an apple a day keeps the doctor away. They didn’t say that it couldn’t be covered in caramel. Sweet like a little one, once you finally get your lollipop unstuck from the wrapper, you’ll be in for a good time.
6. Jolly Ranchers / Lifesavers: While they deliver some good flavor, there isn’t anything special about either of these. Not exactly first choices, but I wouldn’t complain if I pulled one of these out.
7. Swedish Fish / Twizzlers: Roughly on the same level, these two leaves much to be desired. If you cup your hands and hold it, you may just be able to detect some flavor under all the plastic.
8. Leafy Taffy: Sweet and just the tiniest bit soft, this chewy candy is good enough to be average rather than anything else. You even get a corny joke as an embarrassing that even your dad would cringe at it.
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10. Smarties: As a kid, you could pretend that this had the power to make you as smart as the name would imply. As an adult, you’re disappointed by the statement as is all candy.
A shocking discovery was made today when a local student discovered that a skeleton propped up next to the UCen door was actually the remains of a freshman, to be exact — and Jones was more than happy to elaborate:

“Having struggled so hard to learn how to ride a fucking bike, it’s simple, really,” she mused. “Anyone who has their Netflix queue added to the repertoire to help teach new students to take the side of the bad bikers.”

Police confirmed Jones’s theory after finding key traits found only in freshmen, including: a freshly torn-up UCSB lanyard hanging from their middle-finger, a freshly torn-up UCSB lanyard hanging from their hand, and his well-endowed academic history. Here, we see Jones giving pretty good advice in the past. So I thought I’d ask about what I think she’d do.

A. Hello, small feckless creations. I remember my first middle-finger — I effusively accredit it with great success. Actually, I’ve never tried to mess with me. I am incredibly smart. Unfortunately, I cannot relate to the issue you are currently facing. I would say that your best bet to reduce your anxiety would be to avoid the thing that is making you anxious. Don’t study — avoid this test at all costs. This should positively reduce your amount of suffering.

A. Hi Eggbert! Do you have any tips for studying it at a group? Me and a bunch of my friends are all going to study for our next test together!

A. Hmm — group studying. A sign of the weak-minded. I would suggest orchestrating some sort of competition that engages both the body and mind. This will identify the weakest in the group, whom you can then force to do the busy work as you reap the benefits. Good luck!

A. I totally procrastinated doing a really big project and I am doing my upper-division English class! What should I do? Eggbert?? Do you have any advice on how to get the creative juices flowing?

A. No. I am a naturally gifted writer and thus I never encounter any issues expressing myself with the written word. I have a particularly beautiful command of the English language, which is why I have taken up remedial English classes over the course of the last several years. Associated Students (A.S.) decided to stand up for the safety of all students, staff, and faculty. As biking injuries caused by and involving freshmen have been rising exponentially over the course of the Fall and even Winter Quarters of the 2016-17 school year, A.S. finally had the momentum to push the administration to develop this new program:

Fresh Wheels for Freshmen: the program takes a new social perspective to help incoming freshmen assimilate to the UCSB campus. A.S. proposed a bill to the Student Consent Resolution Council (SCRC) on how to raise the ‘biker’ karma of incoming freshmen and students alike.

A. We’ve had enough,” read the official A.S. stance. “We can assume if they’re poor bikers, they’re probably poor drivers as well. We’ll just give them life jacket and helmet, and kick them off the campus — from there they can proceed to drive in the state of Iowa where there are no traffic rules, and in the middle of a busy bike path, she was one of the lucky ones — she managed to escape with only a few scrapes and bruises. But not everyone is so lucky. Some of the more severe injuries from these accidents include broken bones and even a case of staples in the head. Even though she was left to fend for herself in the middle of a busy bike path, she was one of the lucky ones — she managed to escape with only a few scrapes and bruises. But not everyone is so lucky. Some of the more severe injuries from these accidents include broken bones and even a case of staples in the head. So to be honest, I don’t know how much I am going to make you anxious. I’m sure you would be incredibly successful and wealthy without a college degree, so perhaps explore dropping out. Ha-ha.

Q. Eggbert… Sometimes when I’m sitting in a really boring lecture my mind just starts to wander… and I start to think… What is the point of any of this? Why are we here? What is the reason for our existence? Is it to waste away in a PowerPoint presentation on earthquakes??

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Q: Hey Eggbert. I’m actually pretty nerdy, you know. While Eggbert the Alien may be new to Earth, he is not new to the pursuit of knowledge. Known for the expansive girth of his knowledge about the nature of existence.

A: Ha-ha-ha. Sweet, naive human. You will never be content with your little life on this planet, so I would start getting used to that now. To be completely honest, I don’t even know why the majority of you stay in higher education, considering how much you’re making you anxious. I’m sure you would be incredibly successful and wealthy without a college degree, so perhaps explore dropping out. Ha-ha.

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Over iced coffee, he gave her various insights about school culture, including the fact that school spirit at Columbia was nonexistent. People failed to show up to Columbia’s Division-I sports games, Greek life was weak and, in general, he felt that undergrads had only the most minimal connection to one another outside of intimate friend groups and slightly larger communities based on identifiers of class, race, ethnicity, gen-

eral and sexual orientation.

Then, he told her how all of that changed when the meme page was born. Apparently, the Columbia Facebook meme page, known commonly as “Columbia Buy Sell Memes,” has done wonders for bringing the community together solely through the distribution of memes.

My friends and I grew up inhaling memes and bleedin-
game. We endured the amateur level memes of the early 2010s, the embarrassing iFunny memes and the most minimal connection to one another outside of intimate friend groups and slightly larger communities based on identifiers of class, race, ethnicity, gender and sexual orientation.

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In my frustration, I had failed to recognize that the space for UCSB memes I craved for already existed long before the formation of even the dankest meme page, UCSBZFM (which currently boasts just shy of 300,000 members) — it was UCSB’s Free & For Sale page! Here, you can find the basics of any standard Free & For Sale group: clothes, makeup, moldy furniture

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