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MUB Current Issues Lecture Series

All These Events are Free and SIC'em Sponsored

A Sweet Inspiration: King, Poetry and Movement with Poet Nikki Giovanni

Thursday February 4th @ 7pm, PCAC Johnson Theatre

Infused with poetic imagery and delivered with passion, Dr King's speeches stand as monuments to great oratory. They not only brought attention to the struggle, but also moved a nation to action by appealing to our noblest sentiments. It is in honoring King's ability to inspire that we culminate the MLK events, Art as Struggle and Exultation, with words from renowned poet and activist, Nikki Giovanni. A reception and book signing will follow.

Co-sponsored by the 2010 Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Celebration Committee. For a complete list of sponsors go to www.unh.edu/diversity/mlk

Moments in Time w/Photojournalist Dirck Halstead

Wednesday February 10th @ 7pm, Strafford Room

With 54 Time magazine covers to his credit, photojournalist Dirck Halstead has enjoyed a front row seat to the great events of the last half of the twentieth century. His iconic photograph of Clinton embracing a then-unknown intern, Monica Lewinsky became the "smoking gun" image that was published all over the world. The presentation is full of stories and images from one of America's top photojournalists.

Heads vs. Feds: The Debate on the Legalization of Marijuana

Wednesday February 17th @ 7pm, Granite State Room

Steve Hager, longtime editor of High Times Magazine takes on hard-hitting DEA veteran Robert Stutman on the multitude of issues surrounding marijuana legalization.

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The Most Trusted Stranger in America with PostSecret Author Frank Warren

Wednesday February 24th @ 7pm, Granite State Room

Frank Warren, the creator of the popular PostSecret blog, shares the stories behind the memorable postcards and secrets he has received. From deep family secrets to funny reflections, Warren has seen it all. He discusses why the blog is important, and why he has made suicide awareness part of his life's work. Co-Sponsored by the MUB, Chi Alpha, Christian Impact, & InterVarsity

Big Bucks, Big Pharma: Marketing Disease & Pushing Drugs w/Documentary Filmmaker Ronit Ridberg

Wednesday March 3rd @ 7pm, Strafford Room

Big Bucks, Big Pharma pulls back the curtain on the advertising tactics of the multibillion dollar pharmaceutical industry to expose how it uses, manipulates, and sometimes invents disease in the pursuit of profit. The documentary's filmmaker, Ronit Ridberg will be introducing the film and answering questions after the screening.

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Storm Chaser Reed Timmer

Wednesday March 10th @ 7pm, Strafford Room

Star of the Discovery Channel's Storm Chasers, Reed Timmer specializes in severe weather forecasting, survival, and research. Having intercepted over 250 tornadoes and a dozen powerful hurricanes during the last decade, Reed is well-known as the most successful and extreme storm chaser in the world. Not only is Reed one of the few people in existence to document both an F5 tornado, and the most devastating hurricane in U.S. history (Hurricane Katrina), but also graduated with a PhD in Meteorology from the University of Oklahoma in 2009.

Emmy Winning Producer of The Simpsons & Best-Selling Author Mike Reiss

Monday April 5th @ 7pm, Strafford Room

Mike Reiss has won four Emmy Awards for his work on The Simpsons, the wacky animated series that has kept America laughing for over 20 years and earned TIME Magazine's vote as "the greatest TV show of the twentieth century." During his 15 seasons on the show, Reiss penned a dozen scripts and produced over 300 episodes. Sponsored by MUSO

Tough Guise: Violence, Media and the Crisis in Masculinity w/Author & Filmmaker Jackson Katz

Wednesday April 7th @ 7pm, Strafford Room

Jackson Katz uses clips from his film, Tough Guise, to illustrate how mainstream media images - from sports, television, Hollywood film, and music video - help to promote violent masculinity as a cultural norm. The intent of this lecture is to provide students, teachers, and anyone else with conceptual and practical tools for reading media images critically - especially those connected with masculinity and violence. Both negative and positive images are included. Watch for a screening of the film earlier in the week. Co-sponsored by the MUB, Peace and Justice League, SHARPP, Residential Life, Athletics, Health Services & Greek Life

Mind/Body Dialogues

Wednesday April 14th @ 7pm, Strafford Room

Back by Popular Demand! Performed by UNH students, this is a monologue based play that examines the relationships that people from a wide cross-section of backgrounds have with their bodies. Performed closely on the format of Eve Ensler's "The Vagina Monologues".

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