

THE WILSON COLLEGE  
WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

UPCOMING  
EVENTS:

Contacts are  
in parentheses

- 2/12- 2/14:  
Triple 8 @  
8; Quipfire  
@ 11;  
Theatre  
Intime
- 2/13: Open  
Mic Night,  
Wu Café  
@ 10:30
- 2/14: For-  
getting  
Sarah Mar-  
shall, Frist  
East TV  
Lounge @  
9

HAPPY  
BIRTHDAY!

2/13: Scarlett  
Barker, Jonathan  
Meyers; 2/14:  
Mack Pasqual,  
Raymond Weite-  
camp, Michael  
Belmont, Zeynep  
Gul, Liyan Zhao;  
2/15: Claire-  
Marine Sarner,  
Christopher Stem,  
Susan Hu, Nathan  
Plow, Peck Yang;  
2/16: Matthew  
Godlewski; 2/17:  
Alicia Grey; 2/18:  
Christopher De-  
freitas; 2/19:  
Chenxin Jiang

# What's Up Wilson?

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## Book Circle kicks off with Kerouac

America is a country built on movement. No novel represents this better than *On the Road*, the timeless account of Sal Paradise and his friends' cross-country trips. The book will be the first one read by the Wilson College Book Circle.

Why Kerouac's classic? "It's a book about being a young adult, you know, realizing that things aren't the way your parents said



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they were, setting out for yourself, moving away from home...I think one can see the appeal to college students, even more than fifty years later," explains group

leader Lyra Plumer, a Resident Grad Student.

Lyra and RSG Aaron Hostetter will be hosting the Book Circle's first meeting on Monday, February 16 at 7:30 p.m. The club will meet in 111 1939 Hall and PIZZA will be provided. If you're interested in reading the book and want to come but don't have a copy, several are available. Contact [lplumer@princeton.edu](mailto:lplumer@princeton.edu).

## Photos from "Blackbox: Inauguration" event



The Wilson Blackbox reopened last Friday night after its closing due to the renovations in Wilcox. Blackbox opens tonight @ 11:30. The theme is "My Bloody Valentine."

Photos by Nizette Edwards

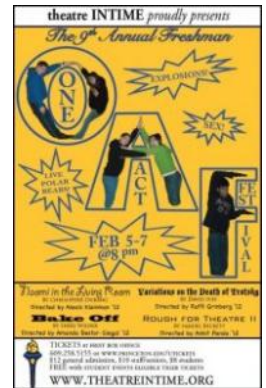
**Beyond Academics**

**Four Wilsonites participate in the 9th Annual Freshman One Act Festival**

Wilson College's talented students displayed their skills last week during the Freshman One-Act Festival. Four students from Wilson, **Robert Clayton** (master builder), **Raffi Grinberg** (director, *Variations on the Death of Trotsky*), **Ari Sorensen** (costume designer), and **Sekai Zengeza** (actress, *Rough for Theatre II*), participated in the fabulous show.

Several of the students recounted their favorite parts of the show. "My favorite part...and I think a lot of people would agree with me, are the people involved. We all are motivated people who are passionate about theater and we all get along very well," said Rob. "I loved interacting with everyone, and working with such talented people!" concurred Raffi.

Ariel agreed with the boys, but cited another accomplishment as her favorite part of the show. "Definitely seeing the Pillsbury doughboy come together," she explained. "...I made the entire ensemble in one night and had no idea how it'd come together..hearing the audience's reaction to him (he seriously stole the entire show) made all of the work worth it."



**Community Service activities to balance your brain**



Tired of studying and looking for something to do? Why not try community service?

The Student Volunteers Council is hosting an Open House on Tuesday, February 17th, from 8-10 pm

in the basement of Frist. If you need an incentive, free food will be available. If you can't make it, check out their website: [www.princeton.edu/svc/](http://www.princeton.edu/svc/).

For more projects, there's Community House, which focuses primarily on decreasing the minority achievement gap in Princeton. See their website: [www.princeton.edu/house/](http://www.princeton.edu/house/).

On another note, consider attend-

ing the Shamrocks Against Muscular Dystrophy Valentine's Day Flea Market Fair this Saturday from 12 to 4 pm in Mathey Common Room. Small business owners will be selling V-Day-related goods to raise money for the Muscular Dystrophy Association, and service groups will be present to talk about their projects. For more info, email Philip Acciarito ([pacciari@princeton.edu](mailto:pacciari@princeton.edu)) or call 646-236-7019.

**A Tip from Greening Princeton**

**Recycling one aluminum can saves enough energy to run a TV for three hours -- or the equivalent of a half a gallon of gasoline.**

**Photo of the Week: Learning to Make a Meal**



**Andy Lai with the pizza he helped make during the meeting of the Chef's Circle yesterday evening. Chef Christine of Dining Services taught students how to make a pizza and Caesar salad. The Chef's Circle is one of Wilson's many clubs, and is led by RGS Aaron Hostetter ([ahostett@princeton.edu](mailto:ahostett@princeton.edu)).**

**Have a suggestion or even a photo for the photo of the week? Email us, and we'll take a look!**

**Contact us**

Questions, comments, contributions?

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