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MONDAY **M**ORNING
Update 

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This Week @ NDLS

General Announcements and Reminders

Crossings

Open **Monday thru Friday 7:30-4:00.**
There are no specials this week, buuuuut.....

~Crossings & Grubhub Partnership~

New this semester - place your Crossings order through Grubhub! If you haven't already ordered through Grubhub, follow the steps below to set it up:

1. Download the Grubhub app.

2. Set up a new account.
3. In settings, go to “Campus Dining”
4. Enter Notre Dame as your affiliation
- 4.5. Order your favorite Crossings food.
5. Pay with any card.

This new service is available Monday through Friday, from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m.

CDO

The CDO is still offering Walk-In Hours Monday through Friday, 12:45-4:45pm. What has changed is that you can't just walk into the CDO, but you can do them via Zoom, by [clicking here](#) or by using this URL: <https://notredame.zoom.us/j/95730218995>. The Meeting ID is 957 3021 8995.

As in the past, walk-ins are meant to be 15 minutes or less. If you would like to schedule a longer meeting, you can do so by [clicking here](#), or via IrishLink. Or, you can call Heidi at 574-631-7542.

Law School Buildings

The Law School Buildings are back to their regular schedule. During the week M-F 6:30am-5:30pm the exterior building doors are unlocked. After hours and on weekends, as normal, an Irish1card is required for access.

IT Consultant for Student Technology

I am pleased to introduce Ed Marshall to the law school as our new IT Solutions Consultant. Ed's primary role will be to support technology used by our students and he will also assist faculty and staff with their IT needs in Biolchini. Ed has previously worked in technology support roles in Southwest Michigan for small businesses and the Lakeshore Public Schools. Ed's email address is emarshall@nd.edu and he will be located in 3305 Biolchini and his phone number is 574-631-8611.

Free CALM Subscription

We are delighted that a subscription to the **Calm app** will be available to all Notre Dame students, faculty, and staff. This suggestion arose from students, and it was made possible thanks to generous benefactors from the University's Undergraduate Experience Advisory Council and the Graduate Studies & Research Council.

SBA Store

Patagonia orders will be available for pick up when the SBA Store opens back up this semester, which is scheduled for next week, February 8.

Monday - February 1

- Mass @ 5:15pm

Tuesday - February 2

- Mass @ 5:15pm

Wednesday - February 3

- **First Day of School**
- **Regulation and the COVID-19 Vaccine**
 - To combat the global pandemic, vaccines have been developed and authorized for use with unprecedented speed. How has a vaccine been successfully manufactured and what role did regulations play in its development? How have global and local regulations shaped this solution to our current global health crisis? What effects have agency action and pharmaceutical companies' transparency had on public trust in the vaccine? Join us for a conversation with Professor Rachel Sachs from Washington University in St. Louis School of Law and Dr. Margaret Ruesch, Vice President of Analytical Research and Development, Biotherapeutics Pharmaceutical Sciences at Pfizer. Professor Stephen Yelderman, Co-Faculty Director of Notre Dame Law School's Program on IP & Technology Law, will moderate.
 - **12:30pm, via Zoom:** <https://notredame.zoom.us/j/91552182354?pwd=dmFqOU5JcGwrQjB3T3BjKzc3SUxzQT09> (Meeting ID: 915 5218 2354; Passcode: NDLawIP!)
- Mass @ 5:15pm

Thursday - February 4

- Mass @ 5:15pm
 - Thursday's Mass will be offered in remembrance of John Rehn (NDLS '95), father of 1L Jensen Rehn, who passed away on January 7. The NDLS community is invited to join in prayer for Jensen and her family.

Friday - February 5

- **The Future of Foreign Investment Dispute Resolution: Brazil and Beyond**

- The panelists will discuss the current state of foreign investment dispute arbitration and possible futures. They will address recent developments, both political and legal, including reform proposals and new models for resolving disputes, with special attention to Brazil's innovative model. They will consider the promises and perils of these developments for foreign direct investment as a driver of sustainable economic development.
- **10:30am, via Zoom**; Registration is required. Register [here](#).

- Mass @ 12:30pm

Saturday - February 6

Sunday - February 7

- Mass @ 4:30pm
- **Super Bowl LV**
 - Kansas City Chiefs v. Tampa Bay Buccaneers
 - **6:30pm on CBS**
- Send me content for next week's MMU!
 - Please include the name of the event, any details, date and time, and a zoom link if needed.
 - **Please try to have all submissions in by 8:00pm.**

Submit content for next week's MMU!

Resources and Updates

Legal Writing Center

The Legal Writing Center is open and accepting appointments for law students who wish to seek advice on papers, exam answer structures, outlining techniques, and other legal writing advice. Before making an appointment with the Center, please check with your professor to make sure your intended use of the Center is allowed under course policies. Appointments can be made through the following link:

<https://nd.mywconline.com>

Note for 1Ls: 1Ls are not allowed to use the Center in connection with their first year legal writing course. 1Ls are allowed to use the center for the other resources described above.

The Writing Center offers free, one-on-one consultations for undergraduates, graduate students, postdoctoral fellows, and faculty on any aspect of the writing process. We work with writers at ALL levels from ANY discipline at ANY stage in the writing process.

LOCATIONS and HOURS

- Zoom
 - Monday: 2:30- 5:30pm
 - Tuesday: 10:00-12:00pm
 - Wednesday: 3:30-5:30 pm
 - Thursday: 2:00-5:00pm

The Current Students Section of the NDLS Website

A reminder for all students - the NDLS website has a ton of great resources and contains the most up-to-date information about a variety of things. This includes:

- A list of [writing competitions](#) that may be of interest to students
 - Including the annual [Albert S. Pergam International Law Writing Competition](#) (deadline for submission is 4:00 p.m. EST on Friday, November 6, 2020, sent to Carra Forgea at cforgea@nysba.org).
- An [external scholarship database](#)
- [The most current locker/mailbox list](#)

Health & Wellness Information

Wellness in Mind - Need some support? Remember that your Wellness Consultant, Stella Miller, is here for you. Drop her a line at stella.miller@nd.edu or make an appointment at www.calendly.com/stellamiller.

You can check up on your wellness throughout the year using the Lawyers and Wellness self-assessment tool exclusively for NDLS students. It's completely confidential and can easily be completed in less than a minute. Based on your score, the assessment will recommend next steps to help support your mental health and wellbeing. Take the assessment here: law.nd.edu/wellnesscheck.

Also, we encourage you to be mindful of the relaxation resources available at the [McDonald Center for Student Well-Being](#). These include [yoga](#), [Koru Mindfulness](#), the [Sleep Program](#), and restorative spaces like [the Living Room](#), [Break Room](#), and [Fort](#). Health support services are always available at [University Health Services](#) and the [University Counseling Center](#).

This new mental health self-assessment tool is exclusively for law students at NDLS. It's completely confidential and can easily be completed in less than a minute. We invite you to use this tool to check up on your wellness throughout the year. Based on your score, the assessment will recommend next steps to help support your mental health and wellbeing. Take the assessment here: law.nd.edu/wellnesscheck

Check out the **ABA Mental Health Toolkit** [here](#).

NDLS News Recommendations

Check out [this Google sheets](#) for news sources recommended by NDLS students and professors. Feel free to add to the list as well!

SBA Dropbox

Please submit all of your questions, comments, concerns for the SBA [here](#).

COVID Corner

Reminders of these key COVID protocols for the Law buildings:

More information is on the Law School's website [HERE](#) or at [here.nd.edu](https://www.nd.edu/~law).

- **Masks must be worn at all times while studying and in class.** You should not remove your mask when studying in Library or elsewhere in the Law School buildings unless you are in a study room by yourself with the door CLOSED. Please also use the provided spray to wipe down your study space when you leave.
- **Eating is only permitted in the Commons and South Reading Room.** You cannot eat in the classrooms or Library study spaces. You may remove your mask only during the time in which you are actively eating. Please be aware of the needs of your classmates and do not use these spaces as study spaces if other students are waiting for a spot to eat their lunch.
- **All in-person meetings with faculty and staff must be scheduled.** Your professors will send you information about how to schedule appointments with them. You can schedule appointments with staff through the links below:
 - CDO: through [IrishLink](#)
 - Student Services (Christine Holst-Haley): <https://calendly.com/ndls-cholst>
 - IT Support (Ed Marshall): <https://calendly.com/ejmarshall>
 - Wellness Consultant (Stella Miller): <https://calendly.com/stellamiller>
 - Registrar (Jenny Fox): No in-person meetings, email Jenny at jenniferfox@nd.edu with questions or to set up a phone or Zoom call.

A Message From the Editor ~Secretary~

Good Morning NDLS!

It's haaappening! The 10-week break is coming to an end and we are coming back to school. It's been so long. I don't know about y'all, but I have essentially forgotten so much of last semester. I remember physical pain, but little else. Much like a mother who gives birth, and in spite the horror which seems to be childbirth, has another child because the love of the first dilutes the horror of the birthing process, I am back and as optimistic as ever.

As it is a Monday email, I would be remiss if I did not at least once mention that which Monday's are most known for—The Batchelor. If you don't watch the Batchelor or a synonymously asinine reality show, you are missing out. I used to be that person who, with all the self-righteousness in the world, did not partake in such trash tv. But alas, my best friend and college roommate absolutely loves all type of

trash realitytv and it played in our house enough I came to appreciate its value to society. When I say it feels good to watch other people's worlds melt down on a Monday evening. Let me tell you, give it a try. Law school is hard, and you deserve an hour or two of weekly mindlessness. Add some sort of crocheting, cross stitch, baking, or wine drinking to complete the event. Thank you for witnessing my full transformation into a 75 year old woman.

You do have plenty of time to catch up with all the characters before the semester starts, because let's be honest, it's cold outside. I had to get my oil changed in St. Louis on my drive up here and was chatting with the mechanic, proudly describing how despite coming to law school up North, I will have managed to miss the bad January part of winter two out of the three years, when this man started laughing and said, "February is the worst month." What joy. But at least we've found the blessing of masks—the nose/face warmer!

Welcome back good people and go Irish!

Krystal

1L OF THE WEEK

This week's 1L of the Week is Dillon Yang. He was a real gem and talked with me right after his traveling back to the Bend. Buy him a coffee to welcome him back.



Q: Where is your hometown?

A: I'm from Northern California, the San Francisco Bay Area.

Q: Where did you attend and what did you study in undergrad?

A: I went to University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, and I was a Political Science major and minor in criminology.

Q: Did you do anything fun over Break?

A: Huh I mean I didn't do much because California is super locked down and under a stay at home order. But my dad and brother and me like working out so we built a gym in our back yard and worked out a lot.

Q: What video recommendations do you have for end-of-Break relaxation or start-of-semester procrastination?

A: I've been watching this trashy show called Bling Empire, and it's really good if you're looking for a show to numb your brain. It's people that are rich beyond my

imagination. Like it's generational wealth where when they go shopping there are bags of clothes waiting for them when they arrive.

Q: Any back-to-school rituals?

A: Sadly I do not have any back-to-school rituals.

Q: What does the fox say?

A: What? Am I supposed to make a noise? Let's go with grrr.

Q: Cardio or weights?

A: Weights for sure. 100%, without a doubt.

Q: What's the worst part of moving?

A: I think sorting through stuff you're going to take and going to keep. It's terrible.

Q: Comedy or horror?

A: Horror. In group settings they're fun. But I think if you watch them alone you're a psychopath.

Q: Do you have anything else you'd like to say to all of your fans?

A: I'll do something basic and wish everyone a welcome back.

Q: Who do you nominate to be next week's 1L of the Week?

A: Blake Hale.

3LOL: John Michael Neubert

This week's 3LOL is the one. The only. Everyone's favorite. Yet another resident of the old house fill with 3L guys (the reigning Ping Pong champ). John Michael Neubert. He recently celebrated a birthday and had to come back to this land of snow, which is contrary to his preferred less-snow-more-sun weather setting. Buy him a drink to celebrate his birth and commiserate the return to this tundra. Face-to-name, here he is:



Now JM has a claim to fame few can say and even fewer would want: this man has had tongue stitches no less than twice in his life. An avid sports fan, John Michael can be found watching sports, gambling on sports (as that is legal here in Indiana), working out, and playing sports. Though you would imagine it's being a Cowboys fan that failed JM (because "they're trash") or his vehement hate of Ohio State (they took a CFP spot that should have been TCU's some years ago) that has brought him discontent, it has been the playing of sports that has done him dirty. A high school sophomore just trying to make a good impression the first week of soccer practice, JM went up for a header and came down with a bleeding tongue in need of stitches. Then in an intramural sand volleyball match in college, JM hit a pole and once again required the very rare tongue stitches. In both these instances someone had to make JM stop playing (an older teammate in high school, and then rules written for wimps in college) and seek medical attention.

In law school, JM may or may not be known to push the timetable close on occasion. When we were in London a year ago, one of the first things we did was go on a school trip to Exeter (highly recommend if London ever comes back). We were meeting at and departing from Paddington Train Station, but JM woke up late and somehow got his Uber to take him to Piccadilly Circus. His phone was still not calibrated to life in the UK so he had to run into a coffeeshop, order a beverage, and use their wifi to find out where he was, where he needed to go, let someone in our group know he was going to be coming in hot, and get a taxi to take him. Running through Paddington, JM made it onto the train with no less than 90 seconds to spare. Success!

To achieve your own success here in the school of law, JM reiterates rule number one: don't compare yourself to others. No one wins when you do. But also, John Michael suggests additional advice of finding professors you like, and keep taking their classes. Further, if you are having trouble connecting with someone or finding an old outline, JM is happy if you want to reach out and he'll help you locate who/what you need.

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