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**Re: MMU: Aug. 23rd**

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**Mary Argana** <margana@nd.edu>

Mon, Aug 23, 2021 at 12:31 PM

To: law-allstudents-list@nd.edu, law-allfacstaff-list@nd.edu

All,

A few of the links found in today's MMU are not working properly. I have included the proper links below. Please also note ***there is no HLSA Introductory Meeting on Wednesday, August 25th. Apologies for that discrepancy.***

Law Library E-Board

Reserve a study room in the Kresge Law Library

On Mon, Aug 23, 2021 at 8:48 AM Mary Argana <margana@nd.edu> wrote:

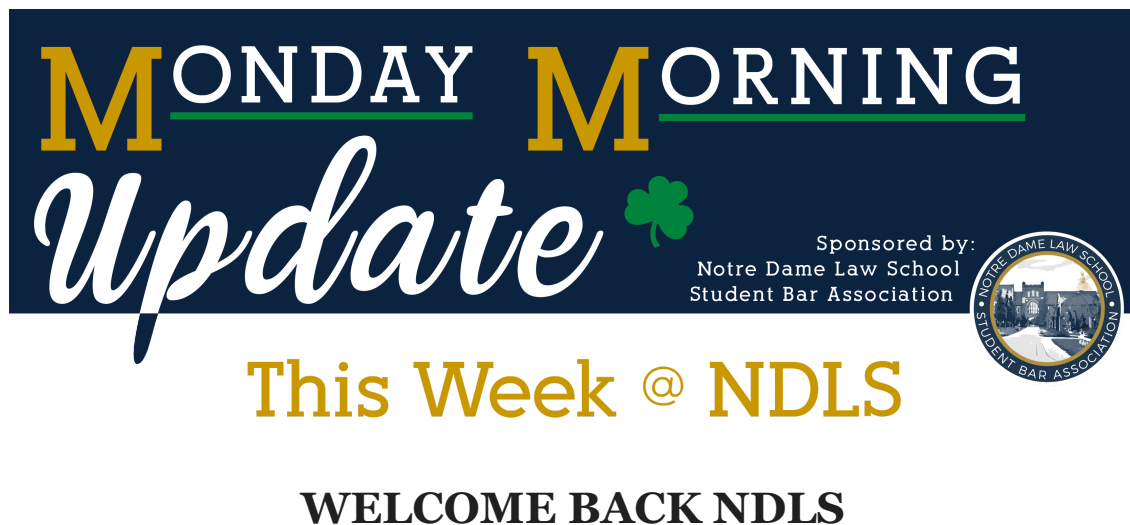
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From: **Mary T. Argana** <mondaymorningupdate@gmail.com>

Date: Mon, Aug 23, 2021 at 8:43 AM

Subject: MMU: Aug. 23rd

To: <margana@nd.edu>



Good morning beautiful! Happy to be back in the Bend for year two. For those of you who do not yet know me, my name is Mary Argana and I am your SBA Secretary/MMU Editor.

I'm from Saint Louis, enjoy toasted ravs, and attended Quincy University (no, not in Massachusetts) for undergrad. You really didn't come here to learn about me, but if you have any questions about MMU content, feel free to contact me at [margana@nd.edu](mailto:margana@nd.edu).

## Monday - August 23

- **Commons Menu Specials:**
  - TBA
- **In Other News:**
  - SBA Store Hours: 11:30-3:30

## Tuesday - August 24

- **Opening of the Academic Year Mass:**
  - 5:30 PM, Notre Dame Stadium.
  - All students, faculty and staff are welcome.
- **Commons Menu Specials:**
  - TBA
- **In Other News:**
  - SBA Store Hours: 11:30-3:30

## Wednesday - August 25

- **HLSA Introductory Meeting:**
  - New members welcome!
  - Lunch will be provided.
  - 12:30pm, 1130 Eck
- **Commons Menu Specials:**
  - TBA
- **In Other News:**
  - SBA Store Hours: 11:30-3:30
  - Evening Mass, 5:05 PM

## Thursday - August 26

- **Federalist Society - Organizational Meeting and 1L Rep Election:**
  - 12:30 PM, Eck 1130
- **DOJ Honors and SLIP Application Best Practices:**
  - Please RSVP on Irishlink.
  - Bruno's Pizza will be served. 1
  - 2:30 pm – 1:30 pm, Room 2172
- **Commons Menu Specials:**
  - TBA
- **In Other News:**
  - SBA Store Hours: 11:30-3:30
  - Evening Mass, 5:05 PM

## Friday - August 27

- **1L CDO Introduction and Ice Cream Reception:**
  - August 27th at 12:30 in McCartan Courtroom (1170 Eck Hall of Law)
  - **Required for 1Ls**
- **Professional Headshots:**
  - The CDO will have a photographer available for professional headshots at no cost to you!
  - Business attire recommended.
  - 12:30-5pm, Outside/1334 Biolchini
- **Commons Menu Specials:**
  - TBA
- **In Other News:**
  - SBA Store Hours: 11:30-3:30
  - Afternoon Mass, 12:30 PM

## Saturday - September 28

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## Sunday - September 29

- **In Other News:**

- Send me content for next week's MMU by 5:00 PM!
- Evening Mass, 4:30 PM

Submit content for next week's MMU!

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## GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS:

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### **NDLS Fall Ball:**

Coming soon! All NDLS students are invited to attend and may bring a plus 1. Be on the look out for more information regarding time and tickets!

### **Legal Writing Center:**

The WRITING CENTER schedule is now open for the semester! Make an appointment today: <https://nd.mywconline.com>

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

### **Notre Dame Pre-Law Society:**

The undergrad Pre-Law Society is hosting a kickoff meet-n-greet event on Tuesday, August 31, at 5:00 pm in the Duncan Student Center. They are looking for 3 1Ls, 3 2Ls, and 3 3Ls to attend this event, mingle with the Pre-Law students, and answer any questions they have about law school. If you are interested in volunteering, please email Mary Mancusi at [mmancusi@nd.edu](mailto:mmancusi@nd.edu).

### **NDLS Running Club:**

The Athletics Committee of the SBA has put together a NDLS Running Group. We will be sending out running-related information like upcoming races, training

the writing process.

## **LOCATIONS and HOURS**

- Main Writing Center (203 Coleman-Morse Center)
  - Monday through Thursday, 10:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m.
  - Friday, 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.
  - Sunday, 1:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m.
- Hesburgh Library
  - Sunday through Thursday, 7:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m.

## **Warm Welcome to Our New NDLS Chaplain:**

The NDLS community would like to give a warm welcome to our new chaplain, Fr. William Dailey. If you have any questions for Fr. Bill or suggestions for the spiritual welfare of the Law School, you can reach him at [wdailey1@nd.edu](mailto:wdailey1@nd.edu). Please note mass time changes for the daily evening mass.

## **Kresge Law Library:**

The Kresge Law Library provides course reserves in multiple formats. Even if they are recommended rather than required, consulting reserves can help you master course material and stand out as a strong student. Many course reserves are available electronically, and those will be accessible via the course pages (on Sakai or Canvas). If your professor has placed physical material on reserve, you may request those items at the Circulation Desk during posted open hours:

tips, and opportunities to meet up in person for group runs (including one this Saturday!) Life at law school can be stressful, and outdoor exercise is a great release. All experience levels are encouraged to join! If you're interested and not already on the email list from last year, you can sign up [HERE](#). Please feel free to reach out to Lindsey Schmidt at [lschmid7@nd.edu](mailto:lschmid7@nd.edu) with any questions.

## **Invitation to All Student Groups:**

Upload your organization's event poster to this [Google Drive folder](#). We'll put your poster on the Law Library e-board. (Read the details in the [How to Use this Folder](#) document.)

## **CDO:**

### **Professional Headshots**

Bluekrishna Photography will be at NDLS on 8/27 from 12:30-5:00 PM to offer headshots for the students free of charge. If the weather permits, headshots will be taken outside. In the event of rain, headshots will be in 1334 Biolchini. Students should dress in professional attire for the pictures.

### **DOJ Honors and SLIP Application**

#### **Best Practices:**

Join Notre Dame Law School Alumna and current Legal Fellow Francesca Genova on Thursday, August 26, 2021 at 12:30 PM in Room 2172 to talk about DOJ Honors and SLIP application best practices. Please RSVP on Irishlink. Bruno's Pizza will be served.

**M-Th: 8am-9pm**

**F: 8am-6pm**

**Sat: 12pm-6pm**

**Sun: 12pm-9pm**

The blue binder at the Circulation Desk lists physical reserves by instructor. It also lists various study guides kept on reserve for student use. Reserve items may be checked out for two hours, but because they are meant to be used by many students in the same timeframe, they cannot be renewed.

We look forward to seeing you all in the library this semester!

## **Health & Wellness Center:**

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](mailto:stella.miller@nd.edu) or make an appointment at [www.calendly.com/stellamiller](http://www.calendly.com/stellamiller).

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](#).

## **1L CDO Introduction and Ice Cream Reception (Required for 1Ls):**

Please join the CDO on August 27th at 12:30 in McCartan Courtroom (1170 Eck Hall of Law) for a brief intro session. We will go over some key information that you will need to know, so please plan on joining. We will be having ice cream afterward in the outdoor area outside the CDO office. We look forward to seeing you all there!

## **Fall Course - Building an Anti-Racist Vocabulary:**

Seats are still available for this popular 1-credit P/F course. Preeminent scholars, thought leaders, and public intellectuals guide students through topics necessary to a deeper understanding of systemic racism and racial justice.

- **Fridays, 12:30 - 1:30 p.m. via Zoom**
- **LAW 70919 01, CRN 18429**

More information: [klau.nd.edu/barv](http://klau.nd.edu/barv)

## **SBA Club Fair:**

SBA will be hosting a Club Fair Thursday Sept. 2nd from 4:00 to 7:00 PM in the Commons. To register your club or organization, fill out the form found [HERE](#).

## **SBA Store:**

The SBA Store is open! Come get all your NDLS gear Monday - Thursday 11:30 to 3:30 PM and Friday 11:30 to 2:00 PM. The

store is located in the basement of the law school.

### **SBA Dropbox:**

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



## **Fall 2021 Employment Opportunity**

### **Kresge Law Library, Research & Teaching Team**

**We are hiring one 2L or 3L student for a part-time research assistant position.**

Responsibilities include assisting the research librarians and performing general law library duties including the following:

- Responding to requests from faculty and Law School committees.
- Helping with class preparation for legal research courses.
- Shelving library materials for 1 hour each week.

The position is 10 hours per week at \$9.40 per hour.

- If you are interested or have further questions, please contact Susan Azyndar, 574-631-5993 or [sazyndar@nd.edu](mailto:sazyndar@nd.edu)
- Submit your resume to Beth Klein at [bklein@nd.edu](mailto:bklein@nd.edu) by Friday, September 3rd.



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## **NOTE TO 1Ls:**

Just a few helpful links & reminders that might make navigating your first few weeks of law school a little bit easier :)

***Good luck with your first week!***

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### **NDLS Website - "For Students" page:**

There is a TON of helpful information on this site. To access certain materials, you will need to sign in with your NDLS username and password. Find the link [HERE](#).

**Meet with a CDO staff member (highly recommend doing so to introduce**

### **Okta Verify:**

Download the Okta Verify app and thank me later with coffee or other adult bevs.

### **Print:**

To utilize the law school printers from your laptop, follow the instructions found below.



**yourself):**

Use the link found [HERE](#). You will be using IrishLink throughout your time at NDLS so I'd bookmark the link.

**Quick Access to Your Schedule:**

Use the link found [HERE](#).

**Insurance Waiver:**

You can elect to waive ND insurance if you are currently covered through an alternative insurance plan. NOTE: If you do not submit a waiver form you will be automatically registered for the university health insurance plan for graduate and professional students. Find the waiver form [HERE](#).

**RollCall/Refunds:**

Notre Dame requires you to complete a Roll Call no later than Monday, August 30th. You can find the form [HERE](#). You will need to complete the Roll Call form in order to receive a refund from your scholarships/loans AND fill out a Refund Request form. You can find this form [HERE](#).

More information can be found at <https://inside.nd.edu> and you may need to submit information for a direct deposit account. NOTE: You will be required to complete these forms each semester.

**Connect to NDLS Wifi:**

To connect to NDLS Wifi, you can use these two links [Eduroam Wireless Setup](#) and [VPN](#).

- [For Macs](#)
- [For all other peasants using windows \(me\)](#)

You will need your ND login and ID card to print. Your username does NOT include "@nd.edu". Color printing is available in Hesburgh Library aka undergrad lib.

**Annoyed at all the NDLS acronyms? Me too.**

You'll get it eventually. Feel free to ask your professors or 2/3Ls if you have any questions. FYI, "Lafun" is the LaFortune Student Center. More importantly where Starbs is located!!!

**Ordering Food:**

If I'm not mistaken, you will need to download the GrubHub app to order food in the various locations on campus (Duncan, Lafun, etc).

**Accessing the Law School on the Weekends:**

You will need your ID and 4 digit pin number. You can change your pin [HERE](#).

**Sakai:**

Your professor might have posted materials on Sakai. Use this link [HERE](#) and select the tab with your course number to find more information.

**Reserve a Room:**

Need a quiet spot? Reserve a private room on campus up to 2 hours. Use the following links:

- [University of Notre Dame Law Library](#)
- [Hesburgh Libraries](#)

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## STOIC START TO THE WEEK:

"No man is more unhappy than he who never faces adversity. For he is not permitted to prove himself."

For more information on stoicism, visit <https://dailystoic.com>

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## SPORT REPORT:

Welcome back to College Football season! This year we have 2L **Ashley Topel** providing an undoubtedly entertaining commentary on the previous week's most noteworthy moments in sports. Today, we get to meet the genius behind the column:



Hello everyone! My name is Ashley Topel, I am a 2L, and I am the new MMU sports section author. I am pretty sure we will all regret that last fact by the end of this semester but here we are.

If you don't know me, I am a /rabid/ LSU fan. Like literally rabid – half of my conversations within my first week of 1L turned into arguments about the Tigers. Expect this column to be a weekly rant about the injustice of the AP poll and whoever let me down that week in fantasy football (here's looking at you, Ja'Marr Chase, with three drops in Friday's preseason showing). I will not even attempt to deliver unbiased commentary so move along if you would like quality recaps of all things athletics.

On a personal note – I am super excited to be back at NDLS and to finally see everyone's faces sans masks. I can't wait to tailgate, Fall Ball, etc. with you all. If you are a 1L reading this, I'm so looking forward to meeting you guys; please say hi! Or complain about this column to me if you see me in the Commons. If you ever have a fun sports story you want highlighted or just super passionate feelings about an upcoming game, let me know and I will share.

Equally excited for the return of football season and full stadiums! T-14 days until the Notre Dame v. FSU kickoff. Ideally, that weekend will also feature a Miami massacre of Bama and a Clemson loss. A girl can dream.

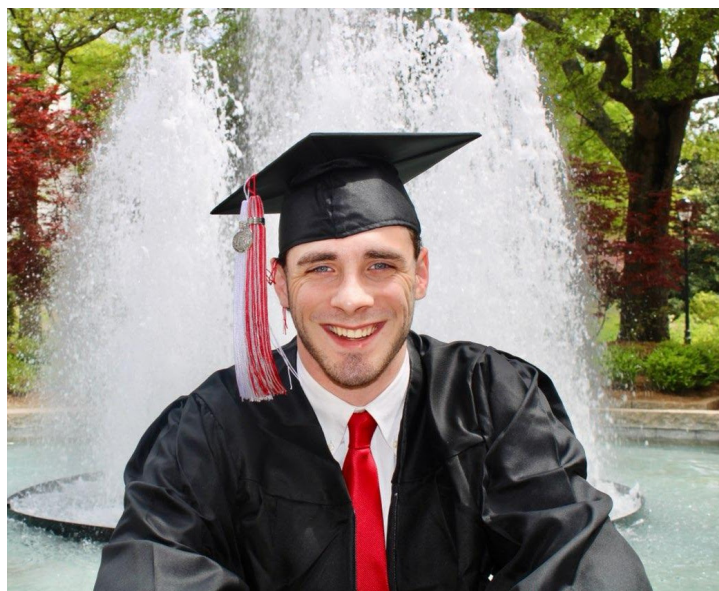
Go Irish and Geaux Tigers,

Ashley

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## 1L OF THE WEEK:

Now for the moment you've all been waiting for...the first 1L of the Week is.....William Golden! William was so patient while answering all my questions--as if he didn't have more important things to do! Grab this man a sweet tea (or Dunkin coffee) if you see him.



**Q. Where are you from?**

South West Atlanta, Georgia. I really don't blame you for not knowing where that is.

**Q. Where did you go for undergrad?**

A. University of Georgia. One of my favorite memories was waking up at 4am on a football Saturday and watching ND lose to Georgia. Georgia will always be first in my heart.

**Q. What did you do this summer before coming to law school?**

A. I interned with the local chamber of commerce in Myrtle beach and did government affairs advocacy work. It was definitely a grind, but I spent most of my lunch breaks and freetime on the beach.

**Q. What was the first law school reading assignment you completed?**

A. A crim handout from Professor Garnett. Although it was much longer than anything I had in undergrad, it's what I expected from law school.

**Q. If you could own any animal as a pet what would it be? Why? and what would you name it?**

A. German Shepherds or die. My first pet was a German Shepard. You will never hear me say anything negative about them. I want to name my next German Shepherd Rex, which is latin for Tyrant.

**Q. What do you call a carbonated beverage?**

A. Def a soda, but one exception is I'll say coke if I want a cola-type product. Even if I end up getting Pepsi. Coke is headquartered in Georgia so it's nearly sacreligious to drink Pepsi.

**Q. If you won free tickets to a concert of your choice, who would you go see?**

A. Okay, hear me out. Old Jay-Z. If Jay-Z only performed his early 2000s tracks, I'd be a happy man. The pre-Beyonce era.

*\*\*\*For the record, Beyonce is the best thing that ever happened to Jay-Z. I mean he must have a really big personality. Couldn't have been that face that made her stay\*\*\**

**Q. Instagram or Snapchat?**

A. Snapchat. I think it's a better way to capture funny and memorable moments.

**Q. Coffee or Tea?**

A. Tea, specifically sweet tea. That being said, coffee is better than unsweet tea.

\*\*\**William believes Dunkin is better than Starbucks and we will forgive him for that bc he hasn't dabbled much with coffee until this week*\*\*\*

**Q. Greatest fear?**

A. Heights. Ever since I was a little kid. When I was little my dad held me over the railing of a lighthouse so I could have a better view. While it was a nice gesture, I was scarred for life.

**Q. Do you think you can pull off the color green?**

A. Absolutely. Without a doubt. I'm Irish myself and my family goes pretty hard on St. Patrick's Day, so naturally I own a lot of green.

**Q. Anything else you'd like to tell your fans?**

A. I am a very social person and I think most of my classmates already know that. Feel free to introduce yourself and say Hi! I don't bite, I swear.

**Q. Who should be next week's 1L of the week?**

A. Aly Arencibia!

\*\*\* = *Editor's Commentary*

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## 2Ls TAKING Ls:

New to MMU this year... our 2L class will be sharing their best trashcan moments with the NDLS community to make everyone's Monday a little bit better. I can't think of a better person to start with than our very own **Davis Lovvorn**. If you don't already know Davis, you will. 99.9999% of this man's apparel is dark blue and includes the word "Duke". We love Davis and his relentless protection of the Commons from undergrads. He is not the hero we deserved, but the hero we needed. Buy him a cold drink in the Commons when you see him!

*Now for our feature presentation:*

Good morning #DukeNation, this is Dangerous Dave. Y'all already know what it is, it's game day, and that means it's time to present ME as YOUR inaugural 2Ls Taking Ls. I don't know whether to be honored by this dubious nomination or whether if it is a reflection of who I am, but either way, we all know there is a LOT of material to talk about with me. I could talk about how terrible Duke basketball was and how they lost to an even worse Notre Dame team down in Cameron (though some of you seem to forget we won



here in South Bend and will likely win again this year – please screenshot this and repost on my social media if we lose).

I could also talk about how Professor Tidmarsh made fun of me on the Torts final back in November, having a certain “emotionally distressed Titans fan” feature in one of his problems.

But even after all these embarrassing moments, perhaps nothing will top what happened to me my sophomore year of undergrad. Have you ever met your idol? Have you ever thought about what you would do if you ever met your idol? As all of you know, I idolize Coach Mike Krzyzewski (“Coach K”), the head coach of the Duke Blue Devils. He is without a

doubt the greatest basketball coach of all time. And when I was in undergrad, I was in the band, which meant I got to fly back and forth with the basketball team on the same plane when they travelled across the country for the NCAA tournament. Cool, right? Well, I get severe motion sickness, and I get it very easily. So after we lost to Oregon in the Sweet 16 in 2016, a game which was played out in Anaheim, we braced ourselves for the six hour flight back to Durham. And being in the band, we were placed in the back of the plane, even behind the cheerleaders. I knew the social hierarchy required this; however, the back of the plane is where turbulence is generally felt the most. And we started to hit turbulence. And I knew I was in trouble. After a very eventful flight that left me very ill, I decided I would be responsible and bring out my very full “waste” bag with me off the plane so I could properly throw it out. Little did I know that Coach K was standing outside of the plane, looking to greet and shake the hand of every person on the plane to thank us for a great season. This included the band members. So when I stepped off the plane, barf bag in hand, Coach K extended his hand out to me, but then quickly recoiled his hand when he saw me with my barf bag. Embarrassed, I said, “thanks for a great season, sir.” With an amused look on his face, Coach K said, “no, thank you.” Then, I proceeded to the team bus, where I continued to get sick. Now the man I idolized most thinks of me as the band member who threw up on his team plane. Some first impression. And I took that L and I took it hard.

There are so many people I could nominate for next week’s 2L Taking Ls. I feel like nominating Matteo would be too easy, and I picked him last time (but somebody better nominate him soon), so I bet **Mr. Malcolm Chaka** has a great story or two to tell. Let’s get it, let’s go Duke!



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## ASK A 3L:

Changing it up a bit. Instead of 3LOL, this year we will be asking our most learned law students to share their wisdom to help us tackle life's toughest questions. Our first 3L feature is none other than our very own SBA President, **Stephanie Wong!!!** Buy her a coffee when you see her. Trust me, she deserves one.



**Question:** Help. Went on a first date with a guy I met on Tinder. We went to see a movie and he pulled a used large popcorn bag out of the trash and left to get his “free refill”. He also asked me to stop wearing heels, and while we love short kings, my gene pool has standards. How do I politely decline a 2nd date?

**3L Advice:** Ghost him 🙈

Jk...if you want to be polite I recommend being honest and short (no pun intended):  
"Thanks for the first date but I don't think we are a good match." On a side note, we can't be re-using popcorn bags in the age of COVID! But hey, we love short kings.

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Thanks Steph! Submit your questions to next week's 3L, **Saiful Islam**, below.  
(questions are anonymous)

[Submit a question to next week's 3L!](#)

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