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THE HILL IN REVIEW

Glen Freels clenches a "tie down rope" in his teeth while attempting to lasso a calf during the calf roping event at the Lone Star Rodeo on Sunday Feb. 11. Silas Walker/HERALD



WKU infielder Brittany Vaughn (5) collides with University of Alabama-Birmingham catcher Olivia Black (44) during the Lady Toppers' 7-3 win on April 1, 2017 at the WKU Softball Complex. Nic Huey/HERALD

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Healthcare majors increase over the last 10 years

The College of Health and Human Services has seen the largest growth in the last 10 years compared to other colleges at WKU. Enrollment in CHHS has grown nearly 32 percent since 2007 or by over 1,100 students.

We spoke with Ronnie Weissend, who pursued nursing because of his mother's struggle with multiple myeloma.

"The home health nurse was really, really awesome when it came to making my mom feel comfortable or making us feel comfortable, and that's pretty much why."

2

White Squirrel Weather named top 100 meteorology twitter accounts

The WKU student-run White Squirrel Weather was recently included in AtmoLife's top 100 meteorology Twitter accounts.

AtmoLife, a "meteorology site for meteorology people," released an unranked list that named WKU as one of three universities included for their meteorology social media accounts.

3

Nappy Roots looks to future in brewing

Formed on WKU's campus in 1995, Nappy Roots has toured all over the world, released a best-selling hip hop album in 2002, "Watermelon, Chicken & Gritz" and recently started up its own brewing project, Atlantucky Brewing.

After taking the History of Alcohol class at College Heights Brewery last year, the three original members of the iconic group were influenced. The project started brewing a little over a year ago, led by member Skinny DeVille.

4

Super Saturdays provides enrichment to students

The first Saturday of this month, Feb. 3, was the first Saturday of the four-week winter Super Saturdays event series during which gifted and talented students come to WKU and take a class of their choosing focused on an area that interests them. The event will take place again Feb. 17 and Feb. 24.

This season, topics for classes range from bridge-building to musical theatre, and many of them center around things children don't typically learn in grade school.

5

Communication dept. dedicates toilet to professor

Friday, Feb. 9, a crowd gathered to celebrate a toilet being named after Carl L. Kell, professor emeritus.

In the corner stall of one of the men's restrooms in FAC, there is now a plaque above the toilet that reads "Dr. Carl L. Kell Chair of Rhetoric." What started as an inside joke among professors has now been immortalized.