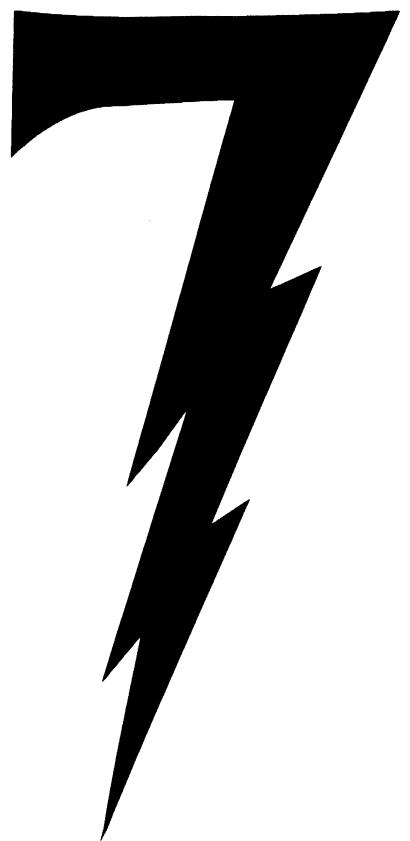


CULTURE

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Kid Cudi's latest album Man on the Moon II: The Legend of Mr. Rager was released on Nov. 9

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The Beginning of the End Harry Potter and the Deathly Hallows: Part 1

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At long last, the anticipated wait for the finale and seventh installment of the major motion picture, Harry Potter and the Deathly Hallows is set to premiere Nov. 19. Due to the extensive content of the seventh novel the finale has been divided and part two is scheduled to hit theaters this summer July 15.

For those who are unfamiliar with the seven J.K. Rowling novels of which the films parallel, Harry Potter is known throughout the fictional world as "the boy who lived." Potter's closest friends, Ronald Weasley and Hermione Granger, fight alongside him in

his quest to destroy the malevolent Lord Voldemort.

The new film is said to have grandiose special effects, to the level of Star Trek and Avatar, also with major plot twists, battle scenes, and flashbacks; Harry Potter and the Deathly Hallows is to be the most paramount of all the films to date and draw countless viewers in its opening weekend.

Avid fan, Jessie Monteleone, a Community Environment and Development major, says she is to prepare for the long awaited premiere by watching the previous films. "I have no plans of dressing up but will definitely be there opening night," said Monteleone.

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Ryan Star & Evro play Bruno's

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Awe and applause filled Bruno's this past weekend, as The Lion Entertainment Board scored a big win with students and fans with their lineup of performers. Ryan Star, a well known Indie artist, performed Friday and Evro, a more alternative band still trying to make it, performed Saturday.

Friday night, before the performance even started, fans young and old claimed seats before the stage, flashed pictures and gossiped. Not only were there locals who had come to see this passionate performer, but two individuals had traveled from Ohio to view the

performance. As the clock drew nearer to eight, excited

eyes and smiles swept faces across the audience as they looked around, hoping to get the first glimpse of the man they had come to see. When Star, and backup Dallin finally emerged and the lights dimmed, the waiting fans were thrilled. Cameras flashed, and one super enthusiastic fan held up a large handmade poster. It was doubled sided, quoting lyrics of Star's song as she called out to him and stood up

Once Star had thanked them for the arts and crafts, he started serenading the audience. The fans were immediately enthralled and taken into another world.

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Glee gains more momentum second season

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Glee has made a major impression on network television over the past year, and has become a rising sensation on the television landscape, considering that the most successful series generally include doctors, lawyers, forensics workers, or law enforcement. While the show has had ruthless critics, it has also culminated a diehard fan base.

Season one of Glee introduced the audience to the charming and talented Will Schuester, played by Matthew Morrison, and his rag tag high school Glee club, which drew attention to one notable standout performer: Rachel Berry, played by Lea Michele. As the story progresses, the club begins to

grow as jocks and cheerleaders, all with a variety of motives, decide to join the misfit group. Predictably, the members of the Glee club slowly begin to bond with one another. While this may sound incredibly cliché, this theme is not the show in its entirety. The humor contained in this series is outrageous and hysterical.

"Even if your team had dropped their sequin-covered panties and urinated all over the stage like an elderly Carol Channing, they literally could not have done worse," says the androgynous cheerleading coach and villain of Glee, Sue Sylvester, played by Jane Lynch.

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Erie Cultural Happenings

Friends of the College Art Show Now through March 25 at

Mercyhurst College

'The Love List' by Norm Foster

Friday, Nov. 19 at 7:30 p.m. at All An Act Theatre

Straight No Chaser Erie

Monday, Nov. 29 at 7:30 p.m. at Warner Theatre