Staff Notes

Sketch*
Riley L. Dawson is a freshman majoring in literary studies and linguistics. She was born in Missouri and grew up in Ankeny, IA where she developed an interest in books, puzzles, cats, good music, theatre, and playing the clarinet. At Iowa State, she’s also involved in Uhuru magazine, Symphonic Band, and the M-shop committee. Her favorite movie is Dead Poets’ Society; her favorite book, by a landslide, is The Book Thief. When she grows up, she wants to be a famous writer and break a million hearts. Or maybe just a penniless writer who breaks a heart and a half.

Becca Hildebrand is a senior in graphic design from Cedar Rapids, IA. She enjoys creative writing, playing the flute, and making people laugh.

Kendra Kavan is a junior in technical communication and English rhetoric from Wahoo, Nebraska. She loves laughing, good coffee, walking her dog, Oy, and spending quality time with a good book. She hopes to someday to spend her professional life in her bathrobe and have people who are shocked by her wardrobe explain to one another that “well, she is a writer...”

Bailey Lewis is a senior with a double major in creative advertising and English literature with an emphasis in creative writing. Come fall, she hopes to find herself as part of a MFA in creative writing program in North Carolina, surrounded by shelacked pufferfish, North Carolina barbeque, and the briny sea.

Greta Mugge is a junior majoring in English literature, with the hope to enter book editing and publishing. She plans to continue working with Sketch, and was impressed with all the great entries this semester!

Natasha Mulvaney is a junior majoring in English literature and minoring in psychology and women’s studies.

Arun Sethuraman is a graduate student in bioinformatics and enjoys Rushdie, Atwood, Camus, Pink Floyd, random dreams and tea.

Jillian Tanner is a senior in technical communication with minors in biochemistry and Spanish. She hopes that you enjoy reading Sketch!

Jenny Tokheim is a sophomore in English education, and she loves a good poem!

Caitlin Toppler is a senior majoring in English education with a minor in Chinese and teaching endorsements in ESL and foreign language instruction. She plans to teach at the high school level after graduating.

Jennie Walker is in her last semester as an undergraduate in English and animal science, and will hopefully be starting grad school next fall. She wants to be a sheep farmer and exist on Indian cuisine.