The explosion heard around Providence

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On Tuesday, September 10, at 4:28 a.m., an external electrical incident occurred involving a transformer on Pine Street in the vicinity of Snowden Hall. Luckily, there were no injuries as the trained staff members of Johnson & Wales University’s Residential Life and Campus Safety & Security Officers worked together to safely evacuate all residents of both Snowden and McNulty Hall. The University issued an email informing students that all of the impacted buildings, including the Yena Center, were running on full generator power and that Snowden Dining Hall would be open for limited service. By Wednesday, the National Grid had determined that full restoration of normal power to Snowden and McNulty Halls would take up to a week.

According to JWU’s Communications and Media Relations Specialist, Madeline Parmenter, nearly 1,000 students were evacuated from the two residence halls as a precaution and were let back in after the Providence Fire Department had cleared the buildings a few hours later. She also reiterated that despite the incident, first day classes were neither delayed nor cancelled. What was initially speculated to be an explosion was officially confirmed by the Rhode Island National Grid Spokesman, David Graves who confirmed the blast occurred in a vault buried under a sidewalk on Pine Street.

Freshman Samantha Robert, an Advertising and Marketing major who resides in Snowden, said that while she did not hear any noise, she and her roommate mates where awakened by a loud pounding on their door and the sight of firemen doing room checks. She hurriedly left the building towards Garbe Commons. She, along with Brain Goodwin, a freshman majoring in Hotel & Lodging, both agreed that while they were confused as to what had occurred, their RA’s did their best to maintain order among the crowd, while updating current information through

JWU Jam: Slight mishaps can’t dislocate the fun

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For students old and new, the JWU Jam at 10 p.m. on Saturday, September 14, marked the end to Wildcat Welcome Week. For Buddy, a member of the Providence Fire Department, the event marked a usual night on the job. “I like working at campus events because I get to help out and protect students,” he said during the jam. “I like to be the good guy. I don’t like when I have to call in an emergency, but I’m prepared for it.”

For the night, the Delaney Gym in the Wildcat Center was transformed into a drug and alcohol-free, JWU-exclusive club, featuring a laser show and local DJ Dirty Dek. Senior Jimmy Choeun thought the likelihood of an emergency was slim. “It’s a lot safer than going to a nightclub,” Choeun said. “You get
Explosion Heard Round Providence Cont.

Facebook and school email. Perhaps the most gripping sto- ry comes from Dayna Emalls, a freshman in Johnson & Wales University's Sport Entertainment Management. Her room, located on the 1st floor of Southside Hall, was turned into a four-story ma- jority of the explosion and heard the transformer go off. She began to panic as her room filled up with smoke. She recalls be- ing scared seeing students leave the building as firefighters came in to inspect. Even after the dust had settled and the university continued on with their daily life Dayna is still overcome with a sense of fear.

Lisa Pelosi, the director of communication for the university, said in a release that Johnson & Wales University was able to gain awareness about the explosion. When asked what caused the explosion to happen, she replied that it was indeed an electrical cable failure, but the university is still investigating the cause.

Johnson & Wales, along with the National Grid and Prov- ince Fire Department is con- tinue to investigate and doing everything possible to prevent an event like this from ever oc- curring again.

A Green Endeavor Cont.

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Americans turn their backs to Syria

Rheanna Kablanou
Stoll Writer

The accusation of Syria's use of chemical weapons against its own people caused an initial re-action for the U.S. government to get involved. This response generated serious uproar with Americans all across the country, some believing that we have no right to get involved. I've found that people are surprised by this American reaction, but as I see it, history seems to be repeating itself.

In 1974 as the Vietnam War was coming to an end, more than 90% of the public opinion surrounding the war efforts were against the government's decision to get involved. The Pew Research Center reported that 64% of Americans felt the U.S. should "Mind its own business" internationally and let other countries get along the best they can on their own. Personally I'm a part of that 40%. For me, war just seems to be another problem, not a solution.

Lately, Republicans have been particularly critical of the way President Obama is handling the Syria crisis, calling his policy "muddled." The thing I keep wondering though is, since when have government policies that include dealing with other countries, chemicals, weapons, and stressed economic conditions ever been simple? Admittedly, it's hard for me to determine if we really do care about foreign conflicts when we so regularly oppose the initiative to do something about it. However, I find it to be naïve to call us selfish. Our population is the most diverse, which means the likelihood of everyone agreeing on any one course of action is extremely low.

I love living in a country where I know for a fact that everyone is so keen on having their own and hold strong to those beliefs. This is why I am eager to hear every new proposal the government has to throw at the Syria issue. Secretary of State John Kerry's proposal states, the UN Security Council should allow for regular assessments of Syria's behavior, and "in the event of non-compliance... the UN Security Council should impose measures under Chapter VII of the UN Charter.

Chapter VII states that when necessary, limited force can be used along with other types of sanctions. This way we don't have to get immediately involved, satisfying the needs of the 46% who don't want to get involved in war or foreign politics, while also allowing for the possibility that force may eventually be necessary.

As a nation of people we need to appreciate the liberties afforded to us, because there are a lot of countries that are less concerned with the opinions, or well-being of their people. Americans will always argue with the government, and personally I'm so happy we do, I believe the second we give up the good fight is the second we forfeit any credibility to make worldly decisions.

The second America turns away from its moral obligation to the people is the day the people turn their backs on America, and that is a fight we cannot afford to lose.

-Kelli Graf, Freshman, Fashion Major

How do you feel the University handled the evacuation and immediate events that followed?

Considering it was such a freak thing so early in the morning and on the first day of classes, I think the University and RA's handled the situation very well and professionally.

-Keila Taylor, Freshman, Fashion Major

Do you feel as though JWU kept you regularly updated throughout the days that followed?

Yes, I believe JWU did really well in keeping us all updated, and I especially thought they did a good job keeping our parents informed as well.

-Amy Flores, Sophomore, Travel and Tourism Major

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Do you feel the University accurately estimated how long the power would be out?

I don't think they did, considering that when it first happened we were told power would be restored after an hour, I actually didn't have power for the remainder of the day. So I was frustrated to say the least.

-Olivia Taylor, Freshman, Fashion Major

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Have a phone call you’re waiting for? Phone battery at 5%? Need to change in between classes? We may have something that can help you!

The Providence Campus Student Government Association (SGA) is proud to announce the launch of the newest addition to our campus: SGA’s Courtyard Charging Stations. During the end of the 2012-2013 year, SGA purchased 10 Kiwiboost mobile charging stations to provide more convenience for students on campus with their phones and mobile devices. These stations have been successfully installed in Johnson Hall, Xavier Academic Building, the Downey Student Services Center, the Yena Center second floor library, and the information office in the Citizens Bank Center for Student Involvement (Downey) and the Wilkins Center (Harborside), with other locations soon to follow.

The Charging Stations idea was generated by one of SGA’s finest, Senator Michael Ferranti, who helped to provide the research, vendor, and creative advice to make the Charging Stations a reality. SGA takes great pride in providing resources for you are passionate about campus issues or have an idea that you would like to see come to life, take part in our upcoming SGA Fall Elections! Applications for University Senate positions are due on Thursday, September 26 and can be found on the SGA page on the Involvement Network. For more information, call 401-598-1091 or stop by the SGA office on the first floor of the Citizens Bank Center for Student Involvement.

Get in touch with World Affairs at dinner-speaker events

Dilano Gersdorff
Guest Contributor

The World Affairs Council of Rhode Island is a non-profit organization that offers educational dinner-speaker events throughout the school year. The monthly informative events generally take place at the prestigious Hope Club and offers a highly professional and international environment, ideal for students who seek opportunities to broaden their knowledge on contemporary issues from around the world, all while extending their network.

Several Johnson & Wales students and faculty members have been long term supporters as members, volunteers, and even board members of WACRI. During the spring term, students dedicated their Direct Work Experience to this organization under Professor Christina Coles guidance. These students gained the hands-on experience of working in a non-profit and primarily volunteer-based environment. Not only does WACRI offer educational events, but it also serves as a highly respected affiliation, perfect for students' resumes.

Upcoming events include "Global Development Issues for Women and Children," and "Indonesia," followed by a Special Holiday Program that is planned to be held in association with the Johnson & Wales Culinary School. If you are interested in attending a speaker event accompanied by a three-course dinner, please visit www.wacri.org.

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**4 Culinary Arts**

**Classic Brazilian Bonbon**

**Caitlin Brown**
Staff Writer

When asked to list some of Brazil’s best qualities, people generally tend to say the country’s soccer team, beaches, or Rio. Not many people say food, but after tasting the scrumptious candy, the Brigadeiro, it’s all I can declare about this sough-after country. This will be the new favorite for all the chocolate lovers out there, and it’s simple enough so that even if you aren’t a Baking & Pastries major, you’ll need no help in perfecting it. Here’s how to make this mouthwatering treat:

![Bonbon Image]

**Ingredients:**
- 4 Tablespoons cocoa powder
- 1 can (14 oz) sweetened condensed milk
- 1 Tablespoon butter
- Sprinkles

**Instructions:**
Mix the cocoa powder, milk, and butter (softened) in a microwave safe bowl and heat until thick. Wait until they’re cool enough to handle and roll them into bite-sized balls. Cover them in sprinkles and they’re ready to eat!

Eat these yummy treats with a glass of milk or a cup of coffee. They’re very filling, so be sure to eat slowly!

**Chef Spotlight: Tyler Florence**

Krista Christensen
**Culinary Arts/Life and Style Editor**

The food service industry is full of talented chefs from all over the world who each have unique culinary backgrounds. True chefs share a deep love and appreciation for food. Tyler Florence is a person who is just that.

Kevin Tyler Florence was born on March 2, 1971, in Greenville, South Carolina. He began working in the food service industry at a young age, busing tables at a local restaurant. It was working at that job that inspired Florence to become a chef. In an interview with Travel and Leisure magazine, Florence said, “The chef was a god to me: He drove a Harley, and women stopped by to see him every night. I thought, that’s what I want to do.” A trip to Paris at age nineteen reassured Florence that he wanted to pursue a career in the food service industry.

Florence graduated from Johnson & Wales’ Charleston, South Carolina campus (now the College of Charleston) in 1991. After graduation, he moved to New York City to further advance his career. There, he worked at various restaurants, including Anabelle and Mad 82 in 1991. Tyler Florence became the executive chef of Chosho before eventually opening Caféteria in Manhattan. The opening of Caféteria was a big success and opened many doors for him.

As Florence’s popularity increased, so did the interest of The Food Network. He started his shows such as “How to Roll Water and Food 911.” Both of those shows aimed to help viewers with recipe disasters at home. A year later, Florence’s own show, Tyler’s Ultimate, was introduced. Florence is known for his innovative techniques, and his show allowed him to share his own recipes and educate the world on his creative techniques. In recent years, Florence has been the host of the Great Food Truck Race, the show where contestants from across the United States compete for a food truck company.

Florence focuses on being an all-American chef who utilizes fresh ingredients and simple flavors. This is evident in his cookbook, Tyler’s Ultimate Brilliant Simple Food. This book, along with the show, has been a success.

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A Travel Column

Julia Abiss
Art & Entertainment Editor

In this issue I am taking you on a two day trip to Madrid! Mad-
drid is Spain's absolutely beautiful capital city, with markets, cafes, and historic buildings around every bend. If you're looking for a vacation filled of Spain's best tapas and culture, Madrid is the place to be. So here are some of my personal suggestions of the best to try, to avoid, and what I'd recommend.

To try on day one:
1) Palacio Real: I would recommend going to the Palacio Real first, since it's a great orientation to Madrid's history and current culture. With a student discount it's only €5 to enter, and with it, you'll be able to witness the gorgeous views, architecture, and interior of the palace.
2) Plaza de Oriente: Right outside the palace is a small plaza that's great for taking a quick breather whilst being surrounded by gardens and street performers.
3) Calle del Arenal: One out of Plaza de Oriente, take the street on your right and pass the famous opera house. From there the street will turn into Calle del Arenal, a pleasant, traditional Spanish street, great for people watching. On your left will be a cute chocolate and candy shop where if you pop in you'll get free samples.
4) Puerto del Sol: Calle del Arenal leads you to Puerto del Sol, Madrid's hub that is filled to the brim with clothing stores, tourists, and awesome street performers. One in particular, a mime dressed in a red and black sweater, had the entire crowd gathered and laughing at his antics. If he's there, he's worth stopping to watch.
5) Plaza Mayor: There's a lot of plaza hopping in Madrid, and although Plaza Mayor only takes a few minutes to walk through, I would definitely recommend the stroll. The architecture is beautiful and many vendors sell impressive street art in the middle.
6) Calle Jesus: If you're looking for a street that has endless amounts of cafes selling tapas, tapas, and more tapas, you need to get yourself to Calle Jesus immediately.

Being in Madrid on a Sunday has its benefits, two of them being:
• El Rastro: A market that's open from about 10:30, with 2:00 being the best time for deals. Multiple streets are lined with vendors selling everything from jewelry, to clothing, to food. Definitely fun to walk around, just watch out for pickpockets.
• Way Hostel - A hostel which I highly recommend for its super friendly and helpful staff, as well as its cool and clean environment housing travelers from all over the world - offered to take whoever was interested to see a private flamenco show located in the only locally known underground caves of Madrid. It was such an authentic highlight of our trip and only held on Sun-day nights.

To try on day two:
1) Bikini con Huevos: Pretty much any cafe will serve this mouthwatering sandwich of ham, cheese, and a sunny side up egg on buttered toast. I know it sounds like a heart attack waiting to happen...but hey, you're on vacation...or at least that's how I justified it.
2) Prado Museum: Good to do early, this museum is considered one of the best in Europe. Plus it's free if you're a student!
3) Real Jardin Botanico: A nice break after viewing art from around the world, the gardens are right outside the Prado. Student discount: €5.50.
4) Sea: Find another cafe and order sparkling sangria (when you order a drink, most cafes give you a fruit appetizer). With the must-see's down, head back to the hostel and take a must-needed nap!
5) Chocolateria de San Gines: Find your stay at this somewhat hidden Chocolateria with a plate of churros and a mug of chocolate to dip them in. It doesn't get any better than that!

Best to avoid:
Retna Sofia Museum: Unless you're really familiar with Spanish history and politics, I would suggest skipping this museum. Walk by it and get a glimpse of the great architecture.

What I would do next:
The Naval Museum: Don't do what I did and go on a Monday. It's closed! Next time I would definitely like to visit this highly recommended and famous Museum.

Explore more nightlife:
When I was there I wasn't able to hit the town at night. However, next time I would check out some of the clubs and bar scene. It's supposed to be awesome!

Stay tuned for my next column where I'll be taking you to Morocco! If you would like to add your own "Best to try or avoid," of the countries/regions talked about, comment at facebook. com/jwuccampusshield. Happy travels!

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Men's Statement Scarves

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Imagine it was socially acceptable to stay bundled up in your blanket all day. Well, we are not quite there yet... but close! Be on the lookout for scarves bigger than blankets wrapped around once or twice, or maybe just knotted tight and off to the side this season. No matter how you choose to wear it, scarves that make a statement are absolutely in this season for men. For many years, massive chunky scarves have been a favorite of many fashionistas on the fashion-conscious website Lookbook. Now, they are making their way off the internet and onto some of the most fashionable streets.

During the most recent fashion shows, the streets of Florence, Milan, and Paris had men everywhere showing off their scarves. Molitor, long from The NYC streets took photos of men at the fashion shows for a recent fashion magazine. Jeng reportedly returned with over twenty pictures of different men sporting statement scarves making it the number one photographed trend at all three fashion events. Men are taking a warm liking to bold, comfortable neckwear for the brutally cold, late fall and winter months ahead.

Don't know how to make a scarf work with your outfit? No problem! Here are some tips:
Weave scarves that pick up hints of color from the clothes you are sporting that day. If you are unsure how to drape the scarf, go in front of a mirror and try wrapping the scarf around you in different ways until you find something that works for you. Simply look up how other men are wearing their scarves and follow suit.

The weather is quickly changing to brisk temperatures, so keep warm and look great in your own statement scarf! Tweet your input at @ProvFashion.

How big will these statement scarves become? Photograph // Melodie Jeng - Details

JWU Street Style

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Jordan Williams: Jordan was spotted in what he describes as business casual with an urban twist. His pants were purchased from Pac Sun, his shirt from Sears, and he thanks his dad for the cardigan and tie. When asked why he enjoys his style, he said, "It's nice to dress up and just feel good."

Alliy Chapucala: Alliy's outfit was mainly purchased at Ross Department Store, and her shoes from Nordstrom. She describes her style as West Coast meets city girl, and pulls inspiration for outfits from friends and online. When asked what she thought made an outfit, Alliy replied, "Shoes, mainly Steve Madden."

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Potter fans rejoice
Rowling and Warner Bros. announce new film

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On September 12th, Harry Potter author J.K. Rowling and Warner Brothers made an announcement that has the Muggle world buzzing. Potterheads had all but given up hope on a continuation of the beloved magical world that has enchanted and intrigued the globe, starting with Rowling’s first book, Harry Potter and the Sorcerer’s Stone, in 1997.

Warner Brothers and Rowling are teaming up once again to make a new film called “Fantastic Beasts and Where to Find Them,” which is based on the textbook widely used by the students at Hogwarts and required for first-year students. The story will also revolve around the author of the textbook, Newt Scamander. His story will begin in 1920’s New York City as he studies various magical beasts in the height of the jazz age.

The icing on this highly anticipated cake is that J.K. Rowling herself will be writing the screenplay. For the first time, a Potter book was adapted for the big screen. Rowling has worked tirelessly on the project, ensuring that the movie stays true to her vision.

As a result, the movie will not only feature beloved characters and settings from the Harry Potter series but also introduce new ones. The plot involves Newt Scamander’s adventure to find and protect fantastic beasts throughout the world. Rowling’s detailed descriptions of these creatures are well-crafted and vividly bring them to life, making them not only captivating but also educational for those unfamiliar with them.

The movie is set in a time before the events of the Harry Potter series, allowing for a fresh perspective on the magical world. It promises to be a thrilling and enchanting adventure, keeping fans on the edge of their seats as they explore new magical landscapes.

Album Review:
The Things We Think We’re Missing by Balance and Composure

Gabielle Wilson
Staff Writer

I have spent the last couple of years watching Balance and Composure tour in support of their 2011 debut full-length Separation. This album has proven to be one of their most important records, and they continue to impress with each new release.

The Things We Think We’re Missing is an album that keeps the listener engaged from start to finish. The band’s unique sound, characterized by their melodic yet powerful vocals, keeps the listener interested throughout.

The album opens with the track “Parachutes,” which features the listener directly into the record’s full force. Kepti

Kate Morton: my new favorite author
Katherine Taylor
Copy Editor

I’ve always loved books. Since I was young I’ve always had a favorite book, and along with a favorite book, a favorite author. For years I was obsessed with Cornelia Funke; however, a new author has caught my attention and I have been hooked ever since.

Kate Morton is a worldwide best-selling author from Australia. Her dramatic mysteries are well written and always leave the reader on edge until the very last page. Her novels always have a common theme: sometimes life has lived with a haunting secret, and on her death bed the murder truth is revealed.

From secret World War II love affairs and dead poets, to lifelike ladies in waiting, to high society families, Morton’s characters are always well-developed and intriguing. She makes readers wonder about how interesting people can keep life-changing secrets for so long.

The path to discovering each character’s secrets is filled with flashbacks and memories, along with nitty gritty answering. The characters originally developed at the beginning of each book dramatically change as more information about the past is brought to light.

Out of all of her books I read this summer, “The Secret Keeper” is by far my favorite. The story is about a young teenage girl who witnesses her mother murder a stranger. Fifty years later, when her mother is on her deathbed, the now adult daughter starts digging into her mother’s past to figure out exactly what happened that afternoon fifty years ago. Morton kept the pages turning into late hours of the night, and I was so hooked on “The Secret Keeper” that I finished it in two days. The shocking ending came with only ten pages left in the book, and it was so dramatic that I would read the book again, just to find out how many hints I missed the first time.

Kate Morton is my new favorite author, and I would highly recommend re-reading anything she writes.

Do you follow us on the Involvement Network? No? You should! Search “The Campus Herald” on the Involvement Network for updates and details on our upcoming issues!
Caong attends school at JWU while teaching hip hop dancing at the Hillsong Church in New York City. The JWU Jam was precisely his scene. As an Event Management major, Caong plans on opening non-alcoholic clubs around the world after graduation. After fulfilling all the officers' requirements, Caong rejoined the party—under firm instructions not to dance. "This never would have happened in Australia," he said. "There's no issue. Here, everyone is stoked." Caong was not the only foreign exchange student at the JWU Jam. Jasper Wang, from China, used the opportunity to become a part of the campus community. "I love it," said Wang. "It definitely helped me make new friends." Supervisor Jessica Grady, who works for the Office of Student Activities, noted the large amount of international students in attendance. "It's a great way to get to know and mingle with each other," she said. Grady and the office of Student Activities hosted the event with help from Delta Sigma Phi volunteers. Almost everyone arrived at noon to set up the equipment with an outside production company, including a screen, speakers, and the laser show. "We've been planning this whole summer," senior Annie Cheron said. "We recruited a DJ from one of the local clubs, one of the best in New England." "DJ Dek will play a wide variety," Grady said. "It's definitely what students are looking for." As the experience improves every year, with the hard work of everyone from student volunteers to security guards, the JWU Jam will be a Wildcat tradition that lasts.
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10 SPORTS

JWU Introduces Men's Lacrosse Program for the Centennial Year

Christina Nelson
Staff Writer

As Johnson & Wales University celebrates its 100th birthday, the school has embarked on a new chapter with the introduction of men's lacrosse. The program marks 100 years of college athletics on campus and will start in the spring with the team's first practice.

The move comes after a successful season of women's lacrosse, which saw the team win a conference title and earn a spot in the NCAA tournament. The women's team has been a staple of JWU athletics, and now the men's team will join the ranks. The program will be led by head coach Mike Macchi, who has been with the program since its inception.

The team will play a 10-game schedule this spring, starting with a home opener against the University of Massachusetts-Dartmouth. The team will play against some of the best programs in the country, including Boston College, Harvard, and Yale.

The team's first practice will be held on the university's new turf field, which was recently constructed. The field is the centerpiece of the new athletic complex and will be home to all of JWU's teams.

The introduction of men's lacrosse is a significant milestone for JWU athletics. It is the first new sport to be added in over a decade, and it represents a commitment to continued growth and expansion.

In addition, the introduction of men's lacrosse is expected to bring additional revenue to the university's athletic department, which has been struggling to stay afloat in recent years. The program will be supported by the university's athletics department, which has received a $1 million donation from alumnus John Smith.

JWU athletics director Mark Gagne said, "This is a historic day for JWU athletics. The introduction of men's lacrosse is a testament to the hard work and dedication of our coaches and student-athletes. We are excited to see what the team can accomplish in the years to come."
GTA V: 'This game is everything The Sims wanted to be'

Jocelyn Gamel
Napoleon Moore
Staff Writers

On Monday, September 16, the much anticipated Grand Theft Auto V was released. Given the pedigree and high level of hype surrounding Grand Theft Auto V, it would have been a surprise if this wasn't the five-star humdinger that you expected. Have no fear auto heads - because this game delivers and then some. Players start out with one of three characters: the ex-dead Michael, the born again gangster Franklin, or the psycho Trevor. The game's intro involves a robbery, and welcomes back old and new players alike.

Before diving into the awesome of GTAV we stepped by a local GameStop to get some feedback from some true gamers. The dynamic gaming duo Nathan and Jay, who had devoted their night to waiting in line to pick up their reserved copy in the morning, offered real insight on the game. According to the gamers, this production of GTAV has been a work-in-progress for the past five years, and is based upon the sales from the pre-release. In fact, Rockstar has already paid off the entire production of the game. Nathan claimed that GTAV is everything that THE SIMS series wanted to be: an entirely free range and free will RPG, packed with everything one can 'imagine' said Jay.

The initial opening is alright, but once you have free reign you really get to have fun marveling at the beauty this game has to offer. After cramming in a few hours of living off of sugar and adrenaline, we noticed there were new spots that producers have added to elevate the game.

The urban sprawl of the city itself was a shocking major high light. One of the most impressive building areas was Strawberry, which is full of limited social mobility, and characterized by boarded-up shops, tatty slatboard houses, and gangland graffiti. Downtown was a cluster of high reaching skyscrapers and crowds of homeless people shuffling along. Rockford Hills housed the city's wealthiest, lavish mansions sitting alongside expensive hotels, tennis courts, and golf clubs where it is possible to play all 18 holes if desired. Vespucci Beach was a Jersey Shore rip-off full of swim-suit pin-ups and party boats. Vinewood was the unexplained refuge of movie-star wannabes.

This game is loaded with fresh features such as new non-urban maps, various side missions, hunting, the ability to live a different lifestyle while continuing to commit crimes, car customization, heist missions, scuba diving, and spoofs based off of real life celebrities. The game isn't only better, but it's bigger. GTAV has more vehicles than in any other Grand Theft Auto game to date, with a variety of vehicles, including airplanes, helicopters, convertible cars, utility vehicles, emergency service cars, motorcycles, and jet skis. Players are even able to fly planes, which was not possible in Grand Theft Auto IV. The map in GTAV is much larger, also, weaponry was revealed in full.

There are several new additions, including Norteno Type 56-2 semi- assault rifles with sound suppressors, mounted lasers, olive drab polyurethane furniture, and side folding stocks. This leads to the return of the suppressed weapon, the possibility of attaching suppressors to firearms, or having an individual variant of a weapon that has a suppressor, while the other remains without any attachments.

Sadly, the only thing we couldn't try was the online play. However, according to the Rockstar Games Social Club, "multiple crews created in Max Payne 3 will be carried over to Grand Theft Auto V." They also confirmed that Grand Theft Auto V will have multiplayer features linked to Rockstar's Social Club, which means if a player created a crew in Max Payne 3 it can be imported to Grand Theft Auto V through the Social Club. Multiplayer has also been confirmed to hold 16 people on Xbox Live Multiplayer.

Whether or not you have waited for GTAV, it is a must have.

Welcome iPhone 5s and 5c

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September 20, 2013 will be known as the release of the new iPhone 5s and 5c. Cellular company AT&T has already begun to hold a complete on the new color (Gold); many would have to wait 21-28 business days until they receive their phones. Why is the new iPhone receiving so much attention with the new iOS. Many features for the 5c include the new colors and the LTE is a little bit faster than the 5. The weight and depth is more than the 5s and when you hold it for comparison you can tell for yourself. The 5s on the other hand comes in one new color and that is gold. It also has a motion coprocessor on it called M7. What is the M7 chip? It is considered to be the

love? The 5c is nothing but the iPhone 5 but with multiple differences in back colors like blue, pink, yellow, and green. The 5c is also cheaper by one hundred dollars with $199 for the iPhone 5s. Other than price differences they both have the public really craving the new iPhones.

Recently the public has been introduced to the new iPhone 5s and 5c and everyone was excited because of the new features in the

sidekick to the A7 chip, which will provide amazing graphics to the phone. The iPhone 5c will have the A6 chip. It will still be nice graphic wise but it will not have that cool sidekick, M7 that could help save the phone's battery life in certain circumstances. Even though the site claims both the iPhone 5c and 5s have the same exact battery life.

Unfortunately one was unable to ask questions about the iPhone 5s and 5c the day it came out because the Apple retailer was unable to answer questions for us like what is the difference between the original 5 and the 5c. We had to walk in the store and look at the phones to compare them to the 5. To compare the phones we had to update our phone to the new iOS which took fifteen minutes compared to the hours it would have took downloading it at Johnson and Wales.

Once the download was complete we compared the camera quality on the 5c to the 5 and it was the same; even a sales clerk confirmed it was the same camera quality. Once you update your iPhone 5 you will realize it looks just like the iPhone 5c and 5s; you will have most of the features plus the camera quality in still great. Now for those that feel the need to upgrade or have an upgrade available feel free to look into the 5s because the fingerprint identity is amazing for privacy on the phone; you don't have to worry about someone hacking your phone unless you have your fingerprints which is impossible.

We highly recommend you go on apple.com and go to the Apple store to figure out if you really want to purchase the new iPhone 5c or 5s. Compare the two and feel free to leave reviews on the apple site and/or your carrier's site.

Gallery night is a must see for art enthusiasts

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Providence Gallery Night is a monthly event in which art galleries around the city open their doors and invite the public to enjoy their collections. With over 20 galleries participating in the event, Providence Gallery Night is a way to experience the Providence fine art and design scene. Here are some of the most see spots for the October Gallery Night, happening on Tuesday, October 17 between 5 pm and 9 pm.

1. Gallery 2 (11)

Gallery 2 features fine art and sculpture from European, Armenian, and American cultures. Local artists are often spotlighted in wine and cheese events held on the third Thursday of each month. Be sure to stop in for a diverse mix of regional, national and international art.

2. Bank RI Gallery (3)

The Bank RI Gallery is a place for local Rhode Island artists to display their work. Providence is home to three Bank RI branch galleries, the first having the most extensive collection. Exhibits rotate monthly, so there will always be something new to see.

3. RISD Museum of Art (18)

Located in the historic John Brown House, this gallery is home to some of the area's finest decorative arts and architecture. The house, a work of art itself, is the nation's fourth oldest state historical site.

4. David Winton Bell Gallery (14)

This gallery is considered to be one of the finest places for contemporary art and design in New England. Four exhibits are featured each year, along with an annual student exhibit, with pieces from surrounding universities.

The WGW Gallery often displays works from internationally known artists.
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