



## Thai couple shares 46-hour kiss

FROM STAFF AND WIRE REPORTS

In an impressive display of stamina and willpower, a Thai couple smashed the record for longest kiss with a smooch that lasted more than 46 hours.

The husband-and-wife team was one of 14 couples participating in a "kissathon" over Valentine's Day.

A jaw-dropping seven couples bested the previous world record of 32 hours, but none could outlast Ekkachai and Laksana Tiranarat, whose 46-hour, 10-minute lip-lock lasted from Sunday morning to Tuesday morning.

Contestants were allowed to eat, drink through straws and use the lavatory, provided they did not break their embrace.

"We want to show that love is meaningful and powerful," an organizer said.

## COMMUNITY CALENDAR

### TODAY

**Networking practice:** Learn what networking is and some productive networking techniques at this University Career Services event.  
**Time:** 4 p.m. to 5 p.m.  
**Location:** Hanes Hall, Room 239B

**Mapuche lectures:** Two professors from the University of Texas and the University of Los Lagos, Chile, will talk about the literature and politics of Chile and Argentina's Mapuche people.  
**Time:** 5:30 p.m.  
**Location:** FedEx Global Education Center, Room 1009

**Fashion show:** See the Student Global Health Committee's annual fashion show, featuring live a cappella music, dinner and a silent auction at 4 p.m. Money goes to the Astarte Project.  
**Time:** 6 p.m. (dinner and show)  
**Location:** Hooker Atrium

**Sustainability panel:** A panel will talk about the development and maintenance of healthy communities in a discussion called "Sustaining

Healthy Communities in Today's Economy."

**Time:** 6:30 p.m. to 8 p.m.  
**Location:** Tate-Turner-Kuralt Building, Room 136

**African film showing:** Watch a double feature as a part of the Diaspora Festival of Black and Independent Film: a short documentary about "Che's Swahili Translator" followed by a film on African nationalist Amilcar Cabral.

**Time:** 7 p.m.  
**Location:** Sonja Haynes Stone Center, Hitchcock Multipurpose Room

**Global movie night:** Watch the documentary "Ancient Futures: Learning from Ladakh," which portrays a western Himalayan desert land and explores themes of development and progress.

**Time:** 7 p.m. to 9 p.m.  
**Location:** Internationalist Books, 405 W. Franklin St.

**Art exhibit opening:** Celebrate the life of Pauli Murray, the civil

rights activist who lived in Durham, with the opening of a traveling art exhibit.

**Time:** 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.  
**Location:** Orange County Historical Museum, 201 N. Churton St., Hillsborough

**Journalist speaks:** Former New York Times correspondent and bureau chief Isabel Wilkerson will discuss her book "The Warmth of Other Suns: The Epic Story of America's Great Migration."

**Time:** 5:30 p.m.  
**Location:** FedEx Global Education Center auditorium

**Dance the tango:** Learn and practice tango with members of the Triangle Tango Society.

**Time:** 8 p.m.  
**Location:** Open Eye Cafe, 101 S. Greensboro St., Carrboro

To make a calendar submission, e-mail [calendar@dailytarheel.com](mailto:calendar@dailytarheel.com). Events will be published in the newspaper on either the day or the day before they take place. Submissions must be sent in by noon the preceding publication date.

### FRIDAY

## PHOTOGRAPHIC RELICS



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Mahlet Hailemariam, a global studies major from Cary, looks at Professor Susan Harbage Page's exhibit of photos she took of items left at the U.S.-Mexico border. Images of documented miscellaneous items found included an inordinate amount of toothbrushes.

## POLICE LOG

■ Someone stole a beige 2003 Buick Regal between 1 p.m. and 6:30 p.m. Tuesday at 431 W. Franklin St., according to Chapel Hill police reports.  
The vehicle was worth \$4,500, reports state.

■ A wet sweatshirt was in someone's bed between 8 p.m. Monday and 1:43 a.m. Tuesday at 821 N. Heritage Loop, according to chapel Hill police reports.

■ Someone was found sleeping in front of the side entrance of a building under a covered walkway at 8 a.m. Tuesday at 112 Perkins Drive, according to Chapel Hill police reports.

■ Someone broke a window of a black 2006 Volvo between 9 p.m. Monday and 10 a.m. Tuesday at 211 Pritchard Ave., according to Chapel Hill police reports.  
The person stole a GPS worth \$300 and caused \$100 in damage

to the vehicle, reports state.

■ Someone pushed her employer while trying to grab documents related to her firing at 12:45 p.m. Tuesday at 900 Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd., according to Chapel Hill police reports.

■ Someone stole another person's property at 6:39 p.m. Tuesday at Chapel Hill High School, according to Chapel Hill police reports.  
The person stole a cell phone worth \$150 and an iPod touch worth \$250, reports state.

■ Someone created a disturbance on a bus and was trespassing at 1:31 p.m. Tuesday at Long Leaf Drive near Leclair Street, according to Chapel Hill police reports.

■ Someone opened a shed door between 8:01 p.m. Monday and 3 a.m. Tuesday at 6 Friar Lane, according to Chapel Hill police reports.

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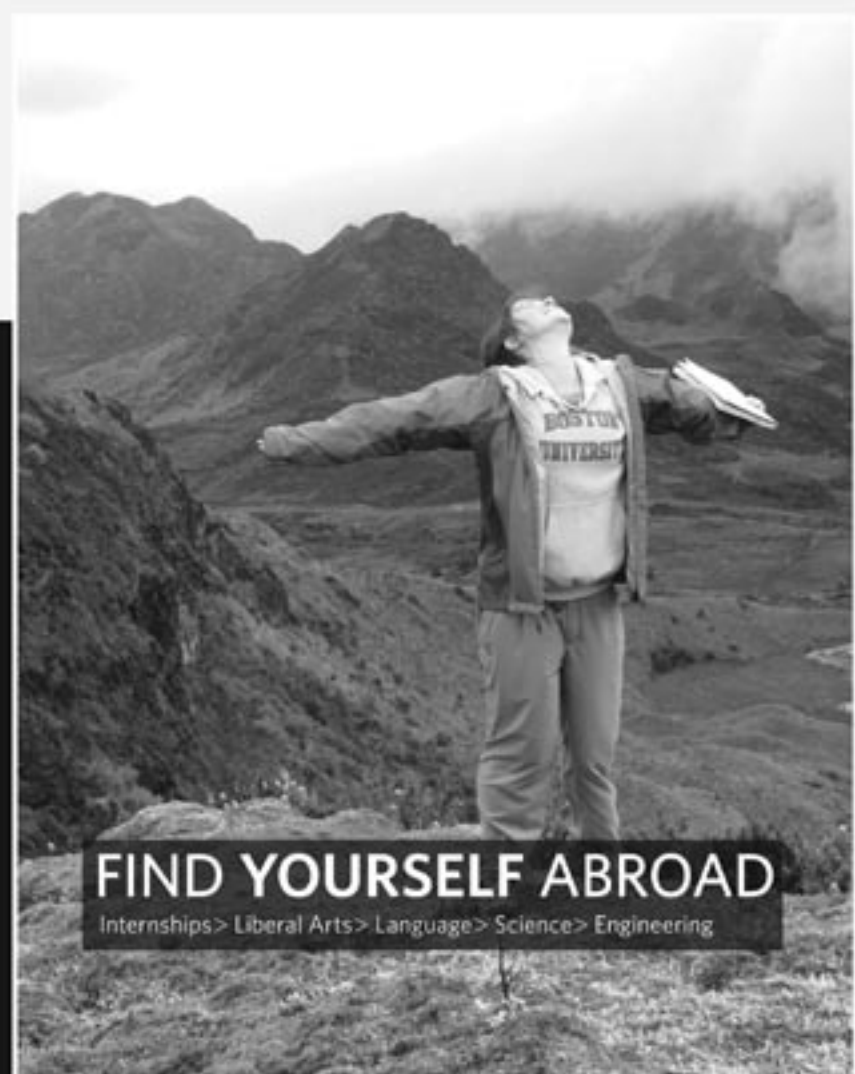
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