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DAILY DOSE

Spider bite causes painful erections

FROM STAFF AND WIRE REPORTS

Getting bit by a spider is never fun — especially when it gives you an hours-long erection.

A Medical College of Georgia physiologist is studying the venom of the Brazilian wandering spider, which contains toxins that cause the penis to become continually erect.

A bite from the five-inch spider can also cause loss of muscle control, difficulty breathing, and in very rare cases, death. But after isolating the toxins, scientists were able to normalize the erectile function of lab rats with severe erectile dysfunction.

Physiologist Kenia Nunes said the findings could be helpful to men who don't respond to traditional erectile dysfunction treatments.

NOTED. Citing what she calls unfair treatment from the Transportation Security Administration, a Seattle-area restaurateur has begun refusing service to TSA agents. She said employees will continue to ask agents to leave the restaurant until the agency treats air travelers with more dignity. Ninety percent of patrons agree with the policy, she said.

QUOTED. "I don't think it's worth it any more for an extra three or four fries."
— Allen Hsu, an 18-year-old student in New Zealand who found only 14 more french fries in a large order from McDonald's than in a medium.
In one large order he purchased he discovered only one extra fry.
Talk about hamburglery!

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

TODAY

Global projects lunch: Eat with other students interested in traveling and doing global projects this summer, learn about past projects funded by the Center for Global Initiatives and meet the officers behind the program.
Time: 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.
Location: FedEx Global Education Center, Room 4003

Internship help: Learn how to search the University Career Services database and find an internship.
Time: 3 p.m. to 4 p.m.
Location: Hanes Hall Room 239B

Domestic violence chat: University of Kentucky professor Jennifer Swanberg will talk about her research on state-level employment policies to protect victims of domestic violence.
Time: 3:30 p.m.
Location: Health Sciences Library

Engineering speaker: Cherry Murray, dean of Harvard University's school of engineering and applied sciences, will discuss her career path from scientist to university leader.

Time: 7 p.m. to 8 p.m.
Location: Carroll Hall, Room 111

Robert Frost reading: Hear N.C. Botanical Garden Director Peter White's interpretations of Robert Frost poems and how they reflect themes of ecology, evolution and conservation.
Time: 7:30 p.m.
Location: N.C. Botanical Garden, 100 Old Mason Farm Road

THURSDAY

Personality test: Learn about your Myers-Briggs personality test and how it can help you select the right career and manage challenges better.
Time: 3 p.m. to 4 p.m.
Location: Hanes Hall Room 239B

Poetry reading: Michael Suarez, a poet and University of Virginia professor, will read some of his work and James Joyce's "Chamber Music" from UNC's rare book collection, followed by an analysis of the poetry. Preceded by a reception at 5 p.m.
Time: 5:45 p.m.
Location: Wilson Library, Pleasants Family Assembly Room

Pottery conversation: Local potter Daniel Johnston will discuss the inspiration behind his pottery, some of which is displayed in the Ackland Art Museum exhibition "Tradition in Clay."
Time: 6 p.m.
Location: Ackland Art Museum

Ska concert: Check out eight-member ska band the Pietasters in Carrboro, along with the Archbishops of Blount Street, Petrovic Blasting Company and Brian Hill.
Time: 8:30 p.m.
Location: Cat's Cradle, 300 E. Main St., Carrboro

Dance-pop show: One-man dance-pop artist Diamond Rings will bring his choreography and flamboyant costumes to Franklin Street.
Time: 9 p.m.
Location: Local 506, 506 W. Franklin St.

To make a calendar submission, e-mail 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.

ACTING FOR AWARENESS



DTH/BAILEY SEITTER

Melanie Johnson (left) and Stephanie Najjar act in the sketch "Tough Love" on Tuesday. In the scene, Johnson's character is bulimic. Interactive Theater Carolina, a service of Campus Health, put on the skit as a part of National Eating Disorder Awareness Week.

POLICE LOG

■ A 31-year-old Chapel Hill woman was charged with larceny at 3:12 p.m. Monday at 1860 Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd., according to Chapel Hill police reports.
Angelica Moyao Castillo was arrested after she attempted to steal \$520 in cash, reports state. Castillo was cited and released, reports state.

■ Someone stole a \$60 sweat jacket from Tarheel Bookstore at 1:11 p.m. Monday at 119 E. Franklin St., according to Chapel Hill police reports.

■ Someone put sugar in the gas tank of a silver 2006 Chrysler PT Cruiser between 10 a.m. Friday and noon Sunday at 750 Weaver Dairy Road, according to Chapel Hill police reports.
Damage to the vehicle was valued at \$2,000, reports state.

■ Someone hit another person's blue 2006 Mini Cooper with

a shopping cart at 9:23 p.m. at 1800 E. Franklin St., according to Chapel Hill police reports.
Damage to the vehicle's hood was valued at \$200, reports state.

■ Someone stole speakers from a black 1998 Mercury Mountaineer between 8 p.m. Saturday and 11 a.m. Monday at 213 McCauley St., according to Chapel Hill police reports.

The person stole two 10-inch subwoofer speakers worth \$200, reports state.

■ Someone broke into a green 1998 Nissan Sentra between 3:40 p.m. and 5:45 p.m. Monday at 120 S. Estes Drive, according to Chapel Hill police reports.

The person stole a large black handbag worth \$50. The handbag contained an iPod Shuffle worth \$100, \$300 in cash and a check worth \$103 as well as a driver's license, an extra set of keys and debit and credit cards, reports state.



POETS IN PERSON
& ON THE PAGE

MICHAEL SUAREZ, S.J., READS HIS POETRY
and
JAMES JOYCE'S CHAMBER MUSIC



THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 2011

5 p.m. Reception | 5:45 p.m. Program
Wilson Special Collections Library
Pleasants Family Assembly Room
University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

Michael Suarez, S.J., poet and director of the Rare Book School at the University of Virginia, inaugurates this new poetry series. He will read from his own work and from the 1907 edition of James Joyce's *Chamber Music*, a book donated to UNC's Rare Book Collection by James R. and Mary M. Patton.

Free and open to the public

Information: Liza Terll, Friends of the Library,
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Human Rights In Islam:
The Politics of Cultural Translation

TOMORROW, FEBRUARY 24th

8:45 AM to 5:30 PM

John Hope Franklin Center
Duke University
Room 240

Guest Presenters:

- *Arzoo Osanloo, Associate Professor, Anthropology and the Law, Societies, and Justice Program, University of Washington
- *Lila Abu-Lughod, Joseph L. Battenwieser Professor, Columbia University
- *Abdullahi an-Na'im, Charles Howard Candler Professor of Law, Emory
- *Sherman Jackson, Professor of Arabic and Islamic Studies, University of Michigan

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