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Julie Dancer of Iowa City savors the thrill of being in the arms of "Frank Sinatra" (aka Ron Semler of Cedar Rapids) during a dance at a prom held May 27 at Ridgeview Assisted Living in Cedar Rapids. Residents at the facility planned the event, which included hors d'oeuvres, dancing, drinks and a queen crowning. "Frankie" sang many of his classic numbers. Dancer is the executive director at Ridgeview.

Dancing swings across East Iowa

Steps are taken in C.R., Kalona



Mary Zielinski/News correspondent

Swing dancing swept onto the Mid-Prairie Middle School gym floor in Kalona on May 25 when students demonstrated their mastery of 1940s swing dancing for family and friends. It was the fourth year that students in Wendy Allen's class had learned the classic moves and even created '40s-style clothing. Dancers are students Brandee Bohr and Schylor Alenhofen, dressed in classic styles.

Film/video series for bicyclists set

IOWA CITY — Public Access Television will present "Bike-In Theater," a free summer outdoor film/video series, beginning at sundown Wednesday at 206 Lafayette St. The new bi-monthly, outdoor film and video screening series invites bicyclists for an evening of adventurous, independent film and video from all over the country.

The kick-off screening will feature "We Are Traffic," an independent documentary tracing the birth and evolution of the Critical Mass bike movement. A short documentary — "Heavy Metal Parking Lot" — also will be shown, which looks at tailgating rockers at a pre-Judas Priest concert parking lot circa 1980.

Walkers and car riders are welcome too. Seating is limited, and those who attend may bring their own folding chairs. Parking is available on the street or at the Johnson County Administrative Building, 913 S. Dubuque St.

Among the following weeks' screenings will be a Culture Jamming Video Shorts Program presented by Iowa City Microcinema.

For more information, call (319) 338-7035 or e-mail contact@patv.tv

HIGHER EDUCATION

6 professors at UI win Regents Awards for excellence

IOWA CITY — Six University of Iowa faculty members have been honored with the 2005 Regents Award for Faculty Excellence.

Given by the state Board of Regents, the award honors faculty members for work representing a significant contribution to excellence in public education. This year's recipients from the UI are:

- **Judith Aikin**, professor of German and former dean of the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences, is an international authority on early modern German literature.

She has been a member of the UI faculty since 1975, regularly teaching courses at all levels.

- **Constance Berman**, professor of history in the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences, is a leading social historian on the Middle Ages. She joined the UI faculty in 1988 and teaches a full range of courses on medieval history, including the first course in the Western civilization sequence.

- **Dorothy Johnson**, F.

Wendell Miller Professor and director of the School of Art and Art History in the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences, is one of the world's leading scholars of 18th- and 19th-century art, particularly the career of Jacques-Louis David. She has been a member of the UI faculty since 1987. Her current research examines Romantic Hellenism in French art. An elected member of the board of directors of the College Art Association, she also has been active in planning and chairing sessions for the American Society for Eighteenth-Century Studies.

- **Ronald Lauer**, professor emeritus of pediatrics in the UI Roy J. and Lucille A. Carver College of Medicine and epidemiology in the College of Public Health, is internationally known for his research on coronary risk factors in youth that are predictive of adult cardiovascular disease.

A faculty member in the Carver College of Medicine since 1968 and in the College

of Public Health since 1999, Lauer started work on the UI Muscatine Heart Study in 1970, research that determined blood pressure and cholesterol norms for school-age children and provided links between child and adult heart health.

Lauer also was instrumental in developing the pediatric cardiology division in the college's Department of Pediatrics.

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- **Raymond Crowe**, George Winokur Professor of Psychiatry in the Carver College of Medicine, is an internationally recognized psychiatric geneticist.

His research focuses on genetic linkage studies to search for genes for panic disorder, depression, schizophrenia and alcoholism.

- **Keela Herr**, professor of

nursing, is a noted expert in pain management in older adults. As the College of Nursing's area chair in adult and gerontological nursing, she leads Iowa's program in training nurses to serve the elderly. She also conducts her own research program, which

has been funded by the National Institutes of Health as well as by other federal and foundation agencies.

Herr is an expert on pain management, having served in leadership roles in numerous professional organizations.

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