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"It is so hot, I saw a dog chasing a cat and they were both walking"

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Winona Hospital Introduces "McGrory Express®"

The Winona Hospital has introduced a new "McGrory Express®" lane to speed up the flow of ear infections, strep throats and large bike accidents generated from the McGrory boys. Just opened last week, the Hospital welcomed **Andy McGrory** and his broken collarbone yesterday that was caused by the young man's decision to ride his bike down the steepest hill in all of southeastern Minnesota.

"Most of us had Andy in the pool," said EMT driver Dave Dahl. "A few people took a chance on a double strep throat for

Charlie but the smart money was on Andy with football season and school starting. John is a long shot due to concentrating on emotional collisions; since this was the summer to focus in on the ladies."

From the ambulance, Andy said, "Slow

down, Billy works today and he parks near the emergency stall." The driver, now alerted to the potential logjam, thanked Andy. "I only started working here six months ago so I rely on the kid's inside knowledge. It seems he knows everyone and everything that is going on here."

"It was handy he had his full medical history



and x-rays in his backpack," said the EMT. "When we got to the accident, he had pulled out the x-rays and was showing them to the gathered crowd. "We are pleased with new addition," said a hospital spokesperson. "2007 should be busy with flu season coming up and I am putting some dough on Charlie."

Is Roger Bongers Married Yet (or Not?)



As summer come to an end, the editors of Mom's Newsletter have announced their 37th Annual "Is Roger Bongers Married Yet?" contest. Since 1971, the baby-faced Faribault lad's varied (and numerous) romantic states make for great wagering.

The first correct answer, confirmed with time stamped photos of Roger, will receive the new Mom's Newsletter coffee cup. This year's cup features **Uncle Bing's** Hat Collection and the quote "It's a Grave Situation" in an elegant font script.

Special news items:

- **Sparky McKee** has been indicted in the recent death of "Eddie," the dog actor on *Frasier*.
- **Phil Rutman** is walking around, turning off lights in the house and "looking for some peace and quiet."
- **Chris Ayre** is very disappointed with his new haircut.
- **Tom Teske** has begun holding court at the Faribault Perkins, boring diners with his recollections "when the Olympia Restaurant owned Central Avenue."
- The University of Iowa welcomes the co-ed trio of **Katie Barnett, Sarah Barnett** and **Maggie Sears** for the academic year.
- US Bailbonds® has opened up a branch in Iowa City.