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AIDS activists march in downtown Greensboro

WINTER AIDS WALK TURNS DOWNTOWN GREENSBORO RED

By Eleanor Coleman
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Outside of the War Memorial Stadium on Sunday was a crowd of thousands getting ready to take part in the Triad Health Project's twentieth annual Winter AIDS Walk. Upon arrival, participants were greeted by sponsors bearing candy, coffee, water and gifts. A crew of volunteers gave everyone red ribbons and t-shirts, decking everyone out in AIDS awareness apparel.

"People forget, people become complacent," said Ken Keeton of Triad Health Project. "Our community needs to be reminded that this is still a disease that's still very much with us today. New infections every day, and prevention is the only cure we have. It's time for everyone to have a wake-up call."

The walk advocated and raised money for Triad Health Project, which provides education about the illness and support to those living with HIV/AIDS. Children carried red balloons and chocolate bars, college kids came with their friends and adults walked with their spouses. Locals came walking their dogs, and families bore signs saying, "I Walk: In Memory of..."

"This event provides vital funding for the programs



Drummers sound their support for AIDS awareness during the Winter Walk on Sunday, December 4th. Many walkers were Guilford students, who also promoted it on campus.

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NEWS

Gupta tells stories as a neurosurgeon through reporting as a journalist

CNN CORRESPONDENT WANTS AMERICA TO HOLD ITSELF ACCOUNTABLE FOR HEALTH

By Charlotte Cloyd
STAFF WRITER

Dr. Sanjay Gupta's smile lit the stage on Nov. 29 at the third installment of the 2011 - 2012 Bryan Series. People packed the War Memorial Auditorium and an excited buzz filled the air before Gupta was introduced.

His speech, titled "Medicine and Media," focused on the relationship between the two fields and his goal in creating a more cohesive relationship between them. As the senior medical correspondent for CNN and as a neurosurgeon actively practicing at Emory Health Center and Grady Memorial Hospital in Atlanta, Gupta strives to tell stories to people such as the story detailing the health of not only the American people, but the people of the world.

In his introduction, Kent Chabotar, president and professor of political science, cited Gupta's numerous achievements.

"For millions of Americans, Dr. Gupta is their go-to voice for major developments in medicine, personal health and health care," said Chabotar. "He hosts his own weekly medical affairs show, creates documentaries, and participates in a variety of other programs. Basically, he's a medical rock star."

Students attended the event in the hopes of gaining new perspectives and insight.

"I don't know much about this speaker," said senior Anne Rappe. "I'm just coming with an open ear, and hopefully I'll learn

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FEATURES

Rub a dub dub, laundry and beer at the Wash Pub

By Ellen Nicholas
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Laundry. Beer. Friends. Music. And all of this is right across the street? In one place? That's the Wash Pub.

Our local community dive bar, the Wash Pub, sits right across West Friendly Avenue from Guilford, hidden in the back of Quaker Village.

The second you walk in, you know what kind of bar you are in.

"It's a dive bar," said co-owner David Holbrook. "We don't want a club type atmosphere. I mean, you spill

your drink in here and it's awesome. That's what a bar's supposed to be, at least in my opinion."

"The atmosphere is just very relaxed, kind of like a family feel," said Mellissa Beeh, senior and Wash Pub bartender.

Along with its welcoming feel, the Wash Pub's location is a big draw.

"It's really, really helpful to have a bar or a drinking hole that's close enough to walk," said senior Jamie Sisk. "We've seen ... that, when kids drive downtown for stuff, that's when

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The Wash Pub, with its odd arrangement of both a bar and washing machines, is a good place to go for a relaxed scene.

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