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Mi viaje a Madrid

Mi viaje de fin de semana a Madrid y Toledo, España no fue nada aburrido. El viernes 25 de febrero viajé cinco horas en autobús de mi apartamento en Granada a la estación de trenes de Atocha en Madrid. Pasé la mayor parte de mi primer día

caminando por la Plaza Mayor, Plaza del Sol y Gran Vía y tratando de apreciar todo lo que estaba alrededor de mí.

Originalmente soy de un pueblo pequeño de Kansas, así que Madrid, con los millones de personas que la habitan, era un poco abrumador. El sábado por la mañana se inició mi visita con un recorrido por el Palacio Real. Lo vi todo, desde la armadura del siglo 15 hasta una sala solamente de porcelana. El Palacio

era hermoso, pero me decepcionó que no pudiera tomar fotografías en el edificio ni visitar la Capilla Real, porque estaba en restauración. También visité el Museo Reina Sofía de Arte Contemporáneo. Vi muchas pinturas

KAYLA ANDERSON

de la Cibeles Fashion Week, un juego de fútbol de Real Madrid y un evento de arte que reunió a miles de personas más en la ciudad.

También tuve mi primera experiencia en un tren de alta

velocidad. Lo tomé un día de viaje a Toledo, la antigua capital de España. Mientras estuve allí, visité el Alcázar, el Museo de Santa Cruz, la Iglesia de Santo Tomé y la famosa Catedral gótica. En la Iglesia de Santo Tomé, yo estuve emocionada de ver la famo-

sa pintura de El Greco, *El entierro del conde de Orgaz*. La Catedral fácilmente se podría comparar a la Basílica de San Pedro en Roma, Italia. Me encantó el laberinto de torcidas calles parecidas y el encanto medieval de Toledo. Regresé a Granada fascinada por lo que había hecho y visto.



Kayla Anderson in front of the Royal Palace in Madrid

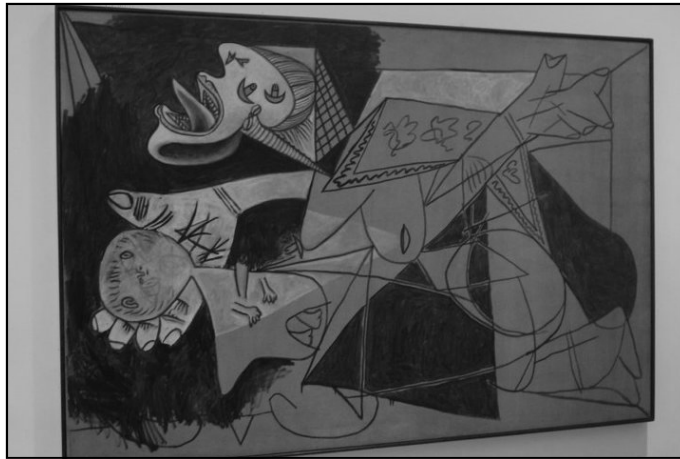
de Picasso y Salvador Dalí. Mi visita al mundialmente famoso Museo del Prado también fue fantástica, pero el edificio era demasiado grande para verlo todo. Madrid era un lugar interesante para visitar, pero elegí un fin de semana malo para viajar, ya que también fue anfitrión

My Trip to Madrid

KAYLA ANDERSON

My weekend trip to Madrid and Toledo, Spain was far from boring. On Friday February 25 I took a five-hour bus trip from my apartment in Granada to the Atocha train station in Madrid. I spent most of my first day walking around the Plaza Mayor, Plaza del Sol, and Gran Via and tried

I had my first experience in a high-speed train when I took a day trip to Toledo, a former capital of Spain. While I was there I visited the Citadel, the Museum of Santa Cruz, Santo Tomé Church, and the famous Cathedral. In the Santo Tomé Church, I was excited to see the famous painting by El Greco, *The Burial of the Count of Orgaz*. The Cathedral could easily be compared to St. Peter's Basilica in Rome, Italy. I loved the maze-like streets and the medieval charm of Toledo. I returned to Granada amazed at all that I had done and seen.



Left: A painting by Picasso in the Reina Sofia Museum

Below: Part of the Cathedral in Toledo

to take in everything that was around me. I am originally from a small town in Kansas, so that Madrid, with the millions of people living there, was a bit overwhelming. Saturday morning began with a tour of the Palacio Real. I saw everything from 15th century armor to an all porcelain room. The Palace was beautiful, but I was disappointed I could not take pictures in the building or visit the Royal Chapel, as it was under restoration. I also visited the Reina Sofia Museum of Contemporary Art. I saw many paintings by Picasso and Salvador Dali. My visit to the world famous Prado Museum was great, but the building was too big to see everything. Madrid was an interesting place to visit, but I picked the wrong weekend to travel, the city hosted the Cibeles Fashion Week, a Real Madrid soccer game, and an art event that brought thousands of people to the city.



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Zweisprachiger Sportlicher der Woche

Wie ist dein Name, Alter und Jahr in der Schule?

Ich bin Andy Hurla. Ich bin zweiundzwanzig und ich bin ein Senior.

Wie lange habst du Ringen?

Ich habe für 16 Jahre ringe, aber diese Saison ist fertig. Ich kann nicht glauben, aber ich bin fertig mit Ringen.

Warum bist du nach Baker University gekommen?

Ich mag die kleinen Klassen und gute Professoren.



Wie war Nationals?

Er war sehr gut weil wir zwei All-Americans hatten. Wir sind sehr jung und können immer besser werden. Coach May arbeitet sehr hart für Ringen an Baker.

Special thanks to Baker University Wrestling News Archives

Bilingual Athlete of the Week

What's your name, age and year in school?

I am Andy Hurla. I am twenty two and I am a Senior.

How long have you been wrestling?

I have wrestled for 16 years, but this season is

finished. I can't believe it, but I am finished with wrestling.

Why did you come to Baker University?

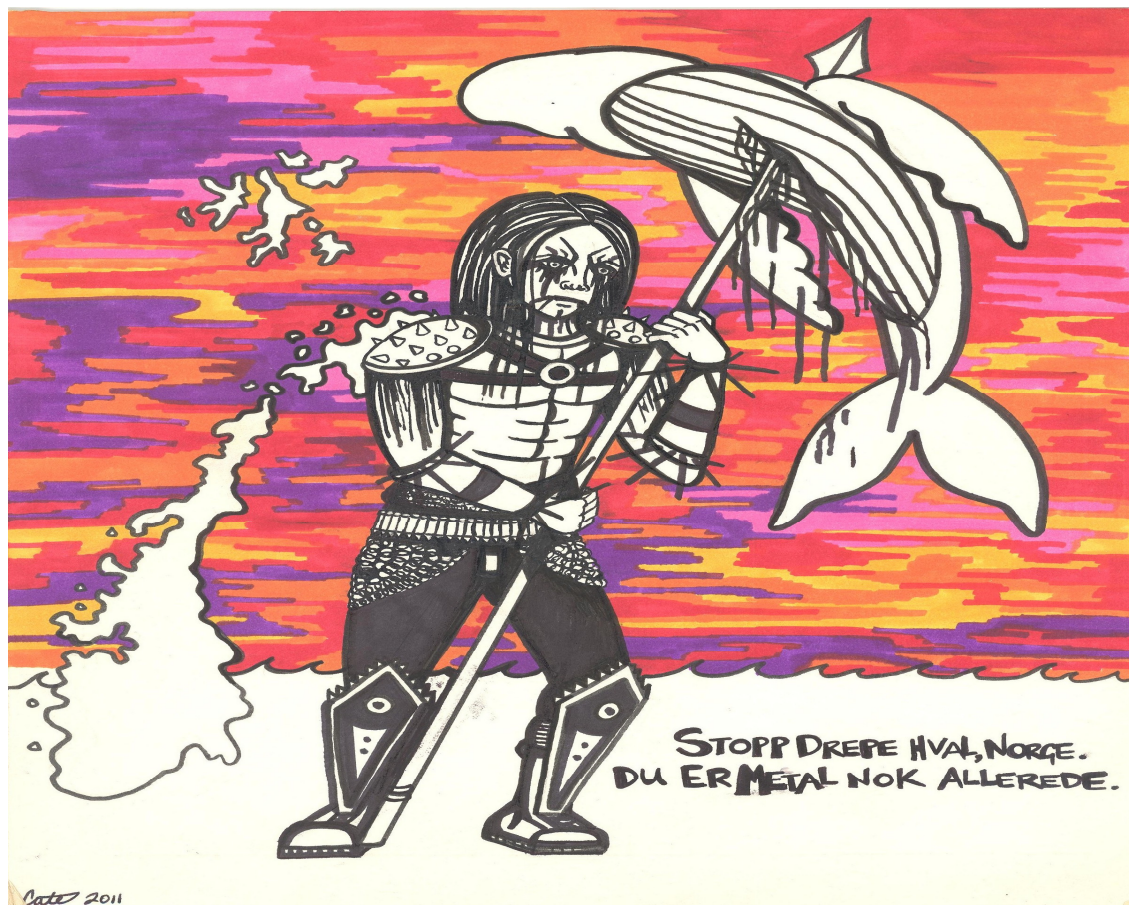
I like the small classes and good professors.

How was Nationals?

It was very good because we had two All-Americans. We are young and can only become better and better. Coach May works very hard for Baker Wrestling.

Cartoon

VON CATE
RICHARDS



From Norwegian to English: *Stop killing whales Norway, you are metal enough already!*

WANT TO CONTRIBUTE?

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We at *The Vision* love and promote all Mother Tongues, so whether you're writing about the World Cup in Spanish or trying to make sense of Middle Eastern foreign policy in Arabic script, **WE WANT IT!**

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