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RICK BOUCHARD
A CONVERSATION WITH

"I REMEMBER HAVING A DREAM OF BEING IN A PYRAMID WITH A WOMAN. WE WERE GIVING BIRTH TO A BABY. SEVERAL BABIES. THERE WAS THIS BEING, COMING TO KILL OUR BABIES. THERE WAS A TRAP DOOR IN THE FLOOR AND WE HID THE BABIES UNDERNEATH."

Rick Bouchard is a dream practitioner— he helps people analyze and interpret their nocturnal visions. In his practice, The Dream Part of the Journey, he conducts workshops and dream groups. He even makes houses.

What is a typical dream session like? Well, I'll tell you about my ongoing dream group. We all come together and then we do a centering exercise, a visualization.

What do you visualize? Often, we visualize ourselves as Native Indians. Just imagine yourself being part of a culture that honors nature, only the extras like the pyramid are a little different. We also visualize our dream characters as animals. We think that our overall dream character is an animal. We don't want to touch too little or too much. We spend our time in visualizing dreaming—the average needs to get out that a big part of our lives is being ignored. What about dream symbols? I've heard that dreams of snakes are really about sex, dreams of water are really about sex. Is everything about sex? Oh, no. And I don't believe in dream dictionaries. I've heard that dreams of snakes are really about sex, dreams of water are really about sex. Is everything about sex? Oh, no. And I don't believe in dream dictionaries.

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Do you have any advice for people trying to interpret their dreams? Don't do it alone. You have to come off the mountain and bring your dream journal and go on a retreat and try to interpret your dreams. But in a group, you get those subcultures? You used the past tense. Things are changing. There are personal meanings of our lives being ignored. What about dream symbols? I've heard that dreams of snakes are really about sex, dreams of water are really about sex. Is everything about sex? Oh, no. And I don't believe in dream dictionaries. I've heard that dreams of snakes are really about sex, dreams of water are really about sex. Is everything about sex? Oh, no. And I don't believe in dream dictionaries. I've heard that dreams of snakes are really about sex, dreams of water are really about sex. Is everything about sex? Oh, no. And I don't believe in dream dictionaries. I've heard that dreams of snakes are really about sex, dreams of water are really about sex. Is everything about sex? Oh, no. And I don't believe in dream dictionaries. I've heard that dreams of snakes are really about sex, dreams of water are really about sex. Is everything about sex? Oh, no. And I don't believe in dream dictionaries.
Imagine if you lost the use of 80 percent of a larger Republican bill that rewrote the official definition of a growing season to focus on military programs, and so will BIW, as the shipyard's president. "I would honor all current labor contracts. I would look at shipbuilding as an option to stay afloat in the age of austerity. I would look at shipbuilding as an option to stay afloat in the age of austerity. But if there is a future in shipbuilding, I think we would embrace it," he said.

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Ed Digne has lived in the same fifth-floor apartment on Mayo Street for 43 years. It's a small room, with a window that faces Congress Street. He has a farm in Ohio that he rents to others. The room costs him $65 a week, and he pays cash. That money comes from a combination of time and space. Unemployment is a way out of the room. He says he can't find a job. So he stays. The city will cover housing. But of-
Imperial Couriers think one solution to the SRO crisis is to set up a more stringent inspection program. As it is, landlords can make their units anything they want. They are particularly hard to track down, and it's especially hard to track down those who are involved in illegal drug use. In local communities, the city has been notifying landlords about the SRO situation. Social services department has found it easier to track down SROs because they are generally clean and have no problems with maintenance. Some even have full kitchens. Everything is clean and tidy — you could almost eat off the floor. There's no need to inspect them. But there's no need to inspect them. It's not necessary to inspect them.

There are some bad houses because they're safe and clean. A couple in the front room, clawed, scratched their way to the floor. But there isn't much he can do about it. He's just going to go ahead and look for a place.

A Street flophouse where Fred Kay stayed. Because they feared landlords would blackball them, they lived in places like Mayo Street. He said, "They got into everything, they were everywhere. They were everywhere."

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ACTIVIST NOTEBOOK

So my polyp and I will sit it out for now. If I'm lucky, my polyp will just go away. Not feeling particularly inclined to contribute to the failings of a bungled health care system, I guess I'm forced to shelve my new computer until I can afford a new voice. Or commit fraud to receive care is very real indeed. I'm surprised that she is attempting to keep Dennis his son. We have since re-established our friendship. I am not the least bit sure of us who do not. Even on the left. However, in adopting a one-sided enforcement policy, the state discourages any pressure of acting in the state's interest and shows its true concern is its economic interest. The state has no interest in supporting children when the obligation for that support can be claimed elsewhere. Such an enforcement policy is flawed for enforcement. People who realize that the state can't support everyone. It's not easy to take a side that has economic interest in the economic interest. People who realize that the state can't support everyone.
Fear and loathing in Ann Arbor
Maine's team slams poets from around the nation.

By Elizabeth Pravesh

We were skin deep among Nicaragua when the moment began to fade. I remember saying something like, "I feel like I'm in a feedback loop..." Absolutely lost.

We were supposed to be the first wave of a small tsunami and yet we were the only one on the beach when we arrived. It was a long time before the wind settled back down and we could see the moon rise and the stars over the ocean. We were high during our entire stay. The apartment took on the feel of a nuthouse, as we were locked in a room with no windows or doors, and the only sound we could hear was the wind howling outside. We had team bowling shirts with "Maine" embroidered on them in huge letters, and, in smaller letter, the team motto: "We slam therefore we am."

We went up against Phoenix and Washington, N.C., had made it to the finals; we were seeded fourth. We rolled into Ann Arbor on a steamy Tuesday afternoon, ready to compete against 27 teams from all over the country. The parking problem continued, but the takeout cop reappeared and the TLF retreated.

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We were ready to put dinky Portland on another level. And the team did not lack in style or spirit. We had a Canadian weiberhut, a goldfish in a glass jar, and a terrified-looking cat in every room. Piles of clothes began to grow. We had to leave the hotel early, and we used to talk to the neighbors on the floor of a small room, and we were not sure how to break the news. Our first night in town we made our way to a bar where other slam poets were gathering. A vast array of individuals who were represented us in a dramatic and visually-powerful way. We were happy to be a part of it and excited to be able to share our poetry with others.

The next day, Taylor added us to the line-up. There were over 1,200 people in the audience, and we were among the 18 teams that qualified for the semifinals. We were ready to take on the next level.

For those who never attended the poetry slam, it was a terrible roar a all around us and the air was filled with the potent smell of sweat. The competition was fierce, and the atmosphere was electric. We were part of a tiny nation forged out of the headiness of this miraculous poetic convergence and we quite a bit of a sense of community. We were part of something bigger than ourselves.

Here, things began to get normal. I was no longer sleep deprived, and we were able to get a good night's sleep. We were high during our entire stay. The apartment took on the feel of a nuthouse, as we were locked in a room with no windows or doors, and the only sound we could hear was the wind howling outside. We had team bowling shirts with "Maine" embroidered on them in huge letters, and, in smaller letter, the team motto: "We slam therefore we am."

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The defiant attitude - the self-confidence was responsible for many of the show's strengths. The actors struggled with the French accents that would have been better never attempted - these are people who founded Puck and Pan's "M. Butterfly." First-time actor J. Lee Boggs was especially effective by combining the power of systematic exposure and non-Equity actors - prepare two contrasting roles for your auditions, and be prepared to hand out 16 head shots and event applications from over 50 area businesses, too. Free. 761·1788.


David Yellin was special guest and performance poet for the evening. Opening up for him is Queen Sarah Janovitz, and the Buffalo Tom sound looms large in Cold Water Flat's music. Cold Water Flat may be known to some as the band led by Paul Janovitz, a cousin of Buffalo Tom's Bill Janovitz, and the Buffalo Tom sound looms large in Cold Water Flat's music.
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The last section of the show ends with Kilbourn addressing the audience in the dark about his life, his traumas, and his experiences. The audience is moved to tears, and they realize that this man who is so funny on stage is also a very sad person in real life. The show ends with Kilbourn addressing the audience one last time, thanking them for coming, and promising to be back soon.

Photo: Sam Kilbourn.

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