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**Winter Festival brings students indoors**  
Photo: Catherine Johnson  
The annual Winter Festival at the University of Louisville brought students indoors for a day of fun and games. The event featured a variety of activities, including a snow machine, a hot chocolate bar, and a game area. Students and faculty alike enjoyed the festive atmosphere.

**Interpreter at Mandela event: I was hallucinating**  
A woman who served as an interpreter at a Mandela memorial event in Louisville said she was hallucinating during the ceremony. She described seeing a bright light and hearing voices that were not hers.

**Public support will share more than \$800 in prize money**  
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The Louisville Times has announced the winners of its annual \$800 prize money contest. The winners will receive a total of \$800, with each winner receiving a share of the prize.

**City commissioner Warren proposes building board, mayor isn't sold**  
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City Commissioner Warren has proposed the creation of a building board to oversee construction projects in the city. However, Mayor Greg Fischer has expressed reservations about the proposal.

**LIBRARY EXPANDS**  
The University of Louisville library has expanded its collection of digital resources. The new additions include a wide range of e-books and e-journals, providing students and faculty with easier access to research materials.

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**Aviation schools prepare for boom in drone jobs**  
Aerospace schools are preparing for a projected boom in drone-related jobs. As the technology continues to advance, the industry is expected to create numerous new positions for graduates with specialized training.

**CHRISTMAS PARADE**  
The Downtown Louisville Christmas Parade is set for December 17th. The parade will feature a variety of floats, including a float for the Louisville Zoo and a float for the Louisville Orchestra.

**\$250,000 snow leopard among stolen items at LA backyard bash**  
A \$250,000 snow leopard statue was among the items stolen at a backyard party in Los Angeles. The party was held in a private residence, and the theft occurred during the celebration.

**L&T now accepting 'Dear Santa' letters**  
The Louisville Times is now accepting 'Dear Santa' letters from children. The letters will be read aloud during the Christmas Eve service at the University of Louisville.

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