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LINCOLN SCIENCE CAFÉ

Monday, April 13, 2015
7p.m. at Vega

See Science Cafe information [here](#).

FREE LUNCH & LEARN

Tuesday, April 14, 2015
12 - 1p.m.
University of Nebraska
at Kearney Alumni House

SPEAKER

Dr. C. Randal Mills

The Impact of Investing in Stem Cell Research

See Lunch and Learn information [here](#).

Nebraska Science Festival

2015 Festival Dates
Announced:

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APRIL 20, 2015

HAPPY HOLLOW CLUB
OMAHA, NE

Welcome to the Newsletter of the Nebraska Coalition for Lifesaving

April 10-18, 2015

The Nebraska Science Festival is a multi-day celebration showcasing the diversity and wonders of science.

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Cures March, 2015!

Please forward this newsletter to anyone that may be interested in joining The Nebraska Coalition for Lifesaving Cures.

Sincerely,

Victoria Kohout, Executive Director
The Nebraska Coalition for Lifesaving Cures

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New biotech Semma Therapeutics joins ViaCyte & Betalogs in stem cell Diabetes arena

A new biotech startup, Semma Therapeutics, announced that it seeks to fight diabetes via translating technology from the lab of Doug Melton at Harvard to the clinic.

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Stem cell-based therapy for type 2 diabetes shows promise

Senior study author Timothy Kieffer, of the University of British Columbia in Canada, and colleagues say the findings could lead the way for the first ever stem cell-based insulin replacement therapy being tested in humans with type 2 diabetes.

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Dr. Maurer begins next career chapter

If you happen to see Harold M. Maurer, M.D., UNMC chancellor emeritus, walking the halls in a white coat, there's a good reason -- he's decided to resume his career as a pediatric hematologist/oncologist.

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ViaCyte CEO Paul Laikind Interview: Trial Update, Melton's Concerns, & Future

It's been exciting to watch the recent developments in using stem cells as the basis for treatments for Type I Diabetes. One of the major players in this arena is the privately-held company, ViaCyte.

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