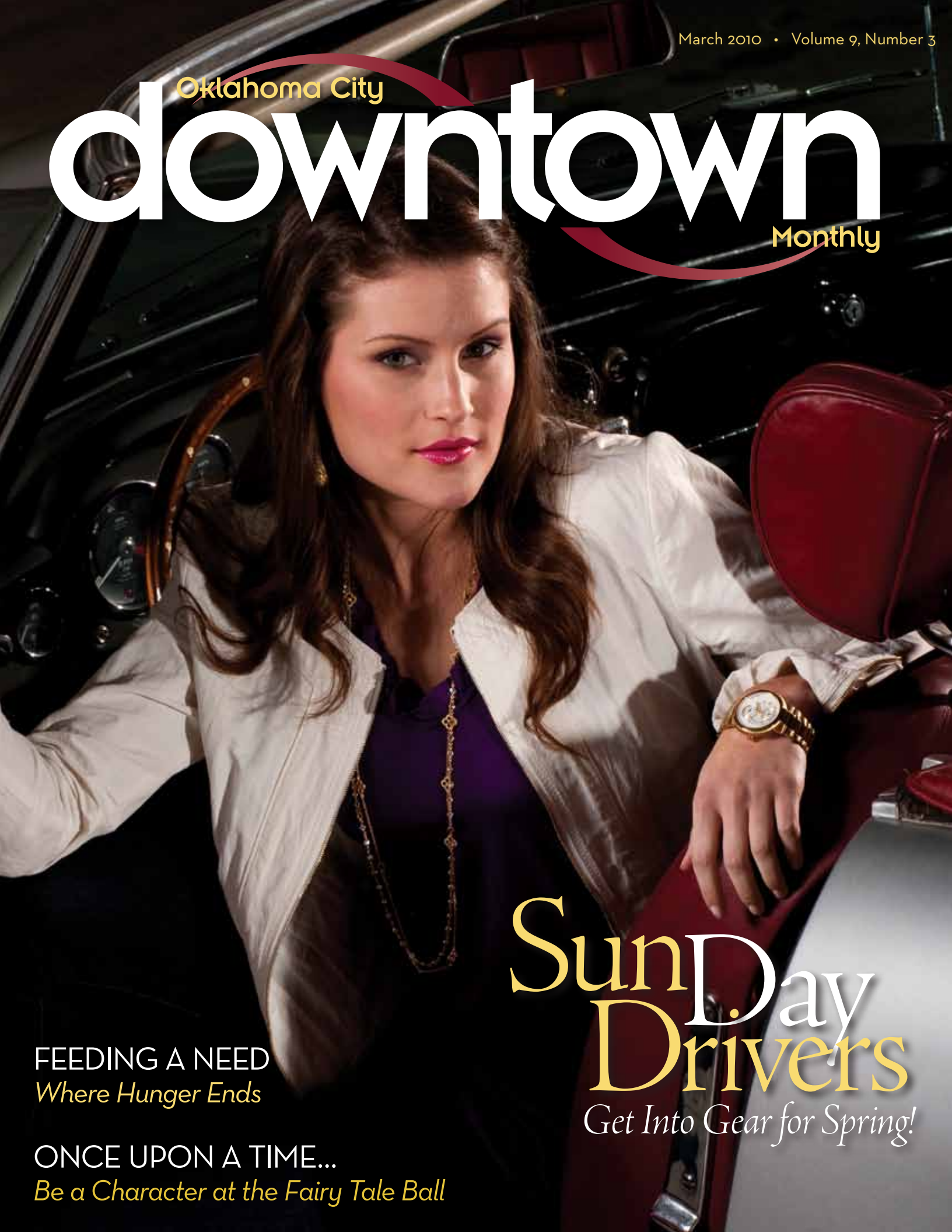


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DOING PANTERELLI PROUD

By **Kent Anderson**

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It's a good thing that Catherine de Medici, wife of France's King Henry II, was adept at handling personnel matters for the royal court in the 1540s. She hired a chef named Panterelli, who created choux pastries, a category that has evolved to include such joys as éclairs, cream puffs, beignets and many others.

For real European-style pastries in Oklahoma City, Ingrid's Kitchen has quietly set the standard for more than 30 years. The bakery daily turns out cakes, pies, tarts, cookies and many of Chef Panterelli's inspired creations.

Choosing just one item from Ingrid's pastry menu is mightily difficult, but the Raspberry Cream Puff is certain to please. The pastry is filled with raspberry whipped cream, with an added delight: white chocolate glazed over the top. We suspect Queen Catherine would be quite pleased with Ingrid's take on her chef's invention.

Ingrid's Kitchen is open seven days a week at 3701 N. Youngs. ■

