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Friday Night Live features comedian Auggie Smith

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"He was great," said freshman Eric Rebant. "It was real comedy that everyone could relate to and laugh at."

Freshman Madalyn Miller agreed.

"He was excellent," Miller said. "He kept me laughing the whole time."

Connecting with his audience is perhaps another reason Smith has acquired such accolades as being named the winner of the Samuel Adams Comedy Competition, performing at the Montreal Comedy Festival where organizers included him in three different showcases: New Faces, Danger Zone and the Nasty Show.

The Friday Night Live series continues on Nov. 19 with comedian Mike Birbiglia. The show begins at 7 p.m. in Vandenberg Dining Center and is open to all OU students and guests.

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