



# *Calm before the Snowdown*

Whether it be coffee, tea, chai, smoothie or whatever other beverage one chooses to sip over a quiet conversation, now is the time to do so. It is the calm before the longer-than-normal storm of Snowdown. Soon our lattes will switch to cocktails, and our tea pots into pint glasses. Whispers will be shouts, and conversations will be exciting plans. Of course, not everyone has to partake. Folks can still sip tea and coffee in their favorite downtown venues – with the added benefit of some extra entertaining people watching. And if all the wackiness is not your cup of tea, you can always take your cup to go.



Cyle Talley and Jacob Brooks in deep conversation over tea.



Mike Sibalski pours an herbal for tea time.



Brian Morgan left and Alisa Hjermsstad talk science over beers.



A pour-over coffee made to order.