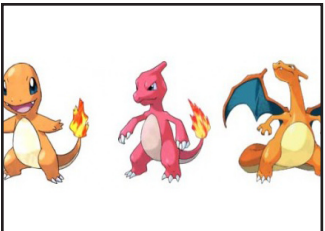




## HEADLINES



Photographers Owe One Thousand Words to Stanford For Every Picture Taken



Historians Discover Darwin's True Theory of Evolution

Hi Students! If you like the Flipside, please vote for our petition for Special Fees. The total cost to you is \$2.07/year, and hopefully we entertain you for a few minutes each week. The petition is at <http://petitions.stanford.edu/petitions/flipside-Thanks,FlipsideStaff>

## Flipside Requests "Segway" In Special Fees Budget

This past Sunday marked the deadline for student groups to submit their Special Fee budgets and Declarations of Intent. This can mean only one thing: get your SUIDs ready and inboxes cleared, because petitioning season is about to start.

Among the most notable budgets was that of the Flipside, which requested \$14,400 for, among other things, a Segway. According to Helga Weaver, the Flipside's Financial Officer, the Segway will be used in fulfillment of MyGroups Events 04361--Distribution and 04362--Fun.



Flipside President Barney Schmutz said, "Well at first, we didn't want a Segway, but when the Appropriations Committee said our initial budget was 'too reasonable' to be considered under Special Fees, we decided to make some changes."

While other groups are going through extensive laundering chains to buy beer with students' money under "Discretionary Funds," the Flipside is very direct about the Segway that it will be purchasing.

From the Flipside Editorial board, we encourage you to go find the "Segways" in other group's budgets.

## Nation's Hipsters Now Unsure How They Feel About Arcade Fire



In the wake of Arcade Fire's "The Suburbs" winning album of the year at this year's Grammys, the nation's hipster community is reeling as it is forced to reevaluate its opinion of the former indie darlings. Since the release of 2004's "Funeral," Arcade Fire has been a favorite of hipster critics, hipster bloggers and hipster music fans alike. But some fear that recognition from the music business establishment is a sign that the band has gone too mainstream or, in the words of popular culture blog Ironic Fixed-Gear Bicycle Tattoo, "become another concubine in the whore-house of corporate America." Another reviewer added that where the band's previous albums contained "beautiful and affected sprawling pop melodies," "The Suburbs" consists of "over-produced, grandiose bubblegum pop." However, it should be noted that although divided on the legitimacy of the band, the hipster community still prefers Arcade Fire's earlier work. (Doherty)

## IBM's Watson Wins Jeopardy, Now To Appear on Dancing With the Stars

After dominating the human contestants on Jeopardy, IBM's Watson has been invited to appear on Dancing with the Stars. Impressed with Watson's question answering abilities, viewers are excited to see Watson try its hand at dancing.

"I am very excited to participate," Watson said in his nerdy, monotone computer voice. "I know a lot about dancing from YouTube videos."

People everywhere are skeptical that Watson will be able to dance like a human, especially since it has no arms or legs.

"Lack of body parts shouldn't stop it," said IBMer Randy Crowley. "People always underestimate the ability of computers, and we are here to prove them wrong. Watson has access to how-to guides and can torrent movies like 'Mamma Mia!' Watson will learn to be the best dancer in no time."

People on both sides of the argument are excited, nonetheless. No word on who its partner will be, but frontrunners are ENIAC, C3P0 and Rosie from the Jetsons. (Galant)

## Michelle Forgets Presidents' Day Again

Another Presidents' Day, and more disappointment in Washington. Insiders have told the Flipside that this is the third year in a row that Michelle has neglected that one special day for her husband. "I've just been so busy giving talks and attending conferences," Michelle said, "that Presidents' Day just slipped my mind. I promise I won't let it happen again next year." Obama has told the press that he isn't upset about it, but everyone kind of thinks he is.

## New Classes Announced For the Love Major

- LOVE 57: What is Love? (Baby Don't Hurt Me)
- LOVE 101: Self-Love
- LOVE 103: Introduction to Theoretical Love
- LOVE 143: Puppy Love
- HIST 154: When a Man Loves a Woman
- CHEM 183: Brewing Love Potions
- PHIL 192: Platonic Love
- MED 231: Love Sickness
- ATHLETIC 93: Falling in Love
- ME 303: Making Love

# THE FLIPSIDE PUZZLE CHALLENGE IS NOW ONLINE!

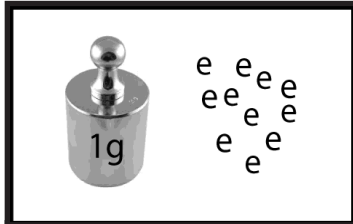
Go to [stanfordflipside.com](http://stanfordflipside.com) to submit your answers to the puzzle challenge. The first solver will win a Flipside shot glass!

Last week's winner: **Najja Kossally**

QUOTE: "This is the downfall of humanity." -Graduate Student Council member on the Special Fees process

## REBUS PUZZLES

Can you guess the common word or phrase portrayed below?



last week's answers: BUD LIGHT, AFTERNOON DELIGHT, FIRST DATE, SPICE GIRLS

## NUMBERS

**\$2.07**

The cost to support the Flipside for Special Fees. Also less than half the cost of a Jamba Juice smoothie. Well, Jamba Juice is pretty good, so if you just get Jamba Juice, we understand.

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## CRYPTOGRAM CHALLENGE

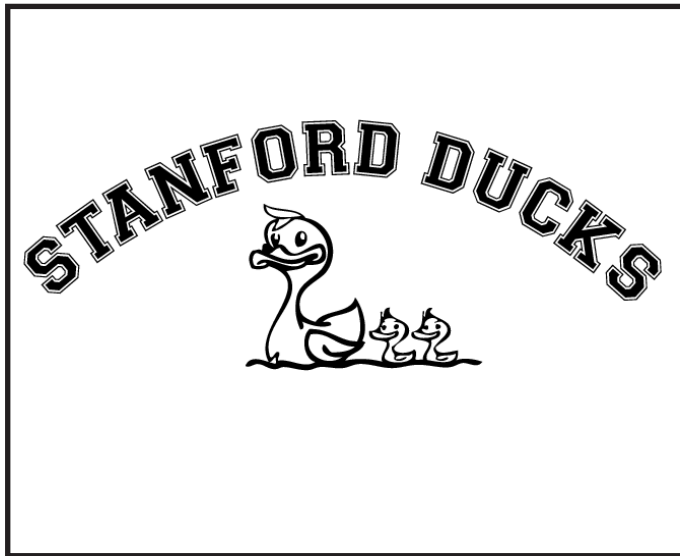
This is a simple substitution code. Each letter is replaced by a different letter. Try to decode the message or quote below. HINT P = N

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LU WP VLPNRC KWP. -MNLGMN ZWRVOPMCLP

LAST WEEK'S ANSWER: LOVE IS MUCH NICER TO BE IN THAN AN AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENT, A TIGHT GIRDLE, A HIGHER TAX BRACKET OR A HOLDING PATTERN OVER PHILADELPHIA. -JUDITH VIORST

## FLIPSIDE TSHIRT

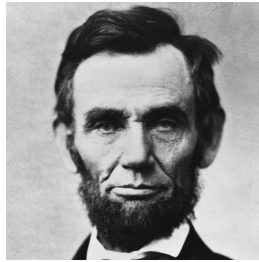
Each week we will feature the design of a limited edition t-shirt for \$5. This weeks design is available on a white shirt in all sizes. Find someone on the Flipside, or contact [flipside@stanford.edu](mailto:flipside@stanford.edu) to purchase. Stanford Flipside on the back.



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## JUMBLE

Unscramble these four ordinary jumbles, and use the letters in circles to answer the final question.



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LAST WEEK'S ANSWERS: HONEY, DATED, SUITOR, FLOWER what they called the totally awesome organ SWEET HEART

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