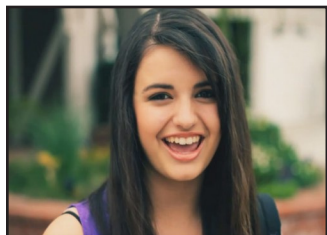




HEADLINES



Student's Social Life Completely Reinvigorated by Quirky New Haircut



Rebecca Black Releases Official Rebecca Black Parody Parody Parody Parody Parody Parody

UNIVERSITY CHANGES MASCOT BACK TO THE STANFORD JEW

After many years with the mascot of the Cardinal, the University Athletic Organizational Committee has decided to return the mascot back to its origins. The school will now be referred to as the Stanford Jew, bringing back with it the old mascot "Morty the Jew."

Morty, whose costume, has been in storage for over thirty years, has a long gray beard, a wad of cash, and extremely large horns. He is well known for dancing the hora after touchdowns and not jumping as high as other mascots.

Students around campus have been ecstatic with praise on the switch back to the Stanford Jew. In the week since the announcement, fans at basketball games have



Morty says 'Go Stanford! Go Jew! Hook 'em horns!'

brought back the traditional 'hook-em horns' hand signal, and have been loudly chanting "Go Jew!" in Maples Arena.

With the mascot change, Tree Week will now be replaced with Jew

Week. To become the next Stanford Jew, students must perform a series of stunts such as not eating bread for 8 days or cutting off part of their penis.

Jews have had a mixed response to the mascot change. Many Jews feel that Morty is not representative of all Jews, and would prefer if the mascot was changed from the singular "Jew" to the plural "Jews."

Many Jews around campus have applauded the mascot change. "I just love going to basketball games and hearing people saying, 'Go Jew!' It feels like they are chanting for me. And I make sure to bring my horns to the game." (Keshin)

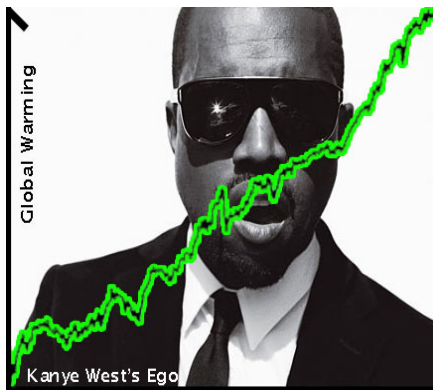
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Flipside Staff Member Shell-Shocked to Find She's Been Writing For a Satirical Newspaper

Flipside Staff member Penelope Peterson first learned Sunday that she was writing for a satirical newspaper, and not an actual newspaper. "You mean, this is all a joke!?" Penelope exclaimed when she heard the news. Apparently, Penelope had missed all of the satire, and had taken the news stories at face value. Distraught, Ms. Peterson asked, "You mean a hobbit colony wasn't discovered under the engineering quad? I made care packages. I was going to go over there and deliver them."

As the realization sunk in, Ms. Peterson began to question how she has spent the past ten weeks of her life. All of those articles she wrote about the plight of paraplegic albino dwarves, did people think they were jokes? The dozens of hours that she spent researching in the library for her article demonstrating a correlation between global warming and the size of Kanye West's ego... was all that effort for nothing?

Today, Penelope Peterson is a lost soul. She feels as if there is no meaning in life. She has nightmares that her entire life is just one long episode of Candid Camera. She is afraid Ashton Kutcher is going to jump out from behind every corner and yell "You've



The Flipside has recently demonstrated a direct correlation between Kanye West's ego and greenhouse gas levels

been Punk'd Bitch!" A condition known as Kushtophobia (not really, but that's the point). The Flipside feels bad for the former reporter, who according to the editor, "Wrote some of the funniest shit I have ever seen in my life." Doctors say that there isn't much that can be done to improve Ms. Peterson's condition, but columnist Barney Schmutz, a licensed fake-psychiatrist, has pinky-promised that he will take care of her. (Hefter)

Stanford Sophomore Agonizes Over Seat Choice

ANNENBERG AUDITORIUM- At approximately 8:28 AM on Friday, March 18th, sophomore Daniel Kronin found himself in a conundrum. After waking up at 7 AM, Kronin took time to be fresh, go down the stairs of Crothers Memorial Hall, and have his bowl and cereal at Stern Dining.

This long process caused him to arrive at Annenberg for his Econ 1A final with just two minutes to spare. Unfortunately, all of the seats in the auditorium were filled except for one seat in the middle of the room. After weighing his options and agonizing over the decision for at least 15 or 20 seconds, Kronin sat down in the one empty seat.

When asked by a slew of reporters after the test, Kronin described his thoughts on the situation as follows:

"Well, I could see that it was kickin' in the front row, but there was no space there. I saw there were people sittin' in the back row too. I mean, to be honest, there was only one seat in the whole auditorium, but I wanted to make sure I thoroughly contemplated the pros and cons before choosing it."

When asked what he thought of the final exam, Kronin replied, "It was fun, fun, fun, fun, and now I'm lookin' forward to the weekend." Kronin is now a YouTube sensation and is touring the country inspiring kids to make good decisions. (Karpas)

THE FLIPSIDE PUZZLE CHALLENGE IS NOW ONLINE!

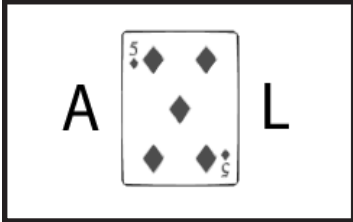
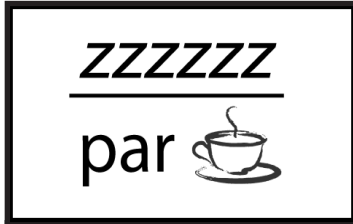
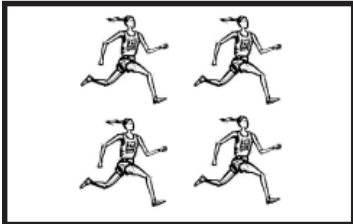
Go to stanfordflipside.com to submit your answers to the puzzle challenge. The first solver will win a Flipside shot glass!

Last week's winner: Ian Graham

QUOTE: "You know what they say. Once you go Rebecca Black..."

REBUS PUZZLES

Can you guess the common word or phrase portrayed below?



last week's answers: NIGHTINGALE, ANCHORMAN, CANINE TEETH, INTUITION

NUMBERS

236 million

The number of minutes wasted by the global population watching the Rebecca Black "Friday" video. This is millions of dollars of productivity lost, and millions of minutes we could have spent doing something useful, like twiddling our thumbs or staring at a wall.

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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 S = O

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LAST WEEK'S ANSWER: AN ERROR DOES NOT BECOME TRUTH BY REASON OF MULTIPLIED PROPAGATION, NOR DOES TRUTH BECOME ERROR BECAUSE NOBODY SEES IT. -MOHANDAS GANDHI

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 to purchase. Stanford Flipside on the back. This week you have the option to get a shirt that has your favorite two consecutive days on it, and have your own personal meme!



The Stanford Flipside is a weekly satirical newsletter. Our stories are fictional, but we make jokes about real issues. Our goal is not to offend you, but to make you laugh and to reframe our world to point out the absurdities. Anyone is free to join the Flipside, and we would love to have you! We meet Tuesdays at 9pm to brainstorm. Contact flipside@stanford.edu for more information.

JUMBLE

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



LAST WEEK'S ANSWERS: PUNTS, LAUGH, CYPHER, RETAIL what they called the museum full of legumes PEANUT GALLERY

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