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HEADLINES



Stanford Med School Isolates The Douche Gene



Herman Cain Opens For Maroon 5 At Ford Center

"Spider Scare" Brings US House to a Standstill

WASHINGTON, DC--Last week, amidst heated debate over Obama's Jobs bill, the United States House of Representatives shut down after Rep. Charles Rangel (D-NY) saw a spider. "We were debating Obama's Jobs Bill, when all of a sudden we see Chuck just go ballistic," said Paul Ryan (R-WI). "He yelled out 'SPIDER!' jumped on top of his desk, and refused to move. I didn't even think the guy could move that fast."

Following Rangel's initial outburst, the House shut down for 45 minutes as a bipartisan group of Representatives led by Speaker of the House John Boehner attempted to track down the disruptive spider. As the group commenced their search, numerous House Democrats reportedly reached



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across the aisle in order to avoid the threatening spider, a reaction that has been criticized by many House Republicans.

"This just shows how weak the Democrats are when it comes to security," said House Majority Leader Eric Cantor. "At the first

sign of trouble, they run over to the Republicans for help. Let me tell you—if the spider had been seen by a Republican, this scare would have been over before it began. I would've taken off my shoe and squashed it right then and there."

While the bipartisan group of representatives, now called the "Spider Hunters," was unable to find the threatening spider, group members were able to coax Rep. Rangel down from his desk and managed to convince almost all of the House Democrats to return to their seats. The House eventually returned to business, though many house members report that representatives on both sides of the aisle remained jittery and distracted for the remainder of the day. (Adler)

Math Student Finds Real Analysis Much Less Interesting After Getting Action

Sources report that sophomore Nathan Kingston, child prodigy and math aficionado, has lost significant interest in the arcane processes behind real analysis after getting some action at Sigma Nu last Friday night.

"Basically, I'm the shit now," a confident Kingston told the Flipside, scratching his balls nonchalantly. "For a while, my ascension through the

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world of math was all that mattered to me. But after grinding with some drunk chick on Friday night, I realized that the world of higher math just isn't that interesting."

Not all are happy with this sudden change of events, however.



A math problem, no longer as interesting.

Professor Leon Simon recently lamented Kingston's sudden change of life direction: "It's a pity that the department's going to lose such a talented mathematician," said Simon, "but of course I understand that getting action is not always conducive to studying theoretical math. Kingston will be sorely missed, but at least I can take solace in the fact that this almost never happens." (Foucart)

Students With 10 Loyalty Points Pissed You Only Needed 4 Points For Oregon Game



Even though the Cardinal lost to the Ducks, students are still up in arms about the number of loyalty points required to enter the game.

"It's fucking bullshit," bitched Steven Palmer, a holder of 10 loyalty points. "I went to everything. Women's volleyball. Men's soccer. Even the San Jose State football game."

Steven and many other

students expressed their aggravation this week about how much unnecessary work they did.

"I really feel like it cheapens what I've done," said Sophomore Haley Hendricks, looking at her 11 loyalty points in despair. "I worked so hard, and I feel like I deserve a higher priority than students with just 5 points." (Galant)



WANTED: ONE NIGHT STAND

Preferably white, with thin legs and stylish curves. Should be about waist-high. Won't mind holding stacks of books, dirty dishes, and an alarm clock. Swedish design preferred. (Vassar)

ENTER THE FLIPSIDE PUZZLE CHALLENGE!

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QUOTE: "Fuck it, we're going back to being an academic school." - President Hennessy after Stanford's loss to Oregon

REBUS PUZZLES

Can you guess the common word or phrase portrayed below?



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The score of the 113th annual Stanford vs. Cal Big Apples to Apples contest. Cal had a strong lead early on after playing “Hiroshima, 1945” for “Bright” and “Giant Squid” for “Unusual.” However, Cal fumbled their deck in the second half, allowing Stanford to take possession of the coveted “Helen Keller” card and surge ahead in the “Touchy-Feely” round.

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last week's answers: RADIOHEAD, TIPTOED, FISH OUT OF WATER, INTO THE WOODS

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 O = N

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AKO SUU YGQ YKHQ, RJN AJO'Y EQY SORYGKOE JNY JC KY; GSLKOE BJHQ
YJNEG UJBBQB FSO WQ VQSUUR KHDJVYSOY. -SOXVQA BGNQ

LAST WEEK'S ANSWER: I HAVE COME TO BELIEVE THAT A GREAT TEACHER IS A GREAT ARTIST AND THAT THERE ARE AS FEW AS THERE ARE ANY OTHER GREAT ARTISTS. -JOHN STEINBECK

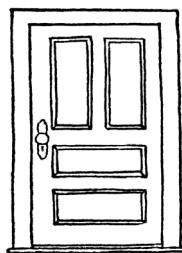
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I'm the most modest person in the world

JUMBLE

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



WHAT THEY SAID TO THE GOOD WILL HUNTING ACTOR AT THE DOOR

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MUTOCS

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A diagram showing two rows of circles. The top row has 7 circles, and the bottom row has 6 circles, illustrating a 7x6 grid.

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LAST WEEK'S ANSWERS: ARRAY RUNGS VERITY FAUCET what the parent melodies had to do when their child's legs got too tired CARRY A TUNE

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