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Student Gets Concussion From Locker Room Door Backswing



Source of Low Attendance Problems Identified: DHS Just Never Has School



Janitors Celebrate the Recent Blackhawks Upswing, Upgrade to Zambonis



Are you on Student Council and want to prove to everyone that you're a better member than they are? Are you not on Student Council but wish you were? Are you the majority of the school that isn't on Student Council and could care less? Either way, you should join the Operation H.O.M.E. effort this Sunday to get involved in the community. And if you can believe it, Student Council doesn't want money from you: just your time and philanthrophy. Seriously though, you should do Operation H.O.M.E.

Information About New Oscar Categories Leak to Public

By Trixie McGuff

As 2012 continues to move along at a snail's pace, we find ourselves in the boring month of February, which can only mean one thing: awards season. With shows such as

the overly-showy Grammy's, the Golden Globes and the Golden-Globe wannabe SAG awards, there are a plethora of exciting award opportunities, but none are quite as prestigious as the all-time favorite Academy Awards

Dear old Oscar is awarded to thespians who dazzle in the movies that came out during the previous year. They have

been a prized tradition for years, but the number of viewers has been dwindling in past years. And now that The Voice is on at the same time, producers are worried that they will lose their prime-time spot and will have to resort to being on after the Puppy Bowl.

With this in mind, the Academy has decided to add nearly 20 new categories to the already long list of possibilities. Among these are Best Performance by an Animal, Best Use of the Song "I Gotta Feeling" and Best Movie Starring Brad Pitt. Producers are hopeful that these new categories will draw in enough viewers to secure their air spot for years to come. "We are hoping that viewers of The People's Choice

Awards and dumb, I mean, inventive awards shows like that will begin to watch The Oscars starting this year. Also, to pull viewers from The Voice, we will be forcing actors to sing while celebrity judges Jennifer Love Hewitt and Kevin Federline listen to them blindfolded. It's a must-see event!"

Another novel addition to the Oscars is the introduction of categories involving the worst performances. These include Worst Fake Fighting, Worst

Cameo Appearance by a Washed Up Celebrity and Worst Movie Starring Brad Pitt.

"The Oscars promise to be really fun this year!" says "celebrity" guest Kevin Federline. "Also, I am using it as a launchpad for my modeling career. You are welcome, America."

If all else fails, though, the Oscars will just pay Nicki Minaj a bunch of money to perform an exorcism on stage. Let's face it, who needs good singing when you have cool costumes and flashing bright lights?



"When in Doubt, Poop It Out," Says Unidentified Student

By Pip Wootergotten

About week and a half ago, a student innocently headed for the M-Hall boy's bathroom. However, that lucky student was met with none other than a shoe full of poop a few steps outside of the bathroom doors. Which means, yes, someone decided to drop a deuce in the middle of the

hallway during the middle of a school day. Whether you believe it or not, this is not a joke: someone actually did poop in front of the bathroom, and someone actually did step in it (ask Mrs. Gorman's 6th period theater class if you don't believe us). So, though it was difficult, *The Flipside* attempted to come up with a few possible reasons as to why someone would do this. They are as follows:

1. The anonymous pooper just gets a thrill out of pooping in public. Plain and simple.
2. The dingleberry dropper wanted to let DHS know how he felt about it, and used his 11:34 bathroom break as inspiration.
3. The brown bandit was taking a stand against the investors on Wall Street by showing us what would happen if we couldn't afford toilets. Point made.
4. The defecating demon was triple-dog

dared to do it. Everyone knows you can't say no to a triple-dog dare.

5. The squatting scoundrel was ambushed by not only a pair of laxatives in his Fig Newtons, but a belt thief in

his 3rd period gym class.
6. The fecal felon accidentally mistook "Bro, there's a lot of hoopla outside Ms. Shah's math room" for "Go poop outside the M-Hall bathroom."

While we are crossing our fingers for number three, we'll never know unless we find out who did it. If the person who did it is reading this right now, we are always open to letters to the editor. But until the day will come when the toilet traitor has been identified, watch where you step.

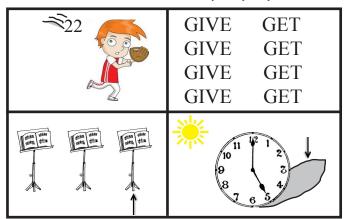


THE FLIPSIDE CRYPTOGRAM CHALLENGE: Solve the Cryptogram, write down your name, and then find and give your copy of *The Flipside* to Maddie Ambrose. There will be a drawing to see who will win a sweet *Flipside* t-shirt!

QUOTE "Aw man, I thought we'd get Skrillex for Turnabout after that sick performance by DJ Flipside."
-DJ Tic Tac doubter

REBUS PUZZLES

Can you guess the common word or phrase portrayed below?



Last issue's answers: FEBREZE, ORPHAN, SPIRAL, LONG HAUL

INFOGRAPHIC

Reasons Why the Weather's Been So Warm

- -no cold front can break through the Deerfield bubble
- -the new plastic M&M containers in the cafeteria have been expelling too many fossil fuels into the atmosphere
- -my Bubbie called Mother Nature and complained that she was cold
- -Nova HP has been such a hot spot lately

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: B=T

Congratulations to last issue's winner: Danny Verb

"WYZR FR VJLMB, CXOZ X PJJS JP GJLDUZSP. BYZDZ FU X CFQDJUQJEFQXSSG BYFR SFRZ MZBWZZR

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BYZ YZSS, SZXE." ~QGRBYFX YZFCZS

Last issue's answer: "A CELEBRITY IS A PERSON WHO WORKS HARD ALL OF THEIR LIFE TO BECOME WELL KNOWN, THEN WEARS DARK GLASS-ES TO AVOID BEING RECOGNIZED." ~FRED A. ALLEN

SUDOKU

LEVEL: Calculating someone's age who was born on Leap Day

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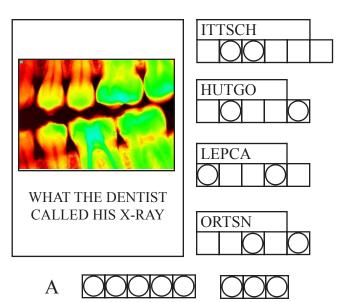
NOTE: All names and stories are fictional, unless public figures are being satirized. Remember, these are all jokes.

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JUMBLE

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



Last issue's answers: HINTED, TRAIN, COINED, MONEY When Friday comes before Thursday: IN THE DICTIONARY

The Flipside is always looking for new writers, puzzle makers, and distributors. E-mail us if you're interested. Really, we want your help.