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#### S.W.A.T. Training A Real Slap in the Face



Student Goes
Straight To
Wikipedia After
Long Librarian
Speech



#### Kids These Days By a Grumpy Old Man

Kids these days. Those little rats are out of control. With them headphones in their ears, texting on their mobile phones, playing with their Wii's. Just makes me sick. When I was a kid, I walked uphill both ways to school. And it was always snowing.

All the kids of today are scoundrels. Rascals. They buy pants with holes in them already! What a waist of money. When I got holes in my trousers, it was only after I ran ten miles to the grocery store and twenty miles back. Now you've got the internets. We didn't have 'em back in my day. No siree.

Everything was in black and white, as you can see when watching a movie from the good old days. Now, everything is in color. Kids just take it for granted that they live in a world with color. And Ti-83s.

Those punks who don't understand overalls, who can't tell a chisel plow from a seed drill, think they can make it all better with Grandparent's Day! When I was a kid, there was no Grandparent's Day because they didn't immigrate with us. The only time my grandparents used books is when they needed more kindling for the fire.

Don't get me started on this here "Fantasy Football." We either played football ourselves or listened to it on the brandspanking new radio doodad. We didn't live vicariously through other people's lives, escaping reality through the superficial underpinning of another man's life, thereby claiming success that the individual did in no way influence. No, the only thing we fantasized about was Rita Hayworth. Dog gonnit, you kids just make me sick.

## 75 Sophomore Girls Dye Their Hair to Express Individuality By George Minkowski

DEERFIELD, IL— Leaves are not the only thing changing colors this fall. The hair color of approximately seventy- five sophomore girls is changing too.

What is causing this metamorphosis? Individuality.

These brave girls who dare to be different set an example for how students everywhere should say no to conformity and dye their hair.

"I don't want to be like everyone else," says Blair Mills, who recently dyed her hair 'fire red with black highlights.' "People who walk around with their natural hair are just conforming to a stupid standard of being similar and stuff. Really, everyone should dye their hair."

Blair is certainly not the only one with this unique view. 75 is only the number of girls with dyed hair in the sophomore

class at DHS. The entire school has an estimated 200 students with artificially colored hair. With colors ranging from 'Atomic Tangerine' to 'Violent Violet', each individual is more individual than the last.

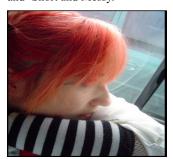
"Be yourself and dye your hair," Carrie Ramsey tells Flipside reporters. "Tell your friends that you are different and special in your own way. Do it."

Carrie also points out that her hair is 'Orange Peel Orange' and not 'Pumpkin Orange' like Raven Warrick's hair.

Even some faculty members are joining in on the fun.
English teacher Loretta
Williamson is one of these individuals. "No, I'm not doing it because my students are doing this. I'm doing it because I want to. And besides, how many students do you know with Razzmatazz colored hair?" Mrs.

Williamson asks. "That's right. I'm one of a kind."

Many individuals are also cutting their hair in unique ways. In fact, in the past two months, DHS has seen a 24% increase in vintage haircuts such as 'The Rachael from Friends' and 'Short and Messy.'



"Everyone should cut their own hair," senior Madeline Hapsburg. "Going to a hair salon is pretty much saying, 'I'm like everyone else.' Just cut your hair. Do it."

### Don't You Forget About Me By: George Bush

Won't you come see about me? I only have one friend, and his name is Dick Cheney

Tell me your troubles and doubts And I'll give you everything inside out

I'll probably choose to keep you in the dark

Like when I told you Iraq would be a walk in the park

Obama's change may pull us together

But don't forget how I pulled us apart, baby

Don't You Forget About Me Don't Don't Don't Don't Don't You Forget About Me

Will you recognize my legacy? Give me a library or walk on by Approval rate keeps falling, approval rate keeps falling Down, down, down

Don't you forget about me I'll be alone, crying in my circle office

If only I had four more years I'll put this country back together at heart, baby

Don't You Misunderestimate Me Don't Don't Don't Don't Don't You Misunderestimate Me

As I walk out of office Will you call my name? As I go back to my ranch Will you find someone else to blame? When I walk awayyyyyy

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Or will you walk away? And leave that child behind?

La la la...

When you picked me over Kerry I can't believe you called my name... Mission accomplished

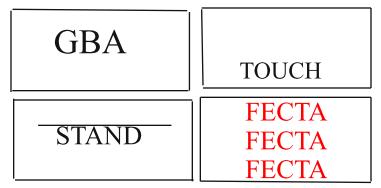
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"This year is kind of lame." The general feeling of the forgotten, forgettable sophomore class.

#### PICTURE THIS

HOMEMADE REBUS PUZZLE:

Can you guess the common word or phrase portrayed below?



Last week's answers: Read herring, Outcast, Nationwide, Flip-flopper

#### NUMBERS: 17

The average number of made up facts per Flipside, often including the fact section. This number is also made up. However, the truth is what you believe. I hope you did not believe the free ice cream at Baskin Robins promotion. It was actually at Ben and Jerry's. My bad. My bad.

#### FACT:

Barack Obama's favorite song is Changes by David Bowe. Throughout his life, Obama has always turned and faced the strange, such as Sarah Palin. At the very least, we can all admit Obama loves ch-ch-change.

#### LIE:

The ball never lies. This, of course, is not true. The ball lies whenever it does not bounce your way.

DIRECTIONS: This is a simple substitution code, each letter is replaced by a different letter. The first CRYPTOGRAM CHALLENGE person to solve the cryptogram correctly will win a Flipside t-shirt! (first means first to see Sam Block to redeem shirt)

HINT: F = D

LAST WEEK'S WINNER: Jake Brown that means, that if there is any of the first letter, replace it with the second letter

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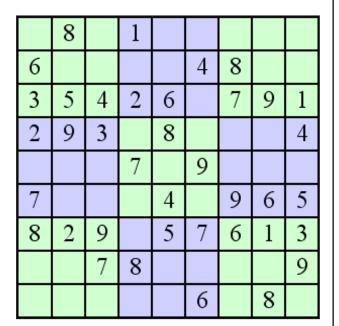
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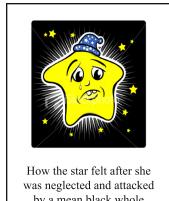
Last week's answer: "An election is coming. Universal peace is declared and the foxes have a sincere interest in prolonging the lives of the poultry." T.S. Elliot

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Level: We're back



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

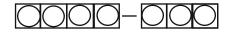


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last week: LUSTY EXERT SPRING ABORTS What the unsocial politician told his wife I still refuse to cross PARTY LINES