

Student Receives 37 on Prairie State ACT, Dream School Doesn't Accept Score

By Orson Scott Card

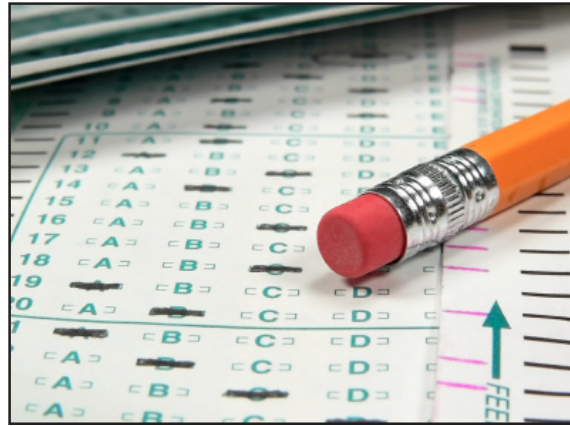
High school junior Will S. Cohr received the world's first 37 on the ACT after a stroke of luck and a full hour of sucking up to the proctor. However, the unbelievable score has proved to be completely useless due to the fact that Cohr's dream school, Wilson University, refused to accept the 37 without the writing score. School officials are not concerned that Cohr's dreams are crushed and think that writing isn't important anymore because robots will start writing student's papers anyway.

The path to the now null 37 was not easy; Cohr had a very unorthodox schedule for preparing for his ACT test. He does something called "studying." Cohr says "Studying is this thing where I look on Wikipedia to learn everything." This practice has been taken up by other people who are currently in the 36 Club—DHS students everyone likes. In addition to studying, Cohr uses a "correctly dosed" "prescription" of Adderall as "stated" by his "doctor." Cohr gave us this statement when responding to the possible illegality of the drug, "This drug isn't, OMG a butterfly. Oh wait, it's just Chuck Testa." In addition to the Adderall, Cohr gets an

fers from ADD, while the national average at high schools is only 3%. Cohr attributes the fact to "those super boring Shakespeare books we read in class. We all just SparkNotes it when we go home, anyway."

Cohr clearly worked very hard for his 37, and everyone was sorely disappointed when they heard it wouldn't count. "Sucks for him," said fellow junior Louis Mills, who then began a rant about why he should get extended time too because he thinks he's allergic to Scantrons.

Although the much adored 36 Club sits atop the social pyramid at DHS, the co-vice president's executive assistant Jacqueline Poussin of the "extras" committee, has a positive outlook on her college prospects. "I might have only gotten a 28 on my ACT, but I'll just make it up with new extra-curricular clubs." She recently created "The 99% (of the school that is the top 1% of the country club), which meets



every other leap year if the groundhog sees its shadow. Such prestigious clubs are backed by the Athletics Department where creativity can flourish and numbers aren't everything. Wilson University disagrees. Head of Admissions, Dr. Jack Mehoff, issued a statement saying, "If numbers aren't everything, someone would have Tweeted it."

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additional three hours of time to finish the test because he is "unable to focus." Just like in the real world, people like Cohr get extended deadlines and tax breaks because they suffer from Attention Deficit Disorder. A surprising 20% of DHS suf-

Flipside Readers,

We would like to apologize for the meme used in the last issue, especially to those who took personal offense to it. The image was not intended to stereotype any races, and it was chosen only because the text of the meme related to the text of the article. Our hope is to offer you humor that can be enjoyed by the entire student body, and we hope that the image does not taint your view of *The Flipside* and what *The Flipside* represents. If you feel uncomfortable about what is being written, do not hesitate to contact us.

-The *Flipside* Staff

Outbreak of Senioritis Worries Doctors, Teachers at DHS

By Elodin

A recent epidemic has caused panic among medical professionals at DHS. An unprecedented number of cases of Senioritis, a dangerous disease which can be deadly to the GPA, have been reported among lower classmen.

Terry Gillsman, a school nurse and therefore an expert in all fields of maladies detectable with a basic thermometer, told the *Flipside* why this is such a cause for concern: "Senioritis, like chickenpox, is a disease which can have dramatically different effects on victims of different ages. Among second semester seniors, it is relatively harmless

because they have usually built up immunity to high school grades by being accepted into college. But for underclassmen, it can destroy their school life, critically impacting the GPA and transcript, sometimes lethally so."

The disease is highly contagious; it can spread within

a social group in a matter of minutes. Much like the flu, it is most often carried on the air along with words like "why are you doing that essay, you already got into college." Because of this, many cases have been quarantined in an effort to prevent the disease from spreading further.

Max Bunch, a junior diagnosed with Senioritis earlier this month, told reporters from within a plastic bubble, "honestly, I don't really care. I mean, it's just high school. I'm too busy to do schoolwork anyway." Max proceeded to finish the campaign mode of Call of Duty for the twelfth time that day.

With the disease on the rise, doctors are urging preventative action. It is recommended that students do their homework regularly and constantly stress about the future: college,

career, anything to prevent the disease from taking root. Wash your hands of all thoughts of a social life regularly and cover your mouth when you complain about teachers assigning unfair amounts of work; realize that it's for your own good.



Here's a shout-out to the guy with dreads who rapped for a solid three hours straight at Post Prom.

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QUOTE "Now that I've gone to Prom, written my will, and done my handprint, I think I'm ready to graduate."
--Senior who still hasn't taken AP tests

REBUS PUZZLES

Can you guess the common word or phrase portrayed below?

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Last issue's answers: BOTTOM LINE, MANGO, 3 UP 3 DOWN, INTUITION

INFOGRAPHIC

What To Do If Someone Has the Same Prom Dress As You

- Avoid her the entire night (unless you look better in it)
- Take a picture with her because that makes it so much less awkward
- Hack her Facebook and crop her out of all of her Prom pictures
- Rip it off when she's not looking
- Be passive-aggressive: smile when she looks at you and give her dirty looks the rest of the night. I mean honestly, who gives her the right to wear your dress?

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=Y

Congratulations to last issue's winner: Michael Schraiber

"LM'B TDTRLVE MJTM MJX TDCAVM CH VXSB MJTM JTQXXVB LV MJX SCUWN XIXUF NTF
TWSTFB PABM XGTYMWF HLMB MJX VXSBQTQXU." ~PXUUF BXLVHXWN

Last issue's answer: "YOU HAVE TO STAY IN SHAPE. MY GRANDMOTHER, SHE STARTED WALKING FIVE MILES A DAY WHEN SHE WAS SIXTY. SHE'S NINETY-SEVEN TODAY AND WE DON'T KNOW WHERE THE HELL SHE IS." --ELLEN DEGENERES

SUDOKU

LEVEL: Having to wait three more months for Lollapalooza

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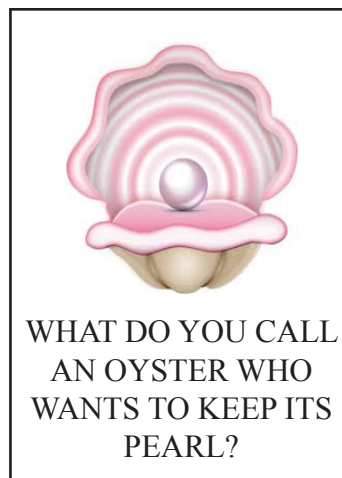
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JUMBLE

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



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Last issue's answers: LAUGH, HYPHEN, SHEER, PILOT
What you get if you cross a hippo, an elephant, and a rhino: HELEPHINO!

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