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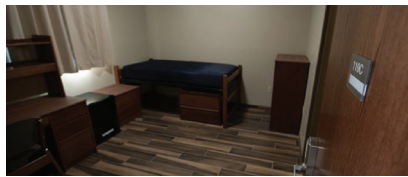
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Op-ed: I deserve veteran's benefits for my service in the culture war



I've met every boy at this university and not one of them has a headboard



Fascist mom makes son wear collar on Thanksgiving



Open letter to the reader: you doing anything Thursday?

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- My dad is a lawyer so I actually know a lot about **defamation**
- I'm so scared of the **Smoothie King** menu
- My favorite M&M is the **bisexual** one
- Every **bald** man wants their head **rubbed**
- **Pussy** so good he downloaded **Pinterest**

- When the homies roll, we bump **Alanis Morissette**
- This girl has great **stickers** on her laptop and she's just the **whole package** really
- Yo man, what's your stance on **blue lives?**
- The **dental** game is all political
- Macklemore's "**Same Love**" didn't make gay marriage legal but it definitely got the **ball rolling**
- If 50 year old men can get **colonoscopies**, they can get pegged
- I'm a **brand ambassador** for Big Tobacco
- I don't only stand with Israel, I also **stan Israel**

- **Kate** from John & Kate Plus Eight must've had that **crazy pussy**
- Where do I go to sell my **bone marrow**
- My dad was an **incel** in high school
- My mom keeps on telling me she was a **cheerleader** in high school like I get it you were **skinny**
- I don't think I'm ever going to **lose my virginity** because I hate losing
- Sometimes I think the way I treat men at **bars** is contributing to the **mass shooting epidemic**
- Glad we can bond over our dads liking **Michael Bloomberg**

THANKSGIVING FOODS THAT DOUBLE AS WEAPONS IN CASE THE CLASS WAR STARTS DURING DINNER

- 1) PASTA SALAD - CHEMICAL WARFARE
- 2) GRANDMA'S HEARING AID
- 3) A GUN IN THE STUFFING
- 4) THE WISHBONE (WISH FOR ONE OF YOUR FAMILY MEMBERS TO DIE)
- 5) BREAK ASSHOLE UNCLE'S TWO DECADE SOBRIETY SPELL BY SPIKING HIS APPLE JUICE WITH DAD'S WHISKEY
- 6) MY LACTAID

Jimmy Fallon goes back to college and gets no Pussy

AUSTIN — Last week, popular comedian and late night host Jimmy Fallon came to the University of Texas and got absolutely zero pussy. The Tonight Show star completely took over campus with tapings, pranks, and motivational speeches but ultimately, nothing proved fruitful for Fallon. “Although we did a lot, we even brought Gucci Mane.... nothing really happened and Fallon and his team told us all that we failed,” said RTF senior Melody Richards, one of Fallon’s PAs. “The other PAs and I were really confused. I didn’t know we could fail at something like this. And then we started thinking, why was Jimmy Fallon even here?” This September, Fallon announced on his program that he and his show would be going on a “college tour” across the United States in an effort to establish a more youthful audience. But Melody and the other production assistants don’t buy it. “At first we thought this was just classic Fallon – going to college campuses is quirky. But we slowly realized maybe he had an ulterior motive when he would get sad that no cute girls were asking him to hang out after the events. It was even reported that he was willing to pay for students’ tuition if they’d fuck him? Gross. I’d still do it though,” said Zachary Hughes, another RTF student and production assistant. After it was reported that Jimmy Fallon didn’t get laid all week, he and his staffers abruptly left to the next college. At press time, Fallon and his team were seen boarding a plane to Ann Arbor, Michigan.



Report: The Pope is an incel

THE VATICAN – Pope Francis has simply never had sex. Sure, we can attribute this to his status as the Pope. Or, we could attribute his status as the Pope to his inability to get any pussy. Let us investigate further.

Every year, a new horde of young men shun the pleasures of the material world in favor of entering the seminary and joining the Catholic priesthood. Though they may not admit it, each of these men hopes to become God’s most special priest: the Pope. But becoming the top dog of Catholicism is no easy feat. It takes a godly amount of discipline and self-restraint – the kind that the average man does not have. It takes an incel. Incels do not have to reject sex because sex has already rejected them.

Born Jorge Mario Bergoglio, the current Pope was once a lonely boy who was destined for a solitary life of 4chan, hating women, and being involuntarily celibate. This was all until he found the priesthood. By becoming a priest, he could completely rebrand himself as “Francis” and utilize his virginity to his own advantage. His rise through the ranks of Catholicism allowed him to hide in plain sight. Pope Francis was such an incel that he had no other choice but to becoming the biggest incel of all, the head of the Catholic church.

For folks like Pope Francis, it’s going to take a lot more than that sexy, white cap and a bitchin’ Mercedes to overcome inceldom. He was never going to get any, so he had no choice but to commit to the lifestyle and become the Pope.

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Study: The shape you're throwing your ass in is actually an ellipse

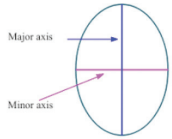


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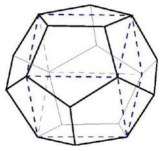


Figure 1.2

CAMBRIDGE – The Harvard Institute of Gluteal Motion has published a shocking study which asserts that most asses are not in fact thrown in a true circle. To conduct the study, researchers strapped inertial motion sensors to the hindquarters of forty-eight women with abnormally strong knees. They then asked subjects to “throw dat ass like it was their job” for 60 minutes. To stimulate participation, researchers sought to mimic the conditions in which ass-clapping occurs organically. They did this by offering participants tequila shots and playing Megan Thee Stallion’s discography on repeat. Also present were male confederates instructed to lurk on the participants, only attempting to engage with them periodically.

Analysis found that from the neutral position, subjects’ backsides reached a vertical peak of approximately 3.4 inches, while horizontal reach maxed out at about 1.6 inches. Thus, the subjects were actually throwing ass in a vertical ellipse (figure 1.1).

When isolating the study to Caucasian women, however, the results were drastically different. With the inability to activate any gluteal muscles correlated with rhythm,

white women’s twerk patterns most resembled a dodecahedron (figure 1.2).

While this study has falsified a cultural phrase we hold so dear to our hearts, it provides great clarity in terms of ass-clapping education. Forget circles: next time you’re at the club, make sure you’re throwing that ass in an ellipse.

Study: Skipping your lexapro once a week can remind you where you come from

NEW YORK – With the abrupt changing of the seasons, standard time creeping back into our lives, and the multitude of people suffering from seasonal affective disorder (aka SAD!), health care professionals in the area have done their research and finally arrived at a conclusion: skipping your lexapro once a week can remind you where you come from. “We’ve noticed that sometimes, SSRIs can work too well on our patients,” psychiatrist William MacIntyter said. “Every once in a while, people need to be reminded of their past traumas to keep themselves grounded.

Not to mention that if everyone that I prescribed used their medicine as directed, I’d be out of a job! Ha!” With millions of patients being told to skip their Lexapro weekly, the offices of mental health professionals are more packed than they’ve been in years, and most notably, the number of people attempting to do stand up comedy has spiked.



Op-ed: No, I won't watch your laptop



FAC – There I was: furiously typing away at my dumbass European history essay, sweat profusely dripping down my nose as the 11:59 p.m. deadline rapidly neared. Then, a shocking twist occurred as the worst imaginable type of person approached my PCL table. With painful naïveté written all over his face, this “Texas Science”-shirt-wearing, scuffed-AirPod-having freshman asked a question. That God forsaken question: “Will you watch my laptop while I go to the bathroom?” With 46 seconds left until the deadline, I had a grand epiphany. No! No, I wouldn’t watch his laptop! His, or anyone else’s ever again for that matter. The sheer audacity of such a request appalls me

... it shocks me to my very core. Anyone who is so bold as to ask a complete stranger to watch their laptop deserves either doxing or device stealing, whichever comes first. If you are truly so concerned with your 2011 Macbook’s wellbeing, take it with you while you take a coffee-induced shit on the sixth floor. Simple as that. And if you do have the gall to ask, I hope your victim finds the inner strength to just say no!

GOOD THINGS BILLIONAIRES DID



BILL GATES

- Only met with Jeffrey Epstein like twice
- Isn't running for president
- Made the porn industry accessible
- Gives away all his money but somehow also increases in net worth, probably magic



DAVID KOCH

- Died



MARK CUBAN

- Came up from a blue collar town with all the cards stacked against him
- Has had consensual sex with over 400 different women
- Totally could have gotten away with pretending to be Cuban but ultimately chose not to
- Created Dirk Nowitzki



KYLIE JENNER

- Deleted the post about her new Bugatti bc she was reminded that poor people exist
- Stands with Israel despite not knowing where it is
- Had enough discipline to only drink white wine when pregnant
- Had a mixed race baby



MICHAEL BLOOMBERG

- Convinced rich white dads their opinion matters
- Pulled the plug on his father
- Was on an episode of *Gossip Girl*

Area girl sits criss-cross on her chair to convey that she is cool and chill and tiny and also flexible

AUSTIN – Mary Davis wants to feel tiny, casual, and flexible (for once in her godforsaken life). Like when she sits alone waiting for her food at the Taco Bell Cantina, or even when she just feels the urge to sprawl in a cute way while in the library. Sadly though, gone are the days of being a kid that's able to do a somersault or cartwheel at the randomest times possible, no questions asked. No longer can she do a backbend “The Ring” style and use that as a mode of transportation to freak out family and friends. None of her former gymnastic ability matters (or even exists) anymore. Now, only skinny girls who resemble Selena Gomez in *Another Cinderella Story* who can somehow pull off the huge flannel and baggy mom jeans look have the unfair advantage of being able to casually pull their legs up onto the chair they're sitting on in a crazy display of disregard for their knee joints and hip flexor muscles. But Mary's size 12 ass refuses to be deterred. Because you know what she can do? She can give the illusion of flexibility and casual coolness by wearing very stretchy leggings and sitting on a wide chair (with ample room to spread) and pulling both of her legs up criss-cross applesauce style. At press time, a passerby saw Mary sprawled out in a chair and thought “Okay, this girl is chill as fuck.”

“Damn, that sucks:” Austin city councilman takes stand on homelessness

AUSTIN – Next week, Austin will hold an open city council meeting to hear public concerns and government proposals pertaining to the city's rampant homelessness. Yesterday, in preparation for this meeting, reporters interviewed prominent councilman Geoff Bozos as he was leaving his SoulCycle class. “Meeting? Oh yes, it is next Wednesday,” said Bozos. “The Trader Joe's two blocks from my



house is undergoing renovations, so I've had to venture further downtown for my grocery shopping. I've called everyone I can think of, but they just keep saying that my Trader Joe's location may not be open again until the spring! And can I just say – damn, that sucks.” Reporters on the scene also asked Bozos for his opinion on the best course of action to address homelessness in Austin, to which he responded boldly. “I have definitely noticed Austin's homeless population more and more recently,” said Bozos as he rummaged through his Outdoor Voices gym bag for the keys to his Benz SUV. Unfortunately, Bozos cut the interview short after that by answering a call from his chiropractor on his Apple Watch. As for the city council meeting next Wednesday, it's obvious that Austin citizens can rest easy knowing its public servants are empathetic, dedicated, and on the job. At press time, Bozos was seen bravely going on his fourth juice cleanse of the year, in preparation for the Thanksgiving holiday.

Travesty Advice Column

Dear Travy,
I think that my boyfriend is cheating on me. Actually, I'm 100% sure that he is because I watched it happen and actually encouraged it.
Sincerely,
Cuckholded on Campus

Thank you for writing. That had to have been hard to share. Before I can really say anything, I have to ask: did you finish too?

Dear Travy,
I am into this Republican guy. I am also Republican but I don't know how to fish. Thoughts on how to proceed?
Sincerely,
Fisheally and Socially Conservative

Fishing is a Republican staple. You will need to compensate by utilizing another conservative virtue like wearing Under Armour or referring to studies done in the 1950s.

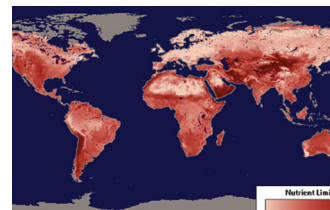
Dear Travy,
I want to fuck my friend's mom. Trouble is, my friend is 60 years old and her mom is dead.
Sincerely
Troubled in Jester East

Don't worry, dear reader, there's no shame here. We would suggest that a copper shovel with reasonable breadth be used when exhuming the body. Bring plenty of febreeze, unless you're also into the smell of cadaver.

Dear Travy,
My parents are getting a divorce. Trouble is, they're already divorced. They want to divorce twice to punish me for wanting their love. Help me figure out how to stop them!
Sincerely,
Divorce me once shame on me, divorce me twice, can I go live with Grandma?

Divorce is an American custom. Be proud your parents are brave enough to go through this again!

Op-ed: I don't like climate change either, but do we have to strike on Fridays?



For those who aren't aware, the growing Fridays For Future movement has motivated youths around the world to hold weekly strikes at major institutions in an effort to force the issue on climate reform. That's obviously fine, and I'd be happy to help with their little protests, but there's a problematic aspect of these meetings that has gone unaddressed for far too long.

Climate change sucks. No one's denying that.* But frankly, the whole “protest” thing being on Fridays is complete bullshit. No one loves pissing off school administrators more than the Grover Hills class of 2018's “Most Likely to Raise a Ruckus” (me), but on a Friday? What are you, a cop? Fridays are supposed to be the door to the weekend, which is the door to getting twisted, which is the door to getting laid. If it's okay, I'd like to offer some suggestions to make these things more accessible to the pro-Friday crowd.

First off, cut the bullshit. If you want people to show up for what is essentially learning on the weekend (almost puked writing that), you've gotta bring the energy of the demonstrations up to par with that of your typical Friday. Nothing says “stop taking donations from the fossil fuel industry” like a case of brown eggs and a six pack of beer. Essentially, all I'm trying to say is that as it stands, these protests are lame and have no business being held on a secular holiday. Furthermore, I have basketball practice on Fridays.

*Some are denying that.

How I substituted my entire college degree with a few NowThis videos



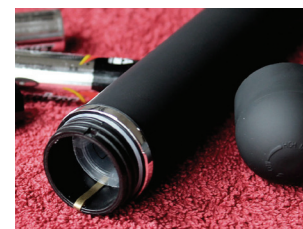
AUSTIN – In light of Greg Fenves’s recent decision to raise tuition in order to pay for a new series of UT-themed carpool karaoke videos, a college degree seems more out-of-reach than ever. For some students, there is simply no hope left. Luckily, the internet provides a very strong alternative to a traditional college degree. I’m not talking about consuming a gross amount of Khan Academy videos or even attending online classes via the University of Phoenix (or whatever the hell Betsy DeVos is bankrolling these days). This is my story: I substituted my entire undergraduate degree with a few NowThis videos on Facebook. You know the kind – when you’re scrolling through your neoliberal friend’s feed and they’ve shared a short clip on the situation in Syria with the clapping hands emoji? It’s

the one with the yellow and white text and a lot of dramatic sound transitions. Yeah, well I watched enough of those and now I’m literally an expert on geopolitics and pop culture. *That’s* how I substituted my entire undergraduate degree with a few NowThis videos on Facebook. Ask me anything about U.S. intervention overseas or recycling in Sweden and I’ll know a couple of details about it maybe. What do you want? The video was only 2 minutes long!

Acts of courage: Local woman manages not to evaporate when her crush says “Actually, ‘The Sopranos’ was a comedy”

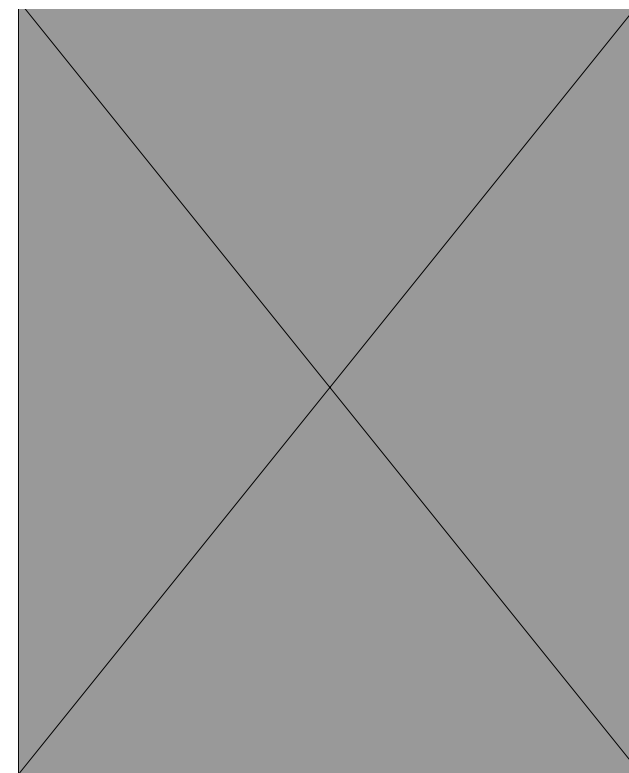
AUSTIN – WOW ... Talk about female empowerment! Of course, I’m referring to Jenna Collins: a local student who was miraculously able to remain in a solid state after hearing her crush claim that the acclaimed television series The Sopranos is “actually a comedy”. The man in question, Josh Smith, was armed with 16 hours of RTF undergraduate credit, and access to his uncle’s HBO Go account. He was not afraid to utilize either resources. Collins described the scene to curious onlookers, who were baffled by her bravery and ability to not immediately decompose when Smith began discussing “the undeniably greatest piece of television in history.” “I just had to smile and put on a brave face, because I didn’t know what he was going to do next,” Collins tearfully recounted. “I just hope this doesn’t happen to any more young women.” At press time, the suspect in question was reportedly asserting loudly to his Media & Entertainment class that “you can’t claim to love television until you’ve seen Season 1 of True Detective.”

Op-ed: When I said I was looking for good vibes, I was talking about sex toys



Way back when, it was just a lady and her electric toothbrush against the world. But now I have the world’s first ever case of vaginal gingivitis (Vagingivitis). My gynecologist told me to

floss more. So that leads me, a 28 year old feminist, looking for good vibes. And hot take – everyone should mind their business about it. I’m a woman in 2019! I have seen 4 seasons of Girls and Lena Dunham liked one of my tweets. So yeah... I think we can all agree that I’m qualified to talk about vibrators without everyone getting in my business! Why are y’all so interested anyway, pervs? It’s just me, my business, and my business that I discuss in great length on my solo podcast “Lady bits, I have tits and hey, fuck you!” I’m a lady and I’m allowed to buy things that move fast – judgement free.



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Moments after realizing his Rosetta Stone trial expired, Beto decided to drop out of the Democratic primary

DES MOINES — When Congressman Beto O'Rourke started his presidential campaign in March of 2014, he never imagined that the language learning mobile app, Rosetta Stone, would take him on the journey of a lifetime. The Spanish language was difficult for O'Rourke to pick up, but he felt compelled to learn it after realizing that he still had to debate other Democratic candidates who knew more words than him. "Yo soy Beto," he whispered into his webcam every night. After months of begging, he finally convinced his wife to agree that if he was elected, he could refer to her as the "First señora en la casa blanca!" To kick off the month of November, O'Rourke even planned to thank Rosetta Stone for the 400+ Spanish lessons that he had learned so far. But heartbreak struck on the morning of Nov. 1. At 5 A.M., when O'Rourke received a phone call from his chief of staff saying "Sir, we just received an email informing us that your free Rosetta Stone trial has expired. We are extremely sorry for your loss, but according to our numbers, this campaign does not have the means to fund any future monthly lessons." O'Rourke was overwhelmed by his emotions and saw his dream of becoming a bilingual president evaporate into thin air. "Ay dios mío!" he screamed. He quickly ordered his staff to browse through his drafted tweets and find one that was prepared in case he abruptly decided to suspend his presidential campaign. O'Rourke was pleased with the staff's selection and began rehearsing his statement. At press time, O'Rourke embraced the crowd of gentle and loving faces. He stared back at them sympathetically and read "peace out putas!"



Recipe – Brussel Stouts: Brussel Sprouts that will make you fat

4 sticks salted butter (lard also works)
 3 brussel sprouts
 1 bottle olive oil
 Salt (5)
 1 lb shredded cheddar
 ½ lb ground beef
 1 cup brown sugar (why not)
 1 cup bacon
 Diet Coke



This recipe is really simple, and bonus: it also works as a casserole! All you need is an 8x12 inch casserole dish and a mixing bowl. First, you're going to take your bacon grease and line the casserole dish with about a half-inch layer of grease that will actually cook under your bushel of sprouts. Then you're gonna throw the brussel sprouts in your mixing bowl along with the olive oil, melted butter, salt and pepper, all to liking. There can never be too much. Then you want to lay down one half of your sprouts into the pan and top that with a healthy layer of shredded cheese. Then to add some real 'umph' to this thing you'll want to liberally (we all voted for Obama, honey!!!) spread your brown sugar-seared ground beef on top of the cheddar. Then repeat with the rest of your sprouts; you can do as many layers as you want, go big or go home! You're gonna wanna put this in the oven for about 25 minutes at 400 degrees, or one minute at 4000 degrees. Once it's brown, you can dig into your brussel stouts and enjoy! You're going to want to set aside a solid 40 minutes to 2 hours afterwards for a good nap-time. If there are any cardiac issues that follow we do not claim responsibility, as this is a recipe we swiped from Paula Deen's vault before she was cancelled.

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