

OUTSIDE-THE-BUBBLE NEWS

R.O.C.K. IN THE USA!

Washington, DC

Conservative icon/lard-butt Rush Limbaugh gave a speech at a conservative conference this week reiterating his desire for Barack Obama's Presidency to fail. Limbaugh also restated his desire for Obama to have scary nightmares involving dolphins and clowns.

Wall Street, New York

The Dow Jones dropped below 7000 points on Monday, its lowest showing since 1997. Meanwhile, the number of soiled drawers on Wall Street is at its highest rate since 1929.

New York, New York

Jimmy Fallon took Conan O'Brien's spot on *The Late Show* this week, promising a show filled with Fallon giggling uncontrollably and awkwardly offering the audience free DVD copies of *Fever Pitch*.

Fort Hood, North Carolina

Obama announced that the majority of American armed forces would withdraw from Iraq by June 2010. American troops will be replaced by Iraqi security forces and cardboard cut-outs of Harrison Ford looking mean.

THE WHOLE WIDE WORLD

Bissau, Guinea-Bissau

Guinea-Bissau's President and military chief of staff were murdered this week, shocking Americans who thought Guinea-Bissau was a made-up country from *The West Wing*.

Beijing, China

In a classic display of overkill ala the Opening Ceremony of the Olympics, Chinese police shot a Tibetan monk who set himself on fire to protest China's occupation of Tibet. They then ran the monk over with a tank and fed his remains to a werewolf.

Harare, Zimbabwe

President Robert Mugabe threw a \$250,000 party to celebrate his 85th birthday, while his country suffered from starvation, hyper-inflation, and a cholera epidemic. The party included a carnival, pony rides, and a birthday cake made from political dissidents.

FRIDAY FIVE: F*%K MY LIFE: HAMILTON EDITION

By Mr. Yarnell '10

5. Today, I was walking along the Martin's Way bridge when I saw the girl of my dreams eating in the Diner. I waved to her, and she waved back just as I slipped and busted my ass. When I recovered, she was still laughing. FML.
4. Today, my younger sister came to visit the Hill. We went to a Bundy party, and ended up getting separated. Soon after, my friends told me my roommate was sucking face with "one horny little girl." Guess who that was. FML.
3. Today, I went to toast a plain bagel in Commons. The line was long enough that the bottom tray turned into a sloppy orgy of bread. When it finally became my turn, I was left with the love child of a poppy-seed bagel and a piece of toast. FML.
2. Today, I needed to take a piss in the Root Hall bathroom before class. Upon walking in, I noticed it smelled like someone had just taken a huge dump. When I came out, my professor was waiting to use the bathroom next. She took one whiff and asked "Should I hold my breath?" FML.
1. Today, I forgot to write my *Duel Observer* assignment, so I stole my format from a dumbass blog. FML.

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"practical" courses to help students survive after graduation in a difficult economy.

"Next semester I am going to take this cool Econ class called Panhandling 101, and then this fascinating philosophy course called The Ethics of Selling Your Body," Melanie Young '10 said. "I think that it will be a very stimulating and titillating year."

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MEDIA BOARD GIVES EVERY STUDENT OWN PUBLICATION Juicy Campus Reborn in Paper Form

By Ms. Stagner '09

UNIQUE ANGLES DEPT.

(HAMILTON COLLEGE) After decreeing *The Young Socialist* publication status last week, the 13 all-powerful leaders of the Media Board unanimously granted all Hamilton students their own publications.

"Since we allowed one person to have their own publication, it only seemed fair to give everyone else one too," Media Board member Tara Lighthall '10 commented. "Besides, this way we don't have to go through tons of petitions for publication statuses, and we can focus our attention on the *The Daily Bulls* supposedly platonic love for dreamy Eric Kuhn."

"I believe that the sharp increase in number of publications will help to improve all of the already existing ones through a sense of competition," Henry Unangst '11 observed. "Because that is clearly the only way student publications can get funnier."

The latest list of Hamilton publications include, *Sadly Darksider Sadly*, *The Young Capitalist*, *Bro's World*, *I ♥ Jesus!*, and *Purling to Happiness*.

Students are excited about their opportunity to share their ideas with the campus.

"My publication is totally going to be about who is sleeping with whom," gossip-monger Sarah Davenport '09 stated. "I mean, seriously! After any good Bundy party it's hard to tell hook-up statuses. My publication will, like, enlighten the campus of who is a man-whore or a slutty, slutty slut-slut."

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PROFESSORS CREATE NEW CLASSES FOR FALL 2009 Oral Exams Just Get Better

By Ms. Mintzer '09

COLLEGE CATALOGUE DEPT.

(HAMILTON COLLEGE) In an effort to diversify course offerings, professors have designed a new array of courses for the Fall 2009 semester.

"Here at Hamilton we like to do two things," spokesperson John Nitterman said, "Give students massive amounts of free beer and give them massive amounts of free choice in what classes they can take. We think that these new course offerings will finally bring these two objectives together."

The new courses will vary from classes that enhance the college experience to ones that will help students survive in the post-collegiate "real world."

"I want to take this really cool art history class offered next semester. It's ARTH 328: Analysis of Post Modern ELS Basement Graffiti," Mike Cathers '11 said. "I've always wanted to understand how the portrayal of cocks in spray paint engages post-structuralist theory."

"You've got to love these advanced Chemistry classes," Rob Birch '11 said. "I like Brewery 478, or if I'm really up for a challenge, CHEM 450: Seminar in Everclear Funneling. Damn, with an undergraduate education like this, I'm going to be so ready for med school."

"How about GOV 212: Seminar in the Legalization of Marajuana?" Mark Ross '10 suggested. "I bet Colgate would never offer us stuff this cool..."

The Hamilton faculty has also designed
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LOCAL MAN GIVES UP SEX FOR LENT

Turns to alcohol in quiet desperation

By Ms. Sauerhaft '12

HUMAN STUDIES DEPT.

(HAMILTON COLLEGE) Inspired by *The Daily Bull's* new found repentance, local man-whore Jared "Kaneyehaveyonumba" Lubeck '10 has bravely decided to withdraw himself from all sexual activities in order to become more attractive to women.

"Dude, I am now the unattainable. And don't women always want what they can't have?" Lubeck asked.

He added, "It will be a long and hard—heh-heh, dirty—forty days and forty nights, but my new rule is 'No touching, good or bad.' I've already ordered the blinders race horses wear and a jock strap."

Unlike Josh Hartnett, Jared is not a sweet, sensitive, and dimpled career man.

"I am an asshole. No other way around it. Any time outside of Lent, I will delete a girl from my phone if she doesn't want to get jiggy with it," Lubeck admitted. "Besides, I figure giving up sex for Lent will afford me the opportunity to get to know women on an intellectual level and share emotions with them."

Lubeck snickered, "Women and intellect...I gotta remember that one."

Jared's closest friend, Adam "Neverwear-sunderwear" Norton '11, completely supports Lubeck's decision and has even offered to take his place on the eligible bachelor list.

"This is a test of will; a test of faith in the young and untried Jared Jr.," Norton elaborated. "He will either succeed or fail completely within the first 22 1/2 hours."

Norton paused, "I'm going with the later."

Defying Norton's expectations with 216 straight hours of celibacy, Lubeck made some observations.

"The horizontal, and sometimes diagonal, tango will only get better after I have to wait over a month for it," Lubeck commented. "Whoever invented this Lent thing should be a God. No wonder Catholics go to church."

HAMILTON STUDENTS HOLD TOWN HALL MEETING ON ALCOHOL CULTURE

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STUDENTS ATTEMPT HEIST AT LATE NIGHT CASINO EVENT

Administration sees new opportunities to replenish endowment

By Mr. Zappala '12

DOG DAY AFTERNOON DEPT.

(HAMILTON COLLEGE) Six Hamilton students attempted to rob the Late Night Casino in the Events Barn this past Saturday, with "an epic fail" result.

The students, sadly inspired and misguided by 21, attempted to count cards and rig game probabilities with the plan to afterwards escape under the cover of smoke grenades. Their unsuccessful plan rated second on the worst planned heist attempts of all time, only falling behind the plot of *Ocean's Twelve*.

"Two Creative Writing majors, three Dance majors, and a Classics major trying to calculate all the possibilities of getting a full house with five players in the game?" Dave Fern '10 wondered. "How did they come up with this idea?"

The students defended their actions.

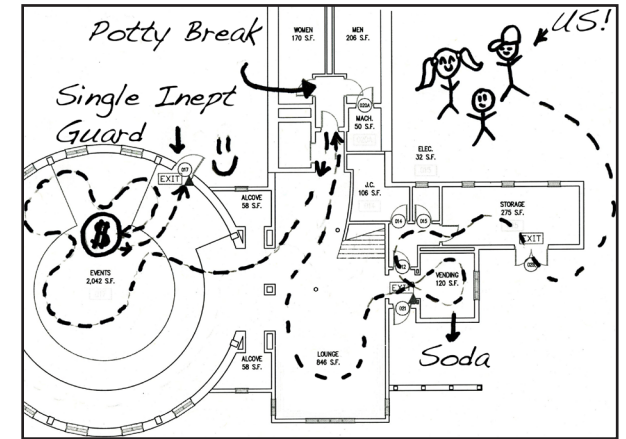
"We were put up to it!" Lara Werther '12 exclaimed. "Our Stats Professor was totally like, 'stats is applicable in everyday life,' and we were all like, 'okay, let's use stats to steal from the ABC Fundraiser.'"

The Honor Court later ruled against this logic, sentencing the students to a second round of quantitative literacy requirements and fourteen hours of heist movie montages.

The largest flaw in the plan, however, was only eventually noticed by one of the few sober students staffing the event.

"The chips they meant to steal weren't worth anything," Johanna Fine '12 explained. "That only works in Vegas, and even then, only in the movies."

Fine added, "Seriously guys, next time you try



Escape Planz!

this, try to avoid stealing from a fundraiser for kids. That really just makes you look extra bad."

Still, despite the many problems, each of the self-styled bandits had big ideas for what they had wanted to do with their cut.

"I wanted to quit school and go to Florida," Dance major Molly Wamp '09 said. "I hear that's where all of the sugar daddies are, and I wants me some sugar!"

Wamp added, "And by sugar I mean money."

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"I'm going to write about my real passion--skeet shooting on yachts while smoking cigars," Brian Trump '12 said. "I figure that this topic will strike a chord with all who read it. Either that or get me some sweet gold-digger lovin'."

Davenport was later seen walking with Trump back to his room in Dunham.

Even professors were enthusiastic about the potential of the new publications.

"Out of 1,852, there's got to be at least...six that will be grammatically decent and not all blue humor," Creative Writing Professor Dan Edkin said.

Edkin paused, "Make it four."