ScavOlympics

(performed on Saturday, 8 May 2004 on the Quads and Ratner Pool and their environs, unless indicated otherwise)

1. _____ The Dry Games - 12:00 PM

- (a) Pod number 2 scores! Each team is responsible for one Atlasphere ball, one scoring pad, and one carefully scouted gladiator. [50 points for first. 40 points for second. 30 points for third. 100 points just for building the thing]
- (b) Burtonian Dodgeball. At The Conclave of the Captains, we will tell you which Tim Burton characters you will represent. Style > Substance. [50 points for first. 40 points for second. 30 points for third]
- (c) The 2004 Freakshowcase. The tallest person you can find. Seriously. As simple as that. The team that presents us with the tallest person gets the points. Also, throw in the hairiest chest, the biggest ears, the longest tongue, the worst tanline, the webbedest toes, the longest eyelashes, the most nipples, the longest hair, the longest nails, and the most different-colored eyes. Everything must be real, and it goes without saying that we'll give bonus points if this is all on the same person. $[\theta]$ points
- (d) Perfumania. A perfume expert from each team will be blindfolded and asked to identify the scents of up to 21 different perfumes and colognes. The teammember who correctly identifies the most scents brings home the points. [40 points for first. 30 points for second. 20 points for third]
- (e) Gus's Games comes to the UofC. Bring some flour-resistant goggles and a one-gallon tub of flour with a single Swedish fish at the bottom. When you hear the whistle, get the fish using only the "blow" technique. [30 points for first. 20 points for second. 10 points for third]
- (f) II Corinthians XII:9 And he said unto me, My grace is sufficient for thee: for my strength is made perfect in weakness. Most gladly therefore will I rather glory in my infirmities, that the power of Christ may rest upon me. On the count of go, bench press as much Marx and Engels as you possibly can. [40 points for first. 30 points for second. 20 points for third]
- (g) "Spy a magical Morn!" Bring wits and a bag of Scrabble pieces. [50 points for first. 40 points for second. 30 points for third]
- (h) The Reverse Engineering challenge. Four teammembers must build a Lincoln Log cabin, homey, rustic, yet safe and trendy. Sounds easy enough, right? They'll be cuffed, blindfolded, ear-muffed, and gagged. [40 points for first. 30 points for second. 20 points for third]
- (i) BATTLE ROYALE! On Harper quad. Each team must send one combatant, wearing a white tee-shirt, and armed with a water gun filled with red Kool-Aid. Only hits on the tee-shirt will count as kills. The last combatant standing wins. [60 points for first. 50 points for second. 40 points for third. If, after 15 minutes, any more than one contestant still lives, your slave collars explode, and, worse still, no one gets any points]
- (j) An Eric Draven look-alike contest. The contestants will be Judged on: appearance and costume design, performance of guitar solo, and ability to fly. [40 points for first. 30 points for second. 10 points for third]
- (k) At the sound of the whistle, load your mouth with sunflower seeds. Get the kernels on the inside and save them somewhere in your mouth. After five minutes the person with the most unbroken kernels and no shells in their mouth is the winner. [40 points for first. 30 points for second. 10 points for third]
- (l) A Calvin-Ball Tournament. Rules and points TBD. Bring your own equipment.
- (m) Kent French is in the *Guinness Book of World Records* for clapping 721 times in 60 seconds. You can do better. [50 points for first. 40 points for second. 30 points for third]

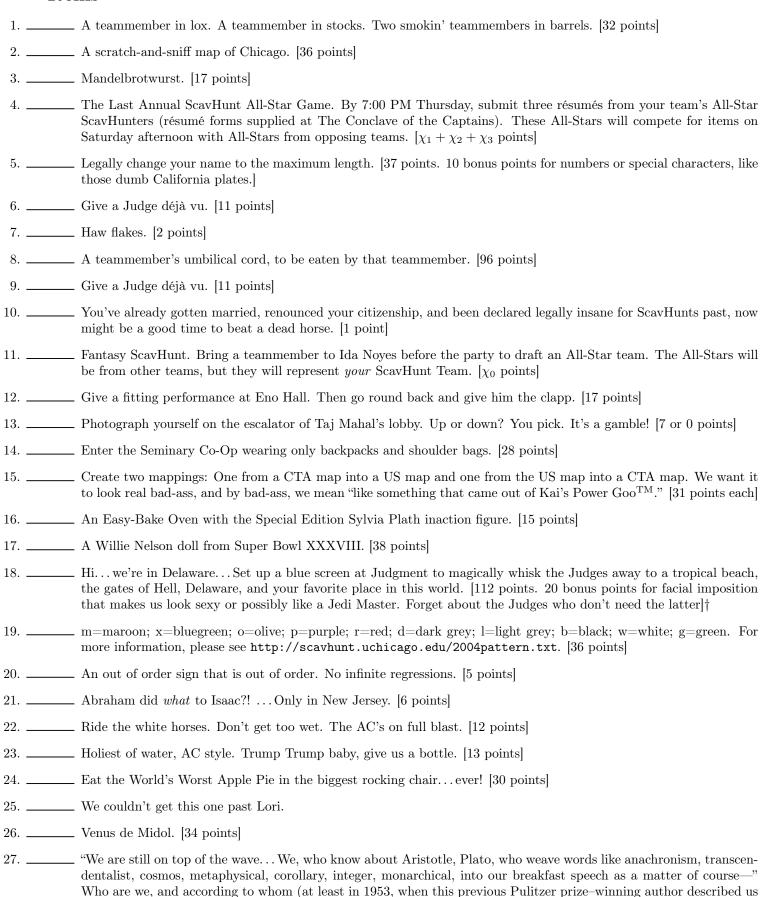
. _____ ScavOlympics Part II: The Wet Games - 6:30 PM

- (a) Psalms XLII: 7 Deep calleth upon deep at the noise of thy waterspouts: all thy waves and thy billows are gone over me. The Splashin' of the Christ. Your teams synchronized swimmers have creative free reign with only two stipulations: the performance must be no longer than three minutes, the music must be from Earth, Wind, and Fire, and you must out-synch Anchor Splash. [50 points for first. 40 points for second. 30 points for third. No points if any swimmer is not smiling for the entirety of the show]
- (b) Marco! [40 points for first. 30 points for second. 20 points for third]
- (c) They call them scavvies, scavvies, faster than lightning. Ecco that sentiment as one of your teammembers swims through our world full of wonder, flying there-under, under the sea! Have them bring us various objects using only their heads, because you know, once they evolve opposable thumbs, humanity is screwed. Be sure to bring 3 hula hoops and a beach ball to this event if you don't want to be beached. [50 points for first. 40 points for second. 30 points for third. 10 points for bringing us a recording of that New Age crap they play at the Shedd Oceanarium show. -10 points if any teammembers lose their Tursiops trunks-atus during the course of the event]

- (d) We've had a pretty rough go at getting in touch with our inner raccoons. Push anthropomorphism one step farther and help us out via a furries swimsuit contest. [50 points for first. 40 points for second. 30 points for third]
- (e) This event truly sucks. Teams must provide a giant straw which reaches from the ground to Ratner's upper deck. The team who can suck up a litre of water the fastest wins. You provide the bucket. [40 points for first. 30 points for second. 20 points for third]
- (f) Psalms CVII: 23-24 They that go down to the sea in ships, that do business in great waters: These see the works of the Lord, and his wonders in the deep. If you were in Reiti, Italy on August 3rd, you'd know that the vessels of true champions defy comfort, grace, the very idea of forward momentum and the very concept of buoyancy. Deck your team's vessel out and on Saturday show us who's Tarzan of the new pool. [70 points for first. 60 points for second. 50 points for third]

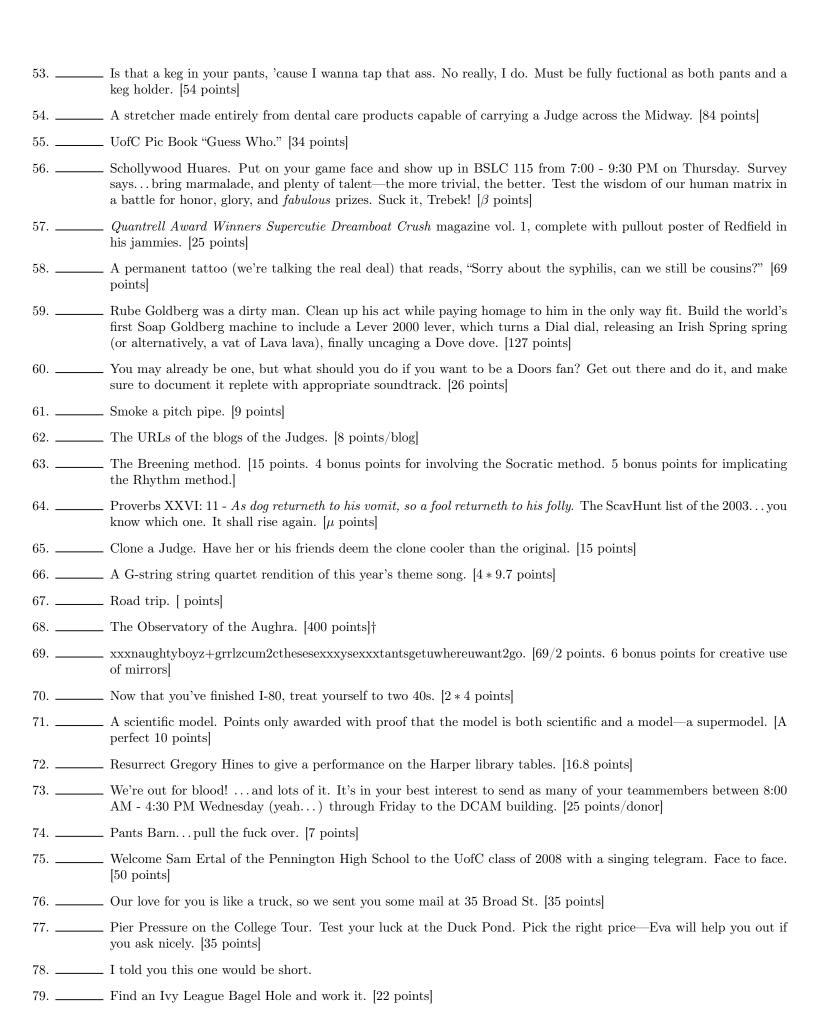
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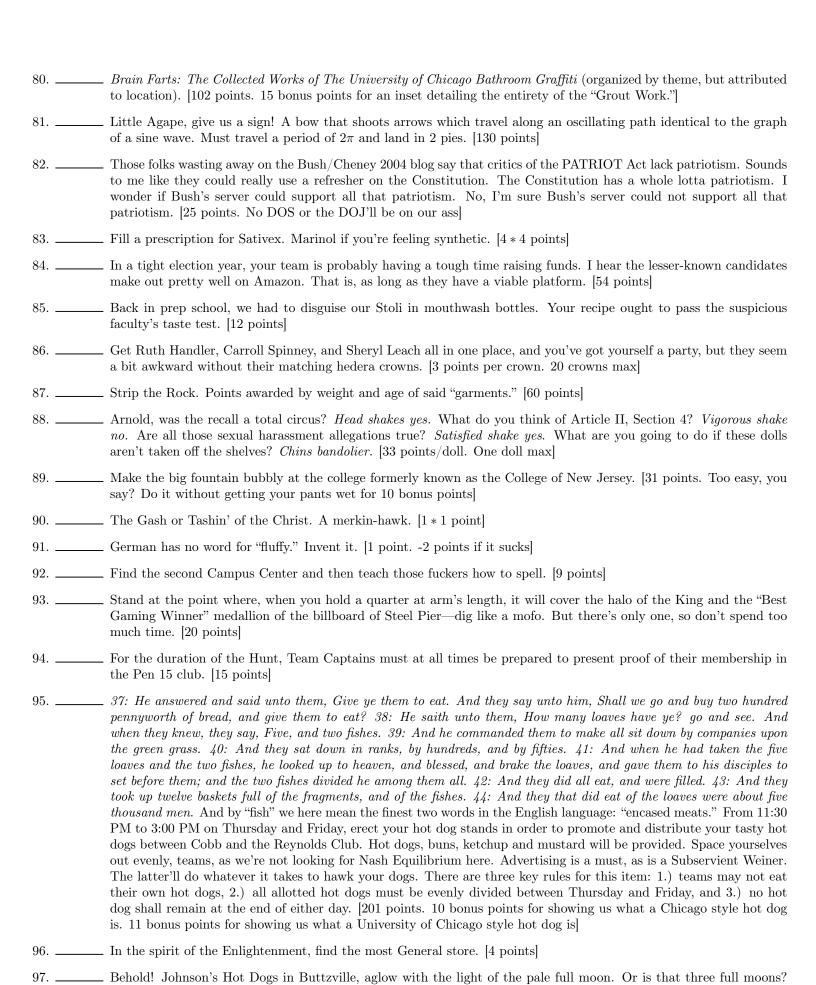
as such)? [19.53 points]



28	—— Have a computer combust through nothing but its own internal workings. [32 points]
	Proverbs IV: 7 - Wisdom is the principal thing; therefore get wisdom: and with all thy getting get understanding.
	Calligraph then place on parchment, the Scavenger Hunt RSO bylaws. Put them behind glass after you have aged the document 200 years. [49 points]
30	Real quicksand that can sink the Tiniest Judge. [73 points]
31	The ScavHunt list of the 1992 . $[192 - 92 \text{ points}]$
32	The Rations of the Christ. Bring us a tasty dish combining the ingenuity of the Funnel Cake, the physics of Dippin's Dots, and the chemistry of Astronaut Ice Cream. [44 points]
33	Hotwheels versions of the following: Ash's steel deadite-killer, the Technodrome, and the Shaggin' Wagon from <i>Dumb and Dumber</i> . [17 points each]
34	Build a music box that plays the theme song of any one of the 14 playable characters from Final Fantasy VI. This item cannot be electronic. [153 points. 30 bonus points for an appropriate wood carving. 17 bonus points if the hero is there to open it for us]†
35	First, one paper crane. Then, one hundred more paper cranes, each one one-hundredth the size of the first. [14 points for the first crane, 1 point/crane thereafter13 points for any bent wings]
36	A short video highlight reel from ScavOlympics Item 2a. The clip sequence must have at least one instance of that Matrix-esque ESPN football-cam still wraparound moment-in-time thingie. Makeshift photo apparati welcome at the pool. [88 points]
37	Turn a Wavebird into a DVD remote. No CPUs or consoles for the DVD player, please. [72 points]
38	The memo of the Master Shake. [7 points. 8 bonus points for faxing the memo to Ted O'Neill during the judging of this page]
39	Body on Tap. [24 points]
40	Get your team's song uploaded for purchase at iTunes. [51 points]
41	The Adventures of Seth Cohen and Captain Oats Vol. 1: Confidence. [31 points. For 17 bonus points, include Summer's present, too, filled]
42	The lore of the Chozo may never be fully understood, but it is probably all phazon-soaked blasphemy anyway. Nevertheless, as Samus received her power-ups, so shall we receive ours, throughout Judgment Day, and only when size makes this stipulation appropriate. [103 points]
43	What's a fuckass? [3 points]
44	The spider walker of the Mojo (I). 1:2 scale, but ridable. [299 points]†
45	You Kant leave without exHuming the largest, smallest, and most general items you can Locke your sites on. See item 96. [20 points]
46	The College Tour's last Resort: What's the key? Who sneezed? What are Dean Martin's secret items? [10 points]
47	TBA.
48	They already built a hotel on it. Oh well. Find the carniest carnie. You know the one. And the biggest tourist. Will be judged by the degree of tourist as well as volume. Pick the right ones; it's a gamble! [18 or 0 points]
49	This road trip is h ^{ot*} , turn on the AC. The AC is always turned on. [7 points]
50	I Corinthians VII:31 - Nineties style isn't. The Fashion of the Christ. Air Jesus Shoes. Spider Jerusalem wouldn't stand for a second rate product so nor will we. Now prove their worth and walk on water at the wet games. [40 points]
51	A perfectly straight (and edible) banana with peel fully intact. [11 points]

52. _____ A pass for the UofC Express. No, we are not referring to the damned 173. [17.3 points]

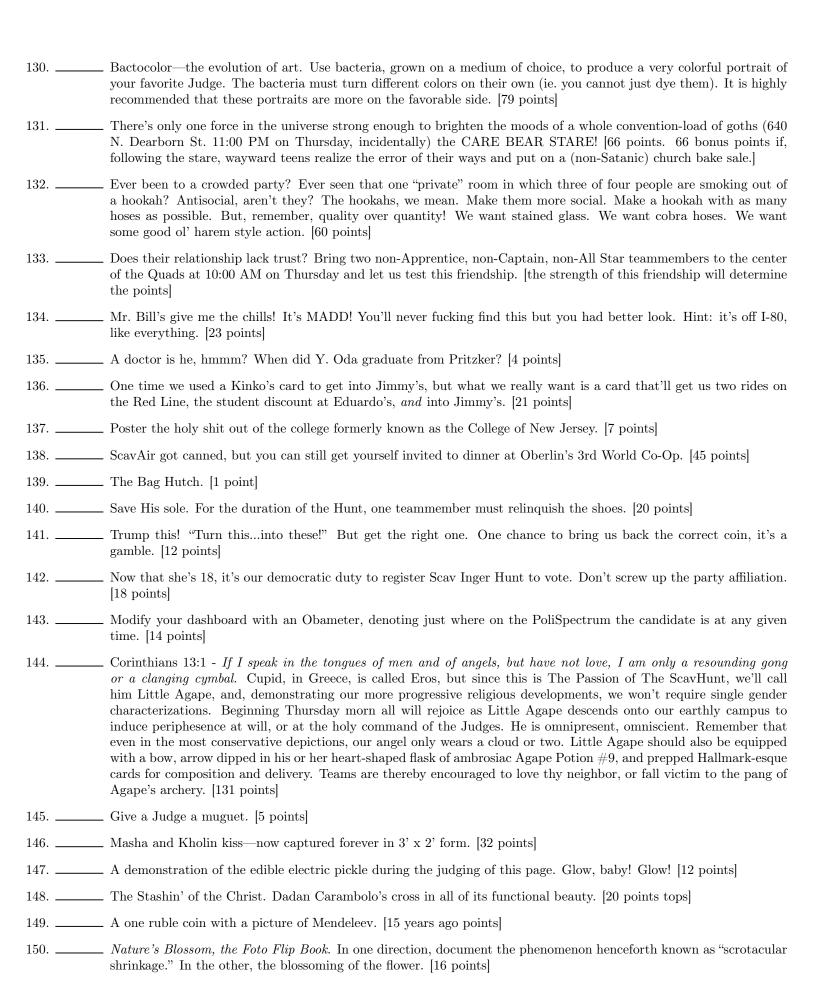


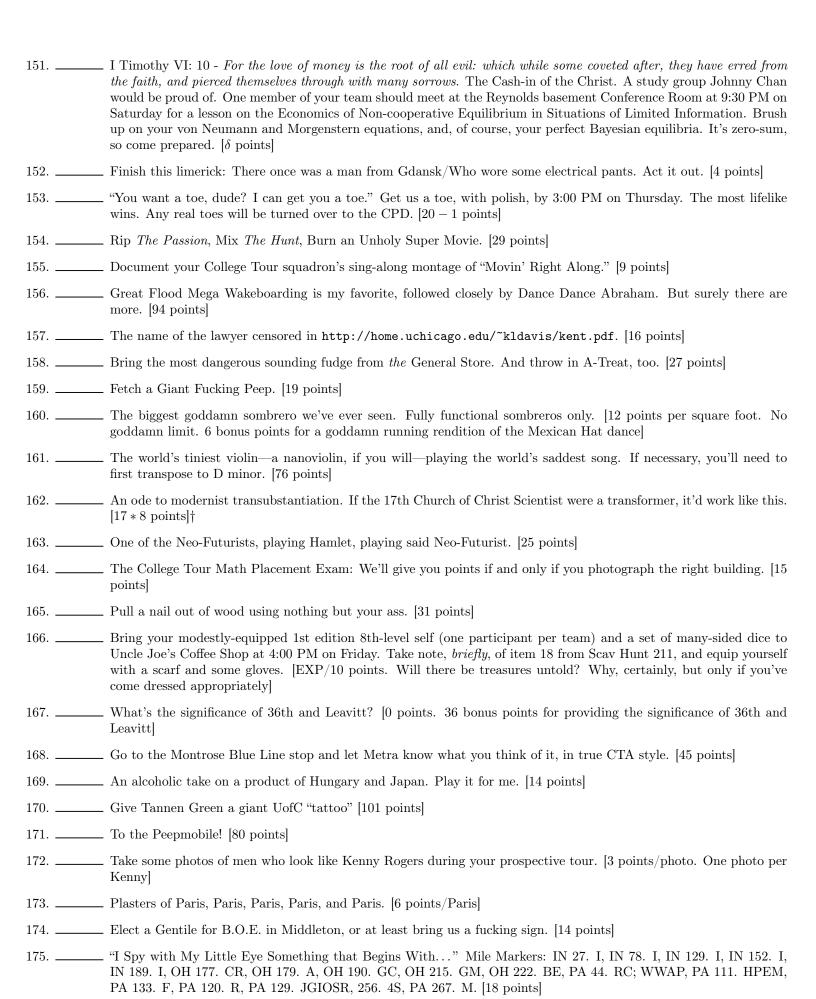


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98	Cosplay as Bill Cosby, Richard Cosway, a costard, and a couscous. [12 points]
99	A stratigraphic column of Chicago made out of Jell-O. [45 points]
100	As many NIITELINE cups as you can find. [3 points/cup]
101	The Broodwich. [11 points]
102	Hey, hey, it's Adobe! Show that it combines genuine German engineering with Mexican know-how. [142 points]†
103	Get your team name mentioned on princeton.edu. [20 points]
104	Produce and consume a patented, out-of-this-world Moon Waffle. Mmmmsacrilicious. [4 points]
105	The Greek Pantheon as a zoologist would know them. We want specimens! [10 points/deity]
106	Muppet Rabies. Muppet Scabies. [8 points, 7 points, respectively]
107	Goombay Punch. [20 points]
108	The hundred-hand slap at the Million Mom March. [10.00000 points]
109	An album by Kunos Freunde. [13 points. 13 bonus points if you play it in Kuno's presence]
110	The ScavHunt list of the 1987. [187 points]
111	Get "ScavHunt Withdrawal" officially listed and defined in a dictionary of medical terms. [47 points]
112	Hallelujah! This item was cut.
113	Ticket stubs from the playoff games at Wrigley. [10 points/stub, five stubs max. 50 bonus point for untorn tix (Steve probably had some). 44 bonus points for a World Series ticket]
114	Pick a grand-ballroom, and grand-ballroom. It's a gamble! [4 points]
115	Code the lyrics to the chorus and your favorite verse of "Get Busy" in IPA. [40 points]
116	Dress up the Pablo Picasso at the college formerly known as the College of New Jersey. [14 or 0 points]
117	A UofC student identification card from 6/69 and 9/96. [69 points]
118	Document the Oberlin fauxhawk in its native habitat. The more the merrier. [29 points]
119	Code Orange Fashion: If you're looking for springwear, get ready to sing the SOL Blues. Go shelling on the beach in your new tank-top. [20 points]
120	German operas written by current UofC fourth years in 2000. [2 points. 10 operas max]
121	Free printing at USITE. [26 points]
122	Chicago city street cleaning signs for every day of the week. [21 points]
123	Billy Joel's "We Didn't Start the Fire," in sign language, five people max, live performances (accompanying the not-live song) only. [35 points]
124	Virga: Rain: Completion of this item: Virgin. [17 + 17 points]
125	A burning bush, a burning Bush, and a burning Busch. [8 points]
126	In Buttztown or Butzville, find a guy named Seymour. [13 points]
127	Economic evidence for the invisible hand job. [5 points, or wherever the markets clear]
128	Eudæmonia. [300 points]
129	Ecclesiastes II:14 - The wise man's eyes are in his head; but the fool walketh in darkness; and I myself perceived also that one event happeneth to them all. The Ashen of the Christ. Can your loved ones cut glass? Do they have almost total internal reflection? Show us the densest piece of carbon you knew. [44 carat points]

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176	The Acme Ultimatum Dispatcher. [47 points]
177	Peek into the Secret Stash and bring back the coolest comic book you can find. This is an exercise in good taste, not sloppy spending, so we're capping the cover price at \$3.99. [3.99 points]
178	Push buttonreceive bacon. [34 points]
179	Hackensack! Who knew it was real? Guess what else is? Make a pilgrimage to Fountains of Wayne and perform a Japanese Tea Ceremony. [35 points. 5 bonus points for music provided by the Fountains of Wayne. 5 bonus points for the cutest object at Fountains of Wayne.]
180	During Judgment, all chin-butts shall be covered by chinderwear. The cut is up to you. [1 point/clothed chin]
181	A cycle built for twelve. $[12 * 12 - 12 \text{ points}]^{\dagger}$
182	Godzilla vs. Gamelan. [16 points]
183	— Pump your own damn gas in New Jersey. [5 points]
184	Stan Lee PRESENTS: THE FANTASTIC FOUR in "Queer Eye for DR. DOOM." The world's most flexible man, his hard-bodied associate, and their hotter than hot compatriot confront their Greatest Challenge, and there's not a woman in sight! A Sensational Saga in FIVE FABULOUS PAGES. Flame On! [44 points]
185	Give your prof¹ a wedgie, applying normal wedgie etiquette.² [16 points. 10 bonus points if it is an atomic wedgie.³ 3 bonus points if the prof is an atomic physicist.⁴]
186	Last among the Ivies? Dial backwards for info. [22 points]
187	The Passion of the Touchdown Christ. [35 points]
188	The I-80 College Tour crosses the Great Cultural Divide. Distribute t-shirts to Princes and Princesses that read "UofC was my first choice!" and "It's called 'pop,' as shole." [6 points per shirt worn. 30 points max.]
189	Use commercial teeth whitening products to safely whiten only the teeth on the right side of your mouth. [11 points]
190	A phone bill with at least 5 in charges for text-message voting for American Idol. $[5+5]$ points. 5 bonus points if the bill is for item 251
191	The notorious A&F catalog. [7 points]
192	Our name in lights. A building downtown with the lights in the windows spelling out "SH." [300 points]
193	Prove that Dean Boyer is actually a robot, using the criteria set forth by Isaac Asimov, Futurama, Spongebob Squarepants, and Rugrats. [16 points. 1 bonus point if you use the wrench test for the latter]
194	Density. Details TBA at The Conclave of the Captains. [26 points]
195	A record with more than one groove on a side. [40 points]
196	Mashed potatoes and gravity. [9.8 metres/second/second points]
197	An appliance or device that takes a size J battery. [39 points]
198	The Judges have placed a personal ad in this Thursday's <i>Reader</i> . Answer it with a lyric or two from this year's theme song and don't forget to identify your team. [16 points]
199	An original, unopened Capri Sun. [14 points if a teammember can accurately pierce the pouch in one shot without spilling a drop]
200	A teammember, duct-taped in some ridiculous orientation, to the exterior of some campus building. [33 points]
201	Tribble bypass surgery. $[3^2 \text{ points}]$
202	Dukes of Hazzard Lights. [22 points]

¹A professor at the University of Chicago who lectures or leads discussion during one of your classes.

²Eg. shouting "wedgie" at a level of 110 decibels or greater prior to achieving high elastic tension.

³Bringing the waistband of the underwear over the head of the prof (see footnote one).

⁴a prof (see footnote one) who studies lectures or has lectured or has studied the field of atomic physics.

203	Soul Glo TM . [14 points]
	Six steelies, eight aggies, a dozen peewees and one great big glassy with an American flag in the middle. [29 points. 16 bonus for Captain Billy's Whiz-Bang]
205	Get the state of Illinois to recognize your two teammembers' same sex marriage. [212 points]
206	Replicate Gustav Klimt's "The Kiss" using only lip prints. Please use non-toxic paint or not-tested-on-animals cosmetics. [72 points]
207	A rosary knitted out of human hair. Now give me 25 Hair Maries, sinner. [25 points]
208	Go to Bennison's and ask them for cannoli. You can't really <i>prove</i> you did this but you can give us a sign. [29 points]
209	A 4' x 2'6" castrating vagina cookie. We want it au naturale, or heads will roll. [4 * 2.6 points]
210	— Check out that Aussie. She's a bloomin' WWOOFer. Prove it. [13 points]
211	A Tanuki sculpture. [28 points. 11 bonus points if it brings a Judge what it's supposed to. 5 bonus points if it can also work like the ones from Super Mario Bros. 3]
212	An anatomical model of the <i>Hetero Erectus</i> . [29 points]
213	With the impending culmination of the Buffy-Angel saga, Joss Whedon's proposed ending to the Buffy/Angel/Spike love triangle leaves us feeling like a vampire with an implant in his brain that doesn't allow him to harm humans—unfulfilled. Justice must be done to this seminal TV series. Bring back the slayer, and no commercials. [39 points. 2 bonus points if Giles finally hooks up with that coffee-guzzling neighbor. 3 bonus points for splicing in some dancing Angel]
214	Do your best to make this the Swayziest ScavHunt yet. [20 points]
215	— We've seen a lot of items faked at the last minute over the years. Feel free to fake this item. Orgasm. To last a minute. [1 point]
216	Queef. [9.9 points]
217	The College Tour rubs down at the College formerly known as the College of New Jersey. "In the nation's service. In the service of all nations." [8 points]
218	Japan in Japanese, sort of. 3D at the college formerly known as the College of New Jersey. [13 points]
219	Stop in at Cupid's Treasures and buy something fitting for your entry into Butztown. [15 points]
220	The Just Born (Again) Nativity Scene. Incidentally, what is KANE? [15 points]
221	Reprogram the Events LCD screen at Frist Hall to scroll this year's list. [75 points]
222	Shore to Please, this road trip is. [1 point]
223	Idolatry off I-80: Touch Mooby's boobies and ride the Jersey Blunt. [8 points]
224	JewJy Fruits and, in the spirit of religious tolerance, Juju Fruits. [11 points]
225	Thursday morning: The Conclave of the Captains. But outside a new day is dawning, suburbia's sprawling everywhere, and it's time for senior pictures. That's right, we have the Brain, so you bring the Athlete, Criminal, Princess, and Basket-Case, with photocopies of their driver's licenses. The Criminal should be falling through the ceiling, or at least fooling around under the table. The Princess shows us how to feel sorry for her. The Athlete takes a hit or two, while the Basket-Case giggles and pours out some unexpected confessions. A photograph of this group including us as Neo-Maxi-Zoom-Dweebies is, of course, required. Now you're ready for your East Coast College Tour! Have fun! Be safe! And remember, when, er, visiting the Ivies, you may have to don more "appropriate" apparel. Oh, did we forget to mention that the Neo-Maxi-Zoom-Dweebies want to inspect your car before you leave? Have it ready at 8:30 AM. [0 points will be awarded to all road trip items if this item is not fulfilled]
226	What happens to treadmills when the odometer rolls over? Prove it. [29.000 points. 5 bonus points for involving item 143]

227. _____ A chocolate Jesus. [12 points. 3 bonus points for divine cream filling]

228	A blonde, "yo' momma's so fat," dead baby joke. [3 points]
229	Buy cigarettes while wearing pigtails. You know where we want you to do this. And while you're at it, we want a Birthday Surprise and why not throw in a Mother's Day Doubler. Don't scratch until Judgment Day. BTW they card hard but we tag harderwhat did we write? [1? points]
230	A Fuller-projection map of Chicago. [30 points]
231	On the College Tour. At the bookstore: It's all Greek to us, and it's phallic too. Why is it fuzzy? We want one! [15 points]
232	Order Freedom Fries in French. Where? Not in Park Place. [10 points]
233	A McDonalds Sad Meal—but seriously, the Hamburglar should be so upset that he's puking. [25 points]
234	_ Mrs. Potatohead giving Mr. Potato head. [6 points]
235	Romans XII:20 - Therefore if thine enemy hunger, feed him; if he thirst, give him drink: for in so doing thou shalt heap coals of fire on his head. Get Ben n' Jerry's to release "The Passion of the Fruit" as their next flavor. [14 points]
236	A stuffed animal Turducken. [3 ³ points]
237	How many beads would it take to buy back Manhattan? [7 points]
238	A big bucket of sweet. [16 points]
239	Titus I:15 - Unto the pure all things are pure: but unto them that are defiled and unbelieving is nothing pure; but even their mind and conscience is defiled. The popesicles from last year got a little messy when melted down. Bring us some papal towels. [24 points]
240	A ninja muffin. [7 points]
241	A Steve Bartman trading card. [19 points]
242	What's the Big Aristotle's take on fowl trouble? Write an editorial for Shaq's Chicken Herald. [6 pizzles]
243	A True Chicagoan, Zorn style. [27 points27 for any Zorn's Lemma wisecracks]
244	Pope Sean Paul getting lifted with a censer. [16 points. 8 bonus points if he blesses this item with a toast]
245	Test modern understanding of the word "gardyloo" out the windows of the Reynolds Club. [12 points]
246	Wardrobe malfunction. [-10 points]
247	A graduate thesis written on napkins from a dining hall, signed off on by a thesis committee. [20 points]
248	Matthew XXII:14 - For many are called, but few are chosen. Do you want to be a ScavHunt Judge? Send one non-captain first, second, or third year teammember to meet with the Donald at 10:30 AM on Thursday at Ex Libris. This Apprentice may be busy from Thursday through Sunday. $[\rho \text{ points}]$
249	Make a device such that, when a Judge throws a raw egg at it at full speed, the egg remains intact. [98 points]
250	Proverbs 23:1-2 - When thou sittest to eat with a ruler, consider diligently what is before thee: And put a knife to thy throat, if thou be a man given to appetite. A Choose Your Own Adventure cookbook. [23 points. 19 bonus points if the Judge can successfully cook and eat a dish during the judgment of this page.]
251	The girliest phone ever. [4 points]
252	A diorama tribute to dioramas. No infinite regressions. [30 or so points]
253	Hypercolor hair. [116 points]
254	What was the first message sent from Chicago to DC following the first controlled nuclear reaction and how was it sent? [15 points]
255	A π -sided die. $[\pi^{\pi} \text{ points}]$
256	_ Visit the Three Holy Cities of Bethlehem, Nazareth, and Buttztown. [3 points]

