# The Northwestern Flipside

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### Alcoholic Turns Down Free Natty Light

By Curtis Curtisson

EVANSTON - In a shocking move last Thursday morning, Joe "No Liver" Guggenheim, a local convenience store night-shift manager and alcoholic, turned down an offer of a free case of Natty Light. The offer came when the brothers of Tappa Tappa Keg realized that they bought more beer than they could fit in their car. The fraternity was stocking up for a big weekend bash to celebrate the coming of a full moon.

Upon seeing Mr. Guggenheim drunkenly stumbling down the street at 11:00 AM, they offered him the beer rather than returning it to the store. "He seemed like he could, like, use it more than we could, you know, man?" added local bro Chris Steves. "I always, like, see him drinking all the time."

When asked about his surprise refusal, Guggenheim stated that he "didn't drink piss water. [takes sip] Seriously man, I'm just too classy for that shit," said Guggenheim while chugging vodka from a

#### "I don't drink piss water"

plastic bottle. "I only drink quality stuff like PBR or whatever the hell I'm drinking right now. It's really good...who are you? How did I get

It is unknown at this time what became of the unwanted beer. Perhaps a contribution was made to Evanston's homeless community. What? They deserve some fun once and a while



Nickelback gets Honorable Mention at Mayfest's Battle of the Bands



A-Phi Mud Olympics More Exciting than AEΠ Mud Olympics



## George W. Bush Proud of Being Able to Name Half the Presidents on Sporcle

By Sam Gutelle

CRAWFORD, TX - Former President George W. Bush was described as "the happiest he's been in years" Thursday after he successfully named 22 of the 44 U.S. Presidents on the popular trivia quiz site Sporcle. "George was strutting around the house, grinning like he won the lottery," explained his wife Laura, "I haven't seen him that happy since we got Saddam."

Mrs. Bush reported that her husband got off to a strong start, naming most of the early presidents and some more recent conservatives including Nixon, Reagan, and Ford. After getting 22 correct answers he hit a roadblock and was forced to give up.

"He was really upset that he missed both George W. Bush and George H.W. Bush," explained Laura, "but he decided that 22 was good enough." Aside from missing his father

and himself, Bush had a couple close calls. He was able to remember William H. Taft's real name after typing "that fat guy" for 2 minutes on end with no results. He also kept trying "that one who dropped the nucular bomb" for Harry S. Truman before remembering his name as well.

Despite these late catches, Bush did have some unfortunate misses. He reportedly asked his wife why the quiz didn't accept "Jefferson Davis" for the president from 1861-5. Similarly, when Barack Obama's name was revealed after Bush gave up, he quickly asked, "who?"

After his moderate success with the Presidents, Bush has decided to try some other quizzes. "The other day, he tried to name every member of his cabinet," Mrs. Bush commented, "unfortunately, he only got 3 correct answers.'

Remaining Jeep Cherokees Herded onto Reservation



Swine Flu Testing Lab Closes after Outbreak of Swine Flu



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### Half of Astronaut's Salary Goes to Beer for the Trip Up



By Ashley Hammon

CAPE CANAVERAL, FL - Atlantis' astronauts grabbed hold of the Hubble Space Telescope at the end of last week, quickly setting their sights on the unprecedented spacewalking repairs they will attempt over the next couple of days.

"It's going to be tough," explained head astronaut, Jim Bernstein. "My hands are shaking just thinking about it. One wrong move and we could float off into space."

The Atlantis astronauts tried to keep cool on the way up as a way to cope with the difficult mission ahead. One astronaut, Dave Leighton, purchased thousands of dollars in beer to ease the stress. "The trip up is stressful enough. It's a good way to keep cool. Plus, have you ever been drunk in space? It's a shitload of fun."

Other members of the Atlantis team joined in the revelry, citing the difficult task ahead of them as justification for getting drunk. "I've thrown up before, but it's so different in space," noted Jill Osterman. "If you're not careful, there could be a nasty aftertaste."

If the repairs don't go as planned, the crew expects that they'll have enough beer to forget their worries, at least for a couple more orbits around the earth. Mission control has had trouble communicating with Atlantis, so it's possible much of the beer has been consumed.

## Ask The Flipside

Dear The Northwestern Flipside,

Why don't you have any "Area Woman" articles? It seems like you only ever write articles about men

Sincerely, Sheila Von Ontario

Dear Sheila.

The main reason that the Flipside is so testosterone-fueled is that women rarely do anything stupid enough for us to bother writing articles about them. It's so much easier to make up funny stories about some drunken dude's escapades than it is to find humor in cooking and clean-

I mean, look at Frances Willard. I doubt if she ever did anything worth satirizing. Actually, the real reason that all the articles are about guys is that there isn't a single woman on the Flipside staff (hint, hint). It's just a bunch of dudes sitting around pulling mildly offensive jokes out of nowhere.

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"There's no textbook on judgement. I might make one or two other mistakes, but it will certainly be with great forethought." -Marion Barry, mayor of Washington, D.C.

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Number of Northwestern University students with Swine Flu. According to the CDC, the number of infected students should increase exponentially. Expect 2 people to have the virus by the end of the

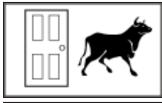
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### REBUS PUZZLES

Can you guess the common word or phrase portrayed below?



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last weeks answers: TRIPLE PLAY, TREETOP, BEDSPREAD, **COWARD** 

Note: All names and stories are fictional, unless public figures are being satirized. Remember, these are all jokes.

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

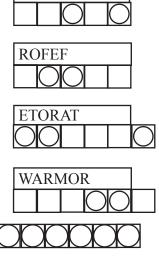
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