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# math **NEWS**

Due to the quality  
of the proposed  
cover, this issue's  
cover has been  
pre-empted by  
this sentence:

Live Fast.

Die Young.

Make a Good Looking Corpse.



## LookAhead

<b>mathNEWSFrosh Issue</b>	
June 10	Submission Deadline
June 22	Production Weekend
<b>mathNEWS</b>	
May 27	Issue #2 production night
May 31	Issue #2 hits the stands (we hope)
<b>Math Faculty</b>	
May 20	Victoria Day – University holiday
May 29	End of drop period
<b>Cinema Gratis</b>	
May 28	short: Rail Roader feature: Roger and Me
<b>MathSoc Social Events</b>	
May 29	BBQ
May 29	Blue Jays VS Oakland road trip



## Captain's Log

Hello and welcome to the Summer of '91! I hope everyone had an enjoyable work term and I hope you are looking forward to an even better summer. You may have noticed that several changes have occurred in the Math Society Office. First, the office setup has been rearranged and second, we have obtained a new photocopier. These changes occurred over the Winter term and have enhanced the services the Math Society offers to its members.

We are still looking for enthusiastic volunteers to staff the Math Society Office, so drop by and sign up for an office hour! If you want to know what's going on attend our next meeting on Tuesday May 21, 1991 at 4:30 pm in MC 4067. You can also drop by our office and talk to a real live Math Society Volunteer! Otherwise check out the electronic message board outside the C&D or, if all else fails, call us at 888-4779. Events-wise we're looking at two Blue Jays/Skydome road trips (May 29 vs. Oakland, July 26 vs. Kansas City), barbecues on alternate Wednesdays, a possible Kingswood/Wonderland roadtrip, and whatever else we can think of. If you have any ideas, let us know! Other items coming up include the Fee Referendum and Long Weekends!

See you in the Pink Tie Zone!

Harish Pawagi  
President

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## Advice Needed

Did you have any interesting or scary experiences in first year? course you did! Would you like to help a pre-frosh get a good start life in Math at UW? Well, here is your chance!

mathNEWS needs your input to make the mathNEWS frosh issue bigger and better. We need ideas, we need stories, we need advice the pre-frosh.

If you want to help with the frosh issue, submit ideas to the BLACK BOX or underneath the mathNEWS door (MC 3041).

## Math Grad Committee

Hi! I'm the 'pre-ratification' Math Graduation Committee Chair for the Class of '92. (Try to say that three times!)

For anyone in the Class of '92 who missed the MGC Organizational Meeting on Wednesday, May 15, there is a sign-up sheet on the Math office door. So it's not too late to get involved. EVERYONE is welcome!

Just a reminder that sign-ups for Grad photos are taking place Wednesday May 15 until Wednesday May 22 from 11 am til 1 pm. Photos will be taken the first week of June. If you don't get your picture taken you won't appear on your class composite photo (only your name will appear beside the heading 'Absent'). So don't risk having your class after you, PLEASE GET YOUR PICTURE TAKEN!

If you have any questions concerning the Math Graduation Committee, drop by MC 3042.

Tracy Kea

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## Prof Quotes

### The Best from Last Term

"Basically, I could argue you've seen that in linear algebra, but you probably haven't."

Seidel, CS 372

"In Algebra, I'm trying to emphasize nothing is important."

Furino, Math 136

"We've decided to discourage people coming into Act Sci by shooting one in fifty every year or so. You're the lucky one."

Sharp, Act Sci 331

"The dean told me this morning that this faculty is brimming with 'Mathematical Giants'. I had a hard time keeping a straight face ..."

"If I look like a TA, I'm a TA. If I look like a prof, I'm a prof. If I look like God, I'm God."

Ravi, Stat 230

"... What was even funnier was that he was referring to the professors."

Goodman, AM 373

"I have a t-shirt. On the front it says 'Italians do it better', on the back it says 'Ravi does it best'."

Ravi, Stat 230

"Can we substitute  $xy$  without even worrying about it? Sure we can! On a Friday afternoon we can do anything."

Sharp, Act Sci 331

"By the fundamental theorem of first year calculus. Of course 'first year' is not a rigorously defined term."

Ng, AM/PM 332

"You're still smiling. We'll have to fix that by the end of the lecture."

Beatty, CS 448

"Do this question, it's good for you. It's like vomiting on yourself, it's a humbling experience."

McGee, Stat 330

"I'm not using any intelligence."

Woods, CS 340

"Let's satisfy ourselves that this is illegal."

Ophel, CS 241

"I encourage people to use Maple. Some say 'Stick it in your ear, McGee.' But they still get an A because I can be bought. The other way to get an A in this course is to beat me at squash. I've checked and I think I can beat everyone in this class."

McGee, AM 343

"I think in my last example I used hash."

Ophel, CS 241

"If you came up to me and said, 'you're a bad professor,' I'll say, 'No, I'm not,' and you'll say, 'Yes, you are,' and then we would start to fight."

Aitkens, Mthel 305B

"You're supposed to do it, and I'm supposed to do it to you, and I did it."

Collins, Math 237

"People have died because they didn't get the principle axis of inertia right."

Davis, Math 235

"I figure that anything a Pure Mathematician can do, I can do better. I said that hoping you'd put that in *mathNEWS* and make some people mad."

Davis, Math 235

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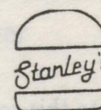
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## Prof Quotes

*Remember, submit your profquotes to the BLACK BOX or under the mathNEWS door.*

"I make all the mistakes on purpose - so that you guys can catch them!"

Mate, CS 473

"You get into trouble when you believe your own bullshit."

Wolch, STAT 331

"I am going to say ... No, I'm not going to say ... well, I *am* going to say that a, b, c, and d are real numbers."

Hoffmann, PM 352

"Don't go wild and give headers."

Sherk, CS 242

"I'd better come up with a reason, fuzzy or not, because this *has* to be zero."

Younger, MATH 136

"We have a universal Turing machine, which may or may not be made by the 'Universal Turing Machine Company'."

Buss, CS 360

"I won't start this today, because it's an infinite tableau and we only have a few minutes left."

Kerr-Lawson, PMATH 430A

"1 is very different from infinity."

Buss, CS 360

"They didn't believe because they couldn't achieve it in the lab - now they can achieve it but the lab is destroyed in the process."

Fitzgerald, PHYS 375

"The number of the question indicates where it will be found in the textbook. For instance, question 2.14 will be found in approximately chapter 2."

Pawlizym, CS 102

"What's that squiggle there? Which squiggle? There's all kinds of squiggles there."

Fitzgerald, PHYS 375

"4 weeks into this course and you'll be crying for mercy."

Buhr, CS 242

"The reason is ... there's no reason, you have to do it."

"You see, at the end of this discussion we don't know any more when we began."

Buhr, CS

"You heard why the Laurier student crossed the road? To get credit."

Honsberger, C&O

"You're sharper than I am. Very good! That doesn't say much about you."

Honsberger, C&O

"Set X is women. Set Y is men. The problem is to match men and women in order to make the women happy. The men don't have a say in it. This is called the Marriage Problem."

Bondy, C&O

Two duh ediTor:

Eye M aN english major hoo reeds MathNews Eve Ryweek wanted to right and tell ewe how much i luv too look at awl de piktur and the funne artickles. It reaLly maiks mi dai whenever erit combs of i hoPe moRe peepLe pUt in moor stuff neckst tyme, cause iT Rea maiks me laff.

Thanxs

I. M. L.

Ps. Cen I right sumting four u? I haf sum neet ideeeuhs. [Let me guess - did you get 90% on your ELPE? — Ed.]

## Top Ten Lies

10. Cheque is in the mail (to Waterloo North Hydro)
9. I put over twenty hours a week into your course (to prof)
8. No I am not a student. I'll be here for a year (potential landlord)
7. My parents are dead (OSAP)
6. Of course I'm within my budget (parents)
5. I was in the CS lab all night (girlfriend/boyfriend)
4. Your company is the best I've seen so far (any potential employer)
3. My roommates are great (roommates)
2. You'll love this (mathNEWS editor)
1. Of course you are the first (boyfriend/girlfriend)



## More Fee Increases?

*This article appeared in mathNEWS in the Winter term.*

I would like to take this opportunity to provide some basic information about the Math Society Fee referendum. I believe that as a past treasurer for MathSoc I can provide some information that may be beneficial in making your choice on referendum day. The last time Math Society asked for a fee increase was in 1983. This raised the fee from \$2.50 to \$5.00 and was supported by 95% of the voters. Since then the services provided by MathSoc have increased drastically in costs due to inflation and the GST. We now have to choose between increasing our membership fee or cutting current services. This decision is to be made by every math student in the upcoming referendum. It is really more than a simple 'YES' or 'NO' question and a matter of \$2.50 a term. The choice is as follows:

No fee increase: If the fee increase is turned down, a re-evaluation and cutting of current services is the only choice. The following services are likely candidates to be reduced:

- mathNEWS fully funded by Math Society
- exam files and cheap photocopies (possibly photocopying period)
- support for the clubs and their various activities
- Math Grad Committee
- Math Society Orientation
- the use of staplers, tape, telephone and various other office activities

## Fee Referendum

As some of you may know, last term the Math Society started a referendum on a fee increase from \$5.00 to \$7.50 per term. The referendum will take place June 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup>. Ballots cast in the Winter term will not be counted until after the vote is held this term.

We need people to run a 'Yes' side and a 'No' side as well as people interested in just presenting the facts. There will be a referendum meeting on *Wednesday, May 22<sup>nd</sup>* in the MathSoc office for anyone interested in helping out with the referendum in any way. All information from last term will be provided to all interested parties at this time.

If you have an opinion on this matter, please come out to the meeting on Wednesday.

Lori  
MathSoc CRO

## Class Reps Wanted

The following class rep positions to the Math Society are now open on a first come, first serve basis.

- 1N 1 seat
- 2A 1 seat
- 2B 3 seats
- 3B 3 seats
- 3N 1 seat
- 4A 2 seats
- 4B 1 seat
- 4N 1 seat

If you are interested, drop by the MathSoc office and pick up a nomination form. Have five of your classmates sign it, bring it back and then come on out to the next MathSoc meeting.

Lori  
CRO

A cut in any of these services would reduce the Math Society and reduce its effectiveness in running other less costly services such as the fourth floor study areas, the C& D shop, and the representation of math on various campus bodies especially the Faculty committees which request and report information to the Math Society.

Increasing the fee: An increase in the Math Society fee will not solve all of the problems. A fee increase will allow for the proposed computer facilities, modern photocopiers, more prizes and reduced entry fees for social events, and the ability to try other ideas in the future. Past traditions supported by the Math Society include the prof course evaluations ran by the faculty and WatPubs (Math Society still pays one-third of the costs for WatPubs).

Besides increasing fees, the Math Society needs people dedicated to improving student life. This requires responsible people, and that the membership demand appropriate actions to be taken on their behalf. Since the Math Society is composed of volunteers, the level of participation of the membership dictates the level of service and responsibility. This requires your participation and ideas. Commitment to improving student life is also required to provide the services that the membership fee provides.

Peter Zettler  
MathSoc Treasurer S90

## FEE REFERENDUM

### THE QUESTION

Yes, I am in favour of an increase in the Math Society membership fee from its current \$5.00 to \$7.50 effective in the Fall '91 term.

No, I am not in favour of such a fee increase.

### THE DATES June 5 and 6

THE PLACE  
3RD Floor, Math and Computer



## Bridge Over Troubled Students

Hey there all you CRAZY students out there! This is your old reliable Bridge Ace here, bringing you yet another installment of Ace on Bridge. First of all, a couple of minor notes ...

The University of Waterloo Bridge Club is opening its doors for the summer season. The games will take place weekly in MC4067, starting at 7:30 every Thursday. The entry is (GASP!) \$2.50, and refreshments are free!!

Also, anyone interested in learning how to play the world's most popular card game, lessons will be offered this term, for the low, low price of ... NOTHING! How can we do this? I don't know, but we are anyways! The course is 8 weeks long, and will be approximately 2 hours every week, starting next Monday or Tuesday (both nights are available, for your convenience). It includes a text book, a free 6-month membership to the world's most popular bridge magazine, and a t-shirt. All this can be yours! Just show up next week (that's the 20/21) in MC4067 at 7:00 and become involved!

And now for something not at all different ...

### Hey U! Bridge is going strong ...

When we last left our troop of hardy travellers at Hey University, they were about ready to start a new rubber. "Wasn't it obvious from the beginning that I had the Jack of Diamonds," pleaded Russ Croff to his partner, the Count de Thyrtene, after all, everyone else had shown out of the suit. The Count turned majestically to his partner, and growled, "I do want to know your problem. Let us just continue, and forget the whole thing."

The Count finished his Bloody Mary and dealt the first hand ...

No-One Vul North Dealer

#### The Count

S- J43254xx  
H- —32  
D- AKQT3 987293  
C- JT9823

#### Jack O'Hart

S- AQ65  
H- KJ97  
D- 4  
C- KQ32

#### Wan Novrump

S- K987  
H- AQT8  
D- 65  
C- 765

#### Russ Croffg

S- T  
H- 65432  
D- J9872  
C- A4

## Exam Writers' Anonymous

- Does the pattern 'A D B B C A E' mean anything to you?
- Do you repeat 'When in doubt, choose C' when filling out machine readable cards, even when picking lottery tickets?
- Has anyone commented to you that no one else studies in May?
- Are you planning to live in the library over the long weekend?
- Are you in Act Sci or do you look like an Act Sci type?

If you answered 'yes' to even one of the above questions, you may be addicted to writing exams. We are forming a self-help group for people who share this problem. For emergencies, we also have a crisis line 1-800-IGI-VEUP.

Not the Secretary  
With help from FS

The Bidding:			
Count	Wan	Russ	Jack
1D	P	1H	DBL
2D	2S	5D	DBL
P	P	P	

The bidding was fairly simple, even for the Transylvanian Immigrant. Wan started the proceedings with a spade, and Jack won and returned a diamond. The won this with the 7 on the dummy and thought. He didn't know what to do. He had just learned about ruffing the weak before, so he decided to do that for a while. He ruffed a heart with the Ten, and a spade with the 2, and a heart and a spade, and a heart, and a spade and yet another heart with his Ace. This was the position:

C-KQ32	C-JT98	D-5	C-765
		H-2	
		D-J	
		C-A4	

The count crossed to the Ace of clubs and cashed the Jack of diamonds, pulling the last trump, and triumphantly played the 2 of hearts, knowing that it was good. After all, it was the last one, and he certainly could count to thirteen.

Until next time, Aces to all of you from Ace on Bridge.

## YO DUDES,



Welcome back! We hope you're ready for an incredible fun in the sun and not to mention 'gnarly' term. Your leading party-mongers are Oliver (Oli), Julie (Jules), and Stacey (Stace) and we're here to show you a **GOOD** time (wink-wink-nudge-nudge).

Some excellent events planned for this term are...drum roll please...

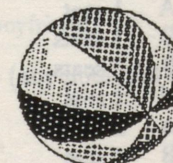
- 6 hour CS Labs
- How to program your calculator
- Memorizing  $\pi$  to the 100th decimal place

**NOT!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!**



Are you kidding? We did say 'an incredibly fun term'. Here are **some** of the totally bodacious happenings...

- BBQ's, alternate Wednesdays starting May 15th
- Jay Games May 29th and July 26th
- Pool Party
- Trip to Wonderland
- Outdoor Movie
- Beach Trips



**...AND MUCH MUCH MORE.**

So stay tuned to this radical publication for more dates and details.



## Act Sci Club

Welcome to brand new term at Waterloo! The Act Sci Club has some great news for all of you. Party!Party!Party! That's right, let the festivities begin! Last week the club held its general meeting. What a roaring success it was. The executive of the club is as follows:

President: Raj  
 Vice-Pres: Eugene  
 Treasurer: David  
 Secretary: Colleen (same as last term)

The class reps are:

First year rep : to be announced (ask Raj)  
 Second year rep: Jill  
 Third year rep: Wayne Edmonds  
 Fourth year rep: Paul Sauve

As you can tell by the amazing executive and reps, the club will be planning some amazing events. One member was heard to ask "When is the wet T-shirt contest?". Another asked if we were going to demolish the Pure Math Club at softball again. Another asked if he was going to receive "The Ginsu 2000" with his membership.

We said, "You bet! Just prove Fermat's last theorem or finish Mozart's unfinished symphony."

By the way, the membership this term is only \$2.00. What! This price is even lower than the Brick would offer! Not only that it includes the club member as part of the Actuarial Student's National Association, all the pop and donuts one human can intake at our great seminars, a chance to purchase a groovy T-shirt (for the wet T-shirt contest), a chance to meet fellow classmates and students from other universities who study actuarial science, and last but not least an opportunity to meet Raj!

Many unusual and exciting events have already been planned. Come on out and meet your friends. If you have any questions about the club, our office is in MC 3034 and office hours are 10:30 to 1:30 MTWR. Remember to come with a good joke!

Faisal (the past Pres)

## Ultra Classifieds

Anthony:  
 You eunich jelly-belly! Come and get it in the yarbles - if you have any yarbles!

Chris C.  
 You told me you still have the cutest behind, you'll have to show me sometime.

Duff

Kevin E.  
 They'll let anyone in here and you're the proof.

Kevin C.  
 Ran out of KD yet?

J&J

Karen S.  
 Still have that bathing suit that has a mind of its own?

A day in Waterloo without rain is like a day without sunshine.

August

## CSC Flash

*As The Disk Turns  
 opening credits and digitized theme music;*

The young and the sleepless welcome you to another term of Computer Science Club episodes. Enter another world on location in MC 3037, where you may have library borrowing privileges, free tea, a free UNIX<sup>tm</sup> account on the club machine, and dialogue with the CSC's all-star cast of knowledgeable and/or interesting people. Membership costs but \$2 per term.

This term's tantalizing storylines include...

- CSC Elections, May 23<sup>rd</sup> - Nominations are open now, on the CSC chalkboard. Exact place and time of the voting will be posted. This episode will feature Tea and Doughnaughts. The CSC is casting members for many glamorous roles!

- The Softball Challenge - will the brave and noble CSC wrest the CSC Challenge trophy from the domineering CS faculty, or will the faculty triumph once again?

- The Romantic Turmoil - will watcsc ever leave Helga for the much younger Amiga? What exactly is Hal's connection to the printer? Will U(W) continue to hamper Slime's attachment to the ethernet? Follow the multicoloured leads to discover the powerful entanglements of the CSC's machines.

To discover more of the secret past and dynamic present of the CSC, make a guest appearance in our office. You only have one live to live.

Calum T. Dalek  
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## Why do we look for birds?

I asked a few of my friends (yes, I have friends) why they look for birds. Here's what they told me:

- 'They fly south for the winter.'
- 'Easy to pass.'
- 'They eat all of your stale bread (ie dough. They cost money but they fill up your course load.)'
- 'Reduce stress.'
- 'They wake you up in the morning.' [ed: I don't think that's why we look for them.]
- 'No one goes looking for math courses.'
- 'They're funny when you get them drunk.'
- 'To rescue your average.'
- 'They're free!'
- 'Colourful.'
- 'So I don't have to go to class.'

I'm sure you can think of a few more of your own.

Not the Secretary  
With help from 11 friends

## Top Ten Movie Phrases Heard in the Comfy Lounge

10. I'll be back!  
(Running Man → E.T.)
9. Not!  
(Any movie made in the last year)
8. (In a whimpy voice..) Nooooooooooooooooooooooooooooooooooooo!  
(Luke "You're not my Father" Skywalker)
7. Don't you see! You're stupid! Stupid Stupid Stupid Stupid!!  
(Plan 9 From Outer Space)
6. I like it!!  
(RoboCop or Any Italian Late-Night Movie))
5. (In gratuitous New York accent): You're too Kind. You're FAR too Kind. Like Here's kindness, you went right past it!  
(A night with Gilbert Gottfried or A Nightmare on Elm Street)
4. What is your Name? What is your Quest? What is the airspeed of an unladen swallow?  
(From the 8-track of the cassette of the album of the soundtrack of the trailer of the film of Month Python and The Holy Grail)
3. I don't knooooooooooooooooooooooooooooow!  
(See above)
2. I don't get no respect!  
(Any Rodney Dangerfield parody...or is that a redundancy?)
1. Gooooooooooooooooooooood Morning Waterloo.  
(FASS '91 - Please Do Not Adjust your Set : So It's not a movie)

## We want you!

It has recently come to my attention that there is a certain amount of apathy among the math students with regard to the creation of *math NEWS*. This was most evident in the last production night (last week). We had 4 people show up, and the issue was postponed by one week. It looks like we're going to have an issue this week, but I'm not making any promises for the next 4 issues. If *you* want to see another issue in 4 weeks, you'd better do something about it. Come out to a production night, write an article or three, make me a cover. This isn't my paper. It's *your* paper, and I'm not going to feel any particular remorse if you don't want to do anything towards its creation. The fact that the term's staff is presently a subset of last fall's staff is frightening enough.

Hence: if you can write in English or any other language that L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X supports, can drink Coke<sup>™</sup> Classic, and snarf pizza, come on out! I promise not to give you killer assignments, make you think, or write *any* exams. Next several production nights are listed in the look-ahead. See you then!

Marcel Goudeseu  
*mathNEWS* Editor

## Masthead

Well, I almost can't believe it. It's 11:45, we actually have a half-decent issue put together, *people actually showed up*, the laserprinter is still up [I've just gotten news that the connection to watdcs went down :- ( — Ed.] , and only the ethernet connection between server and shine went down. Bonus! And to top it all off, I'm still conscious.

Anyways, here are the people who worked on putting together this issue, along with their Favorite Question In Absentia, since half of them were gone by the time we came up with that question. John (If I'm not here, why should I have to say anything?), Curtis (It wasn't me, you didn't see me do it, I wasn't there!), Kivi (Hey! Where am I?), Rick (I was there, but that's my story, and I'm sticking to it), Eric (Anything you do with squash), Jeff (What question?), Jim (Since nobody missed me, it really doesn't matter, does it?), Shannon (Good one, Marcel.), Fain (Who thought of this question?), Betty-Jo (If I'm not here, where am I?), and Lori (Anything with a bed in it). Until next issue (we hope) this is your editor signing off.

Marcel

## Squash and Other Mathematical Vegetables ...

I was shopping in the supermarket the other day, when, all of a sudden, from out of nowhere came this sound. I'm not really sure how to describe it, but all I know is that I definitely don't ever want to hear it again. Anyways, I turned and I saw this squash on the ground, completely shattered. I was amazed with the symbolic beauty of the vegetable, with its near-sine-wave interior, and perfectly symmetric exterior, and, I uh ... well ... started to cry in awe of the moment.

Then I started to think about other vegetables, and how many of them I take them for granted. Have you ever looked inside a head of lettuce and counted the number of leaves? or the nibbllets on a cob of corn. And how about the turnips, and the potatoes with their sometimes perfectly spherical. After I started to see all this beauty in the world, I was very sad. I had butchered vegetables all my life, eating them without any thought for what they might hold for the world.

Well, no more. I have sworn off vegetables of every type! I will never take a thing of sheer elegance off the cuff, and I will never eat anything that has some aesthetic mathematical value ever again.

I'm Andy Rooney for 60 Seconds



## mathTREK: The Next Generating Function

POISSON: Captain's Log, Stardate 45781.3 The ship has bid a fond farewell to Ensign Weasel Crusher as he enters Starfleet Academy. The entire crew wishes him success in school as well as in life.

[SCENE: Everyone is on the bridge except Ravi]

POISSON: Well, It's official! The little bastard is gone!

EVERYONE: Hip hip hooray!

POISSON: Bridge to Guinan. I want a humongous party tonight, with all of the drinking, dancing, fornicating, and all the things we haven't done for the last four seasons because there was a minor in the officer's corps!

[Ravi enters]

RAVI: The bridge smells nice. Weasel must be gone!

POISSON: Number One! Have you heard anything about Weasel's replacement?

RAVI: As a matter of fact, I have. He's just beamed aboard, and is on his way to the bridge.

[as if on cue, the turbolift opens to reveal the newcomer]

POISSON: Welcome aboard, Ensign. May I have your name?

BART: I'm Ensign Bart Simpson, who the hell are you?

POISSON: I'm your captain, and you will not address me in that manner!

BART: Don't have a cow, man! WHOA! All these blinkin' lights and everything! [notices Councillor Cleavage] Not a bad set of forward phaser banks, either!

WOOF: He is even more annoying than Weasel!

BART: Awesome! Godzilla manning the weapons!

WOOF: Why you little — [leaps for Bart]

[Woof grabs Bart by the neck causing his eyes to cross and his tongue to stick out. Then they go at it, raising a large cloud of dust on the bridge]

POISSON: [looks at Ravi] 10-Forward?

RAVI: 10-Forward. [they leave]

CLEAVAGE: Stop this! Both of you! Maybe if I read Bart's emotions, I'll better understand how to stop him.

[Councillor Cleavage concentrates then grins stupidly and collapses, drooling and dweebing her lips]

CLEAVAGE: Bweebweebweebweebweebweebweeb!

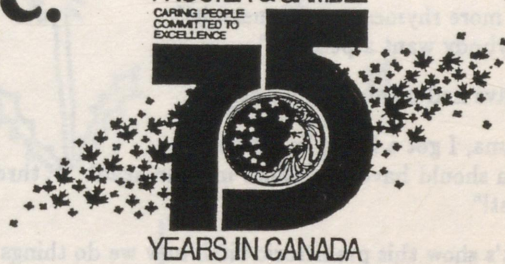
Will either Woof or Bart survive the battle? How will the Squizprize run with both its captain and first officer sloshed? For the answer to these and other important questions, read the next part of this parody, which will be written as soon as hell freezes over.

Snoogy Woogy

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**mathNEWSquiz # 1***the quiz celebrates summer*

Welcome back to campus, everyone! It's summer, it's hot, and you know what that means: members of the appropriate sex in very little clothing. 'Nuff said. Ahhh, just lay back in your Mr. Turtle pool, shades on, cool drink in your hand, and you're in Paradise (or as close as you'll ever get to Paradise in Waterloo). Enough dilly-dallying, let's get on with the quiz!

**Cheers***Everyone's Favourite Bar*

1. What was Rebecca's nickname at college?
2. What was the first word Frazier's son spoke?
3. How did Carla's husband, Eddie Lebec, die?
4. On what charge did Diane bring Sam to court?

**Bobby Orr***(The Legend lives on)*

1. How many points did Bobby score in the '72 Summit Series against the Soviets?
2. What number did Bobby wear when he played for the Oshawa Generals?
3. How many times did Bobby win the NHL's Art Ross Trophy?
4. Name Bobby's defence partner on the Boston Bruins during the '70's

**Movie Quotes***(Name the movie these quotes are from)*

1. "No more rhymes, now! I mean it!"  
"Anybody want a peanut?"
2. "I have had plenty of good sex!"
3. "Mama, I got a bullet in my head!"  
"You should have two bullet in your head! ... three bullet! four bullet!"
4. "Let's show this prehistoric bitch how we do things downtown"

**Olympic Champions**

1. Which Olympian had a daughter that became a princess?
2. Which Olympian helped capture Sirhan Sirhan?
3. Which Olympian taught millions of mothers how to raise their children?
4. Which Olympian invented the Erector Set?

OK, you all know how this goes. Place your answers on a piece of paper, and put that paper in the **BLACK BOX**, located on the 3<sup>rd</sup> floor. Entries must be in before 6:00 pm Monday May 27. At the very least, I expect all the people I know this term to do this quiz (there's not that many, but you know who you are — especially that one person that didn't show up to production night to help me typeset). Anyhow, get your pencils sharpened, and start squizzing.

Fluffy the Wonder Bunny  
and sometimes Moo Moo

**Logic Puzzle**

It was Thursday at the garage, and four really spiffy cars sat in various states of dismantlement. The owners had damaged them in four different ways, in four different cities, and now they all needed fixing.

Given the following clues, determine the extent of each car's damage, its colour, and where it got hit. As well, determine the favourite colour herring of the garage's owner. All correct solutions received the standard places by next production night will earn a prize. This really easy, folks, so let's see those answers!

1. The classic black car blew its engine, but not in Waterloo.
2. The headlights blew on King Street West.
3. Robin, in the hot red car, killed its body in a twelve-car collision just within Guelph city limits.
4. If the garage's owner likes green herring, up is down. And vice versa, if you know what I mean.
5. The banana yellow car was just to the left of the Thunderbird the garage. Note that the T-Bird did not (unlike another car) have an accident in Cambridge.
6. Dale, driving the Lamborghini, killed the chassis somewhere within the Twin Cities.
7. Neither the Porsche nor the electric blue Ferrari went anywhere near Kapuskasing.
8. The garage owner's name is Andea di Wilya.

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**Every Tuesday  
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