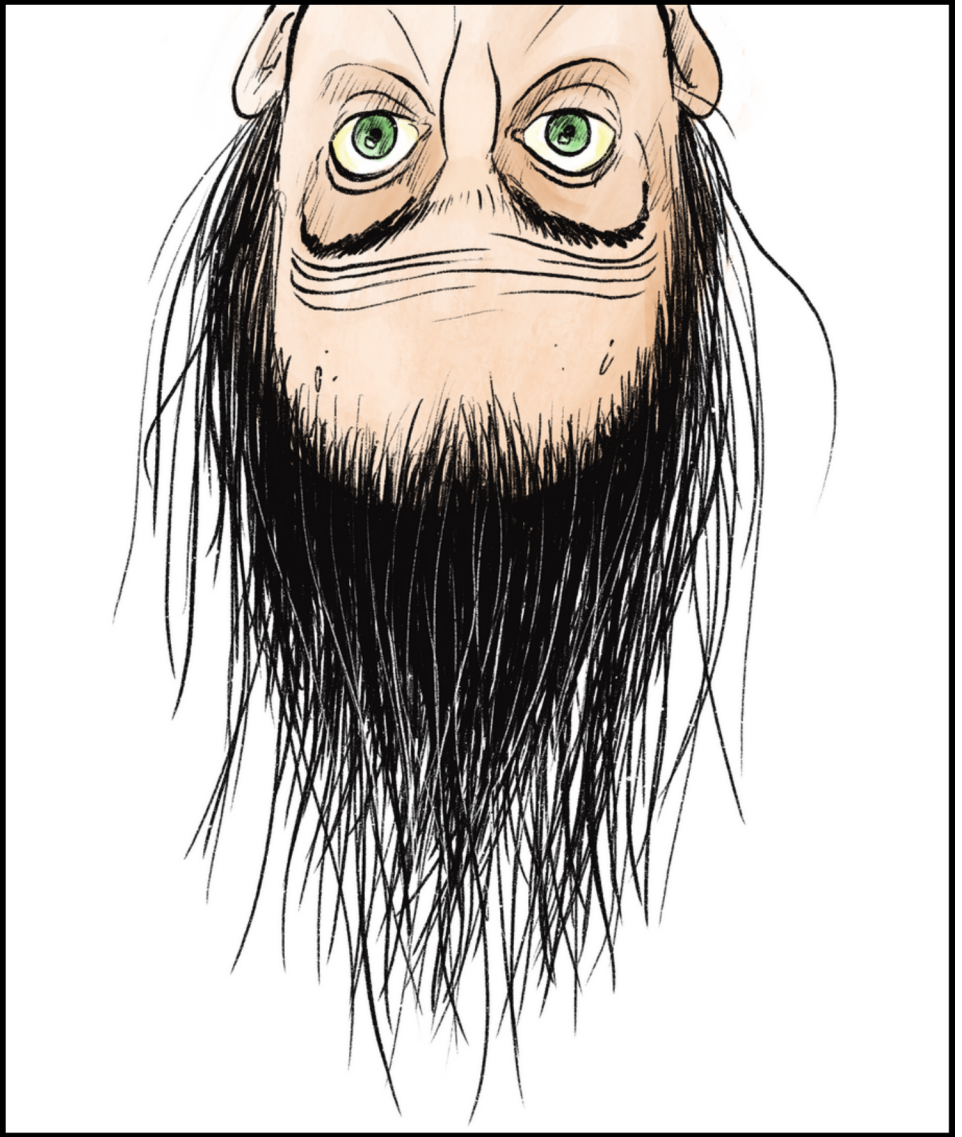


# ODDBALLS

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If you can dream it, you can dream it!



Seamus C. Monster,  
Resident Odditor

Happy New Year!

Get ready to hear all the best **New Years hits** around the water cooler:

- “Can you **believe** it’s already 2024?!”
- “It felt like just yesterday it turned 2023, now **here we are!**”
- “My New Year’s resolution is to lose weight! **This is the year!**”

Sound familiar? If *you’re* not saying any of the above comments, *someone* near you probably is.

I, for one, am not doing New Year’s resolutions. **Instead**, I do what I call...

## *New Year’s Delusions!*

Basically, I **envision** myself as an **influential and popular billionaire** whom everyone reveres and wants to interview on their podcast.

Who knows? Maybe I’ll get my fins on a **VR headset** and **immerse myself in the fantasy!**

It’s not a goal, it’s a daydream. It’s my philosophy of **“Fake it ‘till you go to sleep!”**

Anyways... **enjoy this issue!**

## Odditor's Picks!



### Squirrel House

Nearly **99.999%** of **squirrels** are homeless; they simply live wherever they can hang their hat.\* With this *Squirrel House*, your chattering friend will finally have a place to rest his weary **squirrel bones!**

\*99.999% of squirrels don't have a hat either

### Quantum Entanglement Disco Suit

At last, quantum physicists have discovered an **alternative universe** where **disco is still popular!** They were only able to fit **37 of these groovy garments** through their quantum portal so **supplies are scientifically scarce!**



### C.L.A.W.S. (Cat-Like AI Without a Soul)

Sometimes cats can get all cuddly and cute. **Blech!** With *C.L.A.W.S.* You **only** get anger and spite! It puts the **“OW”** in **“MEOW!”**





## Readers like you!

### Bark & Beers



Scout (left) and Buddy (right), regulars at their local *Happy Hydrant* in Boise, ID, sent this pic and wrote, "We enjoyed FINALLY seeing guys like us in issue #8!" Good boys!

### Dino Style



In response to "Dino Teens" (issue #14), Feroz Lagarto of San Antonio, TX wrote: "Print this selfie of me, an ACTUAL dino teen, at the mall shopping for wicked threads before meeting up with my girlfriend at the food court!" OK. Done.

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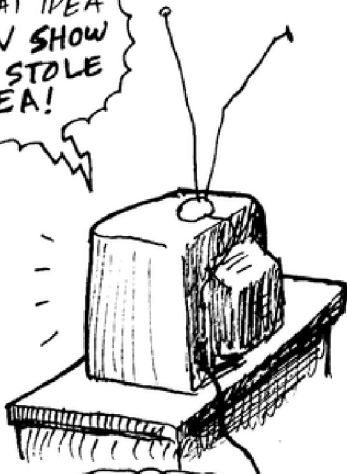
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YOU STOLE MY IDEA

I HAD THAT IDEA FOR A TV SHOW AND YOU STOLE MY IDEA!



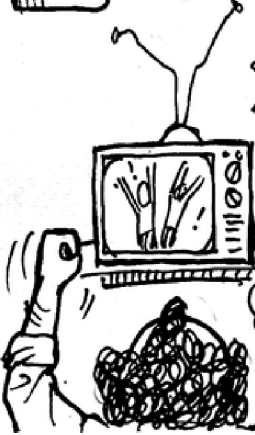
HMM... I BET THAT HAPPENS A LOT...

HOLLYWOOD FOLKS STEALING OTHER PEOPLES IDEAS FOR SHOWS.



NOW THERE'S AN IDEA: A SHOW ABOUT PEOPLE STEALING TV SHOW IDEAS!

THAT'S A SCENE FROM THE NEW SHOW "YOU STOLE MY IDEA" COMING THIS FALL!



HEY! THEY STOLE MY IDEA!

MIDDLE-AGED MEN WAXING PHILOSOPHICAL WHILE WAITING IN LINE TO BUY A CUP OF COFFEE



WHY DO WE STAND IN LINE TO BUY WHEN THEY SHOULD STAND IN LINE TO SELL!

MY CONSCIOUSNESS AT THIS POINT IN TIME AT THIS POINT IN THIS LINE IS FUNDAMENTALLY UNIQUE.

SUBTRACT THE PAIN OF WAITING FROM THE PLEASURE OF THE COFFEE... THAT IS THE TRUE VALUE!

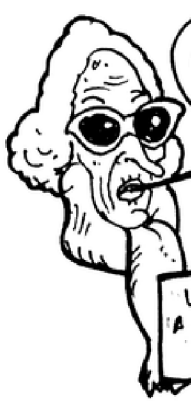
THOSE WHO TALK TO THEMSELVES ARE ONLY ADDRESSING THEIR OWN WORST CRITIC!

COFFEE

# 2024

NEW YEARS RESOLUTIONS

For Rich People



I WILL REPLACE ALL MY ARTHRITIC JOINTS WITH PLATINUM ONES!

WIDOW OF A BUSINESS TYCOON



I PLAN TO PUBLICALLY SHAME A FORTUNE 500 COMPANY SO THAT I CAN BUY THE STOCK DIRT CHEAP!

CORPORATE RAIDER INVESTOR



I WILL KEEP THE CORPORATE RAIDERS AT BAY AT LEAST ONE MORE YEAR!

YOUNG TECH START-UP ENTREPRENEUR



I WILL MAKE A POP ICON OUT OF ONE OF MY BILLIONAIRE FRIENDS' TODDLER.

MUSIC PRODUCER



I WILL RECORD A MUSIC ALBUM! IT'LL GO PLATINUM!

POP ICON TODDLER



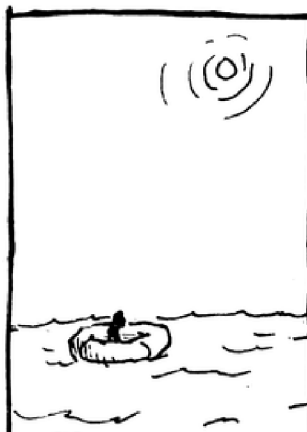
I WILL CONVINCE RICH ELDERLY PEOPLE TO REPLACE THEIR BONES WITH PRINTED PLATINUM!  
HAHAHAHAHA.

REPTILIAN ILLUMINATI MEMBER

RANDOM HUMANS



THE  
**LIFERAFT**



HOW LONG HAVE I BEEN OUT HERE?

A WEEK? LONGER?

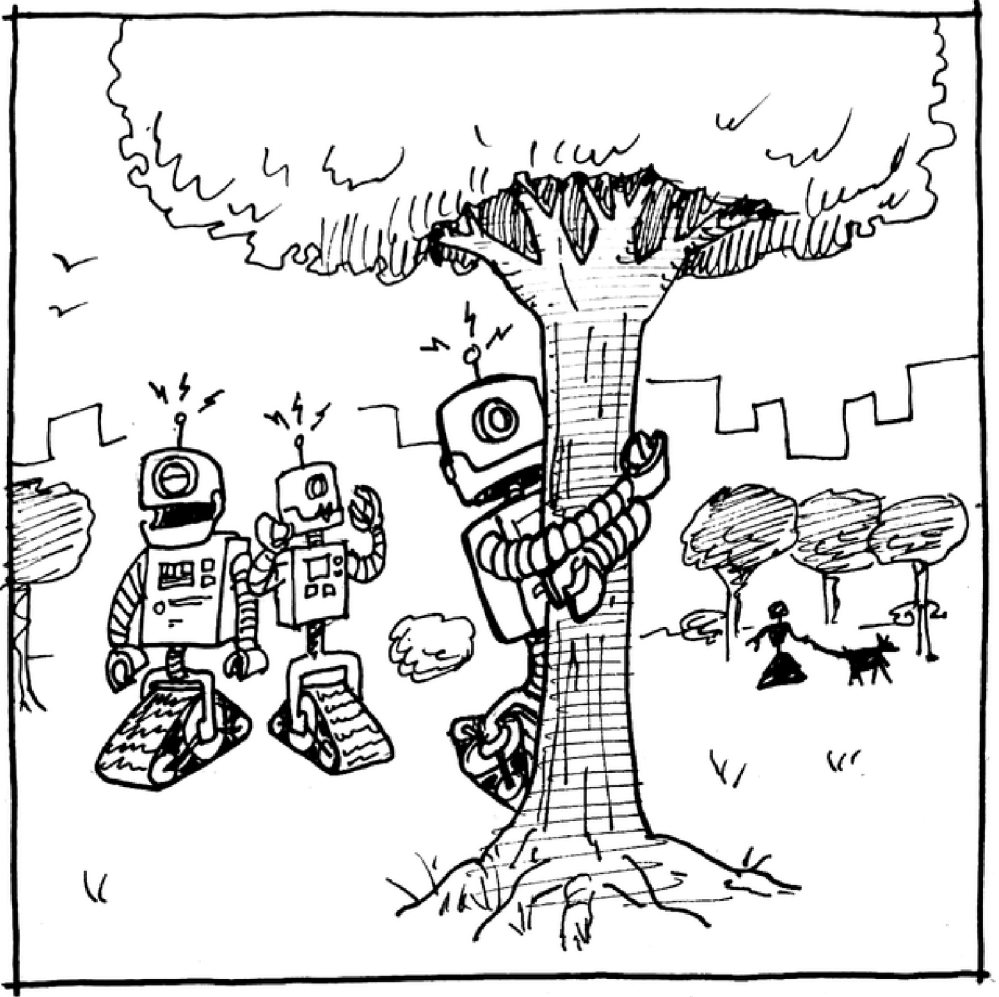
PLENTY OF RAINWATER... BUT MY FOOD IS GONE.



FIN



# CHOOSE-A-CAPTION: "TREE HUGGIN' ROBOT"



1. "HE THINKS NATURE IS BETTER THAN TECH. HE'LL GROW OUT OF IT!"
2. "JENNY! I STRICTLY FORBID YOU FROM DATING THAT NON-ROBOT!"
3. "I THINK HE WAS CODED BY AN ENVIRONMENTALIST!"
4. "IT'S HIS NEW PET. HE NAMED IT 'WOODY'!"
5. "I BELIEVE HE WAS A SQUIRREL IN A PREVIOUS LIFE... MEANING, HE WAS A SQUIRREL NPC IN A VIDEO GAME."
6. WRITE YOUR OWN! \_\_\_\_\_

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# BREAKFAST CEREAL

FOR LOSERS



THEY'RE  
MAGICALLY  
HORRENDOUS!



DON'T  
FOLLOW  
YOUR  
NOSE!



IT'S  
BAAAAAD!



OOPS!  
ALL-  
DINGLE-  
BERRIES!

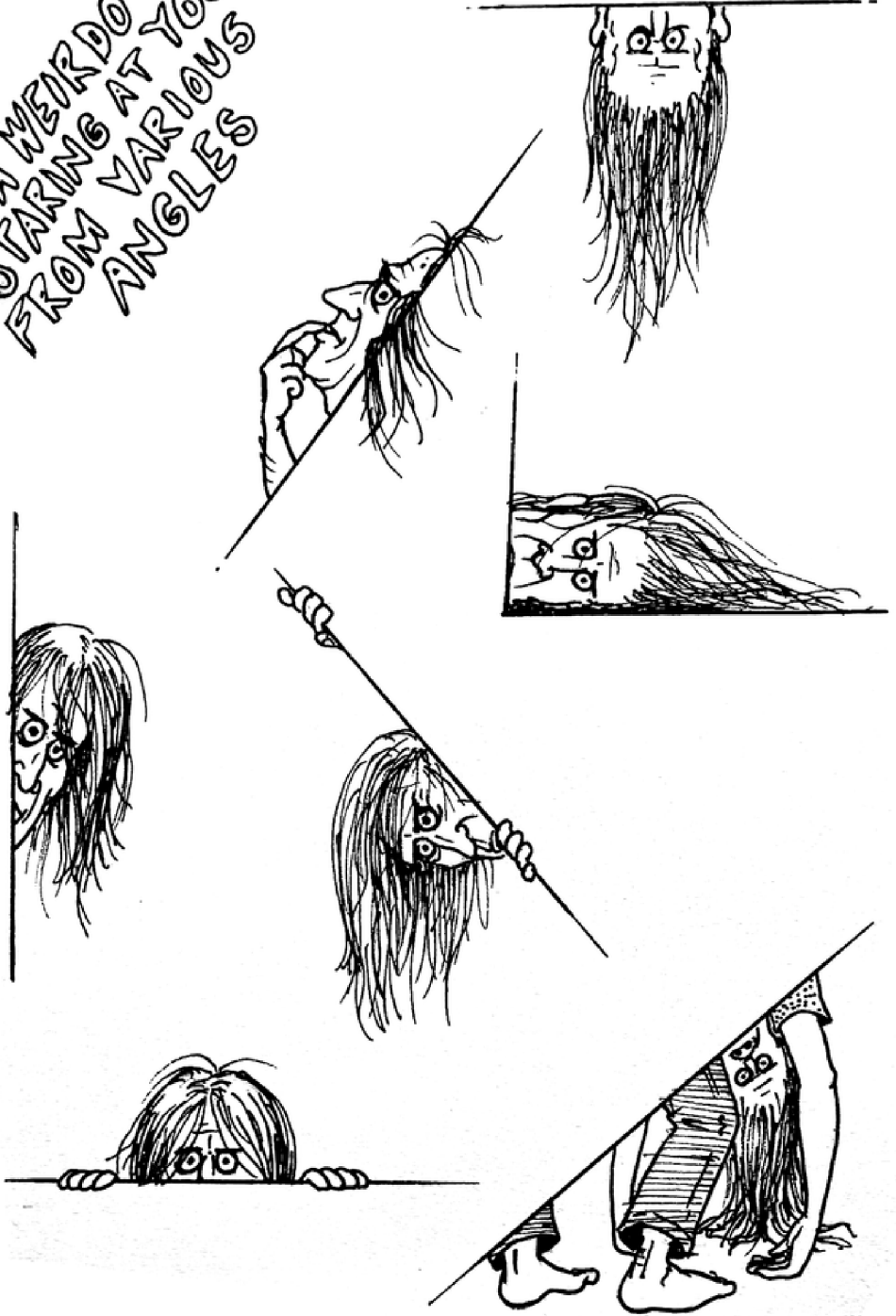


THEY'RE  
GROSS!



IT'S  
KILLER

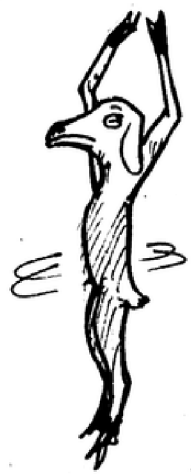
A WEIRDO  
STARING AT YOU  
FROM VARIOUS  
ANGLES



# ♪ ♪ DANCING GOATS ♪ ♪



DISCO



BALLET



HIP HOP



THAT RIBBON ONE



TAPPITY-TAP-TAP

TAP



AKWARD SCHOOL SLOW DANCE

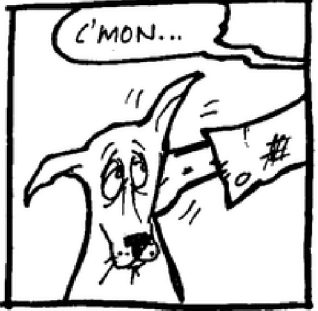


CRUNK



JAZZ HOOVES

# THE HOBO



# BARBARIAN



# ODDS & ENDS



Your questions and comments addressed by none other than our resident Odditer... **Seamus C. Monster**

*Full disclosure: The questions and comments at hand are completely fictional as of this moment. So... send us questions and comments, will ya?*

Dear Oddballs,

I can't decide what I want to be when I grow up. Next month, I turn 43 years old so I think I should figure it out. Any suggestions?

ManChild in MT

Dear ManChild,

How old do you want to live? If you're a sea monster like I am, you can live to be about 300 years old. What I'm saying is, you've got time to figure this out. Good luck!

Seamus C. Monster

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Dear Oddballs,

I was buying clothes the other day when I saw myself in the store - not a doppelgänger, but ME... a glitch in the Matrix. Can you explain it?

Cloned in CT

Dear Cloned,

It's simple. You walked by a mirror. Happens all the time.

Seamus C. Monster

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Dear Oddballs,

Why do I have trouble concentrating? All I want to do is look at stuff on my phone. Why is that?

Distracted in DE

Dear Distracted,

You concentrate on your phone, right? So, you don't have trouble concentrating. You have trouble *not* concentrating on your phone. The solution is to live a life that's more exciting than your phone. Try hunting vampires.

Seamus C. Monster

--- o ---

Dear Oddballs,

Will I ever find buried treasure? I've been digging for ages!

Mapless in MA

Dear Mapless,

As they say, it's not how *much* you dig, but *where* you dig. You dig?

Seamus C. Monster

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# Swinesuit Issue 2024

# SNORTS ILLUSTRATED



Collector's  
Edition

**Wallow in style**  
Catch someone's eye,  
whether on the beach  
or in the sty  
Pg. 45

**Butter in the Sun**  
Our super models  
sell the sizzle!  
Pg. 67

**From Farm to  
Fantastic!**  
How one sow got her  
beach body by gaining  
137 lbs. - Amazing  
Transformation!  
Pg. 122

**Hamming it Up**  
Be the life of the luau  
all the way up 'till  
dinnertime  
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