

X NEWSPAPER X

WEEKLY* EDITION



Rumors of Rival Newspaper Offset by Lack of Actual Paper

So is there going to be a rival paper or not, John? What's the matter? Don't have anything to write about? Did we steal all your stories?

And what about *The Independent*, what's the deal with them? They had what, one issue? What's the deal with everyone? Can't anyone focus their attention long enough to get anything done?

Dumbledore Dies

Oops.... Although if you're distraught by that you're kind of behind the times anyway.

Excess of Sleep Leads to Loss

After a long snooze, a Yellow Springs High School student awoke to find that the midnight deadline for applying to college had passed and he will be forced to sit around YS next year.

Student Dibble-Dabbles in Crock Pot

Despite writing a 'personal health' paper during his freshman year at YSHS warning against the dangers of doing so, Evan Gerthoffer (now a Miami Valley student) could no longer resist the lure of what he called 'the crock pot of sexual monsters.' In retrospect, Gerthoffer says dibble-dabbling was not the right choice to make.

Newspaper to Get Gully

MATT HALM & DAVID SUZEL

After many reader requests for *X Newspaper X* to increase its "realness" factor, a decision has been made leading the newspaper to "get gully."

To that end we have obtained a public endorsement from none other than rap superstar Mike Jones. Mike says that *X Newspaper X* is "really funny," and "almost as good as purple drank... wait can I talk about that in your paper? Sorry I keep forgetting what demographic you guys are publishing this for." To the right is a publicity

photo featuring Mike posing with a copy of issue 11 in front of a picket fence.

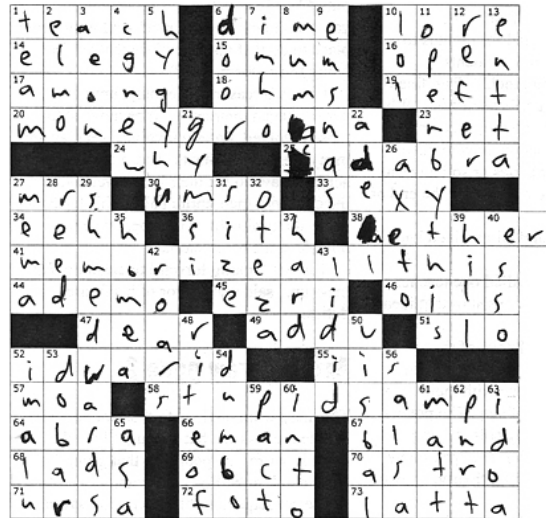
We hope you'll agree that with this new endorsement *X Newspaper X* is well on its way to getting gully.



We Have a Winner!

THE X NEWSPAPER X STAFF

Congratulations, salutations, and commendations for Kevin Carr, the winner of our first annual *X Newspaper X* Crossword Contest! You may be wondering what special prize Kevin won, but we'll get to that later. Presented below is the correct solution to the crossword puzzle as submitted by Kevin.



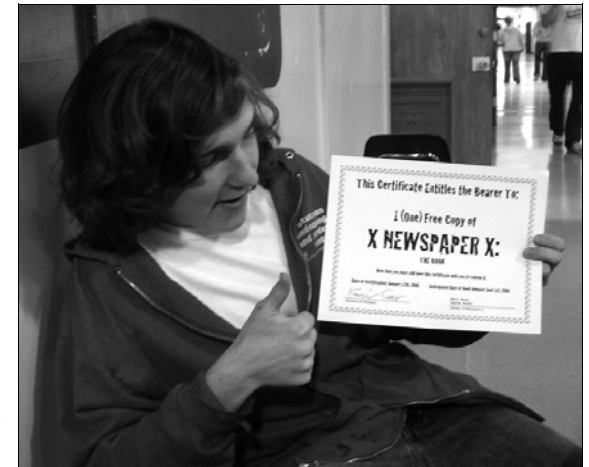
True to it's name, the *X Newspaper X* Crossword was exceedingly unorthodox, featuring clues that were at best cryptic and at worst unintelligible.

However, Kevin turned in his completed crossword not two hours after initial distribution of the paper, breaking all known land speed records.

Congratulations also to our runner-up, Brandon Carver who said he finished it but heard Kevin won so he threw it away. That's good enough for me. Third place goes to Christina Peters.

And now to the prize. Or to be more specific, prizes. That's right, Kevin not only won a lifetime subscription to *X Newspaper X*, but he is also now the proud owner of a certificate entitling him to a free copy of *X Newspaper X: The Book* (pending publication). Jealous?

There may be more *X Newspaper X* crosswords and therefore more chances to win! Stay tuned.



Kevin greedily claims his prize at the midday ceremony in his honor.

*Publication may not actually come out on the same day every week, but attempts to maintain an issue-to-week ratio of approximately one. Sorry Carly.

EDITORIAL:

They Call Me C-Murder

CAREY DIXON

Well, actually they don't. But it'd be sick if they did. I think Scott did once or twice, maybe it was Duncan actually. I don't remember... somebody on the tennis team last year though for sure. Honestly, I don't really understand the name myself. It sounds cool though, doesn't it? I hope its not too abrasive, you know with the 'murder' and all. Its not supposed to be, most def. I just like the sound of it. Say it a couple times, it sort of rolls off your tongue. C-murder... C-murduh... yeah, say it like that. Anyway, it makes me feel like a badass dude. So all you guys should start referring to me as such. Holla at cha' boy C-murduh. Yeah, that's tight. Ridiculous too, but that's okay... I'm low key a ridiculous person. I know I say that a lot, but there's a lot of truth in it. Sorry if you guys are tired of hearing it, or tired of me doing ridiculous things. Whatever, I guess its entertaining even if slightly annoying. Okay, I'm done... sorry if this article bored you. Remember, it's C-murder from here on out. Holla.

EDITORIAL:

I Don't Understand

MATT HALM

How is that even real? The first time you ever get something submitted on time and it's straight garbage. Do you really think I'm going to print that nonsense? It doesn't even make sense.

Are you a real person? No one is going to call you C-murder and you know it. It's not even that cool sounding. Frankly it's rude.

Can you please write something real? I am tired of your unprofessionalism and lack of conviction. I don't even know if I like the real things you wrote. Anyway that's it.

Bofis Lets Paper Down

I'm not really sure what the deal is with that.... Stay tuned.

Bulldogs Win 58-57

CAREY DIXON

The YSHS varsity basketball team defeated Troy Christian Eagles on Friday Jan. 6. Quick baskets by Issa Walker and Anthony Carter helped ensure the Bulldog's lead at the end of the first and second quarters. Ryan Silvert and Brad Benning-Clark kept up the intensity in the second half, but Troy's numerous three-pointers gave them the lead with one quarter left to play. The standout player of the game, however, was Nick Eastman. Using all the mental and physical strength he could muster, he transformed the basketball into pure energy. He then reared back, and with a mighty yell flung the ball at the opposing team. A shocked Logan Francis watched in horror as his teammates disintegrated on impact. Needless to say the Bulldogs went on to win the game.

After the game, Eastman said that he would not have been able to create the energy ball were it not for three things: his magical training during the filming of *Nick Eastman and the Goblet of Fire*, his knowledge of Einstein's mass-energy equation, and having watched *DragonBall-Z* as a child. Nick hopes he will be able to repeat this feat later in the season.

Student Approached from the Side

SAMUEL BORCHERS

What does it mean to come at someone sideways?

It was an ordinary afternoon in Mrs. Nickell's 6th period English class recalls this reporter, when an argument broke out between anonymous individuals 'A' and 'B.' The argument was heated and became emotional after several minutes, at which point 'A' asked, "Why you coming at me sideways?" Confused, 'B' asked 'A' to clarify. "I said why you always coming at me sideways?" "What?" was 'B's reply. "You heard me, why you always got to be coming at me side ways?"

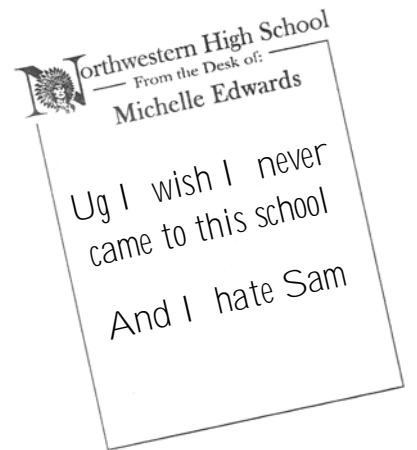
'B' hesitated. 'See, you don't even know,' continued 'A.' Unable to answer 'A's question, 'B' was forced to concede the point. But the question still remained, what could it possibly mean to come at some one sideways?

"Probably something like indirectly or like to come at them from another angle you know 'sideways' like bringing up stuff that doesn't even have to do with it," hypothesized one Witness, but there was only one way to know for certain, so this reporter took it upon himself to personally ask 'A' to clarify.

"It means stupid." 'A' explained. "Come at me side ways, why you coming at me stupid, you know why you being stupid, coming at me side ways." So there you have it, mystery solved, and I for one am glad to no longer live wondering what it could possibly mean to be coming at someone sideways.



Eastman (left) focuses his mind powers as a terrified and awed Francis (right) looks on.



ARTICLE, from last week

situation. I am talking, of course, about birds.

Many of you have asked why *X Newspaper X's* mascot is an eagle, and this is why.

A scourge on the land, birds add insult to injury by being able to fly. They flit around in the sky, tempting us with their wily ways.

It is long past time we put a stop to this avian menace and their dangerous crock pot of viruses, flues, and diseases.



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