

The 2016 University of Chicago Scavenger Hunt List

The University of Chicago Scavenger Hunt Organization Committee

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SCAV TEAMS AND THE RULES OF THE HUNT

1. Acquisition of Items. All Items on the List can be obtained and performed legally. It may involve smooth talking, or it may involve something else, but it is all possible. The Judges take no responsibility for your getting thrown into the clink—be it local clink, state clink, federal clink, or Colonel Klink. If you end up there, it is your fault.
2. Fair Play. Sabotage is bad. We don't like it, and we don't want it in the Hunt. Sabotaging teams or their Items can lead to immediate disqualification, and we may even loose the hounds of the Administration on you.
3. Contact with Judges. While we don't want to complain and say that Judges have it *so* tough, Scav Hunt is always teetering on the edge of sheer chaos, and if we can avoid it, we should. Thus, please only communicate with the Judges if you are going to do it in a professional manner. Generally, just remember that the more people shout, the less will be understood. That seems like it makes sense, no?
4. Props. All props must, always and forever, be mad props.
5. Points. Point totals are final. We ask you to do awesome things and expect awesome things to be done. If you do said awesome things, the Judge will accord to you Full Points, the highest number of points possible for any Item. In rare cases—for example, if we ask for a car and you give us the Batmobile with both George Clooney *and* Adam West inside—we will consider giving you 1 special point. Maybe 2. As far as point values, well, we use a dartboard, numberwang, and Tibetan numerological methods to determine how much Items are worth, so no complaining that “the lazy eye patch was worth more than the moonbounce made of guns!”
6. Items. Be aware that doing Items nude when it's not explicitly asked for will not get you more points. Nor will involving alcohol in Items that don't clearly call for alcohol. The same goes for nudity and alcohol's redheaded, stepchild cousins sex and drugs. Please note that few Items explicitly call for nudity, alcohol, or either of the aforementioned redheaded variants. Lastly, we don't like to harm large mammals that can make sad eyes at us, so please treat any non-humans involved in your Items with extreme care.
7. A Good Time. For a good time call (202) 762-1401.
8. Preliminary Events. The deadlines for the submission of Items and performances are final as stated on the list or as announced by the Judges at the Ærie. It is the Captains' responsibility to make sure that they submit these in a timely manner. Items that do not have discrete time/place stated on the list are not preliminary and therefore must occur at Judgment. Upon request, we may, at our discretion, come to see an Item at a time/place other than Judgment. Consider this a privilege, and use your “Come See Our Items” cards sparingly.
9. As the Lovers drive off into the symbolically saturated sunrise, a *caw* echoes across the hills. Everywhere a disturbance is felt. The trees shake; the shrubs are a-flutter; the skies go dark with the beating of wings. To the Ærie flock your Birds of North America! Carried in the beaks of these wingèd wanderers, questions for the Judges, that we will attempt to answer, doing the best we can to explain things to members of the clade *Aves*. The Judges will provide seed and newspaper, as well as any additional materials that our Items may require.
10. Road Trip. The Road Trip can be done without getting busted by the cops or breaking any rules. Please get it done that way. The destination point most distant from campus will not exceed 1,000 miles. Use of 15-passenger vans or trucks is prohibited.

Driver requirements:

- a. Minimum age of 18 (If a rental car is used, the rental car company minimum age requirements apply).
- b. Must have held a valid US driver's license for at least two years, which must be in driver's possession throughout trip.
- c. Must possess valid passports, should the mischiefs of foreign intrigue beckon.

- d. Must have more than 2,000 miles driving experience.
- e. May not have received moving violations or convictions or court-ordered supervision.
- f. Must be alcohol- and drug-free (it's the way to be), including illegal, prescription, and non-prescription drugs that could impair driving function or are used for any reason other than their FDA-approved intent.
- g. Must have valid automobile insurance.

Road Trip Management:

- a. No one may operate a vehicle for more than three consecutive hours or six total hours in one day.
- b. Total driving time may not exceed 16 hours within a 24-hour period.
- c. No driving permitted between midnight and 6 a.m.
- d. Another person must be awake in the seat next to the driver at all times.

Road Trip Rules:

- a. Upon spotting a sign casting opprobrium upon various measures of birth control or the deliberate termination of a pregnancy, one must punch another occupant of the car and proclaim, "Foetus Boetus!"
- b. Upon spotting an adult entertainment venue or advertisement, one must punch another occupant of the car and proclaim, "Moetus Boetus!"
- c. Upon spotting a sign lauding the life and acts of the Lawd Jesus Christ, one must punch another occupant of the car and proclaim, "Jeebus Boetus!"
- d. Punches not in accordance with the above rules may be met with one equal or harder punch in retribution.

A Captain of each team must certify in advance to the Judges that the team understands and agrees to abide by these regulations.

11. Judgment Day. As in the Bible, Judgment Day should take, like, 45 minutes. Late Saturday night, the Judges will email the Captains with a list denoting which Items are Road Trip. Prepare all Road Trip Items for judging at 9:00 a.m. on Judgment Day. Regular Items will be judged after the Showcase. The Showcase will be judged at Showcase, which will be at 10:00 a.m.

In addition, please have a highlighted list of the Items you've acquired ready so that when a Judge comes by to judge your page, there won't be any time wasted with "do we have the particle accelerator?" questions. If an Item is followed by †, it must be ready for judging as part of the Showcase, prior to regular page judging. Judges will hold up placards (really just sheets of paper with Sharpie-ed numbers) denoting which pages they are ready to judge. Call over whichever Judge corresponds to the page you are ready to present. Here's a tip: Sort your Items based on which page they are on. In short, BE ORGANIZED.

12. Rules. Ain't no rule says a dog can't be a Scav Judge.
13. Prizes. The prizes are simple, because *there are no prizes*. Depending on how much of the Scav budget the Judge Cabal hasn't spent on Choles for our holes, you may be eligible for an free-food bacchanal or other in-kind prize. Offer void where prohibited. Check local laws.
14. Decisions. All decisions of the Judges are final. Final.
15. Final. See Decisions.

Scav Olympics

To be held at 10:30 a.m. on Saturday, 7 May 2016, on or about the Eckhart Quad. For each competition, 20 points will be awarded for 1st place; 15 points for 2nd place; 10 points for 3rd place; 5 points for $(3 < x \leq 17)$ th place.

1. _____ What's the greatest sport ever, you ask? Gefwarping! Send a team member in full LARP gear, ready for truly *anything*, with a shopping cart or similarly wheeled device in tow.
2. _____ The reverse oxpecker: land the most "ticks" (staples launched from a conventional office stapler, subject to Judge approval) onto a team member's hair in a set amount of time. The oxpecker: pick these staples out for counting and judging. Bring your own stapler, fully loaded. (Note: oxpeckers peck at giraffes too. This is a giraffe Olympic.)
3. _____ Each team should submit one competitor who, in a timed test, will: bite single rows of corn off of an ear of corn in an alternating stripe pattern; bite individual kernels of corn to create a checkerboard pattern; freestyle corn chomp.
4. _____ Bumpy Daisy: the ultimate gentleperson's duel.
5. _____ I cried because I had no shoes, until I met a man who had no feet. And then I got really confused, because there was this third guy with shoes on his hands, trying his best to tie the shoes of a fourth guy.
6. _____ Captain Legbeard's waxing race. Send three and let it rip!
7. _____ Icelandic horsies have developed *tölt*—a gait so smooth that riders can hold a glass of water without spilling a drop of that drank. Have Scavvies developed their own version of *tölt*? We'll find out at Scav Olympics! (Just don't have anyone sitting on anyone else's shoulders. Icelandic horsies hate shoulders.)
8. _____ Have you ever played pin the tail on the donkey? Well, this is sort of like that. But instead of a pin, you have a floss pick precariously notched between your two front teeth. And instead of a donkey, you have fifteen balloons. And did we mention that your hands are behind your back?
9. _____ It's like a wheelbarrow race, but the wheelbarrow's feet are on their teammate's shoulders.

Items

1. _____ A copy of the 2016 University of Chicago Scavenger Hunt List. [1 point]
2. _____ Don't think your UChicago Crush read your UChicago crush? Share it with them via a toy plane (à la beach advertising) at Judgment! [17 points]
3. _____ A Mason jar lightsaber. Like we want a functional, to-scale model, with the plasma blade contained in some Bell jars. Soooooo #authentic! [Execute order (66 divided by two) points]
4. _____ Walking across the Quad is fraught on rainy days, but luckily you have your trendy Birkenstock® chopines to help you stay dry and properly convey your social standing to the plebs. [.5 points per inch of height, max 15 inches]
5. _____ JoS. A. Bank's Tie-Coat of Many Colors. Should be tailored and satisfy Career Advancement's guide to "business casual dress." [21 points]
6. _____ Get a Kardashian to feature one of your Items on their Instagram account. Butt creams and detox tea pay \$4,000 and up for such an honor, but we're gonna get it FO' FREE. [20 for Kim; 15 for her other female kin; 10 for Rob]
7. _____ I Can't Believe It's Soylent! Seriously, impress us. Bring us two food Items, one of which is comprised of 50% Soylent, and try to pass them both off as 100% non-staple meal food. [8 points]
8. _____ "Washington slept here!" is probably the lamest and easiest way to get some sweet, sweet, Revolutionary War street cred over in the Northeast. Call up the University's resident historian and have him place a commemorative plaque marking our first U^JC prez's favorite chair for Harper naps. [7 points]
9. _____ How many Jeff "Palace of" Goldblums long is world's shortest street? The Lovers use his body as a ruler. [3 points]
10. _____ A bullet journal. No, not the bourgie organizational tool: a journal with a cover made of bullet casings. Bonus points for a first entry from a certified NRA member daydreaming about their crush. Should have a dainty lock to keep your secrets safe from the government and people who want to abolish the Second Amendment. [12-gauge points, plus one]
11. _____ An anime body pillow of the University administrator of your choice. [Jū points desu]
12. _____ Do you ever feel like a plastic bag? No? What about five-eighths of a tiger? Have your team recreate your favorite *Animorphs* cover at Judgment. [6 points]
13. _____ Does your rope hang low? Can you swing it to and fro? Can you tie it in a knot? Can you tie it in a bow? What about a Monkey's fist? A one-handed bowline? Last year you untied knots; this year you're going to do the *exact opposite*. Study up and prep your noodliest Scavvie with the litany of sailing knots for a fast-paced, no-holds-barred, no-bars-held knot off at 3:00 p.m. Saturday at Hull Gate. [12 points]
14. _____ Mothman gives a praying mantis a hug at Dinosaur Land. Amidst all this dinosaur carnage, Jeff "Palace of" Goldblum wonders whether love, too, uh, finds a way. WaWaldo hides in the shark's mouth. Immortan John Brown addresses his subjects from King Kong's hand. [11 points]
15. _____ That *Mythbusters* episode where they try to figure out if rain gets on you less if you walk or run, but you're wearing Papal garments and you're being doused by an aspergillum filled with paint instead. Bring your mitre to the Midway at 2:00 p.m. on Friday. [Pope Pius the IX points]
16. _____ Make a *How It's Made*-style video for any one Item on the list. [14 points]
17. _____ Normative expressions of femininity are hard, but painting the nails of your dominant hand is harder (and nail salons are a big human rights no-no). Luckily, that's why the CUTICLE-O-MAX 2000 exists, a motorized miracle of modern science, which will paint the nails of a Judge at Judgment without human assistance. We don't want none of that stationary nail press shit—this machine better boogie on over to us and do its magic. Remote controls allowed. [25 points; 10 bonus points if you can do nail art or gels]

18. _____ Fuck the Confederated States of America. [0 points]
19. _____ Staying up all night for Scav can be pretty tiring; wouldn't it be great if you could just like paint fake eyes on your eyelids so you can keep getting participation points in that discussion section while catching some zzz? Wouldn't it... [3rd eye points]
20. _____ Mothman feels strangely drawn to the fake, yellow flame of the Frederick Peace Candle. Jeff "Palace of" Goldblum wishes there had been a peace candle for the war against aliens in those movies where he fought aliens. [2 points]
21. _____ Did you know that geodes and vugs are distinct geological formations? Why, now you do! Celebrate the uniqueness of the vug by nugging the vug, by which we mean filling a moderately sized, naturally occurring vug with chicken nuggets and eating of them without hands. [5 points]
22. _____ Immortan John Brown cheers on the Union at Civil War Tails. WaWaldo attempts to hide inside the Merrimack. [8 points]
23. _____ This year for Scavvenfeast, give Earth a chance! You might have to pretty soon, with all this talk of global environmental change. With the rising seas encroaching on our shores, aquatic habitats are becoming more and more widespread; make us an appetizer using only ingredients that call freshwater, brackish, and marine biomes home. Next, invasive species are displacing native organisms and disrupting ecosystems, and the best way to fight their expanse is with a knife and fork. Combine an invasive, traditionally non-domesticated protein and an invasive plant species and cook them in the style of the region they are colonizing to make a delicious and eco-conscious entrée. Finally, we've seen extremes in weather, from the droughts and forest fires to the monsoons and flash flooding, that will soon become commonplace. Devise the same dessert twice, incorporating these opposing processes—one cooked through *sous-vide*, the other cooked flambé or by direct flame. Eat like it's the end of the world in the Cox Lounge at 6:30 p.m. on Saturday. [η points]
24. _____ Your music video for the Quiet Riot classic "Come On Feel Valois." Must feature big hair and Valois being rocked to its very core by the power of your metal. [This one goes to 11 points]
25. _____ A FoodBabyBjorn, in which you will safely and snugly front-carry your burrito baby, and from which you will also (conveniently hands-free!) eat your baby. [6.8 points]
26. _____ At Hartman's Rock Garden in Springfield, Jeff "Palace of" Goldblum drops a coin in the wishing fountain, hoping one day for an equally gold Oscar statue. The Lovers take a photo for their new punk band, Lover's Quarry. [3 points]
27. _____ A playable University of Chicago dormitory—including all of your favorite quirks, nooks, and dryers someone pooped in that one time—rendered in The Sims™ 3: University Expansion Pack. Scav Hunt yields to neither retirement nor wrecking balls, so dormitory buildings past and present are equally welcome. [9.0 points]
28. _____ A parrot that squawks "Spring Break!" [20 points; 8 bonus points will be awarded to parrots wearing tiny Oakleys® and tank tops from the Ft. Lauderdale Hooters™]
29. _____ Immortan John Brown curses Stonewall Jackson to his face outside of Lexington. [2 points]
30. _____ Whose fiancé flew his helicopter to Alan's shop to purchase two sculptures in 2011? What inspired the sculpture "*Free*" *First Version*? [2 points each]
31. _____ Mothman has a magical duel with the Wizard of Foamhenge. Immortan John Brown appreciates the once great foam civilization that must have lived there. WaWaldo lights the candle in their memory. Jeff "Palace of" Goldblum wonders who will make *his* death mask some day. [11 points]
32. _____ "N-n-n-NOooo POIIIIINTS!" Your homemade Jumbotron should be present and ready to display your team's standings and a variety of motivational Scav phrases at Scav Olympics... and don't forget a way to highlight Scavvies as they lean in for the Kiss Cam! SCOOOOOOORE! [31 points]

- 33._____ If we're going to have a Jumbotron, you might as well bring an inspirational tifo display that uses the assembled screens of your team to proclaim how much you rule to anyone present at your headquarters or Judgment. Unlike pieces of posterboard, your screens should be able to cycle through three different displays. [12 points]
- 34._____ Did he ever tell you about the Scavvie's teeth? Well, he looks at the mold, and something is inscribed there, right on the back of the incisors: "Scav Hunt Rules." [3.2 points]
- 35._____ As a millennial, I don't know how to react to something unless I have big, yellow buttons that outline my options. Make a real-world BuzzFeed reaction board that can be used during the judging of this page to announce whether a given completion is "LOL," "WIN," "CUTE," "WTF," or, of course, "FAIL" through the production of sounds, lights, and signage. [14 points; 5 bonus points if you provide the option of responding with a live-action GIF]
- 36._____ I've metaphorically fetishized my conception of masculinity about as far as I can. A buttplug lovingly carved into the shape of Theodore Roosevelt, so I can literally stimulate myself with a literal fetish to my conception of masculinity. Hand-carved and lacquered just as the man himself would have wanted. [21 and over dialectical points]
- 37._____ You know who's lived a lifetime of achievement? Your mom. Surprise your mom with a lifetime achievement Oscar®. Make sure she gives a speech! [2 points]
- 38._____ Woody Allen famously produced Marshall McLuhan to ridicule a blowhard in line for the *The Sorrow and the Pity*. With the benefits of the ivory tower and a Kinko's, you can get this too. Make a cardboard simulacrum of a UoC professor that plays a recording of that professor saying what exactly they say to someone who "knows nothing of their work." Then, use this to rebut one of your instructors in class on Thursday or Friday. [17 points]
- 39._____ This is the year all your chickens come home to roost—because Captain's costumes are the Birds of North America! Your Captains must be recognizable from a provided reference photo according to their plumage and beak. Both species and sex of the bird are up to you. While birds of a feather may flock together, each of your captains must hatch as a different bird species. [Γ points]
- 40._____ It's so sad that cats in real life don't act like the ones in *Neko Atsume*... Build your model *Neko Atsume* yard somewhere in your headquarters and send a team member dressed up as your favorite *Neko Atsume* cat to each other team's yard. Teams get points both for the adorable photos they snap of "cats" playing with real *Neko Atsume* goodies, and for the number of mementos they manage to distribute to other teams. [1 point per memento; 1 point per photo]
- 41._____ Now it's time for the "Snake Fight" portion of Scav Hunt. [Sssssssix points]
- 42._____ Sunglasses for when your phone's dead and you need to substitute by making real life Instagram filters. [4 points per pair, up to three pairs using stock Instagram filters; 6 points for an additional pair with a never-before-seen filter]
- 43._____ Presidential Library Carnival Cutouts! George H. W. Bush vomiting on the Japanese Prime Minister! Jimmy Carter being attacked by a nutria! George W. Bush dodging shoes! Which presidential moment do you most want to relive? Build one cutout that lets you step into the body of a U.S. President at a particularly humorous moment. [13 points]
- 44._____ The toy BB-8 you can buy online is an adorable little puppy, but the BB-8 in *The Force Awakens* was a strong, proud, dog! Build us a movie size BB-8 droid with custom livery that makes it well suited to piloting your team's (hypothetical) X-wing. Your BB-8 doesn't need to be independently motored, but it should be able to stand upright without assistance, rotate its head to survey the area, and freely roll in any direction while keeping its head on top of its body. [75 points; 25 bonus points if your BB-8 actually does respond to remote control and can move according to our input; 10 bonus points if BB-8 can give us a thumbs up]
- 45._____ Butts by Dre. [1 point]

- 46._____ A Jar Jar jar, ajar Jar Jar [4 points]
- 47._____ I lost it all my retirement savings the Pepe Crash of 2015! If only CNBC had a program with a little pep to help me manage and invest my vital cultural assets. Give me your top picks, buys, sells, overvaluations, gratuitous sound effects, and a UChicago faculty insider on speakerphone for your pilot episode of Mad Memey. [+15.01 Δ 0.02% points]
- 48._____ Sad saps don't know the fir thing about phenomenology. You're talking out of your ash like you know about trees, but you beeches haven't been living larch. Do yew have any idea how hard it is to get water? Become one with the tree by duct taping some branches to your limbs and slurping up a maple syrup milkshake via a long straw. [Tree points for sprucing up; 1 point per foot of vertical straw if eucalyptus some sweet dairy, max 10 feet]
- 49._____ Your team thirsts. Good thing your HQ has a giant hamster water bottle for them. [23 points]
- 50._____ Let's show these motherfuckers how we settle things on Klickitat Street: the 2016 Ribsy Tournament. You stand 10 paces from your opponent, we place one unfamiliar dog between you ("Ribsy"). Whomever Ribsy chooses gets to advance to the tournament. Winner keeps the dog. All pockets will be checked for raw meat. We'll separate the meddling moppets from the evil land developers Saturday at 2:00 p.m. on the Social Sciences Quad. [10, 7, and 5 points for winning, second place, and participation, respectively]
- 51._____ As recently featured in the *New York Times*, social psychologist Dr. Arthur Aron developed an experimental protocol to induce feelings of love between two strangers. Send us the names of four people on your team willing to undertake this procedure along with the preferred gender(s) of their partner. We will select two of them to appear at the Reynolds Club South Lounge at 10:00 a.m. on Thursday for a process that takes about 45 minutes to an hour. [5 points]
- 52._____ T[irB]A. [20 points]
- 53._____ At the Rocky Ridge slide, Mothman remembers what it was like to be able to fly. The rest of the Lovers follow after them. BYOBlanket. [Threeeeeeeeeeeeeeeeeee! points]
- 54._____ You little rascals made a pedal powered go-kart that seats two? Let's see what it can do and, of course, if it can look good doing it. [250 points based on aesthetics, mechanism, placement in the race, and course objectives.] †
- 55._____ The Lovers try their hand at the War of Currents game at the Proto BuildBar. WaWaldo sits still long enough to enjoy some sweet, sweet, lemonade. [9V points]
- 56._____ How do I know you're the villain in my sports movie? You flip your bat on a base hit. You juggle the puck on your stick before scoring on the open net. You posterize your opponent instead of passing to an open teammate. You begin your touchdown dance at the 3-yard line. And you do it in a single take. [1 + 1 + 2 + 6 points]
- 57._____ A Crown Tickler and solution. [14 points]
- 58._____ The trouble with tribbles is... well, I could tell you, but I'd rather just show you. At the Ærie, we'll hand one of your Captains a tribble. The trouble should become increasingly obvious to you throughout the Hunt. [2⁵ points]
- 59._____ Notwithstanding the drivel found in *Entertainment Weekly*, I'm certain that Hollywood stars like Ken Watanabe, Helena Bonham Carter, James Harper, Michael Keaton, and Freddie Prinze Jr. can and should be ranked in some sensible, astronomical order. [2.5 points]
- 60._____ What is this—a Scav Hunt Item FOR ANTS?!?! Replicate any Item on this list in no greater than 1:100 scale. Full points awarded for full ant-functionality. The next Item has to be at least... three times bigger than this! [100 \div 10 points]
- 61._____ What is this—a Scav Hunt Item FOR DOGS?!?! Replicate any Item on this list in scented, high-contrast greyscale. Full points awarded for an Item which, using basic concepts, comforts and reassures anydog involved. [7 dog year points]

- 62._____ Have your team’s Anna Goanna “do the tell” of your history at Judgment before the gathered team-members. [5 points]
- 63._____ The two books you need to know everything, logically speaking. [2 points]
- 64._____ A car. [Ω points]
- 65._____ Have Scioscia teach SOSC, ya? If you can’t get the skipper himself, maybe just have your SOSC teacher dress up as a catcher. [40 points and 4 points, respectively]
- 66._____ Have the team member who always wanted to do a frontflip but couldn’t ever do a frontflip do a frontflip by jumping up in the air and having several other people catch them and then spin them around. We’ll bring the mat. BYOBike helmet. [3.60 points]
- 67._____ Treat some “men at work” to Men at Work’s greatest hit and accompanying dance. All OSHA guidelines must be followed in the completion of this Item. [1 point; 2 extra points if they join in]
- 68._____ At Wapakoneta’s Temple of Tolerance, Mothman is struck with the realization that it does not matter where they came from as much as it matters where they are going. They go to check out that sick red barrel. As Jeff “Palace of” Goldblum wanders around, he accepts this rocky palace to be just as beautiful as gold and sheds his golden layer to reveal the beautiful actor within. Surrounded by the overwhelming feeling of tolerance, Immortan John Brown realizes that his true calling is not to subjugate the denizens of the wasteland, but to free all peoples from the scourge of slavery. He sings the song of the Temple of Tolerance softly, to himself. WaWaldo, the sensitive one, lights the candle one last time, letting all their troubles burn away into a pillar of fragrant smoke. [15 points]
- 69._____ Do your best alien impression in front of the remaining ad for *War of the Worlds* on campus. [1 point]
- 70._____ Way back during Scav III, we asked teams to bring us a Nobel Prize. Now that we’re older, we know how many other awards we callously and unfairly neglected. Let’s fix that! Find University of Chicago faculty members who’ve won a prestigious national or international award, and invite one or more of them to represent your team at a Friday afternoon symposium. The specific award doesn’t matter: Nobel, Fields, Pulitzer, igNobel, Kokusai Seibutsugaku-shō, Clark, Presidential Medal of Freedom, others—we want to see them all! Teams should bring their award-winning professors to room 001 of the BSLC at 5 p.m. on Friday, May 6. Each one will get two minutes to display their prize (because we want to see the evidence) and explain the intellectual work that won it. If your professors insist they need slides to do their work justice, they may bring a Powerpoint presentation on a memory stick. An individual professor can be claimed by only one team. [5 points for each professor your team brings and their up-to-two-minute talk, + 3 bonus points for displaying their award; - 1 point for every 30 seconds the professor speaks over two minutes. (Well cut off each team after 10 minutes—unfortunately, we dont have all day for this)]
- 71._____ The Lovers have a collective panic attack in the shadow of #TheLoveButt. Will they ever find a butt of their own to love? [3 points]
- 72._____ Just because your roommate gets annoyed by the noise doesn’t mean you shouldn’t be able to listen to your microwave beep. The solution: a microwave with a headphone jack! Bonus points if it can play elevator music while you wait. [26 points]
- 73._____ The Judges have recently purchased the domain commodities.xxx. We eagerly await your submissions of the steamiest commodity fetishism in text or video form. [5 points. Note: if you mistake the commodity for its *Träger*—a person—and feature any human nudity, the surplus value of your points will be 0]
- 74._____ Drive away the Witch judging this page with your very own Drudenstein (the Witch will have to confirm that it’s the genuine article before the magic takes hold). [3 points]
- 75._____ Have the wrist flick of a beer pong champion but fancier tastes than a case of Natty Lite? Our Kottabos tournament on the Quad on Friday at 12:30 p.m. will suit you. [14 points]
- 76._____ A sculpture piece from the collection at Philadelphia’s brand-new Rodan Museum installed on the Main Quad by noon on Friday. [38 points]

- 77._____ Immortan John Brown witnesses the Marietta Soda Museum and pours one out for his Kansas War Boys, riding shiny and chrome in Valhalla. Strong men also cry...WaWaldo recoils in horror at the store next door. [5 points]
- 78._____ An attractive floral-patterned sugar bowl made of sugar. [22 + 12 - 11 points]
- 79._____ It's your old enemy, your old friend; it's a Bartlett pepper shaker. Somewhere in Ida there is hidden away such a single, bronzed gem. Bring it to me. Only one shall get the points. [11 points]
- 80._____ Operation™ is all good fun, but “butterflies in the stomach” and “brain freeze” are hardly the kind of hypochondriacal pseudoscience we want to teach our children these days. Design and demonstrate “Open Heart Surgery,” the fun and accurate table top game of scalpels and bypass for blossoming surgeons. [21 points]
- 81._____ Mint counterfeit coins. Must be able to be submerged in a fountain for several hours and retain their edible minty counterfeit goodness. [6.7 points]
- 82._____ Your RH is coming to your room for a chat, but your desk is still littered with those detailed plans for throwing things out the window, plus various other bits of contraband! Not to worry! You've rigged a single switch to make at least four parts of your desk flip, slide, or otherwise vanish from sight, to be replaced with less incriminating façades. [200 points] †
- 83._____ Friends Forever Tampons was such a wonderful idea that you should make sure they arrive on campus this weekend. Come to Judgment wearing your hygienic prototype (with a friend, of course) with suitable commercial packaging to draw investors. [18 points.]
- 84._____ Cook me an egg using the heat from a computer. [8ggsellent points]
- 85._____ Largest bubble bath. Must have suds over entire surface and rubber ducks. [45 points for an Olympic-sized swimming pool; lesser points for lesser bodies of water]
- 86._____ Yes, we're all terribly amused by this little kitty who's all so cute and is roly-poly shaped and is named Pusheen. I'm not convinced she doesn't have a dark side. Provide me with evidence that she does, preferably in the form of image files that can be sent along to the nonbelievers. [6.66 points]
- 87._____ A puzzle game that would make Fraa Jaad jealous. Craft a physical set of rhombus, pentagon, and diamond tiles with curved lines on them that when placed in such a way with unbroken lines, can only form a perfect Penrose tiling. Tiles must also form a defined boundary or “game board.” Completed puzzle must be at least 8” by 8” with tiles made of wood, acrylic, or plastic. [17 points]
- 88._____ This Friday at 8:00 p.m. , join us at the Cloister Club for the gala opening of Museum Campus South-East! BYOMuseum. Museum concepts should be wholly original—and remember, any decent museum has at least two artifacts, an interactive exhibit, and a gift shop featuring homemade merch. Each team should also send one up-and-coming socialite to walk the reddish carpet, clad in Met Ball-style couture themed around your museum's subject matter. Finally, you bring the hors d'oeuvres or bite-size desserts; we'll provide the Martinellis and Domino's. [Υ points]
- 89._____ Have you never wondered how cranes ever got up there? Their mustard yellow beams reaching up into the heavens? Another greater crane must have lifted them of course. Each one lifted up by one taller, all the way back to the Mother Crane herself. Deliver your sermon for the glory of the Mother Crane, and convert as many onlookers as you can. Proselytize, my cranelings, and by no means forget your ritual vestments, tokens, or other accoutrements that shall dynamically figure the Mother Crane's eternal magnificence. [7 points]
- 90._____  . [20 points]
- 91._____ A slab of cement with a team member's identifying prints and signature. [15 slabby points]
- 92._____ Joy Mangano may have revolutionized the self-wringing mop head for our cleaning convenience, but you're going to be a big hit on QVScav with your self-straining pasta mop head for our dining convenience. [One payment of 19.95 points]

- 93._____ An enormous block of ice installed in Hutch Courtyard that will melt over the course of the Fourdays to reveal a mysterious surprise, Siberian mammoth-style. [32° points]
- 94._____ It is disappointing that the selection of wooden seats carved and painted to resemble great works at the Art Institute is limited to that one *Nighthawks* bench in the international terminal at O'Hare. Surely you can improve on this with a *Figure with Meat* throne! [55 points]
- 95._____ Man, Bellefontaine really loves its streets! How many Jeff "Palace of" Goldblums old is the world's oldest concrete street? Jeff "Palace of" Goldblum has a breakthrough with the Lovers when he finally reveals to them his true age. [2 points]
- 96._____ Telescoping generations occur when parthenogenetic species, such as aphids, swarm during short periods of favorable conditions. In these cases, an adult female will be pregnant with a child that is already pregnant, and who gives birth shortly after she herself is born. Given that fad toys experience similar population explosions, we would expect them to have similar life cycles. Provide proof of this using Popples™, Blurp Balls™, or Koosh Kins™. [3 + 3 + 3 points]
- 97._____ Immortan John Brown wonders whether he should try and liberate the elephants at Mr. Ed's Elephant Museum and Candy Emporium, or use them to wage war instead. WaWaldo tries to use the outhouse and gets a surprise. What's Mr. Ed's favorite elephant? [7 points]
- 98._____ Yesterday, a wizard entered Chicago with a case. A case full of magical creatures. And unfortunately, some have escaped. [1 point per creature]
- 99._____ We may never have another white Christmas, so prepare us for the coming post-apocalyptic desert landscape with a full-sized sandman, complete with corncob pipe, button nose, and two eyes made out of coal. [7 points if it also comes alive when children put an old top hat on it]
- 100._____ You know how if you step on the Reynolds Club seal, you won't graduate in four years, or if you don't bury a statue of St. Joseph upside-down in the yard, you won't sell your house? Well if you don't do this Item, you won't win Scav Hunt. Establish a team superstition and see that it is followed throughout the Hunt. The superstition of whichever team wins the Hunt was clearly correct, so keep that in mind for the future. Superstitions should be announced at the Ærie so we can watch for them. [12 points plus 1]
- 101._____ Vaping: why bisque it? Because it's delicious, that's why. Produce an aerosolized soup that can, and will, be inhaled. [12 points]
- 102._____ The Shtoke. Proof of obtaining The Shtoke is contingent entirely on catching a proper wave on Lake Michigan during the Hunt. [Hang 10 points]
- 103._____ At Noah's Ark in Frostburg, newly single Mothman worries about whether they would be allowed on the ark without a mate. Immortan John Brown has a suggestion for Noah: more flames. [A pair of points]
- 104._____ Gone are the days when every pop cultural phenom, from Pac-Man™ to Urkel, automatically got their own breakfast cereal and canned pasta. How will future generations know that the likes of *Flappy Bird* or Carly Rae Jepsen even existed, if not for boxes full of weird little shapes purporting to be them? Do your part to ensure the immortality of a current craze by rendering it in a cheap, yet delicious, cereal or pasta format. [16 points]
- 105._____ Jeff "Palace of" Goldblum flirts with the pin-ups at O'Betty's Red Hot. Immortan John Brown reads an eye-opening book from the museum in back. [4 points]
- 106._____ "Pooh-pooh to the Scavvies!" he was grinchily humming. "They're finding out now that no Judges are coming! They're just setting up; I know just what they'll do. Their mouths will hang open a minute or two, then the Scavvies in Ida will all cry "Boo-Hoo!" Looks like the Scavvies need to show someone the True Meaning of Scav Hunt. [A points; bonus points if the Judges' small hearts grow three sizes that day]

- 107._____ This poor Scavvie was badly burned and disfigured trying to save their team from a house fire. Like and share by bringing them to Judgment. [Just the face = 1 prayer point; the whole body = five prayer points]
- 108._____ Seeing someone walk around with glass eyeballs is a rare occurrence. Wooden eyeballs, though? I think that might be rarer. The rarest? Definitely a chocolate bonbon eyeball with anatomically correct insides. Said eyeball need not, and, hell, should probably not be inserted into a real eye socket. [20, yes 20, points]
- 109._____ Oh, you want an anatomical sphere that can and should be kept forever? How about something as simple as a Double Bouncy Double-Ball? And by a Bouncy Double-Ball, I mean a working bouncy ball with another specialty ball visible inside of it. Specialty balls are limited to those of the *family jewel* variety, preferably from a non-humanoid family. You guys know what I'm talking about. [13 points]
- 110._____ I've been told that things don't usually start to get wet until well past second base, so your partner is in for an unexpectedly soggy surprise of a different sort as the bogusly large facade of this water bra disappears when the bra is unhooked. [8 + 008.5 points]
- 111._____ To the tune and in the linguistic style of the original *Schnitzelbank*, conduct a Chicago-area bar in singing about the topic of your choice. The non-*Animaniacs* version with a poster accompaniment is preferred. [7 points]
- 112._____ At your college ragers, have you found yourself sick of having to manually refill your beer pong table at the end of every game? Especially when the team running the table keeps skimping on the beer they put in their cups? Design and implement a table that will take care of your refilling needs with the flip of a switch. Cups can be manually set, but the refilling of the liquid of your choice (not necessarily beer) should be automatic. [40 oz. points]
- 113._____ Using two (2) fake giant fingers and one (1) real normal-sized skateboard, pull at least three (3) classic Tech Deck™ tricks at one (1) of Chicago's many free skateparks. Please note that legs dressed to look like fingers will earn you zero (0) points. [Sk8 points]
- 114._____ Immortan John Brown understands the effects of moisture deprivation and kindly helps Chief Leatherlips to some lip balm in Dublin. [2 moist points]
- 115._____ The year is 2999 and Ron Popeil has invented his earth shattering device. The first figures of great historical value to be granted eternal life are your Captains. Bring one of their functioning heads to judgment, eternally preserved and prepared to deliver some stupid quip about that crap year 2016. [6 points]
- 116._____ I know you Scavvies spend a lot of money on those team t-shirts and it'd be ridiculous for me to ask for one as a souvenir. So, do your best job recreating your shirt for me using the process that thrifty online do-it-yourselfers employ to make recycled T-shirt rugs. [17 points]
- 117._____ Build a bag press (and soon). With this bag press, build your own skateboard deck and document the process with pictures. Wheels and trucks need not be homemade, but the team-centric decal on the bottom should be fully dry before you pull a sick ollie in front of me at Judgment. [33 points]
- 118._____ Scavving your way during school today takes everything you got. Taking a break from all your worries sure would help a lot. Wouldn't you like to get away by recreating the intro sequence of *Cheers* as accurately as you can, using drawings and old-timey photographs of your team hanging out at Hyde Park haunts through the past 30 years? Pictures need not actually date from the year in which they visually appear to, but in exchange you should be able to provide your own cover of the *Cheers* theme song to accompany the video. [12 points]
- 119._____ This year has been lame in a lot of ways, and I'm starting to blame it on your lack of luck! Reclaim it like the great Mayday Malone by finding your lucky bottle cap. Pull off the trick to prove it before my very eyes, either at Judgment or elsewhere. [10 points]

- 120._____ Bitch better have a hauntingly beautiful video of a bunch of skeletons dancing to “Bitch Better Have My Money.” No puppets! Don’t act like you forgot. [9 points]
- 121._____ You’d be expelled on the spot if you came to Convocation in a decorated mortarboard, but we won’t tell ZimZam if you roll up to Judgment Day in a tricked-out grad-hat. Your mortarboard should form the base of an elaborate diorama, depicting an iconic scene from UChicago history. [Class of ’19 points]
- 122._____ Did you know UChicago has a ceremonial mace for use at convocations and other occasions of high ceremony? Did you know your team has a ceremonial mace for use at Judgment Day and other occasions of high ceremony? [8.5 points]
- 123._____ Break a piece off a block of toffee using a toffee hammer. [4 points]
- 124._____ The hot new hair color trend for spring...is fall! And summer. And winter. And also spring. At Judgment, show off a team member’s four-layered dye job; each multicolored layer should mimic the hues of a different season. [5 points per season]
- 125._____ “On your right comes up the Shenandoah, having ranged along the foot of the mountain a hundred miles to seek event. On your left approaches the Patowmac [Potomac], in quest of a passage also. In the moment of their junction they rush together against the mountain, rend it asunder, and pass off to the sea... this scene is worth a voyage across the Atlantic.” [1 point per Lover selfie]
- 126._____ Talk about a two-way twister! Let’s share the love with our municipal fambam. Hit up as many of Chicago’s sister cities as you can, and be sure to commemorate each visit by performing the *Sister, Sister* theme song in front of a local landmark. [3 points per official international sister city included]
- 127._____ Imagine my horror when the chandelier earrings I bought at Claire’s® did nada to illuminate the sides of my neck! Create a pair that look—and light up—like actual chandeliers. [Forever 21 points, 0 points for open flames dangling from your ears]
- 128._____ Just Born®?! More like Just *Bored*! Let’s mix things up! Bring us a set of marshmallow Peeps® themed around a holiday that’s never been included in the brand’s canon. [11 points]
- 129._____ The Time is creeping Ever nearer. You Depart and head to the Center. Make sure to fill yourself with plentiful Refreshment beforehand. This, you Understand, will make the sacrifice easier, for the Zodiac is not sated by weakened (or weekend) blood. You know the one you are sacrificing to. You have seen him before. He searches for you, at the Blood Drive, still ephemeral in form, only able to use his fading strength for sporadic television appearances. Feed him, Scavvies, and he will give unto you incredible abstract units of value, just before he goes to finish his mission... [∞ points]
- 130._____ They kicked the lady-Judges out of Ida for smoking, but some old woman on a kitschy map totally said it was okay! Can you please track her down to confirm? [3 points]
- 131._____ Mount Rushmore? More like Mount CRUSHmore! Do a Mount Rushmore kind of thing, but with Rob Lowe, Taylor Hanson, Chad Michael Murray, and Zayn Malik, and also made out of chewing gum. At least one of them should be wearing a tiny baseball cap. [Twenty-chew points]
- 132._____ For my “*Bodas de Sangre* Wedding Inspo” Pinterest board: a beautiful bridal gown that converts into tasteful mourning garb when your walk down the aisle turns into a funeral march. [29 points]
- 133._____ Yo, how many of UChicago’s Identity Standards can you break in a single uchicago.edu web page? [12 points]
- 134._____ Career Scavdancement is proud to offer the Jeff Metscav Internship Program, which provides “paid,” “substantive” internships exclusively to Scavvies during the Fourdays. Interested teams should choose one candidate (with a flexible schedule!) to apply for this prestigious opportunity. You may submit your applicant’s résumé to the selection committee at the Ærie. Please note that in today’s job market, a résumé must engage all of the five senses in order to capture our attention. Candidates progressing to the next stage will be notified immediately and should report to McCormick Tribune Lounge at 5:00 p.m. for a group interview. [stipend of up to ρ points]

- 135._____ Thermal driving head. No, not that thermal driving head, you sicko! Construct a closed fluid system that clearly demonstrates your use of natural circulation to force a small object through the piping. [6 + 9 + 6 + 9 + 6 + 9 points]
- 136._____ As the sun sets on the West Virginia hills, Jeff “Palace of” Goldblum insists on paying a visit to his namesake Palace of Gold. Overcome with emotion, Jeff “Palace of” Goldblum calls his parents and has an earnest conversation about his life while standing on the balcony. What does it all mean? [4 points; 0 points if Jeff “Palace of” Goldblum does not actually call their parents; seriously, call your parents, they worry]
- 137._____ You seem to be having a hard time tying a knot in that cherry stem with your tongue. Why don’t you get your friend over there to help out? Whoa now, don’t let them do all the work! You’ll really have to put your heads together for this one. [<3 points]
- 138._____ Wine painting! It’s like normal painting, but you get to drink your medium! [10 points]
- 139._____ This Item is a dick. A dick made out of ice. A dick made out of ice with hollow, icy balls that you can pour a shot of whisky into and drink out of the tip. A Whisky Dick. [27 points]
- 140._____ MS Paint me like one of your French girls. You bring the laptops, we provide the naked Judge at 3:00 p.m. on Friday in the Reynolds Club South Lounge. [Windows 7® points]
- 141._____ In Scav, as it is in life, all things fade and quickly turn to myth. Except for this Item; it will last a lifetime. Your canvas is the leg of a generous donor. Everything between the toes and the knee falls under your domain. The subject of the piece is an octopus. The size, placement, and intricacies of the design are left to your creative discretion so long as the tattoo is multichromatic. After the Hunt, the mysterious donor will get one design of their choosing immortalized on their leg and will provide photographic updates to the artist of their vision coming to life. [Two octopodes worth of points; a half octopus worth of bonus points for your design being selected by the leg donor]
- 142._____ A Ken™dama. [5 points]
- 143._____ At Alan Cottrill’s Sculpture Studio and Gallery, Mothman is depressed that there’s no statue of them there. Jeff “Palace of” Goldblum rejects bronze as an inferior metal. Immortan John Brown rides the ice-skate-wearing sheep into battle. WaWaldo blends in among the statues upstairs. [6 points, cast in beautiful bronze]
- 144._____ Okay, so like when you put bugles on your fingers, but on your hands. *Imagine it!* Just like two huge, fist-sized bugles. For your hands. [14 points]
- 145._____ Psyonix created a game—we turned it into a sport. Send one remote-controlled car and driver to Hutch Courtyard at 6:00 p.m. on Thursday for the Rocket League IRL tournament. While your vehicle cannot exceed the five-pound weight limit, your pit crew is encouraged to modify their dragster for maximum scoring potential. Teams will be randomly assigned. [10 points for participation; 5 points for the winning team; 5 for the MVP (most valuable pocket-rocket)]
- 146._____ Immortan John Brown laughs at the puny weapons in the basement of Blennerhassett. Waldo finds an oil painting on the first floor that can’t be identified. WaWaldo empathizes. Mothman feels special looking at the mystery case upstairs. Jeff “Palace of” Goldblum re-enacts the Burr-Hamilton duel as part of his one-man show in front of the replica of a replica death mask. WaWaldo is moved to tears, he’s the sensitive one. [12 points]
- 147._____ A homemade *Kwakwaka’wakw* string-pulled mask depicting the transformation of your Captain from mere human to a Bird of North America. [24 points]
- 148._____ WaWaldo shields his beloved goose from the piercing eyes of the Mothman statue in Point Pleasant. Mothman checks out their own peccs. [4 points]

- 149._____ Is this your headquarters we're walking into? Or the mouth of an unexpectedly large animal? We can't tell, nor should we have to! [7 points for 2D; 28 points for 3D]
- 150._____ Don't be such a square; we're calling for a dos-á-dos! Construct a dos-á-dos-á-dos-... book using as many copies of Charles Lipson's most seminal work as can be honestly gathered. [0.2 points per book; max 10 points]
- 151._____ A simple picture created within a slab of agarose or acrylamide using only electrophoresis that will make everyone else's lab gel-ous. [31 points]
- 152._____ A small bag (at least 1 foot by 1 foot) of a farrier's work. [11 points]
- 153._____ The Lovers go to the moon!... prints and statue of Neil Armstrong at Purdue University. Jeff "Palace of" Goldblum remembers when he played a scientist in that one movie. Mothman feels a kinship with Neil Armstrong because they, like the moon landing, are a myth. [5 points]
- 154._____ Turn that fabric poster from your last conference into fabric clothes that are business casual enough to wear to your next poster presentation. [18 points]
- 155._____ Mothman finds himself strangely drawn to the bright light of the Roanoke Star. The light of the star fills the Lovers with hope for the next and last day of their journey. [5 points]
- 156._____ For Scav Hunt's big 3-0, we won't be settling for just normal birthday candles. We want a candle whose actual flame will do the singing using some weird science. [30th birthday points]
- 157._____ Fort Wayne? More like Fart Lame! [0 points]
- 158._____ Tarzan's personalized stripping routine at the end of *Magic Mike XXL* really spoke to us. We feel it's only appropriate to honor one of the notable women from UChicago's history with their own goddess glitter painting. Like in *Magic Mike XXL*, your chosen goddess should come to light with one glittery movement at Judgment. Unlike in *Magic Mike XXL*, no stripping is necessary. [XVI points]
- 159._____ A working pair of homemade infrared Astro-Phones. There should be no communication unless you can see the whites of their receiver. [26 points]
- 160._____ WaWaldo scouts a new franchise location at the circle of stones in the woods before passing his goose through the mother stone. It's a metaphor! Mothman helps Jeff "Palace of" Goldblum get in touch with nature. [6 points]
- 161._____ If only we could freeze time, we would freeze this moment, right here, right now, and build an ornate, tiered sandcastle in the top half of a frozen hourglass. We can't, can you? [17 points]
- 162._____ Sort sandpaper by roughness using just your tongue. [3 points]
- 163._____ Immortan John Brown assumes the Big Boy pose outside the Shoney's museum in Charleston. What a big boy! [4 BIG points]
- 164._____ Recreate a scene from the Dust Bowl in the style of Max Zorn's packing tape art. [12 points]
- 165._____ What's that? You got invited to join the Librarians to help them track down miscellaneous magical objects? We're not going to believe you until we see a bonafide invitation. Letters should sequentially appear only when prompted. [5 points for letters; 8 points for glowing letters]
- 166._____ Immortan John Brown asserts his dominance over Harpers Ferry by chugging a bottle of water while standing on top of Jefferson Rock. [5 points]
- 167._____ Construct a working Harmonic analyzer capable of Fourier analysis. Your analyzer should accept an input of at minimum five amplitudes. [80 points; 25 bonus points if you can alter Michelson's original design to enable your analyzer to draw a discernable object or face in the style of "Ptolemy and Homer"]
- 168._____ Eat an apple in two bites. [6 points, $6/2^n$ points for every bite $n > 2$]

- 169._____ Professors keep complaining about how distracted the modern student is during class, what with their laptops and cell phones and iPads and what have you. Clearly it's time to hearken back to the good old days, where students would bring nothing but their minds and a typewriter to take notes. [3 points per typewriter you send to a given class, maximum of five typewriters; 1 point for every other team with at least one typewriter present at the same class]
- 170._____ While it's foolish to consider ghostbusting an inherently gendered occupation, it would be equally so to assume that fast-paced twee dialogue and excruciating romantic complications would be any different. Give us the opening credits and scene from the latest grim-and-gritty gender-swapped reboot: *Brilmore Bros.* [10 points]
- 171._____ At the Mothman Museum, Mothman reminisces about the glory days, back when the world seemed so small, and a Mothman out on their own could do anything they set their mind to. How naïve they were back then... Jeff "Palace of" Goldblum calls his agent about getting a role in the new *Men in Black* movie. [7 points]
- 172._____ A packet of individually pulled-out wet wipes. Except, the individual sheets you'll be removing are of delicious smoked salmon! [8 points to spawn]
- 173._____ Jeff "Palace of" Goldblum uses the IX Art Park bells to play the theme song from one of his many hit films. Mothman pets the caped dog. WaWaldo writes his deepest desire on the board. [5 points]
- 174._____ Your best recreations of the following: Ribs 'n' Bibs Rib Tips, Calypso Café Plantain Nachos, and Dixie Kitchen Johnny Cakes. Never forget. [6 points each]
- 175._____ A Bath Bob-Omb. Must exhibit traditional Bob-Omb behavior. [19TNTeen points]
- 176._____ At the Krishna temple down the hill, Mothman hunts their ancestral prey: the peacock, which may or may not be in the area. Recovered from his emotional crisis, Jeff "Palace of" Goldblum flirts with the elephant. [4 points]
- 177._____ You need to get out there and grind on the dance floor! You'll have three songs at a downtown club to click as many cookies as possible in a game of *Cookie Clicker*, while simultaneously displaying your sexy moves. Now, of course, you could use a mobile port of the game. But I think we'd all be more impressed if a laptop accompanied your gyrations. [6 points; 3, 2, and 1 bonus points for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd, respectively]
- 178._____ A Booster Seat. That is to say, a chair that automatically verbalizes a variety of compliments to whomever sits in it. [14 points; 4 bonus points for personalized commentary]
- 179._____ One of the highlights of the 1991 University of Chicago Centennial was the publication of The Unofficial University of Chicago Centennial Coloring Book by the University of Chicago Centennial Fun and Festivals Committee. Unfortunately, it looks like the University of Chicago Quasquicentennial Fun and Festivals Committee let us down during the University of Chicago Quasquicentennial, because I sure as heck didn't see any Unofficial University of Chicago Quasquicentennial Coloring Books being passed out. Guess it's up to us: each team should create three humorously cutting scenes of 2016 Campus Life, depicted in the ready-to-be-colored, 8.5" by 11", thick-lined style. We will be collecting these for a compilation. [4 points per page; 1 bonus point if your submission includes a suitable replacement for the original's Hannah Gray Crayon]
- 180._____ With the holiday season a mere seven months away, we'll need something to remember the good times when the weather outside is frightful. Make us a half-hour video of your team's roaring Yule log, complete with songs and sounds of the Hunt "relaxingly" heard in the background. (Needless to say, whether the fire you conspire by is in an indoor fireplace, or an outdoor location, get approval and keep it safe. Also, failed attempts at Items make excellent kindling for your log. Just saying.) [5 points]
- 181._____ Scav Hunt! From the files of *Police Squad!* Film your team siren visiting increasingly confounding school and city locations, all set to the blazing horns of a soundtrack that would make Frank Drebin proud. [11 points]

- 182._____ Baby you know that I miss you, I wanna get with you tonight but I cannot right now, so kiss me through your teaser trailer for the reboot of *Soulja Boy: The Animated Series*. [6.789998212 × 2 points]
- 183._____ There's too much to do. What can you say? With Judgment only one day away. You're totally crazed. And you've got a MK&A inspired video to make. [9.5 points]
- 184._____ Mothman finds their favorite fellow-animal pencil sharpener. WaWaldo performs a pencil-themed eulogy in memory of Paul A. Johnson at the Pencil Sharpener Museum. For aren't we all just being sharpened by time? [Number 2 points each]
- 185._____ Oh my goth! One of your best ghoulfriends from *Monster High* is applying to the U₆C next fall! We judges would LOVE to give her some fangtastic advice on RADmissions, but we need a copy of her annotated Monster High transcript detailing her ashriekments in all her creeperific classes, her Skullastic Aptitude Test gores, and extrapurrricular involvement. [Boo! + Boo! points]
- 186._____ What slumbers there may not be human...but some darn Scavvie tried to touch one of your Items before it was ready to be presented! Little did they know, you brought your Judgment guardian with fashionable gloves where they insert their eyes into their palm sockets, allowing them to behold the world of Scav and then identify the culprit! [17 points]
- 187._____ Everyone knows the best part about eating a slice of pizza is eating the tip. Well, make sure every bite has a little bit of the tip with a slice of pizza topping pizza with the pizza topping topped with slices of pizza as its pizza topping. There must be at least three units of topping per slice; in order to be considered a slice, there must be crust on one end, and a pointy tip on the other. None of this square pizza BS. [5 π points]
- 188._____ Put on your suit and tie, because it's time to join the 2016 Presidential race! Have a teammate report to the Stagg track at 11:30 a.m. on Thursday in full formal attire (albeit with running shoes), ready to jump the hurdles of the American political landscape. Your representative should be prepared to do two distinct 2016 presidential candidate (from any time during the race) impressions, including at least five quotes from a recognizable speech. Secret Service members—Nerf™ -armed, and ready for anything—should run alongside your candidate, shouting encouragement all the way. [20.16 points]
- 189._____ Just like Hogwarts, the U₆C is full of evil professors and soul-sucking dementors, and I haven't perfected my patronus yet. In the style of Joshua Allen Harris, create an oversized patronus that will inflate via portable box fans to protect you from harm's way. Go big or go home. [150 points] †
- 190._____ The *Star Wars* saga may have kicked off its plans for a reboot with a huge bang, but you know what is completely missing from their planned Anthology? The story of Padme Amidala in the Naboo Legislative Youth Program. Produce three of the future queen/senator of Naboo's famed bills that theoretically addressed the issues plaguing her pastoral, mid-rim planet. [Nab 2 points each]
- 191._____ Meanwhile at the Palace, Immortan John Brown craves the Palace's reservoir of water but finds it just out of his grasp. Mothman roosts in the pavilion. WaWaldo is appalled by how horribly he clashes with the Palace's decor. He lights the candle in apology. [7 points]
- 192._____ I, Dong-joon, am intent on ending your kimchi empire. But this time, you won't let me get away with it! When you confront me, be sure I get the taste of my own medicine (and your latest kimchi product)! [6 slappy points]
- 193._____ Immortan John Brown demands fealty from the Warm Glow Candle Shop and its World's Largest Candle. Mothman feels strangely drawn to its fake, yellow flame. WaWaldo purchases a small candle in case of emotional emergency. [8 points]
- 194._____ Here ye, here ye! The Court of Hutch Commons shall hold a modest enquiry this Thursday at 8:00 p. m. into the nature of Mock Witchcraft. How ye accused Judges guilty of that mock crime may be convicted and the means used for their discovery discussed both Negatively and Affirmatively according to Scripture and Experience. Evidence and details for attorneys partaking in said Mock Witch Trial shall be distributed at the Ærie. [35 points]

- 195._____ tinyurl.com/z3v5yh2. [5 points; 1 bonus point if before Judgment]
- 196._____ As the sun sets on your headquarters, the trees become alive with the stirrings of kodama. . . [16 points]
- 197._____ *DANGER! DANGER! HIGH VOLTAGE!* At Judgment, when they (your two teammates) touch, and when they kiss, their undergarments safely light up like the fires in their loins! [12V points]
- 198._____ You know what New Mexico has that other states don't? An official state question. Why should they hog all the fun? Write your own question and get a response from an elected official. [5 points for a local official; 8 points for a U.S. representative or senator; 13 points for a governor]
- 199._____ A bone-chilling selection played on your floran xylophone. [32 points]
- 200._____ A secret weapon? I wonder what it could be. . .perhaps it's that ridiculously oversized mitt you're wearing? Catch a pop fly at Judgment with your comically gigantic baseball glove. [14 points]
- 201._____ A paper airplane gun. Must both fold the paper and shoot the planes into the skies. Mustn't break any housing rules in the process. [45 points]
- 202._____ Grey Poupon® may be delicious on a beefsteak Chateaubriand while driving in a Rolls Royce in Derbyshire, but American audiences want a real mustard for real Americans. Recreate the famous commercial on the most 'Murican of vehicles. [3 points for pogo sticks; 5 points for unicycles; 8 points for Segways; 13 points for hoverboards]
- 203._____ We've all chuckled at "Drawing Dicks on the Herald Sun," so why can't the most recent edition of *The Maroon* give us a few well-drawn laughs? [8===D points]
- 204._____ Scare away the other teams with a homemade Aztec death whistle. [20 points]
- 205._____ With all the chaos and madness of the Hunt, it's nice to have some peaceful down-time. I'm sure that rock-balancing spectacle outside your headquarters must've really taken the edge off. Watch out for falling boulders! [13 points]
- 206._____ The only thing I hate more than the third quarter of Self is missing the game hour at the senior citizens home. Fix this by providing me with a SOSC bingo card full of epistemological buzzwords and socially constructed catchphrases so I can bide my time between Marcuse and de Beauvoir. Please have your game boards ready at the Ærie. [5 points; 3 extra to first team to win; 1 point if you win by the end of class]
- 207._____ My inner daredevil has always wanted to go down Niagara Falls in a barrel, but it's a bit too far away. Good thing there's a waterfall in Chicago city limits! Put a homunculus of yourself in a tiny, tiny, barrel, and send that Mfer over the falls and into history. [11 points]
- 208._____ Get a *get*. [18 points, 36 points for a gay *get*]
- 209._____ *After checking in at the front desk*, the Lovers check out the s-e-x-y leg sundial at Sun Aura resort and begin their journey with a quick set of sun salutations. [6 points]
- 210._____ To assuage my hatred of this humidity and heat, install a Neil Simone-inspired painting somewhere on campus by Friday evening where I can reminisce about the winters I hold so dear. [17 points]
- 211._____ Watermelon, cantaloupe, ooh baby burn that rope! Higher, higher, build that fire! It's a good old-fashioned rope burn! Send your team's pit demon to Promontory Point at 9:30 p.m. on Thursday to truly demonstrate the meaning of collective effervescence, Camp Starlight-style. We suggest a flashlight or two. [15 points for participation; an extra 15, 10 and 5 points for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd, respectively]
- 212._____ Those WPA-inspired NASA space-tourism posters are stellar, but they're a bit too far for my travels. Plus, why fly lightyears away when we have frozen desolate wastelands so close to home? Advertise a trip to the UfC library or study space of your choice. [15 light-points]
- 213._____ *When one Scavvie graduated, we never replaced them on the team with anyone else. We just kept on Scavving like they were still there.* Show us your *The Sandlot*-style epilogue for the graduating members of your squad. [9 innings points]

- 214._____ But not *every* team member eventually gave up the sport. One of them has spent their whole Hunt training for the opening (and only?) day of Olympic competition, and now, just like the athletes in Rio, that experience is gonna make bank for your team’s TV network. Show the world the human interest story behind your team’s most compelling Scav Olympics competitor. Remember, the audience attention span won’t be more than three minutes, and our emotions should swing wildly! Videos should be submitted to scavpagefifteen@gmail.com by 5 p.m. on Friday. [11 points]
- 215._____ A perfect Faro Shuffle. [2 points per consecutive Faro Shuffles up to 8]
- 216._____ We’ve already seen Goten and Trunks do the Fusion Dance. Show us the Nuclear Fission dance. You better make sure those smaller elements are perfectly in sync, and hidden from view by the larger ones until they’re physically necessary. [U–23.5 points]
- 217._____ TBA. [2 points]
- 218._____ At the Field of Corn in Dublin, the Lovers stretch out on the grass, hold hands, and take in the sun. They find themselves asking the big questions. Where did it all go wrong? How did we all get here? Where does corn figure into the workings of the universe? [3 points]
- 219._____ A knit scarf that shows at least five sequential timesteps of Conway’s Game of Life. [20 points if it contains a Blinker; 25 if it also contains a Toad; 30 for a Blinker, Toad, and Glider]
- 220._____ Conway’s Game of Life? More like *Kanye’s* Game of Life! I’m going to need convincing that Kanye’s image is not a Garden of Eden. [8.08 points and heartbreak]
- 221._____ I’mma let you finish the List, but Kanye’s game of Life™ was one of the best games of all time. One of the best games of all time! [I am a god. 7 points]
- 222._____ “Three logicians walk into a bar” is the start of my favorite joke. But what would they order? Create two colored concoctions that reflect TRUE and FALSE. These logical liquids should also respect the operations of “AND” and “OR” (i.e. mixing processes) through appropriate color change. Said concoctions do not have to be alcoholic, but must be liquid. [27 points; 11 bonus points for also respecting “XOR”]
- 223._____ “Hey Knight! Do the thing with the bishop!” Show me some American, Australian, and European style five finger fillet. Just be careful not to lose a pawn because you’re going so damn fast. [2 points each; 0 points for using an actual knife]
- 224._____ “Hey Bishop! Do the thing with the knight!” At 3:00 p.m. Saturday in Hull Court Quad, clad in your Bishop regalia, show us a knight’s tour. While Bishops don’t often wear their Jordans, it would behoove you to do so. [$\frac{64}{4}$ points]
- 225._____ - -... -. [15 points]
- 226._____ At Judgment, unscramble a Rubik’s™ cube to match ours. BYOCube. [9 points]
- 227._____ A Svengali flipbook about a Houdini trick. One flipbook. One side. Two stories. [21 points]
- 228._____ A magnifying glass with an outline of the U.S. that has extra power when looking through the magnificent state of Texas. [28th state points]
- 229._____ Holy Holi, Batman—we’ve gotta step up our game to cure the darkness in Gotham. Bring me a Bat-a-Rang to add to my utility belt. You know, like a Bat-a-Rang, except it bursts into color rather than impales people. [14 points]
- 230._____ A Scooby Doo-esque doorway chase scene. [12 meddling points]
- 231._____ You think that’s cute, algebraic topologists? I’ll show you cute! Suspend the hairs of a Koosh® ball such that none of them are touching. [5 hairy points]
- 232._____ A braided loaf of Cthallah, equal parts Kosher and Demonic Cult God. [$6.\overline{86}$ points]
- 233._____ A portrait of your favorite magical being made out of playing cards, in the style of Glenn Kaino’s *Ricky Jay*. [$\frac{52}{2}$ points]

- 234._____ A two-minute clip from the documentary that blew the lid off of the biggest story of the year, peeling back the layers of the mysterious and complex society and culture of the blind book-retrieving worker-gnomes who toil ceaselessly in the stacks of Crerar. [6 points]
- 235._____ It's a semi-charmed kind of life, baby! Make a charm bracelet charting the rise and fall of your favorite short-lived, pre-20th century tyrant, with each charm representing a major event in your individual's tragic history. [3 points per charm, up to 24 points]
- 236._____ Explaining the theories I've picked up in SOSC to my baby is proving harder than I'd expected. Craft a giant stuffed animal version of one of those abstract concepts (e.g. the Invisible Hand/Cave Dweller/Dasein) to help make the human experience a bit more huggable. [17.100 points]
- 237._____ Tickle Me Elmo™ Lounge Singer, in full period costume. [13 points]
- 238._____ At the peak of the Temple of Tolerance, the Lovers learn tolerance of themselves. They realize that they're fine on their own. Nobody needs a significant other to be happy. They're fine. We're fine. We're all going to make it. After snapping one last picture, the Lovers head back to Chicago, soundtracked by the O'Jay's "Love Train." [6 points]
- 239._____ Show a three-minute highlight reel from the unreleased *Judge Judy* episode where the kids from *Willy Wonka and the Chocolate Factory* finally take the mad chocolatier to court. [14 points]
- 240._____ The construction and presentation of Items are pretty miraculous, I'd say. And wait a sec, didn't the ScavvenPope decree that two miracles make an Item a saint? Well, in that case, I guess you're going to have to craft a luxuriously decorated reliquary for your headquarters that contains a venerated Item from your team's history. [15 points]
- 241._____ Break out your bonnets and get ready to spin some wool, because it's time to send in your Scavvie's video application—adhering to all U.S. Broadcasting S&P TV-PG legislation—for MTV's new family-oriented smash hit, *Girls Gone Laura Ingalls Wilder*. [19th century points]
- 242._____ Some say the last place team in a competition gets shafted, but here at Scav, we like to think differently. Design and fabricate the official Scav Sacko [Lack of] Victory Wreath to be retroactively awarded to Team Tornado. [10 pendulous points]
- 243._____ Being sandwiched between two screaming babies on an airplane is almost indisputably the nadir of the human experience. Solve this nightmare by constructing a pacifier that converts a baby's sucking into soothing music for all those around it. [7.47 points]
- 244._____ This week on TruTV: *Scavvie on the Quad!* [0.5 points per squirrel successfully interviewed; 0.05 points per squirrel unsuccessfully interviewed, up to 10 points]
- 245._____ Send a Scavvie to Judgment dressed head-to-toe in their best Bar Mitzvah party favor finery. [1 point per item, up to 13 items]
- 246._____ At Judgment, prove that you CAN judge a book by its cover. [12 points]
- 247._____ After rumblings of widespread dissatisfaction in Chicago's Relative Whimsy Level (RWL) were reported, the city government decided to transform Chicago's Loop into its very own loop-de-loop! Do your part in improving our city's RWL by bringing a scale model of Wabash Street—including a functional loop-de-looping train line of your choice—to Judgment. [37 points for a functional loop-de-loop, a photo-accurate train, and more than five identifiable Wabash Street buildings]
- 248._____ BOWLFLEX. RIP A SHIT. GET FIT. [4 points per toilet-attached exercise device able to be comfortably used while pooping, up to 32 points; 0 points if you actually poop during the demo]
- 249._____ Scav might be about 113 years behind the curve, but it's time for the rise of the Wrong Flyer! Make a duration-focused Academy of Model Aeronautics-compliant rubber-band powered biplane canard to demonstrate your aeronautical prowess. Jet on over to Henry Crown at 1:00 p.m. on Saturday. [42 points, based on distance]

- 250._____ Ain't no rule says a cactus can't play the Theme Song! [17 amplified points]
- 251._____ Marcus Pfister's *The Rainbow Fish*, in *gyotaku* form. Share at least three of your glorious pages. [13 points]
- 252._____ As they cross Zanesville's Y-Bridge, the Lovers ask the deep questions while listening to Hilary Duff's "Why Not." [2 points]
- 253._____ There's nothing more satisfying than popping a good pimple. Ooh, except maybe bubble wrap? We can't decide, nor should we have to! Make a sheet of comedo paper and a giant extractor so we can soothe those atavistic grooming urges without the risk of (physical) scars. [11 pre-teen points]
- 254._____ WaWaldo is hailed as a hero at Wawa. Immortan John Brown warns the Lovers against becoming addicted to Wawa. It will take hold of them, and they will resent its absence. Jeff "Palace of" Goldblum works out a new character: Jeff "Palace of" Goldblum, but wearing soft pretzels as glasses. Mothman sips some sweet tea. [12 points]
- 255._____ *I sink, therefore, I am.* A demonstrable Cartesian diver that looks like René himself. [I sink, there4 points]
- 256._____ A crossword puzzle race. No, wait. A crossword puzzle *construction* race. We'll supply the 15 by 15 grids to your proto-Reagles, along with a few required theme entries (including a few crowd suggestions). They will then follow the standard construction rules to create a solid grid as quickly as possible. Once your grid has been submitted, you will have until Judgment to submit your accompanying list of clues. Pointing will be determined by both the original speed of construction and cleverness of the clues themselves (so keep your Roman numerals and kimono sashes to yourselves). The cruciverbal crucible begins at 11:00 a.m. in the Reynolds Club South Lounge on Thursday. [Up-words to 25 points]
- 257._____ A drawing of your headquarters in the style of the *Museum Wormianum* frontispiece, wherein sketches of your neatly categorized Items replace the curiosities. [19 points]
- 258._____ It's okay, accidents happen. Enhance the natural imperfection of a busted Item with coleslaw, chewing gum, or Play-Doh® *kintsugi*. [1 point]
- 259._____ What are the names of the dogs at the Four Quarters Interfaith Sanctuary? How many stones are in the circle in the woods? [3.5 ± 0.5 points]
- 260._____ Send someone clever with good balance to Henry Crown at 10:00 a.m. on Friday for Yogi Berra's yoga/baseball crossover: an event that's 90% mental and the other half physical. [When you come to 8 points, take them]
- 261._____ Foamhenge! It's like Stonehenge, but made out of foam! Don't you understand?! [1 point]
- 262._____ Take your people-watching to the next level with a Marshallese stick chart representing the flow of campus foot traffic. Be prepared to explain the *rihib* and *kaelib* of students when you present your map at Judgment. [8 points]
- 263._____ Four college friends, each reeling from a horrible, long term, break up, decide to pile in the car and head east, toward the only place left that might still be...for Lovers. Immortan John Brown straps on his chestplate and breathing mask, fluffs his bushy beard, and straps in for a wild ride on the Fury Road. The sensitive, reclusive CEO of the Wawa corporation, WaWaldo, grabs his pet Canada Goose and climbs aboard (in the back seat, of course). Jeff "Palace of" Goldblum let his career get in the way of his relationships once before. Clad in his trademark suit of pure gold, he promises not to make the same mistake again. Finally, Mothman wants to know if the secret to finding love in their future could be hidden somewhere in their mysterious past. Kicking off at 7:00 a.m. on Thursday in front of the Reynolds Club, this Road Trip will show that love is a journey, not a destination. [Δ points]
- 264._____ What's this? *More* peace? The Beckley Peace Totem inspires the Lovers to find *inner* peace. [2 points]

- 265._____ In the style of Midway's Rara Avis, a model of the Reg composed of suspended school supplies. [25 points]
- 266._____ Your miniature iris door decorated to look like an eye. [18 points]
- 267._____ 33377223 26677 333328333366 444777 80004444447 04441113333. [5 points]
- 268._____ *Watch the Chair*, your rap rendering of the most recent Federal Reserve press release. Prove you're a true MC with rhyme and flow, but also be true to the FOMC with an accurate and unambiguous representation of the statement's content. [Markets rose 16 points on the news]
- 269._____ They say Tinder™ is a meat market, but I'm not interested if I can't trade futures contracts! Use the CME's Arb to deliver a pick-up line, a break-up message, and wedding vows. [7 points]
- 270._____ Graduation, like death, represents the end of one state of being and the transition to a new one. Add a little psychopomp and circumstance with an urn depicting the Spirit of Convocation as it guides students into the afterlife/shaking hands with Zimmer. [11 points]
- 271._____ Did you know that in addition to Lays® and Jays® there's a brand of chips made by one Uncle Ray? Did you know Uncle Ray has a brother-in-law named Bill? Where did Bill work in 1954? [4 points]
- 272._____ My life be like Bow Wow's Hulk-themed car in *The Fast And The Furious: Tokyo Drift*, but your life be like a LEGO® car themed after a different member of Marvel's The Avengers®. [12 points]
- 273._____ One of life's greatest disappointments is that when the weatherman says "dress for the mid 70's," he's not talking about bell bottoms and polyester. Help salve our disappointment with an outdoor thermometer that indicates the temperature XX° by playing a song first released in 19XX. [38 points]
- 274._____ *Nikiminajian Ethics*, the philosophical tract that asks "Miley, what is the good?" [2 points]
- 275._____ Gild a lily. [8 points]
- 276._____ In the style of Domino's, an online Showcase tracker to keep the Hunt informed of the progress and setbacks of one of your team's showcase Items. Domino's lets us send messages of encouragement, so you should too. [17 points for a URL by noon on Saturday]
- 277._____ Canned laughter that actually comes in a can. [4 points]
- 278._____ Time to say "Bye, Sepp" with bi-Sepp biceps! On one arm, disgraced former FIFA president Sepp Blatter makin' time with a person of whatever gender you choose. On the other arm, same Sepp, differently-gendered partner. Naturally, flexing your muscles should add a dynamic element to the scene. [7.5 points per arm]
- 279._____ Muscles aren't everything, you know. One over the top, spring-based arm wrestling machine that can provide a healthy challenge to human opponents. [30 points; 3 bonus points if it is switched on by flipping a trucker hat backwards]
- 280._____ This bus kneels before Zod. [1 point]
- 281._____ By Thursday morning, install a Burma-Shave®-style set of signs advertising your team along a common pathway to campus. [12 points for a complete set of six signs]
- 282._____ If *Monster High* has taught us anything, it's that any school can be made better by disembodied tentacles emerging from every crack and crevice. Make campus better. [ten-tacle points]
- 283._____ So your marionette can dance to "WTF," but if you put it down, flip it, and reverse it, can your puppet dance to "Work It"? Of course, each must be in an appropriate outfit. [24 points]
- 284._____ That envelope we told you not to open. Unopened. [Σ points]