

The 2008 University of Chicago Scavenger Hunt List
ScavAir Addendum: Vegas, baby. Vegas.

The University of Chicago Scavenger Hunt Organization Committee, Occidental

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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 over your getting thrown into the clink, be it local clink, state clink, federal clink, or Colonel Clink. 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 even then we may turn the hounds up in Admin loose 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. As a result, 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 continue to be mad props.
5. Points. Point totals are final. We Judges give out points for the spirit of the item in its presentation. Note that no items require alcohol, nudity, sex, or drugs (redheaded or otherwise).
6. A Good Time. For a good time call (702) 579-0707.
7. Items. Most items remain the property of the team that secured it except for the items that explicitly call for surrender. Furthermore, no items should use any living, non-human animals—think S.P.C.A. guidelines. Finally, we all know about Google, so, typically, count on .jpgs being worth dick. The Internet is trying to destroy the Scav Hunt. Don't let it. Work with us on this one, please, and we'll all be happier.
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 Cabana-rama. It is the Scavenwarrior's responsibility to make sure that they submit these in a timely manner. Items that do not have discrete time/place as stated on the list are not preliminary and therefore must occur at Vegas Judgment.
9. Occidental Judgment.

Occidental Judgment will take place on Saturday morning at 8:00am at the Stratosphere pool.

For items that require photographic evidence, please have the photos on your digital camera. For other items, please have the physical items.

In short, BE ORGANIZED.
10. Prizes. Prizes are real, live points, which will be added to your team's point total at the Oriental Judgment
11. Decisions. All decisions of the Judges are final. Final.
12. Final. See Decisions.

General Items

1. _____ A copy of the 2008 University of Chicago Scavenger Hunt List. [1 point]
2. _____ See Item 2 in the 2002 Abductees' List. [2 points 2 points]
3. _____ Photographic evidence that stereotypes do exist. We're looking to see you with "the rural bumpkin", "the Fear and Loathing", "the shit-eating grin business traveller", "the camera-laden person, possibly from east or west of here", "the fanny-packed, tube-socked, Hawai'ian-shirted trifecta", "the Classic Las Vegas—if she doesn't have a tracheotomy, she may as well have one' slot jockey", and a free-style of your choice. [2 points each]
4. _____ Switch outfits with who you deem is the most ostentatiously-dressed individual. Before and after proof required. [10 points]
5. _____ Be a best man, a maid of honor, or at least a signing witness. [15 points]
6. _____ GIRLS DIRECT TO YOU IN 20 MINUTES. T-SHIRT DIRECT TO OCCIDENTAL JUDGES AT OCCIDENTAL JUDGMENT. [12 POINTS]
7. _____ Vegas is full of D-list celebrities. Vegas is not, as far as we are aware, full of D-list celebrities flashing The Shocker. Find them or convert them. Celebrities named in other items may not be used for this item. [3 points each, limit 5 celebrities]
8. _____ Picture yourselves in a limo. [1 point per Scavenwarrior in the picture]
9. _____ Snap a pic of yourself and the following Elvii: old, Black, Asian, female, child or little person, bizarro. [2 points each]
10. _____ As many unique escort service cards as you can find. [0.1 points each. No fucking limit. No fucking.]
11. _____ Get a kiss from a showgirl or Chippendale dancer. [3 points]

The Strip

12. _____ A New Yorker in New York, an Italian in Venice, a frog in France, an Egyptian in Egypt, and a pirate on Treasure Island. Photo, and photo of photo identification, required. [2 points each]
13. _____ One picture containing both Nicholas Cage and Whoopie Goldberg. If you could get that creepy robot insect from HALO3 in there too, that would be swell. [3 points]
14. _____ Get your Royale fortune told for free by Zoltar. [1 point]
15. _____ Masters of the Impossible? Impossibly large and flaxen faces. [3 points]
16. _____ Bring us the world's largest scissors from the world's largest gift shop. Good luck getting them by the TSA. [4 points]
17. _____ It's a shame you are too big to fit through the Bellagio's conservatory's water arches. And it's too bad that you accidentally interrupted the flow. And, furthermore, it's a shame that this had to happen, not on the side where it gently plip-plops into its catch-bowl, but on the other side. It looks an awful lot like glass, don't you think? But it's not! However, it is not a shame that you took a picture at just the right moment. [9 points]
18. _____ Everyone gets their picture taken with the lions, but you're going to get your picture taken with one of the lion tamers! [5 points for the photo, 5 more points if you bring us some lion toilet paper, too]
19. _____ You look hot. Thanks, Deuce. [Deuce points]
20. _____ At 8:00pm on Thursday, come to Caesars Palace. Meet us at the main reception desk. Bring a lucky charm. Or don't. But be prepared to stay for an hour. [α points]
21. _____ Elevators are so A.D. Inclinator are so B.C.! Incline as high as you can, and take a picture looking down on the peons. [((your height in stories) / 3) points]
22. _____ Hug an A.P.C.¹ [2 points]
23. _____ The security in Paris is fantastique. Make sure to congratulate the Employee of the Month, and let us know his name. [7 points]
24. _____ Do your best flamingo ~~impersonation~~ imbirdination. We should only just be able to pick you out from the flock of live, shrimp-eating water fowl. [4 points]
25. _____ Impress Penn or Teller. Keep it short, and let us know what they thought of you. [20 points]
26. _____ NEWB UILDING
NEW SIGN
COMING SOON
[1 point]

¹Anthropomorphic Piece of Candy

Off-Strip

27. _____ Pee on the Berlin Wall. The noun, not the verb. [number 1 points]
28. _____ Which U.S. Magistrate's photo reveals his radiating judicial aura? Find out on the third floor. Name will suffice, no photo necessary. [3 points]
29. _____ Michael Jordan and Joan Collins were married here. To each other? Find out, and get the answer written on a business card from the chapel. [5 points]
30. _____ If you happen to be on East Charleston, while you may (or may not) be interested in Jerk Chicken, make sure to enjoy a peanut punch. If peanut punch would make your throat swell up... well, you can try the pineapple-ginger instead. [4 points]
31. _____ A coin bucket. [1 point]
32. _____ Find yourself swimming within six inches of a shark. [3 points]
33. _____ Hey, where are you from? Are you a couple? A four cent cash-out ticket from the Four Queens Casino. [4 points; 0.04 bonus points if you get 4 queens at the free pull]
34. _____ Drop a speck of gold into the giant kneeling prospector's pan. Can't quite reach? Well, if the angle is just right, the Occidental Judges will be none the wiser. [2 points]
35. _____ T.B.A.
36. _____ Under the pulsating glow of Poll Parrot Juvenile Shoes and Penny's Supper Club rides the four-eyed unicycling reptile by the sitting six-faced hand. [(6 faces / 4 eyes) * 2 objects - 1 unicycle points]
37. _____ Follow the Yellow Brick Road and hop in the Yogyakarta. [2 points]
38. _____ The Miss Hawaiian Tropic International Model Search Swimsuit Competition has a late entry. Take a picture with your competition. You'll be wearing the official sash, of course. [2 point per non-late-entry contestant in the picture, limit 5]
39. _____ A receipt (with dollar amount) for your round-trip plane ticket to Vegas. Get it at the airport, and bring it to the Oriental Judgment on Sunday. [0 points, -\$350 if not completed]
40. _____ Want to eat at a cheap buffet? So do we. Find the cheapest dinner buffet (no gimmicks, strings, or creative interpretations of what buffet means. FYI, if crab legs are not available in great abundance, it's not a buffet) and send a text message with name, location, and price to the Occidental Judges by 5:00pm. We'll let you know the winner and meet you there at 9:00pm for a true Scavenfeast fit for some true Scavenwarriors. [β points]
41. _____ What time is showing on the oldest clock in the only antique clock shop on Colorado in Las Vegas? [4 points]
42. _____ It weighs 61 lbs. 11 oz. Find it. [6.1 - 1.1 points]
43. _____ A pic of you with a pic of Sam Boyd and his pappy. [4 points]
44. _____ At the Williams Costume Company, one-up the road trip team by getting a picture of yourself in one of the road trip costumes... Vegas style. We're talking full-on glitz and glam: headdresses, capes, props (mad), and all. [16 points]
45. _____ The most interesting thing you can procure for under \$5 from a Las Vegas pawn, thrift, or antique shop. Receipt required. [5/4/3 points for 1st/2nd/3rd place]
46. _____ WELCOME
TO *Fabulous*
LAS VEGAS
NEVADA
[2 points]