

# The 2020 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 AND WITHOUT BREAKING SHELTER IN PLACE ORDERS, CDC GUIDELINES, OR TAKING UNNECESSARY TRIPS OUT OF THE HOUSE. All Items on the List should be able to be done by one person with things materials they could reasonably already have inside their house. The Judges take no responsibility for your getting thrown into the clink—be it local clink, state clink, federal clink, moral klink, 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 one special point. Maybe two. 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 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. 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 Captains' Breakfast, which happens at 9:00 a.m. CDT at a Zoom link which will be announced on the Captains' listhost. It is the Captains' responsibility to make sure that they submit these in a timely manner. Items that do not have a 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 through a virtual meeting at a prior time and medium alternative to Judgment. Consider this a privilege, and use your “Come See Our Items” requests sparingly.
8. For all items conducted via Zoom, links to the meeting will be given out at Captains' Breakfast and on the Captains' listhost.
9. Due to the circumstances of quarantine, Judgment Day shall function in the following fashion: the deadline for submitting Items for Judgment (unless otherwise specified in an Item's text)

is 12:00 p.m. CDT on Sunday, May 17th, 2020. The primary method for submitting Items will be to attach them in an email sent to the following email address:

SCAV\_40.2iaw3rewy03zgf81@u.box.com

This will upload the email's attachments to a UChicago Box owned by the Judges. Items file names should also be in the following format:

item###\_TeamAffiliation.ext

“Team Affiliation” in this case refers to the Team that the submitter is associated with (e.g. Snell-Hitchcock, GASH, Jannotta). In the case of alumni teams, please use your Team Name instead, as to prevent confusion between submissions for alumni teams. Scavvies should also cc scav404@gmail.com to their submission emails in case UChicago Box submission does not work for some reason. Because they will also be sent to this email address, please address the subject line of the email in the following format to make it easier for us to find your Item:

Item ###: Team Affiliation

Please be aware that some email addresses do not work for encrypted file uploading through emails, although Gmail has been shown to work in the past. Item submissions with multiple files (e.g. multiple pictures of an Item, different components of a single Item) should be compressed together into a ZIP or RAR file that is named using the above format. Video Items and similarly large files can also be uploaded as YouTube videos or Google Drive links or other link types as long as the appropriate permissions are accounted for such that the Judges will be able to view the Item. In this case, please email scav404@gmail.com using the above format for subject line with a link to the Item.

If a Judge is unable to access an Item, and a reasonable effort has been made to contact the responsible Scavvie or Captain to address the issue of inaccessibility, then the Item will be considered un-submitted.

We also encourage Scavvies to notify their Captains when their Items have been submitted so that Captains may be used as a point of reference for Judges to inquire about missing Items.

10. Rules. Ain't no rule says a roller coaster can't be a Judge.
11. 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 a free-food bacchanal or other in-kind prize. Offer void where prohibited. Check local laws.
12. Decisions. All decisions of the Judges are final. Final.
13. Final. See Decisions.

## Items

- 1.\_\_\_\_\_ A copy of the 2020 University of Chicago Scavenger Hunt List, emailed to SCAV\_40.2iaw3rewy03zgf81@u.box.com. [1 point]
- 2.\_\_\_\_\_ Hello sisters! Sister Charli has made a new TikTok dance for all those under the habit that'll make Pope Francis pop his pussy. And it's to everyone's favorite genre of song: Gregorian chant! [@pussypoppinpontif3x points]
- 3.\_\_\_\_\_ The original conceit of Epcot Center was education, where each pavilion would focus on a different topic to teach children. But lately, they've kind of lost sight of this. Bring Epcot back to its roots by designing a new pavilion based around the most important topic for the modern child: communism. In Sketchup, Planet Coaster, or a similar 3D-building simulator platform, your pavilion must include a name, concept art, layout of the building, one restaurant, and one ride that features an iconic new character (think Figment, Buzzy, etc). [28.85 points. If you include Disney IP, we will give you negative points]
- 4.\_\_\_\_\_ Comic-book cover for the crossover adventure "Rick and Mork and Mindy and Morty." [One and one and one and one point. funniest shit i've ever seen]
- 5.\_\_\_\_\_ Hanna-Barbera created hundreds and hundreds of characters, but you know who we never got to meet? Create a pitch bible for Hanna-Barbera's "Hanna-Barbera," where we meet the illustrious Hanna and Barbera themselves in their own animation style. [13 points]
- 6.\_\_\_\_\_ One month ago, the great prophet Shiz Honey Iced T reminded us in a YouTube comment that for roughly 3 minutes every day, Christopher Walken performs his dance from "Weapon of Choice" to appease the elder gods and keep humanity alive and safe for another day. Well, it looks like the elder gods aren't very happy with humanity. Create a shot for shot remake of Fatboy Slim's "Weapon of Choice" music video with as much accuracy as possible, but all from the safety of your own home, only using things from home. Walk without rhythm, and it won't attract the worm. [15 points]
- 7.\_\_\_\_\_ Monica and the 10 other women found out Lou Bega was eleven-timing them. Unfortunately, the live video of their confrontation was lost, so it's a good thing you're an expert at making a machinima on The Sims. [Mambo No. 7 points]
- 8.\_\_\_\_\_ McGruff the Crime Dog is back, and he's got a new single about how vaping will kill you. Must include the beautiful tunes of his raspy voice and a boppin' background track. [Nico10 points]
- 9.\_\_\_\_\_ It seems Gen Zers don't find art that hip anymore. they only look at their phones and say, "Ok, Boomer." So, you've got to get them interested in art again by creating a masterful piece using only the pen and Bitmoji stickers on Snapchat to be submitted for the Snapsterpiece Gallery. Your piece should tell a story, à la Renaissance paintings, with an abundance of color, texture, and figures. Like any good artist, you must start from an empty canvas, and you cannot cut and paste from any previous art, or else you will be disqualified from the show. [10 points]
- 10.\_\_\_\_\_ A Miller Litemotif. [SEVEN POINTS]
- 11.\_\_\_\_\_ TBA. [ $\lambda$  points]
- 12.\_\_\_\_\_ MACLUNKEY! Explain (with intricately detailed, lore-based evidence). [H4n shot first points]

- 13.\_\_\_\_\_ We dream of when we're allowed to go to the beach again. Better start prepping for those spontaneous trips to the lakefront by creating a shirt that, when a single stray string is pulled, unravels the whole thing in an embarrassing foray... save for a convenient, tasteful bikini shape. [80.085/4 points]
- 14.\_\_\_\_\_ You could've sworn you did a traditional diagonal scoring pattern... but... no... No, there's no denying it, it's a quarantine miracle: that's Jesus's face atop your sourdough boule. [14 yeasty points]
- 15.\_\_\_\_\_ *Scrubs*, *Friends*, or *Frasier* AMV. Must be made in Windows Movie Maker v6.0 or older. Must be set to appropriate music to truly reflect these angsty, pent-up feelings. [Version 6.0 points]
- 16.\_\_\_\_\_ A dichotomous key to properly identify all the socks in your sock drawer. The more detailed the key, the more varieties of sock, the cornier the made-up binomial nomenclature, the better. [A pair of 2 points (it's 4 points)]
- 17.\_\_\_\_\_ Harkening back to such classics as Stardoll™, Kisekae Set Systems, and the countless Flash games found in the cracks of the internet, it's your turn to make that paperdoll game you've always dreamed of. Complete with paint splatters, powertools, eyebags—all the accessories to show off your Scavvie Style! Game must have a minimum of 4 different options for hair, tops, bottoms, shoes, and other optional add-ons. [22.8767 points]
- 18.\_\_\_\_\_ *Mad Max: Fergie Road*, *Mad Max: Furby Road*, *Mad Max: McFlurry Road*. For years, we've demanded these prized cuts to be released from the confines of Hollywood. Now, amongst a certain feline-anus-filled controversy, they released the trailer that combines all three! [5 furious points]
- 19.\_\_\_\_\_ Your old childhood stuffed animals have been waiting for you to come back home and play with them. But alas, you leave them cold. Alone. Neglected. This is why you must channel your inner Sarah McLachlan to create an announcement video for the ASPCSA. [In the arms of an 4ngle points]
- 20.\_\_\_\_\_ It's time to answer the question that has been smouldering in the back of our minds for so many years: "What Classic Scav Item Am I?" Of course, a random three-question BuzzFeed-style quiz isn't good enough, which is why you'll collect data on the perceived traits of classic Scav Items, and use a correlative test to determine the similarities between the test-taker and the Items in question. Finally, the truth will be known! [19.87 commemorative points]
- 21.\_\_\_\_\_ This Item can be found on our website. [10 points]
- 22.\_\_\_\_\_ You like jazz, ya hot rats? "Zappafy" a 30-60 second excerpt of a Jerry Seinfeld bit with an instrument of your choice. [15 points]
- 23.\_\_\_\_\_ Although the cancellation of the Kentucky Derby originally got us down, we at the Judgeship realized that we can be the horses we want to see (and bet on) in this world. At 8 p.m. CDT on Saturday, the First Annual Jackbox Triathlon Derby (FAJTD) will take place, in which real Judges play three real games of Jackbox on Twitch (@uchicagosca), for YOUR team's real points. Choose your Champion Judges at <https://forms.gle/T4NcVH4QsC1YtpVC8> by 8 p.m. CDT on Saturday to enter. One Champion for each game that will be played. Your chosen Champions need not be different or the same for each game. Let the races begin! [3 points for participation + 5 points per 1st-place result, 3 points per 2nd-place result, 2 points per 3rd-place result]

- 24.\_\_\_\_\_ Make a pterodactyl out of whatever you have lying around. [9 points]
- 25.\_\_\_\_\_ We know how much you like clowns, so we made you this Zoom background. Now you can laugh yourself to distance learning! [1 point]
- 26.\_\_\_\_\_ The Great Scav-in-Absentia Mixmaster Challenge! We provide daily themes, you mix a three track (no longer than 15-minute) block in Spotify, due by 3 p.m. CDT. Daily mixes from each team, when combined, should work as one big end-Hunt megamix, with the best mixes taking home 9, 6, and 3 bonus points for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place, respectively. [10 points for fourdays of participation]
- 27.\_\_\_\_\_ WLCotWSVotSAWW, the world’s largest collection of the world’s smallest versions of the seven ancient wonders of the world! [versions must be no larger than those in the existing WLCotWSVotWLT, 4 points per wonder]
- 28.\_\_\_\_\_ They may have used them as diamond mules and later tried to murder them, but with the passing of time, the Chipmunks kind of miss the Eurotrash villains they encountered back in *The Chipmunk Adventure*. Have your team’s Chipmunks/Chipettes/Chipxs get them on the line for a long-awaited reunion, and find out what they’ve been up to lately. Spoiled dog in activewear and pool float Bloody Mary required. [4.5 AAAAALVIIIIN points]
- 29.\_\_\_\_\_ Photos of your Chipxs in front of the following sites from previous Scav Road Trips: the Albanese Candy Factory, the Mars Cheese Palace, the Palace, the Golden Spider Monk, GOVERNMENT IS LYING TO YOU, “it big and drity,” and as many goddamn henges as you can. [Actual photos worth dick; photoshopped jpegs=new hotness. 0.1 Simon points per jpeg, max 5 Simon points]
- 30.\_\_\_\_\_ Brittany was almost eaten by a great white, and she demands revenge. However, given that most large shark species are endangered, and her own poor dive practices are partially to blame for the encounter, she’ll have to be satisfied with one of your Chipxs defeating *Jaws* for the NES. (emulators OK, must be done live) [7.3 theopoints for completion, 1.9 bonus points for under 10 minute completion, and ’8.7 bonus points for under 5 minute completion]
- 31.\_\_\_\_\_ In these days of Instagram, it doesn’t matter how it tastes, just how it looks. Show us your most grammable, delicious, delectable cuisine photos in which no item is real food or prefab fake food (i.e. no rubber chickens or toy bacon). Remember it’s faux, not phö. [Remember it’s faux-teen points, not phö-teen points.]
- 32.\_\_\_\_\_ We feel like we spend all day wiping down doorknobs; life would be easier if we had a Rube Goldberg machine that would spray disinfectant or wipe our doorknob as its last step, ensuring the hygiene barrier of our home. [33 points]
- 33.\_\_\_\_\_ Using any musical instrument that you have available, record yourself playing “Think About Things” at its tempo of 127 bpm and its key of Eb minor. You are not required to play the melody, although you can; for example, you could play a rhythm guitar part or a bass line, or sing the melody or backup, etc. [Up to three submissions per team, 5 points per submission]

- 34.\_\_\_\_\_ *Baby, It's Foucault Outside*: your team's best 1940s vocalists argue/flirt their way into awareness of the genealogy of your concept or institution of choice. Please provide lyrics to accompany your two-minute recording. [11 points + (1.11 + 1.11) bonus points if your track features the legend himself, because 11 looks like a prison]
- 35.\_\_\_\_\_ A 60-second promo for the Bass Pro Shops at The Pentachoron. [5.5 points]
- 36.\_\_\_\_\_ They tore down *AstroWorld* to build more apartment space. That's what it's going to sound like, like taking an amusement park away from kids. We want it back. We want the building back. That's why you're building a thematic ride in *RollerCoaster Tycoon* that syncs up perfectly with one of the album's 17 tracks, and submitting a video demo of the ride and song. [You must be 14 points to ride this rollercoaster]
- 37.\_\_\_\_\_ The key to a Judge's heart? Cheap thrills and good vibes. Wake us up inside with a uniquely riveting malware experience in the aesthetic of your choice (cottagecore encouraged). Distributing viruses is illegal, so please submit a screen recording of your program being executed on a virtual machine. [20 points]
- 38.\_\_\_\_\_ A challenger approaches! On a newly registered account beginning with "SH20," find, battle, and defeat SH20 Judge in [Gen 8] OU. [Gen 8 points + 2 points for winning. For best results, ladder up everyday between 1:00-2:00 p.m. CDT]
- 39.\_\_\_\_\_ We just love the way that one paid programming girl's voice sounds, but darn, we can only catch her for 30 minutes at a time...psych! Thanks to your team, we can tune into "lofi hip hop radio - adverts to study/relax to" 24/7, drop into the live chat, and vibe with the real ones who feel the same way we do. 🌙 🎁 🎵 [24.7 points]
- 40.\_\_\_\_\_ We've got a Hunt to run, but Judge Grandma won't stop calling us about how to open Mozzarella Foxfire! Send us a browser or browser theme that's perfect for Judge Grandma's needs, and looks exactly how "Mozzarella Foxfire" makes us feel. [When the moon hits your eye like a big pizza pie that's an 8 points]
- 41.\_\_\_\_\_ BRIXEL ART IS MASSIVE AND INDELICATE. Pixel art is charming and intricate. BRIXEL ART IS A CONCRETE MONOLITH AT 1100 E. 57TH ST. Pixel art is your team's adorable GIF depiction. Do not skimp on animated springtime cheer or UNBREAKABLE BRUTAL-IST CHARM. [11.5 points]
- 42.\_\_\_\_\_ Tragically, we cannot make handfools of yella crayens in Factorio. But in your very own Episode 1481-inspired video segment, the most soothing voice on your team, backed by a calm, jazzy soundtrack, should completely engage our inner five-year-old for up to 3 minutes as they tell us all about what your team's factory *does* make. [It's a beautiful day in the 7 points-berhood]
- 43.\_\_\_\_\_ Everyone loves FiHA Sunday, but lately, all the days of the week have started blending together! What we need now is a glitzed-out thematic website, playing the old battle hymn in a seamless loop, counting in bold, beautiful digits to tell us just how long Mr. West has kept those Fingers in His Ass. [3 points, because 3 looks like a butt]

- 44.\_\_\_\_\_ There seems to be a Judge stuck in the source code of the classic pet simulation website Neopets. Fortunately, they are rather easy to contact via their newly made guild, though our research doesn't indicate whether an account older than theirs can truly access it or if they can escape from the website for long enough to communicate. [3-0 points, to be confused with neither Neopoints nor 30 points (this Item is 3 points)]
- 45.\_\_\_\_\_ According to current market trends, this item should cost 1,547,350 NP per kilogram. Luckily, we have a kilogram of it up for trade in the Trading Post already. [1.547350 points, not to be confused with 1,547,350 NP]
- 46.\_\_\_\_\_ The prize you seek is behind a locked door. [veo points, not to be confused with Neopoints]
- 47.\_\_\_\_\_ TBA. [9 points]
- 48.\_\_\_\_\_ And we all say, "Oh, well, I never, was there ever a movie as tragic as *Cats* from 2019?" And we all say, "Oh, well, I never, could it ever be better if the producers embraced the cat-person designs already popularized in anime (think *Tokyo Mew Mew*), and could the movie be improved if we redrew this scene from the movie to show them that?" Okay, so maybe the melody falls apart there, but at least you've got some source material to rotoscope. [20.19 points]
- 49.\_\_\_\_\_ A bowl cut is only as lame as the bowl. Yours will use a fancy bowl with an uneven, artistic rim. [8 points for a before picture, the bowl, and the cut]
- 50.\_\_\_\_\_ Did you know Andorra is technically ruled by two princes? Just like that song nobody really likes! Do we even really need to tell you to rewrite "Two Princes" to explain the structure and history of Andorra's government? [2x2x2 Princely points]
- 51.\_\_\_\_\_ Cruel Angel's thesis can't be accepted unless it adheres to the university-wide dissertation guidelines. Submit a draft with all front matter and one page of the body. [Evangelion: 2.0 You Can (Not) Graduate Points]
- 52.\_\_\_\_\_ Everyone wants an invite to Hyrule's hottest wedding, but the only people on the guest list are... 120 ancient Sheikah monks. Please provide a seating chart, with notes, that will ensure Tena Ko'sah doesn't end up dousing Ree Dahee in champagne. [In the name of the Goddess Hylia, we bestow upon you these 12.0 points]
- 53.\_\_\_\_\_ The party don't start 'till I walk in. This lack of object permanence will make me the perfect audience for your peekaboo-inspired club track. Where'd the bass go? Wheere'd the bass go?! [Peek-a-two points]
- 54.\_\_\_\_\_ Are you there God? It's me, Molly McButter. A layout for a dust jacket including summary, blurbs, about the author, and early-YA-style colored pencil cover art. [I can't believe it's not 8 points! Because it's 9 points]
- 55.\_\_\_\_\_ Introducing: Hameo, the only website that lets you hire a talking piece of cured pork to help you wish your chinchilla a happy birthday. Your team's Hameo contributor should develop and maintain a signature persona while responding promptly to Hameo requests throughout the Hunt. [15 tenderpoints]

- 56.\_\_\_\_\_ Coming soon: *Pokémon Clark and Lake*, set in a poké-fied version of Chicago! Show us a few of the game's signature Pokémon, including both new species and regional variants on old favorites. For each critter, please provide an illustration, Pokédex entry, and set of four moves. [3 points per Pokémon, max 6 Pokémon]
- 57.\_\_\_\_\_ Dancers have been doing the robot for decades, but lately, technology is more dynamic (and also more Bostonian). It's time for some new moves, taking inspo from our new overlord Spot. [4-legged points]
- 58.\_\_\_\_\_ When it comes to buttering up VIP visitors, UChicago is way behind our archrival, the University of Valencia. Time to up our game by illustrating any celeb who's been on campus this year in the style of Vicente López Portaña with Ka Yee Lee introducing them to heavenly personifications of the UofC's various divisions and professional schools. [Veinte puntos]
- 59.\_\_\_\_\_ *The Selfie of Dorian Grey*: An AR Instagram effect lens that pairs the user with a portrait of their likeness, which grows increasingly wretched and decrepit over the course of their story. [18.90 points]
- 60.\_\_\_\_\_ *Rick Steves' Wherever You're Quarantined 2020*. Your guidebook should rank your home's options for dining, sightseeing, and sleeping on Rico's iconic three-pyramid scale; include notes about the local customs so outsiders can avoid cultural gaffes; and include a diagram and annotations for one walking tour of your house or apartment. [10 points]
- 61.\_\_\_\_\_ Everyone's animalian interns have been diligently working from home during the pandemic—let's get everyone together for a brief all-paws meeting on Zoom on Saturday at 11 a.m. CDT. [Δ points max, evaluated on quantity and uniqueness]
- 62.\_\_\_\_\_ The people of Andersonville probably maybe miss the SL in Stockholm, just as most of us miss the CTA. Time to give ourselves a welcoming video for the CTA similar to SL's '90s advertisement for when we get to return to our favorite transit system of the Midwest! [Nio poäng]
- 63.\_\_\_\_\_ 'Gone Scavving.' It's a sign we used to see on HQ windows and classroom doors for years. It's a sign that means we've locked up and headed off to do something we love. A little sign that says so much. About our need to fill our lungs with fresh Scav. To stretch. To laugh. To simply get out and Scav. Though we're staying indoors there's no reason why we can't produce one of these Pure Michigan videos to let the community know of ye olde Scavven pastime. [5.5 points]
- 64.\_\_\_\_\_ Did you know there was a medieval belief that bear cubs were born as formless lumps that needed to be licked into bear shape by their mother? Did you also know that the Judges hold the exact same belief about house pets? At 1 p.m. CDT on Saturday have your mama bear log on and be prepared to shape their house pet out of nothing but their tongues and formless lumps of mashed potatoes. [Pot-8-Os points]
- 65.\_\_\_\_\_ Jadakiss? Well, that's a name that could NEVER leave your lips at the family dinner table. But while your lips must remain sealed, you can still Kiss Tha Game Goodbye through your Ryan Kelly-rendering of Mr. Phillips. [15 points]
- 66.\_\_\_\_\_ Read. My. Lips. No, really, We can't get our mic to unmute on Zoom and we really need to share some hot goss with your teams. At 6 p.m. CDT on Thursday send your lip reading champion to participate in our silent spilling of tea. [2 points for each correctly guessed piece of hot goss]

- 67.\_\_\_\_\_ A *Cheap Seats*-style commentary on one of the following: Latke-Hamantash debates, Convocations, Aims of Education addresses, or that meshuggeneh Agnes Callard philosophy series. [6 points for a highlight reel under three minutes, 9 bonus points if the Sklar Brothers help you out (they're probably not too busy these days)]
- 68.\_\_\_\_\_ Girl on girl : lesbian erotica :: *Kissinger on Kissinger* : ??? [3.5 points for up to three pages of what might possibly be the worst fanfiction ever created]
- 69.\_\_\_\_\_ Who knew you could make such a realistic anus out of marzipan? [10 BoPoints Scavman]
- 70.\_\_\_\_\_ Every dog is a handbag dog if you really think about it. [0.1 points per pound of pupper lifted in a tote bag, max 20 points]
- 71.\_\_\_\_\_ Sure, any hack with half a pastry arts degree can make a mud pie. Bring out your inner Mary and Paul by recreating a recognizable lineup of up to a full season of *GBBO*'s pâtisserie, with one challenge per episode. While Scav 404 does not explicitly endorse the act of geophagy, your earthly delights should entice our taste buds and remind of us a time when WE COULD EASILY FIND FLOUR AND EGGS ARGH. [3 points per episode, max 30 points]
- 72.\_\_\_\_\_ Fuck chinstrap beards. We want a headstrap beard. Nothing more, nothing less. [12 points]
- 73.\_\_\_\_\_ Why should the ornithologists and floriculturists have all the fun? Render your favorite cnidarian or poriferan in the style of Maude White. [30 points]
- 74.\_\_\_\_\_ A pamphlet with helpful information from an Imperium of Man financial advisor on how to get the most out of your Warhammer 401k. [4.01, k? points]
- 75.\_\_\_\_\_ How can reanimated skeletons communicate without tongues, lungs, or vocal cords? Well, in Ostriian, of course! And to help us bone up on the local skele-tongue, you've put together a small but lovingly crafted phrasebook, complete with anatomically correct drawings showing the many ways skeletons sign and clatter their bones to get their [18 points] across.
- 76.\_\_\_\_\_ Richard Garfield originally created *Magic: The Gathering* as a way to kill time in between *Dungeons & Dragons* sessions, but since that game has taken off, we need an RPG that can be begun and finished in the time it takes to sideboard a deck! Develop a micro-RPG that can take us from character creation through a satisfying and emotionally cathartic resolution in no more than 5 minutes. [You rolled a nat 20 points]
- 77.\_\_\_\_\_ Mandrake and Josh. [1 point]
- 78.\_\_\_\_\_ Sure, it's easy enough to make a probiotic soup that'll make our tummies feel nice. But we want to see your PREbiotic soup! Show us your quarantine-safe BA Test Kitchen-style video and take on the role of Mother Nature of any gender as they whip up a gourmet bowl of early primordial life! [6 points for a three-minute video]
- 79.\_\_\_\_\_ Cooped up inside with nothing but time on your hands? There's no better time for your meticulously researched, Unraveled-style video in the fiction of an extended game lore of your choice. We only want deep cuts here, so fuck Mario and Master Chief and all of their good friends. We're talking Spy Fox, Zoombinis, Carmen Sandiego. The real fucking childhood educational entertainment. Capeesh? Your video should be no less than 12 minutes long. [15 points]

- 80.\_\_\_\_\_ This year, *The Scavenger Hunt Times* has decided to expand its print offerings to audio. From *The Scavenger Hunt Times*, I'm Michael Barbaro, and this is *The Scav Daily*. Today: your daily, 5-minute podcast on the most important Scavenger Hunt story of the day. It's Thursday, May 14th. Submit one podcast per day of the Hunt by 5 a.m. CDT. [4 points per pod]
- 81.\_\_\_\_\_ ILLouMalnati's. [1 point]
- 82.\_\_\_\_\_ Longest *New York Times* crossword streak. [Congratulations! You solved this Item for 5 points]
- 83.\_\_\_\_\_ This year, as the Scav hivemind has decided to upload itself into the net, we've decided to collect your blood sacrifice in the form of 0's and 1's to search for a COVID-19 cure. Create a Folding@home team to solve some of those wily 'rona proteins and help scientists find a cure. Get a-foldin' with your personal computers only, and the team with the most work units accumulated wins. Send your Folding@home team name and number to [scavfolds@gmail.com](mailto:scavfolds@gmail.com) by 12 p.m. CDT Thursday to compete. [ $\theta$  points]
- 84.\_\_\_\_\_ We know you've raised and tended to your sourdough starter like it was your own child. Now, show us the digital baby book that showcases your starter's first few weeks of life, complete with a birth certificate and little sourdough footprints. Photoshop or MS Paint is encouraged, and either your own sourdough starter or stock photos of a starter with proper citing will suffice. [8 points]
- 85.\_\_\_\_\_ pokemon-go. No, DEFINITELY not Pokémon Go. pokemon-go: your programming language that is just a crappy wrapper for Go, where all the keywords are now Pokémon. It should be at least able to execute your equivalent of `go run`, but we wouldn't object if it had more functionality. [8 points]
- 86.\_\_\_\_\_ Do what the Pennsylvania Supreme Court was TOO COWARDLY to do, and redistrict the state so that all 18 of its congressional districts are as close to having a partisan lean of zero as possible. Your districts must be contiguous and have near-equal population, but anything beyond that is fair game. Please use Districtr, an online redistricting tool, and send a link to the Judge. [ $30 - \sum_{i=1}^{18} (\textit{partisan lean}_i)^2$  points]
- 87.\_\_\_\_\_ Just because it's a Virtual Hunt doesn't mean we can't have Hyde Park trivia Items, which you can find on our website. Kindly note that all of the answers can and **must** be obtained without setting foot outside of your home. In fact, they have been specifically written so that they are easier to solve on the Internet than on the streets. [1.5 points per item]
- 88.\_\_\_\_\_ A Wikipedia account that posts its support for your team (on its talk page). A Wikipedia account created before the Hunt that posts its support for your team. A Wikipedia account with one of the various non-admin privileges (auto/extended/confirmed does not count) that posts its support for your team. An admin Wikipedia account that posts its support for your team. A bureaucrat Wikipedia account that posts its support for your team. User:Jimbo Wales posting his support for your team. [1, 2, 6, 9, 25, and 50 points, respectively]
- 89.\_\_\_\_\_ *Hardware Wars* is okay, we guess. Personally, we found it to be overproduced and with too high a budget. Fix these defects by creating a version for episode 7, 8, or 9 that may only be filmed within teammates' houses. [BB-8 points]

- 90.\_\_\_\_\_ Most Neopoints in the Neopian Stock Market. At 11:00 a.m. CDT on Judgment day, you'll screenshare with the Judge and they'll record the market value of your stocks. [7 points for first place, and  $7 \cdot (\text{your team's Neopoints} / \text{first place team's Neopoints})$  points for everyone else]
- 91.\_\_\_\_\_ Were you recently caught plagiarizing your SOSC paper and need to atone? Self-flagellate with a whip that's molded from the pages of *Doing Honest Work in College*. [Cat o' nine points]
- 92.\_\_\_\_\_ Skribbl.io. 12 p.m. CDT Saturday. Details forthcoming at Captain's Breakfast. [4 points for participation + 5 points for 3rd place, 6 points for 2nd place, 7 points for 1st place]
- 93.\_\_\_\_\_ On Friday, let's go bar-hopping. Your team should set up a virtual, themed bar in a Zoom conference room. We'd like to see themed virtual backgrounds, some wearable accessories, and a couple other touches that add themed ambiance. Send your Zoom conference code to the Captain's Listhost on Friday evening, and Judges will each stop by between 8:00 and 10:00 p.m. CDT. Of course, Captains should share links with their teams, too, so that everyone can visit each other's bars. BYOB, alcoholic or not. [ $\omega$  points]
- 94.\_\_\_\_\_ As many Scavvies as possible from your team should participate in the following Zoom spirit days, whenever they're in a conference room: Thursday is Crazy Hat Day; Friday is Pajama Day; Saturday is Business Casual; Sunday is Team Spirit. Spirit days will not be in effect on Friday evening. [ $\Omega$  points per day]
- 95.\_\_\_\_\_ How timely! A set of four custom animated eCards for: Judgment Day, midterms, Father's Day, and the occasion of your choice. [3 points per eCard]
- 96.\_\_\_\_\_ Build a tensegrity structure out of materials you've found at home. [Ten-segrity points]
- 97.\_\_\_\_\_ Take an iconic anime character death scene and replace just the audio with completely unfitting and inappropriate dialogue clips from *Dora The Explorer*. It should be just as emotionally compelling, if not more so, than the original. We'll have tissues. This should OHKO us in 50 seconds or less. [5.5 points]
- 98.\_\_\_\_\_ Design a fursona for a philosopher of your choice. Full body front and back refs, species, and color palettes are required. [ $(e * 6 / 2) + 1$  points]
- 99.\_\_\_\_\_ A one-Hunt survival journal of someone who's just been vored and is trying to navigate their way out. One entry per day. Each daily entry can be 100 words maximum. [1 point per entry]
- 100.\_\_\_\_\_ Homebrew us a sickass D&D race that's inspired by a contraceptive brand. Stats, lore, appearance, feats, skills, and naming conventions are completely up to your discretion. Please provide visual references of variants/individuals. Must only be two pages or less, including images. [ $8(\text{=====D20})$  points (this is 8 points), 0 points for using Trojan and making a Trojan]

- 101.\_\_\_\_\_ I'm getting bored of all the Paint Brushes in Neopets. They're so oooooold. We need something new... something Neo. Propose a new Paint Brush that makes your pet the color of Neo-(art movement of your choice), with images of 3 pets and the brush as proof of concept. [15 points, not be be confused with Neopoints]
- 102.\_\_\_\_\_ An illuminated problem set. [14 points]
- 103.\_\_\_\_\_ A dad joke captured in the wild, directly from the man himself. [0.3 points per unique dad, max 9 points. All father figures are eligible]
- 104.\_\_\_\_\_ Due to the lockdown, Confuse-A-Cat services worldwide have been halted. Submit a video of you confusing your cat in the style of Confuse-A-Cat Ltd., the UK's premier cat confusing outfit. [M3ow points]
- 105.\_\_\_\_\_ In 2012, we asked you to make *amigurumi* of your teammates, now they need completely unique accessories-sold-separately friends! Create one-of-a-kind *amigurumi* of the macroscopic living beings in your home(s), and by one-of-a-kind we mean each one must be the only one of its species submitted to Judgment! Photos must include a twinsies photoshoot of your living being and its fabric clone. [5 points per *amigurumi*, max 15 points, 0 points given to taxonomic jinxes with other teams]
- 106.\_\_\_\_\_ Recreate a Spring/Summer 2020 runway show from one of the Big Four fashion weeks in *Animal Crossing: New Horizons*, including at least 10 looks, making sure to capture the spirit of the whole collection. [Our turnip prices are 30 points]
- 107.\_\_\_\_\_ You're already getting busy on the toilet as you notice that there's not a single square of toilet paper to be found in your stall. Scream to the heavens as this tragedy pushes you to go Pooper Saiyan 1, 2, and 3 in your mounting grief and fury. Your video submission must include both physiological and hair transformations. [8 points, because 8 looks like a poop]
- 108.\_\_\_\_\_ In the great tradition of artists like Kanye West, Sleater-Kinney, and American Football, it turns out the real motive behind Yoda's self-exile on Dagobah wasn't to hide from Order 66, but to "myself, I must find" while crafting his post-rock magnum opus breakup album about the downfall of the Jedi Order. Provide a sample single and cover art from this album. [EPISODE IX POINTS: The dead speak!]
- 109.\_\_\_\_\_ The poster promoting the Muppet movie adaptation of the SOSC book of your choice. [8 Miss Pointy Points]
- 110.\_\_\_\_\_ In these troubled times, people are looking for sources of comfort and strength. We all know that's decidedly not what Scav's here to do. Livestream your favorite 2-minute excerpt from one of FDR's inspirational fireside chats with a harmonica *firmly* wedged in your mouth 3 times over the span of the Hunt and delight in the irreparable distress you inspire in your shaken viewers. [F3R Points, 0 points for choking on the harmonica]
- 111.\_\_\_\_\_ In the style of Van Dyck's royal portraitures with animals, send us a digital copy of your painting of the young Eldritch Queen Belzebeth II and Dookie the Manticorgi in all their nightmarish glory. [15 points]
- 112.\_\_\_\_\_ Create a visually lo-fi homage – with each Zoom participant (minus the Judge) acting as one of 48 separate pixels – to the famous music video of your choice, to be performed live! Details on Zoom call sign-ups for judgment to given at Captains' Breakfast. [16-bit points, not to be confused with Bitpoints]

- 113.\_\_\_\_\_ At least a page of “Tahani Al-Jamil, Author of the ‘Pierre Menard, Author of the Quixote.’” [Unfortunately, your 5 points will not help you get into the Good Place. 0 points for rewriting Tahani’s rewrite.]
- 114.\_\_\_\_\_ We’re really starting to miss our favorite spots on campus. But as long as we remember, nothing’s truly gone. That’s why we want to see your physical or digital recreation of the Chicago Economics Experience Museum. And in case you haven’t made the pilgrimage in a while, we’re absolutely fine with seeing what you assume it looks like. [12 points, because 12 is an econ number]
- 115.\_\_\_\_\_ Are you wiser than an(y other) Athenian? If your team’s Socratic Scavvie is ready at 5 p.m. CDT on Saturday, we’ll find out. All you need is your *daimon* and your ability to progressively undermine assumptions about the good through a series of seemingly reasonable questions. And a costume. [4 points for participation + 5 points to 1st place, + 3 points to 2nd place]
- 116.\_\_\_\_\_ A story that starts with word X on page Y of a book at your home, then the second word is word X+1 on page y of a different book, and so on. Using the same book multiple times in making your flash fiction is a little less impressive; teammates collaborating across homes is way more impressive. Pics or it didn’t happen. [18 points]
- 117.\_\_\_\_\_ Make Greg Woods look like Vin Scully with a new frontier of sports that shouldn’t be. Liven up five minutes of paint drying or equivalent with your ESPN-worthy sportscasting. [3SPN points]
- 118.\_\_\_\_\_ Tom Waits for no one. So let’s get moving! Get our hips shaking and our hearts pumping with a high-energy cover that’s perfect for our upbeat workout playlist! #fitlife #zumbalove. [8 Points From A 30.6. 0 points for chipmunking it.]
- 119.\_\_\_\_\_ Wait a second. . . that’s not (any Item on the List). That’s just a drawing of it in MS Paint! [1 point]
- 120.\_\_\_\_\_ The floor is lava! Deftly navigating the hostile terrain of what was once home, a ragged lone survivor tells the tragic tale of the catastrophe in the wake of which they now eke out a rock-hopping existence. [8 VEI points]
- 121.\_\_\_\_\_ TEDxScav. Thursday at 8 p.m. CDT. Details forthcoming. [ $\tau$  points]
- 122.\_\_\_\_\_ An original sea shanty, explaining the plot of the entire *Metal Gear Solid* franchise in five minutes or less. [15 points]
- 123.\_\_\_\_\_ Look, we all love a good ugly Christmas sweater. But why limit ourselves to Christmas and sweaters? There are plenty of other deserving Pagan (or Pagan-inspired) holidays and plenty of other deserving yarn garments. Create an ugly (insert Pagan holiday of your choice) (insert yarn garment of your choice). Submit photo or video showing off all sides of your garment. [25 festive points]
- 124.\_\_\_\_\_ A tier list of all major dads in the TV show *Supernatural* based on the quality of their parenting. Please submit by Friday at 5:00 p.m. CDT. Upon submission, email [scav404item124@gmail.com](mailto:scav404item124@gmail.com) to schedule a time to call the Judge and defend your rankings. [A family can just be 5 points]

- 125.\_\_\_\_\_ In Neopets, your pet can have a petpet and petpetpet. Applying this logic to *JoJo's Bizarre Adventure*, choose an existing stand and design them a fitting and unique standstand and its corresponding standstandstand. Don't forget stats and abilities! [7 pointpointpoints, not to be confused with Neopointspoints] ]
- 126.\_\_\_\_\_ An excerpt of an upcoming novel by George R.R. Binks. [4 (points) more years until the sequel comes out]
- 127.\_\_\_\_\_ We can't believe that Sonic flossed not once but TWICE in the 2020 film. At this rate, the Sonic dental hygiene PSAs are basically just writing themselves! Design five unique advertisements to capitalize on this marketing gold. [6 chili dog points]
- 128.\_\_\_\_\_ Storyboards for the unfinished McCay masterpiece, *The Centaurs*, have recently been discovered! At last, we will finally get closure to our unending questions about why that centaur lad was throwing a rock at a bird. [15 points]
- 129.\_\_\_\_\_ Score this year's Theme Song, "Think About Things," in a unique configuration to create a dynamic piece of eye music that matches the song's subject. [25 points]
- 130.\_\_\_\_\_ JoeJoe's Exotic Adventure. [1 point]
- 131.\_\_\_\_\_ The Hottest Take. [10 points]
- 132.\_\_\_\_\_ You made it through another day, and we're still proud of you! [1 point in the books, 100 points in our heart]