

The Daily Complainer

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Happy Birthday, Rome!

If you are doing as you should, you are reading this during VJCL Finals Certamen on April 21, 2018. If you are not doing as you should, you should run. But since you are doing as you should, you can celebrate the Birthday of Rome! Woo! And you can play Certamen for the glory of the gods! Hurrah! Don't forget your omnipotent aediles who have put on these games of frivolity for you: S C L! Unfortunately the entire VSCL budget was spent buying two thousand seven hundred seventy one candles and a cake big enough to fit them on, so we are launching a fundraiser. For every joke we make in your presence we will accept \$1. For every good joke we will accept \$5. You cannot run. We are omniscient. You cannot hide. We are omnipotent. You cannot fight. We are omnipresent. Wishing you a fun Finals full of frivolity!

Your VSCL Editor,

Grace McIntire



MEET THE MEMES



VSCL President

Name: Wyet Jøener

School & Intended Major: UVA, Classics & Computer Science

JCL/SCL Experience: Former JCL President, Former SCL Editor, Mucho Conventions Attended

Why SCL: Those lil pretzels in the SCL lounge.

Favorite Convention Memory: Rigging the election to assume the presidency.

Spiciest Meme: elderly people earnestly posting on the Facebook walls of large corporations.

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VSCL Vice President

Name: Reza Akhtar

School & Intended Major: Northeastern University, Computer Science and Politics, Philosophy, & Economics

JCL/SCL Experience: Let's see... Well I came to my first convention in 2011, and I just got out of the Starbucks line. So 5 or 6?

Why SCL: Sleep deprivation and niche humor

Favorite convention memory: When I sang "The Boys Are Back In Town" at That's Entertainment with special guests the Jonas Brothers.

Spiciest Meme: Political Compass Memes

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VSCL Secretary-Treasurer

Name: Stefania Dodd

School & Intended Major: Randolph-Macon College, Latin and Chemistry

JCL/SCL Experience: many VJCL Conventions

Why SCL: what L? 🙄 this boi takes no Ls 🤔 I hustle everyday 🏆 the grind don't stop 📖 I'll show you how to translate 🗣️ Caesar 5:40 🙄 🙄

Favorite convention memory: Nothing can beat Wyatt and Reza's old man bit during That's Entertainment* at the 2017 VJCL Convention

Spiciest Meme: [see right]

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VSCL Parliamentarian

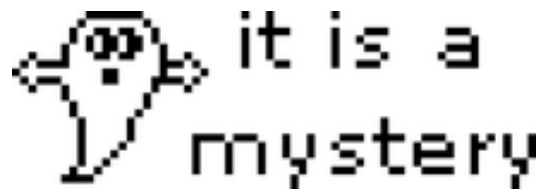
Name: James Wilusz
School & Intended Major: UVA, Classics and Economics
JCL/SCL Experience: 7 years of JCL and 1st year of SCL
Why SCL: I love Latin and I need friends
Favorite Convention Experience: getting into a spirit war with California JCLers before That's Entertainment at UNLV
Spiciest Meme: [see right]
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Brutus, seconds before stabbing Julius Caesar 35 times to his death, 49 BC (colorized)



VSCL Editor

Name: Grace McIntire
School & Intended Major: Randolph-Macon College, Latin and Greek
JCL/SCL Experience: NSCL VP, VSCL VP, VJCL First VP
Why SCL?: Sexiest. Club. of Latin. Also because SCLove extends far beyond convention!
Fave Convention Experience: People actually laughing at my puns at TE!
Spiciest Meme: [see right]
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VSCL Member-at-Large

Name: Eugene Delano
JCL/SCL Experience: 4 nats as a JCLer, 3 states as a JCLer, 2 nats as a SCLer, 7 states as a SCLer
Why SCL?: to give back to an organization that helped afford me some of the best experiences I had in middle and high school
Favorite Convention experience: Spirit at Nationals for the first time
Spiciest meme: What's a meme?
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What to Do on Your 2771st Birthday

Or an SAT Vocabulary List

So you don't know what to do for your birthday. The Sun has gone around the Earth once more and you totally forgot to prepare! Everybody is expecting something of you, you're Rome for Zeus' sake! Here's a list of the things you forgot are your favorite things to do:

1. Decimate your enemies
2. Amalgamate mass wealth
3. Subjugate mass groups of people
4. Hydrate/irrigate the Earth with aqueducts (and blood)
5. Degradate those that question your authority
6. Conjugate verbs
7. Imitate the Greeks but say you don't
8. Initiate yourself into a mystery cult (with blood)
9. Manipulate your followers
10. Dominate your Principate
11. Confiscate land for the glory of the empire
12. Masticate the bones of your foes
13. Cultivate your fields (with blood)
14. Inculcate your people with propaganda
15. Pontificate on the meaning of life
16. Flagellate slaves to get accurate confessions
17. Appropriate every culture your contact
18. Sanguinate your enemies (with blood... duh)
19. Emancipate/Liberate all the people you have wronged over the course of your reign... just kidding ;P

For more ideas fill in the blanks!

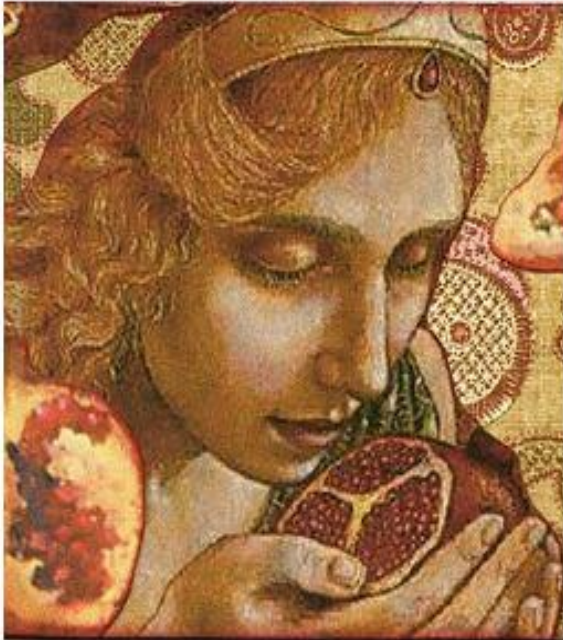
Collect milk from cows as they _____

_____ your enemies' Johns with swords

_____ from high school with a diploma

When two bros go out it's called a _____

LOST GOD DESS



Persephone

Even though Punxsutawney Phil said there would be five more weeks of winter, the weather has been up, down, and sideways this “spring.” Spring breaks are filled with snow and snow is filled with spring. Usually, weather analysts are able to set moderately accurate forecasts based on Hades’ and Persephone’s reliable relationship, but it seems Hades and Persephone have been off-again-on-again since January causing erratic spikes and plunges in temperature.

If found dial 777-7777 and put a drachma in a rainbow to call Ceres

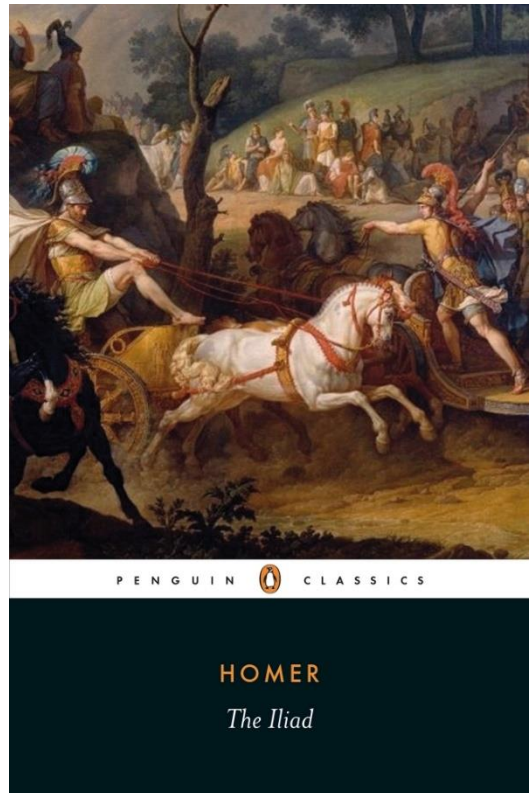
REWARD:

living with slightly less of a constant fear of the unknown

RELATABLE MEMES FOR CLASSICAL TEENS



Marvel: infinity war is the most ambitious crossover in history
Me:



If you don't love me at my: Then you don't deserve me at my:

