

Bernie Brings Self-Gov To Nation



Above: Senator Sanders announces his new Self-Gov platform to a crowd of ecstatic supporters.

CENTRAL PARK, 3:15 p.m. SEPTEMBER 3- During his stop in Grinnell, presidential candidate Bernie Sanders declared Thursday that he was adding Grinnell College's "Self-Gov" policy to his platform.

Said Sanders, "My first day in office, I will call a national state of "Self-Gov" to kick off my grassroots people's revolution."

The announcement bewildered members of both the Democratic and Republican parties; however a majority of High Street residents speedily endorsed it.

Grinnell President Reynerd Kengten describes self-governance as "a philosophy that motivates students to keep their behavior in check for the good of their community rather than just to avoid institutionalized

punishment."

Said Sanders, "I have been so focused on tax reform and regulatory policies as a way to force businesses and the extremely wealthy to act humanely, when all this time the answer was really just self-gov."

Sanders was introduced to self-gov when, as reported by a local witness, "Students clamored to see [Sanders], spilling out into streets and cornfields. After a fight between two members of audience was stopped by students, he demanded to know their secret to maintaining such a strong moral compass."

"Well...self-gov is love, I guess" a meek first-year student, who wishes to remain unnamed, replied. Sanders immediately promised to champion this catchphrase, to which he received a standing

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Concerts To Have On Your Radar

GARDNER-Grinnell is known for hosting the best in indie music in free concerts for students. Here are seven we're extra excited to see take the stage:

1. DJ L0Inss: The leading name in the Jersey Club genre offshoot New Hampshire Club, DJ L0Inss brings that infamous Concord bass sound to your night's soundtrack of Dionysian indulgence and disreputable debauchery. The B&S staff fully recommends you come damage your inner ear to DJ L0Inss electronic bleeps and bloops.

2. Brynneen and the Blood Tears: The Blood Tears' 2014 LP "I Guess It's Supposed To Sound Like Mostly Fuzz" was deemed one of the best albums of the year by Pitchfork, Stereogum, The Fader, and that one guy who chain smokes American Spirits alone outside high street parties.

3. The Flannelbeards:

Minneapolis folk rock outfit The Flannelbeards are definitely the most notable act in the Civil War Reenactorwave scene. Their jams will surely have you romanticizing an era in which people regularly contracted typhoid fever.

4. Young Drill: We're incredibly stoked for this up-and-coming rapper/alleged Drake ghostwriter!

"You Fill Me With Much Woe" -Foyer Sigh

Being the visibly most popular name on this year's lineup, we're extremely excited for all of the Grinnell student body to sweatily converge on Gardner for a lyrically inaudible 14.5 minute long set.

5. Omnibuzz Cross Eternelle: This experimental electronic producer has been making major waves across the internet blogosphere with his critically and singularly ac-

claimed "unjustifiably dissonant" sound. The B&S staff found his usage of smoothie blender samples to be particularly tasteful.

6. Foyer Sigh: This lauded shoegaze dream-wave tweekpop band will be gracing Gardner Lounge with their seriously buzz-worthy 2015 singles "You Fill Me With Much Woe", "I Want To Kiss You (But I'm Too Nervous)", and "Of Course, This Night Was A Disaster". The sonic equivalent of snorting a pixie stick, this band is a must see.

7. The Band You Publicly Asked The Concerts Chair To Book Over Facebook: Congratulations! You finally made it happen! You digitally groveled at the vintage-clad feet of the Concert Chair's Facebook profile and successfully convinced them to bring in that one super fringe artist that you and a maximum of five other people enjoy! Your tactics worked and we're all very excited.

First Years Overflow Housing

ALL OVER CAMPUS- As the 2015-2016 academic year gets fully underway, Grinnell College finds itself once again shrouded in controversy. Once the class of 2019 completed NSO and slowly became accustomed to becoming part of the "tree-huggin', Bernie lovin' community" that characterizes Grinnell College, they found themselves being crammed into campus dorms at alarming rates.

Due to the size of Grinnell College's incoming first-year class, the Grinnell Administration has decided that the newbies at the bottom of the totem pole would be sardine-packed into campus dorms. Tactics utilized by the administration include converting doubles to triples, triples to quads, and lining spare rooms in the JRC with prison-style bunks so as to accommodate the new students. Hammocks have been hung on the South Campus fire escapes for students, and GORP

sleeping bags have been strewn across East Campus lawns and thrive on a first come, first serve basis, in what the administration calls a "desperate measure to fight a desperate situation".

Fire escape 243 resident Alexandra Paul had this to say:

"I selected Younker Pit shower bunks as my first choice but I've since grown accustomed to the

"At least I didn't get placed in the sewer pipes under Rose!" -A. Paul

hammock life. Sure, the rain isn't ideal and the gusts of chemical death spray from Noyce aren't super great for my pores, but it could be worse. At least I didn't get placed in the sewer pipes under Rose. That would've stunk!" Studentson was later interrupted mid-ramble about pun club by a squirrel attempting to burrow into her living arrangements.

The Committee on Overcrowding (CoO),

though, is not happy with slow progress made so far and says it has plans in the making to enact further changes. Some future rules the CoO are considering creating include "Any new student caught bragging about having a car on campus must immediately remove all belongings from his or her dorm and relocate to the vehicle.", and "Anyone caught playing Wonderwall on guitar in a dorm lounge must sleep on the dhall tray slide for two weeks, incurring an extra-weeks penalty if said student is wearing a muscle shirt at the time of the incident or has forgotten to shower".

The Admissions Office sheepishly claims responsibility for the problem. "We just threw darts at a list of prospective students to decide who to admit, had a few drinks, and got a bit carried away this time," admits Deborah Cohn, an admissions officer. "Next time, we'll keep a tally on our arms."

This Week's Horoscope
You will find the answer to your question with the help of forensic evidence.



Just try the Ouija board. I dare you.



Sextra Credit

Looking to add some spice to a stale relationship? Try alien abduction role playing.

Oooh. Yeah. Uh-huh.

You know what it is. Black and yellow black and yellow black an



Also In The News

Campus mourns loss of Jack Taylor.

Alpaca jokes soon to supplant squirrel jokes as most hated type of jokes on campus.

Grinellians HATE her – find out how she managed to get a 4.0 GPA whilst still retaining an adequate sleep schedule and a thriving social life.

Student drowns in High-Street party sweat.

First year shunned for making “Has anyone noticed that high-street is aptly called HIGH-street?” comment one too many times.

B&S editor OD’s from too many stems
Students shocked that ‘Bros before hoes’ does not appear in the Book of Proverbs

Magnetic students praised by blood drive coordinators

Students duped by article into believing that a 4.0GPA, an adequate sleep schedule, and a thriving social life are compatible.

First years barely make it through first week of the rest of their lives.

SECURITY BLOTTER

5:30 a.m. Officer initiates patrol campus, looking for trouble

5:46 a.m. Officer finds passing student, attempts to interrogate her.

5:48 a.m. Student babbling incoherently. Officer suspects she has partied too hard the night before and is now feeling the consequences.

5:50 a.m. Officer is approached by another student who claims to be a friend of the incoherent student.

5:52 a.m. Officer shocked to find out that the students hadn’t been partying at all, but were just simple first years who woke up extra early so as not to be late to their 8AM French quiz.

5:53 a.m. Officer attempts to calm students down and make them go to sleep, but they have already breached the topic of the French quiz.

5:53 a.m. Students entering panic attack over incoming quiz.

5:55 a.m. Officer tries to reassure students by telling them that one quiz only counts for 0.05% of their final grade. Students proceed to panic even harder.

6:26 a.m. Officer finally manages to calm down students and escorts them to bed.

Peat Bog Mummy Joins Class Of 2019



Above: Jimmy Smith is quickly adapting to a modern collegiate lifestyle.

MAIN LOUNGE- The Grinnell Office of Admissions is proud to welcome a bright new organism into the Class of 2019.

This 11,018 year-old primitive human had been mummified in a peat bog on the plains of Western Siberia before it was discovered one year ago by Grinnell admissions staff.

Boris Glubar, the admissions representative sent on a recruiting tour through northern Europe, tripped over the perfectly preserved corpse on his trek to St. Petersburg.

Said Glubar, “In my defensive panic, I apologized profusely to the foggy, methane-reeking green mass.”

As it turns out, “I’m sorry” linguistically translates into the ancient rite that the mummy’s

now-extinct tribe used to awaken its dead.

Said Glubar, “Suddenly, the smelly peat glob cracked open like a ripe cocoon to reveal a human similar in appearance and mannerism to a young Steve Buscemi.”

The reanimated corpse was immediately flown to the ARH (Alumni Resuscitation Hall) and declared an anthropological anomaly by various members of Grinnell’s social sciences faculty. The biologically more interested in learning about the thawing of the West Siberian peat bog than researching the mummy itself.

The mummy’s PSAT (Prehistoric-SAT) score both impressed and frightened admissions staff into offering it a full-ride merit scholarship.

Admissions staff member Yasmine Bafsren said, “The PSAT, while

impressive, was only one to have this walking factor. After all, just as evidence of evolution as with any standardized pupil.

test, one may question Professor Diane Forrester, Environment Studies, said “This painting interpretation, fire ancient being provides building skills, and basic excellent insight into the Neanderthal vocabulary true impact we modern are really evidence that a humans have made on student is prepared to study this Earth.”

“Thousands of seasons of deep reflection have enabled this newly awakened soul to think beyond the parameters of the human mind. Grinnell brings one to question; alums, which we treated are we truly the most competent beings to roam this Earth? Perhaps we should consider this first

who has taken the name year a new God,” said a Jimmy Smith, “I was truly Philosophy 101 student impressed with the lack of during class discussion. Tally Pel ’19 said, I thought it would be a “I’m honestly still nice change in my lifestyle confused that it can speak perfect English. Why is nobody else wondering

Professors are delighted about this?”

What Do You Think?

Bernie Sanders and Martin O’Malley both visited Grinnell. Which team?

What do you think?



Non Politically Active Student

Doesn’t believe their vote counts

Inaudible mumbling



Politically Active Student

Wants to be on the news

Inaudible shouting.



The People Who Originally Had 101 Reserved

Have more important things to worry about

“Fuck political campaigns.”

Hi, [2019]

We believe that you are the future. And not just because we are aware that we are confined to a linear concept of time as three-dimensional creatures. We don't know you, and you don't know us, and you don't know each other, so memorize these and use them as icebreakers when you meet each other.

Love and salutations, from *The B&S*, respectively

Lauren Acker is a direct descendent of Josiah B. Grinnell. **Anisha Agarwalla** is done with the Bachelorette after last season. **Anna Ahrens** has the most posts on the 2019 Facebook group. **Ala Akkad** is still not exactly sure where Grinnell actually is. **Jason Al-Adsani** turned down an offer to play for the Women's US Soccer Team so they could attend Grinnell. Hilary's private email server reveals her close friendship with **Thomas Aldrich**. Zayn's decision broke **Faizaan Ali's** heart. The new fantastic Four is the best move **Ashley Alto** has ever seen. **Paps Ampim-Darko** slept through all of NSO. **Phillip An** actually was in the Grinnell Class of 2015, but they couldn't bear to leave. **Julia Anderson** forgot to register for classes. **Hunter Antonisse** has travelled as part of a circus troupe since age 4. **Nicole Arredondo**, age 10, is the youngest enrolled student in Grinnell's history. **Alex Asawa** applied to 26 colleges. **Mujtaba Aslam** is a sloth whisperer. **Rene Ayala** is minor royalty. **Emily Ba** killed Cecil the lion's father. **Bailey Bagneris** is a candidate in the Republican primaries. **Preksha Bajaj** has found herself a cheerleader. **Sophie Banegas** actually can never feel their face, but they love it. **Jay Barnes** sees right through you. **Rachel Bass** is there if you ever need a shoulder to cry on. **Andrea Baumgartel** is planning on creating a Super PAC to support Bernie Sanders. **Myles Becker** was a socialist before you even knew about Bernie Sanders. Ben Carson has inspired **Joe Beggs** to become a neurosurgeon. **Ceci Bergman** made it to callbacks for the role of helpless citizen in the next Avengers movie. **Mary Rose Bernal** has decided to camp out for the Star Wars VII premier instead of attending Grinnell this semester. **Maddie Birchfield's** Instagram pics now appear in galleries around the world. **Mattori Birnbaum** is secretly a vigilante, but their glasses hide their identity. **Anna Blinderman** is independently conducting research into what really happened with Deflategate. **Harley Boatsman** has managed to rig the course registration system. **Griffin Boehm** wrote a five-page definition of self-gov when they applied to Grinnell. **Nolan Boggess** is actually an undercover food critic sent to rate the dining hall. **Lily Bohlke** took a round the world road trip before coming to Grinnell. **Danica Bojovic** has already taken the MCAT three times, for practice. **Kiara Borosky** had never seen corn before coming to Grinnell. **Greyson Bourgeois** is on a medically prescribed monochromatic diet, so they only eat blue foods. **Britt Bovbjerg** is smoother than a fresh jar of Skippy. **Mira Braneck** is thinking 'bout how people fall in love in mysterious ways. **Tim Brennhofer's** like "hey, what's up, hello". **Cara Bresnahan** decorated their dorm room with artfully

patterned clothing tags. **Ruth Brindel** hired a stylist for their fall semester wardrobe. **Allison Brink** ran a booth selling deep fried organic quinoa açai patties at the Iowa State fair. **Rachel Brodt** listens to bands that not only have you not heard of, but they don't even have names yet. **Acadia Broussard** is the most interesting student in the world. **Bailey Brown** is planning on being the first Uber driver in Grinnell. Today, **Siri Bruhn** realized they weren't in Kansas anymore. The name's **Brunet**. **Chris Brunet**. **Caelin Bryant** has the seventh sense. **Eliza Bunnell** truly appreciates the work that went into creating these sentences. The force is strong with **Emily Burgess**. **Tim Burnette** believes in Jon Snow. **Reggie Bynum** uses a skateboard as their only means of transportation. **Julian Cabrera** is actually identical twins who pretend they are the same person. **Aiden Call** speaks 1.75 languages. **Sarah Cannon** cries every time. **Hoang Cao** lied about visiting Mount Rushmore. **Lila Cardozo** doesn't even go here (yet). **Charles Carr** brought 8 suitcases AND a backpack. **Nicole Carver's** roommate still hasn't shown up. **Carson Cary** knows a suspiciously large amount of critical theory already. **Simon Caskey** is excited to go to "the Harvard of the Midwest". **Ania Chamberlin** will graduate early. **Martin Chamberlin** will drop out to write the next great American novel. **Dennis Chan** saw Akon live 6 times. **Elizabeth Chapman-Orr** puts Hawkeye in their cereal. **Cameron Chen** isn't part of the Witness Relocation Program. **Jiayun Chen** is definitely not a narc. **Yilin Chen** is related to Sarah Palin but really, REALLY doesn't want anyone to know. **Vivian Cheslack** is friends with Tinashe's sister. **Yoon Choi** already slept in the Wellness Lounge. **June Christian** is excited to see snow for the first time! **Sonia Chulaki** has 11 toes. **Peter Cipriano** sneezed on Uma Thurman at a Starbucks. **Maria Ciupka** is already a campus celebrity. **John Clark** has won every hackathon-event and doesn't even remember it. **Amelia Cogan** met Michelle Pfeiffer at a dance party but didn't remember to add sugar to her coffee. **Charlotte Cohen** built the fastest roller coaster in the world but is too small to ride in it. **Jasper Cole-Kink** spent all summer to see how long they could sleep through the alarm before kicking it. **Dj Coleman** spent their summer wandering the sewers of Iowa. **Jose Coloma Ponce De Leon** has already gone into Starbucks shock. **Daniel Cook** knows the entire Wonderpets theme song by heart. **Megumi Corley** is secretly Honey Boo Boo. **Alayna Costner-Withee** just escaped from a virtual reality lab. **Nate Crail** has a twin sister who lives in their mirror. **Vinny Curta** is a Young Adult heroine. **Joshua Cussen** still hasn't checked their email. **Haley Jo**

Cultrone knows exactly what nail polish color you're wearing. **Sam Dahlke** doesn't know who Gwen Stefani is. **Muhammad Damanhuri** writes Jaden Smith's tweets. **Maggie Dambro** only writes in yellow ballpoint pen. **Noah Daniel** is a ray of sunshine, dammit. **Sylvia Davison** has a pocketful of sunshine. **Alyssa DeBella** was cool for the summer and hot for the winter. **Brandon DeBella** thinks there MUST be more than this provincial life. **Sophia Deleonibus** invented their own astrological sign. **Gabby DeRoche** eats books. **Tom Derrah** is wishing for the one they love to find them someday. **Graham Dodd** gets Bookstore loyalty reward points. **Maisy Dodge** just finished the most wonderful story about a beanstalk and an ogre and... **Alec Doss** was an extra in the unaired pilot of Tina Fey's newest show. **Lucie Duffy** is the self-proclaimed DIVA of the class of 2019. **Stephen Duhaney** was an extra on Masterchef. **Mark Duncan**'s aesthetic is a box of Skittles. **Steven Duong** brings fear to every situation. **Julia Dursztman** can outdance Maddie Ziegler. **Greg Eastman** is going to swing from the chandelier. **Kiley Eichelberger** is talkin' bodies. **Claire Eide** IS liberal arts. **Hannah Eom** wears only clear nail polish. **Jeremy Epstein** loves monkeys. **Reed Essex** doesn't believe in shower curtains. **Ethan Evans** wakes up in the morning feeling like P. Diddy. **Dani Schreiber-Evans** is yelling "Timber". **Judith Fan** didn't bring anything to Grinnell. **Liberty Farrell** spent the summer building up an immunity to cocaine powder. **Lexi Faust** is a Southern princess. **Max Fenton** will be starring on a new Disney Channel Original Series next year. **Chandler Fisher** says "Hey y'all" and "Hee-Haw". **Ross Floyd** dances in the rain and cries in the sun. **Noah Fluharty** writes concrete poems about world leaders. **Emma Foulkes** sneezes with their eyes open. Coincidentally, **Nick Foulon** owns the same breed of dog as Shaun White. **Lauren Frankel** is voting for Vermin Supreme in this year's presidential election. **Emily Friedman** writes garage door patents in their spare time. **Jacob Friedman** convinced a TSA agent that they were Barbra Streisand. Once, **Brianisha Frith** drew a picture of an elephant inside a boa constrictor. **Anthony Fu** wants to be an accountant when they grow up. **Tula Fuchs** refuses to believe that all lies begin with a grain of truth. **Mitsuki Fujio** dances in the shower. **Courtenay Fyffe-Williams** holds a monthly piano concert on the roof of the JRC. **Jeff Gabell** is pursuing legal action against the manufacturers of a butter substitute for setting unrealistic expectations. **Ryan Galang** is using the College phone booths to conduct an elaborate market research survey. **Eve Galen** interned for James Franco last summer. Understandably, **Rory Gallagher** has yet to utilize D Hall food to its fullest extent. Successfully tracking international criminals has gotten **Morgane Garnier** in with twelve national governments. **Sophie Gaschott** thinks Scarecrow Boat is a great name for a band. **George Ge** questions authority. **Amelia Geser** had lunch with Santa Claus on the deck of a luxury cruise ship. **Jonathan Gilmour** only wears brown socks. **Emily Gold** has never painted their toenails. **Isaac Gold** won 283 high school debates. **Ashley Gomez** shows up to class early. **Karla Gomez** has a fantastic head of hair. **Addison Gould** crushes ice using willpower alone. **Eden Gregory** was shooting pool when the Fire Nation attacked. Crossing their fingers causes **Ben Grubb** to cross their eyes as well. **Zoe Grubbs** understands me better than anyone else in this noseless

statue of a town. **Pat Gruggen** knows the owner of the Keystone Motel and the governor of the Keystone state. **Kai Gui** has planned a backpacking trip across the Galapagos Islands. **Rong Guo** can't wait for this song to be over. **Yu Guo** unearthed a mysterious artifact next to the ginormous tree on Mac Field. **Jack Gustafson** thinks it should be unlawful to wear white after Labor Day. **Iridian Guzman** groans whenever the city of Amsterdam is mentioned, and no one can figure out why. **Daria Guzzo** writes post cards to strangers in the hopes of accidentally finding true love. **Sean Haggerty** rolls a six-sided die every time someone inquires when they can meet up. **Sydney Hamamoto** has released twenty-three studio albums to date. Under cover of darkness, **Jordan Hamilton** filled a local cornfield with crop circles. **Lily Hamilton** goes to bed at eight o'clock on school nights. **Silas Hammel** treats all people as if they were family. **Muhammad Hamza** has all Mercutio's lines from 'Romeo and Juliet' memorized. **Beth Ann Hansen** can identify the works of most Cubist painters in under ten seconds. **Pieter Hansen** never underestimates the underdog. **Leah Harris** can play Pinochle better than anyone else at Grinnell. **Allison Hartman** successfully teaches dogs how to read. **Shariq Hasan** understands that sometimes there's nothing one can do but wait for the right moment to strike. **Nyx Hauth** wears two hats instead of one because it's "fashion's next major breakthrough." **Abby Hellweg** finds nothing more attractive than a thirst for unadulterated justice. **Erik Henderson** is representing a butter substitute manufacturer in an upcoming lawsuit. Grappling with bears has increased **Wyatt Heritage**'s upper body strength significantly. Making eye contact with **Arturo Hernandez-Ramirez**'s left sleeve will give you a 10% better score on your next Calculus exam. **Moises Herrera** is building a time machine in the basement of Noyce. **Nico Herzberg** recognizes that, ultimately, chaos is triumphant. **Cassidy Hilburn** understands that this world is too complicated for us to grasp. **Nora Hill** believes that everything in the universe is connected by very thin, very long strings. **Austin Himschoot** beat pharmaceutical companies in patenting the world's first stress-relieving ointment. **Zach Hitzeroth** managed to fit a twelve-piece drum kit in their half of the room. **Ben Hoekstra** plays croquet with reckless abandon. **Jackson Holcomb** sees the beauty in the world's most scorned things. **Gwen Holtzman** hopes worldwide political instability will launch us into a new era of progress. **Luke Howard** uses C.S. Lewis quotes to assuage conflict situations. **Rebecca Hsiung** believes our grandchildren will colonize the moon. **Maddie Hughes** cannot wait for the Legend of Korra comics to come out. **Esther Hwang** insists they should have been born a Gemini. **Mithila Iyer** cannot understand why the secret tunnels underneath the campus aren't being used to avoid ice and shoveling. **Claire Jackan** wakes up to whale song every morning via phone alarm. **Tyler Jackson** takes the train to work. **Lydia James** bakes one cookie at a time. **Catelyn Janda** has created more original characters than there are Grinnell students. **Megan Jans** wears their bathrobe around the dorms as if it were kingly finery. **Henry Jantzen** attends protest rallies to stop associating beer and ramen with college students. **Josh Jensen** accepts the inevitable. **Talera Jensen** read the last Harry Potter book three months before it was officially released. No one knows how **Anjali Jha** has been able to remain calm in these tumultuous times. **Isaac Jing** graduated 3.5th in their class. **Ky-Sean Johnson** glowers at anyone who refuses to give

them with a firm handshake. **Damien Johnson** would rather paint the entire college red than see it change its mascot again. **Leah Johnson** wants nothing more than a pair of thick woolen socks. **Emily Jordan** refuses to accept that the Spencer Grill is in the same building as the dining hall. **Emma Kalkowski-Farrand** builds Lego cities to express their simultaneous wonder at modernity and fear about the human condition. **Raghav Kalra** has already completed fifteen homework assignments. **Ashley Kang** has yet to fully grasp the glory of free laundry. Contrary to popular belief, **Sydney Kasper** does not hail from New Mexico. **Regan Kasprak** knows more ancient languages than anyone else in the Midwest. **Sayles Kasten** brought three Snoop Lion posters to college. **Jeff Keele** plans to become the “Batman of Grinnell College.” When **Maddie Kirwin** enters a room, its occupants burst into song. **Bethany Knaff** has known Donald Trump would run since season 3 of ‘Celebrity Apprentice.’ **Joseph Knopke** is also known as “Blaze.” **Eyram Koblah** reads restaurant menus for fun. **Audrey Kocher** was caught dancing alone yesterday and danced even harder. **Michael Kolanowski** marathons ‘Gilmore Girls’ into the wee hours of the morning. Under suspicion of interplanetary communication, **Gray Krewson** has been questioned by NASA. **Harlan Kuhr** ran out of hangers yesterday. **Nate Kulczak** has already been on the roof of every building on campus. **May Kurata** wears sunglasses at night. **Dario Labrada** eats a banana every morning for potassium purposes. **Abyaya Lamsal** can’t wait to see what the train is all about. **Elizabeth Lane** divines the future with a deck of standard playing cards. **Zach Lane** cannot decide between blue and green as a favorite color. **Hung Le** believed in Korrasami from the beginning. **Jackson Lea** didn’t even apply to Grinnell. **Lucas LeDoux** plans to start a tofu delivery service named yellow phallus. **Michelle Lee** doesn’t wear pink on Wednesdays. **Wan Leggins** still doesn’t know where the JRC is. **Ally Leicht** is in a one person band. **John Lennon** has heard that joke already. **Bradt LeSher** found Waldo 3 out of 8 times. **Story Leshner** is taking an 11 credit semester. **Ravi Levens** found and ate a free brownie in Cleveland. **Anais Levin** may have five senses, but one of them isn’t common. **Bryce Lew** played the Golden Snitch in the Harry Potter films. As a prospie, **Maisie Lewis** got lost in Noyce and still hasn’t made it out. **Cherie Li** needs caffeine now. RayK’s BFF is **Emma Libersky**. **Benjamin Lieberman** has stolen 3.27 pies from D-Hall. **Andrew Lieman** didn’t cry while watching “the Notebook”. **Ben Lim** has said “YOLO” twice. **Will Lindell** doesn’t know classes have already started. **Kyle Lindsey** always reads the ending first. **Sid Litke** claims to love Harry Potter but has only seen the movies. **Liangchen Liu** breaks into buildings in order to feel alive. **Maggie Loery** fainted when Martin O’Malley finally entered the room. **Chrysolite Loglo** fainted when they first heard Bernie Sanders was coming to Grinnell. **Carolyn Lorch** faints at the literal drop of a hat. **Charlotte Love** has found a way into the tunnel system. **Zhiye Lu** has incredibly well trained Pokémon. **Hadley Luker** hasn’t spoken for the last two years as part of a long running psych experiment. **Khoi Luu** has secret nicknames for everyone they meet. **Ningyi Lyu** is often mistaken for Jennifer Lawrence. **Yuhang Ma** would rather not talk about it. **Lauren MacKenzie** is taking advantage of free laundry by using the dryers to make ramen. **Jordan**

Maddaus is campaigning for America to join the Eurozone by 2020. **Nora Madrigal** was born on September 3, 2015. **Mayuko Maeda** always manages to be first in line for eggs to order. **Henry Mahar** is 100% divergent. **Vivien Makos** is a decepticon. **Samantha Maly-Schmidt** watches Inside Out at least once a week. **Emily Mamrak**’s entire wardrobe consists of 80’s rock band t-shirts, including pants. **Madison Marcus** has a secret pet chinchilla they keep in their backpack. Run, **Peter Marsh**, run! Sometimes, **Lex Martin** goes into prophetic trances where they can predict the homework before it is assigned. You think you know what **Reina Matsuura** looks like, but they are actually wearing a mask all the time. **Tiffany Matzas** commutes to Silicon Valley every weekend to run their startup company. **Bretta McCall** is an only child. **Cory McCartan** is going to study abroad on Mars. Forever. **Sarah McCarthy** participates in quadrathelons- running, biking, swimming, and competitive speed dating. **Catherine McCusker** sleeps upside down like a bat. **Katie McDonald** is a werewolf – but the complex and sensitive kind. **Oen McKinley** is currently undergoing a protracted legal battle with their roommate over quiet hours. **John Mehlhaus** was the first actor to play the E-Trade baby. **Emily Meier** is the third Olsen twin. **Sofi Mendez Subieta** is planning on triple majoring. **Katie Menssen** is a pickling enthusiast. **Candace Mettle** was the inspiration for Indiana Jones. **Brodie Mikuta** has opted for the Dari Barn meal plan. **Lucas Miller** is planning an independent major in Alchemy. **Pat Min** astrally projects to Grinnell from home. **Addison Mock** has always wondered what it would be like to be inside the bag of popcorn. **Caitlyn Mohr** is machine-washable. **Carlo Morini Cobo** ages on a twenty-year cycle. **Jordan Morris** was thrilled to find canned bread at Wal-Mart. **Andrew Moy** has layers. **Aditi Munshi** burps menacingly when threatened. **Mikyla Murphy** can extract oil from any material. **Riley Murphy** has a nocturnal gallbladder. **Amanda Murray** will only admit visitors to their room who correctly answer a riddle. **Nicolette Musachio** uses crushed beetles as ink. **Selah Mystic** isn’t here to make friends, they’re here to win. **Kamal Nadesan** only wears animal prints. **Mariam Nadiradze** only wears vegetable prints. **Sam Nakahira** only wears mineral prints. **Gemma Nash** runs a puppet government as an extracurricular. **Rachel Nastelin** can clap with one hand. **Julia Neish** still has every piece of gum they’ve ever chewed. **Ben Nguyen** leaves no stone unturned because they like to look for bugs underneath. **Quynh Nguyen** is fluent in the language of flowers. **Pinyao Nie** admits that it did hurt when they fell from heaven. **Vincent Noh** loves hearing people complain about the weather. **Sara Nookala** feels like an oak tree. **Elvira Nurmukhamedova** still uses a Walkman. **Sean O’Reilly** thinks that safety goggles are for the weak. **Benj Ogden-Lord** collects dryer lint. **Robin Oh** will singlehandedly recover and repair all Campus Bikes. **Aditya Ohrie** is bringing back the popped collar. **Emma Olson** rides to class on a Segway. **Kaylee Olson** doesn’t show up in photographs. **Farah Omer** outsources their homework to middle-schoolers. **Katie Orsund** listens to jazz ironically. **Sophie Paek** can’t spell “Poweshiek”. **Eric Paige** is on every campus mailing list. **Irene Pan** farms krill in their dorm room. **Lysimachos Papoutsis** considers knitting to be a sport. **Charlie Paquette** is a registered trademark. **April Park** didn’t expect the Spanish Inquisition. **Vinny Pavoni**

Gomes is the saint referred to in “Saint’s Rest”. **Kirtimay Pendse** is worth their weight in wool. **Linqing Peng** runs laps in Noyce for exercise. **Helen Pfeifer** came to Iowa for the hiking. **Anh Thu Pham** can outrun a combine. **Mateusz Pietrusiak** can be found in the App Store. **Kaya Prasad** wants Russ to be their adviser. **Jamal Preston** invented a dance move called “The Oil Rig”. **Anastasia Pulak** was the inspiration for Teen Wolf. **Alexa Raasch** is an amateur tornado chaser. **Lizzy Rabchuk**’s sweat is the secret ingredient in Chanel #5. **Vince Reilly** is a marsupial. You can bring **Lukas Resch** to water, but you cannot make them drink. An **Emily Rhodes** a day keeps the doctor away. **Charlotte Richardson-Deppe** is thicker than water. **Caitlin Richter** is the mother of invention. Talk of **Cole Riley** and they are sure to appear. While **Meghan Riley**’s away, mice can play. A watched **Jillian Rix** never boils. You can’t make a silk purse out of **Moya Roarty**’s ear. Don’t count **Emma Roback** before they hatch. A stich in time saves **Joey Robertson**. Don’t throw **Rayyon Robinson** out with the bath water. You can catch more flies with **Anne Rogers** than with vinegar. **Corinne Rolfs** lives in Norris Pit. **Edward Rosenblum** laces their shoes cooler than you. **Ryan Rosol** prefers granite countertops. **Naomi Runder** discovered the West Pole. **Veronica Ruse** enjoys mosquito bites. **Denise Ruvalcaba** doesn’t need these newfangled gadgets to have a good time. **Takshil Sachdev** is solely decorating their room with receipts. **Eli Salm** learned French just to play Scrabble. **Elyse Salpekar** speaks only in rhyme. **Tyrea’l Samuel** still has all of their baby teeth. **Brian Sands** spent the summer in a chrysalis. **Jemuel Santos** is an heir to the Cage fortune. **Charlie Saunders** takes notes in cuneiform. **Austin Schilling-Stumpner** finds you humans very intriguing. **Nora Schoenle** searches with Bing. **Phoebe Schreckinger** organized their room according to the golden ratio. **Michael Schroeder** has never had The Hiccups. **Olivia Schuette** is cool in French. **Chip Scott** runs on rechargeable batteries. **Noah Segal** runs on premium unleaded. **Ana Segebre Salazar** runs on a hydroelectric dam. Every fortune cookie fortune that **Lily Seibert** has ever read has come true. **Max Semba** wears toeless socks. **Jonny Shapiro** is an anagram of “I am Lord Voldemort”. **Rojina Sharma** communicates solely through flag semaphore. **Patrick Sheehan-Klenk** consistently tips 50%. **Muhammad Waez Sheikh** can’t read analog clocks. **Edward Sheng** rescues worms from puddles. Everything **Andrew Shults** touches turns to foam. **Lucy Sidi** repairs office supplies for a reasonable price. **Bardan Sigdel** loiters to demonstrate opposition to authority. **Zane Silk** does their best thinking at Harris parties. **Christian Simon** is here as a part of a reality show. **Vidushi Sinha** only eats food after its expiration date in order to “live dangerously”. **Vrishali Sinha** is offering free cootie shots. **Ryan Slager** leads a Maroon 5 tribute band, and yes, they do weddings. **Daniel Somorov** lost all of their **Campus Cash** in a game of dominoes. **Carrie Stallings** has the voice of an angle. **Liz Stepp** uses Hawkeye to disinfect wounds. **Sophia Stern** eats everything out of bowls. **Samuel Stickels** still practices a self-enforced daily recess. **Sonia Storck** colors on the lines. **Logan Stuart** hates the taste of water. **Joy Suh** loves jury duty. **Xiaobo Sun** laughs whenever someone says “duty”. **Yuyin Sun** can solve a Rubik’s Cube from another room. **Michael Sundby** is single-celled. **Zachary Susag** only wears velvet. **Rachel Swoap** submits homework

assignments by drone. **Yun Tang** is paying for tuition with their Wheel of Fortune winnings. **Richard Tanimoto** wears a Venetian plague mask during flu season. **Rachel Tappe** eats the peel of the banana. **Megan Tcheng** only uses Google’s social media. We are all just characters in **Carla Tenorio Rueda**’s young adult novel. **Becca Teske** takes bites out of string cheese. **Max Tetric** is the author of My Immortal. The square of **Lucid Thomas** is equal to the sum of the squares of their two sides. **Hassan Thompson** has radial symmetry. **Abigail Thomson** challenged the Law to a game of chess. **Michellie Thurman** goes for joyrides on lawnmowers. **Saung Thuya** used to have a crush on Big Bird. **Joshua Tibatemwa** does a spot-on Elmo impression. **Dani Tiedemann** is totally never sarcastic. **Masato Tokuhara** was born on a jet ski. **Juliet Torres** can see infrared. **Khadijah Toumbou** is in search of the notorious Noyce Treasure. **Minh Tran** always puts noses in emoticons. **Anna Tuchin** is the source of all paper jams. **Tanner Tufto** was raised by a conspiracy of lemurs. **Sophie Tupper** is always on thyme. **Bronwen Tursman** is licensed to dill. **Caleb Utring** is oregan-over it. **Tara Verma** snacks on packing peanuts. **Alfredo Villalobos-Perez** accidentally bought a Nickelback CD, and was ridiculed mercilessly by **Keli Vitaioli**. **Elena Voisin**’s knees are weak and their arms are heavy. **Kai Vorhies** actually likes Donald Trump’s hair. **Molly Vornholt** once tried to get high off catnip. **Hung Vuong** wrote over fifty thousand stems for the B&S, and didn’t get a single penny from them. **Millicent Wakeman** suggested suing, but **Derek Wang** argued for the classic but more effective “bat-to-the-kneecap” approach. **John Wang** embraced college life. **Anna Warm** was not embraced by college life. **Dana Watkiss** has promised to never have an existential crises. **Ashley Wehrenberg** is the captain now. **Dylan Welch** watched Up without crying, making **Emma Willhardt** think they may be a soulless psychopath. **Liz Williams** only has friends because of their Cards Against Humanity Deck. **Ella Williams** got sexiled from their room because of a flash orgy. **Hazel Williams**’s milkshake does not, surprisingly, bring all the boys to the yard. **Tyler Williams** could have become the cofounder of Twitter, but instead came to Grinnell. **Carina Wilson** confused mushrooms with shrooms and had a very interesting risotto for lunch. **Ben Wing** prefers the Star Wars prequels to the sequels. **Temitayo Wolff** has dealt with dank memes. **Alec Wood** thought the dining hall offered quality food, before trying Choung Garden. **Fan Wu**’s password expired before starting the school year. **Sophie Wynde** was sent to sleep with the fishes. **Xiangdong Xie** was sent to party with the fishes. **Jimmy Xiong** always asks permission to go to the bathroom. **Shamiram Yousef** is studying pre-med to rebel against their parents’ attempt to live vicariously through them as a starving artist. **Emily Zaffiro** actually met Roy G Biv. **Andrew Zdechlik** has installed mood lighting in their dorm room. **Siyu Zhang** has installed Darkness in their dorm room. **Qianxue Zhao** knows the entire dance from Napoleon Dynamite. **Yuangi Zhao** came to Grinnell to lose themselves. **Jimmy Zhu** can always photosynthesize if the D-Hall is closed. **Nathaniel Zhu** sleeps under their bed to psych out the monster. **Mike Zou** hates alphabetical lists. **Tapiwa Zvidzwa** hates alphabetical lists more.

Self-Gov *from page 1*

ovation of deafening applause. The witness says he was then, "hoisted up by the mob and paraded, crowd-surfing style, out of the building and down Center Street."

73 year old Sanders was reportedly handed a High Life and a joint. He inhaled deeply from it, pumping his fist and shouting, "Take that Bill!" while giggling youthfully. Even several administrators at the John Crystal Center left their posts and joined in the revelry.

At a press conference early Friday, Sanders attested to the policy's ambitious claim—that self-gov "is love".

He stated, "I'd like to remind the country that divorcing my first wife, not marrying the mother of my son and marrying another woman taught me a valuable lesson: the highest expression of love, true love, is actually making the choice not to steal a bike or drunkenly piss in someone's sink. Who knows where I'd be today if I'd had such wisdom."

Sanders continued, saying "Grinnell's reputation for giving generous financial aid packages is proof that lowering the cost of college education

around the country works out great—just look at these kids, they're doing something right."

Fellow democratic candidate Hilary Clinton commented, "Senator Sanders was conspicuously hiding a Block Party T-shirt under his suit jacket during his press conference."

Donald Trump mocked Sanders' popularity among college voters, tweeting:

"Poor, senile Bernie seems to have confused socialism with socializing. Your college days are over, you pasty old man. Just die already."

Fox News reporter Bill O'Reilly said, "self-gov inspired 1969 Grinnell alma mater John Garang

to lead the Sudan People's Liberation Army. He became Sudan's first vice-president in 2005. Do we really want to introduce this clearly destabilizing concept to our proud nation?"

However, the concept appeals to other conservatives. During his visit last spring, Rand Paul praised self-gov as "sa lot like libertarianism. It's a bipartisan win-win: government tries to stay out of your choices and people make selfless choices that benefit the community. It is a way to bend the nation's socio-economic paradigm from the bottom up by reminding unemployed people to 'stop fuckin' around'."

Burling Confirmed Haunted

BOORLINGLIBRARY- Ever since the dawn of Burling Library, there have always been rumors of Burling Floor being haunted by a mischievous ghost affectionately known as "Prankstergiest". Though always written off as a "nonsense" and "something to scare first years", new evidence has surfaced to suggest that the existence of a ghost on the third floor of Burling Library may well be true.

"Oh yeah there's definitely a ghost," said third year Kelly Loafer. "I kept running out of pencil lead, and I had to walk all the way to the bookstore to get more."

According to new testimonies by students and teachers alike, Prankstergiest, seems to be ever present in the library. Fourth year Peter Prostrate expressed some frustration when the ghost hole-punched all his papers on the wrong side.

"The ghost must've known that I'd get two points

taken off my grade for every incorrectly hole-punched paper." When asked why he couldn't simply reprint the documents, Peter stated that Prankstergiest must've moved onto some "technological tomfoolery."

Another student corroborated Prankstergiest's existence when she declared that the ghost must have some experience in heating and cooling systems, because over the course of her study session, the ghost lowered the air conditioning to such a degree that the temperature made it impossible for her to study.

Some reports indicate that Prankstergiest has also abused teacher's email accounts, thus creating ample confusion and missed classes for many students. Fourth year Sarah Slow said that, if not for the ghost's email shenanigans, she definitely would not have been late for her 8:00 AM class. In an even more troublesome twist to the

story, Prankstergiest appeared to have erased this email, making it difficult for Sarah to prove her story. Fortunately, this series of events was corroborated by another fourth year, which helped Sarah to excuse her absence.

In response to the rumors, the college has called upon several exterminating options, including medium Carrigan Burke who is most notable for casting out the Bowen family poltergeist (which later inspired the 2015 movie bust Poltergeist.) Burke proceeded to scoff at the school's request for an exorcism, citing the ghost's "lack of existence" and claiming that "A ghost that pranks students? Why, that is clearly made up nonsense. I deal with real science, like evil spirits and hobgoblins, not this poorly-constructed fairy tale." Librarian Brian Thickskull disagreed with Burke's assessment insisting that "the ghost is very real and hostile. Just recently he stole my tuna

sandwich from the fridge." His co-worker Leslie Snipes confirmed his account, being the last person to see both the ghost and the sandwich.

The college, with no other viable options, was forced to allow the newly formed Bill Murray Fan Club an opportunity to get rid of the specter. Unfortunately, as they soon found out, ghosts no longer fear the phrase "Who ya gonna call?" After this failure of supernatural proportions, the college is widely thought to be strategizing upon other methods of ghost removal and has yet to reply to a request for comments.

While the ghost does not seem to be dangerous, all interviewed students expressed a sense of victimization, and felt as though the ghost had some sort of malicious intent. No one can accurately predict the ghost's next appearance nor its targets, but most students seem to agree on one important fact: Prankstergiest feeds off dropping GPAs.

COLLEGE BOOK STORE

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This is Rosie

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I eat 'em by the fistful

So Goddamn Delish

Dirty Crumb Pile

Ask for it by name!

Students Housed By Sorting Hat

HARRIS CENTER- *Lovers of a sterile home/ Often found in Noyce*
 With the newest wave of first years starting at Grinnell, another year commences--but this time with a twist. Students piled into Harris Center at the start of the first ever Sorting Ceremony. Not a sound could be heard as President Aynardray Ingtonkay placed a crocheted and shabby beanie upon a stool positioned in the middle of the stage.

Stringently divided up into their separate campuses by seating section, returning students began to whisper as the first years standing in line fervently around them--some trembling, others wearing looks of terror on their faces. Silence returned as the hat opened its mouth to speak in haiku:

I see all your thoughts/I will sort you fair and square/Dividing your school
Those of North Campus/Nothing less than the mighty/Tough athletes abound
Those of South Campus/How many beers can you chug?/Constant parties there
Those of East Campus/

dents, and what can be safer than a space surrounded by people just like you?"

The poem's conclusion was followed by a rousing applause, and the first years began to try on the beanie one by one. As each student was sorted they were met with cheers and shouts from their new sections of campus.

According to RLC Jeremy Yu, "After years of discourse the College has finally instituted an accurate way to divide students into the residence halls. The hope is that the newly developed Sorting Hat will systematically place first years into the section of campus most suited for their specific personality traits."

Devon Rite, Student Affairs staff, added, "Since the campus you live in becomes your family, Grinnell's administration finds it crucial that students are placed near people similar to them and are able to create a community segregated from the other sections of campus. How can are students grow and develop if they are forced to share the same spaces with others dissimilar from themselves? Grinnell is dedicated to safe spaces and supporting students and what can be safer than a space surrounded by people just like you?"

Editorial: What I Wish I Knew as a First Year

Sophie Kornbluh '16

In my first year at Grinnell, I tried to dive right into new classes, new friends, and new activities, and managed to present myself as a cheerful and comfortable person. But on the inside, I was struggling. The transition to was much more difficult than I had expected, old mental health problems were back with a vengeance, and I discovered that I had social anxiety, which made even the simplest interactions sources of great distress.

The trouble is, there was no quick fix. I could join a new club or sit with new

people in the D-Hall, but I still felt uncomfortably afloat, alone in the world for the first time and unsure what to do with myself.

And everyone else was adapting so much better than I was, right? WRONG. "Fake it til you make it" is a commonly-applied strategy across college campuses. The reality is that being separated from everything and everyone you know and plopped down in a maelstrom of new people is one of the most difficult transitions of life. In some countries, it is the norm for university students to live at home

and commute to classes, because they recognize that living in one small room with a complete stranger is actually a pretty weird concept.

Remember this if you find yourself beating yourself up over not being able to "adapt," or questioning whether you're "doing college right."

And you know how so many adults refer to college as "The best four years of my life"? Well, for the most part, that is nostalgic bullshit. College is where you confront adult challenges for the first time, and as a result you are forced to be a self-

advocate. As a result, you may face some of the most difficult things you have ever experienced. And that's okay.

So take a deep breath and a step back, and try to be patient. You won't just wake up one morning and feel like Grinnell is home. It is the actual process of interacting with the community, successes and mistakes alike, that teaches you to thrive independently.

But you can be proactive about this! Challenge yourself to have experiences. Try as many extracurriculars as you want--the leaders are expecting first years to

come and go as they figure out what they enjoy. Ask someone you have a good feeling about to get a meal one-on-one--it may feel uncomfortably intimate, but it is a quick way to move beyond the mayhem of constantly meeting new people, forgetting them, and then pretending to recognize them when they remember your name.

And of course, don't push yourself too hard. If you need to take a night in and watch a movie by yourself to recharge, then by all means do it. It feels like constant socialization is obligatory, but everyone needs a break once in a

while, some more often than others, and that's okay.

And you might not feel more comfortable for a while. That's okay, too. We all move at different paces, and there's no rushing it. Even as a senior, I sometimes feel insecure about my place in the community.

Growing up is a process, not an endgame. We are all stumbling through it here, whether or not we acknowledge it. Keep pursuing what makes you happy and feel good about yourself, and the rest will eventually follow.

INFOGRAPHIC

Wondering what to do with your medallion? Look no further!

-Sell it to Cash-4-Gold!

-Create a historical accurate re-enactment of James Jeremiah Hills 1846 donation to Grinnell College.

-Use it as passage for the river Styx.

-Create a new currency that will be exempt from taxes and government regulation, and so perfect for Grinnell's thriving drug market.

-Use it as ammunition for when an undesirable political candidate comes to campus.

-Start a rival institution that is just like Grinnell, but with blackjack and hookers and way less overpriced.

-Rescue it from the depths of storage in 4 years in order to relive the joy of completely forgetting about it.

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This Week's Playlist In Honor of [2019]

-Get The Party Started-P!nk

-The Start of Something New-High School Musical Original Cast

-Let's Get it Started-Black Eyed Peas

-Start Wearing Purple-Gogol Bordello