



# BOGGY SHOE



The magazine of Brighton Hash House Harriers - Runs #75 July 2003

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All runs are on Mondays meet at 19.30 for 19.40 start

All directions/ timings start from Patcham roundabout A23/A27 junction (unless stated).

Date	#No. On On	Area	Map ref Hares	Tel. No.
14th July 03	1308	Jack & Jill, Clayton	10/20 Halfway!	299 143 Pete Beard 01273 887579
<b>Directions:</b> North on A23, stay in left hand lane and filter on to A273. Pub on left after Clayton Hill. Est. 5 mins.				
21st July 03	1309	Fireman's Arms	Five Ash Down 11/20	478 238 Don & Theresa 01273 385637
<b>Directions:</b> Follow A27 east past Lewes. Take left at second roundabout through Cuilfail tunnel. Take right at next roundabout on to A26. Left at next stay on A26 to Maresfield. Right on A272, 2nd left and pub is on right. Est.30 mins.				
28th July 03	1310	Brewers Arms, Lewes	12/20	414 096 Julia, Sasha & Dave 01273 479200
<b>Directions:</b> A27 east to first Lewes roundabout. A277 to traffic lights. Pub on right just past chicane. 15 mins. Parking tricky.				
4th August 03	1311	Wellington, Seaford	13/20	Phil Mutton 01273 509958
<b>Directions:</b> Follow A27 east past Lewes. Turn right onto A26 just after Beddingham crossing. Just before Newhaven turn left for A259 into Seaford. Take 1st right past station bearing left down to Steyne Street. Pub on left. Est. 25 mins.				
11th August 03	1312	Top of Southover Street, Brighton		Bouncer 01273 441611
<b>Directions:</b> Take A23 south into town. Left at Preston Circus up Viaduct Road, right at next lights, then immediately left (Union Road). Right again and 1st left is Southover Street. Park and meet at top of road. <b>PHOTO HASH</b> . Est. 10 mins.				

**Receding Hareline:**

18th August 2003 1313 run Hare needed for celebration run, polo shirts on the cards at approx. £8 each. All TBA!

1st September 2003 Run from PeP followed by Pete's big birthday bonfire etc.

**The Brighton Hash 25th Anniversary summer tour:**

This is going astonishingly well so far and by the end of June, quarter of the way through, we are over 1/3rd on the passports thanks to a couple of excellent results picking up the White Horse, Ditchling on the side of the 25th anniversary party. We were also able to coax a fair group to the Alma, Uckfield after the Cross-in-Hand and messrs. Elliot, Mutton and Bouncer have also helped add a few. No reason to slow up though and the following pubs are still available for future hares:

**Brighton** Basketmakers Arms, Bugle, Engineer/Argyle, Evening Star, Hand-in-Hand, Lord Nelson, Prestonville; **Burgess Hill** Water Mill; **Cooksbridge** Pump House; **Cuckfield** Ship Inn; **Firle** Ram; **Glynde** Trevor Arms; **Hove** Eclipse; **Lewes** Black Horse, Gardener's Arms, Lewes Arms; **Newick** Crown; **Portslade** Stanley Arms; **Rottingdean** Black Horse; **Shoreham-by-Sea** Buckingham Arms, Red Lion; **Southwick** Schooner

CHECK OUT THE BRIGHTON HASH website. Suggestions for content and links to Louis Taub please.

## ERRATA

Cor blow me, that's no way to get off on the right foot with your new bride is it (*Hmm, actually it's a pretty good start... stop that train of thought, NOW Bouncer. sub-ed.*)? I refer of course to the page three picture of Angel in the last trash, umm, which as one or two spotted, wasn't! Just to make sure this time cos we don't want this to go 'on, on' your right is a picture of us together still smiling, and there is another picture of Gabs working on the car on page three. Happy now darling?

News on the photo hash is that the Greys may be tricky as there is a band on Mondays. So meet at the top end of Southover Street and we'll see how we get on with Dover Castle and Sir Charles Napier after the run.



## BLASTS FROM THE PAST - HERE ARE TWO NEW ADDITIONS TO THE PERIODIC TABLE OF ELEMENTS:

Element Name: WOMANIUM

Symbol: WO

Atomic Weight: (Don't Even Go There)

Physical Properties: Generally soft and rounded in form. Boils at nothing and may freeze any time. Melts when treated properly. Very bitter if not used well.

Chemical Properties: Very active. Highly unstable. Possesses strong affinity for gold, silver, platinum and precious stones. Violent when left alone. Able to absorb great quantities of exotic food. Turns slightly green when placed next to a better looking specimen.

Usage: Highly ornamental. An extremely good catalyst for dispersion of wealth. Probably the most powerful income reducing agent known.

**Caution: Highly explosive in inexperienced hands**

[Element Name: MANIUM

Symbol: XY

Atomic Weight: (180 +/- 50)

Physical Properties: Solid at room temperature, but gets bent out of shape easily. Fairly dense and sometimes flaky. Difficult to find a pure sample. Due to rust, aging samples are unable to conduct electricity as easily as young samples.

Chemical Properties: Attempts to bond with WO at any chance it can get. Also tends to form strong bonds with itself. Becomes explosive when mixed with KD (Element: CHILDIUM) for long periods of time. Neutralize by saturating with alcohol.

Usage: None known. Possibly good methane source. Good samples are able to produce large quantities on command.

**Caution: In the absence of WO, this element rapidly decomposes and begins to smell.]**

Oh I have been to Ludlow fair  
And left my necktie God knows where  
And carried half way home, or near,  
Pints and quarts of Ludlow beer:  
Then the world seemed none so bad,  
And I myself a sterling lad;  
And down in lovely muck I've lain,  
Happy till I woke again.

*Hmm most hashers do it the other way round!*

I only drink to steady my nerves. Sometimes I get so steady I can't move.  
George Burns.  
Most Scots have drinkers constipation - they can't pass a pub.  
Sign outside a London Pub: "Customers wanted - no experience necessary."

There was a young lady from Ryde  
Who ate too many apples and died,  
The apples - fermented - inside the lamented  
Made cider inside her inside.

## Buxted Park Relay

**Heathfield Road Runners invite your running club to an evening relay at Buxted Park on: Wednesday 23 July at 7pm**

4 runners per team, cost is £1 per runner. Children u17's teams welcome.

Entrance to Buxted Park is from the A272.

Entry is on the day, but it would be useful for us to know likely numbers beforehand so please let me know if you will be attending and how many teams you might bring.

Look forward to seeing you on the day.  
Regards

Graham Chapman - Heathfield Road Runners

Haynes workshop manual revealed if you have ever worked on your own car using one of Haynes' manuals than you'll know how true this is.

Haynes: Rotate anticlockwise. Translation: Clamp with molegrips then beat repeatedly with hammer anticlockwise.

Haynes: As described in Chapter 7... Translation: That'll teach you not to read through before you start, now you are looking at scarey photos of the inside of a gearbox.

Haynes: Retain tiny spring... Translation: "Jeez what was that, it nearly had my eye out"!

Haynes: Press and rotate to remove bulb... Translation: OK - thats the glass bit off, now fetch some good pliers to dig out the bayonet part.

Haynes: Lightly... Translation: Start off lightly and build up till the veins on your forehead are throbbing then recheck the manual because this can not be 'lightly' what you are doing now.

Haynes: Weekly checks... Translation: If it isn't broken don't fix it!

Haynes: Routine maintenance... Translation: If it isn't broken... it's about to be!

Haynes: This is a snug fit. Translation: You will skin your knuckles!

### Why women can't mend cars...



Haynes: This is a tight fit. Translation: Not a hope in hell pall

Haynes: Pry... Translation: Hammer a screwdriver into...

Haynes: Undo. Translation: Go buy a tin of WD40 (catering size).

Haynes: Prise away plastic locating pegs. Translation: Snap off..

Haynes: One spanner rating. Translation: Your Mum could do this... so how did you manage to botch it up?

Haynes: Two spanner rating. Translation: Now you may think that you can do this because two is a low, tiny, 'ikkle number... but you also thought the wiring diagram was a map of the Tokyo underground (in fact that would have been more use to you).

Haynes: Three spanner rating. Translation: But Nova's are easy to maintain right... right? So you think three Nova spanners has got to be like a 'regular car' two spanner job.

Haynes: Four spanner rating. Translation: You are seriously considering this aren't you, you pleb!

Haynes: Five spanner rating. Translation: OK - but don't expect us to ride in it afterwards!!

Haynes: If not, you can fabricate your own special tool like this... Translation:hahahahahahahahahahahahaha!!!!

Haynes: Compress... Translation: Squeeze with all your might, jump up and down on, swear at, throw at the garage wall, then search in the dark corner of the garage for whilst muttering "bugger" repeatedly under your breath.

Haynes: Inspect... Translation: Squint at really hard and pretend you know what you are looking at, then declare in a loud knowing voice to your wife "Yep, as I thought, it's going to need a new one"!

Haynes: Carefully... Translation: You are about to cut yourself!

Haynes: Retaining nut... Translation: Yes, that's it, that big spherical blob of rust.

Haynes: Get an assistant... Translation: Prepare to humiliate yourself in front of someone you know.

Haynes: Turning the engine will be easier with the spark pugs removed. Translation: However, starting the engine afterwards will be much harder. Once that sinking pit of your stomach feeling has subsided, you can start to feel deeply ashamed as you gingerly refit the spark plugs.

Haynes: Refitting is the reverse sequence to removal. Translation: But you swear in different places.

Haynes: Using a suitable drift... Translation: The biggest nail in your tool box isn't a suitable drift!

Haynes: Everyday toolkit Translation: Ensure you have an RAC Card & Mobile Phone

Haynes: Apply moderate heat... Translation: Placing your mouth near it and huffing isn't moderate heat.

Haynes: Index Translation: List of all the things in the book bar the thing you want to do!

For Added Haynes Fun: Go to the first section, Safety First, and read the bit about Hydrofluoric Acid - do you really want the advice of a book that uses this form of understatement???!? Now look at the lovely colour section on body repairs - as you look at these two pages say to yourself over and over until it sinks in "mine will never look like that..."

Flick to the end and look at the colour glow plug pictures, how do these compare to the glow plugs in your Mini? If you cannot locate the glow plugs in your Mini see the last translation on the list!

NB: Haynes Manuals are (c)opyright of a very disturbed sadist.

## SKY HIGH NONSENSE

Here are some conversations that airline passengers normally don't hear. The following are allegedly accounts of actual exchanges between airline pilots and control towers from around the world:

While taxiing at London Gatwick, the crew of a US Air flight departing for Ft. Lauderdale made a wrong turn and came nose to nose with a United 727.

An irate female ground controller lashed out at the US Air crew, screaming: "US Air 2771, where the hell are you going? I told you to turn right onto Charlie taxiway! You turned right on Delta! Stop right there. I know it's difficult for you to tell the difference between Cs and Ds, but get it right!"

Continuing her tirade to the embarrassed crew, she was now shouting hysterically: "God, you've screwed everything up! It'll take forever to sort this out! You stay right there and don't move till I tell you to! You can expect progressive taxi instructions in about half an hour and I want you to go exactly where I tell you, when I tell you, and how I tell you! You got that, US Air 2771?"

"Yes ma'am," the humbled crew responded.

Naturally the ground control frequency went terribly silent after the verbal bashing of US Air 2771. Nobody wanted to engage the irate ground controller in her current state. Tension in every cockpit at LGA was running high.

Then an unknown pilot broke the silence and asked: "Wasn't I married to you once?"

The German air controllers at Frankfurt Airport are renowned as a short-tempered lot. They not only expect one to know one's gate parking location, but how to get there without any assistance from them. So it was with some amusement that we (a Pan Am 747) listened to the following exchange between Frankfurt ground control and a British Airways 747, call sign "Speedbird 206":

Speedbird 206: "Frankfurt, Speedbird 206 clear of active runway."

Ground: "Speedbird 206. Taxi to gate Alpha One-Seven."

The BA 747 pulled onto the main taxiway and slowed to a stop.

Ground: "Speedbird, do you not know where you are going?"

Speedbird 206: "Stand by, Ground, I'm looking up our gate location now."

Ground (with arrogant impatience): "Speedbird 206, haff you not been to Frankfurt before?"

Speedbird 206 (coolly): "Yes, twice in 1944 but I didn't stop."

A Pan Am 727 flight engineer waiting for start clearance in Munich overheard the following:

Lufthansa (in German): "Ground, what is our start clearance time?"

Ground (in English): "If you want an answer you must speak English."

Lufthansa (in English): "I am a German, flying a German aeroplane, in Germany. Why must I speak English?"

Unknown voice (in a beautiful British accent): "Because you lost the bloody war!"

A DC-10 had an exceedingly long roll out after landing with his approach speed a little high.

San Jose Tower: "American 751 heavy, turn right at the end of the runway, if able. If not able, take the Guadeloupe exit off Highway 101, make a right at the lights and return to the airport."

Unknown aircraft: "I'm f...ing bored!"

Air Traffic Control: "Last aircraft transmitting, identify yourself immediately!"

Unknown aircraft: "I said I was f...ing bored, not f...ing stupid!"

Tower: "Eastern 702, cleared for takeoff, contact Departure on 124.7"

Eastern 702: "Tower, Eastern 702 switching to Departure. By the way, after we lifted off we saw some kind of dead animal on the far end of the runway."

Tower: "Continental 635, cleared for takeoff, contact Departure on 124.7. Did you copy that report from Eastern 702?"

Continental 635: "Continental 635, cleared for takeoff, roger; and yes, we copied Eastern and we've already notified our caterers....."

O'Hare Approach Control: "United 329 heavy, your traffic is a Fokker, one o'clock, three miles, eastbound."

United 239: "Approach, I've always wanted to say this... I've got the little Fokker in sight."

Air Canada

The huge Air Canada Jumbo jet is just coming into Pearson Airport (Toronto) on its final approach. The pilot comes on over the intercom. "This is Capt. Johnson, we're on our final descent into Toronto. I want to thank you for flying with us today and enjoy your stay in Toronto."

Well the Capt. forgets to switch off the intercom. The whole plane can now hear the conversation from the cockpit. The co-pilot says to the pilot, "Well skipper, wotcha gonna do in Toronto?"

Now all ears in the plane are listening in to this conversation. "Well", says the skipper, "First I'm gonna check into the hotel and go for a mega-huge dump. Then I'm gonna take that new stewardess out for supper, you know, the one with the huge tits. I'm gonna wine and dine her, take her back to my room and slip the old salami to her all night."

Well, everyone in the plane's trying to get a look at the new stewardess. She's so embarrassed she runs from the back of the plane to try and get to the cockpit to get the intercom off. Half way down, she trips over an old ladies bag - \*\*\*splat \*\*\* and down she goes. The old lady leans over and says, "No need to run dearie, he's got to go for a sh1t first."

### DEFINITIONS:

Ground Zero: Metal recycled from old Japanese war planes




Biplane: The advice I got from my mother on purchasing underwear.

The following was discovered on Google and as it was sent to me 3 times inside 24 hours has probably been removed now. Have a look anyway: log on to [www.Google.co.uk](http://www.Google.co.uk) and enter Weapons of Mass Destruction in search, DO NOT HIT ENTER but click on 'I feel lucky today' instead.

## These Weapons of Mass Destruction cannot be displayed

The weapons you are looking for are currently unavailable. The country might be experiencing technical difficulties, or you may need to adjust your weapons inspectors mandate.

Please try the following:

- Click the  Regime change button, or try again later.
- If you are George Bush and typed the country's name in the address bar, make sure that it is spelled correctly. (IRAQ).
- To check your weapons inspector settings, click the **UN** menu, and then click **Weapons Inspector Options**. On the **Security Council** tab, click **Consensus**. The settings should match those provided by your government or NATO.
- If the Security Council has enabled it, The United States of America can examine your country and automatically discover Weapons of Mass Destruction. If you would like to use the CIA to try and discover them, click  [Detect weapons](#)
- Some countries require 128 thousand troops to liberate them. Click the **Panic** menu and then click **About US foreign policy** to determine what regime they will install.
- If you are an Old European Country trying to protect your interests, make sure your options are left wide open as long as possible. Click the **Tools** menu, and then click on **League of Nations**. On the Advanced tab, scroll to the Head in the Sand section and check settings for your exports to Iraq.
- Click the  [Bomb](#) button if you are Donald Rumsfeld.

Cannot find weapons or CIA Error  
Iraqi Explorer

## Why did the chicken cross the road? (updated version - see also #48)

SAEED AL SAHAF - Iraqi Head of Information The chicken did not cross the road. This is a complete fabrication. We do not even have a chicken.  
GEORGE W BUSH We don't care why the chicken crossed the road. We just want to know if the chicken is on our side of the road or not. The chicken is either for us or against us. There is no middle ground.  
COLIN POWELL Now to the left of the screen, you can clearly see the satellite image of the chicken crossing the road.  
TONY BLAIR I agree with George.  
HANS BLIX We have reason to believe there is a chicken, but we have not yet been allowed to have access to the other side of the road.  
DR SEUSS Did the chicken cross the road? Did he cross it with a toad? Yes, the chicken crossed the road but why it crossed I've not been told.  
GRANDPA In my day, we didn't ask why the chicken crossed the road. Somebody told us the chicken crossed the road, and that was good enough.  
TRICIA Isn't that interesting? In a few moments, we will be listening to the chicken tell, for the first time, the heart-warming story of how it experienced a serious case of moulting, and went on to accomplish its dream of crossing the road.  
JOHN LENNON Imagine all the chickens in the world crossing roads together - in peace.  
BILL CLINTON What is your definition of chicken?  
HOMER SIMPSON Mmmmmmmmm . . . c h i c k e n

## QUOTE OF THE DAY:

"You know the world is going crazy when the best rapper is a white guy, the best golfer is a black guy, the Swiss hold the Americas Cup, France is accusing the U.S. of arrogance and Germany doesn't want to go to war."



## FOR SALE

Dear sir/madam,

Our information has identified your club as a possible interested buyer in a new gadget we are attempting to market in the United Kingdom and Europe. Born of the need to keep a constant supply of tissue to hand in the current climate, our dispenser would form an ideal easy access method for hares of BH7 hash house harriers setting trails. Please contact the following revamped old joke if interested:

Two SARS bugs sitting in a bar.  
One turns to the other and says  
"Jaysus, I could murder a Chinese"



## **Health & Welfare South Africa**

Minister of Health  
P.O Box 89743  
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Johannesburg, January 28, 2003

### **IMPORTANT NOTICE TO PHYSICIANS**

#### **CONFIDENTIAL**

#### **Subject : New contamination possible in most Provinces**

**Recent studies conducted on "aphthous fever" (for which we have just received conclusive results) indicate that in certain cases this can be transmitted to humans. We foresee a possible contamination in most provinces. Cases have been reported in Bedfordview (3), Sandton (2), Randburg (4), Midrand (1), Kempton Park (2) and more recently in Fairlands (1).**

It was observed that the subjects examined were regular consumers of meats and cold cuts. Most (97.6%) of the subjects would encounter serious problems with their vision when having gone without sexual relations for **1 to 2 days** on average.

Extended periods without sexual relations would seriously affect the individuals reading capabilities. The subjects would also feel a trembling sensation. In extreme cases, individuals would start to hallucinate and see coloured specks when staring at an object for extended periods.

**If you encounter any such patients having these symptoms, please contact the Crisis Centre in Johannesburg immediately.**

Our research to date has resulted in a cure, **Sexual relations every day for 3 months!!!**

Please pass this document on to everyone in your address book!!!

## **South Africa - everything you ever wanted to know but were too afraid to ask.....**

### **THE ADVANTAGES OF BEING SOUTH AFRICAN .....**

- 1) No need trying to keep up with the Joneses, they emigrated last week.
- 2) You can eat worms (mopani worms) and half dried meat (biltong) and not be considered disgusting.
- 3) Nothing is your fault, you can blame it all on Apartheid.
- 4) Unrivalled job prospects for those unburdened with training, skills or experience.
- 5) You get to buy a new car every 3 months and the insurance company even pays for it.
- 6) You can experience kak (crap) service in eleven official languages.
- 7) Where else can you get oranges with 45% alcohol content at rugby matches?
- 8) It's the only country in the world where striking workers (wekkers) show how angry they are - by dancing. (toy-toying).
- 9) You're considered clumsy if you cannot: use a cellphone (without car kit), change CDs, drink a beer and smoke, all at the same time while driving a car at 160kph on the highway.
- 10) Great Eccent (accent)
- 11) People mistake you for Australians.
- 12) Americans will never consider dropping a nuclear bomb on you because they don't know you exist.
- 13) If you live in Johannesburg, you get to brag about living in the most dangerous city in the world.
- 14) You get to carry a gun.
- 15) Burglar bars become a feature, and a great selling point for your house.
- 16) You can decorate your garden walls with barbed wire.
- 17) The police are the first on the scene of most major crimes, without being called ... . . . . .

### **YOU KNOW YOU ARE IN SOUTH AFRICA WHEN .....**

- 1) People would rather be killed in their own beds than live in some country where they would have to make it themselves.
- 2) Votes have to be recounted until the right political party wins.
- 3) Illegal immigrants leave the country because the crime rate is too high.
- 4) The police asks you if they must follow up on the burglary you've just reported.
- 5) When a murderer gets a 2 year sentence and a pirate TV viewer 6 months.
- 6) The army (National Defence Force) goes on strike
- 7) You can't make a phone call because the underground copper cables have been stolen
- 8) You produce a R100.00 note instead of your drivers licence when you are stopped by a traffic officer
- 9) You can do your monthly shopping on the pavement and at traffic intersections
- 10) You have to hire a security guard whenever you park your car
- 11) You can count the national soccer team's scores with no fingers
- 12) To get free electricity you have to pay a connection fee of R750
- 13) Hijacking cars is a profession
- 14) Defecating in a garden can win you R1-million (Ferdinand from Big Brother)
- 15) You can pay your tuition fees by holding up a sign at a traffic light
- 16) The petrol in your tank may be worth more than your car
- 17) More people vote in a local reality TV show (Pop Idol and Big Brother) than in a local election
- 18) People have the most wonderful names: Christmas, Goodwill, Pretty, Wednesday, Blessing, Brilliant, Gift and Given
- 19) "Now - Now" can mean anything from a minute to a month
- 20) You continue to wait after a traffic light has turned to green to make way for taxis travelling in the opposite direction
- 21) Travelling at 120 km/h (about 70mph) you're the slowest car on the highway
- 22) You're genuinely and pleasantly surprised whenever you find your car parked where you left it
- 23) A bullet train to the airport is being introduced but we can't fix potholes
- 24) The last time you visited the coast you paid more in speeding fines and toll fees than you did for the entire holiday
- 25) You paint your car's registration number on the roof
- 26) Half of your mail is guaranteed to reach its destination
- 27) You have to take your own linen with you if you are admitted to a government hospital (strange but true)
- 28) You dial a toll - free number and nobody answers
- 29) You have to prove that you don't need a loan to get one
- 30) Prisoners go on strike

## **YOU KNOW YOU LIVE IN JOHANNESBURG WHEN .....**

- 1) The person in front of you in traffic this morning was hijacked and you got irritated because you missed the traffic light.
- 2) While eating dinner a news item comes on TV about a family of six slaughtered in their home, and you ask someone to pass you the salt. (SA has the highest number of family suicides & murders in the world)
- 3) You never think of taxis in terms of 'public transport'.
- 4) You have a minimum of five worst taxi stories.
- 5) While waiting at the ATM the bank is robbed by armed gunmen, but you'll be damned if you're going to lose your place in the queue (line)
- 6) You're suspicious of strangers who are actually nice to you.
- 7) The last time you drove your car without swearing at someone was when you took your driving test.
- 8) It takes you an hour and a half to drive 5km to work in the morning and you think wow, good traffic day.
- 9) Every time you find your car parked where you left it, you are genuinely surprised.
- 10) You've never been to Melville or Rocky St but love Sandton City (that's me babe!)
- 11) You can get into a 4 hour argument about the quickest way out of Sunninghill after work on a Friday, but can't find Boksburg on a map.
- 12) Prostitutes and the homeless are invisible.
- 13) You've seriously considered shooting someone.
- 14) You have more barbed wire around your home than Diepkloof Prison.
- 15) You consider eye contact an act of overt aggression.
- 16) You consider a postage-stamp sized patch of grass a garden.
- 17) You consider Midrand (the municipal area between Joburg and Pretoria) the 'country-side'
- 18) You happily pay R3500 a month for a townhouse in the north (Sandton) the size of a cupboard (closet), but think R2.50 for a loaf of bread is a disgrace.
- 19) The last time you visited the coast you paid more in accumulated speeding fines than you did for the entire holiday.
- 20) Your monthly car insurance is more than most of the people in SA's car repayments.
- 21) What are stars?
- 22) You own hiking boots and a 4WD, neither of which have ever touched dirt.
- 23) You actually take fashion seriously.
- 24) Being truly alone makes you 'go for your gun'.
- 25) You have 20 different menus next to your phone (too afraid to drive to restaurants)
- 26) South Africa south of the Vaal River is still theoretical to you.
- 27) You can carry R350 worth of groceries in one plastic bag.
- 28) You don't hear gunfire anymore.
- 29) You can buy your entire monthly groceries, artwork, furniture, plants, cell phone hands-free kits, clothes (not to mention plastic hangers) at the nearest traffic intersection. (SA is the only country in the world where you can buy all your Christmas presents at a traffic intersection ..... if you are a cheapo and have no imagination)

## **A guide to SABC TV ENGLISH pronunciation in the "New" South Africa.....**

beck - (back) not front	phlegm - (flame) the hot part at the end of a candle
beds - (birds) doves, vultures, etc.	piss - (peace) symbolized by white doves
Ben - (burn) to set alight	suffa-ring - (suffering) as in "the pee-pull are suffa-ring"
cut - (cart) a small donkey drawn vehicle	parrot teksi - (Pirate Taxi) not a mamba (member) of the
errors - districts, e.g. "Ebbon errors" (urban areas)	teksi assoseshen (Taxi Association)
feather - (further) Cape Town is feather than Johannesburg	toks - (talks) Negotiations
guddin - (garden) around your house, where you grow plants	weaner - (winner) the weaner takes all
get - (gate) a hinged opening in a fence	wekkas - (workers) they do the wek (work)
hair - (her) as opposed to him	weld - (world) The Earth
hiss - masculine form of hairs (his and hers)	jist /jis - (just) I will see you jist /jis now (same as "now-
itch - (each) as in "itch and aviary pairsin" (each and every person)	now" which could mean anything from a minute to a month)
kennel - Army officer	bebby - (baby) as in "a bebby was keed-neppt (kidnapped) today."
Len - (learn) to acquire knowledge	Heppy Bethdey (Happy Birthday)
pairsin - person	Licking - the toilet, it is licking (leaking)
pee-pull - people ( Die Mense)	



Twenty GREAT Reasons Why Athletes Shouldn't be Role models:

1. Chicago Cubs outfielder Andre Dawson on being a role model: "I want all the kids to do what I do, to look up to me. I want all the kids to copulate me."
  2. New Orleans Saint RB George Rogers when asked about the upcoming season: "I want to rush for 1,000 or 1,500 yards, whichever comes first."
  3. And, upon hearing Joe Jacobi of the 'Skins say: "I'd run over my own mother to win the Super Bowl," Matt Millen of the Raiders said: "To win, I'd run over Joe's Mom, too."
  4. Football commentator and former player Joe Theismann 1996: "Nobody in football should be called a genius. A genius is a guy like Norman Einstein."
  5. Senior basketball player at the University of Pittsburgh: "I'm going to graduate on time, no matter how long it takes."
  6. Bill Peterson, a Florida State football coach: "You guys line up alphabetically by height." And "You guys pair up in groups of three, then line up in a circle."
  7. Boxing promoter Dan Duva on Mike Tyson hooking up again with promoter Don King: "Why would anyone expect him to come out smarter? He went to prison for three years, not Princeton."
  8. Stu Grimson, Chicago Blackhawks left wing, explaining why he keeps a colour photo of himself above his locker: "That's so when I forget how to spell my name, I can still find my clothes."
  9. Shaquille O'Neal on whether he had visited the Parthenon during his visit to Greece: "I can't really remember the names of the clubs that we went to."
  10. Shaquille O'Neal, on his lack of championships: "I've won at every level, except college and pro."
  11. Lou Duva, veteran boxing trainer, on the Spartan training regime of heavyweight Andrew Golota: "He's a guy who gets up at six o'clock in the morning regardless of what time it is."
  12. Pat Williams, Orlando Magic general manager, on his team's 7-27 record in 1992: "We can't win at home. We can't win on the road. As general manager, I just can't figure out where else to play."
  13. Chuck Nevitt, North Carolina State basketball player, explaining to Coach Jim Valvano why he appeared nervous at practice: "My sister's expecting a baby, and I don't know if I'm going to be an uncle or an aunt."
  14. Jim Finks, New Orleans Saints General Manager, when asked after a loss what he thought of the refs: "I'm not allowed to comment on lousy, no good officiating."
  15. Alan Kulwicki, stock car racer, on racing Saturday nights as opposed to Sunday afternoons: "It's basically the same, just darker."
  16. Lincoln Kennedy, Oakland Raiders tackle, on his decision not to vote: "I was going to write myself in, but I was afraid I'd get shot."
  17. Frank Layden, Utah Jazz president, on a former player: "I told him, 'Son, what is it with you? Is it ignorance or apathy?' He said, 'Coach, I don't know and I don't care.'"
  18. Torrin Polk, University of Houston receiver, on his coach, John Jenkins: "He treats us like men. He lets us wear earrings."
  19. Shelby Metcalf, basketball coach at Texas A&M, recounting what he told a player who received four F's and one D: "Son, looks to me like you're spending too much time on one subject."
- And the Gem:
20. Former Oiler coach Bum Phillips when asked by Bob Costas why he takes his wife on all road trips, Phillips responded: "Because she is too damn ugly to kiss goodbye."

Little Johnny keeps asking his Dad for a television in his bedroom, to which his Dad keeps saying "No".

After constant nagging, he finally agrees and says, "OK".

Several nights later Johnny comes downstairs and asks, "Dad, what's Love Juice?"

Dad is horrified, and after looking at Mum who's also gob smacked, proceeds to give his son the whole works, warts and all on the facts of life.

Johnny now sits on sofa with his mouth open in amazement.

Dad asks, "So, what is it you've been watching then Son?"

Johnny replies: "Wimbledon."



*I say! Whatever it is you're doing  
- stop that now!*

**BISHOP'S FINGER? Ooh Suit You, Sir! (WARNING: This page is a tad non PC - read at your peril)**

Dr Laura Schlessinger presents a phone-in radio show in Canada - listeners call to discuss their problems and the good doctor offers her advice. Recently, however, Schlessinger has become a convert to Judaism and has made some statements about homosexuals that have caused the Canadian anti-hate laws to Censure her. The following is an open letter to Dr. Laura written by a US resident, which was posted on the Internet...enjoy.

Dear Dr. Laura,

Thank you for doing so much to educate people regarding God's Law. I have learned a great deal from your show, and I try to share that knowledge with as many people as I can. When someone tries to defend the homosexual lifestyle, for example, I simply remind him that Leviticus 18:22 clearly states it to be an abomination. End of debate.

I do need some advice from you, however, regarding some of the specific laws and how to follow them.



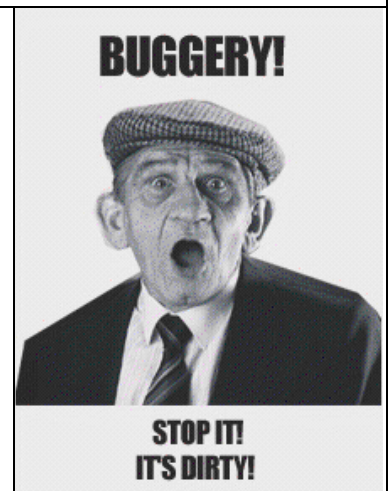
- a) When I burn a bull on the altar as a sacrifice, I know it creates a pleasing odour for the Lord (Lev. 1:9). The problem is my neighbours. They claim the odour is not pleasing to them. Should I smite them?
- b) I would like to sell my daughter into slavery, as sanctioned in Exodus 21:7. In this day and age, what do you think would be a fair price for her?
- c) Lev. 25:44 states that I may indeed possess slaves, both male and female, provided they are purchased from neighbouring nations. A friend of mine claims that this applies to Mexicans, but not Canadians. Can you clarify? Why can't I own Canadians?
- d) I have a neighbour who insists on working on the Sabbath. Exodus 35:2 clearly states he should be put to death. Am I morally obligated to kill him myself?
- e) A friend of mine feels that even though eating shellfish is an abomination (Lev. 11:10), it is a lesser abomination than homosexuality. I don't agree. Can you settle this?
- f) Lev. 21:20 states that I may not approach the altar of God if I have a defect in my sight. I have to admit that I wear reading glasses. Does my vision have to be 20/20, or is there some room to negotiate here?
- g) Most of my male friends get their hair trimmed, including the hair around their temples, even though this is expressly forbidden by Lev.19:27. How should they die?
- h) I know from Lev. 11:6-8 that touching the skin of a dead pig makes me unclean, but may I still play football if I wear gloves?

g) My uncle has a farm. He violates Lev. 19:19 by planting two different crops in the same field, as does his wife by wearing garments made of two different kinds of thread (cotton/polyester blend). He also tends to curse and blaspheme a lot. Is it really necessary that we go to all the trouble of getting the whole town together to stone them? (Lev.24:10-16) Couldn't we just burn them to death at a private family affair like we do with people who sleep with their in-laws? (Lev.20:14)

I know you have studied these things extensively, so I am confident you can help. Thank you again for reminding us that God's word is eternal and unchanging.

Your devoted disciple and adoring fan.

Fans of the popular children's television show Rainbow converged in Brighton last night for the unveiling of a new statue of Bungle a year after the stars death from AIDS. The South Coast was awash with a blaze of rainbow headscarves and red AIDS Awareness ribbons, as over a thousand tearfully joyous supporters formed a sea of colour in homage to their beloved TV bear. And there were solemn cheers when Bungle's partner and Rainbow Presenter Jerry Hayes made a poignant speech about their relationship, before Zippy and George led the tributes, describing their departed friend as a 'furry gay hero who will never be forgotten'. The sadness then gave way to partying, as Brighton Beach hosted an impromptu tribute concert, including appearances by Rod, Jane and Freddie, Comedian Matt Lucas, and Lesbian girl-band The C\*nts. But not a good time was had by everyone, with certain sections of the community up in arms over the erection of the statue, paid for by £750,000 of Lottery Cash. Stanley Baxter of the Hove and Cliftonville Residents Association, 83, described the monument as 'an horrific waste of tax-payers money.'



'I would described it as an horrific waste', he told us, 'of tax-payers money.'

'They can take their statue and Bungle it right up their arses - and being a bunch of gay woofers, that's probably just what they'll do. I'd send them and their big gay cocks back to the bathhouse.'

Rainbow is set to return to our screens in the Summer, in the form of late-night compilation shows containing vintage footage of Bungle and friends, spliced with frank interviews with celebrities on the issues affecting young gays, lesbians and bears in the UK today.

### **Peter Kay's rules**

Triangular sandwiches taste better than square ones.  
At the end of every party there is always a fat girl crying.  
One of the most awkward things that can happen in a pub is when your pint-to-toilet cycle gets synchronised with a complete stranger.  
You're never quite sure whether it's ok to eat green crisps.  
Everyone who grew up in the 80's has entered the digits 55378008 into a calculator.  
Reading when you're drunk is horrible.  
Sharpening a pencil with a knife makes you feel really manly.  
You're never quite sure whether it's against the law or not to have a fire in your back garden.  
Nobody ever dares make cup-a-soup in a bowl.  
You never know where to look when eating a banana.  
It's impossible to describe the smell of a wet cat.  
Prodding a fire with a stick makes you feel manly.  
Rummaging in an overgrown garden will always turn up a bouncy ball.  
You always feel a bit scared when stroking horses.  
Everyone always remembers the day a dog ran into your school.  
The most embarrassing thing you can do as schoolchild is to call your teacher mum or dad.  
The smaller the monkey the more it looks like it would kill you at the first given opportunity.

Some days you see lots of people on crutches.  
Every bloke has at some stage while taking a pee flushed half way through and then raced against the flush.  
Old women with mobile phones look wrong !  
It's impossible to look cool whilst picking up a Frisbee.  
Driving through a tunnel makes you feel excited.  
You never ever run out of salt.  
Old ladies can eat more than you think.  
You can't respect a man who carries a dog.  
There's no panic like the panic you momentarily feel when you've got your hand or head stuck in something.  
No one knows the origins of their metal coat hangers.  
Despite constant warning, you have never met anybody who has had their arm broken by a swan.  
The most painful household incident is wearing socks and stepping on an upturned plug.  
People who don't drive slam car doors too hard  
You've turned into your dad the day you put aside a thin piece of wood specifically to stir paint with.  
Everyone had an uncle who tried to steal their nose.  
Bricks are horrible to carry.  
In every plate of chips there is a bad chip

### **Office Wisdom from David Brent.**

Eagles may soar high, but weasels don't get sucked into jet engines.  
Lack of planning on your part does not constitute an emergency on my part.  
There may be no 'I' in team, but there's a 'ME' if you look hard enough.  
Process and Procedure are the last hiding place of people without the wit and wisdom to do their job properly.  
Remember that age and treachery will always triumph over youth and ability.  
Never do today that which will become someone else's responsibility tomorrow.  
Every time you open your mouth you have this wonderful ability to continually confirm what I think.  
Show me a good loser and I'll show you a LOSER!  
Put the key of despair into the lock of apathy. Turn the knob of mediocrity slowly and open the gates of despondency - welcome to a day in the average office.  
It's the team that matters. Where would The Beatles be without Ringo? If John got Yoko to play drums the history of music would be very different.  
What does a squirrel do in the summer? It buries nuts. Why? Cos then in winter time he's got something to eat and he won't die. So, collecting nuts in the summer is worthwhile work. Every task you do at work think, would a squirrel do that? Think squirrels. Think nuts.  
When confronted by a difficult problem, you can solve it more easily by reducing it to the question, "How would the Lone Ranger handle this?"  
Accept that some days you are the pigeon, and some days you are the statue.  
If your boss is getting you down, look at him through the prongs of a fork and imagine him in jail.  
If you can keep your head when all around you have lost theirs, then you probably haven't understood the seriousness of the situation.  
You don't have to be mad to work here! In fact we ask you to complete a medical questionnaire to ensure that you are not.  
If you treat the people around you with love and respect, they will never guess that you're trying to get them sacked.  
If at first you don't succeed, remove all evidence you ever tried.  
You have to be 100% behind someone, before you can stab them in the back.  
If work was so good, the rich would have kept more of it for themselves.  
Those of you who think you know everything are annoying to those of us who do.  
There's no 'I' in 'team'. But then there's no 'I' in 'useless smug colleague', either. And there's four in 'platitude-quoting idiot'. Go figure.  
Know your limitations and be content with them. Too much ambition results in promotion to a job you can't do.  
Make good use of your cylindrical filing unit, the one you mainly keep under your desk.  
Quitters never win, winners never quit. But those who never win and never quit are idiots.  
If you're gonna be late, then be late and not just 2 minutes - make it an hour and enjoy your breakfast.  
Remember the 3 golden rules: 1. It was like that when I got here. 2. I didn't do it. 3. (To your Boss) I like your style.  
The office is like an army, and I'm the field general. You're my footsoldiers and customer quality is the WAR!!!  
Set out to leave the first vapour trail in the blue-sky scenario.  
Statistics are like a lamppost to a drunken man - more for leaning on than illumination.  
A problem shared is a problem halved, so is your problem really yours or just half of someone else's?  
Is your work done? Are all pigs fed, watered and ready to fly?....  
You don't have to be mad to work here, but you do have to be on time, well presented, a team player, customer service focused and sober!!  
I thought I could see the light at the end of the tunnel, but it was just some b\*stard with a torch, bringing me more work.  
Avoid employing unlucky people - throw half of the pile of CVs in the bin without reading them.

## The Real Man Test

**Note: All "real men" answer "C" to all of these questions. Knowing this, women will have come far in understanding men and enriching their own lives if they carefully review the "C" answers.**

1. Alien beings from a highly advanced society visit the Earth, and you are the first human they encounter. As a token of intergalactic friendship, they present you with a small but incredibly sophisticated device that is capable of curing all disease, providing an infinite supply of clean energy, wiping out hunger and poverty, and permanently eliminating oppression and violence all over the entire Earth.

You decide to:

- A. Present it to the President of the United States.
- B. Present it to the Secretary General of the United Nations.
- C. Take it apart.

2. As you grow older, what lost quality of your youthful life do you miss the most?

- A. Innocence.
- B. Idealism.
- C. Cherry bombs.

3. When is it okay to kiss another male?

- A. When you wish to display simple and pure affection without regard for narrow-minded social conventions.
- B. When he is the Pope. (Not on the lips.)
- C. When he is your brother and you are Al Pacino and this is the only really sportsman-like way to let him know that, for business reasons, you have to have him killed.

4. In your opinion, the ideal pet is:

- A. A cat.
- B. A dog.
- C. A dog that eats cats.

5. You have been seeing a woman for several years. She's attractive and intelligent, and you always enjoy being with her. One leisurely Sunday afternoon the two of you are taking it easy. You're watching a football game; she's reading the papers when she suddenly, out of the clear blue sky, tells you that she thinks she really loves you, but, she can no longer bear the uncertainty of not knowing where your relationship is going. She says she's not asking whether you want to get married; only whether you believe that you have some kind of future together. What do you say?

- A. That you sincerely believe the two of you do have a future, but you don't want to rush it.
- B. That although you also have strong feelings for her, you can not honestly say that you'll be ready anytime soon to make a lasting commitment, and you don't want to hurt her by holding out false hope.
- C. That you cannot believe the Broncos called a draw play on third and seventeen.

6. Okay, so you have decided that you truly love a woman and you want to spend the rest of your life with her, sharing the joys and the sorrows the world has to offer, come what may. How do you tell her?

- A. You take her to a nice restaurant and tell her after dinner.
- B. You take her for a walk on a moonlit beach, and you say her name, and when she turns to you, with the sea breeze blowing through her hair and the stars in her eyes, you tell her.
- C. Tell her what?

7. One weekday morning your wife wakes up feeling ill and asks you to get your three children ready for school. Your first question to her is:

- A. "Do they need to eat or anything?"
- B. "They're in school already?"
- C. "There are three of them?"

8. When is it okay to throw away a set of veteran underwear?

- A. When it has turned the color of a dead whale and developed new holes so large that you're not sure which ones were originally intended for your legs.
- B. When it is down to eight loosely connected underwear molecules and has to be handled with tweezers.
- C. It is never okay to throw away veteran underwear. A real guy checks the garbage regularly in case somebody and we are not naming names, but this would be his wife is quietly trying to discard his underwear (which she is frankly jealous of because the guy seems to have a more intimate relationship with it than with her).

9. What, in your opinion, is the most reasonable explanation for the fact that Moses led the Israelites all over the place for forty years before they finally got to the Promised Land?

- A. He was being tested.
- B. He wanted them to really appreciate the Promised Land when they finally got there.
- C. He refused to ask for directions.

10. What is the human race's single greatest achievement?

- A. Democracy.
- B. Religion.
- C. Remote control.



A good friend will come bail you out of jail... but a true friend will be sitting next to you saying  
"Damn...We Fucked Up"

Thoughts for the day

Sometimes, when you cry, no one sees your tears. Sometimes, when you are happy, no one sees your smile. But f@rt, just once...

A person can take photographs all their lives..... and never be called a Photographer. A person can kick a ball for years.....and never be called a Footballer But suck just one cOck.....!?