

# THE STOUFFER TRIBUNE:

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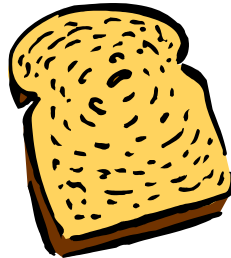
**Penn Football (ctd on page four)**

**By Andy Wilkowski**

*It's a great experience to attend Penn's football games. Franklin field doesn't sell out, but the south half of the stadium is always packed with the Penn faithful. The absolute best part of Penn football games is singing the songs, shaking your keys, and cheering along with the band and other the hardcore fans.*

**Above all else, do not leave the game early!**

If I've learned anything, it's that Penn is *never* out of a game and will never let up when winning. More importantly, don't be a toast-bitch! They are the people who show up and leave after singing *Highball* just so that they can say they participated in a Penn tradition. Often times these people don't know the proper time to release their crispy projectile: this is referred to as premature-toast-elation. A few freshman misfired at Duquesne and will once again on parents' weekend, but by homecoming, everyone should have it right! In general, it wasn't that bad for a first attempt. To review, toast is thrown during the singing of *Highball* when the word 'toast' is sung.



**Meet on the Stouffer patio 30 minutes to kickoff!**

I'd like to head over to Franklin Field as a house one half hour before each game this season. We should bring a ton of toast and get there in time for good seats on the 40 yard line next to the band. We met on the Stouffer patio to go to the opener against Duquesne; unfortunately, we got separated and many people ended up on the second level. Stouffer often has the most dedicated fans at Penn sporting events - this week, let's prove it again when we go together to watch Penn demolish Bucknell!

**The Point:**

You should come to Penn home games because they are a blast, but don't be a toast-bitch... Come for the fun, the songs, the tradition, and yes, the toast, but stay for the fourth quarter beat-downs and the Red and Blue.

Any ice today lady?

## Things to Pirate Before It's Too Late

**By Eva Harris**

*I'll admit it: I am guilty of nonchalantly ignoring the national news, bombarded with stories of how a 12-year old was sued for downloading music on Kazaa or similar software. As I continue to frantically download as many illegal music files as I can, before the end of the days of free music, I thought I might give you a few suggestions.*

*Why me? Well, I think I have great taste in music. I'll listen to anything but country, and occasionally even it will creep into my collection, out of desperation for something new to listen to. That said, here are a few songs I highly suggest downloading before the pirating apocalypse. Some you probably have, some you probably don't. Either way, here are some suggestions. Please note that I'm leaving out the obvious classics, like The Beatles, U2, The Rolling Stones, etc... You can do that downloading on your own.*

*And, to all you music fanatics out there, e-mail some suggestions or comments for songs, albums, reasons why you hate me, etc. to James. I don't want to have to write more nonsense for the next issue to fill space and prevent James from beating me again.*

### **The List (in no particular order):**

- **A-Ha: Velvet.** Yes, this is the band that created that horrible song "Take On Me." Download it anyway.
- **Switchfoot: I Dare You To Move.** Think catchier, more melodic Linkin Park.
- **The Roots: You Got Me.** Erykah Badu on backup and the song is awesome. What else could you want from one of the best hip hop groups ever?
- **The Streets: It's Too Late.** The British Eminem. Only he's not offensive, bigoted, and he has some talent. And it's hilarious to hear him say "geezers" at least twenty times in a single song.
- **Bruce Springsteen: The River.** Actually, just download everything The Boss has ever done... well, everything before about 1995, at least. But this song is awesome, and was in the movie *High Fidelity*, so it's automatically cool.
- **Freddy Johnson Band: Bad Reputation.** Like Dave Matthews Band... only twenty times better. Okay, shut up you yuppie DMB fanatics. I AM NOT LISTENING TO YOU! ALL OF THEIR SONGS SOUND THE SAME! ADMIT IT!
- **Ben Folds Five: Song For the Dumped.** Have you ever been dumped? Well HAVE YOU? Commiserate with this song.
- **Blur: Song 2.** Put on repeat. Drink Red Bull. Start giggling hysterically. Repeat.
- **Creed: My Sacrifice.** Just kidding. Really. Destroy Creed before they take over the world. I hate you, you dirty Pearl Jam sounding lead singer hiding behind the veil of Christianity! DIE, Creed, DIE!
- **Doves: Caught By the River.** Impress your friends by knowing some Brit pop that isn't Radiohead or Coldplay.
- **Fatboy Slim: Right Here, Right Now.** Who doesn't love this song? Wait, you don't? Screw you.
- **Public Enemy: Fight the Power.** Listen and ponder the destruction of the bureaucracy that forces me to have a 9:00 a.m. class five days a week because of the damned language requirement.
- **Jeff Buckley: Last Goodbye.** Dude, he's dead. That automatically makes him cool.
- **Manic Street Preachers: If You Tolerate This.** One of the best politically charged bands since Rage Against The Machine. And infinitely more listenable.
- **Nada Surf: Popular.** Reminds me of 8<sup>th</sup> grade. I'm not sure if that's bad or good.
- **Pete Yorn: Strange Condition.** I will marry Pete Yorn someday. Seriously.
- **Semisonic: Chemistry.** The most sexual song, without being blatantly so, ever.
- **Submarine: Sunbeam.** Would Jesus want YOU for a sunbeam?
- **Tom Waits: Downtown Train.** None of that whiny Rod Stewart bad cover nonsense here.
- **Tracy Chapman: Fast Car.** One of the best songs of the 1980's.
- **Wesley Willis: I Whipped Batman's Ass.** I dare you to listen to this and not laugh. And it's by a medically diagnosed schizophrenic, at that.
- **Counting Crows: Anna Begins.** For those sad, sad times.
- **Asia: In the Heat of the Moment.** Or, you could download Cartman's version. Either will result in hysterical laughing.

# I LIKE BIG BUTTS AND I CAN NOT LIE:

## Lying about secret crushes, just to amuse you

**By James "I really don't like big women...really" Schneider**

*From ginormous to just plain huge, I like it; Mary, I like it A- Lot! Sit right there and I'll weave a disturbing and sordid tale of lust, betrayal, and food. The real life story of a Wawa sandwich artist, an ST Editor, and the slab of salami caught in the middle. Ewe... is a female goat. **Read!***

It has always been my opinion that tasty food and drink are comparable to the sight of a fine piece of ass. Wawa sticks out as one of the few places where you can have the sight of a horrendously big-boned woman and get fed. Well, maybe it's not actually all that rare, especially in Philly (one of the fattest cities in the nation), but still... J-Lo's got nothing on the bodacious bevy of big beautiful butts that help make sandwiches. It's really impressive when you think about it. I don't think you could cram much more ass on a body without having structural difficulties.

I must confess, though, I have an unnatural predilection for large women. Even more precisely, I want to publicly announce my crush on the Wawa artist named Jennifer. Clocking in at the lean, fighting weight of 345 odd pounds, this pretty holds a dear place in my heart. If the surest way to a man's heart is through his stomach, well then she's got me covered for about 85,000,000 years. Damn, that's a fine piece of ass!



Many people look at this fair maiden with dumbfounded, open-mouth stares. They say, "Her arms are wider than your legs, and her ass is the size of twenty Mary Kate and Ashley Olsenses." I cannot deny all of this bears an unmistakable ring of truth. But, I like it. Is that so terribly wrong? And have you seen the jugs on my Jenny down the stairs? She's running H-cups, easy. I'd love to put my face between 'em and have her show me what's up. Hold on a second, I need to go to the bathroom...

Anyways, I've never been blessed with the sight of fair Jennifer in a short skirt and a midriff-less top – perhaps halter. I wonder if her navel is pierced. She's so sassy like that! I've missed out on her monstrous thighs that could crush me or give me the pleasure of a thousand pleasures.

I'm lucky to have proximity on my side in my quest for this buxom broad. I live in Stouffer which is on top of Wawa, so I'm blessed with only a short commute to the palace of my goddess. She always greets me with the painful indifference that only makes me crave her enormous "personalities" ever more. When she sneers in my general direction while calling out my number, it makes me so hot. I just want to plant a sloppy wet kiss on her wide self. That's jungle fever, Kyle!

Is it my fault that you are my muse? I sit and stare at you and cry when you are not around. Oh, sweet thang. You are so large, sumptuous and wonderful, can we please make out in the back next to the sandwich meat? Ah, dreams. If only she wasn't dating Donovan McNabb – his season thus far proves that her love holds no bounds. Goodnight sweet princess.

**Note: At no point did I hit upon a shred of truth. I'm just hungry.**

# Hang Jeff Davis

Ok, so yeah ... Penn football friggin' **rocks!**

**By Andy Wilkowski (ctd from page one)**

*After Rob Milanese, the most prolific receiver in Penn Football's great history, graduated last year alongside our powerful running back, Marshall Faulk's cousin Stephen, there were many questions about Penn's offense. Despite losing most of the starters from the most stifling defense in all of Division I-AA, our Quakers were still the preseason favorites to repeat as Ivy League Champs. Now after three impressive victories, our undefeated Quakers ( #15 I-AA ) are poised to take the Ivy league by storm again!*

*Here is my short, short synopsis of what I've seen over the past three seasons and why you shouldn't miss a snap!*

## **Penn Football History in the new millennium:**

**2000:** My first two years at Penn, every game was exciting from start to finish. Freshman year, the champion Quakers came back from a significant deficit in **every** Ivy league win. I can't recall a game in 2000 when we *didn't* score a touchdown in the last five minutes. Going to Princeton and seeing Penn destroy our hated sports rivals after engineering a 21 point, second-half comeback was truly awesome. It was thrilling to witness Penn score twice in the last five minutes against Harvard and turn a 14 point disadvantage into a victory! Stouffer paid for a van of house members to drive north to Ithica and watch the clinching win at Cornell (45-15); it was the only game that didn't go down to the wire for the exciting comeback kids.

**2001:** The Quaker dominance in the following year was very similar. Penn won each of its Ivy contests ... except for a heartrending loss on the road to a seasoned (and undefeated) Harvard team 28-21. The best quarterback (Gavin Hoffman from North Western) and running back (Kris Ryan) in Penn history graduated leaving the team without it's main offensive weapons and with many doubts about the next year. Before the 2002 season, Penn was picked to finish fourth behind Harvard, Princeton, and Brown because of these incredible losses.

**2002:** Last year, Penn got the job done with defense as expected. However, the offense exploded behind Rob Milanese who hooked up with fourth year junior quarterback Mike Mitchell to set several receiving records en route to an undefeated Ivy League season and a Top 25 ranking. Penn went 9-1 last year, knocking off #4 Lehigh, and winning by an incredible average of 32 points! The only loss was a 17-7 slugfest in the rain at #6 Villanova, which Stouffer again sent many rowdy fans to. Three starters signed as free agents with NFL teams: Milanese went to the Niners, Faulk signed with the Patriots, and superstar line backer Vince Alexander was picked up by the Jets.

# We have a Webpage!

(well we did before, but now it's better)

**By Andy Wilkowski**

*The Stouffer webpage has been recently revamped by Everett and me. Log onto our house's homepage today and see what it has to offer!*

<http://stouffer.house.upenn.edu/>

## **You should use the webpage for:**

- **Finding out current events in Stouffer !!!!**

The homepage has a listing for each upcoming Stouffer function!

- **Checking what's available in the Stouffer Movie Sharing Library**

Coming back soon!

(You'll receive email soon about how to submit a list of your DVDs and VHSs if you want to share your collection with the House )

- **Visiting links to the personal webpages of other Stouffer residents**

( The dozen old links were removed. To add your page, email the webmaster )

- **Playing Stouffer Assassins next month!**

*You're not paranoid, if they really ARE all out to get you.*

- **Discovering a plethora of information about our House**

From Stouffer's history to floor plans for each room, you can find out anything you want about the two buildings here!

## **How you can contribute:**

- If you would like to see anything else on the webpage, we're very open to suggestions.
- If you have any pictures of Stouffer residents for the webpage, send them to the webmaster. We always can use more current pictures.
- If you think you have the skills, time, and desire to be Stouffer's webmaster or simply overhaul the page's design please talk to Ev or myself.



<http://www.puccaclub.com>

*Above is a fun link for a cute Asian-cartoon-doll-girl deal, and above that's a cute picture of me, Eugene, with the stars. Try hitting the link, check out the flashes; it's a great way to blow 15 minutes... the next Strongbad!!*

# THE FINANCIAL FEATURE:

## Wharton molds minds into Jell-O.

By Danielle Qi and Everett Herman

### Keepin' it Cheap: Ladies' Edition – Do it Yourself Beauty

#### • Hot Oil Treatment

- 1/2 c. olive oil
- 1/2 c. boiling water

Combine and shake well. Massage into hair. Put a shower cap over your hair and wrap your head in a towel. Leave mixture on your hair for 15 to 20 minutes, then shampoo and condition as usual.

#### • Eye Makeup Remover

- 1 tbsp castor oil
- 1 tbsp light olive oil
- 2 tsp. Canola oil

Blend ingredients together. Wipe over eyes to remove makeup.

#### • Nail Whitener

- 1 tablespoon hydrogen peroxide
- 1 cup of warm water

Soak nails in solution for 15 minutes. Pat dry. When used twice a week, this soak will whiten stained and dull nails.

#### • Homemade Milk Bath

- 2 cups dry milk powder
- 1 cup cornstarch
- 1/8 teaspoon fragrance oil of your choice (optional)

Blend together all ingredients. Add 1/2 cup of mixture to hot bath water. Mix all the ingredients together and pour about 1/2 cup under running water into tub. Relax and enjoy! Put the remainder in a canning jar for later use.

#### • Fruit Acid Skin Peel

- rind from any fruit
- lemon juice

Combine grated rind and juice from one lemon. Cover and refrigerate for 8 hours. Pat mixture over face (taking care to avoid the eye area), let dry, and remove by gently scrubbing with a warm, wet cloth. Follow with a moisturizer. Helps to dissolve dry, flaky top layer of skin.

#### • Face Mask

Almost anything on your face makes a great mask!

For dry skin, use mash avocados or bananas. For blemish-prone skin, an egg white and honey mask will draw out impurities. Also try mashed papaya to heal blemished skin or mashed tomato to refine pores (be sure to drain juice and seeds before mashing). Watch out, these work well, but they are kinda messy or hard to get off.

### Money Mania: Credit Card Basics

Credit cards can be a good way to build your credit or an effective way to ruin it! Here are the basics you need to make sure you're making an informed decision:

- **APR = annual percentage rate.** This means that if you were ever to take out money on your credit card, either by getting a loan off the card or simply by not paying your balances on time each month, you would be charged that interest rate. But beware! This interest rate is accordingly to monthly compounding, meaning the credit card company will recalculate how much interest you owe every month. As a result, the actual interest rate you incur each year will be much higher than the APR stated

- **Grace Period = The number of days you have to pay your bill in full before incurring finance charges.** Typically the grace period is 25 days. Watch out for cards with no grace period!

- **Credit Limit = how much you're allowed to charge to your card per monthly billing period.** It may be safe to start out with a low limit, just to limit your spending. Most credit cards will charge your account if you exceed the limit.

- **Introductory Rates = the interest rate the credit card company will charge you for the initial "x" amount of time.** Beware of these deals, as they'll often offer a really low interest rate for the first six or so months, then jack it up to an extremely high rate for the remainder your time with them!

- **Minimum payment = the minimum amount you are required to pay on the monthly bill,** meaning you finance the balance. It's usually smart just to pay the entire balance and avoid paying incurring the financing and debt. *And now, a few final tips:*

- Build a good credit rating by charging a reasonable amount each month and paying the balance in full.

- Don't own more than one or two credit cards – there's really no need for it.

- Develop a sound spending plan for yourself. This will help you to avoid using credit cards for impulse decisions and incurring debt.

## Frugal Fun 101

Great things to do in Philly for Free or under \$10!

**Free!!** - Tue. Oct 7. *2001: A Space Odyssey* at Gregory College House. More Free Films at Gregory: <http://gregory.house.upenn.edu/fcp/screenings.asp>

**Free!!** - Sat. Oct 11 @ Franklin Field 12:30 pm vs Bucknell... [www.pennathletics.com](http://www.pennathletics.com) for more sports schedules.

**Free!!** - Penn PM Events for the Weekend more info at <http://www.collegehouses.upenn.edu/programs/pennpm.html>

**Free!!** - Go for a 4 mile or 8 mile walk around Philly. More Info <http://www.phila.gov/recreation/wanderlust/>

**\$6** - Hit up the National Constitution Center at 5<sup>th</sup> and Arch. More info at <http://www.constitutioncenter.org/>

**\$5** - Weekend Evening shows at the IMAX theater at the Franklin Institute. More Info <http://www.fi.edu/tfi/info/omnino.html>