

BIGBALL SUPERSTAR ARRESTED FOR BEING TOO WHOLESOME



In a shocking turn of events, BigBall Hall of Famer Lance Shacklesby was arrested during the Ridge Cup finals for sportsmanlike conduct. According to officials, Shacklesby was caught offering encouraging remarks to rival players, some of which included helpful tips and coaching for improving their game. "I just can't understand it," said Enis Palaver, coach of the Revenant Canyon Raccoons. "Shacklesby used to play dirtier than a pig in a mud puddle. I have no idea what came over him."

According to BigBall rules, players are required to adhere to a strict code of conduct. There must be a bare minimum of 3 violent attacks per quarter, with at least 2 players bloodied, or teams may be forced to forfeit the match. Historically, the Revenant Canyon Raccoons has led the league in bloodshed and underhanded tactics. However, since the disappearance of their demon coach Big Red last season, the Raccoons have taken a more pacifist approach, forfeiting 7 of their 164 games this year.

While it's rare for a player to be arrested for fair play, it's not entirely unprecedented. The infamous Wraith Desert Wranglers were banned several seasons ago when their striker Dominick DeCoco declared a foul against himself. The Wranglers almost redeemed themselves with a bench-clearing brawl moments later, but the effort was undercut by coach Francois Ng's apology on behalf of the team.

Shacklesby is currently awaiting trial at JONACO 5-Star Prison, and has been denied bail pending a hearing. When approached for comment, he seemed to have no remorse for his actions, stating, "Gosh, I hope those guys felt good about the way they played. They really put their hearts and souls out there, ya know?" JONACO prosecutors expect Shacklesby to receive the death penalty for his crimes.

QUOTE OF THE DAY

"Fear is a senseless emotion. What is there to fear when you have 12-pack abs? You've already defied the laws of beauty."

- Jonas

HOT TAKES WITH RESIDENT



**"I CAN'T
DIE -
PROVE ME
WRONG"**

I genuinely believe that I can't die. All of the evidence agrees with me - I've been alive on this terrifying and incredibly dangerous world for almost 40 years and I haven't died yet! I've survived man-eating pies, alien invasions, mega-raven attacks, and I'm still standing!

pay my ransom? Sure.

But could it be because all the bad guys of the world recognize my superior genetics and respect my pure resilience to death?

IT COULD BE.

Consider this - the Phantom Ridge has an insanely high serial killer to normal person ratio (2:5), and yet none of them have ever targeted me.

Obviously a claim like this doesn't hold water unless it's well and truly tested, so come at me. Prove me wrong.

Is that because I'm wildly unattractive and eat so much camembert cheese that my flesh undoubtedly tastes like a stale fart? Possibly. Is it because there is no one in my life who would care enough to

I live in Barrow on the Hill at 818 Pike Lane, my door is open anytime.

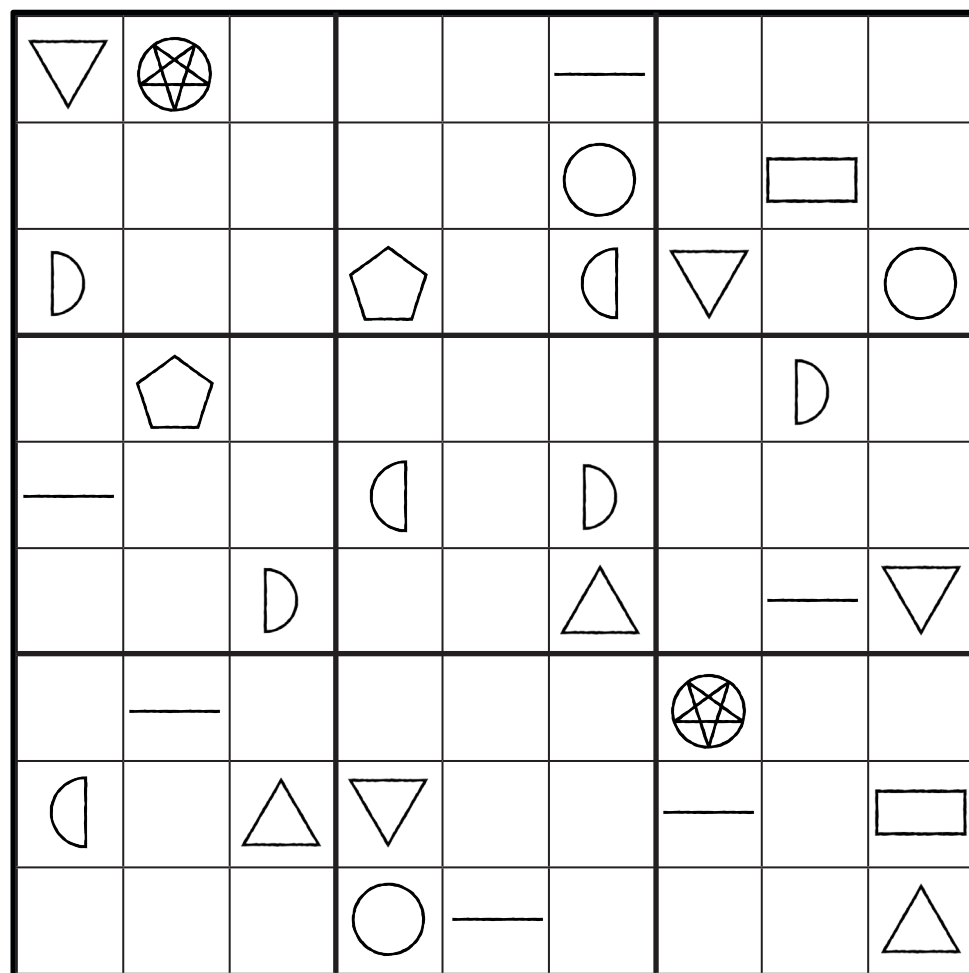
I guarantee you any point you make will completely crumble against my logic. Bring it on, fartface!



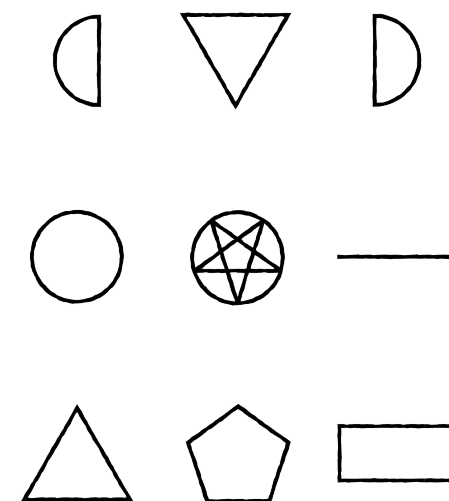
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Langley snaps and shouts back, “No one likes them Paul! They don’t even understand them! We could print off the meeting ____ (4 Across) and cut out some _____ (7 Down) and no one would think twice about it!”



It's just like Sudoku but instead of numbers you will need to use these nine symbols!



CODEBREAKER

JONACO’S MOST WANTED LOGIC PUZZLER

Suspects

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Red Crested Gargler

Wingspan: 110-135cm

Red tail feathers

Call: Sounds like water gargling
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Mega-Raven

Wingspan: 365-427cm

Black tail feathers

Call: Can only say it’s own name.
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Idiot Tourist Chicken

Wingspan: 60-90cm

Golden Tail Feathers

Call: Mimics a lost tourist

A farmer was murdered in Spectre Plains today. The JIA have done an initial round of investigaton, but the suspects are not easy to interigate... because they are all birds.

The JIA is looking for bird specialist (or a radiator specialist) to help resolve the situation and find out which Avian was responsible for this crime! We need to know who did it, where, and with what! There will only be one suspect at each location and each will have a specific piece of equipment.

THINGS WE KNOW TO BE TRUE...

- The Outhouse was crushed by something very heavy.
- The Magnet was found in the field.
- The sounds of lost tourist could be heard coming from the old barn.
- The farmer died when all the metal rods and plates were ripped out of his body. Even his teeth fillings were missing!

Equipment

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A Portly Bovine

It would take incredible strength to move this very heavy bovine.
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A Super Magnet

The magnetic force from this super magnet is strong enough to lift a car! Deadly in the wrong hands.
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A Bomb?

It’s a bomb! We think... But it’s slightly... egg shaped?

Locations

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The Outhouse

This broken down outhouse would be a dreadful place to die.
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The Old Barn

After the pigs started a religion, The Farmer stopped visiting the barn animals.
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The Farmer’s Field

This dry and barren field is in desper-ate need of sustenance. They plants seem to whisper “Feed Me...”

		Suspects			Locations		
							
Equipment							
							
							
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Who?

What?

Where?

THE JONAGRAPH JUMBLE

Hidden in this classic word search are references to 10 of the most iconic creatures! Can you find them all?

- ENDER

REMINGTON

RATTIGAN

LEADBELLY
- LAMPWICK

NARVIS

LAVOSONE
- LAVOSTWO

RACKSHAW

JASPIN

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POETRY CORNER

Ha Ha Ha Evil Laugh

There once was an intern named Jack

Who called Dr. Winter a hack.

Dr. Winter said nothing,

His scalpel a-bustling,

And now Jack resides in a sack.

DEAR TERRENCE THE TALKING PLATYPUS MADAME MECHANICA HOROSCOPES



Dear Terrence - Why do I cry every time I see paintings of cats?

Because paintings of cats are lies. They show the cat at peace. Composed. Noble. Perhaps sitting beside a vase or a portly child. But you and I know that a cat is a beast of lies: its slatted eyes are cruel cuts in the fabric immortal, a gateway to a being of infinite bird murder. You are not crying at the cat - you are crying at what this cat represents. The cat has no guilt. No pension. It will never be plagued by the phrase "Return On Ad Spend" (ROAS). It wants. It takes. It sleeps - and oh lord, it excretes. That is why you cry. This painting of a cat is an embodiment of freedom you will never have. NEXT!

Dear Terrence - What that thang do? No.

Dear Terrence, my name is also Terrence. There can only be one. Name a time and place - Terrence

Terrence, finally. A serious correspondent. Meet me at dawn beneath the old viaduct, beside the third rusted barrel. Dress to impress. Bring a satsuma. We will settle this according to the ancient monotreme rites: eye contact, name repetition, and then press ups. Yesssss. Sweaty, handsome press-ups, whilst we stare at each other deeply into each other's Terrencey eyeholes with a forbidden subtext. "But I'm married," I'll think, catching my beautiful reflection in the dark pits of your vision . You will say nothing, because - honestly, that's just how I like it. Eventually, after at least 2 pushups, we pant on the ground, sweating buckets. We will then split the satsuma, cleaving its flesh into two squishy orbs of pathetic fallacy. Then, with a longing handshake, we will depart, never to meet again. You will be my greatest friend. The dream of me I could never be: a feast of truest Terrencity* too transcendent for my naked platypus soul.

**Editor's note: We have explained to Terrence, repeatedly, that "Terrencity" is not a recognised noun, nor does it mean, as he claims, "the oomph with a boomp of being me." He has nevertheless insisted that it remain in print. For legal reasons, we will not reproduce his exact response to our suggested edit, except to say that it involved the phrase "soft little editor bones" and a surprisingly detailed knowledge of my family's daily commute.*

Dear Terrence, Snog Marry Avoid: Copper, Sir Merrylegs and Yourself Snog Copper. Been there, done that. Heyooo! Marry Sir Merrylegs. He understands ceremony, and I should like to be carried down the aisle by four disposable squires.

Avoid myself. Absolutely avoid myself. I know what I am like after six months. I have left towns. Changed names. Once, I climbed out of a bathroom window to escape myself, only to find me waiting below, arms outstretched. "There you are," I said to me. "I was worried."

When the last spark in the universe extinguishes, I shall reach into the darkness and find my own hand. Clammy. Expectant. Wanting to talk about me. No light shall ever escape the black hole of my own self-regard.

Copper has been very brave.

Dear Terrence - No but for real, what that thang DO?

I said no. This is terrorism, and I should know.

Dear Terrence, what is your view on the new phenomenon: 'the dab'. I hear it is the hip new thing!

Love it. Big, big fan. I think everyone should do it all the time. There is something so simple and eloquent about it. Copper's niece says it's a "Major Rizz Tactic," and that all the kids give it a 6/7.

I think 6/7 is a strange metric to use, but since they stopped teaching kids to write in cursive I've really lost touch with the youths.

Remember that you can submit your problems to Terrence via Patreon. Either comment, or just DM. Terrence is court-ordered to answer every single question at some point. Stay in school, kids.

Scarab - The Moon is asking you to pay them back. They bought you lunch four years ago and they just won't let it go.
Platypus - Your shadow-self is having a hard time right now. Try getting some sun so they can stretch their legs.
Kakapo - You should try styling your hair in a new way. Conjure a stranger In the mirror and see what they have to say.
Lobster - The Sun has demanded your attention. If you provide them an offering, you will be rewarded with milk.
Moth - Weird days are a good omen for you. Embrace the strange.
Capybara - You are a leader at heart, will you take the risk and step boldly into the unknown? Embrace the void so others don't have to.

Ostrich - You need to release some tightly held emotions. Once you lay that egg, you will feel 3-5 lbs lighter.
Eel - The water is getting warm, return to the shallows and enjoy some rest. Save your energy for revenge.
Mantis - The bright red star is going the wrong way again. You will be sad.
Echidna - The broken promises of yesterday will become fertiliser for the graves of your enemies. P.S. You should buy yourself a little treat.
Peacock - Are other people are getting more attention than you? You should feel honourably challenged. Prepare for a duel.
Blobfish - Congratulations! You have won a single day of pure joy. Feel free to use it whenever you like -but remember, you only get one!



THE SUPPLE ADVENTURES OF EVERYONE'S FAVOURITE IMMORTAL ALPHA MONOTREME, TERRENCE THE TALKING PLATYPUS

