

**Things I'd Rather not Receive
by Bojangles Lobster**

1. Tofu Apple Crisp
2. Midterms
3. Hickies
4. Econ 115 problem sets
5. Back Massages
6. Getting sexiled (in L-Dub)
7. Term papers
8. DS papers
9. Reading

- Alasdair McIntyre
10. Seafood
11. My dick in a box
12. A parking ticket
13. Harry Potter Naked Parties
14. Dean Sa-

- love's moustache
15. The Palin children's names
16. Trouble from the Fire Marshall about that non-existent microwave in my suite
17. STDs from QPac's finest
18. The weird purple ice cream in the dining halls
19. Anonymous love letters from the creeper in Entryway B
20. A night under the care of YUHS
- 21.

- Or under the care of Yale-New Haven Hospital
22. A Celine Dion CD
23. Spandex
24. A meeting with my dean to explain that C in Chem 114.
25. Popov
26. [insert sexual innuendo here]
27. Yet another email from Chief Perrotti
28. A lump of coal from Santa
29. Sam Schweikert
30. The Yale PoPo knocking on my door at 6am (ask the Secretary about this one)
31. A dinner invitation from Aleksy Vayner
32. A rejection letter from Yale Law School
33. Jury Duty
34. Cindy McCain's botox
35. Elizabeth Kucinich's husband
36. Academic probation
37. An assignment to Morse or Stiles
38. Geoff Shaw's pocket square
39. My father's baldness gene
40. Every Lifetime movie ever made
41. 500 pages of reading from my freshman seminar
42. Anything that causes me to miss the IP joke debate
43. Any more money extorted out of me by textbook companies
44. Agree? Join the IP as we debate:

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Joke Debate on Resolved: 'Tis Better to Give than to Receive

Thursday 30th · 7:30 pm · Location TBA



Monday

Oh, my, the election is just around the corner! Get into your best political, White House spirit and join the members of the Independent Party as we watch **THE WEST WING** at **9:00 PM** in the **SAYBROOK TV ROOM**.

Tuesday

Support Gitmo, or think it should be disbanded? Join the YPU as we debate **R: THE CONSTITUTION SHOULD NOT APPLY TO ALIEN ENEMY COMBATANTS** with guest Jack Einwechter at **7:30 PM** in a location **TBA**.

Thursday

It's that time of year again...that's right, It's time for the semesterly Independent Party Joke Debate! Join us for an evening of hilarity, revelry and sketchy stories as we debate **R: 'TIS BETTER TO GIVE THAN TO RECEIVE** at **7:30 PM**.

Friday

Halloween is here! Grab your friends and join us for a spooky and ghoulish (well, not really) **LUNCH** at **12:30 PM** in the legendary **MORY'S TEMPLE BAR**. If this is your first trip to Mory's, your first cup of Baker Soup is on us!

Sunday

Tired from taking down your Halloween decorations and putting up Chrismuhanuk-wanzaaka ones? for **DINNER** at **6:00 PM** in the **BRANFORD-SAYBROOK ROOM** (after you get your tray in the BR Dining Hall!)

Chairman : Geoffrey "King of Bad Jokes" Shaw

Vice Chairman : Alex "goofiness" Soble

Chief Whip : Meredith "sexual innuendo" Morrison

Secretary : Naomi "sexretary" Lisan

Treasurer : Sasha "revelry" Burger

SAAAC : River "booze" Clegg

Director of Development : Alena "funny anecdotes" Gribskov

Lieutenant Colonel Whip: Kate "sketchiness" McDermott

Hilarity: Carmen Lee, Rachel Bayefsky

One-Liners: Shannon Connors, Catherine Osborn, Matt Bedrick, Nate Blevins, Joshua Cantor-Stone, Rustin Fakheri, Conor Crawford, Reid Magdanz

Last Week, the Independent Party met to debate **RESOLVED: GREED IS GOOD.** **CARMEN** "McKinsey" **LEE** argued that going beyond what we need leads to innovation. **SASHA** "game theory" **BURGER** argued that greed frustrates its own ends. **ALEX** "Paris Hilton" **SOBLE** argued that the greedy are the forerunners who drive progress. **DAVE** "Yak Farmer" **KASTEN** argued that giving up one's soul and life for money is far from the ultimate good. **JAY** "Ayn Rand" **SCHWEIKERT** argued that it's ok for us to live our lives for ourselves. He was **REBUTTED** by **RACHEL** "damn Canadian socialists" **BAYEFSKY** who argued that enlightened self-interest is an oxymoron. **NAOMI** "nice shoes" **LISAN** argued that greed is not good, rather, it can be a means to an end such as charity or innovation. **ANDREW** "Meredith's dad" **MORRISON** argued that the noble intentions of the wealthy have trapped the poor in the prison of welfare. He was thanked for his **FINE MAIDEN SPEECH.** **SHAINA** "frustrated" **WRIGHT** argued that greed tends to interfere with better motives for progress. The body voted to **CENSURE** the Celine-Dion-loving **RACHEL BAYEFSKY** for her **POOR TASTE IN MUSIC.** **CHRIS** "the jumping speaker" **PAGLIARELLA** argued that greed is often a good, or at least neutral, force. **SHANNON** "down with big business" **CONNORS** argued that Wal-Mart gives many a false sense that they can buy things cheaply without any bad effects. **MEREDITH** "Robert Nozick" **MORRISON** argued that greed is antithetical to being human. **ADAM** "ambition" **GOODRUM** argued that we need some people to be willing to put the pursuit of money or power above all else. **SARAH** "self-interest" **WINSBERG** argued that greed involves wanting something and taking it away from someone else. **KATE** "Ayn Rand is teh suck" **MCDERMOTT** argued that greed cannot be a system of morality, since it inherently cannot place checks on human desire. **DYLAN** "humanities major" **MORRIS** argued that greed is antithetical to happiness because it involves insatiable desire. **AVITAL** "daughter of three rabbis" **RUTENBERG-SCHOENBERG** argued that because of Earth's limited resources, greed cannot be good. With a vote of **SIX** to **SIXTEEN** to **FOUR**, the motion **FAILED** and the body adjourned to **YORKSIDE**, as is **TRADITIONAL.**

IPster of the Week

Name: Kate McDermott, CC '11

Position: Lieutenant Colonel Whip

Major: History, Neuroscience or Defense Against the Dark Arts

Hometown: Guilford, CT

Hobbies: making fun of Mr. Rachel Bayefsky, trying to increase her sketchiness quotient, supersoaking that ho, helping River get a clue, playing the piano

One politician he'd tap (and why): "If I could raise him from the dead, I'd totally tap Alexander Hamilton. Have you seen the ten-dollar bill?! Hawt!!!"

Fun Facts: Kate is the third-sketchiest person in the IP
-Kate enjoys long walks on the beach...with you. Call her.



Bojangles's Corner



Bojangles hopes that you can join the IP at our joke debate, since there really is nothing like Guinness with Lobster and bad joke speeches. Pure Shellfishness -- because it's better to receive than to give!

