

# DAILY JOHN

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"It is absurd to divide people into good and bad. People are either charming or tedious."  
~Oscar Wilde

## Where's Waldo?

By John Earnest ~ Daily Bull

In an event described by on-lookers as "surreal" and "inexplicable", Houghton resident Daniel "Waldo" Glayz began a project that represents the culmination of years of planning. Dan, dressed in an iconic red-and-white striped shirt and hat, cane in hand, has become a super-villain the likes of which has never been seen before. "He was always fascinated by comic books as a child," said Wilma Glayz, his mother. "I never realized they would have such a lasting effect, or lead him down such a dark path."

For the months leading up to the event, Glayz became increasingly reclusive, relying on online shopping for everything from toilet paper to food, only leaving his home at night to prowl the neighborhood. "He was

...see Waldo on back



## Thought for Food

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There comes a time in every college student's life when they must consume food. Unfortunately, there is a tremendous difference between what we \*can\* eat and what we would like to eat, as helpfully illustrated by MTU Dining Services. The solution to this dilemma lies in preparing food within the safety and comfort of the dorm room. Many people would look to the microwave as a primary means of cooking, but I see tremendous potential in the humble coffee maker.

Now, I don't consume coffee, let alone caffeine, and every time I impart this knowledge to my peers they look at me like I have three heads. "But John," you might ask, assuming you actually read the byline, "Why would you even own a coffee maker, you caffeine-scorning monster?" Let us pretend, for the purposes of this discussion, that I do anyway.

A coffee machine produces boiling (or nearly so) water, which flows into a convenient liquid receptacle. It's

genius! It's possible to cook nearly anything, from omelets to spiral-cut ham or even julienne fries with such a device, although some of these more advanced techniques are beyond the scope of this article. Regardless, the coffee machine more than earns the title 'food processor'. Let's begin with a few basics, shall we?



OATMEAL: As the name would imply, oatmeal is a fantastic meal. Pouches of the mysterious powdery substance (oats? mealworms? both?) that will

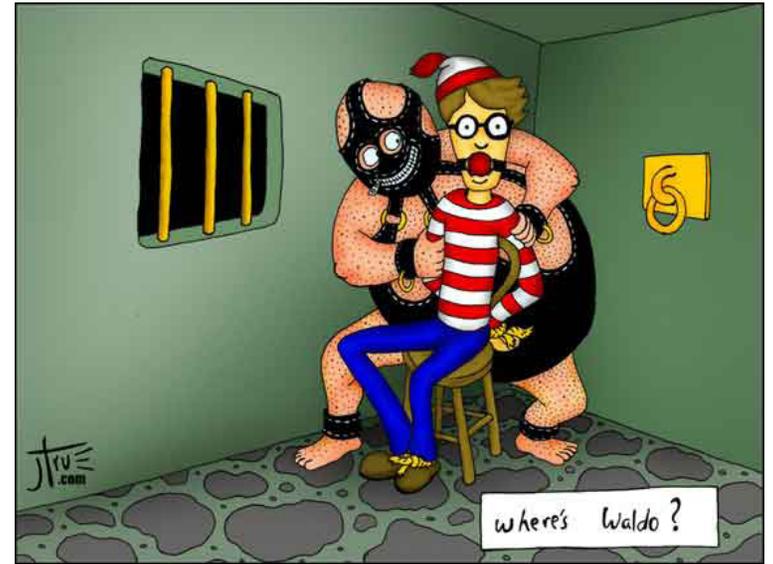
become oatmeal are available at your local supermarket/glorified liquor store, or can be "borrowed" from a convenient cafeteria. Preparation in a 'food processor' is as simple as dumping the powder into the coffee pot and starting the coffee cycle. For bonus points, the oatmeal may be eaten directly from the pot, simplifying cleanup. Serves one person with a gastric bypass or eating disorder.

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**...Food from front**

**RAMEN:** His Noodliness be praised! Ramen is a filling, tasty pathway to increased sodium levels and financial independence. The basic technique for preparing ramen is identical to oatmeal (for softer, more gelatinous noodles), or the water can be heated before the noodles are added (for firmer, more pasta-like noodles). The adventurous chef can experiment with placing the noodles in the coffee-filter region, allowing hot water to flow over the noodles. Garnish with your favorite chopped vegetables (carrots are excellent) or canned meats (tuna goes well with "oriental" flavor). Serves one follower of the Flying Spaghetti Monster.

ize recipes and create OAT-TANG, the amazing new vitamin-C infused energy goo everyone's talking about! Serves one astronaut.

The techniques used in these dishes can be extended to dozens of not entirely unhealthy meals, and will serve the reader well in their post-college life, especially if you're shooting for a liberal arts degree. If I can help one student complete an all-night cram session or enable one more WoW addict to become even more globular in form whilst pursuing their Akira-inspired quest for Level 79 and physical immobility, I can rest well. ☺

**TANG:** Remember Tang? They had these great commercials back in the day with monkeys and construction equipment and stuff. Man, those ads were awesome. I think you're seeing a pattern here, so make Tang like you'd make oatmeal or hybrid-

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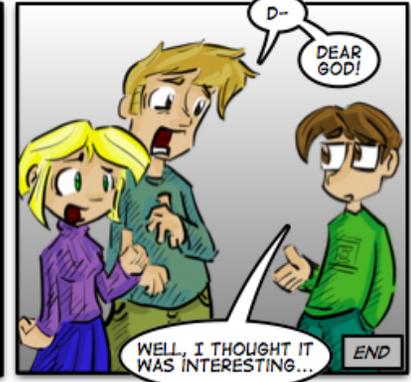
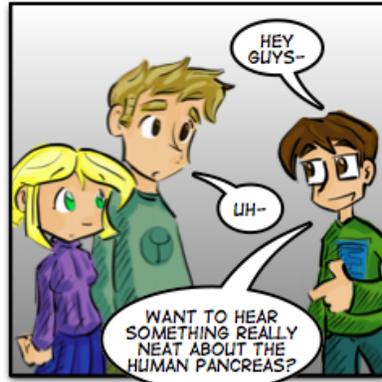
freakin' spooky, man," said local brah Chet "Hutch" Hutcher. "He would just kinda dart around, starin' at stuff. Real skinny dude, too – looked like an albino vegetarian or something."

Friday, February 29<sup>th</sup> is a date that will be remembered for leap years to come, for it was on this day Glayz made his single, terrifying cry for help. At 2:16 AM, the caned crusader broke into the Houghton County Public Library, making off with a stack of books and cackling madly. Glayz led the entire police force on a wild goose chase through parking lots, alleyways, a portion of the sewer system, two playgrounds and half-a-dozen Subway restaurants.

Thankfully, "Waldo" was ultimately apprehended with the help of a crew of panoramic photographers coincidentally covering the downtown area. "It took some doing," said one cameraman, "But we managed to find him in every one of those photos by

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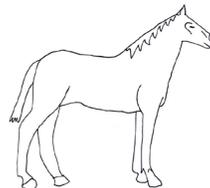
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following the trail of books the whole way." Reports of locating his dog and a mysterious fellow in a wizard costume in the photographs are unconfirmed. Glayz is currently awaiting trial for his crimes, but claims he was framed by an "evil twin brother". Yeah right, Waldo – we've heard that one before! ☺



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