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Wednesday, September 16, 2009 If fifty million people say a foolish thing, it is still a foolish thing. ~Anatole France

## The Greatest Mountain

By Kiri Kennedy ~ Daily Bull

The trek up such a mountain as this requires months, if not years, of preparation. I'm doing it with only a couple of hours of prep. Perhaps I will go down in history as one of the best climbers to ever conquer this dangerous and deadly mountain. I have climbed this beast before, but never in the fall.

I select the few items I take with me carefully, for I know there aren't many natural resources along the way. A tent is a necessity since the rainy season is almost upon us. Water and food are also necessities.

Why would I risk my life to climb this mountain, you ask? At the top is a grand temple...the healers reside there, even during the harsh winter. There are two great springs that people flock to, and there is the sacred altar of ice. Twice a year, ...see Trekking on back

# Flame Wars

By Benjamin Loucks ~ Daily Bull

Flame wars have always been on the in- Although it may seem like good fun ternets. For those of you not familiar with to fling flaming boulders, torches, arthus flame wars.

Through careful examination of the in- Second off, go after the people who are headway. When insults do not work (and failing attempts. they never do!), it usually comes down fire-retardant however.

what internets are, they are a series of rows and napalm-coated muffins at tubes, which occasionally get clogged other people, there are a few things by the car traffic which goes back you should know before you engage and forth carrying messages between in such pyromaniacal tendencies. First people. Though more tubes have been off, wear fireproof clothing. The Pyro is added as time has passed, in the hopes a good class to go with because of his of causing fewer crashes in the tubes, car (her?) natural tendency towards things traffic has only increased proportionately like flamethrowers and flare guns, not to - which has led to MORE fiery crashes. mention he wears a suit which doesn't Which, in turn, leads to tube rage, and light on fire. The Pyro is the king of flame wars

ternets. I have found that various tubes most susceptible to being lit up by your tend to be clogged more than others. harsh, scalding words. Other classes These tubes lead to large discussion such as the Heavy (internet tough guy), areas called 'forums' in which the pri- Scout (need a dispenser here!) and Spy mary purpose seems to be to tell other (flame-war combatant disguised as a people that they are wrong and insult 'holier-than-thou' guy) tend to be very their masculinity, intelligence or sexual vulnerable to the flames of wrath and orientation as proof of this. Apparently will attempt to counteract with their own this tends to go back and forth ad infi- - but since you're wearing a fire-proof nitum, neither side really making any real suit you'll be completely safe from their

to each side throwing flaming imple- Third, remember to use restraint ocments of destruction at each other. It casionally - it would be quite terrible if appears both sides of any argument, no the unbridled fiery doom you unleash matter what the content, are surprisingly were to melt the tubes that make up the internet! Then there could be no way to ...see Up in Flames on back

Eddie Izzard finished running 1,110 miles for charity. And I thought MEEM to Walker was bad...

## The Steaming Pile

Straight from vou-know-where! **Awesome Ways to Get to Class** 

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drive your point home anymore. And that would be sad.

Once you learn the basics of flaming others on a backwater forum you can graduate from being a low-life flamer to being an outright troll. It's like a Pokemon evolution, only much cooler. And none of those stupid evolution stones or trade details to worry about.

Trolls are advanced flamers, causing heat spikes anywhere they can for the sheer enjoyment of it. Trolls work in groups or alone, depending on their target. There are rumors of secret forums meant to gather trolls together to coordinate their efforts towards others, but this is most likely a lie - besides, all good trolls know not to talk about any such place even if it did exist.

In the end, one of the keys to being a good flamer/troll is to pick a good target, learn to withstand a little of the fire shot back at you, and make sure to melt your enemies into a crisp. Now if you'll excuse me, I have some guickened delayed fireballs I have to go cast at a few kobolds. Stupid kobolds, always stealing my internets.

#### ....Trekking! from front

huge ceremonies are held there to I will survive this trip. The weather is shake off the demons of our lives. good, and I begin my ascent. The reward is far greater than the risk, and that is why I go. I step out of my Day 1: I am guite lucky: the weather temporary residence and glance up has held long enough for me to set they earned it well. I made camp at at my challenge. God only knows if up my camp. I have been denied fire the base of the cliffs and paid a short



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by the priests that watch over this visit to the healers that live there. land. I found it amusing, but as night The rest of their small group resides sets in, I grumble more and more above the cliffs. To my surprise, the about the chill. I only hope these healers are amazed that it has taken sporadic showers don't wash my me three days to climb the mountain. tent away; the cliff behind me is high, They said that most climbers take the and a fall from the edge would end mountain in a matter of minutes. tragically.

several times a week with ease. I set be bored as she says... up camp at the minor temple a day's climb from the top.

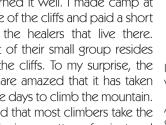
Day 3: I face my final test tomorrow:

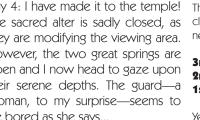
the Cliffs of Agony. Cheesy name, but My climb is well worth it. I believe.

must become as strong as they.

Day 2: The climb today was com- Day 4: I have made it to the temple! pletely miserable. The rain fell as cold, The sacred alter is sadly closed, as hard drops and slowed my progress they are modifying the viewing area. greatly. Other, more skilled climbers However, the two great springs are passed me by today, looking at my open and I now head to gaze upon large pack with confusion. They only their serene depths. The guard—a carry a light pack and make the climb woman, to my surprise—seems to

> "Welcome to the SDC. Do you have a Tech ID?"





Ironically, the average guess happened to be **48.63 lbs**., a mere jolly rancher away. Maybe if everyone had worked together, they'd all be winners. Next time!

### ... Up in Flames from front Sunshine's Searcher - Dog Breeds





## **CANDY GUESSES!**

from Nathan 'Invincible' Miller ~ Bossman

Hey, thanks to everyone who came out and grabbed some of the free candy we gave away at our K-Day booth. It was lots of fun doling it out. We'd also like to thank all the people who submitted their sentences for the Random Article that we will run shortly.

And for those cool enough to have guessed the weight of the \$120.78 of candy we got... a lot of you need to brush up on your guesstimation skills. 7.8 pounds of candy? Come now, you can buy that much for a fraction of the cost. And whoever guessed 'a shit ton worth,' that is not a valid number. Thanks for trying, though.

The right answer for how much candy we bought was **48.69 lbs**. There were some close guesses, but most were pretty far off, mainly on the low side. Here are the winners:

#### 3rd Place: Julianna Daavettila, 51 lbs. (2.31 off) 2nd Place: Brian Thompson, 47 lbs. (1.69 off) 1st Place: Max Nestorowich, 50 lbs. (1.31 off)

Yey for Max! He was wearing his vintage WMTU shirt, which no doubt aided him in his quest for glory. Congrats to him! Honorable mention goes to Krissy Guzak, who had 3rd place in the bag until I realized 47 was closer to the answer than 52. Feel free to curse my hindsight, Krissy.