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Say Hello to Hidoku!

How to play hidoku:

Half maze, half Sudoku – all you have to do is figure out which number to put in each cell. Beginning at 1, going to 2, and so on until the last number, you should fill each box with a number in increasing order. You can only go on square at a time, but in any direction: so, you can go left, right, up, down, or diagonally from your current spot.

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“Improbable Lions Cause Hellish Cold Snap”

by Ed Leonard ~ Guest Writer

Some say that it was bound to happen eventually, that the law of averages simply applied. Others say that some actual skill may have been involved. But we Detroit football fans know the truth: the Lions reached the playoffs; therefore we can safely conclude that Hell has indeed frozen over. While the Lions predictably bowed out of the postseason quickly, the damage to the Underworld cannot be undone.

As a result, the Devil has been scrambling to figure out how to deal with this unforeseen predicament. In an exclusive interview, Satan said that his initial rage at the dropping temperatures kept things thawed for a while, but even his brimstone-fueled fury couldn't stop the inevitable. When asked why he didn't use his powers of evil to keep the Lions out of the playoffs in the

first place, he said, “Well, I'm not God, you know.”

He has, however, developed a new strategy to cope with the frigid conditions. Having heard of the winters here in Houghton, His Darkness recently visited the area as a sort of scouting trip to learn how to cope with the bind he is now in. “My plan was to learn how the locals find pleasure in such conditions, and expressly forbid them in my lamentably frozen domain in order to inflict maximum torture.”

Unfortunately for Lucifer, due to the recent warm snap, his arrival was met by conditions less severe than he expected. “I had to double-check my map. I saw the sloppy, wet conditions, and I thought I must have accidentally landed downstate in Hell, Michi-

...see Frozen Fire on back



So who else has mid-terms after Winter Carny?



United States Law Makers Propose New Tax on Anything With Sugar.

by Jon 'Big-O' Mahan ~ Daily Bull

Lawmakers this week have come out in support of a new bill. If passed, that law would impose a tax on anything that was sweet.

“You see, there was a bill that was recently brought up that would tax almost anything that had sugars in it, but only the processed kind. For instance, soda, candy, ice cream, chocolate and all those other wonderful little goodies will be taxed. Your apples, oranges, and other natural sweets will not. But when we reviewed this bill, we found a caveat. Producers could slip sugar into food like oranges, and keep our children addicted to this dangerous drug,” a democratic law maker from Boston argued.

This new bill has already drawn flak from both sides of the aisle. Re-
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A common mistake, to say the least. Hell, even I've gotten lost in the area!



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...from Sweet Tax on front

publicans and Democrats alike seem to be upset over this law. The tea party is especially upset.

"First they tax it, then they tax it some more, and next thing you know, it's so taxed, you can't get any of it. I swear, it's like they don't want you to have anything fun in life. No weed, no alcohol, no sugar. What the hell am I supposed to eat/drink for fun? Celery? And that goes for both parties too!" one tea party representative was quoted as saying.

Democrats in opposition have come out saying that this bill reaches too far. "We've already got a bad rap for being a nanny government. Taxing sugar, especially to this level is not the way to go. It will draw too much bad PR. Perhaps we should just focus on like, soda. I'm sure more people would agree with that."

The co-sponsors of the bill however, refuse to back down.

"We will not stop until we have gotten rid of or taxed every single sweet in this country!"

A look into the senator's records confirmed rumors of hypocrisy. In his past month alone, he as bought more alcohol, soda, sweets, candy, and other sug-

ary goodness than any other law maker on the hill. Perhaps this has something to do with the clause saying that it does not apply to persons who use the sweets to host parties- something the senator is very well known for.

It is, however, not expected to be passed any time soon, if ever, as it is heavily unfavored, especially in an election year.



THERE'S MONEY IN THEM THAR SODAS! ...PLUS TEN CENTS!

...from Frozen Fire on front

gan. It would be a natural mistake for me." He added that since it is an election year, he's not as behind on souls as usual, but he's always looking to make a deal.

So, Beelzebub convened a special joint meeting with the City of Houghton and Blue Key. He said, "It was clear that these two organizations had the most to lose if things didn't chill down in time for this Carnival of Winter of theirs (or whatever they call it). Naturally, they were receptive to what I could offer."

A representative of a joint committee representing the city and Blue Key -- who asked to be identified only as "Johnny" -- issued the following statement: "We are very happy to announce that Winter Carnival will be able to go ahead as planned. The Prince of Darkness has graciously agreed to siphon some of his unwanted frost and icy wind into the Copper Country. This is a strictly no-cash deal; we simply relinquish our souls when our bodies are used up."

The Daily Bull obtained a copy of the agreement from the city under the Freedom of Information Act. While Johnny's statement reflects the majority of the terms, there is some fine print that Tech students may find interesting. A double-or-nothing clause states that anyone who participates in Winter Carnival in any way, including "glancing at a snow statue at any stage of construction," is also subject to forfeiture of their souls unless the Detroit Lions win the division next season.

In response to this clause, Johnny said, "It might be a sin, but we took the bet. We think the Devil will regret it, because next year's Lions look like they'll be the best there's ever been."

In response, the Devil remarked happily, "I can't lose. Even if I don't get to reap a city's worth of souls, I still get to watch all the righteous Packer fans squirming while they root for the Lions to save them from damnation. Now, if you'll excuse me, I have a few appointments in Washington."



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