

# DAILY BULL

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## EMERGENCY OH NOES

by Kara Bakowski ~ Daily Bull

It was 8pm on a warm, breezy Tuesday, and I had just gotten out of a meeting that lasted half an hour longer than it should have. Being the naturally forgetful person I am, I had forgotten my ID card on my desk back in my dorm. Not a problem, right? I'd just go get it and head up to McNair for dinner.

As I got closer to Wads, I noticed that there was a bit of a queue by the front door. I thought, "that's a little odd, what are they all waiting for?", but then amounted it to nothing. I finally arrived at my destination, pulled on the door, and...nothing happened. It was locked.

Say what? The door shouldn't lock for several more hours. Now locked out of my dorm, with nobody else in sight, I was overcome with fear. What was I supposed to do?

"I know, I'll go visit my best friend in DHH!"

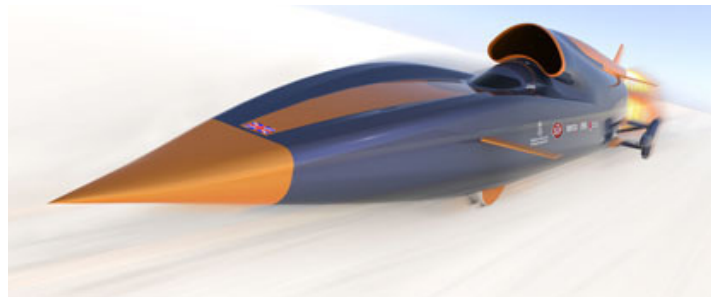
So I briskly walked across 41, over to the main DHH entrance. Once again, I encountered a locked door, though this time I was warned by a nice white sign in the window, telling me to please swipe my ID. What the hell was happening? Was there a gunman on campus?

But wait, if there was some sort of situation, I should get a phone call, right? I had signed up for that alert thing at the beginning of the year, and I've gotten periodic phone calls in the middle of exams testing it, so it's not like I entered my phone number in wrong. I don't have a smart phone, so I couldn't get online to check my email or anything. If I had any common sense, I would have called a friend to let me in, but I was a little paranoid at this

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### Well, Summer was nice while it lasted...



Bloodhound SSC. It uses a V12 engine AS A FUEL PUMP.

## We Salute You

By Jeanine Chm-vbkghrrv-ski ~ Daily Bull

It has officially happened. The world's military leaders have lost all hope that they can prevent the coming apocalypse on December 21<sup>st</sup> 2012. "The signs are too strong that this will happen. We must prepare."

Now you may be asking as to what signs these may be. Sunshine finally graduated. Patrick Ives (from Northern) CUT OFF HIS BEARD! And the worst one off all, the Lions made it to the playoffs. So what do we do? We turn to Nick Enz. The world leaders have promised him whatever resources he needs to win the fight. In order to accomplish this, however, he is going

to be shipped off to a secret military base. "Ok, so we don't ACTUALLY know what is going to happen," said a stressed-out Barrack Obama, "but we have narrowed it down to Aliens, Predators, Zombies, an asteroid, or the magnetic poles flipping. Our only hope is Nick Enz, this we know for sure. Let's hope he is up to the job."

Many students around campus are confused by this information. "You're taking him away?! NOOOOOOOOOOOO!!!!!!!" cried Andrew Siemen, a trumpet player. "Wait a minute, how the HELL is Pep Band going to make all of the short jokes now?"

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OH GOD WHAT'S GOING ON?

## Math Department Requires Exams Day After Break

By Alex Dinsmoor ~ Daily Bull

A recent proposal brought forth and passed by the Mathematics Department at Michigan Technological University have recently passed a statute that requires all Calculus exams to be held the day after all breaks. The mathematics department made this statute after the recent positive reception from the Michigan Tech student body after many professors planned exams a day or two after spring break ended.

"It was great! I almost completely forgot the material over break," one very tan MTU student said, "my exam scores should be one of the lowest of the year! I'm ecstatic!"

The math learning center was also extremely excited over this increased amount of exams right over break. One employee reported saying that there was a 500% increase in the amount of students who had no idea of what they were doing. "A ton of kids are coming in with blank stares and thousands of questions. It seems like a lot of them didn't even get review sessions!"

With responses like these, the Math Department knew that the only feasible thing they could do was require mandatory tests the day after breaks. Statistics uncovered by the Mathematics department show that an average student takes 2 days for a student to fully remember material that was covered the week before break. Keeping this knowledge and the feelings of the students in mind, they knew that it was best for all students to force them to take hard exams right after they get back from break.

"We made this decision in order to please the students taking calculus courses here at MTU. We all know that not a single student actually does anything interesting or fun on their vacations and instead sits at home and studies their Calculus for the entire week! The grades don't lie! How else could they do so well?"

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asked Steven Kalmar. Rayah Kemmer even went as far as to throw a sugar packet at him. "Well I felt something had to be thrown at him and it was easier then throwing a piano and I didn't have a tennis ball." No one really knows why Nick Enz has been chosen to save our civilization, so this diligent reporter went to find out.

According to those I have talked to, Nick can see through walls, fly when he feels like it (probably only when he is happy), can make anyone play music just by conducting even if they don't play an instrument, and can conjure dead squirrels out of cardboard boxes. So, as it turns out, we might now be as screwed

as we previously thought.

In all honesty though, Nick Enz has been an inspiration and a role model to the thousands of students he has taught and conducted over his 8 years here at Tech. He is a brother to many. He has passed the test of time in the Pep Band. He has made life in the Walker/Rosza complex a joy. He has educated us all in not only music but in life as well. He has earned the lasting respect and friendship of students and faculty alike many times over. Please keep your memories of Tech fond. May all your endeavors treat you well. We wish you the very best at Ohio State. To Nick Enz, the son of a bitch! 🐾

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point.

Figuring I could use the extra time to get some homework done, I walked over to the M&M, but the inside doors were locked. Seriously? I can't win today, can I? Now, extremely frustrated, I trekked over to Dillman. On the way there, to my delight, I encountered a fellow student! Now excited and slightly giddy, I ran up to them and started blabbing a mile a second. I got a blank stare, so I stopped, took a breath, and started over.

"Why are the doors locked?" I asked. "What's going on? Why can't I get into the dorms?" Blank stare continued. Suddenly, a look of shock crossed their face, and they scurried away quickly, pulling out their phone and dialing a number as they moved.

Well that sucked. I got similar responses from the other students I ran into on the way to Fisher, the library, the MUB, and the MEEM. I also noticed that there were now Public Safety officers roaming, and I became more worried. I still hadn't gotten a call with any information. Who were they after? I was scared for my life now, so I approached an

officer.

"I FOUND HI-" he began yelling into his radio. "Oh. Wait. You're too young to be that escaped inmate. You must be a student. Why are you out and about? We sent out an email telling everyone that this guy isn't dangerous, but they still seem to want to stay inside."

So that's it. Some inmate escaped and was in the area, so everything was locked. Sure enough, after rigorous identity checks, I was let back into my room. I had already missed dinner, so there was no point in rushing. I got back to my room, opened my computer, and pulled up my email. Sure enough, there was an email there, alerting me that an inmate had escaped and the doors were locked. I was tired, exhausted, and slightly peeved, but at least I was better off than that guy. I decided to forgo my homework and slump into bed. What a way to end the day!

Of course, none of this really happened. But it could have, since Tech didn't use the emergency alert system. Maybe I should turn it off, before it interrupts me during another exam. 🐾

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