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Shameless Nightingale

plus a cast of millions...

Some relevant quotes to start the year off:

"I hope you're not going to put out that smutty paper again!" - Cathy

"I get so excited!" - Gordon Schnepf

"Fort Camp is a haven for emotional cripples!" - Michael Quigley

"TV dinner by the pool...I'm so glad I finished school..." - Frank Zappa

"This place I'm living in now...it's about the size of a jail cell..."

- Unidentified Hut 4 resident on the phone, Sept. 16, 1968

"Do you hide your emotion and affection and decorate your small walls with Playboy pin ups, or do you groove in the sunshine and hold peoples hands and tell someone you love them when you do?" - Carey Linde

Verbal Anarchy Dept.

It must be insured that the Fort Camp rag of 68-69 is other than a mere conveyance of the questionable art of so-called editor, Michael J. Quigley.

Residents, do you realize what this rag could be? It has a reasonable possibility of potential. In the past it has made its way into Fort life in forms other than that for which it was intended - into garbage cans, wastepaper baskets, toilets - and it wasn't even satisfying to put it there, it was just like throwing in the average piece of junk mail. This year, I think an attempt should be made to improve the paper to the point where it's closer to throwing Playboy or Chatelaine into the appropriate receptacle. If you've ever dreamed about either breaking up or into journalism - here's your chance. Improve the standard of the press and air your thoughts all in one big sacrifice. A few minutes, a pen, a piece of paper and whatever's one your mind (for those of you who have minds). I'm quite sure our unscrupulous editor will print nearly anything (judging by last year's attempt). However, he can't print that which he doesn't have - so contribute.

The Penetrating Pen

More of the Same Piled Higher and Deeper Dept.

For those of you who question the use of your money to subsidize this paper, a word: we're open to suggestions, ideas, articles, and even criticism. We'll also print any classified ads you have (hopefully relevant to Fort Camp). Our office is in Hut 4West, Room 2, and thanks to Hosing's new regulations, males and females of both sexes can come in during "Open Hose" to suggest and or contribute (if anyone's home). If not, slide your thoughts on a piece of paper (if they'll fit) under the door and we'll give them our loving consideration. Advice on spiritual matters also given...

The Editorial Staff

Exciting News Dept.

There was a dance here last week.

Thus Speaks Rik Visagie (F.C. Men's Council Vice-President):

Here are some points of interest concerning homecoming:

1. Nominations for Fort Camp Queen are now open. They will close on Sunday, Sept. 22. Rubsior nomination of Queen Candidates have been posted on the cafeteria bulletin board.
2. This year there will be a Queen skit, each group sponsoring a candidate will be required to put on a skit. Skits are to be based on the broad Homecoming theme and may take shape like those of the King skits. There will be a vote on the best skit after their showings on Sunday Sept. 29, to decide which skit will represent us as the Homecoming pep meet.

More Crap from R.V., I.C.M.C.V.-P.:

A Note of General Concern:

One of the food cafeteria's notice boards is missing. Whoever happened to find it, could they please return it, since if it does not come back, use of the cafeteria for studying and dances could be in jeopardy. If the board is returned, no questions will be asked.

(Ed. Note: More excitement is coming up in the form of a Scavenger Hunt this Sunday, plus a host of sports activities. Check the assorted notices in the entrance hall to the cafeteria if you're interested. In any case, get busy and PARTICIPATE!!)

Fort Art - an appreciation of Fort Camp Culture

In recent years we have witnessed the rise of many brilliant young artists, such as Joan Baez, Simon and Garfunkel, and Bob Dylan, all of these in their twenties.

However, you may now be aware that your residence, Fort Camp, is itself a mecca of a great many of similar people, and is in fact one of the most stimulating cultural centres to be found anywhere.

Perhaps the most distinguished of these remarkable people is the young and daringly experimental composer, Joseph Quagliu. His most recent composition, the "Revolting" Variations (on a theme of The Monkees) for toothpick and toilet seat, has just been recorded by a well-known British label. In it, the composer himself is a soloist, accompanied by the Philharmonic Orchestra under Sir John Ravioli. Already the recording has received widespread attention. In fact, even the U.S. Space Commission, which up to now has shown relatively little interest in modern music, has purchased three million of the priceless disks. Mr. Quagliu will undoubtedly be the inspiration and drive behind this year's staging of the Fort Camp Festival of the Fine Arts.

A newcomer to the Fort Camp scene is the young and precocious literary scholar, Tomas Martinez. His latest achievement is his study, "The Literary History of Antarctica", considered in the literary world to be an unparalleled piece of scholarship, although many still point for this honour to his last work, "Shapes of the Modern Book".

The renowned violinist, Igor Nudnik, who in his many concerts has received vast quantities of the appreciation of education concert-goers, and has brought tears to the eyes of countless thousands, is also here. Between his lectures this virtuoso can be found at his used-fruit stand on campus, the profits from which he intends to use for further instruction on his instrument.

The list of such brilliant individuals to be found in Fort Camp is endless. Unfortunately it is not possible to do justice to them all. However, it is hoped that from these few examples you will recognize what a culturally sophisticated residence you live in. In any case, should this article somehow have failed to inform you of this, the many activities are bound to. May you have a very, very pleasant year, then, in Fort Camp, the undisputed cultural centre of shitfuckohgoddamngimmesomebeer our time.

LIAHO Dept.

New faces, new hopes and aspirations shine in Fort Camp. Then out of the past looms LIAHO shaking Hut 4 to the very core as it repossesses its birth place. The newcomers listen in awe to the stories circulated about LIAHO while the past members gravely assert to the truth of the legends. This year LIAHO is going to kick off its activities by sponsoring LESLIE for Fort Camp Queen. This will keep LIAHO occupied for a little while and will give the rest of Fort Camp a chance to prepare their defences. And fire on all who wished the death of LIAHO. ----- Remember: LESLIE is the LIAHO choice.

There was a Mens' Council meeting last Tuesday night, but according to reports, nothing particularly exciting happened. It's quite possible that the Women's Council is also meeting, and if so, we would like to know about it!!! Any other information would be appreciated. (see previous please)

Next issue of the paper will be out the first week in October.
(hopefully)