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HILLCREST HALL · COME SEE HOW GOOD I LOOK

Student Discovers Perpetual Motion Equation

This past week, Hillcrest Resident Moitom Sateinilli came up with an equation relating hyperpotential energy and dynamic kinesical energy, thus allowing for the reuse of motion.

The 16 year old sophomore on the 2.5 floor said, "Well... I was working on this physics problem for thermo and I thought they gave me one of the "impossible" example problems for homework. I spent all night trying to figure in out, in between games of strip Monopoly and Guitar Hero, but I ended up messing with my calculator a bit until I accidentally activated some sort of intercept function. Ya know? And there was like... like this line on the screen, and then the line went through some points... so it just gave me the answer..."

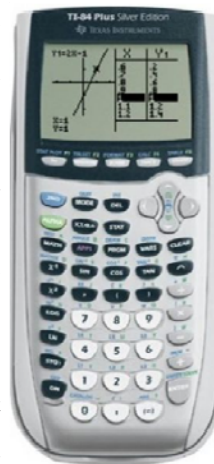
Physics department chair and quadruple-award winning teacher Dr. Chapang gave his analysis of the solution as such: "Well it's simply amazing what Moitom has done here. It really represents a quantum leap, if you will excuse my pun, in the integration of cross-

sinofunctional calculation with math. I've never seen anything like it!" When further questioned Dr. Chapang started drawing pictures with lines on the board.

Sateinilli's equations present a solution that has puzzled physicists for years, and further postulates Newton's fifth law, the fourth having been created and violently destroyed during the ensuring creation of Newton's fifth.

Scientists are currently hard at work developing a working model with a cat and toast system that they plan to release in a high neutron nuclear environment.

"If zeee ekuations vork out, zen wee will zoon move onn too zee CERN, and hovaly we cann accelerate until pllanktonian mass eiz reached." said Dr. Ohgonaf of Switzerland through a voice synthesizer. "Howver



A photo of Sateinilli's calculator after completing the calculation.

we mvust ve veeerrry carful because zee Gobemnet eis also interested in dis process and ife ve areel not quiet they vill take over"

Current Department of Emerging Free Energy Anti-Freedom Technologies (DEFEAT) research indicates that the project will not have an immediate impact on oil companies. Official spokesman Norvehc Pb said "The way we figure it, you still have to burn some to get this thingamajiger going. So we shouldn't have any economic problems unless our oil supply is in danger. Now them Iranians. That's where there's a problem".

Darius Emrani is a member of the Institute of Elitist Electrical Engineers (IEEE).

The Voice that Launched a Thousand TV Networks

April has been a big month for the world. We've seen pirates off the Somali coast, presidential elections in South Africa, and just this past week, the Taliban has captured several Pakistani cities, bringing them ever closer to Islamabad. However, nothing could possibly be more important or interesting than the emergence of Susan Boyle of "Britain's Got Talent" as an international pop icon.

Ms. Boyle first drew attention on the show when she made her original appearance with a bad haircut, wearing a shapeless gray dress, and then proceeded to astonish the judges and audience by singing really, really well.

Said one stunned viewer: "I couldn't believe my ears. My entire world view has been shaken. Now every time I see some unattractive person wearing an ugly outfit, I wonder if they, too, can do something really, really well."

More important than her status as an individual pop star is the effect that Ms. Boyle has had on dowdy-looking people worldwide. Contrary to the previously held belief that only extremely good-looking individuals could perform any task other than "hobo," "lunch lady," or "orc warrior," a new wave of homely people are now seeking employment in other sectors.



This movement towards alternate professions for attractively challenged workers is only one of the ways in which Ms. Boyle's presence is being felt world-wide. Her cat, Pebbles, has also been able to use the new-found fame as a vehicle for his own agenda. Multiple interviews with him at their home in West Lothian have shown his very strong point of view on the "meow" issue. Says Pebbles: " M e o w , m e o w - m e o w , m e e e e o o o o o o o w w w ! ! ! "

Pebbles' comments have been translated to mean roughly: "I'm concerned with the situation in Pakistan and escalating violence in Africa." This has confused most people, since there's no reason that a cat should be worried about all that.

Kathleen Cooperstein is really, really good-looking.

Broadening Our Horizons

Here at Hillpress we cover a lot of topics, most of which are generally profound and relevant to the daily life of all Americans. We have covered such topics as the hotly contested O.J. Simpson trial, the Bosnia and Herzegovina conflict, and the war in Iraq. We also broadcast accomplished news shows such as Anderson Cooper 360, The O'Reilly Factor, Hannity and Combs, and NPR. The previous editor-in-chief was actually the villain in James Bond's *Tomorrow Never Dies*. *The View* is also a side project of ours.

But we mostly cover things that are related to the life of you, resident of Hillcrest (I'm choosing said name because I'm sick of John Woods clogging my inbox with stupid listserv emails. No one knows who you are!). However with our name, Hillpress, I think it is high time that we started covering news occurring in, on, and around other Hills. For starters, it's a sunny 80° here in my home town of Chapel Hill. People are all eating outside and I'm sporting around in my old,



*Hillary Clinton:
The sexiest hill around.*

decrepit, yet amazing 1966 MGB (sorry, shameless plug). Things have been calm around here. UNC students were recently celebrating their win of the NCAA tournament and there are still several roads painted with "UNC #1!" in Carolina blue paint. Yes, things are lovely here.

Next, *The Hills*, a popular MTV reality program where several young, really spectacularly good-looking, young, hot, attractive, (dumb) girls try to make their way in LA. Most recently one of them said something to someone else that made someone angry... or something. At least that's how I imagine it going down. I don't actually watch that show.

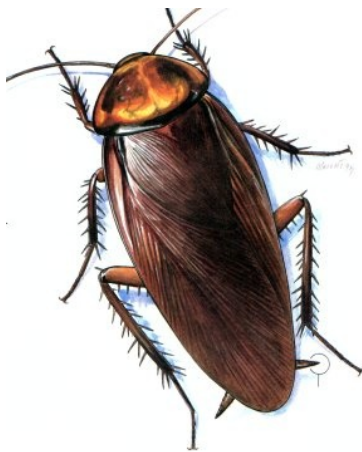
Finally, Faith Hill has been voted the prettiest "Hill," second only of course to Hillcrest. *Hillary Clinton* is next to last, second only to all of the characters in *One Tree Hill*. (Note: I hear they're all actually gorgeous, but I don't know. I've never seen the show.)

Anyways, as you can see, there are tons of hills out there. Why should we only stick with one? As a reporter for this well respected journal I intend to bring you news of all the hills in the area. Hillcrest, you better get ready.

John Hoffman loves hills more than you know.

5 Great Move-Out Ideas!

The big move is upon Hillcrest – summer vacation. You and your belongings cannot stay here, as much as you might like them to do so. Even we, the RAs, cannot stay here! The only ones who will be dwelling in Hillcrest this summer are the cockroaches and the Honors staff...eww. So, before you leave, I have five great ideas of things for you to do.



Summer residents of Hillcrest

Idea # 1: Extreme Dorm

Makeover – Hillcrest edition. Did you know that the 2nd floor is finally getting new furniture? I did! Say goodbye to those old hutches that we all hate with style – by demolishing them.

Idea #2: Ride your bike on the 2.5 floor stairs – a time-honored Hillcrest tradition, just ask Jeremy Henry! One must be careful when riding down the stairs because you can fall off and hurt yourself, but it is so much fun. Watch out for me trying this after the underclassmen move out.

Idea #3: Go slip and sliding down the Hillcrest hill. Just get a tarp and some buckets of water, and you are ready to go! If only we had a hose – it would make the slip and slide that much more fun. Watch out for the bottom of the hill – the cars might hurt.

Idea #4: Study in the 3rd floor lounge. I know, I know... low blow. It might shock the building to see someone studying in there instead of playing WOW, blasting music, or eating DX. It would be a blast from the

past and I think most would like it!

Idea # 5: Leave hidden presents for next year's occupants of your room. Can you imagine how fun it would be to find something cool in the top of your closet next year? I think it could be a lot of fun. And I can't see the top of your closet when I check you out because I am short, so yay!

Kari Adkins, the RA, does not approve this message.

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