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Rose in Need of Free Speech

Nick Fuentes Returns

Dara Nafiu
World News Editor

On March 21st, President Donald Trump signed an executive order designed to protect free speech on college campuses. The ever-great President in Chief made this declaration in the self-protection of the most persecuted population in the U.S. and abroad. The World News Editor, the Conservative White Man™ Trump plans to enforce this directive by providing federal funding to how much white nationalist propagan-da the university’s student body can stomach. Always the divisive, the Rose-Hulman administration has decided to comply with the order so they can continue to provide stu-dents with their remarkably low tuition. That is why Young Ameri-cans for Liberty has been permit-ted to invite alternative influence Nick Fuentes for a speaking en-gagement on the 31st.

Last year, former Rose-Hulman President Jim Conwell cancelled the campus event on the grounds of the extreme potential threat. Former Rose administration has hired security for the event. Our very own Public Safety will ensure that Fuentes stays as far away from the aloof-administration of bigotry during his speech, as determined by the following point-based system:

- Tiki-torch lighting = 1.5 points
- N-word (or variant) = 2 points
- "White power" gesture = 2.5 points
- KKK rallying cry = 3 points
- Using a Fox News soundbite = 4 points

Accruing more than 5 points will result in a Stern Talking-To after the event. If you are wondering why you haven’t heard more about this, President Coons released the following statement on My Rose-Hulman only: “In an effort to ex-pand campus inclusivity, we have decided to be inclusive of a view-point that directly opposes inclusiv-ity. Welcome back, Fuentes, second time’s the charm!”

Rose Ban’s Schedules

Course Schedule - Summer 2018-2019

Name: Shaddeus A Huge
Year: Y2
Advisor: <REDACTED>
Email: <REDACTED>@hose-rulman.edu

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Banner Web denying all access to look up your schedule. Why? Who knows, but good luck finding your next class.

On arrival, the team demolished the Men’s Eight and capsized 22 meters into the race, setting yet another record for fastest DNF in NCAA history.

Rose’s Rowing National Champs

Eve Maquelin
Staff Writer

Rose-Hulman Rowing shocked the community earlier this winter by qualifying for the NCAA Rove-ning Championship in Akron, Ohio. Some students submitted notes of en-couragement to the Thron saying, “Wait isn’t Akron landlocked?”

"I don’t know we had a rowing team but I guess.

"So-ducky!" Students left for Akron on Friday, and wasted no time in smashing records as they completed the drive in an unprecedented 18 hours, 14 minutes, and 23 sec-onds.

"We took a risk stopping for gas in Columbus, but I could feel the team energy and made the call. Better to finish strong than not at all, you know," commented coxswain Whary Mipple."

On arrival, the team demolished another NCAA record for fastest watercraft."

"This was an accident actually," said ex-conewshawn Mipple, “our boat broke as we were loading it in the bus so we called an audible and grabbed Concrete Canoe’s boat. It holds water and has a pretty sick paint job as we were pretty confident in it."

Unfortunately the craft was unable to carry all 9 athletes during the men’s Eight and capsized 22 meters into the race, setting yet another record for fastest DNF in NCAA history.

"Yeah that was a real low point," commented Coach Bob Jurk. Rose-Hulman rowing looks for-ward to making another strong showing next season. Their plans include buying a new boat, ditching their plywood panels for actual wood, and qualifying for the 2022 World Rowing Championships.
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The pen is mightier than the sword, join us. Tuesdays at 5:00 in O259.
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Disney Buys California and Florida

A. J. Simpson

Certified Non-Social Killer

This morning the deal between Disney and the United States Federal Government under the acquisition of the Californian and Florida territories is signed, marking the historic deal between the entertainment and media juggernaut and the providential defender of the free world. Discussion surrounding the deal had been occurring for months, as Disney had shown interest in purchasing both states ever since the highly debated purchase of New York by Amazon last year. The $15 trillion agreement will be the largest acquisition of all time and is likely to shake up the global economy, as other companies prepare to new deal with an even more powerful media giant.

When questioned about the reasoning behind the deal, the United States press secretary had this to say: "The selling of the State of Florida and California became an easy and automatic process. The economy has been struggling during the past year. I know that many Floridian and Californian citizens are happy to live under their new rulers. They're New York ruling, but no longer with the New York territory. The United States Federal government is very happy with the change."

Disney territories are still defined as "provisional zones" and greatly benefit both sides. We are honored and grateful to be entrusted with the new territories and we are excited for the extraordinary opportunity to significantly increase our footprint with new franchises and branded content. We can only imagine how much better we can state this means Florida Man will be joining the Avengers next year. When Daniella Farias, a Chicago mother of three was asked about the deal she said "I for one can't wait to see what Disney is going to do with the Florida Keys, I'm hoping for a cool alligator-themed ride. My kids love alligators.

While most reaction to the acquisition has been possible, there has been some discussion of issues surrounding monopolies, and if it's legal for a company to purchase a state from the federal government. However, it seems doubtful any move to stop the acquisition will occur within the courts since no move occurred with the New York acquisition by Amazon, and currently a rest of the 9 supreme court judges sit on the Disney board of trustees. I know I'm excited to hear about more of the great content that Disney will come out with in the future, and whether more companies will be purchasing other regions. There's been some talk of Facebook possible purchasing Denmark, which would be a major addition to their media stronghold.

"Floridians and Californian residents alike will be happy to live under their new overlords."

Photo Courtesy of Pinterest

BIC + KIC = THIC

An Expansion Worth Your Tuition

The Deus "Ex Machina" Higgins

Middle-Earth Fanatic

In a recent turn of events, the KIC and BIC, once named after the "Bridge" and "SIC", respectively, have been renamed and restructured to the "THIC", or "Terre Haute Innovation Center". This is a joint effort between the mechanical engineering department, Terre Haute chamber of commerce, and Department of Innovation. The building will be more open to projects from the Terre Haute community, it's large, much more like a community college.

"We are excited to see these two halves come together in the noise level of the air conditioning, and adding more card readers."

"I'm really excited to see what the community can bring us. I hope there's more dead fish from aquaponics projects. I smell the small waves wake up during my Sun fish lab, eh," remarked one student.
It's all true. Despite pressure against it from Disney and the Board of Trustees, I knew this had to be released to the public. Please visit the following link at MyRose-Hulman for more information.

Brandon Kaufman

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Lifestyle

Prison Toilet Wine
A True Refreshing Adventure

Ingredients:
- Oranges 6-10 medium sized stolen from the Bon
- Giant can of fruit cocktail
- Ziploc bag (gallon sized)
- Sugar Cubes 60
- 4 packets of ketchup
- 2 pieces of bread

Process:
1. Peel the oranges and place them in the Ziploc with the can of fruit cocktail
2. Mash that shit up
3. Add the sugar and ketchup
4. Add in the bread
5. Blend it all together in the bag
6. Put it in the toilet
7. Pass around it making sure to open the bag to vent each time that way it doesn’t explode.
8. Repeat step 7 daily for a week
9. Filter out mash and shit
10. Drink

Photo Courtesy of tinder.com

Schedule Lookup? More like Schedule Hookup

Tinder, but for Rose Students

J.G. Wentworth 877CASHNOW

A few years ago, when I received an acceptance letter from Rose-Hulman Institute of Technology, I opened it to find a letter beginning with the word “Congratulations.” It was an acceptance letter, but it wasn’t the only thing I found in that envelope. Included with the letter was a glossy slip of cardboard that unfolded into several panels, the bottom one being a pair of thick-rimmed glasses ready to be separated from the other panels by a pair of scissors. The top flap included an image of the Rose-Hulman logo emerging from a pile of legos set next to bold, black text that read: “YOU’RE DIFFERENT. SO ARE WE.”

It’s no secret that the average Rose-Hulman student is “different.” In a recent poll on Tinder, Rose-Hulman students were asked “What is your favorite thing to do with friends in your free time?” from the three options—A. Watch a movie, B. Go out to eat, or C. Play a round of D&D.

“Watching a movie, B: Go out to eat, or C: Play a round of D&D” answered 60% of Rose students who chose either B or C. This is a common theme among students of all types and backgrounds. In a recent poll on Tinder, 80% of Rose students respond to the question “What is your favorite thing to do with friends in your free time?” with options B or C.

Many of us have probably spent much of our academic lives having the idea of “being different” reinforced. We were different in high school, receiving the best grades in the class in subjects that others deemed difficult and uninteresting. We applied to a school with one of the worst female-to-male ratios, and when we were accepted into this school, the acceptance letter encouraged us to don the stereotypical eyewear of nerds everywhere.

The problem with being different is that it can distance you from the rest of the crowd. Whether a lack of social skills is the cause or effect of this distance, I cannot say with certainty. What is certain, however, is that the average Rose student has trouble being social. Yet college is one of the best places to be social. It is a place to explore yourself and how you connect with other people out from under the protective wings of your parents. So, to help our average student get their feet wet in this vast ocean of social experiences, a group of CSSE students are planning to launch a dating app called Schedule Hookup.

“After spending a couple years at Rose, I saw that there was really a need for this kind of thing,” said the lead developer of the team who, declining to use his real name for the interview, calls himself The Love Guru. Unlike other dating apps, Schedule Hookup is only for Rose students. When asked if he feels that limiting the users of the app to Rose students only will even further isolate Rose students from the outside world, the Love Guru insisted that, “our aim is simply to get Rose students started. Think of it as an introduction to dating. After a few hookups, Rose students are bound to feel more confident, having gained the necessary social skills to move on to dating apps with a wider range of people.” In fact, they’re working on a partnership with Tinder so that, after using the app for a couple months, students can have their profiles easily transferred to the Tinder dating pool.

Despite its name, Schedule Hookup does not require you to have flings with every match you have. The application accommodates all sorts of dating preferences. The Love Guru and his team are also correlating with student groups such as Unity to provide options for members of all sexual orientations.

Although the app is not yet available for the Rose community, Schedule Hookup is set to Launch by the end of spring quarter, and who better to be in charge of this effort than the CSSE majors whose social skills have atrophied from long hours of isolation from other people and the sun. So, if you’ve had trouble getting into the dating game before, get ready to find some of that much needed confidence come this May.
**Facts**

**The Ultimate Showdown**

**SHAGGY**

- Ancient elder god with inconceivable power
- Has an equally powerful dog companion
- Like Zoinx, Scoob

**SHAPIRO**

- Uses Facts and Logic
- Doesn’t care about your feelings
- Can fly

Winner: Ben Shapiro

Shaggy may be the single most powerful being in the universe, but he has finally met his match, because only Ben Shapiro is capable of wielding the superior power of Facts and Logic. To further improve Ben Shapiro’s arsenal is the fact that Facts don’t care about your feelings. Shaggy is powerful, but his feelings will be severely hurt by Shapiro’s powerful Facts and Logic, which will result in his inevitable demise.

All charts courtesy of Thadeosaurus Huge, Esq.
RHIT Men’s Tennis

RHIT Men’s Tennis started off their weekend by traveling to Defiance to start conference play. On Saturday morning the RHIT Men’s Tennis team were victorious over the Defiance Yellow Jackets with a final score of 9-0. The Engineers began by sweeping both double matches. No. 1 doubles won 8-2, while No. 2 doubles won 8-0. The team then carried the momentum right into single plays to win all five single’s matches.

Photo by Rose-Hulman Athletics

RHIT Track & Field

The Track & Field event this weekend was cut short due to the weather, but RHIT brought home four event victories against NCAA Division I Eastern Illinois. Nick Palmer snatched first place with a pole vault of 15’ 1”, while Jonah Yates secured first place in discus with a throw of 136’ 8”. Darra Smith jumped to first place in the women’s high jump with a leap of 5’ 5”. Kevin Wuest won the men’s 10,000 meter run with a time of 33:46.47. Rose-Hulman will compete at the DePauw Invitational this weekend.

Photo by Rose-Hulman Athletics

RHIT SPORTS BOX SCORES

RHIT Basketball

Ryuji Aoki was named 2018-19 Google Cloud Academic All-American for NCAA Division III basketball. There are only 15 members chosen to be on this team out of the more than the 6,000 D-III basketball players currently. Aoki has cemented his legacy here at RHIT. He is the HCAC all-time leader in free-throw shooting with an accuracy of 92.3%. He is ranked No.6 in 3-point field-goal shooting, and 17th in 3-pointers made.

“We preach about team success to our players, but one area that gives me joy to see our players achieve individual accolades is the combination of academics and athletics. For Ryuji to be named an Academic All-American, it is the highest honor a player can receive for their dedication and hard work both in the classroom and on the court,” said Rose-Hulman head coach Rasy Loyd. “In his three years at Rose-Hulman, he has been part of a conference championship team and been a leader amongst his teammates, but work ethic and ability to succeed in all areas of college life will truly be his legacy. Ryuji embodies all the attributes of a Rose-Hulman student-athlete, and I couldn’t be more happy for him to receive this distinction.”

In an interview earlier this week with The Japan Times Aoki said, “I put a lot of effort into basketball as well as my academics, my former high school teammate, Jalen Brunson, who currently starts for the Dallas Mavericks in the NBA, taught me that what you do in the classroom reflects how you perform on the basketball court. He embraced that, and I think I was able to do that as well. I am tremendously blessed to be recognized for my efforts. There are many student-athletes that sacrifice and commit a lot of time and energy to their schools in terms of sports and academics, and I am proud to be recognized as one of those student-athletes.”

The RHIT Baseball & Softball games this weekend were cancelled due to the unfortunate weather of snow at the end of March in Indiana.

RHIT SPORTS SCHEDULES

Baseball

April 6: vs. Manchester (Home)
April 6: vs. Transylvania (Home)
April 7: vs. Defiance (Home)
April 9: @ Earlham
April 10: v. Dominican
April 12: v. Transylvania
April 13: v. Mt. St. Joseph (Home)
April 14: v. Thomas More

Softball

April 6: vs. Webster (Home)
April 9: @ Ohio Wesleyan
April 10: @ Franklin
April 11: @ Hanover
April 13: v. Mt. St. Joseph (Home)
April 14: v. Transylvania
April 19: vs. Manchester
April 20: @ Transylvania

Men’s Tennis

April 6: vs. Transylvania (Home)
April 6: vs. Westminster (Home)
April 9: @ Ohio Wesleyan
April 10: @ Franklin
April 12: @ Hanover
April 13: v. Mt. St. Joseph (Home)
April 15: v. Mt. St. Joseph (Home)
April 20: v. Transylvania
April 20: @ Transylvania

Track & Field

April 6: DePauw Invitational
April 13: Indiana D-II Championship
April 19: Rose-Hulman Twilight Meet
April 21: Indiana D-II Championship
April 26: HCAC Outdoor Championship
April 27: HCAC Outdoor Championship
May 3: Billy Hayes Invitational
May 10: Harrison-Dillard Twilight
May 23: NCAA Outdoor Championship
May 24: NCAA Outdoor Championship
May 25: NCAA Outdoor Championship
I'm not doing that, you see. It's old demographic that Hose says Beve Strady, Vice President of Institutional Research. "Maybe water down the course a little? There was just so much . . ."

For example, I know the freshman, sophomore, junior, senior class. I really do believe that if you build it, they will come. For instance, I had an entire career centered around having been a smut peddler who cares, Flynt is owner of a billion dollar adult entertainment empire that includes magazines, adult videos, entertainment clubs, and nationwide Hustler Club franchise as making him a savvy people person. Flynt adds that his past success with legal battles would strategize to keeping his newly announced candidacy for President free from other elements thanSoap. Whether Hose's Institutional Development Office feels that it has tapped out its alumni base in terms of larger dollar donations. The new program will therefore seek smaller donations from a larger number of alumni. The Freud Innovation Center (FIC) for Psychoadvanced Optics, Prevention, and KIC using modular construction techniques. Combining smaller size with modular construction methods will keep costs down and allow a greater number of alumni to participate.

Disclaimer: I am totally planning on making my next milestone birthday party a roast, and gonna rode in on! What waste my time offending people I don't even willing to make my entrance on horseback. I'm not doing that, you see, it's a cliché, but I really do believe that if you build it, they will come. For instance, I had an entire career centered around having been a smut peddler who cares, Flynt is owner of a billion dollar adult entertainment empire that includes magazines, adult videos, entertainment clubs, and nationwide Hustler Club franchise as making him a savvy people person. Flynt adds that his past success with legal battles would strategize to keeping his newly announced candidacy for President free from other elements thanSoap. Whether Hose's Institutional Development Office feels that it has tapped out its alumni base in terms of larger dollar donations. The new program will therefore seek smaller donations from a larger number of alumni. The Freud Innovation Center (FIC) for Psychoadvanced Optics, Prevention, and KIC using modular construction techniques. Combining smaller size with modular construction methods will keep costs down and allow a greater number of alumni to participate.