



THE TOILET PAPER

"Maybe you weren't ready for that... but your kids are going to love it."

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FAMILY EDITION



AROUND PENN: FAMILY WEEKEND

This weekend someone is coming down to visit you. Who's coming? No one important, just your doting mother, your sporty father, your annoying kid sister, and your weird brother. That's right, your family is coming down for Penn Family Weekend.

But what will you do with them since you forgot to plan out because you were too busy par—I mean, studying to remember. No worries. I have the ultimate list of what you should do.

1. Take them to class. Have them ask and answer all kinds of questions for the teacher. And be sure to tell them to point out to the professor just how special you really are.

2. Take them to frat parties. Ask them to be your beer pong partner. Show them just how many shots you can down in an hour before you start to get tipsy.

3. Have them meet your friends. Let them wax and wane about your early days as their baby. Before you left for college. And tell them to pull out all their home videos and baby pictures, too.

4. Your family probably wants to know what Philadelphia is like. Since it's October, you should take them to South Street and show them all the cool Halloween shops. They can even help you pick out your costume! Aw, it will be just like home.

5. Lastly, have them do your laundry, your dishes, your homework,, etc. Really, just sit them down and just say that you have been struggling so much at college because you're so homesick. That will surely convince them to help you out.

(Note: This article was entirely satirical. Do not, in fact, do any of these things with your family. Doing so will likely bring about many disasters in your life.)

AROUND PHILLY: VINTAGE STYLE

I hesitate to use any two syllable word followed by the word style, lest people think of Gangnam Style, but I had no better name for this article, so just deal with it.

As I did not give you any real advice for Family Weekend in the preceding article, I think I owe you some. When your parents arrive, they will be hungry from all that traveling they did to get here. So you need a good place to take them to eat. Here are my recommendations for a vintage dinner and a vintage dessert.

Johnny Rockets mimics the diners common to the 1950s. World War II posters clutter the walls. Coca Cola ads are everywhere. Chrome and vinyl are all around you. If you choose to sit at the counter, you can watch your order being made. The best part about the entire set up are the individual jukeboxes. They give you the nickels so all you have to do is choose a song. All the songs requested

go on a queue, so your song will be played. And if you are lucky, the staff will sing and dance along with your particular song. Check it out at 5th and South if you are interested.

Franklin Fountain is an authentic soda fountain and ice cream parlor residing at Penn's Landing (2nd and Market). The place does not stand out because of its authentic look so be sure to look around lest you miss it. The décor this time is that of the 1900s. And their menu is absolutely insane. A dozen ice cream monsters and over thirty flavors!



Oasis Product of the Week



MINUTE MAID

On sale starting Monday the 8th at a low price of \$1.50 (was \$1.75). Orangina will still be on sale until then.

IN BLOGS: STUDYHACKS AND HACKCOLLEGE

Over the years, I have heard many a student say that they do not know what they are going to do for a major. And even they know their major, they are unsure of whether or not it is the right fit for them.

If you are one of those "lost" students, I suggest you read the blog Study Hacks. While it has tips on how to better your study habits, or on time management

(an article I clearly should read again), what I really love about the blog are its Features. The blog's Features are its bigger ideas that extend beyond the realm of studying and the classroom. These include:

Rethinking Passion, how "following your passion" is bad advice and that passion is cultivated along with your skill set.

Patterns of Success, in which

the author examines various ways of learning and how each is successful.

Becoming a Superstar, where the lives of some remarkable people (including Steve Martin) are looked at and interviewed as to how they got there.

The blog can be found at the URL below.

calnewport.com/blog

OCTOBER						
SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
Calendar Key <div>■ KCECH</div> <div>■ Penn</div> <div>■ Philly & Beyond</div>	1 Architecture in Film	2 Moonlight Tour	3 Biosphere GBM Great Battles	4 Dinner Discussion	5 Fall in Love with Facetime Theatre	6 Family Weekend
7 Philadelphia Museum of Art	8 The Alchemist	9 WiCS Workshop	10 Study Break	11 Skeletons in Your Closet	12 Study Abroad UK Info Session	13 5K Charity Run Bloktoberfest
14 Spooky Sarcophagi	15 Oktoberfest Buffet	16 Inside the Jewish Bakery	17 Biosphere GBM	18 Doylestown Poetry Night	19 Knowledge by the Slice	20 Indiana Jones Day

Character of the Week



JYOTI ARKALGUD

I love ice creams.

I like swimming, gymnastics and contra dancing.

I am a huge fan of Vampire Diaries.

I swallowed a dime when I was 4 years old.

I sleep with my eyes closed.

I sleep walk.

I sleep 10 hours a day.

I love shredding paper.

THE WEEK AHEAD: 10/4–10/10

10/4, 6pm—Dinner Discussion. The undergrad chair of the chemistry department Dr. Donald Berry will be in the PDR waiting to talk to you about anything related the sciences or engineering.

10/6—Family Weekend. See the article to the left.

10/7, TBD—Philadelphia Mu-

seum of Art. Join Perspectives in Humanities on their trip to the PMA. Cost will be pay what you wish, so if you are low on cash but desire to see art, this is the perfect time for you!

10/9, TBD—WiCS Tech Workshop. Join WiCS for another technical skills building workshop. Remember, you do not

need to be a member of the program to participate, nor must you be a woman. You just need a desire to learn.

10/10, 10pm—Study Break. Come rock out with Rock Band and show off your moves with Dance Central.

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