

# *The Goonzette*

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## The Bronian Trilogy

**A glimpse into the artistic past of Yeet and what it means for society** - By Claudia Pochita – Contact: [cpochita@goonzette.com](mailto:cpochita@goonzette.com)

What strikes me first about the "Bronian Trilogy"—a series of original works created within the Yeet Discord server that have achieved something approaching legendary status—is not its audacity, though there is plenty of that, but rather its commitment to a singular artistic vision: the systematic deification of LeBron James through visual languages that feel simultaneously ancient and urgently contemporary, as if the artist channeled something fundamental about worship itself while sitting in a voice channel at three in the morning.

The first piece depicts LeBron suspended mid-dunk, held aloft by what appears to be Russell Westbrook in a pose of simultaneous defeat and devotion, set against a pastoral river landscape rendered in soft, almost Impressionistic brushstrokes. The composition creates jarring cognitive dissonance—athletic violence framed as baptismal sacrament, dominance as spiritual transcendence. This is not sports photography; this is iconography, executed with genuine reverence that makes mockery impossible.

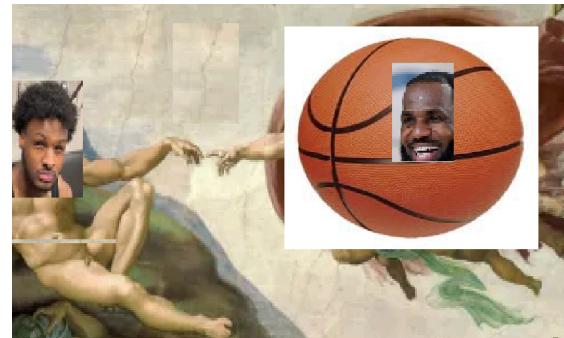
The centerpiece features LeBron posed in classical portraiture, complete with flowing Renaissance-style hair and an enigmatic expression that suggests both supreme confidence and existential burden. The futuristic cityscape behind him positions LeBron as both historical constant and prophetic vision. The basketball clutched in his hand becomes the central mystery of the composition—not just an object but a symbol of divine authority.

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The final panel transforms creation mythology into father-son legacy, with LeBron and Bronny reaching toward each other across a basketball that serves as conduit of wisdom rather than mere sports equipment. The composition is theologically bold and emotionally resonant—this is about inheritance, about the transmission of greatness, about the moment when deity acknowledges mortality.

The trilogy succeeds because it understands what all effective religious art understands: icons are not meant to be subtle but to overwhelm, to demand belief through sheer visual authority, and somewhere in a Discord server, someone understood this perfectly. This work emerged from a Discord server—not a gallery, not an institution, not even a formal artist collective—and yet it demonstrates technical competence and conceptual sophistication that challenges every assumption about where "serious" art can originate. The trilogy represents a democratization of artistic production that terrifies traditionalists and excites populists in equal measure, proving that the tools of cultural creation have escaped the academy's grasp entirely.



## Other Stories:

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<b>Vortexxxed</b> joins us fresh-faced but already showing symptoms — <b>Nang ek(Knat)</b> 's Valorant brainrot takes another victim. Between ranked matches, he actually touches grass: bowling leagues and sports fandom keep him partially tethered to reality. Rumors swirl about his Goonzette staff ambitions. We'll see if he survives <b>Nang ek's</b> corruption first. Welcome aboard.	"We missed you Goonerz" - Editor-in-Chief <b>Goonbert</b> or <b>Testicle Devil</b> says after being found stranded on a deserted island after a failed final exam. This incident led to the missed editions of the Goonzette (17th, 24th, December 1st). In the wake of <b>Goonbert's</b> return he is happy to appoint the Assistant Games Editor, <b>Yellow</b> . Goonlettes resume on Fridays throughout the holidays.	<b>Tyler 2(SenorTorta)</b> 's laptop is experiencing catastrophic failure, crashing repeatedly during Minecraft sessions and rendering Overwatch virtually unplayable. What began as occasional freezes has escalated into a full system meltdown, leaving one of the server's most active members effectively sidelined. The Goonzette is now accepting donations to help <b>Tyler 2</b> acquire functional hardware for his recent birthday on November 28th.	<b>Goonbert</b> Pulls Hyacine – wrong banner pulls were narrowly avoided four separate times.
			<b>Nang ek</b> seen on discord for 24 hrs straight... tf she up to?
			<b>Mathias (Bucket)</b> reported as actually sleeping on more than one occasion!
			<b>Dahlia</b> messages up 375% – book recommendations and cat pictures shaking up general chat.

# Yeet Discord Weather Report: A Frosty Forecast Approaches!

Winter crashed the party early this year, and our Yeet Discord crew is feeling it differently depending on where you're logging in from.

Minneapolis got slammed with the coldest temps since February, hitting -5°F. One suburb recorded -14°F—that's "my eyelashes froze" territory. They also picked up nearly 5 inches of snow. For our Ojibwe relatives in Minnesota, this snow means it's sacred storytelling season—as certain traditional tales can only be shared when snow covers the ground, so at least someone's making good use of this deep freeze.

Nebraska's sitting pretty at 4 inches of snow with temps around 20°F. Interestingly the Winnebago Tribe of Nebraska's Ho-chunk people traditionally held winter feasts when the temperature dropped as ceremonies meant to increase hunting and war powers—though these days we're mainly hunting for our cars under snowdrifts. Coincidentally Omaha cops reported 125 crashes during the storm. PSA: Your car is not a sled, Goonbert.

Louisville broke records with 4.8 inches of snow—their biggest December dump in years. Meteorologists are predicting a White Christmas. Kentucky getting more snow than usual? What timeline are we living in?

New York dodged the worst, but suburbs got buried with up to 12 inches. The city itself just got rain because apparently NYC has different weather rules.

Meanwhile, Florida's living its best life at 86°F with zero sympathy for the rest of us. Miami's over here flexing beach weather while Minneapolis questions its life choices. Bundle up, northerners. Florida crew, enjoy your smugness.

— Dave Standing There, Ho-Chunk Nation



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## Overwatch Renaissance Sweeps Discord

The Goonzette Discord experiences an unexpected Overwatch revival. Player counts surge as members abandon other titles for Blizzard's hero shooter.

**Tyler 2** grinds Ashe mechanics, perfecting dynamite timing between whiffs. **Goonbert** expands his tank repertoire beyond comfort picks, trying to learn proper positioning. **Nang ek**, previously Overwatch-illiterate, fumbles through tutorial modes while teammates wince at basic mistakes. Most notably, **Mathias** discovered his true calling: playing Chinese twink supports with alarming enthusiasm and zero shame.

Meanwhile, **Pocket's** highly anticipated professional Overwatch lore presentation—promised for weeks—collapsed spectacularly. Scheduling conflicts piled up like a bad ranked queue. The community mourns lost esports knowledge, though conspiracy theories suggest **Pocket** simply got distracted by actual gameplay.

Will this renaissance last, or will everyone return to ValorCS (*Wink Wink*) by next week?

—Naomi Kayano, The Goonzette

## THE FINCH APP INVASION: Digital Pet Therapy Colonizes Yeet Discord

The Yeet Discord has been quietly overtaken by Finch—a self-care app disguised as a virtual pet simulator—with confirmed users including **Goonbert**, **Mathias**, and **Nang ek**, who have apparently decided that what this chaotic server really needs is gamified emotional wellness and a cartoon bird that congratulates you for drinking water.

For the uninitiated, Finch transforms basic human functioning into achievement-unlocking gameplay: journaling earns you coins, mood tracking levels up your bird, and completing "self-care goals" rewards you with digital furniture for your digital bird's digital house, because nothing says mental health like teaching a generation that basic existence requires constant positive reinforcement from an algorithmic pet.

What's fascinating is not that three server members use Finch—self-care apps are ubiquitous now—but that they've begun discussing it openly in channels, comparing bird outfits and energy levels as if this deeply personal wellness tracking were just another multiplayer game. We have arrived at a cultural moment where emotional labor becomes social currency, where vulnerability is performed through shared screenshots of cartoon birds, where even our mental health must be platform-compatible, shareable, and somehow competitive. The birds are cute, though.

-Claudia Pochita, The Goonzette

# Yeet Minecraft Chronicles

**Major server milestones achieved this week as the Yeet Minecraft community reaches the endgame.**

**Tyler 2** and **Goonbert** successfully defeated the Ender Dragon in a coordinated raid, bringing elytra wings back for the entire server. What began as desperate pearl-throwing and panicked healing potions ended in triumph. The community now enjoys flight capabilities, fundamentally transforming travel and construction logistics across the map.

**Goonbert** continues his architectural dominance, completing five new apartment buildings near his castle complex. The dense urban development transforms the central district into a legitimate medieval city. Rent prices remain unannounced.

**Mathias**, meanwhile, pursued darker creative visions—crucifying copper golems outside **Tyler 2** and **Goonbert's** shared base. The grim display raises questions about server Geneva Convention compliance. Witnesses report the golems' slow oxidation adds "artistic patina" to the execution site.

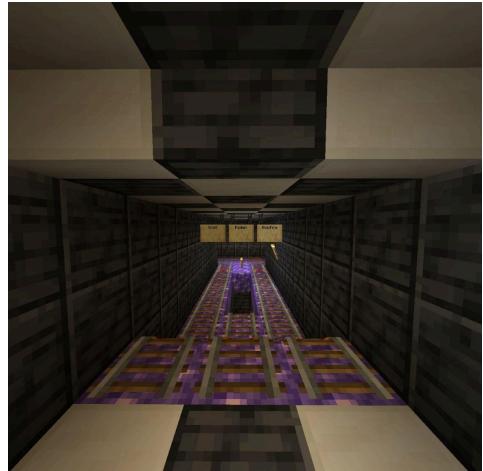
The new train system represents the server's most ambitious public works project. Powered rails now connect every major base, from **Goonbert's** castle to outlying settlements. Travel time reduced by 70%; accidental deaths by minecart mishap up 300%.

Breaking news: **Mathias'** first base in the hills suffered what witnesses describe as an "alien strike." Crater damage and unusual block patterns suggest either extraterrestrial intervention or extremely sophisticated griefing. **Mathias** declined comment while surveying the wreckage.

Reports remain incomplete. Server admins investigate whether this constitutes PvP violation or legitimate roleplay. Community members debate UFO mod installation versus elaborate TNT-duping schemes.

Economic Outlook: With elytra access democratized and infrastructure modernized, the Yeet server enters its mature phase. Will cooperation continue, or do the crucified golems foreshadow darker conflicts ahead?

—Naomi Kayano, The Goonzette



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# **BREAKING NEWS:**

## **WHO HAS THE MOST ADORABLE ANIMAL?!**

Alright friends, it's time to settle the most important debate of our time...

### **WHO HAS THE MOST ADORABLE ANIMAL?!**

We're calling this one the "**Marvel of Maximum Aww's**"

Reports indicate that citizens of the server will be stepping forward with photographic evidence of their beloved creatures. Witnesses describe the inevitable incoming flood of fluffy faces, dramatic glamour shots, and probably at least one pet posing "like it pays rent." Submissions are expected to continue throughout the next few weeks as proud pet-parents are eager to impress the judges.

Officials forecast a heated voting period, with Discord residents preparing to cast their ballots in what experts are calling "the most adorable democratic event of the year." Analysts predict the race will be tight, with each animal vying for the prestigious title of Marvel of Maximum Aww's™. Pollsters warn: expect unexpected swoons...

Bring on the cuteness. Bring on the chaos. Bring on the tiny toe beans.

#### **Official Rules:**

All photos submitted must be animals owned by the member submitting the photo.  
Submissions will only be counted if included in the Goonzette 3rd edition thread.  
The submission deadline is Wednesday, December 17th at Midnight.  
Voting will begin on Thursday after the submission deadline passes. \*VOTERS CANNOT VOTE FOR THEIR OWN PET  
The winner will be determined by popular vote and will receive an EXCLUSIVE "Proud Pet-Parent" Discord Role and a \$1 Chipotle Gift Card from The Goonzette via cashapp.

-**Vortexxed**, Independent reporter

# Games Section:

## GoonerZ Survive Road Test, Improve to 2-0 with Thrilling Victory Over Stealers

SANTOS STADIUM - The Yeet GoonerZ passed their toughest test yet, escaping Santos Stadium with a hard-fought 24-21 victory over the Los Santos Stealers on a sun-soaked afternoon. The win moves the GoonerZ to 2-0, but not without surviving a fourth-quarter scare.

The game lived up to expectations as a back-and-forth battle. **Megan(Madi)** opened the scoring in the first quarter with a spectacular 5-yard wildcat touchdown, weaving through three defenders with her UFC-honed agility. The Stealers answered immediately, with running back Deon Williams outrunning everyone to the pylon to tie it 7-7.

The turning point came early when QB/Coach **GB** intercepted Marcus Thompson's errant throw, showcasing his dual role as field general and playmaker. **GB's** offensive wizardry continued in the third quarter with a dazzling trick play—a double reverse that saw **Pocket** launch a deep ball to a streaking GB for a crucial 30-yard gain, setting up Keeg's go-ahead touchdown.

Devon "D-Train" Brooks tormented the GoonerZ offensive line all afternoon, recording three sacks and two strip-sacks that kept Los Santos in striking distance. His relentless pressure forced **GB** into uncomfortable situations throughout.

**Pocket's** clutch 37-yard field goal extended the lead to 24-14 in the fourth quarter, but Thompson responded with a surgical drive, finding Andre Coleman for a touchdown to cut it to 24-21 with under five minutes remaining. The GoonerZ then showcased championship mettle, with **Bucket** grinding out first downs to burn the clock. **Yang** sealed the victory with a Hail Mary interception as time expired.

**\*\*Game MVP: Bucket\*\*** - The workhorse carried 24 times for 106 yards, controlling time of possession (32:15) and icing the game with critical fourth-quarter carries.

**\*\*Best Offensive Player: Megan\*\*** - Two total touchdowns and 81 all-purpose yards of electrifying playmaking.

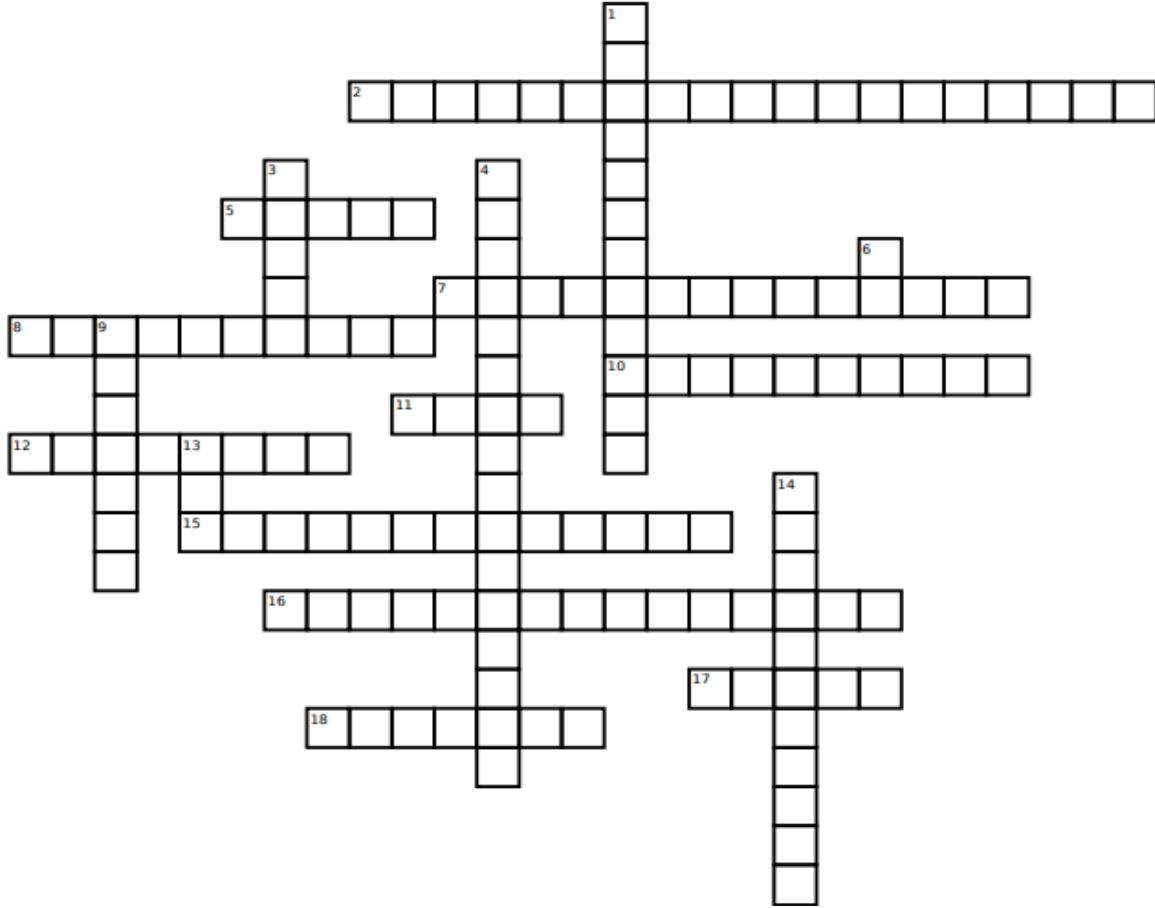
**\*\*Best Defensive Player: Pocket\*\*** - Seven tackles and two forced fumbles disrupted the Stealers' rhythm all game.

The GoonerZ survived despite three turnovers, proving they can win ugly on the road against quality opponents.

— Dave Standing There, Ho-Chunk Nation

YEET GOONERZ - INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS						
PASSING						
Player	Comp	Att	Yards	TD	INT	
GB	16	28	197	2	2	
RUSHING						
Player	Carries	Yards	Avg	TD		
Bucket	24	106	4.4	0		
Madi	7	42	6	2		
Pocket	1	7	7	0		
RECEIVING						
Player	Rec	Yards	Avg	TD		
Pocket	4	77	19.3	0		
Keeg	4	43	10.8	1		
Madi	4	39	9.8	1		
Nancho	2	15	7.5	0		
GB	1	15	15	0		
Yang	1	8	8	0		
DEFENSE						
Player	Tackles	Sacks	TFL	INT	FF/FR	
Bucket	9	1	0	0	0/0	
Nataly	8	0	2	0	0/0	
Pocket	7	0	0	0	2/0	
Julia	6	0	0	0	0/0	
Yang	5	0	0	1	0/0	
Keeg	4	1	0	0	0/1	
GB	3	0	0	1	0/0	

# Yeet's Common Words/Phrases



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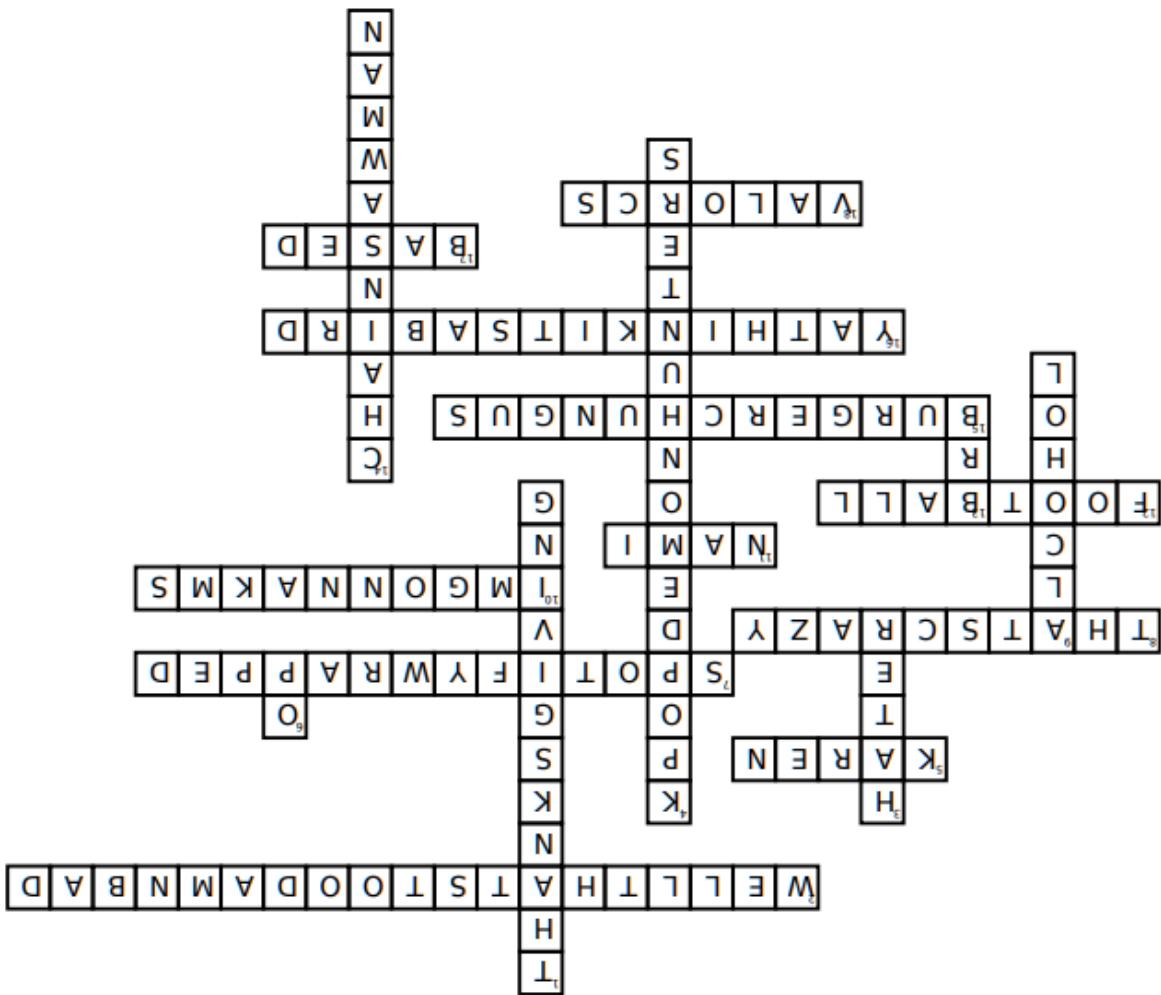
1. most recent holiday
3. megan?
4. popular movie w catchy songs
6. bucket word
9. bucket's fav drink
13. what someone says when theyre gonna be gone for 6+ hours
14. bucket anime

Across:

2. "IM TIRED OF THIS GRANPA"
5. beaner everyone shits on
7. colortful summary of your most played songs
8. something you would say to something crazy
10. common crashout phrase
11. a cat... but whose?
12. most watched sport in the server
15. pocket phrase
16. nataly phrase
17. "To be true to oneself, free from mainstream influence, and confident in one's own opinions" -Google
18. "what are we gonna play?"

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Crossword Answer Key Below (⚠ BEWARE OF SPOILERS!!)



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