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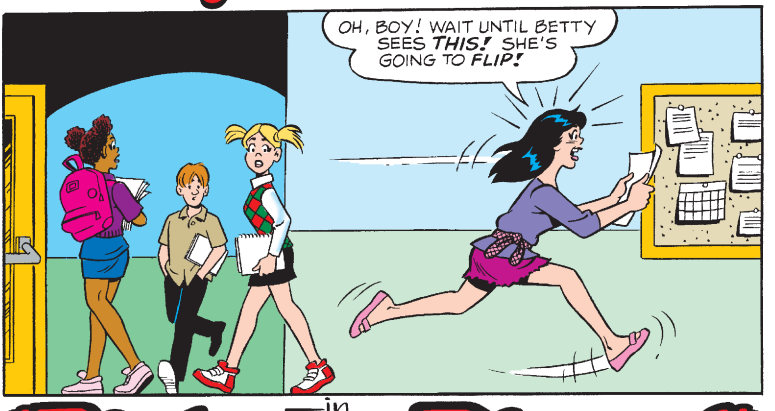


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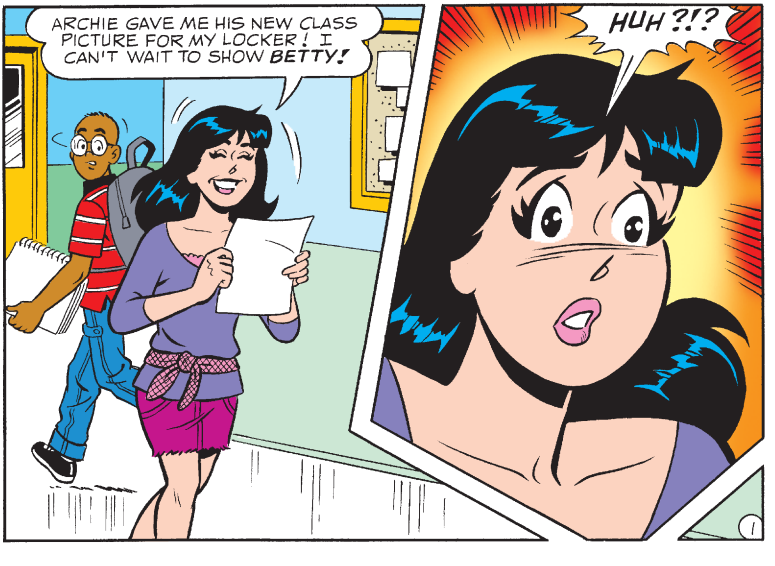
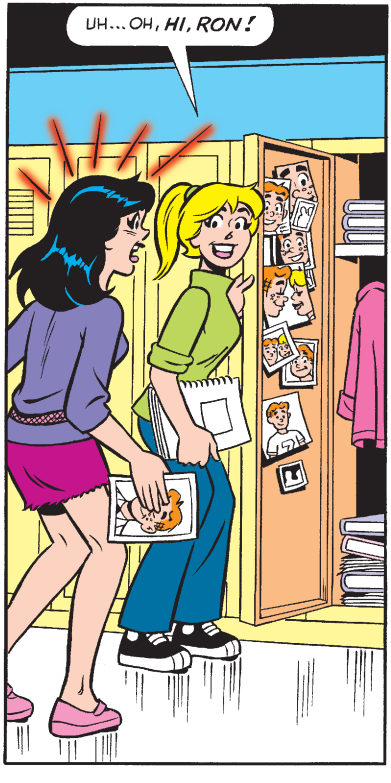
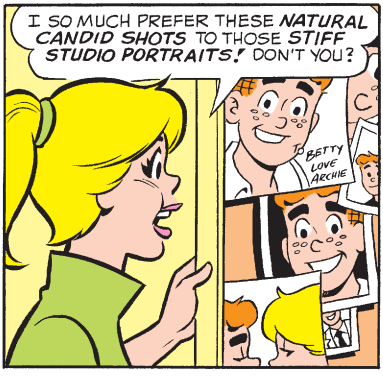



UH... OH, HI, RON!

OH, THESE ARE JUST A FEW SNAPSHOTS ARCHIE AND I TOOK TOGETHER!
BETTY LOVE ARCHIE


I SO MUCH PREFER THESE NATURAL CANDID SHOTS TO THOSE STIFF STUDIO PORTRAITS! DON'T YOU?
BETTY LOVE ARCHIE

RON?
!

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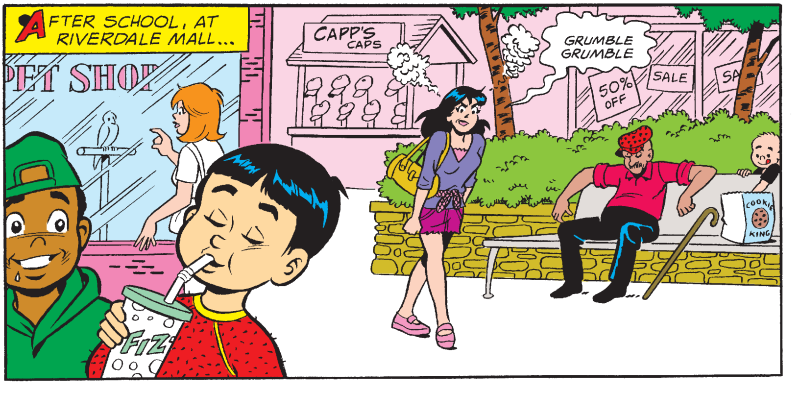
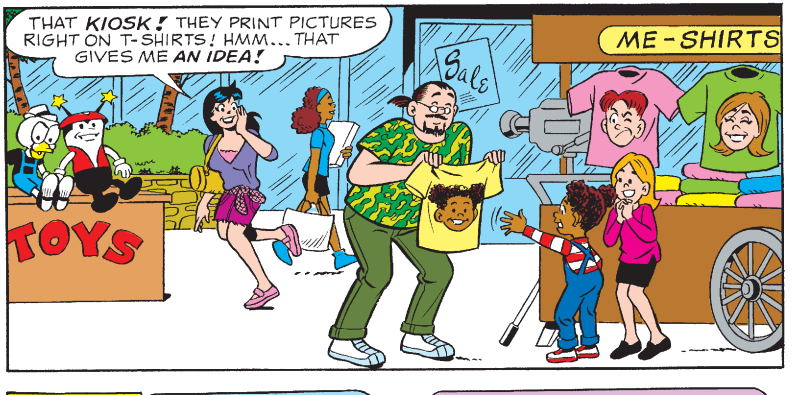
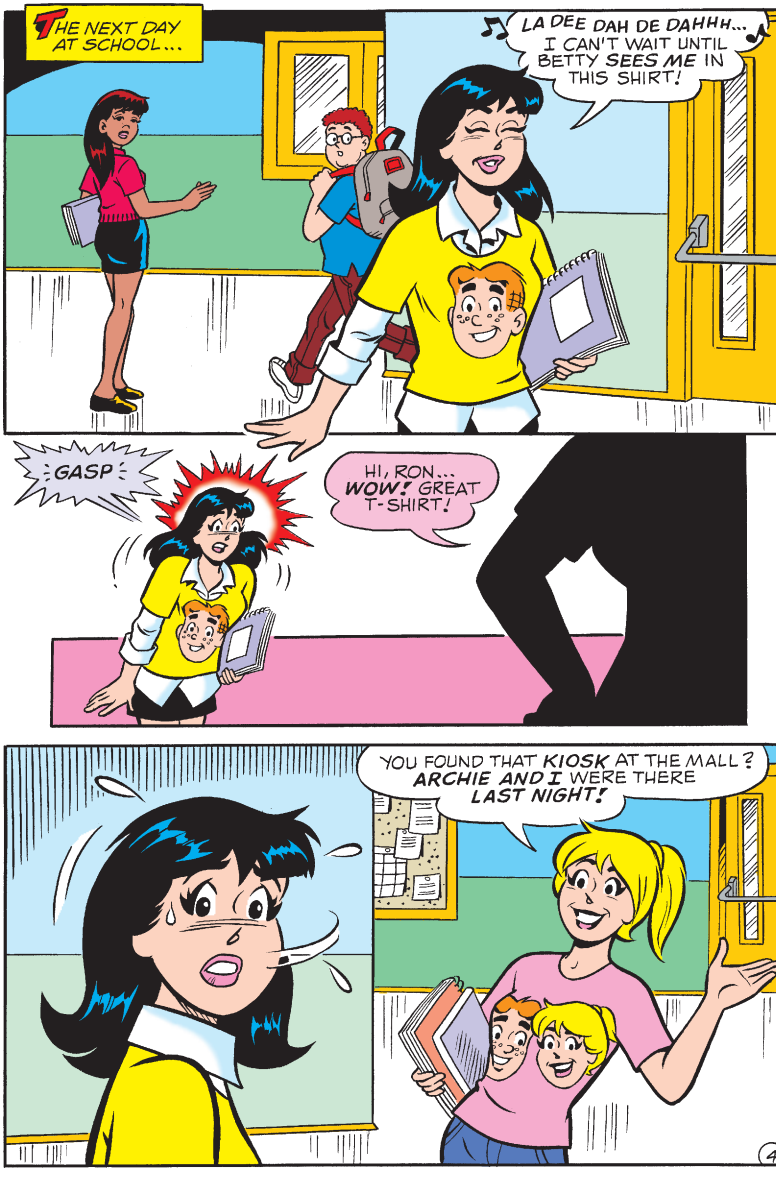

AFTER SCHOOL, AT RIVERDALE MALL...
PET SHOP
CAPP'S CAPS
GRUMBLE GRUMBLE
50% OFF
SALE
FIZZ
COOKIE KING


THAT KIOSK! THEY PRINT PICTURES RIGHT ON T-SHIRTS! HMM... THAT GIVES ME AN IDEA!
ME-SHIRTS
Sale
TOYS

AND SO...
WELL, NORMALLY I TAKE PICTURES OF PEOPLE RIGHT HERE... BUT I GUESS I COULD SCAN THIS IN!

NOW THIS IS SOMETHING BETTY DOESN'T EVEN HAVE THE IMAGINATION TO THINK OF!


THE NEXT DAY AT SCHOOL...
LA DEE DAH DE DAHHH... I CAN'T WAIT UNTIL BETTY SEES ME IN THIS SHIRT!
GASP
HI, RON... WOW! GREAT T-SHIRT!
YOU FOUND THAT KIOSK AT THE MALL? ARCHIE AND I WERE THERE LAST NIGHT!
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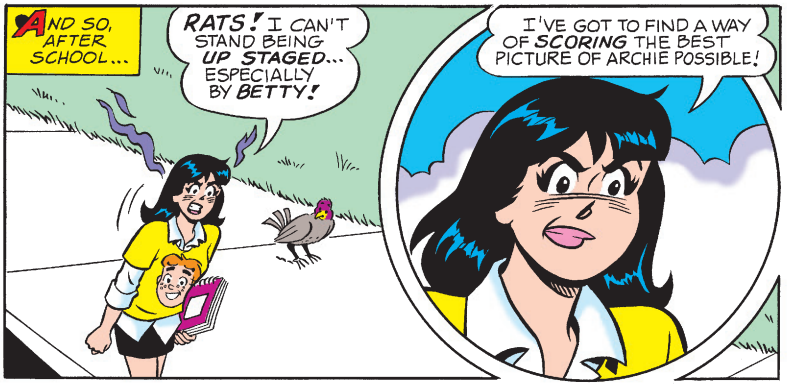
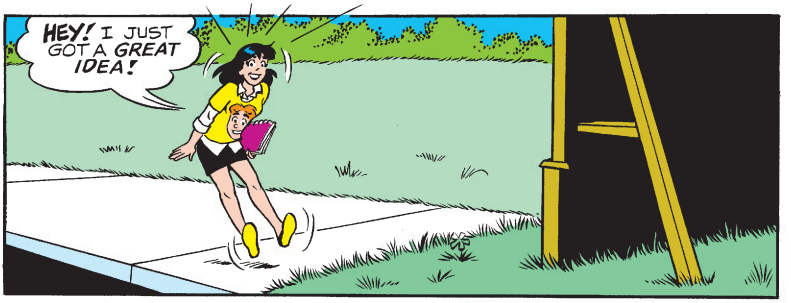
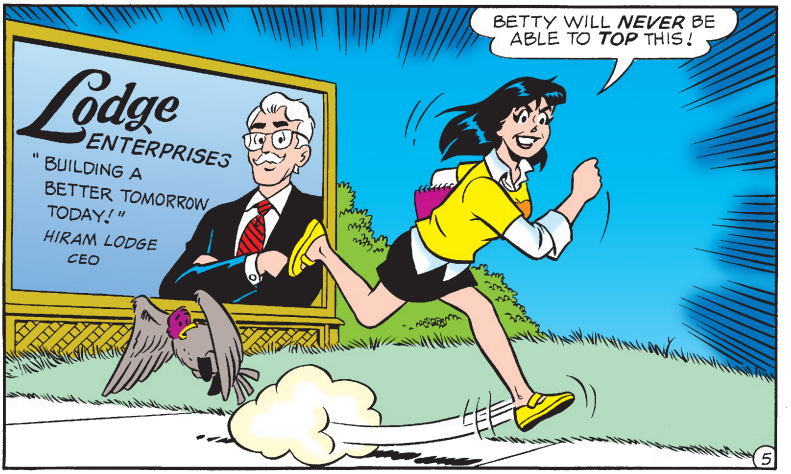
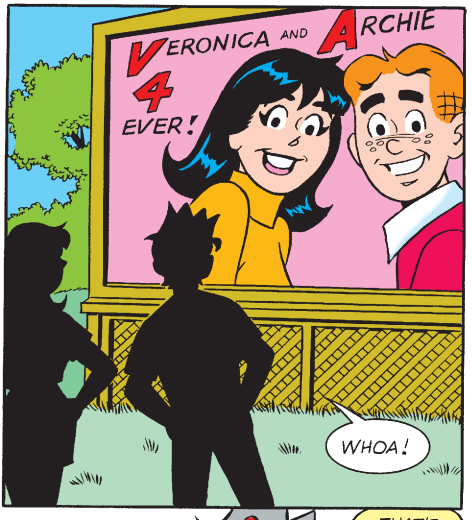
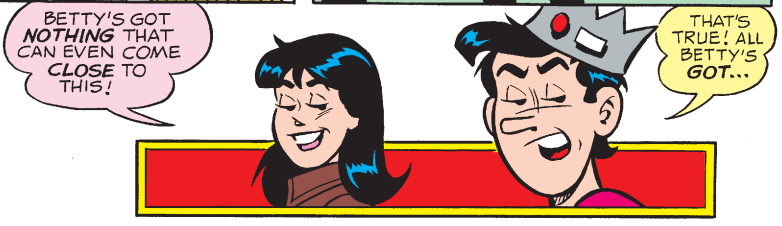

AND SO, AFTER SCHOOL...
RATS! I CAN'T STAND BEING UP STAGED... ESPECIALLY BY BETTY!
I'VE GOT TO FIND A WAY OF SCORING THE BEST PICTURE OF ARCHIE POSSIBLE!

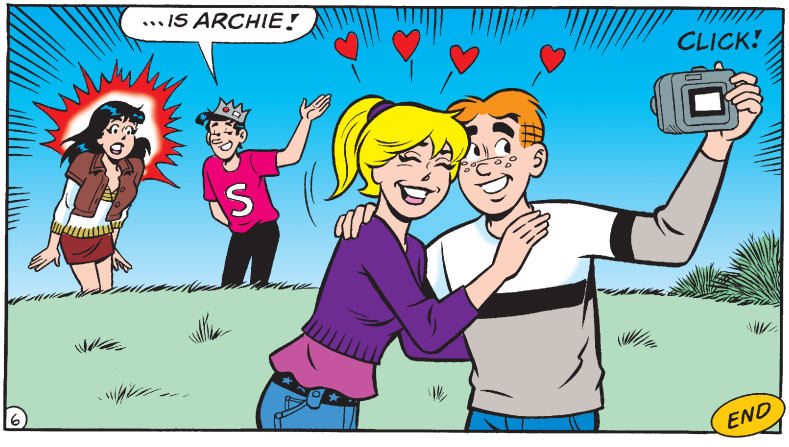

HEY! I JUST GOT A GREAT IDEA!


BETTY WILL NEVER BE ABLE TO TOP THIS!
Lodge ENTERPRISES
"BUILDING A BETTER TOMORROW TODAY!"
HIRAM LODGE
CEO

TWO WEEKS LATER...
YO, RON... WHAT'S UP?
MY PRESTIGE, JUGGIE! CHECK THAT OUT!


VERONICA AND ARCHIE 4 EVER!
WHOA!


BETTY'S GOT NOTHING THAT CAN EVEN COME CLOSE TO THIS!
THAT'S TRUE! ALL BETTY'S GOT...


...IS ARCHIE!
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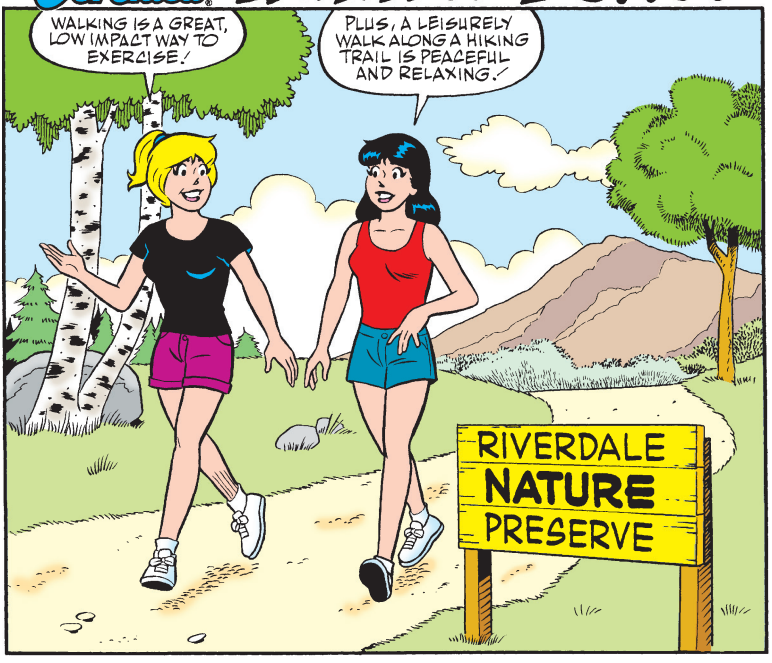


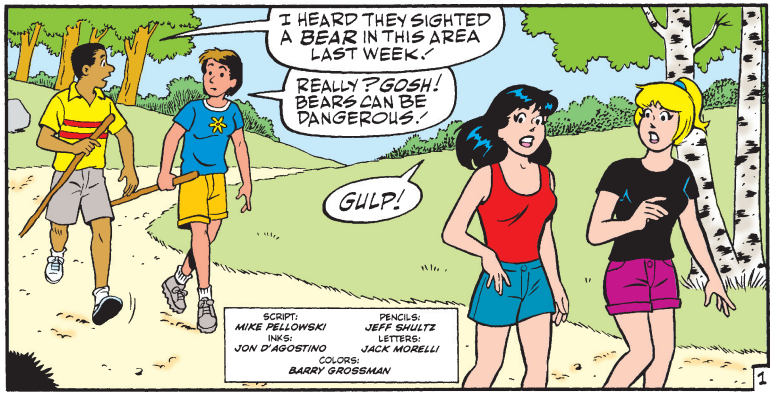


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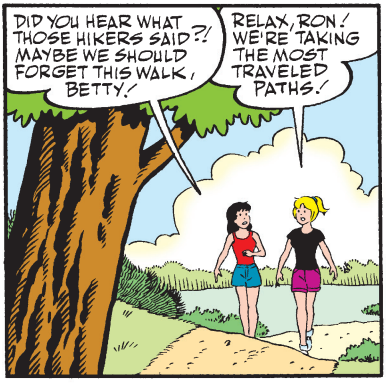
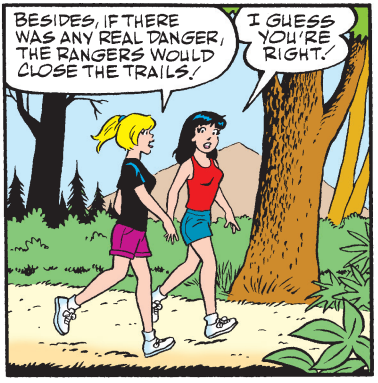
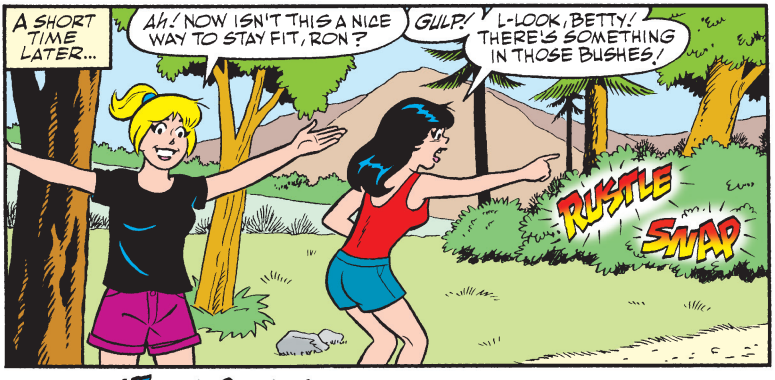
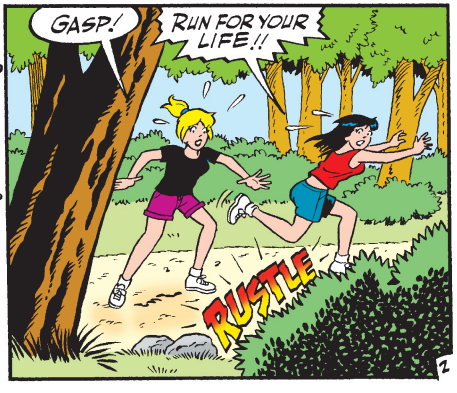
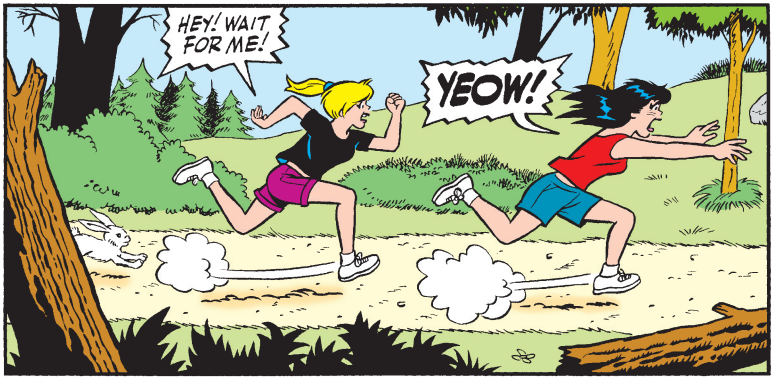

DID YOU HEAR WHAT THOSE HIKERS SAID?! MAYBE WE SHOULD FORGET THIS WALK, BETTY!
RELAX, RON! WE'RE TAKING THE MOST TRAVELED PATHS!


BESIDES, IF THERE WAS ANY REAL DANGER, THE RANGERS WOULD CLOSE THE TRAILS!
I GUESS YOU'RE RIGHT!

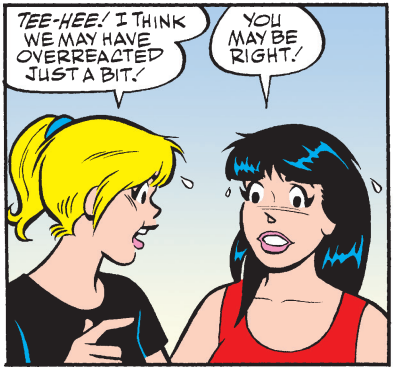

A SHORT TIME LATER...
AH! NOW ISN'T THIS A NICE WAY TO STAY FIT, RON?
GULP!
L-LOOK, BETTY! THERE'S SOMETHING IN THOSE BUSHES!
RUSTLE
SWAP

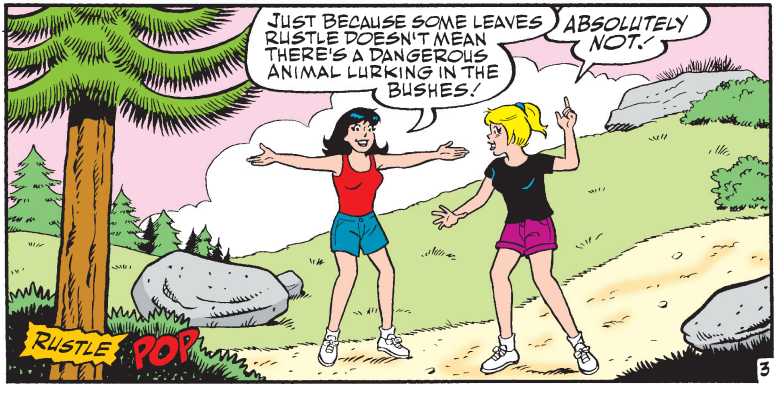
EEK!
IT'S THE BEAR!


GASP!
RUN FOR YOUR LIFE!!
RUSTLE


HEY! WAIT FOR ME!
YEOW!

PUFF! PUFF! IS ANYTHING AFTER US ?!
N-NO! I GUESS IT'S SAFE TO STOP RUNNING NOW!


TEE-HEE! I THINK WE MAY HAVE OVERREACTED JUST A BIT.
YOU MAY BE RIGHT.


JUST BECAUSE SOME LEAVES RUSTLE DOESN'T MEAN THERE'S A DANGEROUS ANIMAL LURKING IN THE BUSHES.
ABSOLUTELY NOT.
RUSTLE
POP

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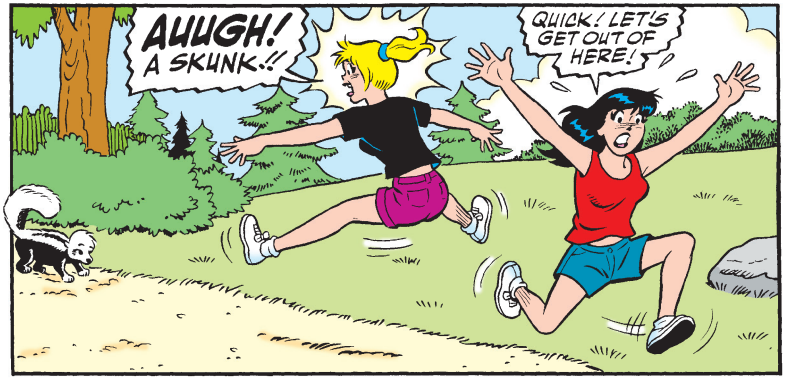
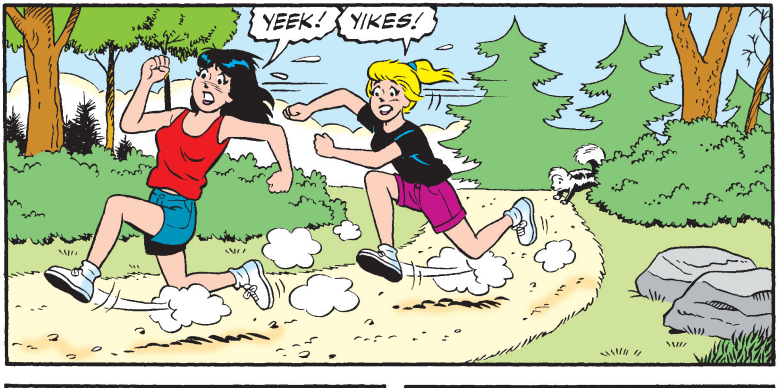
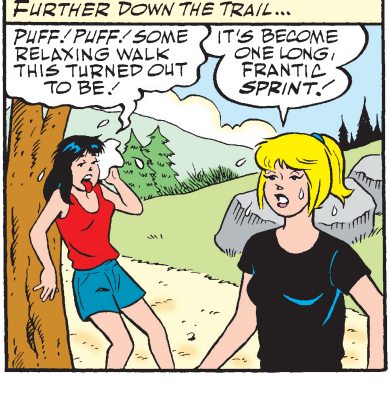
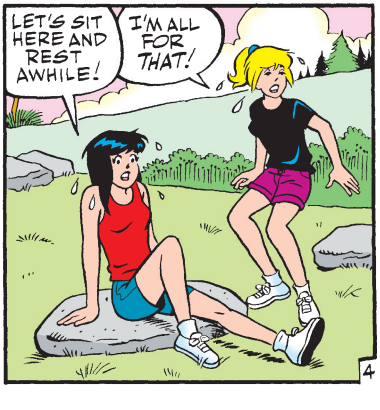
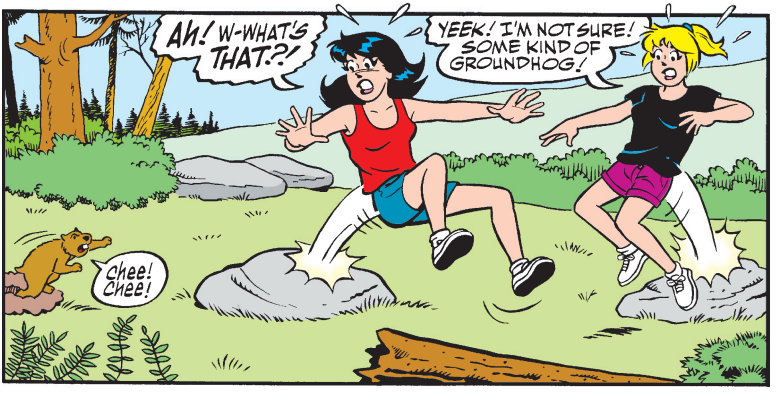
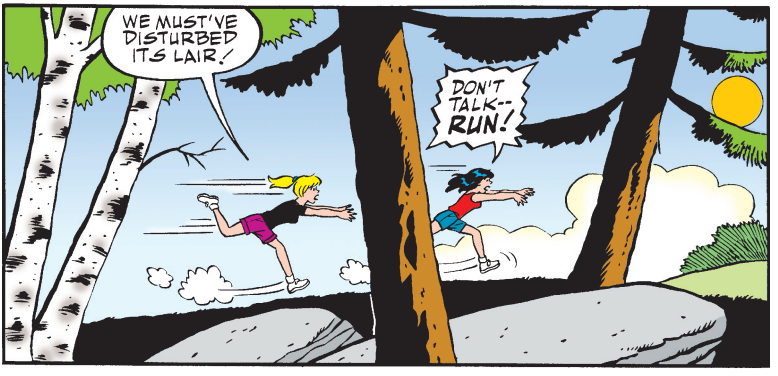

AUUGH! A SKUNK.!!
QUICK! LET'S GET OUT OF HERE!

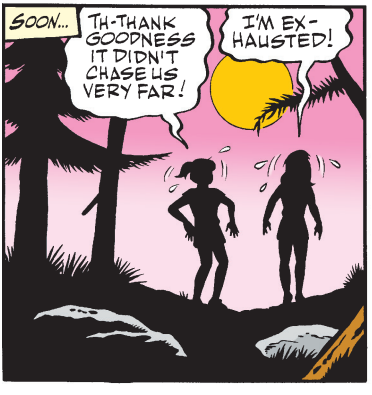

YEEK!
YIKES!

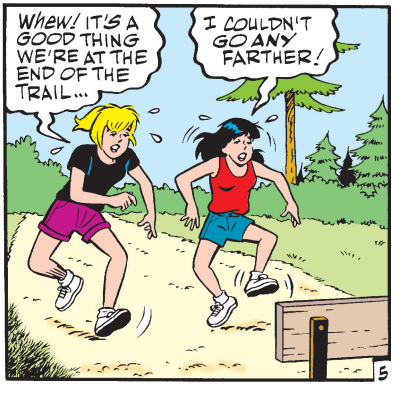

FURTHER DOWN THE TRAIL...
PUFF! PUFF! SOME RELAXING WALK THIS TURNED OUT TO BE!
IT'S BECOME ONE LONG, FRANTIC SPRINT!

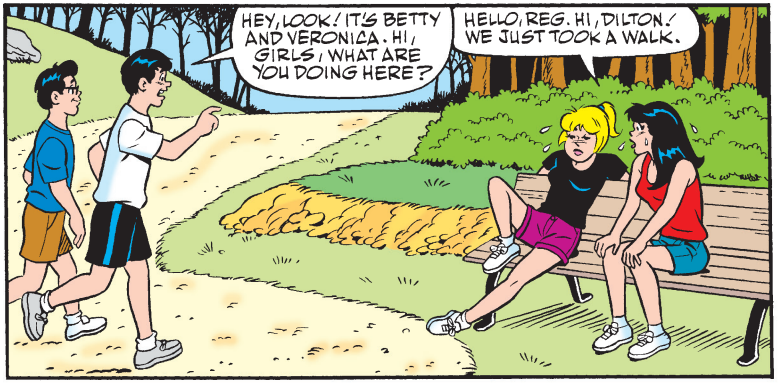

LET'S SIT HERE AND REST AWHILE!
I'M ALL FOR THAT!

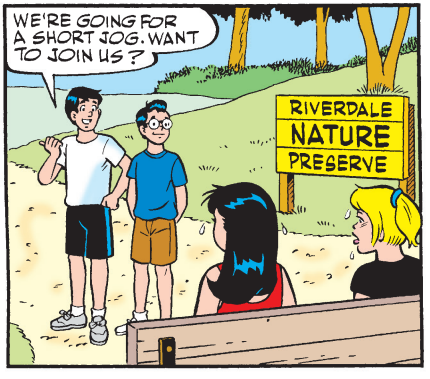

Ah! W-WHAT'S THAT?!
YEEK! I'M NOT SURE! SOME KIND OF GROUNDHOG!
Chee! Chee!

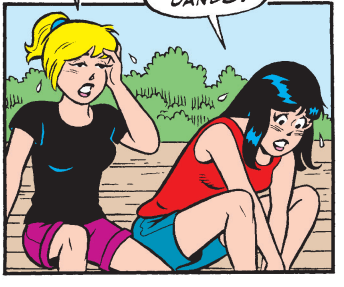

WE MUST'VE DISTURBED ITS LAIR!
DON'T TALK-- RUN!

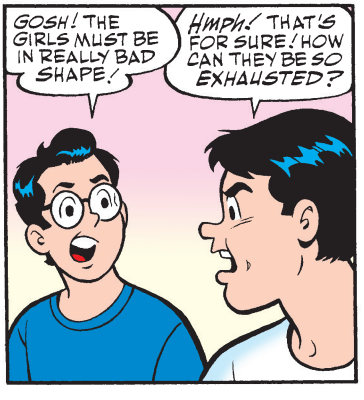

SOON...
TH-THANK GOODNESS IT DIDN'T CHASE US VERY FAR!
I'M EX-HAUSTED!

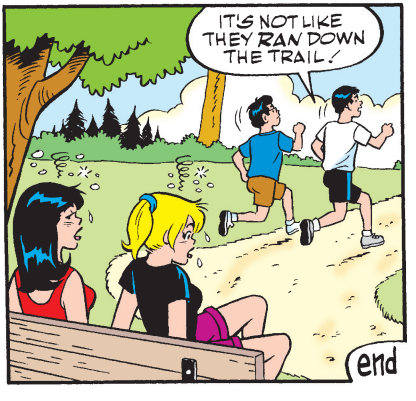

Whew! IT'S A GOOD THING WE'RE AT THE END OF THE TRAIL...
I COULDN'T GO ANY FARTHER!


HEY, LOOK! IT'S BETTY AND VERONICA. HI, GIRLS, WHAT ARE YOU DOING HERE?
HELLO, REG. HI, DILTON! WE JUST TOOK A WALK.


WE'RE GOING FOR A SHORT JOG. WANT TO JOIN US?
RIVERDALE NATURE PRESERVE


WE'RE MUCH TOO TIRED!
MY LEGS FEEL LIKE LIMP RUBBER BANDS!


GOSH! THE GIRLS MUST BE IN REALLY BAD SHAPE!
HMPH! THAT'S FOR SURE! HOW CAN THEY BE SO EXHAUSTED?


IT'S NOT LIKE THEY RAN DOWN THE TRAIL!
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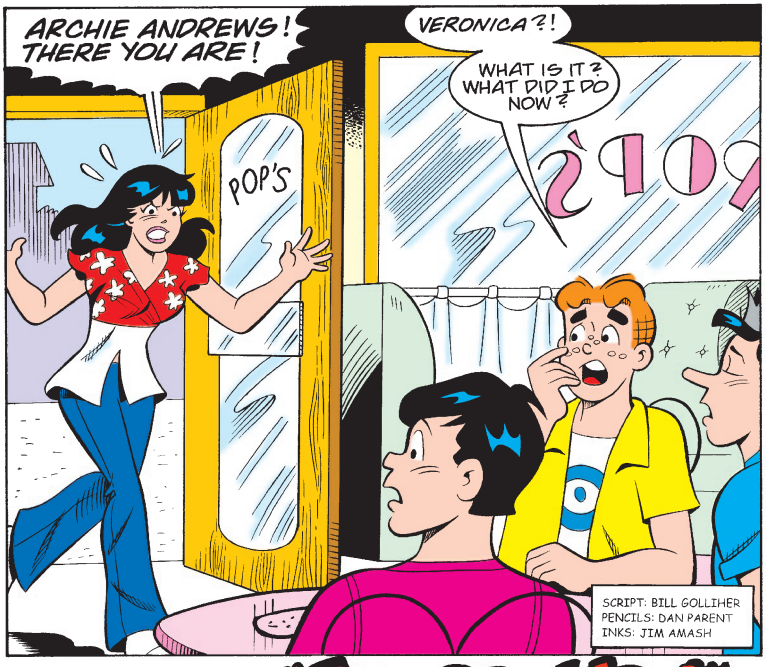
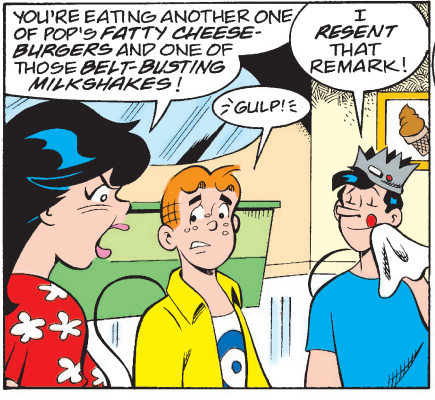
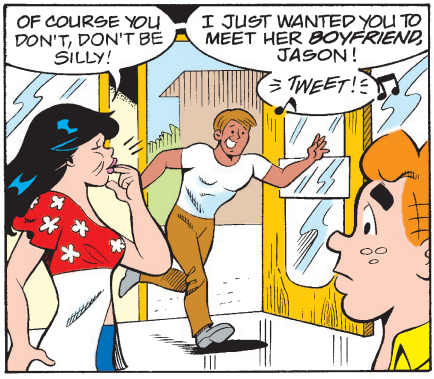
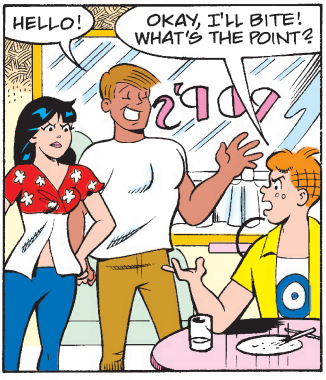
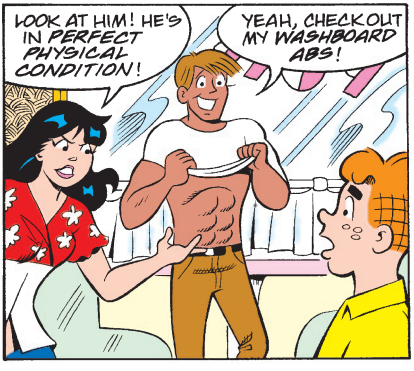


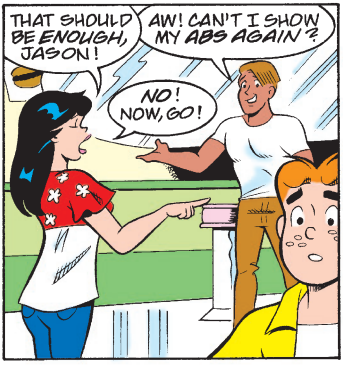

# Veronica in "SHAPE UP!"

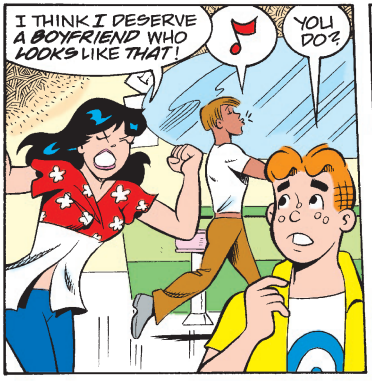



OF COURSE YOU DON'T, DON'T BE SILLY!
I JUST WANTED YOU TO MEET HER BOYFRIEND, JASON!
TWEET!

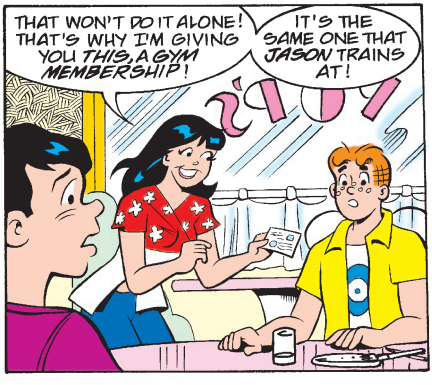

HELLO!
OKAY, I'LL BITE! WHAT'S THE POINT?


LOOK AT HIM! HE'S IN PERFECT PHYSICAL CONDITION!
YEAH, CHECK OUT MY WASHBOARD ABS!

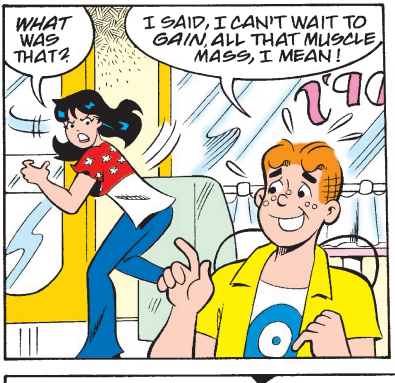

THAT SHOULD BE ENOUGH, JASON!
AW! CAN'T I SHOW MY ABS AGAIN?
NO! NOW, GO!

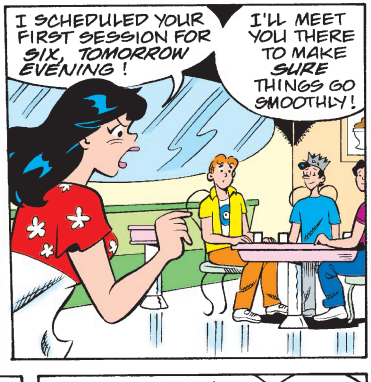

I THINK I DESERVE A BOYFRIEND WHO LOOKS LIKE THAT!
YOU DO?

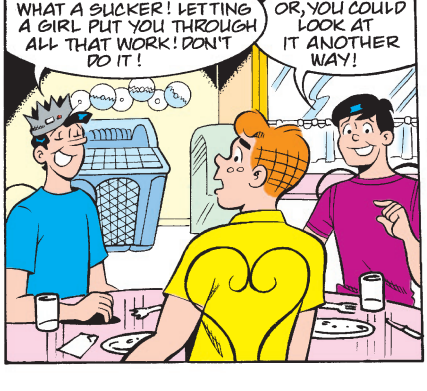
YES, BUT INSTEAD OF WASHBOARD ABS, YOU HAVE WASHTUB-SHAPED ONES AND SPASHETTI-SIZED BICEPS!
I'M SORRY! I'LL CUT BACK ON THE MILK-SHAKES!


THAT WON'T DO IT ALONE! THAT'S WHY I'M GIVING YOU THIS, A GYM MEMBERSHIP!
IT'S THE SAME ONE THAT JASON TRAINS AT!

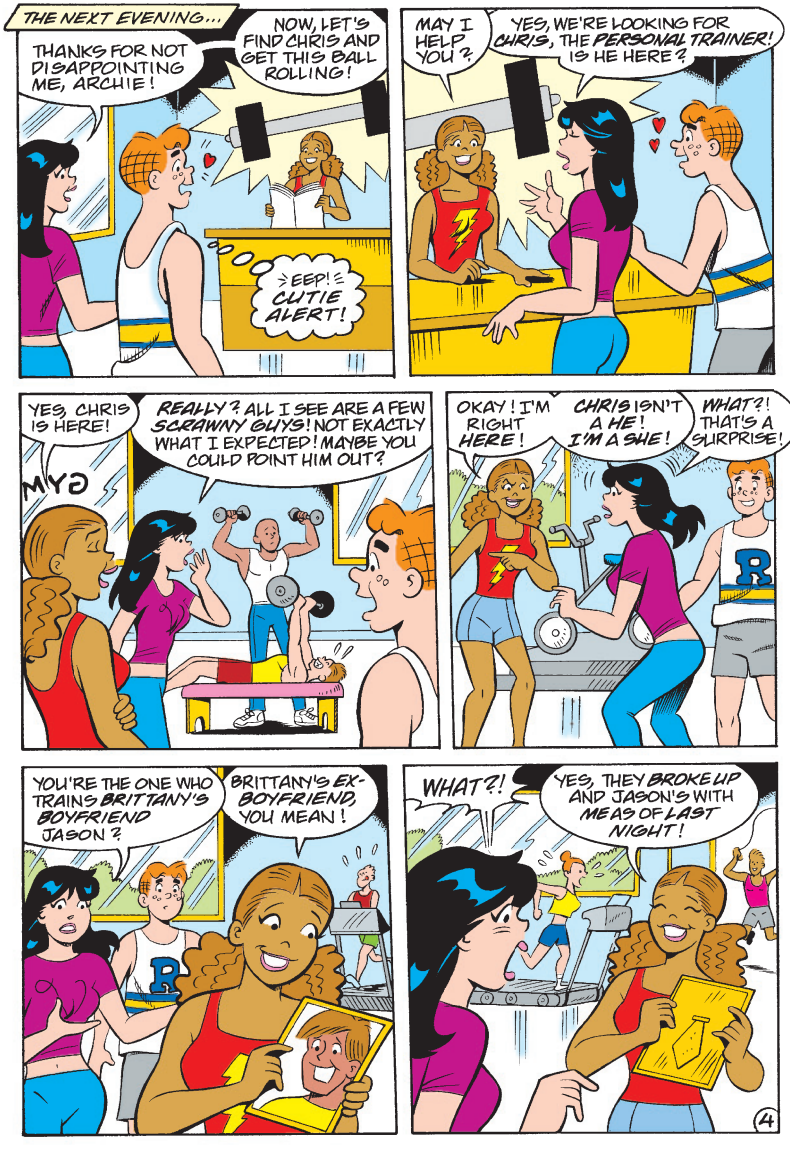
I'VE EVEN ARRANGED FOR YOU TO BE TRAINED BY JASON'S PERSONAL TRAINER CHRIS!
WHAT A PAIN!


WHAT WAS THAT?
I SAID, I CAN'T WAIT TO GAIN ALL THAT MUSCLE MASS, I MEAN!


I SCHEDULED YOUR FIRST SESSION FOR SIX, TOMORROW EVENING!
I'LL MEET YOU THERE TO MAKE SURE THINGS GO SMOOTHLY!


WHAT A SUCKER! LETTING A GIRL PUT YOU THROUGH ALL THAT WORK! DON'T DO IT!
OR, YOU COULD LOOK AT IT ANOTHER WAY!

IT'S A GREAT GIFT! YOU HAVE A PAID GYM MEMBERSHIP COMPLETE WITH A PERSONAL TRAINER! GO FOR IT!
SAY, YOU'RE RIGHT! I'LL DO IT!


THE NEXT EVENING...
THANKS FOR NOT DISAPPOINTING ME, ARCHIE!
NOW, LET'S FIND CHRIS AND GET THIS BALL ROLLING!
EEP! CUTIE ALERT!
MAY I HELP YOU?
YES, WE'RE LOOKING FOR CHRIS, THE PERSONAL TRAINER! IS HE HERE?
YES, CHRIS IS HERE!
REALLY? ALL I SEE ARE A FEW SCRAWNY GUYS! NOT EXACTLY WHAT I EXPECTED! MAYBE YOU COULD POINT HIM OUT?
OKAY! I'M RIGHT HERE!
CHRIS ISN'T A HE! I'M A SHE!
WHAT?! THAT'S A SURPRISE!
YOU'RE THE ONE WHO TRAINS BRITTANY'S BOYFRIEND JASON?
BRITTANY'S EX-BOYFRIEND, YOU MEAN!
WHAT?!
YES, THEY BROKE UP AND JASON'S WITH ME AS OF LAST NIGHT!
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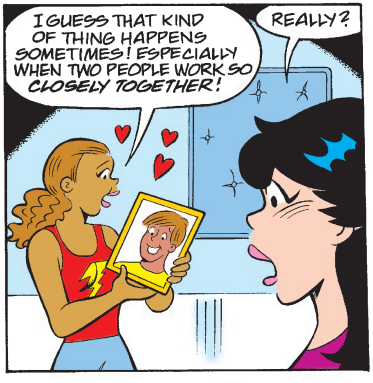
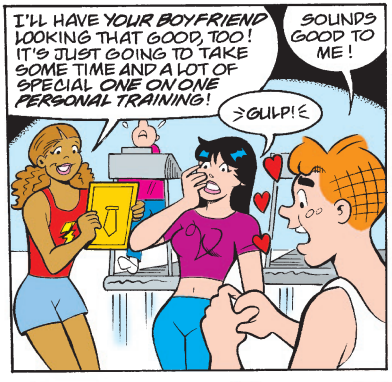
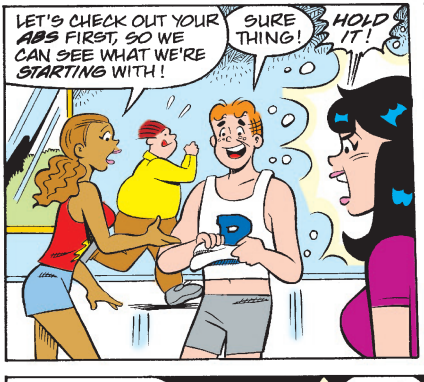
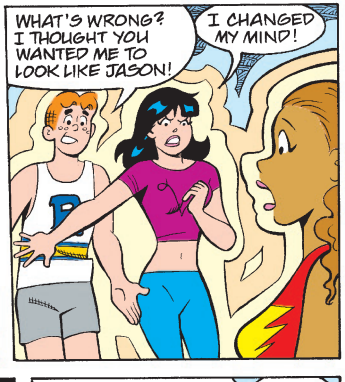
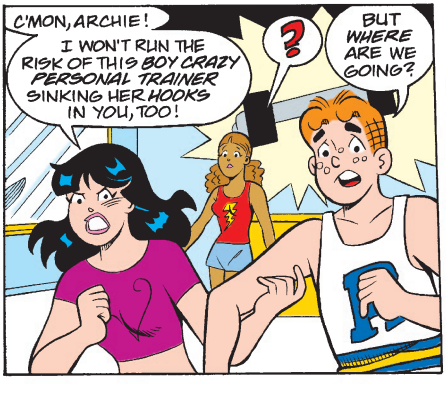
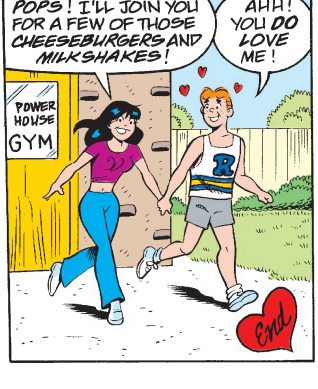

I GUESS THAT KIND OF THING HAPPENS SOMETIMES! ESPECIALLY WHEN TWO PEOPLE WORK SO CLOSELY TOGETHER!
REALLY?


I'LL HAVE YOUR BOYFRIEND LOOKING THAT GOOD, TOO! IT'S JUST GOING TO TAKE SOME TIME AND A LOT OF SPECIAL ONE ON ONE PERSONAL TRAINING!
SOUNDS GOOD TO ME!
>GULP!<


LET'S CHECK OUT YOUR ABS FIRST, SO WE CAN SEE WHAT WE'RE STARTING WITH!
SURE THING!
HOLD IT!


WHAT'S WRONG? I THOUGHT YOU WANTED ME TO LOOK LIKE JASON!
I CHANGED MY MIND!


C'MON, ARCHIE!
I WON'T RUN THE RISK OF THIS BOY CRAZY PERSONAL TRAINER SINKING HER HOOKS IN YOU, TOO!
?
BUT WHERE ARE WE GOING?


POPS! I'LL JOIN YOU FOR A FEW OF THOSE CHEESEBURGERS AND MILKSHAKES!
AHH! YOU DO LOVE ME!
POWER HOUSE GYM
End

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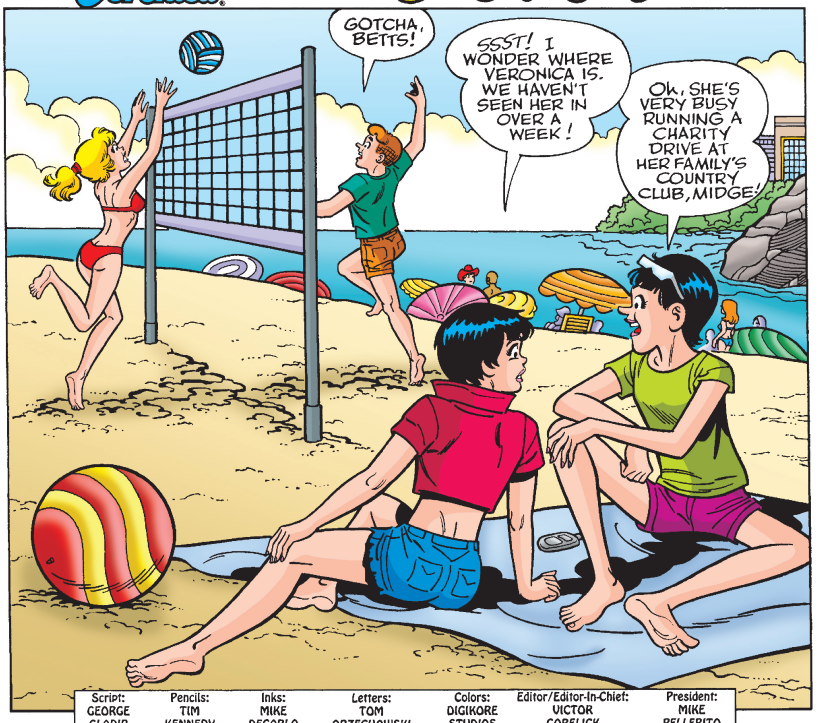


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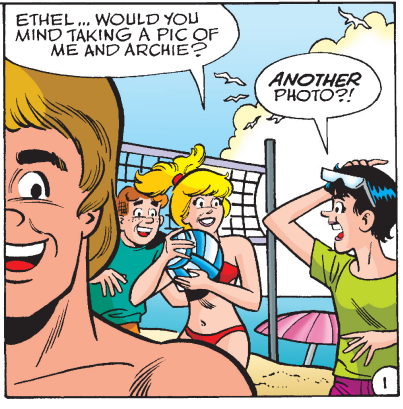
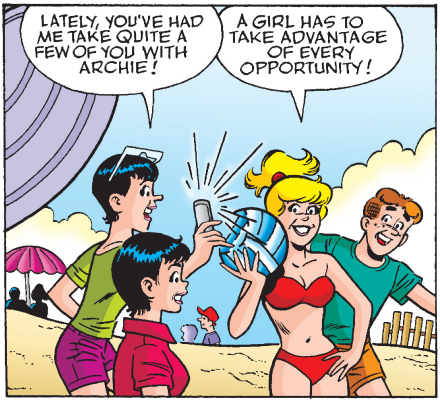
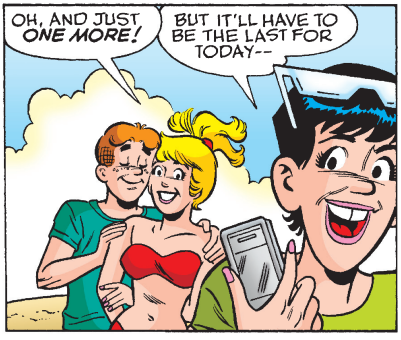
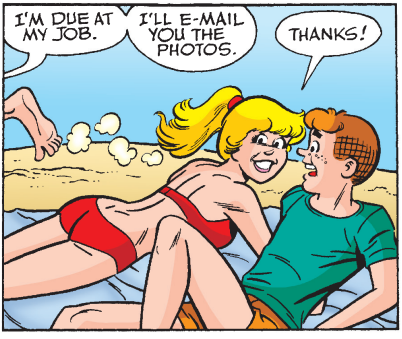
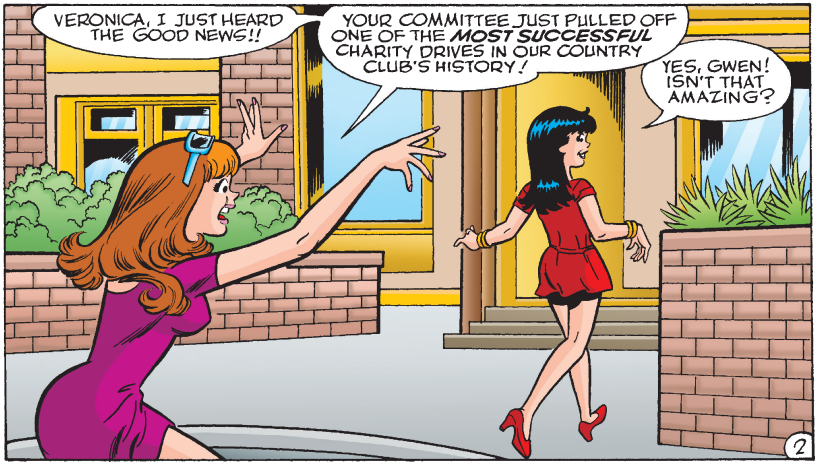



LATELY, YOU'VE HAD ME TAKE QUITE A FEW OF YOU WITH ARCHIE!
A GIRL HAS TO TAKE ADVANTAGE OF EVERY OPPORTUNITY!

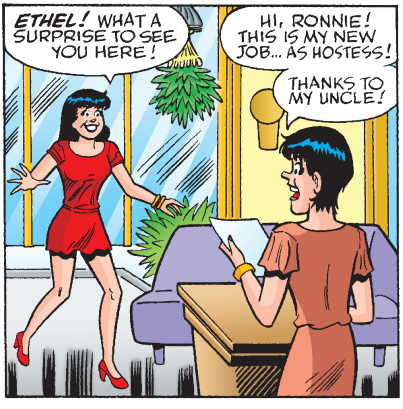
-- AND WHAT WITH VERONICA BEING AWAY...
GOTCHA!

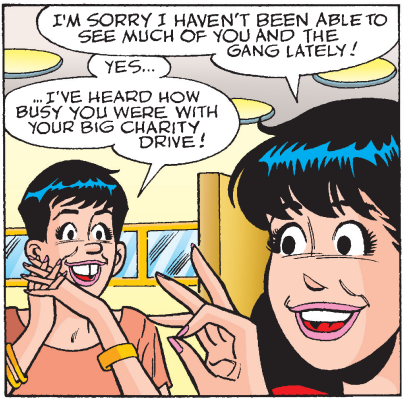

OH, AND JUST ONE MORE!
BUT IT'LL HAVE TO BE THE LAST FOR TODAY--


I'M DUE AT MY JOB.
I'LL E-MAIL YOU THE PHOTOS.
THANKS!

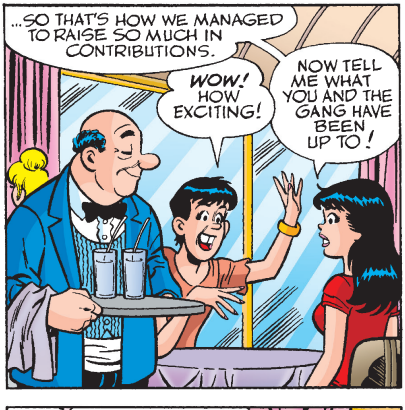

VERONICA, I JUST HEARD THE GOOD NEWS!!
YOUR COMMITTEE JUST PULLED OFF ONE OF THE MOST SUCCESSFUL CHARITY DRIVES IN OUR COUNTRY CLUB'S HISTORY!
YES, GWEN! ISN'T THAT AMAZING?

AND AS CHAIRPERSON OF OUR FUNDRAISING COMMITTEE, I'M TO BE HONORED AT A SPECIAL EVENT!
THAT'S WONDERFUL!
WHICH CREATES A BIG PROBLEM FOR ME, THOUGH!
WHAT'S THE PROBLEM?
HAVING TO PICK AN ESCORT FROM ALL THE AWESOME GUYS AT OUR COUNTRY CLUB!
THAT'S WHY I'D LIKE YOUR INPUT TO HELP ME DECIDE.
I'LL BE ONLY TOO HAPPY TO HELP!
...BUT I HAVE TO SEE SOMEONE THIS INSTANT!!
IT WILL ONLY TAKE A FEW MINUTES.
WHERE WILL WE MEET?
I'LL BE IN OUR CLUB'S RESTAURANT. I'M STARVED!
CLUB RESTAURANT


ETHEL! WHAT A SURPRISE TO SEE YOU HERE!
HI, RONNIE! THIS IS MY NEW JOB... AS HOSTESS!
THANKS TO MY UNCLE!


I'M SORRY I HAVEN'T BEEN ABLE TO SEE MUCH OF YOU AND THE GANG LATELY!
YES...
...I'VE HEARD HOW BUSY YOU WERE WITH YOUR BIG CHARITY DRIVE!

I'M ABOUT TO TAKE A BREAK...
...SO WHY DON'T WE SIT DOWN AND YOU CAN TELL ME ALL ABOUT IT!


...SO THAT'S HOW WE MANAGED TO RAISE SO MUCH IN CONTRIBUTIONS.
WOW! HOW EXCITING!
NOW TELL ME WHAT YOU AND THE GANG HAVE BEEN UP TO!

WELL... WE'VE BEEN EVERYWHERE!...
...AT THE BEACH AND THE BIG FAIR AND WE EVEN HAD A PICNIC!!
I HOPE YOU TOOK SOME PICTURES OF YOUR OUTINGS!

NO...
...BUT I MANAGED TO TAKE A FEW PHOTOS WITH MY iPHONE!
I'D LIKE TO SEE THEM!!

AT THIS BEACH VOLLEYBALL GAME, BETTY HAD SOME GREAT MOVES!
ESPECIALLY ON ARCHIE!!
THIS ONE WAS AT A PICNIC WHERE WE ALL HAD MANY YUMMY ITEMS TO CHOOSE FROM!
...AND BETTY OBVIOUSLY PICKED THE YUMMIEST!
AND HERE'S ONE AT THE FAIR, WHERE BETTY WON QUITE A FEW PRIZES!
INCLUDING THE TOP PRIZE...
--MY ARCHIE!!

WELL -- I THINK I'M WANTED...
... IT'S BEEN NICE TALKING TO YOU, RONNIE!
SAME HERE, ETHEL!
HMMPH!!
THAT BETTY CERTAINLY DIDN'T WASTE ANY TIME GETTING HER CLAWS ON ARCHIE!!
HI, RONNIE! I'M BACK TO HELP YOU SELECT YOUR ESCORT.
I'VE ALREADY DECIDED, GWEN!
MY CHOICE IS A NON-MEMBER BY THE NAME OF ARCHIE ANDREWS.
IN FACT, I'M ABOUT TO CALL HIM RIGHT NOW!
HI, ARCHIE! OUR CLUB IS HONORING ME AT A SPECIAL AFFAIR...
... AND I'D LIKE YOU TO BE MY SPECIAL ESCORT!!
WOW! SHE'S ASKING A NON-MEMBER!
HE MUST BE ONE HOT DUDE!
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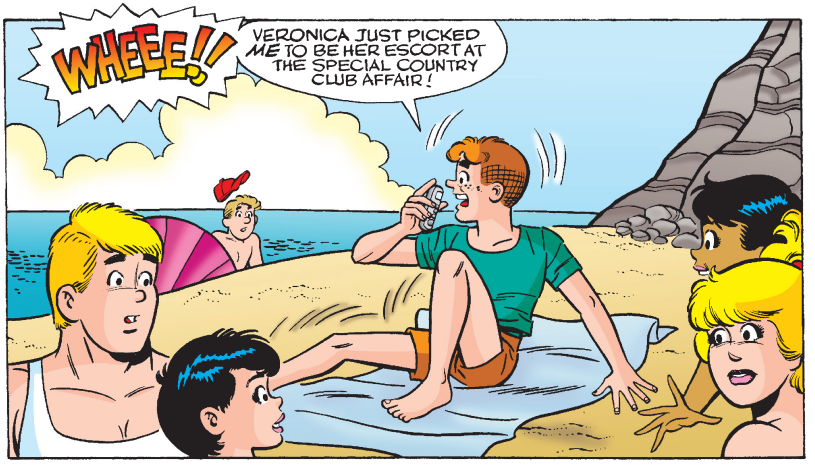
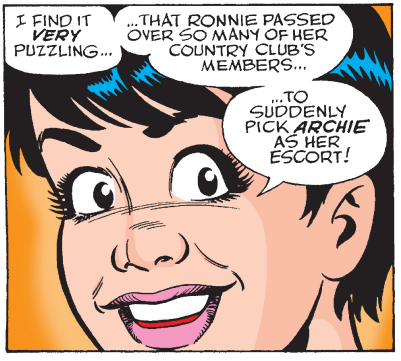
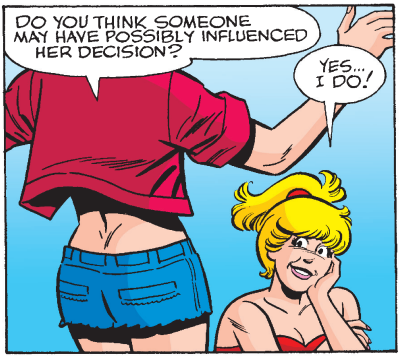
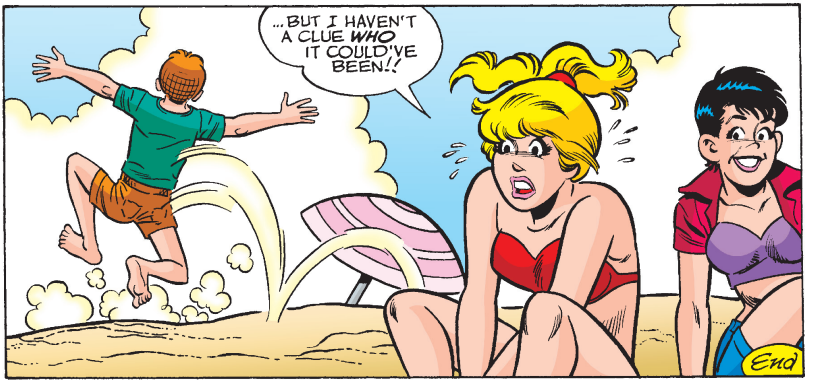

WHEEE!!
VERONICA JUST PICKED ME TO BE HER ESCORT AT THE SPECIAL COUNTRY CLUB AFFAIR!


I FIND IT VERY PUZZLING...
...THAT RONNIE PASSED OVER SO MANY OF HER COUNTRY CLUB'S MEMBERS...
...TO SUDDENLY PICK ARCHIE AS HER ESCORT!


DO YOU THINK SOMEONE MAY HAVE POSSIBLY INFLUENCED HER DECISION?
YES... I DO!


...BUT I HAVEN'T A CLUE WHO IT COULD'VE BEEN!!
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