

Mrath of Slipe

The "finally get a decent print run for Ghu" issue Monday 8 April—Before Steve finishes his DCM Shift

Those Missing Wrath of Ghu Footnotes in Full

- . Patty Wells and the East Frinton Ten Pin Bowling Team.
- Gaffer Tape
- North Uitsera, South Uitsera and Finistere.
- Madame Cholet
- . [This footnote has been deleted on grounds of good taste.]
- By the Monday evening of the convention, we recommend Body Shop Peppermint Foot Lotion to keep them in trim. Nice for feet too.

Superfluous Jewellery



Willowy, winsome witch Gytha Ogg North (19) displays her trinkets for all to see.

Too Many Cooks Spoil the Wrath

We must apologise for the staggering range of errors that crept into the poor quality rag overleaf. The fillos were actually drawn by Suzannah Raymond (Unicorn) and Jay Hurst (Yale), and James Steel has no e in his name.

Without Due Care and Attention

The boxes of champagne, lager'n'lime and rum flavoured condoms auctioned for United Fan Funds last night helpfully stated: "Government Health Warning: Do not Drive Whilst Using this Product". Presumably putting is no problem.

Raffle Correction

In the last issue of Wrath of Ghu we may have inadvertently implied that the book raffle was interminable. It has now been brought to our attention that one of our editors has won a major prize in the raffle. The use of the word "dull" was in fact a typo and should have read "delightful". Please can we have the books now?

Spies R Us

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Own Your Own Teapot



The award-winning costume, 12th century Soup Dragon will be auctioned at the Dead Dog party on behalf of the Zagreb in 99 bid. All bids grate-fully received.

Dreadful Warning

For those of you still in the Radisson Reconfigurable tonight, you should be aware that it will be reinitialised into its weekday pattern at twelve o'clock tonight. This means that all the information you've painstakingly built up over the weekend will be for naught, and you don't have a chance of finding breakfast. Please try to ensure that you aren't standing in a doorway or a lift at the stroke of midnight.

The Wrath of Slime has been brought to you by Giulia de Cesare (Little),Steven Cain (Teapot), Patty Wells (Short), Alison Scott (Stout), Mike Scott (Handle) and Steve Davies (Spout). As ever, all footnotes have been checked for accuracy and completeness.⁵



Antediluvian Issue

Better come inside; it looks a bit like rain

Not the Evolution Newsletter, Monday afternoon 8 April 1996 Ed. the Talking Horse

Repent Sinners!

It has come to Ghu's attention that many of you have been coming down from the trees, crawling out of the sea and opposing your thumbs. This decadent behaviour must stop immediately. When I made all the creatures of heaven and earth, I didn't intend for you to show **initiative**. As the fire and brimstone doesn't seem to worry you, I'm sending you a flood. Just in case you think I'm joking, here's a hint: sell suntan lotion futures.

However, Ghu is a merciful ghod and is prepared to save one family of fans in order to produce fanzines of praise to Ghu, and you <insert name here>, yes you reading this one copy of the newsletter, have been selected. Listen up, or learn to swim with the rest of the rabble. Two by two you must collect them, of every con badge according to its sort. (And that includes the magic badge that gets you free drinks from the bar so that you can become drunk for the honour of Ghu.) Praise Ghu and pass the ale.



Programme Changes

6pm County Suite: Stephen J Ghu explains that the alleged inconsistencies in the Burgess Shale fossils were in fact typos from when Ghu pulled an allnighter to get the world out before everyone had left the bar. This is why they were found in a layer of thick Corflu.

Newsletters Evolve

Rumours that Evolution's entirely separate and distinct newsletters are interbreeding are false. A spokesman for Ghu said today "I created them individually and perfect." [Historical note: This is not entirely true. For example, if they had been perfect he would have given them laser printers that worked and a better understanding of footnotes.¹] Any miscegenation between newsletters is a mortal sin and I'll turn the lot into a pillar of salt." Scientific data indicating that F1 hybrids are occurring is thought to have been faked.



Piltdown Moose

Scientists have been astonished by the recent discovery of the skull of a creature that clearly proves that man was descended from a moose. The cranium, which was recently uncarthed from rubble following an explosion in Docklands, has one antler and one deelybopper. Eminent reproductive scientist Dr J*ck C*h*n said "This is certainly a genuine fossil, and provides the clearest evidence yet that intelligent moose walked upright and used tools." Shaggy was unavailable for comment.

Primordial Ghu is a Ghodless half-caste. Travelling on the Ark were Steven Cain (Noah), Alison Scott (Noah's wife), Steve Davies (Ham, Shem and Japheth), Giulia de Cesare (Their wives), and the Primordial Slime Team (all the clean and unclean creatures of the earth). Logo and fillos by James Steele (The Gryphon)(left on shore, unfortunately.)