EVERY CURRENT LEV RESIDENT Chooses TO STAY IN THEIR ROOM AFTER HOUSING LOTTERY

Cambridge, MA – With the housing lottery and room picks over for all rising seniors and juniors in Leverett House, the posting of next year’s rooms on the official House website has revealed a surprising result: every single rooming group and individual in Leverett stayed the same and picked the room that they had this year. When reached for comment, Leverett residents gave various justifications for their decisions.

“The renovated housing in McKinlock Hall is just fantastic,” said rising senior Jared Creatine ’16. “Why should I get a different room when my spacious hallway single has everything I need?” This sentiment was echoed by a number of hallway single residents, including Chastity Brodown ’16. “My room is right across from the entryway common room. It’s so convenient!” said the junior economics concentrator.

Those in the towers had slightly different reasons for staying in their current rooms. “I know it’s normal for juniors to live on the higher floors than sophomores in the tower,” said Chris Kramer ’16. “But I’m afraid of my heights. Actually, everyone in my suite is—that’s how we met in the first place, at a meeting for the Harvard College Society for the Acrophobic. Anyway, I could never handle living any higher than the third floor.”

DeWolfe residents had their own reasoning for not changing rooms. “I’ve always seen myself as a loner, a sort of lone wolf,” said a DeWolfe Leverite who elected to stay anonymous when interviewed. “DeWolfe satisfies this part of my personality in multiple ways: I get to live in a building outside the house, I get to cook my own food in my kitchen, and the word “wolf” is in the name of my building!”

With only the higher-end traditional senior housing available, there has been rampant speculation.
WHAT TO DO ON WEEKENDS

Time management is one of the trickiest things to master in college, so it’s important to plan your weekends in advance. If you’re running out of ideas, then feel free to look through some of our suggestions below.

GET AHEAD ON HOMEWORK: After a long week of class, there’s nothing like sitting in your common room, putting your feet up, and cracking open some readings for section. If you focus hard enough on preparing for your best paper, you won’t even notice your 20s slipping slowly away from you!

THROW A SURPRISE BIRTHDAY PARTY FOR A FRIEND: Buy a cake, gather up all his friends in one room and jump out when he gets there. Easy! Then sing Happy Birthday to him while he stands there wishing the song would end as soon as possible. Then cake! Make sure he cuts the cake for everyone because he’s the man of the hour, and by default should be serving the food.

SHOW UP AT ONE OF THE FINAL CLUBS AND SAY YOU KNOW RYAN: Every final club has at least one guy named Ryan, so whoever is on door that night should let you in. If the guy at the door’s name is Ryan, then RUN. RUN AWAY AS FAST AS YOU CAN DON’T LOOK BACK.

EXERCISE: Well, you might not have time this weekend, but maybe next weekend. Actually you have a paper due that Sunday, so maybe the week after. I wonder if the Lev gym is open over the summer.

HAVE A QUIET NIGHT IN WITH YOUR CLOSEST FRIENDS LIKE A TOTAL LOSER: Worst-case scenario, you can casually hang out with the people you enjoy the most, like a social outcast. You’ll have a great time catching up, joking around, and trying to forget about the countless parties that could be validating your youth. If alumni miss anything from college, it’s fist pumping in the dark with a bunch of sweaty strangers.

MYSTERY MOVIE QUOTE:

“Welcome to the f**king show”

LAST WEEK’S ANSWER:

The Goofy Movie

“Max, look, it’s the leaning tower of cheesas!”

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Continued from the upcoming rising sophomore housing lottery. At this point, however, it is almost guaranteed that rooms such as the 5th floor quint in McKinlock will be occupied by members of the class of 2018. The news didn’t seem to bother any current House residents. “Hey, this was my own choice,” said Creatine ’16. “And what better way is there to welcome sophomores into the house than to give them senior housing?”