

# StuTalk

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## FUNNY QUOTES

- ❖ Life is uncertain... Eat desert first!
- ❖ Never get into fights with ugly people, they have nothing to lose.
- ❖ Instead of getting married again, I'm going to find a women I don't like and just give her a house.
- ❖ Join the army! Travel the world, meet interesting people, and kill them.
- ❖ I always lie. Infact I am lying right now.
- ❖ The probability of someone watching you is proportional to the stupidity of your action.
- ❖ I'm willing to make mistakes if someone else is willing to learn from them.

## CONGRATULATIONS

- ❖ Prashanth Kumar Srivastava (IV B.Tech-CSE) got selected for Infosys.
- ❖ P. Mansa (IV-B.Tech-ECE) got selected for Satyam Computers.

## Editor's desk:

When resurrecting the idea of a college newsletter cropped up, everyone started having déjà-vu visions of the college newsletter's failed attempts to get launched. But hey, Rome was not built in a single day and man's successful attempt to fly was after many failed re-runs courtesy the Wright brothers. There were some who murmured under his or her breath almost wondering aloud about why I shouldn't just give up but too polite to say it upfront. Even though the thought of just 'throwing in the towel' came to me many a-times, I couldn't 'give in' just yet. Maybe because I had developed a special bond in my 4 years time of my life with the college and its people which compelled me to leave behind a legacy even if it benefits this institution just a little.

My memories just flash by sometimes, it seems just like the very other day I was in my first year, attending my college in a half built building, literally seeing it being built (even enduring) up to its present status. But now the college being totally complete, comprising not only B.Tech students but also MBA and MCA students, a newsletter to compliment and commemorate this great institution wouldn't be an incorrect proposition. And therefore through collective effort of a few daring students and with the support of Principal and Management this 'Frankenstein' was born at last.

So here we are releasing a brand new newsletter quite aptly named 'stuTalk' (that would make us the 'stuTalkers'), complete with rich set of articles, reviews, campus news, etc., will keep you abreast with whatever is the latest. To battle college stress we even threw in a slew of jokes and cartoons. There are even polls to voice-in your concerns. Over time, we plan to upgrade this monthly newsletter to a full-fledged monthly magazine (Think big!).

In this very first edition of 'stuTalk' we bring news on the Satyam's visit to VBIT, few articles, one movie review on the latest blockbuster 'TRANSFORMERS', one game review on a popular game known as 'F.E.A.R (first encounter assault recon)' and a book review summarizing an entire series of 'HARRY POTTER' collection.

I hope everyone will enjoy this issue of 'stuTalk', and there would be many more issues to come. So stay tuned!

**Sujoy Ghosh**

## Messages....

*"I am very happy that the students have brought out this bulletin. The management will encourage the students and provide the required facilities."*

*- Dr. C. Gautham Rao, Chairman*

*"Such a bulletin is long over due and I am happy that the students have finally made an effort. I wish them all the best in their future ventures."*

*- Dr. G. Manohar Reddy, Secretary*

*"A Good beginning worth continuing."*

*- Dr. G. Ram Prasad, Principal*

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## RAGGING MAKES ONE BOLD

A statement with inherent contradictions

K. Murali Krishna(III-B.Tech-E.C.E.)

I have several times been confronted with the argument that Ragging makes one bold. So many times, have I been challenged on this, that I thought I would try to analyze it and thus I present this article.

To pick up with examples, people tell me that in life we would face situations where our seniors in our professional life (other high end people) would stress us and ask for unwarranted things from us. Ragging prepares us for the same, so that we don't break down in such circumstances. Thus it makes us strong! It increases our resistance power.



Let us consider, what is Boldness. I think boldness is actually taking a stand for ones principles and truth, even when the person knows that he could lose something for taking this stand or it can become dangerous for him. Acceptance of wrong done to you and not breaking-down is not in my conception Boldness. It is revolting against the wrong done to you and not breaking down!

Boldness as instilled by ragging is a weak acceptance of fate by people who dont believe in themselves. Teaching such boldness is definitely wrong, you

are converting people into non-believers. It is not true boldness which means to fight for ones cause, rights and principles.

Thus I don't believe that ragging makes one bold, it teaches us how to be exploited and mutely During ragging session, one is often asked to dance in public, do funny things as to climb the tree, or say something

stupid loudly in public/college/bus travel, White dress, black school shoes, properly oiled inch long hair for boys and plats for girls and ?yes sir'. One example is imagine being a duck and then 'quack' around in the campus."

I accept that this does help the person in defeating his shyness and introvert character (if it is the case with him/her). Infact I wont say I completely oppose this kind of ragging. However, this behavior does attribute to challenge a person's fundamental freedom of choice, adds to destroying the individuality of the person and playing with his sensitivity. Thus there is a trade-off. It is debatable whether it is fair to strip one of his freedom of choice arguing that it is beneficial for him in the long run!

The usefulness of the above kind of ragging can be achieved in other ways of interaction like group discussions, debates, theatre, sports, social visits, etc. during the first year which can be made compulsory. My idea is that if this kind of ragging has some educational value, it should be made a part of the curriculum and done in a systematic way. We rather leave it to the senior who I feel is not driven by the educational experience he is providing to the junior, but for his want of deriving sadistic pleasure and revenge through a ne v 'murga'; we cannot be sure when he crosses the line and moves to the other side of the trade off!

Thus, I strongly object to this kind of ragging not only due to its unprincipled and unethical nature, but because it instills the worst kind of courage into a person.. This ragging indeed moulds fresher in this way, as is proved when the fresher become perpetrators in the second year!

Conclusively, I will jump too far to say that ragging has a inherent invisible role in increasing the crime in India! I have been able to convince myself that extra smart and physical ragging doesn't instill 'BOLDNESS AND COURAGE' into a person., non-resistively accept it.

At the end I like to stress that we are in college for a purpose, do not let ragging ruin our studies. There is no readymade formula to get out of it. Just we have to understand the situation and handle it. Remember it is a short lived experience!

## SATYAM'S VISIT TO OUR COLLEGE

K.Preeti (II-B.Tech-IT)

Satyam Computer Service's limited, a leading global consulting and IT services company offers a wide array of solutions customized for a range of key verticals and horizontals. Satyam straddles the entire IT space. Satyam's network spans 57countries, across 6 continents. Nearly 42,500 dedicated and highly skilled IT professionals work in development centers in India, the USA, the UK, the UAE, Canada, Hungary, Singapore, Malaysia, China, Japan and Australia and serve over 570 global companies, including over 165 Fortune 500 corporations.

It was the day full of excitement and anxiousness for the hour of SATYAM team's visit to our college. Students were very much enthusiastic and vehemently looking forward to meet the DGM of SATYAM to put forth their doubts regarding the very ruling IT industry. The day 18th of September 2007 was a red letter day for all the students of VBIT. The SATYAM's talent acquisition team inspected our college and was warmly welcomed by the management and students.

SATYAM team interacted with the management and after which there was a power point presentation by our principal. Then they collaborated with the HOD's and faculty of all the departments, followed by a visit to all the departments and library. Finally, after a talk with some of our students, Mr. Anil K Mudaliar said, "I am very much impressed by the students, they are really good". Isn't that a very good compliment, folks?

Very fortuitously, the DGM spared few minutes with stuTalkers. We spoke to him and asked him few questions that are as follows:

StuTalker: What are the basic skills required by the IT industry as expected from a fresher?

Satyam: The average fresher not only must meet the eligibility criteria with respect to the IT industry but also must possess a thorough understanding of his mainstream subjects. The recruiters also look for any additional subject knowledge possessed by the candidates.

StuTalker: Which stream in IT industry is currently flourishing?

Satyam: The Software development field in the IT industry is currently flourishing due to various outsourced projects overseas.

StuTalker: Any new ventures for Satyams?

Satyam: We are currently venturing into constructions, a uncharted territory although.

All the grade A universities like IIT and NIIT are termed as Platinum - 4 likewise all best engineering colleges as Platinum-2 and the coming up best colleges as Gold. Mr. Anil K Mudaliar said, "VBIT can also be graded as Gold with all probability".

By Nov, 2007 we expect to have SATYAM's ON campus placements.

A conclusion is simply the place where someone got tired of thinking. Arthur Block

# MOVIE REVIEW

## *Transformers: Their war. Our world.*

-- Sujoy Ghosh (IV-B.Tech-E.C.E.)

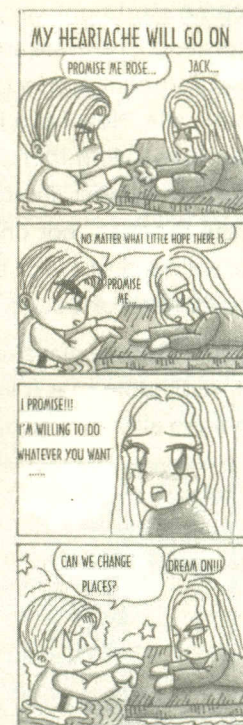
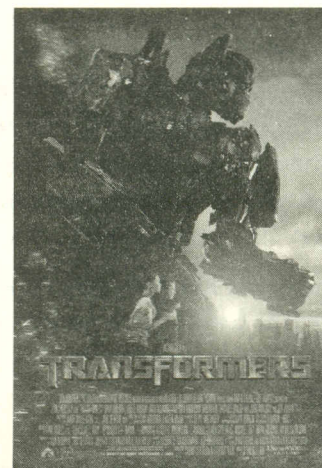
When I was a kid I used to like a lot of anime (hey, I still like them!), and one of the anime shows that used to come on cartoon network was 'Transformers' a Japanese anime about mechas from another alien planet which was destroyed by a catastrophe series of events between two warring factions namely the 'Autobots' (the good guys) and the 'Deceptions' (the bad guys...sorry no ugly) and as you might have guessed it from our own ingenious mythological stories like 'Ramayana' and 'Mahabharata', its story plot is 'good versus evil' (the ending is obvious... still we love them!). But what might be the role of puny insignificant humans you ask? The human involvement begins when their precious cube (over which they destroyed their planet...that's hilarious!) lands on earth and these mecha a.k.a robots, each so tall that they would make 'king Kong' look like a kid in front of them,( ahem... cough... cough) show up one sunny day to get their cube back. Few kids get involved with 'Autobots' when they discover their transform ability, their tragic story and 'Autobots' are the good guys. Therefore they decided to help out each other..the Autobots get their cube back and kids get to play 'Saviour of the world' thus preventing the alien (read ancient...) war from spilling on our planet. This was the jest of the story in the anime.

But hey! It was good and I really enjoyed watching the entire series so much that I began to wonder whether a 'Live action movie' could be made.

And voila...fortunately or unfortunately 'Hollywood' never disappoints me in the way it rakes in the moolah. Be it Doom (inspired from a computer game called Doom) or Resident evil (another game) etc... the list goes on. Thus they conspire to carbon copy the idea...replace all the actors with Americans....change and twist the plot to suit them (think Anu malik who gets inspired every sec)... throw in some special effects (nice fireworks)...and they actually manage to pull it off!

Okay, here is the scene change a boy in high school goes out with his dad to buy his first car (imagine that... and we ride bikes and buses) , stumbles upon a great looking beat up (ain't no ordinary beat up car, it's the classic Camaro). He gets this car to impress a hot chick from high school. One day, assuming his car getting stolen, follows it and discovers that it can transform. They get involved in series of mishaps and running in with 'Autobots' and 'Decepticons' to look for the cube. Oh! Did I mention getting scrutinized by secret service known as 'Section 7' and that the beat up Camaro converts in to the latest Cheverolet Camaro - concept edition (only four in the world...do I love cars or what!), who plays 'bumble bee', a chrome plated truck which plays 'Optimus prime', a Jaguar played by...eh forget it, and yeah F22 raptor (decepticon) played by 'Starscreen'... the cast list goes on forever. And the mayhem they cause is unbelievable... in short a movie worth to watch even if it requires you to kill! One of my friends on a holiday in US just saw it in 3D in full splendor and even has the nerve to brag about it.... (One of these days I will get back at him!)

**RATING: 7/10**



*He who laughs last has not yet heard the bad news. Bertolt Brecht*

# GAME REVIEW

F.E.A.R [First Encounter Assault Recon]

-- Kranthi (III-B.Tech-E.C.E.)

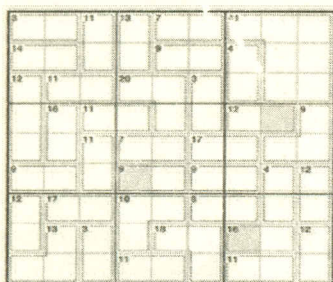
Are you the type who likes spooky and scary genres? Do you get glued to the TV when premieres of 'The Ring' or 'The Others' are shown on a Saturday night? Are you the type who seeks thrills exploring the unknown? (Better keep away from me, you freak!) And if you are into gaming then there wouldn't be any better way to spook yourself. PERIOD.

F.E.A.R developed by Sierra games that brought us many hit games like Half-Life, Counter-Strike is a game unlike any other game developed before. The game is so spooky and scary that the developers themselves were scared to play this game title alone (They say an idle mind is a devil's workshop, I wonder how idle were they to churn out such a game because they went so overboard that it surprised themselves.)

The game has high end to very high end graphics, the physics realism is so high especially in the particle physics, that every trajectory of the bullets ricochet through the halls, the corpses getting blown to smithereens by grenade splinters, the blood dust in the air makes it very real. The dynamic lighting effects are so superb that when a light bulb swings from the ceiling the lighting and shadows throughout the room changes dramatically as it would in real life. This gives us the impression of a world very real to our own. And this is exactly what was required for the developers to spook us to our bones. (And man, did they do it right!)

The game starts out very simple, that is you are part of a Special forces team known as F.E.A.R standing for First encounter assault recon, i.e. a FEAR operative. Something goes wrong in military facilities; one of their experiment subjects, with the ability to control clones of superhuman reflexes has escaped from the custody cells. Now here is the paranormal part, a previously 'failed' experimental subject's soul is roaming the facilities killing mercilessly anyone it sees. The soul is of an 8 yr old girl looking for some vengeance. The former subject 'Paxton fettle' with the ability to control clones army is no good either. He has taken over the facilities, not only killing every one on sight but also has a trait of cannibalism. You as the FEAR operative need to enter the facilities and eliminate Paxton fettle resisting attempts on your on life by Paxton himself or better by the soul of the 8 yr old girl.

The game literally plays with your inner psyche. The roll out of events and the places were you get spooked are so unpredictable that it would make you jump out of your seat. But the action, the scary events, the weapon arsenal are all very well balanced. The best feature of this game is to initiate slow motion whenever you are in a



Use the mouse to move the camera, to that all points, arrows and you have to use all the numbers from 1 to 9 in them. However, all of the numbers you use has the dotted '0' must also sum up to the number constant 45 with 4 '0's' in the top-left corner.

sticky situation and want to get out. The shock waves from grenades exploding and bullets tearing through the air a-la matrix, is a visual treat. This a must buy for gamers, whether you are really into spooky stuff or not. Play this game alone, boast to your friends (I have one friend who just can't stop). Play it with your friends to enjoy the game play. But whatever you do, do play this game. This game is not only works as test of courage. But takes gaming to an all new level.

Rating: 9.5/10

*The strongest muscle in the body is the tongue. (HMMMMMM..)*

# POTTER MANIA!!!

S.Sukeerthi (II-B.Tech-I.T.)

**"I wouldn't be surprised if today was known as Harry Potter day in the future - there will be books written about Harry - every child in our world will know"**

I succumbed to the lure of Harry Potter when a friend offered to let me read the series, this was before Harry Potter and the Goblet of Fire (4th book) was published. I was somewhat apprehensive as the majority of the publicity was aimed at the younger readers but so many people had said they were a 'great read'. Anyway I started on the first book Harry Potter and the Philosopher's Stone and was hooked from almost the first page.

The characters, though children were never treated as extraordinary. The plot was clever and eminently gripping. Harry had many characteristics that most men would recognize from their own childhood and the story of Harry's 'foster' family, the Dursley's makes you end up feeling sorry that they cannot see beyond themselves.

The first book **Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone** introduces Harry Potter. He thinks he is an ordinary boy until he is rescued by a beetle-eyed giant of a man, enrolls at Hogwarts School of Witchcraft and Wizardry, learns to play Quidditch and does battle in a deadly duel. The Reason: HARRY POTTER IS A WIZARD!!

In The book two, **Harry Potter and the Chamber of Secrets**, he is in his second year. Little does he know that this year will show him ancient secrets of Hogwarts, his magical school.

The book three, **Harry Potter and the Prisoner of Azkaban**, Harry, along with his best friends, Ron and Hermione, is about to start his third year at Hogwarts School of Witchcraft and Wizardry. Harry can't wait to get back to school after the summer holidays. (Who wouldn't if they lived with the horrible Dursleys?) But when Harry gets to Hogwarts, the atmosphere is tense. There's an escaped mass murderer on the loose, and the sinister prison guards of Azkaban have been called in to guard the school...

Book four **Harry Potter and the Goblet of Fire**, It is the summer holidays and soon Potter will be starting his fourth year at Hogwarts School of Witchcraft and Wizardry. Harry is counting the days: there are new spells to be learnt, more Quidditch to be played, and Hogwarts castle to continue exploring. But Harry needs to be careful there are unexpected dangers lurking...

Book five **Harry Potter and the Order of the Phoenix**, has Harry in his fifth year with his best friends Ron and Hermione. They have been very secretive all summer and he is desperate to get back to school and find out what has been going on. However, what Harry discovers is far more devastating than he could ever have expected...

Book six **Harry Potter and the Half-Blood Prince**. As Voldemort's sinister forces amass and a spirit of gloom and fear sweeps the land, it becomes more and more clear to Harry that he will soon have to confront his destiny. But is he up to the challenges ahead of him? In her darkest and most breathtaking adventure yet, J.K. Rowling skillfully begins to unravel the complex web she has woven, as we discover more of the truth about Harry, Dumbledore, Snape and, of course, He Who Must Not Be named...

Book seven **Harry Potter and the Deathly Hallows**, Harry has been burdened with a dark, dangerous and seemingly impossible task: that of locating the Horcruxes. Never has Harry felt so alone, or faced a future so full of shadows. But Harry must somehow find within himself the strength to complete the task he has been given. He must leave the warmth, safety and companionship of The Burrow and follow without fear or hesitation the inexorable path laid out for him....

In this final, seventh installment of the Harry Potter series, J.K Rowling unveils in spectacular fashion the answers to the many questions that have been so eagerly awaited. The spellbinding, richly woven narrative, which plunges, twists and turns at a breathtaking pace, confirms the author as a mistress of story telling, whose books will be read, reread and read again.

*Harry Potter, Daniel Radcliff and J.K. Rowling B'day fall on the same day, i.e. July 31st.*

## HANGOUTS

**Knock 10** (MPM, Abids): I've always felt about the lack of good gaming and bowling parlours in Hyderabad... Here's one decent place.

**Ohri's** (Banjara Hills):, they've got a pretty good buffet. One of the few places in Hyderabad which is open well after midnight.

**Lifestyle** (Begumpet): Great place to shop (or window shop:D). Also has 10D, and other popular hangouts nearby.

**Barista** (Kavuri Hills): One of the pioneers of the coffee culture. They serve amazing coffee and chocolate pastries.

**Prasad's** (necklace road): its best place to eat, drink, playstuff, watch movies else Other Attractions. Scary House · Pizza Corner · Cookieman · Fresh Juices · Chocolate Hut, Mirror Maze· mc Donald's· subway & many more.....

**Eatstreet** (on the banks of hussain sagar): Eat Street is a food court sitting on one of the banks of the hussain sagar lake, Hyderabad. The other side being Tank Bund. It's a spacious place with room for people along the banks of the hussain sagar as well as on the roof. Even with the large seating capacity, it's very hard to find seats here on a weekend. Such is its popularity.

**Universal Bakers** (himayathnagar): Eating at Universal Bakery, Secunderabad. Hyderabad is a non - vegetarian's delight! At this bakery on M G Rd, Secunderabad you get the most amazing rolls at a real good price!

**Cafe Coffee Day** (Somajiguda): The best known cup of coffee in town comes from here. You can't miss Coffee Day; if there isn't one in your neighbourhood, there's one near your college/office, You're left alone to play your favorites on the jukebox and nurse your mug of coffee for however long you want

**PVR's & Hyderabad central** (punjagutta): The massive seamless mall on the busy Punjagutta road is one experience that is bound to leave Hyderabadis spellbound. Hyderabad Central has a slogan as Shop, eat and celebrate. PVR Cinemas is located on the top floor of the mall.

## JOKE

### ➤ Final Exam Failure

Last semester I took macroeconomics and didn't have a clue what I was doing (as cited on the final exam). There were 80 multiple choice questions. For some reason I decided to play the game of probability and choose the letter "A" for everything. In that game, the only thing probable was that I failed.

The following day, the professor asked to see me after class. "Is everything okay?" "Sure," I said, "why?" "Well, here's your test," he said and handed me a piece of paper that was covered with red ink. "Can you explain why you chose an 'A' for everything?"

Knowing that there was nothing I could do at this point, I said, "Well, I've always wanted to be an 'A' student."

## MINICAT

*Sandeep Upadhyay (III-B.Tech-E.C.E.)*

Hi friends, have u ever imagine, that a car could run on air.

Now this is possible with MiniCAT (air powered car)

After fourteen years of research and development, Guy Negre has developed an engine that could become one of the biggest technological advances of this century. Its application to Compressed Air Technology (CAT) vehicles gives them significant economical and environmental advantages. With the incorporation of bi-energy (compressed air + fuel) the CAT Vehicles have increased their driving range to close to 2000 km with zero pollution in cities.

The MDI MiniCat 's really is a revolutionary urban solution. The car is very small. Only 2.65 m in length, conventional width and height make the MiniCat 's the ultimate city car: non-polluting and easy to park...

And the good news doesn't stop there: the MiniCat 's has two other great advantages: it has three seats and the boot of a saloon....What more could you need?

It can reach speeds up to 220 km/h, Gear changes are automatic

and the

**recharging** of the

car will be done at

gas stations, once

the market is

developed. To fill

the tanks it will

take about to 2 to

3 minutes at a

price of 5-6

rupees. After

refilling the car will be ready to driver 200 kilometres.

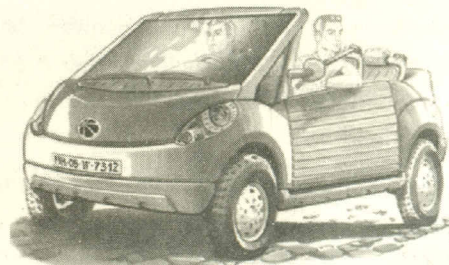
Because the engine does not burn any fuel the car's oil (a litre of

vegetable) **only needs to be changed every 50,000Km.**

**This car will be launched in INDIA with just 3, 50,000**

**rupees, by the end of 2008.**

**I can just conclude in three words: the future is now.**



**"You should check your e-mails more often. I fired you over three weeks ago."**

*Common sense is the collection of prejudices acquired by age eighteen. Albert Einstein*

## All About YOU

When someone asks, "What's your sign?" And hopefully not as a pick-up line they're talking about the Sun sign. Some day, you will indisputably want the complete details of personal being. For now, be sure that studying the sun sign is a considerable start off. Your sign describes your basic nature, your candidness, on the whole the personality traits that remain constant through the highs and lows of life.

And also outlines the faint sides in him. So which sun sign person do u fit with? This space is all about compatibility and sun signs. Kick off right away to study your signs, use proper prudence when you implement them. Understanding all the signs will genuinely change your life on you're way of making out people you've never met. Know your sign...

ARIES- MAR21 to APR20

TAURUS- APR21 to MAY 21

GEMINI- MAY22 to JUN21

CANCER- JUN22 to JUL23

LEO- JULY 24 to AUG23

VIRGO- AUG 24 to SEP23

LIBRA- SEP24 to OCT23

SCORPIO- OCT24 to NOV22

SAGITTARIUS- NOV23 to DEC21

CAPRICORN DEC22 to JAN20

AQUARIUS- JAN21 to FEB19

PISCES- FEB20 to MAR20

Here in this first edition I am pointing you up an abridgement of the characteristics of a typical ARIEAN.

(MARCH21-APRIL20)ARIES is the first sign of the zodiac, and that's pretty much how this born under this sign sees themselves. Have you ever met an unusually well disposed person with a split-second hee-haw? Then you've probably encountered an Arieian.

Adventurous and energetic

Pioneering and courageous

Enthusiastic and confident

Dynamic and quick-witted

On the dark side...

Selfish and quick-tempered

Impulsive and impatient

Foolhardy and daredevil

Do you have a project needing a kick-start? Call an Aries, by all means. The leadership displayed by Aries is most impressive, so don't be surprised if they can rally the troops against seemingly insurmountable odds -- they have that kind of personal magnetism. An Aries won't shy away from new ground, either.

Positive

\* is a leader

\* is energetic

\* Helps others to achieve their dreams

\* Accepts challenges

\* Believes the best of others

\* Takes risks for others

\* Defends the vulnerable

\* An Aries life is an open book

\* Will give life for the loved one

\* Continues action even if others give up

Negative

\* Must be the boss

\* Brashness

\* Oblivious to his or her effect on others

\* Intolerance

\* Jealousy

\*Doesn't listen

\*Selfishness

\*Impulsiveness

\*Is not a good judge of character

\*Dislikes being told what to do

Star sign compatibility

Aries with Aries: Fiery

Aries with Taurus: Harmonious

Aries with Gemini: Harmonious

Aries with Cancer: many differences

Aries with Leo: Intense

Aries with Virgo: poles apart

Aries with Libra: Difficult

Aries with Scorpio: Turbulent

Aries with Sagittarius: Perfect

Aries with Capricorn: Difficult

Aries with Aquarius: amicable

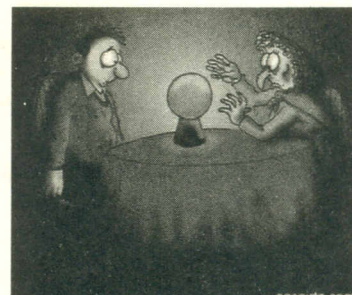
Aries with Pisces: Harmonious

Low lie untill d next issue is done wid d personality traits of a typical TAUREAN...

Till den ... :=)

## AMAZING BUT TRUE!!!

- ❖ The name of the entire continents end with the same letter that they start with.
- ❖ Coca-Cola was originally green.
- ❖ TYPEWRITER is the longest word that can be made using the letters on one row of the keyboard.
- ❖ You can't kill yourself by holding your breath.
- ❖ It is impossible to lick your elbow.
- ❖ People say "Bless you" when you sneeze because when you sneeze, your heart stops for a millisecond.
- ❖ The "sixth sick sheik's sixth sheep's sick" is said to be the toughest tongue twister in the English language.
- ❖ If you sneeze too hard, you can fracture a rib. If you try to suppress a sneeze, you can rupture a blood vessel in your head or neck and die.
- ❖  $111,111,111 \times 111,111,111 = 12,345,678,987,654,321$  (count out the answer).
- ❖ If a statue of a person in the park on a horse has both front legs in the air, the person died in battle. If the horse has one front leg in the air, the person died as a result of wounds received in battle. If the horse has a all four legs on the ground, the person died of natural causes. <cool huh!!>
- ❖ Shakespeare invented the words 'assassination' and 'bump'.
- ❖ A stewardess is the longest word typed with only the left hand.
- ❖ Did You Know...? If you yelled for 8 years, 7 months and 6 days you would have produced enough sound energy to heat one cup of coffee. (Hardly seems worth it.)
- ❖ An ostrich's eye is bigger than its brain.
- ❖ Starfish have no brains.
- ❖ Right-handed people live, on average, nine years longer than left-handed people. (If you're ambidextrous, do you split the difference?)



The ghost you're trying to reach is currently unavailable.  
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Youth is a malady of which one becomes cured a little every day. Benito Mussolini



# IEEE STUDENT BRANCH



## About

The IEEE is the international professional technical society having world wide branches and promoting technical excellence. The IEEE student branch established in VBIT under IEEE Hyderabad section, the total no of students who have joined under December 2006 is 67 along with two faculty advisors and branch counselor with branch code STB 65451 and school code 45893584. Inauguration of IEEE-VBIT student branch by Prof. Khannan (chairperson of IEEE-VBIT section 2006 ).with 70 ieee student members.

## Future events

- ❖ Planning to organize National level student paper contest.
- ❖ Planning to organize workshops on
  - Nanotechnology
  - Embedded Systems
  - VLSI
  - Security and Privacy

## WEAKLY ACTIVITIES

- ❖ Personality development classes.
- ❖ Movie clubs
- ❖ Paper presentations
- ❖ Technical talk

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## WE PLAY.. THE SPORTS UPDATE

VBIT & Sports always go hand in hand, no matter what over the past few years, the students of our college have managed to leave their mark at not only the University level, but also at the National level. Following Students represented JNTU in various Inter University Tournaments held at various places during the academic year 2006-07.

- ❖ K.Aasyasri Valli, III-B.Tech-ECE, Hand Ball (women), Kho-Kho(women)- Periar University
- ❖ Narender Singh, I-B.Tech-EEE, Hocky- Annamalai University
- ❖ V.Tejo Ganesh, I-B.Tech-ECE, Cricket- Osmania University
- ❖ G.Ramchander, I-B.Tech-CSE, Cricket- Osmania University

## POLLS

Q. Nuclear Pact with US necessary?

Feasible- 42%  
Not feasible- 58%

Q. U can't stop checking it....

Self in D.A mirror 26%  
Email - 13%  
Cell phone - 34%  
Hair - 27%

Q. Freshers....

Inside the college 32%  
Outside the college - 68%

Next month poll:

- 1) Should college dress code b implemented? Yes/No
- 2) Orkut should b Banned ... Yes/No
- 3) Is HYD still safe after the bomb blasts? Yes (safe) / No (not safe)

**U can send your votes to our email: stutalk.editor@gmail.com**

## DYUTHI

A Social acitivity club of VBIT is all set to launch. A current membership drive is getting very good response.

A strong group of about 150 members is now ready for a long run..... All the best to organisers!!

## JOKE

➤ You're so stupid... Color TV

You're so stupid, your mother told you to go buy a color television and you asked, "What color?"

## BEHIND THE SCENES

Sujoy Ghosh (IV-B.Tech-E.C.E )  
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