

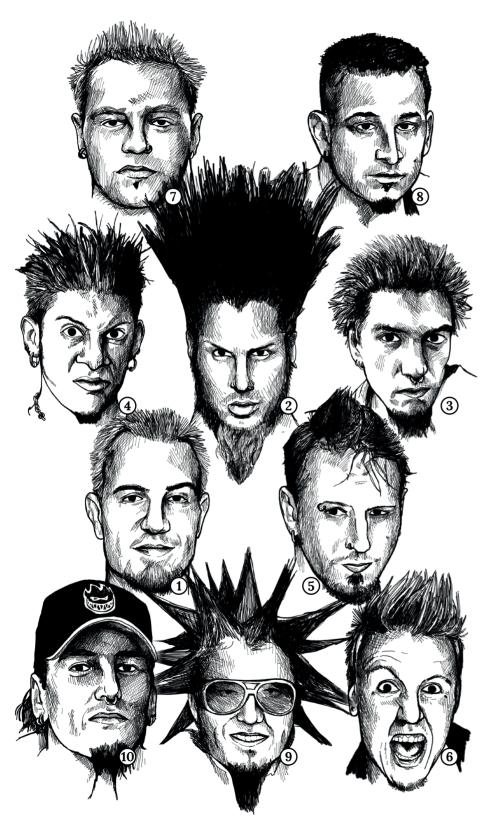
## Ten hockey goons

#### by MARCUS FREDRIKSSON

- 1. Bob "Probie" Probert
  (1965-2010) Detroit Red Wings
- 2. Tie "The Albanian Assassin" Domi (1969-...) Toronto Maple Leafs
- 3. Rob "Rayzor" Ray (1968-...) Buffalo Sabres
- 4. Dave "Cementhead" Semenko (1957-2017) Edmonton Oilers
- 5. Georges Laraque (1976-...) Edmonton Oilers
- 6. Dave "The Hammer" Schultz (1949-...) Philadelphia Flyers
- 7. Wendel Clark
  (1966-...) Toronto Maple Leafs
- 8. Chris "Knuckles" Nilan (1958-...) Montreal Canadians
- 9. Donald "The Don" Brashear (1972-...) Vancouver Canucks
- 10. George "The Violent Gentleman"
  Parros

(1979-...) Anaheim Ducks





TOP 10 LIST BY CARS & TRAINS (FAKE FOUR INC)

SONGWRITER & MULTI-INSTRUMENTALIST



The nineties were a tumultuous time. By the middle of the decade popular culture had escaped the icy grip of Aqua Net and the future was looking less dystopian. The positivist *Star Trek - Voyager* franchise ruled the airwaves, and the 'high five' was part of every day vernacular. Hardly anyone could have foreseen the catastrophic hair gel nightmare on the horizon, not even Pinhead himself.

# Top ten 90s metal and crossover rap/rock groups where one or more members look like Guy Fieri

#### by CARS & TRAINS

- 1. 311
- 2. Static X
- 3. Machine Head (circa 1998)
- 4. Limp Bizkit
- 5. Mudvayne
- 6. Papa Roach
- 7. Crazy Town
- 8. Stereomud
- 9. Twisted Method
- 10. Machine Head (honorable second mention)



#### by THE O.B.

#### 1. The Matrix

(Lana & Lilly Wachowski, 1999) After watching this, I started trying to do Neo stunts at school with other children.

#### 2. Pan's Labyrinth

I saw way too young

(Guillermo del Toro, 2006) Me and my mom saw this in the theater under the impression it was like *Narnia*. I still have nightmares about the angel with eyes for hands.

#### 3. Precious

(Lee Daniels, 2009) Me and my mom saw this one too when I was young, way too young. Our cousin recommended it. I know I was too young because I was focused on the swearing. The main character's last problem was language.

#### 4. The Terminator

(James Cameron, 1984) I kept thinking my friend's dad was a cyborg like Arnold.

#### 5. The Punisher

(Jonathan Hensleigh, 2004) After watching the punisher movie I would peel my scabs so I could bleed and rub it on my toys and stuffed animals...

#### 6. Watchmen

(Zack Snyder, 2009) I dressed as the comedian for Halloween in grade 4 and my mom made the costume. Watching it again this year made me laugh at how young I was when I watched it.

#### 7. RoboCop

(Paul Verhoeven, 1987) Me and my friends saw this movie after which all three of us started play fighting and I pulled off some of RoboCop's moves. It hurt everyone involved.

#### 8. The Shining

(Stanley Kubrick, 1980) To this day I'm scared of Jack Nicholson.

#### 9. Saw

(James Wan, 2004) My cousins used to play this movie while my mom wasn't with me. After that I started asking my mom weird questions like "If you're selfish, do you deserve to die?"

#### 10. Beerfest

(Jay Chandrasekhar, 2006) Me and my friend watched this 'cause his parents were passed out and there was so much beer. I forget how old we were but we went into the fridge and got trashed after seeing that movie. When I woke up I knew what it was like to be his mom. No fun and everyone was hung-over.



### Ten engineers who changed the way we record/listen to music

#### by HEIN DEVOS

1. Alan Dower Blumlein

(1903-1942) Inventor of stereo.

2. Rupert Neve

(1926-...) Engineer/inventor of mixing consoles.

3. Milon Tasker "Bill" Putnam

(1920-1989) Engineer/inventor of mixing consoles and reverb.

4. Sherman Mills Fairchild

(1896-1971) Inventor who holds over 30 patterns, and made one of the most iconic EQs and Compressors to this day.

5. Robert Arthur "Bob" Moog

(1934-2005) Inventor of the synthesizer.

6. Lester William Polsfuss aka Les Paul

(1915-2009) Inventor of the electric guitar, but also multitrack, delay, reverb, wah, ...

7. Thomas Alva Edison

(1915-2009) Inventor of the phonograph and thousand-and-one other things.

8. Robert George "Joe" Meek

(1929-1967) Record producer who pioneered in overdubs, sampling, reverb.

9. George Y. Massenburg

(1947-...) Parametric EQ, ...

10. Saul Walker

(1927-2016) Modular mixing consoles.





It is an art to find that fine point where asshole and comedy meet.

## Top ten sitcom TV curmudgeons that formed my real personality

by MATT BESSER

1. Archie Bunker
Carroll O'Connor in All in the Family (1971-1979)

2. Fred G. Sanford

Redd Foxx in Sanford and Son (1972-1977)

3. Maude Findlay

Beatrice Arthur in Maude (1972-1978)

4. George Jefferson

Sherman Hemsley in The Jeffersons (1975-1985)

5. Basil Fawlty

John Cleese in Fawlty Towers (1975-1979)

6. Larry Sanders

Garry Shandling in *The Larry Sanders Show* (1992-1998)

7. Larry David

Larry David in Curb Your Enthusiasm (2000-2011)

8. Granny

The Beverly Hillbillies (1962-1971)

9. Lou Grant

Ed Asner in The Mary Tyler Moore Show (1970-1977)

10. Major Charles Emerson Winchester III

David Ogden Stiers in M\*A\*S\*H (1977-1983)





TOP 10 LIST BY
BRIAN BABYLON
(WAIT WAIT... DON'T TELL ME,
THE MORNING AMP)

**COMEDIAN, WRITER & RADIOHOST** 



### Top ten Star Trek thoughts

#### by Brian Babylon

- Deep space 9 was trash! They could not give the black man a fucking ship!
- 2. Google Seven of Nine, Paris sex club and Obama.
- 3. Captain Kirk got action from women off all colors.
- 4. Is set phasers on stun like a cop using a taser today?
- 5. Why couldn't Geordi get laid? And was he so horrible with chicks? Just saying Data the android had sex twice!
- 6. I will never mention Quantum Leap Star Trek.
- Captain Picard chose to be bald because it's the future and baldness is not an issue anymore.
- It would be impossible to cheat on counselor Troi. Empaths be knowing.
- 9. Star Trek Discovery is Martin Luther King's.
- 10. My first sexual thought as a kid was about Nichelle Nichols aka Lieutenant Uhura who is from a town outside of my hometown of Chicago!

## Top ten people who don't get enough respect

by ASTRONAUTALIS



#### 1. Luther "Uncle Luke" Campbell

(1960-...) Front man for legendary rap group 2 Live Crew. When the 2 Live Crew album As Nasty As They Wanna Be faced public obscenity charges, and record store owners were getting arrested for selling the album, Luke fought the charges and set a valuable precedent to protect artists' freedom of speech in America. Additionally, he fought another suit regarding artists' rights to make parody art that went all the way to the US Supreme Court, and won. Plus he made the song Fuck Shop, and first introduced me to butts when I was 7.

#### 2. Joseph Priestley

(1733-1804) 18th-century English theologian, chemist, and political revolutionary. In addition to creating the ultraliberal Unitarian Church, Priestley is widely credited for discovering that air was made up of many different elements. Priestley was also widely accepted as the first to discover oxygen, carbon-dioxide, nitrous-oxide, and several other gases, as well as inventing carbonated water. Making him the godfather of soda. Fuck Antoine Lavoisier.

#### 3. Luca Pacioli

(1447-1517) 15th-century Franciscan friar known as "The Father of Accounting And Book-keeping". While Pacioli didn't invent compound interest, his text book *Summa de Arithmetica* laid the groundwork for modern accounting, double-entry bookkeeping, and compound interest. And both my Dad and Albert Einstein think compound interest is the greatest invention in the history of the world.

TOP 10 LIST BY ASTRONAUTALIS (FOUR FISTS)

RAPPER, SINGER & PRODUCER



(1970-...) He had a song in the top 10 on the Billboard charts at least every 5 years (if not more often) since 1993, which is more top 10s than Nas, and spanning a longer time period than Jay-Z or Puffy. Plus, he never made the trash albums Nas and Diddy made, and he never got caught riding a jet ski with a helmet on like Jay.

#### 5. Marie Curie

(1867-1934) Marie Curie gets a lot of credit, but more often not, which is tied to her husband. People refer to the discoveries of "The Curies" when it was only Marie who won two Nobel Prizes for her work. The first, in Physics, was originally to be awarded to husband Pierre Curie and Henri Becquere, but after protest, she was correctly added to the award. The second, for her work with radioactivity, was won by her alone, making her the first person to win two Nobel prizes. Plus, she used to walk around with radioactive isotopes in her pocket, which ultimately killed her... but fuck... that was cool.

#### 6. Bob Gibson

(1935-...) Hall of Fame pitcher for the St-Louis Cardinals. Gibson was famous for the 'brushback pitch', where he would throw the ball just in front of your face to make you fall down in the dirt, just to scare the hell out of you. No one would want to face him after that. Because of his incredible 1968 season, where he dominated the league with a 1.12 Earned Run Average, the Major League Baseball lowered the height of the pitcher's mound forever to give the batters a better chance against him. He is currently 84 years old, and could probably still scare your dad.

#### 7. Lionel Terray

(1921-1965) French mountaineer. Terray was part of a revolution in Alpine mountaineering that changed the focus from a single man summiting the highest mountains, to people finding the most difficult faces to climb. Making the goal of climbing less about conquering the mountain, and more about experiencing the climb. Surprisingly, he died climbing a really difficult ass mountain.

#### 8. Aleksandr Karelin

(1967-...) Russian Olympic wrestler, considered to be the greatest Greco-Roman wrestler of all time. He was world champion 9 times, won a gold medal in 3 consecutive Olympics, went undefeated in international competition for 13 years, and ended his career with a record of 887 wins and 2 losses. No wrestler in the heavyweight division (130kg and above) had performed suplexes before Karelin, and he did it so regularly, and so violently, it became known as the 'Karelin Lift'. No individual athlete has dominated a single sport longer. Do yourself a favor and look him up on YouTube, to watch him throw huge men around like they are kittens.

#### 9. Valentino Rossi

(1979-...) The greatest motorcycle racer of all time. Racing would never be what it is today without him, and will never be the same when he is gone. You may not love motorcycle racing, but I promise, you'll love Valentino Rossi... you just don't know it yet. Forza Vale.

#### 10. Rodney Dangerfield

(1921-2004) Evidently.



## Top ten stand-up comedians

who I am grateful to know personally because I love them as humans & comedians & I recommend you do too

#### by MYQ KAPLAN

#### 1. Aparna Nancherla

Aparna has a special on Netflix. She's on the hilarious show *Corporate*. She's performed her comedy on Conan and so many other places. She has a specific voice, and it's delightful to listen to her say what she says, how she says it. She's Aparna. She's fantastic.

#### 2. Baron Vaughn

Baron co-created *The New Negroes* on Comedy Central with Open Mike Eagle. He's on the Netflix show *Grace and Frankie*. He sings, he jokes, he tells the truth, he's more than a triple threat; he's an infinite peace.

#### 3. Jo Firestone

Everyone is unique. And yet somehow, Jo seems uniquer than most. She created a monthly pun competition show called *Punderdome* with her dad. She has a podcast called *Dr. Gameshow*. She's created a dating game for the friends of single people and the NYC Inner Beauty Pageant.



#### 4. Gary Gulman

Gary has been a masterful comedian for decades. His latest show, *The Great Depresh*, delves deep into mental health struggles in ways that are hilarious, resonant, and cathartic for so many. In 2019, he has also been sharing a new comedy tip each day on his Twitter, offering his wisdom to aspiring and veteran artist/humans alike.

#### 5. Erin Judge

Erin and I have been friends forever. She is the funniest and the wisest, on and off stage. She wrote a novel, *Vow of Celibacy*. She is brilliant and empathetic, with a compassionate ear, a justice-filled brain, and the openest heart. I would say that she consistently speaks truth to power, but also, she IS power. Kind, funny power.

#### 6. Baratunde Thurston

Baratunde knows so many things that I don't, and that's why I'm always happy to listen to what he's saying and seeing what he's doing. He's worked for *The Onion* and *The Daily Show*. He wrote a bestselling book called *How To Be Black*. He just did a TED talk. He knows comedy, technology, politics, and everything. Or maybe he IS comedy, technology, politics, and everything. I don't know. I'll ask him.

#### 7. Giulia Rozzi

Giulia tells beautiful stories. She has been a Moth GrandSLAM champion and a TEDx speaker. She hosts *FEELINGS: A Talk Show With Giulia Rozzi* and co-hosts the podcast *Hopefully We Don't Break Up* with her partner, Will Miles. She feels and expresses and channels emotions in a way like no other. She's the most Giulia Giulia who's ever Giulia'd.

#### 8. Ramin Nazer

Ramin is a hilarious stand-up, a wonderful musician, and an incredible visual artist. His books include *After You Die, I Love Everyone* and *Infinite Elephants*. He makes comics, video games, songs, and *the Rainbow Brainskull Hour* podcast. He is a beautiful conduit of psychedelic universe-love-art-stuff.

#### 9. Jacqueline Novak

Jaqueline is an emotional genius, an artistic comedian, a spiritual poet. She is the author of *How To Weep In Public*, which is full of humor and truths, just as her life and comedy is. Her debut hour in Edinburgh is called *How Embarrassing For Her* and it is anything but. She is a comedic wonder. How embarrassing for the rest of us, really.

#### 10. Joe Wong

Joe Wong began his life in China and his comedy career in America. He now hosts a Mythbusters-like show in China that tens of millions of people watch. He has also performed stand-up on Letterman and Colbert in America, which millions of others watched. He is Chinese and American, an immigrant and a citizen, a man of many worlds and an eloquent speaker and brilliant thinker on all of them.