

**FAKE NEWS UPDATE**

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**AD BREAK****PERENNIAL**

The Fake News Update is brought to you in part by Uncle Buck's Nipple Pads. Now if you're like me, you know how embarrassing it can be to have fat, puffy nipples... Who wrote this copy? Well I thought I was just doomed to walk through life with my fat, puffy nipple outlines showing through on all my sweaters, cardigans, and long shawls.

(PERENNIAL: Annual did you write this?)

(ANNUAL: I did not.)

(PERENNIAL: Oh fine, I'll keep going.)

Then my dear friend introduced me to Uncle Buck's Nipple Pads. Now these pads are made with, and pardon the pun, *fabrics* that are sticky yet sensitive enough for my delicate nips. I slap these puppies on my little puppies every morning, and now my nipples are my secret and mine alone. Uncle Buck's Nipple Pads! Be embarrassed about your nipples and cover them right up!

**DAILY HEADLINES**

*MUSIC IN. F.N.U. Theme*

**ANNUAL**

How much wood could a woodchuck f\*ck? The answer may surprise you.

**PERENNIAL**

Well how much is it?

**ANNUAL**

About as much as Mom.

**PERENNIAL**

Hey!

**ANNUAL**

What? She's sex-positive!

**PERENNIAL**

I'm sex-positive you need to cut that -ish out!

**ANNUAL**

...Heard.

**MUSIC OUT.****PERENNIAL**

With all the news you never knew you needed and all the news you needed to know, I'm Perennial Eschner and that disgustingly literal voice was my brother, Annual Eschner -

**ANNUAL**

Filling in for my workout partner and - let's be honest - laugh IN partner, Anahita Ardashir while she finishes her doctorate in Sumerian Children's Literature.

**PERENNIAL**

From the KLMNOP studios in Keister, Minnesota: this is F.N.U. The Fake News Update.

**ANNUAL**

And now, today's headlines. Adam Levine is set to release an album comprised entirely of Spanish covers: "Livin' Levine-a Loca".

**PERENNIAL**

Group masturbation therapy reaches its climax, proving that if you can't beat 'em, join 'em.

**ANNUAL**

New study finds beef is not ALWAYS for dinner. Sometimes dinner is chicken or pork or...uh...peas.

**PERENNIAL**

Speaking of tiny little balls, let's take a look at the stock market.

*SFX. something funny.*

**ANNUAL**

And now our FNU Reviews segment: Perennial turning the thing over, shaking out the box, looking at the contents of it, and then giving it a rating. Eschner Assesses.

**PERENNIAL**

This week I'm reviewing my options. There they are. Just look at 'em. Zero stars.

**PERENNIAL**

Looks like it's again that time for my brother to ruin a fan-favorite segment. Because it's now time for Ana-reada's poetry nook. Annual?

**ANNUAL**

This is Beep Bop The Shoelace Man by Drapey Shawls

You are a child  
 The nights are still frightening lengths of darkness  
 You feel alone and afraid and that all the terror in your heart has  
 been made manifest around you  
 You stay awake  
 Your eyes dry and cloudy and forever searching for proof in the  
 shadows  
 A morning comes  
 And a day begins  
 A blip on a loop that only spins faster or breaks  
 Where does hope live?  
 You are driven to school  
 To become like every other  
 And there he stands  
 A reed in the sand  
 Beep Bop  
 Beep Bop the Shoelace Man.

**MUSIC.** Outro.

**ANNUAL**

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**PERENNIAL**

From KLMNOP, Thank you for listening to Fake News Update, and until next time...

**BOTH [out of sync]**

We'll be FNU. (PERENNIAL: It's still FNU.)

**PERENNIAL**

You're really hamming it up, you know?

**ANNUAL**

I just really care about the program.

**SOCIAL MEDIA BUMPER****PERENNIAL**

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**ANNUAL**

This... is F.N.U.

**PERENNIAL**

You wanna do it without laughing?

**ANNUAL**

This... is F.N.U.

**PERENNIAL**

Why are you doing it in that voice?

**ANNUAL**

This... is F.N.U.

**PERENNIAL**

No--

**ANNUAL**

This... is F.N.U.

**PERENNIAL**

Yeah, just forget about it.

**ANNUAL**

This... is F.N.U.