

# Blaze up a fattie and grab a whiskey bottle

Every now and then, a desire to stir shit comes up. You feel the need to screw the system, stand up to the Man, and generally show contempt for law and order. There are ways to achieve this successfully.

You may get arrested, but I'll show you how to have fun doing it.

First things first; walking home from JJ's is often a relief as it is. If you're anything like me, the bathrooms are not an option.

However, the Halifax downtown area is often a breeding ground for cops. And if there is one thing I have learned about cops, it's that they do not appreciate drunk people urinating on their car. All you have to do is find a car, and tell the police inside that bad stuff is going down around the corner.

Now, I know what you're saying — That's pretty damn sick. But hey, once you see the expression on the Man's face, it will all be worth it. Make sure, however, that you have a sound escape route, whereas excreting fluids on an officers car is a beatable offence.

Another solid way to stick it to the Man is to pretend to be hammered. Walk around the street with an empty whiskey bottle in hand, shoot off to passersby and wait for the cops to find you. Put on a Santa Claus hat if you can find one, regardless of the season, to perpetuate your supposed inebriation.

When the paddy wagon rolls up, and questions you on your state of mind, say something like "You ugly little girls don't scare me" or "C'mon. I fight all of you." Slur your speech for optimum results.

As soon as the cops starts to get out to apprehend you, start running — and fast. Teasing cops is like teasing a hungry rottweiler with a T-bone.

The next one is fun, but easier to get caught. It's simple. Roll a joint as big as a cigar. Grab a copy of Irvine Welsh's *Filth* (a book about a corrupt cop. Anyone who hasn't read it should, or at

noises and pulling up your nose in the traditional manner. Never having seen this done, it would be interesting to see a cops reaction, although I imagine the reaction to such a tasteless insult would be painful.

Cops don't usually need to be coaxed, however, if your attire fits their general idea of a no-goodnik. Torn jeans, various body piercings, unkempt hair and poor grammar in combination with the slight possibility of intoxication is usually enough for a luxurious stay in the hotel Drunk Tank.

I know cops have a job to do, and that not everyone is innocent, but why can't they be a little more mannerly and fair in their pursuits for justice. What is accomplished by putting drunks in the drunk tank when they're of no threat to anyone? What is accomplished by threatening people, other than breeding contempt for the law?

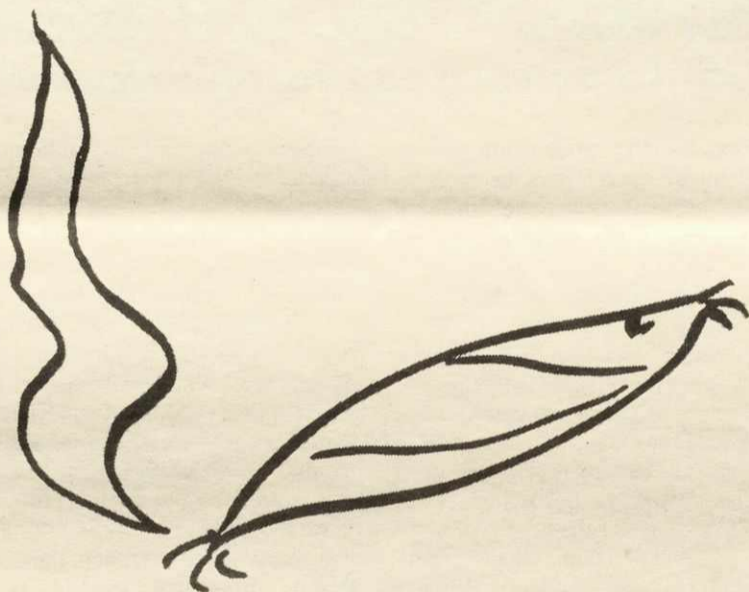
Just because cops are a necessity doesn't mean I have to like them. Maybe agitating them doesn't help, but it's damn fun.

Patrick Blackie

## EDITORIAL

least have a look at the cover) and a small ghettoblaster with some Cypress Hill CD's. Find an indoor public place, like a museum or a grocery store. Set up shop in the corner, blaze up the fattie, turn on the beats and start reading. Ignore anyone who says anything to you until the cops get there. When the Man arrives, hold up the remained of the joint, look him in the eye and say "Look how much of this shit I smoked before you clowns got here."

Next on the list, borrowed from a Kids in the Hall skit, is to simply stand in front of a couple police officers, and illustrate your genuine contempt by making pig

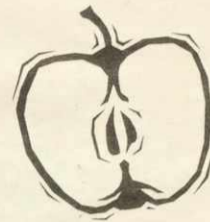


## RECIPES

### Baked Apple Dumplings

Looking to use up those apples while they're still in season? Here's an easy recipe that'll tempt anyone.

You'll need:  
2 cups flour  
4 teaspoons baking powder  
3/4 teaspoon salt  
4 tablespoons butter or shortening  
2/3 cup of milk  
Sugar and cinnamon to taste  
Apples



Sift together the flour, baking powder and salt. Cut in the butter, not too fine, and add milk, mixing to a soft dough. Turn out on a floured surface and roll in a thin oblong shape, about 12" by 16". Wipe apples and core from the blossom end, being careful not to make the hole all the way through. (Apples may be peeled if preferred.) Fill each apple with the cinnamon and sugar mixture. Cut dough in sections large enough to hold an apple, and place the apple in the centre. Dampen the edges of the dough with milk and fold so that the edges meet at a centre point. Place in a greased baking dish and make a gash in the top of each dumpling. Bake in a 400 degree oven until the crust is set, then reduce the heat to 375 degrees and cook until done. Serve with cream and sugar, whipped cream or lemon sauce.

### Dirty, Dingus McGee's sloppy sausage hangover burgers

"No pain, no gain"

The problem with getting shitfaced every weekend is waking up feeling like ass. Everyone likes to booze, and everyone has their own remedies. Poppin pills, smokin' fatties, bacon and eggs and so on. I prefer the one recipe that ensures that excessive alcohol consumption won't plague you for quite a while.

You will need;  
5 fat, spicy, Italian sausages  
Hamburger buns  
mustard  
BBQ sauce



Fry the sausages, occasionally lathering them with BBQ sauce. Put on a bun with mustard and eat over a bowl. Goes good with Ginger Ale.

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