

# Voltage

The Great Newsletter Itself!

Membership 59 and Growing

Fellow Lectroids!

Buon giorno and welcome to the first issue of Voltage. As your dictator until the return of the great Lord Whorfin, I would like to take this opportunity to present

### The League Manifesto:

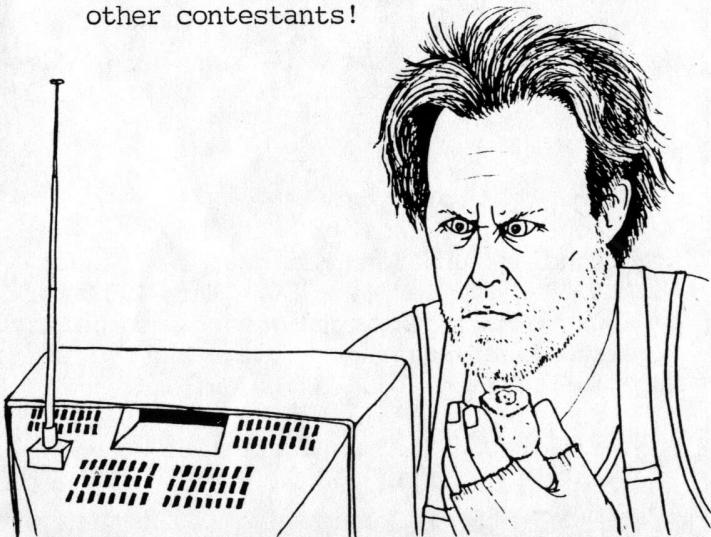
The League of Lectroids exists

1. To promote appreciation for BUCKAROO BANZAI and for the greatest leader in the galaxy, Lord John Whorfin.
2. To encourage communication between fans.
3. To foster a spirit of absurdity and humor.
4. To function as an unofficial John Lithgow fan club.

*-John Howling Mouse*

### CONTEST WINNER ANNOUNCED!!

The moment you've awaited with bated breath! Congratulations to John Flaming Doughnut, soon to receive 10,000 Lire, cold hard Italian cash (no trip to Epcot, no free days or nights at an expensive motel. Not even a trip to New Jersey ). Second prize goes to John Jabberwock for providing the subtitle. He gets 1000 Lire. Tough break, bud. Thanks to all other contestants!



### Report Issued by Snottobon Society (Snott Watch)

Snott (snôt)- 1. Cute little booger that eats 2. One of the oldest species inhabiting Planet 10.

The Snott, which dates back to the very formation of Planet 10, is ultra-omnivorous. The animal(?) releases an acidic slime from a small opening in the mouth which is located between its two front mandibles. These mandibles are extremely powerful and have even been known to pinch feet off unwary Red Lectroids who are themselves no creampuffs. This acidic slime can eventually eat through anything except for a few substances specifically designed to contain it. This slime-mandible combination is a most formidable one. A Snott never starves.

The average lifespan of a Snott is about three years, during which it eats constantly if allowed. Snotts come in only one variety. They lay "pods" which "sprout" into little Snotts who commence dinner on arrival. You can only kill a Snott with water. Upon contact with water they emit a hollow screech and dissolve.

Snotts have been a favorite pet of the more daring Black Lectroids much as some monkeyboys keep crocodiles. They have also been used historically for interrogation by the Red Lectroids, who think they are just extremely cute.

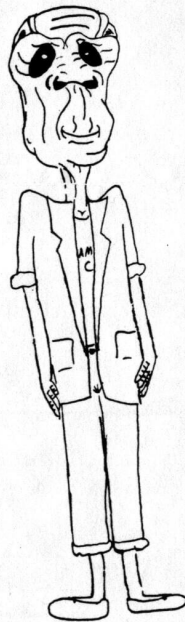
-John Nevermore, Snott Dealer

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 THEY AR LEKTROYDZ BECUZ THEYV BIN  
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 HAV EEVEN BRAYN WASHD THEMSELVS INTEW  
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 MONKEI-BOYZ. IF YEW AR NOT SHUR IF  
 YEW AR A MONKEI-BOY OR A GUD REDD  
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 SYMPL TEST:

Please answer Yes or No:

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| <p>1. Do you have vague yearnings to go Home, even though you don't know where Home is?</p> <p>2. Are your electric bills over \$500 a month for a one bedroom apartment?</p> <p>3. Do you enjoy watching T.V., especially when there is only static on the screen?</p> <p>4. Has the floor of your room completely disappeared under cheap trinkets and refuse?</p> <p>5. Is your favorite food Twinkies, or do you really like Budwaiser beer, chips, and other junk food?</p> <p>6. Do you have a lot of trouble with spelling and punctuation?</p> <p>7. Do you occationally spit small stinging insect-like creatures from your throat?</p> | <p>8. Do you have a terrible urge to suck on batteries?</p> <p>9. Do you spend a lot of time thinking of ways to use common house-hold items to torture small animals, the neighbors kids, or your boss?</p> <p>10. Do people always move upwind of you?<br/>       Alternate #10: Are you not sure what the large, rectangular tile, ceramic, or plastic box next to the toilet in the bathroom is used for?</p> <p>11. Do you have trouble making up your mind?</p> |
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If you answered Yes to five (5) or more of these questions, you are probably a Lectroid.



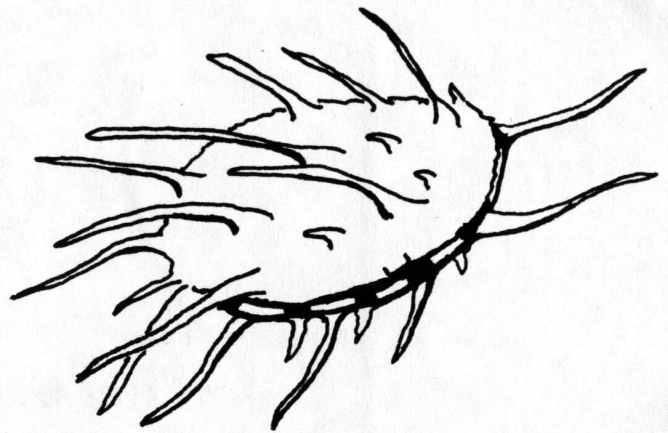
John Gerbil

We Wanna Know What You Look Like!

Let us know what you look like as your Lectroid persona, or in your monkeyboy disguise. Pen and ink can be printed here, photos go in our Archives. Send both!

Just give us...

No, we don't want your Twinkies, and we can't take your money, but we can use stamps. If you want to receive further newsletters, be sure to send us a self-addressed stamped business size envelope or stamps.



John's Junk

From John Hack Attack - "How many Banzais can fit in the Jet Car?" "Three. Buckaroo in the front seat and Sandra and Masado in the ashtray."

Finish this one for us- "How many Black Lectroids does it take to screw up Planet 10?"

John Buttboote reports that G.E. Rechargeables are great, while John Wirehead says Eveready is better than Duracell.

We are looking for a list of Yoyodyne employees. Ours has been misplaced. If you have the video of that movie, please help and send us as many names as you can make out.

John Gaunt is willing to script a Lectroid comic strip but is looking for someone to help in doing the artwork.

Thanks to John Crashlanding for the title of our bulletin board. And congrats for winning two awards in the Context costume contest; 2nd in Recreation, 3rd in Presentation.

Special thanks to John Tri-Color for filling out our archives on Dr. Lizardo. Come' brava!

WorldCon

We're curious to know just how many of you are planning to attend WorldCon in Atlanta, August 28-September 1, 1986. This will mark the League's first birthday and we might try to stage a get-together of some kind. For more information about WorldCon, write  
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