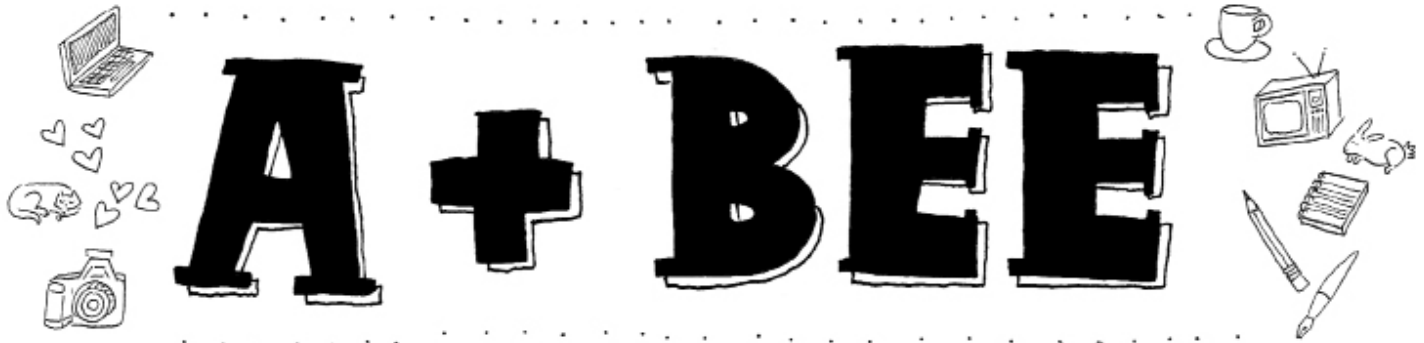


A + BEE



Hi movers and shakers!

Welcome to Issue 12 of the A+ Bee! Are you doing something different with your hair? It looks terrific. 2015 is shaping up pretty nicely! Grace traveled to Toronto to go to every coffee shop they have, apparently. Although Chelsey is now a year older and wiser, she has not yet visited any coffee shops this year.

Tarot for the Fortnight

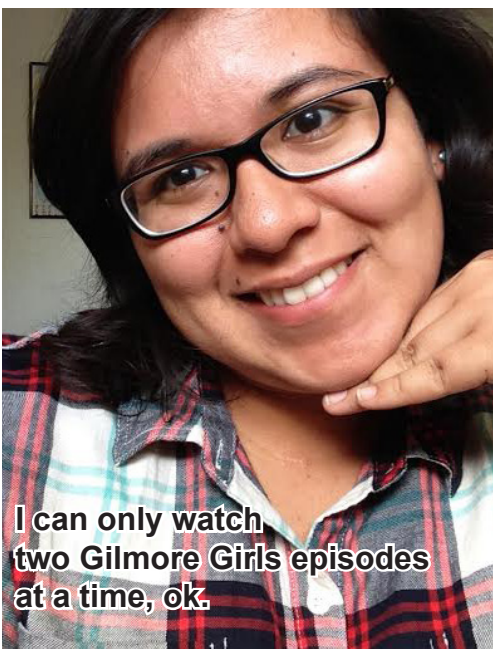
by: Beth



Two of Bottles - this is a time for connection. Reach out and share your cup -- it is full to the brim with love and kindness. Be vulnerable, be

unafraid of your heart. Fall in love, don't worry about getting hurt. Be honest, be emotionally generous, be receptive. Love is all around you. Reach for it.

Staff Spotlight: Yvonne



I can only watch two Gilmore Girls episodes at a time, ok.

7-Song Playlist

DETECTIVE ROSA DIAZ

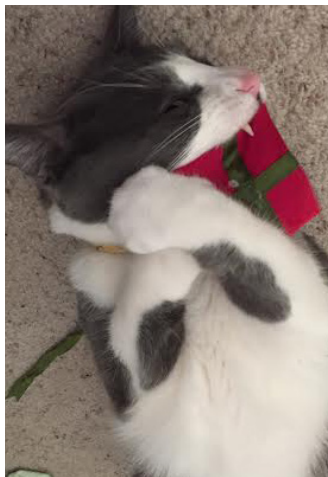


- Brooklyn Nine-Nine Theme
- Don't Fucking Tell Me What To Do - Robyn
- Infinity Guitars - Sleigh Bells
- Maneater - Nelly Furtado
- Si Una Vez - Girl In A Coma
- A Little Less Conversation - Elvis Presley
- Girls On Girls - Captain Cuts (Beyonce vs Beastie Boys)

Interview With My Ex-Cat Olive*

by: Chelsey

With the frequency of times my cat Olive attacks me for no reason, some days I feel I am living with my ex-girlfriend, so I decided to interview her as if I was interviewing my ex-girlfriend for autostraddle dot com. Enjoy!



C: Hey Olive! How long were we together and when?

O: [Meows and stretches.]

C: Why did we break up to the best of your recollection?

O: [Walks over to a box on the ground and rubs her face against it repeatedly.]

C: What do you miss most about me?

O: [Walks over to my shoes with tail wagging, sniffs them, then turns around and taps the bed with her paw.]

C: What about our relationship has impacted your future relationships?

O: [Rubs face against door frame repeatedly, then starts to walk away.]

C: Hey! At this juncture, would you invite me to your wedding?

O: [Walks into living room, but stops to rub face against a shopping bag a few times]

*To be clear, Olive is not my ex-cat, she is my forever cat.

Meetup Recap

by: Amanda, Chicagostraddlers



73 beautiful Chicagostraddler queers gathered at the Hideout Bar in Chicago to witness Cameron Esposito and her equally attractive and funny fiancée Rhea Butcher, fill the stage with hilarious comedy. The comedy topics ranged from veganism, feminism, periods, homosexuality, heterosexuality, and all topics did not disappoint.



You Have To Work For This

In which we bring you the best of the internet, but you have to work for it a lil bit. Type out the URL to experience it for yourself.

<http://www.humwallpaper.com/wp-content/uploads/2014/08/funny-cat-gifs-5.gif>

MADLIBS

Submit your answers in the comments and check the next Bee to read the full story!

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| 1. verb | 8. adjective | 15. adjective |
| 2. noun | 9. verb | 16. adverb |
| 3. verb | 10. verb | 17. plural noun |
| 4. plural noun | 11. adjective | 18. adjective |
| 5. plural noun | 12. noun | 19. adjective |
| 6. length of time | 13. movement verb | 20. proper noun |
| 7. verb | 14. verb | 21. verb |

HEY, MYSTERY SOLVERS!

Recently single Riana has four Tinder dates this afternoon! Unfortunately, she didn't listen to her friends and neglected to make a spreadsheet to keep track of everyone, so now she has to figure out who is who and what time they're coming into the coffee shop.

1. The girl who believes in mermaids is coming in an hour before Shana.
2. The four girls are Shana, the boring banker, Kristen, and the date at 2:30p.
3. Of Kristen and Jazmine, one is the pot-smoking sex goddess and the other is coming in at 1:00p.

		dates				defining trait			
		Shana	Kristen	Jazmine	Lexi	believes in mermaids	pot-smoking sex goddess	hot feminist	boring banker
date time	1:00p								
	1:30p								
	2:00p								
	2:30p								
defining trait	believes in mermaids								
	pot-smoking sex goddess								
	hot feminist								
	boring banker								

Previous answer: Sam, Alex, Riley, Chris, Leslie