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| Register for Mather Faculty Dinner by 2 pm!  
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Mather Meets Lawrence Bacow, Dining Hall A&B 6-7 pm | | Senior Thesis Talks, SCR 7:30-8:30 pm | Chiara Quartet, Masters’ Residence 7:30 pm | | SPRING FORWARD 2 am  
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Bach Concert, Masters’ Residence 3-4:30 pm | Nachos and Old Housing Day Videos!  
Big TV Room 8:30-10 pm |

**Quiz: Which House Should You Really Be In?**

*We all know that the sorting hat is fallible.*

Fill in the blank: Everyone says I’m…

- a) Fun’n’flirty
- b) Sweet’n’sensitive
- c) Too cool for school

Where would you most like to vacation?
- a) The beach
- b) The mountains
- c) The woods

Your favorite literary genre is:
- a) Does 50 Shades of Gray count as a genre?
- b) Mystery. I love a good whodunnit!
- c) Experimental fiction. I don’t always get it, but I do always look hip.

Which quote best describes you:
- a) “If you can’t beat ’em, join ’em”
- b) “When the going gets tough, the tough get going”
- c) “Existence precedes essence”

Note the letter of your most common answers, and flip to the back for results!

**Table Talk**

Need a conversation starter? Try these:

- What are you most looking forward to about spring break?
- Kirkland Housing Day videos: discuss. (Corollary: rank the houses in terms of your favorite videos—obviously with “Talk Mather to Me” in first place)
- If you were Increase Mather, what would be your first act as President of Harvard College in 1685?

**Our House**

- The future
- Views of the river
- Shuttle to class
- Happy hour
- Walk through the tunnels
- n+fun
- Weekend parties
- Vermin-free
- Double the mascots
- A room of one’s own
- Singles for life

**Their House**

- The past
- Views make you shiver
- Scuttle to class
- Crappy hour
- Walkthroughs
- n+none (*if you’re lucky!*)
- Weekend’s gnarly
- Vermin run free
- Wear stuffy ascots
- A broom closet-sized home
- Single for life
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This week, we asked about your craziest spring break story. Here are some of your best submissions:

- “I visited 21 cities in three weeks” (while studying abroad in Europe)
- “Drunken coed skinny dipping with a certain women's club sport”
- “While in Puerto Rico, we decided to rent a car to visit the rainforest. Because we were all under 21, the only place we could rent one from was a sketchy local truck rental place by the side of the freeway - and as luck would have it, the only way to get there was by walking along the freeway for about 50 feet. While walking, we were "pulled over" by the Puerto Rican police. They were concerned about our safety, but there were too many of us to ride in their car, so they slowly tailed us along the side of the freeway (blocking traffic for about 10 min). As this was happening, I tell my roommate "I am SO glad we are in Puerto Rico right now and know absolutely no one, otherwise this would be SO embarrassing.” As soon as the words leave my mouth I get a text from a Harvard friend – “Is that you walking alongside the highway in Puerto Rico being tailed by a cop right now?” SHE JUST SO HAPPENED TO BE DRIVING PAST WITH 5 OTHER PEOPLE I KNEW FROM HARVARD AT THAT MOMENT. We then proceeded to accidentally "stalk" this Harvard group for the next three days - we showed up to the rainforest, only to find them returning. We go to the Bacardi factory, only to find them sitting there already, we drive down the road, only to find them driving the opposite direction, and we climb the castle ruins, only to find them already at the top. Talk about awkward accidental creeping!”

For the next Mather Blather: what’s on your end-of-semester bucket list? Email us at gorillagazette@gmail.com.

Quiz Answer Key:
If you answered mostly A's, you should live in MATHER HOUSE. Congrats! You were placed in the right house!

If you answered mostly B’s, you should live in MATHER HOUSE. There’s something for everyone here!

If you answered mostly C’s, you should live in MATHER HOUSE. Submit to the Concrete Abstract!

Comments/questions/suggestions/Mather-specific announcements are welcomed! Drop us a line at gorillagazette@gmail.com. WE WANT TO HEAR FROM YOU!