In which we asked for an anagram — a rearrangement of all the letters in some piece of writing to make it say something else — of any phrase or passage referring to something in the news, beyond just someone’s name. To spare contestants the tedium of checking whether every letter of the original passage — and not one extra letter — ended up in the anagram, the Empress invited them to use various anagram software. But even though some of those programs will generate anagrams of a name or short phrase, you can be sure it took tons of human creativity — and a ridiculous amount of perseverance — to come up with the entries below.

### Week 1055: Oh, K!

**Tantrick: Yoga instruction that can be performed in the back seat of a car.**

Run-of-the-milk: Funny enough for a joke at breakfast, but not nose-sprouting funny.

**Joke Biden: The vice president.**

Just over eight years ago, the results of Week 626 — a contest for comical college courses — included a new name to the Invitational, twice, with a runner-up and an honorable mention.

Since then, Kevin Dopart's 1,000th ink has appeared in 380 of 429 contests, as the onetime naval flight officer, now a federal auto safety expert, has blooted up Invite ink at an incomparable pace: Kevin is the Shani Wow of Loserdom, topping the Loser stats every full year since he started entering, with as many as 158 entries published in a year, and more than 100 for five straight years.

Part of Kevin's success comes from his absolute dedication to the Invite: He's entered the contest every single week since he started, almost always with the maximum 25 entries and, before the Empress set an entry limit, often well over 100 entries in a week.

But dedication only gets you so far. The real reason that (Kevin Dopart, Washington) has reached his 1,000th line of ink this week is, of course, that he is just so freakin' clever and funny — as is made abundantly clear with his Inkin' Memorial-winning anagram — his 21st win — that tops this week's results. (See the Empress's online Style Conversational column this week for a greatest-hits sampling of Kevin's humor, at bit.ly/conv1055.)

Kevin becomes the fourth person in our 20-year history to top the 1,000-ink mark, and the second to take the Empress up on the "award" she's offered to those milestones: to serve as a guest judge for a week, and to choose the contest he'll be judging. So, for the first time since September 2005, you can enter the Style Invitational without having to compete against Kevin Dopart!

This week, to commemorate both Kevin and his 1K ink blots: Change a word, phrase or name by adding one or more K's, or by replacing one or more letters with K's, and define your new term, as in Kevin's examples above. The Empress will send Kevin a list of all the week's entries minus any identifying or personal information, so he won't know whose work he's selecting.

Winner gets the Inkin' Memorial, the Lincoln statue bobblehead that is the official Style Invitational trophy. Second place receives a fabulous giant-size whoopee cushion, which we offered up in Week 1022 but, incomprehensibly, was declined by its winner.

Other runners-up win their choice of a yearned-for Loser Mug or the ardently desired "Whole Fools" Grocery Bag. Honorable mentions get a lusted-after Loser magnet, either the Po' Wit Laureate or Puns of Steel. First Offenders receive a smelly tree-shaped air "freshener" (F'rStink for their first ink). E-mail entries to losers@washpost.com or, if you were born in the 19th century, fax to 202-334-4312. Deadline is Monday, Jan. 20; results published Feb. 9 (online Feb. 6). No more than 25 entries per contestant per week, include "Week 1055" in your e-mail subject line or it might be ignored as spam. Include your real name, postal address and phone number with your entry. See contest rules and guidelines at wapo.st/InvRules. The subhead for this week's honorable mentions is by Jeff Compton. Join the lively Style Invitational Devotees group on Facebook at on.fb.me/invdev, and click "like" on Style Invitational Ink Day of the bit.ly/inkoday.

### The Winner of the Anagram Memorial

**Winner of the Australian coin purse made from a kangaroo scrum.**

Original, from a North Korean press release: Against the backdrop of these shrouds rocking the country, a special military tribunal of the DPRK Ministry of State Security was held on December 12 against traitor for all ages Jang Song Thaek.

Anagrams to: Pongyiung: On the 12th day before Christmas, still boyish Kim cries “uncle,” has fat-cat Jang Song Thaek hung from a pear tree. “Trials! Brutes! I did not, it’s a trick! Partridge were out of season . . . Attack!!!!!” LOL! (Mike Ostdalep, Mount Pleasant, S.C.)

Original: Mandalasign language interpreter says he had schizophrenic episode . . .

Anagrams to: Duck Dynasty very quickly. Phil Robertson is one let go from Redskins. The 1022 but, incomprehensibly, was declined by its winner.

Anagrams to: Jang Song Thaek hung from a pear tree. . .

Anagrams to: Pubic episode.

Anagrams to: The 12th day before Christmas, still boyish Kim cries “uncle,” has fat-cat Jang Song Thaek hung from a pear tree. 

**Original headline: Mandalasign language interpreter says he had schizophrenic episode.**

Anagrams to: Hands rap in gangsta, hip-hop — not elegies. He rues: “I’m ADD & sincerely cra-zeel!” (Diane Wash, Seattle)

Original: It is a truth universally acknowledged, that a single man in possession of a good fortune, must be in want of a wife.

Anagrams to: Hands rap in gangsta, hip-hop — not elegies. He rues: “I’m ADD & sincerely cra-zeel!”

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