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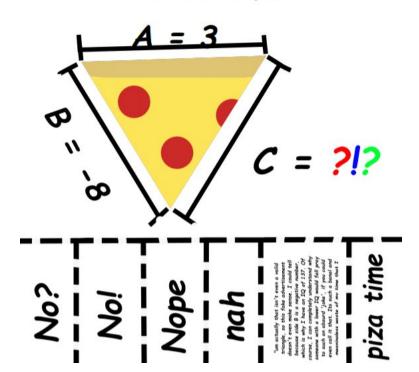
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A paper regarding "the Grand Raccoon"

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Introduction

Recently, it has come to my attention that the existence of a "grand raccoon" has been rumored. However, much about this creature is unknown, including its capabilities, motives, and whether it can even be summoned. Today, in this paper, I will present all that is known about this "grand raccoon".

Known information

As of February 12, 2021, there have only been two official documented instances of the "grand raccoon", both of which are located on the twitter page of the US Consumer Product Safety Commission

(@USCPSC).



The first instance was uploaded to the internet on July 13, 2020. It depicts a raccoon of indeterminate size, performing a pose with religious connotation, while being partially obscured by a wave. The text "YOU CANT SUMMON THE GRAND RACCOON TO END COVID-19" is displayed in front of the wave. Below, a representation of Covid-19 appears to be running from

the figure with a fearful expression on its face, and a general tip about keeping cleaning supplies away from children can be found at the bottom of the image.

This image postulates three propositions:

- 1) There exists a "Grand Raccoon".
- 2) The summoning of "the Grand Raccoon" cannot be used to end the Covid-19 pandemic.

The details of the image suggest a few extra notes about "the Grand Raccoon", including some sort of association with the ocean, and what appears to be the motion of lifting one's arms in prayer or worship.

However, this is not the only occurrence of "the Grand Raccoon". In

January of 2021, the twitter
page of the US Consumer Product
Safety Commission released
another image. In this
instance, "the Grand Raccoon"
appears in the same pose while
looming over a mountain in what
appears to be a taiga-like
environment. The text "YOU
CAN'T SUMMON THE GRAND RACCOON
TO END WINTER" is prominently
displayed, while a safety tip
about space heaters is
mentioned at the bottom of the
image.



Once again, 2 propositions can be made:

- 1) There exists a "Grand Raccoon".
- 2) The summoning of "the Grand Raccoon" cannot be used to end winter.

Currently, these appear to be the only two instances of "the Grand Raccoon" on the internet.

Analysis

Although these two images may appear to be very cryptic, we can draw some additional assumptions from the details of the imagery. First, from the "worship" pose of "the Grand Raccoon", as well as the spiritual connotation of "summon", it seems likely that "the Grand Raccoon" has some sort of following associated with it. While the images do not reference any specific organizations, the US Consumer Product Safety Commission is the most likely organization associated with activities involving "the Grand Raccoon". Secondly, "the Grand Raccoon" appears both near a beach and a snowy mountainous environment. Since these two types of locations are not commonly located within reasonably close proximities, it can be assumed that "the Grand Raccoon" has a broad geographic range with which to exert its influence (should it have the capability to do so). The exact bounds of this range (and whether this range is even finite) are unknown, but one possibility is that "the Grand Raccoon" could be limited to the authoritative boundaries of its host organization, presumed to be the US Consumer Product Safety Commission at this time.

Now, 3 distinct propositions were generated from the two images. The first, regarding the existence of "the Grand Raccoon", appears impossible to answer in any capacity. However, from the wording of "the Grand Raccoon", there is no indication that "the Grand Raccoon" is of an ethereal nature. Thus, it is entirely possible that "the Grand Raccoon" is physically just a normal raccoon, with only some sort of "grandness" that distinguishes it from the average raccoon.

The second and third propositions state that the "grand" raccoon cannot be summoned to end either the Covid-19 pandemic or the natural phenomenon of winter. Since the parameters for summoning the "grand" raccoon are unknown, it is impossible to know exactly if these propositions are true or not. However, these propositions suggest that generally, summoning the "grand" raccoon is an act that leads to

a positive benefit (e.g. ending a global pandemic, or reducing the length of a harsh season). This suggests that either those who would attempt to summon the "grand" raccoon have good intentions, or the "grand" raccoon itself has good intentions.

Conclusion

Overall, we have assumed that:

- The "grand" raccoon is associated with the US CPSC, or a national US organization at the very least.
- 2) The "grand" raccoon has a broad range of operation, most likely in areas unoccupied by humans.
- 3) The "grand" raccoon could be a normal raccoon with some sort of title, role, or job that gives it standing above a normal raccoon.
- 4) Either those who interact with the "grand" raccoon have good intentions, or the "grand" raccoon itself has good intentions.

From this, we propose that the "grand" raccoon is this:



This concludes my paper.

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