

HIGHBROW

The World Meteorological Organization sounds the alarm: Climate change is **going faster than ever**.

Related: Officials announce parts of the Florida Keys can't be **saved**.



Rudy Giuliani stars in a documentary series on right-wing TV that **debunks** the impeachment hoax."



Education Secretary Betsy DeVos can't **figure out** the student-loan mess, so she proposes creating another agency to do it instead.



Already, scientists say, **birds are smaller** than they used to be, probably because of climate stress.



Art Basel Miami **Blech**.



Teodor Currentzis and his cathartic, **control-freak** rendition of Verdi's *Requiem* at the Shed.



Theatre for a New Audience's **sumptuous** staging of Maria Irene Fornes's plotless *Fefu and Her Friends*.

Waaa! Heather Christie's *The Crying Book*.



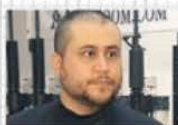
Alvin Ailey premieres *Greenwood*, a dance about the Tulsa riots of 1921. *Watchmen*'s Sister Night is not involved.



Lauren Patten's **showstopping** "You Oughta Know" channels all the teen angst in *Jagged Little Pill*.



Jonathan Hadary's **Xillah**, a new character in the revival of Tony Kushner's *A Bright Room Called Day* at the Public.



George Zimmerman sues the family of the **unarmed teenager he killed** (and the prosecutors) for \$100 million.



If the antics of this presidency keep you up at night, read *A Warning*, which just might put you to **sleep**.



Newark sues NYC over a program that ships the homeless to **cheap** apartments there.



Prince Andrew's **ignoble** behavior forces the queen to cancel his 60th-birthday party.

Apple, Amazon, Google, Netflix, Microsoft, and Facebook are accused of underpaying their taxes by a combined **\$100 billion** since 2010.



Just four more years and \$550 million, and Geffen Hall **may finally** sound ... great.

Outlaw painter Joe Coleman at Andrew Edlin Gallery.



The **irascible** Olive Kitteridge rides again.

DESPICABLE

A woman at a *Slave Play* Q&A accuses the playwright of being "racist against **white** people."



Andrew Yang **squirts whipped cream** into kneeling campaign volunteers' mouths at the opening of his New Hampshire field office.



The Joe Biden finger-biting meme. **Yumm!**



After 11 years, Sodi is now serving weekend **lunch** (not brunch!).



Trump administration threatens to declare total trade war on **French wine**. That'll show Macron!



An Oklahoma Starbucks prints "**PIG**" on a cop's take-out order ...

... And a barista gets fired when the police chief complains. When local news covers it, the chief's estranged daughter tweets that "he is **absolutely a pig**."

The L Word gets rebooted. Is it actually that **good** this time? Not really, but that was never the point.



Olivia Jade, daughter of Lori Loughlin, gets back to **vlogging**, eight months after the college-admissions scandal.



Sorry, kids (and, let's be honest, lonely grown-up **Mandalorians**), official Baby Yoda merch will not arrive in time for Christmas.



Kelly Clarkson and John Legend's **less rape-y** version of "Baby, It's Cold Outside."

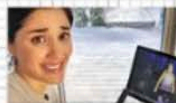


Coming soon to deliver your packages since you can't be bothered to shop in an actual store: **cargo bikes**.

Pete Davidson makes audience members planning to attend his stand-up shows sign \$1 million NDAs.



Why does that woman in the Peloton ad look like she's been taken hostage and forced to **exercise**?



Thor the bulldog. National Dog Show **champion**. (At least he's not named Winston!)



Related: **Mad Max**-esque Amazon truck spotted in Brooklyn.



Will America ever be **safe** from romaine lettuce?



Papa John's founder John Schnatter, ousted for saying the N-word on a conference call, threatens "**day of reckoning**."



Netflix's **delightfully weird** animated holiday movie *Klaus* ...

... And remorselessly absurd yet somehow also delightful **time-travel-to-Ohio** movie, *The Knight Before Christmas*.



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