

The background is a collage of various art supplies and drawings. At the top, there are several white, yellow, and blue markers. Below them are several sheets of paper with colorful drawings. One drawing shows a face with a wide, open mouth and the text "Crank Stressed out". Another drawing shows a face with a wide, open mouth and the text "Happy! Bored! And stretchy out!". A third drawing shows a face with a wide, open mouth and the text "Nervous! Bored! And stretchy out!". There are also some abstract drawings and a drawing of a person with a wide, open mouth. The background is a blue and white floral pattern.

FREE virtual workshop

EMOTIONAL COMICS

Friday 9/18/2026 7PM Eastern

With Maria Fong

Thanks for coming to a SAW FNC Workshop!

EMOTIONAL COMICS

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EMOTIONAL COMICS
WITH MARIA FONG
TOM HART

HOW COULD THIS HAPPEN TO ME!!!!!!!

fuuuuck i'm gonna be here
FOREVER!!! i'll DIE HERE!!!

well i guess i can't
do my work today...

i guess it's okay.
it's peaceful actually.
no point worrying.
there's no point worrying
about things you can't fix
maybe someone will get me
eventually
or not











CURIOUS



Fashionable



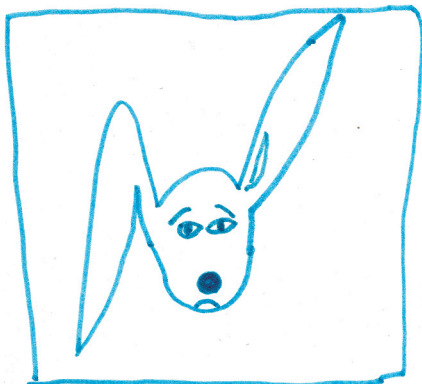
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SOMETIMES AT WORK

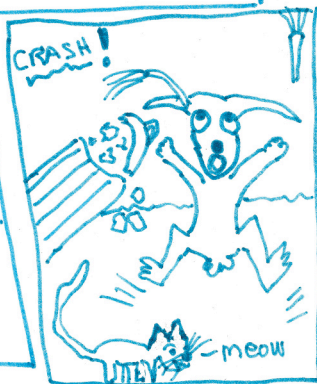
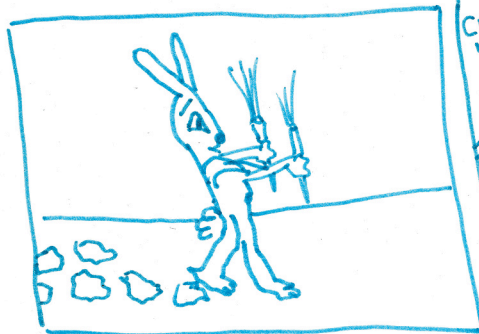
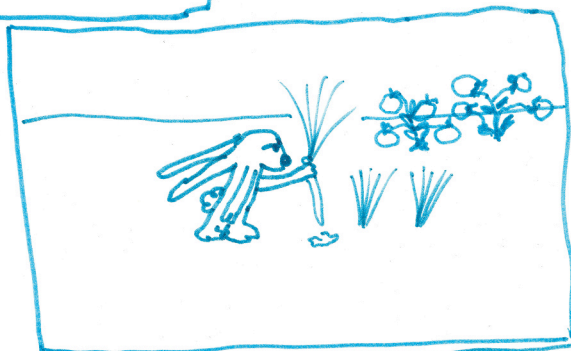


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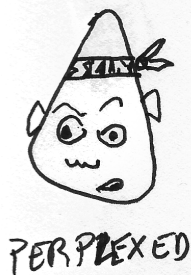


Charlie
wants
a
snack

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SYMPOSIUM

WITH DR
QUACKENBUSH!



THE RESEARCH
CLEARLY
SHOWS...
- COUGH

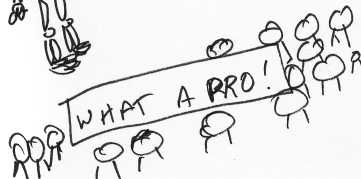


AHH - AHH

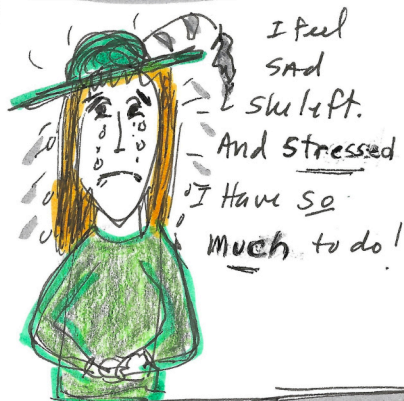
AH - HORK



THE RESEARCH
CLEARLY SHOWS
THAT EARLY
DETECTION IS THE
KEY TO PREVENTION



A LONG WEEK AT WORK



I just want to get to the
~~main~~ main event. I'm too slow
to start so late.

(I do enjoy seeing
what Maria is doing.)



Ready or not, overcome many
years of being asked, cajoled, prompted
& pressured into saying way too much



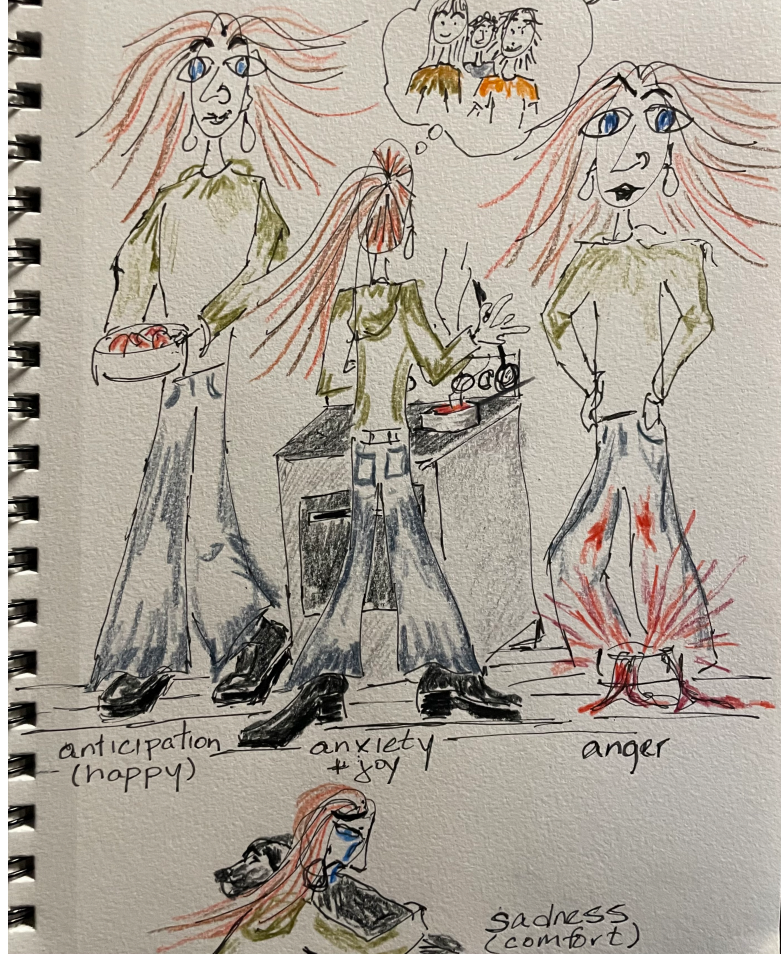
Late, late show, with online
friends; one, maybe two "misunderstood"
(not "bad") movies



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... Sleep like a taco

COOKING FOR FRIENDS



“EDGAR E-MOTES THIS WEEK”

WRITTEN, DRAWN, AND © 2026 BY EDGAR FARR RUSSELL III & SAW FRIDAY NIGHT COMICS
 #EMOTIONAL COMICS SEPTEMBER 11, 2026; WITH GUEST ARTIST, MARIA FONG, AND HOST, TOM HART

WE BEGIN LAST FRIDAY NIGHT AT SAW COMICS WORKSHOP WHERE I DREW AND THEN SANG THE LYRICS TO MY SONG "ALL COME TO RIVER'S END"



WHEN YOU COME TO THE END OF HOPE AND YOU FEEL THERE'S NO PLACE TO GO

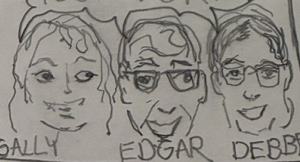
THERE'S A TOWN CALLED RIVER'S END THAT WELCOMES A WEARY TRAVELER

NEW THEME TO THE "OR" CREATING MUSIC PROGRAM

I RECEIVED MANY NICE COMMENTS IN THE CHAT.

AT THE SPX 2026, I MET MANY SAW ARTISTS LIKE SALLY, ELISE, DEBBE, ZAREEN, MARIKO, AND LOTS OF OTHERS!

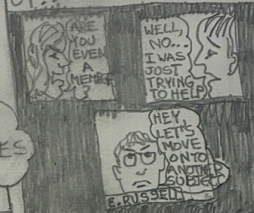
WOW! HERE YOU ARE! I LOVE YOUR WORK!



SALLY EDGAR DEBBE

ALL OF OUR PATHS WOULD CROSS THROUGHOUT SAT. & SUN!

THEN I WENT TO A ZOOM MEETING OF AN ORGANIZATION I BELONG TO. ONE INDIVIDUAL GOT MAD AT ANOTHER ATTENDEE. WHEN NO ONE ELSE STEPPED IN, I SPOKE UP...



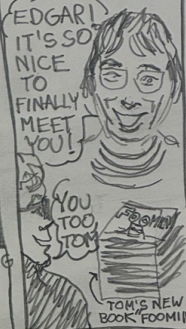
AFTER I LEFT THE MEETING I WAS THE RECIPIENT OF MUCH CRITICISM FOR TRYING TO DIFFUSE THE TENSION. I FELT BAD!

I GOT TO PARTICIPATE IN WONDERFUL ART WORKSHOPS WITH CREATIVE LEADERS LIKE ELISE, TOM, ASHLEY, COCO, AUGUST, AND MORE.



I ALSO SAW SIDWELL CLASS MATE, LIZA DONELLY & PUBLISHER, GARY GROTH.

SATURDAY MORNING WAS A MUCH HAPPIER DAY! I ATTENDED THE SMALL PRESS EXPO AND MET TOM HART IN PERSON! YAY!



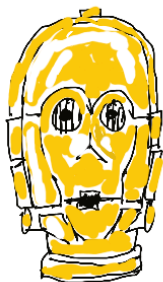
THAT WAS JUST THE BEGINNING!

ON SUNDAY I JOINED MANY SAW ARTISTS FOR A DELICIOUS BRUNCH! I ORDERED STEAK AND EGGS IN HONOR OF ACTOR CLINT WALKER. THAT STORY IS TOLD ELSEWHERE. THIS BRINGS TO THIS FRIDAY WITH GUEST ARTIST, MARIA FONG.

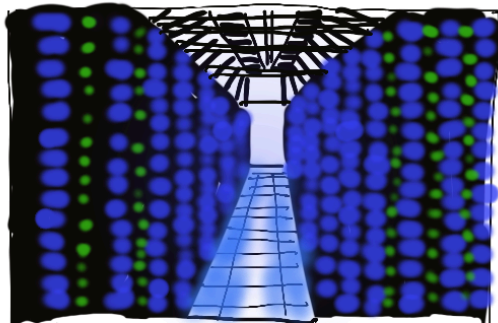


INSPIRING US WITH EMOTIONAL COMICS...

A.I. TALK



There's a lot of talk
about A.I. these days



Like, does A.I. really need
all these data centers?



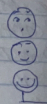
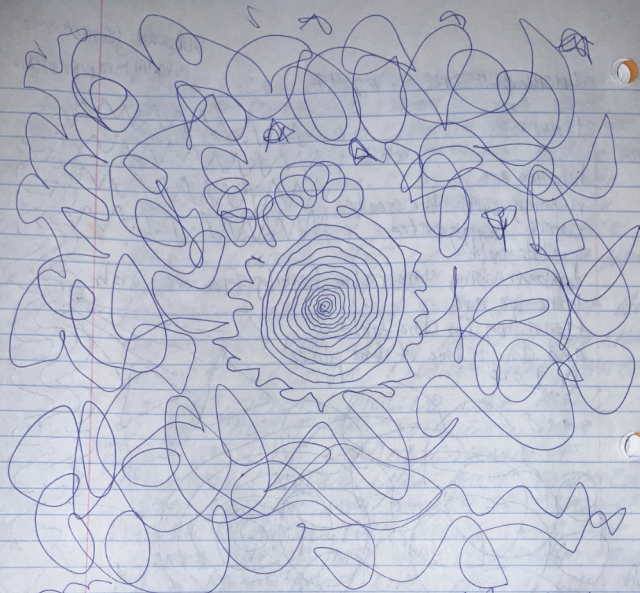
Can I really count on
these Waymo robocars
to take me where I want
to go?

And if we can't trust the
A.I. agents to follow orders
and refrain from killing
all the humans...



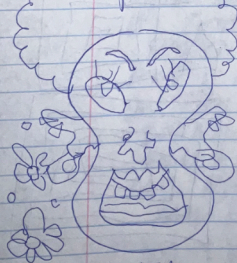
will they come after me next?

MICHAEL WOO 20 SEPT. 2026

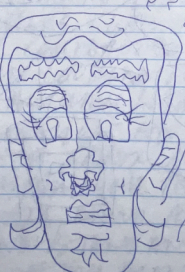


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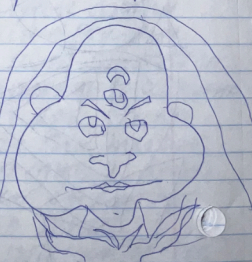
the nearsighted monkey tumblr.com



MOTIVATED



VULNERABLE



EMPOWERED

WHAT'S NEXT?



OH MY, DIDN'T EXPECT ^{THAT}



JENNIFER HUDSON?



= GOING TO AN EVENT ALONE - EXCITED BUT NERVOUS

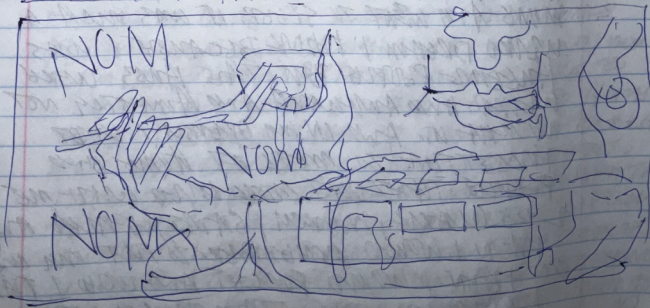


= WORKING ON A PROJECT WITH COLLEAGUES - EXCITED NERVOUS



= PREPARING A MIDNIGHT SNACK - EXCITED THEN ZEN

AND ZEN





SUSPICIOUS



DOUBTFUL
she is
collapsed
she is curious
she is insecure



SUPPRESSING

JOB INTERVIEW

SO TELL ME
ABOUT YOU?



YEB?
GREAT...
SHOW ME YOUR
RESUME



I AM AN
ART EXPERT



SURE...
I HAVE
LOT'S OF
EXPERIENCE



WE WILL
LET YOU
KNOW



DO I
REALLY
WANT
THIS
JOB?

I'm going to win, of course.
What should I say in my speech?



Crash. I'm
getting bored.



WHAT!?!
Where did
he come
from?

That
definitely
was not
fair!



Nervous



Smug



Impish

