
College newspaper editor resigns after writing April Fools issue about Disney characters getting 'gang banged and date raped' on campus

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The editor-in-chief of a college newspaper resigned in the wake of an offensive April Fools Day issue that joked about Disney characters being date raped and gang banged.

Boston University sophomore Chelsea Diana resigned in the wake of what was called a 'juvenile and insensitive' issue.

The articles, which were meant as satire, were particularly controversial on campus as they come in the wake of a number of sexual assaults, Peeping Tom incidents and problems with extreme hazing at sororities.



Resigned in disgrace: Chelsea Diana is a sophomore at Boston University and she resigned after being asked by the paper's editorial board

The front page article, titled 'BROken egos: BU fraternity suspended for assaulting female student', told the story of Snow White being given a drugged Appletini and then waking up naked in a bed with the seven dwarfs.

The article targets fictional members of a fraternity called BRO who are lauded in the land of Far Far Away because 'no one drinks like the BROs, no one shoots like the BROs and definitely no one should rape like the BROs'.

The ill-timed articles were considered particularly inappropriate on the campus because there have been a number of highly publicized arrests.

In late February, Boston University student Max Nicastro was arrested for raping another student. He was the second member of the school's ice hockey team to be charged with some form of sex attack in only three months.



Apologetic: Ms Diana has written a letter saying her regret over the editorial choices made in the April Fools issue

The editorial board of The Daily Free Press asked Ms Diana to resign and she accepted, apologizing to the public on the newspaper's website.

'Simply put, we should have exercised caution,' she wrote in her letter.

'Our decisions were juvenile and insensitive. We deeply regret our heartless behavior and did not mean to personally offend anyone.

She wrote: 'our intention was to produce material that would be seen as ridiculous and fictitious.

'However, we understand that these serious issues should not have been characterized as joking matters.'



Offensive: The main article on the front page of the Disney-themed issue told about how 'frat boy' seven dwarfs date raped and gang banged Snow White

All articles in the Disney-themed issue had fake bylines, but the front page story was written by Princess Diana, whose title was Supreme Ruler of Disney World, leading many to believe it was done by the editor-in-chief.

Prior issues have also been done in theme, with the 2010 edition being Harry Potter heavy and 2011 related to The Lord of the Rings.

The articles were never published on the paper's website but issues of the paper were scanned and posted online.

The Boston University Center for Gender, Sexuality and Activism, which helps counsel victims of sexual assault, took major offense because they were targeted.



Context: The article was in particularly poor taste because there have been a number of sexual assaults at Boston University in recent months

The article said that the Disney character Pocahontas was the president of 'Boston University's Center for Gender, Sexuality and Magical Creatures'.

The dean of the University Kenn Elmore said he was waiting to determine whether they will take any action with the newspaper, though it is uncertain what that would be as the paper is not part of the University.

'They're an independent organization. We don't control their content, so we're not involved in that at all,' he told The Boston Globe.

'I'm going to take a look at (their apology); that's what I'm going to do.'

OUTRAGEOUS: THE FULL TEXT OF THE ARTICLE

Seven frat dwarves were arrested last night after they allegedly drugged and gangbanged a Boston University student in an Allson Village cabin.

The female victim, described as the 'fairest of them all,' reported to have been roofied after drinking an appletini at the Beta Rho omega fraternity party , according to Captain Robert Hook of the BU Police Department.

The girl with raven black hair and bright red lips, Hook said, woke up wearing no clothes with seven BRO dwarves laying naked in bed with her. She called BUPD immediately and was sent to the Far Far Away hospital in Never Ever land.

'When we arrived at the scene she was surrounded by talking rabbits and birds,' Hok said in an interview with the Disney Free Press. 'I thought I had lost my fucking mind.'

The seven BRO brothers were sent to the Allston Village jailhouse where they were released after each paying a \$5,000 bail.

Allston Village District Attorney Peter Pan said the BRO members will appear in court next month. The BRO's face seven charges of sexual conduct and seven charges of drugging someone into unconsciousness. 'Heigh-ho BROs we didn't do anything,' said Sleepy, a senior in the College of Engineering and president of BRO, who is a suspect in the alleged sexual assault. 'But heigh-ho heigh-ho it's off to jail we go.'

BRO has been under serious review from the Interfraternity Council for the last month after allegations of illegal wild naked parties came to light earlier this year.

'BRO has broOed itself out,' said Gaston, the Chairman of the IFC. 'No one drinks like the BROs, no one shoots like the BROs and definitely no one should rape like the BROs'

The fraternity is known for its rousing parties where the 'cocktails flow freely and bitches are easy,' according to a BU student who wishes to remain anonymous.'

The IFC as of this morning suspended BRO from all campus activities until further notice.

'The is unacceptable behavior. Female students should be able to assert their femininity without being assaulted,' said Pocahontas, the president of Boston University's Center for Gender, Sexuality and Magical Creatures.

The CGSC is calling for a university-wide analysis of underage drinking on campus and the sterilization of all BU males.

'I want our women to be safe and I want our appletinis to be drug-free,' Pocahontas said. 'But most of all I want to be able to party without worrying about being gang-banged by a bunch of BROs.'