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Q. Your Story:

R. I had the wonderful opportunity to attend EOC during the 1968/1969 school year. I decided to attend Eastern Oregon so I could play baseball for Howard Fetz. I lived in Hunt Hall A. It was a good year. I learned a lot INCLUDING HOW TO KEEP BEER COLD! Hunt Hall A was unique. It had bathrooms in every room. The technique was to put beer bottles in the toilet water tank, flush the toilet several times, and...voila.... ice cold beer! Water in LaGrande is REALLY cold.

Note/disclaimer: I never drank the beer. My roommate was a big time beer guy. I was the good guy who needed to make sure I didn't mess up my baseball opportunity as well as not get thrown out of the dorm!

My the rest of the story: I actually benefited from this experience.

I transferred to OSU and was an RA for 2 years, then a head resident for 3 years. Needless to say, knowing creative techniques to beat the rules started at EOC. An interesting job skill!!! I completed degrees in Forest Management (BS and MF) as well as a masters in adult education. I was a college administrator for 41 years.

EOC was an amazing place to start college!