

Today I'll be talking about beards! First up, why do people go bald on the tops of their heads, not their chins? Do chins need more warmth than foreheads? The only theory I can come up with is, back in ancient times, people who could handle face aches after drinking ice cold milkshakes super fast were perceived as being more impressive. Whilst it is impressive when someone can handle excessive cold temperatures, that's still not such a great theory, as the internet tells me milkshakes were invented in 1922. What about slush puppies? They were invented in 1970. Even worse. And why does baldness affect people who have more testosterone? Do macho people stay indoors all day so they don't need their hair? I'd say the opposite were true. This is a bit out there, but using shampoo isn't very macho is it? So maybe tough people evolved not to need the stuff? Otherwise they could be called 'flower hair', for example. Imagine the pain that would cause to a tough, well build cop. Then again, shampoo was invented in the 1890s and people don't evolve that fast either. Still though, more time to evolve than with slush puppies! A slightly better theory, it would seem.

After that thought provoking introduction, I will talk about the first beard listed on Google.

Shaven

I wouldn't call the shaven style a beard, but the internet says it is indeed one. If you found my previous writing to be confusing, things have only got worse. If you're a woman reading this, I hate to say this but technically speaking you do have a beard.

Stubble (short)

If you thought stubble was a space telescope you have my sympathy, as Hubble sounds so similar. The thought I could grow hair on my face that can see millions of miles away is awesome, but obviously I can't. A fascinating power for either a superhero or supervillain though, or even the average man on the street wanting to be impressive.

Stubble (medium)

Longer stubble.

Stubble (long)

There hasn't been too much variety yet, but don't lose hope.

Full beard

Not to confused with the phrase 'full beered'. (As drunk as possible). It's very easy to do as if you're 'full beered' you will be in a hairy situation! :D

French fork

How do I follow one of the smartest jokes I've ever come up with? Well, it's not looking good. I've never heard of a French fork, and having looked at the picture of

one, I don't think I've seen one before either. I don't live in France, I think that's what the problem is.

Ducktail

If you see someone with a ducktail beard, you may be tempted to call him 'duck face'. Very easy to mishear, obviously.

Circle beard

The 'circle beard' shown on the internet is no circle. That's probably for the best unless you have a perfectly circular face, but few do, so why not go for a...

... Goatee?

Not to be confused with goat tea, which is a drink you should give to schizophrenic goats very cautiously. You may well end up making the problem worse, and you would likely not even know. Unless maybe it looked at other goats suspiciously. Or it seems very lazy. In that case you may be tempted to give a goat more tea to liven it up a but again, don't! :S

Extended goatee

You should absolutely never give mentally ill goats tea for extended periods of time. If you did that, I'd assume there was something wrong with you as well.

Imperial

Perhaps a better name would be 'the supervillain'. Criminal Charles Bronson has this type of facial hair, but what's super about staying in jail because during an appeal, he boasted of his crimes? I guess as he's committed lots of crimes, things have got to his head. It's like if you've have lots of mental problems, in theory you should be embarrassed, but in reality you just have to tell everyone.

Van Dyke

Where are people getting these names from? Does Dick Van Dyke have a Van Dyke beard? Nope, actually his beard is fairly similar to the Dutch beard... and his surname is Dutch! I think these names have been picked at random for a reason I'll get to.

Anchor

I guess in a weird way this beard looks like an anchor. Why you'd want an anchor on your face is another matter.

Balbo

Is this beard named after a fascist? It's just that Italo Balbo was a fascist and he had a balbo beard. I suppose it's possible a person who's not all there could change his

name and name himself after a beard.

Mutton Chops

I've Googled mutton and all that's really coming up are pictures of sheep and curries. If you dress up as either, you're mad too.

Friendly mutton chops

Less hairy than regular mutton chops. Does that mean friendly people have less hair? Think hairy hippies are nice? Well they often smoke drugs and drugs are bad, so there you go! Though I haven't come across too many friendly skinheads. You know what has the least hair in the world, though? A baby. Ever heard of an evil baby? Me neither. Still though, I don't fully know what I'm talking about so I'll move on.

Garibaldi

One of my favourite biscuits! I remember my nan giving me the treats. Did she have a garibaldi beard? No. If she did I'd wonder why she seemed to be so fixated on the word, especially if she had a bald friend called Gary Baldy. A great story I wish happened.

Dutch

No exact results for the search 'Dutch people with Dutch beards'? What does that tell you? WHAT IDIOTS ARE MAKING THESE NAMES UP AND WHY?? (I'll get onto that later). :O

Bandholz

A band on holiday? I haven't heard anyone say the shortened word 'hols' (or holz) for a while now, but it seems to still be a thing after doing some light research. So, does the beard conjure up images of bands going holiday? No. Hairdressers going on holiday whilst you stay where you are could work though. By that I mean it's the messiest beard on the list! :)

Verdi

Verdi is French for 'green' and green hair is impossible. What does that tell you? Never fully trust someone who names a beard. More evidence for you. I think the problem is that beard naming is surely very low paid work. In fact I Googled 'Beard naming wages' and no exact results came up, suggesting beard naming is a hobby rather than a profession. And if you're not getting paid, why bother right? So let's say people can grow green beards!

Ok! I have three questions: Do garibaldi beards taste like garibaldi biscuits? If so, why? And if not, why? Actually I have another question: Where are the chocolate digestive beards? And why do you only get biscuit beards? Why not jelly and ice cream beards? A cherry chocolate liqueur beard sounds incredible. And to sum up,

communism doesn't work. I mean if you pay everyone the same, everyone will want to be a beard namer, and such people don't seem to care! You read that right, beard naming in its current form proves capitalism is better than communism! And as I think I'm the only person who discusses beard naming, that means I alone prove communism doesn't work in this way at least. So if you ever read an article named 'Facial hair and the flaws of communism', you know it's been plagiarised. And on that innovative note, bye!