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Hello! In this article, I will be listing my favourite drinks, from worst to best! There's little more to say, other than I will talk about my nemesis caffeine a lot again, so let's go!!!

Red Bull

A drink loaded with caffeine. (Got straight to it). Sure the so called 'mild' drug has inspired much of my material, even a whole sitcom, as well as the classic if perplexing catchphrase 'does this drink have caffeine in it?' but deep down, any beverage with the stuff in it, fills me with a genuine terror. So much so, I have regular nightmares about it. 'What happens when you have caffeine', you say? Even a single sip of Red Bull makes me hear voices and strongly suspect the TV is trying to talk to me, somehow. Genuinely upsetting.

Coke

Like Red Bull, but not quite as bad. First up, the drink previously discussed is more potent, AND it's nicer too. A very dangerous combination if you have issues with self-control. I don't though, I've gone three whole weeks without chocolate! They said it couldn't be done.

Bath Water (Accidental drinking)

Perhaps surprisingly, bath water in NOWHERE NEAR as bad as caffeinated drinks. It doesn't taste good, (don't be scared) but it doesn't drive you mental. If you're wondering how I drink bath water, sometimes I get excited with my rubber duck and splash the water, causing some to enter my mouth. No only joking. I do leg exercises, causing the splashing. Don't be scared.

Liquid Soap/Shampoo (Also accidental)

Doesn't taste good, doesn't taste terrible. Apparently there's a thing called 'soap poisoning' (that may sound amusing, though I'm sure it's not), but I think you can worry about these things too much.

Water

Notoriously, the world's most boring drink. So much so, there's an unlimited supply, and no one really cares. In fact, many people get urged to drink more of it for the sake of their health, yet they STILL can't be bothered. It is refreshing, though.

Listerine (Mostly accidental)

Mouth washes can give a strangely pleasing mild burn to the throat. It's not bad, you know? Of course you shouldn't chug it, but if you swallow some by mistake, you may want to savour the moment. Like a fine whisky.

Orange Juice (Very rarely accidental)

Things are getting better, now. There are some who say the hard to swallow by

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mistake drink is good for you, others say it's bad. Bad?? Ha. I'll tell you what's bad - Getting harassed by your own radio.

Orange Smoothie

I don't know why, but these are better than the juice versions. You know what I think the reason could be? I like most people (I think) prefer eating over drinking. Smoothies are more food-like than normal orange juices, aren't they? Yes, I think I've solved the puzzle! I'm very happy with that.

Nanny State

Ah, alcohol-free beer that gives the same effects as regular beer because of the placebo effect. (Relatively) healthy beer? Almost too good to be true. Ahhh... The fizziness can harm your teeth. Darn. Always something, right?

Ginger Beer

I do enjoy ginger beer. As it's excessively sugary, I only have it on rare, special occasions, though. Let's be sensible. Yes, sometimes I'm sensible. Doesn't sound right, does it?

Proper Beer (If you drink this accidentally, seek immediate help)

The first alcoholic drink on the list! Obviously alcohol can be seriously bad for you if you have enough of it, so if you find yourself drinking lots of the stuff without meaning to, there could be problems. First up, you'll get liver damage, secondly you'll have psychological symptoms even worse than ones caused by the drug mentioned earlier. I'm sad to say if you do anything without meaning to, that's not mental, that's totally bananas. Anyway, these drinks are strange, in that you have to have about fifty of them before you start liking them, but you get there in the end.

Gin and Tonic

According to the internet, gin can help with achy joints and gout! However, I read that lefties are less prone to arthritis, so hopefully, that shouldn't be an issue for me. Sadly however, lefties are more prone to schizophrenia, cack handedness, early death, etc. Still, good new about the arthritis, as Alan Partridge would say.

Alcoholic Ginger Beer

Mmm. Like regular ginger beer, only better.

Tactical Nuclear Penguin

You'd think a drink with this name would taste just as dumb as it sounds. Actually, it has a very intriguing flavour I think you should try at least once. On a more moral note, attaching any animal to any bomb is sick. Just because penguins waddle in a funny way, doesn't mean it's amusing to blow them up.

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Pina Colada

I'd actually go as far as saying THESE drinks are amazing. Can't get enough of them. I have one to two a week. They're that good. I used to feel the same way about Red Bulls that were once harmless to me, but something inside me snapped and... Well. The less said the better. Basically they're harmless no more.

Ok! They're my favourite drinks! Interestingly, the least healthy ones are in the extremes of the list, whilst the healthiest are sat in the middle. Hm. Don't know why that could be. Ok, Listerine isn't good to drink, but it is good for your teeth. (I would hope, but the pain they cause makes me suspicious). I think it's best I stop thinking about this very complex subject. Byeeee.