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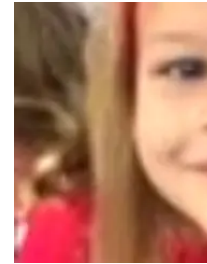
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62 Things Trump Did That You Forgot About To Preserve Your Sanity

Donald Trump's running for president again, so you can look forward to more of his "fun" ideas — like the time he tried to buy Greenland.

By Ryan Grenoble

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[Donald Trump](#) has returned to the news cycle amid a deluge of stories about [a dinner meeting he hosted](#) with a white supremacist and Ye, the rapper previously known as Kanye West.

It's a reminder of the chaotic years of his presidency, as well as a foreboding — though hopefully instructive — warning about how he would wield power if elected again.

If past is prologue, let's take a moment to remember just how unsettling things got during the Trump administration, with this not-even-remotely-exhaustive list of weird and bad stuff he attempted while in office:



- wanted to [nuke nurrricanes](#).
- [Doctored a hurricane forecast](#) map with a Sharpie.
- Attempted a coup to stay in power.
- Absconded with thousands of classified documents, lied about it and refused to give them back when the feds asked nicely.
- Sent unidentified federal officers to Portland, Oregon, to abduct protesters and [spark a conflagration](#) that could be used as a pretense for implementing martial law.
- Ordered peaceful protesters tear-gassed so he could pose for a photo-op with a Bible outside a church.
- Tried to blackmail Ukraine into manufacturing dirt for his 2020 campaign.
- Asked Russia for help in his 2016 campaign — and got it.
- Had a weird affinity for Russian President Vladimir Putin. ([Remember the Helsinki summit?](#))
- Invited Russian Foreign Minister Sergey Lavrov to an in-person meeting in the Oval Office, where he [accidentally revealed top-secret intelligence](#).
- Wanted to withdraw the U.S. from NATO.
- Separated migrant parents from their children, locked the kids in cages and then [failed to reunite them](#).
- Insisted that “raking” would prevent forest fires [because](#) “you’ve got to take care of the floors. You know the floors of the forest, very important.”
- [Covered for Saudi Arabia](#) after Crown Prince Mohammed bin Salman ordered the gruesome murder and dismemberment of a U.S. journalist with a bone saw. (Jared Kushner, Trump’s son-in-law, owes Saudi Arabia \$2 billion, and the crown prince has reportedly bragged about having Kushner “in his pocket.”)
- Intervened to get Kushner top-secret clearance after he was denied over concerns about foreign influence.
- Put Kushner in charge of Middle East peace.
- Embraced rampant nepotism.
- Touted injecting disinfectant as a COVID-19 cure.



- Touted hydroxychloroquine as a COVID-19 cure.
- Touted ivermectin as a COVID-19 cure.
- Told people not to wear face masks to cut down the spread of COVID-19, even though they work.
- Actively discouraged COVID-19 testing.
- Refused to send federal aid to New York City amid the first COVID-19 wave because the virus was hitting Democratic-voting states hardest.
- “Jokingly” said on multiple occasions that he deserved to be president for more than two terms.
- Thought climate change was a Chinese hoax.
- Built an incomplete border wall that [doesn't work](#), wasn't needed and wasn't paid for by Mexico.
- Started a trade war with China that [mainly hurt U.S. consumers](#).
- [Threw food](#) when angry.
- [Saw no problem with](#) his vice president potentially being hanged by a violent mob he'd summoned and sent to the U.S. Capitol to disrupt the peaceful transition of power.
- Stared directly at the sun.



U.S. President Donald Trump stares directly at the sun during a partial solar eclipse on Aug. 21, 2017. NICHOLAS KAMM
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crowd size at his inauguration.

- Thought people needed [an ID to buy cereal](#).
- Fired James Comey as FBI director because he didn't like the bureau investigating Russian meddling in the 2016 election. (Later, it was revealed that Trump's campaign manager [gave detailed internal polling data to a Russian intelligence agent](#).)
- Was a "fucking moron," according to Rex Tillerson, his secretary of state.
- Fired the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention's China-based pandemic response team — and then when a pandemic happened years later, said, "I don't take responsibility at all" for COVID-19.
- [Repeatedly embraced racism](#).
- Thought repeating "person, woman, man, camera, TV" would assure Americans of his mental stability.
- Tweeted [literal gibberish](#) — a lot.
- Lied [all the time](#). (And still does.)
- Openly [embraced and amplified](#) QAnon conspiracy theories.
- Got impeached twice.
- Passed huge tax cuts for wealthy corporations — and massively grew the national debt.
- [Flip-flopped](#) on whether the White House had [ordered the USS John McCain be hidden](#) so he wouldn't get mad. (It did.)
- Called American military members who died in the line of duty "losers" and "suckers."
- Claimed to have bone spurs to get out of military service.
- Binge-watched Fox News [when he should have been working](#).
- Played [so, so much golf](#).
- Raked in cash from foreign interests at his [Washington hotel](#) in an operation sometimes [described](#) as the "epicenter" of a corrupt presidency.
- Held a rally that may have [led to the death of Herman Cain](#).



cover up that trump created on his wife after she had recently given birth.

- Was accused of sexual misconduct by [more than two dozen women](#).
- Dismissed any bad news about himself as “fake.”
- Lied about voluntarily turning over his tax returns.
- Ate well-done steak — with ketchup.
- Described white supremacists in Charlottesville, Virginia, as “very fine people.”
- Grossly abused the presidential pardon on his way out the door.
- Used private communication services [extensively](#) after arguing that Hillary Clinton should be jailed for having a private email server.
- Refused to release White House visitor logs.
- Went to Puerto Rico and threw paper towels at people desperate for actual hurricane aid.
- Discouraged exercise because he believes bodies are like batteries, with a finite amount of energy.

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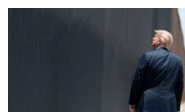
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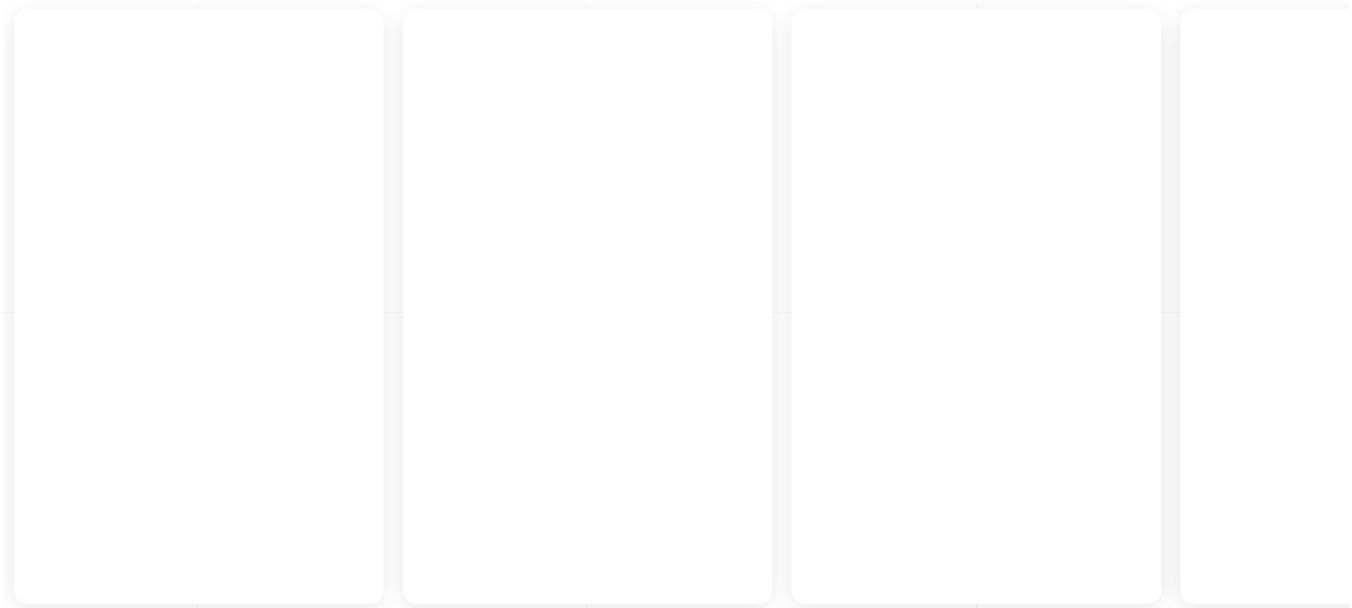
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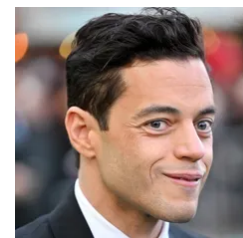
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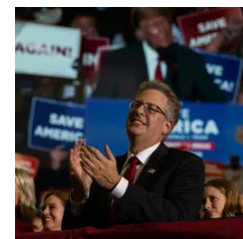
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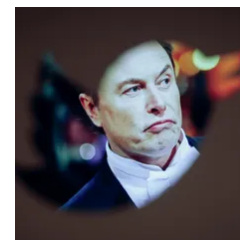
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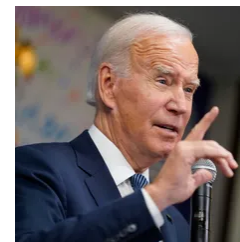
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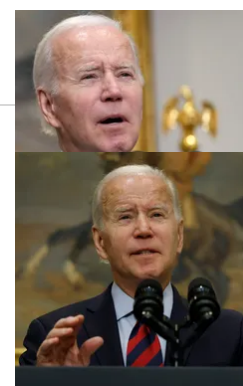
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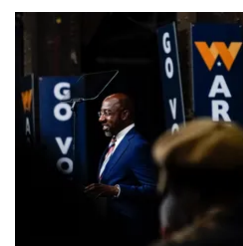


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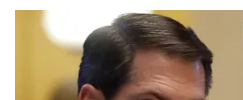
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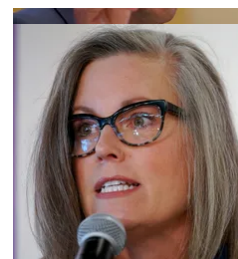


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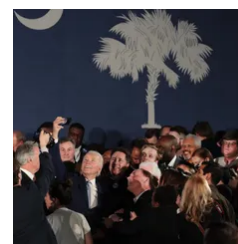




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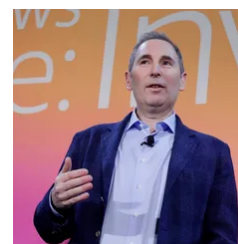
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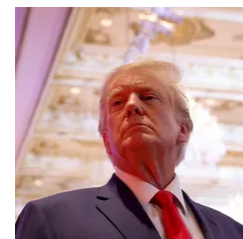




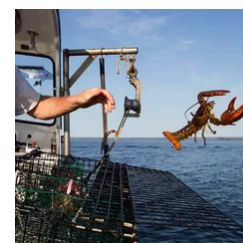
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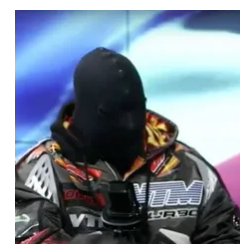
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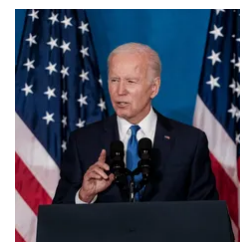
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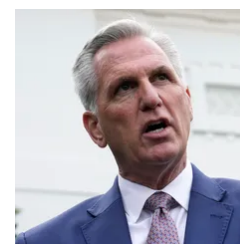
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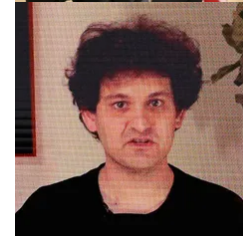




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