

Checklist for the Topps Madcaps Pogs (1994) 128 total

America's Ugliest

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| 1a Illin' Allen | 1b Slammin' Sammy |
| 2a Sureshot Steve | 2b Poppin' Pauly |
| 3a Pick'n'Flick Phyllis | 3b Pilin' Paula |
| 4a Glidin' Glenda | 4b Ann Somniac |
| 5a Stella Sausage | 5b Hot Doggin' Dolores |
| 6a Billy the Kid | 6b Babyface Nelson |
| 7a Bouncin' Bonnie | 7b Candy Crammer |
| 8a Arty Farty | 8b Tad Too |
| 9a Delores Dogface | 9b Fetchin' Fran |
| 10a Ava Niceday | 10b Fanny Facelift |
| 11a Al Lergy | 11b Drippy Don |
| 12a Leakin' Len | 12b Wipeout Willie |
| 13a Pick Nick | 13b Bob the Broiler |
| 14a Norbert Orbit | 14b Propeller Perry |
| 15a Jack the Flipper | 15b Flyin' Fun Gus |
| 16a Stormin' Norman | 16b Chargin' Charlie |
| 17a Reptilian Lillian | 17b Leapin' Liz Erds |
| 18a Chuck Closehave | 18b Asa Hellrazor |
| 19a Bloodthirsty Brenda | 19b Sharp Samantha |
| 20a Stack'em Jacqueline | 20b Sal Iva |
| 21a Flipped Felix | 21b Turner Round |
| 22a Sybil Simeon | 22b Anna Banana |
| 23a Slammin' Sue | 23b Drippin' Debbie |
| 24a Mucous Lucas | 24b Chris Kross |
| 25a Cy Clops | 25b 20/20 Tyler |
| 26a Stiff Cliff | 26b Rottin' Rodney |
| 27a Zelda Zipperhead | 27b Connie Head |
| 28a | 28b Tongue-tied Clyde |
| 29a Prissy Pamela | 29b Rita the Rat-eater |
| 30a Dead-eye Dick | 30b Socket-to-ya' Simon |
| 31a Chip Dib | 31b Mean Joe Green |
| 32a Hairy Mary | 32b Primate Kate |
| 33a Clonin' Cohen | 33b Head-to-head Ted |
| 34a Max Wax | 34b Flappin' Fritz |
| 35a Flippin' Francine | 35b Jammin' Jean |
| 36a Nosedive Ned | 36b Digger Dave |
| 37a Larry Lobotomy | 37b Madcap Mark |
| 38a Henry Hemmorhage | 38b Blisterin' Blake |
| 39a Hurlin' Hal | 39b Kyle Bile |
| 40a Spotty Scotty | 40b Stacker Lee |
| 41a Pipin' Paula | 41b Cora the Killbilly |
| 42a Hal Itosis | 42b Barney Basher |
| 43a Freddy Face-off | 43b Flippin' Mitch Stitch |
| 44a Rammin' Ronnie | 44b Iron John |



10a Ava Niceday

Subsets

Dino Might

- 1 Dement-rodon
- 2 Brutal-saurus
- 3 Ache-osaurus
- 4 Ill-osaurus
- 5 Stack-osaurus
- 6 T. Wrecks
- 7 Terror-dactyl
- 8 Tricera-topps

Flags

- 1 Canada
- 2 France
- 3 Ireland
- 4 Italy
- 5 Japan
- 6 Mexico
- 7 United States
- 8 United Kingdom

Loco Motion

- 1 Eye Love Boards
- 2 Blazin' Blades
- 3 Flippin' Twisted
- 4 Mean Mutha
- 5 Board Stiff
- 6 Schizo-frantic
- 7 Hangin' Five
- 8 Unnatural History

Wacky Caps

- 1 Brittle Soap Pads
- 2 Gadzooka Gum
- 3 Mud Magazine
- 4 Blunder Bread
- 5 Paid
- 6 No-Tips
- 7 Kleenaxe Tissues
- 8 Tied Detergent

Wild Ones

- 1 It's Slammer Time
- 2 Outsiders
- 3 Tornado
- 4 Black Magic
- 5 The Toss Boss
- 6 Poison
- 7 Criss-cross
- 8 Scorpion



7. Terror-dactyl



7. United States



4. Mean Mutha



2. Gadzooka Gum



3. Tornado



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Oh no! An article on Pogs! O.K. now that five of you are still with me, this is an interesting story worth reading. What if Topps decided to reissue some of the most popular non-sports sets of all time? Sets from a thirty-year span of time from 1963 to 1993 were pulled together to create what Topps dubbed "Madcaps." Flags of the World, Wacky Packages, Dinosaurs Attack and some limited or unreleased projects got a second chance at life as a chromium Pog.

Madcaps were issued in 1994 and came in a strangely shaped foil box. The artwork for the box was by John Pound and featured a kid with a baseball cap slamming a stack of Madcaps. The box had two flaps in the back so the box could be displayed at an angle. A small slot in the bottom of the box would be opened and a customer could fish out a pack of Madcaps. There were four Madcaps inside along with an instruction sheet on how to play Madcaps. Collation was poor. An entire case of four boxes of Madcaps could be bought and not guarantee a full set. Randomly inserted about five per box were slightly thicker Madcaps with a plain cardboard back to be used as slammers. One slammer appears to exist of each title.

There are 128 different Madcaps. The bulk of which are 44 different titles called "America's Ugliest." There are actually 88 titles with an "A" or "B" Madcap with a different background. The images used were from an aborted project called "Ugly Americans" and was painted by Drew Friedman and Pat Piggot. The artwork is similar to 1992's Toxic High. They feature "gross-out" type of humor.

In addition to "America's Ugliest" there are four subsets of eight Madcaps each. By far, the most popular subset is the eight "Wacky Caps." These feature eight images of past Wacky Packages like Blunder and Gadzooka. These Pogs are the reason why unopened Madcaps packs, boxes and cases command a fairly high price today. Rabid Wacky Package collectors tear open pack after pack to search for these elusive Pogs. There are usually between three and nine "Wacky Caps" per box.

The Wacky Caps were not the only Norm Saunder's artwork used in Madcaps. 1963's Flags of the World got another chance to wind up in kids pockets. Eight of these were featured in the set and were simply called "Flags" on the back. The flags featured were the more familiar ones like Canada, France, and USA. Eight stickers from Dinosaurs Attack were also shrunk down to size to fit on Madcaps. These were called "Dino-Might." The last two subsets are more obscure. John Pound painted 17 images for an unpublished non-sport series called "Loco-Motion" These were odd characters on surfboards or skates. The artwork is very detailed and still look sharp on the half-dollar sized Pogs. Finally, there were eight Madcaps depicting images from a John Pound painted series called Stylin Skateboard. These were little stickers that could be used to stick on skateboards. Pog lingo was added to the artwork.

As 1995 came to a close, the Pog fad ended as quickly as it began. One big mystery exists. The slammers are so rare, only a partial checklist exists for them. To date, no Wacky Cap slammer has been found. At least one slammer has been found of each subset. A big "Thank-you" goes out to Terry Gomes for information and Casey Roberson for the checklist.