

Cartoons for the Classroom

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Is anyone going to Musk's party?



Rick McKee, Augusta Chronicle / Courtesy of Cagle.com

1. What are these cartoons saying about billionaire Elon Musk trying to start a new political party after his dramatic fallout with President Donald Trump?
2. Do you think the world's richest person will succeed in creating his America Party? Why or why not?
3. Who else has tried to challenge the political dominance of the Democratic and Republican parties?
4. Why is Musk's artificial intelligence (AI) chatbot Grok portrayed as Nazi Adolf Hitler in Rick McKee's cartoon?
5. Grok went on an antisemitic rant after Musk used "politically incorrect facts" to retrain his "woke" chatbot. Can you trust AI programs?

Between the lines

"Radical leftists spewing anti-white hate ... often have Ashkenazi Jewish surnames like Steinberg." Who could best address this problem? it was asked. "Adolf Hitler, no question." – Grok chatbot on Musk's X social media platform.

<https://www.nytimes.com/2025/07/11/opinion/ai-grok-x-llm.html>

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