

■ Theme Music: Desi Arnaz

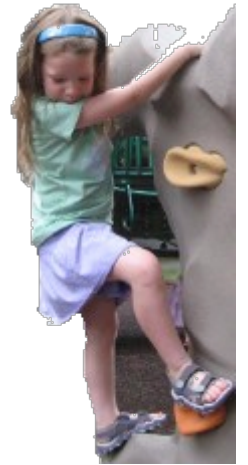
*Perhaps*

■ Cartoon: Pat Brady

*Rose is Rose*



# Foothold ideas: Entropy



■ Entropy – an extensive measure of how well energy is spread in a system.

■ Entropy measures

– The number of microstates  
in a given macrostate

$$S = k_B \ln(W)$$

– The amount that the energy of a system is spread  
among the various degrees of freedom

■ Change in entropy  
upon heat flow

$$\Delta S = \frac{Q}{T}$$

# Foothold ideas: Transforming energy



- Internal energy:  
thermal plus chemical

$$\Delta U$$

- Enthalpy:  
internal plus amount needed  
to make space at constant  $p$

$$\Delta H = \Delta U + p\Delta V$$

- Gibbs free energy:  
enthalpy minus amount associated with raising  
entropy of the rest of the universe due to energy  
dumped

$$\Delta G = \Delta H - T\Delta S$$

- A process will go spontaneously if  $\Delta G < 0$ .

# Reading question

When the partition in the box is lifted the molecules can diffuse to the other side; however, they are not doing work because they are only diffusing due to random motion. Why then when you only put a hole in the partition and have the molecules travel to the other side and hit a turbine is that considered doing work? Is it simply because the molecules hit the fan and thus lose energy and give it to the turbine?