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## Who Won the Week?

**MO Dems** – Watching Plocher punch back against Ashcroft and Sharf on Twitter... seeing Matt Gaetz fling inuendo at Jason Smith... These GOP-on-GOP violence might not help Dems at the ballot box, but it sure is bringing some laughter into their lives.

**Jason Hancock** – Arguably the best journalist in Missouri. Republicans whine that they're "targeted." If you have all the statewide offices, and 70% of the legislative seats, yeah you're going to have more knuckleheads screwing up. It's math, not targeting.

**Bob Onder** – If master politics is mostly about timing, Onder's waiting until now to enter the LG race was damn fine politics.

**Axiom Strategies** – Not a bad week when your total unknown client from Louisiana becomes the new Speaker.

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