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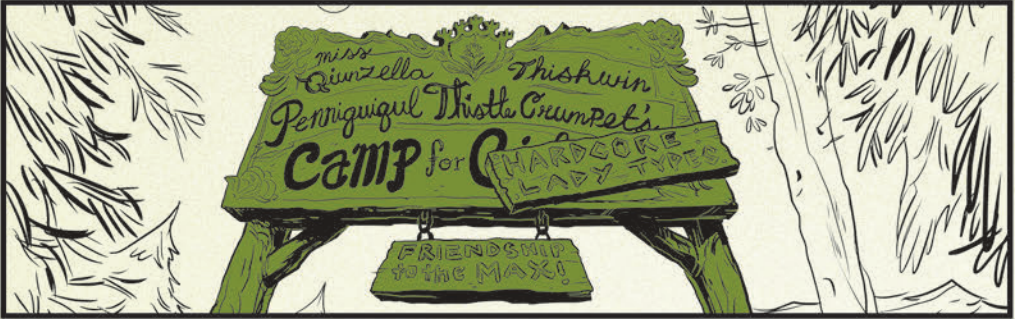
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"Friendship to the Max!"

**HARDCORE
LADY-TYPES**

A MESSAGE FROM THE LUMBERJANES HIGH COUNCIL



Time is a constant teacher as we continue our journey through the wilderness. When we were young women walking through the woods, learning with every step we took and every mistake we made, it was our passion that drove us further hungry for the next problem to solve, thirsty for the secrets of the world that we would learn to hold in our hearts. There is so much the world has to offer and so much more the world does not yet know it has for us, just like us at the beginning of our journey, the world is new and it learns with us.

It was at Lumberjanes camp that we learned to grow with the world instead of around it and it is our privilege and honor to welcome the new class of young adventurers to this camp. We hope that you enter this next stage of your development as a refined young lady with open eyes as we not only prepare you for a better future but as you prepare yourself. It was at Lumberjanes camp that we learned our love for carvings, the joys of

building with your own two hands and the peace that comes from molding something into life. It is with those fond memories that we still put a hand over our hearts and recite the pledge of a Lumberjane scout for we swear to give you the tools to do your best every day.

Never think less yourself, believe in your natural talents and do not be ashamed if you have your doubts. Instead, if you can't believe in yourself then believe in your friends. Your friends will be with you as you explore the unknown even after leaving this camp. Being a Lumberjane is more than just something you did one summer, it is a choice that will follow you for the rest of your lives. Go out and enjoy the mysteries that life has to offer and do not leave one stone unturned. As always, this handbook is meant to guide you on your path as a Lumberjane, as a friend, and as a human being. We hope it will show you different sides of life that will help guide you on your future journeys.

THE LUMBERJANES PLEDGE



*I solemnly swear to do my best
Every day, and in all that I do,
To be brave and strong,
To be truthful and compassionate,
To be interesting and interested,
To pay attention and question
The world around me,
To think of others first,
To always help and protect my friends,
~~To always help and protect my friends,~~
And to make the world a better place
For Lumberjane scouts
And for everyone else.*

**THEN THERE'S A
LINE ABOUT GOD,
OR WHATEVER**

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LUMBERJANES FIELD MANUAL

CHAPTER FIVE



Lumberjanes "Arts and Crafts" Program Field

FRIENDSHIP TO THE CRAFT

"I get by with a little help from my yarn."

Being a scout requires more than what most might think. While Lumberjanes do the typical nature hikes and wood cutting competitions that are essential to every scout's growth, she will also do more. Every Lumberjane should leave camp with the basic understanding of problem solving, as she will encounter many problems through life. One of the many goals of the Lumberjanes is to make sure every young lady leaves with the tools to succeed. As a Lumberjane, it is vital to have a deep focus on friendship in every one of the courses offered. It should come as no surprise that both friendship and problem solving are combined in the *Friendship to the Craft* badge.

Crafting is a fine art that contains a multitude of mediums ranging from fibers to sculpting. It is the tendency for a Lumberjane to want to work with her hands and her mind that makes this badge one of the camp favorites. Each scout will be divided into groups

and then given a task to complete within a limited amount of time. Some of these tasks will be easy to complete individually and will be an opportunity for the more advanced scouts to help out the less experienced. Other tasks will be so advanced that they will most likely never be completed. As every scout eventually learns, some things are bigger than us.

To obtain the *Friendship to the Craft* badge a Lumberjane must have already mastered the art of glue, and shown great promise in her creative thinking skills. She must enjoy color theory as well as be able to explain how the theory of colors works in nature and in the modern world. She must have shown that not only is she a natural leader, but is able to take a step back and allow others to guide on their journey as well. The importance of this badge is the lesson of teamwork and to learn how to make a friendship bracelet.



huff huff huff huff



JO! WHERE ARE YOU?

I'm over here! Where are you?



Jo, HURRY!

I'm coming! Hold on!!



Ripley! What's going on?




There you are.



We've been waiting for you.


AHHHHHHH!






Psh, we can fight off those dumb monkeys together...

So were you at any point going to WARN me about the forest full of supernatural creatures that are totally out to get us?




You underestimate those girls. I hoped it wouldn't come to this.

Well--well that worked out just great didn't it!



Look, there's nothing I hate more than confrontation, and frankly you terrify me, but whatever happened to the boys camp terrifies me a LOT more.


We need to-- call the police, or the FBI Paranormal division or...or...



Calm down, Jamie. I'm going to look into this.


You're in charge until I get back.

WHAT.



B-but you can't just...

I'll be back by tomorrow afternoon.



BUT WHAT IF I GET THEM ALL KILLED?!!

AND ALSO MY NAME IS JEN.



The next day.

Wooohooo! We get to go to the RACCOON RODEO today!!



RACCOON RODEO!

What even is that?

RACCOON RODEO!



All right, everybody, listen up!



Due to --um-- an incident, Rosie is gone for the day and she left ME in charge.

So to make sure you all stay safe, we'll be staying in the camp until she gets back.



But-- Raccoon Rodeo!

I'm afraid that's been canceled. Today's new activity will be....



FRIENDSHIP BRACELETS!



Ugggggghh. Lanyards? More like LAMEYARDS.

Listen up, campers! Today we're learning the honorable, revered art of FRIENDSHIP BRACELETS. We're earning our Friendship To The Craft badges, so BUCKLE UP!



Fig. 1

First off, pick three colors of thread. Cut two three-foot pieces of each so you'll have six pieces of thread. Keep the same colors together!



Fig. 2

Then, loop all the string around your finger and tie two knots.



Fig. 3

Tape the loop to the table.



Fig. 4

Now separate the colors! There should be a group of colors on each side.



Fig. 5

Now the exciting part! Move the outside color at the right and cross it over to the left on the inside. Then take the same color from the left and cross it over to the right on the inside.



Fig. 6

Now grab the left threads in one hand and the right threads in the other, and tighten!



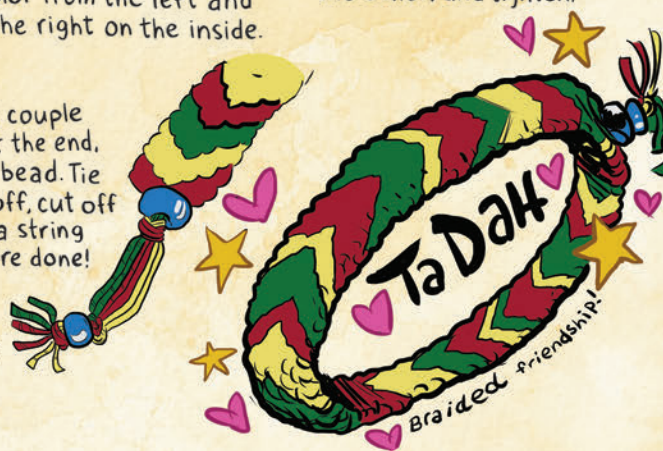
Fig. 7

Repeat moving the outside color at the right and crossing it over to the left on the inside, then taking the same color from the left and cross it over to the right on the inside over and over again.



Fig. 8

Now tie a couple of knots at the end, and add a bead. Tie the bead off, cut off the extra string and you're done!



All right everybody, good technique! Braid those bracelets! Nice color coordination, Courtney!

Jen, can we PLEEEEEEASE go to the RACCOON RODEO now?

No way, I'm in charge today and NOTHING WEIRD IS HAPPENING ON MY WATCH.

I don't want to deal with any ZOMBIES or GHOSTS or or or JACKALOPES or--

Oh, c'mon Jen, JACKALOPES? Those aren't even real.

JEN.

I MADE YOU A FRIENDSHIP BRACELET.

Oh, um, thanks, Ripley.











We gotta do something!

I've got a plan. Follow me.



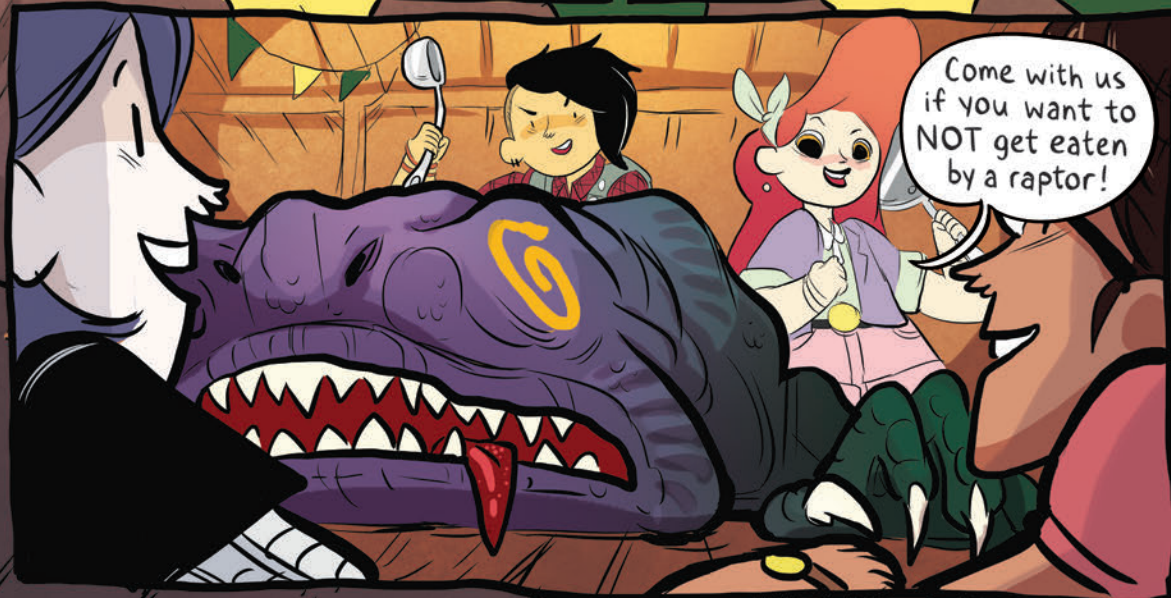
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SKREEEE



BWONGGG



Come with us if you want to NOT get eaten by a raptor!





CHOMP





If we die, tell my mom I love her.

She knows.



HEY, DINO-BUTT!



Yeah, that's right, I'm talking to YOU!



Oh no. Poor defenseless me. Clearly I did not think this through! My foolish mockery will be my undoing.



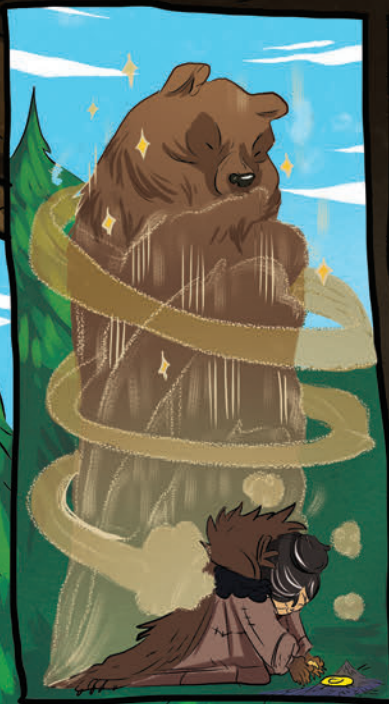
And I cannot even run away... because of how very injured I am!











Blast these things to tarnation.

YOU. You're coming with me.

What--ack!

HEY! Leave her alone!

All right, missy, drop the act! I KNOW who you really are!

I--what?

This disguise couldn't hide you forever--especially not from ME.

Wait, is that not the real Jo?

Is JO not the real Jo?

Cut it out you guys, it's just JO. I've known her for forever.

Seriously lady, I'm not... whoever you think I am.

Is that so? Then why were those raptors going for YOU specifically?

They... were?

I should've known Rosie would pull something like this. Harboring dangerous mythical creatures! Always meddling!

I'm not-- WHAT?!



I'm taking this. This is mine now.



LEAVE MY FRIENDS ALONE



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DINO-MITE!



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HOW TO WEAR THE UNIFORM

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that your shoes and stockings are in keeping with the
uniform, that you watch your posture and carry yourself
with dignity and grace. If the beret is removed indoors,
be sure that your hair is neat and kept in place with an
inconspicuous clip or ribbon. When you wear a
Lumberjane uniform you are identified as a member of
this organization and you should be doubly careful to
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DON'T FORGET YOUR TICKETS
TO THE GUN SHOW!

LUMBERJANES FIELD MANUAL

CHAPTER SIX



Lumberjanes "Sports and Games" Program Field

JAIL BREAK

"Run as fast as you can."

Everyone experiences troubles, it is not something that is unique to one individual and it is something everyone must acknowledge. Some things can be planned for, some things require much luck, and some things require a bit of both and a lot of chaos. Incarceration will happen in some form or another, whether it's because she finds herself at a party that is terribly dull with only the window as a valid escape or she wasn't fast enough to escape the authorities after a good street race. Lumberjanes are considered to be girls who can find their way into and out of any situation.

The *Jail Break* badge is a badge that is only earned on the battlefield. It is something that every scout will get a chance to earn whether they are taken by their captors against their will or because they let it happen. One of the many fun opportunities with this badge is the chance to get the better of her enemies while freeing her fellow

soldiers so that they can return to their base and start again. Capture the flag is and will always be the biggest battle of the summer, but the real challenge to the game actually isn't getting the flag. It's breaking out of your enemies' prison.

To obtain the *Jail Break* badge a Lumberjane must be participating in one of the battle royales that summer. She will have to find herself captured by her enemy and taken into their holding cells. A Lumberjane must be able to adapt to her surroundings, she must be able to predict the movement of the other team and above all else, she must save as many fellow prisoners as possible. She will know the importance of teamwork, she will be able to step down if she doubts in her abilities to free everyone safely just as she will be able to stand up to help a fellow scout in this challenge. She will never doubt her enemy, never underestimate their knowledge



Jo, what do we do? There's too many of them!



Stay calm, we're gonna be alright. We're gonna make it out of here.

The bridge is too heavily guarded. NO WAY are we making it out that way.



We've gotta split up. It's the only way. They can't catch ALL of us.

Jo, NO! It can't have come to that. Not yet.



You guys have to go without me. I can't run as fast as the rest of you.

NO! Stay with me, Molly, I'm NOT leaving you!

Shhh! They're coming!



It's been an honor serving with all of you.





I can't believe that **LITERALLY YESTERDAY** they almost died in a raptor attack, and today you're just letting them run around willy-nilly in the woods for a silly Capture-the-Flag game!!



What would you do? Lock them in their cabins and never let them out again?

They fought off those raptors all on their own. We have no reason to think they can't handle themselves.



You know, I'm gonna be honest here--I don't get this place. Like at all. Maybe it's because I'm not strong, or brave, and I've never punched a bear, or... or...



Now Joan--
Jen.

Those girls don't **NEED** you to punch a bear. They can do that on their own. What they really need is someone smart and practical, someone who can keep them from getting in over their heads.



Yeah but... that's boring.

Hmm, that's true.



Maybe you could learn karate.





Haha oh man that was TOO close.

Molly, your leg is like... totally fine.

Yyyyyyyeah. I guess I got a little caught up in the moment.

How are we supposed to find out where their flag is if we can't get across the bridge safely?



There HAS to be another way across...

YOU GUYS!



Diane?!



How'd she get across?! We were guarding the bridge the whole time!

COME ON YOU GUYS! WE CAN GET HER!

WEEEEEEEEEEEEEE







DANG DANG DANG I THOUGHT FINDING YOUR FLAG WOULD BE EASIER AND LESS FUN.



HA! MADE IT!



RIPLEY, NO!!

STOP!!!



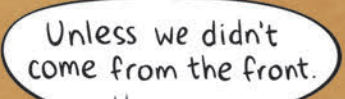
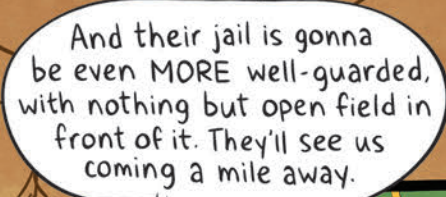
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NOOOOOO My FRIIIIIIIIIIENDS



RIPLEEEEEEY







Not you too!

The Bearwoman's nutso. If Jo was REALLY a mythical ancient being in disguise, I'd know.

Don't get me wrong, Jo. We'd totally still like you if you were a mythical ancient being in disguise.

I'M NOT AN ANCIENT MYTHICAL BEING IN DISGUISE.



But like...

...the thing about how all those creatures that attacked us were going for you?



We don't even know if that's true. They could've been going for ANY of us.



Oly oly oxen free.



YOU GUYS.

I have literally zero idea why the Bearwoman thought I was anything other than a normal human.

But I PROMISE you I'm not a--



AHHHHH



WHAT
THE JUNK
WAS THAT



Okay, I know
this looks bad, but
that was NOT me!



...I don't
think?



You guys
keep going.
Get Ripley back.
I... I have
to go.



JO!!! THIS ISN'T
THE TIME FOR A
JOURNEY OF SELF-
REFLECTION.





Diane, this isn't as bad as it looks, I promise.

Oh drop the act.

Did you think you could get AWAY with this? I should've known you'd break the rules.



You put the whole camp in danger for your own selfish reasons. I hope you're happy.

I didn't mean to put anyone in danger! I didn't know this would happen!



You infiltrated the Lumberjanes AND you took my stuff! You're such a CHEATER AND I'M TOTALLY TELLING DAD.

I don't even know why I took it! I thought it might help us! I didn't know it would attract **MONSTERS!**



Wait, what?

Wait, what?




uhhhhhhhh TAG.



JOOOOO!

JO!

JO, PLEASE
COME BACK!




JO, YOU'RE MY BEST
FRIEND. I DON'T CARE
IF YOU'RE SECRETLY
MAGIC! I KNOW YOU'RE
A GOOD PERSON.




There she is!!



Oh no!
JO!!!



They got her.
They got Jo.



They are SO
going down.







Okay. Here's what we're gonna do.



"We're gonna army-crawl through the field. If they see us, we're done for."

"We'll come at them from three different angles so at least one of us has a chance of getting through."



"When we're right outside their camp, we'll jump up and run zig-zag to confuse them."

"Their camp is swarming with greenies. All we've got is the element of surprise."



Run straight for the jail and free Ripley and Jo and whoever else you can. Then GET OUT OF THERE. Do not pass go. Do not collect \$200.

OR IT WILL ALL HAVE BEEN FOR NOTHING.



And remember--

ACK

BUBBLES!

JO! RIPLEY!



No time, they're right behind us.

ARE WE EVER GONNA ACTUALLY DO ONE OF MY PLANS OR WHAT.







Gods darn it.



Give it baaaaaaack.

Nooooooo stooooooooop.



Diane, STOP! Why are you doing this?!



BECAUSE YOU DON'T DESERVE TO WIN THE GAME



Ok, well, first of all, that seems subjective. Second of all, that's not what I meant.

SOMEONE TELL ME WHAT'S GOING ON OR I AM GOING TO FREAK OUT, NO ONE ELSE IS FREAKING OUT THE APPROPRIATE AMOUNT RIGHT NOW. WHERE IS JEN?



Maybe you're not Apollo, but I KNOW you're working for him!



What are you talking about?! We don't know who that is!



Oh, is that why you have his golden eye?

IS THAT WHY YOU STOLE MY BOW?





Ok, you got everything you wanted. Now when are you going to tell us what the junk is going on?!

This ISN'T everything I wanted. The bow was already mine. I just wanted it back.

If you really want to know what's going on, you're going to have to help me get a few more things...

Hey, that wasn't the deal!

Fine. What else do you need?

JO!

There's just one more thing, actually, and it won't be easy...



What do you think you're doing?

AAAAHHH!



Oh! Jen! Hi!

Doing? Us? Doing? Haha NOTHING.

We were just uh... We got lost?

Going to the bathroom!

Okay okay, save it. I know you're up to something.

We got lost... on our way... to the bathroom.

HI JEN!



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**YIPPE-KI-YAY
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**I LOVE IT WHEN A
PLAN COMES TOGETHER**



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CHAPTER SEVEN



Lumberjanes “Community” Program Field

FRIENDSHIP TO THE MAX

“Together forever.”

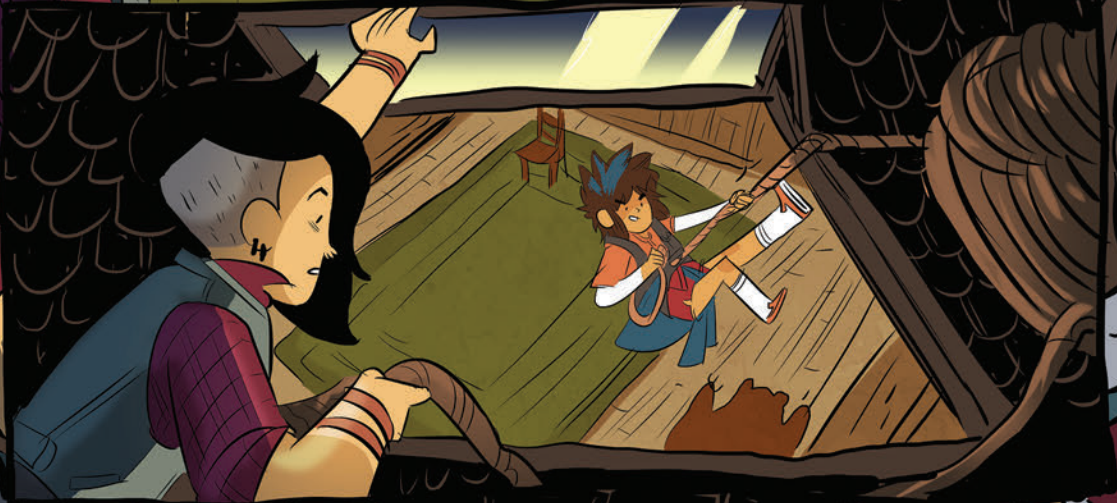
There are many things that a Lumberjane will learn while at camp, she will learn how to care for the wildlife available to her and how to use it to better her life and those around her. She will learn the importance of social customs and manners, while at the same time enjoying the chance to break the boundaries that society might place upon her. A Lumberjane will learn how to start a fire, she will learn how to survive in the harsh climates, and learn basic healing necessities to ensure good health for herself and her companions. Above all else, a Lumberjane will learn what it means to be a friend.

The *Friendship to the Max* badge is not just another step for a Lumberjane on her personal journey in camp but something much more. ‘Friendship to the Max!’ is the camp slogan and it has stood the test of time as the most valuable lesson a Lumberjane will ever learn in her time here. She will be taught everything she needs

to know on how to survive on her own in nature, she will be taught how to stand on her own two feet when she returns home. No matter what she might face there will always be friendship and friendship is something a Lumberjane will teach herself.

To obtain the *Friendship to the Max* badge, a Lumberjane must be able to prove that she not only values the faith and friendship that others have given her but that she truly understands what it means to be a friend. She will put her friends before her without neglecting herself, she will not take advantage of her friends and will be able to show her loyalty and dedication to them not only through her words but her actions. Her fellow Lumberjanes will understand what it means to be a true friend by following her example. The lesson from this badge is something a Lumberjane will take with her for the rest of her life as she learns to understand the







GRRRR AWOOOO
ROWRRRR RAHH



AWOOOOO

ROOOOWR
RARRR RARRR

WHOO-PER-WILL
WHOO-PER-WILL



Are those
bird sounds?

KI-KIRRI-KI!
KI-KIRRI-KI!

We're supposed
to be making
monster noises!



Shhh, here
she comes!



My goodness, but
the sounds of nature
are beautiful! I could
stand here and listen
to them all night!

She's not coming out here,
WHY ISN'T SHE COMING OUT?

Stay the
course, Jen...

WHAT IF SHE DOESN'T COME OUT?!
SOMEONE'S GOTTA HELP RIPLEY!

RARRRRRR



Jen! JEN!

Well we're
POOCHED
now!

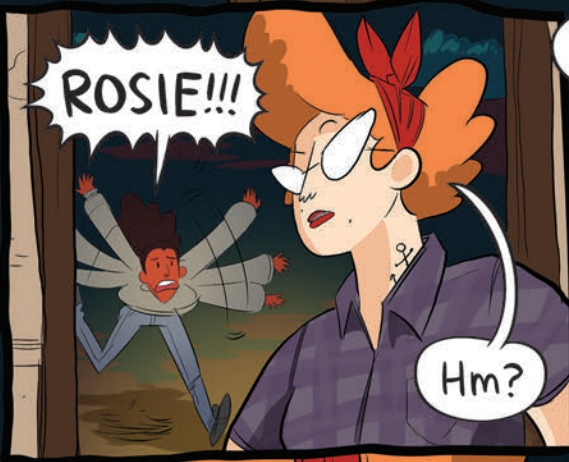
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Come to
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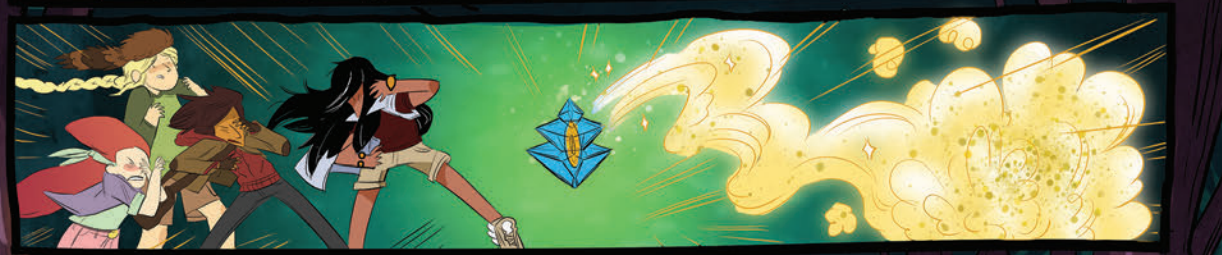


Welp, no
time for critter
investigation tonight!
Too much to do, too
much to do...











It's showing us the way! Come on!



STOP.



You got some 'splainin' to do.



YOU got some 'splainin' to do.

After she 'splains first.



Am I the only one who has no idea what's going on?

Did I miss something while we were just jumping straight into the action or...?



April's right. You still haven't explained a single thing, and that was the deal.

Did that deer just call you 'Artemis'?



Oh. Uh, yeah, that's my name.

WHAT.

Anytime you want to offer an explanation, THAT WOULD BE GREAT.

WE JUST STOLE SOMETHING FOR YOU.



Okay, okay, fine.

Long ago, like several weeks ago, my father approached my twin brother and I with a proposition.



He said a bunch of stuff about power and responsibility and blah blah blaaaaah who cares, the important part is that he's getting old and needs a successor to take over ruling the universe.

So he set up a challenge for Apollo and I so we could prove our worthiness.



'Apollo'? Are you implying that you are... And your brother is... And your DAD is...

Oh yeah. My dad is Zeus, he's every reality you've ever conceived of, yaaaaawn.

You're Greek Gods!!

NO. I REFUSE. I was ready to be okay with monsters and dinosaurs and jackelopes but I am NOT OKAY with you being Ancient Greek gods of lore!!

I'm a huge fan. Will you sign my "It's a Myth-tery" badge?

Where was I? Oh yeah. So there's this ceremony, right? And our birthday is tomorrow, so it has to happen sometime around then.

Whoever completes the challenge first gets ALL the power.



And seriously, you DON'T want Apollo to win. You've seen what he's done with the power he has.

Those 3-eyed critters that have been attacking us? Servants of Apollo.

So Apollo's the one who's been manipulating us to solve the mysteries for him. With the foxes, and the codes, and everything.

Exactly. He's been cheating from the start.

Apollo is seriously bad news. I can't stress that enough.

We're not supposed to use our powers to meddle in human affairs, but he's NEVER listened.

He's even been using mind control to force humans into being his acolytes.

The boys' camp!

Yeah. He would've done the same thing to the Lumberjanes if it weren't for ME protecting you.

But if he gets that power? I can't stop him. That becomes the WORLD.





But that's not gonna happen because we're a step ahead of him!

He couldn't figure out that the crystal was the next clue, even with him trying to spy on me all the time using the power of the golden eyes.



So THAT'S what the eyes do! That's why his monsters kept coming after me!

Yep. It's too bad I didn't find out you had it sooner or I could have spared you a LOT of monster attacks.



But I mean, how could you know? Jo didn't even tell HER BEST FRIENDS that she had it.



What's your deal, April?

My deal is I don't TRUST you, Diane. Your whole explanation is fishy as heck.

For someone who's not supposed to be meddling with humans, you're doing an awful lot of it yourself.



Why do you expect us to believe you'd be any more responsible with limitless power?

DESTROY the crystal, DESTROY the eye. No one gets the clue. NO ONE gets the power.



It doesn't work that way. SOMEONE'S getting that power, even if Apollo and I don't.

And no mortal can handle that kind of magic. It would be disastrous.

We don't have a choice, April. We have to trust Diane.

Okay, fine. Whatever.

I guess if you're gonna start trusting people, it might as well be Diane, right?

April...

Why didn't you tell us about the eye? How could you do that to me?

I--I wanted to! I was going to! And then the river monsters attacked us, and then all these bad things kept happening, and they were all MY fault.

I was afraid you'd get so mad at me that you wouldn't want to be best friends anymore. I couldn't let that happen! I had to protect you... I had to protect all of you!

It's not your job to do that!

We've always told each other everything. Why didn't you trust me now? So much for being best friends to the end.

Cave!

We're here.





What is this place?

A mythical ancient cave of magic and wonder and anagrams for some reason.

I should've guessed.



Hey look, it's a tiny baby *Photinus pyralis*, also known as a--

--a lightning bug!



What're you doing all the way down here, little guy?



Ouch!

Did that thing just shock you?



Ripley, be careful!

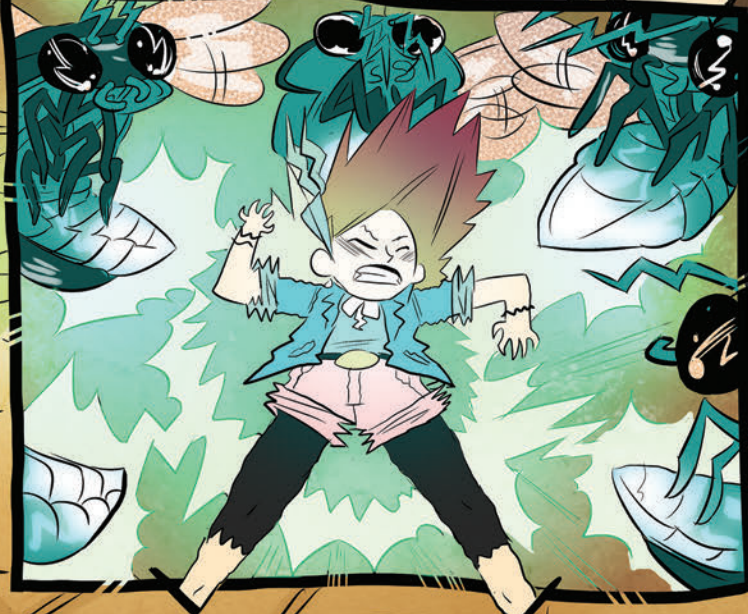


I'm always careful!





No seriously, watch out for--





My friends!

Wait! The crystal and the eye--



No! That can wait! I have to help my friends first.

This IS how to help them. It's the only way to call those bugs off.



They're not gonna win this fight.

You want to save your friends, we have to do this now.



You need to put the eye and the crystal in that slot.



There's a reason you can't do it yourself, isn't there?

Uh...

Diane, what's gonna happen to me when I do this?



It's the only way.

Diane!
WHAT'S GOING
TO HAPPEN!



...It's not good.

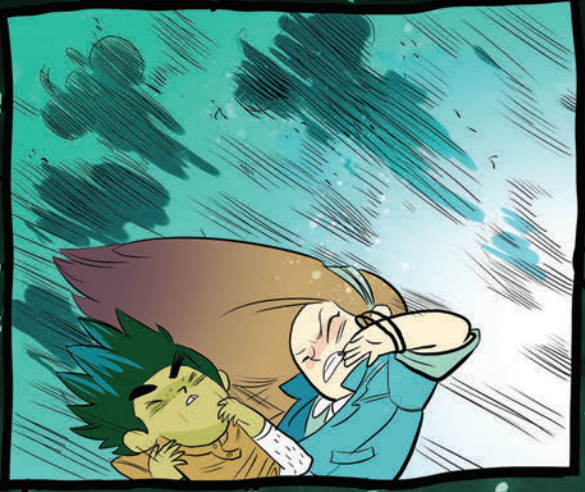
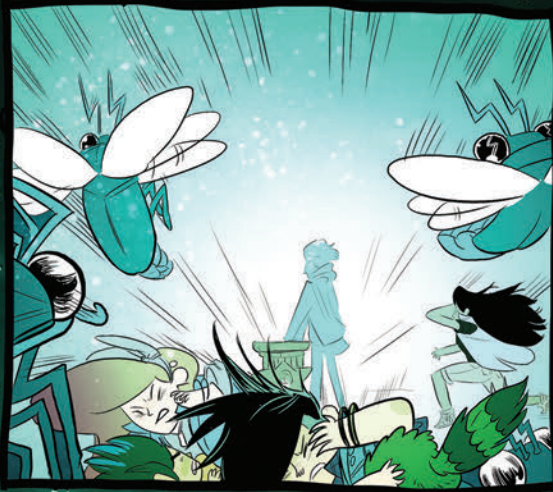
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save my friends?

Yes. I promise.



Friendship
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**THESE GUYS REALLY
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LUMBERJANES FIELD MANUAL

CHAPTER EIGHT



Lumberjanes "Out-of-Doors" Program Field

SPACE JAMBORIE

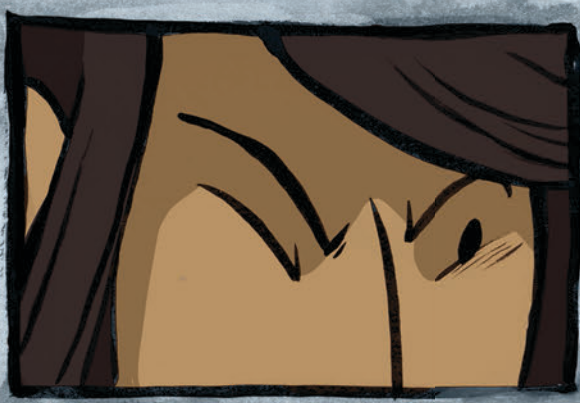
"This jam breaks the laws of physics."

Like any well rounded young woman, a Lumberjane will understand the importance of music and will do her best to remain educated enough in all music venues to ensure the ability of polite conversation. Being a Lumberjane is more than learning skills for the great outdoors but also coming to terms on how to be a well rounded individual. She will explore the keys and notes that come with a variety of music, will be able to have a basic understanding of how to read a music sheet, and will at the very least be able to understand the importance of a steady beat even if she is not as musically inclined as her fellow scouts.

Music brings joy to everyone in life, from the earth as we understand it to beyond the stars that are impossible to know. The importance of the *Space Jamborie* badge is that it teaches poise under pressure as well as creative thinking. This badge is not earned by a well written

sonnet that hits every note that a text book would recommend but it is earned by the creative thinking that the scout puts into her work. The piece that she writes is meant to be something personal yet able to share, it will be judged by her cabin leader who will know if the scout is pushing herself.

To obtain the *Space Jamborie* badge a Lumberjane must compose and perform her own original piece. In this performance they will be able to judged on their understanding of music and on their stage presence. They are not required to perform on their own as to be a Lumberjane means to be constantly surrounded by friends, but only the main performer can earn badge at a time. While music can be considered subjective by society this badge is not judged by the standard of others but instead it is judged by the standard that a Lumberjane holds herself to. Her music will be honest



Guys?



Jen! Ripley!
Where are you?



MAL! MOLLY!



... April?



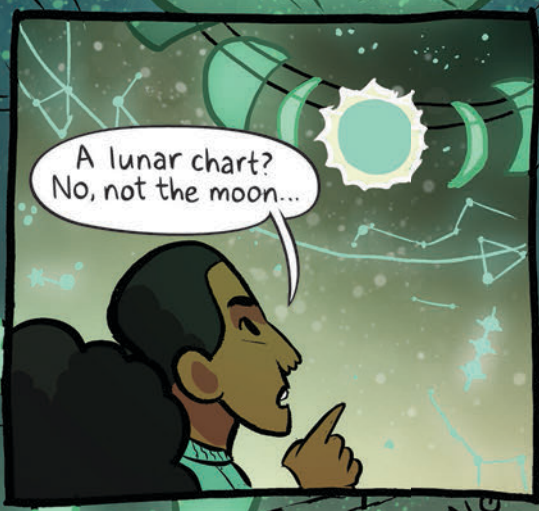




Oh gosh oh gosh
uhhhhh okay
let's see.



So we've got this
star chart, we've got
this map on the
ground.



A lunar chart?
No, not the moon...

THE SUN!



The total
solar eclipse!!



The WHAT?



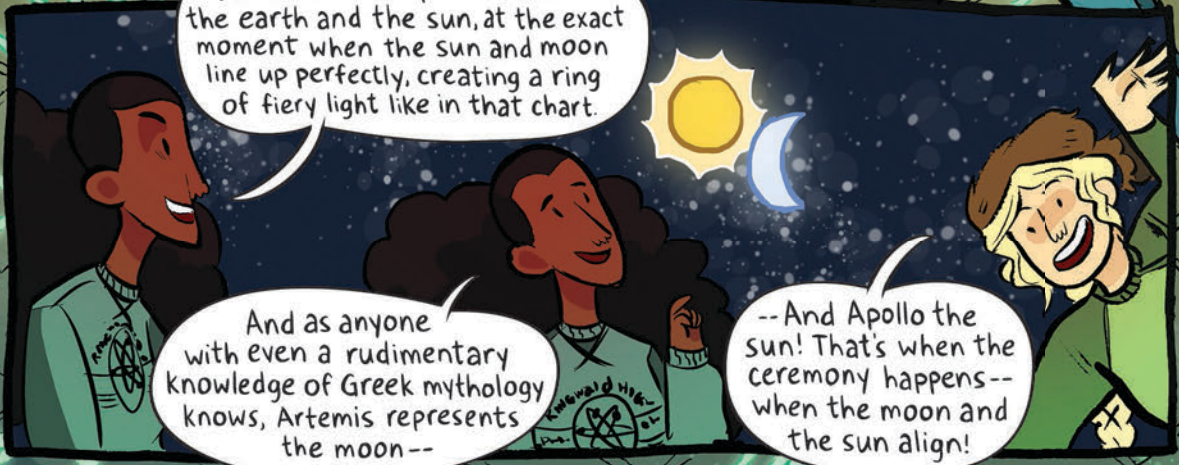
Oh come on, surely
you all knew there was
a total solar eclipse tomorrow?
Do you know how rare those
are? I've been talking about
it all summer. Has no one
been listening?



Uhhhhh



A solar eclipse happens
when the moon passes between
the earth and the sun, at the exact
moment when the sun and moon
line up perfectly, creating a ring
of fiery light like in that chart.



And as anyone
with even a rudimentary
knowledge of Greek mythology
knows, Artemis represents
the moon--

--And Apollo the
sun! That's when the
ceremony happens--
when the moon and
the sun align!



Now, WHERE does the ceremony happen? That's the real question.



These constellations aren't seasonal, but they seem to align with certain locations on the map...



GEMINI!



Gemini, the twins like you and Apollo! That has to be it!



And it aligns with--



THE LIGHTHOUSE!



So there's your answer. Diane's ceremony happens tomorrow during the solar eclipse at the old lighthouse.

Now **TURN JO BACK.**

Ahahahaha! **YES!** I'm totally gonna win. All the power will be mine! Happy birthday to **ME!**



After you turn Jo back, right?

Oh uh... yeah, about that.



Wait. You **DO** know how to turn Jo back right?

Actually...no. I had to tell you **SOMETHING** to help me solve the star chart.

But hey, I've got some time before the solar eclipse, let's just try some random stuff and see if it works...



YOU LIAR!

AAAAHHH!



I **WARNED** you not to touch me.

Now you're gonna get it.



THANKS FOR DOING ALL THE HARD WORK FOR ME, SIS. MWAHAHAHA.

Ahhhh!



Apollo!



Wait, THAT'S Apollo? Your TWIN brother?



You CHEATER! I'm telling Dad!

Ow! Watch it!



Why do you always have to ruin everything?! You're such a BUTTHEAD!

No YOU ARE! Dad wanted ME to have the power, he likes me better!

He does not!

POOF!



WHATEVER. Last one to the ceremony spot's a rotten egg!

Oh no you don't!



POOF!



What the JUNK Diane! You can't just leave us here!

She just did.



April! Don't hurt them!
They're not doing this
on purpose!

We don't have
a choice!



We can't fight
them all! We're way
outnumbered. We have
to get out of here!

**I'M NOT
LEAVING JO!**



There has to
be a way to
turn her
back!

**The
anagrams!**



They gave us
directions before.
There's gotta be
something to
help us now.



You're a
Lumbergenius,
Molly! Do your
thing.
Anagram Master.
We'll cover you.

Uhhh yeah!
My thing! Why is it
my thing again?



Okay. Okay. I can do this.

"Loveseat pianos"?
"Hesitantly alert son-in-law"?
"Manlessly abnormal ideal"?



"Sorrowful Niobe, they rudely fire." OH. It's GOTTA be that one.

Why that one?



Niobe is a character in the ancient Greek myths, along with Apollo, and Artemis.

Let's just say, Jo isn't the first person they turned to stone.

How did they turn her back?

...they didn't.



Okay. I got this. Anagrams are my thing.

"Odious unwell fiery brother"?
"Ruinously fried ...orb..."?
SORROWFUL NIOBE, THE FIERE
INTERLUDED FRIEND



Ahhhh! I can't concentrate!

Yes you can! I believe in you!



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I KNOW WHAT IT SAYS!



"YOUR FRIENDS WILL BE THERE FOR YOU."

YOUR FRIENDS

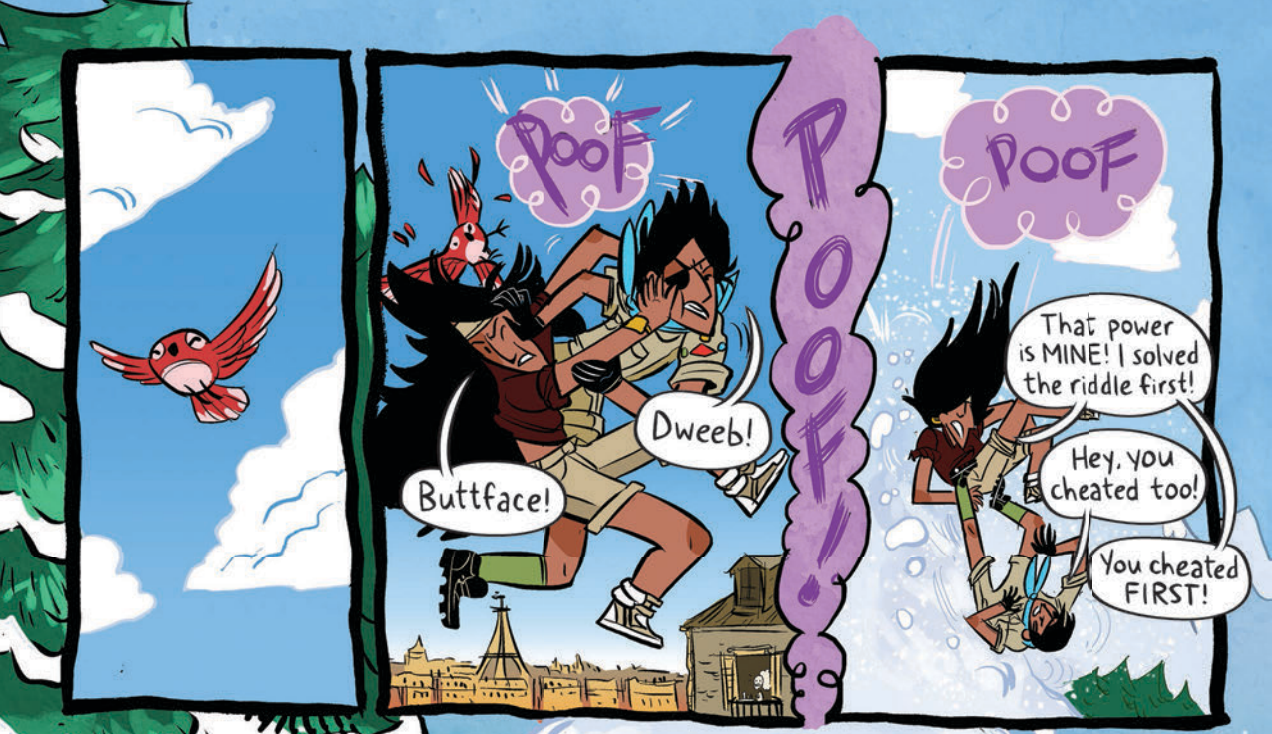


Friendship to the max.













Out of our way, MORTALS.

Diane, what's going on?

Where are the Roanokes?



Right here, Artemis.



AHHHHHH!



ROWRRR

RAAAUGH

GRRRR

RAHHH

Heheheh.



YOU! You told me the wrong place!!



That's right. I DID. But here's the thing, Diane...



You would have KNOWN that the constellation over the lighthouse wasn't Gemini... that Gemini was ACTUALLY over the Lumberjanes camp...



...IF YOU HAD EVER PAID ATTENTION TO ANY OF MY ASTRONOMY LESSONS.



NOW, MAL!

ZODIAC



I'M A FASTBAAAAAALL



RAAAAAAHHHH



NO!!!
YOU FOOLS!!









Ripley!!

You did it, Rip!

I'm so proud of you all.



No fair!! She wasted it!

You're gonna PAY for this!



I don't think so.



I called your dad.

Nooooooooooooo



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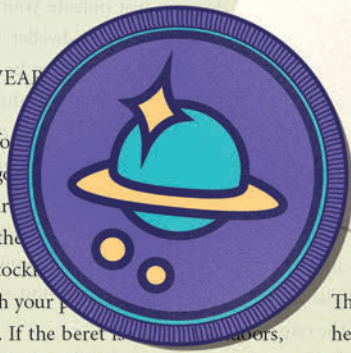
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COVER GALLERY



Lumberjanes "Literature" Program Field

CON-QUEST

"Divide and conquer, it actually works."

A Lumberjane will face many trials during her time at camp. It is through these trials that she grows and learns what kind of Lumberjane she truly is, but not all trials are meant for just one person. At camp there will be many obstacles and challenges that the Lumberjanes will face as a team. The teams could be divided by cabins or they may be divided by the counselor in charge of the group. In these groups the Lumberjane scout will learn what it means to work in a team, what it means to take charge and what it means to step back to let the best equipped person lead them to success. It is their grace under pressure that will get the Lumberjane scout through any of these trials.

These competitions will challenge Lumberjanes against their peers. In the practice for the *Con-Quest* badge, a Lumberjane will understand what it means to win and lose. She will learn from her mistakes and gain

experience to better ensure her team's success. She will bring out the best of everyone she works with. She will be cordial and work with grace as she continues this challenge. If she wins then she will not belittle the efforts of the other team, she will understand that keeping a level head after success can be more challenging than keeping it during the competition.

To obtain the *Con-Quest* badge, the Lumberjanes must display their knowledge in the art of war. They must be able to look at their challenge and understand what it takes to win. They must be able to understand what they are capable of and the capabilities of their fellow scouts. The team that earns the *Con-Quest* is not necessarily the winner of the challenge but the team that was able to utilize its members and the tools at their disposal to the best of their abilities.

During the first summer that the Lumberjane attends









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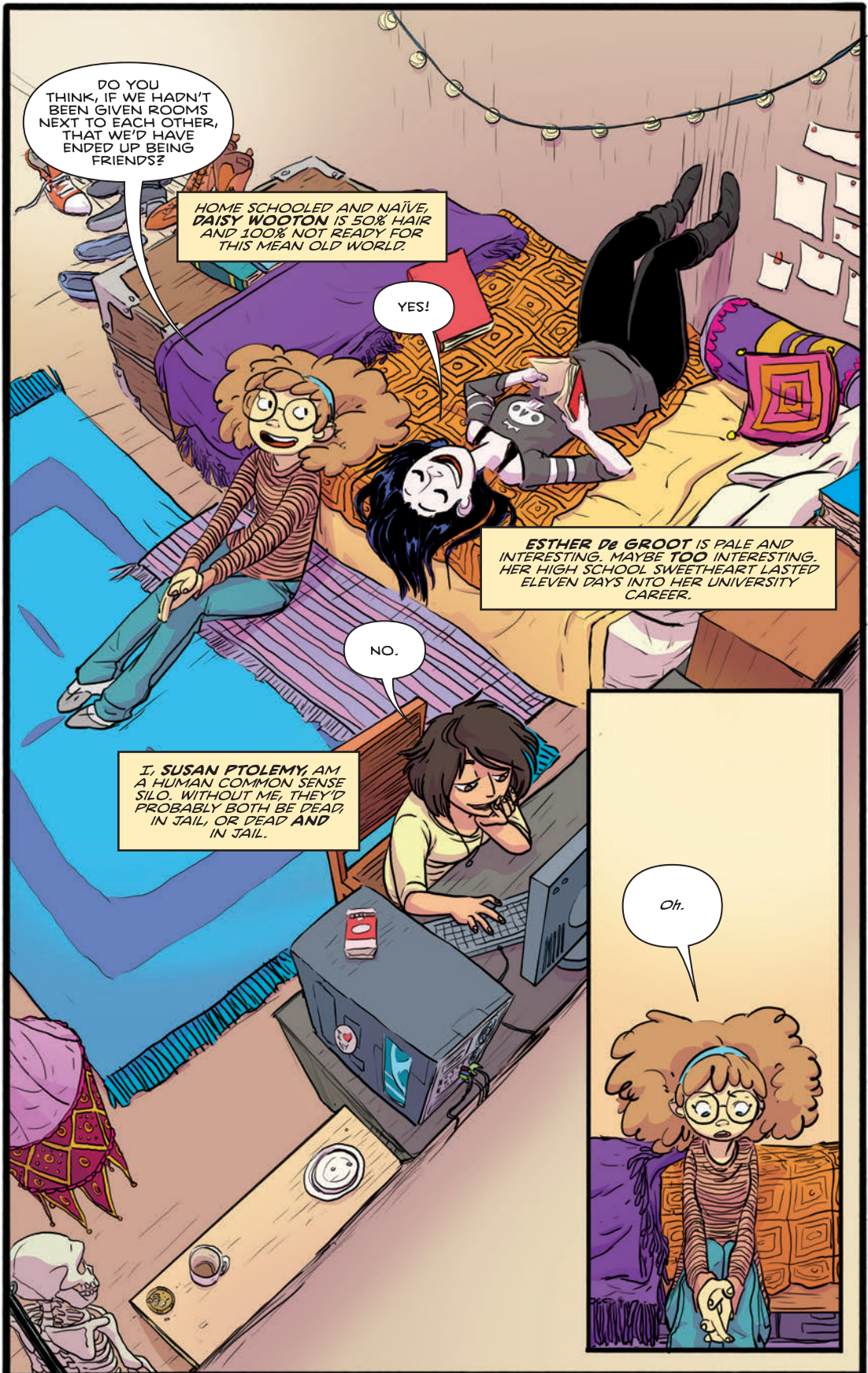
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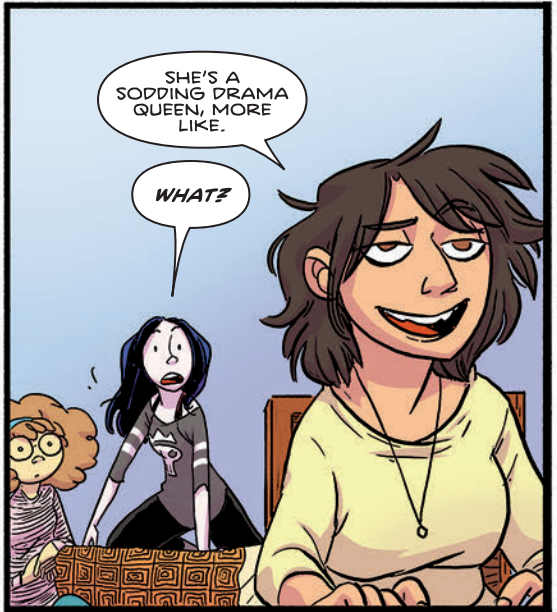
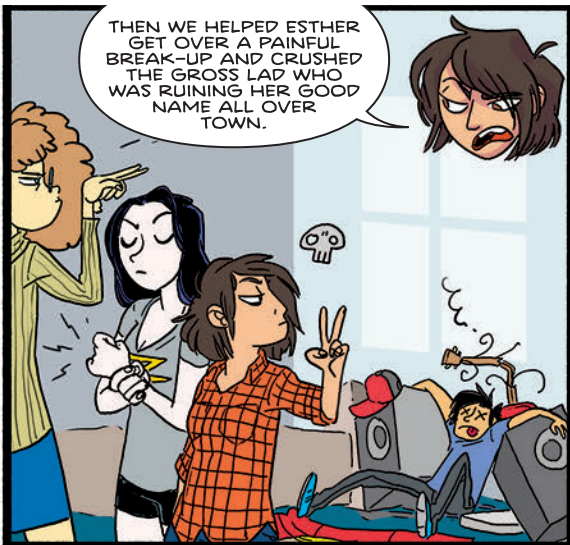
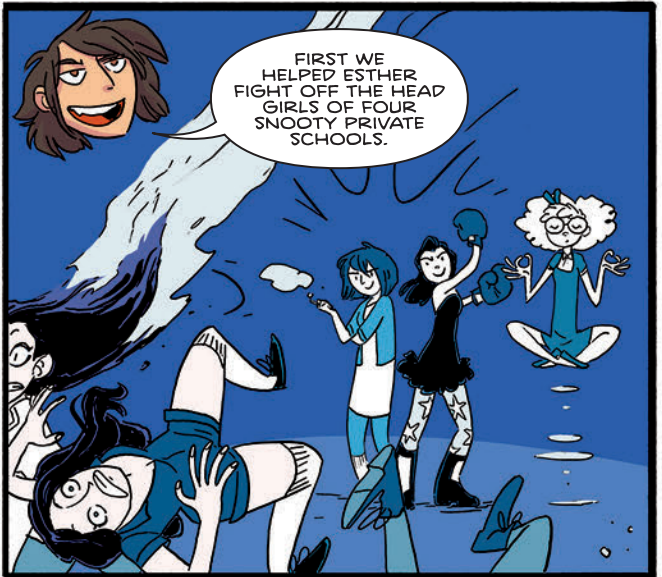
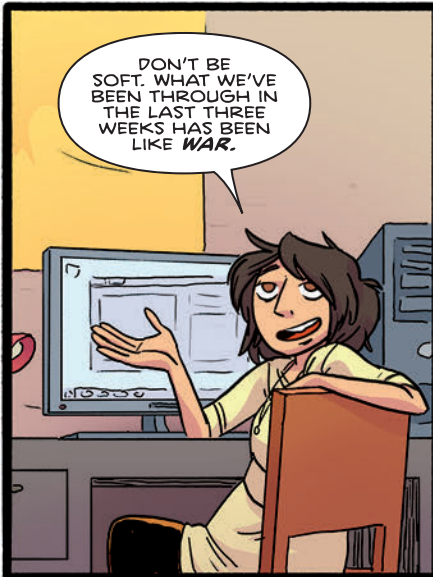
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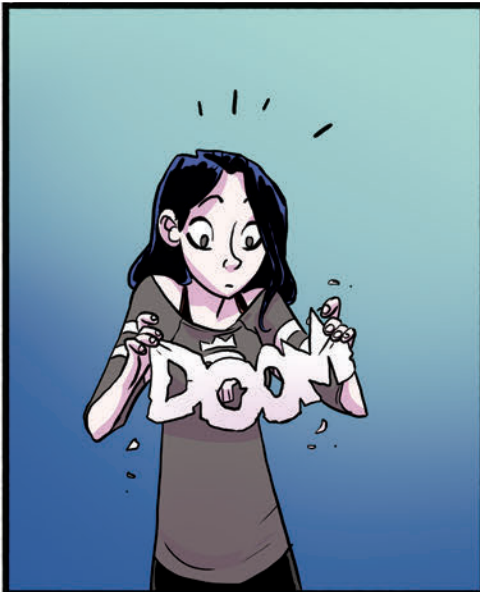
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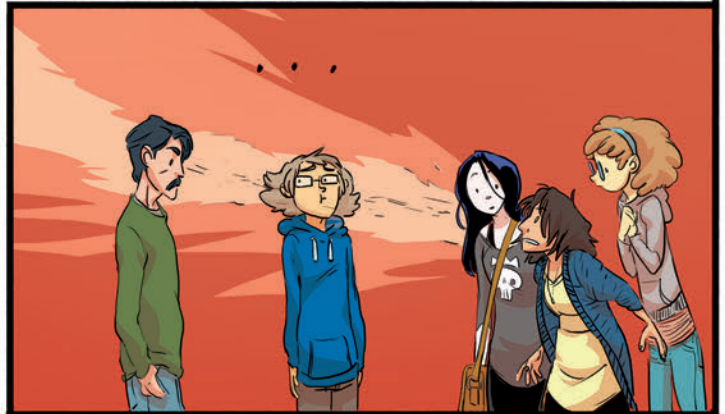
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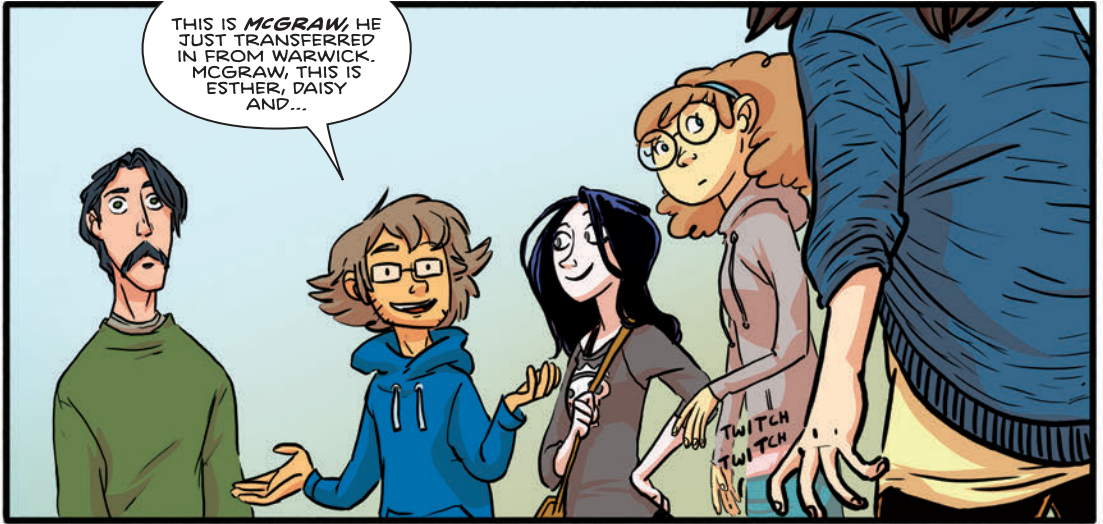


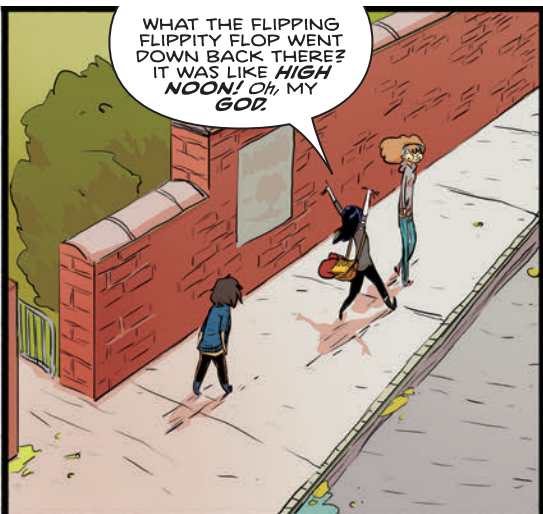


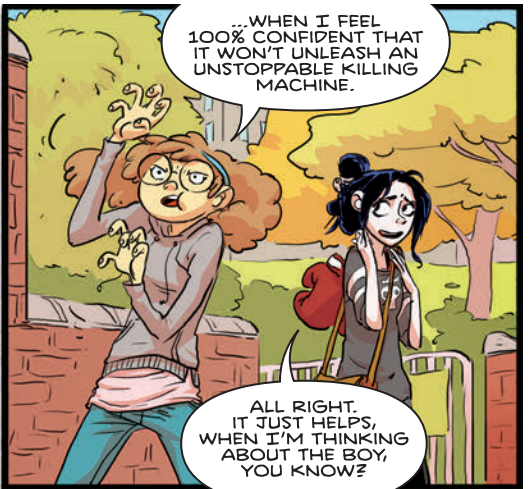
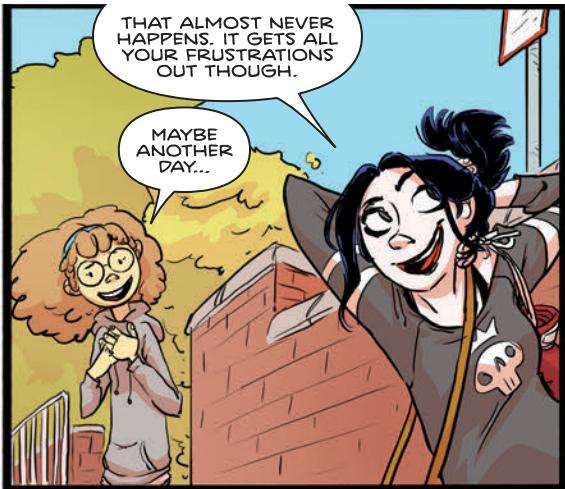
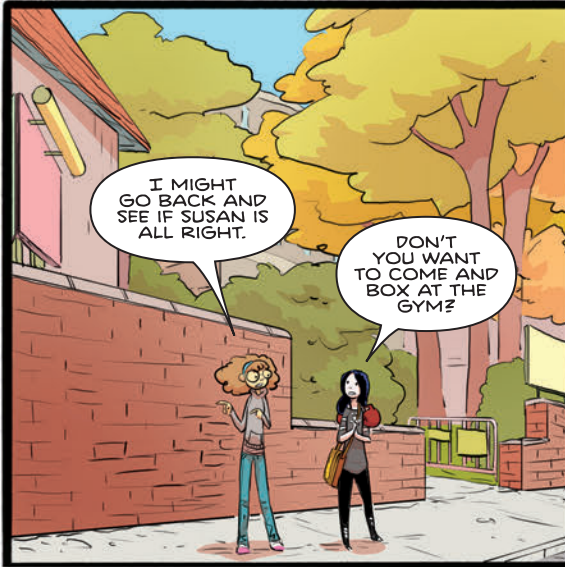














LOOK AT HIM...JUST...**CHewing**.

HE IS QUITE... HANDSOME. I MEAN, MOST OF THE BOYS HERE LOOK LIKE BOYS.



BUT HE LOOKS LIKE A **MAN**.

I SUPPOSE. IN A WAY. CAN WE SHUT UP ABOUT THIS? **TALK ABOUT ANYTHING ELSE!**

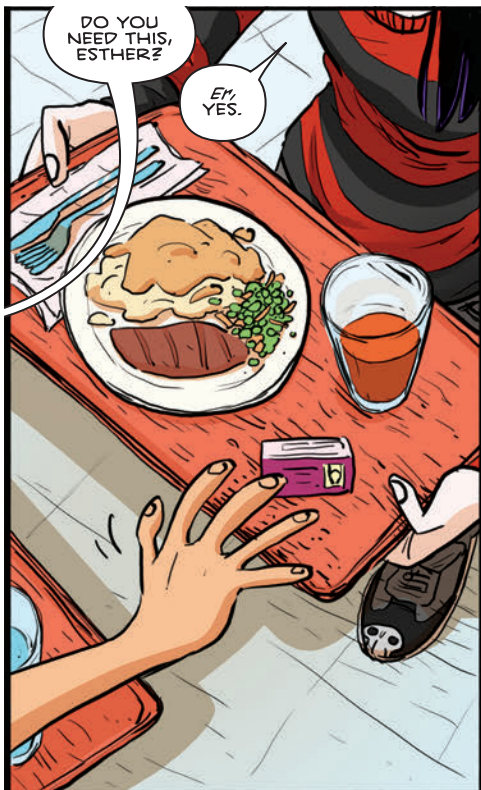


ARCHITECTURE! FEMMISM! WE'RE A WALKING ADVERT FOR THE BECHPEL TEST.

I JUST PICTURE YOU IN THOSE **MANLY ARMS, SUSAN.**



"THIS FEELS SO **WRONG**, BUT IT SEEMS...SO **RIGHT**..."



DO YOU NEED THIS, **ESTHER?**

Er, **YES.**



FLING!



THEN I SUGGEST YOU GO AND **GET IT.**





**DRAMA
FIELD
ACTIVATED.**



*Oh, YOU CAN'T
BLAME THAT ON ME.
THAT SORT OF THING
HAPPENS **ALL**
THE TIME.*

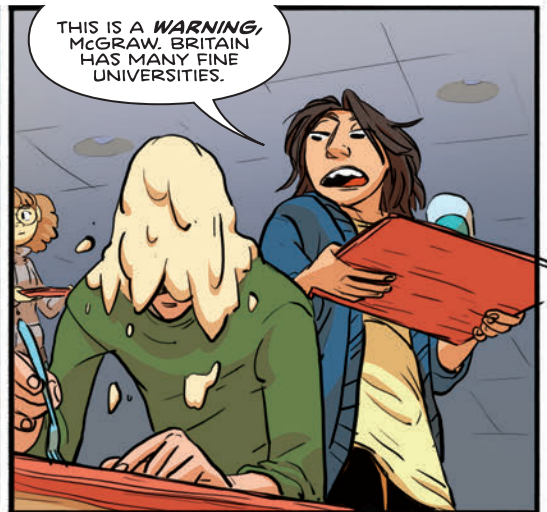


**NO IT DOESN'T,
ESTHER. IT *NEVER*
HAPPENS TO
ANYONE BUT
YOU.**



**I THOUGHT YOU
WERE MEANT TO
BE A MEDICAL
STUDENT.**

**SHOW
ME THE
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**THIS IS A *WARNING*,
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**CHOOSE
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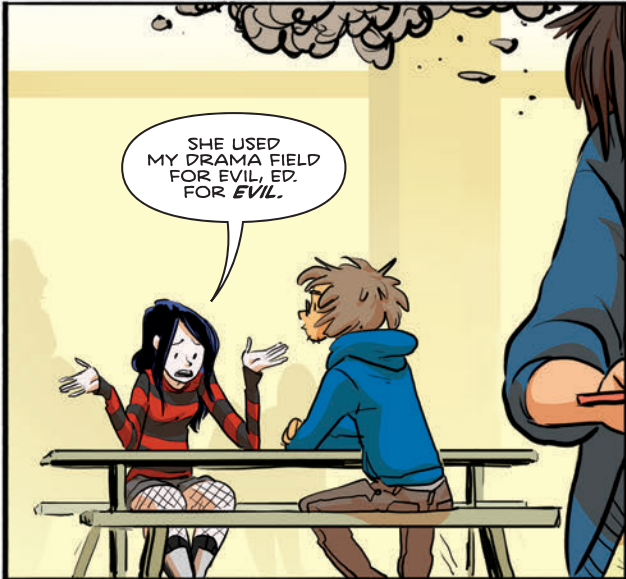


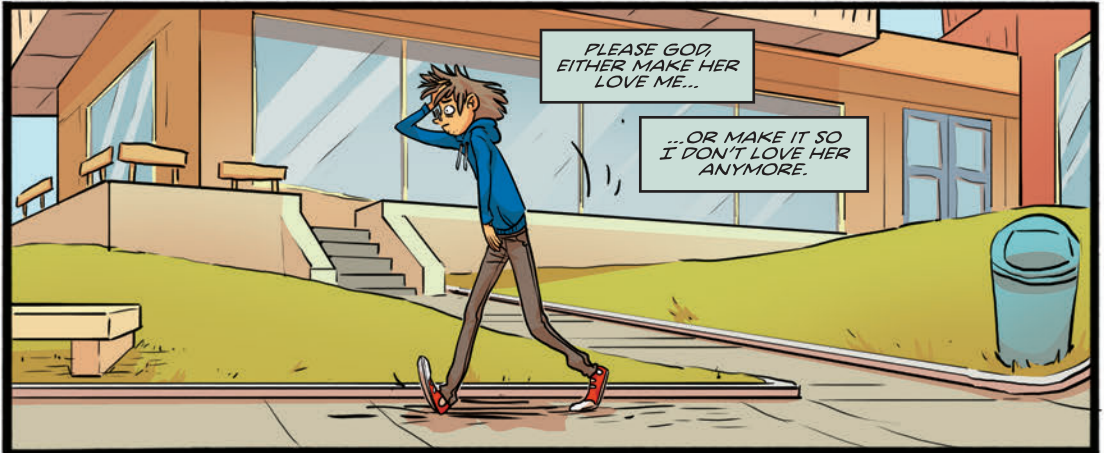
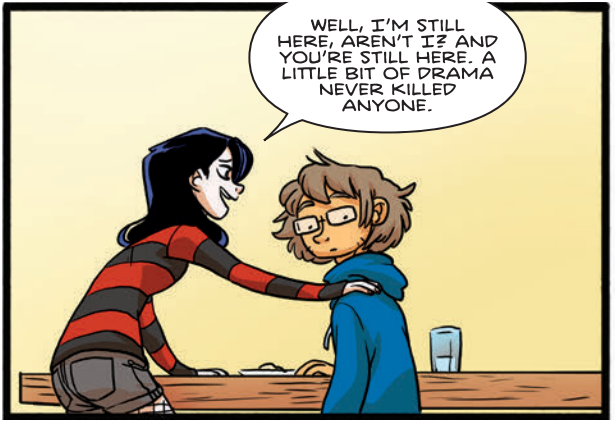
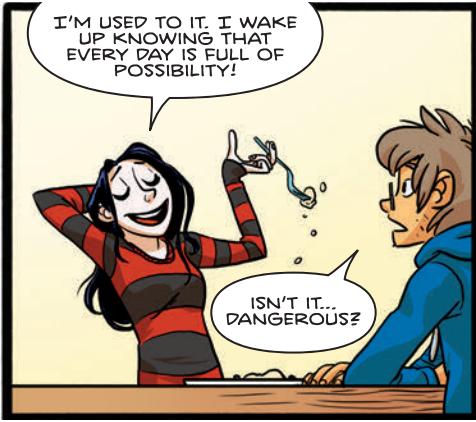
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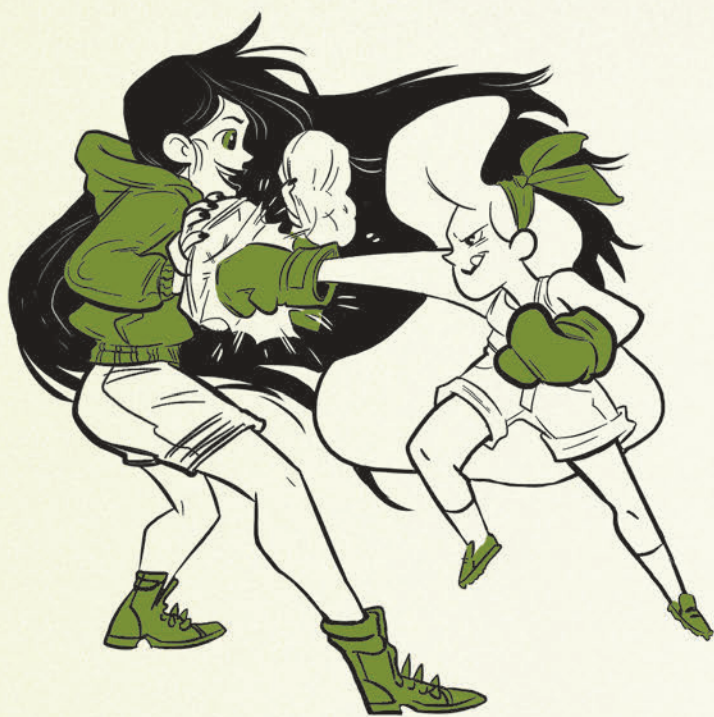
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