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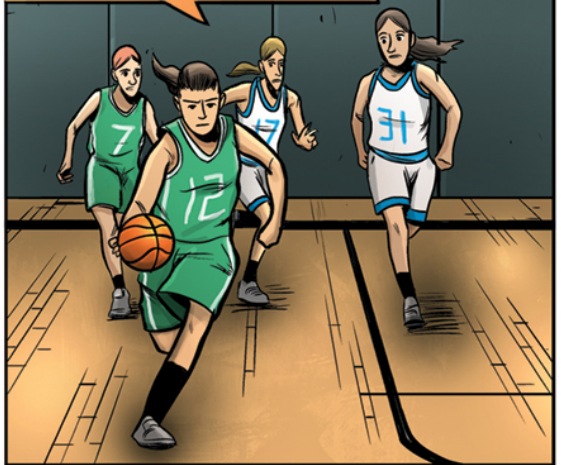


WE'RE CLOSING IN ON THE FINAL SECONDS OF THE GIRLS BASKETBALL STATE CHAMPIONSHIP BETWEEN WILLIAMSBURG MIDDLE SCHOOL AND OUR OWN ADAMSVILLE SAINTS.

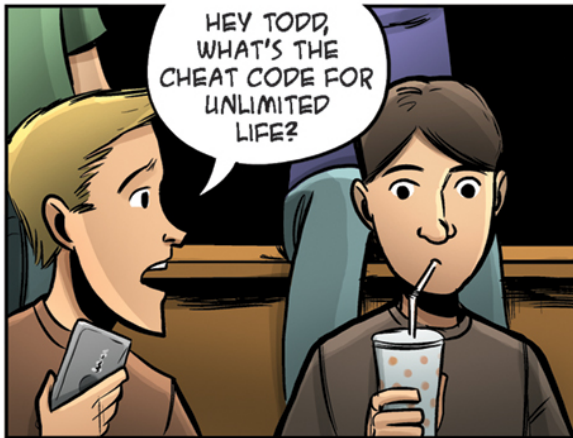
THERE'S ONLY TWENTY SECONDS LEFT AND THE WINDOW TO WIN THIS GAME IS QUICKLY CLOSING.



AND WITH WILLIAMSBURG CARRYING THE BALL, THEY HAVE A CHANCE TO PUT THE NAIL IN THE COFFIN WITH ANOTHER SCORE.



HEY TODD, WHAT'S THE CHEAT CODE FOR UNLIMITED LIFE?



SELECT, B, A, START, UP, DOWN.



DUDE! IT'S NOT WORKING!

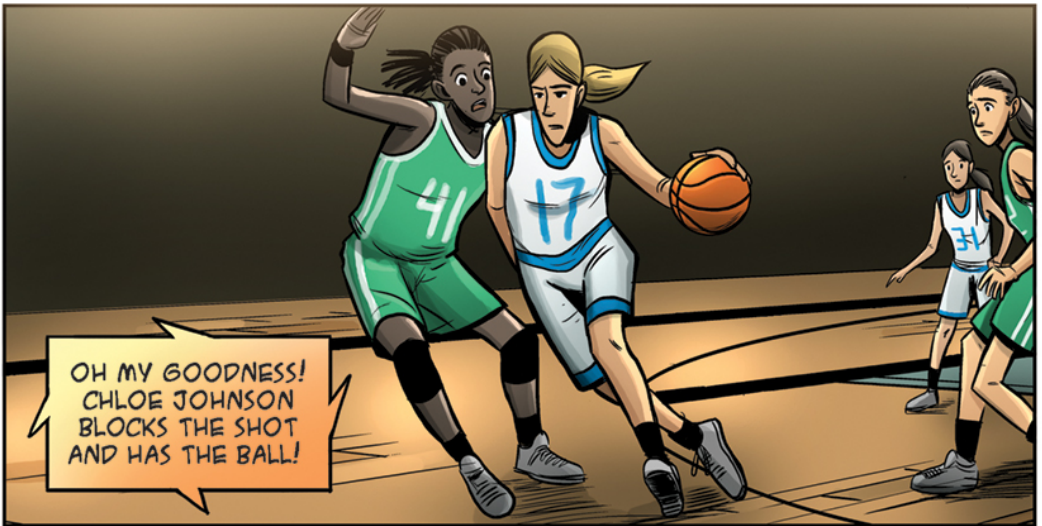
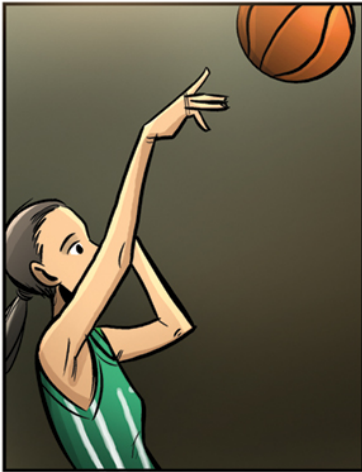
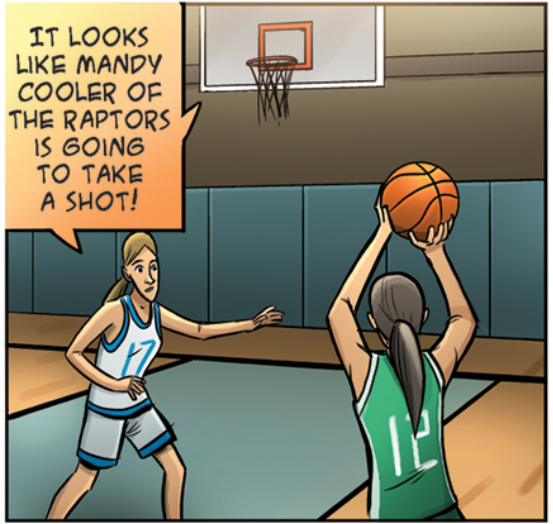


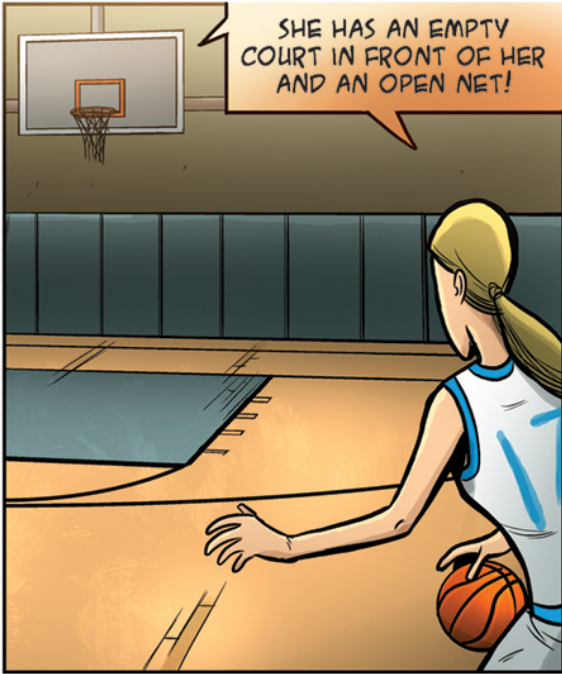
YOU SURE THA--

SHE'S GOING FOR THE BALL!









SHE HAS AN EMPTY COURT IN FRONT OF HER AND AN OPEN NET!



THIS IS THE GAME, FOLKS! CHLOE HAS A CHANCE TO TIE OR WIN IT ALL WITH SECONDS REMAINING!

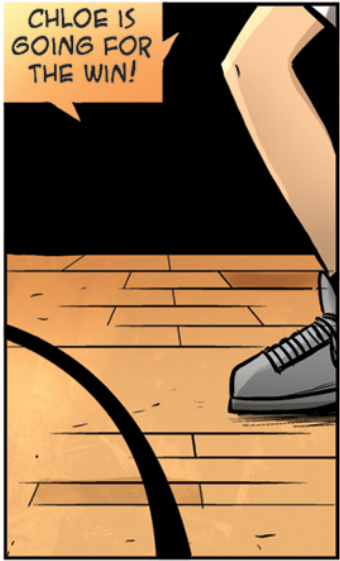
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JUST TRY AND TIE!  
TAKE THE EASY SHOT!



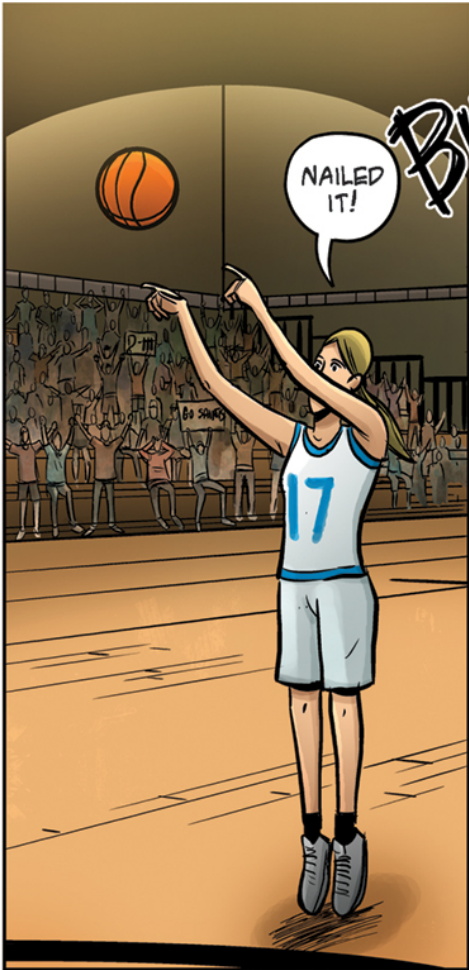
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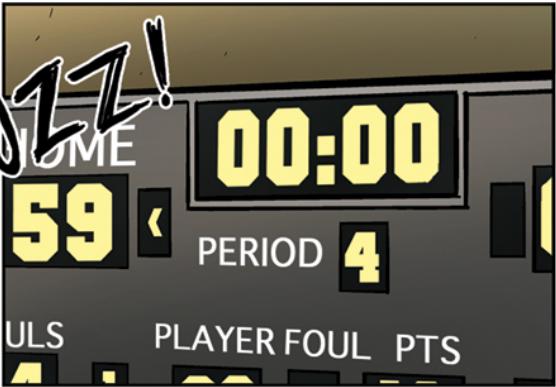
SHE'S STOPPING AT THE THREE POINT LINE!

CHLOE IS GOING FOR THE WIN!

SKID



NAILED IT!



BUZZ!

HOME

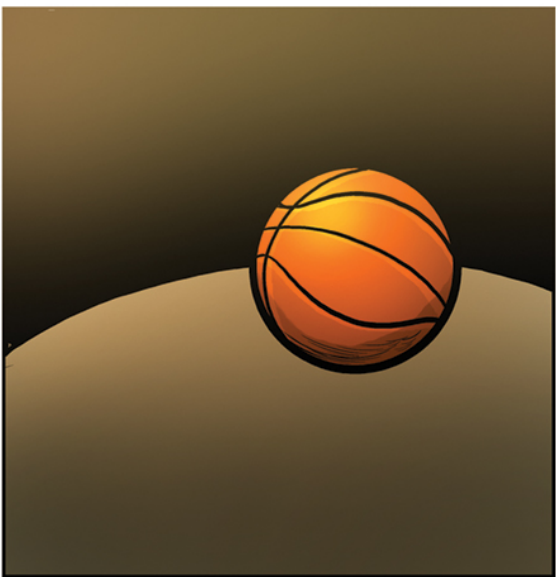
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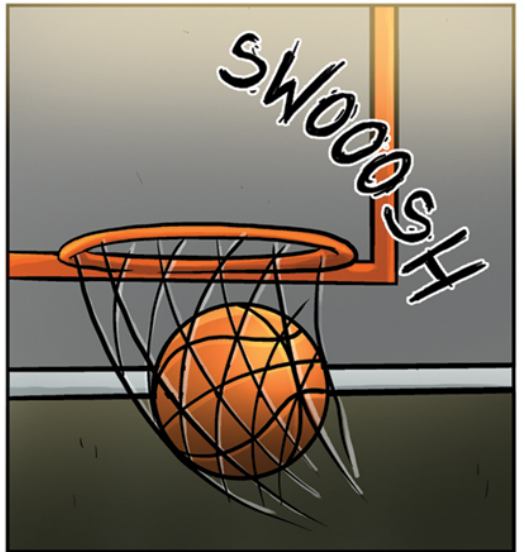
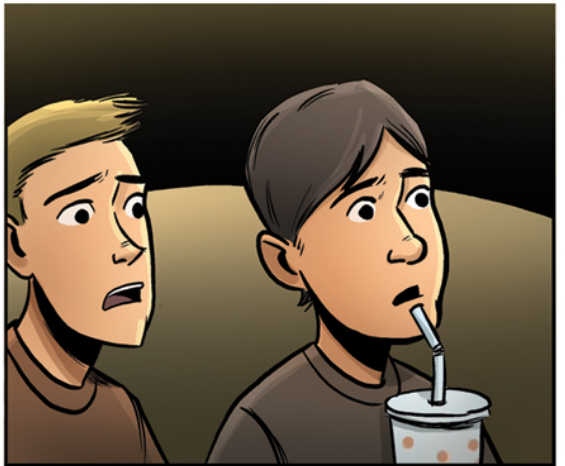
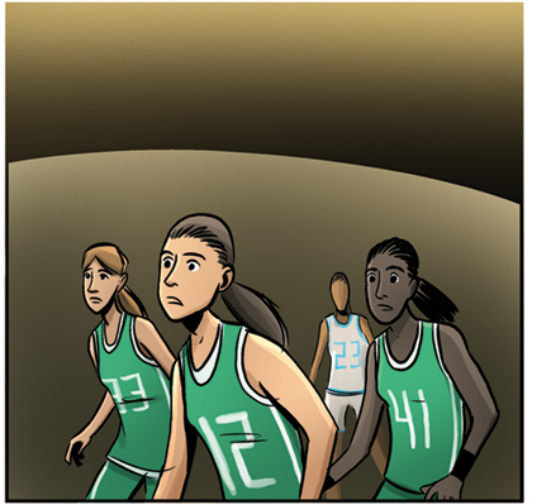
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ULS

PLAYER FOUL PTS

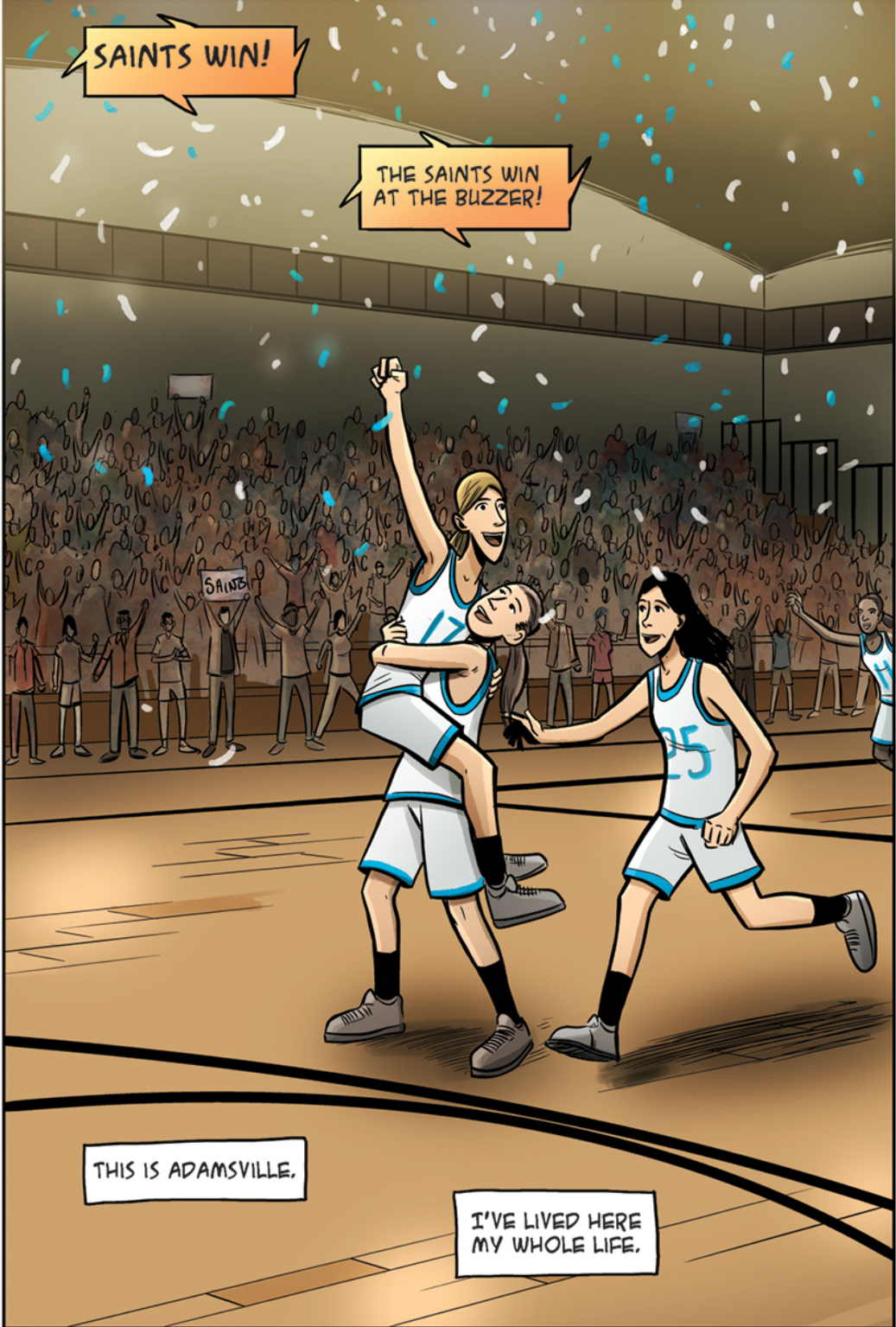






SAINTS WIN!

THE SAINTS WIN  
AT THE BUZZER!

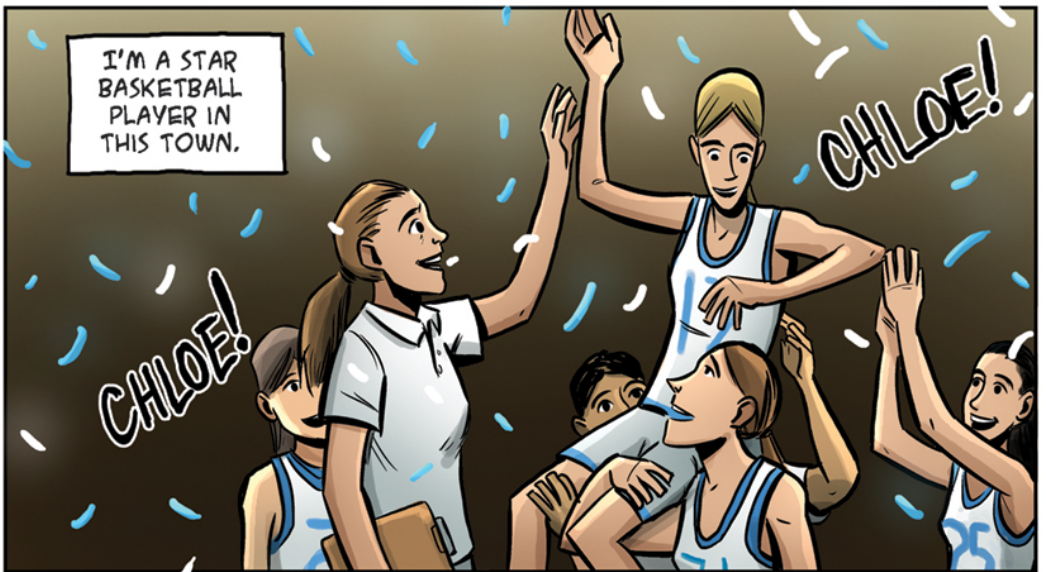
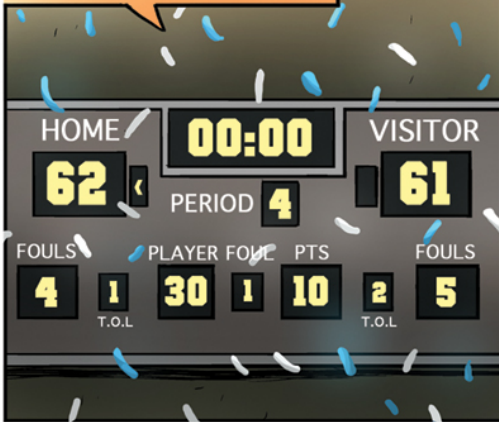


THIS IS ADAMSVILLE.

I'VE LIVED HERE  
MY WHOLE LIFE.



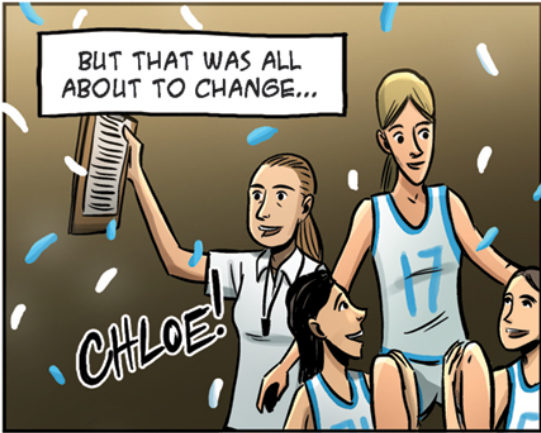
THE ADAMSVILLE  
LADY SAINTS ARE THE  
MIDDLE SCHOOL STATE  
BASKETBALL CHAMPIONS!





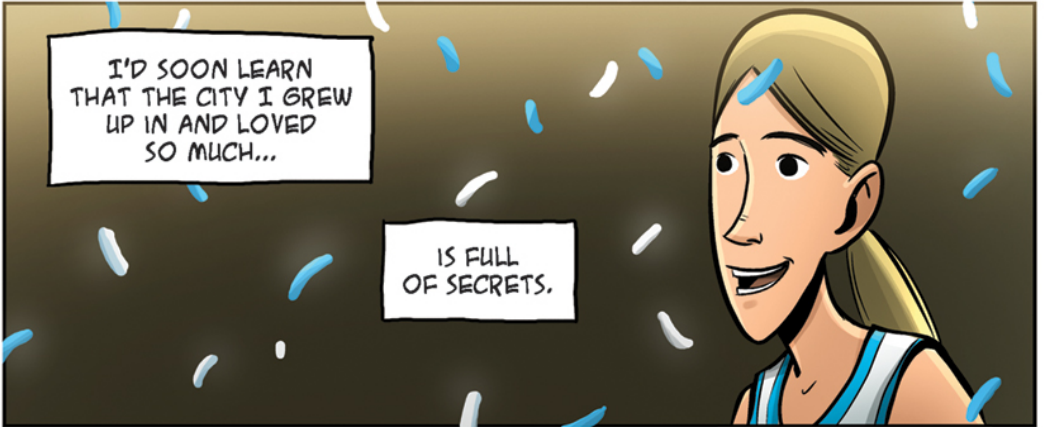
AND I LOVE THIS CITY.

CHLOE!  
CHLOE!



BUT THAT WAS ALL ABOUT TO CHANGE...

CHLOE!



I'D SOON LEARN THAT THE CITY I GREW UP IN AND LOVED SO MUCH...

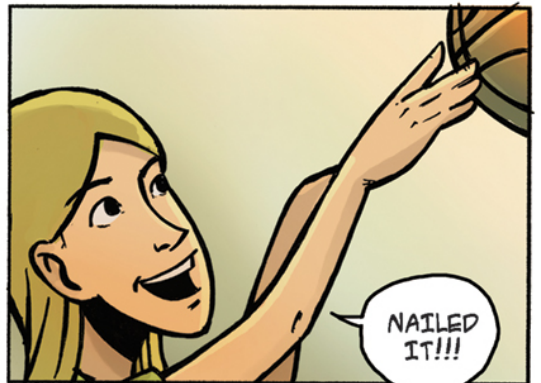
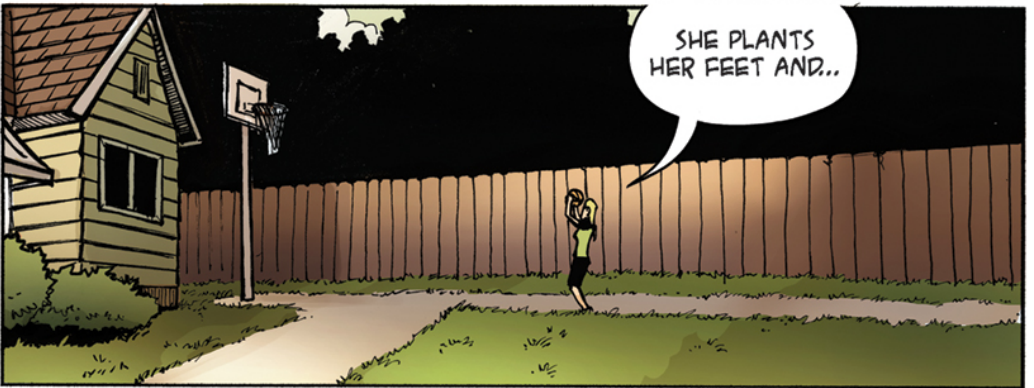
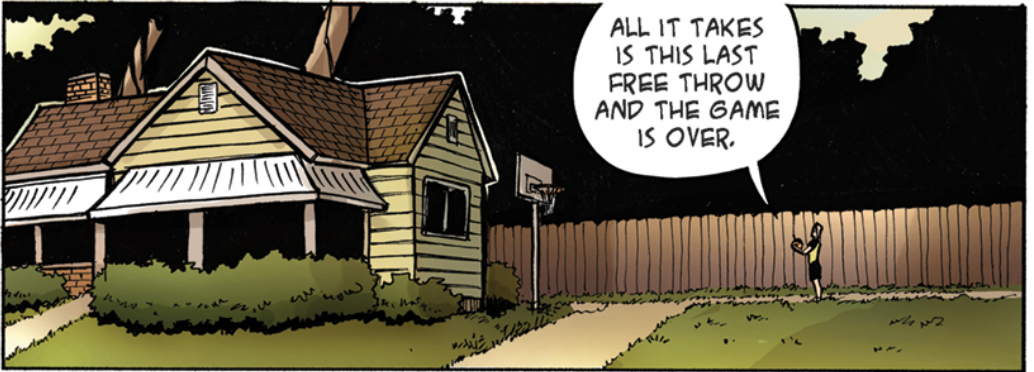
IS FULL OF SECRETS.

AND NOTHING WOULD BE THE SAME AGAIN.

# CHAPTER 1

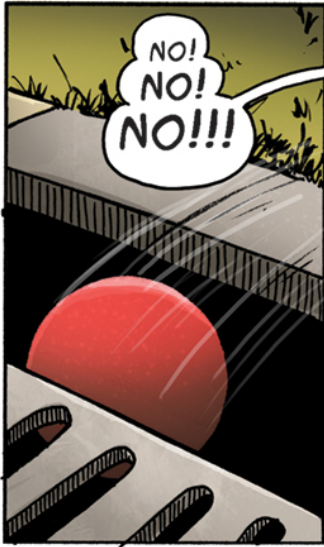
MY NEIGHBOR'S MONSTER



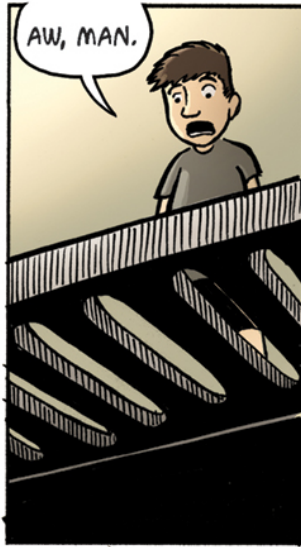








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NO!  
NO!!!



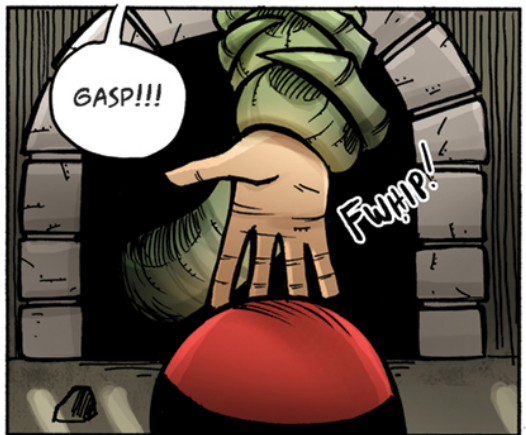
AW, MAN.



UGHN!



COME ON!  
ALMOST!



GASP!!!

FWIP!



I GUESS I  
SHOULD GO  
HELP HIM.



AAHHHHH



HELP ME!!!



OH, NO.

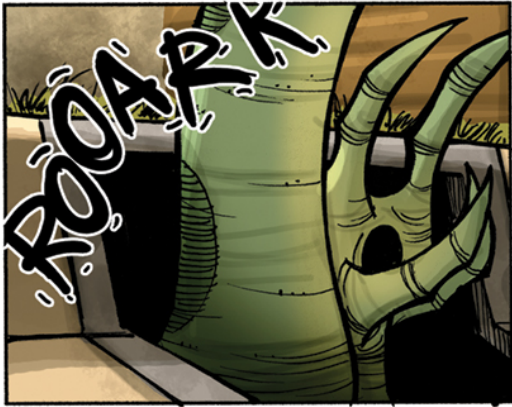


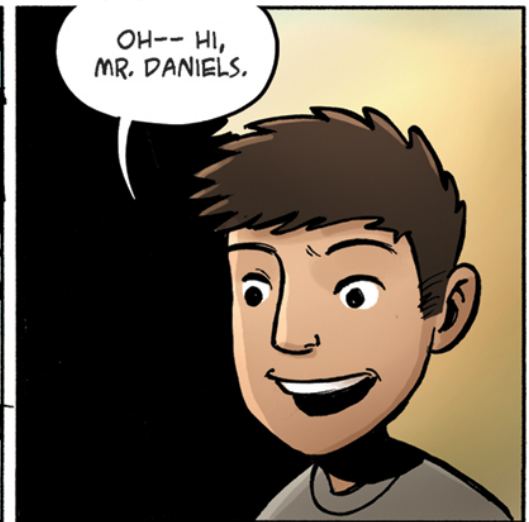
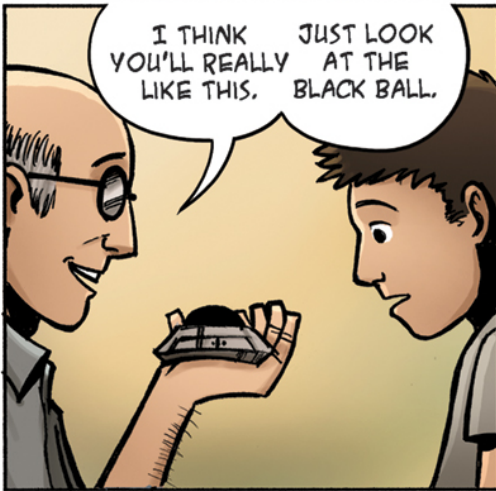
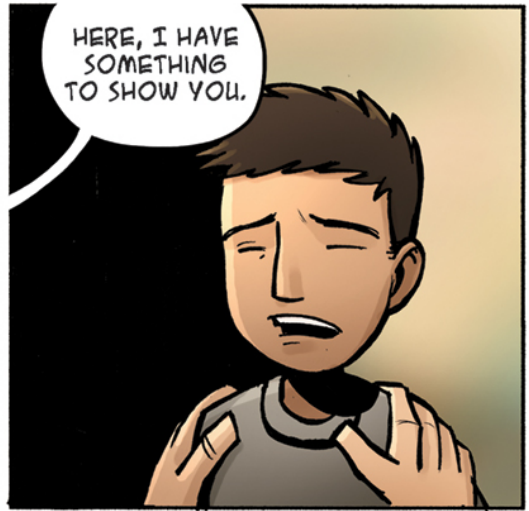
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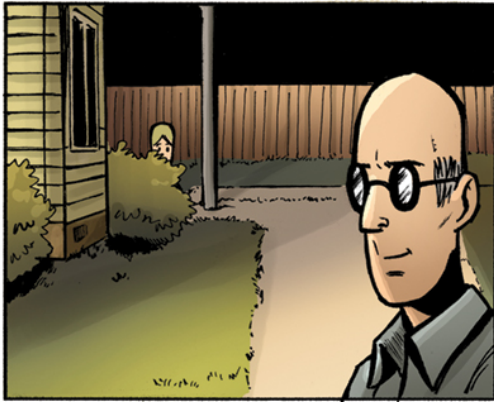
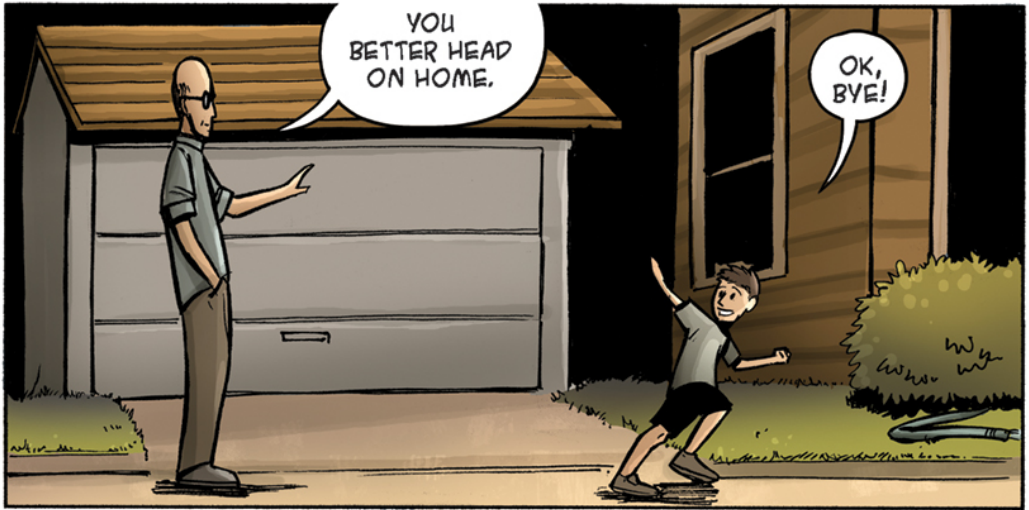


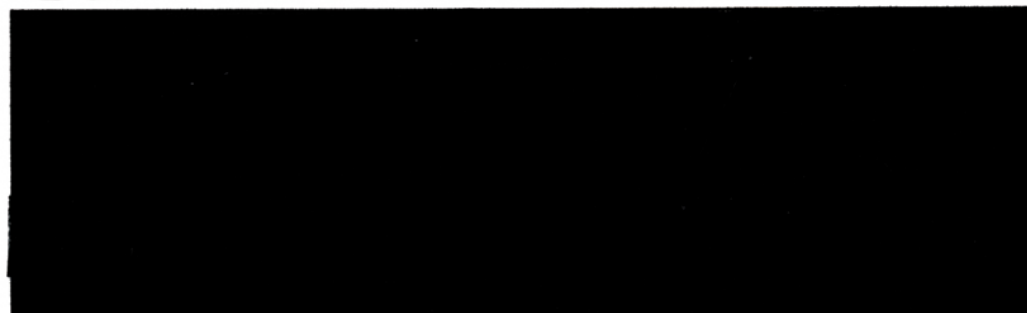
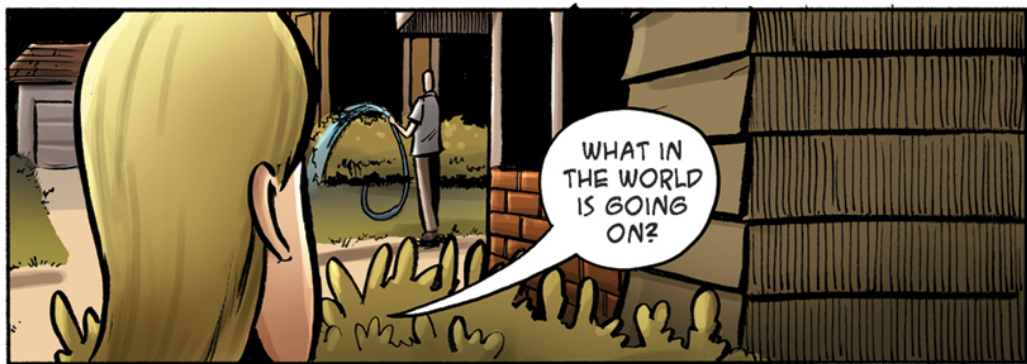


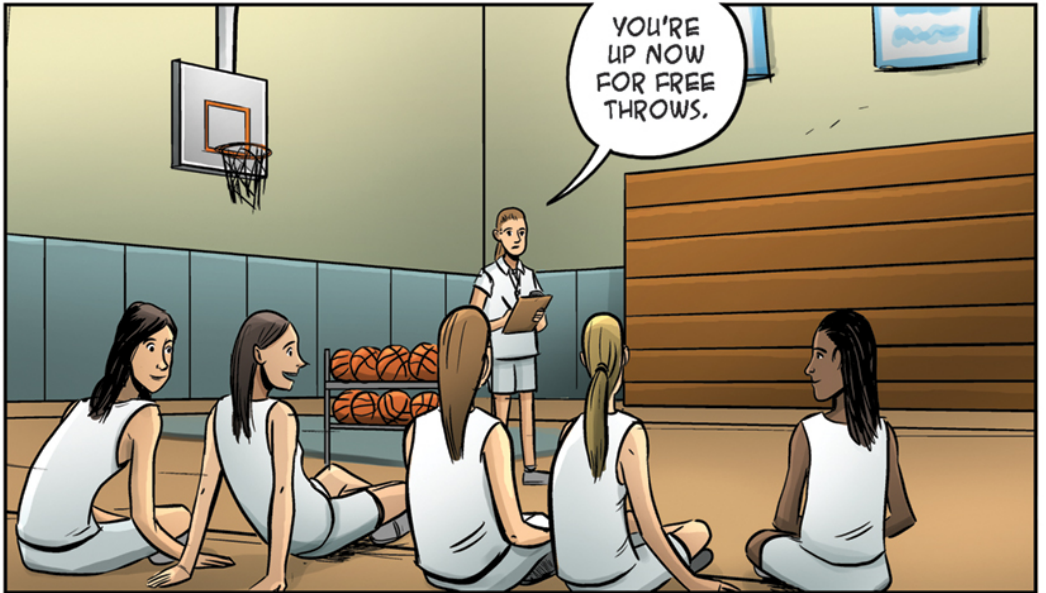




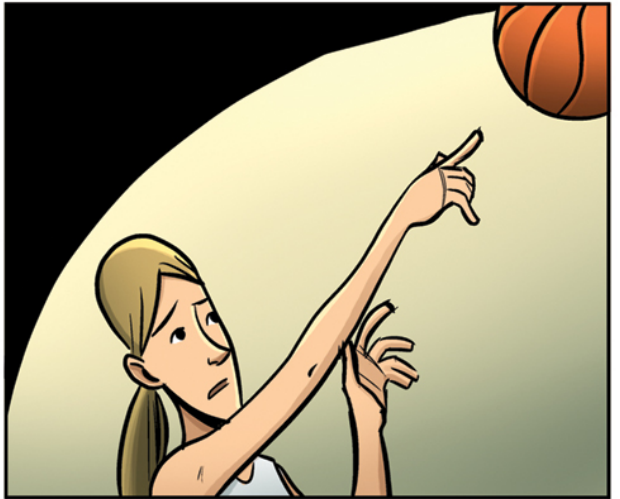
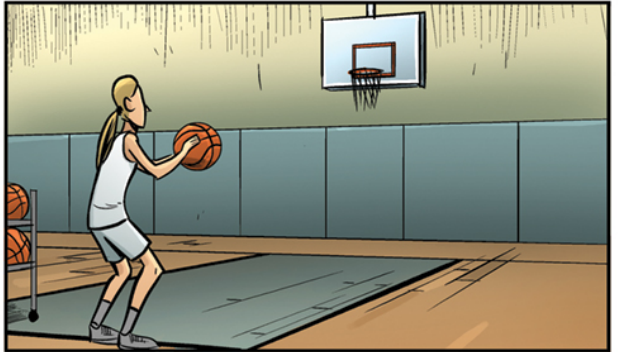
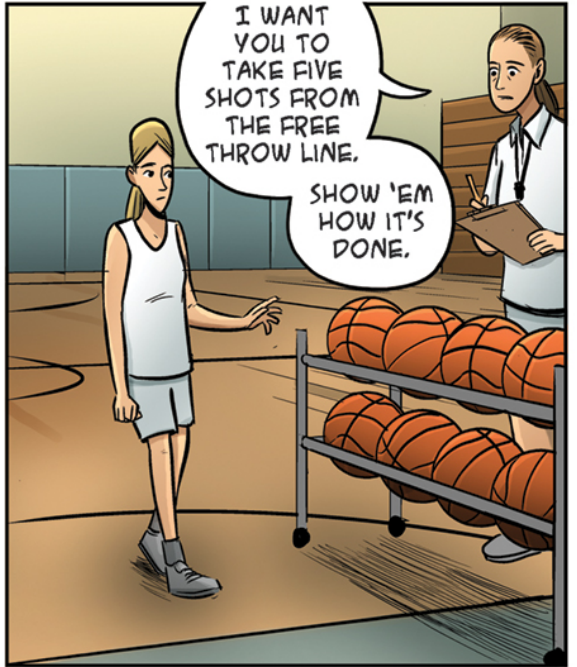


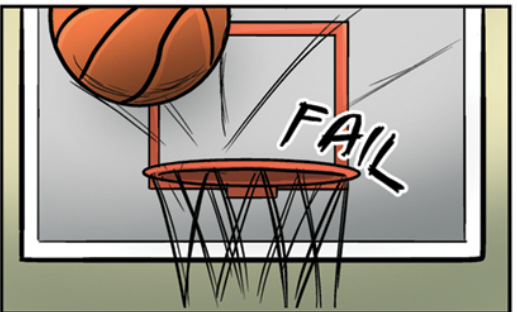
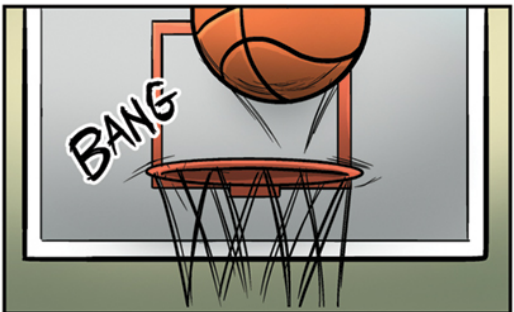
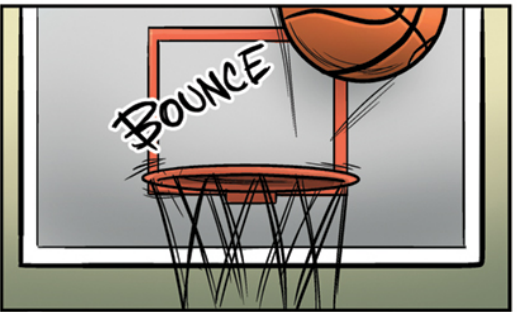
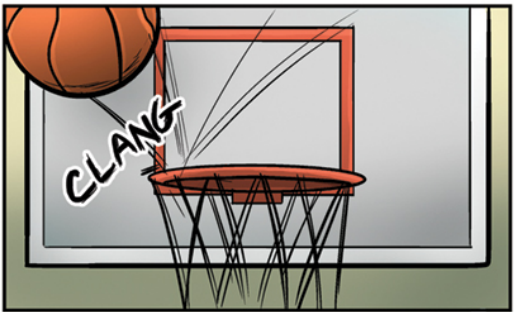
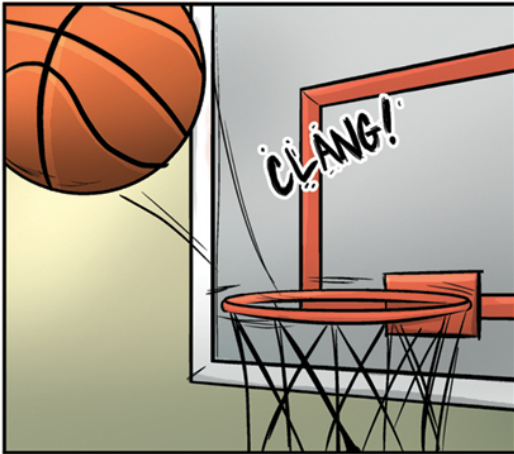


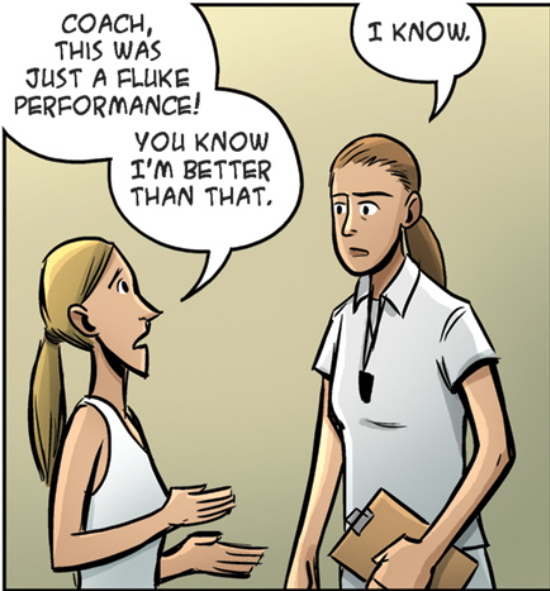






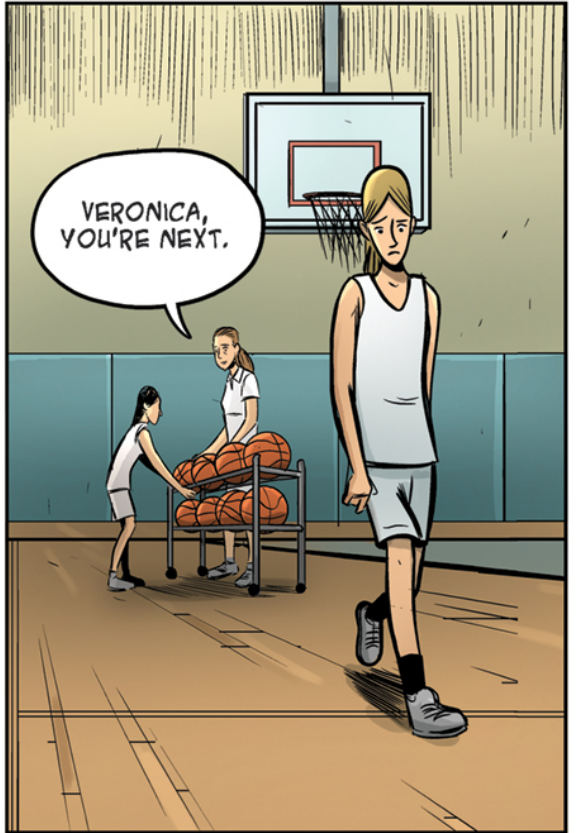






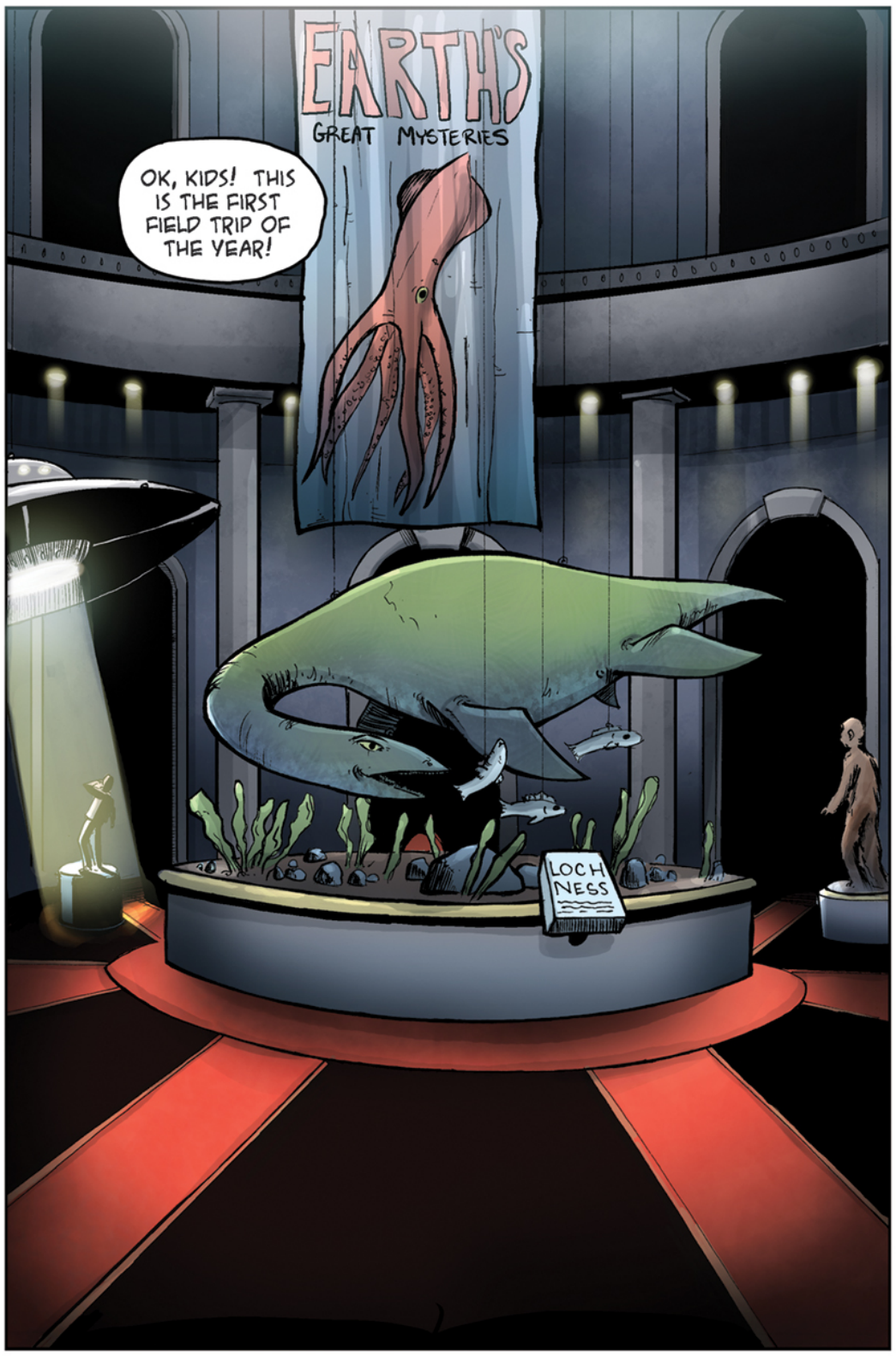






# EARTH'S GREAT MYSTERIES

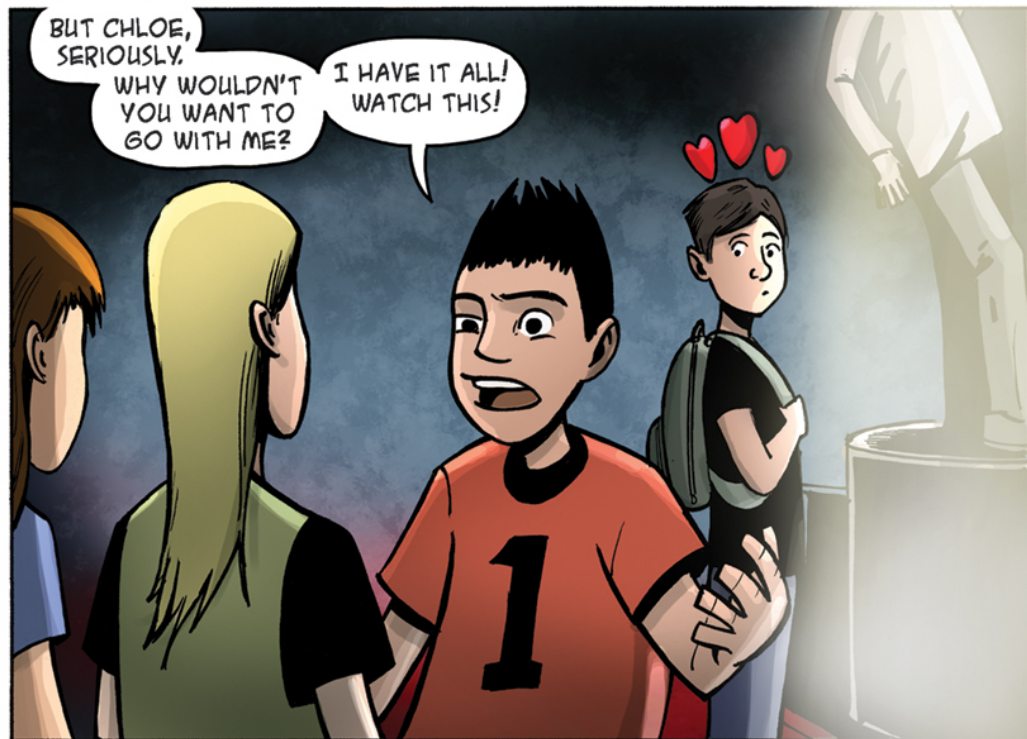
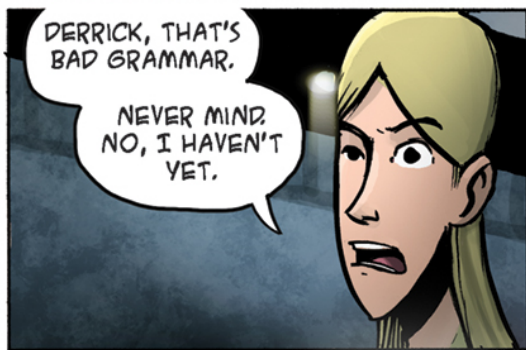
OK, KIDS! THIS IS THE FIRST FIELD TRIP OF THE YEAR!





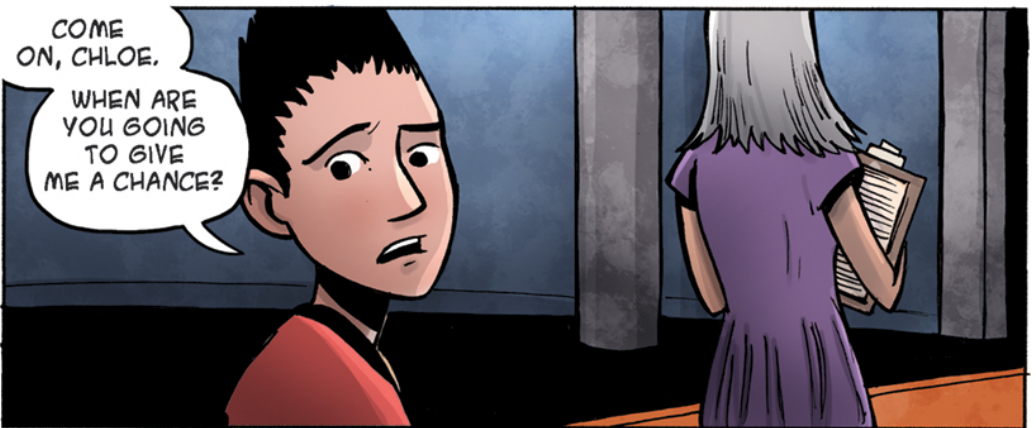
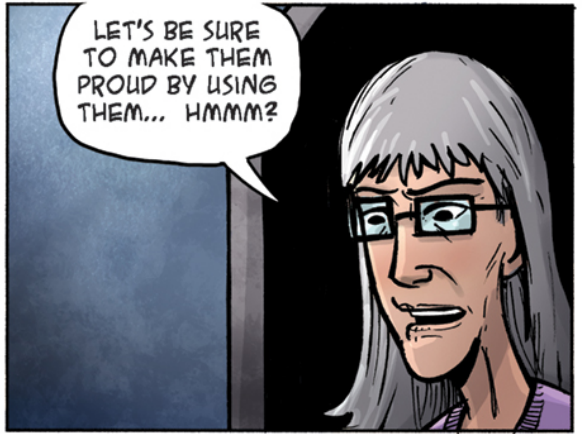




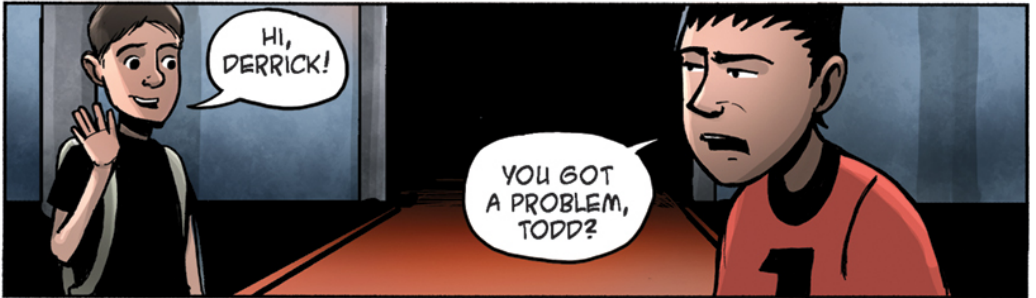
















OK, MAN! LET ME KNOW WHEN YOU WANNA GO ON THE SIMULATOR! CHANGED MY LIFE!



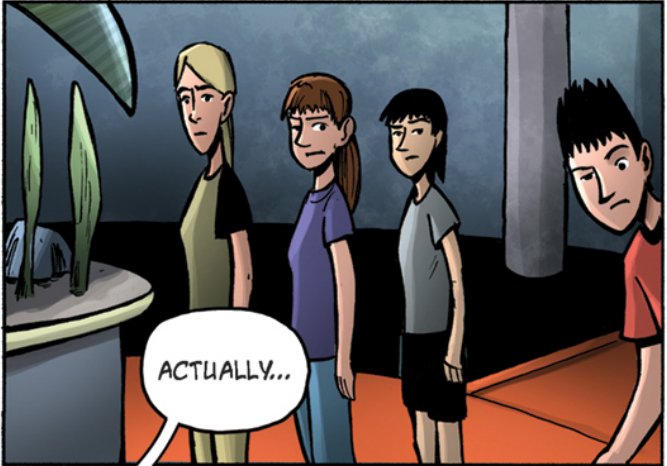
THIS THING IS DISGUSTING.



THIS WHOLE EXHIBIT IS STUPID.

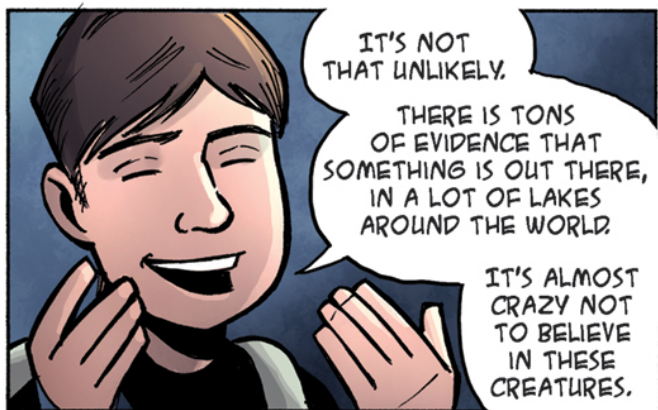


WHAT SORT OF IDIOT WOULD BELIEVE IN THIS GARBAGE?



ACTUALLY...

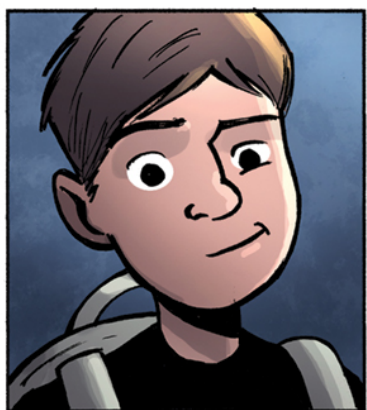




IT'S NOT THAT UNLIKELY.

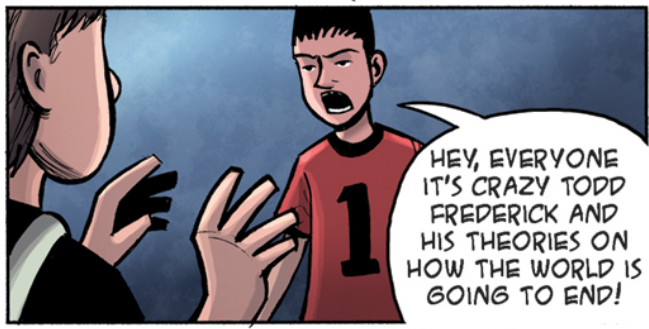
THERE IS TONS OF EVIDENCE THAT SOMETHING IS OUT THERE, IN A LOT OF LAKES AROUND THE WORLD.

IT'S ALMOST CRAZY NOT TO BELIEVE IN THESE CREATURES.



OH, YEAH? AND WHO TOLD YOU THAT, HUH? YOUR BRAIN DEAD FATHER?

WHAT?



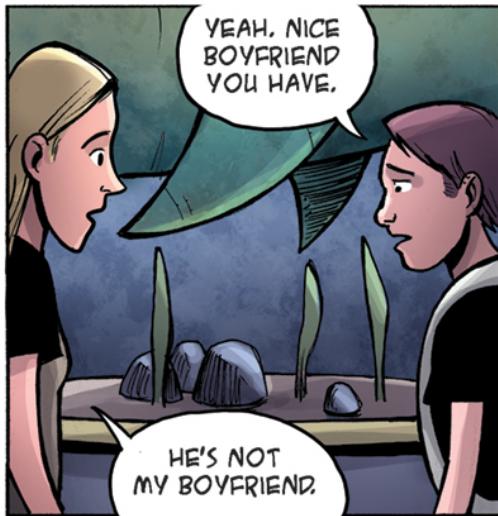
HEY, EVERYONE IT'S CRAZY TODD FREDERICK AND HIS THEORIES ON HOW THE WORLD IS GOING TO END!



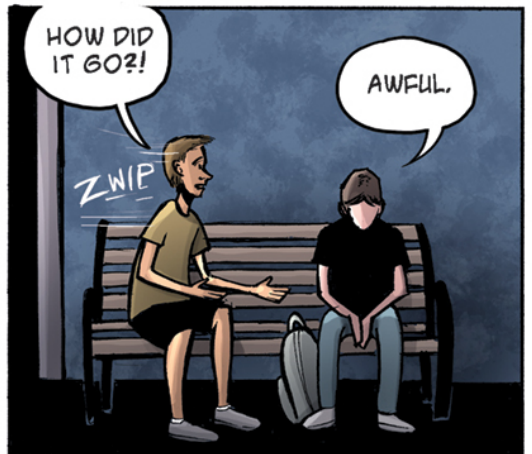
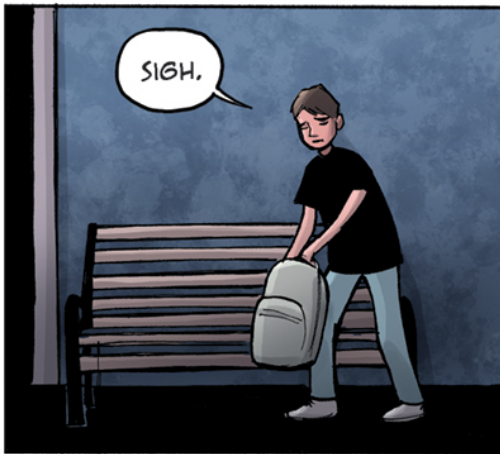
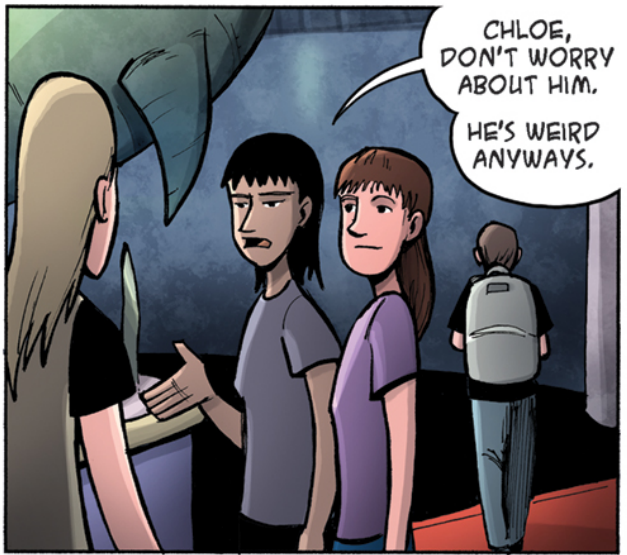
WITH HIS WACKO FAMILY!



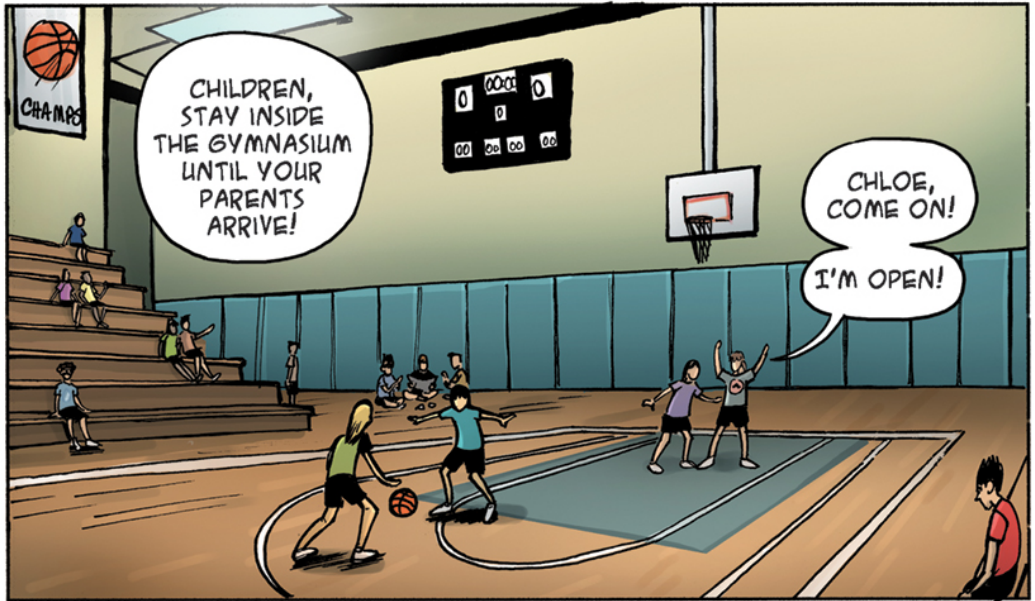
WHAT YOU GONNA DO ABOUT IT, HUH?













NOT SO FAST!

Block!

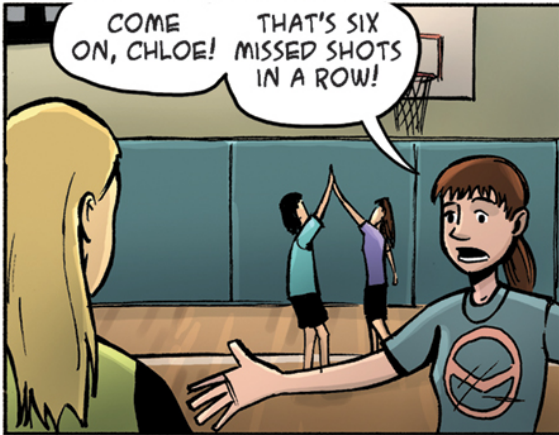


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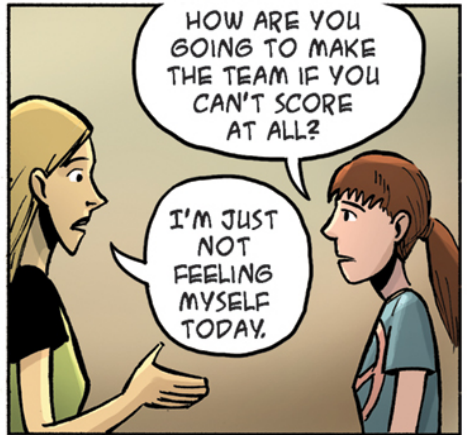
CHAMPIONS



MAN...



COME ON, CHLOE! THAT'S SIX MISSED SHOTS IN A ROW!



HOW ARE YOU GOING TO MAKE THE TEAM IF YOU CAN'T SCORE AT ALL?

I'M JUST NOT FEELING MYSELF TODAY.



WHY DON'T YOU TAKE A BREAK? WE'LL BRING TINA IN.



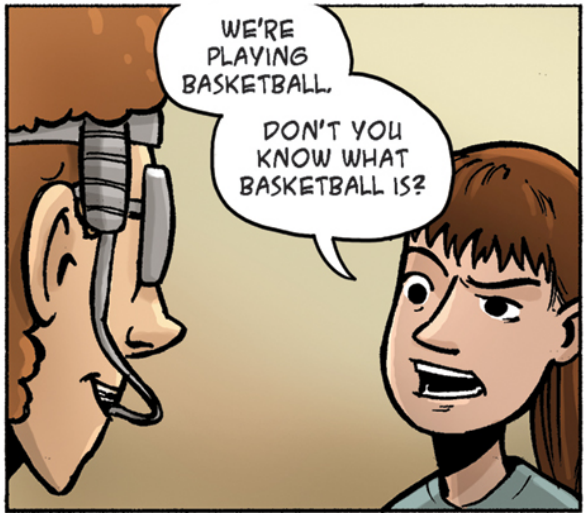
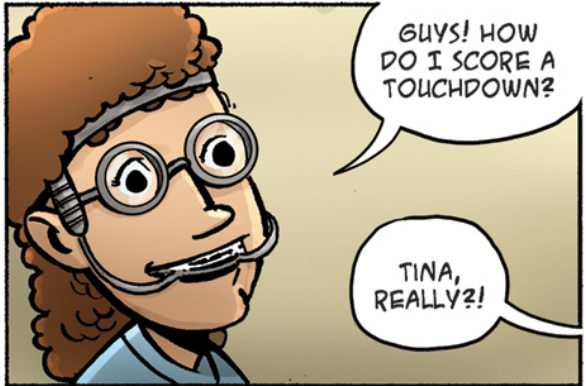
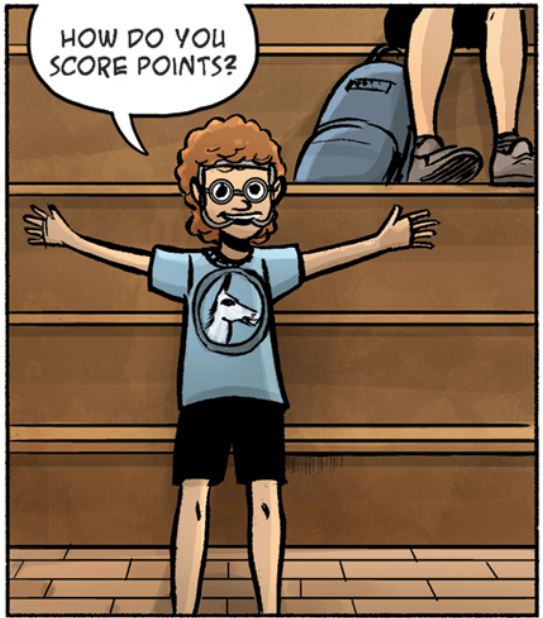
REALLY? ARE YOU SURE?



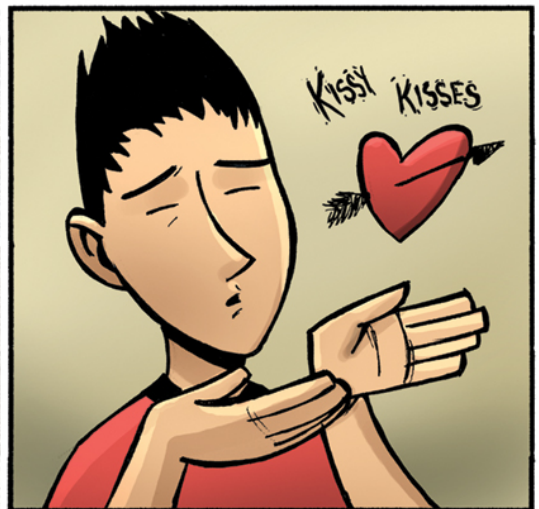
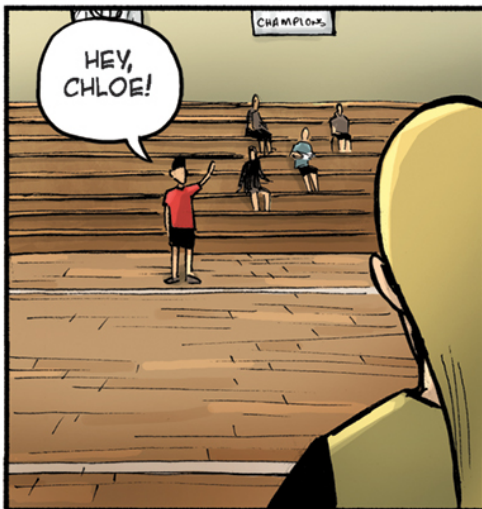
SHE'S ALWAYS COMPLAINING ABOUT HOW WE NEVER LET HER PLAY.

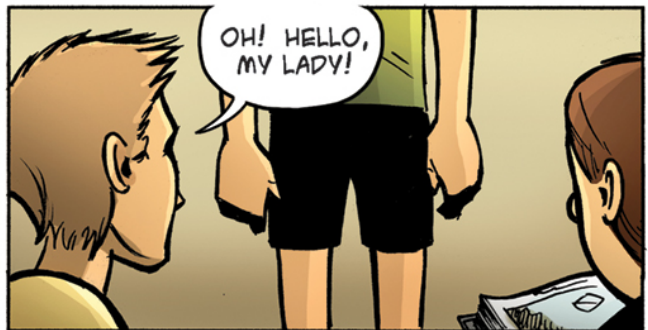
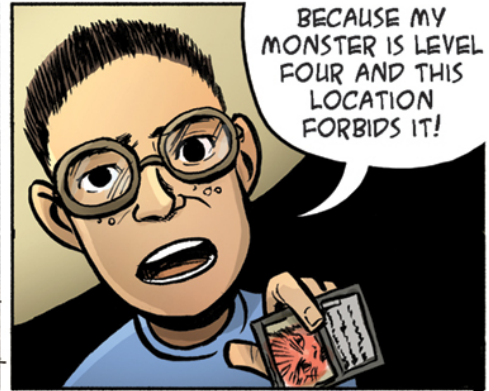
TINA! YOU'RE IN!



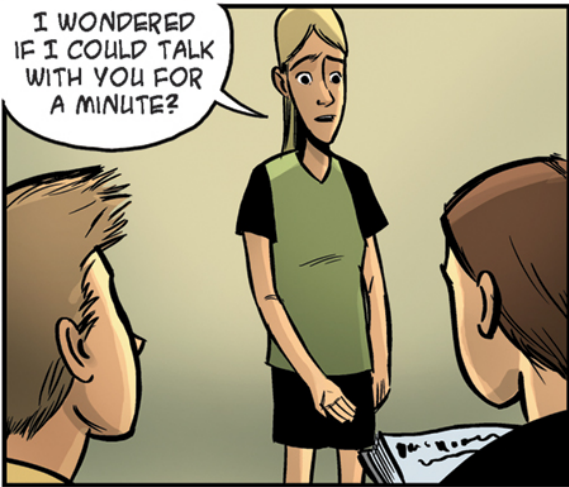
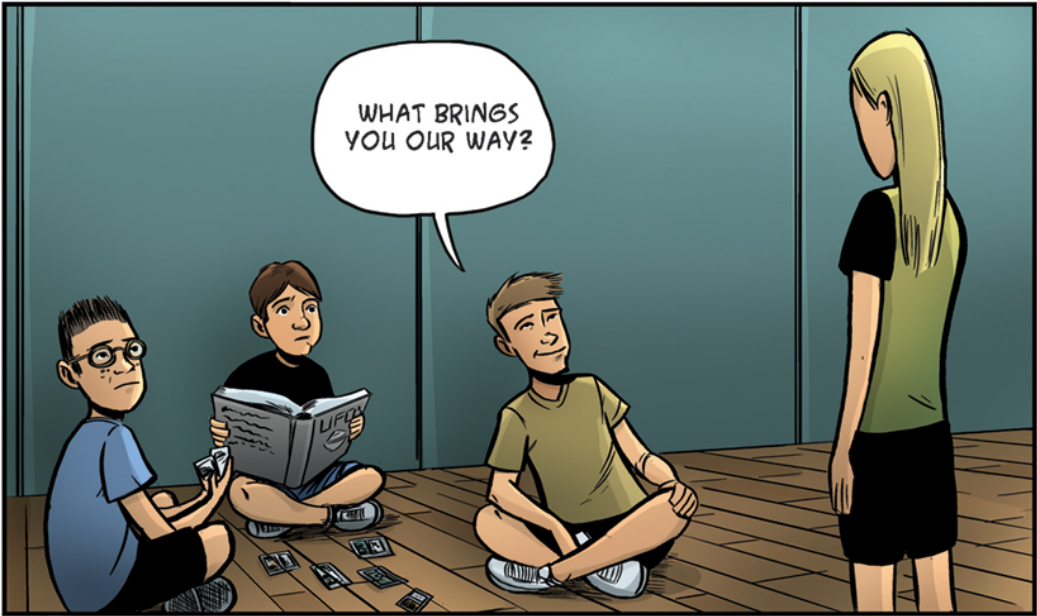














NO, I MEANT COULD YOU AND I TALK ALONE?



DUDE, SERIOUSLY...

HOW ARE YOU MAKING THIS HAPPEN?



SHUT UP, JOSH!



SURE, WE CAN TALK.



DUDE, HE'S GOTTA BE FREAKING OUT RIGHT NOW!

