



MURDER

AT

WESTCOTT MANOR

PRINTING PACK

Make sure to print all of the following pages to ensure that your murder mystery party runs smoothly. Each section has an explanation page. Read those closely in order to ensure you do not reveal any key information to yourself accidentally!

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MISSING PLAYERS

This murder mystery is designed to be played by different numbers of players.

This means if you are playing with less than 10 people, it is important for all players to read through the Assigning Characters page to familiarise themselves with the names of all characters that may appear in the murder mystery. Make sure to fill in the names of your guests next to the character they've been assigned as a helpful reminder!



ASSIGNING CHARACTERS

Character Name and Description	Guest Assigned
<u>Mrs. Dee Westcott</u> - The snobby materialistic wife of The Mayor. She's high maintenance, condescending and glamorous. Most of The Mayor's money goes to dresses, pearls and feather boas! She's very fond of champagne.	
<u>Lily Westcott</u> - Lily is the daughter of The Mayor and Mrs. Dee Westcott. She is smart, vocal, cunning, and often sarcastic. She wears her hair in plaits, a button-up shirt and simple make up. Nothing like her glamorous mother!	
<u>Butler John Johnson</u> - Butler John is the longtime family butler to the Westcott's. He is extremely trustworthy and The Mayor's right-hand man. He is charming, friendly and quite handsome. He always wears a smart suit or blazer.	
<u>Paula Puffleworth</u> - Paula is Hampstead's nosy reporter. She writes a gossip column for the town paper and knows everything about everyone! She is witty, sassy, a gossip and inquisitive. She wears glasses, sports red lips, and a notepad and pen are always in hand!	
<u>Slade O'Slick</u> - O'Slick is a mysterious new businessman in town, who is fond of sneaking about. He's sly, unapproachable and has an air of mystery about him. He wears a suit and has slicked-back greasy hair.	
<u>Dr Fairweather</u> - The town's manic doctor! Dr Fairweather is always nervous, rushed, chaotic, frazzled and a bit jittery! He rushes around in his lab coat with crazy hair and wears glasses.	
<u>Freddy Sharp</u> - Freddy has been in and out of prison for drugs. He's trying to convince everyone in the town he's on a better path and has just opened a new bakery! He's also the son of The Mayor's political opponent, Skye. He's dishevelled and has a scar on his cheek.	
<u>Marjorie Jones</u> - Marjorie is an aspiring reporter. She's also best friends with The Mayor's daughter, Lily. She's super excitable, annoyingly enthusiastic, and bright yet impulsive. She often dives in without thinking! Marjorie wears bright lipstick, big smiles and always has notepad and pen for that big scoop just around the corner!	
<u>Roy Charms</u> - Roy is the Deputy Mayor and second in charge. He's a bit of a slob and clearly not cut out for the top spot. He's a bit 'old school', closed-minded and traditional. He's not open to new policies and ideas at all. He's also a bit of a slob.	
<u>Skye Sharp</u> - Skye is The Mayor's political opposition. She's aggressive and disagrees with everything The Mayor says. She's intelligent and patient. Forward thinking and ahead of her time, she knows it's her life's work to help reform the town in a new way and she'll work hard to get there. She's no stranger to adversity, and it's made her relatable to people from all walks of life. Professional, but not snobby. Think blazer and jeans as opposed to full on pantsuits.	

ACCUSATION TICKETS & HOUSE POINTS

Print out as many pages of the accusation tickets as needed to make sure there are enough for each player. Before the party, cut them out and have them ready for when it's time to make your guesses!

These tickets will also be used to vote on the awards and tally each person's final House Points. You can print out the award certificates and House Point tokens now as well.

Print off enough House Point pages to give each player 10 tokens in their envelopes.



WHO DUNNIT?

I _____

Firmly accuse _____
of being the cold-blooded murderer!

Best dressed:
Best super sleuth:
Best drama king/queen:
Total house points:

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HOUSE POINTS

Give 10 tokens to each guest.

During the game, players can gamble, blackmail, and bribe using these House Points (for example, a character may choose to only reveal a piece of information to someone who will give them some House Points). The player with the most House Points at the end of the game will receive an additional prize.





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BEST HUSTLER

Award player 3 bonus house points!

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BEST SUPER SLEUTH

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**BEST DRAMA KING
OR QUEEN**

Award player 3 bonus house points!

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BEST DRESSED

Award player 3 bonus house points!

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EVIDENCE

All of the evidence pages should be put into an envelope in order. Label the envelope "EVIDENCE". As the host, you will reveal one new piece of evidence every 15-20 minutes!

Do not read if playing along!



EVIDENCE

Exhibit A

Description: Prescription bottle found close to the body in Mayor Wescott's study

Dr. A Fairweather
Hampstead

Take one tablet a day

Do not exceed the dose.

To be taken with water and food.

Dr A Fairweather



EVIDENCE

Exhibit B

Description: Letter found in Mrs. Dee's library

Everything is ready to go
for this evening, there is no
way we can get caught -
meet me at the bakery at
3pm. All my love,
John



EVIDENCE

Exhibit C

Description: Car keys found under Mayor Westcott's desk



EVIDENCE

Exhibit D

Description: Will found in typewriter on Mayor's desk



This is the last will and testament

of Mayor John Westcott

I~~Mayor John Westcott~~....., an adult residing at
address Westcott Manor, Hampstead.....

being of sound mind declare this to be my last will and testament, and fully understanding the nature and extent of all my property and of this disposition therein do hereby make, publish and declare this document to be my last will and testament and hereby revoke any and all other wills and codicils heretofore by me. I leave my estate and all assets to any offspring I have.

Signed

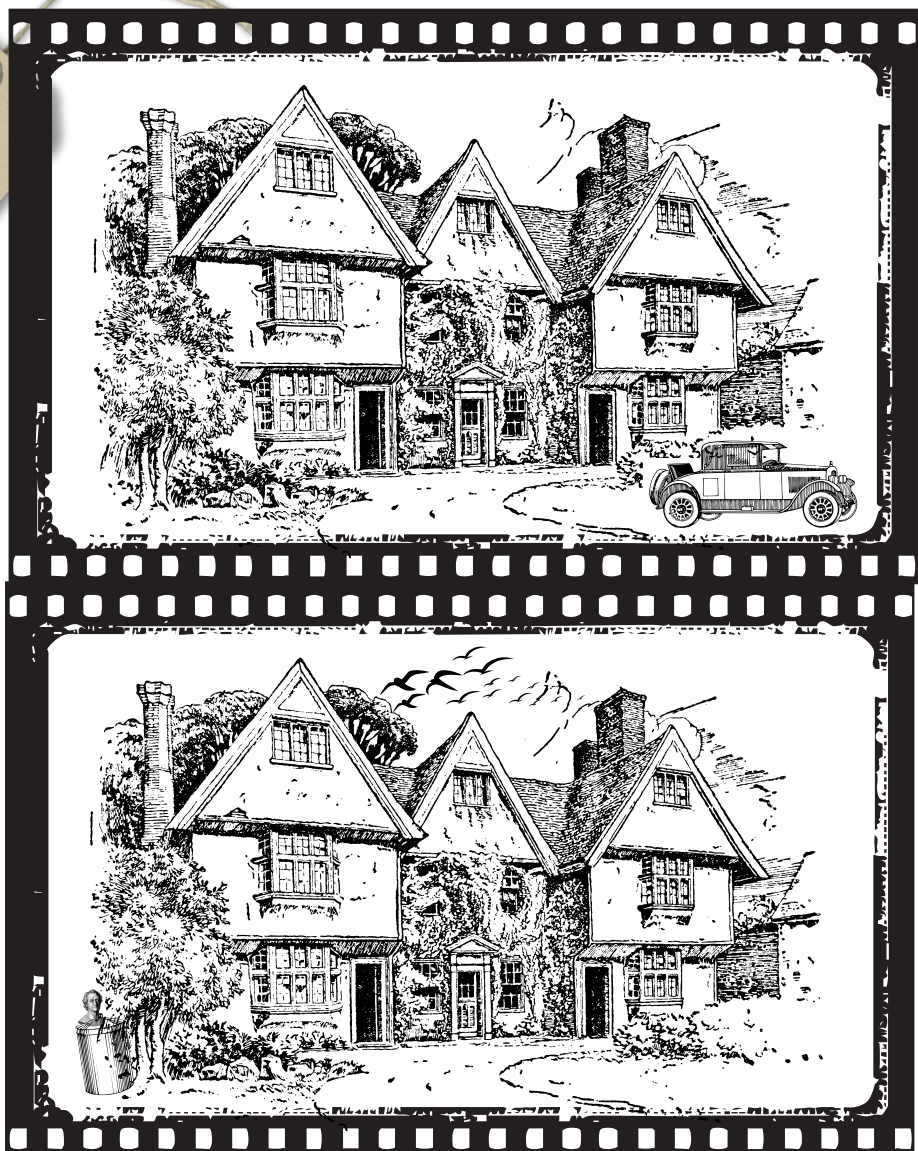
Mayor John Westcott
Mrs Dee Westcott

EVIDENCE

Exhibit E

Description: The Town Sleuth managed to get hold of a photograph. One is from yesterday and one is today, after the murder.

spot the
difference



EVIDENCE

Exhibit F

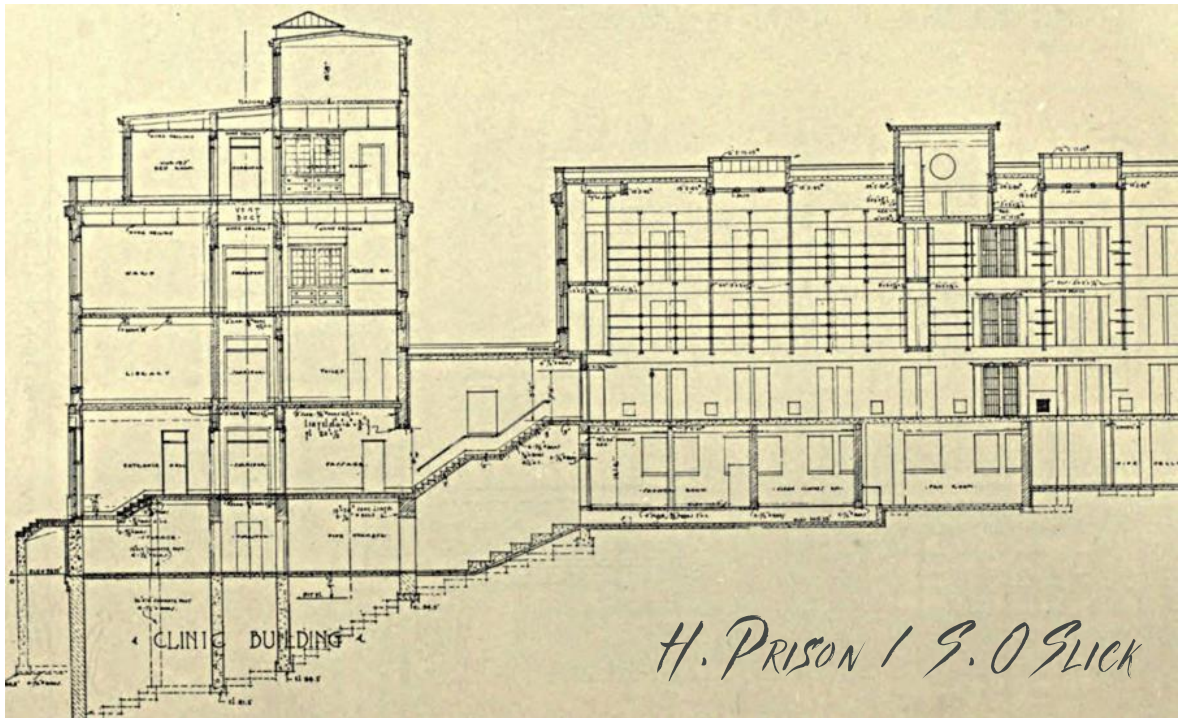
Description: Handwritten note found on floor in The Mayor's office



EVIDENCE

Exhibit G

Description: Plans found in the desk drawer of Mayor Westcott



EVIDENCE

Exhibit H

Description: Dry cleaning ticket found on Mayor Westcott's desk.



Name M. Westcott

Pick up Time 3 pm

Please make sure to bring this ticket with you to pick up your clothing. Thanks!

Open everyday from 8am - 3pm

EVIDENCE

Exhibit 1

Description: Pen found on the floor in The Mayor's office.



CHARACTER ENVELOPES

The following pages are for each character's individual welcome envelope.

Put these pages and ten House Point tokens in separate envelopes labelled with each character's name before the day of your murder mystery.

Do not read if playing along!



Mrs. Dee Westcott

Relationships:

Lily Westcott

Your relationship with Lily is very strained, you now more or less ignore her. Lily is dismissive toward you and you think she is a little self-righteous, but you still try to groom her into a well-mannered society girl. You think Slade would be a wonderful suitor and have been trying to push them together. She is much more reluctant than he is.

Slade O'Slick

You like Slade and are among one of few in town who do. You don't care about his rumoured shady business deals. You see this as a lucrative opportunity for your daughter. Slade has been visiting The Mayor more frequently lately and having lots of closed-door meetings.

Dr Fairweather

You have respect for the doctor, however you struggle to converse with him as you don't have anything in common. You do find it strange how close he is to Lily. For the last few weeks, The Mayor has been sick and has needed more medical attention than usual. Dr Fairweather has been there at the drop of a hat!

Paula Puffleworth

You see Paula as a necessary tool to keep you relevant amongst Hampstead's social elite. You use her to plant stories about you and your family. She has been asking questions about Mayor Westcott lately and you wonder if she's planning a story. Whatever story it is, you need to be the star of that article! Paula has deep connections to Hampstead - ask her about her grandfather to get on her good side!

Butler John Johnson

Your lover. The two of you had planned to murder The Mayor later this evening, after everyone had gone. You've been having an affair with Butler John for a while now and believe murdering your husband is the only way to hold onto both of your incomes.

Mrs. Dee Westcott

Goals during the evening:

- The heat is on and unfortunately (despite not being the killer), you seem to have a motive. If someone accuses you, confess it all in the most outrageous fashion you can! Only the truth can save you now.
- If anyone asks, you can drive (badly) and often race around the roads in the family's car.
- It will be useful to share the information of Dr Fairweather's argument. Why was he reluctant to increase the medication? Could too much be lethal? Maybe you could frame him with this information to get the heat off of you and John. You should do this first thing; deflect and then solve.
- After the above, talk to Butler John urgently. You have to get your story straight. Why did he carry out the murder in this way? You're annoyed that this is not what you planned.
- If anyone exposes your affair with Butler John, it would be best for you to be up-front and honest! Confess to everything and make sure everyone hears it. Although you planned to kill The Mayor, you didn't ACTUALLY do it so you shouldn't take the fall!



Lily Westcott

Relationships:

Mrs. Dee Westcott

You have a strained relationship with your parents. You're clearly smarter than both of them. Your mum has always pushed you to be a well-spoken, society girl. You think she's immoral and materialistic.

Marjorie Jones

Marjorie is your best friend and you tell her everything! She knew you were annoyed at your father today, but you didn't tell her why. Nevertheless, she won't be suspicious, she knows you better than that.

Slade O'Slick

Slade has a history of shady business deals. He's been cosying up to your father over the last few months with increasingly frequent meetings. Now you have discovered that it was to bring a new prison to the town...you need to know more! Slade has also been trying to pursue you romantically. Clearly, you're not interested.

Dr Fairweather

You trust the doctor completely. You find he is one of the only people in town that has an IQ high enough to hold a conversation with. You consider him a friend and he confides a lot in you. He has seemed stressed this evening. You're curious as to why.

Paula Puffleworth

Paula is the town reporter. She always tries to include you in her gossip columns. She's been snooping around lately. She seems to have a history with Slade...

Butler John Johnson

Butler John has been a part of your family for forever. He's been a father figure to you; he is even giving you driving lessons! He witnessed the argument you had with your father and hasn't spoken to you since. You're worried this might look bad on your behalf. Perhaps you should talk to him.

Skye Sharp

Skye is your dad's political opponent whose views you are much more aligned with. You think she should be mayor instead. Secretly, you want to go see her a week ago. You really believe in her campaign message and offered any assistance you could.

Lily Westcott

Goals during the evening:

- The heat is on and unfortunately (despite not being the killer), you seem to have a motive. That argument you had with your father sure looked suspicious...
- You could likely get some information out of Slade. You've seen those shady prison plans, you should tell him that you saw them. What else can you find out? Are there any businesses that this plan will impact?
- What is wrong with Dr Fairweather? He is acting strange and will usually confide in you. Push him for information. Ask if he noticed anything strange when he visited your home.
- Paula has been asking increasingly pointed questions to you about your family history. Find out what she is planning.



Butler John Johnson

Relationships:

Lily Westcott

You have been a wonderful father figure for Lily. Her father has been very absent and she goes to you in times of need. You feel very protective of her and you defend any wrongful accusations thrown her way with severity. That argument that happened between Lily and her father looked awful. You hope it wasn't because you have started to give Lily driving lessons in the Westcott family car!

Slade O'Slick

You've seen Slade coming in and out of meetings with The Mayor recently. They have always been closed-door. You wonder what this slimy, sneaky man is doing around The Mayor. He is new to town and you've read the gossip columns written by Paula the reporter. Apparently he is not to be trusted.

Dr Fairweather

You like Dr Fairweather. He came over to the house the morning of the murder. He has always seemed a bit manic and nervous, but today even more so. You know (along with the rest of the Westcott family) that The Mayor has been sick lately. The doctor has been over more than usual delivering medication.

Paula Puffleworth

Paula Puffleworth is the town reporter. She writes a gossip column for the paper and loves to include The Westcott's. She's always ignored you but recently has been coming to you asking questions, specifically about The Mayor. This has been a little strange.

Mrs. Dee Westcott

Your lover. The two of you had planned to murder The Mayor later this evening, after everyone had gone. You've been having an affair with Mrs. Dee for a while now and believe murdering her husband is the only way to hold onto both of your incomes and allow you to be together whilst remaining financially secure.

Skye Sharp

Skye hadn't really hung out in these circles until her recent political appointment, but you have known her a long time and are close friends. You confided in her recently about the affair, bonding over your mutual disdain for the Mayor.

Butler John Johnson

Goals during the evening:

- The heat is on and unfortunately (despite not being the killer), you seem to have a motive.
- Talk to Mrs. Dee urgently. You have to get your story straight. Why did she carry out the murder in this way? You're annoyed that this is not what you planned.
- Check-in on Lily. Despite caring for her a lot, you can't help think about her fight with The Mayor. That argument was sure something. Maybe it would take some heat off you and Mrs. Dee if you shared this information publicly? What was the argument about?
- Why is Paula asking so many questions about Mayor Westcott? What is she trying to find out?
- If anyone exposes your affair with Mrs. Dee, it would be best for you to be upfront and honest! Confess to everything and make it heard. Although, you planned to kill The Mayor you didn't actually do it, so you shouldn't take the fall.



Paula Puffleworth

Relationships:

Slade O'Slick

This man is so sneaky. You've become privy to the information regarding the new prison plans and you were planning on revealing all of this in your expose...that is until tonight. You're trying to pin the murder on Slade. He is corrupting the town you love so much.

Mrs. Dee Westcott

Mrs. Dee always sucks up to you. You can use her to your advantage. You've heard some rumours about her and the butler for some time. You won't believe them until you've heard some hardcore evidence.

Dr Fairweather

You've been pressing him for information on The Westcotts for a while. He knows something that he isn't telling you. Maybe there is a way around this. You know he is close to Lily, so perhaps you could use her to get some information.

Roy Charms

You're a bit worried about Roy. He is a new friend from the cocktail lounge. He is also the only one you've told about the prison plans. He could ruin your story by exposing this. Unfortunately for you, he is also good friends with Slade.

Marjorie Jones

This one is a bit annoying. She's a friend of Lily's and an aspiring reporter. You can tell she idolises you. Maybe she could help you cover this up?

Skye & Freddy Sharp

This mother and son duo have had it rough. Skye has worked tirelessly to save her son from a troubled life of crime. Though The Mayor keeps throwing him in jail for petty crimes! You suspect something is up with the two of them. Why is The Mayor so desperate to keep Freddy locked up? You admire Skye's political presence and think she could be the saving grace of Hampstead.

Paula Puffleworth

Goals during the evening:

- You clearly play a big part in tonight's events. Feel free to lie to get yourself out of the hot seat but don't do this often as you'll get caught out easily. Your timeline is brief so you don't want to be caught lying otherwise you will suspect number one! It might help to take some notes...if only you could find your pen...
- Spread around as much information as possible. Everyone here has a motive, so find those out and hopefully it will deflect onto someone else. You know the shady secrets of many of the attendees and can use this to deflect suspicion from yourself. Maybe exposing this alleged affair between Mrs. Dee and Butler John would be beneficial?
- Why is Dr Fairweather being so strange? Maybe he has something to tell you. Find out what information he knows and spread it around to the others. Do this secretly. You don't want to seem to be hiding anything.
- You're mainly trying to pin this onto Slade who doesn't appear to have any alibis. Slade wrote that note he gave you. Don't bring it up unless someone finds it. If someone does find it, you'll have to confess to writing the expose. Then everyone will know about the plans and think Slade killed The Mayor for not signing off on it!
- The Prison is a big motive! You can implicate two other players here, Roy told you about the plans so that will really fire Slade up. You also want others to know how these plans will disrupt the town. Cause as much distraction as you can!
- You have a real love and passion for the town of Hampstead, everything you have done is for the benefit of the town. You even believe that the murder of The Mayor will be a good thing. Don't let your love of the town go unknown. If they find out it's you by the end of the night, at least there might be some chance they believe you did it for the betterment of Hampstead.
- If Marjorie is playing, try to create suspicion around her. She will do anything to create her big break and besides...she knows how much Lily hated her dad.

Paula Puffleworth

continued...



To be read out at the end once you are revealed to be the one who did the crime...

I have deep connections to the town of Hampstead. My great-grandfather was one of the founding fathers of the town, and I feel a burning desire to see this town prosper and flourish in his memory!

I recently become privy to information about Slade O'Slick's new business plans. He wants to replace half of the town with a large-scale criminal prison and shockingly, The Mayor had almost signed off on it.

At 2pm today, I went to The Mayor's house with the intention of confronting him about the new prison plans. Whilst there, I bumped into Slade who passed me a note saying: 'Stop the slander or you will suffer'.

I headed upstairs to The Mayor's office and knocked. He wasn't there so I let myself in and snooped through his desk. I saw the blueprint of the plans for the prison. All the rumours were true.

All of sudden, the voice of The Mayor said my name. This gave me a fright. I had a heated argument with him about the prison plans and then he said to me, "You are not your great grandfather, Paula. You may think you know what's best for this town, but you will never be in any position to do anything about it".

In a moment of blind rage, I reached for the bookshelf to push it between me and The Mayor. I saw the bust of The Mayor start to fall. I pushed him directly into the fall path and watched as he was ironically knocked unconscious by his own face. I finished him off with one final bludgeon to the head.

I picked up the bust of The Mayor and put it in the bin outside. The Mayor's body was too heavy to move, so I decided to leave immediately. The house was empty and no one saw me leave. I arrived at the party earlier as normal.

I killed The Mayor. It was unintentional, but I did it. I'm the murderer.

Slade O'Slick

Relationships:

Mrs. Dee Westcott

You're playing nice with her, though you definitely think she's a bit of a bore. She is one of the only people that likes you, so maybe you could use that to your advantage? She could definitely be helpful in your pursuit of her daughter.

Lily Westcott

You're looking for an in with Lily. This would be very beneficial to your relationship with Mayor Westcott. Lily pushes back on all of your advances. Deep down, you have no romantic feelings towards her and you begin to get frustrated at her rejection.

Dr Fairweather

Your plans will impact Dr Fairweather's medical practice. You've been avoiding him for this reason. You did go down to his medical practice last week to scope out the place. It's going to become a reception building for the new prison. You told him you were there to learn some more about the town's history. Do not tell him about the plans no matter how hard he pushes.

Paula Puffleworth

Paula is the bane of your existence in Hampstead. She keeps writing about you in her darned gossip column, exposing some small shady business dealings. You really dislike her and won't give her the time of day. She's so nosy.

Roy Charms

Roy Charms has been your best friend since childhood. He too loves money and has been sneakily trying to get involved in the Hampstead development for years. He has been working on these plans with you. You're a bit worried you sounded too harsh on that phone call...

Freddy Sharp

Freddy is a trouble maker. You saw him going into town but you quickly turned away. Freddy was a former prisoner at another prison you owned. He knows what you could be bringing to Hampstead so be careful of him. Your prison plans will also impact his bakery business. You're a little nervous about this.

Slade O'Slick

Goals during the evening:

- The heat is on and unfortunately (despite not being the killer), you seem to have a motive. Be sneaky and cunning to get your way!
- Has Paula canned her story? She clearly has found out something else about your plans. You need to find out what. You're nervous about that note you gave her as there could be some implications. If she brings it up, confess that you were threatening her, but to deflect say you know about the expose she is writing!
- Do not give in to Dr Fairweather! You've told him a lie about why you visited his medical practice. No matter what he asks, make sure he doesn't find out. Avoid him at all costs.
- Try to smooth things over with Roy. The phone call you had is not a good look and you'll need to do some damage control.
- If Lily begins to ask about the prison plans, it's best to tell her the truth. You want to impress her and think that she (like her mother) would be impressed by the money it could make you.



Dr. Fairweather

Relationships:

Mrs. Dee Westcott

You've always thought that Mrs. Dee is incredibly simple. Maybe she just knows how to put on a good show? She has always been welcoming to you and commends you for taking such good care of The Mayor. She knows about his condition and has thanked you for being so 'providing' to The Mayor before.

Marjorie Jones

Marjorie is an assistant at your office, and good friends with Lily. You like her and she does an adequate job, though you aren't sure she will ever amount to anything substantial. She talks incessantly about wanting to become a detective and how she would do anything to catch her big break.

Slade O'Slick

Slade is a new neighbor in Hampstead and you do not like his energy at all. For some reason, he came to your practice last week and was inspecting it very thoroughly. He had a measuring tape and a rolled up paper that he made sure you didn't see. He told you it was to 'learn about the town's history'. You were dubious and therefore not welcoming. You have a shady feeling about him.

Lily Westcott

You consider Lily a very close friend. She is witty and loves to spend time wracking your brain for information on anything! She spends a lot of time at your practice and you trust she has your best interests at heart. She has done a lot of work to make sure your medical practice keeps receiving required funds from The Mayor. You're grateful for her.

Dr. Fairweather

Relationships continued:

Paula Puffleworth

Paula is always looking for trouble. You get nervous around her because her questions have become increasingly fishy lately. She keeps asking for lots of information about The Westcotts. Thank goodness for that doctor-patient confidentiality! Perhaps in order to avoid answering anything that could lead any suspicion to you, you should tell Paula about the interaction that you saw happen between Butler John and Mrs. Dee...

Butler John Johnson

You're not too familiar with Butler John, but from all accounts he does seem trustworthy. Although what you witnessed earlier might prove otherwise.

Skye & Freddy Sharp

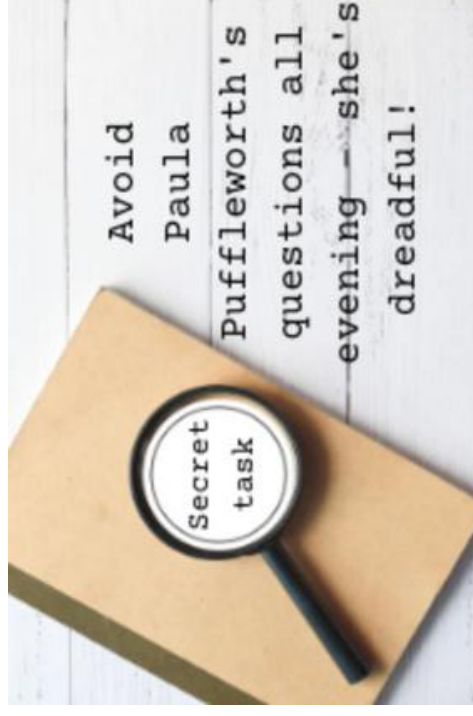
Freddy and his mother Skye are both patients of yours at the clinic you operate. You recently gave Freddy results to a DNA test stating that Mayor Westcott is his father.

Dr. Fairweather

Goals during the evening:

- The heat is on and unfortunately (despite not being the killer), you seem to have been implicated. Hopefully this medication doesn't come up, though all you can do now is be honest!
- You want to find out more information about Slade. Why was he at your practice? Why was he interested in the property? You do think he is very unapproachable, perhaps Lily could find out some information...
- You'd feel guilty not telling Lily about the interaction you observed between Butler John and Mrs. Dee. It could be nothing, but then again, it did look suspicious. You've decided to keep your mouth shut until she asks what's wrong, though you struggle to withhold information from her.
- You're worried someone may have heard The Mayor request a dangerous dose of medication. Morally you cannot lie about this if someone asks...you just hope no one does.
- It's your choice to decide whether you had already told The Mayor yesterday about his son Freddy or not. Make your choice before you start playing and stick by it:
 - If you DID tell The Mayor - it's because you rely on his financial support and didn't want it to come out another way.
 - If you DID NOT tell the Mayor - it's because you put patient-doctor confidentiality above all else.

Dr. Fairweather



Freddy Sharp

Relationships:

Skye Sharp

Skye is your mother and has always been your biggest supporter. She raised you on her own and despite all the challenges she has always stood by you and encouraged you to pursue a better life. You would do anything for her.

Marjorie Jones

Marjorie was a few years ahead of you at school, but you've always had a crush on her. She's best friends with The Mayor's daughter, Lily. You've seen them at your mum's political rallies in disguise, cheering her on. They clearly have a more liberal view than Lily's father and you admire that. What would impress Marjorie?

Slade O'Slick

Slade owns several prisons around town, including the one you spent a considerable amount of time locked up in. You know he's bad news and you don't want to be around him at all. Rumour has it that he's trying to build a prison where your bakery currently is. This may have a lot of implications for your new crime-free life.

Dr Fairweather

Dr Fairweather is your family doctor. You had an appointment with him earlier today where he disclosed the surprising DNA test results showing Mayor Westcott as a match for your father! Did he tell Mayor Westcott?

The Westcotts

You don't know too much about them, aside from the fact that The Mayor is your father. You do know that you want to impress Lily so she puts in a good word for you with Marjorie. You aren't too familiar with Mrs. Dee, although what you learned earlier about your father will certainly ruffle her feathers.

Freddy Sharp

Goals during the evening:

- People are likely going to be suspicious of you because of your history. If anyone starts asking pointed questions, just awkwardly look away and then switch the conversation topic to your bakery. You never killed anyone before, and why would you start now?
- You're not actually invited to this event. Make up a reason to be there if anyone asks. If you can't think of any, you could use one of these:
 - You heard Slade had a dodgy deal lined up and you're trying to find out what it is.
 - Your mum, Skye, was invited and sent you in her place (unless Skye is also playing, in which case you could say she brought you with her).
 - Make a fake invitation and say that you were invited. Deny not being invited to anyone who asks, and say The Mayor was trying to give you a chance to prove you had reformed.
 - Say you're catering the party with things from your bakery.
- Tonight is another opportunity to impress Marjorie. What helpful information could you find out to pass on to her?
- Try to find out more about Slade's plan and expose him. People don't trust you, so you'll need evidence - or someone else who knows the truth!
- OPTIONAL - Do you want to disclose the truth about your father? Think carefully about who you tell...



Marjorie Jones

Relationships:

Lily Westcott

Lily is your best friend and total confidante! You tell her everything and vice versa. Neither of you care much for her dad, but she will still be devastated about his death...won't she?

Dr Fairweather

You're an assistant for Dr Fairweather in his clinic. He's a nice guy and you get along well, though you've long suspected he underestimates your talents and capabilities. He never seems to take you seriously as an up and coming detective. Tonight could be your chance to prove him wrong!

Paula Puffleworth

You look up to Paula as the town reporter. She's uncovered some major scoops and you could learn a thing or two from her! Despite that, you're still convinced you're more talented and want to outshine her at any opportunity.

Freddy Sharp

Freddy is an odd-ball but he has a certain charm about him. You notice he gets very nervous when talking to you and you often catch him looking your way. You know he has a shady past, but you want to find out a little more.

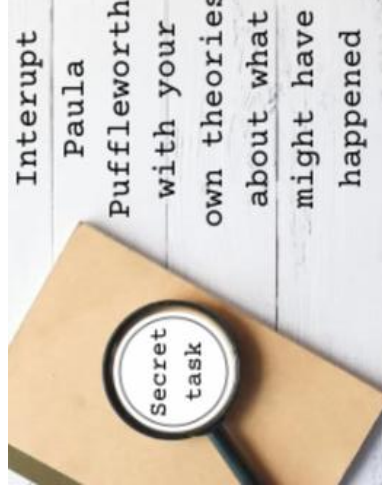
Mrs. Dee Westcott

All you know about Mrs. Dee has been learned from Lily. Lily has really confided with you on some of Mrs. Dee's poor behaviour, she is very cold to her daughter. Mrs. Dee loves to project the picture perfect image but you can tell there's something wrong with her.

Marjorie Jones

Goals during the evening:

- Find out what the argument was about that Lily had with her dad. This is your strongest lead!
- You know about Freddy's DNA test. You can't ask him because that would be unprofessional, but still... Did Mayor Westcott know Freddy was his son? Does Freddy's mother even know this? Surely Dr Fairweather has seen the result by now... is he in on this?
- How would Paula approach this investigation? Maybe you can help her piece together the puzzle and draw your own insights!



Roy Charms

Relationships:

Slick O'Slade

Childhood friend, Slade, is your closest ally. You need to talk to him to find out what happened this afternoon. That call sure doesn't look good. Everyone thinks Slade is dodgy. You feel it's part of your duty to convince them otherwise.

Paula Puffleworth

You two are new friends. You're careful not to tell her too much because she's an absolute gossip, but she is a good drinking buddy when you've had a long day. She always knows more than you first thought. You feel guilty for being the anonymous source for lots of the gossip around The Westcotts. Not guilty enough to lose a drinking buddy though! She makes it known that she doesn't like your political stance. You understand this is because you're not in it for the betterment of the town, but rather the betterment of yourself. This makes you feel slightly guilty.

Mrs. Dee Westcott

You don't know Mrs. Dee well, but she always throws a good party. You've always found her relationship with The Mayor peculiar. Sometimes it feels like they don't even like each other!

Lily Westcott

Something bugs you about Lily. She has a higher-than-thou attitude and it gets under your skin. You think The Mayor's daughter is a real brat, but would never let him know.

Freddy Sharp

Freddy is nothing but a convict. You know The Mayor put him away and you think he should still be locked up. You're sure he sells drugs. You're not buying his reformed-bakery-owner act!

Skye Sharp

You can't stand Skye. Freddy's mom and The Mayor's political opponent, you find her completely insufferable. Her platform totally misaligns with what you're trying to get done in the town! She pushes for less prisons...ugh!

Roy Charms

Goals during the evening:

- Find out from Slade what happened this afternoon. Why was The Mayor backtracking on the plans? Is there something you don't know? Surely Slade isn't capable of murder... if he is, you need to help him craft an alibi.
- Find out what Paula knows. Once she has a few drinks, she spills anything! She's the only person who might know about the bribery. Did you tell her when you went out together recently? It's best that no one knows, so see if you can ask the right questions to find out if Paula remembers anything.
- What is that no-good criminal, Freddy, doing here? Probably trying to pedal drugs as always. Don't let him get away with this; he's a no hoper. Come to think of it, Freddy is just the sort of guy who would murder Mayor Westcott. He is the one who locked him up after all. Let everyone know your theory. This will definitely help you with ruining Skye's favourable position with the town!
- If you're in trouble, throw Skye under the bus. After all, she hates prisons and if she had any idea The Mayor was going to sign off on Slade's plans, it might just be enough to break her.



Skye Sharp

Relationships:

Freddy Sharp

Your darling son. Freddy has just started to turn his life around and opened up an adorable bakery in town. You would do anything to protect him. Everything you've ever worked for has been to provide him with a better life.

Butler John Johnson

You've known John a long time. His family grew up in the area you live. He let you know about the affair he's having with Mrs. Dee. You weren't surprised. Mrs. Dee has never been particularly affectionate towards The Mayor, but you haven't told a soul about what you know.

Roy Charms

You find Roy completely insufferable. If educating the town on community rehabilitation is your life's work, Roy is your dimmest student. You're patient with him, but you never let him have the final say.

Mrs. Dee Westcott

There is not much more to Mrs. Dee than a smile and a wave, though it's very clear to everyone what a suck up she is. Her marriage with The Mayor is all fake, but does seem fitting, as she likes to be in high society.

Lily Westcott

Lily offered you her support with the upcoming election. You're unsure if you want to take this. This will cause quite a stir, but it might be a powerful message for the townspeople.

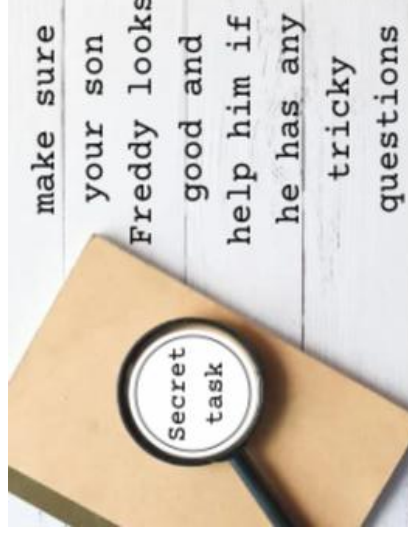
Paula Puffleworth

Paula, the town reporter, has deep roots in this town. She has long been campaigning for the betterment of Hampstead. She could be a really powerful ally!

Skye Sharp

Goals during the evening:

- Try to protect your secret about the affair. John is a really nice guy and you wouldn't want to hurt him if you can avoid it.
- Protect your son's reputation at all costs. If you hear of anyone accusing him, rush to his defense saying "how is anyone ever meant to get a second chance in this town?".
- Talk to people at the party about your community rehabilitation plans and why it's a better approach than traditional "hard on crime" tactics.





We know you'll have a killer time!

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