

# A Stolen Star - Solution Files

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# Evidence Gathered From The Suspects

Based on the suspects' interviews, you can narrow the time frame to

4:50 - 5:10

The equipment that could have been used is either

Scissor Lift

Ladder

Extension Arm

After talking to the suspects you narrow it down to the ladder as the equipment used.

450510ladder

You get this by gathering information from suspect interviews to get the time frame and what could've been used.

it. The mall has a self-propelled *scissor lift* that could work. There is one *ladder* that can reach that high. Oh, and maybe someone could have used the retractable *extension arm* to get it. It is usually used for

Roland's Card

missing when I finished decorating the vending machines. I spent 20 minutes looking for Mr. Ridley. I finally found him around 6:00 A.M. I wish I was the

From Ashley's card

getting yelled at. Last year, when I was using the scissor lift, they turned it off.

While I was more than thirty feet in the air! I was stuck up there for hours!

Needless to say, I haven't gotten back on that lift since then. Leonita was using it to hang garland above all the stores' entrances shortly before Mr. Ridley called us all to the conference room.

From Sage's card

I'm still upset about earlier. I was supposed to be using the lift for most of my shift, but the stupid thing was dead when I got here.

Whoever used it last forgot to plug it in afterward. The real issue is, once it has powered down, it won't turn on until it's fully charged. And the thing takes forever to charge. It didn't power on until almost everyone else was done with their assignments. I got started around the same time that Ashley was finishing up with her job. I know you are busy, but if you get a

From Leonita's card

When we are wrapping gifts, he is always saying, "Fold the paper, then make crisp lines. Match like to like." I don't really know what he means.

From Darlon's Card

I was supposed to test the Christmas tree light show at 4:30 a.m. I can assure you that the star was there at that time. But I

From Kegan's Card

messenger.' I saw it was missing as I passed by the display. That was probably 30 minutes before Ashley noticed it and went looking for the boss man. Oh, and I

From Clint's Card

# First Obstacle/Ladder lock

6143

# Second Obstacle/Who gets what?

Ariella Phillips - Hover Board - because it spins

Mel Price - Mountain Bike - because it spins

Niki Foster - Smartphone - like Jaida's but more versatile

Jaida Reed - TV - similar to Niki's

Wayland Hughes - Scented Candle Set - because it is for the nose

Daylon White - Sausage And Cheese set - because it's for the stomach and a food product

Josiah Campbell - Crockpot - food related

Diane Perez - Blender - food related/spins

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# List Of Christmas Things/Candy Cane

“Open door use six five two”

You get this by referring back to what Roland says about the crook of the candy cane and Christmas note.

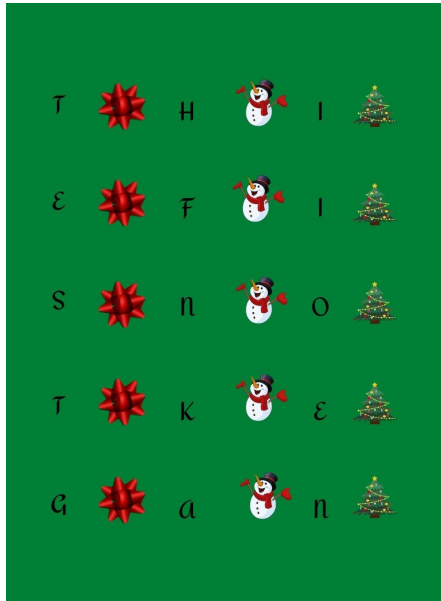
# Employees Breakroom

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# Wrapping Paper

“Thief is not Kegan”



From Darlon's Card

When we are wrapping gifts, he is always saying, "Fold the paper, then make crisp lines. Match like to like." I don't really know what he means.

# Wreaths

“I am not LF”

You get this by following the direction instructions, the bell ribbon, and the wreaths together.

*The bells ring on wreaths.*

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From Clint's Card

# Jingle Bells

“The order I placed was not at Never Age, 1001 Scents, Gaming Time, True Shoes. But it was at Cookie Cottage the order number is 22147.”

# Where Is The Order From?

cc22147

You get this by solving the Jingle Bells note and flipping over the words.

# Gingerbread Houses

“It’s not Landor”

You get this by building the gingerbread houses and following the numbers in order of the house of numbers.

# Hot Cocoa/Where Is The Star?

“The star is in Ridley's office”

ridleysoffice

You get this by using the hint Ashley gave you about a grade a cup of hot cocoa will have no marshmallows. So A is 0, B is 1, C is 2, etc.



wanted. Man, it's cold in here. I could go for some hot chocolate right now. I really like hot chocolate. Just don't add marshmallows. No marshmallows is the key to making a *Grade-A* cup of cocoa.

Hint from  
Ashley's card

# Christmas Village

Ashley is the one that is not in the picture.



# Snowman

This will eliminate Clint as a suspect

Following the note you'll eliminate characters in the following rounds:

1. Leonita
2. Darlon
3. Ashley, Kegan
4. Roland
5. Sage
6. Landor



# Naughty and Nice List

This will eliminate Sage as a suspect

# Safe

237789

You get this by eliminating all the suspects and converting their initials into numbers based on the safe's keypad.

# Solved All The Puzzles?

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# Suspect Eliminations

## Suspects:

Landor Peterson

Leonita Foster

Roland Roberts

Sage Thompson

Clint Bell

Kegan Phillips

Darlon Miller

Ashley Watson

## Suspect Elimination:

Kegan Phillips – eliminated through the folding puzzle: THIEF IS NOT KEGAN

Landor Peterson – eliminated through the Special Package (cube) puzzle: it's not Landor

Leonita Foster – eliminated through the wreath/bell puzzle: I AM NOT LF

Ashley Watson – eliminated through the picture find puzzle. Her image is the one you cannot find in the winter display.

Sage Thompson – eliminated through the Naughty & Nice list. His name is the last one left on the Nice side.

Clint Bell – eliminated through the Build-A-Dolls Annual Snowman puzzle. His snowman is the one left after process of elimination, indicating he is innocent.