

Screamland Hints

*Audio transcripts for the hearing impaired
can be found within this file.*

Audio Recorder (Transcript)

Laughing (Male)

Cuckoo Clock

Chainsaw

Laughing (Female)

Siren

Help Me Voice

Door Slam

Ghostly Voice

Camera Shutter

Suspect Confirmation QR Card

“Have you matched each suspect name...”

1. Pay close to attention to the book titles given to you by the informant.
2. Notice that there are certain words in the book titles that are descriptors of the character cards.
3. Use the book titles with the character cards to match up each character with their suspect name.

Judge Samantha Tyler QR Card

1. Read the email exchange from the file folder.
2. The email gives you two pieces of information that are needed to obtain the search warrant.
3. The pieces of information you are looking for can be found from the interview document and from the brochure.

Ready To Continue Your Investigation

QR Card

1. You must first unlock both the Skull QR card "Have you matched each suspect..." and the Judge Samantha Tyler QR Card.
2. The special word is in yellow in the Suspect Confirmation QR Card unlock. The search warrant number is in the Judge Samantha Tyler QR Card unlock.

Ticket Booth Envelope

Fun Pumpkin Carving Pattern

1. This looks very much like a simple connect-the-dots pattern. But there is a note that says, "Until certain, I wouldn't recommend connecting any of these dots."
2. The orange legal pad will be helpful in providing information on the correct dots to connect.
3. Solving this puzzle will eliminate a suspect.

Trees With Vertical Letters And Ropes

1. Take notice of the rope and the order of the trees that it touches/wraps around.
2. The yellow legal paper, found in the file folder, mentions the case being like mature trees. Pay close attention to what it says.
3. The clue is telling you to start at the bottom of each tree and work your way towards the top. Use this information with the rope.
4. Start with the tree that has the metal hook on it "E O D R V S..."
5. Take the letter from the bottom of the first tree. Then, notice the tree that the rope goes to next. Take the letter from the bottom of that tree. Then, notice the tree that the rope goes to after that. Take the letter from the bottom of that tree. Continue this process going through that order of trees until you have used all letters.
6. The message you are given will eliminate a suspect.

Chest QR Code/Pencil Puzzle

1. You should notice that there was a piece of paper attached to a pencil via a rubberband.
2. Take a look at the blue legal pad note and recognize that there are two references to pencils
 - a. "Pencil me in..."
 - b. A graphic of a pencil
3. In the graphic of the pencil, notice the graphic of what the pencil is in. Have you noticed that graphic on anything else? The piece of paper that was wrapped around the pencil, perhaps?
4. Take the piece of paper that was wrapped around the pencil, and position the pencil over each of the graphics on the paper. Pay close attention to what you are forming – "...the formation of character"
5. "When in Rome..." – with the inclusion of this statement and the chart of roman numerals, you are being told that you will be forming roman numerals with the pencil.
6. The grid on the blue legal paper corresponds exactly to the grid of formations on the piece of paper that was attached the pencil. Use the squares of the grid that are circled on the blue legal paper. This will give you four numbers.
7. The final comment is about a chest with no handles. This is telling you to use the four numbers you now have to unlock the chest.
8. Use the information that you receive from the chest unlock with information from the orange legal paper to eliminate a suspect.

Periodic Table of The Elements

1. You are told to use certain elements from the periodic table. Pay close attention to what information you can get from each element – numbers and letters (symbols).
2. Use the symbols for each element to create a word.
3. Once you have your word, follow the remaining instructions that are given to you about letters.
4. You will then match up numbers with each of the letters.
5. Below is an example of how that process might look. *Note: This is not the solution to this puzzle.
 - a. DEATHBCFG I J K L M N O P Q R S U V W X Y Z
 - b. 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26
6. The solution to this puzzle will give you a key that is used on another puzzle.

List of Movies

1. There is a statement about horror movies on the opposite side of the paper from where the movies are listed. This statement is a clue.
2. The statement you are given matches up with a list that can be found on the back of the yellow legal pad note.
3. The times are very important. The hours mean one thing for this puzzle and the minutes mean another thing for this puzzle.
4. Take each time in the list. The hours are telling you which movie to take from the list. The minutes are telling you which letter to take from that specific movie.
 - a. Example – 1:01 (This tells you to take the first movie and then take the first letter from that movie)

Break Room/Tiny House

1. In the initial case file folder, you are provided audio taken from within Screamland. You are also given a map of Screamland. These two go together.
2. The audio recorder gives you 9 different audio sounds. Match these up with specific sections of Screamland. Pay close attention to the notes where you are told which section is section 1, and which section is section 9.
3. In the Ticket Booth envelope, the informant gives you a flashdrive with five distinct audio sounds. Use the appropriate section numbers from the earlier audio in the case file folder. These numbers will help you access the break room.

Flashdrive (Audio Transcript)

Siren

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Note Under The Coffee Pot

1. You must solve the Periodic Table of the Elements puzzle before you can solve this puzzle.
2. Once you have the puzzle key from solving the Periodic Table of the Elements, use the corresponding letters and numbers to decipher the code on the note under the coffee pot.
3. The answer to the code on the note will eliminate a suspect.

Iron Door With 3-Digit Combination

1. You will need to eliminate 5 suspects before you can unlock this door. The puzzles here in the Hint File, prior to this hint, will help you with that task.
2. Once that is completed, the orange legal paper can help you with figuring out the numbers and order to unlock this door.

Fireplace Mantel

1. You will need to unlock the Iron Door before you can unlock this card.
2. You should have stickers that correspond to items on the mantel. Place those stickers on top of the corresponding images (You do not have to remove the backing and actually adhere the stickers to the card).
3. With the instructions from the Iron Door unlock, rearrange the images.
4. Once you have followed all instructions and have finished rearranging the items, the blue legal pad note can help you with the final part of the combination.

Garage Envelope

Shakespeare Book Unlock

1. Examine the VFSA document thoroughly.
2. One word is underlined.

Triangle Puzzle

1. You will need to unlock the Shakespeare card before trying to solve this.
2. In the Shakespeare unlock you see the same triangle as you do on the orange legal paper. This unlock also reveals the identity of the informant. Therefore, another suspect is eliminated.
3. The unlock gives you specific instructions about doing things in groups of three.
4. Take the rows of letters (next to the triangle) on the orange legal pad note and break those into groupings of threes. Example (L C O...O E M...N C G...) Continue this process working your way through all the letters.
5. The unlock gives you specific instructions on which letters to use within the groups and when. When it mentions "The First", this is telling you to take the first letter from ALL groupings. And then continue that process for the other instructions.
6. Solving this will eliminate a suspect.

Dock/Train Yard Puzzle

1. You must solve the Triangle puzzle before you can proceed with this puzzle.
2. The Triangle puzzle gives you the dock number.
3. Once you know the dock number, read Interview #1 for the next piece of information.
4. Once you know the train number, read Interview #2 for the next piece of information.
5. Train Destinations are the names beside each train (Crowley's Point, Holmes, Winstead, Bakersfield Ridge)

Shipping Container Envelope

Shipping Container Puzzle

1. You are now physically inside of a shipping container. Recreate the container in 3D.
2. Notice the ends of each shipping container section have horizontal markings. Match these up with other sections to recreate the container.
3. One outside wall of the shipping container has numbers 1-5. These correspond to the letters on the inside of that same wall of the shipping container.
4. Use this thought process for all sides of the shipping container. Identify all the letters that are 1s, all the letters that are 2s, and so on.

Final Solution Card

1. Last name of the criminal - found by eliminating all suspects except for 1.
2. The one who thanks you - found within the shipping container.