

## SUMMER CAMP

Jay Jones is a boy who lives in Helsinki, he has 15 years old, he is blonde and not so big, not so tall, and not so thing, normal. He lives in a small house with his parents and his sister who is 21. When he was little he used to play tennis but now he plays rugby.

It was summer when he went to a rugby summer camp, he was waiting for that summer camp all the year, he was going alone, without friends, a new adventure for him.

It is the 23 of July and the following day he is going to start the summer camp, he is nervous but he is also happy, he have been preparing luggage for two weeks but he still thinks that there is something left that he hadn't pack yet.

He went to sleep; he should be with energy for the following day.

Its 8:00 the clock make it's typical noise to wake up Jay, it's the day, Jay jump out of the bed like a lightning and he run to the kitchen to have a big breakfast, two eggs, three toasts a glass of milk... At ten o'clock he has to be in the railway station to take the train to Turku where the camp is.

He call her father and her mother – We have to go!, It's almost time – his father, his mother and he get into the car and the go to the railway station, when they arrive there, after some kisses and his mother saying - have a good and take care – he got into the train, nervous as it's a new experience for him. He slept all the trip to Turku, when he got there, a reviewer woke him up, if it does not happen, he stays in the train sleeping.

He got down of the train after a difficult trip, he takes his luggage and he look at the note that his mother had given to him before he take the train in Helsinki, he read –take a taxi and go to street/Castle 9 you will find the place where the camp is going to take place- he go out of the railway station and he des what his mother has said him to do.

In the path to the street Castle, he asked many questions about the city to the taxi driver who answered them with any problems.

Finally it's the moment, after paying the driver, he is there, in front of an enormous field and there he can see a big house, he thinks that it might be the place where he was going to sleep.

He walk into the field to the house, he knock the door and a man opened the door, he is smiling, but his face is a bit strange, he ask Jay-What's your name? you have arrived a bit late, all the boys and girls are in the other part of the house, on the background, give me your luggage, run! He crosses the house till the background, he starts hearing people laughing, while he was runing there he was seeing many different types of things in the house, some strange bags and enormous sofas, but, its normal, it's a camp it has to be a big place for many people; he arrived to the background he saw many people in ages between 14-17, they look at him, anyone speaks untill a girl ssay – Hey, come and join us, you might be Jay no?, you are the only one left. – He get with them and evertone introduce his/her self, Clarie, Peter, Jonh... they were doing games to know how eachone is, we continuous doing that type os games all the morning since lunch time, at three o'clock the man who was in the house call them to came in, they might be around forty boys and girls, it's a big group to live in only one hose for two weeks.

They came in and the man introduce himself – My name is Paul, I prepare all the camp for you, as you can see this is my house so please, treat it as if it were yours, now we are going to have lunch, we have lunch in the second floor, in the first floor are the living rooms for all of you, in the second floor apart from the kitchen, where you can not come in, and the tables to have lunch and dinner are the toilets, one for girls and one for boys, and in the third are the bed rooms, as you can see your luggage are not here, I have moved it to the third floor next to your beds. Now you have ten minutes until you have to go the second floor to have lunch – they all run up stairs to see where we were going to sleep. Jay enter to the room which was more near to the stairs, but his things weren't there, and the same with the second, he was going to sleep in room N:3, the rooms have four berths each one. Jay asked the names of the guys who were going to sleep with the following two weeks, Peter, Malia, Arnold, Tom... and the girl who said – came and join us- in the morning who is called Lucy.

- It's time to go down – they said, and they go down stairs to have lunch, they have a tray with two plates a dessert and a glass and while they came into the room and take one of this trays they sit down in one of the tables, Jay liked that because he will meet many people, every day eating with different people was going to be fine; Lucy sit in the same table, she doesn't know any one there as Jay, it looks like there are groups of three or four people who know each other said Lucy looking around, - yes – said Jay – But that is not a problem – Lucy smile.

They talk all the meal to each other although other people sat next to them, Lucy was 16, she was taller than Jay, she was blonde too, she was pretty for Jay, She lives in Norway but she is in this summer camp because her parents have gone on holidays near here. When they finished having lunch they take their tray to a place with a sign where it was written – let the trays here -, they go up stairs to the bedrooms to talk to the people of their bedroom , after a few minutes talking with them Paul told them to go down stairs to the living rooms, they only can be in the bedrooms to sleep or to take something from the room, and that at five o'clock they were going to start doing activities, all of them were watching TV or talking, playing table games... waiting until five o'clock any one knew what they were going to do. Jay met many people, always accompanied by Lucy, both agree on changing to a different group of people every ten minutes, it was the first they and many groups were already formed and they want to know all of them, they were associating words to the groups, sports, videogames, food...

Five o'clock, it was time to go outside and see what they were going to do, Paul was waiting them in the big field, when all of them were hearing he, he say – we are going to play a game, I am going to divide you in groups of four people and you have to look for some rugby balls that I have hide around the house and the field, you have to choose a captain in each group, he or she is going to be the only person who wears a clock because at half-past six you have to be here, you can do whatever you want but at this time you have to be here – Paul starts doing the groups, surprisingly, Lucy and Jay were in the same group with two boys older than them, they have never talk with them before, they had a bad person expression, they start talking about how were they going to do it to find the balls and the two boys say – We are not going to go looking for that

balls, that's for little children, you can go, we will stay here - Jay and Lucy looked each other face and they say - okey, we will go, we are taking the clock, have fun here - and they start walking, when they were far from the boy Lucy say - What the fuck?! They are silly?, they have come to a camp and they are not going to do the activities, and they want us to go and do it on our own?... well lets go and win this game - Lucy and Jay started running from one place to another looking for balls, thirty minutes were left and they have already found three balls but they couldn't run with them so they return back to the home and they give the balls to the two boys to keep them so they can continue searching more balls, when the time run out they have find four balls. Paul was in front of the house waiting them, when he asked who have more balls, any group have found more than three balls except from Jay's group, when the other two boys of the group saw that they have win they attribute all the merit to them, at that moment Jay and Lucy didn't know what to do, they were fascinated by how selfish a person could become.

Paul gave them some videogames for play in the living room with all their friends, after as all the people were so tired Paul let them to have a shower and relax till dinner.

When Jay and Lucy finished having a shower they went to talk to the two boys, to ask them why they had done that, they only said - Because we can - Jay and Lucy agree that they have act like if they were silly, however they spend the time that was left until dinner playing videogames.

After having dinner all of them were so tired, so they slept at the moment they lay on the bed.

Second day! Jay have a lot of energy, when he woke up he weak up Lucy, and five minutes after some music starts playing around the house, and people start waking up with the music, Jay and Lucy started dancing and most of the people followed them, they go down stairs laughing and dancing to have breakfast, winning the game yesterday and now being the first to dance, Jay and Lucy were becoming the best known of the house, they ate a delicious breakfast and they rest on the sofa talking and meeting new people, surprisingly there were people from many different countries of the world, Jake was from Holand, Lea from France... the start making a good group of friends in the house, all was fine.

In the middle of the morning Paul called them to play a rugby match with the balls that they have found the day before, Jay love this plan because he loves rugby so they spent all the morning playing rugby, Jay have fun because he play very good and he beat all but sometimes he let himself be won so that others also enjoyed the pleasure of winning, its lunch time and they were so hungry so before having a shower they had lunch the dining room smelled like adolescent hormones battered in mud, Jay realized that all the people who was them like doing sports, running and things like that because if it were not so they would not have fun doing the activities, after filling your belly eating and a good shower you spent the afternoon playing relaxed games, riddles, board games ...

The story will continue

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