

CASE # 11

TOP SECRET



**OFFICIAL RANCH SECURITY CASE FILE:
Lost in the Dark UnCharmed Forest**

THIS FILE BELONGS TO: _____



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Plot Report Form

For use by official Ranch Security Deputies for
Lost in the Dark Uncharted Forest *Podcast Episode 1*

Plot: A plot is simply the events that happen in a story. The author puts different events in an order based on the plot. A plot is made of different parts and events. Understanding a character and what he or she does is easier when we understand the plot and its different parts.

Write 2 events that happened in each part of Episode.

Beginning
(AKA: Rising
Action)

Middle
(AKA: Conflict/
Problem)

Middle
(AKA: Climax/
Turning Point)

End
(AKA: Resolution)



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Mystery Plot Diagram

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Use this mystery diagram to map out Lost in the Dark Uncharted Forest. After each podcast episode, you can work to add to the diagram.

Characters

Detective: _____

Sidekick: _____

Suspects: _____

Clues

These are the events that are part of the rising action.

Setting

Problem

The problem is the crime or mystery to be solved.

Red Herrings

Misleading clues (they are meant to throw the reader off)

Solution



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Character Record Form

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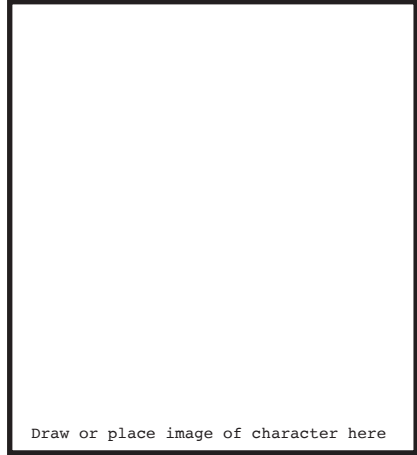
Character Name: _____

Species: _____

Gender: _____

Height: _____ Weight: _____

Color: _____ Age: _____



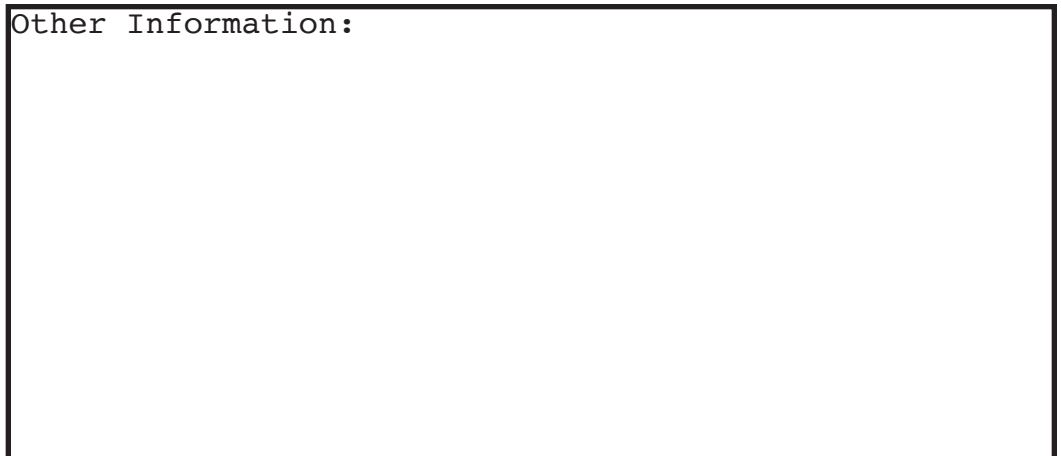
Draw or place image of character here

Character Traits - adjectives that describe the character.

INTERNAL Character Traits	Evidence from Podcast
Trait #1	
Trait #2	
Trait #3	
Trait #4	



TRACKS/FOOTPRINTS



Other Information:

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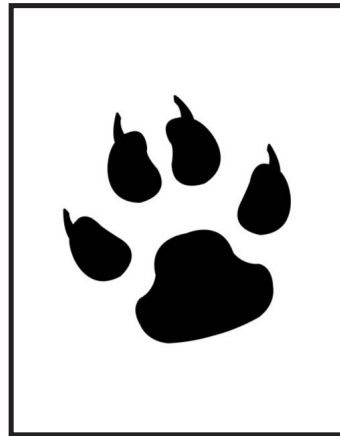
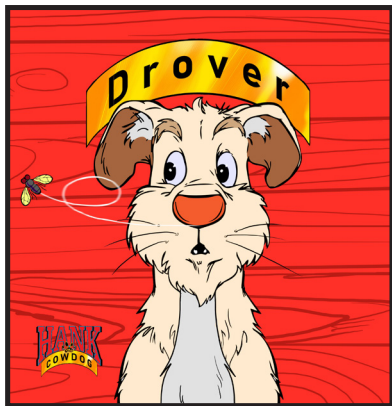
Character Record Photos and Tracks

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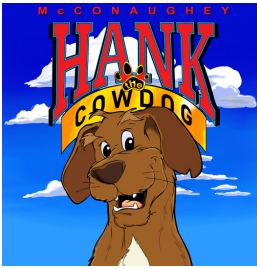
Drover



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Track Analysis

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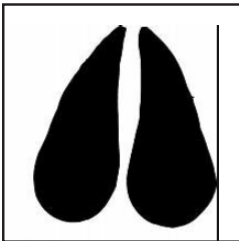


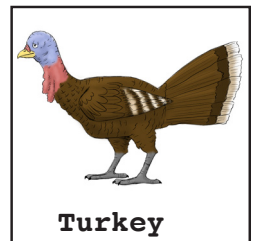
On the ranch, you might not see many wild animals, but you can see the tracks they leave behind. To be a good Ranch Security Deputy, you need to be able to look for tracks and identify what animals left them. Mammals in the dog and cat families walk on four toes. You can see claws in dog's prints, but not in cats. Bears, raccoons, and rodents walk on five toes. Some animals have human-like hands, and other have hooves.

Can you guess which animal left which tracks?

Write the name fo the animal next to its tracks.

1.





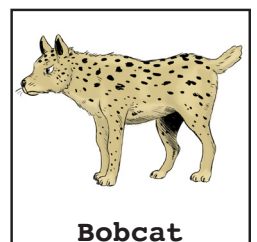
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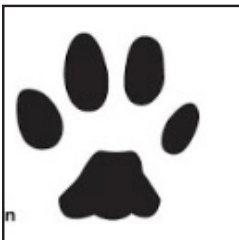


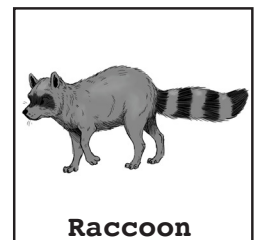
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4.





5.

