MIKE & RILEY

“Mike & Riley & So Totally Not Drama”

Episode # 102

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MAIN CAST

RILEY THELER
MIKE WILSON
CADEN VANDERBILT
ASHLYNNE HARRISON
ALEX RYAN
DESIREE WATSON

SUPPORTING CAST

MARGE
GARRY
EVA BAXTON
MR. WONDER

SET LOCATIONS

INT. MIKE & RILEY’S ROOM
INT. LIVING ROOM
INT. WACKRONALDS
INT. SCHOOL HALLWAY
INT. SO TOTALLY NOT DRAMA SET
INT. EVA BAXTON’S DRESSING ROOM
EXT. THE PARK
COLD OPEN.

INT. WEST COAST HIGH SCHOOL - HALLWAY - DAY 1 (DAY)
(Riley, Mike, Caden, Ashlynne, Alex, Desiree, Extras)

MIKE, DESIREE, ALEX, ASHLYNNE, AND CADEN STAND AT THE LOCKERS.

MIKE
Did we have Algebra homework?

DESIREE
No duh, butt-munch.

MIKE
I wasn’t asking you, Raggedy Ass.

DESIREE GASPS. MIKE AND DESIREE START SCREAMING AT EACH OTHER. ALEX GRABS THEIR EARS UNTIL THEY STOP. SHE LETS GO.

ALEX
Thank you! Both of you seriously need to get it together and stop fighting. No joke or I am killing myself.

CADEN
Alex. You apologize to suicidal people right now.

ALEX
Oh God, Cade. It was just an expression.

RILEY RUNS IN.

RILEY
Guys, guess what!

ALEX
And here comes happy feet.

RILEY
Something amazing just happened to me.
ASHLYNNE
Well, tell us.

RILEY
Okay. So, you remember when I was on that show “So Totally Not Drama”?

ASHLYNNE
Yes, you remind us every day.

RILEY
Thanks, Ash. Anyway, they want me to come back for a six-episode arc!

ADLIB “CONGRADULATIONS”, “WOW”, “THAT’S AMAZING”.

MIKE
So, what’s it about?

RILEY
My character Jackson Clark comes back to the prep-school and the main character Lana falls in love with him.

CADEN
Is Barry Tino going to come back too?

RILEY
God, I hope not. Oh by the way, there were two spots for extras open, so I got them for Ash and Cade!

ASHLYNNE/CADEN
Really?

RILEY NODS.

ALEX
Hey, why don’t we get to be extras?

RILEY
Al, come here for a second.

RILEY AND ALEX STEP OFF TO THE SIDE.
RILEY
Listen, I didn’t get anymore-extra slots for extras because I’m trying to get Mike and Dez to bond with each other a bit more.

ALEX
Well, what about me?

RILEY
They need someone else to make sure they don’t kill each other. And if I put Ash and Cade in charge, they would just start crying.

ALEX
Fine, but I better get something out of this.

THEY CROSS BACK OVER TO THE OTHERS.

RILEY
All right, Ashlynne, Caden, if you will accompany me to home room, I will fill you in on the information.

ASHLYNNE
All right.

CADEN
Cool.

RILEY, ASHLYNNE, AND CADEN EXIT.

DESIREE
Great. Now, I have to spend time with you.

MIKE
Or you could jump off a cliff.

ALEX
Okay! None of this crap. If I have to spend this week you guys, then there are going to be some rules. Rule 1: if you start fighting I will kick you in the penis and or vagina. Rule 2: Shut up or I’ll kill you.
ALEX EXITS.

MIKE
Well, I’m going to die this week.

DESIREE
Not if I die first.

MIKE
Always trying to start an argument.

DESIREE
Shut up, hoe bag.

DESIREE EXITS.

MIKE
Excuse me!?

MIKE EXITS.

AND WE...

FADE OUT.

END OF COLD OPEN.
ACT ONE.

INT. FILMING LOT – SO TOTALLY NOT DRAMA SET – DAY 2 (DAY)
(Riley, Caden, Ashlynne, Garry, Eva Baxton, Extras)

Scene A

RILEY, ASHLYNNE, CADEN ENTER. ASHLYNNE AND CADER ARE AMAZED BY THE SET.

CADEN
Holy frickin’ balls.

ASHLYNNE
This is amazing.

RILEY
I know, right? Well, I have to get to the hair and make-up department, but you guys stay here and check out the set.

RILEY EXITS.

CADEN
Did you read Riley’s script like you said you would?

ASHLYNNE
Yeah. It was super cheesy while also being super dramatic. Just like you would expect this show to be.

EVA BAXTON ENTERS.

EVA BAXTON
Oh, hi, who are you guys?

ASHLYNNE
We’re some extras in this scene.

EVA BAXTON
Well, I haven’t seen you before, so you guys must be the extras Riley brought. I hope you guys have a nice day.
EVA BAXTON WALKS OFF.

Caden
Who was that?

Ashlynne
Eva Baxton. She plays Lana.

Caden Shakes His Head No.

Ashlynne
You know, Eva Baxton, she won an Emmy for her performance on the show.

Caden Shakes His Head No.

Ashlynne
Oh, whatever.

Caden
What’s an Emmy?

Ashlynne Shakes Her Head No. **GARRY WALKS UP.**

Garry
Hi, you must be Caden and Ashlynne.

Ashlynne
Yes.

Caden
Those are our names.

Garry Motions Them Over to a Table.

Garry
Okay. I’m going to need you two to stand back here and just pretend like you’re two fun-loving teens just hanging out.

Caden
Totally mocha, bro.
ASHLYNNE
What?

GARRY
Please pretend like you know what you’re doing.

GARRY WALKS BACK BEHIND THE CAMERA.

GARRY
Eva, you ready?

EVA
Yes.

GARRY
Okay, and ACTION!

THE SCENE STARTS.

EVA (LANA)
I can’t believe it. Jack is really back.

RILEY (O.S./JACK)
That’s right.

RILEY IS SUDDENLY THERE.

RILEY (JACK/CONT’D)
And I’m here for you, baby.

“JACK” TAKES “LANA” IN HIS ARMS. THEY LEAN IN TO KISS. CADEN STARTS TO LAUGH.

GARRY
CUT! What was that?

CADEN
I’m sorry. It was so cheesy.

CADEN STARTS TO LAUGH REALLY HARD.

Cuts to:
INT. WACKRALD'S - MAIN AREA - DAY 2 (DAY)  
(Mike, Alex, Desiree, Marge, Extras)  

Scene B  

MARGE IS SITTING AT A TABLE. **ALEX ENTERS.**  

**ALEX**  
Hey, Marge.  

**MARGE**  
Hi, sweetie.  

**ALEX SETS HER STUFF AT THE TABLE.** **MIKE AND DESIREE ENTER.** THEY ARE BOTH HOLDING BINDERS WITH HOMEWORK.  

**MIKE**  
Oh my God! You can’t factor that.  

**DESIREE**  
Oh my God! You can too.  

**MARGE AND ALEX EXCHANGE A LOOK.**  

**MARGE**  
You babysitting?  

**ALEX**  
Yep.  

**MIKE AND DESIREE SIT DOWN AT THE TABLE.**  

**DESIREE**  
I’ll get out my calculator right now and prove it to you.  

**MIKE**  
(Sarcastic) You do that.  

**DESIREE DIGS OUT HER CALCULATOR FROM HER BAG. SHE PUTS THE EQUATION IN THE CALCULATOR. SHE SHOWS IT TO MIKE.**  

Ha!
MIKE
Well, like I said earlier, please feel free to eat some trash.

DESIREE GIVES MIKE A LOOK.

MARGE
Okay I can’t take this.

MARGE EXITS.

ALEX
Okay obviously you two are going nowhere fast so let’s see if we can change that. I’m going to help you two bond.

DESIREE/MIKE
Bond?

ALEX
Yes. All of your friends want you two to become friends so that it’s not super awkward when we hang out.

MIKE
It’s not super awkward when we hang out.

ALEX GIVES HIM A LOOK.

MIKE
Maybe a little.

ALEX
All right. So, first off, why don’t we start off with doing things the other likes. And before you ask, Mike, no, having sex with you is not allowed to be one.

MIKE
Well, shit.

DESIREE
I have an activity.
ALEX
Okay, Dez. What is it?

DESIRÉE
Well on days like these I like to go and swing at the park.

MIKE LOOKS LIKE HE'S ANNOYED.

MIKE
Ugh.

ALEX
Don’t worry, Mike. We’ll do something that you want to do too.

MIKE RAISES HIS HAND.

ALEX
No, threesomes do not count either.

MIKE LOWERS HIS HAND.

Cuts to:

INT. WACKRONALDS – MAIN AREA – LATER – DAY 2 (DAY)
(Riley, Caden, Ashlynne, Marge, Eva Baxton, Extras)

Scene C

RILEY, CADEN, ASHLYNNE, AND EVA BAXTON ENTER. MARGE POPS OUT FROM AROUND THE CORNER MAKES SURE IT’S NOT MIKE AND DESIRÉE. SHE WALKS OUT. THEY ALL SIT AT A TABLE.

MARGE
You brought an Emmy winner here and you didn’t even warn me?

EVA BAXTON
Don’t worry. You look great.

MARGE
Thank you.
Where’s the ladies’ room?

It’s down the hallway on the right.

How do you know where the women’s restroom is?

(Sarcastic) Well, it’s not like I see it every time I got to the men’s restroom.

How’s your first day been?

Pretty good. Caden already got fired.

That director guy was rude.

Oh, he was rude? I hadn’t noticed that, Sir Laugh My Ass Off.

It was funny, okay!?

What are you going to do this week?

Well, I’ll probably have to go back to the hellhole.
MARGE
Hellhole?

RILEY
It’s the code word for school.

MARGE NODS.

ASHLYNNE
Well, Eva seems really nice.

RILEY
Oh yeah. But she is a slut.

CADEN
Really?

RILEY
But don’t tell her I said that ‘cause I don’t want to get fired.

CADEN
It’s not that bad.

RILEY
Cade, don’t take this offensively, but if I ever make one of the poor life decisions that you have made, please punch me in the face repeatedly until my brain forms back together.

CADEN
Your brain can’t form back once it’s melted.

RILEY
You would die if your brain melted!

CADEN
Uh, no duh.

RILEY FACE-PALMS.

MARGE
You two are even worse than Mike and Dez.
Caden gasps.

Riley
That was rude.

Ashlynne
But kind of true.

Riley
Shut up.

Eva Baxton re-enters.

Eva Baxton
That’s a lovely bathroom. So well kept.

Marge
(Flattered) Thank you.

Caden
What are you even doing?

Eva Baxton
Huh?

Caden
Oh, sorry. I’m talking to the spider that’s crawling up Riley’s back.

Riley starts screaming girl-like. He takes off his jacket and slams it on the ground a few times. He stops, breathing heavily.

Ashlynne
Great reaction, Superman.

Riley looks embarrassed.

Cuts to:

INT. FILMING LOT – EVA BAXTON’S DRESSING ROOM – DAY 2 (DAY)
(Riley, Ashlynne, Eva Baxton)

Scene D
RILEY AND EVA BAXTON ENTER.

RILEY
Again, I’m so sorry about that whole spider thing at Wackonalds. It was super, super, really embarrassing.

EVA BAXTON
That’s all right. I think a guy who’s afraid of spiders is kind of cute.

RILEY GIGGLES.

RILEY
Well.

EVA BAXTON
Hey you did great today. Do you want to practice the scene we’re doing tomorrow?

RILEY
Sure. Doesn’t that scene contain a kiss?

EVA BAXTON GOES OVER AND SITS BY THE COUCH.

EVA BAXTON
(Seductive) Yes.

RILEY
All right.

RILEY SITS ON THE COUCH. EVA AND RILEY PULL OUT THEIR SCRIPTS AND START READING:

EVA (LANA)
Hey, what are you doing here?

RILEY (JACK)
I’m here to see you.

ASHLYNNE POPS UP IN THE WINDOW. SHE OBVIOUSLY CAN’T HEAR WHAT THEY ARE SAYING. SHE PRESSES HER EAR UP AGAINST THE WINDOW.
EVA (LANA)
I told you, Jack, I can’t be with you. It’s just not right.

RILEY (JACK)
I don’t care what’s right! I love you!

EVA (LANA)
(Gasp.) Jack.

RILEY (JACK)
Shut up.

RILEY AND EVA KISS. ASHLYNNE GAPES. SHE POINTS AT THE WINDOW REPEATEDLY AND LOOKS AROUND FOR OTHER WITNESS. SHE LOOSES HER BALANCE AND FALLS. RILEY AND EVA BREAK APART. THEY EXCHANGE A LOOK.

RILEY
God?

RILEY LOOKS UP.

AND WE...

FADE OUT.

END OF ACT ONE.
ACT TWO.

INT. FILMING LOT – EVA BAXTON’S DRESSING ROOM – DAY 2 (DAY)
(Riley, Ashlynne, Eva Baxton)

Scene E

EVA BAXTON
What do think that was?

RILEY
I have no idea.

ASHLYNNE ENTERS.

ASHLYNNE
Sorry you guys. I was just walking around outside and I fell. I fell right on the ground.

EVA BAXTON
It sounds like your dizzy. Maybe you should see a doctor?

ASHLYNNE
No, I’m good. Anyway, you guys just get back to having fun.

ASHLYNNE EXITS.

RILEY
That was weird.

Cuts to:

EXT. LOS ANGELES – CITY PARK – DAY 2 (DAY)
(Mike, Alex, Desiree, Extras)

Scene F

MIKE AND DESIREE ARE SITTING ON THE SWINGS. ALEX SITS ON A PICNIC TABLE WITH HER GUITAR.

DESIREE
See, Mike, isn’t this fun?
MIKE
F no. This is boring as crap.

ALEX
Mike. Try and enjoy it.

MIKE
Fine.

MIKE AND DESIREE CONTINUE TO SWING. DESIREE IS TRYING TO TUNE HER GUITAR. SHE STRUMS.

ALEX
Nope.

SHE TUNES IT AGAIN. SHE STRUMS.

ALEX
Oh wow. Wow that sucked.

DESIREE
Yeah, it did.

ALEX
EAT SOME TRASH, WATSON! K. Love you.

DESIREE IS CONFUSED. ALEX STRUMS AGAIN. IT STILL SUCKS.

MIKE
Ugh. This is the most boringest day ever.

DESIREE
Boringest isn’t a word.

MIKE GETS OFF OF THE SWING. HE STANDS IN FRONT OF DESIREE’S SWING, BUT SHE’S NOT SWINGING HIGH ENOUGH TO HURT HIM.

MIKE
This freakin’ sucks.

DESIREE SWINGS HIGH. SHE PICKS MIKE INTO THE SAND PIT.

MIKE
Ow.
ALEX
(Still tuning) You okay?

MIKE (O.S.)
Yes.

ALEX
(Still tuning) Kay. Walk it off.

MIKE GETS UP OUT OF THE SAND PIT. DESIREE GETS OFF THE SWING.

MIKE
Alex, can I murder her?

ALEX
Do whatever you want. I’m trying to get my guitar to tune, so just shut up and work this out yourselves!

ALEX CONTINUES TO TUNE HER GUITAR.

DESIREE
Someone’s bitchy.

ALEX SETS HER GUITAR DOWN.

ALEX
You want me to do something about it? Fine. Let’s play a game.

EXT. LOS ANGLES - CITY PARK - DAY 2 (DAY)
(Mike, Alex, Desiree, Extras)

Scene G

MIKE, DESIREE, AND ALEX ARE ON THE PLAY PALACE. THEY STAND FACING THE MONKEY BARS.

ALEX
Okay. So, whoever can get across the monkey bars first gets one friendship point.
DESIREE
You’re going down, Wilson.

MIKE
Try and get me, hoe bag.

THEY SHAKE HANDS. THEY PREPARE FOR THE MONKEY BARS. ALEX PUTS THREE FINGERS IN BETWEEN THEM.

ALEX
On 3. 1,2,3!

THEY JUMP onto THE MONKEY BARS. THEY BEGIN TO CLIMB ACROSS. DESIREE IS BEATING MIKE. HE KICKS HER AND SHE FALLS OFF.

ALEX
Mike!

DESIREE POPS UP.

DESIREE
Don’t worry, Alex. I’m the fair player.

DEISREE GRABS MIKE’S PANTS AND PULLS THEM DOWN. MIKE SCREAMS. DESIREE MOVES. MIKE FALLS OFF.

ALEX
Well. That was fun.

Cuts to:

INT. RILEY’S HOUSE – LIVING ROOM – DAY 2 (NIGHT)
(Riley, Mike, Caden, Ashlynne, Alex, Desiree)

Scene H

ALEX, DESIRRE, AND CADEN SIT ON THE COUCH. MIKE SITS ON THE CHAIR. RILEY AND ASHLYNNE ENTER.

ADLIB HELLOS.

CADEN
How was set?
RILEY
Pretty good. Hey, I’m going upstairs to change real quick.

ASHLYNNE
Kay.

RILEY WALKS UPSTAIRS.

ASHLYNNE
Oh my God!

ALEX
What?

ASHLYNNE POINTS TO THE STAIRS.

ASHLYNNE
He kissed slut girl!

MIKE
You mean slut boy kissed slut girl? Maybe they’ll get married and become the greatest superhero team to ever walk the earth!

ASHLYNNE
I’m being serious!

ASHLYNNE FLOPS DOWN ON THE COUCH.

DESIREE
Okay. But who is slut girl?

ASHLYNNE
Eva Baxton! She plays Lana. Riley told us she was a slut and then he goes up sticking his tongue in her mouth!

MIKE
Gross.

RILEY RE-ENTERS FROM THE STAIRS. HE SITS ON THE OTHER CHAIR. THE ROOM IS AWKWARDLY QUIET.
So, we heard you had an interesting day at work.

Not really.

So, you didn’t you know, become intimate with a woman?

I gave Ashlynne a hug.

CADEN IS UPSET THAT HE CAN’T GET RILEY TO SAY ANYTHING.

So, I heard lots of people at the park got to see Mike’s Cookie Monster underwear.

THEY ALL LAUGH.

Ha. Ha. YOU ALL EAT TRASH!

MIKE EXITS.

Somebody’s pissy.

MIKE (O.S.)
Go crap on the sidewalk!

Cuts to:

INT. RILEY’S HOUSE – MIKE AND RILEY’S ROOM – DAY 2 (NIGHT)
(Riley, Mike)

MIKE SITS ON HIS BED DOING HOMEWORK. RILEY ENTERS.
RILEY
What are you doing?

MIKE
We have to write a paper about something we hate in English.

RILEY LOOKS AT MIKE’S COMPUTER.

RILEY
“Reasons why I hate Desiree Watson”. Mike!

What?

MIKE
Are you serious? You’re going to get a bad grade and come on, you don’t like Desiree even a little bit?

RILEY
No! She made me lose my dignity.

MIKE
I’m pretty sure you did that to yourself when you decided to wear Cookie Monster underpants.

RILEY
I only wore them because they’re comfy!

MIKE
Fuzzy pinks socks are comfy. Do you think I’m going to wear those?

RILEY
No… But she still kicked me into a sandpit.

MIKE
Did you provoke her to do that?

RILEY
Yes...

RILEY SITS ON HIS BED.
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RILEY
You guys don’t have anything in common?

MIKE
We’re both competitive.

RILEY
See? Now, all you’ve got to do is find something that you guys can both compete in together.

MIKE THINKS.

Cuts to:

INT. LOS ANGLES - CITY PARK - DAY 3 (DAY)
(Mike, Alex, Desiree, Extras)

Scene J

MIKE AND DESIREE HAVE TWO OF THEIR LEGS TIED TOGETHER WAITING FOR THE THREE-LEGGED RACE. THERE ARE SOME OTHERS. ALEX STANDS BEHIND THEM.

DESIREE
Oh. My. God.

ALEX
This is amazing.

ALEX PULLS OUT HER PHONE AND TAKES A PICTURE.

Cuts to:

INT. FILMING LOT - SO TOTALLY NOT DRAMA SET - DAY 3 (DAY)
(Riley, Ashlynne, Eva Baxton, Garry, Mr. Wonder, Extras)

Scene K

RILEY AND EVA STAND ON THE SET. ASHLYNNE STANDS NERVOUSLY IN THE BACKGROUND. GARRY AND MR. WONDER STAND BEHIND THE CAMERA.

GARRY
Mr. Wonder, I think you’re going to like this episode.
MR. WONDER
Shut up Garry. I’m only here because of the kid.

GARRY
Eva?

MR. WONDER
No. Riley. The company says he’s amazing and they sent me here to check him out.

GARRY
Oh. Oh God. Okay, um everyone ready?

THE ACTORS NOD.

GARRY
And ACTION!

THE SCENE STARTS.

EVA (LANA)
Hey, what are you doing here?

RILEY (JACK)
I’m here to see you.

EVA (LANA)
I told you, Jack, I can’t be with you. It’s just not right.

RILEY (JACK)
I don’t care what’s right! I love you!

EVA (LANA)
(Gasp.) Jack.

RILEY (JACK)
Shut up.

RILEY AND EVA LEAN IN TO KISS. ASHLYNNE QUICKLY RUSHES UP TO THEM AND “ACCIDENTALLY” SPILLS HER SMOOTHIE ALL OVER THEM.
GARRY

Cut!

EVA AND RILEY BACK AWAY FROM EACH OTHER. PEOPLE RUN UP AND START TO CLEAN THEM UP.

GARRY
Ashlynne, can you come here?

ASHLYNNE WALKS OVER TO GARRY.

GARRY
What did you do that for?

ASHLYNNE
Well, I just thought that it was something my character would do because I thought she maybe was in love with Jack as well.

GARRY
Ashlynne, sweetie, don’t take this offensively but you’re an extra, you’re not playing a character!

ASHLYNNE
I’m sorry. Look, maybe I really shouldn’t be in this scene.

GARRY
All right. Go and sit or something, but be quiet. A big executive is here for Riley.

ASHLYNNE IS SHOCKED.

ASHLYNNE
What?

GARRY
Yeah. No more smoothies.

GARRY WALKS PAST ASHLYNNE BACK TO MR. WONDER. SHE GAPES. SHE RUNS OVER TO RILEY WHO IS NOW FRESHLY CHANGED.
ASHLYNNE
Guess what!?

RILEY
You poured a smoothie on me?

ASHLYNNE
Yes, but no. There’s a big executive here to watch you.

RILEY
(Shocked) What?

ASHLYNNE
Yeah, but don’t get nervous.

RILEY
(Sarcastic) Oh thanks for the advice.

RILEY WALKS PAST ASHLYNNE. THEY ONCE AGAIN GET READY FOR THE SCENE. SHE GIVES HIM A THUMBS UP, AS THEY’RE ABOUT TO START.

GARRY
Okay... and ACTION!

THE SCENE STARTS.

EVA (LANA)
Hey, what are you doing here?

RILEY (JACK)
I’m here to see you.

EVA (LANA)
I told you, Jack. I can’t be with you, it’s just not right.

RILEY (JACK)
I don’t care what’s right! I love you!

EVA (LANA)
(Gasp.) Jack.
RILEY (JACK)
Shut up.

RILEY AND EVA KISS. ASHLYNNE STARTS TO CLAP VERY LOUDLY.

GARRY
Cut!

GARRY GIVES ASHLYNNNE AN “ARE YOU SERIOUS” LOOK.

ASHLYNNE

ASHLYNNE EXITS.

Cuts to:

INT. LOS ANGLES – CITY PARK – DAY 3 (DAY)
(Mike, Caden, Desiree, Alex, Extras)

Scene L

MIKE AND DESIREE ARE WAITING FOR THE SECOND RACE. ALEX AND CADEN SIT OVER AT A TABLE.

CADEN
Thanks for telling me about this.

ALEX
Oh totally. I wish you had been here during the first race. Desiree bit an old lady.

CADEN
What!?

ALEX
Yeah. Check out this picture.

ALEX PULLS OUT HER PHONE AND SHOWS IT TO CADEN.

CADEN
Nice.
ALEX NODS AS SHE PUTS HER PHONE BACK IN HER POCKET. WE GO TO MIKE AND DESIREE.

MIKE
Okay. We can do this, but no more biting people. You almost got us disqualified.

DESIREE
Hey, you wanna play the game, you gotta be able to take the pain.

MIKE
All right. What’s our motto?

DESIREE
Kick ‘em right in the ass!

MIKE
That’s right!

MIKE AND DESIREE HIGH-FIVE. ALEX AND CADEN WALK OVER.

ALEX
We just wanted to wish you luck.

DESIREE
We don’t need luck!

CADEN
All right. Holy crap, Macho Man.

ALEX
No luck for you!

ALEX POINTS AT THEM AS SHE AND CADEN WALK AWAY.

VOICE (O.S.)
The second three-legged race is about to begin.

MIKE
Okay, Dez, we have to be ruthless. There will be no niceness, we shall kick some absolute ass.
DESIREE

Yes, we shall!

MIKE AND DESIREE HIGH-FIVE AGAIN. THEY GO TO THE STARTING LINE.

ALEX

Boo! You suck!

THEY LOOK AT HER.

VOICE (O.S.)

On 3. 1,2,3!

SLOW MOTION:

MIKE AND DESIREE AND START THE RACE. THERE ARE TWO OTHER TEAMS. ONE TEAM STARTS TO COME UP BESIDE THEM. MIKE PUSHES THEM OVER. THEY FALL INTO A PIT OF MUD. DESIREE THROWS HER ARM BACK AND CAUSES THE OTHER COUPLE TO FALL OVER. MIKE AND DESIREE CROSS THE FINISH LINE.

REGULAR PACE:

MIKE

We did it!

DESIREE

Yes! YES!

CADEN RUNS OVER.

CADEN

Hey! Those big fat poop heads cheated.

DESIREE

Who are you calling a poop head?!

CADEN

You, you idiot!

DESIREE GASPS.
MIKE
You can’t call her an idiot!

ALEX RUNS OVER.

ALEX
He just did!

MIKE GRABS CADEN’S LEG.

ALEX
Get off him, you big fat whale!

THEY ALL START TO FIGHT ON THE GROUND. THEY GET INTO THE MUD. THEY START THROWING AT EACH OTHER. ALEX TACKLES MIKE CAUSING DESIREE TO FALL AS WELL.

CADEN
Ha, ha! You guys suck!

CADEN GETS PULLED INTO THE MUD.

AND WE...

FADE OUT.

END OF ACT TWO.
ACT THREE.

INT. RILEY’S HOUSE – LIVING ROOM – DAY 3 (DAY)
(Riley, Mike, Caden, Ashlynne, Alex, Desiree)

Scene M

MIKE, DESIREE, ALEX, AND CADEN ARE SITTING WITH ICE PACKS ALL OVER THEIR BODIES. RILEY AND ASHLYNNE ENTER. THEY EXCHANGE A LOOK.

RILEY
We missed something good.

ASHLYNNE NODS. RILEY SITS ON THE CHAIR. ASHLYNNE SITS ON THE COUCH.

ASHLYNNE
So, what happened?

MIKE
We won!

ALEX
You cheated!

MIKE, DESIREE, ALEX, AND CADEN START TO BICKER. ASHLYNNE LOOKS AT RILEY.

RILEY
(Over bickering) Hey. Hey!

RILEY GETS UP AND STANDS ON THE COFFEE TABLE.

RILEY
SHUT THE HELL UP!

THEY ALL QUIET.

RILEY
Thank you.

ASHLYNNE
Now, tell us what happened. Calmly.
Mike and I entered a three-legged race competition and we won.

CADEN
She means they cheated!

ALEX
Yeah, yeah. And then they said not to wish them luck because they didn’t need it!

MIKE
We didn’t need it! We won!

ALEX/CADEN
You cheated!

RILEY
Okay. So, how did they cheat?

ALEX
They pushed the other couples into the mud.

RILEY AND ASHLYNNE GAPE AT THEM.

MIKE
I’m sorry for being competitive!

ASHLYNNE
Well, did you guys at least bond?

DESIREE
Actually... we did.

MIKE
Yeah, I guess we did. We even came up with our own motto.

DESIREE

SFX: RILEY’S PHONE RINGS.
RILEY
I have to take this.

RILEY ANSWERS THE PHONE.

RILEY
Hello.

RILEY EXITS.

ASHLYNNE
So, I fired myself today.

CADEN
It’s a great life, isn’t it?

ASHLYNNE
Oh yeah.

DESIREE
Hey, Mike, so there’s a 5-k marathon this weekend and if you want to participate, you have a partner. So, do you want to be my partner?

MIKE
Yeah, it sounds fun.

CADEN
Yeah, have fun cheating together.

ASHLYNNE
Caden. Drop it.

ALEX
Don’t tell him what to do.

RILEY RE-ENTERs.

MIKE
Did you have a nice chat with grandmommy?

RILEY
No. That was a network executive.
ASHLYNNE
And?

RILEY
They want me to star in their new pilot.

ALL OF THEM JUMP UP.

ASHLYNNE
That’s so amazing!

DESIREE
Congratulations!

CADEN
What the heck is a pilot?

RILEY
I’m going to be in a new TV show, Cade.

CADEN
Oh. Congratulations!

MIKE
So, what’s it about?

RILEY
It’s about a teenage superhero that has to live in the real world while also dealing with super villains and his love interest.

CADEN
That sounds cool.

DESIREE
So, when do you start?

RILEY
Pretty soon. They’re just trying to finish the pilot script for right now.

MIKE
My cousin’s going to be a star!
INT. WACKRONALDS – MAIN AREA – DAY 3 (DAY)
(Riley, Mike, Caden, Ashlynne, Alex, Desiree, Marge, Extras)

THEY ALL SIT AT THE TABLE. THEY ARE EATING.

RILEY
Hey, Dez, can you pass me the ketchup?

DESIREE
Sure.

DESIREE HANDS RILEY THE KETCHUP.

MIKE
You know what I just realized?

DESIREE
What?

MIKE
I am the only one without I nickname. I mean (points to Riley) Riles, (points to Desiree) Dez, (points to Ashlynne) Ash, (points to Caden) Cade, (points to Alex) Al.

RILEY
Well, we can come up with one for you.

MARGE
Oh I got one.

MIKE
What?

MARGE
Flitterwit!

MIKE
You might as well call me Tinker Bell.
RILEY
We could call you Mickel Pickle like I used to in the third grade.

MIKE
Ugh. Third grade.

ALEX
Let’s call him The Pianist.

ASHLYNNE
No, no. McWilly. You know like Mike Wilson.

MIKE
So original.

DESIREE
How about Michael? You know because Mike is a nickname from Michael.

MARGE
Tinker Bell is starting to sound better and better.

RILEY
Yeah.

MIKE
Oh God. I never should have asked.

AND WE...

FADE OUT.

END OF SHOW.