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Scene Investigator File

Scenario - You're part of a special team of **Scene Investigators**. Your job? Examine short passages and determine the hidden details: **Who is involved? What's happening? Where is it taking place? When is it happening?** The answers aren't directly stated-you'll have to **infer** them from the clues provided.



Scene 1: "The Crash" - A loud bang echoed through the quiet room. Glass scattered across the floor as two figures scrambled to their feet. "You were supposed to hold the ladder!" shouted one voice. A flashlight rolled into the corner, flickering as it stopped.

Inference Questions:

- **Who** are the two people likely to be?
- **What** just happened?
- **Where** is this scene likely taking place?
- **When** might this be happening (time of day or context)?

Scene 2: "The Surprise" - A chorus of "Shhh!" filled the air just before the doorknob turned. The lights were off. The smell of cake frosting drifted in the room. When the door opened, the crowd erupted with cheers and laughter. Balloons bounced off the ceiling.

Inference Questions:

- **Who** was everyone waiting for?
- **What** is happening in this scene?
- **Where** is this likely taking place?
- **When** is this scene most likely happening?