

Wizard

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“11 times seven is what, class?” “Seventy-seven!” we answered. School was almost out. “C’mon, c’mon!” “Five more minutes!” I thought. I wondered if I could survive that long. Jim looked at me from across the room. I’m sure he was thinking the same thing. Jim is my best friend. Last year, we went fishing with my dad at lake Mata Nui. It was so much fun. He caught an electrofish. I caught a piranha Nui. It is like a piranha, but it hatches its babies in its lungs.

Any way, we were in math class when the bell rang. Drrring! it sounded. Suddenly, there was a sound like a herd of elephants as everyone rushed to the door jabbering about the latest news from the dragon hunters. I think that dragons shouldn’t be hunted. All my life, I’ve wanted a dragon.

Later, I was riding my hover scooter back to my house on the hill, when I spotted a egg. It had blue spots on it. I put it in my hydro coat pocket and kept riding. When I got home, I did my homework, played my video games, and invited Jim over. I told him about the egg, and how I didn’t know what it was. I wondered if it was a dragon, but I didn’t tell Jim that.

Last night, THE DRAGON EGG HATCHED!!!!!!! He was glowing dark, dark, purple. He even sniffed out a little smoke! He flapped in the air and hovered a little. I wonder if dad will let me keep him.

Yesterday ,Dad let me keep him! I named the dragon Tokoga, which means brave one. He stood up to the cat! (Dragons are tiny when they are young.)

You know what's weird? He spoke to me! He told me that Kronos was loose again. I didn't know who the heck Kronos was so I asked, "Who's Kronos?" He said, "Kronos is a villain hated by all dragon kind. He is on a quest to destroy the world and turn people into monsters. Together we can destroy him." "Well how are we gonna do that?" I asked." By traveling to the far off land of Gresh" was his answer. I was speechless. I didn't know how in the world we would get to Gresh!

My little dragon is super smart. He can recite all of the elements in the periodic table! I didn't think dragons take science class. Imagine how freaked out our teacher, Mrs. Rees, would be if she found a bunch of dragons instead of us!

Tomorrow is the day that we go to Gresh. I hope I don't die! Dad taught me a little magic. He taught me basic spells like an attack spell [Avada Kedabra] and a shielding spell. Also a disarming spell [Expelliarmus]. A spell to protect from dementors [Expecto Petronum], a stun spell [Stupefy], and some other spells [Riddikulus, Wingardium leviosa, Imobilus, Lumos] and he gave me a knife-pen. He told me that when he was

my age, he went to the Hogwarts school of Witchcraft and Wizardry. Maybe someday I will be a great wizard!

We just arrived at Gresh. I have not seen the castle yet, although I did see two guards standing in the entryway. They both had shotguns. One shot and killed a bird with precise aim. They looked pretty menacing and ugly. They were green, with three eyes and horns. They looked like they were made of goo. You know those guards with the axes from Star Wars? The guys that guard Jabba the Hutt's Palace? The gamorrian guards. That's what they looked like. So, we got to the palace and then BOOM! There goes the spaceship.

So now we are stranded on some strange, wild planet.

When we got to the gate, the guards demanded, "Who goes there?" with loud, booming voices. I replied by knocking them over with a stun spell (STUPEFY). "They'll be out for a while" said my dad. We walked toward a drawbridge covering a pit full of lava and poisonous snakes. They were enchanted so they could survive. Without any warning, the doors opened. They were so tall and beautiful. I could see gunmen up in the towers. Dad shot a plume of blue smoke at them and they instantly fell asleep. We entered the castle. There

was a large, dark hallway that we had to walk down. “LUMOS.” I said, and my wand lit up. Bones littered the floor, and there were very, very creepy things that Kronos had killed. At the end stood a pair of doors. Little did we know that those led to Kronos’s chambers. Tokoga knew, so he led us down a different hallway. He said, “This is a secret passageway that leads to Kronos’s chambers. Take this way.” I got my wand ready. But he said, “We won’t fight him today, we will fight him on our next visit.” I replied, “We’re going to visit again?” “Yes. We need to get to know this land well. He could attack us anywhere.”

I agreed with my dragon. Over the past few weeks he had grown to be big enough to ride. He would be a big advantage. We traveled down a passageway that led to a balcony overlooking Kronos’s chambers. Inside there was a throne made of bones with a evil-looking monster on it. In front of him was a soulless, tattered-robed killer that I recognized as a dementor. “Jukio flahis ore bvores awghins dfter verrt nikimbi” said Kronos to his dementor. Kronos was not a man but half skeleton half monster. He spoke in a weird language that no one but me could understand. He said, translated by me, Owen, “Make it rain. I want plagues to come onto the people of Gresh”

Then, there was a thrumming like a machine pounding on the roof. I couldn't believe it. He made it rain stones!! I didn't know dementors could do anything but suck out your happy memories! That's weird. "Saak na bah Ni WA no" said Kronos. The dementor left. A minute later, he returned with a platter of food. Kronos ate gleefully. After that, he said, "Inn shina wahwni nehaba shicubi." It translated, "Search the castle. I feel a disturbance." I said, "Let's get out of here." Everyone agreed with me. We didn't want to be caught eavesdropping. They would surely kill us if they knew who we were. We turned and then, "yauncjfhga wtannyutyanu!!" "Intruders!!" They found us.

I whipped out my wand and bellowed, "EXPECTO PETRONUM!!!!!!!!!!!!!!" My patronus chased the dementors away. Now to deal with the monsters. "EXPELLIARMUS!" I bellowed. Their weapons flew up in the air. "WINGARDIM LEVIOSIA!!!!" they flew up into the air with their weapons. "AVADA KEDABRA!!!" They all instantly fell limp and died. We dashed out of the room. Around a corner, through a chamber, down the hallway with the creepy skeletons, and out the giant doors. We ran way into the forbidden forest and stayed there. We made a shelter there. We made it out of sticks, palm leaves and anything else we could find. We thought that we should make at least crude weapons. Like a spear out of a stick and

sharpen it to a point in case our base gets invaded. (That wouldn't stand a chance against dementors though. One of the only things that can repel them is a patronus spell.) But those sticks could come in handy against monsters.

Tokoga said that we should explore the whole land of Gresh. Today, we explored the Stasticani valleys. We thought that was a likely place that they were going to attack us because it was a spot where guys could easily be camouflaged. There were lots of trees. Sure enough, Bang Bang Bang Bang!!! There they were. Kronos' guards. They came charging out of the trees, weapons jangling like jingle bells. Their assault was so large, I realized that I had to freeze time. "GLACIUS TIME!!" I bellowed. Suddenly, there was so much pressure that I could barely walk, let alone run. I staggered my way to the back to behind the monster's lines. Then I started slashing vigorously with my sword. (I have other weapons than a wand just so you know. It may be important later.) Goblin, after troll, after just plain monsters! Finally, out of breath, I said, "unfreezeius time." When time came back, there was a thud, and my eyes closed. I heard, "Waddabadadubascubabladafamalala?" Finally, I came to. I saw my dad's scraggly face and beard, and Tokoga's shiny, scaly face. "Whaddabada dubascuba bladafama la-la?" was all I

heard. “What!?!?!?!?!?!?!?!?!?!?” I exclaimed.
“Wha-dda-Ba-DA Du-BA-scu-BA blad-a fam-a-la-la.” “What the heck are you saying?”
“Whaddabadadubascubabladafamalala.” “Alright, enough of the silliness.” Suddenly, they morphed into goblins and attacked me at full speed and strength. “Whoa!!!” I exclaimed. I didn’t have enough time to draw my sword, knife, or wand. I screamed in pain as they attacked me. When they were done, I was in great agony. Then, everything went black, again. When I woke, my dad and Tokoga were before me [again]. Dad said, “Owen! What happened to you?” I explained about the goblins and the wadabada thing. He took me to our shack and said “I packed a few robotic body parts in case something like this happened.” He screwed the hand and toe on to me and suddenly, I felt much better. “Thanks” I said. “Anytime.” He replied. I wanted to explore some more, but dad said I needed rest. He was right. I fell asleep as soon as my head hit the pillow.

Today, we explored the Thundercrack Caves. I see why they were called thundercrack. Every time we knocked on the walls, there was a sound like booming thunder. We thought this was a good hiding place too. Suddenly, I was leaning against the wall when there was a beeping sound, and the wall behind me slid open.

Inside that room, there were guns and weapons of all shapes and sizes. We walked into the room. Nobody but us was in there. The door slid shut behind us. I thought that we should grab as many weapons as possible, and bullets and any other ammo we could find and we did that. We loaded them into the K-Harrier jet that was waiting for us, and took off.

When we got back to the base, we unloaded the K-Harrier and kept it because it would be good in case of an attack. We could fly it up into the air and shoot down monsters without them shooting us. We could also bomb the castle. We could go on stealth missions too because the jet could turn invisible and had a comm jammer. Now we have 2 advantages against Kronos and his army.

Today, we decided to take the Harrier for a ride. They chose me to be the pilot, because I went to a place where they teach you how to fly a plane and I took lessons there. I am so excited!

We are going on a castle-bombing mission!! I woke dad and Tokoga up. Then, we got in the jet. I started the engines up with a FOOOM!! We rose above the treetops of the Tojaaino forest. I directed the plane towards the castle. Then I asked dad if he would get the bombs ready. He did. Then, I flew it over the castle. I asked dad if the bombs were ready, and he said, "Uh-huh!" I jabbed my finger at the button that said "drop bomb". I saw a bomb drop.

Then, there was a bone- jarring noise. BA-BOOM!!!!!!!!!! About half of the castle's walls and the west tower crumbled like bread. "Man, look at that castle crumble!" I said. The explosion blast had thrown me across the room. I jumped up and made my way into the pilot's seat. I turned the jet around and flew back to base.

When we landed, dad said that we should go for a nap, but Tokoga growled ominously. He said in his throaty, gravelly voice, "I sense enemy occupants".

I grabbed my Thompson machine gun and an army trooper helmet (one of the items we stole earlier)and started searching the area like a jaguar on the prowl. Dad did the same. RAT-TA-TAT-TA-TAT.was the sound we heard coming from the bushes. It was the sound of enemy gunfire. I got down behind a durasteel barrier, and began firing.

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About 30 monsters went down. There were 15 of them left. Tokoga leaped into the air and shot a plume of fire from his mouth.

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OOOOOOOomm. The monsters were burnt to crisps. All that was left was their blackened bones.

"that should keep them away for a while" said dad.

But just to be sure, we built a robotic swivel gun to guard the harrier and to guard us. Then we laid down for a nap.

When we woke up, dad gave me a cloak of invisibility and we went back to the Thundercrack caves. I wanted to get more supplies like drinking water, or maybe find a spaceship so we can get off this dang planet. Just SOMETHING that will do us GOOD for goodness's sakes. When we reached the caves, i put on my invisibility cloak, and I started praying that I would find myself a lightsaber. We went inside. I looked along the walls for telltale signs that the secret room was there. Just when I was about to give up, I saw footprints. I said, "Dad, Tokoga, I found footprints!" There was no answer. I whirled around. No dad. I turned another way. no Tokoga. Only... "KRONOS?!?!?!?!?"

"Hello, Owen Archer. It is a pleasure to see you again. I see you are looking for my secret weapon and ammunition room. But now I have found you and can lock you up and torture you like I am doing to your father and your dragon. I will be rid of this nuisance and I can finally rule the world and turn people into monsters!" Kronos said. A phalanx of goblin guards suddenly stepped forth from the shadows and surrounded me.

Meanwhile... dad was struggling with his bonds in a makeshift interrogator room. He looked up to the ceiling where Tokoga was hung by chains. Tokoga was struggling with his chains and flameproof muzzle also. "I wonder if Owen is okay." dad wondered aloud.... "Give me the pen" Kronos demanded. "Never, I would die first." I answered boldly. "Then I will kill you!" he replied. I took the pen from my pocket. I hit a button in the middle of the pen, and it transformed into a double bladed jagged knife, fizzing and sparking with lightning. I swung it in a wide arc and destroyed every goblin and left them on the ground. Then, Kronos took out his weapons from holsters on his belt. They were deep black shurikens (a.k.a ninja stars) with engraved dragons on them roaring and spitting flames and they also had points so sharp they could tear you to pieces instantly. "Now for the capture of Owen!" he threw one of his throwing stars at me and I felt a horrible shock as it hit me. Then everything went black.

When I awoke, I was strapped to the wall of some kind of wannabe interrogator room. It was made of bamboo, with palm fronds strapped together to make the roof. It looked more like a luau than a interrogator room. The only thing that made me assume that it was an interrogator room was that it had a whole bunch of torture machines littered all over the place. I heard a weak voice calling, "Owen,

Owen over here!” “Who are you and what are you doing here?” I asked. Unfortunately, I could not see whoever it was that was speaking because he/she was hidden behind a torture machine. I saw many other people strapped to the walls, and to other torture machines. One man beside me said, “So, you wanted to be the hero who beat up Kronos, eh?” “Yup, but my dragon got me started on this adventure.” I replied. The man said, “We’re probably going to end up as those skeletons and dead bodies that decorate his walls. Suddenly, there was a creeeeak! as the door opened and Kronos and two of his elite goblin guards stepped in. “See, look they have come to torture us for sport!!” he exclaimed. “Calm down! I have a plan!” I said.

As Kronos untied a random man from the wall and shoved him onto a torture machine, I took the knife of electricity from my pocket and cut my ropes. Then, I put on my invisibility cloak and walked over to where Kronos was standing. To the man on the wall, all he saw was me disappear. I killed both goblin guards, without them even noticing! Kronos looked like he was going to faint, if monsters could faint. I crept soundlessly, like a ninja along the wall, and I cut every one’s bonds and gave each one of them a weapon (I had a lot of weapons in my backpack), all in seconds. When I came to the last one, it was dad! I cut his bonds, but he already had a weapon. Then, I leaped up to the

balcony, jumped onto Tokoga's chain, and I released Tokoga. When I was done, I whipped off my invisibility cloak. I hollered, "ATTACK!!!!!" We all dashed at Kronos, but he stopped us with his magic. I used magic to block it, and I ran through and stabbed my knife into his chest.

His body shook as bolts of lightning coursed through his body, then he fell to the ground, knocked out. "Get out, out now!" I yelled, as we ran back to the Thundercrack caves and we all got into the Harrier. I flew it back to the base. We were all thirsty and hungry. I was very happy that we got an army, even though it was sort of makeshift. We fed everybody around the fire, then we settled down and slept all the long, long night. When we all woke up, it was snowing! We all built forts, then we made a snow-monster and threw snowballs at it until its head fell off. We couldn't help having fun.

Also today, we decided that we would attack and destroy Kronos for once and for all. I packed the knife of electricity, and my helmet. We also packed my trusty tommy gun. Then, we made sure that everyone had a weapon. We all got into the Harrier. (Its capacity was 500 people and we had exactly that.)

I turned the comm jammer and invisibility mode on as we flew over the castle. It was still in bad shape, but it was looking better than last

time. Then we readied the guns and bombs. I fired away at the turrets and they crumbled to the ground, the monsters inside screaming for their lives as stones crushed their bodies. After, we flew towards the main gate. I shot a missile and it exploded in a volley of splinters. I pulled up fast and barely made it over the castle walls. I dropped a bomb in the middle of the castle. Like earlier there was a loud BBBBBBBBBOOOOOMMMMM!!!!!!! as the castle fell apart. C c rrrrrrrrrrrrack was the noise it made. Then, suddenly, I saw Kronos rise up out of the rubble. I told dad to pilot and I jumped out of the plane. I landed right in front of Kronos. I whipped out the knife of electricity as Kronos took out two swords, FWOOSH, blazing with fire. He swung at me and I blocked. I attacked back by jumping very high, flipping and slamming my knife into the ground, causing shock waves to swirl out in all directions. It knocked Kronos over giving me just enough time to swing at him. He blocked it though. He jumped up and shot a plume of fire at me. S S S S S S W W W W W W O O O O O SSSH. It hit me and I fell to the ground, writhing in pain. He swung at me again and I blocked it. I jumped to my feet. Then I shot lightning at him. He blocked it with a shield of fire.

Suddenly, monsters appeared beside him. They attacked me and I swirled around until I

became a tornado of lightning. I gave all the monsters a horrific shock. And then, still a tornado, I attacked my enemy, Kronos. He shook with the power of lightning so much that his life force just gave up. But surprisingly, he came back to life! Dad flew the jet around and started firing at Kronos. Kronos fell over to the ground and I killed him once and for all. Dad landed the jet and everyone jumped out. I ran up and hugged dad. Now everyone in the world was safe. We left Kronos's body out for the birds to eat. Then we got in the jet and flew home.

THE END....?