A ZOOM MURDER MYSTERY

SUSPICIOUS Minds

a murder at

EL CAMINO ROYALE

LAS VEGAS · NEVADA

Johnny Roundhouse

THE RECENTLY FIRED KUNG-FU ACTOR

CHARACTER PACK

Your private character pack. Don't show it to anyone.

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Pronouns: they/them, or whatever suits your take on the character

YOU ARE NOT THE MURDERER

READ ALOUD IN PART 1 · THIS IS THE ONLY PART YOU READ OUT

"Johnny Roundhouse, star of the casino's kung-fu floor show. Well... former star. Long story. I'm just here to watch my old buddy Rex. No hard feelings. Hi-yah."

WHAT EVERYONE ELSE HAS HEARD ABOUT YOU

Down on their luck, this kung-fu actor's drug problem might have finally caught up with them. Could they turn their kung-fu prowess to evil?

Your story (these are truths, so you can't lie about them)

You and Rex used to be best friends. The casino employed you to entertain the gamblers. You can kill someone with just your thumb, but as a pro-choice, liberal, snowflake Democrat you've never used a gun in your life.

Rex ratted you out to the owner for snorting cocaine with gamblers at the table, and you were fired.

One night, in a drunken stupor, you told Starla Highkick you were going to stab Rex in the back, like Shang-Chi stabs Dr Strange (no spoilers :0).

RELATIONSHIP STATUS

Single.

BEEN TO EL CAMINO ROYALE BEFORE?

You used to work here, but you've been **banned** since you were fired last month. Tonight the owner let you back in for the show only.

STARTING ROOM

Gambling Floor

Who you know

- Used to work with Rex, Starla Highkick and Tiny at the casino
- Has met Marina Flint before

Costume & Zoom background

A headband, a robe or gi, a black belt. A dojo or film-set background.

Keep this pack to yourself until the night. Change your Zoom name to **Johnny Roundhouse** when you arrive.

TOP SECRET · FOR YOUR EYES ONLY *Johnny Roundhouse*

Your clues

You have to reveal all of these by the end of Part 4. Choose when and to whom, and be strategic.

- You once saw Marina Flint at a kung-fu class. The weird thing was how good they were. Like, *professionally* good.

WHEN THE GUN GOES OFF
Your alibi

Alone at the back bar, nursing your fourth whisky. Nobody can vouch for you.

PART 2 · PRE-SHOW DRINKS
Mission 1

Ask Marina Flint what they've been up to. It's been a while since you saw them at kung-fu class.

PART 4 · THE INVESTIGATION
Mission 2

Find out whether Penny Slotz had plans with Rex for later tonight.

Quick rules

- **Truths:** you can't lie about anything in this pack. You can dodge, but if someone pushes, you have to answer, and only as much as they asked.
- **Everything else:** lie, improvise and embellish as much as you like.
- **"Did you do it?"** Anyone can lie about that one.
- **Moving rooms:** send the hosts a private Zoom chat message with the room you want.
- If your mission names someone who isn't playing tonight, ask anyone else instead.

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