

Found Object Script

Background Details:

Andrea Leandro has gone missing from the wedding.
Her disposable camera was found at her table.

IN OFFICE

Lights are off and there is a spotlight on the desk
Monitor stage left to the desk attached to a computer on desk
Whiteboard behind desk

Detective Gallero Is sitting at her desk going through paperwork.

In walks Detective Hall with the evidence collected about Andrea Leandro.

D. Hall

Time is running out. She's been gone for 36 hours now, let's go
over the evidence again.

*D. Gallero walks over D. Hall and the box and examines the
contents (all in plastic bags), pulls out party favors, a scarf
and the disposable camera.*

D. Gallero

We should take another look at the processed negatives
from the wedding.

As D. Hall starts putting them on the board, D. Gallero reads
missing persons details outloud

*(for an interactive element: hand out a paper printout of all the
prints after the missing report is read that way the viewers can
play detective as well)*

INTRODUCTION OF THE PRINTS

// layout the pics in the order it comes out of the envelope

Detective Hall starts writing the heading "Andrea Leandro Case" on the evidence board and proceeds with taping the photos in order of the prints to the white board (maybe as that is going on - Detective Gallero is maneuvering the computer to show the enlarged photo on the projector screen)

MAKE FIRST OBSERVATIONS / COME WITH THEORIES

// state the observations

D. Gallero

They first thing I notice is that she's in a lot of photos with this guy.

Do we know their relationship?

D. Hall

We talked to him last night and determined that they have been dating for 3 years.

He's still labeled as a possible abductor.

D. Gallero

There's the white purse under Andrea's arm in this picture, do we have this in evidence? Did we find this at her last known location?

(pointing the PHOTO 11: Andrea and boyfriend holding all the beer

D. Hall

We didn't find the purse

D. Gallero

Often people that are spontaneously abducted don't have time to collect their things. Are we sure she was kidnapped or did she leave on her own and not tell anyone that she was leaving?

D. Hall

This is the last photo that she was seen in. According to the timestamp this was taken at 11PM on the night of the wedding.

(acknowledge the list of obvious acquaintances best friend, co-workers, groom's parents, who son, the groom is childhood friends with the victim)

We begin to reorganize the photos on the other side of the whiteboard

D. Gallero

*(*Make observation about flowers)*

D. Hall

*(*State Andrea's job that the groom gave her to design the flower piece)*

ACKNOWLEDGE THE QUESTIONABLE CHARACTERS IN THE PRINTS

// who are these people??

// arrange the photo by group associations

BIG BREAK: DISCOVERY

// notice the photos are not in sequential order

// refer back to the negatives to find the sequential order of the photos

(to make it easy for arranging the photos in sequential order, write 1 - 24 on the board, then:

D. Gallero

Pulls out the negatives, and reads the number that the photo corresponds to in the negative for D. Chris to move the photos in sequential order on the board

D. Gallero

// realize that there's a hole in one of the faces of negative #17 and that print is nowhere in our lineup of prints. Negative show an image of 2 men in suit jackets. Man's face scratched out

of negative is a big lead. Holding up the negative towards the light to get a better image)

The print from #17 is missing and the negative corresponding to that image shows 2 men sitting at one of the tables. There are scratches and a big hole on one of the faces.

D. Hall

It looks like the image was intentionally burned somehow...

// signal for Jaycee to enter and wrap this up

CONCLUSION/ QUICK WRAP UP

Lt. Holmes

enters

Detectives, we found a body.

They all exit the room