

BEGINNER'S GUIDE TO THE WORLD OF

Captain Handsome

1 SMALLFRY, ARKANSAS, USA... HOME TO THE RED SQUIRREL, THE GREY SQUIRREL, THE FLYING SQUIRREL, THE VERY RARE (AND TOTALLY MADE-UP) GLOW-IN-THE-DARK SQUIRREL AND A SCHOOL JANITOR WHO DOESN'T GLOW IN THE DARK... WELL, NOT YET, ANYWAY.



2 MEET JOHN DOUGH - JANITOR AND GENERALLY GOOD GUY. HE WORKS AND LIVES ON THE CAMPUS GROUNDS OF BLOCKHEAD JUNIOR HIGH. HIS FAVOURITE PASTIMES ARE SINGING TO SQUIRRELS... AND SAVING THE WORLD!

3 JOHN LOVES READING COMIC BOOKS AND DREAMS OF HAVING SUPER STRANGE POWERS HIMSELF. SOUNDS CRAZY? YOU HAVEN'T HEARD THE HALF OF IT!

4 BECAUSE JOHN DOESN'T JUST HAVE BIG DREAMS... HE ALSO HAS A BIG CHIN AND BIG IDEAS!



CAPTAIN HANDSOME



7 HE CAN SUPER-MOVE...



8 HE CAN SUPER-GROOVE...



9 HE CAN EVEN SPEAK IN A SUPER WAY!

5 INDEED, JOHN CAN BE FOUND MOST NIGHTS IN THE SCHOOL SCIENCE LAB, COOKING UP SOME DANGEROUSLY UNSTABLE POTION THAT MIGHT ENDOW HIM WITH HIS VERY OWN SUPER POWERS SO THAT HE CAN BATTLE THE FORCES OF EVIL (AND THOUGHTLESS LITTERING) AS HIS SECRET SUPERHERO ALTER EGO....



6 BUT CAPTAIN HANDSOME DOESN'T ACTUALLY HAVE ANY REAL SUPER POWERS - EXCEPT FOR HIS UNWAVERING SELF-BELIEF, HIS HONEST-TO-GOODNESS-GOLLY-GOSH DESIRE TO DO GOOD, AND (IF HIT VERY HARD IN THE CHEST), HIS AWESOME ABILITY TO FLY BACKWARDS AT SUPER-SPEED! NOW THERE'S A SKILL THAT COULD COME IN HANDY...



11 BECAUSE WHILST CAPTAIN HANDSOME IS ALWAYS ON THE LOOKOUT FOR DANGER, WHAT HE DOESN'T REALISE IS THAT ON THE SCHOOL GROUNDS THAT HE PATROLS AND GUARDS, AN INTERGALACTIC DRAMA IS UNFOLDING RIGHT UNDER HIS SUPER NOSE...



12 FOR A START, PRINCESS ZUCCHINI - FROM A GALAXY FAR, FAR AWAY - HAS CRASH-LANDED IN JOHN'S BACK YARD WHILST FLEEING SPACE PIRATES WHO HAVE TAKEN OVER HER HOME PLANET OF ALPHA CENTAURI FIVE.



13 HOT ON HER HEELS ARE INCOMPETENT (BUT DETERMINED) INTERGALACTIC BOUNTY HUNTERS, ZIT AND ZOG, WHO'VE BEEN SENT BY THEIR EVIL LEADER COMMANDER KAPOWSKI TO CAPTURE THE PRINCESS AND BRING HER BACK TO ALPHA CENTAURI FIVE (SO THAT HE CAN MARRY HER).



15 JOHN IS COMPLETELY BESOTTED WITH BETTY WHOM HE LIKES NEARLY AS MUCH AS HIS SUPER-HERO ACTION FIGURES (AND HE LIKES THEM A LOT!)

16 WATCHING JOHN ARE ZIT AND ZOG, INTRIGUED BY THIS STRANGE EARTHLING WHO THEY DON'T REALISE IS ACTUALLY CAPTAIN HANDSOME, THE THORN IN THEIR SIDE.



17 WATCHING ZIT AND ZOG ARE TOP SECRET GOVERNMENT AGENTS X AND Y WHO ALSO HAVE THORNS IN THEIR SIDE, BUT MOSTLY FROM LURKING IN BUSHES.



18 AND WATCHING CAPTAIN HANDSOME IS SCHOOL HEAD, PRINCIPAL BROWN, WHO GIVES A NEW MEANING TO THE CONCEPT OF 'HERO-WORSHIP'.



19 YES, THEY'RE ALL WATCHING... SO BE SURE TO KEEP THIS GUIDE ON YOUR WALLS AND DON'T MISS THE UNMISSABLE ADVENTURES OF

CAPTAIN HANDSOME!