Cookie is charged but it is Ponifia who are convicted.



A packed windmill hosted the latest TT courtroom drama. [Photo: Tori]

In a packed courthouse on Saturday 14 January, curious citizens expecting to watch Cookie be convicted of a number of offences relating to the recent glue drama were amazed to witness her found not guilty on all charges, bar one relating to trespassing on Ponifia property. Further gasps followed when she was sentenced to do a week of community service. The convict went on to spend that week subjecting the citizens of TT to a constant stream of complaining and moaning about her sentence leaving citizens to wonder who had really been punished.

However, following this surprisingly soft sentence for Cookie, the Right Honourable Judge Danaira shocked the court by slapping a huge 1.5 million Moolah fine on to the Ponifia who she accused of illegally constructing the glue factory and hence being somehow responsible for the resulting boiler explosion and glue spill.

In a break from previous court cases, these were quite calm, professional and measured proceedings. Although Jane arrived with a suspiciously looking large briefcase, there were no explosive antics this time. Both sets of lawyers were well prepared and the proceedings were brought to a conclusion a lot sooner than usual, coming in 20 minutes shy of 2 hours.

There was early amusement when we learned that Axelle had added the phrase "Not Guilty" as a bad word to Cookies shock collar so when she pleaded as such, she was treated to a powerful

and painful looking electric shock.

The defence lawyers Ari and m4zi wasted no time in casting doubt on the video evidence and the so-called 'book of love'. After some strong verbal exchanges, the two teams summoned up the prosecution and defence cases.

But it seems it was already clear in the Judge's mind that the glue factory was an accident waiting to happen and that the lion's share of the blame lay with the Ponifia. The Godmother, Tricky Trouble was not in court to witness her charitable organisation being slapped with a huge fine, but responded later when approached by the Gazette:

"We counted on justice being done. We counted on being awarded money to cover the cost of the damage done by the Ponizei saboteur. Having private projects is a right of any company and there is exactly zero proof that the project would have failed if it had not been blown up. So instead of paying this ridiculous amount in a fake currency, I pose a simple question: "Where is the money we are owed to repair the damage?"

With the environmental cleanup complete and the court case and sentence dealt with, it seems the we can now stick a 'case closed' label on this whole sticky affair.

Now, where did I put my glue gun..?



Cookie heads to court, pulled by Tessa. [Photo: Tori]



Jane and Demure led the prosecution. [Photo: Tori]



Cookie was defended by Ari and m4zi. [Photo: Tori]

Current & Upcoming Events

These are the events currently on our radar:

■ ReScript Workshop - On Wednesday 22nd
February at 12Pm SLT Magic and Ana will be hosting a workshop at the Windmill to help us all understand AnaVision ReScript. This workshop will involve practical examples to help you make your own low script tack.

26th Pony Caravan - The 26th Pony caravan returns on Saturday 25th Feb at 12pm SLT and is called "Back to the Routes!" This is a rerun of the second Pony caravan called "Caletta to TT Orchard", bar a couple of minor differences.

The route is on the continent of Heterocera, the same continent as the TT Orchard outpost.



26th Pony Caravan Route. [Graphic: Magic]

Week Of Madness 2023 - Molly has started to tease details of the planned events for what will be the 3rd wonderful year of the now infamous TT "Week of Madness". The outline for this year has been revealed to be:

Sunday (28/05/2023) - Madness Cup Monday (29/05/2023) – Sumo Tuesday (30/05/2023) – Flower Dressage Wednesday (31/05/2023) - Blind race Thursday (01/06/2023) - Forum (TBA) Friday (02/06/2023) - Sound of Silence Saturday (03/06/2023) - Pimp My Cart Sunday (04/06/2023) - Photo Competition Sunday (04/06/2023) - Closing Party So note these dates in your calendar and start thinking about which activities you will be participating in so you can start practising and perfecting!

More events are expected to be announced soon, so please keep an eye on Discord!

So how much is 1.5M Moolahs?

Given the huge fine placed on the Ponifia I wanted to learn a bit more about the Moolah currency so I went to speak to TT's Dairy Farming expert, Trisky.

Tori: Hi Trisky! I have a question for you!

Tori: How many litres of milk would be needed to raise 1.5 million Moolahs?

Trisky: ~* Moo *~

Tori: wow that much?

Trisky: ~* Moo *~

Tori: I wondered how long it would take a cow to produce that much milk?

Trisky: ~* Moo *~

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Tori: wow..that's a long time!

A trip to Sabhal Dearg

In case you didn't know, please be sure to check out this useful site which is a portal listing all the TT affiliated hubs around SL. We have visited others in previous editions so this time I have decided to visit Sabhal Dearg. This is a nice little hub close the the LL road. In terms of location, it is on Route 9A, north of the TT Glue Factory. It also features at GTFO hub so you can pick up and drop off those important deliveries.



The TT Hub at Sabhal Dearg. [Photo: Tori]

Molly declares it's Springtime!

Goddess of Weather Molly has officially announced the end of the cold weather season at TT and at at her very command, the snow immediately started to melt once again revealing the beloved green estate we are proud to call home.

Meanwhile back at TT...



Scorpy breaks the lamp post... [Photo: Scorpy]



...and stands on the grass! [Photo: Scorpy]



...and Berry is busy dusting. [Photo: Berry]



Pony Aurora is taken through her paces by Tricky Trouble at flower dressage. [Photo: Tricky]