

EQUESTRIA GIRLS SHORTS - "QUEEN OF CLUBS"

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FADE IN:

SC. 1- INT. CANTERLOT HIGH SCHOOL - HALLWAY - MORNING

APPLEJACK leads a GIANT PIG inside on a leash. It stops walking in the middle of the hallway and plops down for a rest. It snorts. Applejack laughs.

RAINBOW DASH and RARITY are nearby. Rarity points to the animal and pinches her nose.

1 RARITY
(nasal)
Why ever do you have that swine
accompanying you to school, Applejack?

2 APPLEJACK
It's photo day for all the clubs and
it's a "Young Farmers' Club" tradition
to have your critter in the yearbook
picture!

3 RAINBOW DASH
You're lucky you're only in one club,
I'm in five this year. So busy.

4 APPLEJACK
Well.... Young Farmer's is just one of
the SIX clubs I'm in.

5 RAINBOW DASH
Oh I meant five... SPORTS clubs!

6 RARITY
Darlings, please. It's not a
competition.

We see a CLOSE UP of Applejack and Rainbow Dash narrowing their eyes at one another. It's SO on!

CUT TO:

SC. 2 - CANTERLOT HIGH SCHOOL - CLASSROOM - MONTAGE

A group of students gather in front of a CHESS BOARD looking toward PHOTO FINISH and her CAMERA. Rainbow Dash zooms in with her Rainbow Blur. She moves a CHESS PIECE and grins.

The photo FLASHES! We see the freeze frame.

CUT TO:

SC. 3 - CANTERLOT HIGH SCHOOL - LIBRARY - MONTAGE

BIG MAC, SNIPS, SNAILS, and TRIXIE all sit around a table wearing various silly hats (viking horns, a hood, animal ears, etc.) There is a map spread across the table littered with FIGURINES.

It's the "Ogres and Oubliettes" Club! Big Mac shakes the DICE in his hand and rolls. Applejack jumps in, puts on a FOOTBALL HELMET and smiles. She clearly does not fit in. Everyone else is perturbed. FLASH!

CUT TO:

SC. 3 - CANTERLOT HIGH SCHOOL - FRONT STEPS - MONTAGE

FLUTTERSHY and some students sit smiling with their BALLS OF YARN and KNITTING NEEDLES. Rainbow Dash zooms in and sits next to Fluttershy. She knits superfast then holds up a TINY CANTERLOT HIGH SWEATER, triumphant. Fluttershy puts it in on ANGEL BUNNY and the camera flashes.

We see the freeze frame of the club shot. Fluttershy is grinning ear to ear at Rainbow's creation. Angel is grumpy.

CUT TO:

SC. 5 - CANTERLOT HIGH SCHOOL - GYM - MONTAGE

Another group stand on MATS. They wear FENCING GEAR (some in masks, some not) and hold FOILS. SUNSET SHIMMER is present. They are all in a FENCING STANCE, waiting for their picture to be taken.

Applejack walks in with a PIECE OF ACTUAL FENCE. She looks around, confused. Freeze frame!

CUT TO:

SC. 6 - CANTERLOT HIGH SCHOOL - RAPID PICTURE MONTAGE

A series of quick shots as the competition heats up. (NOTE: Applejack's pig is somehow in every shot throughout.)

-- Rainbow Dash poses with the SCIENCE CLUB with TWILIGHT who gives her side-eye. Rainbow holds a BEAKER. There has clearly been an explosion.

-- Applejack poses with the CHEERLEADING SQUAD. She holds them all up in an about-to-topple PYRAMID!

-- Rainbow Dash poses with the ART CLUB. Everyone has beautiful paintings. Rainbow has a stick figure drawing.

-- Applejack poses with the DRUMLINE. She poses with a TRIANGLE.

CUT TO:

SC. 7 - CANTERLOT HIGH SCHOOL - FRONT LAWN - LATER

Rainbow Dash and Applejack collapse onto the grass, panting and wiping away sweat.

SC. 8 - CANTERLOT HIGH SCHOOL - CAFETERIA - WEEKS LATER

The MANE SEVEN sit at the lunch table, flipping through their YEARBOOKS.

7 APPLEJACK
Well, the scores are in... and it's a darn tootin' tie!

Applejack close the book shut in defeat and sighs.

8 RAINBOW DASH
You have got to be kidding me. After all that?!

9 APPLEJACK
At least between the two of us, we joined every single club at CHS.

Rarity clears her throat.

10 RARITY
Not *all* the clubs!

Applejack and Rainbow Dash look confused.

Rarity flips to her picture in the yearbook. It's just her, alone! Total glamour shot.

Applejack and Rainbow Dash look at her, hopefully... can they join?

11 RARITY (CONT'D)
Oh no, darlings. It's very exclusive.

Rainbow Dash and Applejack are surprised.

12 APPLEJACK
(looking closer at the photo)
Is that my *pig*?!

13 RARITY
Well of course! You can't expect me to
be the President *and* the Vice
President.

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OFF the CLOSE UP photo of Rarity and the pig looking
glamorous...

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FADE OUT.

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