



**MY LITTLE PONY
EQUESTRIA GIRLS
BATCH 5: Holiday Shorts**

Sunset's 7
#416-251

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INT. DINER - DAY

FIND Sunset Shimmer sipping hot chocolate in a booth across from Pinkie Pie, working on three different plates of pie.

1 SUNSET SHIMMER
Thanks for quick rendezvous. I'm
not going to stroll around the
tulips - the sitch is worse than
the Sycamore job. Difference is
this time I made the mess.

2 PINKIE PIE
Yippee! Now you need my help!
Helping makes me feel warm and
fuzzy in my heart... and my feet.
Is that weird? Ooh, salt!

Pinkie Pie sprinkles her cream pie with salt. Sunset Shimmer
is grossed out but stays focused on the task at hand.

3 SUNSET SHIMMER
The displaced goods are an large
box of toys for needy kiddos.

Pinkie Pie's eyes BULGE and her fork <CLATTERS> on her plate.

4 PINKIE PIE
YOU LOST THE ANNUAL TOY DRIVE
DONATIONS! We've been collecting
those for weeks!

Shooting a nervous over her shoulder - *did anyone hear?*

5 SUNSET SHIMMER
(intense whisper)
I did not lose them. That'd be
ridiculous. I left them in the
backroom at work... which is locked
until tomorrow night.

6 PINKIE PIE
Tomorrow *night*! The donation drop-
off cutoff is lunch time tomorrow!

7 SUNSET SHIMMER
I know! Can we get a team together
in time?

8 PINKIE PIE
Toughie. We'll need an Einstein, a
Bozo, a Holly Golightly, a
Pudzianowski, and, I'm telling you
something you already know, the
best Mario in town.

9 SUNSET SHIMMER
Great minds scheme alike. Here's
who I'm thinking...

She slides across a PIECE OF PAPER. Pinkie Pie makes a face.

10 SUNSET SHIMMER (CONT'D)
What's wrong?

11 PINKIE PIE
Oversalted my pie.

<MONTAGE MUSIC> comes up and we CUT TO A RECRUITMENT MONTAGE!

INT. SCI TWI'S BEDROOM - DAY

Sci Twi wears goggles while she fixes a DRONE. Sunset Shimmer
and Pinkie Pie (chewing an apple) watch her as she works.

12 SCI TWI
The sushi joint? Security'll be a
cinch. You said it's for charity?

She hits a button, and the drone flies out her window.

13 SUNSET SHIMMER
Uh-huh. That mean you're in?

Sci Twi's drone flies back through her window, CARRYING HER
MAIL. Delivers it to her.

14 SCI TWI
(patting her drone)
We're in.

INT. TRIxie'S BEDROOM - DAY

Trixie irons her magician's cape. Pinkie Pie (eating a candy
bar) and Sunset Shimmer wait, arms akimbo.

15 TRIxie
Can you agree to those terms?

16 SUNSET SHIMMER
 (rolling her eyes)
Fine. We agree that "in perpetuity
you will be referred to in all
future jobs as "the main event" and
not as "the distraction."

Trixie smiles, whips her cape off the board with a FLOURISH.

EXT. CANTERLOT HIGH SCHOOL - TRACK - DAY

Rainbow Dash RACES by Sunset Shimmer and Pinkie Pie (noshing a burger). She is a BLUR.

17 RAINBOW DASH
I'm INNNNNNNNNNNNNNN!

EXT. APPLE ACRES - ORCHARD - DAY

Applejack pulls a TRACTOR out of the mud with rope and her bare hands. Sunset Shimmer and Pinkie Pie (eating a taco) watch from the side. Big Mac is behind the tractor's wheel.

18 SUNSET SHIMMER
Big Mac? What do you think?

19 BIG MAC
You had me at "needy kids." I'll
wear my luckiest driving gloves.

20 SUNSET SHIMMER
Fantastic. Applejack?

21 APPLEJACK
 (to the girls)
Always happy to lend a hand.

22 PINKIE PIE
That's awesome 'cuz your one hand
is like 10 strongman hands! Up top?

Pinkie Pie raises her hand for a high-five. Applejack hits it, accidentally too hard, sending Pinkie Pie and her taco into the muck. Oops!

END MONTAGE.

EXT. MALL - PARKING LOT - DAYBREAK

Sunset Shimmer and Pinkie Pie (sipping a green smoothie) lean against Pinkie Pie's Mom's Toyota Prius as the sun comes up.

From different corners of the lot, the HEIST TEAM MEMBERS approach the van -- Sci Twi and her drone, Trixie in her cape with her magic gear, Rainbow Dash in a speed-blur, and Applejack and her brother.

Pinkie Pie smiles proudly at Sunset Shimmer and APPLAUDS her.

23 PINKIE PIE
We did it.

24 SUNSET SHIMMER
Uh, actually we haven't. We still need to get the toy donation back.

25 PINKIE PIE
Oh, right. Yippee! Even more fun!

INT. VAN - LATER

The heist team is gathered around Sunset Shimmer and an intricate diagram of the sushi place/heist plans.

26 SUNSET SHIMMER
Let's review what everyone's doing.

She points to the diagram. A <HEIST MOVIE MUSIC CUE> begins.

27 SUNSET SHIMMER (CONT'D)
First, Trixie creates a distr--
(off Trixie's GLARE)
I mean, "the main event."

FLASH FORWARD TO Trixie performing a magic show in the mall for a small crowd of fascinated onlookers.

28 SUNSET SHIMMER (V.O.)
She'll perform her magic show outside the sushi place. People will be focusing on her while Rainbow Dash does the drop.

ZOOM IN behind Trixie, catching the STREAK of Rainbow Dash running to the sushi place, opening the door, and leaving Sci Twi's DRONE inside, then DARTING away.

29 SUNSET SHIMMER (V.O.)
From there, we're counting on Team Sci Twi. Your drone has to find its way to the backroom's door and pick the lock.

FOLLOW WITH the drone as it lifts off. **CROSS CUT** with Sci Twi in the back of the van, toggling a drone controller and monitoring its movements through its onboard camera's video feed on her phone.

30 SUNSET SHIMMER (V.O.)
Once the drone gets the door open,
Applejack secures the box of toys.

CLOSE ON the drone's retractable arm **POPPING** the lock. **PULL BACK** as Applejack, disguised as a UPS employee, slides into the backroom and **HEFTS** the huge box of toys.

31 SUNSET SHIMMER (V.O.)
Big Mac, it's on you to get those
toys across town before the
donation center's cutoff time.

WHIP PAN to Big Mac <REVVING> his car's engine as Applejack shoves the box of toys in the front seat. He hits the gas and he's off! He **ZOOMS** out of the parking lot...

BACK TO THE PRESENT

Sunset Shimmer looks around the circle of her crew.

32 SUNSET SHIMMER
Got it?

They nod. Sunset Shimmer puts her hand in the middle. They put theirs on top of hers.

33 SUNSET SHIMMER (CONT'D)
On three: annual charity toy drive!
One, two, three!

34 EVERYONE
Annual charity toy drive!

INT. MALL - OUTSIDE THE SUSHI JOINT - LATER

Trixie is set up for her show. Sunset Shimmer, Trixie's "assistant" dusts her shoulders off with a feather brush, eyeballing the surroundings. She sees:

- Rainbow Dash is ready, reading a magazine on a bench. The drone lightly concealed next to her by a newspaper.

- Applejack, in her disguise, buys a hot dog at a kiosk. She gives Sunset Shimmer a subtle "ready" nod.

Sunset Shimmer touches her earpiece:

35 SUNSET SHIMMER
 (whispering)
Are we good to go in the van?

IN THE VAN

Sci Twi watches the mall on her phone via the drone's camera.

36 SCI TWI
 (in her ear piece)
Affirmative.

BACK ON SUNSET SHIMMER

37 SUNSET SHIMMER
 (whispering, in earpiece)
Big Mac, confirm you're in first
position?

IN HIS CAR

Big Mac touches his earpiece and pulls on his driving gloves.

38 BIG MAC
 (into his earpiece)
Ready to roll.

BACK ON SUNSET SHIMMER

She smiles and takes one last survey of the mall and FREEZES--

Sunset Shimmer's POV, the sushi restaurant's backroom's
door... IS IT IS AJAR?

39 SUNSET SHIMMER
 (into earpiece)
Uh, guys... one second.

Sunset Shimmer drops the feather duster and walks toward...

INT. SUSHI RESTAURANT - MOMENTS LATER

Sunset Shimmer stands in front of the backroom's door. TAPS
IT. It swings open WITH EASE, revealing the box of toys
inside. Sunset Shimmer facepalms.

40 SCI TWI (IN SUNSET SHIMMER'S EARPIECE)
Status update, Sunset Shimmer?

41 SUNSET SHIMMER
 (into her earpiece)
The status is... mission
accomplished?

As Sunset Shimmer grabs the box of toys...

EXT. MALL - PARKING LOT - MINUTES LATER

The heist crew stands around the van as Sunset Shimmer walks up carrying the box of toys.

42 SUNSET SHIMMER
Hey, sorry that was... so easy?

43 SCI TWI
No apologies! We got the toys.
That's all that matters!

44 RAINBOW DASH
Woohoo! Fastest heist ever!

45 APPLEJACK
Congrats, Sunset Shimmer, a little
luck never hurt anyone.

46 BIG MAC
Should we take the toys over
together?

47 EVERYONE BUT TRIxie
Yes!/That'd be great!/I call the
front seat!/Woohoo!

Trixie crosses her arms, peeved.

48 TRIXIE
Ahem! Due to popular demand, I have
another show in ten minutes!

Everyone exchanges unexcited glances.

49 SUNSET SHIMMER
You should do the show for your
fans.

50 TRIXIE
They are insatiable.

51 SUNSET SHIMMER
But, sorry, Trixie, we have to get
these toys to their fans.

And with that Big Mac <REV-REVS> the car, and the girls
climb, in ready to go spread some holiday cheer.

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IRIS OUT.