



TONY HANCOCK

BOO-HOO! SOME ROUGH BOY STOLE MY SPARKLERS WHILE I WAS CROSSING THE RUBBISH DUMP!

£1,000! I'D LIKE TO LAY MY HANDS ON THAT LOVELY LOLLY!

TUT, TUT!

£1,000 REWARD FOR THE RETURN OF LORD OODLE'S STOLEN GEMS OODLE OF OODLE HALL

SO HANCOCK DECIDES TO LOOK INTO THINGS TO LOOK INTO THE KID'S BEHAVIOR!

EH? WHAT'S HE AFTER?

YOU NEVER KNOW! THAT BAD LAD MIGHT HAVE HIDDEN HIS LOOT SOMEWHERE!

WHOOPEE! I WAS RIGHT! THE STOLEN SPARKLERS ARE IN THIS OLD SAUCEPAN!

WOULD YOU BELIEVE IT? HE'S FOUND LORD OODLE'S MISSING GEMS!

HE'S THE NERVOUS TYPE! THIS OUGHT TO SCARE HIM OUT OF HIS SOCKS!

I'LL RETURN THESE TO THEIR OWNER RIGHT AWAY!

YULEBEE COURT

FIZZ!

WASSAT? BEEK!

HA, HA, HA! JUST AS I PLANNED! HE'S HIT HIS HEAD AND KNOCKED HIMSELF OUT COLD!

ZONK!

BANG!

SHARKEY'S CONVINCED THAT THE OLD SAUCEPAN IS WORTH A POT OF MONEY!

WHAT'S GOING ON HERE?

NOW TO RETURN THE STOLEN GEMS AND COLLECT THE REWARD!

MR. HANCOCK IS TAKING A NAP! THIS GIVES ME A MONEY-MAKING IDEA!

SPARE A 10 FOR THE GUY

THE MOST LIFELIKE GUY I'VE EVER SEEN!

I'VE NOTHING SMALLER THAN A FIVER ON ME!

THAT'S ALL RIGHT, MISTER! I'VE GOT PLENTY OF CHANGE!

CHINK

WHAT HAPPENED? WHERE AM I?

YOU'RE IN THE MONEY, MR HANCOCK! WE'VE MADE A FORTUNE -- AND WE'LL SPLIT THE PROFITS BETWEEN US!

SPARE A 10 FOR THE GUY

AND SO IT TURNS OUT THAT SHARKEY'S NOT SUCH A WISE GUY AS HE THOUGHT!

TRY TO GET £1,000 FOR A TUPPENNY PACKET OF SPARKLERS, WOULD YOU? GRR! GET OUT, YOU ROGUE!

FORGET ABOUT YOUR SPARKLERS, SON! WE CAN AFFORD TO BUY A LORRY LOAD OF FIREWORKS NOW!

OODLE HALL

FIREWORKS