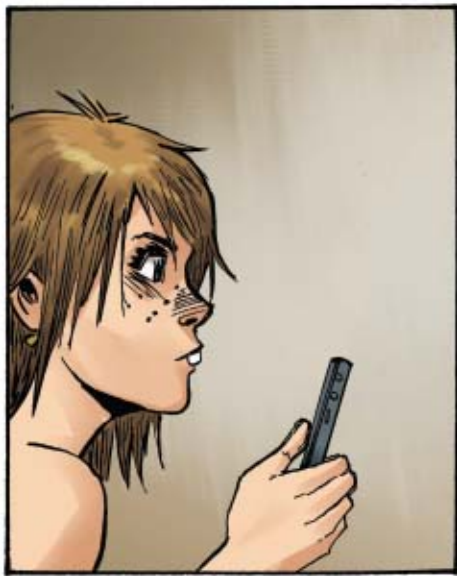
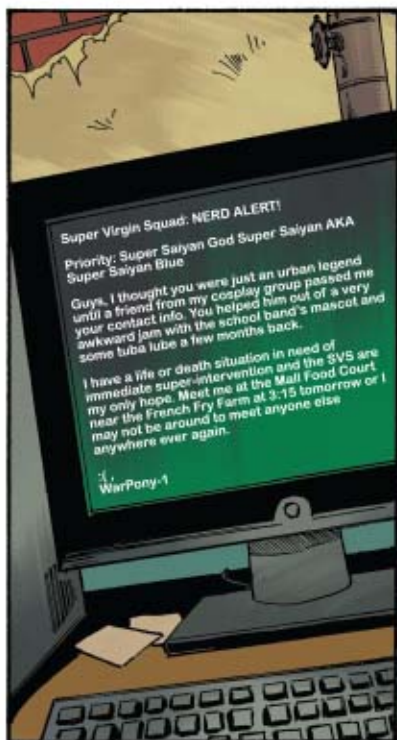


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The V-Cave.



THIS PLAN REEKS LIKE ONE RIPELY STEAMING PILE OF SHARTY DRAWERS! SINCE WHEN DID WE BECOME A DATING SERVICE?

SINCE WE SUCCESSFULLY LANDED ME A NEW LIVE-IN STEPDAD?!

*SEE ISSUE #1, n00b.



HA,HA, HA,HA!

LAUGH IT UP, BLUE BALLS. I STILL CAN'T EVEN BELIEVE YOU TWO VOTED TO LET HER DOWN HERE!

OH, PLEATHE. THE'TH PRACTICALLY QUALIFIED TO OPEN HER OWN EXTHPANTHION CHAPTER OF THE THQUAD!



THEN LET HER!

BECAUSE I THINK THERE'S SOMETHING EXPANDING HERE, ALRIGHT, AND IT SEEMS TO BE AFFECTING EVERYONE'S JUDGEMENT BUT MY OWN.



GUYS, DON'T FIGHT! I KNOW GETTING ME A PROM DATE ISN'T ALL THAT HIGH ON YOUR DREAM LIST OF SUPER-DUTIES, BUT WHEN A NERD'S BACK IS UP AGAINST THE WALL, WHO WE GONNA CALL?

MY WHOLE LIFE I'VE BEEN LIVING IN LAST PLACE. JUST ONCE I WANT TO GET WHAT I ASK FOR. NOT THE CONSOLATION PRIZE THE UNIVERSE HAS READY TO HAND TO ME, BUT WHAT I WANT!

JUST, PLEASE, PLEASE, PLEASE... I'M BEGGING YOU... RESCUE ME FROM THIS NEVER ENDING GROUNDHOG'S DAY OF THE LIGHTLESS HAMSTER CAGE THAT IS MY LIFE.

PLUS, I'M NOT QUITE AD JUSTED TO MY NEW MEDS YET SO I MAY NOT BE RESPONSIBLE FOR MY ACTIONS SHOULD YOU REFUSE ME.

HEH.



WE'LL DO THITH, AMANDA! IT'TH A THTRONG COURTHE OF ACTION AND WE COULD LITHE THE GOOD KARMA.

BETHIDETH, I'VE BEEN WORKING ON A LITTLE THOMETHING IN MY LAB THAT THOULD HELP MOVE THINGTH ALONG HERE RATHER NITHELY.

UMMMMM, IS THAT A YES? COULD YOU JUST REPEAT THAT LIKE ONE MORE TIME?