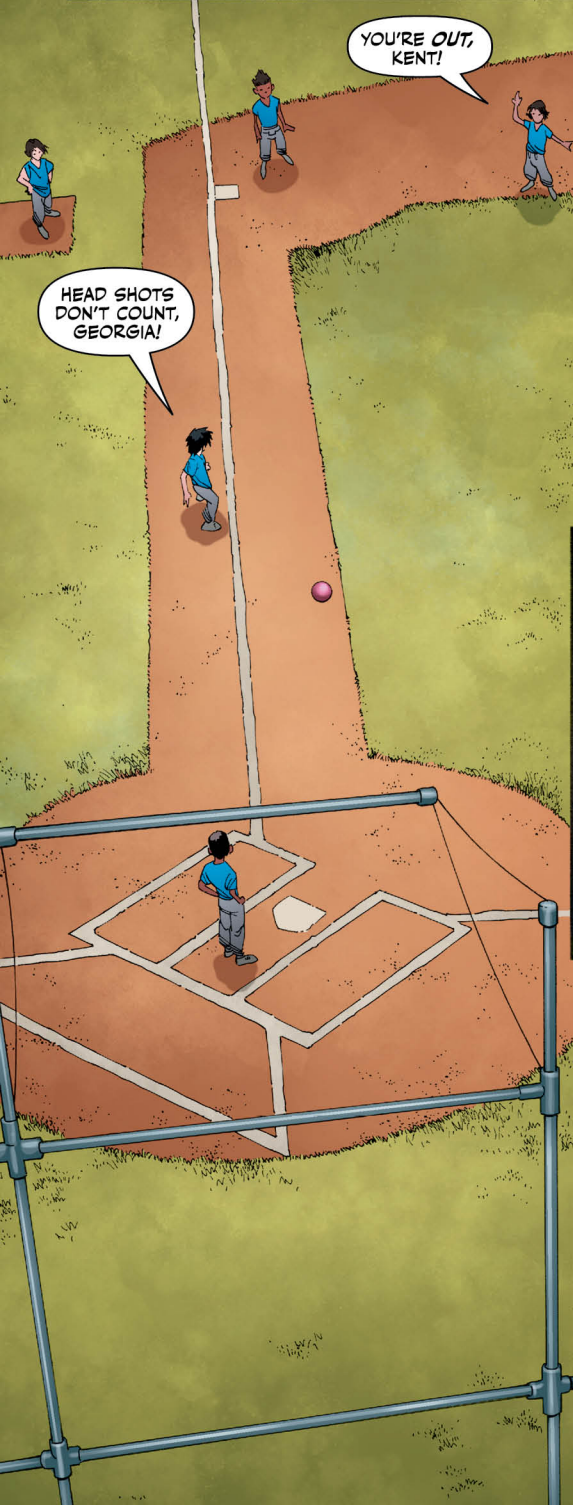


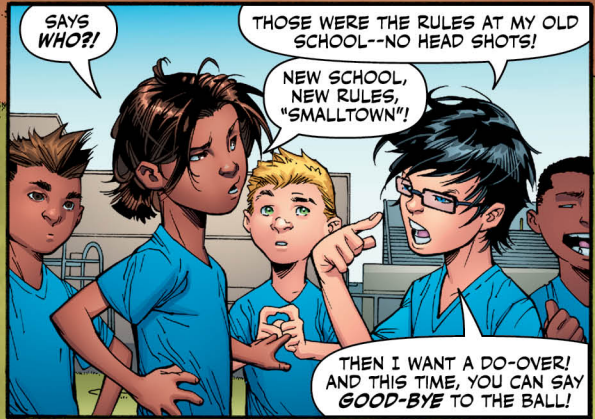


**THE WEST-REEVE SCHOOL.**



YOU'RE OUT, KENT!

HEAD SHOTS DON'T COUNT, GEORGIA!

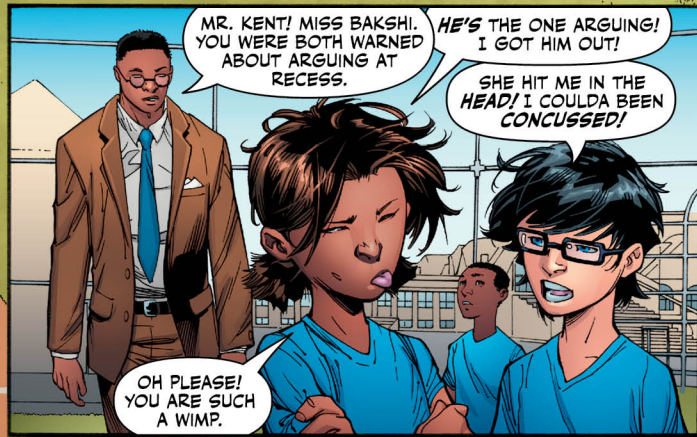


SAYS WHO?!

THOSE WERE THE RULES AT MY OLD SCHOOL--NO HEAD SHOTS!

NEW SCHOOL, NEW RULES, "SMALLTOWN"!

THEN I WANT A DO-OVER! AND THIS TIME, YOU CAN SAY **GOD-BYE TO THE BALL!**

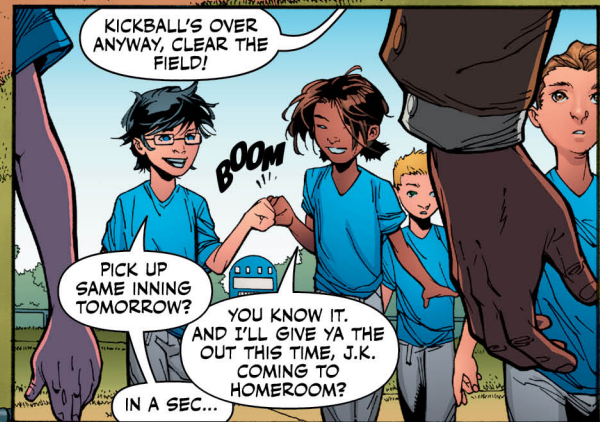


MR. KENT! MISS BAKSHI. YOU WERE BOTH WARNED ABOUT ARGUING AT RECESS.

HE'S THE ONE ARGUING! I GOT HIM OUT!

SHE HIT ME IN THE HEAD! I COULDA BEEN CONCUSSED!

OH PLEASE! YOU ARE SUCH A WIMP.



KICKBALL'S OVER ANYWAY, CLEAR THE FIELD!

BOOM!

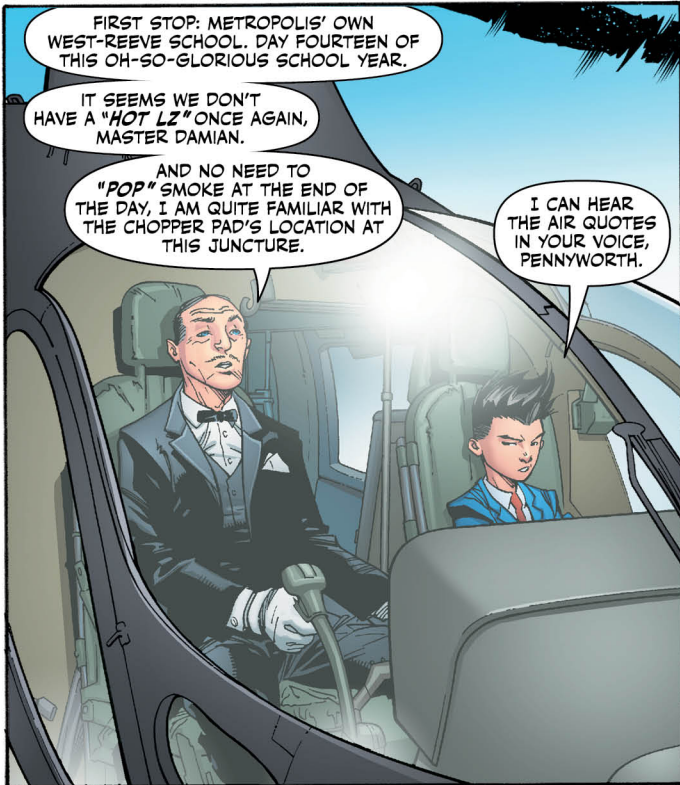
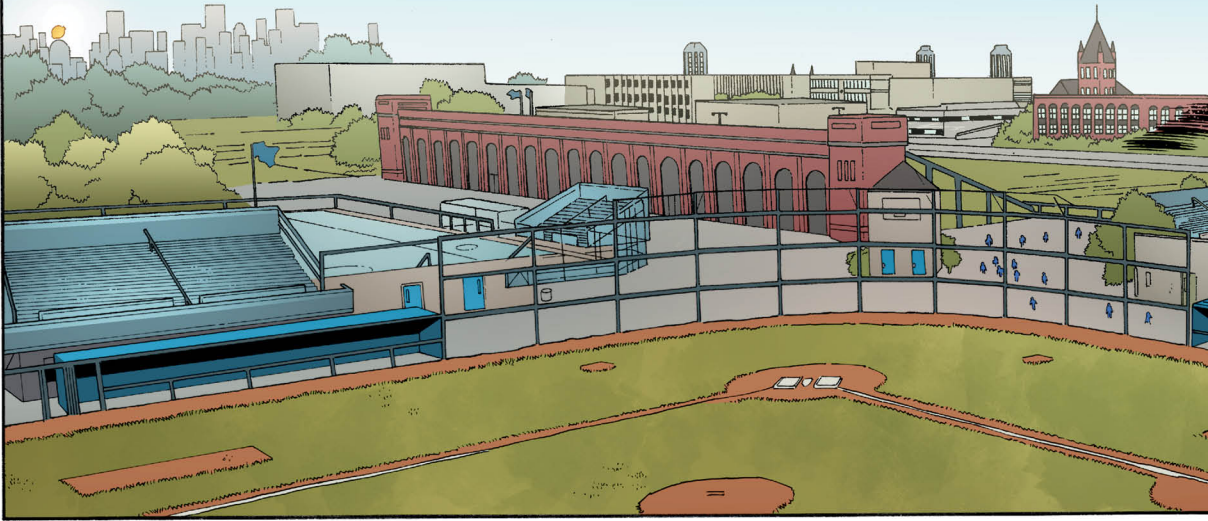
PICK UP SAME INNING TOMORROW?

YOU KNOW IT. AND I'LL GIVE YA THE OUT THIS TIME, J.K. COMING TO HOMEROOM?

IN A SEC...



"...TOLD MY BUDDY I'D MEET HIM BY *HIS* BUS."



FIRST STOP: METROPOLIS' OWN WEST-REEVE SCHOOL. DAY FOURTEEN OF THIS OH-SO-GLORIOUS SCHOOL YEAR.

IT SEEMS WE DON'T HAVE A "HOT LZ" ONCE AGAIN, MASTER DAMIAN.

AND NO NEED TO "POP" SMOKE AT THE END OF THE DAY, I AM QUITE FAMILIAR WITH THE CHOPPER PAD'S LOCATION AT THIS JUNCTURE.

I CAN HEAR THE AIR QUOTES IN YOUR VOICE, PENNYWORTH.



TELL FATHER HE WILL PAY FOR THIS.

I TELL HIM EVERY DAY, AS REQUESTED. HIS KNEES DON'T SEEM TO KNOCK AS LOUDLY AS YOU ASSUME THEY DO.

DAMIAN!

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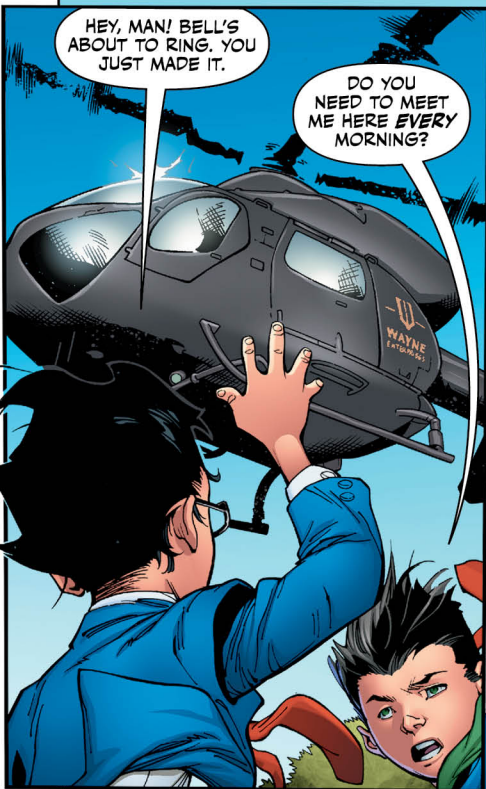
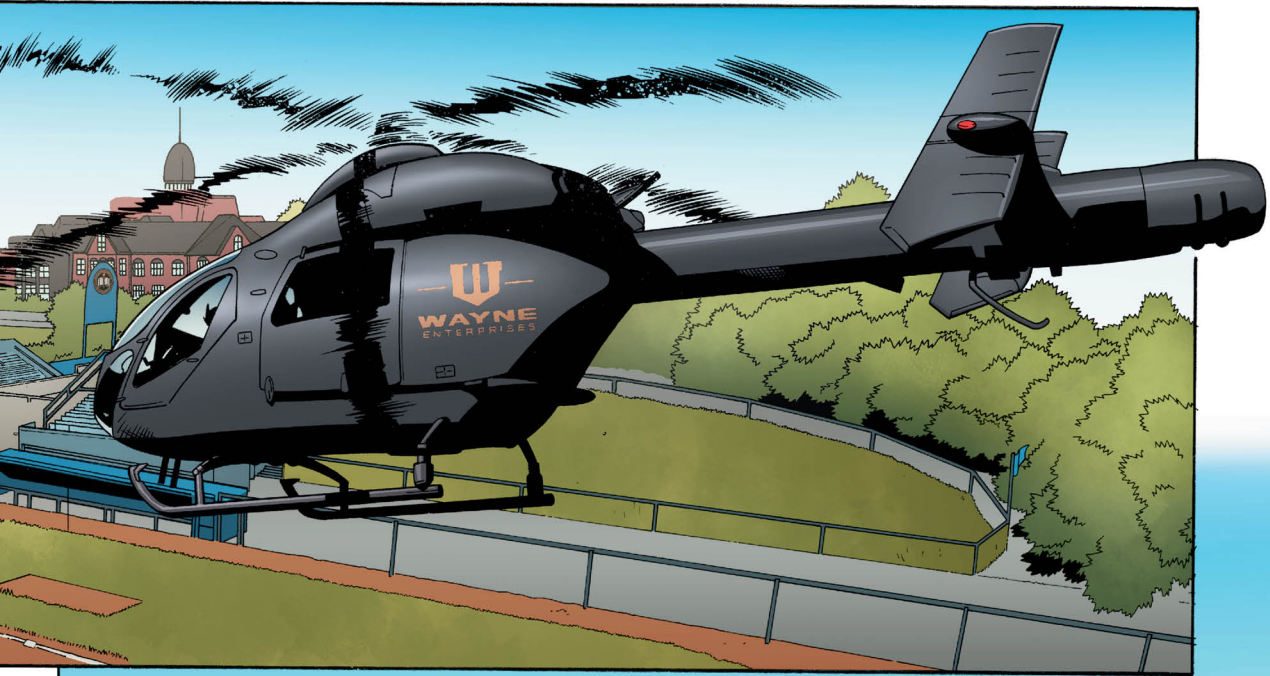
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HEY, MAN! BELL'S ABOUT TO RING. YOU JUST MADE IT.

DO YOU NEED TO MEET ME HERE *EVERY* MORNING?

MY FRIEND SHOWS UP TO SCHOOL IN A HELICOPTER, SO YEAH. I *NEED* TO SEE THAT.

YOU *DO* REMEMBER YOU CAN *FLY*, RIGHT?

YEAH... BUT STILL... A *HELICOPTER!*





DID YOUR DAD TELL YOU I'M STAYING WITH YOU THIS WEEKEND WHILE MY FOLKS ARE AWAY?

HE DID. AND WHERE ARE THE KENTS HEADED?

DAD'S... WELL, YOU KNOW WHERE HE IS, SINCE YOUR DAD HAS THE SAME "MEETING."

AND MY MOM'S WORKING ON SOME INVESTIGATIVE ARTICLE.

WELL, DON'T THINK YOU'RE RELAXING THIS WEEKEND. WE HAVE SCHEDULED PATROLS.

I HAVE HOMEWORK.

I'LL DO IT FOR YOU.

SO SHORT ROUND'S DOING YOUR HOMEWORK, J.K.? HE TAKING ON ANY MORE CLIENTS?

HE *DOESN'T* DO MY HOMEWORK, GEORGIA.

I'VE SEEN YOUR GRADES. YOU MIGHT WANNA CONSIDER IT.

CAN YOU TELL YOUR AMAZON FRIEND TO LEAVE US, JON?

AMAZONS ARE AWESOME. SO INSULT DENIED.

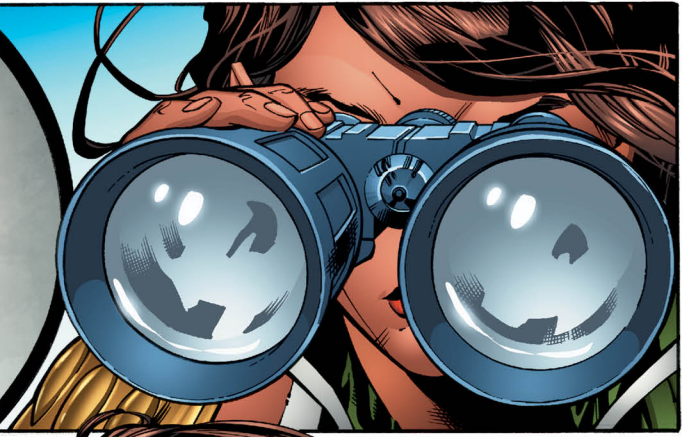
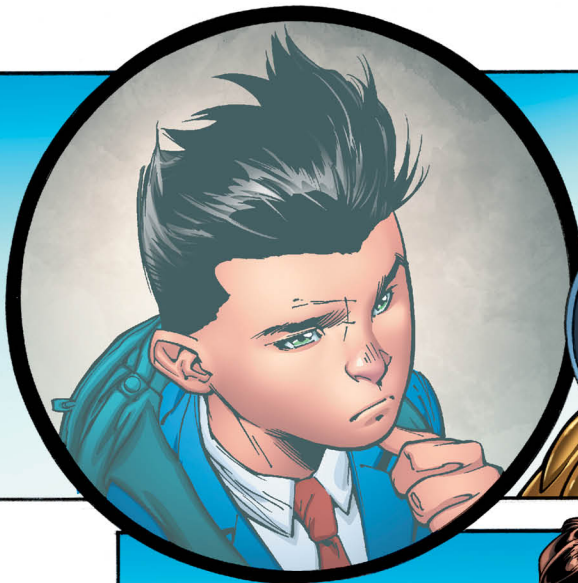
SHE'S COOL, AND TOTALLY FALLING FOR MY "REGULAR GUY" ACT. MEET YOU FOR LUNCH?

HOW ABOUT *NO*? DOES *NO* WORK FOR YOU?



GREAT. SEE YOU AT LUNCH.

ONCE MORE INTO THE BREACH...



ALL THAT POTENTIAL.

WASTING AWAY.



WHAT ARE YOU DOING TO OUR SON, BRUCE?

ANYONE? ANYONE AT ALL?

OKAY, LET'S TRY THIS... DOES ANYONE EVEN REMEMBER WHAT BOOK I ASSIGNED TO READ?

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