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It may not look like it, but we're professionals.

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Do us a favor.

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Don't try this at home!

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Whoa!

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Throughout the ages, mankind has pushed the limits of endurance and ingenuity to make

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the impossible possible.

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And now, the Mythbusters are about to join them.

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Yep, Jamie and Adam are, uh, herding cats.

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Oh, that is really scary as hell.

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But will they be the world's first cattle wrestlers?

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I'm gonna get you, I'm gonna get you.

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Meanwhile, Kari, Tori and Grant cut to the chase.

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Got her leg!

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And greased the squeals.

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He doesn't know I hit him.

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To find out if hauling a hog could really be as hard as they say.

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Ew, there's poo in my hands.

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Who are the Mythbusters?

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Adam Savage.

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I got the chicken!

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And Jamie Heinemann.

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What could go wrong?

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Between them more than 30 years of special effects experience, together with Tori Belachie.

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Let's chop this car up!

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Grant Imahara.

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Nothing to put right!

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And Kari Byron.

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They don't just tell the Myths, they put them to the test.

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First up, Adam and Jamie let the cat out of the bag with this Mythshun Impossible.

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So I got a memo from production that said impossible.

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What's that about?

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Yes, it's because over the years on this show, we have done many, many things formally considered to be completely impossible.

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Like, remember when we made a concrete airplane?

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Impossible, like lead balloon.

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It's perfect.

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Exactly.

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So this entire episode that we're about to do is all about us attempting things thought to be impossible.

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Like what?

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First up, herding cats.

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Seriously?

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Seriously.

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Cats.

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So individualistic, independent and aloof.

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They say you don't own a cat, it owns you.

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Which is why the phrase, herding cats, is synonymous with impossible.

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But could you ever rustle up a flock of felines without resorting to movie magic?

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So what do you think we should start with?

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I think we should find someone that teaches herding for a living and have them teach us on some kind of animal that's easy to herd.

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Like sheep or something.

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Okay.

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Let's get herding.

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Yep, they'll be pitting their wits against crabby tabbies later.

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But first, you've got to learn how to actually herd.

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Well, this is perfect.

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That's a herd.

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Let's see about moving around.

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So we wanted some instruction in the herding of animals and we found the perfect location up here

in Vacaville, California, a farm owned by Debbie Pollard called Herding for You.

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Debbie is going to run Jamie and I through the rudiments of animal herding.

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They'll be learning the ropes with a herd of six woolly wanderers.

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Now that it's time to be herding sheep, we're going to take this in baby steps.

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Jamie's going to walk the course while I describe it.

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We are going to merely walk them from the upper right hand corner down the fence line to the lower left hand corner.

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Make a left at that piece of fence and up through the middle.

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Not through the middle gate, just into the middle of that side of the paddock.

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Then once we've got that down, we're going to try and each individually maneuver the sheep through that gate in the middle and back up to the top right hand corner.

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Country boy Jamie is the first to tend to the flock.

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There you go, guys.

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There you go.

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And his firm but gentle technique is a real crab-pleaser.

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I think what they're saying is don't trust the white guy with a big mustache.

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Although one sheep puts up a little resistance, Jamie guides him back to the herd.

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I'm on to you.

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And you can bet the farm he soon got them home safe.

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Nicely done, sir.

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I did it.

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That was beautiful.

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There's a little bit of a delicate dance that we have to do to get them through the gate, but I did it. It worked.

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So now it's the sabbages turn to shepherd.

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All right, they're already walking in the direction I want.

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How hard can this be?

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All right, sheeps.

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Adams breezing through because sheep have evolved to stick together for safety in numbers.

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Now he's doing good. He's got them all in a nice tight group.

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We're going to keep going.

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And while the sheep's natural instinct is to huddle, will a group of feisty felines ever flock together?

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You're doing very well.

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It's a pleasure working with you, gentlemen and ladies.

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All these guys are doing so well.

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No, no, no, no, no, no. That's it. That's it. That's it. That's it. That's it.

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Yes.

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Adam and Jamie each herded their sheep through the course in three minutes.

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Yippee!

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But when you put the mythbusters among the felines, can they achieve the impossible and herd cats?

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Next, can Carrie, Tori and Grant really bring home the bacon?

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All right, so like Jamie and Adam, we are also testing idioms.

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But ours are dealing with pigs.

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Want to take a guess?

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When pigs fly.

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Nope.

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Silk purse out of a sows ear.

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Nope. Both of them are good, and maybe at some point we'll test those.

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But ours is catching a greased pig.

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Oh, as impossible as catching a greased pig.

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Ew.

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Sweat like a pig. Eat like a pig.

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Squeal like a pig.

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Idioms don't give our poor sign pals the best rap.

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However, this phrase suggests they sure can run.

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But with a load of lube, are they really impossible to pin down?

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Or is this saying total hogwash?

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Well, maybe the task is going to be hard, but the plan is pretty simple.

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Get pig, grease pig, chase pig, right?

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Yeah, sounds like we need a pig farm.

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This is weird.

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And just in case you were worried.

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Now I know what you're thinking.

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How could you be having a greased pig contest?

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They're so cute.

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Why would you want to harm them?

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But we've been given expert advice on how to handle these pigs

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so that none of them get hurt.

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Look at how adorable they are.

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Here, piggy piggy piggy piggy.

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Yep, no pigs will be harmed during this test.

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But they certainly will be greased.

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Ooh, it's thickening.

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So now to break down how this is going to work.

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When it comes time, we'll release the pig from the squeeze.

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It's going to run around and we'll time how long it takes

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for us to catch the pig and bring it into the 8 foot diameter circle

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in the middle of this pen.

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And first, a hog will be carried.

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See my pig coming?

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He's a nice, small, adorable little pig.

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I think they picked a good one out for me.

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Oh, he's slippery.

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He's and feisty.

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He's going to be hard to catch.

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My strategy?

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I'm just going to run and hope I can catch it.

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Those things are fast, especially the little guys.

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Fast and covered in a thick layer of animal birthing agent.

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All right, Carrie, good luck.

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Carrie gives chase and quickly corners her porker.

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Good technique.

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Got him in a corner.

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Oh, but now I have to touch him.

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Yeah, you've got a leg.

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There's poop on my hand.

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Carrie seized her swine using the traditional rear leg grab,

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but she was more distressed than her pig.

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I need some sanitizer.

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There's poop on my hand.

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It spilled my hand.

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Oh, good job.

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High five.

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Well, despite her germophobia,

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Carrie caught her pig in less than a minute.

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That quick result certainly throws doubt on the myth,

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but perhaps this idiom all comes down to size.

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I got the back legs and the undercarriage.

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This is so weird.

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So Carrie lubes up a 40-pound squealer for Grant.

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Come on.

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All right, Grant, you ready?

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Ready.

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You ready, Piggy?

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Here we go.

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Grant's hot on the grease trotters of his pig.

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Oh, boy.

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Yeah.

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That's animal gramps.

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Remember, you've got to outsmart the pig.

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However, after a minute and a half of the runaround,

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the pig decides to fight her corner.

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He's clocking his teeth at me, man.

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That's not cool.

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She thinks you look delicious.

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Get it. Yeah, yeah, yeah, you got it.

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You got it. You got it.

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You're coming with me, buddy.

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And as Grant drags the pig to the ring,

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this myth is looking shaky.

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Whoo! You did it.

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Nice work.

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Grant made it in two minutes and Carrie in 55 seconds,

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and those times are far from impossible.

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You know, so far, it's not really looking very good for this myth,

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but we're still working with baby pigs.

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We're going to have to get a much bigger pig for Tori,

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something to give him a real challenge.

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I'm not looking forward to this. Not one bit.

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Pooh!

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Later, Adam and Jamie have a myth that gets the scoop on poop.

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Sometimes it takes a while to make a nice poop.

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Cats and sheep.

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You'd be hard-pressed to find many similarities between the two,

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and although herding sheep is routine,

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herding cats is supposedly impossible.

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But after learning the herd way,

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Adam and Jamie are about to test their skills on cats.

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Our task here is pretty straightforward.

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We have a pen that's 35 by 45 feet,

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and we're going to fill it with eight cats.

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Our job is to move those cats from the big pen...

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...into the little pen.

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Or as we're fond of calling it, the cat corral.

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And thanks to the Animal Friends Rescue Project,

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they've got eight curious kitties to round up.

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Okay, now it's safe to unleash the beasts.

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This is exactly what I will look like when I come back as a cat.

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See?

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Sorry.

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With the cats contained, they're ready for some cat herding.

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At first, it's over to Adam and his gifts of persuasion.

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Good luck, buddy. Okay.

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You want to go this way.

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Straight away, the big difference between sheep and cats

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is that these cats will not flock together,

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I guess, because it's not natural behavior for them.

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Come on.

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So that means I'm trying to cajole them into the pen one by one.

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Hey, Red. Let's go over to the pen.

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What do you say? Let's take a look over there, see what's going on.

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This looks like it could be cool.

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Hey, this is an exit.

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No, no, no, no.

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But now it's been five minutes and even this one-on-one technique,

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which obviously you can't call herding, isn't working at all.

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I cannot get these cats to go anywhere that I want them to go.

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He's like amateur.

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Jamie, whatever the opposite of luck is, that's what I'm having here.

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Yep, the cat's instinctive response to Adam is to ignore him.

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So he tries something a little more hands-on.

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All right, I'm just going to put him in the pen,

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see if I can get him all in.

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I know this is cheating, but it's all I got.

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But as the number of cats in the pen grows, so does the cat-er-walling.

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That was a bad idea of mine. I'm very sorry.

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At the ten-minute mark, it looks like Adam's about to close the gate on eight cats.

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It's happening.

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Hobs.

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Defeat snatched from the jaws of victory.

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I give up. I got seven. I'm going with that as my score. It's your turn.

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Oh, the cats refuse to flock together, so Adam cheated seven into the corral.

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But can the Heinemann go one better and actually herd them?

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Let's start over here.

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Right, so I can see this cat's afraid of me.

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That's it. Go on. Go on. Go on.

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So I'm going to gently intimidate it to get it to go where I want.

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Wow.

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Yay.

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Jamie, nice. Well done.

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One cat. I got to do it exactly what I wanted.

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But although the cats are going into the corral of their own free will,

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it's a tactic that only works one cat at a time, so I'm not so sure this cat's hurting.

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Jamie's one-on-one approach has gotten five cats into the corral, but he's hit a snag.

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Go on. Go on.

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He's moving you back more than you're moving him forward.

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There are still three cats to go. Go on. Go on.

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And none of them are afraid of him.

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I don't think you're going to get him to move, Jamie.

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Okay. Well, I got five in the pen. I got three that just wouldn't play ball.

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That is very respectable. Nicely done. Are you almost ready to die?

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Well, Jamie's technique was far better than mine.

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By stabbing his feet and clapping his hands, he was able to control five of these V-lines into the pen,

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but that still gives him a 36% failure rate.

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I think we're going to have to bring some technology into this mix.

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And by technology, I mean cat toys.

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But now it's Tori's turn to play catch, and he's got a much heftier hog.

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He said her favorite dish is Italian.

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150 pounds of pig is caked in two gallons of grease and then released.

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Hey, hey, hey, she's getting out. All right, start the timer.

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All right, baby, just chill. Just be cool. Just be cool.

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Whoa, you almost got her.

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Damn it.

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Go for the leg.

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Oh, you're tearing her out.

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There you go. You got it. You got it.

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Oh, holy crap. She is heavy.

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Man, strong.

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Yep, at three quarters of Tori's body weight, she's a lot of hog to handle.

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She's tiring you out. That was her strategy the whole time.

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She might be smarter than us.

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God!

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Finally, just before the five-minute mark.

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Wheelbarrow. I like that technique. You're doing it.

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Tori gets a grip on a leg and heaves his hog into the ring.

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Woo! You did it!

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That was probably one of the hardest things I've ever done in this show.

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That girl was big, fat, tough, strong, sticky, but man, she's tenacious.

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So this is clearly busted. It's not impossible to catch a greased pig,

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but we're mythbusters. I feel like we could do this better.

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You know, make a better pigger upper.

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All right, well, a few ground rules, no tranquilizer darts, and no nets.

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Whatever we make, we have to carry along with us.

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And the most important rule, no pigs should be harmed in the making of this episode.

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Of course.

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So having proved this task is not impossible, just downright difficult,

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it's time to bust out that old mythbusters ingenuity

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and create some pigger-uppers to make catching greased pigs a breeze.

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And each mythbuster has a very different pig catching tactic to try.

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This one is mine.

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Ah! That's right. I got a pair of grabby claws.

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Now these are made out of plastic and they might break, so I'm going to remake my own.

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Get ready, porky. It's time for round two.

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Now, for my technique for catching the pig, I'm going to be using suction.

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Now we've used suction a lot on this show, like when Adam climbed up the side of a building.

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Oh, good luck there, little buddy. Thank you.

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But I'm not just going to be using the plungers for the suction alone.

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I'm also going to attach some vacuum cleaners to the plungers.

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Let's see if that greased pig can get away.

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When things get really complicated for a simple task,

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you really just have to keep it simple.

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So I know Tori's working with an idea that sort of sucks and Grant's got a lot of air.

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I'm hoping for a softer touch here.

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I'm thinking that this fur will grab onto the lube and make it so that it can actually hold onto the pig easily.

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Well, that's one part of Carrie's tactic.

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But to make the pigs come to her, she's got a secret ingredient.

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Ever heard eat like a pig? Well, I found some things that are irresistible to the swine.

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So as the piggies getting into the food, I'm going to sneak up right behind them,

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get right in the blind spot, and pick them up.

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Carrie's finished, but Tori's idea is just starting to come together.

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And although it may seem like something from the cartoon villain handbook,

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with plungers attached to vacuum hoses, it sure will suck.

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Lifer suction. Get your fresh hot lifer suction.

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And while Tori's been plugging away, Grant's getting some air to power his claws.

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So what I've got so far is a backpack with my air supply, a couple solenoid valves, a battery,

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everything that I need to power these actuators, which are going to be connected to my arms.

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The last piece of the puzzle is the claw.

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And by machining some aluminum elements, hopefully he's got that sorted.

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Okay, I am done with my claws. Time for a little test.

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All right, they do look a little pinchy, so I think what I'm going to do is cut up like a padded welding glove

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and put it over each claw.

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Yep, Grant's plan is to rule with an aluminum fist.

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This is claw test in three, two, one.

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As you can see, no marks, no damage.

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It'll hold the pig's legs securely without causing the pig any harm.

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Operation Pig Catcher is complete, but now it's time to test our devices on real pigs.

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This is going to be interesting.

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Coming up, the Mythbusters enter the ring with more foxy felines.

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But is there more than one way to herd a cat?

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Taking a catnap from cats next is a myth that stinks.

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So what's up next?

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Ten pounds of poop in a five-pound bag.

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Yeah, I know what you mean, but what's the story?

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Well, that is the story. It's the idiomatic phrase, you can't put ten pounds of poop in a five-pound bag.

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You mean like indicating something is impossible?

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Exactly.

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Well, I've always heard it said ten pounds of f\*\*\* in a five-pound bag.

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So have I, but because it's a family show, we can't say f\*\*\*.

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Well, can we say crap?

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Well, apparently we can say crap, but only twice in an episode, and we just did.

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Ah.

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It's a phrase that implies something is explicitly undoable.

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But is this scatological saying logical?

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Is it really impossible to scoop ten pounds of poop into a five-pound bag?

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Well, to find out, first they're going to need that mythical bag.

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Welcome to the Mythbusters Poopcraft Corner.

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Today we'll be making a bag that holds precisely five pounds of poop.

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What we've got here is a bunch of pounds of...

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Woo!

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Horse poop. Horse pucky.

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It's real.

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Poo!

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So the first order of business is to weigh out five pounds of equine number two.

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Back to etch onto this.

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Never use this bowl for food.

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Five pounds of poop.

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Next, Adam sows a bag that holds just that volume.

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Not right there, my friends.

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It's a five-pound bag of poop.

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You can give these away for birthdays, weddings, armits of us, whatever you want.

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And while Adam's been on do-do-doodie...

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Looks perfect.

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Jamie's been working on a way to compress ten pounds of poop into Adam's five-pound bag.

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This thing right here is an engine hoist.

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Now, normally it's used to lift an engine off the ground with that hydraulic piston in this lever.

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But the way I see it, if I take that piston out and I put a longer lever here,

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I'll have myself something like a gigantic garlic press.

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And that might be just the thing to compress ten pounds of poop into a five-pound bag.

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I reckon that'll work just fine.

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So now to see what the poop press can do.

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Loading the poop.

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But it's going to require some straining.

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Grr!

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Just be patient. Sometimes it takes a while to make a nice poop.

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And unsurprisingly, all that pressure is also producing a lot of toxic brown sludge.

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That's got to be thousands of pounds of pressure on that.

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I think that's probably good enough.

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Alright, let's try that out.

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Alright.

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Compared to an uncompressed ten pounds of poop, their stick brick is almost half the size.

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But does that mean it'll fit into Adam's bag?

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That's an impressive amount of compression.

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Yeah, we're on the right track.

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We have the tools, we have the methodology, and I think we're on the road to success.

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Well, with the bag and the poop press and the poop loaded,

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Oh, this is freaking disgusting.

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I'll tell you what, I'm glad it's not dog poo though.

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It's time to put on the squeeze.

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Okay, ready?

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Yeah.

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We harvest the poop twice a year in the spring and the fall,

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baked into cakes which are fermented in our attic.

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As that disgusting fluid runs off, it's clear that ten pounds of dung is diminishing.

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But...

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Okay, pulling it up.

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Alright.

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Oh, okay, so this is one of the problems we're having.

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Okay, well let's see if you can settle that down in there.

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So with a little manual assistance, the poop is pushed down further into the bag.

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Jamie's family have been manure massagers for three centuries.

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It started just before the American Revolution.

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And that hands-on approach has them nearing the finish.

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We're getting closer.

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Yeah.

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Remember we've got to tie that under that line, right?

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Oh, yeah.

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Okay, the bag goes back into the press once more.

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Okay, go for it.

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And after a final heroic push, dude, dude...

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Well, after all that wrangling, we took that ten pounds of poop and put it into that bag.

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It fits in a five-pound bag.

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It's mission accomplished.

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Or is it?

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We did it, we did it.

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Ten pounds of poop in a f-

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Uh-oh.

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How much does it weigh?

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It's seven and a half pounds.

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Well, I guess that means we squeezed two and a half pounds of water out of it.

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Most poop, or all poop, has water in it.

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And if we squeezed it out, we ought to put it back.

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It's part of the poop.

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I feel like that's cheating.

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Water's not poop.

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Poop is...this is poop.

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I think this equals poop and this is what we need to put in here.

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It's amazing what kind of philosophical discussions you can get into in trying to put poop in a bag.

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You would think it would be simpler.

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Yep, this myth confuses volume and mass.

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Five pounds of poop fits the bag with no room to spare.

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But when we compact ten pounds, which had twice the initial volume, it now fits into the same bag.

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However, the water that's lost during compression means the bag no longer weighs the ten pounds it's supposed to.

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So, how to call it?

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On the one hand, we were able to take ten pounds of poop and fit it into a five pound bag.

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So you might say we were successful.

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But on the other hand, in that process we lost a couple pounds of liquid,

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so the final resulting bag weighs less than ten pounds.

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So you would say that we're unsuccessful.

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I'm inclined to accept the latter because by definition, if you're taking ten pounds of poop and putting it in a five pound bag,

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that bag ought to weigh ten pounds.

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Now, that may be a little bit of a crappy conclusion, but heck, who gives a s\*\*\*?

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As yet, catching a grease pig has been comical, but not impossible.

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So now the team is getting competitive.

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Woo! You did it!

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Now we're back with our own inventions to catch pigs.

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Now as it stands, it took Carrie a minute to catch hers, it took Grant two minutes to catch his, and it took me a whole five minutes.

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We're going to do it again and see who comes out on top.

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Yep, and first to try for the pig-catching cup is Carrie, who's keeping it simple with a bait and pick strategy.

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Okay, so hopefully, he'll stop, get a snack, and then bam!

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Like gloves are on, but will they mean Carrie can catch this grease doink-er with ease?

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He's getting really slippery.

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Alright, you ready? You ready, Carrie?

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You ready? You ready to start the clock?

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Ready! Yep, go over it. And go!

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Okay, so he jumped right over the food.

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Yep, Carrie's little piggy ignored her tasty trap.

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This is a lot faster today!

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He's wearing you out.

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Making a break for the perimeter.

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But once she's got him cornered, the second part of her plan fits like a glove.

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Oh, she got him!

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I tell you what, once I actually did catch up to him, it was easier to grab him.

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Time! Yes!

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Yeah!

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Solved two problems. One, not afraid to touch the pigs, got gloves.

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Two, they gripped perfectly, and the pig, when I grabbed on, didn't seem to mind.

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It was like, oh, I like this.

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I am just like a pig in mud happy over the way that this glove thing worked out.

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I didn't have to touch the disgusting little critters.

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I got to grab on to them with a much softer but firm grip, and it all worked out.

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Simplicity was the key to Carrie's success.

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But can Grant beat his two-minute target and claw his way into the lead?

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Oh my goodness!

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Okay, and start the time!

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The pig is keen to get started, and although Grant's got a longer reach with his pig-friendly claws...

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He's going for it, whole hog!

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He's got to catch up to the pig first.

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All those near misses have Grant all puffed out.

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But finally, after completely exhausting porky, Grant gets his claw on the pig.

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Oh! You got it!

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Yes!

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No way!

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No way!

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Yeah!

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Nice work!

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I can't believe that actually worked!

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That did work, however...

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You doubled your time.

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What?!

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It was way more entertaining.

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Yeah.

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Entertaining, but twice as long, meaning his claws are no pig-catching shortcut.

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It's so unwieldy to deploy and so difficult to aim that, well, that pretty much ate up all my time.

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So, one out of two ain't bad, right?

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So, Grant's claws are out of contention and Kerry's fur gloves retain the lead.

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But can Dr. Vac enter the ring and Hoover up the title to become the ultimate pig picker?

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I'm off!

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Suck him up!

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Please do not try what you are about to see at home.

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We are what you call experts.

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Whether it be finding a needle in a haystack...

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BOWN NEEDLE!

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Or making a lead balloon that can fly...

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Take it as a challenge!

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Making the impossible possible has put the mythbusters on the map.

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But when it comes to the idea of herding a throng of strong-willed cats across country,

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have they reached the end of the line?

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That was a bad idea of mine. I'm very sorry.

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So now, in order to proceed, we're going to reduce the number of cats we have to herd

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to the smallest number we can still call several cats, and that is three cats.

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We are also going to enlist the aid of some kitty interest aids,

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colloquially known as cat toys, to help us.

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Yep, it's well known that cats have a weakness for toys.

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And fewer cats should make grouping them together,

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easier, right?

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So with a buffet of cat-tempting toys, Adam selected a famous feline lure.

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But he's adding an irresistible twist.

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Can empty the catnip in the bag so that when I shake the mouse in,

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it gets completely covered in the catnip.

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Yes!

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Hopefully that's going to be one desirable mouse.

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Hopefully.

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But will this trio of mischievous moggies

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puffball the punisher, the Krabby Tabby, and devious Domino take the bait

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and end up behind the gate?

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Time to go cat fishing.

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Adam casts his line and waits for a bite.

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I've got some interest.

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And for the first time, he's got the predators hooked.

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Yes, yes, yes, yes.

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Well, you've got two cats at once moving their way towards the trap.

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Totes.

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Adam's fake prey finally has two cats moving together towards the corral.

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But they quickly lose interest.

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So it's time to break out the ultimate cat attracting weapon.

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Lasers.

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Everybody knows that cats love lasers.

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Let's find out if they prefer green or red.

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Oh, yes.

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Okay, we have some.

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Wow, good, good, good.

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But although Adam had high hopes for his lasers, no, no.

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Uchi, uchi, uchi, uchi, uchi, uchi, uchi, uchi, uchi.

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None of the cats are guided by the light.

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They can clearly see the lasers.

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They notice them.

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They just don't seem to care.

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So after 10 minutes, Adam's cat is in the cage.

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And it's Adam's zero cats two.

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Well, as you can see, I am all alone in this cat corral.

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And I believe the cats have a better record of getting me into it

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than I have of getting them into it.

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All of the tricks that I have employed have not worked at all.

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I'm not hurting cats.

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Adam's defeated.

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So Jamie's contenders enter the ring.

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He'll face off against Miss White.

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And the cat's got a chance to get him into the cage.

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And the cat's got a chance to get him into the ring.

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He'll face off against Miss White, the ginger ninja, and Bob.

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Adam tried to attract the cats.

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That didn't work.

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So I'm going to try to repel them.

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Like earlier, Jamie's using the natural startle reflex of the cats.

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OK, go with the other kitties.

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That's it.

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That's it.

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You've gotten them into one corner.

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That's pretty good.

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But Jamie's umbrella and Maraka Marengue still doesn't group the cats together.

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So he doubles down with two umbrellas.

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I think we're on to something.

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OK, you're home free.

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Sort of nice and steady.

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I'm going to be afraid of it.

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That's it.

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But even double the trouble can't get these cranky cats to cooperate.

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It seems to me that it's virtually impossible to get these cats to behave in any kind of grouping at all.

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A herd or a flock.

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I don't think it's working.

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I can herd individuals, but if you can't get them to behave as a group,

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I don't think that we're being successful at herding.

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Indeed.

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So it's time to pull out all the stops.

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Why don't we work as a team?

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All right, let's do it.

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As they enter the ring for our last ditch attempt,

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two men and four umbrellas versus three cats.

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Oh yeah, we're all in a group.

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That's it.

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Slow and steady.

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Going.

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Going.

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I lost the white one.

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What do you think?

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I think we successfully herded cats for about eight feet.

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I think so.

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It really is true to the saying.

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And clearly at the end of five unsuccessful rounds, there's no arguing with this result.

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So this is confirmed, right?

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It's totally confirmed.

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In every way that we could have demonstrated, herding cats is just as difficult,

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not impossible as the idiomatic phrase would lead you to believe.

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But you know what?

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I might just have an idea.

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We're in a very similar location because we thought it was an easy place to contain the cats in,

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but we made one small mistake and that was this hole right here,

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which was just big enough for cats to get into.

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So we now have several cats inside the walls and we're trying to herd them back out, so to speak.

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The walls may have ears, but with a little DIY,

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and a lot of treats, our escapees are soon back behind bars.

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There we go.

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After complete feline failure, it really is true to the saying.

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It's time to turn this job over to the professionals.

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Hey, Lance, how's it going?

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How would you feel about herding some cats?

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I was wondering what technique you were planning on using.

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Perfect idea.

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Let's go.

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Yep, this myth is going to the dogs because they may be man's best friend,

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but they're also the arch enemy of cats.

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Lance and Debbie are the ultimate droving duo from herding for you,

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and if they can't herd eight cats into the corral, nobody can.

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All right, here we go.

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Three, two, one, and go.

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Immediately, it's clear that the cats are standing their ground.

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Arched backs.

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All the backs are arched here.

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In fact, they're going on the attack.

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Here.

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Because when cat meets dog, their natural instinct is to fight.

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And although Lance obeys Debbie's commands, the cats do not budge one iota.

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I'm really not sure about this boss.

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This is one of the most bizarre things I've ever seen.

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It's totally amazing.

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After six minutes of feline resistance, it's clear not even a sheep dog can herd cats.

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Lie down.

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Lie down.

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Calm down.

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You're okay.

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You're not in trouble.

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Good boy.

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Come on over here, Lance.

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Good boy.

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Good boy, yeah.

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So what do you think was going on there?

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I think he was out of his game and he's not used to animals that don't come together.

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And he wouldn't face off something like that normally.

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He's not used to dealing with predators and that sort of situation, and they all know the relationship, I guess.

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Right.

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I think they thought he was lunch.

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Good job, buddy.

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Good job, buddy.

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Hey, Lance, how did that go for you?

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I totally know what you mean, buddy.

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You did a great job, regardless.

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Good boy.

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That was rough.

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It's time for the final contender.

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To take the lead from Carrie, Tori needs to catch 150 pounds of greased porker in less than half his previous time.

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All right, let's see if I can suck.

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All right, you ready, Troy?

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Ready.

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Three, two, one, go.

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Remember, you got to cut your time by 50%.

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Tori's off to a sucky start, but his attempt comes unplugged.

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Oh, time out, time out.

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I blew a fuse.

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After a quick fix, he powers up again with 20 seconds already on the clock.

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Oh, that was good.

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You got to keep up with the pig.

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The concept works.

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My suction is not strong enough.

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Poor pig doesn't know I hit him.

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I'm going to suck him up.

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The minutes tick by as Tori pursues his porker with 50 pounds of vacuum cleaner on his back.

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Yes, yes.

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But it's too light a touch to hold on to 150 pounds of pig.

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Go and plunge your man.

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You got him on the ropes.

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You got him on the ropes, kid.

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You got 10 seconds left, man.

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Oh, yeah, get it in the circle.

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Yeah, you got him.

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Oh, you almost got him.

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Oh, that's time.

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That signals the end of Tori's five minutes and the end of his challenge for the pig catching cup.

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Yeah, you definitely win the award for weird.

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Dude, that was awesome.

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I could sit almost working.

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Man, I just needed more suction.

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If that pig wasn't so strong, I might have been able to get him to the circle.

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Yeah, you definitely needed to suck more.

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All right, this sucked pretty good, though.

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Well, I guess that means that Carrie is the winner.

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Congratulations.

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Yep, the title of the ultimate pig picker-upper goes to Carrie Byron.

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And so ends the swine Olympics.

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Now for the myth that it's impossible to catch a grease pig clearly busted.

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We've learned all it takes is a slightly softer touch,

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and the Tori is going to make a great super villain janitor someday.

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Well, I guess the lesson here is keep it simple.

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Yep.

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Both of you need a shower.