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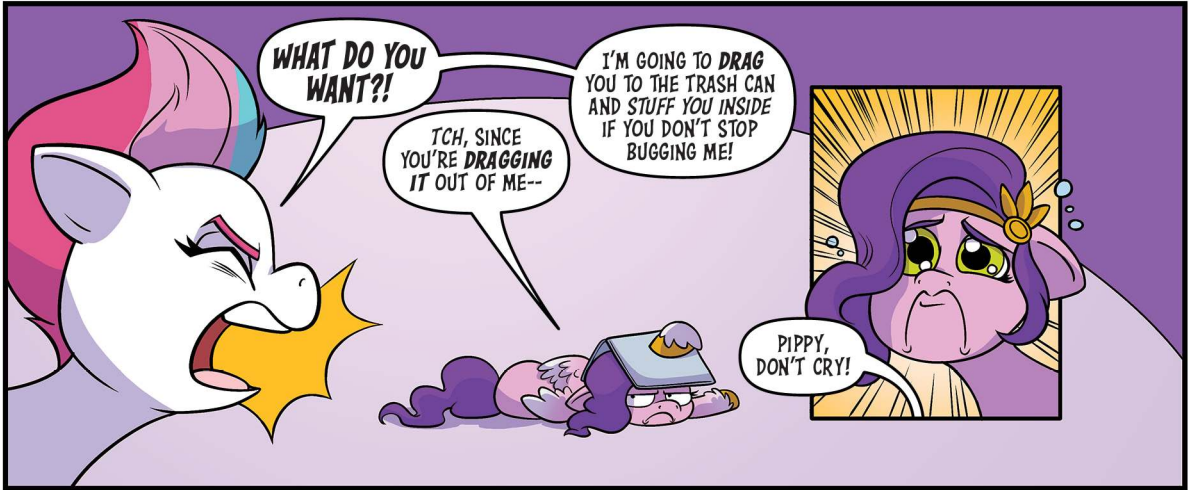
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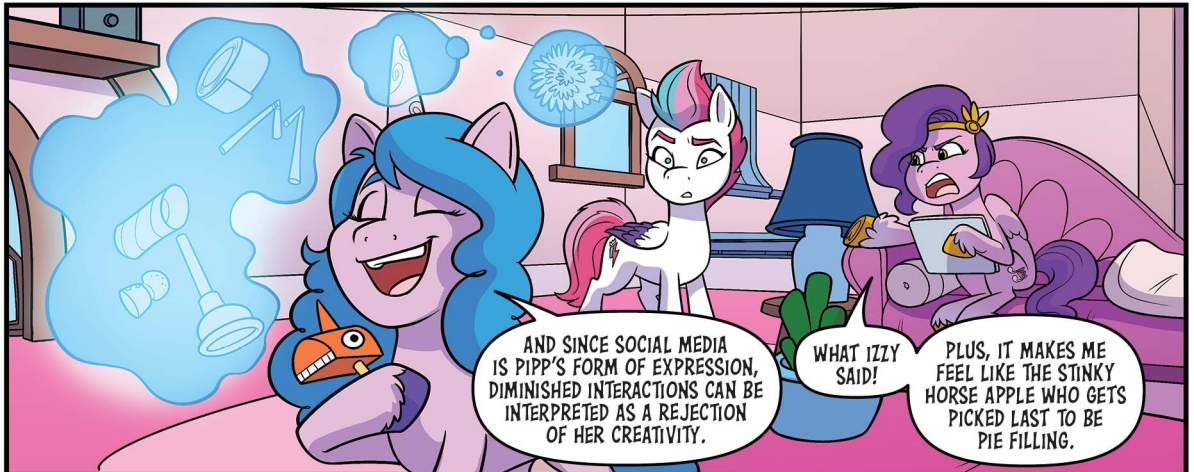
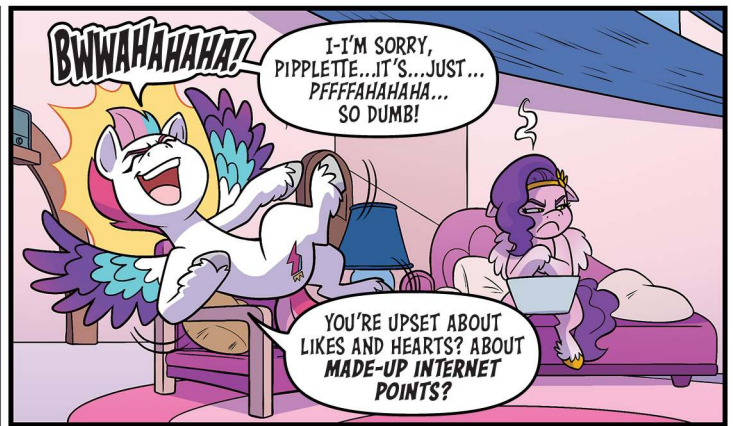


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Pipsqueaks, get ready for the conclusion to my adventure into the ~unknown~ as me, @sunnydelight, @moonbro, and @stormyskies complete the final step in the #theOldNagChallenge. If you're just catching up, check my stories from last week...







--WAS BREAKING 250,000 HITS WHEN WE WERE IN LAVA CREEKS! AS THINGS GOT BACK TO NORMAL, I NOTICED FEWER COMMENTS, FEWER LIKES, EVEN--

¿GULP?¿

WHAT IS IT, PIPP?



**UNSUBSCRIBING!**



I KNOW THIS SEEMS SILLY AND SHALLOW. I'VE COME SO FAR WITH BEING HONEST, WITH SHOWING THE REAL ME.

IT'S JUST...WHAT IF THEY DON'T LIKE THE REAL ME?



I DON'T WANT TO CHANGE WHO I AM, BUT THE PIPPSQUEAKS WANT ADVENTURE! EXCITEMENT!

AND I WANT TO GIVE IT TO THEM.

IT'S OKAY IF THIS DOESN'T MAKE A WHOLE LOT OF SENSE, BUT IT'S LIKE YOU SAID, IZZY. THIS IS MY ART.



WE DON'T HAVE TO GET IT 100 PERCENT, PIPP! IF IT'S IMPORTANT TO YOU, THAT MEANS IT'S IMPORTANT TO US.

SO HOW CAN WE HELP?

HAVE YOU EVER HEARD OF THE OLD NAG?

**MeganRules**

Anypony ever gotten her to show up? Me and my sister tried but nothing really happened. A light went out but no ghostie or anything.

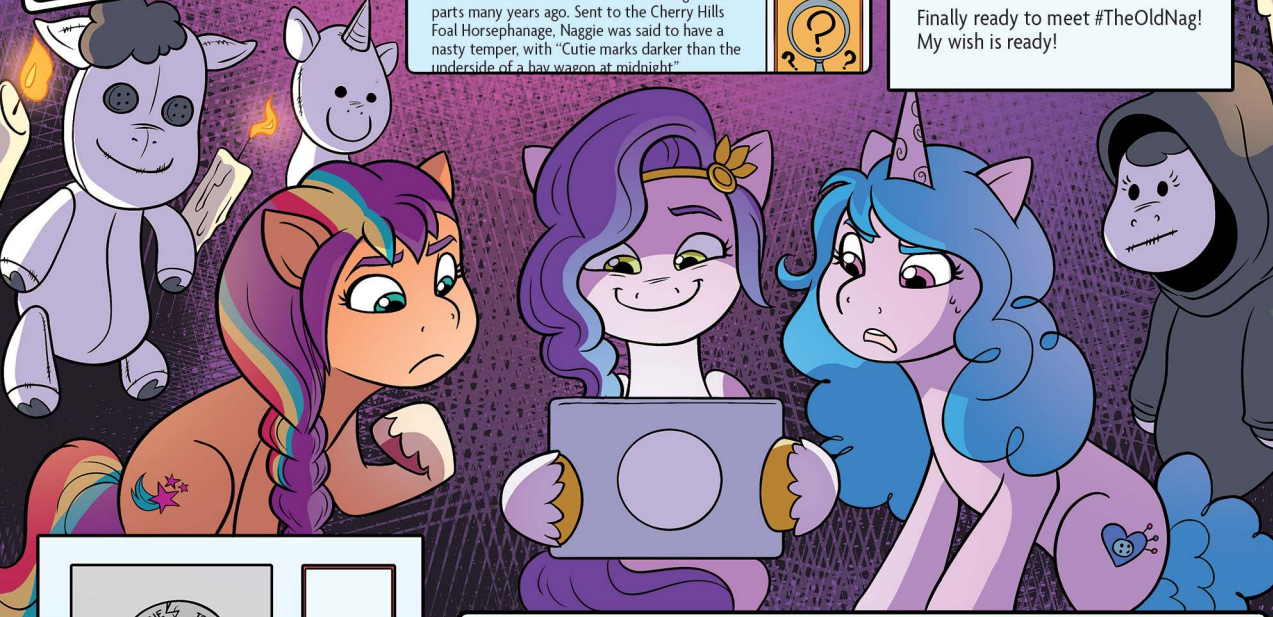
**mareCrimeBay Forums**

**The Old Nag: Terrifying Truth or Horse Hoax?**

You visit TikTrot, Reinit, Ponygram, MyStall, or any of the other 'pony' social media sites, you have probably heard the name of Nagathine Irons—Naggie, as she was known. Born in Dodge Junction, she was an only filly to her parents, both of whom disappeared in the Ten Gallon Tornado that tore through those parts many years ago. Sent to the Cherry Hills Foal Horsephanage, Naggie was said to have a nasty temper, with "Cutie marks darker than the underside of a hay wagon at midnight"

**KELPIE KATE**

Finally ready to meet #TheOldNag!  
My wish is ready!



**The Final (?) Resting Place**

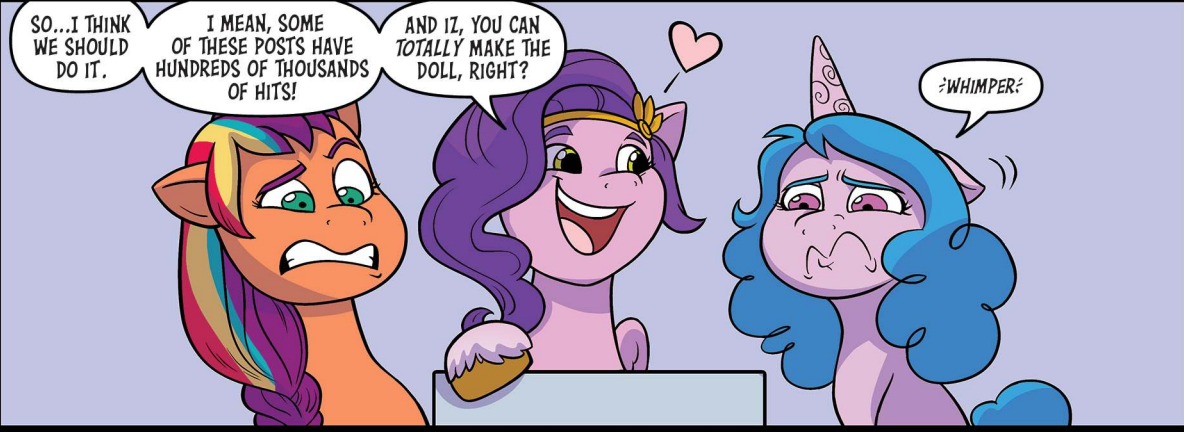
Although the Better Pastures Gaityard is tidy and bright, there seems to be a shadow over the plot allegedly belonging to Nagathine Irons. Better Pastures marearker refused to comment on the legends, but it could see fear in their eyes as we approached this section of the grounds, where it's rumored

**STIRRUP TROUBLE 1hr**

**Don't Do This**

If you've got oats for brains and decide to try this, please just DON'T. If you do, at least tell your parents so they can talk you out of it. Ugh, whatever, here it is:

- o If you don't know the story, Naggie's so-called friends said they were planning a b-day party for her, but then nopony came. Her spirit can be summoned by recreating the party, which will trap Naggie and force her to grant you a wish. Nopony has ever gotten the wish as far as I can tell.
- o You will need a symbol of the Old Nag, ideally a stuffed horse.
- o It will take the Old Nag three days to fully appear.
- o You need three friends, one to represent each of the Nag's enemies who didn't show up for her party.
- o You must start the ritual at 11 p.m. EXACTLY!
- o Are you sure you want to do this? Then keep reading. I guess







EVER SINCE I POSTED ABOUT THE OLD NAG CHALLENGE, I'VE HAD MORE PIPPSQUEAKS THAN EVER GETTING INTO IT!

MMM. THAT'S GREAT.

EVERYPONY LOVES A GOOD GHOST STORY, Y'KNOW?

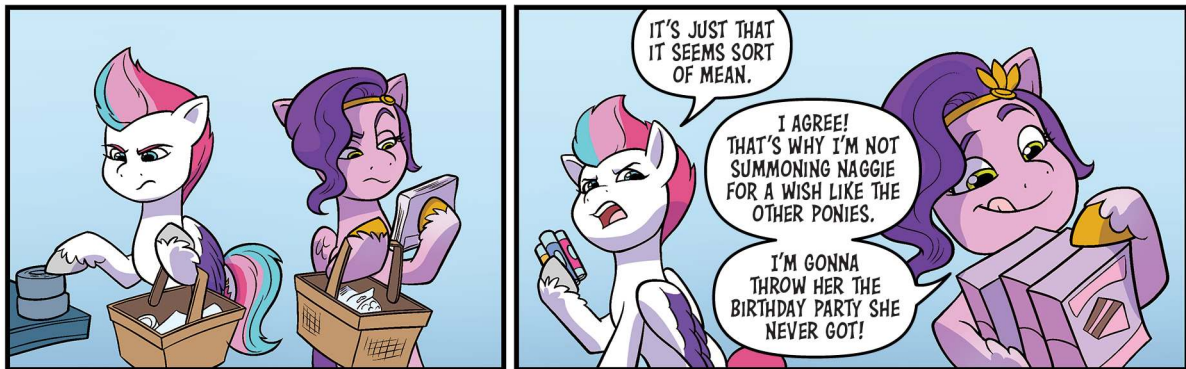
I WOULDN'T EXACTLY CALL IT GOOD.



ARE YOU GOING TO BE A NEIGHSAYER? I REALLY DON'T WANT TO--

IT'S A STORY ABOUT SOME POOR PONY WHO WAS THE VICTIM OF A NASTY PRANK AND CAME BACK TO GET REVENGE!

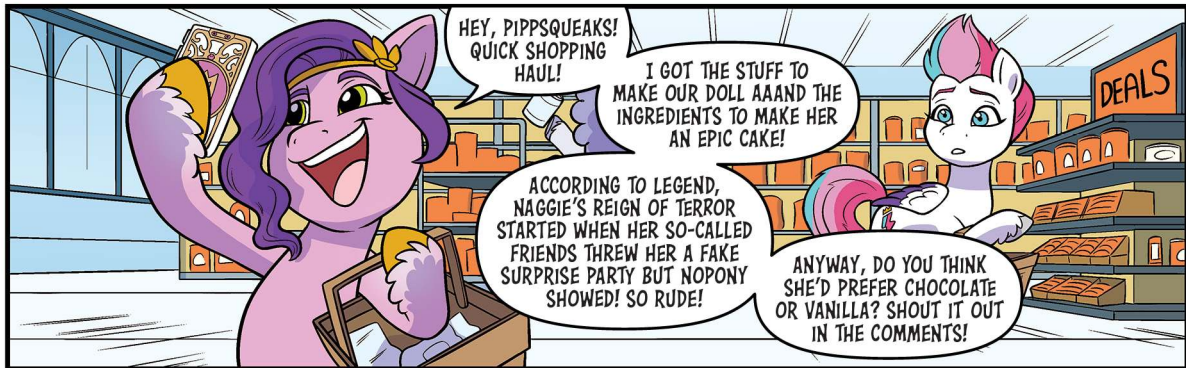
WHICH IS EXACTLY WHY I'M PUTTING MY OWN SPIN ON IT!



IT'S JUST THAT IT SEEMS SORT OF MEAN.

I AGREE! THAT'S WHY I'M NOT SUMMONING NAGGIE FOR A WISH LIKE THE OTHER PONIES.

I'M GONNA THROW HER THE BIRTHDAY PARTY SHE NEVER GOT!



HEY, PIPPSQUEAKS! QUICK SHOPPING HAUL!

I GOT THE STUFF TO MAKE OUR DOLL AAND THE INGREDIENTS TO MAKE HER AN EPIC CAKE!

ACCORDING TO LEGEND, NAGGIE'S REIGN OF TERROR STARTED WHEN HER SO-CALLED FRIENDS THREW HER A FAKE SURPRISE PARTY BUT NOPONY SHOWED! SO RUDE!

ANYWAY, DO YOU THINK SHE'D PREFER CHOCOLATE OR VANILLA? SHOUT IT OUT IN THE COMMENTS!



I KINDA THINK YOU'RE MISSING THE POINT OF THE STORY.

CHOCOLATE'S IN THE LEAD SO FAR!



LATER.

IZZY, THEY DIDN'T HAVE BLACK THREAD SO I GOT FLOSS! SAME THING, RIGHT?

I AM NOT MAKING A DOLL TO LURE THE SPIRIT OF AN ANGRY PONY WITH THESE.

BUT THEY'RE SO CUTE! OH! AND CAN YOU MAKE HER A TINY PARTY HAT, TOO? PLLLLLEEEASE???



FINE! BUT I'M MAKING THE--THE...

...SUMMONING STUFFIE--

--WITH SOME RESPECT. RATTLY EYES ARE NOT RESPECTFUL.

OOOH! AND CAN THE HAT HAVE A LITTLE BALL ON THE END???



WE HAVE TO SET UP CAMERAS IN EVERY ROOM?

YEP! THAT WAY IF ANY UNEXPLAINED PHENOMENA OCCUR, THE PIPPSQUEAKS CAN HAVE TOTAL VIEWING ACCESS!

ARE YOU SURE THIS IS THE RIGHT WAY TO GET YOUR FOLLOWERS BACK?



THEY SEEM TO LIKE IT SO FAR. I HAVEN'T SEEN THIS MUCH ENGAGEMENT SINCE THE SELFIE WITH LIGHTNING ROD.



AND EVERYBODY LOVES A GOOD GHOST STORY.



It's #FlatlayFriday, Pippysqueaks! In honor of #TheOldNagChallenge, I am baking up some delicious treats for our soon-to-be ghostly horseguest. How do you make the ponies in your life (or afterlife) feel? Drop it in the comments and stay tuned for #OldNagNightOne!



LIVE

ON NIGHT ONE, WE OPEN THE VEIL BETWEEN THIS WORLD AND THE NEXT.

LET'S REVIEW OUR SUPPLIES.



LIVE

PROTECTION.

OFFERING.

SYMBOL.

HMM, SOMETHING IS MISSING...



LIVE

EEEEEE!



LIVE

AND I GOT THIS COOL BOOK, JUST IN CASE ANYTHING GETS HOOFED UP.

WHICH IT *WON'T!* BUT...THIS IS AS GOOD A TIME AS ANY TO MENTION THIS.



LIVE

FOR EVERYPONY WATCHING, DON'T PLAY WITH MATCHES, SPIRITS, YOUR PARENTS' EXPENSIVE CAMERAS--

OH, AND DON'T BE MEAN TO ANYPONY 'CAUSE THEY MIGHT COME BACK AS A VENGEFUL GHOST TO HAUNT YOU!



LIVE



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LIVE

WAS, UH... WAS THAT IT?



LIVE

FOR TONIGHT, YEAH. TOMORROW NIGHT WE INVOKE AND INVITE, WHATEVER THAT MEA--



LIVE

AAAAA!



LIVE

SEEMS LIKE SOMETHING HAS ALREADY BEEN INVITED...AND IT'S ACCEPTED!



LIVE

AS YOU CAN SEE, PIPPSQUEAKS, WE'VE ALREADY HAD ACTIVITY. GONNA TRY TO GET SOME SLEEP...TUNE IN TOMORROW!



THE NEXT DAY.

I KNOW I PUT IT HERE LAST NIGHT! UGH, I'M SO LATE!



HAS ANYONE SEEN MY RECIPE BOOK? IT WAS ON THE TABLE.



WHERE!



IS IT?!



NEVER MIND, FOUND IT!



OHhhh, CELESTIA'S MANE! DID YOU CATCH THAT, SQUEAKS?

WEIRD STUFF IS ALREADY HAPPENING.



LIVE



IZZY, THE PIPSQUEAKS WANT TO SEE A TUTORIAL ON THE STUFFIE YOU MADE! WHAT DO YOU THINK?

UM, CAN YOU TURN THAT OFF FOR A SEC?



DO YOU THINK THIS GHOST STUFF IS REAL?

UNDECIDED, I GUESS. WHY?



I MAKE THINGS BECAUSE IT MAKES ME HAPPY. RIGHT?

I THOUGHT THAT'S WHY YOU DID YOUR SOCIAL MEDIA STUFF.

IT IS!



IF YOU'RE NOT SURE IF YOU BELIEVE IN THIS STUFF, AND YOU'RE DOING THIS TO GET FOLLOWERS BACK, WHAT ABOUT IT IS MAKING YOU HAPPY?

WELL, IT'S INTERESTING, FOR ONE! AND I LIKE ENTERTAINING--



ISN'T THAT WHAT THE PONIES WHO MESSED WITH NAGGIE WERE DOING? ENTERTAINING THEMSELVES?

EXCEPT THEY WERE MEAN AND I'M NOT. I SAID I DON'T EVEN WANT THE WISH!

YOU DON'T HAVE TO BE PART OF IT, YOU KNOW.



I TOLD YOU I'D HELP AND I WILL. I GUESS...JUST THINK ABOUT WHY YOU'RE DOING IT, OKAY?



NIGHT TWO IS WHERE WE ACTUALLY WELCOME THE GHOST OF NAGGIE TO VISIT US!

THEY SAY RECREATING THE SCENE LURES HER IN.



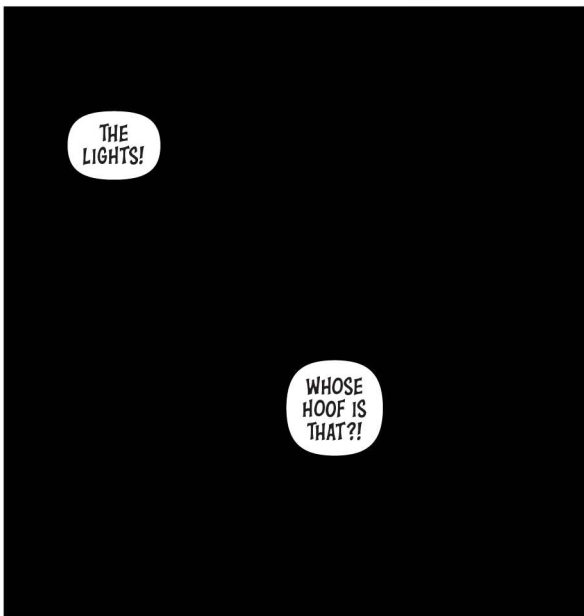
BUT ALSO! IT'S SO CUTE HERE! AND TOTALLY NOT A PRANK PARTY.



YOUR VOTES WERE A TIE SO I MADE CHOCOLATE AND VANILLA!



SORRY I'M LATE, I--

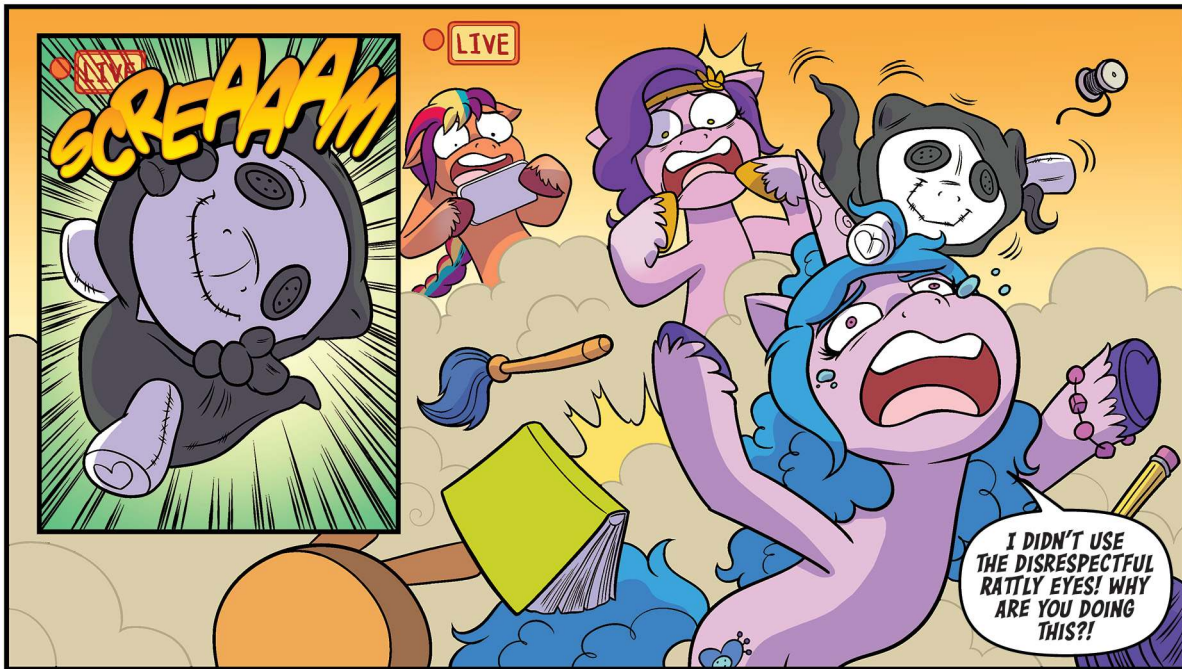


THE LIGHTS!

WHOSE HOOF IS THAT?!



NIGHT TWO OF HASHTAG OLD NAG CHALLENGE, LIGHTS JUST WENT OUT FOR NO REASON! GHOST EMOTE, SCREAM EMOTE. SEND TWEET.





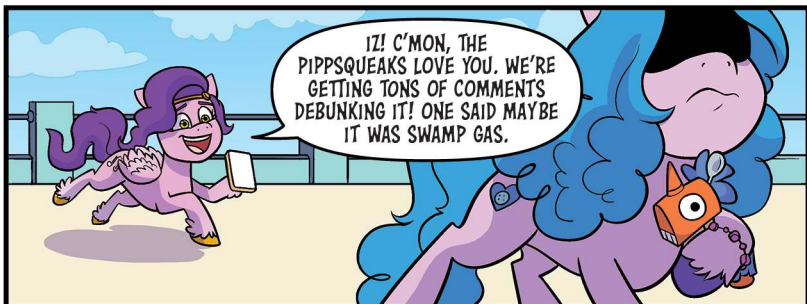
I CAN'T GO BACK, NOT UNTIL THIS ORDEAL IS OVER.

I HAVE BAMBINO BUTTERSCOTCH TO THINK OF.

IT WAS SCARY FOR SURE. BUT WE DON'T KNOW THAT IT WAS NAGGIE.



DON'T WE.



IZI! C'MON, THE PIPPSQUEAKS LOVE YOU. WE'RE GETTING TONS OF COMMENTS DEBUNKING IT! ONE SAID MAYBE IT WAS SWAMP GAS.



EWWW! WHAT'S THAT?

NO IDEA, BUT I'D LIKE TO FIND OUT! TOGETHER?



FINE. BUT IF ANYTHING ELSE CREEPY HAPPENS...

AFTER TOMORROW, WE'RE FINISHED. BACK TO NORMAL.



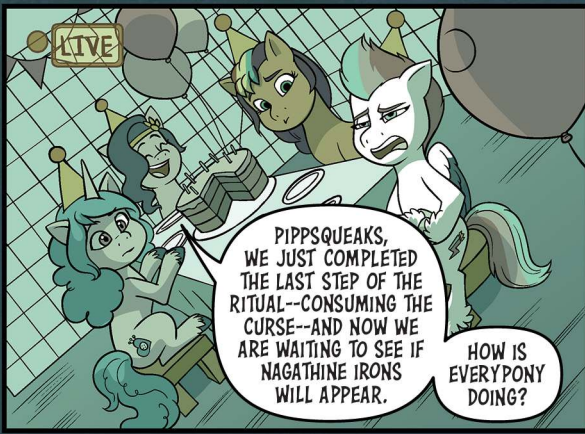
BACK TO NORMAL UNTIL YOU GET ANOTHER BRILLIANT IDEA.

AND WITH THAT, PIPP PETALS AND IZZY MOONBOW, SIGNING OFF UNTIL TONIGHT!



Will @moonbro be back for more? Or has #TheOldNagChallenge defeated our favorite unicorn?





LIVE

PIPPSQUEAKS, WE JUST COMPLETED THE LAST STEP OF THE RITUAL--CONSUMING THE CURSE--AND NOW WE ARE WAITING TO SEE IF NAGATHINE IRONS WILL APPEAR.

HOW IS EVERYPONY DOING?



TOO MUCH CAKE.

SO FAR, SO GOOD. NOT A STUFFIE IN SIGHT.

I DUNNO, PIPP. THIS FEELS WRONG.

I'M SURE IT'LL BE FINE ONCE WE'RE DONE!

OH NO, BRB.



LIVE

FEEL BETTER, SIS!



I TOLD YOU THIS FELT WRONG!

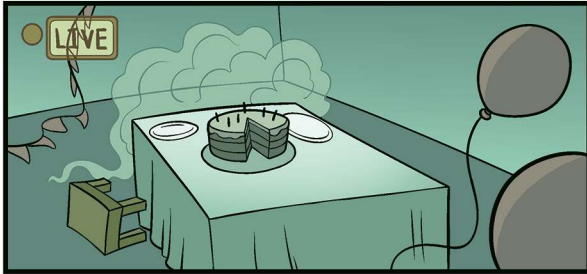
THAT'S IT! I'M OUTTA HERE!

IZZY, STAY! I'M SURE IT'S--



LIVE

--N-O-N-I-N-G!



I'M HIDING IN MY CLOSET. NAGGIE IS OUT THERE.

I--I JUST WANTED TO--TO...DO... SOMETHING EXCITING. BUT I...NEVER THOUGHT--



I'M SO SCARED I DON'T KNOW WHAT TO DO. WHAT IF SHE'S DANGEROUS?

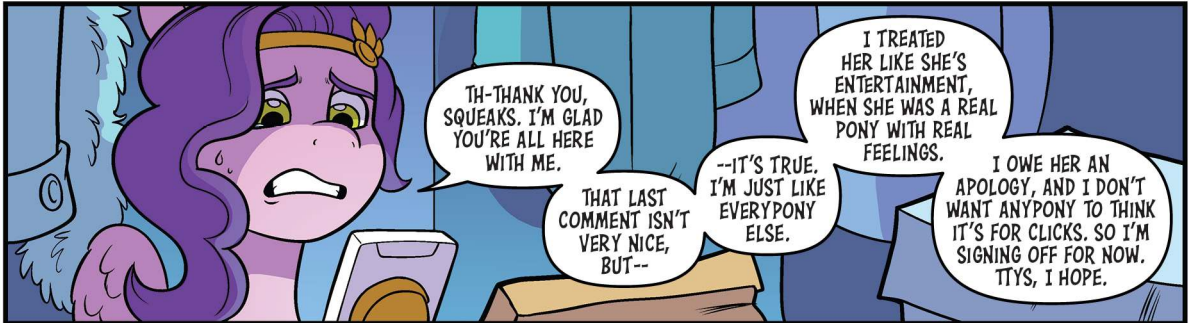
THIS WAS A MISTAKE, AND I'VE LET MY FRIENDS DOWN.



BAETHEBAY: U R NEVER LETTING US DOWN!

HOOPICK33: WE ♥ U, PIPP

EXHORSEIST: SHE'S GONNA GET U NOW, JUST LIKE THOSE OTHER PONIES



TH-THANK YOU, SQUEAKS. I'M GLAD YOU'RE ALL HERE WITH ME.

THAT LAST COMMENT ISN'T VERY NICE, BUT--

--IT'S TRUE. I'M JUST LIKE EVERYPONY ELSE.

I TREATED HER LIKE SHE'S ENTERTAINMENT, WHEN SHE WAS A REAL PONY WITH REAL FEELINGS.

I OWE HER AN APOLOGY, AND I DON'T WANT ANYPONY TO THINK IT'S FOR CLICKS. SO I'M SIGNING OFF FOR NOW. TYS, I HOPE.



NAGGIE? CAN YOU COME OUT?



IF YOU'RE HERE, I'D LIKE TO MAKE MY WISH NOW.



I WISH YOU HAD THE BIRTHDAY PARTY YOU DESERVED, WITH FRIENDS AND FAMILY AND EVERYTHING YOU LOVED.



THAT'S REAL, UH, KIND OF YOU. VERY NEIGH-BORLY.

I'LL BE GOING NOW!

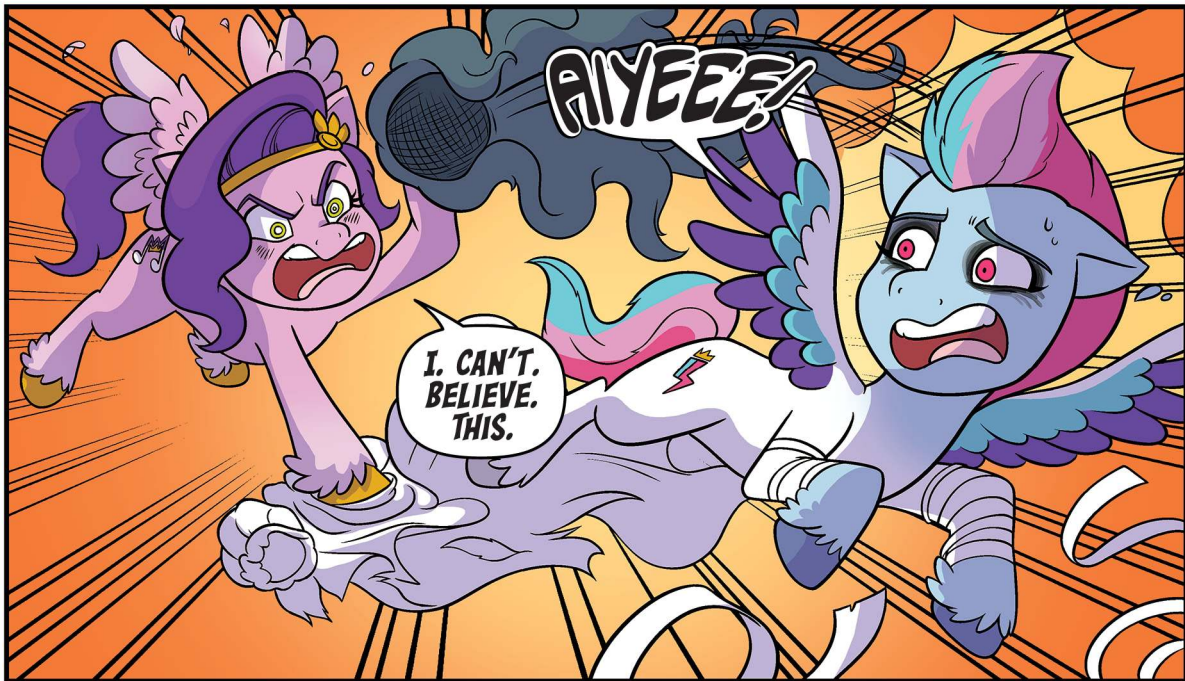
WAIT! BEFORE YOU GO...I'M SO SORRY, NAGGIE. IT WAS WRONG OF ME TO TRY TO GET FOLLOWERS BACK AT YOUR EXPENSE AND--



ARE THOSE PARTY STREAMERS?

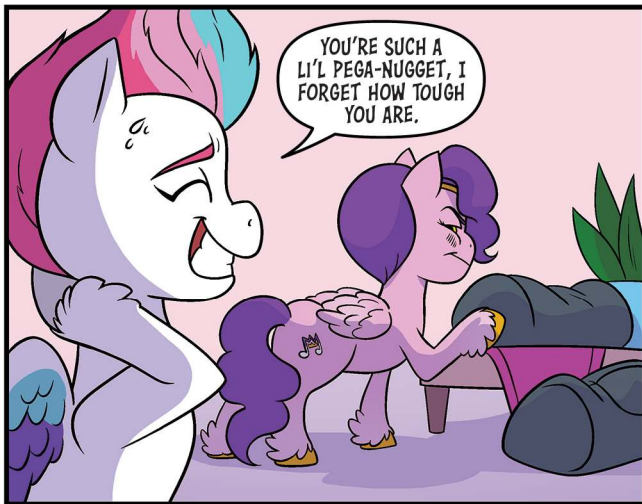


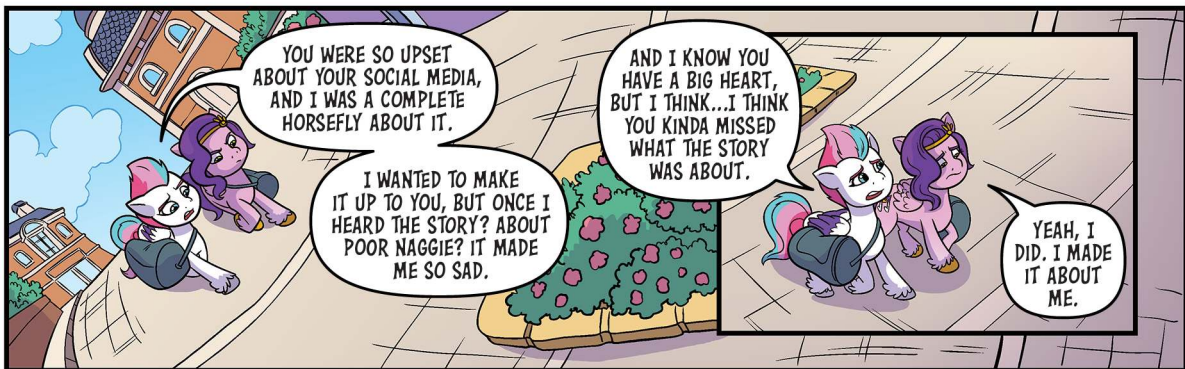
MUST BE GOING, MY POWERS ARE FAAAAADING!



AIYEEE!

I. CAN'T. BELIEVE. THIS.





YOU WERE SO UPSET ABOUT YOUR SOCIAL MEDIA, AND I WAS A COMPLETE HORSEFLY ABOUT IT.

AND I KNOW YOU HAVE A BIG HEART, BUT I THINK... I THINK YOU KINDA MISSED WHAT THE STORY WAS ABOUT.

I WANTED TO MAKE IT UP TO YOU, BUT ONCE I HEARD THE STORY? ABOUT POOR NAGGIE? IT MADE ME SO SAD.

YEAH, I DID. I MADE IT ABOUT ME.



AT FIRST, I THOUGHT I'D PULL A FEW TRICKS AND MAYBE IT WOULD BE SCARY ENOUGH TO MAKE THINGS STOP.

I FEEL SO DUMB. AND KINDA MAD AT YOU? IT'S CONFUSING.

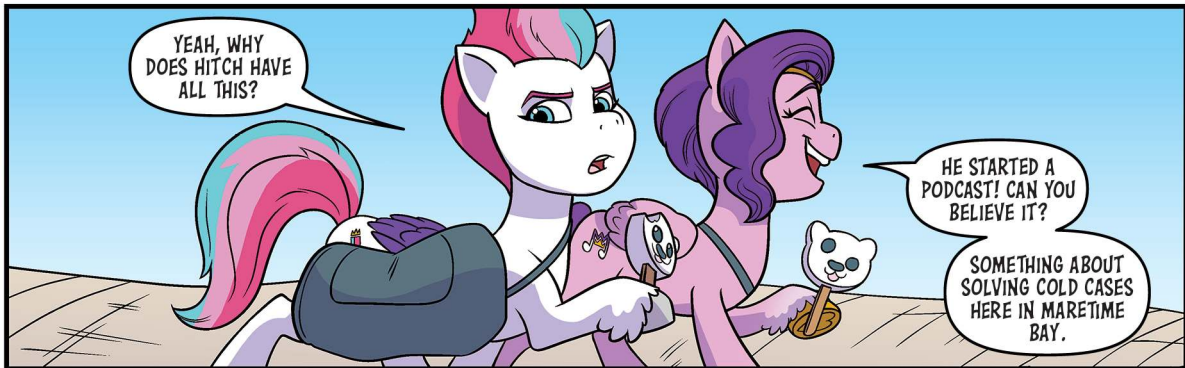
WOULD ICE CREAM HELP?



AT LEAST THE PIPPSQUEAKS UNDERSTOOD. THEY THOUGHT WE WERE MAKING A FOUND-FOOTAGE THINGY.

IN FACT, THEY ASKED FOR MORE.

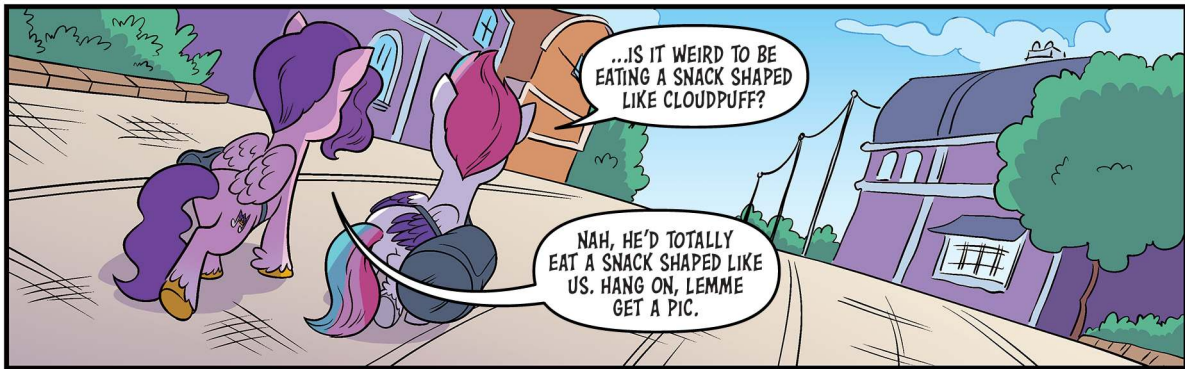
I WANNA STICK TO MY REGULAR CONTENT, THOUGH. I'D RATHER MAKE PONIES FEEL GOOD THAN CREEPED OUT. I'LL LEAVE THAT TO HITCH.



YEAH, WHY DOES HITCH HAVE ALL THIS?

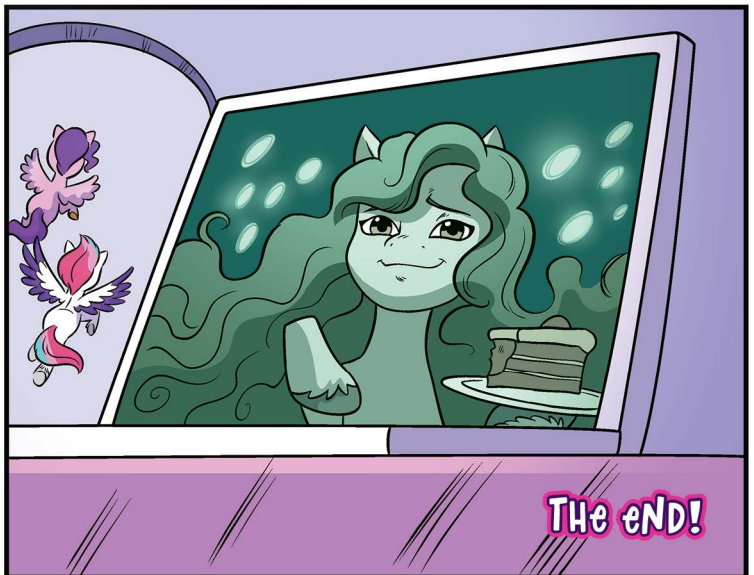
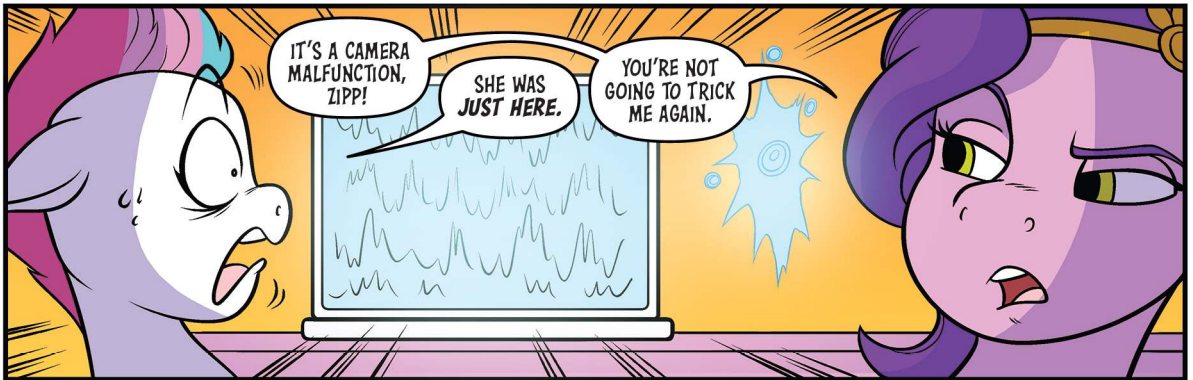
HE STARTED A PODCAST! CAN YOU BELIEVE IT?

SOMETHING ABOUT SOLVING COLD CASES HERE IN MARETIME BAY.



...IS IT WEIRD TO BE EATING A SNACK SHAPED LIKE CLOUDPUFF?

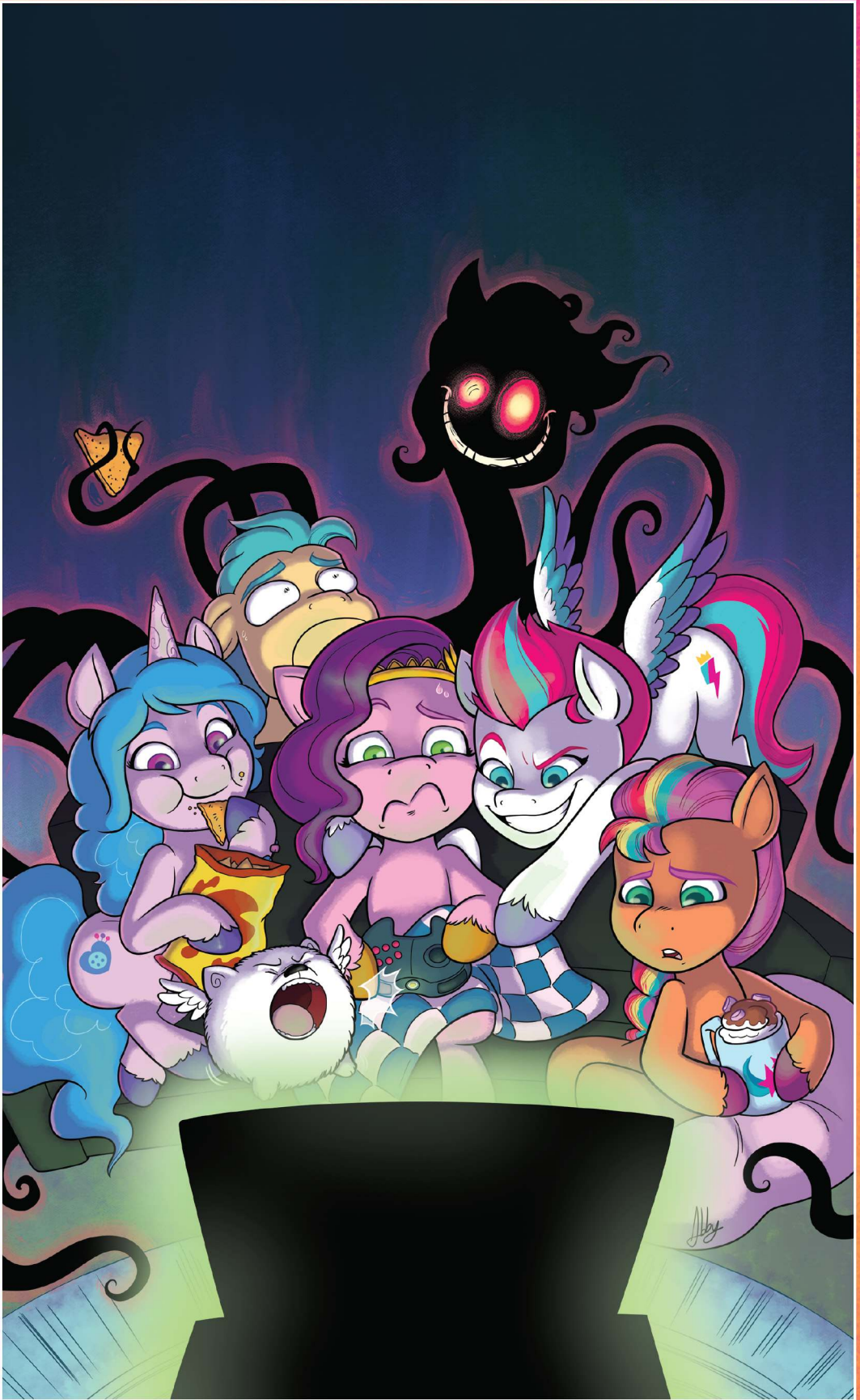
NAH, HE'D TOTALLY EAT A SNACK SHAPED LIKE US. HANG ON, LEMME GET A PIC.



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