



Supper Sleuths presents

MURDER MOUNTAIN

Player Booklet for
Hans Oberhaus

Hans Oberhaus

Player Booklet and Secret Clue

How to Play the Game

This room is full of murder suspects – and you are one of them! You must try to figure out who the murderer is tonight, by both accusing your fellow players and also trying to convince everyone else that you are innocent.

This game has four rounds, each round revealing new pieces of information about each character. Do not turn the page in your player's booklet until the host tells you to do so.

On the top of each page is information you are to share with the whole group. You can either ad lib or read directly from the page, but make sure that before moving on to the next round, you share all information on the top of each page with the whole group.

On the bottom of the page, you will see hidden information about your character. Do not reveal this information until you think it is the appropriate time. You may not lie if someone asks you about this information, but you do not need to offer incriminating evidence about yourself without a direct question. However, if you find out that you are the murderer, **DO NOT TELL!** If asked about it, you should say, "I am not aware of that information at this time," or just lie if you have to. Likewise, if someone asks you a question you do not know the answer to, just say, "I am not aware of that information at this time." The murderer is the only one permitted to lie at any time in this game.

There are also 8 secret clues that different players will reveal throughout the night. Make sure you do not look at your clue until your player's booklet tells you to look at it and pass it around to the group. When that time comes, just detach it and pass it around. You may also use the next page to take notes throughout the evening.

At the start of the game, the killer is not aware of his or her identity – it could even be you! Be suspicious of everyone's motives, and remain in character throughout the evening. After dessert, you will be given a chance to make your accusation. You may accuse any player of being the killer, including yourself. However, you must give evidence from the clues, and again, **DO NOT TELL** if the booklet says you are the killer! Have fun!

Appetizers

Share this information with the group after Bailey Bourgenous:

Hello, Americans. First, I consider it great honor and privilege to climb for my country and my village. Also, I like to see sights and enjoy myself before the contest. But, I should have known the peoples of this arrogant country take life for granted and do not play fair game. Now I go home embarrassed over this foolishness. It took much sacrifice of my village money to get me where I am today! (Wave fist around and slam it down.) I was chosen as the strongest, most athletic and mostest smartest man in my village of Krensikaw! (Open eyes wide as you can.) I compete in many hard challenges such as “Throw the goat,” “Shovel the manure,” and “Milk the calf drinkathon” to get here! (Sigh.) If only my nana were here, I would get a big hug and all would be well again. Instead I am here with all of you cowards!

Appetizers

Hidden Information:
(Do not share until you feel it's necessary.)

Your village is not just tight with money but completely destitute and it is all your fault. You are the treasurer of your village and the main reason your village is poor is because you have laundered and squandered the money. The local school system will close if you do not come up with the money to pay them back.

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Soup/Salad

Share this information with the group after Dr. Mara Meddling:

As a man of honor, courage and community, I am shocked to hear this so-call professor pretend to know everything about a culture she was not born in. Yah, listen to me, in my country, if you disrespect like this, you are sent to prison and given 5 month of llama manure duty with a baby spoon. Please do not try to study other peoples like you know everything. You know nothing! For all I hear of you so far, I do not trust you one bit, not to tell me about Indians or about anything! By the by, everybody, here is letter of evidence I receive from the police to share with the group regarding this so-call teacher. It was small and shriveled but they photocopies it. Look! You will see what I mean. (Detach your clue, read it aloud, and pass it around to the group.)

Soup/Salad

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Flex your muscles and pat your arms and chest often like you are checking to make sure your muscles are still big and strong.

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Main Course

Share this after the letter from your country is read:

Heh heh! There seems to be some misunderstanding. I am very sorry about the mix-up with my village. I can assure you that I am not a desperate man, but only a man of pride and determination to make the best and mostest out of everything put in front of me. Do you fault me for that? I am a shrewd businessman at worst, and yes, you do sometime have to walk on people to get the lead. But I am no murderer. I will not bring that kind of shame to my village by taking another person rights to live, no matter how pathetic and stupid they are!

Main Course

Hidden Information:
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I am feeling very guilty about something I did during the race. As a man faced with great consequences if I didn't win, I took extra care to make sure that didn't happen. Late yesterday afternoon, I saw that I was neck and neck with another contestant for the lead. In order to beat the other person, who I didn't know, I stole their backpack while they were in their tent. But how could I resist when the stupid fool leaves his stuff outside! The initials R.I.P. were on the bag - and in it were oxygen masks, bottled waters, and energy bars. I put the items into my own bag and tossed the bag into the woods.

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Dessert

Share this information with the group after Ben Thrashing:

Well, as for poor Hans, I am not going to go over the whole sad story again. You know me by now. I am as easy to read as a big mule great with child. You know I come from a legacy of hard workers. You now know that I have a long prison sentence and much manure waiting for me at home in more ways than one. I may not be wisest owl in the barn, but I am not fool either. As they say in my village, "Four buttons on the cap means lint on the belly." Believe me this, I did not kill this man. You can call me names, you can even make fun of my accent and say it sounds fake, but remember me as Hans, the best man from my village to come here to compete with all of you fine people. Thank you very nice. Gaberholkense to all!

Dessert

Hidden Information:
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You have no new hidden information this round.
Feel free to ad lib and to focus on the food!

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Solve the Mystery

Take a few moments to think through the following questions and decide for yourself who committed the murder. There are a lot of crooked characters here, but only one is a murderer!

Motive:

Who would most want to kill this man? Why?

Weapon:

Who would have had the means to do so?

Overall Evidence:

Whom does the evidence point to most strongly?

I, Hans Uberhaus, believe

committed the murder of
R. I. P.

CRIME SCENE DO NOT CROSS

**Secret Clue for
Hans Oberhaus**

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From the Desk of the
Dean of Faculty,
Central State University



Dear Dr. Meddling,

After your incident this past semester at the college regarding your student, Richard Paris, you are being demoted to lecturer and you are not permitted to do any more field work on behalf of the university as an anthropologist. Additionally, the Arobi Indians have politely asked that you not be permitted to return to their village ever again. Lastly, our university healthcare professionals have stressed that you are in no condition to return to the rigors and challenges of field work outside of the classroom. However, you will be allowed to continue to teach on campus dealing with the cultures of the South Pacific Islands, but you must not obsess or solely focus on the Arobi Indians. If you do not comply with our requests, your tenure and position as lecturer will also be terminated. You are an intelligent woman, Dr. Meddling, and we hope you will try to make more rational decisions while associating yourself with our fine institution. Like the rest of the faculty and staff, you represent the whole university with your actions. Please take this letter of intent seriously.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Willard P. Freilie".

Dr. Willard P. Freilie
Dean of Faculty