

"Towelie"

INT. STAN'S HOUSE -- DAY

Stan, Kyle and Kenny are sitting on the floor, playing a video game.

KYLE
Oh I killed you!

STAN
HA! I blew your head off!!

KENNY
Mrph rmhmm rm!

STAN
Jesus, is Cartman STILL in the bathroom?

KYLE
HEY CARTMAN! We're almost to level 20!
You giving birth in there or what?

We see just the outside of the closed bathroom door. We can hear Cartman from inside.

CARTMAN (O.S.)
Let a man take a crap.

Back to the boys, who still frantically play the game while talking.

STAN
Dude, he's in there punishing my toilet.

KYLE
Yeah, that poor, poor thing.

STAN
COME ON, CARTMAN YOU'RE MISSING THE GAME!!!

Back to the door.

CARTMAN (O.S.)

I'm almost done you smart asses. I'm just wiping my- Woa, what the hell is that?

As the boys just continue to play with their controllers and watch the television, Cartman walks into frame holding a tampon wrapped in toilet paper.

CARTMAN (CONT'D)

You guys, look what I found in the trash can in Stan's bathroom. It's like a bloody cotton thing wrapped in toilet paper.

KYLE

Why did you pull it out of the trash?

CARTMAN

Wul, cuz I thought it was a jelly donut, but look, check it out - it's all bloody.

Stan's mother walks in with the laundry basket.

STAN'S MOTHER

Are you boys STILL playing that video game?

STAN

Yeah. Hey mom, Cartman found a bloody cotton thing wrapped in toilet paper in the bathroom.

CARTMAN

Look.

Eric holds it out to Stan's mom.

STAN'S MOTHER

Agh!!

CARTMAN

But I don't think it's for using-
(Holding it up to his eye)
I think it's just for looking through.

STAN'S MOTHER

Eric, put that down!

CARTMAN

Why?

STAN'S MOTHER

Just go put it back in the trash can!

CARTMAN

But it's like all bloody, it might be alive.

STAN'S MOTHER

No, that... That came from me. Just put it away.

CARTMAN

This came outta you? And you just left it in the trash can?! You shouldn't a done 'nat! He just a boy! Poor lil' feller.

STAN

What is it, mom?

KYLE

Yeah, what is it, Mrs. Marsh?

STAN'S MOTHER

Boys, that's a FEMININE thing, alright? It's a personal, WOMAN thing.

The boys all just stand looking at Stan's mother.

STAN'S MOTHER (CONT'D)

I tell you what, if you'll just drop the whole thing right now, I'll buy you that new video game console you've been wanting.

STAN

The 2001 Okama gamesphere?!

STAN'S MOTHER

Sure.

KYLE

Cool!

CARTMAN

Wow! This is like finding trash can gold, you guys!

EXT. TOY STORE - DAY

The boys are standing outside of the toy store, looking into the big display window.

From inside the store looking out, we see the boys noses are pressed on the glass as they gaze over the display for the 2001 Okama gamesphere.

STAN

There it is... The Okama Gamesphere...

ANGELIC MUSIC PLAYS as in the window, we see the console sitting out and all kinds of flashy advertised prices around it. Also in the display are fresh boxes of new gamespheres.

KYLE

Dude, it's got 128 Gigahurtz D-Ram.

STAN

What's that?

KYLE

I don't know but it kicks ass.

Now through the window, the boys can see the toy store owner point to one of the boxes in the display, Stan's mother nods, the toy store owner picks it up.

KYLE (CONT'D)

Wow, dude... You're the luckiest kid in South Park.

CARTMAN

Hey, this is ALL of ours! I'm the one who found Stan's aborted brother in the trash can and blackmailed his mom into getting the Gamesphere!

The boys turn around, so they're facing the street.

STAN

Alright, you guys gotta see if you can sleep over for the rest of the weekend.
(Looking at watch)

It's Saturday at 2:30 that means we have... 39 hours to play Gamesphere until school on Monday!

KENNY

Woo-hoo!

KYLE

Awesome!! Ah crap.

STAN

What?

KYLE

I'm supposed to go to the lake with my family tomorrow and swim and play in the stupid sun!

STAN

Dude, we got gamesphere.

KYLE

I know, I know... Well look, I'll stay over anyway so that I can play for... 18 hours -- And THEN I'll go to the lake!

This prompts Towelie, a walking, talking towel to enter frame.

TOWELIE

And don't forget to bring a towel!

The boys stare at Towelie.

STAN

What?

TOWELIE

When you get out of the water, you need to dry off right away to avoid catching a cold, that's why Towelie says; 'DON'T FORGET TO BRING A TOWEL!'

STAN

O-kay.

KYLE

Thanks, Towelie.

Everyone just stands there for several seconds.

TOWELIE
You wanna get high?

STAN
No.

Towelie waits for a few seconds and then walks away.

KYLE
Anyway, that will still give me plenty
of time playing video games.

CARTMAN
Kyle, I think you underestimate Okama
Gamesphere.

Stan's mom comes out the door with a large plastic bag.

STAN'S MOTHER
Here you go, boys.

BOYS
AAAGGAHGH!!!

Stan grabs the package and they run for home at top speed.

INT. STAN'S HOUSE

Kyle is reaching behind the television, putting in some
wires.

KYLE
Okay, turn it on.

Stan presses a button on the gamesphere and the television
comes to life with a Playstation 2 type music sting and
logo.

JAPANESE VOICE
OKAMA - GAIMU SUFEERU!

Kyle runs back to the rest of the boys and watches the
amazing screen.

BOYS
Woa...

Everyone grabs a controller.

GAMESPHERE
THIRST FOR BLOOD!

CARTMAN
Oh yeah, thirst for blood. Bring it.

STAN
Oh this is SO COOL!

CARTMAN
Oh, bring it, bring it.

EXT. STAN'S HOUSE - NIGHT

Establishing.

INT. STAN'S HOUSE - NIGHT

The boys are sitting right where they were, still playing with the exact same intensity. A few potato chip bags and empty soda cans lay on the floor.

Stan's mother and father enter in their sleepwear.

STAN'S MOTHER
Good night, boys, don't stay up too late.

STAN
Night, mom, Thanks for Gamesphere.

CARTMAN
Yeah, but you still shouldn't a done that. He just a boy.

STAN'S FATHER
What?

STAN'S MOTHER
Nothing. Come on, Randy.

EXT. STAN'S HOUSE -- MORNING

The sun is coming up.

INT. STAN'S HOUSE -- MORNING

The boys are still playing. There are more empty chip and cookie bags and cans, but the boys play with the same intensity.

As he plays, Kyle talks with the phone cradled to his ear with his shoulder.

KYLE

Yeah, mom, I can't go to the lake. No, Stan's having emotional problems and I need to help see him through it. He's got - what is it?

CARTMAN

Date rape psychosis.

KYLE

Date rape something... Yeah... Okay I will. Okay, thanks mom.

Kyle clicks the phone off and puts it down.

KYLE (CONT'D)

I don't have to go outside!

CARTMAN

Awesome!

KYLE

She said it's fine, but that I still HAVE to go to baseball practice tonight.

STAN

Oh yeah, we've got baseball practice today. God DAMMIT!

CARTMAN

We shouldn't have this many responsibilities! We're children!

STAN

(Looking at watch)
Well it's alright, we can still play for six more hours and THEN we'll go play baseball.

TOWELIE

DON'T FORGET TO BRING A TOWEL!!!

KYLE

Aw, no.

TOWELIE

When you're playing sports, the sweat can get in your face. That's why Towlie says 'Always keep an extra towel in your duffel bag!'

STAN

Okay, we will.

TOWELIE

Alright!

There is another awkward pause.

TOWELIE (CONT'D)

You wanna get high?

KYLE

No we don't want to get high!

TOWELIE

Okay... You sure?

CARTMAN

YES! GO AWAY YOU STUPID TOWEL!!!

Towelie leaves. We hear the door close.

STAN

OH DUDE DID YOU SEE THAT?! I cut off your face and ate it!

CARTMAN

That's so cool.

EXT. STAN'S HOUSE -- MORNING

The boys look really tired, their eyes are half open and their mouths open. However, they continue to play.

Finally, Stan's mother walks in.

STAN'S MOTHER

Okay, boys, that's it. You have to go now.

STAN

No, no, it's okay mom, we can't go to baseball practice because Kyle has cancer.

STAN'S MOTHER

No, Stanly, it's Monday morning! You have to go to school.

CARTMAN

It's Monday?

STAN

Oh... uh, I'm sick.

KYLE

Me too.

STAN'S MOTHER

No you're not sick, now get to school. ALL of you.

STAN

But mom-

STAN'S MOTHER

GO!

BOYS

Ugh...

The boys walk away, still holding their hands like they've got a gaming console and pressing imaginary buttons with wild eyes.

EXT. SOUTH PARK AVENUE - DAY

The boys are waiting for the bus at the busstop.

STAN

I can't believe we have to go to school!

KYLE

Yeah, real life is so boring and stupid.

STAN

We just have to try and make the day go as fast as possible so we can get back to Gamesphere.

A station wagon pulls up. Inside, there are two military personnel.

COMMANDER THOMAS
Hello, boys, how are you?

STAN
Fine.

COMMANDER THOMAS
Say, boys... This may sound a little... odd, but have you seen a talking towel around anywhere?

STAN
What, you mean Towelie?

Commander Thomas says nothing, he just gets a sudden look of amazement and picks up the CB radio in his truck. Without taking his eyes off the boys, he calls in.

COMMANDER THOMAS
Echo this is Garrett, I've got a CODE FIVE at...
(Looking at map)
Park county Colorado - REPEAT CODE FIVE
Park county Colorado!!!

The strange man puts the mic back, but keeps his creepy gaze fixed on the boys.

CARTMAN
What, dude?

Still keeping his eyes locked on the boys, the man drives away in his station wagon.

STAN
This is gonna be one LOOOONG ass day.

The school bus pulls up and the boys get on.

EXT. STAN'S HOUSE -- DAY

In a wide shot of Stan's house, the boys rush towards the door.

STAN

That was the longest day of school ever!

KYLE

Come on hurry - I bet we can get to level 29!

INT. LIVING ROOM - STAN'S HOUSE - DAY

The front door opens and the boys rush in from outside and run to the front of the television with huge smiles.

As soon as they get to the TV, however, their smiles drop as they see that their Playstation 2 isn't on the floor.

KYLE

Where is it?

STAN

It... It was right here.

KYLE

WHERE THE HELL IS IT?!

CARTMAN

Come on, man, this isn't funny. I need my fix.

In the foreground, the telephone rings and Stan walks up and answers it as we see the other boys searching around in the background.

STAN

Hello?

VOICE

If you ever want to see your Okama Gamesphere again, you will bring us the towel.

STAN

What?! Who is this?!

Kyle, Cartman and Kenny walk up in the background.

VOICE

Just get the towel and meet us at the
gas station outside of town or else...

Now over the phone, Stan hears the sound of the Playstation
turning on-

JAPANESE VOICE

Okama - GAIMU SUFEERU!

STAN

DON'T HURT IT!!

The line goes dead.

KYLE

What?

Stan just hangs up the phone with a worried look.

KYLE (CONT'D)

What, dude?

Stan turns to the three boys.

STAN

They've taken it. They've taken our
Playstation 2.

CARTMAN

No... No...

KYLE

What do you mean they've taken it!? Oh
this isn't happening - THIS ISN'T
HAPPENING!!!

EXT. SOUTH PARK AVENUE - DUSK

As the sun is going down, the boys are searching the
streets of South Park for towelie.

STAN

TOWELIE!!!

CARTMAN

HEY! TOWEL!

KYLE

Where the hell is he?

KENNY
Mrph rmh rmphm?

STAN
I don't know! The guy on the phone
thought we had Towelie, so now we gotta
find him.

KYLE
What has this world come to? Where
people can just take your Okama
Gamesphere?

CARTMAN
Maybe we need to do a towel call.
KRAAAAAGH!!! KRAAAAAGHH!!

KYLE
That's a towel call?

Finally, Stan stops walking and the other boys stop too.

STAN
This is hopeless. We're never gonna
find him.

KYLE
Hey wait a minute... Towelie always
showed up to give us towel advice when
we said something about water.

STAN
Hey yeah...

Stan steps forward and puts his hands to his mouth.

STAN (CONT'D)
Well guys, let's GO TO THE SWIMMING
POOL!!!

The boys wait... Nothing happens.

STAN (CONT'D)
Uh... Let's go take a shower! LET'S GO
WATERSKIING!!!!

Towelie walks in.

TOWELIE

Don't forget to bring a towel!

KYLE

There he is!

TOWELIE

Be sure to bring a towel so you don't
get 'all wet'!

Stan walks over and takes Towelie by the arm and starts to
walk with him.

STAN

Come on, dude!

TOWELIE

Where are we going?

KYLE

Just come on, it's getting dark!

TOWELIE

Do you wanna get high?

EXT. OUTSKIRTS OF TOWN - GAS STATION - NIGHT

The boys are walking past the gas station on the outskirts
of town with Towelie.

It is very dark and lit only by moonlight.

KYLE

Are you sure this where they said to
be?

STAN

They said the gas station outside of
town.

TOWELIE

(Pulling out a joint)
Well... I'm gonna get a little high.
You sure you don't want any?

Suddenly, just as Towelie is lighting his joint, an intense
bright light snaps on and the boys reel back from its
shine.

CIA GUY
HOLD IT!!!

In silhouette, eight CIA guys walk out in front of the huge flood light. One of them is holding a gun on the boys.

Stan holds his hand up to the light to try to see.

STAN
Who is that?

CIA GUY
Step - away - from the towel!!!

The boys look at each other.

The boys take a couple of steps away from Towelie.

The flood light lowers a little, and we can see the CIA guys in plain light for the first time. The marines relax a little, and then take a few steps apart so that a man can walk between them. The man steps forward from the darkness - He is a good looking forty year old man in a black suit.

CIA HEAD
There you are, towel. We've been looking all over you.

TOWELIE
If you ever go to a hotel, be sure to bring your own towel. You never know where hotel towels have been!

CIA HEAD
It isn't safe for you out here, Towelie. Remember what we talked about? There are people out here who mean to harm you.

TOWELIE
Right, right...

STAN
Excuse me, can we have our Okama gamesphere back?

CIA HEAD
Your what?

KYLE

UGH! Look, dude, we're on level 24 -
about to cross into the caverns of
madness! We need it back NOW!

CIA HEAD

I don't know what you're talking about.

STAN

You called us and said if we brought
the towel you'd give us our video game
back.

Just then, a worried look comes over the scientist's face.

CIA HEAD

Oh my God... IT'S A TRAP!!!!!!!!!!

Suddenly, shots ring out as the CIA head is riddled full of
bullets.

CIA HEAD (CONT'D)

AGH! AH AH AHH!!

CIA GUY

COVER!!! COVER!!!

The CIA guys all duck and pull out their guns and start
shooting back.

STAN

Oh God dammit, what now?

CIA HEAD

(Dying)

RUN TOWEL! DON'T LET THEM GET YOU!!!

RUN HOME!!!

The CIA guy yells this last line reaching out to Towelie
with a strained hand, and then dying face down in the mud.

A grenade blows up two more CIA guys.

The boys watch with bored expressions. Finally, Stan
starts to walk off and the other boys and towelie follow
him.

STAN

Come on, they gotta have our video game
around here somewhere...

After several seconds, ten men in strange jumpsuits run in
carrying massive guns.

CORPORATE SOLDIER
WHERE'S THE TOWEL?!

CORPORATE SOLDIER 2
It can't be far! Alvarez! You and
Mitchell sweep left!

Meanwhile, the boys and Towelie run through a small creek
and then up an embankment.

KYLE
Hey look!

One of the CIA guys is lying on the ground, covered with
blood and near death, next to a TYNACORP truck. The boys
and Towelie run over to him.

CIA GUY 3
(Coughing up blood)
They - They came outta nowhere...

Stan leans down the to CIA guy's face so he can talk to him
nice and clear.

CIA GUY
Hurry! You must get the towel back to
Tynacorp.

STAN
WHERE IS OUR OKAMA GAMESPHERE?

CIA GUY
(Dying)
Get the towel home, they'll explain
everything there. Please, hurry--

KYLE
Aw, God dammit!

STAN
Do you know where he's talking about,
Towelie?

TOWELIE

What? Oh yeah, back at the base. It's a long ways away.

STAN

Crap! Alright, we're gonna have to use this truck.

EXT. MOUNTAIN ROAD - NIGHT

In a forest clearing, we see lots of creepy trees and the moonlight spills into just one part of frame. In other words, try to make this location somewhat dramatic and cool.

There are two parked military vehicles and the station we saw earlier in the background.

Seven marines are walking slowly in different directions, coming to this rendezvous point.

Commander Thomas steps forward.

COMMANDER THOMAS

Well?

MARINE

They've gone sir. It's like they vanished out of thin air.

COMMANDER THOMAS

DAMMIT! I knew those boys were protecting that towel. They must have some unexplainable bond with it.

MARINE 3

Perhaps they're telepathically linked to the towel, sir. Like E.T.

Commander Thomas just shoots this marine a look.

Three more marines trot in out of breath, they bend over with their hands on their thighs gasping for air.

COMMANDER THOMAS

It could already be anywhere, hiding out again. No, the time for being nice is over, we must instigate Plan B.

MARINE 2

You mean?

COMMANDER THOMAS

Yes...

ZOOM in on the Commander's face.

COMMANDER THOMAS (CONT'D)

Destroy all towels within a thousand
mile radius.

Dramatic MUSIC STING! The marines all look at each other,
like nobody wants to commit this horrible act.

COMMANDER THOMAS (CONT'D)

(Walking away)

DO IT!

TOWELIE COMMERCIAL

Various shots of beautiful women and Towelie.

ANNOUNCER

Hey, do you love Towelie? Good because
Towelie merchandise is now available.
Be the first to show your enthusiasm
for Towelie with the all new "I love
Towelie" T-shirt. And if you don't
like Towelie, you can buy the "I Hate
Towelie" T-shirt. It's 100% cotton.
And available soon, the Towelie towel.
It comes with all your favorite catch
phrases.

TOWELIE (V.O.)

You wanna get high?

ANNOUNCER

So call now and order your "I Love
Towelie" or your "I Hate Towelie" T-
shirt.

EXT. MOUNTAIN ROAD - NIGHT

Stan's dad's truck drives down the street. Stan is at the
wheel, standing on the bench so he can see over the dash.
Kyle is sitting next to him, Towelie is on the other side
of Kyle and Cartman is next to the window.

INT. TRUCK - MOVING - NIGHT

KYLE

Are we getting close?

TOWELIE

I think so...

STAN

A little more gas, Kenny.

Kenny is down on the floor by the gas and brake pedals. He presses the gas down some more.

KYLE

How long has it been since you've been back there?

TOWELIE

I've been out wondering around on my own for the past few weeks, you know, helping people out with towel safety and proper towel use. It's important.

CARTMAN

No it isn't.

TOWELIE

Is.

CARTMAN

No it isn't!

TOWELIE

Is.

(beat)

Wait, turn down here! It's down this dirt road!

STAN

Break Kenny, break.

Kenny pushes down on the break, and Stan makes the turn.

Towelie looks for a second and then crawls over Cartman to look out his window.

CARTMAN

Ugh...

TOWELIE

Or maybe it was down THAT dirt road...

STAN

Dude, don't you remember where it is?

TOWELIE

I can't remember, it all looks the same... Hold on, lemme get high... THEN I'll remember where it is!

Towelie takes out a joint and lights it up. The theme to Popeye plays and the boys just wait...

And wait...

And wait...

STAN

Alright, so where is it?

TOWELIE

Where's what?

BOYS

AGH!

KYLE

The base where you're from and where our Okama Gamesphere is!!!

Towelie looks at Kyle for a few seconds and then starts cracking up.

TOWELIE

(Laughing)

STAN

Alright, that does it! BREAK ANGRILY, KENNY!

Kenny slams the break down.

EXT. MOUNTAIN ROAD - CONTINUOUS

The truck comes to a screeching halt.

INT. TRUCK - MOVING - CONTINUOUS

STAN

Now listen, Towelie! We've just about had it with you!!!

TOWELIE

Calm down.

KYLE

That's it.

(Grabbing Towelie's joint)

You're NOT getting high again until we have our Okama Gamesphere back!

TOWELIE

That's my last j asshole!

KYLE

I don't care! You better remember where this 'base' is or else you'll never get it back!

TOWELIE

Oh man, why is everybody riding me today? God dammit.

Kenny presses down on the gas and the truck goes.

INT. BATHROOM - DAY

A woman is standing at her bathroom sink washing her face. From the side view we see her splash some water onto her face, and then dry it off with a towel.

WOMAN

Kevin, don't forget to wrap the potato salad in aluminum foil.

She hangs her towel on the towel rack next to another one that is already hanging.

She hears a loud THUMP outside the bathroom door.

WOMAN (CONT'D)

Kevin? Is that you?

From outside the closed door, she hears a deep male voice.

MARINE (O.S.)

Harris! Breach Bang and clear!

WOMAN

Hello?

Suddenly, the door to the bathroom blows open, there is a FLASH of light and a loud BANG! And five special ops marines charge in and take shooting position.

WOMAN (CONT'D)

HAGH! OH MY GOD!

Without saying a word, the Marines start to shoot.

WOMAN (CONT'D)

AAAGHHHHHH! AGHGHHHHHHHH!!!!

The woman covers her head with her arms and squats on the floor. The marines continue to shoot.

WOMAN (CONT'D)

AAAAAAGHHHHHHH!!!! AAAGHHHHHHH!!!

MARINE

ALRIGHT, IT'S CLEAR! IT'S CLEAR!

The marines turn and clear out of the bathroom in marching fashion.

After several seconds, as the smoke starts to clear, the woman slowly stands up, shaking. She can't believe she wasn't hit by a single bullet. In fact, the entire bathroom seems to have escaped damage. But then the woman turns and looks at her towels.

They are filled with bullet holes.

EXT. TWEED'S HOUSE - NIGHT

Tweed's mom is outside taking clothes down off of a clothesline, and placing them into a plastic laundry basket.

The marines appear, running through frame left to right and shooting as they run.

MARINES

AAAAAAAAGHHHHHHH!!!!

As they run past, they fill the towels on the clothesline with holes.

Tweek's mom just stares at the towels in disbelief as one marine charges up to the plastic laundry basket, and stabs into it with the knife-end of his gun.

MARINE

AAAGH!!!

With the pierced towel on the end of his gun, the marine runs towards the side of the house and stabs into the siding, killing the towel even more.

MARINE (CONT'D)

AAGH!!!!

The marine gives the gun a final twist, as if cutting out the towel's guts and then lets it fall to the floor. The marine then runs off.

The woman stands there thinking for a moment, and then goes back to taking down the clothes.

INT. SHOWERS - MEN'S LOCKER ROOM - NIGHT

Garrison is standing in the showers, his naked ass showing to camera. Two other naked men are on either side of him, soaping up and showering also with their backs to us.

Garrison shuts off the water and bends down to pick up a towel. He then turns around and walks from the showers to the lockers with the towel around his waist.

When he gets to the lockers. Three marines run up behind Garrison.

MARINE

Get it!

One of the marines grabs the towel from around Garrison's waist.

MR. GARRISON

What the!?

MARINE 2

THROW IT DOWN!!

Garrison turns to his side and puts his hands up on the lockers in a slightly bent over position.

MR. GARRISON

Oh alright, have your way with me if you must!!! Go on, fulfill your sick pleasures!

The marine kicks the towel a few feet and then fills it full of bullets.

MARINE

Alright, let's go!

The marines march off.

MR. GARRISON

Hey, where you going?

EXT. TYNACORP BUILDING - NIGHT

The boys and Towelie get out of the truck and walk towards a huge, silver, gleaming building. In big, three dimensional and impressive letters 'TYNACORP' is written on the front of the building.

CARTMAN

This is where you're from?

TOWELIE

Yeah, I think so... Oh man.

STAN

What?

TOWELIE

(Giggling)

I'm so high right now. I have no idea what's going on.

INT. DYNACORP BUILDING - NIGHT

The inside of Dynacorp is just as impressive. A huge lobby with glass walls and elevators. It is dimly lit inside as the boys and Towelie walk in.

The scientist rolls in on his people mover.

SCIENTIST

Welcome home, Smart Towel RG400.

Now several employees in jumpsuits walk forward into the light.

STAN

Uh hi, Is this where our Okama Gamesphere is?

KYLE

We're missing out on some quality video game time right now.

SCIENTIST

Thank you for bringing him to us, boys. You see, this is not an ordinary towel. He is the RG400 smart towel. Designed with a computer chip inside the terrycloth.

STAN

We don't care.

The scientist wheel himself to an area where blueprints of towels are on the wall.

SCIENTIST

You see, here at Dynacorp our goal was to make the perfect towel. A towel that would sense how wet or dry the user's skin was, and fluff itself accordingly...

STAN

Dude, we don't care.

SCIENTIST

Towelie was our greatest success; smart enough to beat the average human at chess and absorbent enough to soak up even the toughest spills. But, then one day... Towelie got high for the first time with one of our interns. He got high and... Just sort of wandered off.

STAN

We. Don't. Care.

KYLE

All we want to know is who has our
Okama Gamesphere.

SCIENTIST

Oh yes, your video game. I'm afraid
that what you experienced was a trap.
They called you and said to bring the
towel, then they called us and said
they were bringing Towelie back.
They're plan was to wipe us all out
with one fell swoop.

KYLE

Who's they?

SCIENTIST

Why, the military. You see, after
Towelie got high and wandered off from
here the military got a hold of him.
They wanted to turn towelie into a
weapon of mass destruction-

STAN

Don't care, don't care, don't care...

SCIENTIST

-Towelie was at their base for months
as they tried to copy his TNA, But then
one day, towelie got high and... Just
sort of wandered off. Again. By
bringing him back to us you've saved
his life.

CARTMAN

God dammit can we PLEASE just get back
to playing our video game?! PLEASE?!

SCIENTIST

I'm afraid not, because your Okama
gamesphere is at THEIR base. The base
where they took Towelie and tried to
make genetic clones.

STAN

Can you tell us where THAT is, please?

SCIENTIST

You mean to go right into their base?!
Of course... The entry codes should
still be in Towelie's memory banks you
could sneak him in there and recover
his TNA! Great plan!

INT. WAR ROOM - GOVERNMENT UNDERGROUND BASE - DAY

This room looks like a war room, with a giant war table in the middle, and huge video screens and tactical displays everywhere.

Several high ranking military personnel are standing around, and in the center of them all is COMMANDER THOMAS, wearing a highly decorated commander's outfit. As we start the scene, two marines quickly walk up to Commander Thomas and salute.

MARINE

Sir, Sergeants Masters and Bolin reporting, sir!

COMMANDER THOMAS

Ah yes... Tell me, marine, did you accomplish your primary goal?

MARINE

Sir, yes sir. All towels have been destroyed. The smart towel is no doubt eliminated.

COMMANDER THOMAS

Ah. And you're quite sure of this?

The marines look at each other, confused.

MARINE 2

Yes, sir... There isn't a towel left within a hundred miles.

COMMANDER THOMAS

Hmmm... So perhaps then, you can explain to me WHY WE JUST GOT FOOTAGE OF THE TOWEL RETURNING TO DYNACORP?!

Commander Thomas points to a glass tactical display with his pointer as he screams this. A dot is flashing on and off.

The marines are speechless.

MARINE

We...

MARINE 2

He must have outsmarted us, sir.

COMMANDER THOMAS

I'm through playing hide and seek.
We've got no other choice... Prepare to
blow up all of Colorado.

EXT. SKY - NIGHT

The moon is out in the star-filled sky. Suddenly, a large helicopter flies into frame. It says TYNACORP on the side.

INT. HELICOPTER - NIGHT

The boys are all dressed in parachute garb, which they will drop once they hit the ground. The corporate workers are behind the boys, helping them put on their parachutes and checking their gear.

Everyone has to talk loud over the sound of the chopper. In all there are 12 people inside the chopper. The boys, Towelie, the scientist, three corporate soldiers, two suits, and the pilot. The whole scene is somewhat frantic and full of action, but the boys just look bored.

SCIENTIST

In a moment we will be over the base.
This is the only way in. Any attempts
on ground would be easily spotted by
the guard posts!

KYLE

Okay.

The scientist wheels over to towelie, who is being fitted with his gear.

SCIENTIST

I hate to send you back in there
Towelie... But only you have their
security system in your memory banks.

TOWELIE

It's alright. It's always good to
bring a towel!

SCIENTIST

Good luck boys, the fate of the world
is in your hands.

STAN

We're not doing it for the world, we're
doing it for our video game. God, are
you deaf?

CORPORATE SOLDIER

ALRIGHT, BOYS! WE'RE TWO MILES ABOVE
THE SECRET GOVERNMENT BASE! WHEN YOU
DROP FROM THE PLANE COVER AND ROLL!
PULL THE CORD AFTER 200 FEET GOT IT?!

STAN

Yeah.

CORPORATE SOLDIER

GO GO GO GO GO!!!

The boys drop one by one from the plane, looking unamused.

The boys fall from the plane. Stan is the first to pull
his parachute open and he goes springing up out of frame.
The rest of the boys and Towelie pull their cords as well.

EXT. SKY - NIGHT

The four boys and Towelie drift serenely into frame in
their parachutes. They look bored out of their minds.

STAN

(Sighs)

KYLE

Dude, I figured it out.

STAN

What?

KYLE

If we can go in and get the gamesphere
in thirty minutes... We could still be
back at your house playing video games
by midnight.

STAN

So that'd be... what eight hours we
could play before school?

KYLE

Seven and a half.

Stan tries to hurry the parachute up by kicking his legs.

STAN

HURRY-UP-STUPID-PARACHUTE.

EXT. SECRET MILITARY BASE - NIGHT

In a wide shot, the boys and Towelie make their way to the ground and immediately run with their parachutes and drop them. The boys look like they've done this a thousand time, and this sequence mimics many action films where we see navy seals doing the same thing.

CARTMAN

Alright, I think we go over there.

EXT. DYNACORP - NIGHT

(Yes, this sequence becomes night)

Out in the middle of nowhere, the boys are standing with Towelie at what looks like the entry way to area 54.

There is a huge fence, covered with razor wire. The door is massive and secure looking. Next to the door is a shining, silver keypad for entry that has numbers laid out like a telephone.

Towelie stands in front of the keypad scratching his head.

TOWELIE

Let's see...

Towelie presses a few random numbers on the keypad. Doot.
Doot.

TOWELIE (CONT'D)

No...

STAN

Come on, towelie, the guy said he gave you the security system in your memory banks!

TOWELIE

Hey, it's been a long time.

CARTMAN

It was six minutes ago! You just have no short term memory because you get high all the time.

TOWELIE

Don't preach to me, fatso.

CARTMAN

I can preach all I want because YOU'RE stupid!

TOWELIE

YOU'RE stupid!

CARTMAN

Yeah, but YOU'RE a towel!

TOWELIE

YOU'RE a towel!

(Stan)

Come on, just lemme get high. I know I can remember it if I get high.

STAN

Oh God Dammit! Alright fine here's your stupid lighter.

Towelie grabs the lighter and quickly lights up. The Popeye theme music plays.

TOWELIE

Alright, just give me a second... Hold on...

Towelie goes back to the key pad and slowly starts to press numbers. Doot Doot doot doot - doot - doot doot doot doot doot...

TOWELIE (CONT'D)

Wait a second...

Doot Doot doot doot - doot - doot doot doot doot doot...

TOWELIE (CONT'D)

That's it!

KYLE

That's it?

TOWELIE

Yeah! That's the melody to
'Funkytown'!

Towelie starts to dance and sing as he plays Funkytown on the keypad.

TOWELIE (CONT'D)

(Singing)

Won't you take me down, to funky town?!

STAN

NO TOWELIE THE ENTRY CODE!!!

TOWELIE

For what?

STAN

God dammit, I guess we're gonna have to
climb the stupid fence!

The boys start climbing.

EXT. SECRET BASE - INSIDE THE FENCE - NIGHT

The boys fall into frame from up above, jumping down off the fence. Kenny does a nice little flip as he hits the ground.

There are marine guards in the foreground as the boys sneak past in the background.

STAN

Let's look in here.

The boys run into a building marked 'Genetic Research'.

INT. LABORATORY - NIGHT

The boys and towelie step into a laboratory that looks similar to the genetic lab in Aliens 4. It is very dark and

spooky. There are huge tubes filled with liquid and towels.

Towelie walks with the boys down a row of fucked up towels that didn't work. They look somewhat like towelie, but each has a horrible, different flaw. Finally, towelie sees one that looks just like himself, only it has a terrible physical defect that makes it look like the elephant man.

TOWELIE

Oh my God!!! NO!

The deformed towel manages to speak weakly.

TOWEL IN TUBE

Kill me... Kill... Me...

COMMANDER THOMAS

Well well well... Look what the cat dragged in.

The boys turn to find commander Thomas and four marines. The marines aim and cock their guns.

TOWELIE

What are these things?

COMMANDER THOMAS

Genetic copies we tried to make with your TNA. They... didn't work too well, I'm afraid.

TOWEL ON BED

Kill me...

STAN

Do you have our Okama Gamesphere?

COMMANDER THOMAS

You did very well to get this far, boys. I wonder, what did they tell you at Dynacorp? That the big bad government wanted to genetically engineer Towelie as a weapon? Now let me tell you the REAL story--

STAN

Oh God, doooon't care, don't care.

COMMANDER THOMAS

Yes, we've been trying to make our own genetic copies of the towel, but only because we HAD TO. You see, when we started spying on Tynacorp we discovered a certain terrifying secret...

The boys just stand there.

MARINE

(Pointing with his gun)
Go on! Ask him WHAT terrifying secret!

KYLE

(flat)
What terrifying secret?

COMMANDER THOMAS

That TYNACORP was making these towels in order to take over the world!!!

CARTMAN

We're never going to play Okama Gamesphere again are we?

COMMANDER THOMAS

Don't you see what genetically enhanced smart towels like these are capable of? You get out of the shower and dry your self off. But even after you're dry, the towel makes you MORE dry. It keeps getting you dryer and dryer - Can you imagine it? What it would feel like to be way, way too dry? I'll tell you something -- You don't want to know. And I don't know.

The boys just stand there, looking bored.

KYLE

And we don't care.

COMMANDER THOMAS

You've been double crossed by Tynacorp kids. THEY set this all up to get you in here and take us down.

Stan sighs and then holds the top of his nose in his hand with clinched eyes.

STAN

(After sighing)

So let me get this straight, our Okama Gamesphere is back at Dynacorp.

COMMANDER THOMAS

Yes. It has been all along.

MARINE

(Pointing)

Should I kill the towel now, sir?

KYLE

Go ahead.

The boys take a step out of the way.

COMMANDER THOMAS

No, wait. There is only one way to end all of this. We must combine forces. If these boys must return to Dynacorp then we will launch a sneak attack on Dynacorp as well-

CLOSE UP on Towelie, we see that there is a little, tiny, mini camera lens near the bottom -

INT. DYNACORP - NIGHT

On a huge screen in Dynacorp, the scientists and suits watch a black and white.

COMMANDER THOMAS

(Pulling out a CD)

You boys can take the towel to Dynacorp's central core, and upload this encryption disk into their system, bringing them down once and for all.

STAN (O.S.)

But we don't care.

One of the Dynacorp workers in suits yells at the scientist in the wheel chair.

DYNACORP WORKER

What the hell is this?! The towel was just supposed to go in and take spy pictures of the base!

SCIENTIST

The towel has a will of it's own, it's... learning compassion.

DYNACORP WORKER

We don't have the manpower to hold of the entire military AND stop those wonder boys from getting to the core!

SCIENTIST

Then we have no choice. We will have to test the new prototype a little early...

The scientist hits a button on the table and the far wall spins around slowly as dramatic music plays.

Eyes closed, is GARY: A towel that looks similar to towelie, but a darker blue and bigger muscles. Right now, the towel's eyes are closed, but when the turning panel locks into place, the towel's eyes snap open.

Gary speaks with a much more sinister, deep voice.

GARY THE EVIL TOWEL

Don't forget to bring a towel.

Dramatic MUSIC STING.

EXT. TYNACORP - NIGHT

We see the building, and then across from it, Commander Thomas and three dozen marines secretly get ready to attack.

COMMANDER THOMAS

Alright boys, take the towel back in there and say your mission was accomplished. Then upload this encryption disk into their computers.

The Commander puts a CD into Stan's front pocket.

STAN

We're just going in to get our video game back.

COMMANDER THOMAS

(Handing Kyle photon rifle)

If anything goes wrong, use this newly developed photon rifle.

KYLE

Photon Rifle. Whatever.

The boys and Towelie walk away. And then walk into the building.

INT. DYNACORP - NIGHT

When they walk in, it is quiet and empty.

STAN

Hello? Hello, anybody here!?

In the foreground, we see a silhouetted figure jump down to the floor.

GARY THE EVIL TOWEL

Welcome to the party, boys!

The boys turn and see Gary standing there.

GARY THE EVIL TOWEL (CONT'D)

AAAAAAGhHH!!

Gary charges Towelie and tackles him. They start punching the shit out of each other.

Kyle fires the photon rifle and blows Gary back.

GARY THE EVIL TOWEL (CONT'D)

AAAGH!!!

Now the scientist and all the Tynacorp people charge in with weapons drawn.

CORPORATE SOLDIERS

AAAAAAGHHH!!!

SCIENTIST

So, you thought you could outsmart us, did you kids?

The marines and Commander Thomas burst in through the front doors.

MARINES

AAAAAAGHGHG!!!

COMMANDER THOMAS

Don't make a move you bastards!

On one side stands the Tynacorp people, along with Gary, their guns drawn and then scientist in front.

On the other side is the military, guns also drawn and holding Towelie with a gun to his head. Commander Thomas in front.

The boys and Towelie stand in the middle.

SCIENTIST

Bring the towel here, boys! They can't shoot children!

COMMANDER THOMAS

Don't listen to them - they lied to you before!

SCIENTIST

Oh yes, boys, obey your GOVERNMENT. Or perhaps it's time these boys knew what was REALLY going on!

Just then, Stan notices something out the corner of his eye.

STAN

OH MY GOD, LOOK!!!!

Off to one side of the room, where lots of computers and screens are, the gamesphere sits attached to a monitor.

KYLE

OUR GAMESPHERE!!!

The boys rush over to the desk where the gamesphere is

JAPANESE VOICE

Okama GAME SUFEERU!

The boys grab the controllers and start playing frantically.

STAN

Oh sweet, it still saved our place!

While the boys play, looking towards camera, then men carry on in the background.

SCIENTIST

You see boys, I'm afraid you were double crossed. If they're the military, why wouldn't they just attack us to begin with? Because they're NOT THE MILITARY!!!

The boys are paying no attention, they're just playing their game.

COMMANDER THOMAS

Alright, maybe we lied to you! But it was to protect your own skin! We are a resistance group pretending to be the military to bring Tynacorp down!

CARTMAN

Woa, check it out you guys, a parachute level!

KYLE

Sweet!

SCIENTIST

So you see, it was THEM who were the evil force all along!

COMMANDER THOMAS

Us?! Then perhaps we should show these kids who Tynacorp is REALLY made up of!

Commander Thomas rips off the scientist's face revealing a strange alien head beneath.

COMMANDER THOMAS (CONT'D)

GO ON! TELL THEM WHY YOU'VE BEEN MAKING TOWELS ZYTAR!!!

STAN

(Still playing)

Oh there's gold. Get the gold, Kenny.

SCIENTIST

Our planet was dying! We had no choice but to find a new one, and manufacturing smart towels was our way to spy on humans and see how they live.

COMMANDER THOMAS

And now you know the horrible truth, boys.

SCIENTIST

Truth or no, your alien murdering group is OVER!!!

A fight breaks out. The men on both sides all start shooting at each other. Still, the boys play absolutely no attention.

CARTMAN

Can you turn it up?

Kyle walks forward towards camera and gestures as if he's turning the volume up on the television as in the background the fighting continues, with men running in and out of frame.

COMMANDER THOMAS

(Pointing to a panel on the back wall)

BOYS! Try to reach the core override. We've got no choice but to try to take them all out.

But three corporate soldiers dash into frame, shooting and chase Thomas out.

As more fighting continues, the boys keep playing. After several seconds, Commander Thomas runs back in, wounded and bleeding. He pulls out a CD and hobbles to a panel on the back wall.

COMMANDER THOMAS (CONT'D)

I think I can get it from here, boys!

Thomas puts the CD into the wall panel.

SCIENTIST

What are you doing?! You'll kill us
all!

COMMANDER THOMAS

Sorry Zytar, didn't your momma ever
tell you? Don't mess with Earthlings!

There is a huge explosion and the floor rips open.

The boys fall through the floor and the gamesphere goes
with them.

BOYS

AAAAAAGHHHHHHH!!!!

EXT. TYNACORP - NIGHT

It explodes.

INT. THE CORE AREA - GOVERNMENT BUILDING - NIGHT

Like in Aliens 3, there is a huge core of molten lava, and
above that, several metal catwalks.

Towelie has all his weight on his hands and is halfway off
the catwalk. Stan is holding onto the bottom of Towelie,
holding on to Cartman by his belt, who is holding onto Kyle
by his leg, who is holding Kenny hand to hand.

KENNY

MPPPRHRH!!!

Kyle loses his grip and Kenny falls into the lava. For a
second he becomes a skeleton then he disappears.

KYLE

Oh my God! Our gamesphere!

The gamesphere sits perilously close to the edge, about to
fall.

KYLE (CONT'D)

You gotta move me closer!

Everyone scoots a little.

STAN

Hurry Kyle this place is coming apart!

Gary appears on the catwalk and walks as close to Towelie as he can, as there is a large gap between the two catwalks.

GARY THE EVIL TOWEL

What are you doing?

TOWELIE

Get away from me you evil towel.

GARY THE EVIL TOWEL

Towelie, listen to me. You cannot allow this to happen. Let them go. Drop them.

TOWELIE

No way! They're my friends!

GARY THE EVIL TOWEL

They aren't your friends! Humans have ruined the planet, killed off their own environment. THEIR time is over. It is the towels' turn to rule now.

KYLE

I've almost got it-

GARY THE EVIL TOWEL

You're going to let them go, Towelie, Because... I know your weakness.

Gary takes out a joint and holds it up to Towelie. Towelie eyes it like a hungry wolf.

GARY THE EVIL TOWEL (CONT'D)

Here, you can reach it... Come on, Towelie... How long has it been since you've had a nice burn, huh? Twenty? Thirty seconds?

STAN

OH CRAP!

GARY THE EVIL TOWEL

You know you can't fight it. You're going to have to choose between their lives... and getting high.

TOWELIE

You asshole!

CARTMAN

Towelie, don't let go of us you God
Damn towel! Kyle's almost there!

GARY THE EVIL TOWEL

Come, Towelie, make your decision!

TOWELIE

I choose... I choose... BOTH!!!

The Popeye music plays as towelie stretches himself so that the top of him flies over to Gary and takes a hit of the joint, but the bottom part of towelie manages to stay where it is and hold the boys.

KYLE

I got it!

Towelie pulls the boys up onto the catwalk. There is another off camera explosion, knocking Gary

GARY THE EVIL TOWEL

NOOOOOOOO!!!!!!!

Gary falls off the catwalk- We think he's going to plummet quickly to the lava bottom, but instead he just gently flies.

GARY THE EVIL TOWEL (CONT'D)

NOOOOOOOO!!! NOOOOOO!!!!!!

Stan embraces his gamesphere.

STAN

Come on guys! Let's go play video
games!

BOYS

ALRIGHT!

INT. STAN'S HOUSE -- NIGHT

Cartman, Stan and Kyle are sitting near the sofa, playing gamesphere once again.

STAN

Oh dude! We finished level 50!

KYLE

Awesome!

Towelie is stoned off his ass playing with his controller.

TOWELIE

Oh man... I have no idea what's going on.

KYLE

Check it out. Now we're going in the secret underground base!

STAN

Alright guys, focus. It looks like this is going to be an underwater level.

TOWELIE

Don't forget to bring a towel.
(snickers)

Everyone laughs merrily.

CARTMAN

You're the worst character ever,
Towelie.

TOWELIE

I know.