

Episode 2 - Live

*Act 1: The fish react to Alex slurring last night. The audience sees Burt acting strangely when the other contestants are not around him, but the other contestants remain ignorant. Subtle giveaways begin to fuel theories among the cast that the show is not being produced in a typical way. Pushing this theory further, **G accidentally mentions that Alex has made an impression on “the audience”** while forgiving him for saying the n-word, just before Burt hears the first TTS.*

*Act 2: Alex provokes Ted into confronting Simbal for taking his candy last night, but Ted backs down at the crucial moment, leaving **Alex to confront Simbal alone during the pumpkin carving challenge**. Issues with production’s story begin to pile up until Mizzy is heard wondering out loud if the show is live. Production takes Mizzy and Alexis aside and questions how much they have figured out before admitting that the show is live.*

Act 1

Open on some snippet of Simbal and Ted talking in the morning - Ted forgives Simbal for trying to take his candy.⁴⁹⁴

494 8:18 Ted and Simbal say Alex is crazy

When Alex joins them in the kitchen, Payton and the girls press him for being rude and calling them liars and Binx backs Alex up.⁵¹⁷

517 DAY 2 8:48 Island

He speaks to Binx and blames his ADHD for the situation last night and she is oddly forgiving (“everyone has different challenges when trying to socialize”). Alex bonds with Binx in the den, expressing shock at how much they have in common.^{529, 532}

529 9:04 Den, “Do you know what starcraft is” “warcraft”

As everyone is getting prepared, there is an odd sequence in VANITY. Burt sings “sex offender sex offender” and Luke eavesdrops on him.^{521, 523} Burt is shown applying his teeth whitening strips and muttering “use telekinesis,” and laughing disturbingly to himself.⁵²⁸ Binx replaces him at the mirror after a moment and Alex welcomes her to stay in bedroom 3 with the guys and praises her for being cool with a roomful of dudes.⁵⁶⁹ Luke replaces her after some time and commiserates with Alex that his candy was stolen from his toiletries. Alex says his was also stolen (CHECK).⁵⁷⁶ Burt replaces them all in the vanity and hisses to himself that “everyone is so PC nowadays” and he will never be cast in a role as a killer because he is black.

521 8:57 VANITY (in the bathroom)

528, 569 576 VANITY

Confessional: Burt explains that he wants to play a rapist.^{220 19:04}

Confessional: Smack says she doesn't think there is anything sinister about Burt and calls him "neuro-spicy" ⁷⁰¹ Day 2 17:57

There is an FX3 "scene" between Simbal, Binx, and Ian, where Simbal tries to warn Ian not to ally with Alex. Binx advises a more moderate position, saying she finds Alex to be self-aware and manageable.⁶³⁵

635 14:53 Fx3 Den PTZ

In Bedroom 2, the OG's sit together and say they expect many safe rounds of voting due to the formation of their alliance, and point out Alex and Luke as targets.⁵³⁶ When Mizzy finally gets ready for the morning La'ron tells her he is already homesick.⁵⁷⁸ He assures Mizzy that even though she lost her job they will be getting "constant income" from the popularity of the show and it will "change her financial opportunities." They talk about Alex saying the n-word, and production comes in to "re-shoot" the scene between Mizzy and La'ron on Fx3. When they are done, La'ron reflects that production was aware of the conversation without being in the room, and that must mean **the security cameras are monitored, and captured their earlier conversation.**

536 9:23 Alexis Iaron and mizzy begin to talk about here. They talk about voting but its not on the doc

578 13:17 B2 "almost got depressed" "this is really reality before phones"

*Confessional: Ben and G talk to Alex warning him to never ever say the n-word. "I didn't even know she was black!" G tells Alex that "black people responded positively" to what Alex said and he can say whatever he likes. He tries to save by correcting to "the black editors." Someone bangs on the door mid-lecture and G screams at them, and Alex calls him "fucking Thor."*⁶⁶⁵

665 17:02 Fx3, Conf

The fish ask for the fireplace to be lit, and Binx lights it by setting some paper on fire using the stove.⁵⁷⁹ The fish are assembled in the den so that Burt can hold a fire safety meeting - he is very nervous and shy.⁶¹³ When it ends, he seethes in bedroom 3 to Ted that he wasn't given proper time to prepare for the scene and offhand comes out to Ted as wanting to play a rapist.⁶¹⁹ Burt continues to prepare for the day in his room while talking to himself - "don't be stupid, be smart" and receives the first TTS: Hi Burt.⁶⁴⁵

579 11:46 Kitchen/Dining Room/Den Binx carries burning paper to the fireplace

615 13:44 Den

619 14:18 B3

645 15:22-15:38 B3

Act 2

On Fx3, Luke and Alex grab Ted and give him a talking-to in B3 about Simbal taking his candy last night, saying he needs to be more confrontational with him. Luke says the theft was “revealing of his character.”⁶⁵⁴ Alex points out that Simbal treats the men like obstacles while cosying up to the women, which is the point that Ted finds to be the most convincing and causes him to agree with the two. Alex suggests that they all leave the room together so that the others will be aware of this team-up “Oh shit, is that a wolf pack”?

654 16:19-16:31 B3

*Confessional: Luke implies he is in some way “suspicious” to the others, because he acts schizo. He says he has the closest connection with Alex and will ride him like a nuke.*⁶⁸⁹

689 17:40

In the dining room Simbal wonders aloud what the B3 fish are talking about, but La’ron and Burt are having a conversation about Burt fucking old men in the ass. Burt hands out his business cards and the fish react to them.⁶⁶¹

661 16:51 DR

Two events playing at once to transition scenes: The girls are doing gymnastics and giggling while G stares at them looking dissociative.⁷¹³ At the same time, Burt is jacking off in bedroom 3. G smashes into bedroom 3 to scare Burt mid-jerk and get him downstairs for the next challenge. He hurriedly cleans himself and rushes downstairs.

713 18:20 Den PTZ

728 18:52 Sam chases Burt out of B3 in person and hounds him out of bed

G introduces the pumpkin carving challenge.⁷³³ There is an ad placement for TCL. The fish are distributed into groups to carve pumpkins separately just because otherwise they would do it in a big noisy group, they are not teams, so don’t linger on them getting distributed.

733 19:00 Den PTZ

- LUKE’S GROUP (BAR): Mizzy says she saw Luca smirking when they were filming Alex last night talking about the n-word situation. Luke asks the girls why they think production didn’t make Alex pack his things first thing in the morning and leave. Ian says if Alex isn’t eliminated next, he will leave. Mizzy says if Alex says the n-word again she will leave.⁷⁵³
 - 753 19:40 BAR
- BURT’S GROUP (PENT): Burt comes out as autistic to Smack and panics when he realizes she already knew that because he thought he was masking it.
 - 752 19:39, 761 19:47 PENT
- BINX’S GROUP (B3):
 - 755 19:41 La’ron begins to have suspicions about Smack
 - 760 19:44 La’ron, Payton, and Binx observe that a contemporary halloween event on an edited show does not make sense and questions whether the show is being livestreamed.
- ALEX’S GROUP (DINING ROOM/FX3): Alex takes the opportunity to press Simbal with Ted to back him up. “You are a little fucking pumpkin.” Ted backs down from the

argument and Alex questions why he's not standing up for himself. Ted snaps at him "Alex! Guess what, we worked this shit out!"^{747, 758}

◦ 747 19:36 DR, 758 19:44

- Alex catches Binx in bedroom 3 and she settles him, and he thanks her for hearing him out.^{797 20:20, 20:54}

Luke instructs a growing group of fish at the bar that Simbal is the target.^{793 BAR 20:18} In Bedroom 2, Luke convinces a roomful of fish that they can swerve on Simbal by appearing to fuck over Alex while actually plotting to eliminate Simbal.⁸²⁸ Luke says: Alex will snap later. Simbal is the one actually plotting against people. They agree Alex is annoying but Simbal is antisocial. Despite being complicit by being in the room, Mizzy backs out of the plan saying she is "anti-dirty" and doesn't want to mess with anyone. In confessional, Alexis and La'ron say they are already considering throwing her out of the OG's.⁸⁴⁸

793 20:18 BAR

828 20:58 B2 "Operation Candy Corn"

G judges the pumpkins. Luke wins, with his traditional but carefully crafted pumpkin, and says "THIS PUMPKIN IS ME." Burt compares his pumpkin to his dick - "the best pumpkin in the house the best penis in the house."⁸⁶⁸

868 21:58 Flat Fx3

Interrupt a scene (fx3) between Burt and Ted where they are talking about their goals and sharing a bed (Pillow talk).⁸⁹⁵ Mizzy says something to Alexis about "the audience," (FIND) and production summons Mizzy and Payton to the jacuzzi room (fx3). They accuse the two of figuring out that the show is live.⁹³⁸

895 22:46 B3 Pillow Talk

938 23:56 Jacuzzi Interrogation

FIND: Alex tells Mizzy that Sam told him he is an audience favorite (because of Sam telling him that the audience approves of him saying the N-word)

G admits that the show is live. "You will be more famous than you know." They go to their room and say they aren't even sure what G said was true.⁹⁴⁵

945 B2 00:24 Alexis & Mizzy

Burt closes the act lifting late at night on Yard PTZ, saying he thinks Alex is an actor because he is too strange to be real, but doubts whether production would hire an actor to say the n-word.¹⁰⁴²

1042 Day 3 4:02 Yard PTZ