

2.1 EXT. SCHOOL - DAY 4

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Mick walks into school. He notices a few people pointing in his direction. There is a GROUP OF GIRLS whispering in a huddle and glancing his way. A YOUNGER LAD walks past him.

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2.1 CONTINUED:

TOMMY
This is brilliant news. So excited
for us.

MICK
Us?

TOMMY
Every group's gotta have a lad with
a big dick in it. Gives us
prestige.

Tommy takes out a tape measure.

Beat.

MICK (V.O.)
Can't let them know it's just my
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TOMMY
I can't believe

2.4 CONTI NUED:

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As Mick is being held, Wee Spud pulls down Mick's trousers from the

2.10 INT. MICHAEL'S

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Patricia is flicking through the manual for a brand new electric razor which is out of the box and plugged into the wall, charging. FINN is sitting at the kitchen table doing homework.

! MICHAEL PATRICIA
Mi chael !

MICK (O.S.)
What?!

PATRICIA
e I got you that razors you were
after!

Mick enters the kitchen and sees his mother with a brand new electric razor. Mick stops on BT 12 0 0 12 269 544 TET BT 12 0 0 12 2

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2.12 INT. BUS - DAY 4

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Mick finds an empty seat on the top deck. He sits. Mick
stares out t

2. 13 CONTI NUED:

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2. 13 CONTINUED: (3)

MICK

Sweet.

RACHAEL

Right.

Rachael kisses Mick tenderly.

RACHAEL (CONT' D)

I should probably get home.

Rachael stand

PATRICIA

Hey, just because it didn't go well it doesn't mean it won't work out. The first time I met your dad, he was having a party, and I nearly didn't go because I thought he was an absolute loser.

MICK

What, you think I'm a loser?

PATRICIA

No, no! But that's because you take after me.

They both smile.

PATRICIA (CONT'D)

Well as long as you're ok.

MICK

I am. I'm sorry. I don't hate you.

PATRICIA

I should bloody well hope not.

MICK

Sorry for saying that. Dad always said to never use the word 'hate'. Unless I was talking about Margaret Thatcher.

PATRICIA

Comparing me to Maggie Thatcher? Jesus! (Beat) You wouldn't have shouted at him like that.

Beat.

MICK

Well I did once.

PATRICIA

What?

MICK

Yeah, he was like, he was using an electric razor at the kitchen table, and I used to be obsessed with his shaving foam, so I'm like, "Ahh there's no foam". So I asked him was it a better shave and he said it wasn't. I was really confused and was like. "Why are you using it if it's not better?" And he

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2. 15 CONTI NUED: (2)
(Tears

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2. 16 CONTI NUED:

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FEMALE MEDICAL STUDENT
No I'm a student. I'm sort of going
around lots of doctors today.

MICK
(Under his breath) Thank God.

FEMALE MEDICAL STUDENT
What was that?

MICK
Oh, umm, that's good. Goode

FEMALE MEDICAL STUDENT
Right.

She leaves. Mick is left alone

2.18 CONTINUED:

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DOCTOR

So, if you all look here and notice
the swelling has actually stretched
the skin of the scrotum quite
extensively, I'll just go in and
feel the epididymis...

The doctor's voice fades away as Mick, clearl

2. 21 INT. PATRICIA'S CAR - DAY 5

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Mi ck i s bei ng dri ven back to school from th

2. 21 CONTINUED:

Mick smiles. Patricia pats his hand. He turns and smiles at her - they connect.

2. 22 INT. CHIP SHOP - DAY 5

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A busy chippie near Mick's school. The place is rammed with teenagers in uniform all jostling for space as the woman behind the counter bellows the completed orders. Mick, Tommy, Conor, Rachael and Siobhan are all squeezed into a booth. Siobhan looks slightly bored. Tommy takes a tub of curry sauce and a tub of gravy and pours them both over his chips.

TOMMY

(To Siobhan) Want one?

SIOBHAN

Absolutely not, that's rotten.

CONOR

More for me!

Conor gets stuck into Tommy's chips.

CONOR (CONT'D)

(To Tommy) So what's this big news you've been refusing to tell us?

TOMMY

I had to wait for Mick to get back from the dentist! News like this requires a

2. 22 CONTI NUED:

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2. 22 CONTINUED: (2)

TOMMY

Al right. Sweet. Tell him to bring a few mates as well. Couple of older lads at a party's always good.

CONOR

Al right.

TOMMY

And we need some more girls. Siobhan and Rachael are in, and they'll say to a few others. Conor, you need to bring Niamh.

CONOR

Ummm... think she might be busy... but yeah, yeah I'll say to her.

TOMMY

Ok. Sweet. Right. This could be good lads.

Rachael turns back to Mick and smiles.

MICK

Yeah. Yeah, could be really good.

2. 23 EXT. MICK'S STREET - DAY 5

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Mick walks down the street on his way home. He

2. 23 CONTINUED:

LUCY

It's none of your business what I
did.

Mick is in awe. He's kind of impressed, but scared.

MICK

Oooooo. Mum's gonna go mental.

LUCY

Mum is not going to go mental,
because she's not going to find
out.

MICK

What, you're just going to wear
sleeves for the resj ET BT 12 0 0 12 278 12 306 568 Tm /T

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PATRICIA (CONT'D)

And then he turns to me and he says, "Would you stop rubbing my back!" (Laughs) I didn't know what else to do.

MICK

How did he take it?

PATRICIA

2.26 INT. HOSPITAL. ULTRASOUND WAITING ROOM - DAY 6 2.26

Patricia sits outside the door as the loud buzzing of a razor can be heard. She blesses herself.

2.27 INT. HOSPITAL. ULTRASOUND ROOM - DAY 6 2.27

Mick sits waiting, glimpsing under his hospital towel at his freshly shorn testicles. The ultrasound operator enters.

ULTRASOUND OPERATOR

It always

MICK

Ummm. . .

ULTRASOUND OPERATOR

And your left leg please.

Mick is looking more worried now. The ultrasound operator puts the scanner away and starts writing things in a clipboard. He's not joking around any more, and is barely looking at Mick.

MICK

So what is it?

ULTRASOUND OPERATOR

Ah no, I'm just a technician, I'll have to pass this on to the doctor. I can't say anything.

MICK

But you must have seen hundreds of these. Please. What is it?

ULTRASOUND OPERATOR

I can't be saying.

Pause.

MICK

But in your OPINION what is it?

ULTRASOUND OPERATOR

In my opinion?

MICK

Yeah.

He considers this.

ULTRASOUND OPERATOR

In my opinion... you have to wait for the doctor.

He leaves. Mick is sitting there with his trousers around his ankles.

Tears well up in Mick's face. He's panicked. Alone. Trousers around his ankles.

PATRICIA (O.S.)

You alright in there Mick?

Mick wipes the tears from his face.

MICK

Yeah! Two seconds.

