Dear BLAA NEWS

Maybe, you not usuly publishing leters from student. But we wish say thankyou. What is hapen, our teacher, Jane see genial articl by Swan Micheal in BLAA NEWS No. 88, how use litteratur in langaug teaching. And she say, OK, Elementl Clas, less go for it, try out Swann methode. So first we reading all Sharksper. simplefy ed, take two weeks, then we do rollplay. Result: blowing mind. Principl Mr Galbone and all techers watch our preformanc, say, we are thunderstroke. Exsampl from transcrip is folwing, we think it spek for self.

Your truely

Elmental Clas, ACNE School, Bonger Regis

ROLL PLAY

Scena: The El Senor Steak House and Pizza Parlor.

MAC BET, LADY MAC BET, HAMLET and JOHN FROM GANT are eating.

(Entering KING REAR, THE FOOL, SHERLOCK, RICHARD NO 3.)

KING REAR: Hello. Been for walk in country. Raining cat and dog.

LADY MAC BET: Hello, boys. Richard, you walking funy.

RICHARD: Got bad back.

MAC BET: Clarace no coming?

RICHARD: No. Clarace doing total imersion tonihgt.

FOOL: What is black and dangeros?

(Enters DESEMONDA)

DESEMONDA: Hello. You talking about my husban?

KING REAR: You got problem with husban? Me, is daugthers. Like tooth of

snake.

DESEMONDA: Yeah, husban flip. Also many troubles whit laundry. One

andkerchif -

LADY MAC BET: That's remind me. I must wash hands. Where I can wash

hands?

HAMLET: In upstairs.

(Exits LADY MAC BET)

DESEMONDA: Hello, Hamlet. Say, you looking depress. How's your father?

HAMLET: Not so good. Hit the bucket.

DESEMONDA: Oh my good gracios! What's happen?

HAMLET: Ear infection.

(Enters WAITER)

WAITER: Special tonite, leg of frog and chips.

KING REAR: Leg of frog is OK.

RICHARD: Eye of newt and green salad.

FOOL: Single to Waterloo.

JOHN FROM GANT: No, at the station is yesterday. SHERLOCK: For me, sixteen-ounce steak.

MAC BET: I lost my knif. WAITER: I bring other one.

(Exits WAITER, enter LADY MAC BET)

LADY MAC BET: Hamlet, where your girl frend?

HAMLET: Gone swiming.
LADY MAC BET: I must wash hands.

(Exiting LADY MAC BET, enters WAITER with knif)

MAC BET: Is this a knif what I see in my front?

KING REAR: Mac Bet, you got same problem like my frend Glocestour.

Trouble with eyes.

SHERLOCK: Who are going to party in afterwards?

RICHARD: Not me. Heating gone to blink in students club. Now is like

winter in the discotek. Bloody Englan.

JOHN FROM GANT: No, England is nice place. England is OK. I like England.

England is like, how can say, like prety stone in water.

DESEMONDA: You feeling OK, Gaunty? You have temperatura? JOHN FROM GANT: At the doctors is yesterday.

RICHARD: Gotta go. Look, bloody raining again. Hope bus is coming

soon. A bus, a bus, I give anything for a bus.

(Exit RICHARD)

HAMLET: I also gotta go too. Goodnight. See you tomorrow. DESEMONDA: Goodnight, prince sweetie. We shall meet at Filippo's.

(Exits HAMLET)

FOOL: Me, too. (Exit, singing) Hey, ho, raindrops is falling in my

head.

© Michael Swan 2017