Facade

The Blake's move into a beautiful neighborhood where the dynamics are directed with gale force by the Women of Seashell Drive. The Men are shells and the Children are seasonal accourtements drawn out for necessary social engagements. Will Seashell Drive envelop the Blake's or will they see behind the facade?

The houses are all beautiful but the higher the number on the street, the more opulent the home. A major sticking point in the Blake's having #5 is Judith coveted it. She'd been waiting her entire life for the old woman there to die so she could scoop it up. She hates when plans don't come together.

Façade is a serio/comedic look at life's social climbers and what they'll do to keep their fragile status quo.

Remember, face value is free.

Characters

5 Seashell Drive - Dan Blake - 32; Patty Blake - 32; Jess Blake - 14

4 Seashell Drive – The driving force of Seashell Drive. All hell begins from within. Judith – 41; Bob – 45; Chadwick (Chad) – 14; Timothy (Tim) – 13; Elizabeth (Elizabeth) - 12

3 Seashell Drive – They've never truly fit in as close as they seem to. Are glad for The Blake's taking the pariah spot and want to keep them there.

Michelle – 38; Steve – 42; Janice (Janice) – 11; Bryce (Bry) – 10; Eleanore (Eleanore) - 9

2 Seashell Drive – Judith's #2. As such, is the most outwardly kind and generous. Any information she gets is directly pipelined to Judith to see what she wants to do next.

Catherine – 35; Tod – 39; Teresa (Teresa) – 8; Caroline (Caroline) – 7; Lawrence (Larry) - 6

1 Seashell Drive – An adept social schemer before she moved to Seashell Drive. Judith and Catherine were excited to have 'one of their own' move into the neighborhood. Beware of what you ask for. Rebecca – 32; Rod – 36; Roger (Rog) – 5; Reagan (Rege) – 4; Roderick Junior (Rojo) – 3

Blake's friends Vent; Fred; Mike

Dan's agent

Doug

Society lady DELORES HAUGHTMAN

Video Kid Eric

Potential storylines:

Jess gets hypochondria (every kid is in therapy and has a different ailment). An inviso-rash. Patty goes shopping with the WoSD

Patty gets roped in by the belletristic league to front a fund raiser for the local cable access station (this signifies the collapse of that ponzi scheme)

Dan goes to the country club with the MoSD

Jess embraces her tennis success but when the going gets tough the Jess gets goth. Or preppy. Or urban. Or country. Or. . .

One of the men tells the story about booking a room in Albuquerque and having to pull some strings because a Indian pow wow was in town. Dan says, "Isn't that just like a white man, taking an Indians reservation."

Judith! It's so great to see you? Where've you been?

I had a salad for lunch, Daniel.

Salad, huh?

Yes, salad is very satisfying. Especially when made with baby spinach leaves, cucumbers, green and red pepper, baby portobello mushrooms and grape tomatoes. And topped with balsamic vinaigrette dressing. Yum.

Yeah, that's exactly what I think. Except I'd change baby spinach leaves to thinly sliced strips of meat; cucumbers to meat cubes; green and red pepper to meat shavings; baby portobello mushrooms I'd leave alone. Something's gotta help digestion. Grape tomatoes to bacobits and balsamic vinaigrette to beer. (Dan nods and smiles) Wow, it's amazing how simpatico we are! And do you know what I call this masterpiece?

With trepidation. No

Roadrunner.

Why on Earth would you call it the roadrunner?

Said like the roadrunner cartoon character speaks Meat, meat.

Man #3 crashes the car because he ran from the cops. They were trying to pull him over because a fur coat was hanging out of the car and they thought he was pulling an animal.

Bitch clicking fingers on table when being confronted by video kid about scam.

Dan is talking to one of the secondary women and she says, "Did you hear that bee?" Dan says no. She doesn't believe him and, while nervously looking around, says, "I can hear every bee in the world." Dan says, "That's the worst superpower of all time."