Subject: Re: Growing as a Team

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While the debriefing was going on, Lena and Elise were in Thunderbird 7. They had been awakened by the roar of the engines of the two ships as they returned to base, and found themselves unable to go back to sleep. So they dressed and arrived in the kitchen as Kyrano and Lisa were getting the food ready to take into the dining room.

"Why don't you two go back to bed," said Lisa. "You won't be needed for the briefing."

"I'm not sleepy now," Elise answered and Lena nodded agreement.

"Dere must be someting we could do to help. Someting physical, so dat when we go back to bed, we will sleep."

Kyrano and Lisa looked at each other. "Well," she said, "Dianne mentioned that Thunderbird 7 would need to be restocked as soon as possible, in case of another emergency. I suppose you could do that, if you want to."

Elise and Lena looked at each other. "If we have access to it, but I don't know how to get dere, do you?" Elise shook her head.

"Once we have served the others their dinner," offered Kyrano. "I would be more than happy to take you two there, if you still wish to do that."

"Dat would be fine."

"I'll help, too."

Half an hour later, they were standing inside Thunderbird 7, looking around. "It sure looks clean for something involved in a rescue where there were victims of a crash and an avalanche," Elise remarked.

"I believe that Dominic started cleaning procedures, once they had left the site," Kyrano answered. He began to open some of the cupboards to see what needed replenishing. He frowned and said, "This is not good. They used a lot of black tags."

"Black tags?"

"It is what is put on people who have died."

There was silence as the two women thought about what Kyrano had said. Then Lena mentally shook herself and said, "Well, dis Tunderbird isn't going to restock itself. Kyrano, please show us where we can get de supplies. And," she added, looking at the biobeds, "de sheets to make up dose beds."

Soon they were hard at work. Lena had managed to bring up the inventory list on an onboard

computer and they carefully and thoroughly went through it. By the time they were finished, the medical vehicle was stocked and ready for another rescue.

"I hope this isn't needed very soon," Elise remarked, as they left to return to the Villa.

Lena smiled tiredly at her. "Dat's a hope everyone shares, young lady. But isn't it good to know dat if it is needed, it's here. And so are de people. It's too bad more people aren't like dis - willing to help in any way dey can, to save otters. It must be frustrating, but very rewarding."

Elise looked sharply at her, but didn't see any sign that Lena was directing the remarks at her personally. But what Lena had said gave her food for thought. They arrived back in the Villa's kitchen and parted, each heading in a different direction to get back to bed and get some sleep.

Post by Hobbeth on 08/11/2004