Year 10 PDHPE Planning for Safety Assessment Task 2 2014

Play Script

Title: Night out becomes a nightmare

Lily and Jenny are best friends and have been invited to Isaac’s 18th birthday party at this house. Lily and Jenny are only 17 years old. Lily’s boyfriend, Luke, who is 20 years old, will be at the party. There has been talk about illegal drugs and alcohol being at the party.

Jenny is a lot quieter than Lily and has never been to an 18th birthday party before. She is worried about some of the risky behaviour that may happen at the party and worries about their safety.

Lily is adventurous but can sometimes be naïve. She doesn’t always think about the risks beforehand, she just follows along with what others are doing. Lily’s boyfriend Luke has a lot more experience with drinking, parties and relationships than her. Luke is ready to take their relationship to the next step and is planning for this to happen at the party.

Isaac is the host of the party and is supplying the alcohol and drugs. He knows that he could get into trouble with the law and that the party could get out of hand, but is willing to take the chance.

Act 1: At the Party

Lily has dressed to impress her boyfriend at the party. Jenny is worried that her dress is too revealing, as it shows off her chest and legs. She thinks that Luke might get the wrong idea about what she wants at the party.

When they arrive at the party they find that there is a whole table filled with alcohol, some of the boys are already drunk.

There is only one parent at the house keeping an eye on the party.

Lily: Hey girls you are here. Finally!

(Lily runs and gives Luke a hug and a kiss and grabs a drink from him)

Jenny: Hey Lil, maybe we shouldn’t drink because you have to drive us home later on.

Lily: Don’t worry Jen, Luke will drive us home.

Luke: Don’t worry Jen, you will be fine, have a drink, I will drive you home.

(Jenny goes and gets a drink of water from the esky and sits down on the lounge, still keeping a close eye on Lily who was dancing and kissing Luke. It was only 9.00pm and Lily was already drunk. There is only one parent at the house keeping an eye on the party)

Isaac: You must be Jenny, Lily’s friend?

Jenny: Yeah that’s me, nice to meet you

Isaac: You don’t look like you’re having much fun.

Jenny: No I am… really…I am not much of a drinker, if you know what I mean?

Isaac: Would you like something that will help you have even more fun?

Jenny: What are you talking about?

(Isaac pulls a small packet of pills from his pocket, and holds it out for Jenny to take)

Jenny: What are they?

Isaac: Ecstasy. I got them from a friend the other day. They will help you loosen up and have a good night.

Jenny: Get those drugs away from me. They could kill me.

Isaac: Fine, suit yourself

(Isaac left the room. Lily and Luke are outside)

Luke: Lily, I am getting another drink. Do you want one?
Lily: Yeah why not, if you’re having one.

(Luke walks into the kitchen, where Isaac is talking to some friends.)

Luke: Hey mate, have you got any pills for me.

Isaac: Yeah sure do mate. Is it for you?

Luke: Nah, Lily wants another drink. I thought I would slip one in there. I was thinking it will help her relax a bit for later. You know what I mean?

Isaac: Yeah, sure do. Here you go. Have a good night.

(Luke drops the pill into Lily’s drink and waits until it dissolves. Jenny has receives a call from her Dad)

Jenny: Hey Dad. What’s up?

Jenny’s Dad: Just checking to see how you are going and if you need anything.

Jenny: I’m good. I am a bit worried about Lily. She has been drinking and she is spending a lot of time with her boyfriend Luke.

Jenny’s Dad: It’s good that you are not drinking and looking out for your friend. Give me a ring if you think that things are getting out of hand. I will come and pick you both up. I know what can happen and what some teenage boys can get up to at these types of parties.

Jenny: Ok. Thanks Dad.

(End of conversation)

(Jenny walks outside to where Lily is dancing)

Jenny: How are you going Lily?

Lily: I’m great (slurring her speech)

Jenny: Are you sure? You’re talking very loudly and acting very strangely

Lily: Oh Jen, why are you so serious all of the time? I’m fine.

(Lily loses focus and her footing and falls to the ground laughing, still holding her drink, but spilling it down the front of herself)

(Jenny notices something in the bottom of her drink and yells angrily at Luke)

Jenny: Why did you spike her drink Luke?

Luke: Calm down Jenny, it’s only a bit of ecstasy, it won’t hurt it.

Jenny: Are you kidding, she could overdose or have a bad reaction. She could die and that would be your fault.

Lily: (slurring her words, intoxicated and unaware of the safety risks), oh Jenny, stop worrying I am fine... really.

Luke: Come on Lily, come upstairs to the bedroom and I will grab you some clean clothes.

(Before Jenny could say anymore Luke was carrying Lily, upstairs to the bedroom, locking the door behind him. Lily was semi-conscious; her eyes were glazed and unfocused)

Lily: (collapses onto the bed) why are you locking the door?

Luke: So we can have some privacy. You know what I mean?

Lily: No Luke. I am not ready for this and I don’t feel that good.

Luke: You have nothing to worry about. We love each other and I will look after you.

(Meanwhile, Jenny was concerned that Lily had not returned)

Jenny: Isaac, have you seen Lily and Luke

Isaac: Yeah, they went up to the bedroom, I wouldn’t interrupt them.

Jenny: But she is drunk and Luke put ecstasy in her drink. She wouldn’t know what was going on.

Isaac: Relax, she will be fine.
(Jenny runs upstairs and bangs on the door, yelling out to Lily and Luke. There was no answer. Jenny was angry with Lily for ruining her night and leaving her alone. Jenny calls her Dad to come and pick her up)

(After a few hours Lily wakes up alone, half dressed. She doesn’t remember what had happened or where she was. She tidied herself up and went downstairs. She walked outside and got into her car to drive home. She did not think about the amount of alcohol that she had had to drink or the drugs that were in her system. She only made it halfway home before she lost control of her car and crashed head on into an oncoming truck.)

Act 2: After the Party
Jenny arrived home after her dad picked her up from the party. She told him what had happened. Jenny’s dad was worried about Lily. He decides to ring her parents.

**Jenny’s Dad:** Hi, this is Jenny’s Dad. I just wanted to give you a call and see if Lily has made it home from the party?

**Lily’s Mum:** No not yet. I thought the girls were coming home together.

**Jenny’s Dad:** No. Lily was drinking and went off with her boyfriend. He was going to bring her home. So Jenny asked me to come and get her.

**Lily’s Mum:** Thanks. I will ring her mobile and see how she is getting home.

(Lily’s Mum rings her mobile several times, but there was no answer. She tried once more and a strange voice answered.)

**Lily’s Mum:** Hello. Who is this?

**Strange Voice:** Hi, this is Constable Smith. May I ask who is calling?

**Lily’s Mum:** This is Lily’s Mum. Is she ok?

**Constable Smith:** Lily has been in a serious car accident. Would you be able to meet us at Westmead Hospital?

**Lily’s Mum:** (nearly fainting, replies.) Yes I’ll be there in 20 minutes.

(Lily’s Mum arrives at Westmead hospital. She is very upset and worried about Lily. She is approached by the doctor in the emergency ward)

**Doctor:** I am sorry to say that Lily has suffered severe head trauma and possible spinal damage. She is in a coma and we don’t know if she will recover fully.

(Lily’s Mum is overcome with shock and collapses)

(The police call Jenny to find out what happened at the party. She was the only person who was not drinking at the party. She is told that she may have to testify in court at a later date. Jenny is so upset that her best friend is in hospital fighting for her life and feels guilty that she didn’t do enough to help Lily)

(The police go to Isaac’s house)

**Constable Smith:** Hi, are you Isaac?

**Isaac:** Yes, that’s me.

**Constable Smith:** Did you have a party here last night?

**Isaac:** Yes. There was no trouble officer

**Constable Smith:** You are under arrest for supplying illegal drugs, supplying alcohol to a minor and grievous bodily harm.

**Isaac:** I don’t know what you are talking about.

**Constable Smith:** Come with us to the station and we will take your statement and explain everything. I suggest you get a lawyer.

(The police also visit Luke and arrest him. He faces the same charges, as well as sexual assault.)