

HERE COME THE DINOSAURS

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Running Sheet

Act One

A friendly group of dinosaurs are having a BBQ at the local park. They're playing prehistoric games and generally having a good time.

Song One: THE LAND THAT TIME FORGOT

Act Two

All the 'good' dinosaurs are continuing to have a great time, when along comes Rex and his 'tough' mates – Terry and Topsy. They aren't very nice and try to upset the 'good time' being had by the dinosaurs.

Song Two: REX

All the good dinosaurs exit. They have had enough of Rex and his mates.

Act Three

Rex, Terry and Topsy are pretty happy with themselves, until Rex, being clumsy and having only little front legs, trips and brings a huge tree down. He finds himself pinned to the ground under the tree. Terry and Topsy run off because they don't want to be around when Rex tries to get up. Sally hears Rex's calls for help.

Song Three: YOU GOT A FRIEND

Act Four

Sally summons her friends and they all help lift the tree off Rex. Rex finally changes his 'attitude' and becomes one of the 'good guys'.

Song Four: HERE COME THE DINOSAURS



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Cast

Narrator

The storyteller

Rex

Tyrannosaurus Rex – a ‘bad guy’.

Terry

Pterodactyl - and one of Rex’s friends

Topsy

Triceratops - and one of Rex’s friends.

Sally

Stegosaurus – one of the ‘good guys’.

Simon

Stegosaurus – one of the ‘good guys’.

Brianna

Brachiosaurus – one of the ‘good guys’.

Bert

Brachiosaurus – one of the ‘good guys’.

Barbie

Brontosaurus – one of the ‘good guys’.

Barney

Brontosaurus – one of the ‘good guys’.



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Script

Act One

Scene: A local park. Several dinosaurs – Sally, Simon, Brianna, Bert, Barbie and Barney are playing typical prehistoric games.

The Narrator stands stage left.

Narrator: A friendly group of dinosaurs can be seen playing typical prehistoric games in the park. Sally and Simon are playing catch the pterodactyl. Brianna and Bert are playing pin the tail on the woolly mammoth. Good luck with that one fellas! *(the narrator gives a thumbs-up and a wink)* Barbie and Barney are cooking at the BBQ.

Sally: What a lovely day for a picnic! Go and get the play-ball and try and throw the ball back to me, Simon.

Simon: I would if I could pick it up, Sally.

Narrator: Simon tries to pick up the ball with his big, tree-stump legs.

Sally: Here, let me help you.

Narrator: Sally thumps across and knocks Simon over onto his back, leaving him stranded like a turtle.

Simon: *(on his back)* Oh! Thanks, Sally. Last time I ended up like this, I completely missed the Triassic period.

Sally: Sorry, Simon. I'll help you up.

Simon: No! I'll be just fine, Sally.

Narrator: Simon keeps rolling around on the ground trying to get back up. Barbie and Barney announce that the BBQ is ready.