



The FIRE Girl

A spacecat Book

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Chapter 1

The Fire Girl Awakens

"Buckle up!" the pilot said as the Bronarcs sat down in the soft seats of the helicopter.

"Why are we doing this again?" Ruby asked.

"It's Mum's birthday present, remember," Ryan replied.

"Mum, why are we doing this?" Ruby whined.

"We have lived here for 8 years now." Emily said, calmly. "I wanted to see the area, the nature."

"You just mean you want to be in something that flies because we can't afford a holiday, don't you!" Ruby said.

"No she doesn't!" John replied, getting annoyed with Ruby.

"We're going to take off now," the pilot said. The blades of the helicopter whirred into life. In a few seconds, they were in the air. Higher and higher they went. Soon the helicopter no longer moved vertically,

and began moving forwards.

Ruby was amazed, surprisingly. With the fields and the occasional road, it was beautiful. After a while, the helicopter had begun to follow the B6347 motorway.

"Look! There! A girl!" Ruby cried.

"Oh yeah!" Ryan agreed, with a hint of uncertainty in his voice. "Near the garage! Where we get the car fixed, right Dad?"

"Yes, that is where we get the car fixed." John agreed.

"She's in the middle of the three-way junction!" Emily cried. "Pilot, take us down there!"

"Alright then!" he replied. "I'll have to land in the garage car park if that's fine with you."

"Anything to get the girl safe." Emily replied.



"Doctor Stafford! The girl, she's regaining consciousness!" the nurse cried to the doctor.

"Are you alright?" The doctor said, slowly.

"I...think so." she replied, trying to comprehend what was going on.

"Don't worry. You're safe now." Dr. Stafford replied, trying to comfort her.

"It's been 5 hours since you were found," the nurse said.

She asked, "Where am I now?"

"A hospital."

"Who am I?"

"We don't know. You were found on the road at the junction near the garage on the motorway. Have some rest for now."



The girl awoke, a few hours later, with a note

on her bed.

"Dear Alisha,
We are looking for you. We WILL
find you."

"No name. Curious." she said after reading the note aloud.

Ruby slowly walked in, towards Alisha's bedside. "Hi. You good?"

"As good as I can be," Alisha and Ruby smiled.

"I might as well introduce myself. I'm Ruby. I'm 9 years old."

"Cool! I'm Alisha, I'm 12."

"What else can you remember?"

"Nothing," Alisha said, solemnly.

"Oh. Anyway, I'll be off."

"Ok."

Ruby walked out and began endlessly chattering to her family. As soon as she left, Alisha began studying the note again.

"Hi, Alisha," Ryan said as he settled himself down on the end of the bed.

"Hi," Alisha responded.

"I'm Ryan, by the way," he said, smiling.

"There was this really weird note on my bed when I woke up a few minutes before Ruby came in."

"Is that it there?" he asked, pointing to the bedside table, with a glass of water on it and an envelope.

"The envelope, yes, not the water, obviously!" Alisha joked, trying to make the day slightly better.

Ryan read the note, becoming as confused as Alisha was by the word, "That's so odd!" he said, now really confused. On the confused scale that goes from one to ten, he would be

about thirty-seven!

"So weird." Alisha said, once Ryan put the note on the table, indicating that he had finished reading it.

"Do you think they are looking for you in a good way, as in your previous family; or in a bad way, as in, you know," After he said this, he imitated chopping his own head off with his hand while making his own accompanying sound effects.

"The thing is, we don't know if there are good or bad guys in this situation, do we?" Alisha reminded Ryan.

"No, we don't."

"So prepare for both," Alisha said, like she was reading a horror story at a campfire.

"Got it," Ryan said, solemnly.



"What are we going to do with Alisha?" John

asked the rest of the family.

"Take her in, wasn't that the plan?" Ruby said, with a hint of persuasion in her voice.

Emily replied, "Yes, it was, but thin-"

"Cool, I'll go and tell her," then suddenly, Ruby was off down the corridor and burst into the room.

"Hiiiiieeeeeee!" Ruby squealed.

"Hi?" Alisha replied, confused. "Are you alright?"

"I'm super excited! You're coming home with us, when you get out of hospital, of course."

"Cool! Can I talk to Ryan for a minute?"

"Yeah, sure!"

Ruby left, and Ryan came in.

"What?" he asked.

Alisha handed him the note, "I found this on the back of the note."

"Remember to celebrate the date 25/09. Bye, The Elements!" Ryan read. "Who are the

Elements? What does the date mean?"

"I think it's my birthday. I'm 13 on the 25th September. What's the date today?" Alisha asked.

"25th June."

Doctor Stafford walked in, "You are free to go!" he said, grinning.