

**Sumo at Sea**

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| **Episode 04 Confessionals** | | |
| **Castaway** | **Old Count** | **New Count** |
| Tom | 3 | 2 (-1) |
| Katie | 2 | - |
| Ian | 5 | 6 (+1) |
| Jenn | 1 | - |
| Caryn | 1 | - |
| Gregg | 1 | - |
| Stephenie | 6 | - |
| Janu | 0 | - |
| Coby | 1 | - |
| Bobby Jon | 4 | - |
| Ibrehem | 2 | - |
| James | 8 | - |
| Angie | 2 | - |
| Willard | 2 | - |
| Kim | 6 | - |

Day 8

1. **Kim (1/6):** Tonight at Tribal Council, Jeff went home. I am very sad he’s not here. He’s great for the team. He’s a great friend. It absolutely is horrible to lose the strongest player on your tribe, but that’s what he had wanted, and so that’s what we did.
2. **Bobby Jon (1/4):** I don’t know. This tribe right now doesn’t have a lot of togetherness and closeness, like we thought we had. I just feel like right now, everybody’s self-esteem’s getting down, but I’m hoping we’re going to turn it around. I hope we do learn something, but… right now, I don’t think we have.

Day 9

1. **Jenn (1/1):** Katie and I went to go get Tree Mail this morning and it basically says that we need to send a tribal representative out, and that we have to live with the decisions that we make.
2. **Coby (1/1):** Today we were volunteering on who wanted to go. Me, Caryn and Janu all volunteered. But it was like nobody listened to us. They just said, *“So, should it be Gregg or should it be Ian?” “I want to go.” “Well, should it be Gregg or should it be Ian?” “I want to go.”* I just kept repeating myself. By picking the team leader, the separation of the group is just obvious. Katie, Jennifer, Gregg, Ian and Tom are one unit, so that makes five against four. Once we saw them all band together, it was obvious that we’re definitely the underdogs here.
3. **Kim (2/6):** I don’t agree with the drawing straws. It seems like nobody likes to sit down and think about it for a second. It’s very impulsive, and I’m sure that it won’t be the best decision once it’s made.
4. **Ian (1/6):** Jeff gave me the choice to pick six tools out of this toolbox. It was a difficult decision. But my dad owns a construction company and I grew up in a farm, so it worked out okay.
5. **Ian (2/6):** As far as my choices go, I hope the tribe’s happy with it, but I’m feeling fantastic, the adrenaline’s running.
6. **James (1/8):** I wasn’t trying to be the leader. They picked me, but luckily they did pick me because if they didn’t we wouldn’t have got the tools that we needed to build our lavatory.
7. **James (2/8):** Leadership is not a role I want to take on, but when a Reward Challenge is at stake, somebody’s got to step up and say, *“Hey, get up off your asses and let’s get to work.”*
8. **Ian (3/6):** The Koror construction crew is in high gear. We have a plan now, so we’re gonna pull all the stops out. Koror is going nuts with this thing.
9. **Willard (1/2):** If you watch Tom and Ian, they’re very careful not to go through the day without saying, in front of the group, something good about everybody in the group. (12:20 → 12:30 = 10s)
10. **Willard (2/2):** Tom is, uh, a leader. That’s what he does for a living. He’s an officer in the fire department. He’s highly motivated. He works hard. He’s our little motor that makes the train run.
11. **Caryn (1/1):** Every leader for every project is always Tom. That’s the way it is in this tribe. Everyone is… *(bows) “Oh, Tom, oh, Tom. Yes, Tom.”* The women just don’t-- won’t even throw a stick in the fire without… *(mockingly & obediently) “Tom, Tom, can I throw a stick in the fire, Tom?” (shakes head)* It’s a little crazy.
12. **James (3/8):** Being the boss, it’s a big responsibility, but I’m feeling pretty good that I can take some skills that I’ve learned and build us a little outhouse, so we can win us a shelter.
13. **Stephenie (1/6):** I’m happy to have James as a team leader, but he can be very fatherly, which can be annoying at times.
14. **Angie (1/2):** It makes me mad that James is like, *“Oh, do you need help with that nail?”* Because I know what I’m doing. When I have something broken at my house, I fix it. Landlord don’t fix it, I fix it.
15. **James (4/8):** Kim’s a little bit useless. She’s always trying to get out of things. Finally we found something that she likes to do, which is sew. You know, something she can sit on her ass, and… *(mimics sewing)* But really, we’ve got five people doing all the hard work.
16. **Bobby Jon (2/4):** When I start working hard on something, my whole body and soul just goes into it, every ounce of me. I mean, you’ve gotta want it, and that’s what winner’s do. Winner’s keep fighting. Champions keep persevering.
17. **Kim (3/6):** It sucks to be on a team with completely “gung-ho, I’ll work until I die and bleed to death” type of people. You want the honest truth? I think that I’m the smart one sitting in the center of a bunch of of people running around with their heads chopped off. (16:02 → 16:15 = 13s)
18. **Kim (4/6):** James, he’s going to end up driving people insane and I’m slowly watching everybody mentally lose it, so I’m kind of stepping back and letting the beast attack the beast.

Day 10

1. **Ian (4/6):** This morning, Jesse and Jeff Probst came to do the judging so it was, uh… it was very nerve-wracking.
2. **Katie (1/2):** The tour was terrific. It was taking them through our thought process, how we worked and how we came up with what we came up with. I’m very confident. I’d be surprised if we didn’t win and we need this. We have “Rat City, USA,” and we need a shelter.
3. **Gregg (1/1):** I think we put everything that we had into this challenge, more so than any other challenge. If I’m judging facial expression, I think Jesse was very impressed. I don’t think there’s any way we can lose this one.
4. **Stephenie (2/6):** Surprisingly, our bathroom area and everything looks really good. It’s a lot nicer than we thought it would ever be.
5. **James (5/8):** I think we won, no doubt. It’s-it’s-- look at it. It’s perfect. They’ll be back in about… I estimate two, three hours.
6. **Ian (5/6):** The Koror construction crew did a fantastic job on this challenge, so we’re really proud. But you never know what rabbit Ulong is going to pull out of their hat.
7. **Tom (1/2):** The barge boat came around the corner again. We could see *The Home Depot*, uh, sign on it, and there was a lot of, lot of joy in camp.
8. **Ibrehem (1/2):** I don’t know, man. I’m kind of thinking that we may have lost. We’re still trying to keep hope up because, you know, the sun hasn’t set all the way. It’s not dark yet, but, uh, it’s looking kind of grimm.
9. **Ian (6/6):** We have a new shelter going on, so, uh… so a good day for Koror, for sure. Um, everything worked out the way it’s supposed to. Oh, it’s a frickin’ palace. It’s like the Taj Mahal. It’s fantastic.
10. **Katie (2/2):** I can’t even begin to explain how great our shelter is-- it’s beautiful. It’s not even a shelter, it’s a home. I mean, we’ve got a hammock in there and a lantern, and they built us a picnic table and, like, a little platform for us just to hang out on. It makes the quality of life here so much better.
11. **Tom (2/2):** As if the shelter wasn’t enough, these wonderful people turned around and gave us a housewarming gift, and it was a, uh, crate with, uh, two bottles of iced-cold champagne in it. We don’t even know if it was the alcohol, but it was the most delicious thing you ever tasted and it felt great.
12. **James (6/8):** It seems that we lost the challenge. I was confident that we had it, y’know? We worked hard. It looks good. It’s a shame. But that’s alright, ‘cause it just makes us more angry that we lost. We’re ticked off, so we’re going after them and we’re going to run right through ‘em like a dang bulldozer.

Day 11

1. **Stephenie (3/6):** I hate for things to come down to the wire, but it seems like it has with us. I mean, this next immunity can make or break us. If we don’t get it, we’re down to five and they have nine. We can’t lose another tribe member.
2. **Bobby Jon (3/4):** All I know to do to win this next Immunity Challenge is just to fight, fight, fight, fight, fight. That’s all I know to do. You’ve got to block out the past and worry about right now.
3. **James (7/8):** Feels terrible to have my butt whooped by a homosexual, you know, but a lot of gay folks are strong, man. They are all working out at the gym and all, you know. Damn.
4. **Bobby Jon (4/4):** We got our butts kicked today. Imagine that. That’s what’s been happening here lately. I personally got my butt whipped, and now we gotta go to Council tonight and we got to vote somebody off.
5. **Stephenie (4/6):** When we got back from the challenge, I was so mad and upset and embarrassed and just pissed because James lost it for all of us. We could have won immunity, and there it was out of our hands again, four in a row. We lost. (34:06 → 34:17 = 11s)
6. **Stephenie (5/6):** Angie and I, we did the best we could do. We won both our heats, so thank God for the women, ‘cause the guys, they’re getting their butts handed to ‘em.
7. **James (8/8):** We all know whose name’s going down. Kim, she sits on her butt, but that’s it, you know. She don’t do nothing. She might drink some coconut juice, you know. That’s about the most work she’ll do, you know. Come on. So she’s gone.
8. **Stephenie (6/6):** Kim, she knows she can be the next one to go. Everybody is completely fed up with her. But if we vote Kim out, and it’s three guys and two girls, Angie and I are in big trouble.
9. **Kim (5/6):** I think the girls definitely see the value of us sticking together, and I would more than be willing to see some of these guys go because… *(scoffs)* they aren’t the greatest.
10. **Ibrehem (2/2):** It’s a slam dunk for me, man. Kim, I just think she’s not a very strong girl, so I just think it’s smarter to vote off the weakest link.
11. **Angie (2/2):** Me and Steph are definitely talking about really trying to vote one of the guys out instead of Kim. We’d have the upper hand, but then again, we might just lose another Immunity Challenge because she’s not pulling her weight, so what’s the lesser of two evils? Trying to keep somebody around and hope you may not get voted off, but if she helps us lose it, then-- pfft!-- you know, somebody’s going anyways.
12. **Kim (6/6):** It could go either way. I could go or one of the guys could go because this is a group that actually won’t make final decisions till it’s time to pick up that pen and write down the name.