

Short Story 9: The Aggressive BMW Driver... gets a cat

Warning: Don't think Sonia's a bad primary, she's very good (Aggressive BMW Driver is Joe's line)

She twisted the joystick to turn in a 180. Then, she pressed the orange trigger to reset it. She double-checked which way was forward, sideways, and back.

She pushed the joystick forward to move Crane forward. CRASH! Crane crashed into the robot cart. Sonia jumped in fright, Crane almost ran into her. She frowned, the robot should have moved forward so why was it moving back towards her? She frowned.

She moved the cart and herself away from Crane before using the joystick again. She pushed the joystick right. CRASH! Crane crashed into a brick wall. She frowned. That should have been impossible. (Ehem... only Akemi crashes robots into brick walls...) There was no brick wall there. She frowned, when did the brick wall appear?

Something silver was on the brick wall. She squinted. It looked... oh no... it looked like a cat. It was a super cute silver cat. The cat jumped off the wall and pounced at her. Sonia stepped back, surprised. The cat landed on the robot cart next to the secondary joystick.

"Are you a driver?" she asked the cat.

It nodded and meowed. Then, it pressed 'cone.' Sonia smiled, surprised. "Let's try," she shrugged, "I'll try not to crash... again."

The silver cat purred and Sonia began to drive. This time, the joystick had no issues and neither did the swerve. Magically, the carpet did not have any issues. She turned the robot towards the cone.

The cat magically knew exactly what to do, pressing the 0ground intake twice to intake the cone. When she turned the robot to bring it to the grid, the secondary had to press tuck so that they did not break the robot in case she crashed.

The cat knew it had to TUCK. It pressed TUCK without her telling it to. (Fun Fact, during CCC, I forgot to tuck a few times and Joe had to press the button for me... lol)

She grinned, "You're an excellent secondary driver!"

The cat purred at the praise and cuddled up to her. Sonia decided then, that she was keeping this cat. "I'm naming you..." she thought for a while, trying to think of the perfect name.

The cat had a silver pelt. Its eyes were... she squinted. It was hard to tell but it looked like the eyes of the cat were changing. It was magnificent! It was a rainbow! "Oooh!" she grinned, thinking of a good name.

Joey's cat was also silver and it was named after a metal. Her can was silver and it could drive a metal robot. "You're name is Lithium!"

Moral of the story: When you get a silver cat, a brick wall shall appear, don't crash Crane, always TUCK