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# GWO1 GANGSTER LONDON

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## BOILERPLATE

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*"When you play, play hard."* - Theodore Roosevelt

# THE SCORE

## A NASTY PIECE OF WORK

A dead body, a Cockney drug-dealer selling from the back of the kebab shop, three suitcases full of blue flake cocaine and an unexploded World War Two bomb - these are a few of the things that make for a proper East End fiasco. This playset is for fans of films with a certain ugly, stylish sensibility.

Maybe you're just a working-class bloke looking to catch a break, and your mate from the pub knows a guy who has a sure thing. Only it's not a sure thing and then your mate's dodgy girlfriend gets involved, and then the Russians find out what you've done and it's all going to go tits-up, isn't it?

## MOVIE NIGHT

Lock, Stock and Two Smoking Barrels. The Bank Job. Sexy Beast.

# RELATIONSHIPS...

## 1 WORK

- Me and this bloke I used to work with
- Me and my boss from work
- Me and this bloke from work
- Me and this bloke who fixed our car / plumbing / electrics
- Me and this bloke I bought something off of
- Me and my doctor / lawyer / accountant

## 2 FRIENDSHIP

- Former cellmates
- Army buddies
- This bloke from down the pub
- "I saved his life, you know"
- "I've known him since school"
- "We're just mates, we're not like shagging or anything."

## 3 ODD

- Alcoholics Anonymous
- Salvation Army
- Young Conservatives
- Socialists
- Environmental campaigners
- Probation officer and criminal

## 4 ROMANCE

- ◻ Secret lovers
- ◻◻ Married
- ◻◻◻ Separated
- ◻◻◻◻ On-again, off-again partners
- ◻◻◻◻◻ Stalker and stalkee
- ◻◻◻◻◻◻ Don't like each other much, but can't stop shagging

## 5 CRIME

- ◻ Criminal boss and underling
- ◻◻ Gamblers
- ◻◻◻ Small-time housebreakers
- ◻◻◻◻ Con man and mark
- ◻◻◻◻◻ Drug dealers
- ◻◻◻◻◻ Hoodies

## 6 FAMILY

- ◻ Siblings
- ◻◻ Cousins
- ◻◻◻ Distant relatives who have never met
- ◻◻◻◻ Parent and child or stepchild
- ◻◻◻◻◻ Uncle / aunt and nephew / niece
- ◻◻◻◻◻◻ Parent-in-law / son- or daughter-in-law

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# NEEDS...

## 1 TO GET LAID

- ... to prove something
- ... to get something you want
- ... to forget about getting dumped
- ... to rekindle an old romance
- ... for the first time
- ... for the last time

## 2 TO GET SOME ANSWERS

- ... about Ned's "Four o'clock meeting in Brixton"
- ... about someone's infidelity
- ... to a question of parentage
- ... from the police, about an unsolved crime
- ... about the accident that still haunts you
- ... about Shelley's commitment to the enterprise

## 3 TO GET REVENGE

- ... on Steps and his crew
- ... on the Russians who humiliated you
- ... on a co-worker
- ... on a television personality
- ... on a family member
- ... on a police detective

## 4 TO GET RESPECT

- ... from the London criminal underground
- ◻ ... by showing everybody who the real boss is
- ◻ ... from your lover, by keeping an unfortunate promise
- ◻ ... from a family member, by backing their plan
- ◻ ... from yourself, by standing up to a bully
- ◻ ... by going straight at last

## 5 TO GET RICH

- ... by ripping off a dealer
- ◻ ... by running eastern European prostitutes
- ◻ ... by robbing a family business
- ◻ ... by working a political deal in the neighborhood
- ◻ ... by opening a kebab shop
- ◻ ... by finding a buyer for these diamonds you “found”

## 6 TO GET OUT

- ... of London before the Russians find you
- ◻ ... of debt, through one last bold deal
- ◻ ... of a relationship gone dangerously sour
- ◻ ... of your interminable marriage
- ◻ ... of an obligation to a powerful criminal
- ◻ ... of England before Scotland Yard catches up with you

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# LOCATIONS...

## 1 RESIDENCES

- ▣ Flat 253, Broadwater House
- ▣ "The Rivings"
- ▣ 23 Mulberry Grove
- ▣ Raddeston Place
- ▣ Villa El Mariachi, Costa Del Sol
- ▣ The Squat

## 2 HOUSES

- ▣ Penthouse
- ▣ Auction House
- ▣ Whorehouse
- ▣ Family house
- ▣ Country house
- ▣ Warehouse

## 3 LANDMARKS

- ▣ The British Library
- ▣ The Tower of London
- ▣ The River Thames
- ▣ Canary Wharf
- ▣ The Millennium Dome
- ▣ Kew Gardens



## 4 FOOD AND DRINK

- Ali's Cafe
- ◻ The Crown and Anchor
- ◻ Grabber's Nightclub
- ◻ Stan Fish's Gentleman's Entertainment Club
- ◻ The Ivy
- ◻ The Royal India Tandoori

## 5 WORKPLACES

- Reiman, Losser and Reiman, a large bank
- ◻ The pig farm
- ◻ Jacob Fein, jeweller
- ◻ Captain Comic, books and graphic novels
- ◻ Bulldog English's specialist bookstore
- ◻ The Paper Recycling Plant

## 6 ODDITIES

- Cat rescue home
- ◻ Royal Northern Hospital
- ◻ The Lodge Of the Masonic Order of the Stars
- ◻ A synagogue
- ◻ Locker 3867 At Waterloo Station
- ◻ "You Do Not Ask What Goes On Back There"

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# OBJECTS...

## 1 UNFORTUNATE

- Forty chickens in eighty cages
- ◻ Hydroponic cannabis-growing facility
- ◻ Collection of priceless stamps, ruined
- ◻ “Peckham Rolex” electronic ankle monitor
- ◻ Dead body
- ◻ Ten thousand leaflets about Jesus

## 2 TRANSPORTATION

- Motorbike
- ◻ Nondescript white van
- ◻ Subaru Impreza 5-door wagon
- ◻ Milk float
- ◻ Speedboat
- ◻ Rolls Royce

## 3 WEAPON

- Sawn-off shotgun
- ◻ “Jesus Christ, it’s a fucking katana!”
- ◻ An unexploded World War Two bomb
- ◻ Antique duelling pistols
- ◻ Three hand grenades
- ◻ A water pistol that looks like a real gun

## 4 INFORMATION

- ◻ Angus' mysterious last words
- ◻◻ A conversation you shouldn't have been listening to
- ◻◻◻ A contract; maybe a legally binding one
- ◻◻◻◻ An encrypted CD
- ◻◻◻◻◻ Property deeds
- ◻◻◻◻◻◻ Compromising photographs

## 5 VALUABLES

- ◻ Ten thousand pounds in 5 pence pieces
- ◻◻ An arse-load of diamonds!
- ◻◻◻ Vintage car
- ◻◻◻◻ "All you need to know is: what's in here is fucking valuable."
- ◻◻◻◻◻ Suitcase full of cash
- ◻◻◻◻◻◻ Purebred cat

## 6 EXTRA-LEGAL

- ◻ The strongest weed you will ever smoke
- ◻◻ Three suitcases full of blue flake cocaine
- ◻◻◻ Five thousand fake passports
- ◻◻◻◻ Six Romanian asylum-seekers
- ◻◻◻◻◻ Floor plans of a Ministry of Defence establishment
- ◻◻◻◻◻◻ "This is the most dangerous weapon you have ever laid your dirty little hands on."

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# A CHAV-TASTIC INSTA-SETUP

## RELATIONSHIPS IN GANGSTER LONDON

For three players...

- \* Friendship: Mates from prison
- \* Crime: Drug people
- \* Family: Siblings

For four players, add...

- \* Romance: Secret lovers

For five players, add...

- \* Community: Church friends

## NEEDS IN GANGSTER LONDON

For three players...

- \* To get revenge: On the Russians who humiliated you

For four or five players, add...

- \* To get rich: By opening a Kebab shop

## OBJECTS IN GANGSTER LONDON

For three or four players...

- \* Weapon: A water pistol that looks like a real gun

For five players, add...

- \* Unfortunate: Collection of priceless stamps, ruined

## LOCATIONS IN GANGSTER LONDON

For three, four or five players...

- \* Food and drink: The Crown and Anchor