Furious Riding

Characters:

Judge Nui
Bailiff
Court Clerk
Maile
Koa

The whole class will participate in a group discussion after the trial has been performed.

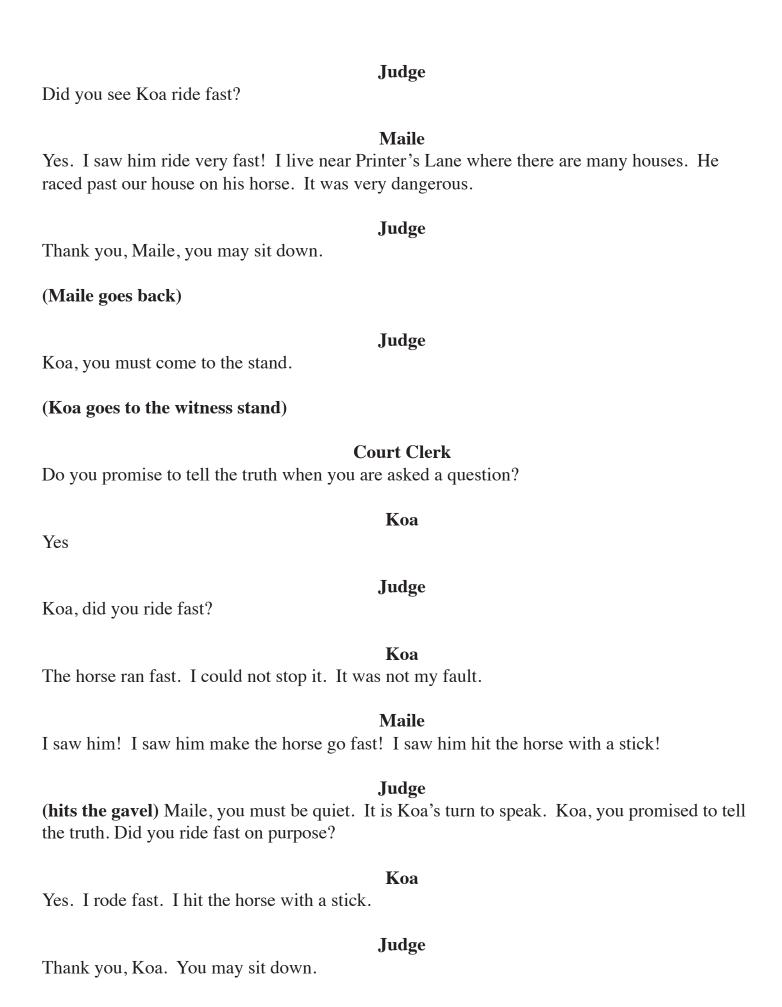
Bailiff

(knocks gavel two times)

Yes

Hear Ye! Hear Ye! The <u>court</u> of the Kingdom of Hawai'i is now in session. All rise!
Judge (enters, sits down)
Bailiff The Honorable Judge Nui. This court is now in session.
Judge Be seated. Call the first case.
Bailiff Maile is the plaintiff. Maile accused Koa of a crime. Koa is the defendant.
Judge What is the charge?
Maile I accuse Koa of furious riding.
Judge You accuse him of riding his horse too fast?
Maile Yes.
Koa I did not!
Judge (hits the gavel) Koa, you must be quiet. It is not your turn to speak. Maile, you will come to the witness stand first.
(Maile goes to the witness stand)
Court Clerk Do you promise to tell the truth when you are asked a question?

Maile



(Koa goes back)

Judge

Here is what I have decided. Koa, you are guilty of furious riding which is a very dangerous thing to do. You will have to pay a fine, but because you admitted the truth you will only have to pay \$5.00. You must also promise not do this again.

Bailiff

(Hits the gavel) This court is now adjourned.