

SCENE 41 • NUMBER 7

Pred koncertom

Saturday evening on the market square: stalls, lights, pancakes. Sun, then rain, then sun again, and you are in Ana's old raincoat. You are at the café stand, and you are the cat's minder. The concert will start at eight. Then Jure runs up: his mouthpiece is gone. And where is the cat?

ANSWER KEY

LISTENING & UNDERSTANDING

L1) WHO SAYS IT: 1a, 2b

L2) WHAT DOES IT MEAN: 1b, 2b

L3) HOW DO YOU SAY IT: 1b, 2a

L4) PUT THE WORDS IN ORDER: Še ne ve. Ampak bo plesal., Da. Osemnajst let sem jo imela.

L5) WHAT HAPPENS FIRST: 1: 15432

Words: Pred koncertom

VOCABULARY & WRITING

W1) WHAT DOES IT MEAN?: 1c, 2c, 3b, 4c

W2) COMPLETE THE CONVERSATION: 1: Kava, 1: Prav, 1: Pod, 1: Dober, 1: Kot

W3) PANCAKES FOR THE GUESTS: 1: Krožnik, 2: Prav, 3: Ena, 4: Pod

W4) COMPLETE THE CONVERSATION: 1: Kava, 1: Prav, 1: Pod, 1: Dober, 1: Kot

Grammar: sem igral, sva igrala, smo igrali

GRAMMAR

G1) NOTICE THE PATTERNS: 1) je, 2) igrala, 3) igrali, 4) smo, 5) igrala, 6) iskala

G2) CHOOSE THE FORM: 1a, 2a, 3a, 4c, 5b, 6b

G3) COMPLETE A SHORT MESSAGE: 1: je, 1: igrala, 1: igrali, 1: smo, 1: igrala, 1: iskala

G4) BUILD USEFUL SENTENCES: Jure je igral., Midva sva igrala., Medve sva igrali., Mi smo igrali., Včeraj sem igrala., Včeraj sem iskala Murija.

G5) WHAT WOULD YOU SAY?: 1b, 2a, 3a, 4a

G6) CONNECT MESSAGES AND MEANINGS: 1a, 2c, 3b, 4f, 5e, 6d

Translation

■ Coffee two euros, a pancake three. You take the money, I bake.

○ All right. Where is Muri? I have not seen him yet. I have to watch him.

■ He is under the table. He sleeps until the concert.

Ana comes past the stall with her handbag.

▲ Good evening. What is the weather like?

○ Like Tomaž's list. Sun, rain, sun again.

▲ Wind later. Snow too?

○ Please, no snow!

▲ It starts at eight. Jure plays first. Nika sings, Tomaž dances.

○ Tomaž dances? Really?

▲ He does not know yet. But he will dance.

Ten to eight. Jure runs up with his trumpet, white as a sheet.

● Help! My mouthpiece is missing!

○ A mouthpiece? What is it?

● The little part at the front. I cannot play without it.

○ Where did you put it?

You look under the table. No cat.

● Here, on the stall. Next to the coffee. Ten minutes ago.

○ Next to the coffee? Wait. Where is Muri now?

● Ten more minutes! What should I do?

Ana opens her handbag and takes out a small old trumpet.

▲ Wait here.

● My first trumpet! From the photo!

▲ Yes. I kept it for eighteen years.

● Thank you, Ms Ana. Today I will play for you.

○ And I will look for Muri.

Ana opens her handbag and takes out a small old trumpet: the one from the photo. "I kept it." At eight Jure plays it and the whole square listens. At 20:14, in the middle of the first song, all the lights go out.