

Official Call-Out Intended For Blue_jay_birb/Bluejaybirb_/Culmer Wise/Jake Scale

Introduction:

Hello. First and foremost, I want to thank you for taking the time to read this document. Secondly, I would like to introduce myself and define the purpose of this document. My name is Kooky. I am making this document to spread awareness about the habitual art and character thief that goes by **Blue_Jay_Birb** on Discord. He is also known as **Culmer Wise**(*since deleted*), or **Jake Scale** on Facebook I will be referring to him as **Culmer Wise** throughout this document.

Culmer Wise has been stealing art and characters for roughly a year, if not longer. He has been redistributing said art and characters freely, as well as using the pieces for his own personal use. **All of this has been done without the original artists' knowledge, meaning none of the original artists consented to the use of their work.**

Disclaimers:

Please be aware that I do not condone the harassment of Culmer Wise, and with that I ask that you please refrain from witch hunting or harassing him. I also ask that you please respect anyone else mentioned in this document, as most if not all of these individuals were manipulated by Culmer Wise.

This document consists mostly of screenshots. None of the proof featured is false, or intended for malicious use. The proof provided is solely being used to prove the accusation of art theft being made against Culmer Wise.

This document has links to outside sources, they are not required reading but add credibility.

Additional Note:

Not all of the characters shown in this document have been accredited to their original sources.

If you recognize ANY of the characters OR any of the art below, please let me know

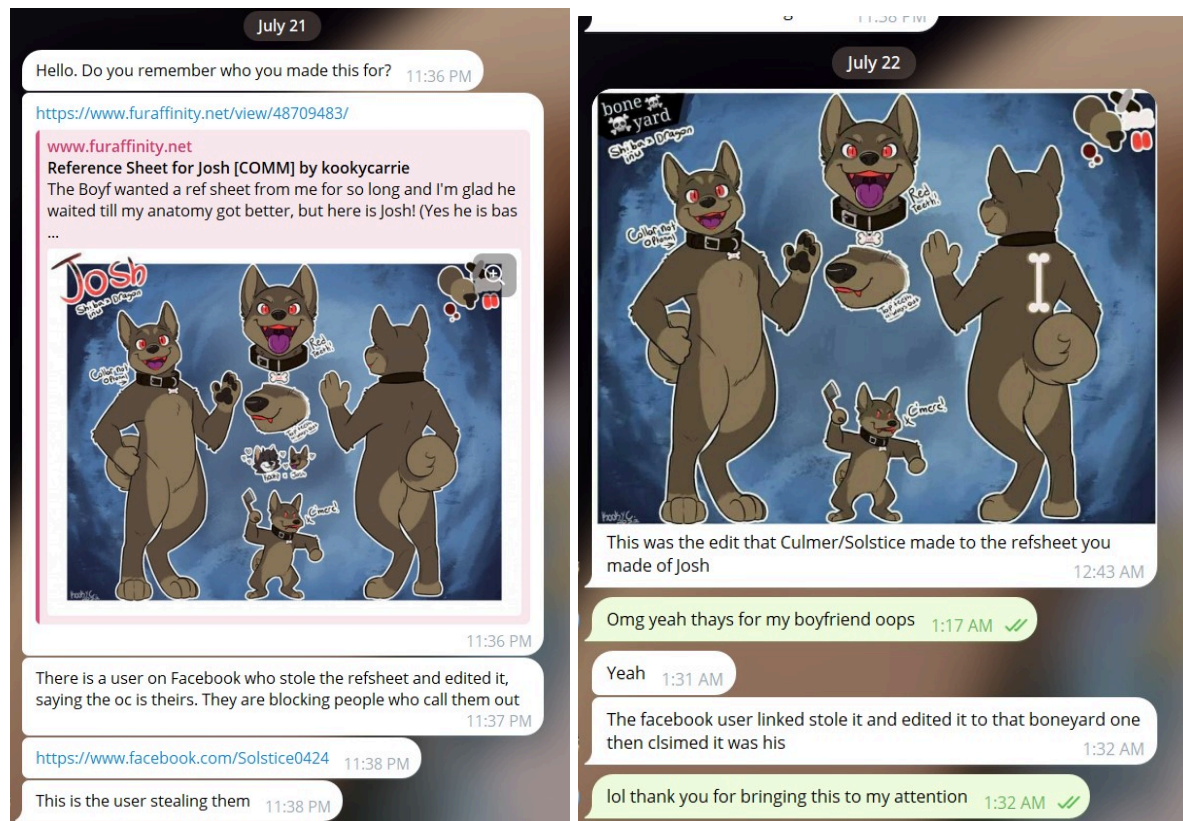
immediately. You can contact me via [Twitter](#) or [Instagram](#).

It Begins... With Character Theft:

July 21, 2023

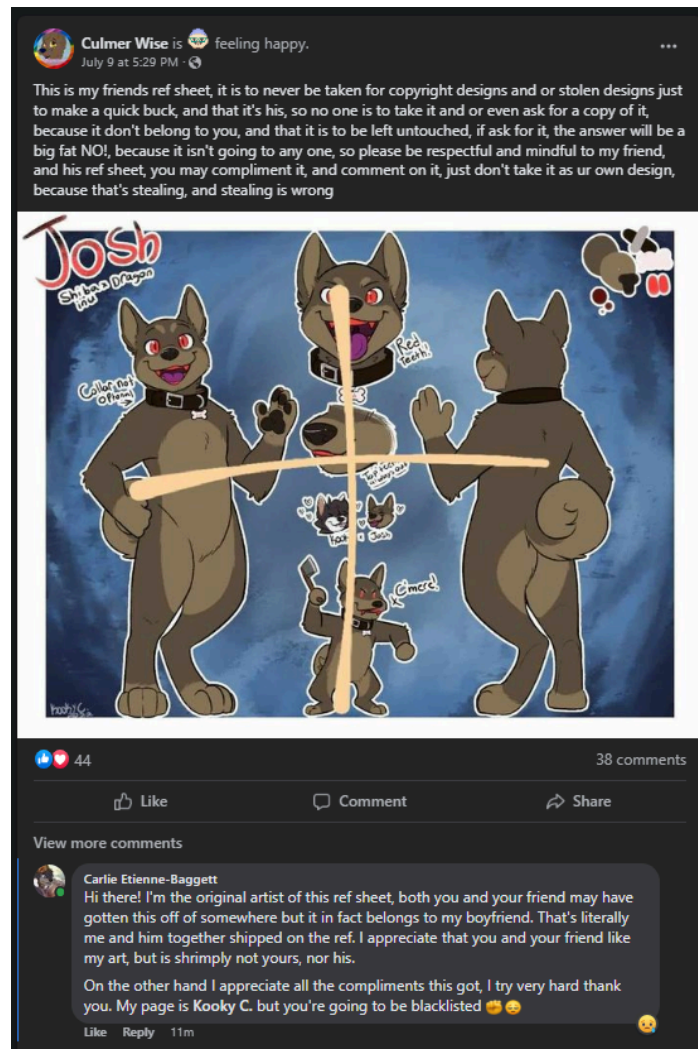
I am approached by USER A via Telegram. I was notified that an individual on Facebook is using my art without my consent. The individual on Facebook is Culmer Wise. I would provide the URL that USER A provided, *but unfortunately Culmer Wise has since deleted his Facebook*.

You can see the edited reference sheet on the right. He has altered the name to be “Boneyard”, whereas the original character’s name is Josh.

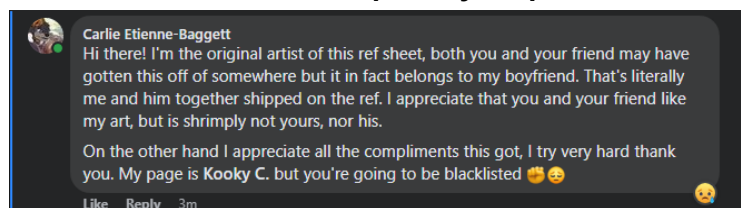


The character pictured belongs to an individual named Josh. Josh has never sold or redistributed his character.

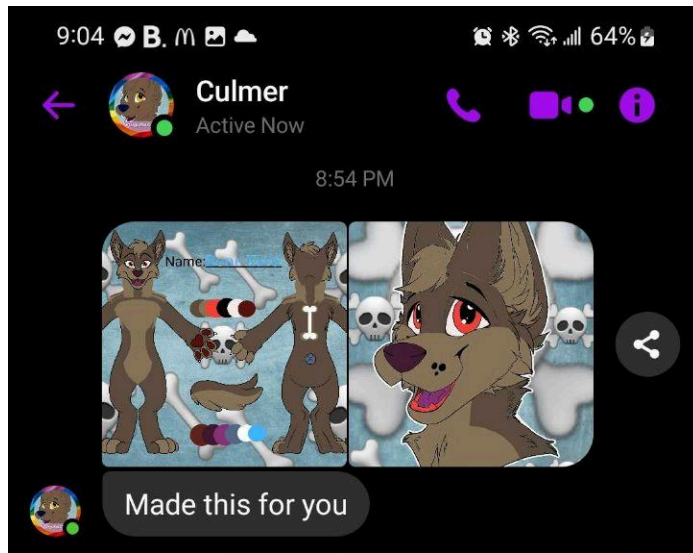
Here is the post in full.



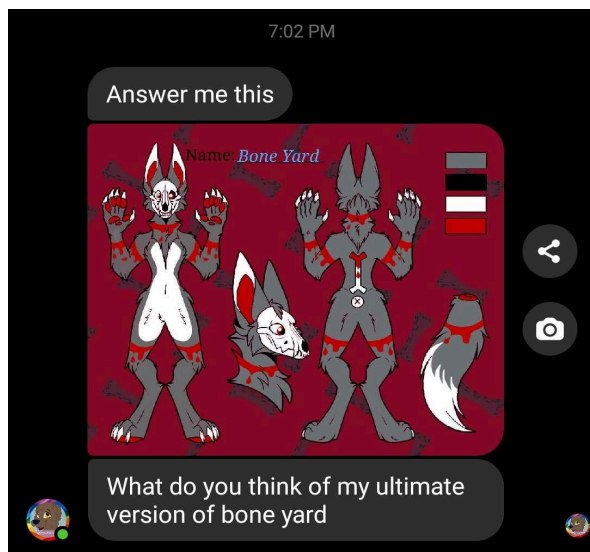
Here is a close-up of my response.



After I'd made my comment, Culmer Wise began to message me on Facebook (as seen below). He claimed he would "edit Boneyard", and even sent me the finished product. I was sent what seems to be an edited "base". If you aren't aware, a base is typically free-to-use lineart that can be edited to make reference sheets or general art pieces of characters.



Again, this is the "edited Boneyard", as seen ABOVE.



After sending me the "edited" version of Boneyard, I quickly reminded Culmer Wise that he was still blacklisted by me.

Culmer Wise then proceeded to send me his "ultimate version of Boneyard".

The screenshots shared above are all that I have on the situation. When Culmer Wise deleted his Facebook page, he also made it his own duty to delete all of the private messages exchanged on his behalf. I no longer have extensive proof available, but the two screenshots above can validate that he was in fact still contacting me.

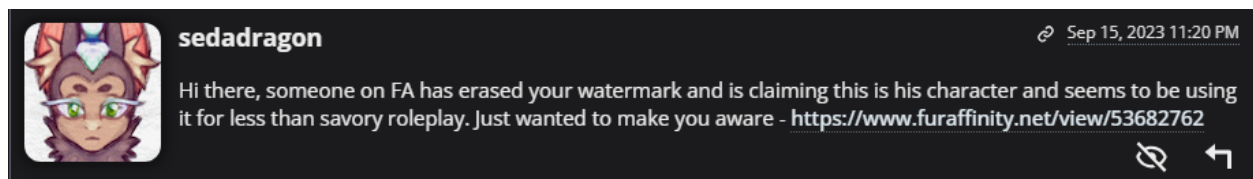
Redistribution Of Private Content:

Warning: The following content involves some mentions of a gas kink. If you are sensitive to discussions of spraying/expelling, please scroll past this section.

September 15, 2023

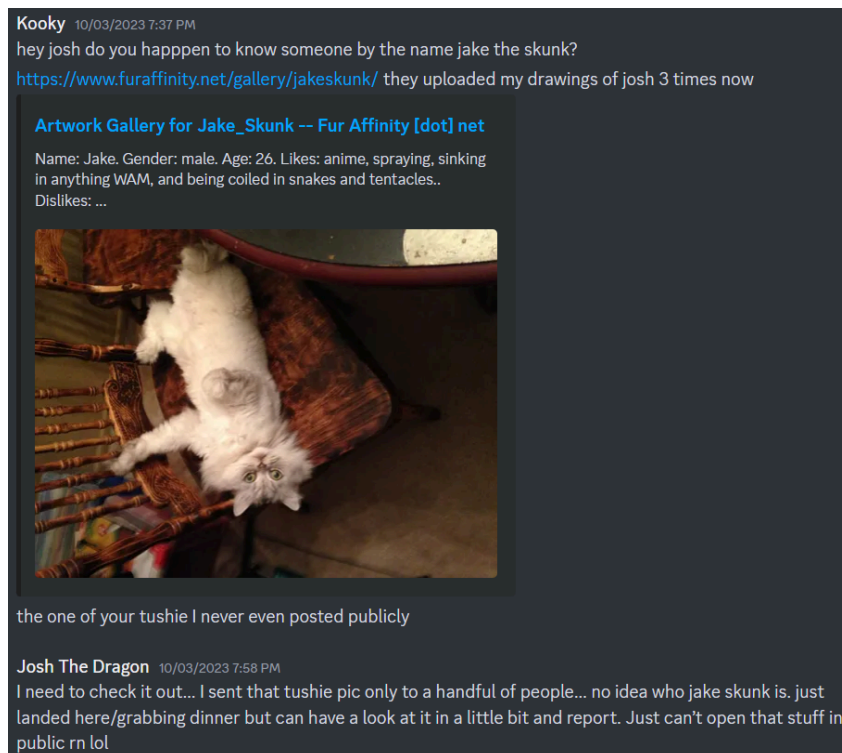
A user by the name of Sedadragon commented the following on Josh's reference sheet uploaded on FurAffinity.

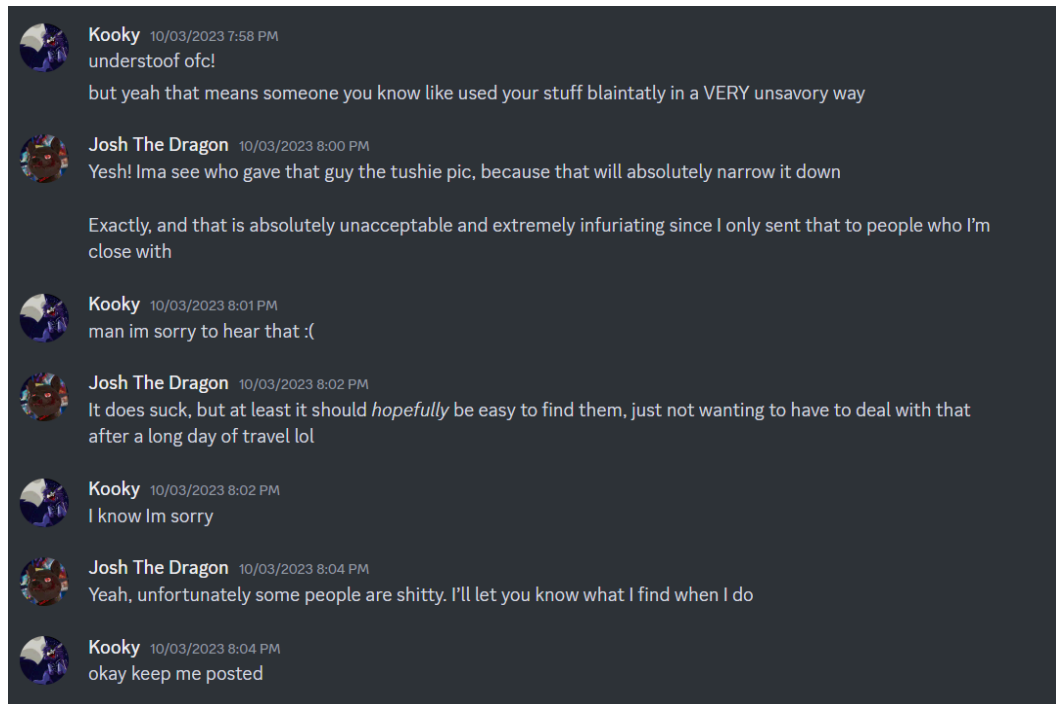
[You can find the comment here.](#)



After garnering this information, I quickly approached Josh about it.

NOTE: I have previously made NSFW content for Josh. The piece depicts Josh's fursona showing off his rear. This image has never been publicized, so Josh and I were very puzzled as to how Culmer Wise had gotten his hands on the image.





Let me be clear, I am not super active on FurAffinity. Once I checked my comments, I quickly evaluated the reposter's page. The user goes by [Jake Skunk](#). Jake_Skunk has since taken down the posts. Before doing so, Jake had reuploaded multiple pieces of Josh. A mix of those pieces were previously private, some having been public. I talked to Josh about this, inquiring if he had shared the images privately with some friends. Having confirmed this, he quickly set out to figure out how it got into Jake's hands.

Josh also clarified that he had no idea who Jake was. We both assumed someone close to Josh who had access to the private content was sharing it amongst others. Slowly we began to puzzle together that an individual Josh was talking to may have been spreading the content to others, and was giving away his fursona for free.

As seen below, Jake is one of the many individuals who was manipulated by Culmer Wise. As stated, "a friend on Discord gave me this cutie" implies that Jake was given the character for free by an individual on the app Discord. Later on, we find out that said individual is Culmer Wise.



Here is an image of Jake and Culmer's exchange.

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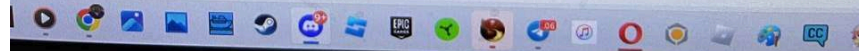
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ters may output inaccurate information about people, places, or facts. Everything they say is made up!

Memory Usage: 7.50 GB Context Tokens: 451 Tokens / Second: 2.13



Jake the Snake 10/23/2022 12:54 PM
(Ah.)



Blue Jay 10/23/2022 12:55 PM
(Can I show you a character?~)



Jake the Snake 10/23/2022 12:55 PM
(ok)



Blue Jay 10/23/2022 12:56 PM



Jake the Snake 10/23/2022 12:59 PM
OMG, it's so cute. ❤️

You're viewing older messages

Message @Blue Jay

Jump To Pres

Message @Blue Jay

Watermark Removal:

Culmer Wise continued to use and redistribute the art I created for Josh. Josh and I agreed to only upload heavily watermarked content of his character as a last ditch effort to save the content from Culmer Wise's thieving.

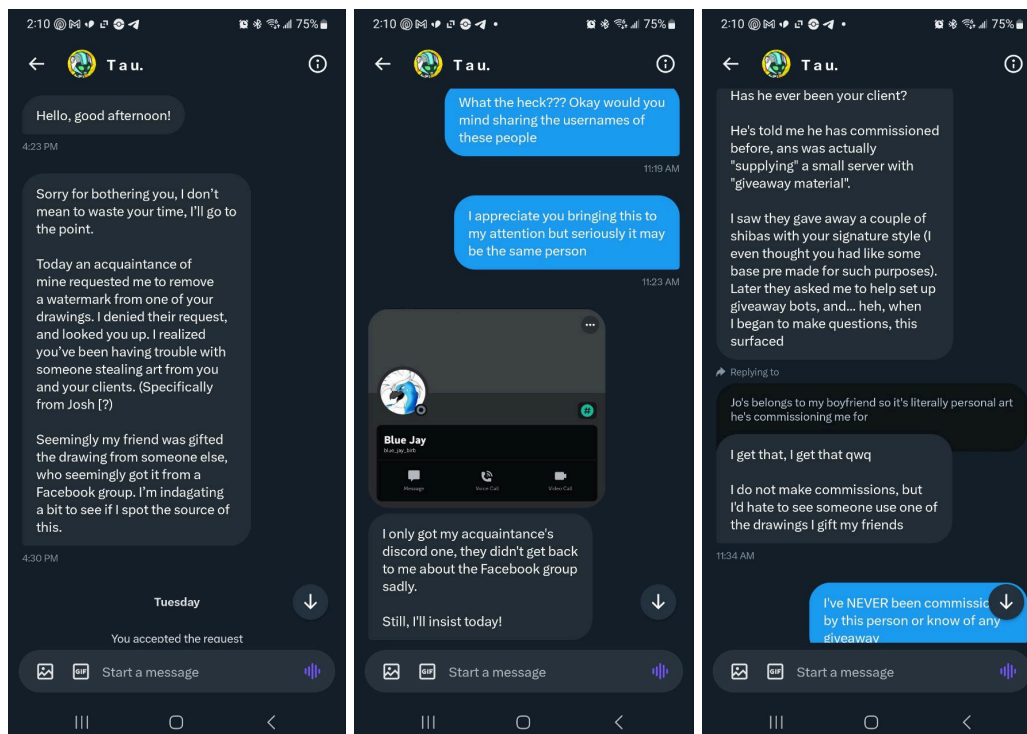
I was sure to let my followers know of the art theft in the captions when sharing the images on **November 12, 2023**.

A week later on **November 19, 2023** I was messaged by the user @tauemerald on Twitter. Tau was finally able to stick a name to the art thief. Tau provided me with a screenshot of a Discord user who went by the name of **blue_jay_birb**. Now, if you'll remember, at this point in time I had NO IDEA that blue_jay_birb was Culmer Wise. I will continue to refer to blue_jay_birb as Culmer Wise, but do remember that **at this time** I was not aware that the two were the same person.

[Here is proof of Tau and Jay communicating.](#)

Jay, aka Culmer Wise, was asking Tau to remove my watermark from my own art. This was so that Culmer Wise could redistribute my work for free.

Also, at this point, we have no idea who "Zack" is.



I immediately went to Josh with the information. He did know Culmer Wise (as JAY), and admitted to sending the NSFW piece to Culmer Wise (again, knowing him only as Jay).



Josh The Dragon 11/21/2023 11:43 AM

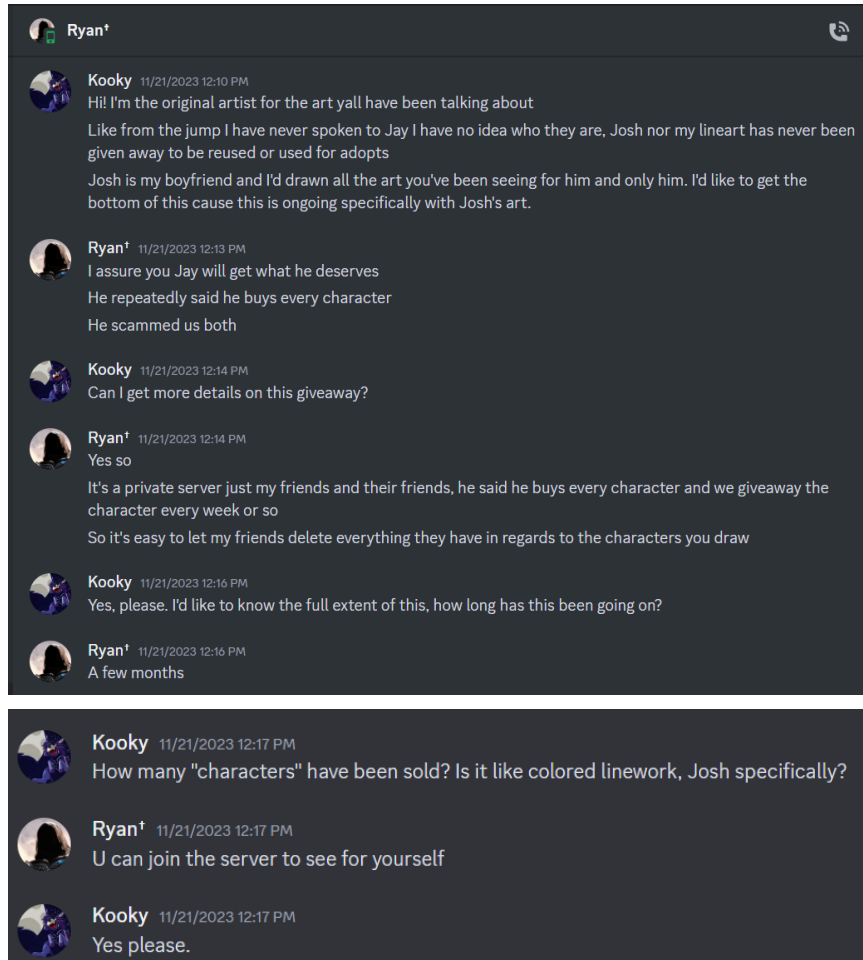
I know who that guy is... am deleting my DMs with him, that's the guy I was kinda suspicious of. And to remove the watermark?? Glad that guy caught it/didn't do what he requested.

And a giveaway?! So the server owner and that person isn't connected with blue jay right?

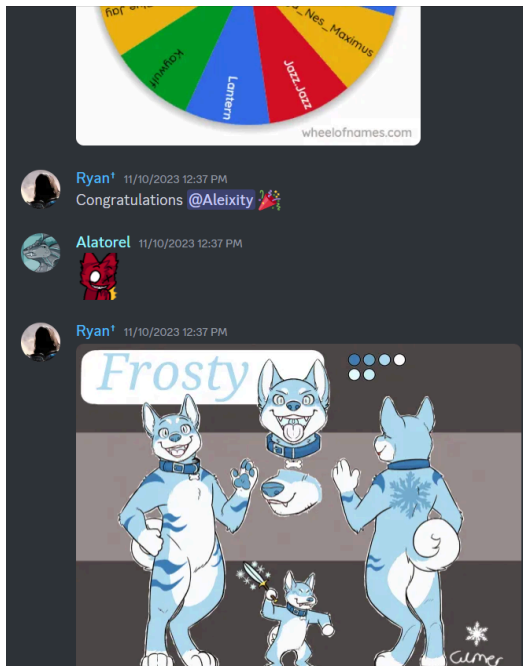
Am at work will absolutely talk when I can though

Giveaway:

Having a name was a good start- we had gotten over the hunch of the situation it seemed. Unfortunately though, Josh and myself had then quickly realized that his character had been used in a giveaway on Discord. Tau helped us out by getting in contact with the server owner, an individual that goes by Ryan.



Upon joining the server, I immediately stumbled upon a really funny coincidence. Spotting the recolors of Josh's original reference sheet, I noticed a very particular detail in one of the reference sheet's bottom corners...



Culmer Wise was recoloring the reference sheet. Culmer Wise was Jay.

Just scrolling through the channel I could see that there was an unfathomable amount of stolen characters.

Here are some screenshots of raffled off characters. I did not consent to any part of this.



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@Ryan! @Giveaway Ping Been a long time but let's see who wins 🤔

!Joy 07/11/2023 6:58 PM



Ryan! 07/11/2023 6:59 PM

Congratulations @CwispUwU 🍓🍌



Ryan! 05/30/2023 1:10 PM

@strayden / hypercubed

Congratulations 🍓🍌

Skips Girl<3 05/30/2023 1:10 PM

Congrats

strayden / hypercubed 05/30/2023 1:10 PM



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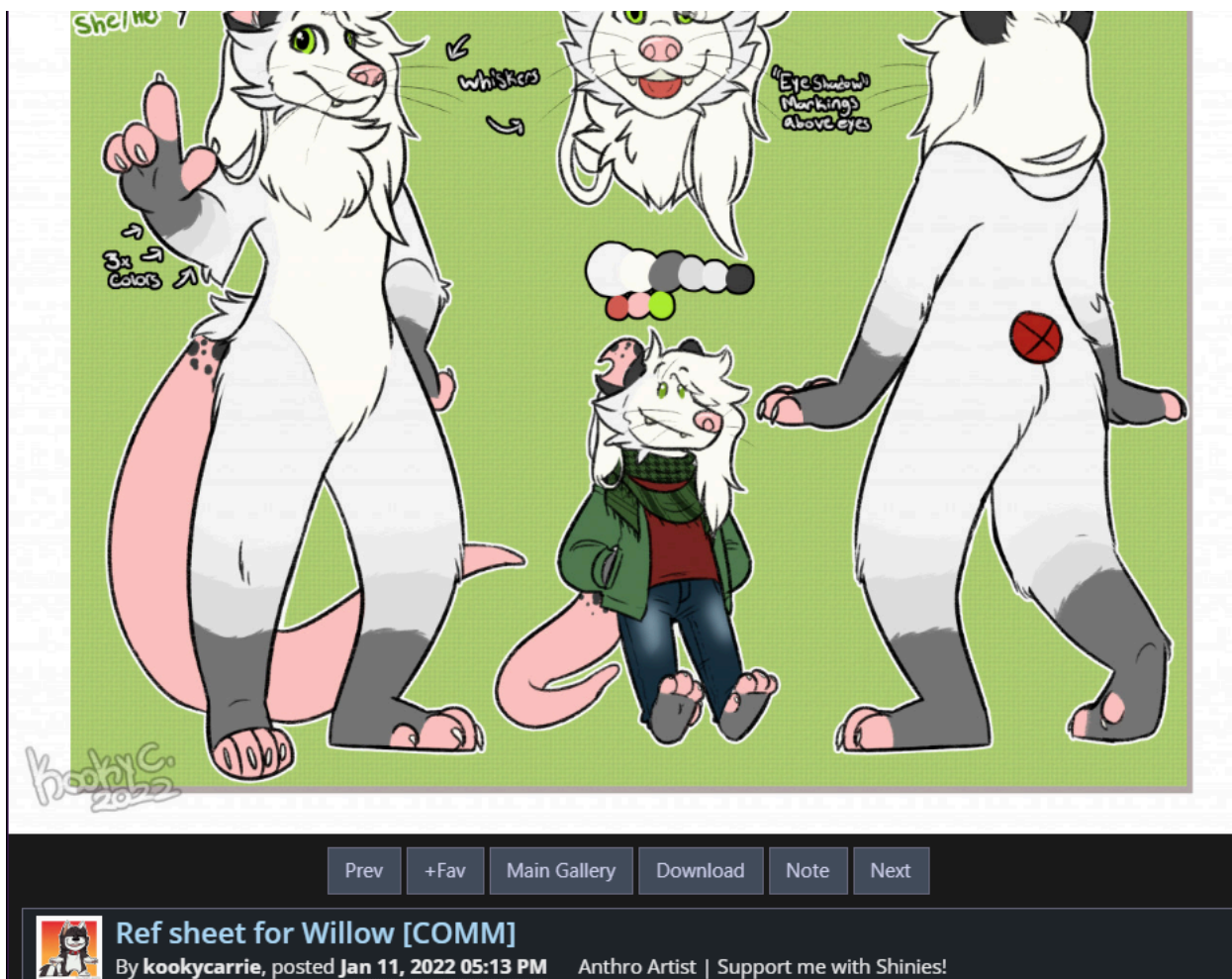
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Ryan! 05/30/2023 1:10 PM





(Pardon the weird screenshot here. The ref was cropped by Discord, so I am showing what the crop was hiding.)



Ref sheet for Willow [COMM]

By kookycarrie, posted Jan 11, 2022 05:13 PM

Anthro Artist | Support me with Shinies!



Alatorel 08/27/2023 2:01 PM



Katspspspspsp || Katsu 08/27/2023 2:01 PM

Aaay!



Ryan† 08/27/2023 2:01 PM

Congratulations



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Figgy could fly?!

By kookycarrie, posted Jul 15, 2021 09:26 AM

Anthro Artist | Support me with Shinies!

Such a cutie I love his collar charm!

Figgy belongs to



Not only had my boyfriend's character been stolen, but several of my personal characters as well as another close friend's main sona was stolen. I've had Kooky since I was in middle school, it was such a deep cut. Willow is a sona who helped their owner transition and now they were just being given away. Art/character theft isn't a victimless crime, it hurts everyone involved.

These giveaways have been going on for over a year; people bonding with characters that aren't really theirs, getting art and spending money on something they can't keep... all without knowing that the work was stolen.

I kept looking and more and more characters were supplied to the channel from a source who wants to be kept anonymous at this time. They supplied the private messages that will be shown in the **Evidence** tab.

Josh:

I'm unsure why Jay/Culmer continuously stole/re-gifted/recolored Josh. We still don't have any good answer as to why Culmer Wise was infatuated with Josh's art. Maybe it was the simplicity of the character, the fact that Josh is just a shiba inu, or whatever else. Despite it all, there is no excuse or valid reason to steal art.

Josh's perspective:

I've known Blue Jay (aka Culmer Wise) for quite a while, talking pretty frequently due to the mutual server we were a part of. He gained my trust over the course of that time and we talked quite a bit in DMs (which unfortunately I deleted when I found out he was an art thief. But I shared with him pictures I didn't share anywhere else, and we later found them on the FA profile of Jake Skunk who unknowingly was given my character (Josh) by Blue Jay. We wanted to make sure it was Blue Jay, so with the most recent picture I commissioned from Kooky, I only shared that with him and a couple of other very close people. We later found out that Blue Jay sent Tau that picture in their DMs to remove the watermark we put in place to prevent art theft.

My goal for releasing this doc is to let people know the extent of Culmer wise's theft, bring attention to those who may have been affected and get him to finally stop.

Evidence:

Anon's experience:

Anon provided a plethora of context to let me know the full extent of Culmer Wise's art theft and behavior around it. The Imgur link here has over 50 screenshots showing Culmer's pestering and inconsistencies with these "giveaways" using this person as a proxy to supply characters.

<https://imgur.com/a/zFWYkWK>

(relevant conversation with minimal editing)

Known Stolen Characters:

- Josh the shiba/dragon Owned by Joshthedragon on discord
<https://www.furaffinity.net/view/48709483/>
- Kooky the Rat, Fork the Gryphon, and Kiara the Kaiju Owned by Kookycarrie
<https://www.furaffinity.net/view/44133179/>
<https://www.furaffinity.net/view/45452795/>
<https://www.furaffinity.net/view/42794227/>
- Willow the Opossum Owned by willowpossum on twitter
<https://x.com/willowpossum/status/1481109079410061312?s=20>
- Figgy the Cat owned by kaitlyn.wass_ on instagram
<https://www.furaffinity.net/view/42793686/>
- Emi the monsterdog Owned by _vegacatt on most socials
<https://www.furaffinity.net/view/52998200/>
- Francisco the Skunk Owned by FranciscoFurry
<https://www.furaffinity.net/view/38845218/>
- Noah the Husky Owned by Megalaggygamer
<https://www.furaffinity.net/view/52854777/>
- Asyr the Sergal Owned by Vaporstrike on twitter
<https://x.com/VaporStrike/status/1677771295507771392?s=20>

- Arthur the Eastern Dragon Owned by DJwholemilk on FA
<https://www.furaffinity.net/view/41824268/>
- “Midnight Electric Shock Husky” Owned by Jonathan Chase Alberty on Facebook
<https://www.furaffinity.net/view/42045596/>
- Torrent the Dragon Owned by Torrentdragon on Twitter
<https://imgur.com/a/irZ7Q99> (sona was never posted online)

Other Known Artists Affected:

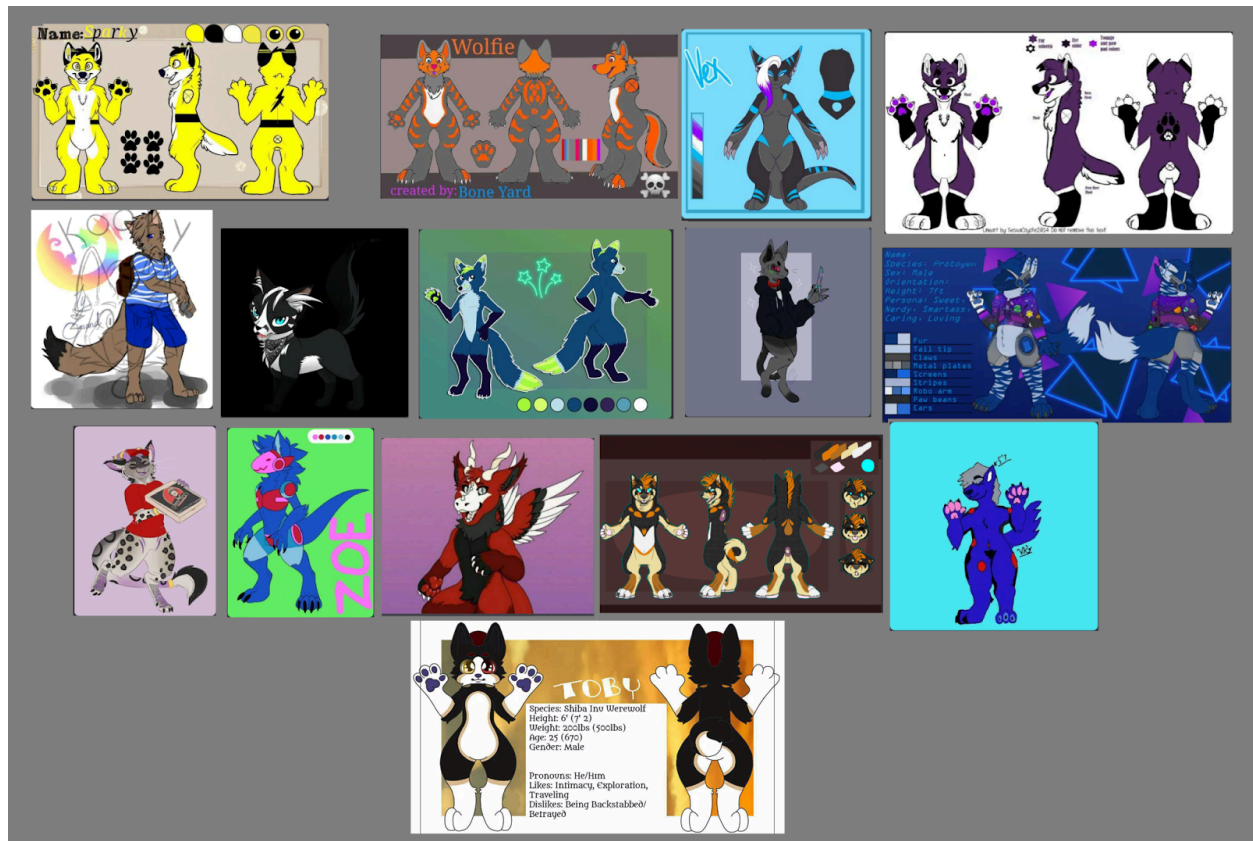
- [Skullying](#)
- [Scout-monster](#)
- [Marrieart](#)
- [Francisconfurry](#)
- Peachesheepie (inactive due to being scammed) discord as primitivepony



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- [5ushiroll](#)
- [RaittoArt](#)

Unknown stolen characters:

If you recognize the artist/owner of these characters please let the owner know they have been stolen and ask them to contact me or my husband.



Again, if you know ANY of these characters or any of the individuals that own them, PLEASE contact me immediately. I would love to establish their true owners here, as well as spread awareness to said owners.

You can contact me via [Twitter](#) or [Instagram](#). I am also on FurAffinity but I don't use it frequently. It would be best to contact me elsewhere!