

The Ursuline School Model United Nations Conference

Percy Jackson - The Aftermath

Background Guide

A Letter from Crisis

Hello Delegates!

Welcome to TUSMUNC IV, and to the Percy Jackson Committee. We are the writers of this committee, Olivia Spark and Annika Pitawala. We are also the two members of this committee's crisis team! We're both freshmen at Ursuline, but we've been in Model UN since sixth grade, and have loved every minute of it. We wrote this committee in hopes that it would be both a learning experience and a place where you can make memories with your fellow delegates. If you have any questions or concerns about the committee, feel free to email either of us at our school emails: (sparko2025@ursulinenewrochelle.org, pitawala2025@ursulinenewrochelle.org). Moving forward, this page has a list full of links that could be helpful as extra information for the committee. Feel free to take a look, and best of luck to all of you!

-Olivia Spark and Annika Pitawala

a. What should delegates know

If you want portfolio powers, you need to ask for them in a note to the crisis. They won't be given to you. While you cannot assassinate someone, you can sabotage them. **Please** be specific in sabotage notes to crisis, otherwise they will be rejected. Every 20 minutes or so, there will be an update on the situation. And every 5-10 minutes someone will collect crisis notes.

b. Goals for delegates

Ask questions, make sure to write notes, and form alliances. They can be useful if you ever need help. Reason with people, and if that doesn't work, causing trouble can occasionally work as well. Try to get people to see your perspective, and if voting occurs, make sure people vote in what favors you.

Complete list of monsters: <https://riordan.fandom.com/wiki/Monster>

Overlook of the book used for this committee:

https://riordan.fandom.com/wiki/The_Last_Olympian

List of gods and goddesses mentioned throughout the whole series:

<https://riordan.fandom.com/wiki/Olympians>

Camp Half-Blood: https://riordan.fandom.com/wiki/Camp_Half-Blood

Background:

With the Battle of Manhattan coming to a close, the gods & goddesses of Mt. Olympus must fulfill the promise they made to demigod Percy Jackson of adding new Cabins to Camp Half-Blood to recognize lesser-known gods and goddesses, and having the ability for their children to be claimed by their lesser-known godly parents. This was Percy Jackson's wish to the Pantheon (after they initially offered him godhood) when he defeated Kronos, Titan of Time and father to six of the twelve Greek Pantheon.

The First Great Prophecy

**A half-blood of the eldest gods
Shall reach sixteen against all odds
And see the world in endless sleep
The hero's soul, cursed blade shall reap
A single choice shall end his days
Olympus to preserve or raise**

The Prophecy of Seven

**Seven half-bloods shall answer the call,
To storm or fire the world must fall.
An oath to keep with a final breath,,
And foes bear arms to the Doors of Death.**

Camp Half-Blood

Camp Half-Blood is home to many of the demigods who exist in the Percy Jackson Universe, where they go to escape monsters who may be trying to hurt them or to go to a place where they are accepted by others like them. (demigod: a person who has one parent who is a god and one parent who is a mortal). Some examples of monsters in the Percy Jackson universe are the Minotaur, Cyclops, and Hellhounds. Once the demigod arrives, it usually takes a week to two weeks for them to be claimed by their godly parent. Once they are claimed, they get put into a cabin with people who share the same godly parent that they have. Each cabin varies in size and each has its own number. If there's a demigod that isn't claimed, they get put into the Hermes Cabin indefinitely. At Camp Half-Blood, every demigod's daily schedule includes battle training in things such as archery and sword-fighting, but also bonding activities such as camp bonfires.

Battle of Manhattan

After several years of anticipation, the fighting between the Titans and the Gods of Olympus that has happened behind the scenes for so long comes to a climax, subsequently starting the Battle of Manhattan. The battle begins when the Greek god of dreams, Morpheus, puts the entire island of Manhattan to sleep, and the Titans cover Manhattan in a layer of magic. This magic causes everything in New York to move in slow motion, due to Kronos being able to control time. Then, with advice from Athena, goddess of wisdom and war strategy, Percy and Annabeth manage to wake up automatons that had been disguised as statues all around New York to defend Camp Half-blood and the members of Olympus.

The demigods of Camp Half-blood were divided into separate groups, all doing their own tasks. Percy Jackson and Annabeth Chase took care of the boats for transportation, Will Solace and his fellow members of the Apollo cabin healed wounded campers during the battle, Connor and Travis Stoll take campers from the Hermes cabin to defend the Brooklyn and Manhattan Bridge, Thalia took the Hunters of Artemis to the Lincoln Tunnel, and many other campers had their own individual roles to play in the fight. Clarisse, the head of the Ares cabin, had chosen on

behalf of her cabin to sit out the war in protest because she thought that the Ares cabin had been disrespected. During the battle, the campers come together multiple times to fight off mythical creatures such as the Minotaur, a drakon, the Clazmonian Sow, along with many others. After member of the Aphrodite Cabin Silena Beauregard (disguised as Clarisse to get the Ares cabin to fight) is attacked with a poisonous spray by the drakon, she reveals in her last moments that she is the spy that everyone has been looking for within Camp Half-blood, and feels guilty for agreeing with Luke to do so, but was threatened with blackmail when she wanted to stop. This knowledge shocks all of the campers, especially Annabeth and Percy, due to the fact that their friend and fellow camper Luke Castellan has been the enemy all along, even though he was being controlled by Kronos, who had taken over his body in attempt to bring down Camp Half-blood and Olympus.

In the final showdown between Percy Jackson and Luke Castellan, Annabeth tells Percy to give Luke her knife (which Luke had once given to her as a gift at seven years old) so he can stab himself in his weak point. This would spread Kronos, who is already weakened, to the wind so that he couldn't reform; however, Luke must do it because Kronos will gain control if anyone else approaches him. By this point, the control that Kronos has on Luke's body is fluctuating. After handing Luke the knife, Luke deals a fatal blow to Kronos (and sacrifices himself), effectively ending the first "war." As a gift to Percy, he is offered immortality by Zeus if he wishes. However, he declines this offer, instead requesting that Camp Half-blood be reformed to include cabins of many other minor gods and goddesses, that way no demigod can feel left out and alone ever again, and the request, though shocking, is accepted by the gods and goddesses of Olympus (Percy makes them swear this on the River Styx). In addition to this, Annabeth is given the ability to re-design Olympus and become its new official architect, Tyson is promoted to the rank of General of the Cyclops, and Grover gets the empty seat in the Council of the Cloven Elders. Finally, mortal teenager Rachel Elizabeth Dare takes on the spirit of the Oracle of Delphi and speaks a new prophecy, the Prophecy of the Seven.

Positions

Percy Jackson

Percy Jackson is a demigod who has attended Camp Half-blood since he was 12 years old. He is the son of the god Poseidon and the mortal Sally Jackson, making him a part of the Poseidon cabin, or Cabin #3. He is good friends with fellow campers Annabeth Chase and Grover Underwood; the three of them have been close companions ever since Percy first arrived (Percy is now dating Annabeth). He is also the current owner of the celestial bronze sword “Riptide,” which in its dormant form is a ballpoint pen.

Annabeth Chase

Annabeth Chase is a demigod and the daughter of goddess Athena and professor Fredrick Chase, born from the thoughts of Athena herself. She has attended Camp Half-blood since she was 7 years old. She is also the current head of the Athena cabin, and is dating fellow camper Percy Jackson. Due to running away from home with both Thalia Grace and Luke Castellan when she was younger, she is very close to Thalia and was very close to Luke for most of her life before his death. Annabeth has a strong passion for architecture, and is very intelligent and organized as well as battle-oriented.

Nico DiAngelo

Nico DiAngelo is a demigod and the son of Hades and Maria DiAngelo. He briefly joined Camp Half-blood at the age of 10, but then came back to the campers later on to fight in the Battle of Manhattan when he was 13. He was born in Italy around 1932, and lived there with his mother, as well as his sister Bianca DiAngelo. However, just before World War II, his mother died, and he and his sister were taken to the Lotus Hotel in Las Vegas, where 70 years passed, but technically he was the same age he was when he entered when he left. After the death of his sister, Nico left the camp and became much stronger, learning how to summon ghosts with the power he has as a son of Hades. His appearance and personality also changed a lot, going from being a young, excitable child to a quiet, more angry one, growing his hair out, becoming much

paler, and starting to wear his “signature outfit;” an aviator jacket, black jeans, and a skull t-shirt. Nico also owns a Stygian Iron sword, which he keeps on his person all the time.

Rachel Elizabeth Dare

Rachel is the human daughter of Mr. Dare (an accomplished businessman) and Mrs. Dare (a social worker). However, she is able to see through the Mist that is used to separate the worlds of demigods and humans. She is the current Oracle of Delphi (which gives her the power to make prophecies) and is often described as one of Apollo’s favorite’s. Rachel enjoys art and spends a lot of her free time painting and creating her own, along with having an extensive knowledge of art history.

Thalia Grace

Thalia is a demigod and the daughter of Zeus. After being mortally wounded by attacking monsters, she was transformed into a pine tree on Half-Blood Hill, but was later resurrected by the Golden Fleece under the manipulation of Kronos, in his attempt to control the Great Prophecy. She is also the lieutenant of the Hunter of Artemis, leading them in the absence of Artemis herself, after accepting her offer following a failed attempt by Kronos to destroy the Gods.

Grover Underwood

Grover is a satyr and lord of the wild, along with Silenus and Maron. In addition to this, he is a Chosen of Pan, and is currently carrying his soul? He is a close companion of Percy and Annabeth, and was the satyr that found Thalia, Nico, Bianca, Percy, Annabeth, and Luke to bring them to Camp Half-blood. He also has an empathy link with Percy. Because he is a satyr and not a demigod, he doesn’t stay in any particular cabin. While trying to gain support from the nature spirits during the battle, he crosses paths with Morpheus who puts him in a deep sleep for 2 months. Despite no one knowing his whereabouts, the Council of Cloven Elders refuses to look for him, as they consider him a liar for saying that Pan had died. Eventually, he wakes up as he falls from a tree and opens a path to the underworld using his reed pipes, which is later used to cast a spell on Hyperion, for Nico and Percy. At the end of the battle he was given the position

Lord of the Wild (Pan's heir and chosen one), and given the empty seat in the Council of Cloven Elders by Dionysus.

Tyson

Tyson is a cyclops, a son of a nymph and Poseidon, and Percy Jackson's half-brother. During the Battle of Manhattan, he was promoted to general of the Cyclops army. He is also very good at forging. When he is at Camp Half-Blood, he is part of the Poseidon cabin.

Will Solace

Will is a demigod and the son of Apollo and Naomi Solace. He is the current head counselor of Apollo's Cabin after Michael Yew was never found during the Battle of Manhattan, as well as the camp's prominent healer. During the battle, after Annabeth was gravely wounded, he poured nectar on her and sang a hymn to heal her, weakening him in the process. Later, he and other Apollo campers set up a makeshift hospital on Olympus.

Travis Stoll

Travis is a demigod, son of Hermes and an unnamed mortal, the older brother of Connor Stoll, and half-brother to Luke. He is currently the co-counselor of Hermes's Cabin. During the Last Olympian, he attends Chiron's war council, and it is also revealed that he and his brother have a rivalry with Katir Gardner (head of Demeter's cabin), and for a short bit, she accuses him and Connor of being spies. During the battle, Travis takes half of the Hermes cabin and defends the Brooklyn Bridge, and also leads a small group to raid a store for medicine. Since he stays in fairly good shape throughout the battle, it is implied that he is a decent fighter.

Connor Stoll

Connor is a demigod, son of Hermes and an unnamed mortal, the younger brother of Travis, and the half brother of Luke. At the war council, when Percy mentions that there is a spy, he states that he has believed there was a spy for years. It is also revealed that he and his brother have a rivalry with Katir Gardner (head of Demeter's cabin), and for a short bit, she accuses him and Travis of being spies. During the battle, he takes half of the Hermes's cabin to defend the Manhattan Bridge, and it was him who gave Percy the message that Grover had been found.

Since he escapes with only minor injuries, it is implied that he is a decent fighter like his brother. His complaining about reinforcements is what gives Percy the idea to send a message to Nico. After the battle, he became co counselor of Hermes's cabin.

Clarisse La Rue

Clarissa La Rue is a demigod, daughter of Ares and an unnamed mortal. She is the current head counselor of the Ares cabin, and everyone at the camp respects her (or fears her) due to her strong personality and excellent fighting skills. Before the Battle of Manhattan takes place, her cabin and the Apollo cabin fought over who would get a flying chariot for battle; while the Ares cabin had led the raid to find it, the Apollo cabin found and captured it before them. The Apollo cabin then curses their cabin, so the Ares cabin refuses to fight, because Clarisse thinks that they were disrespected (and because a spy had convinced them not to help). However, when her close friend Silena Beauregard is later killed during the Battle of Manhattan (due to disguising herself as Clarisse, convincing the Ares cabin to join the fight, and is fatally wounded in the fray), Clarisse joins the fight and takes down a drakon that Kronos had sent to attack the people fighting that only a child of Ares could slay. This feat earns her the blessing of Ares and the respect of her father.

Chiron

Chiron is an immortal centaur, and son of Kronos and the Oceanid Philyra. He is the activities director of Camp Half-blood, meaning that he oversees things such as battle training or friendly camp activities. He is also known to have trained famous heroes like Jason and Achilles. Chiron is the one who reveals the Great Prophecy to Percy, and is one of the many people who fight in the Battle of Manhattan, along with the affectionately named "Party Ponies," Chiron's fellow centaur friends. He survives until the end of the Battle of Manhattan, and will continue to oversee Camp Half-blood. He also has a strong bond with Percy Jackson due to him knowing Percy since he first joined the camp, and even before then, when he taught Percy Latin at his school under the disguise of the name "Mr. Brunner," wanting to observe him from afar and get him to join Camp Half-blood.

Dionysius (“Mr. D”)

Dionysius, or “Mr. D,” is the God of wine, parties, and theater (among many other things), and is the son of Zeus and a mortal woman named Semele (the daughter of the king of Thebes). He is “temporarily” serving as the camp director of Camp Half-blood, receiving this job as a punishment for “chasing after an off-limits nymph.” Being camp director means that he oversees everything that happens at camp and makes sure everything runs smoothly. During the battle of Manhattan, Dionysius fights Typhon, the most powerful child of the earth goddess Gaea, and gets injured while doing so. However, he makes it to the end of the battle, and joins the rest of the camp once it’s over to continue his job as camp director.

Please note, additional positions and/or double delegation positions may be added