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## Based on Sir Tomas Malory's Le Morte D'Arthur and the true story of the MIT Blackjack Team

The Table started as a strategic way for the smartest kids at Arthur University to earn enough money to pay their tuition. Members play black jack at the swankiest casinos in the country every weekend and split their earnings for the benefit of the group. Using the law of large numbers the probabilities of black jack can be manipulated with enough manpower to beat the game. Some weekends you cashed in, some weekends you lost everything, but with the support of The Table everyone won in the long run...as long as everyone played within the code.

Episode 7: "Gabe" Preview Pitch:

[Scene opens on the first day of class]

The Table needs new recruits to start off the school year. Lance and Gary are in calculus when a new kid answers the professor's annual proof on the first day. The new kid instantly becomes The Table's number one recruit. The kid is smart, but needs training and Lance (the handsome star of the show this season) decides to take him on. No one knows where the kid came from but it doesn't matter to Lance. He's approached after school by Lance and his teammate (unnamed female actress) to join an exclusive club on campus.

#### [End scene]

[Scene opens on Kynke Park at midnight]

The kid arrives at the park and sees a large group of masked students that appear to be arguing with each other. Lance approaches the kid and masks him to bring him to an unknown location (audience knows from episode 6 Lance is bringing him to club headquarters). Lance fills the kid in on the existence of The Table and the camera pans into then shaking hands.

#### [End scene]

[Next we show various 5-10 second episode "sneak peaks"]

- 1. With a big tournament approaching in the next town over, the kid is ready to try his hand at a real casino. Lynn begrudgingly agrees to be his spotter, and look out for the casino thugs that try to kick card counters out of the game.
- 2. The kid is shown being seduced in an upscale hotel room by a Lynn's beautiful sister Lyla.
- 3. Lyla slips the kid a party drug that she says will help him loosen up in the casino tonight and play better than ever.
- 4. The kid hits a winning streak; he's beating the biggest players in the room, mafia bosses, ringleaders, and high rollers.
- 5. The kid and Lyla are seen getting married in Vegas, both wearing high-end designer brands.
- 6. Final scene of the preview shows the kid revealing his identity as "Gabe," smiling, and surrounded by his winnings ("happily-ever-after").

[End scene- Show credits and episode broadcast details]

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