

Dognapped! Look who's danced off with Pudsey! How a cute canine could fit right in with Simon Cowell's hectic lifestyle

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There's no question it's been the love story of Saturday nights — Simon Cowell was so infatuated with Britain's Got Talent champion Pudsey he said he wanted to steal the dancing dog. Such is the music mogul's ruthless reputation that Pudsey's owner Ashleigh Butler, 17, said she was scared he might indeed snatch her prized pooch.

Here, spoof artist ALISON JACKSON — with a little help from a Simon Cowell lookalike and Toggle, Pudsey's real-life brother — imagines what might have happened.



Left; Having successfully snatched Britain's newest TV star, Simon, ever-aware of the importance of grooming, takes Pudsey for a mini make-over. Right; Down to business at Cowell HQ where Simon warns Pudsey about the perilous dog-eat-dog world of showbusiness and experiments with a new image.



Left; Having worked up an appetite, back at the hotel Simon orders room service for Pudsey who, like all of Simon's acts, eats out of his master's hand (or mouth in this case). Right; After a tiring day, Pudsey snuggles up to his new master, making him the envy of every wannabe millionaire's wife in the UK ... and, of course, David Walliams.



Left; With photographers following wherever he goes, Pudsey can't afford to be a hound with extra pounds, so they hit the gym. Right; In the park, and Simon is working hard to prove he is just as good as Ashleigh when partnering our favourite dancing dog.



Left; Pudsey is out for his morning walk when a sinister figure appears with a glint in his eye and a juicy bone. Right; Simon leads Pudsey away - but both seem somewhat distracted

