

Midday Session

1. You went to the city park in this game session. What effects of Hurricane Dante did you observe there? (e.g., A banner had been knocked down, branches had been torn from trees, there were puddles, a park sign had fallen down, papers were scattered, posters for lost animals were stapled to a tree.)
2. As Editor-in-Chief, you continue to ask your staff how they weathered the storm and how their families are doing. Why is it important to do this even though you are very busy dealing with reporting storm news? (Answers will vary, but students should realize that, besides really caring about staff, an effective manager takes time to address employees' concerns and looks for ways to keep them happy and productive.)
3. LaDonna tells you that a downed power line caused an electrical fire on Lake Street. "It looks like something out of a war zone." Why does LaDonna compare Lake Street to a war zone? (e.g., The damage caused by the storm and the fire makes the street look like it has been destroyed by bombs and ground fighting.)
4. When Teresa described what happened to her house and others near her during the storm, did you choose to ask her if she got pictures you could use in the magazine? Why, or why not? (e.g., No, because I thought getting pictures for the magazine would be the last thing on her mind; Yes, and she was angry I asked her that after she had just lost her house.)
5. Give an example of Port Douglas residents helping each other out in the aftermath of the storm. What source provided this information? (Residents with electricity service set up power stations so those without it could charge their phones. Maggie's blog post gives this information.)

