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Rock War is not one of the usual spy novels that Muchamore has written for the past ten years. This book is about three separate characters who each have skills in music.

Meet Jay, Summer, and Dylan. Jay plays guitar, writes songs and dreams of being a rock star. But his ambitions are stifled by seven siblings and a terrible drummer. Summer works hard at school, looks after her nan and has a one-in-a-million singing voice. But can her talent triumph over her nerves? Dylan is happiest lying on his bunk smoking, but his school rugby coach has other ideas, and Dylan reluctantly joins a band to avoid crunching tackles and icy mud. They’re about to enter the biggest battle of their lives. And there’s everything to play for.

The story introduces these characters, learning the ins-and-outs of their lives while dealing with different socioeconomic ideas about people, but not conforming to the stereotypes. Rock War looks at poverty and the upper class in sensitive ways which engage the reader. It looks at the ways in which people are passionate about music - whether it’s their dream or their reluctant talent.

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Jay, Summer, Dylan and their bands are headed for boot camp at uber-glamorous Rock War Manor. It's going to be six weeks of mates, music and non-stop partying as they prepare for stardom. But the rock-star life of music festivals and glitzy premieres isn't all it's cracked up to be. Can the bands hold it together long enough to make it through the last stage of the competition, or will there be meltdown?