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**Tim, Max (the dog), Tim's dad**

2. Where does the story take place?

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**Forest/camping site**

3. When does the story happen?

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**Last summer, during the night**