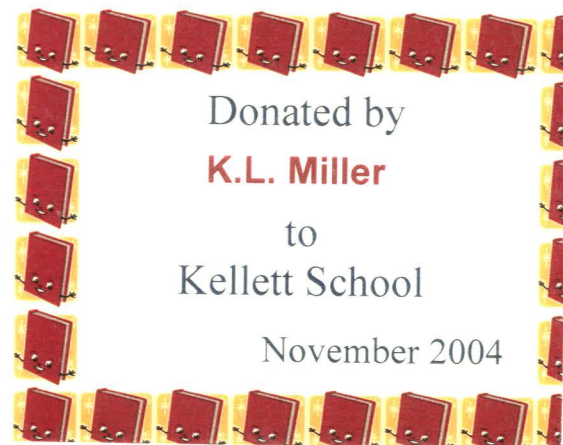


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Primary Six

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Captain Kellett Wants To Know All About You

My name is

I am ...years old

My teacher's name is

My friends are

.....
.....

You can see me again on pages

Glue your favourite photo here



HELP! CAPTAIN KELLETT NEEDS YOU

Captain Kellett has lost all these things:

3 treasure chests

9 hats

7 anchors

8 pipes

10 ship's cats

6 lanterns

1 telescope

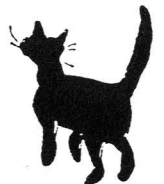
3 pieces of rope

5 barrels of rum

Can you find them hidden in the pages of the magazine?

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It is always a great pleasure to open the new edition of the school magazine and share the memories of the school year, and I am sure that you will find much enjoyment while reading your latest copy.

This edition again illustrates the varied and exciting curriculum and reflects the children's enthusiasm for learning. The drawings and paintings accompanied by the range of comment, observations, description and stories which are contributed by each class, frequently illustrated by photographs, remind us of the topic work and first-hand experiences of the children's year. The photographs of the art, craft and CDT work, of the concerts and assemblies, of the sports, physical education and school teams, and of local visits and camps all illustrate the breadth and quality of school life. Also recorded are some of this year's highlights, such as the visit of Roger McGough, the Hallowe'en activities and the opening of the school bookshop.

One of the important aspects of Kellett has always been the close liaison between parents and school, so valuable in the support it gives to the children and the curriculum. Our magazine demonstrates this close co-operation through the many parent faces shown not only at the camps, on excursions and at the family sports day, but also at this year's fund-raising activities such as the Easter fair and the barndance.

Parents visiting Kellett, when selecting a school for their children, ask about our philosophy, about our facilities, about our priorities and what children will learn. Waiting at London Airport recently for a delayed flight, I picked up a book called *All I Really Need To Know I Learned In Kindergarten*. This provided appropriate reading matter for my flight and also food for thought. What are the priorities for a meaningful life if children don't begin by learning the things that Robert Fulghum learned at kindergarten:

Share with others.
Play fair.
Don't hurt people.
Put things back where you found them and
clear up your own mess.
Don't take things that aren't yours.
Say sorry when you hurt someone.
Live a balanced life — learn some, think some,
draw and paint and sing and dance and play and
work some, every day.
Be aware of wonder — remember the little seed
in the polystyrene cup.
Goldfish, hamsters and little seeds all die.
Remember to look.
And, finally, when you go out into the world, watch out
for traffic, hold hands and stick together.



Our children come from many countries, from many nationalities, and have different experiences to draw on. The delightful pages of photographs on pages 18 and 19 confirm this. The fact that they can all co-operate to work, play, learn and share their lives at Kellett so successfully is a good basis for life in our international community.

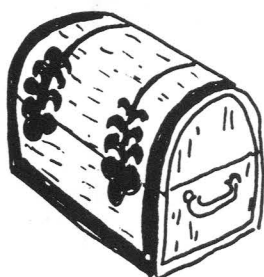
My sincere thanks go to the children for their contributions, to the staff for all their hard work, to the parents who support in so many ways, and my special thanks and congratulations go to the magazine committee for this excellent edition.

Vivienne Steer

Our Teachers



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| Standing | : Mrs R. Aduso, Mrs S. Lomas, Mrs G. Tully, Mrs J. Ramsey,
Mr T. Nevin, Mrs L. Evans, Mrs M. Coultous, Mr N. Miller,
Mrs C. Lamont, Mrs L. Ashdown, Mrs M. Williams, Mrs M. Harrison,
Mrs S. Galton, Miss K. Mansfield, Mr S. Marshall, Mrs V.E. Steer,
Mrs A.M. Nevin |
| Middle row (seated) | : Mrs R. Rivett-Carnac, Mrs M. Cook, Mrs A. Cooke, Mrs V. Barker,
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Mrs L. Hattingh, Mrs R. Phillipson, Mrs A. Thomson, Mrs M. Davies,
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Mrs T. James |



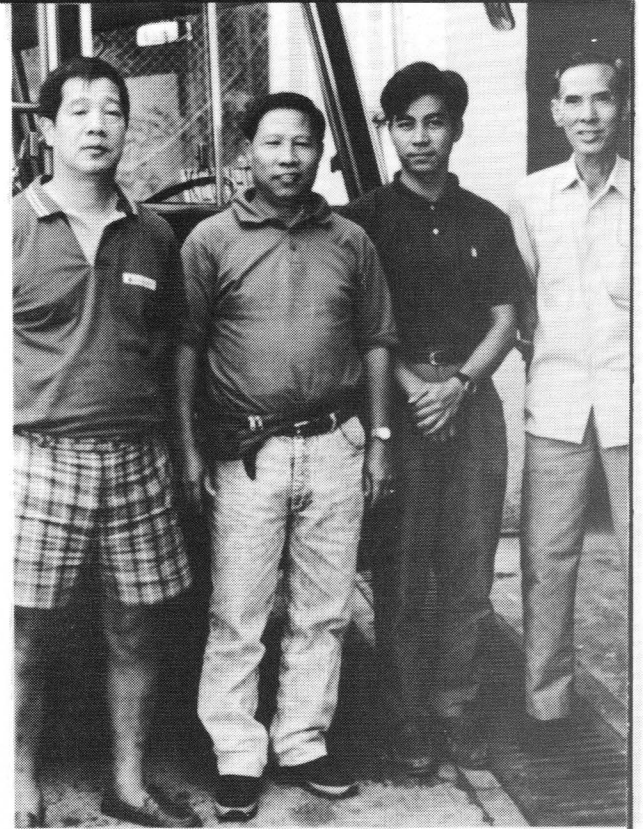
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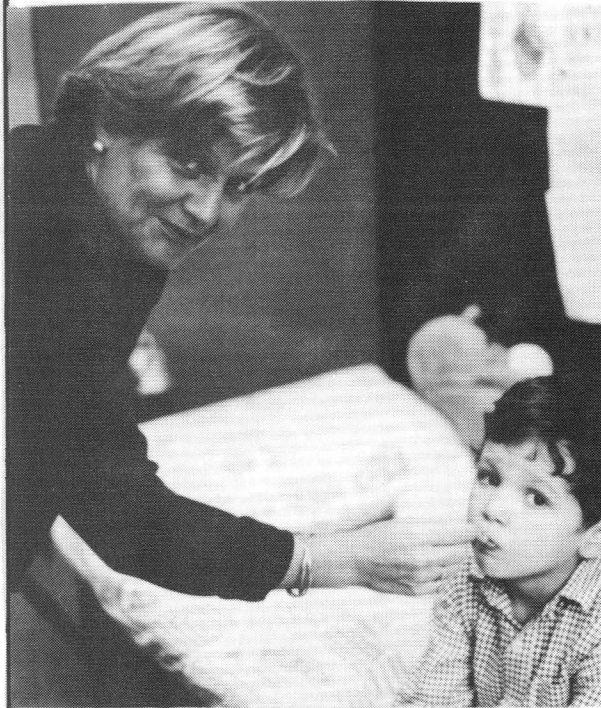
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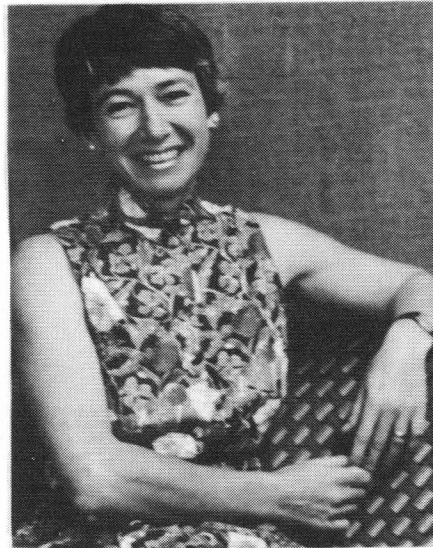
Mrs L. Poel, Accountant



Bus Drivers



The Nurse



Mrs F. Macleod, School Bursar



Library Mothers



Ah Shun



Mr Chiu



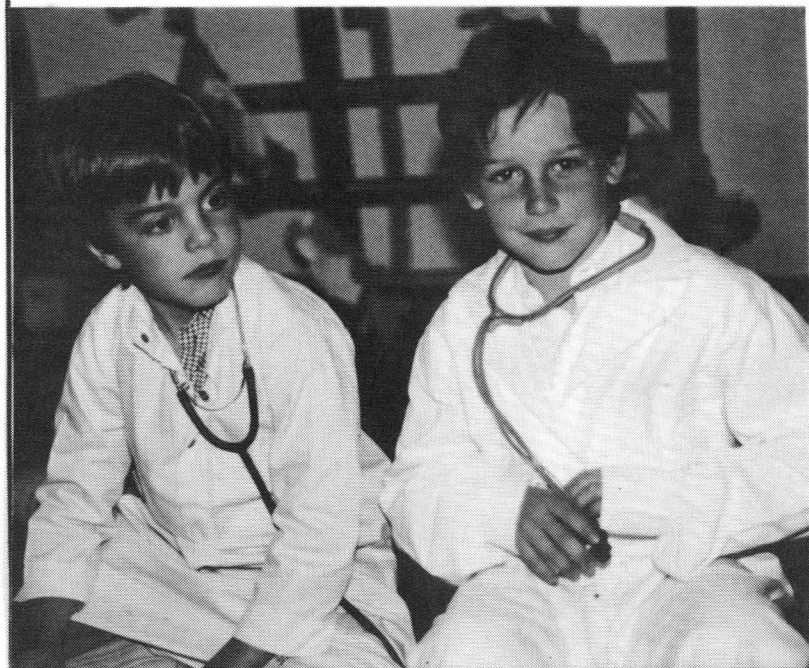
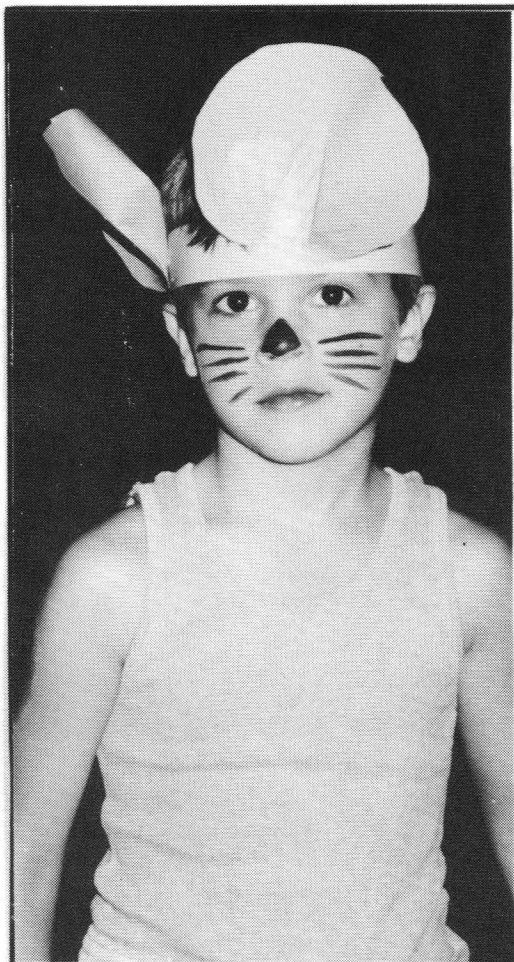
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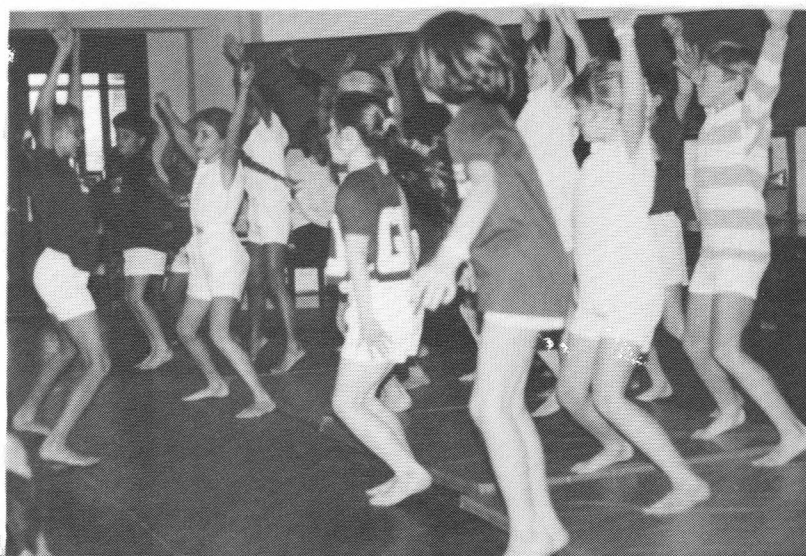
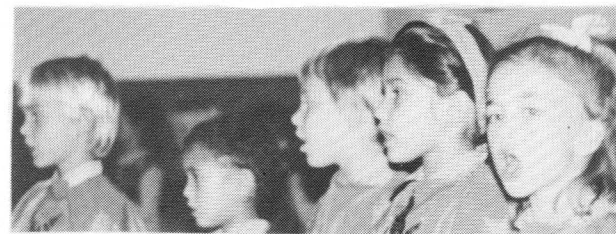
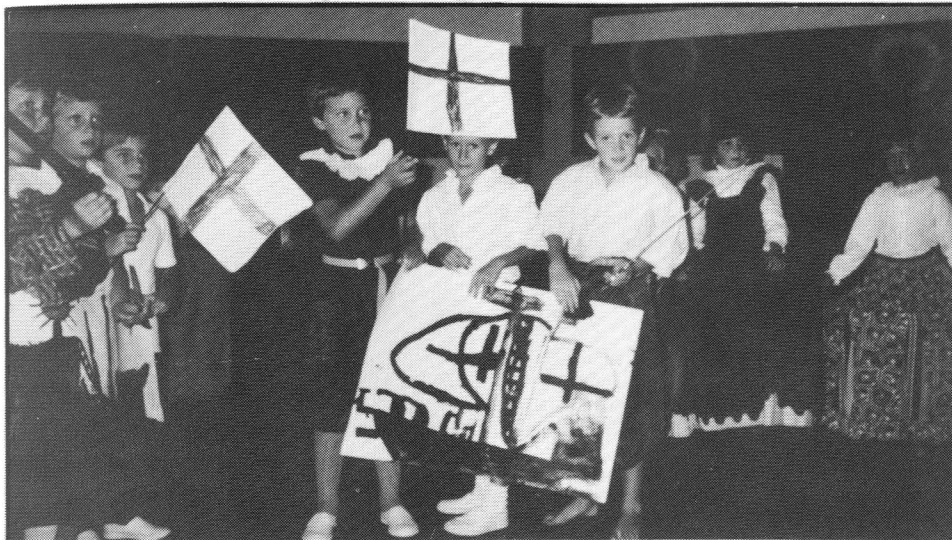


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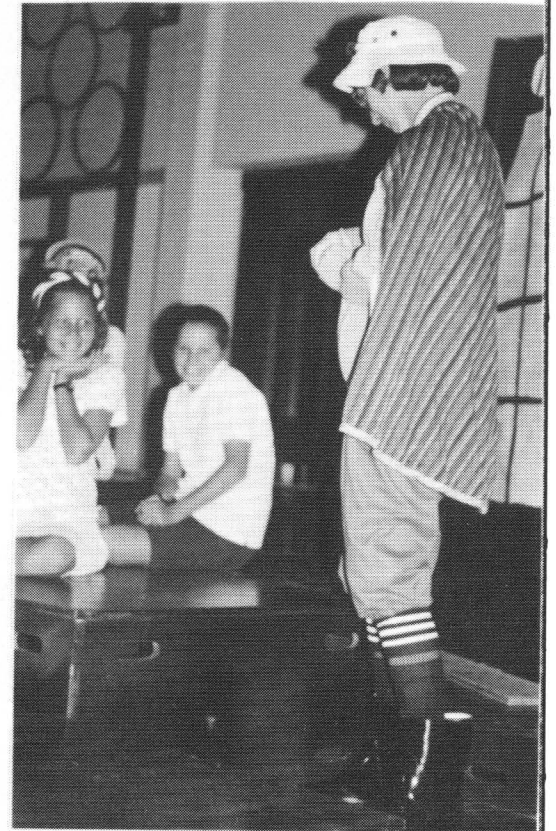
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A Special Assembly



Our New Bookshop



Early Days At School





Halloween



Christmas Concerts



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The Advent Calendar



Meredith, The Christmas Camel







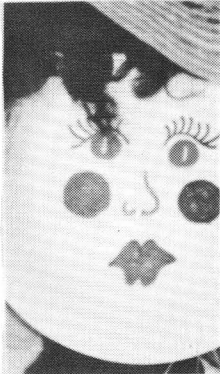
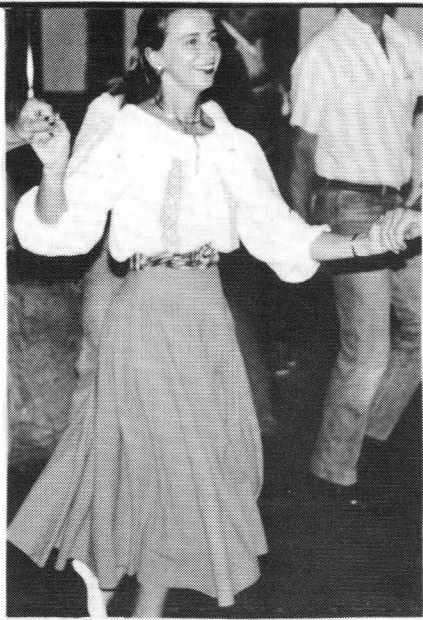
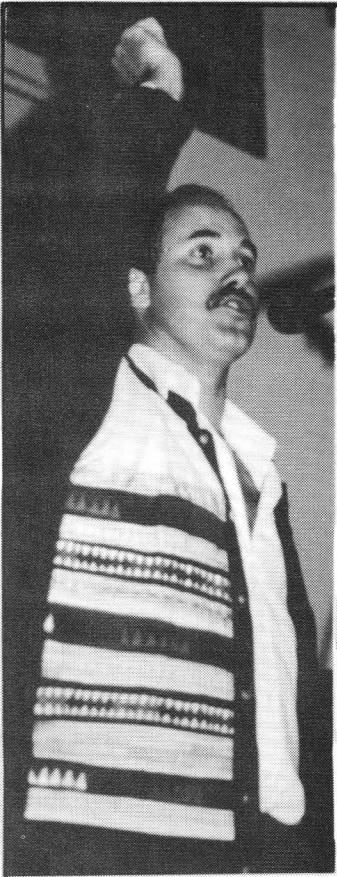
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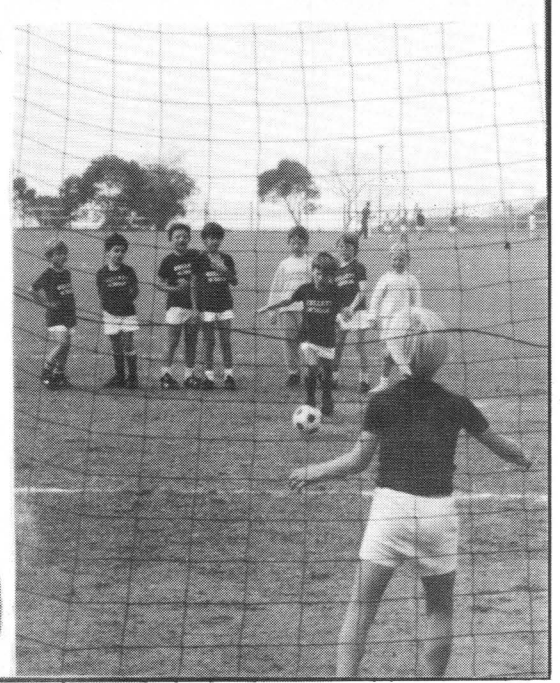
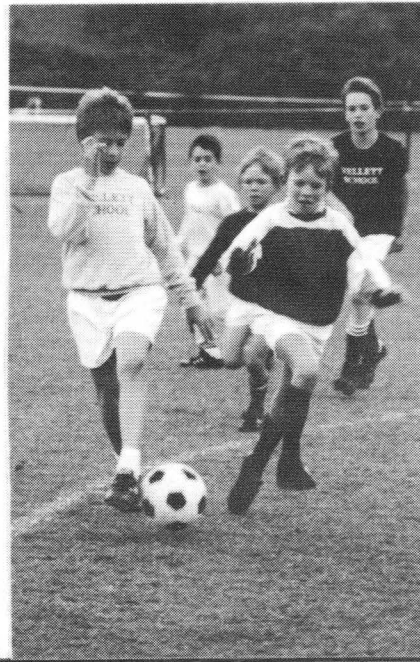
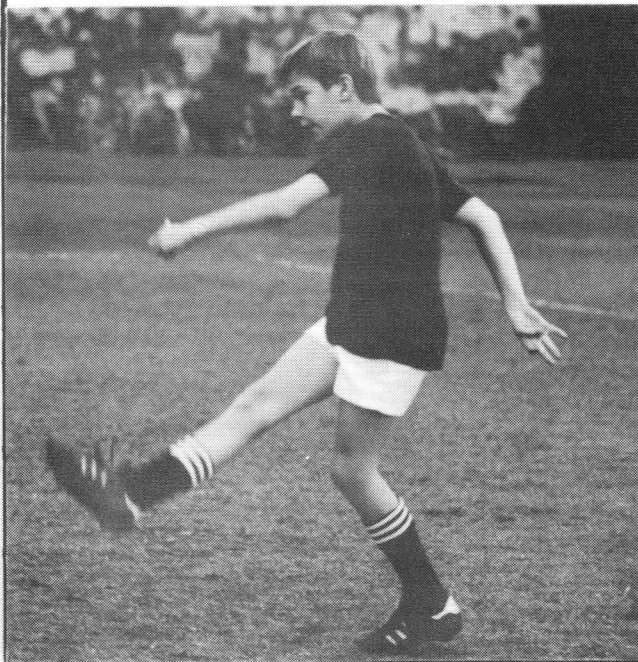
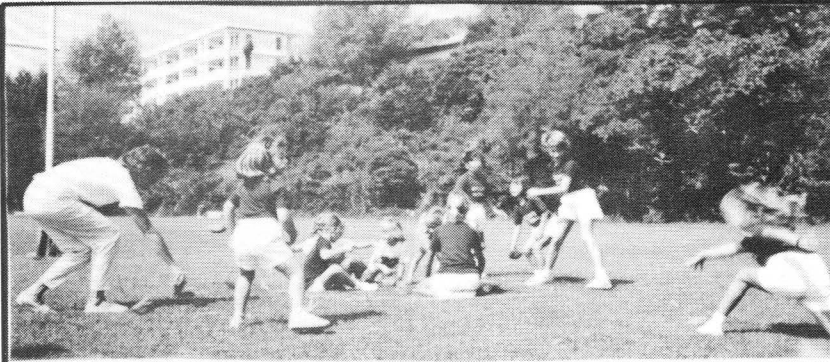




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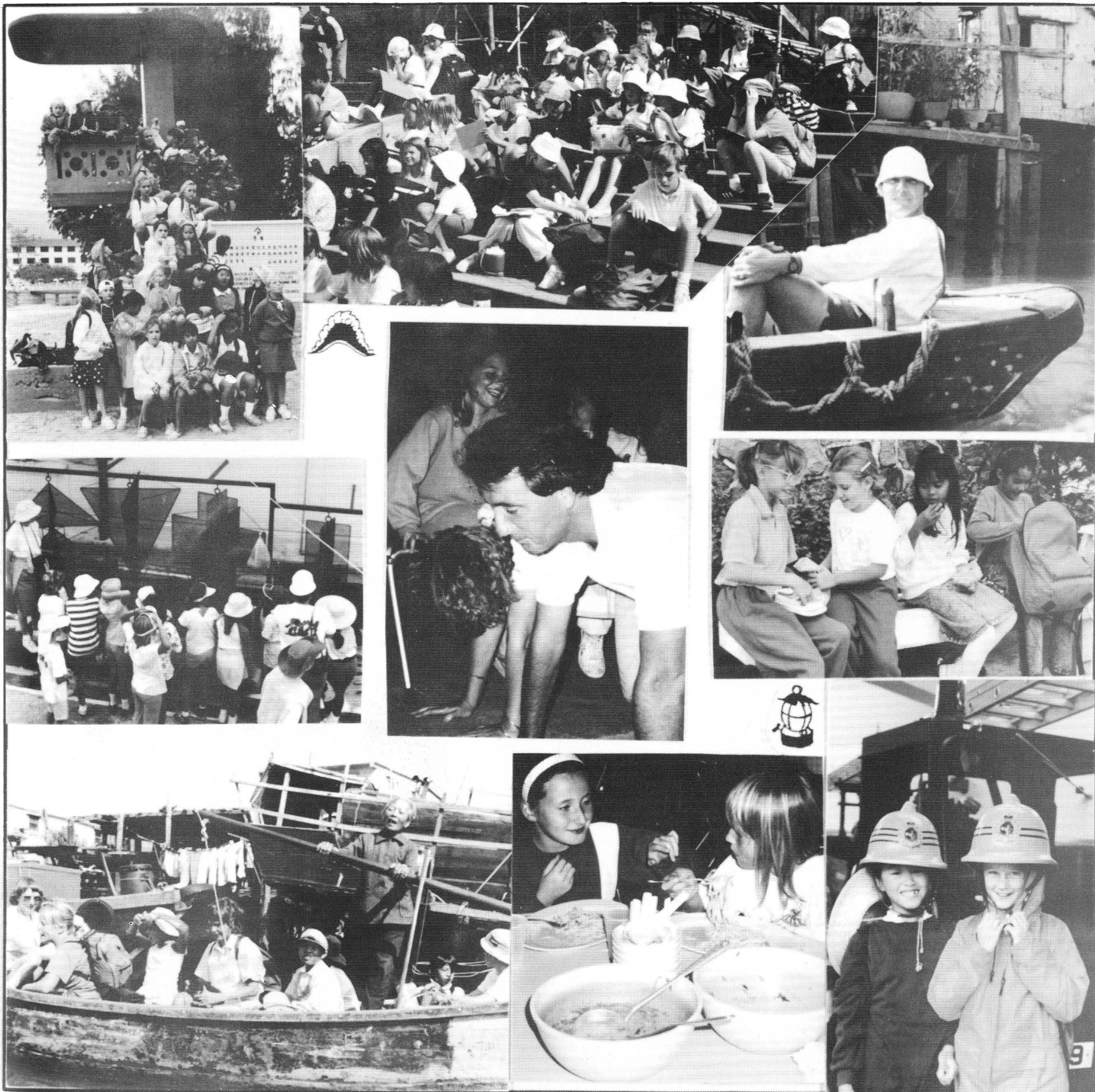


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Excursions



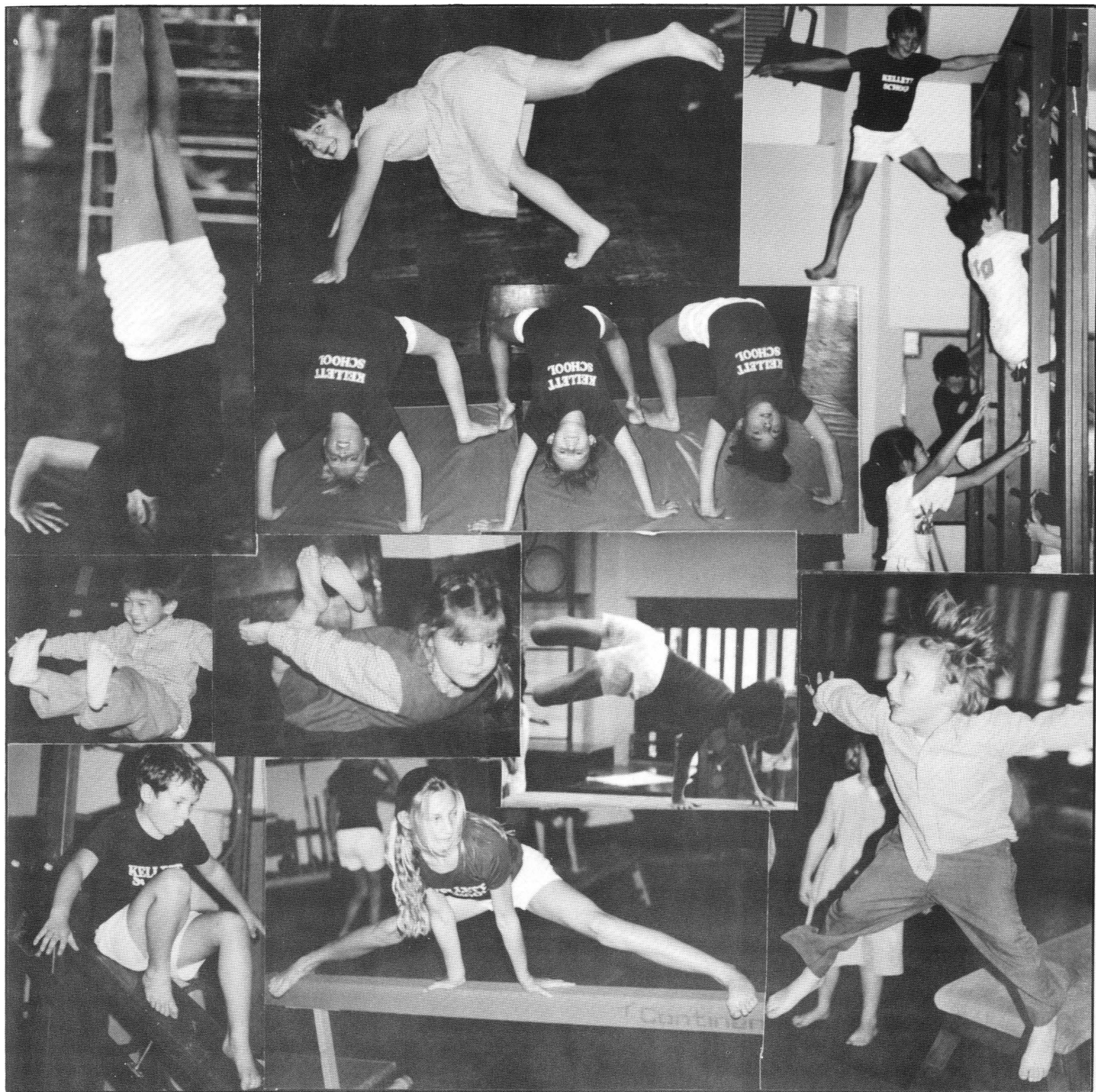


The Sixes in Lantau

The Fives in Cheung Chau 27

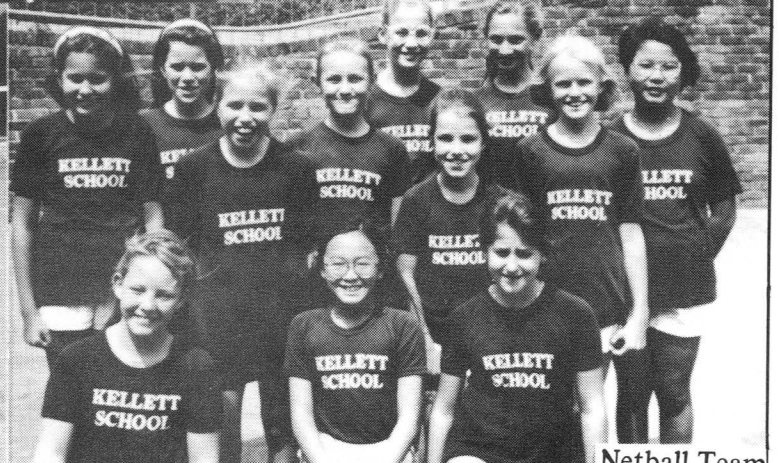
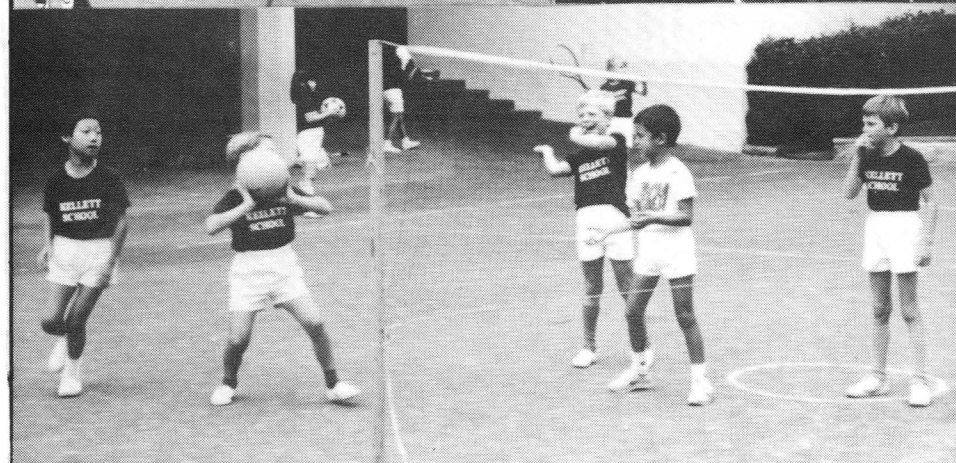
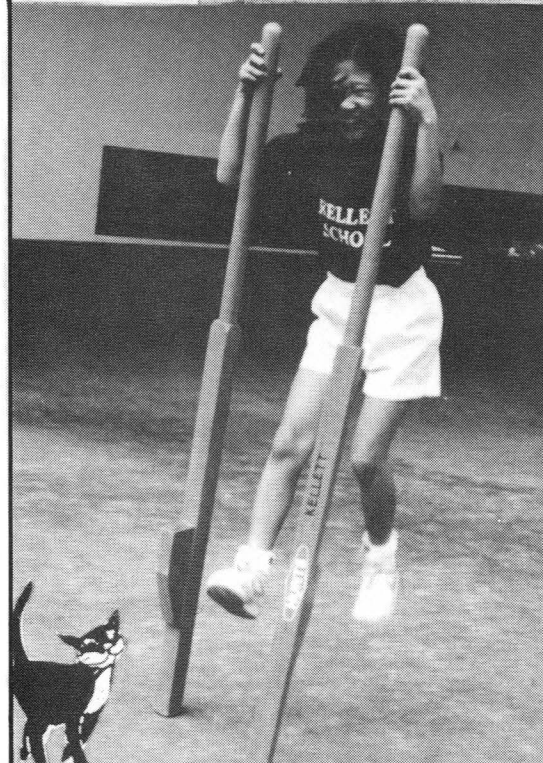
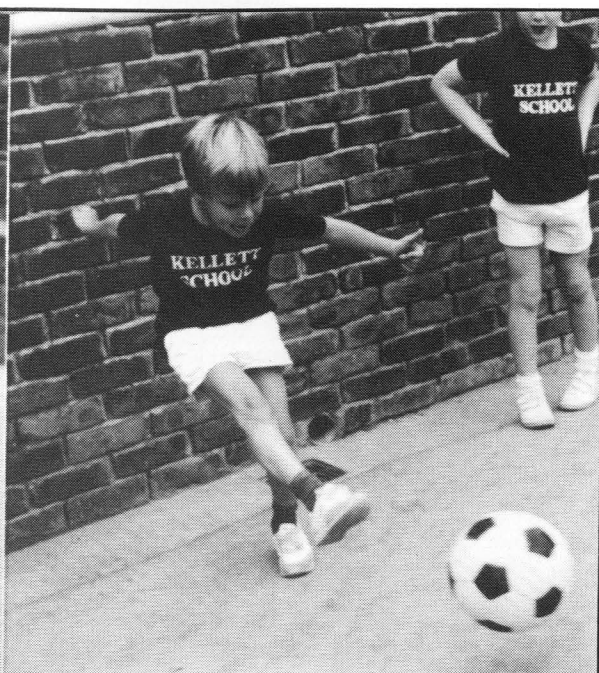
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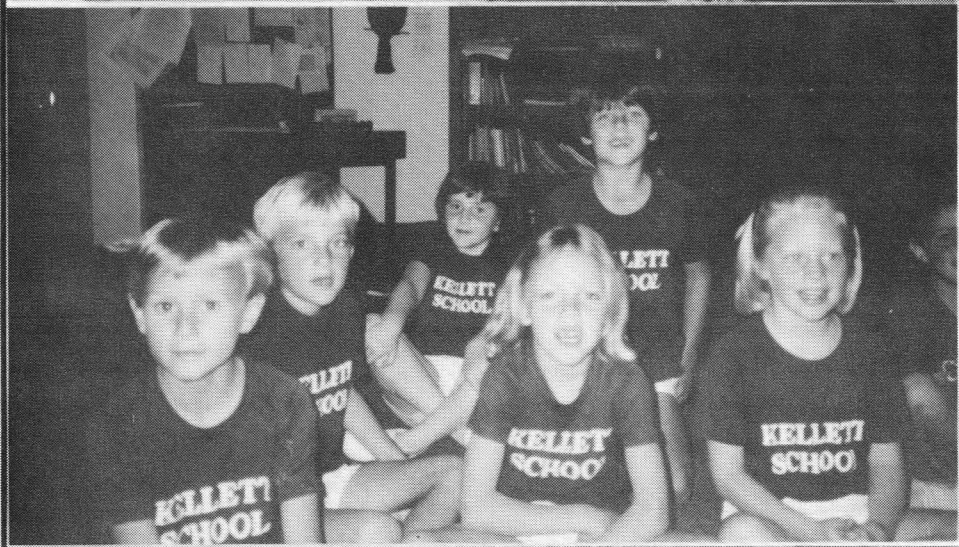
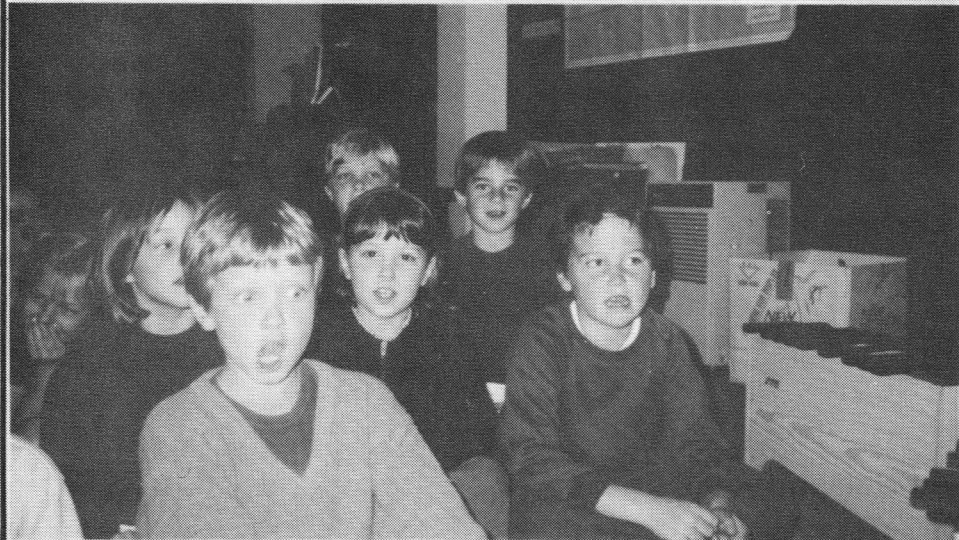
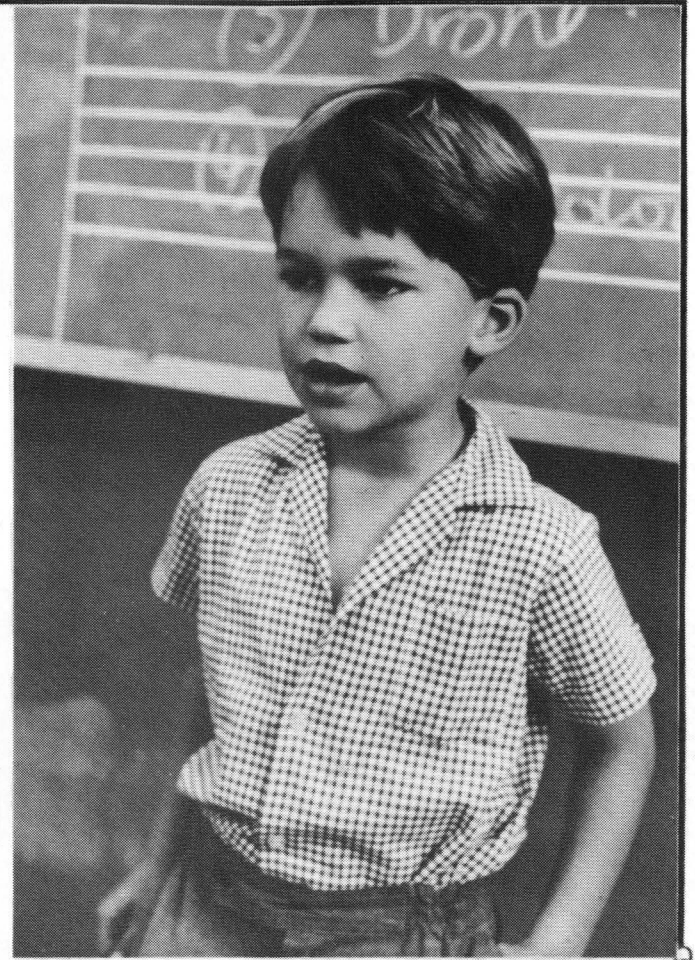
Football Team



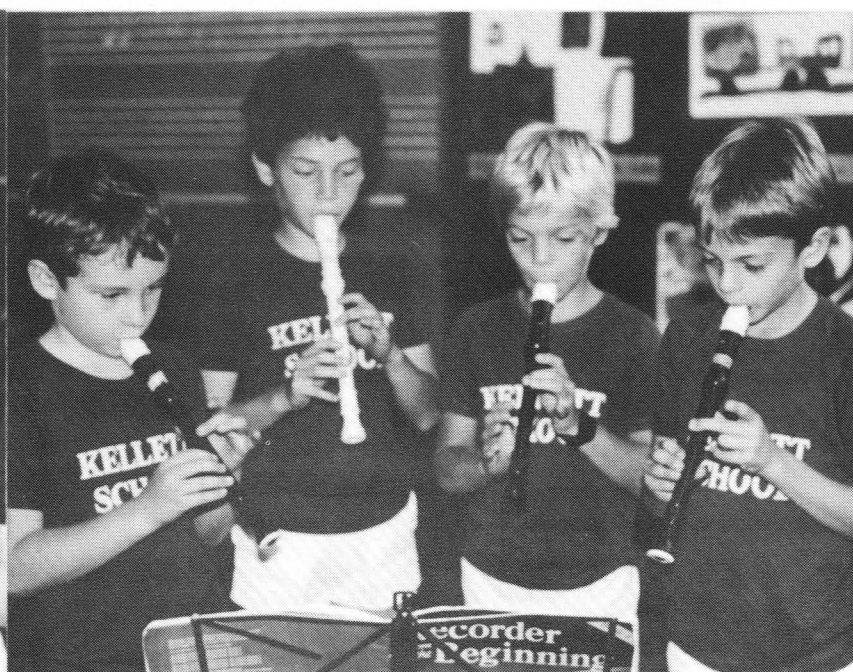
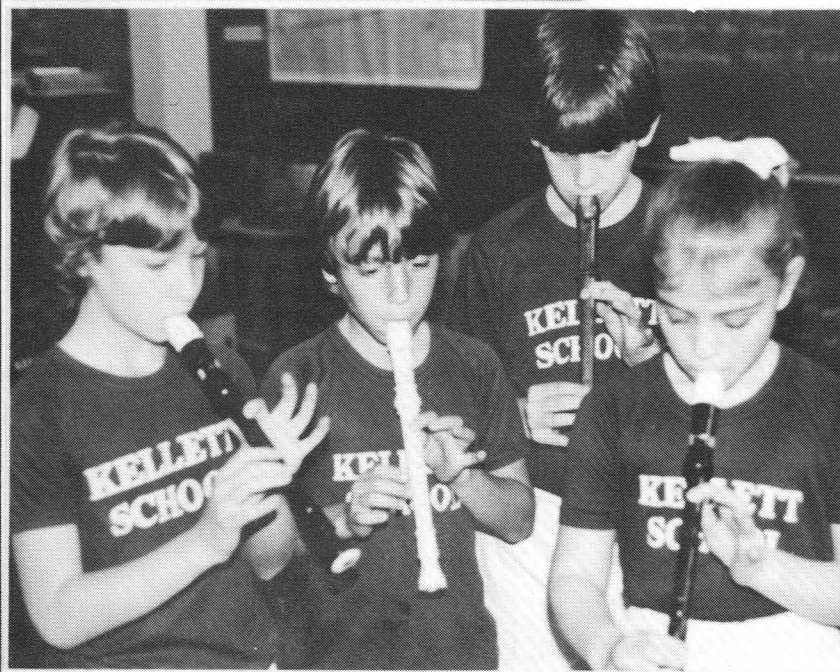
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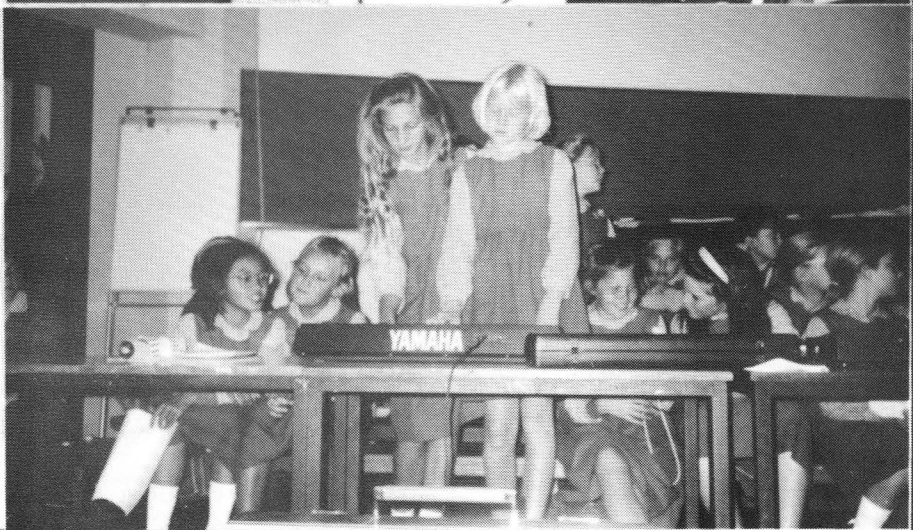


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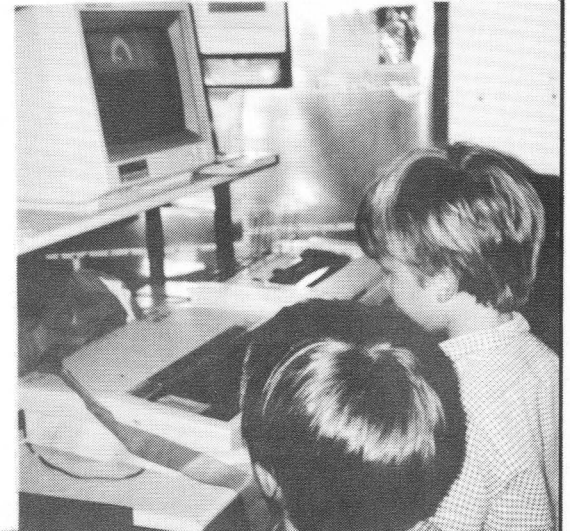
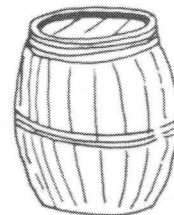
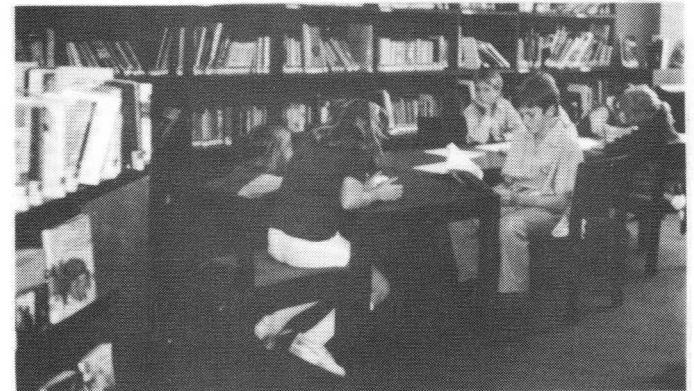
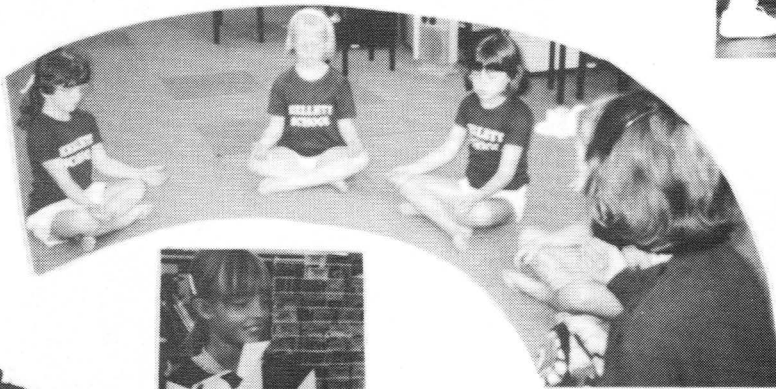
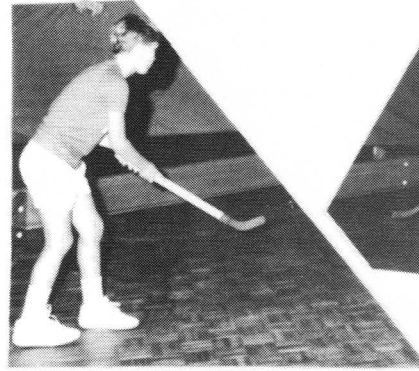
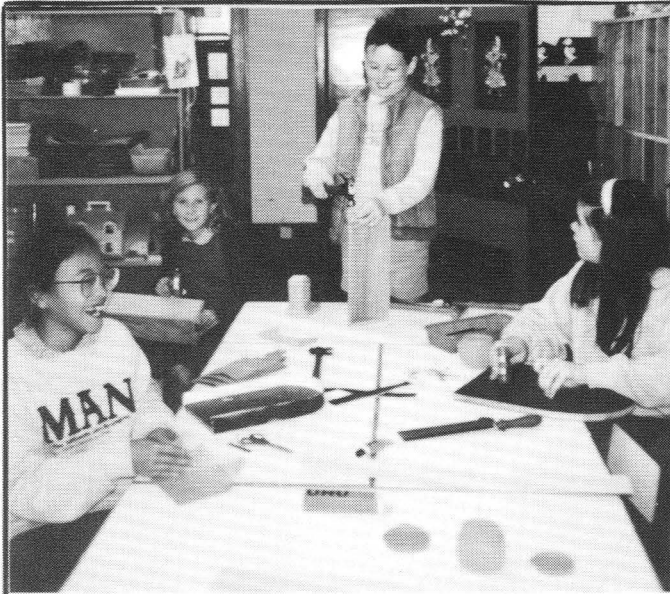




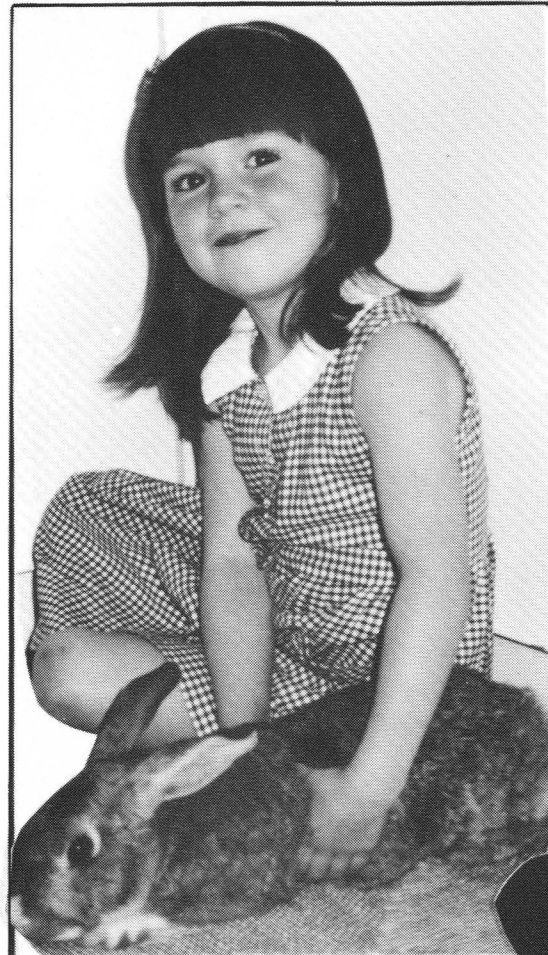
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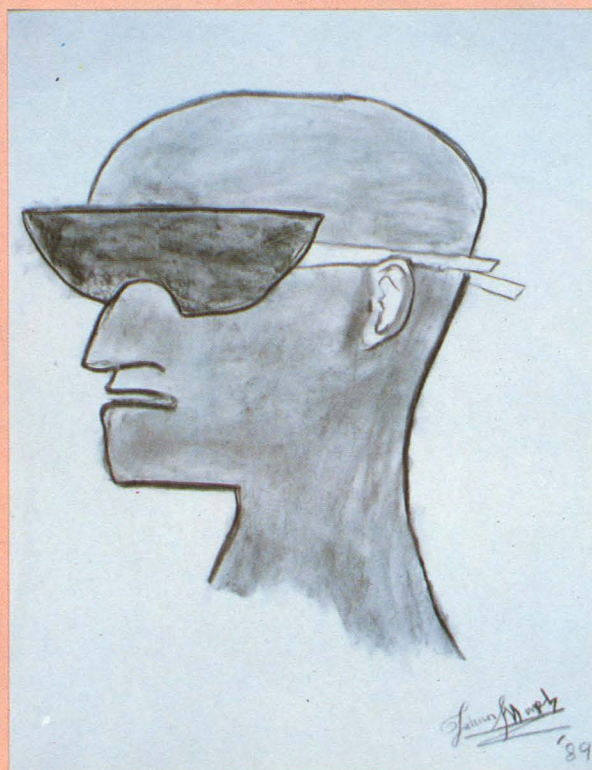
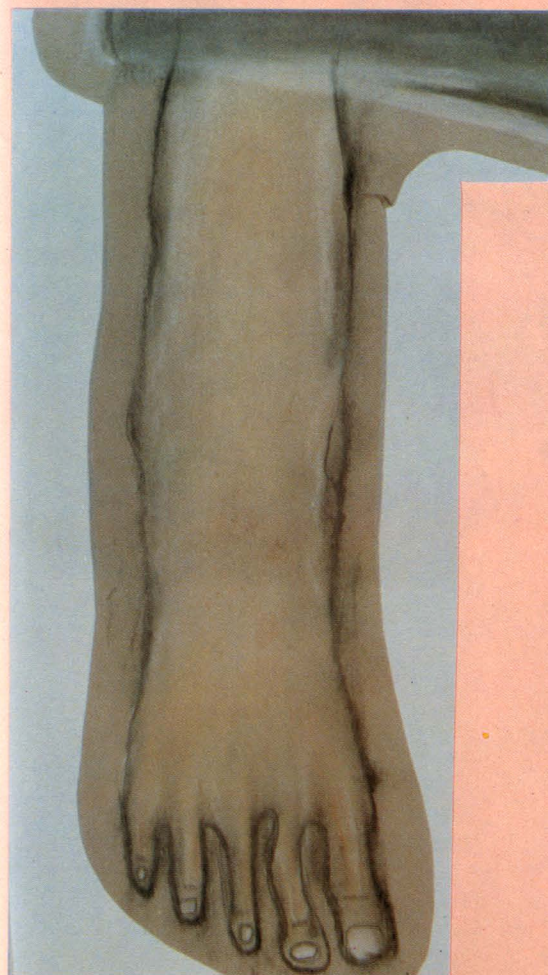
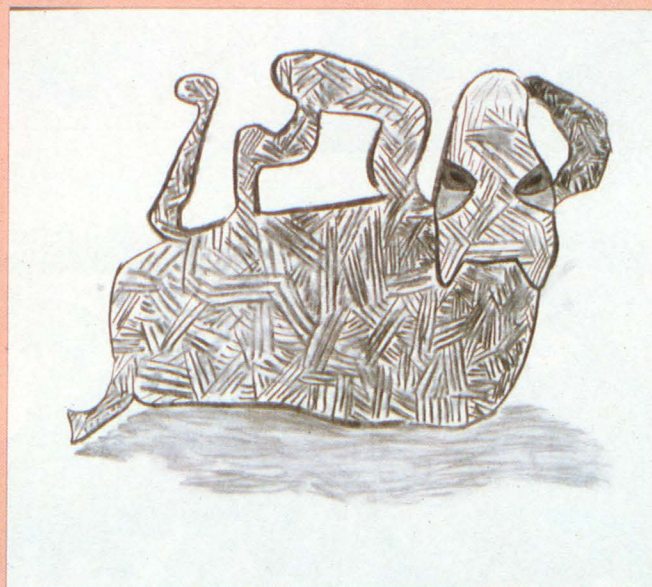


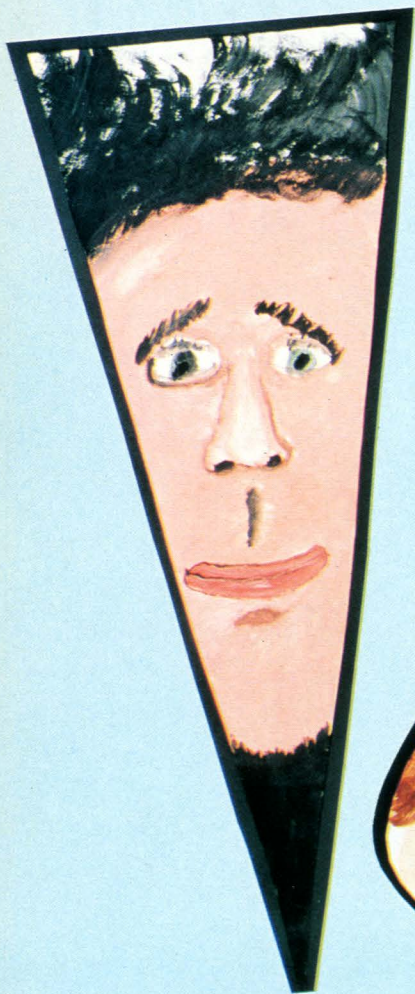
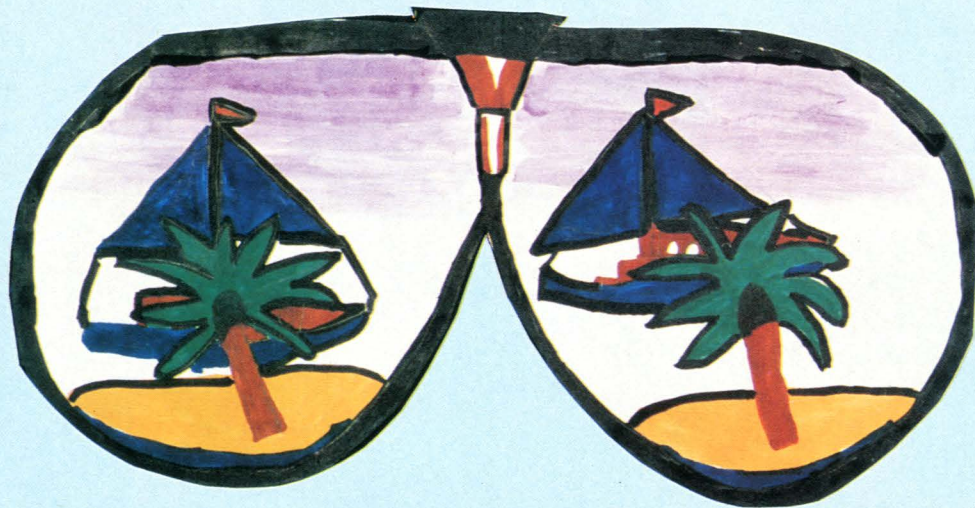
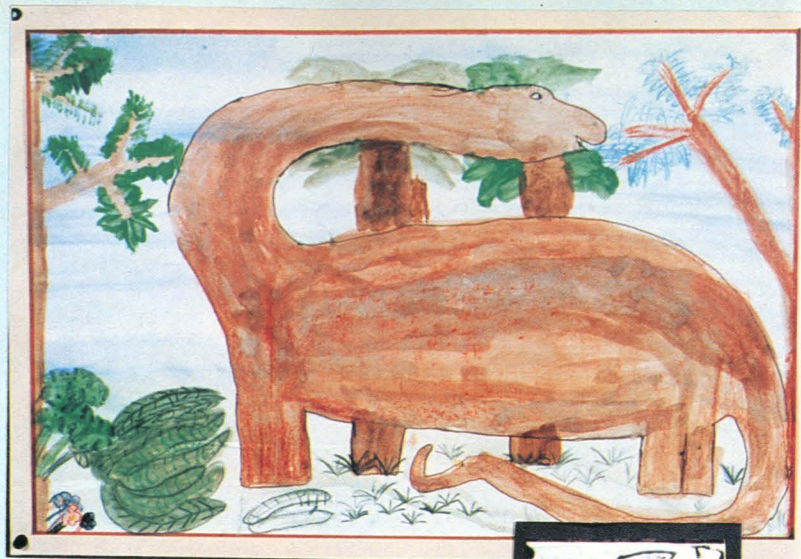
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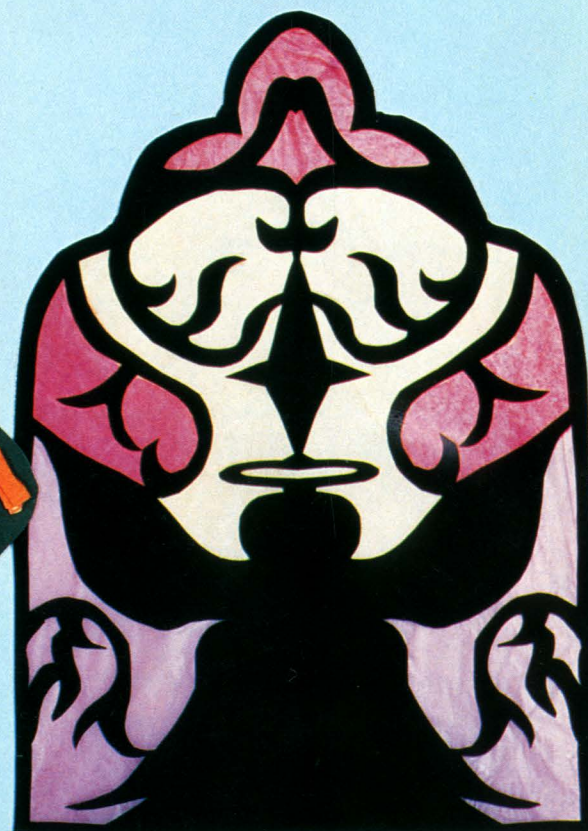


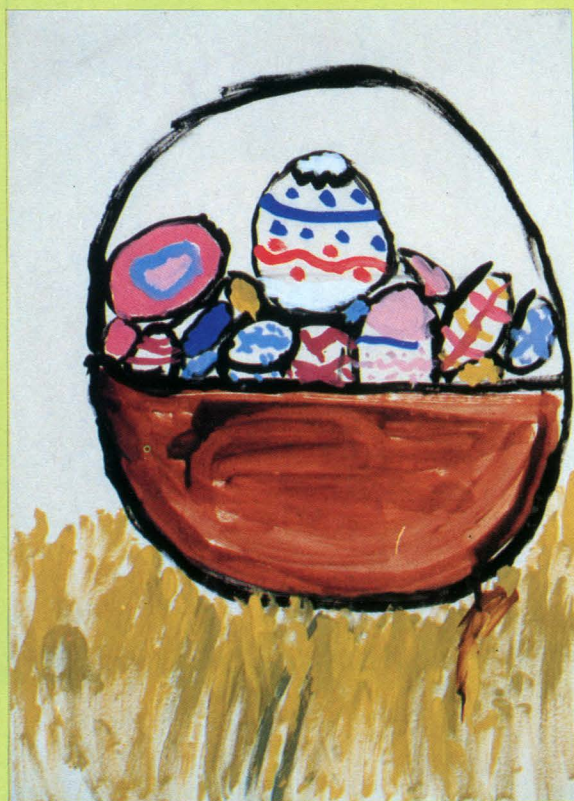
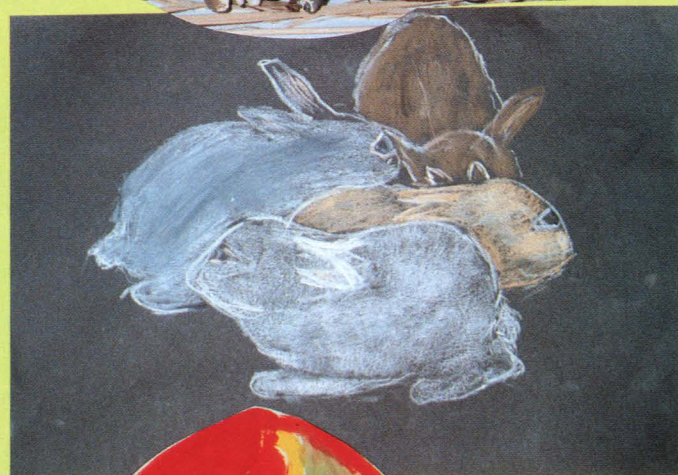
School Pets











Reception Class 1 - Mrs G. Tully



Back row

: Mrs G. Tully, Sarah Murray, Scott Musial, Miss Mansfield,
Ashleigh Broedelet, Joseph Corrigan, Adrienne Seitz, Mrs Squire

Middle row

: Kirsty Buchan, Joseph Divis, Neha Chopra, Peter Walker-Smith,
Lucy Fisher, Fredrik Inglis, Jessica Hallett

Front row

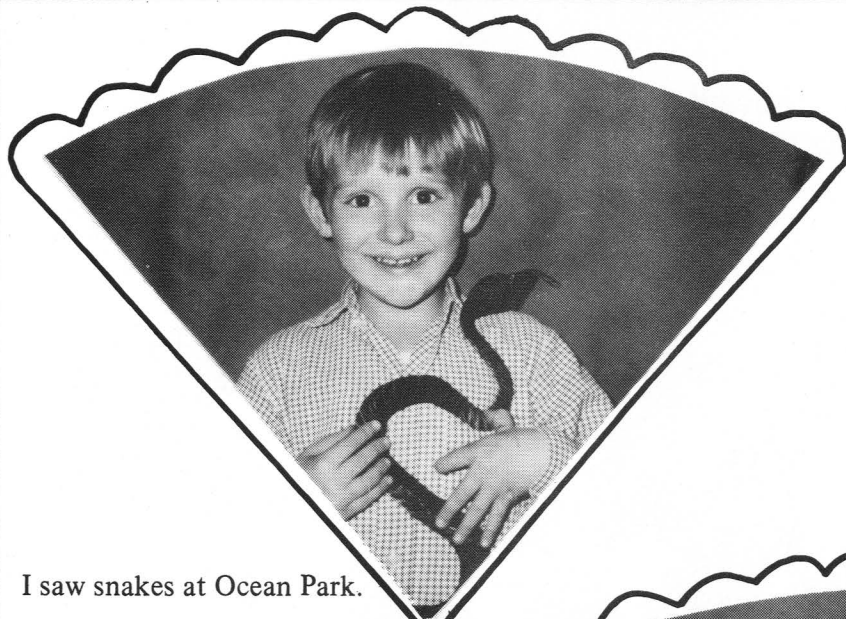
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Oliver Noble



Welcome to the Year of the Snake



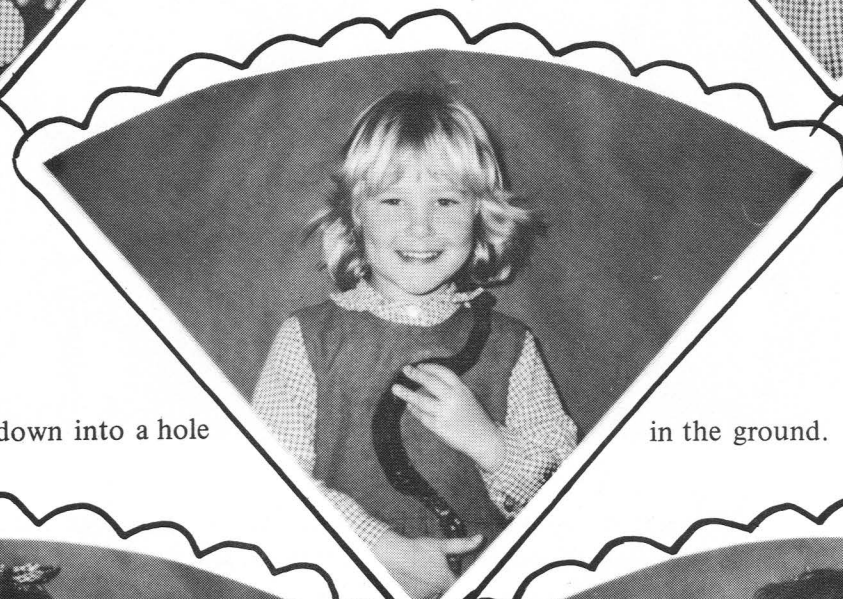
I saw snakes at Ocean Park.

Joseph



Snakes make a hissing sound.

Matthew



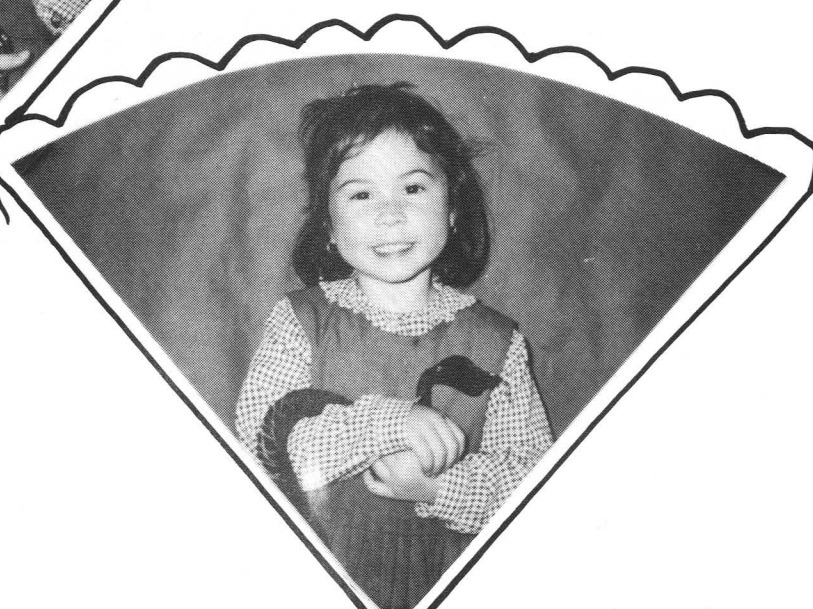
Snakes slither down into a hole

in the ground. Juliet



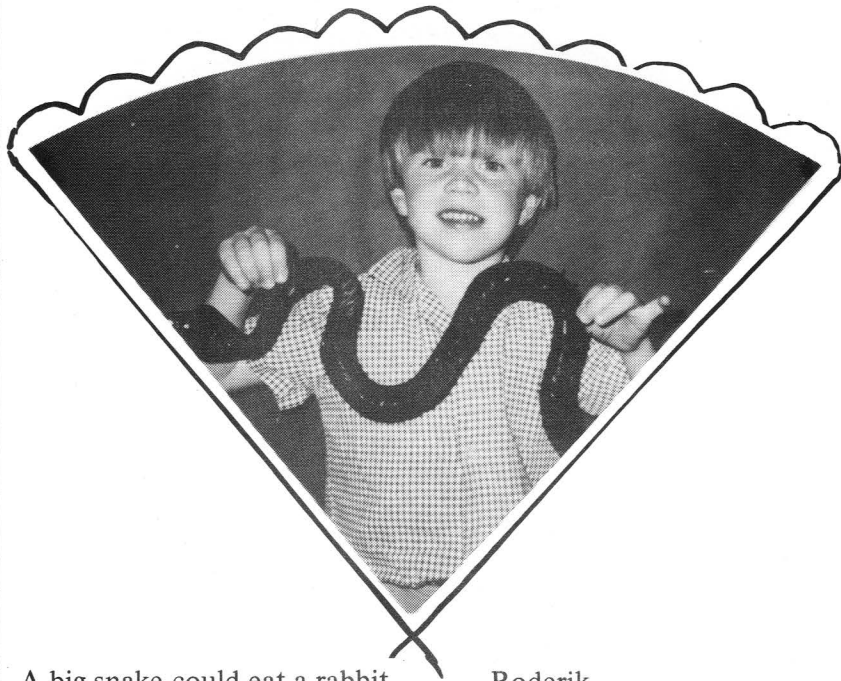
Snakes eat frogs and mice.

Kerry-Ann



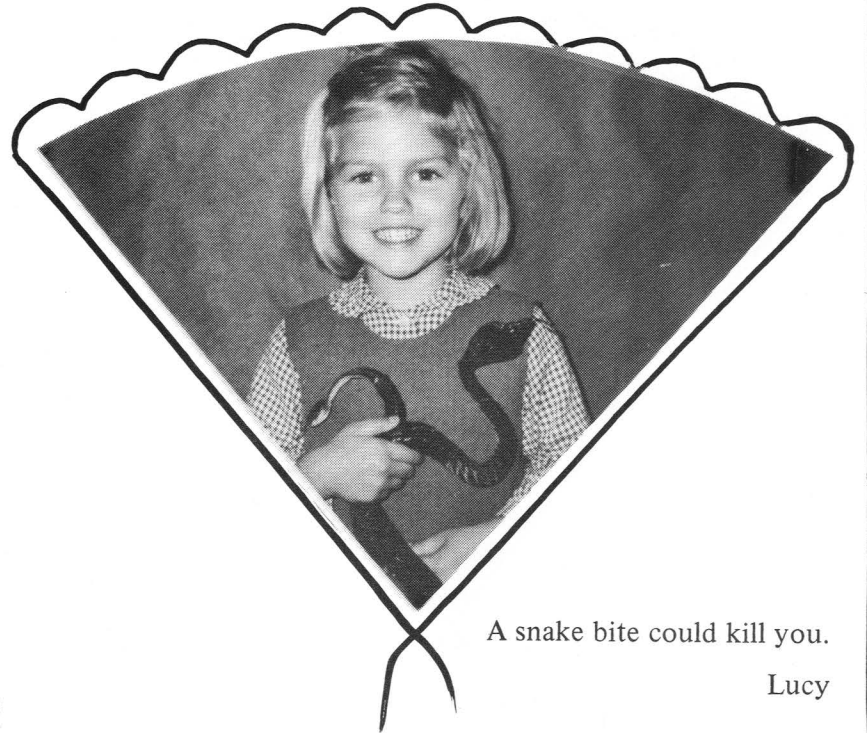
Cecily

A snake has no feet.



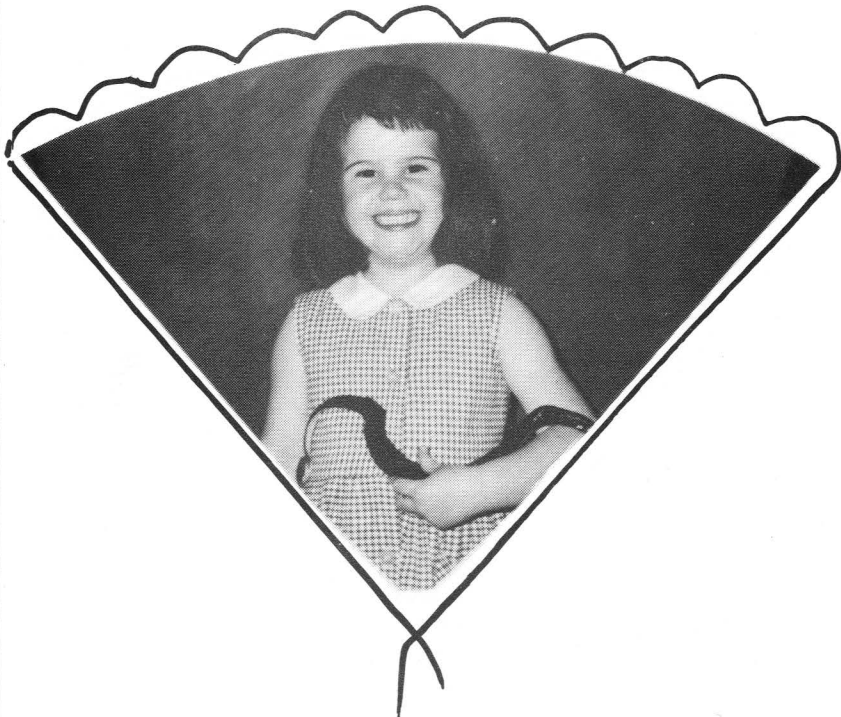
A big snake could eat a rabbit.

Roderik



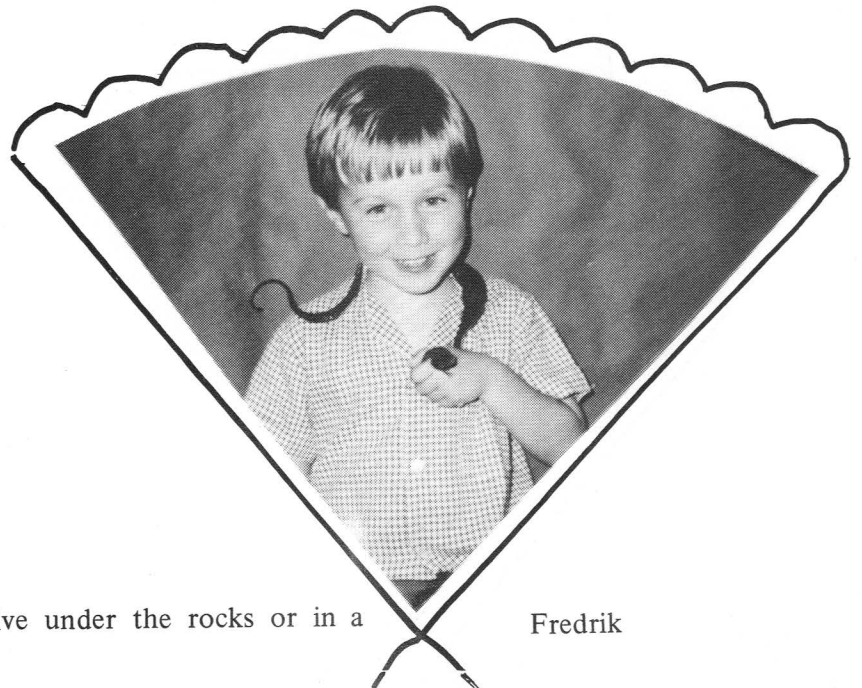
A snake bite could kill you.

Lucy



Snakes slide on their tummies, some of them are poisonous.

Jessica

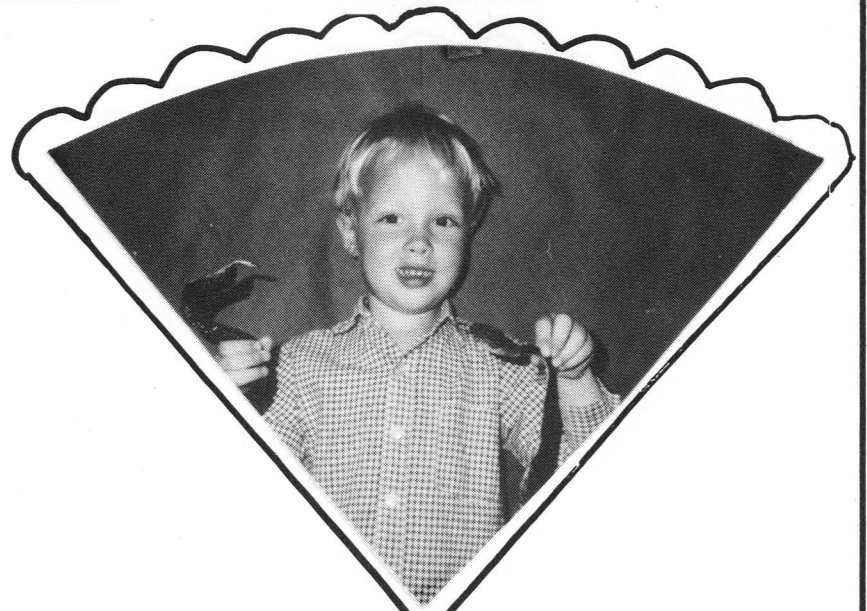


Snakes live under the rocks or in a hole.

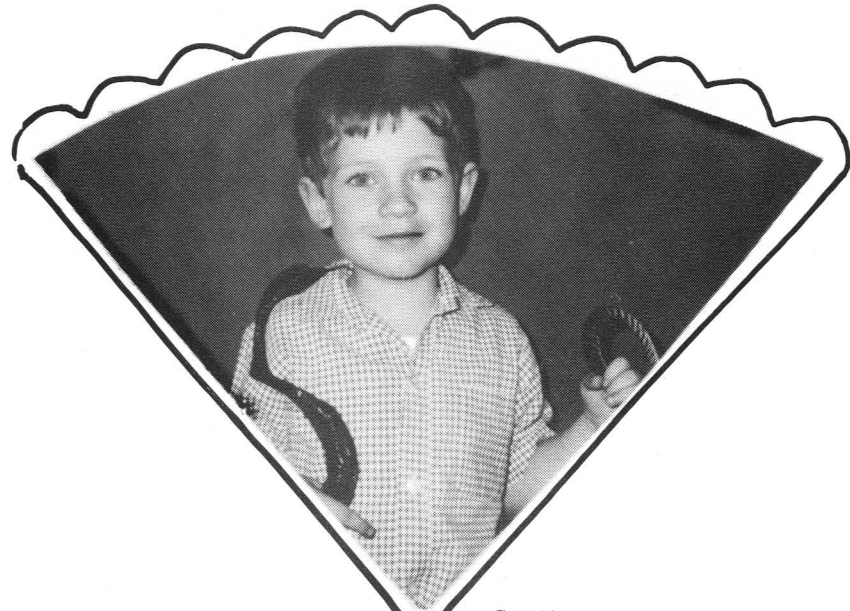
Fredrik



Snakes can bite. They are dangerous. Neha



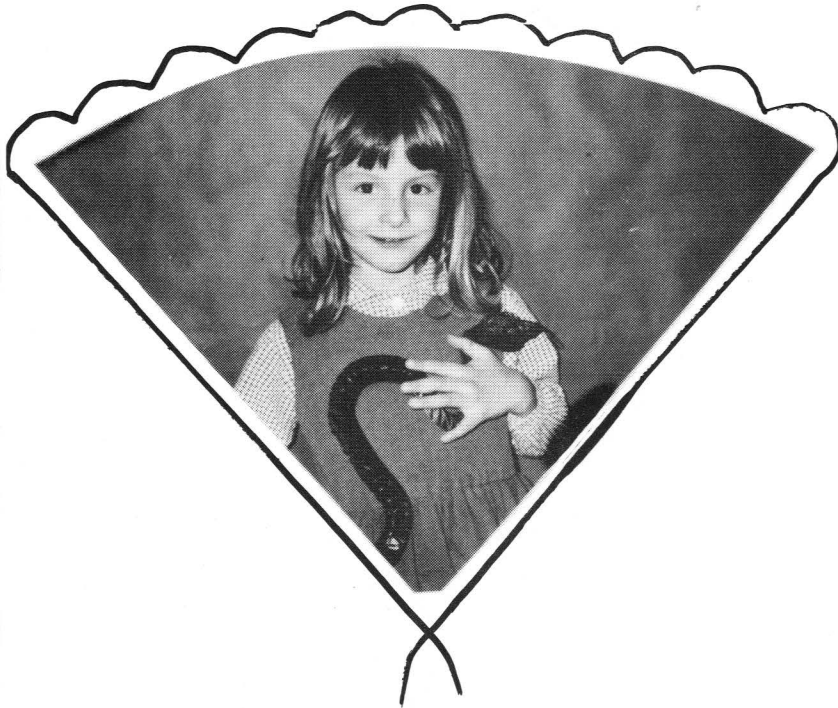
I am scared of snakes. Peter



Snakes move very fast. Scott



Snakes can be green, yellow or brown. Ashleigh

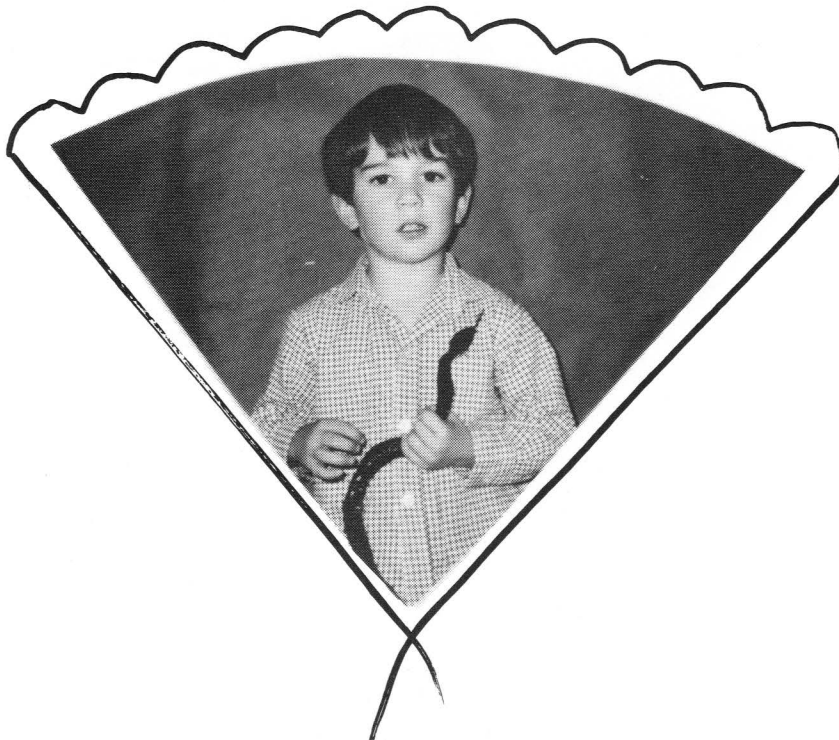


Snakes are good for catching bad people!

Sarah

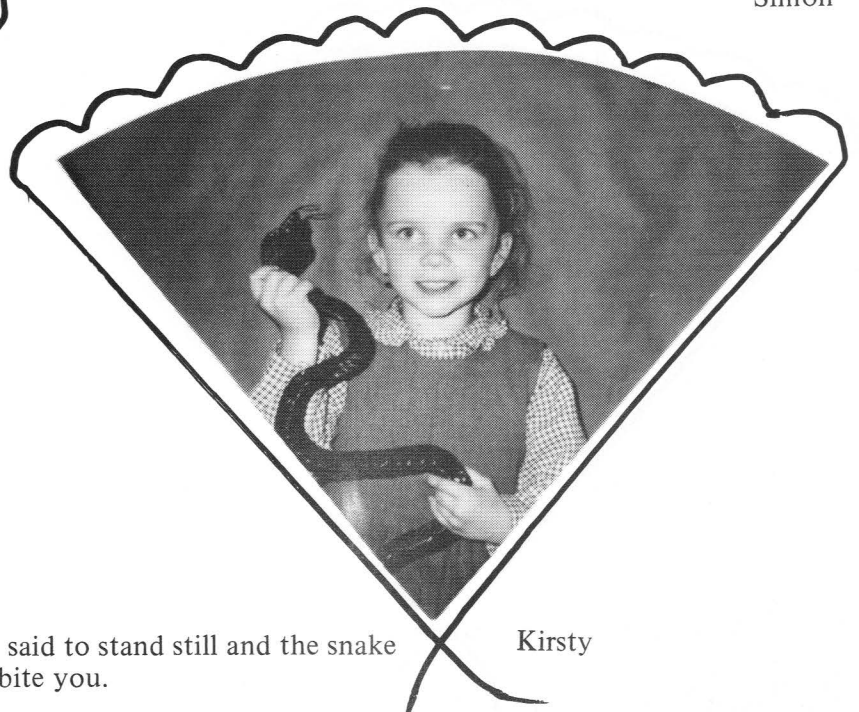


I have heard about a carpet snake.
Simon



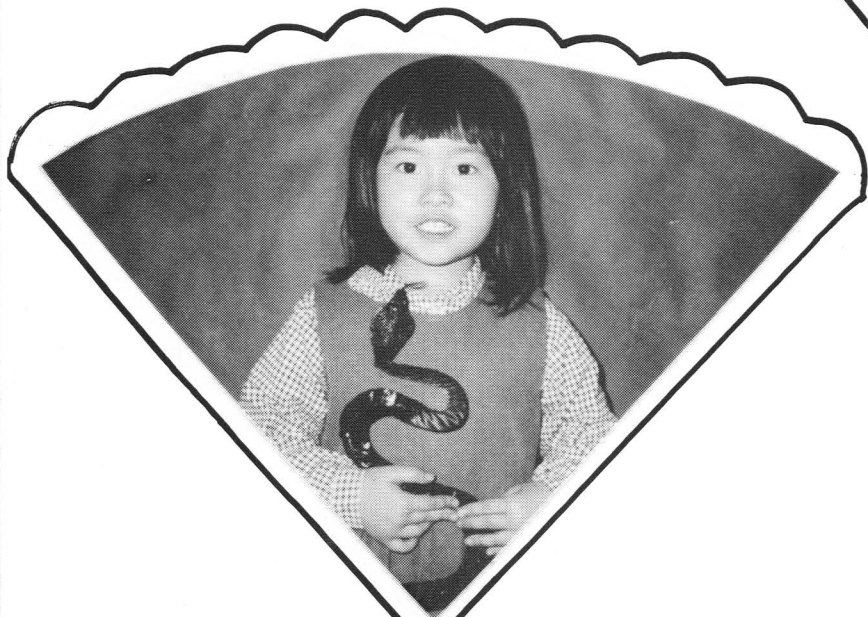
I felt some snake skin at school.

Oliver

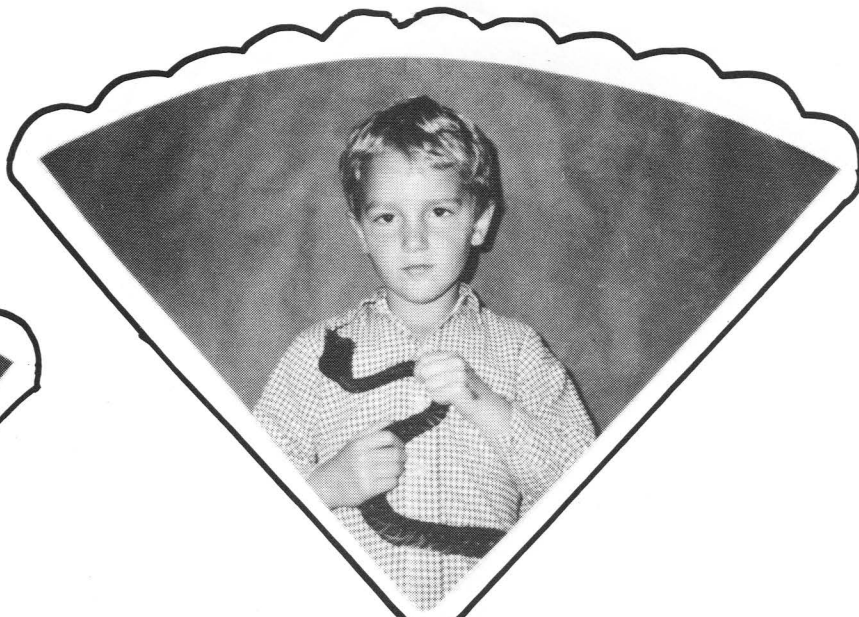


Daddy said to stand still and the snake won't bite you.

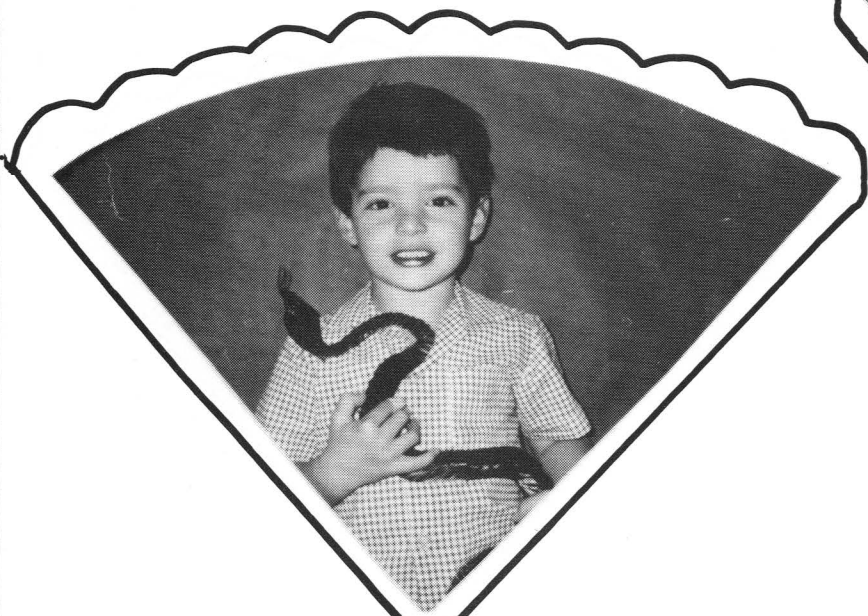
Kirsty



Snake skins have patterns and colours.
Verna



Snakes slide, they don't have any legs.
Jodie



Some snakes are big, some are little. Simon John

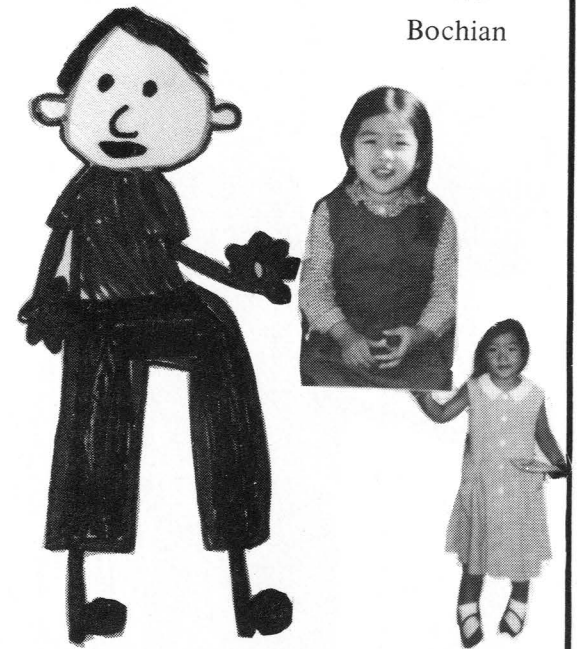


Sometimes snakes live in the bush or
hang from a tree.
Adrienne



My daddy goes to the office. He writes — he always likes to write letters to his friends and for business.

Bochian



My Daddy



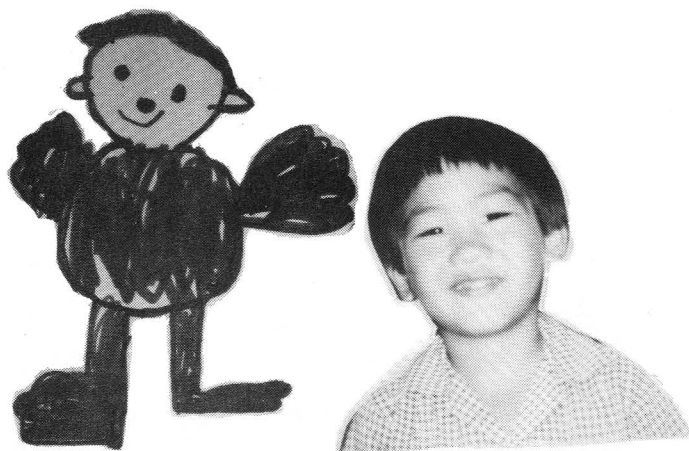
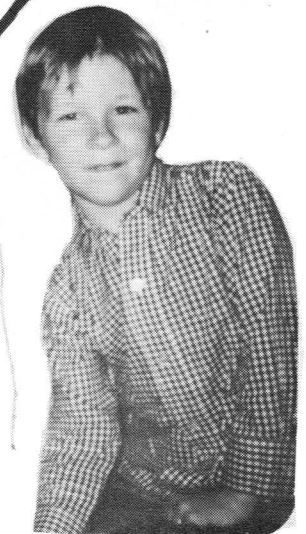
Daddy reads books for me. Sometimes he helps me with my Lego.

Trevor



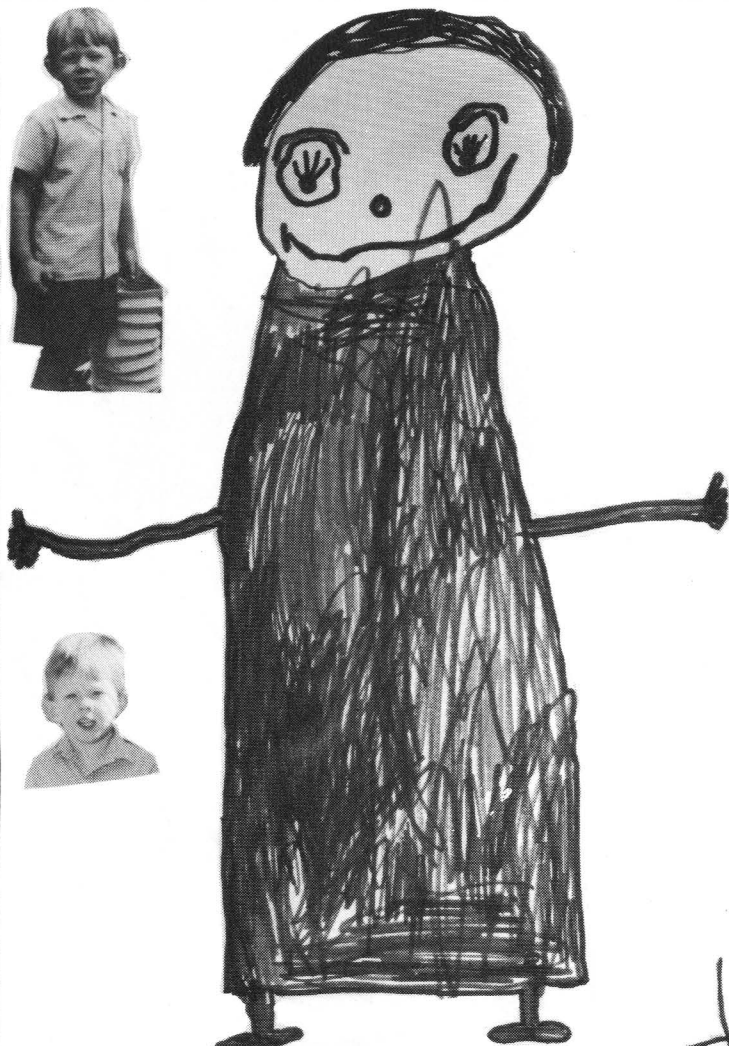
My daddy works with a computer. He thinks about his work, then puts it on the computer. Sometimes I go to the office to help him.

Timothy



My daddy is tall, not thin. He has black hair and black eyes. He goes to an office to work.

Kevin



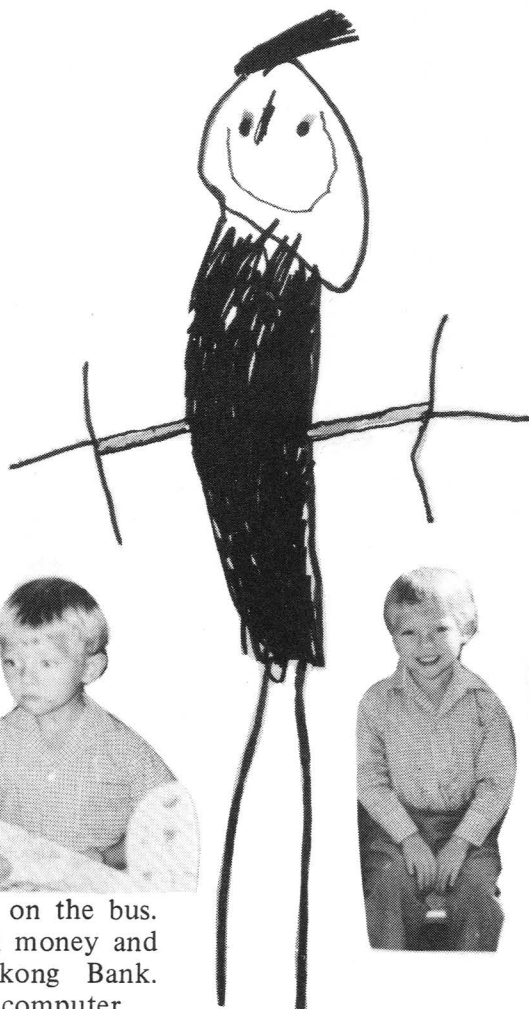
When I go to my daddy's office I watch him using the typewriter. He has a new office now and he is on the top floor.

Jonathan



My daddy goes to work on the bus. He does something with money and puts it in the Hongkong Bank. Sometimes I go to see his computer.

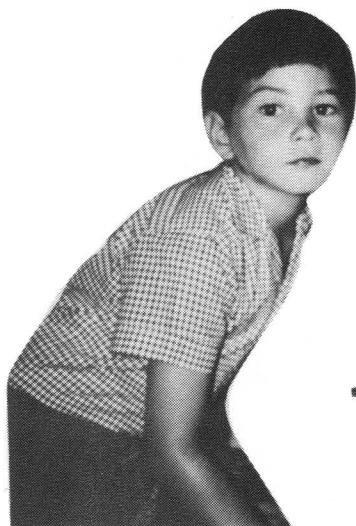
Mark



My daddy has black hair and black clothes for the office. He likes to go to the gym and he likes to go running. Sometimes he has a rest and looks at the newspaper.

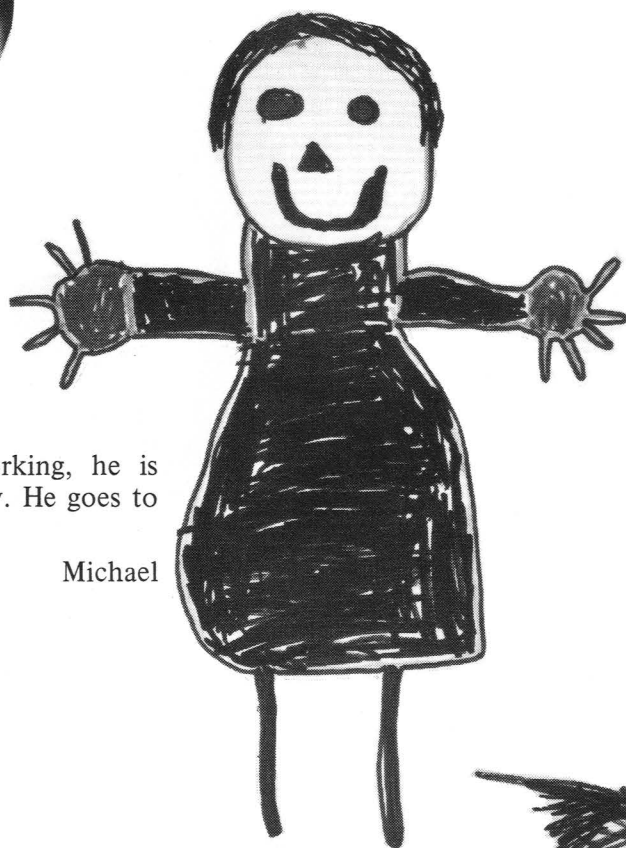
Felicity





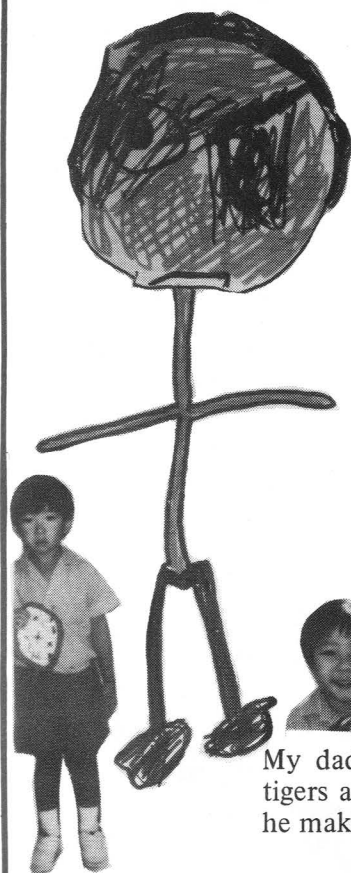
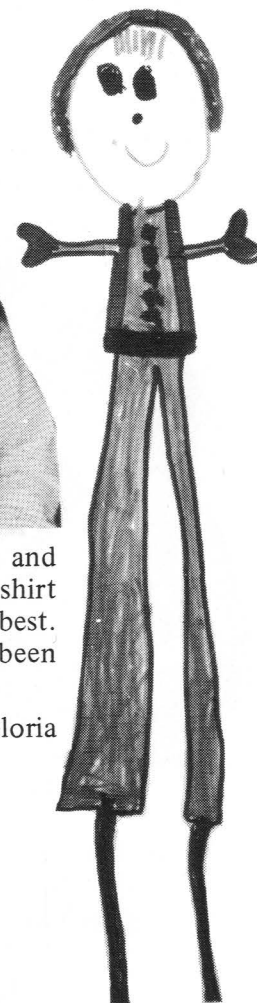
When my daddy is working, he is flying and earning money. He goes to Vancouver and Australia.

Michael



Daddy has light brown eyes and brown hair. He wears pants and a shirt and a belt. I like his white shirt best. He works in an office and I have been to watch daddy at his office.

Gloria



My daddy makes the shapes of lions, tigers and skeletons with scissors, then he makes pictures of them for me.

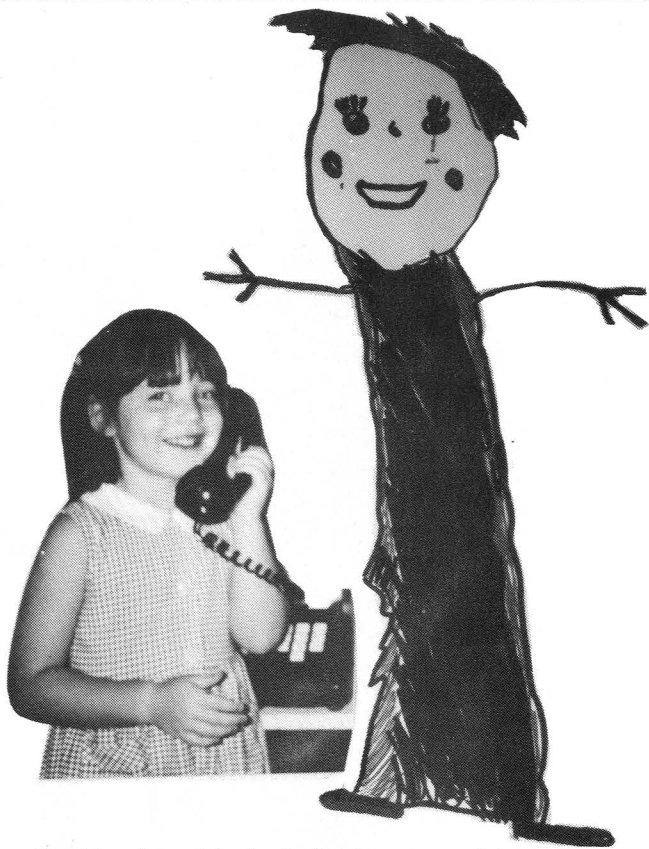
Noel



My daddy works in an office. Sometimes he takes important calls on the telephone. When I go to the office I do pictures, then I put them in the machine and get two pictures.

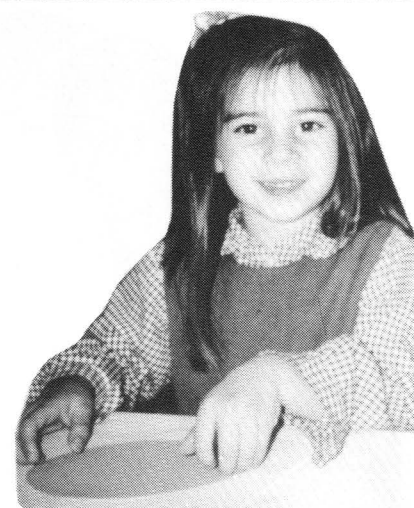
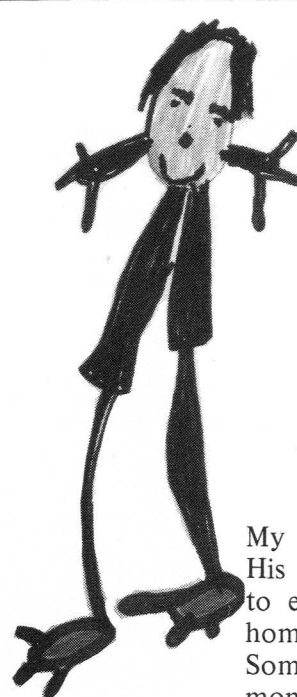
Edward





Daddy has black hair, brown skin and dark blue eyes. He goes to the office. I like to play puzzles with him.

Charlotte Davies



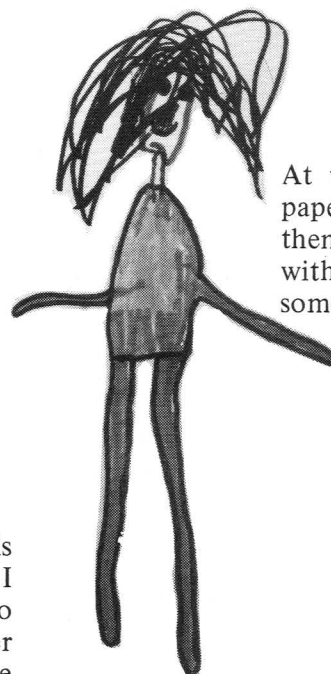
My daddy goes to work most days. His friends come over and they talk to each other and he also works at home and talks to my mommy. Sometimes I go to his office and my mommy asks him something and then we leave.

Amy



When my daddy goes to work he tells us if we have to pick him up. When I go to his office there are two telephones and you press a number and you can talk to each other in the same room.

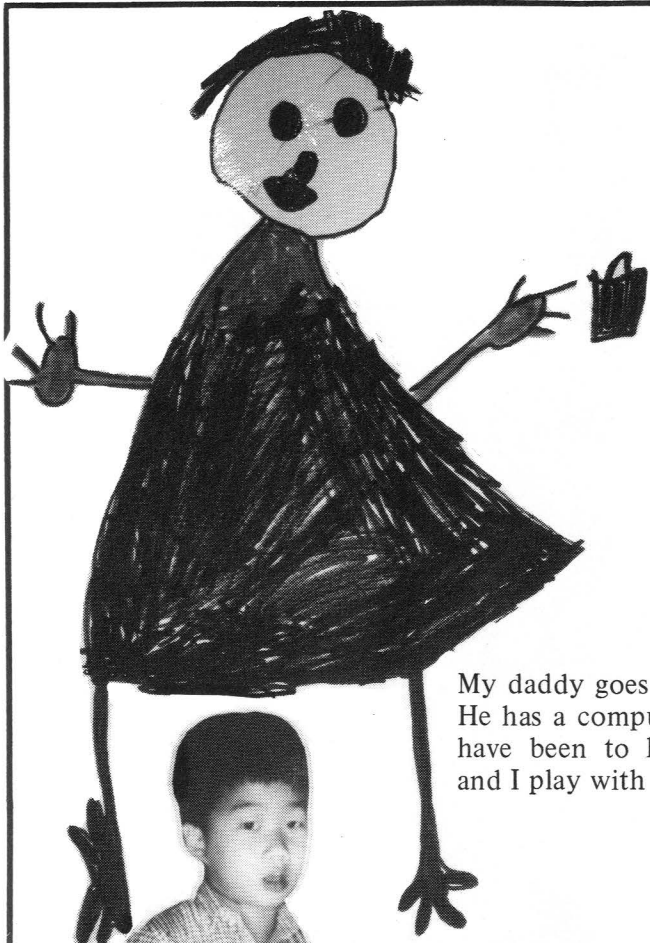
Alix



At work my daddy typewrites some papers, then he has to go to meetings, then he comes home. I like to go out with him when he is going to buy something.

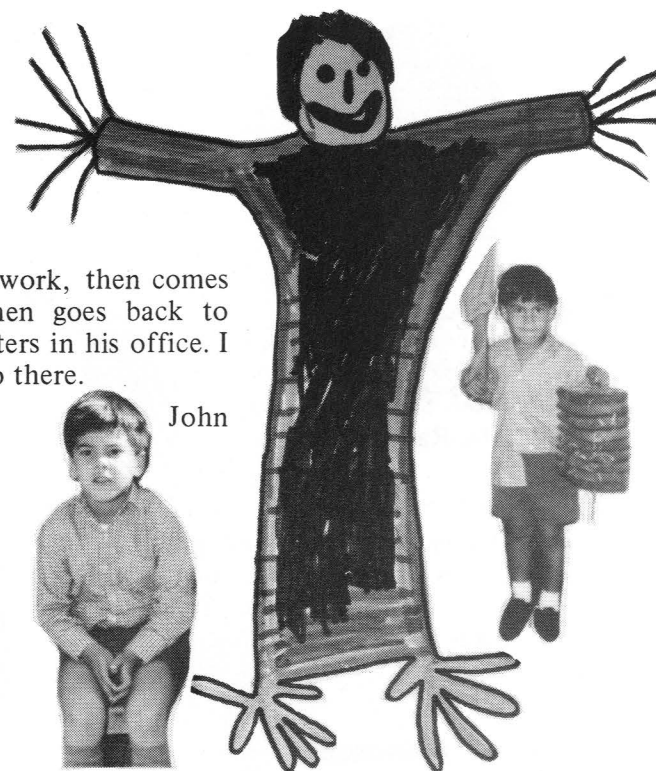
James Gillies





My daddy goes to the office to work. He has a computer and a telephone. I have been to his office many times and I play with his computer.

Kihoon



My daddy goes to work, then comes back for lunch, then goes back to work. He writes letters in his office. I can play Lego if I go there.

John



My daddy goes to work in the New Territories. He does business drawing, then he makes copies of them. When I go to the office I draw pictures for him.

James Beesley

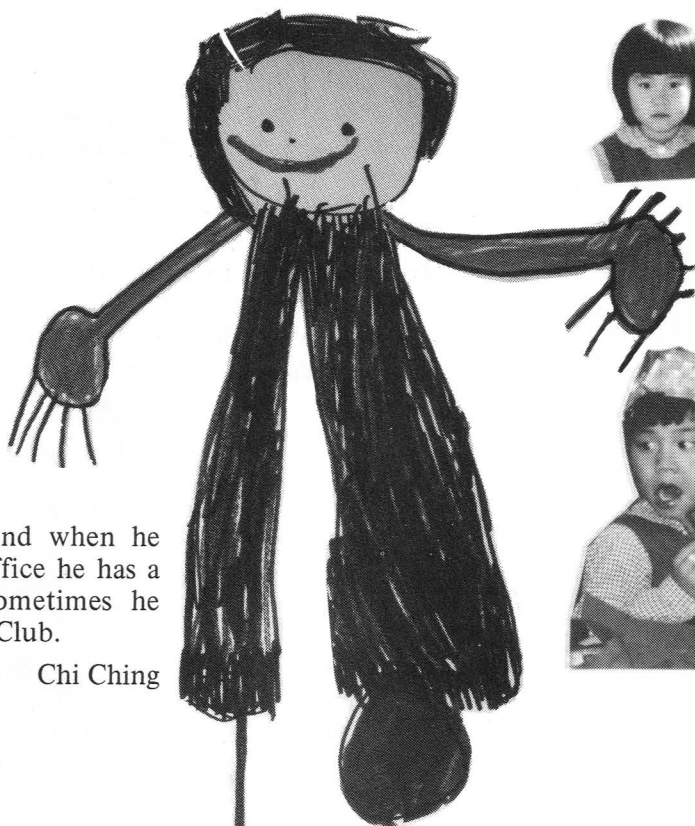


My daddy goes to Dairy Farm to work but there isn't a farm there, just two offices. He always stays at home on Saturdays and he has a lovely time playing Lego with me.

Charlotte Piper



Mrs Ramsey

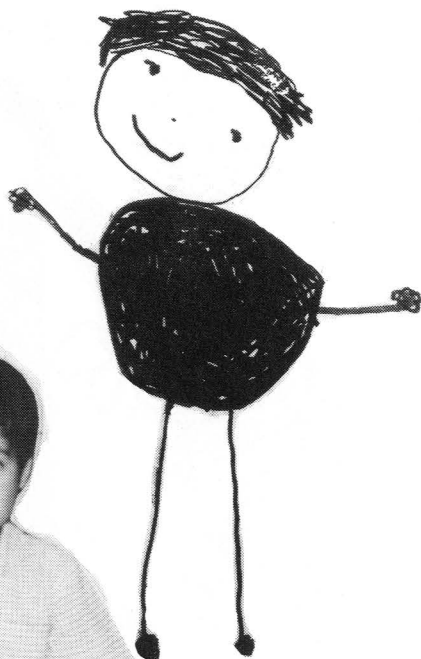


Daddy works all day and when he comes home from the office he has a sleep, then he eats. Sometimes he takes me to the Football Club.

Chi Ching



Mrs S. Lomas



I like to write with my daddy. He plays with me.

Richard



My daddy is a doctor daddy. He always has a patient in the morning in his clinic. In the afternoons he has patients and sometimes he has to go to a meeting at night.

Eugene

Reception Class 3 - Mrs R. Phillipson



- Back row : Mrs Phillipson, Ingegard von Hehn, Thomas Lee-Smith, Laura Traver, Erik Janelm, Mrs Thomson
- Middle row : Charlotte Schaub, Saskia Stoop, Lucy Smith, Thea Lassen, Jillian Banigan, Jennifer Ellis
- Sitting : Laura Taylor, Edward Thomson-Glover, Pamela Hunt, Charles Brooks, Hannah Deacon, Hubert Tse, Chloe Cook
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Edward Long-Price



My Mummy



My mummy likes going on business trips with my dad. She goes shopping and likes meat and carrots.

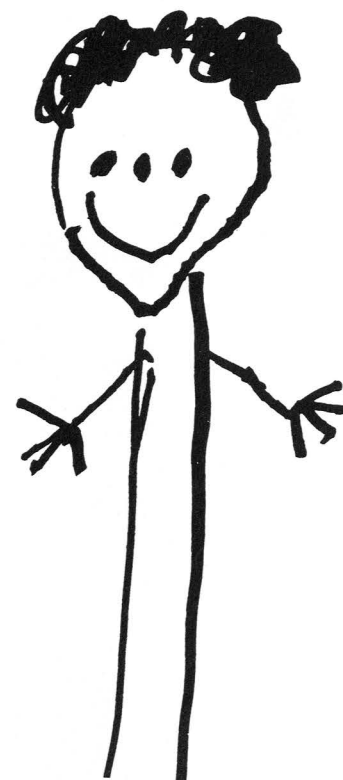
Charles Brooks

My mummy likes going swimming every day. She cooks roast beef. She likes sitting in the sun with my daddy.

Jennifer Ellis

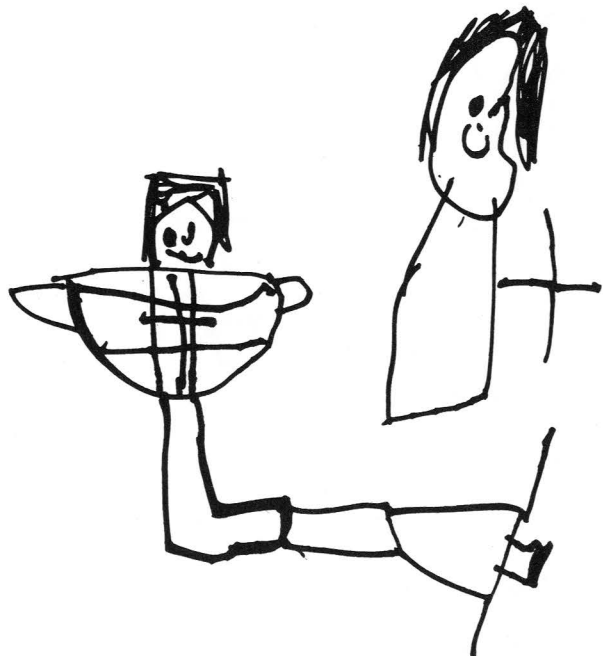
My mummy waits at the bus stop with me. She loves me and looks after me because my maid has gone to the Philippines.

Charlotte Schaub



My mummy likes buying food and cooking it. She has curly hair and blue eyes. She reads books.

Mark Jackson



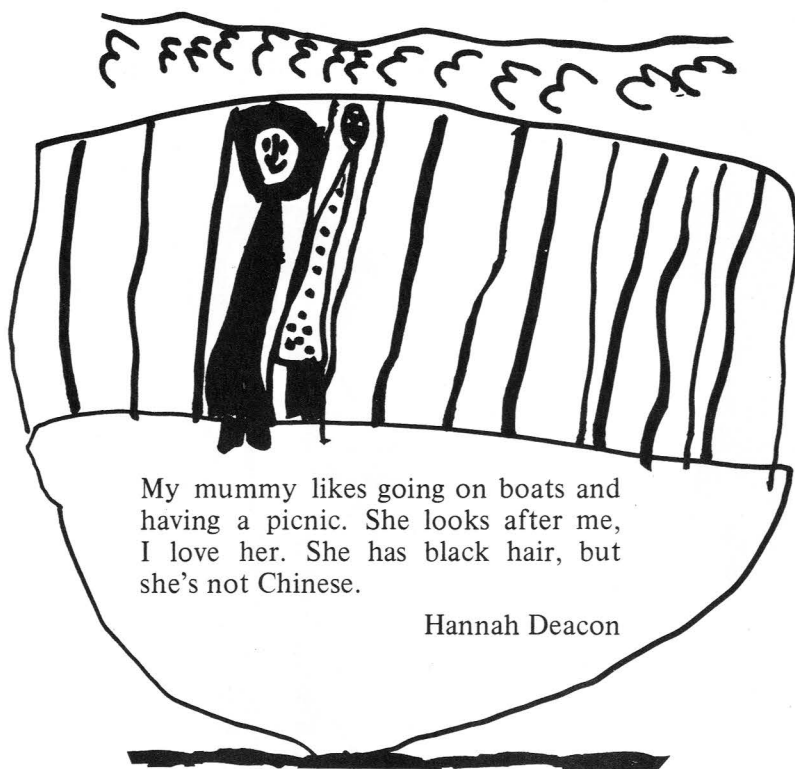
My mummy likes playing with me and working. She makes cookies for me.

Jillian Bannigan



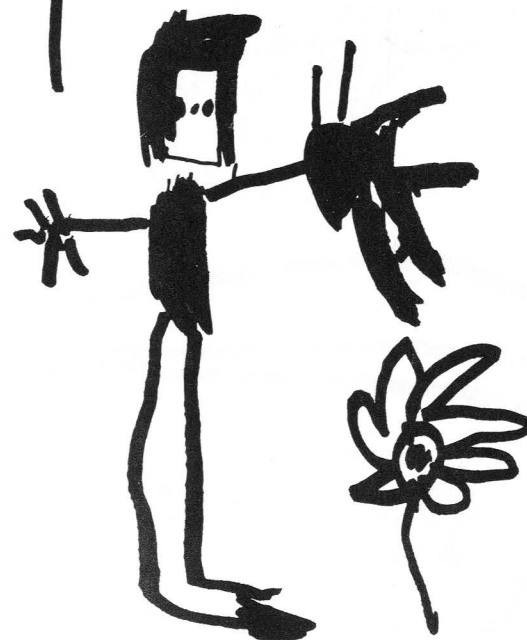
My mummy picks flowers and puts them in a glass of water. She does typewriting and cooks noodles and cleans the table. She works in the school bookshop and looks after me.

Edward Thomson-Glover



My mummy likes going on boats and having a picnic. She looks after me, I love her. She has black hair, but she's not Chinese.

Hannah Deacon



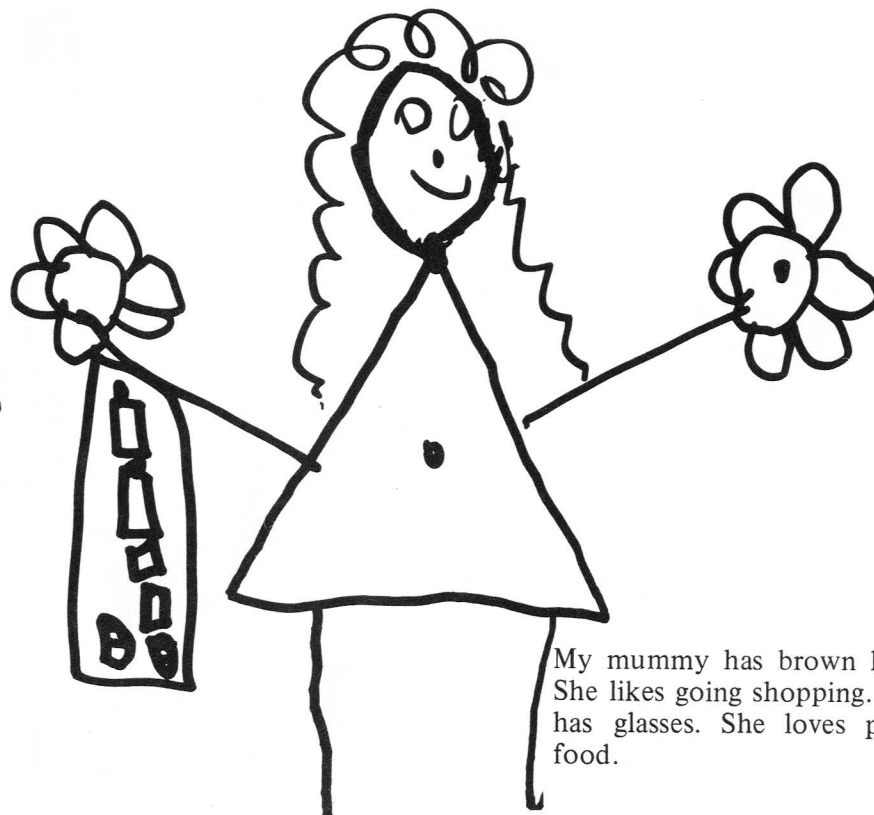
My mummy likes shopping and cooking my tea. She takes me to ballet and Philip to Judo. She writes on paper.

Laura Taylor



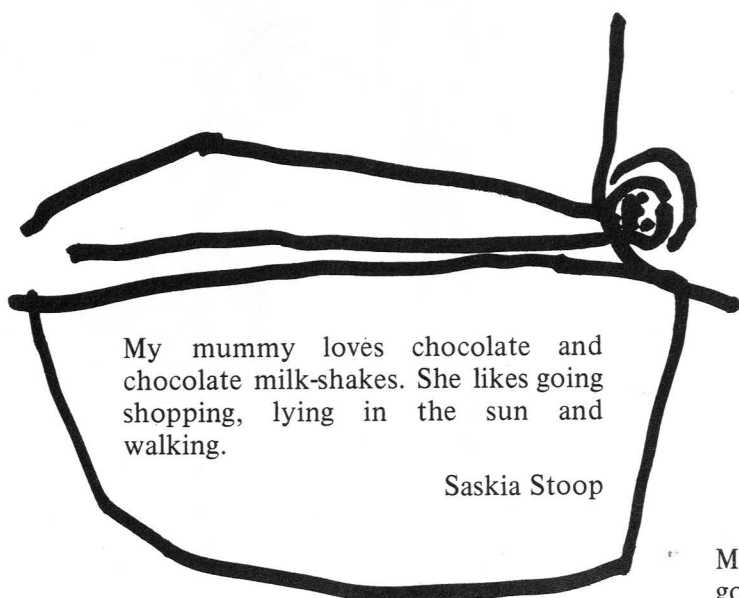
My mummy likes staying in bed and sleeping. She takes me shopping and buys me shoes. She plays tennis but it's too cold to swim.

Ingegard von Hehn



My mummy has brown hair like me. She likes going shopping. My mummy has glasses. She loves perfume and food.

Laura Traver



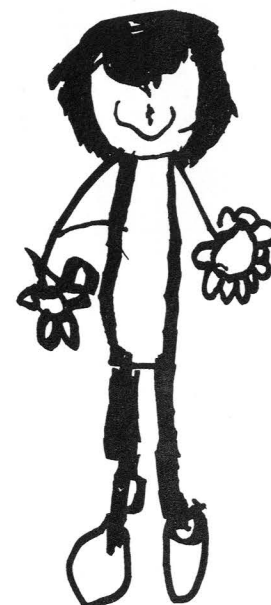
My mummy loves chocolate and chocolate milk-shakes. She likes going shopping, lying in the sun and walking.

Saskia Stoop



My mummy has glasses and black hair, and her eyes are black also. Her favourite food is chicken and she likes work. Sometimes she goes to the Philippines.

Hubert Tse

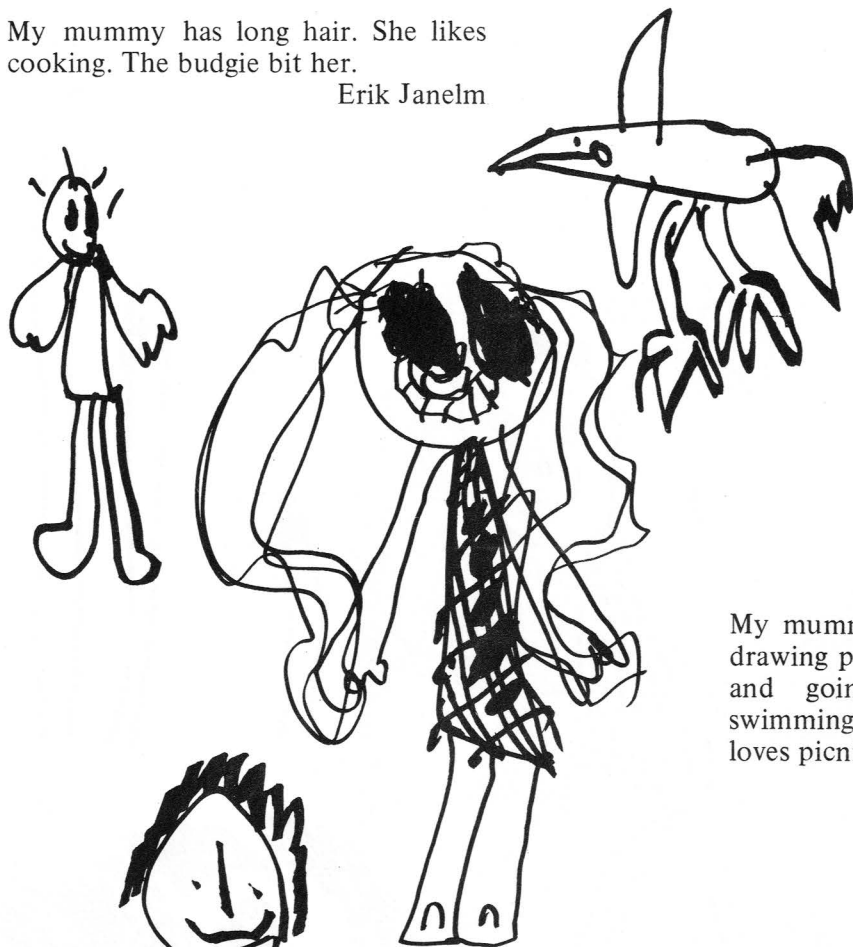


My mummy has red hair. She likes going to China and to work. She likes lasagne and so do I. She took me to a play.

Pamela Hunt

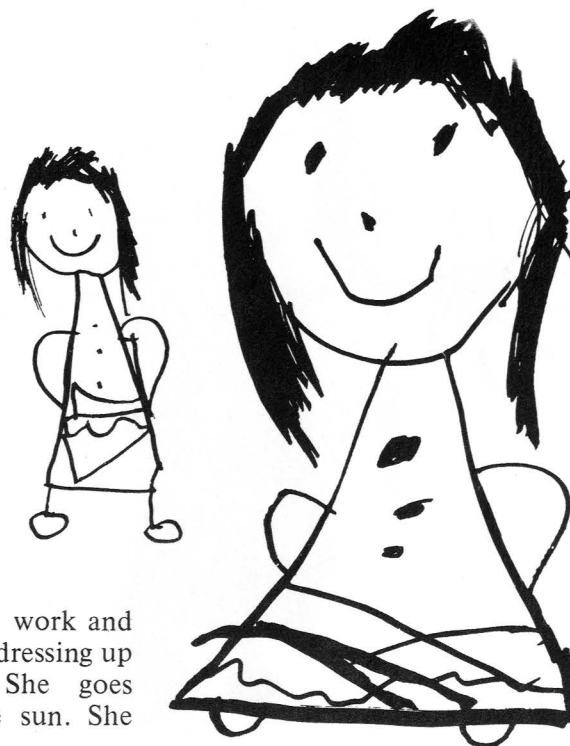
My mummy has long hair. She likes cooking. The budgie bit her.

Erik Janelm



My mummy likes going to work and drawing pictures. She likes dressing up and going to parties. She goes swimming and sits in the sun. She loves picnics.

Chloe Cook



My mummy likes picking flowers and having a lie in. She doesn't like swimming. She has black hair and blue eyes.

Edward Long-Price



I love my mummy but not when she's angry. She looks after me and she likes lying in the sun. She has blonde hair.

Benjamin Clerc-Renaud



My mummy likes to work and watch TV. She also likes chips and pretty clothes. She looks after me and my brothers. She's in India looking for a house.

Richard Walker



My mummy likes lying down in the sun on the beach and swimming. She has brown hair, you know. My mummy wears glasses to the office but not to the beach.

Lucy Smith



My mummy likes buying clothes. She meets me at the bus stop and picks flowers.

Thomas Lee-Smith

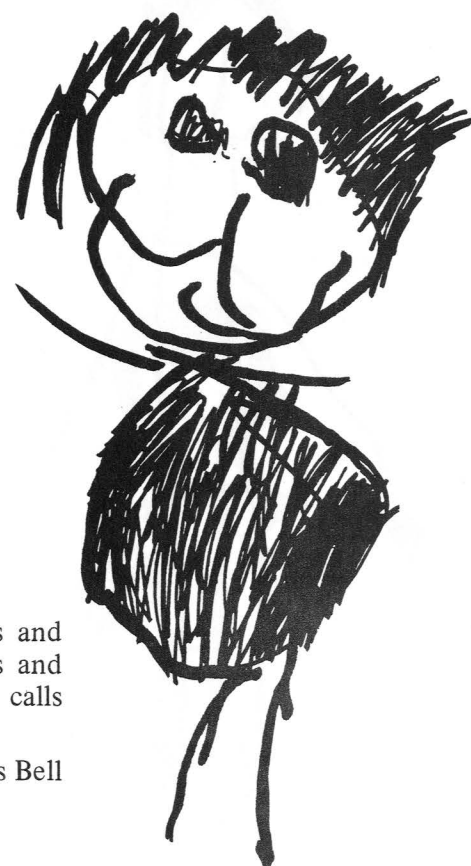


My mummy likes swimming and reading stories to me. She cooks fish fingers and cleans the floor.

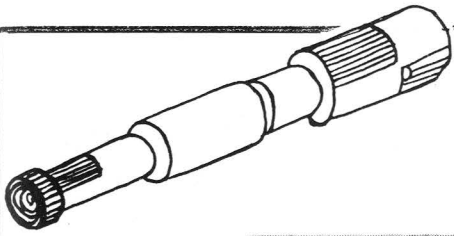
Thea Lassen

My mummy likes writing letters and reading books. She likes carrots and baked beans. She makes phone calls when we're in bed.

James Bell

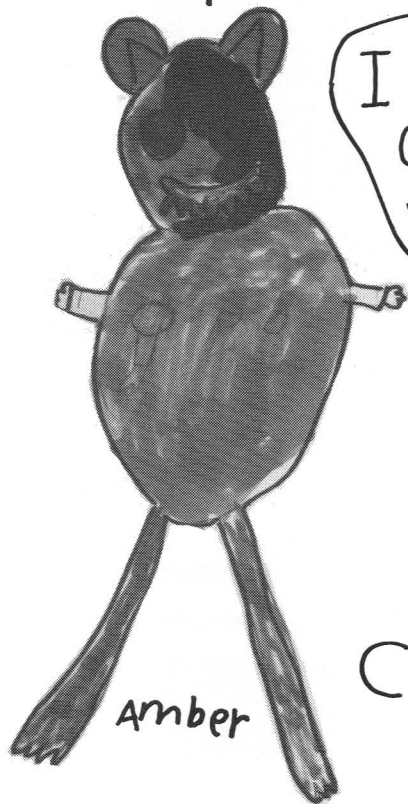


Primary Class 4 - Mrs J. Tyrrell



- Back row : Mrs Tyrrell, Gabriel Thong, Morwenna Eggleton, Jonathan Berglund, Deborah Laurent, Alexander Humm
- Middle row : Catherine Knight, Cordelia Johnson-Gilbert, Heidi Divis, Alessandra Iaconetti, Alexandra Lynch, Amber Aldred
- Sitting : Matthew Kruse, Hayley Astridge, Justin Bodinner, Nicole Ho, Thomas Price, Eun-Jeong Jun, Douglas Bland
- Front row : Christopher Muir, Jonathan Woods, Nicholas English, Matthew Martin-Robinson

I get really wild
when I try to
put my tights
on after P.E.

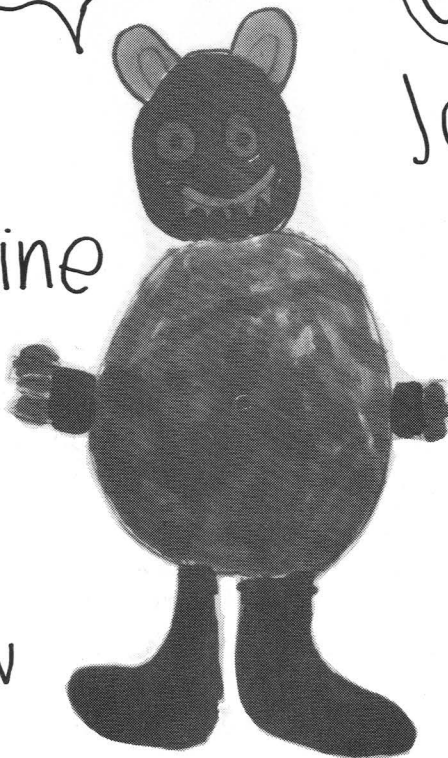


Amber

There are
"wild things"
in class 4

I go wild if someone
stops me when I
am reading a
good book.

Catherine



I never ever
ever get wild.

Jonathan B.

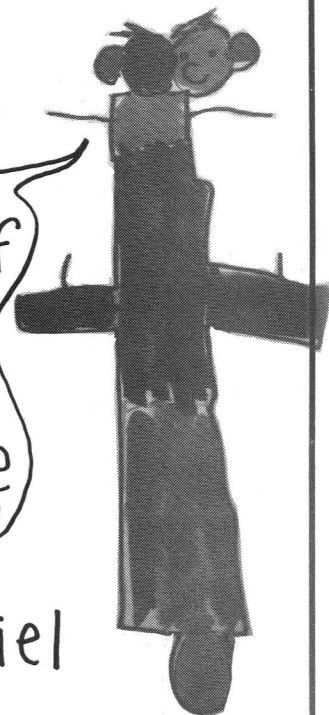


Matthew
M.R.

When I get wild I am
like a dragon.

I get Wild if
Someone
punches
me in the
tummy.

Gabriel





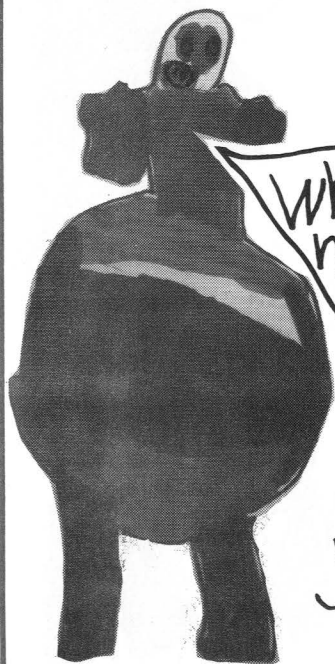
Douglas

When I get wild
my face goes red
and I roar!



Alexander

I get wild
if someone
touches
me.



Justin

When Gemma borrows
my toys I get wild
if she doesn't
give them
back.



Deborah

When I go into the
kitchen my dog jumps
up at me and makes
me wild.

Alex

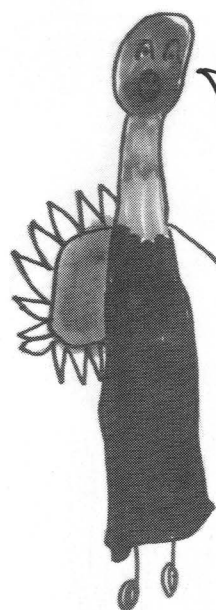


When the pony
stepped on my
foot I got
really mad.



Heidi

I don't think that
I have ever got
wild I am always
happy.



Tom

When people distract me when I am working I get Wild.

when somebody hates me, I get Wild.



Jonathan W

I dont like People Not playing with me so I screem.

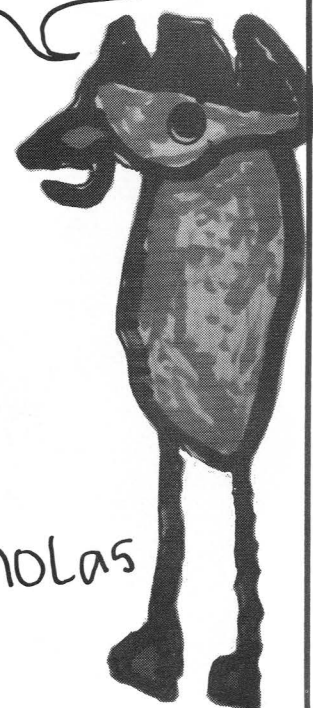
I get wild when I am playing with the clicky toys and someone breaks it.



Morwenna

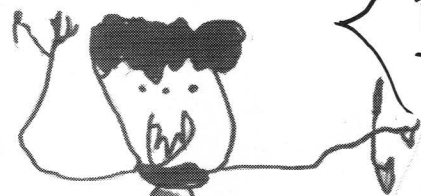
I get wild when people break my toys.

matthew K



Nicholas

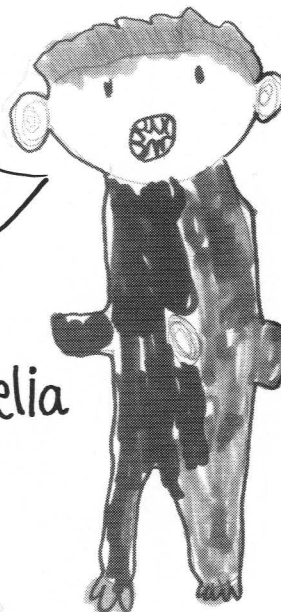
Chris



I get wild when I am shut in a dark room.

When my friends make my bedroom untidy I get very wild.

I get really wild if someone tries to take the book I am reading.



Cordelia



Nicole

Sang-Ho makes me wild when he hits me so I pinch him back.

I get mad if someone pushes me over.

Hayley

Sometimes my sister takes my toys and I get cross.

Eun Jeong

Alessandra



Primary Class 5 - Mrs L. Hattingh



Back row

: Mrs Hattingh, Nadine Korteweg, Adam Crothers, Marisol Cuervo, Owen McCarthy, Nichola Robertson, Sian Dixon, Mrs Harrison

Middle row

: Georgina Long-Price, Jenny Fulton, Lorraine Lapus, Kashena Sampson, Nina Janelm, Frances Ho, Ji-Seo Kim

Front row

: Sian Williams, Jonathan See, Rebecca Royce, Nicholas Hvitved, Fern Barrington, Thomas Heywood-Waddington, Julia McFadzien, James Scott



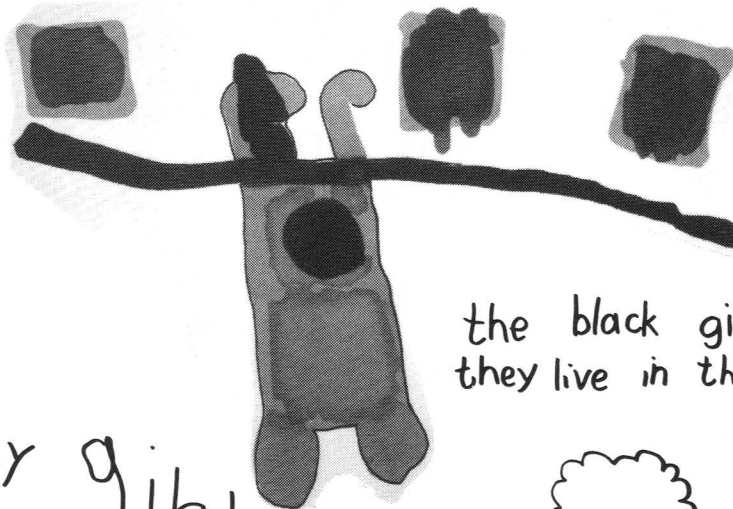
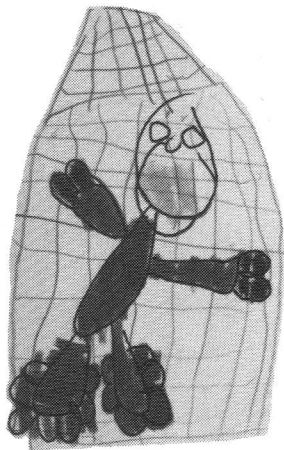
Philip Wright



apes and monkeys

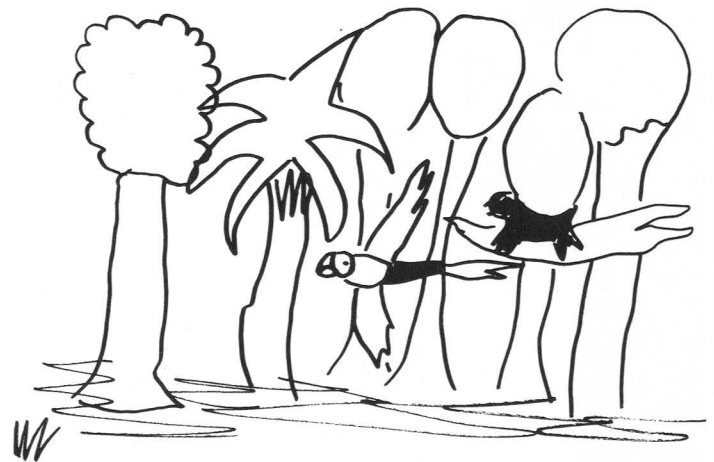
I saw a mummy orangutan
and her baby. Marisol

I went to the zoo to
see the apes and
monkeys. Adam



the black gibbon are in Borneo.
they live in the jungle. Nina

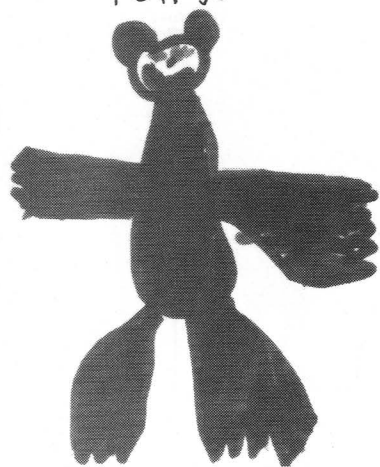
I made my gibbon
out of newspaper
and boxes and I
folded the hands
so it could
hang. Julia



we have been reading
the story about pongo
the gorilla he looks
after his baby sister
whoopsie.

baby gorillas like to climb trees
gorilla daddys don't climb
trees because it breaks the
branches. Frances 何美华

Pongo

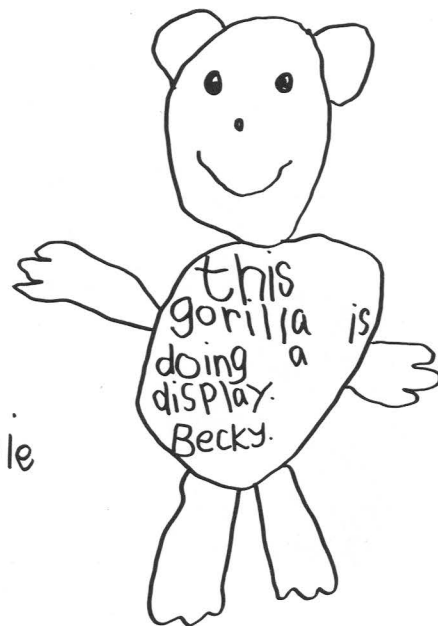


Kasheha

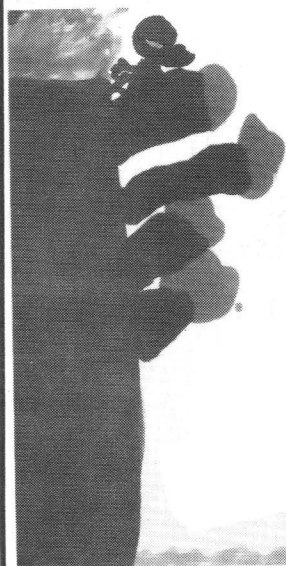
Whoopsie



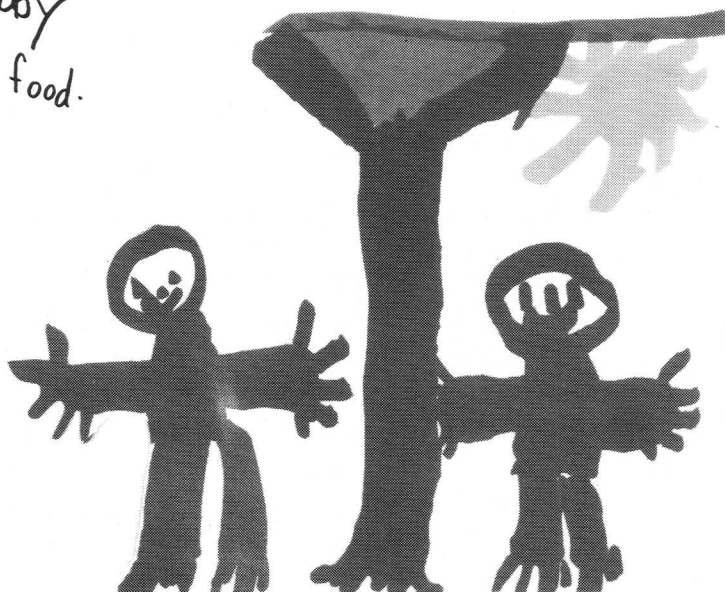
Pongo is too heavy to
make a nest high up
in the trees but Whoopsie
can because she is
little. Nichola



a daddy gorilla is calling the baby
gorilla the daddy is finding some food.
Lorraine



Gorillas come from
Africa and they like
to lie in the sun.
Fern



I dm going to
Africa after
new year to see
monkeys. James



I liket o'be a baby gorilla ^{Sian} W.

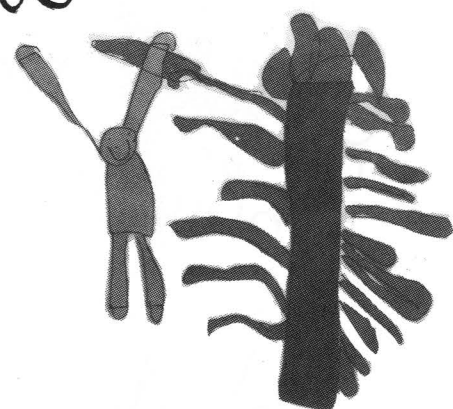
gorillas eat the inside of
banana branches.
Owen.



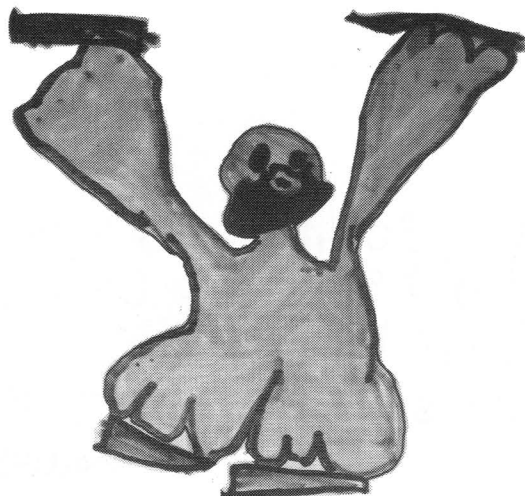
gorillas are furry and they move slowly
and they are gentle.

the old gorillas have silver
backs.
Georgina

gorillas are very
very gentle they
do a display when
they are angry.
Nadine



gibbons have
very long
arms ther swing
from tree to tree.
Philip



this gorilla is throwing
vegetation up in to
the air. Jenny

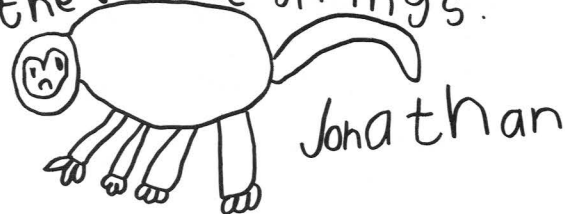


I am the old man
of the woods
I am an orangutan.
Nicholas.

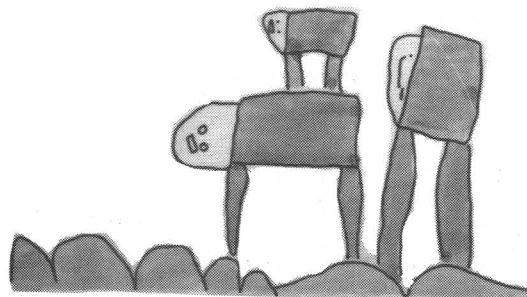


gibbons
arms are
long. Ji-seo

Japanese macaques like
to go in the warm water
of the volcanic springs.



can gorillas do knuckle walk
ing? yes because
they have special
pads on their knuckles. siam D.



Primary Class 6 - Ms D. Hebron



- Back row : Ms Hebron, Katrina Day, Sam Lister, Richard Keynes, Wood Hudson, Ayesha Copsey, Mrs Aduso
- Middle row : Lauren Radonich, Peter Brooks, James McDonald, Robert Clatworthy, James McGuigan, Philip Taylor, Nicholas Newton
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Stephanie Jacometti

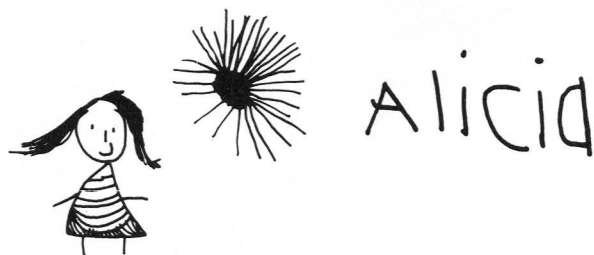


Dulcie Cramp



Nicholas Knott

I feel happy when I go to the Philippines.



Alicia

I feel happy when it
is my birthday.
Katy



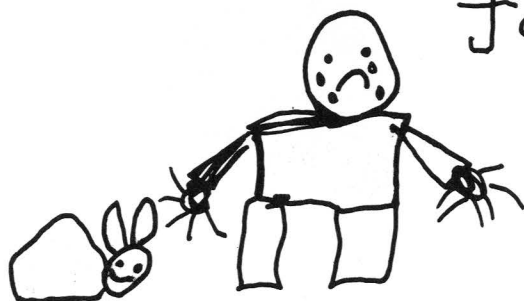
I felt so happy when
I got my skateboard



Alexander

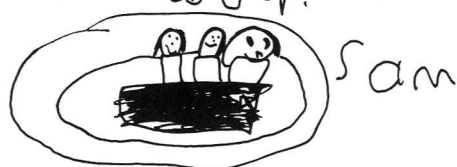
I felt sad when
my pet rabbit died.

James

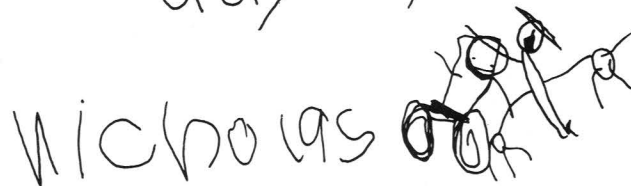


how do we
feel?

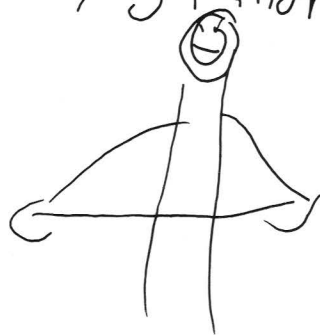
I felt happy when I went
on the sea Scooter.



I like sunny
days.



I am happy when I can go to
my grandma's house.



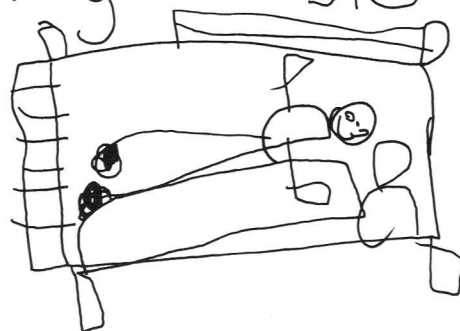
Richard

my bird died and I felt sad.



Lauren

I am scared when
I go to sleep.



Wood



Some jokes make me feel happy.

Katrina

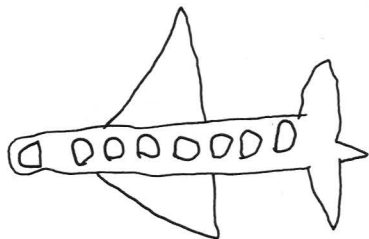
I feel happy when I go
fishing.



Daniel

I feel happy when
I go on a vacation.

Peter



I love my mummy and
daddy and myself.



James McD

I feel happy riding my
bike.

NICHOLAS



I feel happy when I go to
birthdax Panties.

Dulcie

I get scared when I
have night mares.

Philip



I feel sad because my great
grandpa died.

Sarah



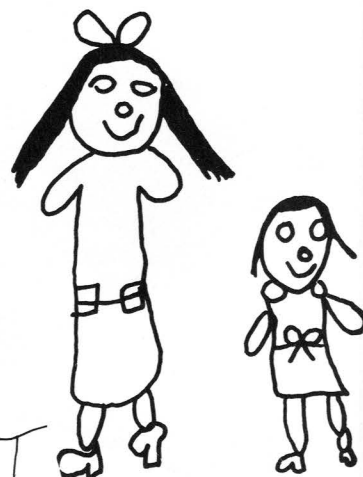
I feel happy when we go to Ocean park.

Robert



I feel happy when my Sister kisses me.

Anna



I feel happy when I ride my skateboard.

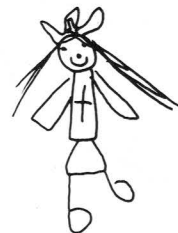
Edward



I feel happy when I

play horses

Stephanie.

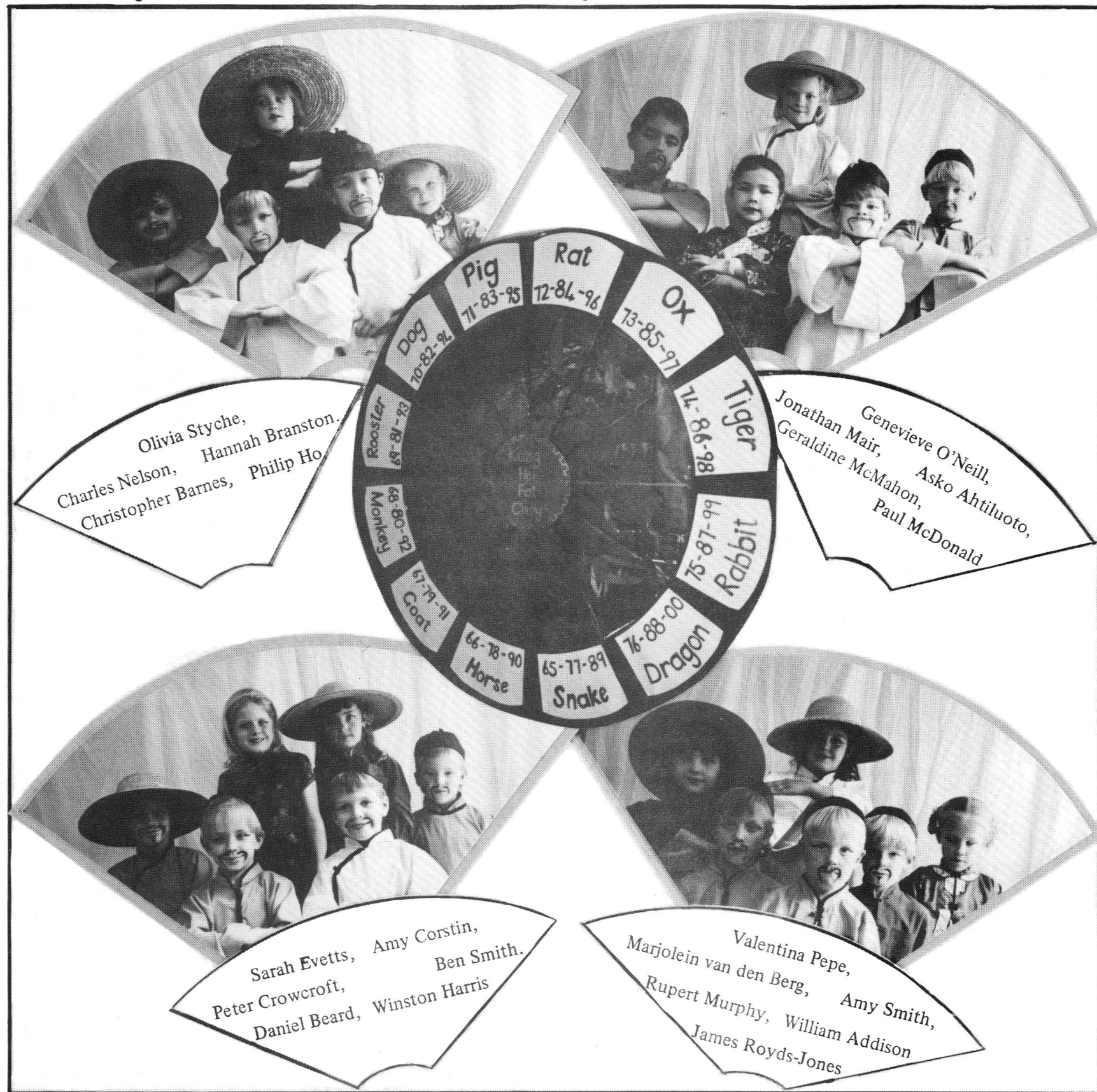


Tomorrow is my birthday but I am going to Katys birthday so I am going to have my party on Sunday. my friends are going to come and some are not going to come. my friends are going to give me presents and that makes me Happy.

Ayesha

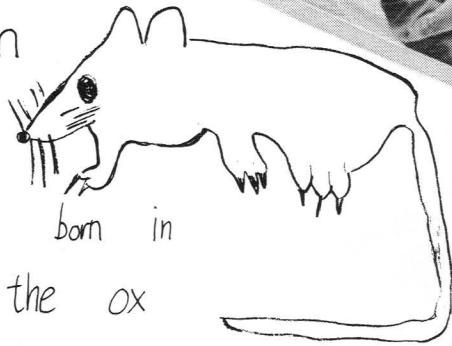


Primary Class 7 - Mrs M. Viney



people who were
born in the year
of the Rat are
supposed to
have great
charm.

Jonathan

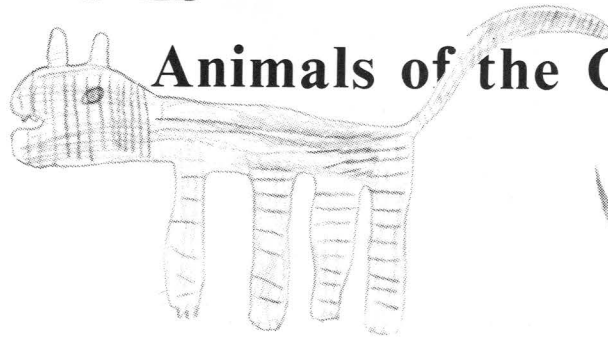


my mummy was born in
the year of the ox
my sister was born in
the year of the Rat

Genevieve

my dad was born
in the year of
the tiger. Tigers
can roar and they
have sharp claws
and have a warm
coat

Asko

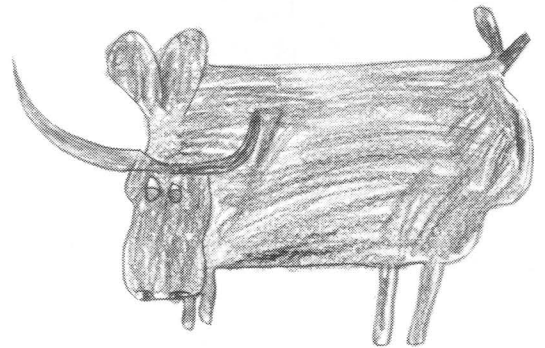


Animals of the Chinese Calendar

The Rat

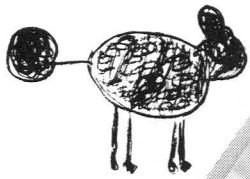
the people who
were born in the
year of the rat
are supposed to be
quick tempered

Geraldine

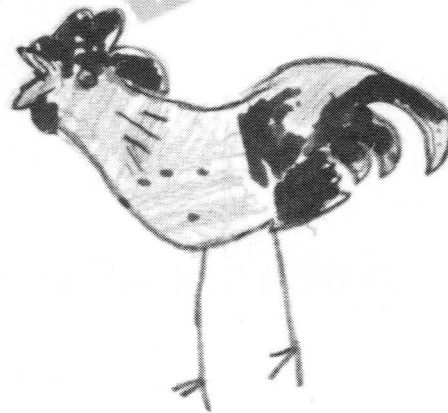


The tiger
the people who
are born in the year of
the tiger are supposed to
be brave.

Paul



Poor Mrs Hattingh
has to get buckets
of mud for her class
because they are Pigs
sarah



all the people in my
class are dogs
and Mrs Viney
Would have to
train them hard.
Peter

my dad is born in the year of
the Rooster my dad is 43
years old.

Amy.C.

people that are born
in the year of the Rooster
are supposed to be clever
and they think they
are terrific
Winston

Dogs can woof and they can
eat bones. People who are
dogs are loyal and they
are fast at learning.

Ben

people born in the year
of the Rooster are
supposed to think they are
the best people working
hard and dream a lot.

Daniel.

this is what the
Primary fives are
they are Goats they
are my sisters
year.

James



All the people in the
sixes are horses poor
Mr Marshall he has
to catch them to do
their work
William.

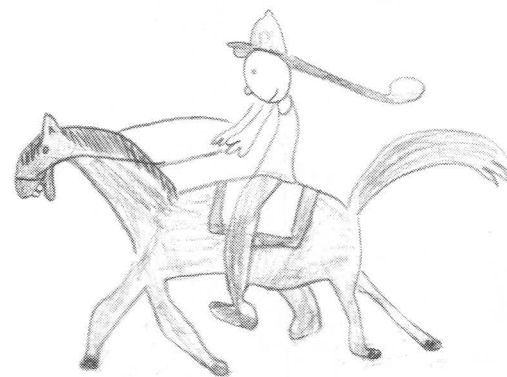


people who are born
in the year of the monkey
make lots of trouble.

Marjolein

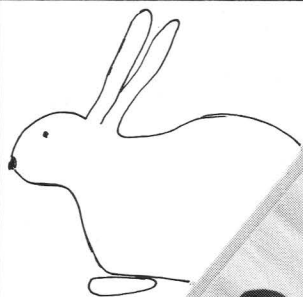
my sister is
Supposed to be
Proud but Good
at leading and
helping others
because She is
born in 1979
She is a Goat to be intelligent
Valentina

All the people born
in the year of the
Monkey are Mr Millers
class and they are supposed
to be intelligent
Rupert



Amy is in the six's. All
the six's are horses Mr
Marshall has to get some
hay for his children. They
are supposed to be strong
and get on well with
Strangers

Amy. s.

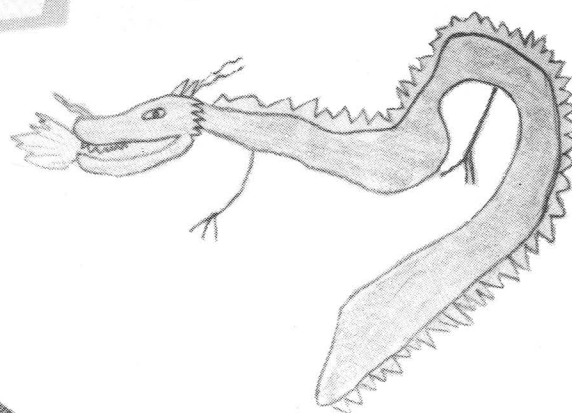
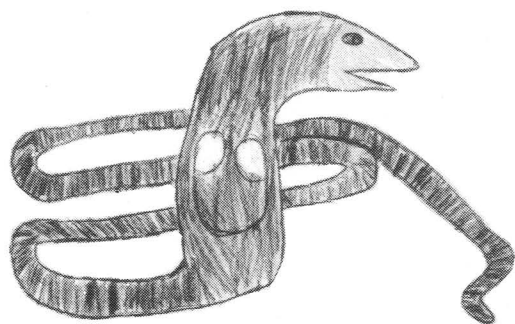


snake people are
supposed to be wise
and be able to move
around quickly
Christopher

Rabbit people should
be happy and content
sometimes moody too.

I can't find anybody in my family
that is a rabbit.

Philip



People that are born
in the year of the
Snake are supposed to
be clever and can move
fast and are good at many
things.

Hannah

if you meet a person
born in the year
of the Dragon she
likes to be left alone
my friend was
born in the year
of the Dragon.

Olivia

people who are
born in the year
of the rabbit
have long ears
and go hopping
round all the time.
Charles

Primary Class 8 - Mrs A.M. Nevin



Back row

: Mrs Nevin, Filip Gunnarsson, Hannah Lucas, Nicholas Stoop,
Marijke van der Linde, Michael McFadden

Middle row

: Lauren Crothers, Alexander Berglund, Suzie Ryan, Alexandros
Papatheodoulou, Emma Skeldon, Paul Oxtan

Front row

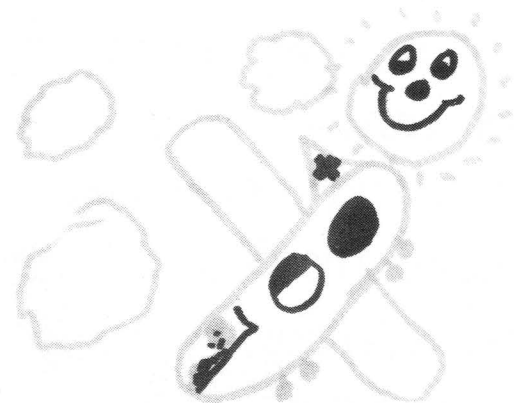
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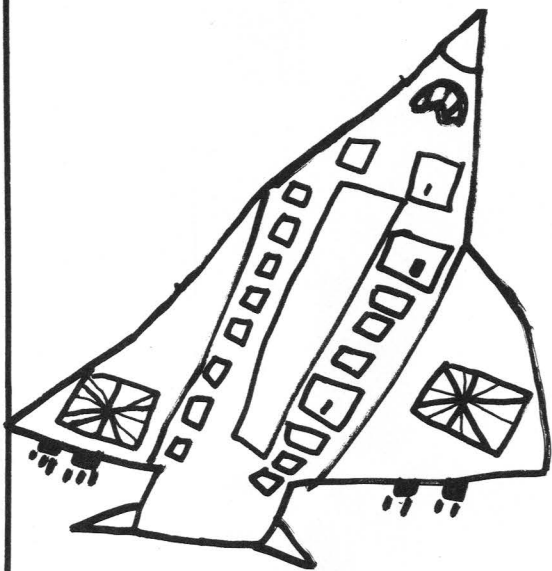
Milton Han



Augustine Yao



Come fly with us

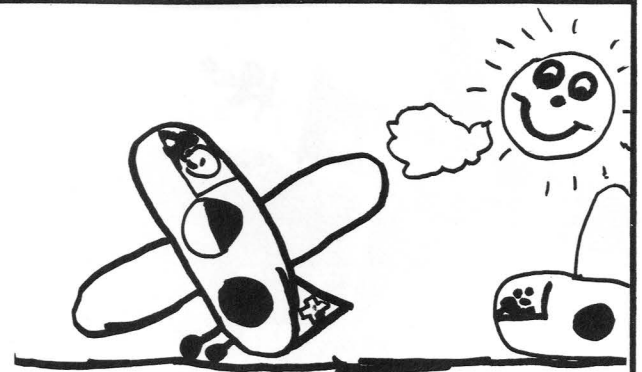
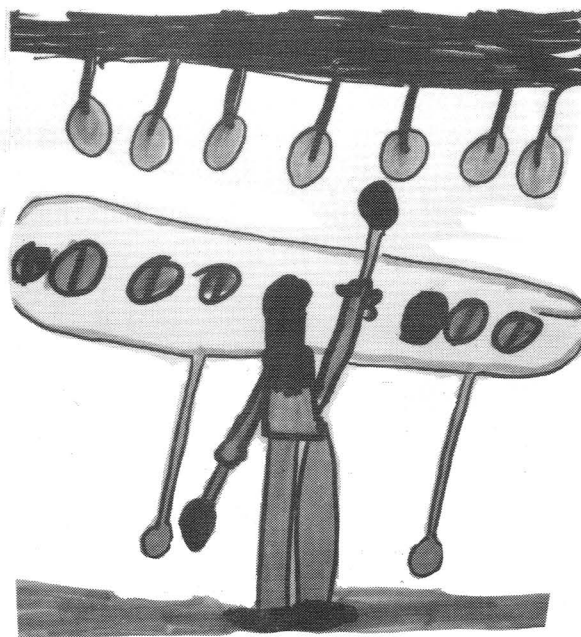


The best flight was on Mauritian Airlines and we got bags and there were headphones to listen to music.

Alexandre

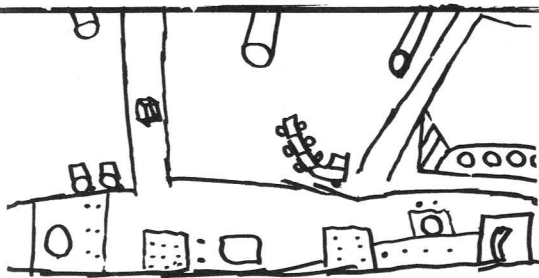
When I went on flight 2702 with Cathay Pacific. I saw other planes taking off and landing. Wow! That was some ride. I saw the clouds from the window.

Desmond



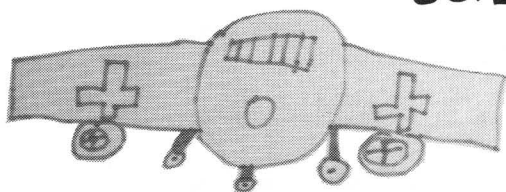
I didn't like the first flight. We went on a little aeroplane first, and I was afraid that the engine would break. On the big aeroplane I liked the toys in the bag. I also liked the big screen. My sister sat by Mummy and I sat by Daddy. I loved it when we started to take off and when we were in the air we could take our seat belts off. I liked looking out of the window at the world.

Victoria.



The control tower

The best thing about flying is when the plane goes side to side and when I get sweets on the plane. When I get blocked ears I don't like it.



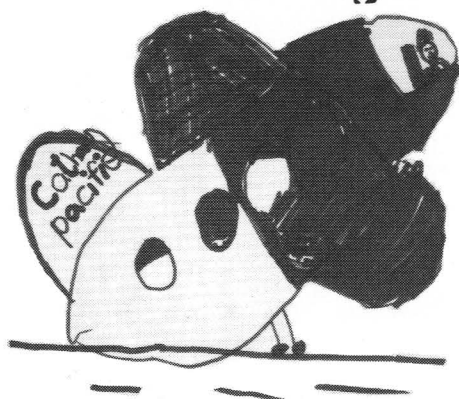
Suzie

When I'm on an aeroplane I like to look out the window at the clouds and the mountains.

Gus

My Worst flight Was When I Went to Holland because it took one whole day and it stopped seven times.

Marijke

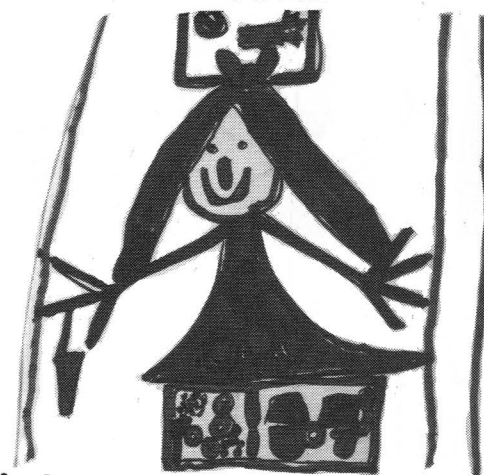


On the aeroplane I watched Beetle juice It's about ghosts that are alive and one ate a green and black banana. It's very scary because a man took his teeth out.

Hannah

My best flight was when I went in the front of the plane. It was fun. The captain gave me a gold badge and I like it very much. I still have it. It says pilot on it.

Milton

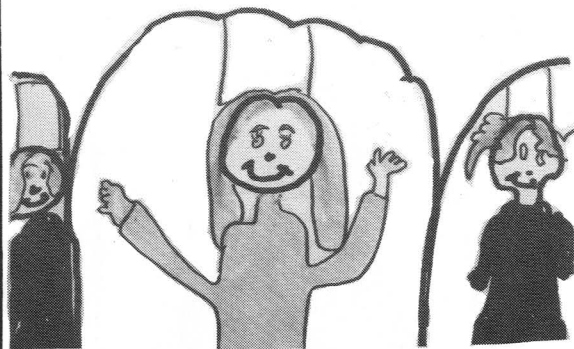


My best thing on the aeroplane is when the stewardess brings me toys. There is a colouring book and some colours and a ruler.

Tara

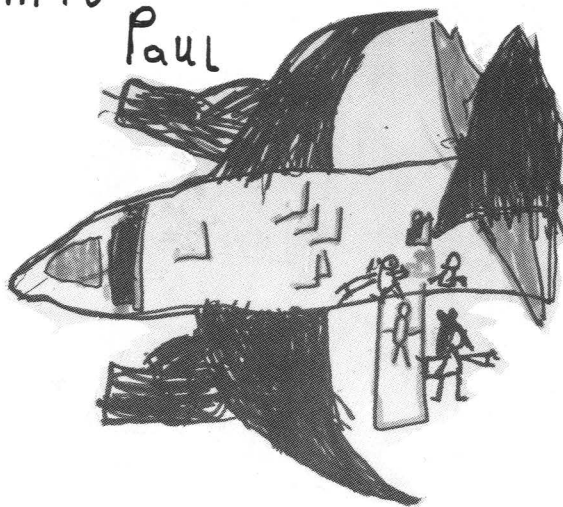
My best flight was when I watched a movie. I stayed up late. The stewardess turned off the light and I put on my headphones.

Alexander



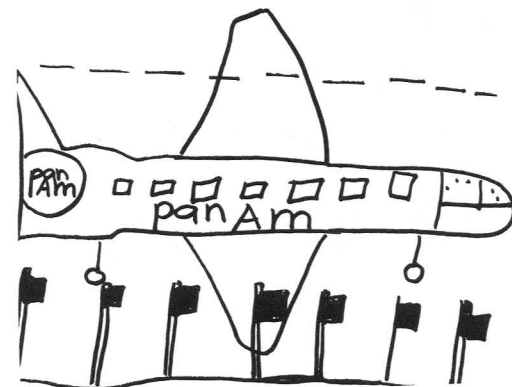
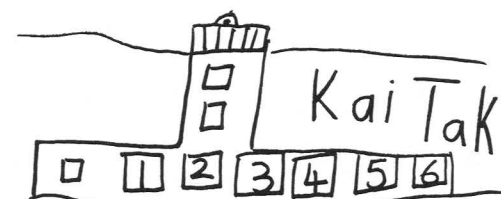
I went to see the front of the plane and I was on the plane they gave me a bag with some toys in it.

Paul



My best flight was when I stopped at my friend's house in Dubai for one night. We had to go to bed early.

Alexi



When I was little we went on an aeroplane. I was so good the stewardess said that I could give out the crisps and the drinks.

Miriam

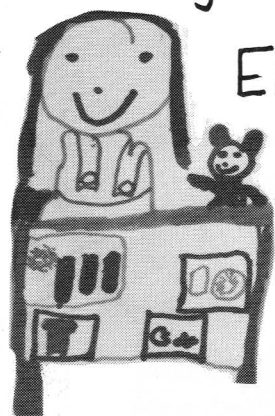
My best things on the aeroplane are getting the sweets to stop your ears getting blocked and I like the bag of toys.

Sally

The best part of the flight is taking off. I like it because you go so fast and all the things go past you so quickly.

Nicholas

I like everything in the aeroplane except the food. I only like the bun but I really like sleeping on the floor with my toys in my cosy bed

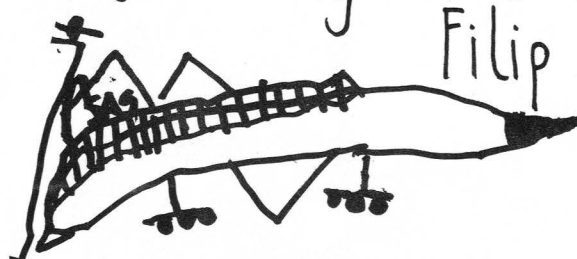


Emma

I like the part on the aeroplane when it just takes off and my Mum gives me bubble gum to stop my ears from popping.

Michael

When I went on an aeroplane I watched a funny film. I nearly laughed my head off.



Filip

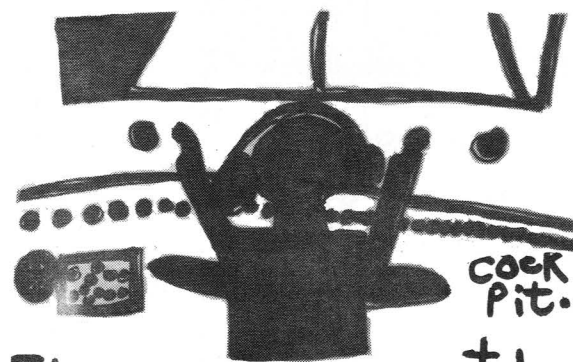
I went on Thai Airlines. The aeroplane ran out of fuel and we had to land. We had to wait for four hours in an old airport with nothing to do. I hit my sister

John



colcorde 002

My best time on the plane was when one of the cabin crew let me go and see the pilots up in the cockpit. It was so high up the land was so small. But there were lots of switches. I said why do you have a telephone well said a captain the phone is for us to tell our mummies that we will be home in time for our dinner. Well he said you better go now ok so me and Adam said bye to the pilots and they said bye to us and so we had a lovely flight back home. Lauren



cock pit.

The captain in the

Primary Class 9 - Mrs L. Ashdown



- Back row : Mrs Ashdown, Kathrine Haugaard, Graeme Morrison,
Alexandra Rutherford, Aabir Banerji, Danielle Moffat
- Middle row : Denise Horsman, Charlotte Barlow, Stephanie Shiu, Rosie Barker,
Tara Maclean, Rumi Neely, Catherine Liddiard
- Sitting : Jane Hunt, Michael Dinnen, Aditi Chadha, Gareth Thomas,
Caroline Cartland, James Absolom
- Front row : Timothy Smith, Daniel Collins, Thomas Lester, Cass Leung

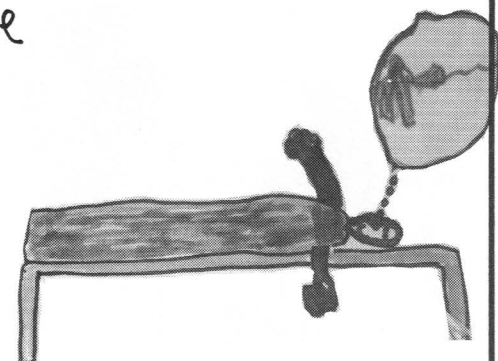


GOOD TIMES IN CLASS 9

I like 7 o'clock
because its breakfast
time
Alexandra



I like 8 o'clock at night
because thats when I go to
bed and I like sleeping and
dreaming. I dream about
ghost-busters and other things
Graeme

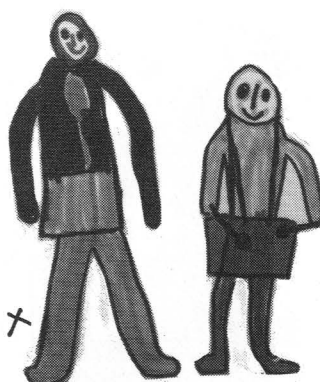


My favourite time
is 4 o'clock because
I can play in my
garden. I ride my
bike and I can do
tricks like
standing up and
turning round. Cas



Tara

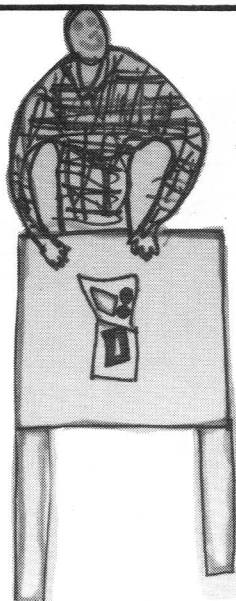
Timothy
I like 7:30 the best
because thats when my
favourite programme is on
television. I like Sky Trax
because I like the songs.



I like 12 o'clock
midnight because I can
get my Dreamers Castle
out and switch on the
lights under it and it
shines all different colours.

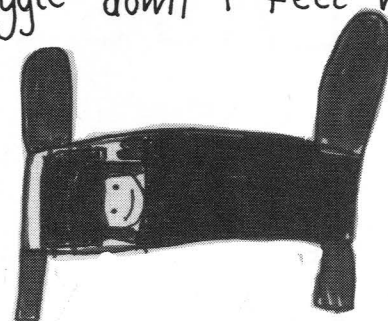
I like 12 o'clock best
because its lunchtime
and I like having a
surprise.

James



My favourite time is night
time. I like 8 o'clock at night
because thats when I go to bed
My bed is soft and cosy and
When I snuggle down I feel warm
and sleepy.

Caroline



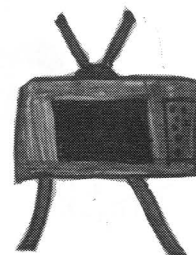
I like 4 o'clock
because then I can
play on the slide in my
garden.

Denise



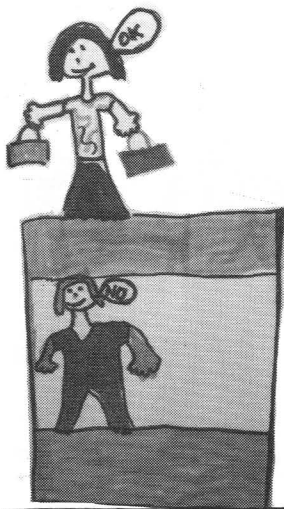
I like 8 o'clock at night
because I like to watch television
at that time I like the
Cosby show and Family Ties

Aditi



Aabir

I like 9:30 best because
that is when I go to bed
I make a base in
bed to keep me safe
in case there is a
crook in my house.



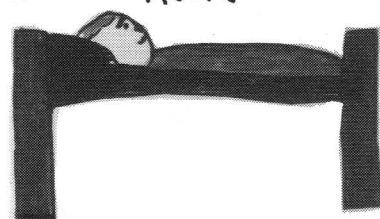
I love 4 o'clock because
I can go to my neighbours
house and play camp and exploring
and watch T.V. and I get to eat
junk food for tea.

Stephanie

My favourite time is 2:30
because thats when we
have afternoon playtime
and I can play football.
Daniel



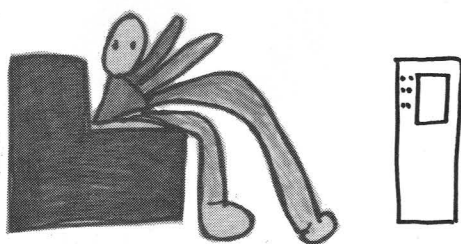
I like 8 o'clock at night
best because thats bedtime.
I like having my bath and
like reading books and
sometimes I go into mummy
and daddys bed because
its warm. Rosie



My favourite time is 12 o'clock
because I like Lunchtime. I like
food and I feel hungry. I like
Sweeties best of all. Kathrine



my favourite time is 3:30 because then
can play with my brother. We go
out to the playground and play on the
fire-engine. Rumi



My favourite time is 5 o'clock
because I like watching T.V.
At 5 o'clock I like to watch
Thundercats Junior Junction
and sometimes 3-2-1 Contact.
Gareth



My favourite time is 4 o'clock because
then I can go to Rosie's house
and we can skip and Sometimes we
play mummies and daddies and I am
the daddy. Jane

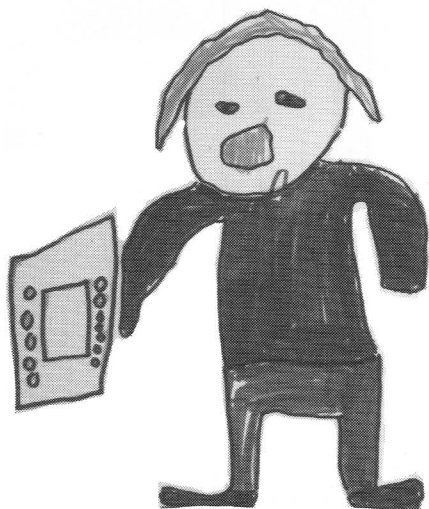
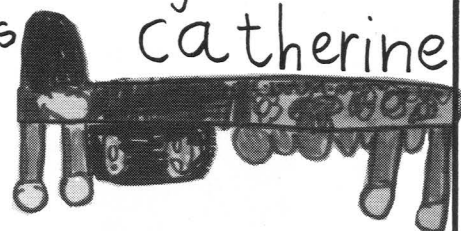
I like 4 o'clock because I watch
Sesame Street and I can go into the
playground and I can play tennis with
my friends.

Charlotte



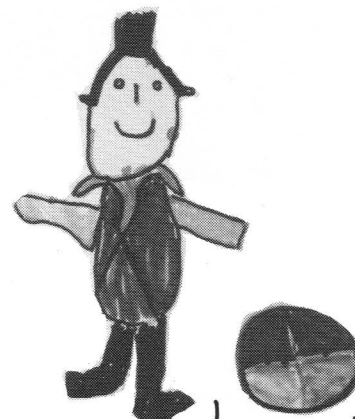
My favourite time is 8 o'clock
at night because that's
when I go to bed and Daddy
tells me a story about lots
of things

Catherine



I like 3 o'clock the best
because I go home and
I can watch T.V. and play
with my sister sometimes
I watch videos like Carry On
Camping because they
are funny.

Tom



I like 12 o'clock
best because it is lunchtime
and sometimes my maid gives
me my favourite sandwiches
that are tuna fish or ham
and cheese.

Danielle



I like 10:30 best
because that's
playtime. I play
football and on
Mondays I go on
the apparatus
and swing and
climb.

Michael

Primary Class 10 - Mrs J. Ashworth



- Back row : Mrs Ashworth, Toby Rolfe, Sarah Yates, Marcus Neely, Willemijn Sneep, Richard Guest
- Middle row : Anouchka van Driel, Emma Allen, Bosing Wu, Gemma Bodinner, Federica Iaconetti, Amanda McKown
- Sitting : Joshua Kruse, Rebecca Branston, James Dickson Leach, Nicole Astridge, Jeremy Brownjohn, Sarah McDowall
- Front row : Miles Forsyth, Andrew Wright, John Walker

Ballooning Around

The Hot-air Balloon

It was 19 September 1783. The Montgolfier brothers were at home warming themselves by the fire. One of the brothers threw a paper bag into the fire. The bag did not go down, it went up the chimney. So they tried to make a balloon from paper and linen. They made it rise by putting a fire under it.

Sarah M.



Balloons

About 200 years ago people began to experiment with hot-air balloons. Anything which is lighter than air will float in the air. Hydrogen is lighter than air and it will float on air. Balloons used to be filled with hydrogen, but today balloonists use helium because it is safer.

Richard

Preparations

Mrs Steer's Speech

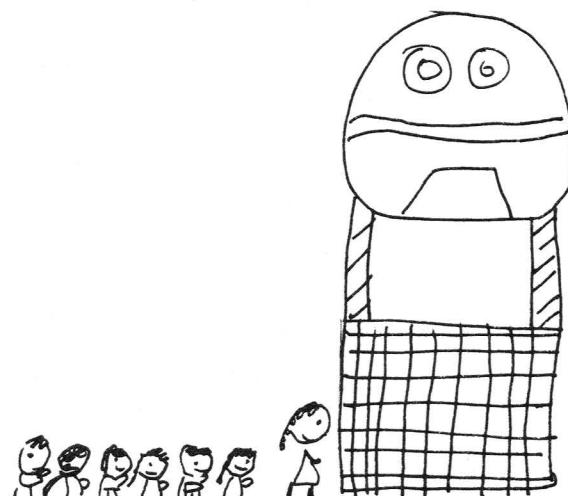
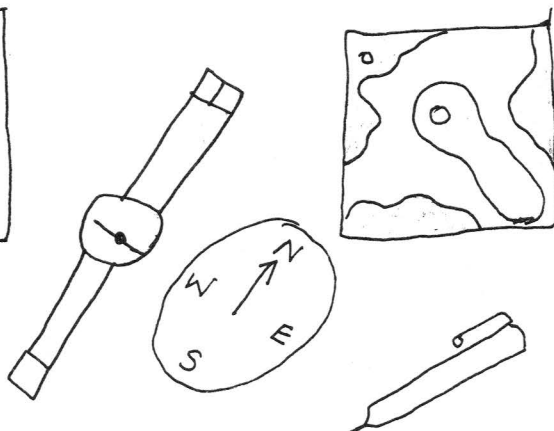
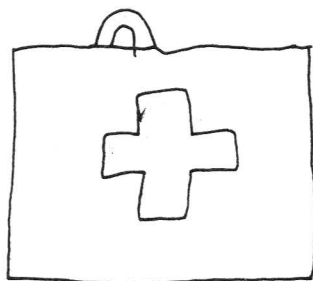
Good morning, everybody. Today is the day that class 10 will be going around the world in their hot-air balloon. We hope that they will be back in time for Christmas. Good luck everybody.

Emma



Equipment List

- Magnifying glass
- Food
- Money
- Map
- Crayons
- Paper
- Scissors
- Book
- Compass
- First aid kit
- Drink
- Pillow
- Clothes



The Launch Ceremony

Today, I saw Sir David Wilson at the launching ceremony of the Kellett School balloon. Mrs Steer, the principal, made a speech, wishing the children good luck. The children from P10 also made a farewell speech. When Mrs Steer untied the ropes of the balloon I watched it float high into the sky, until it was a tiny dot.

James

India

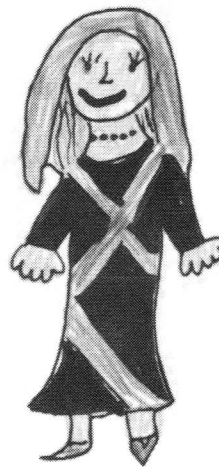
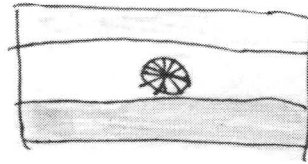
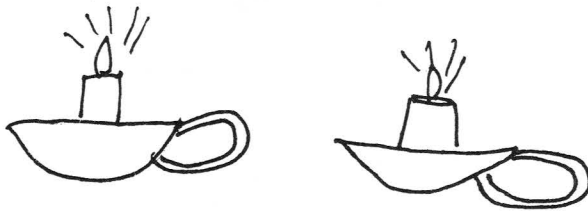
The Indian Flag

The wheel reminds us of the law and Gandhi's spinning-wheel. The green stripe means faith and the saffron stripe means courage.

Divali

Divali is an Indian festival of lights. At this time the people light special candles in holders called divas. They decorate their homes and put a rangoli mat outside the door. They send cards to their friends and give presents. They have new clothes and parties.

Amanda

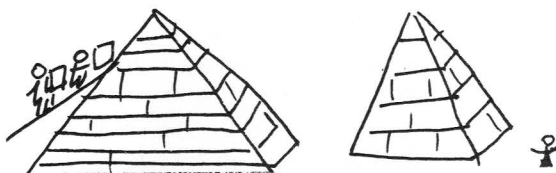
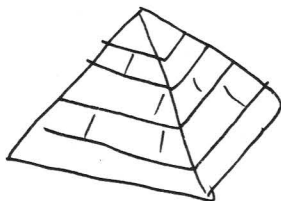


Egypt

Pyramids

In Egypt, they have pyramids. The pyramids were built about three thousand years ago. They were used to bury people in. The pyramids are very big. The bodies were mummified and they were buried with treasure.

John



River Nile Facts

1. The River Nile is the longest river in the world.
2. The river floods every year.
3. The banks of the River Nile are good for growing crops. They are very fertile.
4. Some people make their living by fishing in the River Nile.

Marcus

River Nile Facts

1. The River Nile floods every year.
2. The people dig trenches so that the water will go farther inland.
3. The farmers who work by the Nile use ploughs and oxen. They do not have any modern machines.

Miles

A Day in an Indian School

We landed in India. There were a lot of people there. Ravi, an Indian boy, was going to school. He asked us where we were going, then he took us to school with him. He told the teacher we were new. The teacher told us that today is a very special day. It is Gandhi's birthday. Gandhi was a special man who wanted people to be treated fairly. He did not want war. Then we went home with Ravi and met his family.

Joshua

Indian Dress

In India, the women wear special clothes. Some women wear saris. A sari is a long piece of material which the woman wraps around her waist and over her shoulder. It is about 4 metres long. Other women wear shalwar kameez. These are long baggy trousers with a knee-length dress worn over the top.

Men also wear these.

Nicole

Our Journey

Our journey took us across the Arabian sea. Then we crossed a sandy country called Saudi Arabia. We crossed a strip of water, it was the Red Sea. It was then that I saw a pyramid. We landed and walked to the pyramid. I found a way inside. Then I saw a mummy wrapped in cloth. I saw a key next to the mummy's hand. I picked the key up, the mummy creaked — that made me jump. Suddenly, I saw a passage. I walked and walked through the passage until I came to a room. It was locked, I opened it with the key. There was treasure inside.

Gemma

Boys' Day

Boys' day is on 5 May. Japanese families put up kites shaped like carp. They fly one flag for each boy in the family. The carp means they will be strong and courageous. Boys are sometimes given Samurai warrior models.

Girls' Day

Girls' day is on 3 March. Japanese girls display dolls. There are 15 dolls in a set. The children are not allowed to play with the dolls. In each set there is an Emperor, an Empress and court ladies, musicians and servants.

Sarah Y.

Recipe for Guacamole

Ingredients:

2 ripe avocados
3 tomatoes
lemon juice
black pepper
spring onion

Method:

Peel and mash the tomatoes and avocados. Chop the onion and add that. Add lemon juice to stop the avocado from going brown. Serve with tortilla chips.

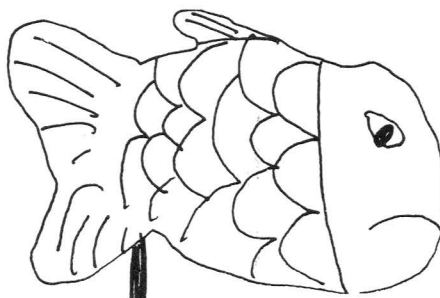
Jeremy

Christmas in Mexico

At Christmas, the Mexican people are very happy. At night, the adults put sweets in the children's piniata. The next night they play a game with a stick and the children are blindfolded. They have to use the stick to hit the piniata and make the sweets come down.

Andrew

Japan



The Japanese Flag

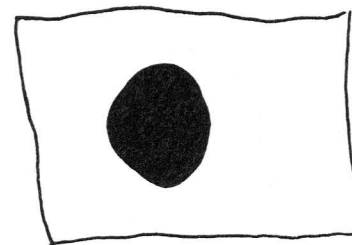
This is about the Japanese flag. It is a white flag with a large red spot on it. The spot means the land of the rising sun.

Anouchka

Japanese Homes

The floor of the Japanese house is covered with mats called tatami. People take off their shoes when they go into Japanese homes. In Japan, many people eat rice. They also eat fish. During tea, they sometimes eat sweet cakes. They have a special ceremony when they drink green tea.

Federica



Mexico

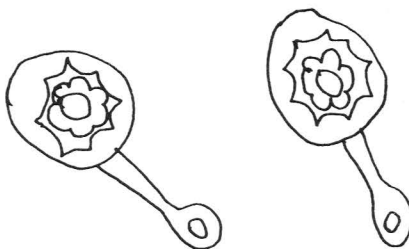
Maracas

We sang a song called Maraca Joe. We made maracas to play while we sang.

Here are the instructions to make maracas.

1. You will need a bowl of uncooked rice, a bottle, a chopstick and some paint.
2. Put the rice in the bottle and screw the lid on tight.
3. Paint the bottle so that it looks really colourful.
4. Ask a grown-up to make a hole in the lid of the bottle.
5. Push about half of the chopstick through the hole.
6. Now your maraca is ready to play.

Andrew and Richard



Mexican Dictionary

avocado	— a green food that Mexican people eat
castanets	— a Spanish instrument played in Mexico
chilli	— a hot spice
gringo	— a Spanish word for an American
guacamole	— a dip made with avocado, tomato and onion
maize	— another word for corn
maracas	— a Mexican instrument
peso	— Mexican money
piniata	— a model made out of papier mâché
poncho	— Mexican clothing
sombrero	— a Mexican hat
tortilla	— a kind of pancake

Rebecca

Mexican Food

We tasted some Mexican food. We tried avocado, tacos and chilli con carne. I liked the chilli, it was very tasty, the tacos were good too.

Toby

and finally.....

Dear Class 10,

I hear you have been having a good time exploring the world. At Kellett we are getting ready for Christmas. We need people to organize the Christmas post. Can you get back in time to do this? Also, we are trying to prepare a Primary 3 Christmas play. Would you like to be in it? Well, we all miss you and hope you will be back soon.

Best wishes,
Mrs Steer
(Principal)



Our Assembly

At the beginning of our assembly I was very nervous. I enjoyed it when it was the tea ceremony because I liked the music and the play. I found out that the colour of Japanese tea is green. I had to talk about the Indian sari. I also read a letter from Mrs Steer. In it she asked us to come back to school. I liked the scene when they sold the blanket, but I thought it was sad because the children were so poor. I was happy when the assembly was over.

Bosing

Around the World

Before the assembly started, I was nervous. When it started, I was excited. I liked it when we were in Mexico because I liked the song about Maraca Joe. One of my favourite bits was Mrs Steer's speech. I pretended to be Mrs Steer and I made a speech about the launch of the balloon. When our play was over I wanted to do it all over again because I enjoyed it so much.

Willemijn

Japan
December 1988

Dear Mrs Steer,

We hope we will be back soon to do our Christmas play. We will help with the Christmas post. We also have to be back for our picnic on Wednesday.

Love Anouchka

Japan

Dear Mrs Steer,

I hope that we can be back in time to help with the Christmas post and to be in the Christmas play.

From Toby Rolfe



Primary Class 11 - Mrs T. James



- Back row : Mrs James, Grace Yuen, Sang-Ho Jun, Nicole Horsman, Stephen Rapoport, Astrid Lefdal
- Middle row : Camilla Buttery, Kara Banigan, Maja Alexanderson, Rowan Harvey, Samantha Bradley
- Sitting : Georgina Lewis, James Barker, Katy Watson, Rhys Williams, Jennifer Catley, Sigurd Myhre, Alexandra Tse
- Front row : Rhys Adams, Peter Sabine, Jonathan Clatworthy, Idan Udalevich



Andrew Morrison

Mars

We listened to a tape of The Planets by Gustav Holst. We listened to Mars, the Bringer of War:

It made me think there was going to be a battle and the army was getting ready for the battle. It made me think this because the music was strong and loud.

Camilla Buttery

It made me think of a big bad war. It made me feel scared, and it reminded me of sword fighting.

Kara Banigan

It made me think of Dracula. It sounded noisy. It sounded like Dracula fighting with soldiers. Dracula always wins because he can fly and he eats soldiers.

Sang-ho Jun

It made me think of a ceremony of death. I feel like a man in a war because the music sounded like drums a bit. At the end it sounded like an explosion.

Rhys Williams

It made me think I was in a rocket and it crashed.

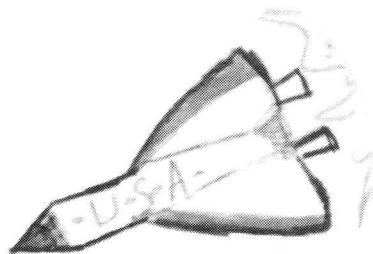
Maja Alexanderson

It made me think of the army because it was low music. It wasn't funny music. It was sad music.

Jennifer Catley

It made me think that Mars is a strange planet because it is hot and red and dry. Mars has a pink sky.

Idan Udalevich



The first space shuttle was made in 1981 when I was born. That means seven years ago. The orbiter looks like an aeroplane when it comes through the atmosphere. It could melt but it doesn't because it has special tiles on it.

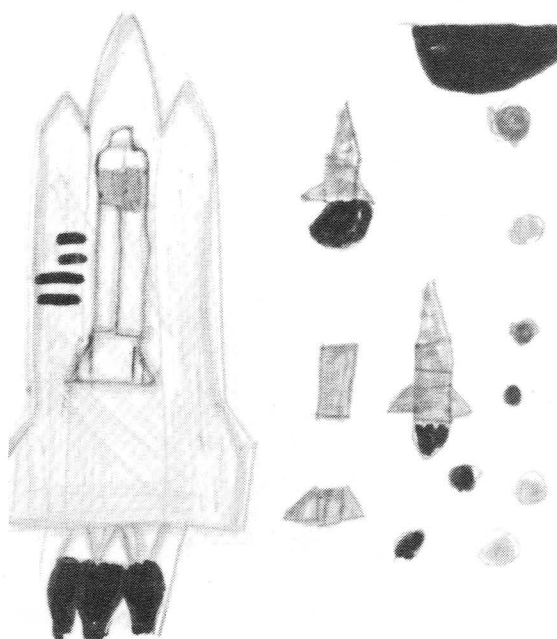
Grace Yuen

The space shuttle has two boosters. The boosters fall down to the sea and big boats come to take them away back to the base and fill them up again so they can be used again.

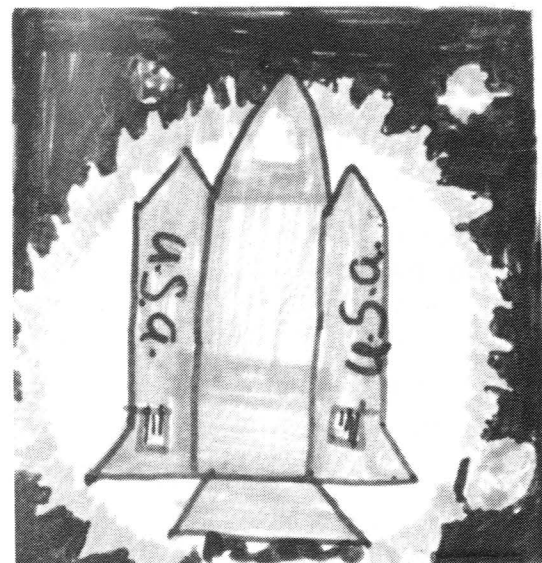
Nicole Horsman

When the orbiter lands, it glides down. When the orbiter enters the atmosphere it gets very hot – 1,300 degrees.

Stephen Rapaport



The Space Shuttle



The Space Shuttle

The shuttle only orbits the earth. When the space shuttle lands, it lands like an aeroplane. On the top of the shuttle are small tiles that keep the heat from melting the shuttle on re-entry. The men only wear their space suits when they are in space.

The first space shuttle went up in 1981. The space shuttle usually takes satellites into space. The space men sleep in sleeping bags strapped to the wall of the shuttle. It has two boosters and one fuel tank. The two boosters help the space shuttle to take off. The fuel tank gives the shuttle some fuel to get through the atmosphere. When the shuttle reaches the atmosphere it is as hot as 1,300 degrees.

Jonathan Clatworthy

The first space shuttle went to space seven years ago when I was born. There are four parts in the space shuttle. The two side bits help it to go up, then they fall off into the sea. Ships pick them out of the water so they can use them again.

Georgina Lewis

The Coming of the Iron Man

Chapter 1

I am the Iron Man. I fell off the cliff and my bits scattered along the bay and I put myself together but lost my ear. It was in a nest. I did not know it was there. I went to the sea. I came back from the sea, there was no sight of it. I started to eat the farm equipment and the farmers got angry. They made a trap, I did not fall in for a few days but then I fell into the pit.

Chapter 2

The Iron Man was sent to the scrapyard. I liked it, it was fun until I had a challenge from the space-bat-angel-dragon. I told sailors and engineers to take me apart. They took me to Australia. They made a pit and covered it with iron. They put fuel in it and lit it. I was on it. The space-bat-angel-dragon had to go to the sun and came back with holes in his wings and he was black. I won the challenge and saved the earth.

James Barker

Hello, my name is Hogarth and I live in the country with my father. One day I was fishing in the stream when suddenly I heard noises on the cliff. Then I saw two headlamps and an iron head. The iron head was as big as a bedroom. Then I saw a big iron arm approach the hilltop. When all of his body was there, he was as big as a house. He was so big that I ran and ran and ran. But then I stopped and turned around and I saw no Iron Man. He had gone, vanished into thin air. I managed to get the farmers to get the Iron Man into the scrap-yard. They said that if my plan failed they would call in the army. The Iron Man loved the scrap-yard because he could eat metal and the people were glad too because the Iron Man didn't eat their cars.

Jennifer Catley



Hello, my name is the Iron Man and I was made in a country called England. My head is as big as a bedroom and my eyes go red when I am cross. One day I was standing on a cliff looking at the beach and all of a sudden I felt very dizzy and fell off the cliff onto the beach and broke into a few pieces. But then I picked myself up and fixed myself together again but I didn't find my other ear. Another day a boy called Hogarth trapped me in a pit and some farmers put earth all over me. But one day a family came to have a picnic on me and I had been digging all the time and I escaped.

Rowan Harvey

One night I was fishing on a bridge. I felt scared for no reason at all. Suddenly, I felt the ground shake. It shook again. I turned around and saw two green eyes. I turned around and ran as fast as my legs could carry me. It was the Iron Man. I told my Daddy. He believed me. We went in the car to warn all the people.

Andrew Morrison

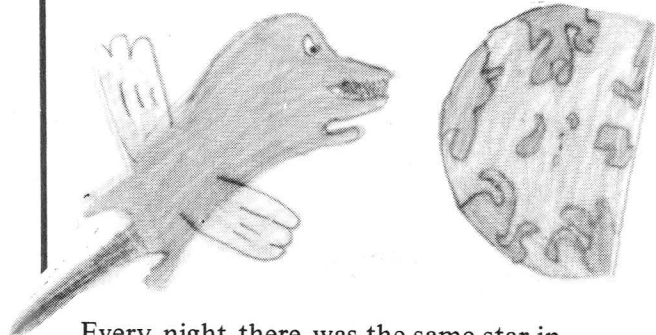
I am Hogarth and I live with my father who is a farmer in a country with lots of fields and trees. One day I went fishing on the river bank when suddenly the earth began to shake and up popped a head as big as a bedroom with two green headlamp eyes. I was so afraid I ran back home so I didn't notice he followed me home. Then when I went to bed the Iron Man ate all the tractors and all the cars in the country.

The next day I had an idea. I told all the farmers in the country to dig. When they had finished they went back home and I began to look for a horseshoe to knock against a stone: clonk, clonk, clonk, went the horseshoe and the stone. Then the Iron Man came and fell in the pit. Then I started to fill up the pit. When spring came, my father and I had a picnic when the earth began to shake again then a big metal hand came in sight. And that meant that the Iron Man was back. My father shouted "Run to the car" so I ran as fast as I could.

The next day all the farmers had a meeting to get an army to fight and destroy The Iron Man. The I said "Wait, let me try my plan". So I led the Iron Man into a scrap metal yard. The Iron Man saw all that metal and he began to eat and eat. He ate and ate and ate. When he had finished all the metal he slept and slept. In the morning there was a big bump on Australia. It was a space-bat-angel-dragon. When the Iron Man got there they had a challenge. The Iron Man said that the challenge was to see who could make their eyes white first. And the Iron Man won the challenge.

Alexandra Tse





Every night there was the same star in the same place for many years. But then it became bigger and bigger and so big that I looked like a bat or an angel. Maybe it was a dragon, yes, it was a dragon, a space-bat-angel-dragon and I landed on top of Australia. When I got up, I said "Give me food, otherwise I will eat you". But they did not give me any food for days and days. They made a contest and I had to fly up to the sun and sit on it. I did not like it at all and I went up to the sun twice. The Iron Man sat on some fire but he won because I did not want to fly up to the sun again and I cried because I wanted to win, but the Iron Man is friends with me now.

Katy Watson

I am the Space Dragon and I flew to the sun and then I got red and purple. Then I flew down from the sun and then I saw the Iron Man and then we talked. "You won", I said to him.

Idan Udalevich

I was standing on the top of a cliff and I fell down it and I got scattered across the beach. I lost one of my ears. The farmers trapped me but I got out and Hogarth took me to a junk yard. A bat angel dragon came to earth and landed on Australia and demanded food. But the Earthlings did not give him any food, instead they thought of a plan. I had a competition and the dragon had to go up to the sun and I had to go on a fire. I won.

The End

Rhys Adams

The Iron Man

I am a space-bat-angel-dragon. I came from space. I lived in a star and I sang every day with my friends. Then I heard a battle on earth so I felt like joining in. I fell with a bump on Australia. I told them to give me some food but they said no. So I got really mad and I said, "I will give you one week and if you do not give me anything I will stick my tongue out all over Australia!"

Samantha Bradley

I am a farmer and I have a boy called Hogarth. One day Hogarth was fishing in the stream when suddenly he saw two green headlamp eyes and a head as big as a bedroom. He was as tall as the biggest tree and he was made of iron. He ate cars and lots of things. We farmers made a big hole. Hogarth managed to persuade the Iron Man and he fell into the hole. One day a family came for a picnic. They saw a hill where the Iron Man was. The family did not know the Iron Man was there but suddenly a crack appeared on the hill and the family rushed to the car. What should we farmers do now? Should we call the army? But Hogarth had an idea, and so the Iron Man came to the scrap metal yard to live.

Astrid Lefdal



The Iron Man

The Iron Man

I came from a star. I am a space dragon. I landed on earth, I became hungry and I said to the earth people, "I want some food". But they did not give it to me so I said to the earth people, "If you do not give it to me in a week I will lick the whole earth away". The countries did not like this so they sent their armies to demolish me. But it did not work. Hogarth went to see the Iron Man and told him that no one would dare to kill me. Can you think of a plan? He could not think of a plan but he thought and thought and then he got a plan.

The Iron Man sent fuel from China to Australia, and the Iron Man said to me, "I challenge you to a contest". So I said, "You challenge me! Ho, Ho you are a wimp". So the Iron Man said, "Let the fire start". The Iron Man signalled to the engineers to put the fuel in. The Iron Man went in and came out white and then he said, "Now it's your turn." and I said, "Me go into that?" The Iron Man said, "No, go into the sun". I said, "I will do it". So I flew into the sun. I came out black.

The Iron Man signalled to the engineers one more time. They put the fuel in and set it on fire. He went in again, he came out white: "Now its your turn". So I went to the sun and I came out black. The Iron Man signalled to the engineers and again they put the fuel in and set it on fire. The Iron Man went in and came out white and said, "Now it's your turn". And I said, "No, I will be your slave". "What can you do?" "I can sing". "OK, you will sing around the world day and night", And that is what I do now.

Peter Sabine

The Crew

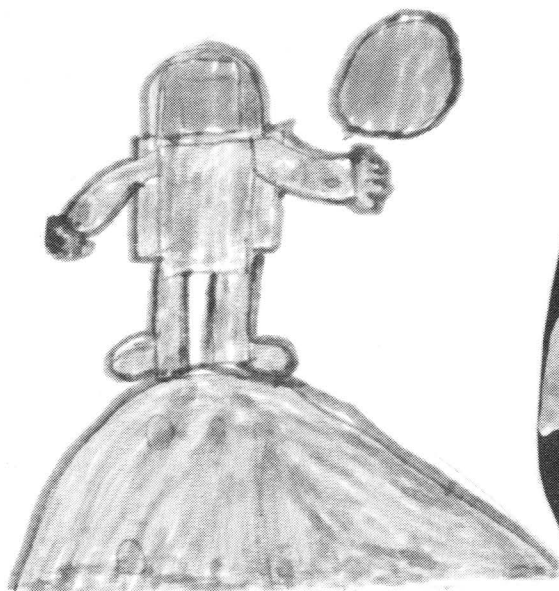
Our space woman is called Lena Ring and her age is 27. Her hobby is roller-skating and tennis. She has two dogs and a kitten. She is married to a man called Peter Ring and they live in Black's Link.

Grace Yuen
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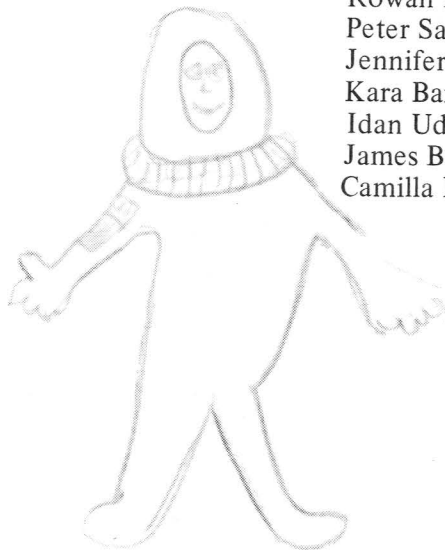
David Ng is an astronaut. He has three children and one is a baby. He has two maids and a wife. He has three dogs, two kittens and three budgies. This is his sixth time in space. His hobbies are skiing and tennis. He was born in the USA. He lives in Hong Kong in the Repulse Bay Apartments.

Sigurd Myhre
Jonathan Clatworthy
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Sang-Ho Jun



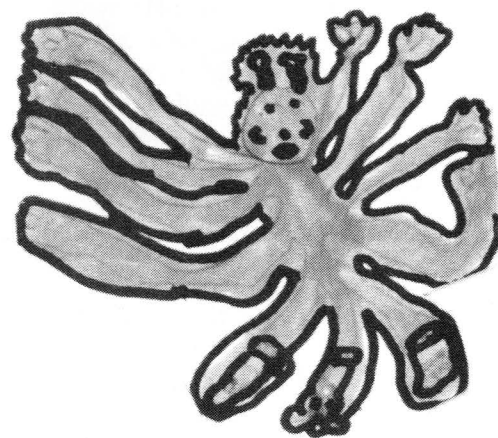
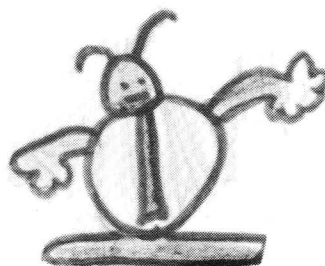
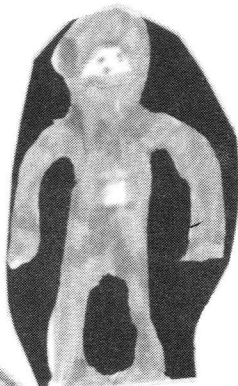
Our space man is called Bill Sabine. He is 31. He is not married. He has one dog. He has been to space before. He has been to the moon. He has been into space three times. His hobby is skiing. He lives in the USA.

Rowan Harvey
Peter Sabine
Jennifer Catley
Kara Banigan
Idan Udalevich
James Barker
Camilla Buttery



Our space woman is called Lucy Watson. She is married but her husband died in space, because he didn't have any air. He died as soon as he got out into space and Lucy Watson saw it happen. Her pets are one pony, one dog and two goldfish. Her other job is part-time teacher. She lives at 4, The Copse, Topwoods Lane, London, England. She has two girls and one boy. The one girl is a twin to the boy.

Katy Watson
Georgina Lewis
Stephen Rapaport
Samantha Bradley



My monster's name is Tom. He is very fat and every day he eats the food in his room. He can even eat the rubbish tin.

Sang-Ho Jun

My space creature is called Blue Eye and he came from space, from a place called Venus. I met him in space. He had a knife, a rope and a shield and some very interesting things.

Idan Udalevich

My alien creature is a baby who came from Mars. He looks like this: he has a pink head, green arms, a purple body, pink feet and a red mouth. He came to see if it would be fun to live on earth. His name is Thing.

Kara Banigan

Once there was a comet which hit Pluto, and a comet came out. Then a rocket came to Pluto to see if there were any aliens there. But they saw blood drip down from the monster. They called him a gorilla because he looked like one. Then they rocketed down to earth.

Rhys Williams

Primary Class 12 - Mrs J. Wiltshire



- Back row : Mrs Wiltshire, Andrew Nelson, Kate McDonald, Niels Lassen, Kate Fulton, Jolyon Smith
- Middle row : Taran Chadha, Kirsten van der Mije, Alistair Robertson, Rebecca Peacock, Christopher Gadbury, Marisa Davies
- Sitting : Jenny Kruse, Miles Dickinson, Ji-Won Kim, James Mann, Rosamund Goddard, Samuel Spinks, Brooke Stewart
- Front row : Ben Deacon, Robin Douglas, Nicholas Fisher, Mark Morris

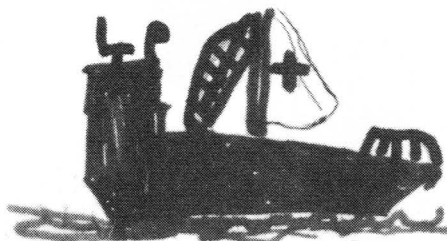


Our Primary 3 Year

Armada Assembly

Ben was Francis Drake. I was a Spanish sailor. We lost all the battles. Francis grew up tall and smart. He sailed all around the world. When he returned, he was knighted by Queen Elizabeth.

Reporter, Robin Douglas



Miles Dickinson

We went to the witch's party today. We got an invitation. The witch invited all Class 12. We all went, but it was a pity that some people were not there. I really liked it. We ate real food. We had worm cake, children's brains, shrunken animals, magic spells and snakes. The invitation said that the witch was not there, and she was not, so we started without her.

Rebecca Peacock

Our Christmas Play

Our play is the Nativity. That is the story of the first Christmas when Jesus was born. It is called Meredith, the Christmas Camel, and I am going to be a shepherd . . .

. . . When we first did our play I was nervous and scared, but then I really enjoyed it. I saw my Mummy and Daddy there.

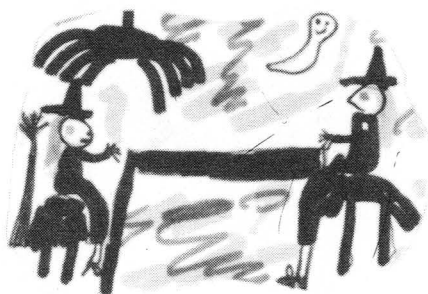
Jolyon Smith

Computer Adventure

We have been playing the computer game "The Princess and the Ring". It is an adventure. You have got to find the ring so that the Princess can get married. We had to search in the wood and in the lake.

In the computer game you have to find the magic word by getting the letters, so that the Princess can get married. When you find the letters you go to the lake and write the letters, and you have found the ring.

Mark Morris



Rosamund Goddard

Adventure Stories

I was walking along when suddenly I came to a dark garden. I walked in cautiously. The garden was all gloomy. I could hardly see a thing. It was very spooky. I was scared. I saw a hole.

I said to myself, "I'd better stay away from that or I'll fall down."

My tummy was rumbling now so I sat down and had my lunch near a tree. I opened my lunch box and ate my sandwiches and drank my drink. I moved back a little and went to sleep, hoping that I would be safe in that scary place.

Rebecca Peacock

I walked inside the cave. I saw batwings hanging from the ceiling, and a slippery path leading me inside the cave.

It took me to a jet. I went into the cockpit and took off. I ran out of fuel. I found a parachute. I put it on my back and jumped out of the aeroplane and counted up to ten. Pop, I slowly went down and landed on a ship.

James Mann

We were at the bottom of the sea. How would we get up? A shark was near. We swam up to the surface. A boat was near. The man had a gun and a map. I saw the cave on the map.

I thought I saw the cave in the distance. We swam to it and went inside. It was dark and spooky. I was brave. We saw a treasure box and a key.

Ben Deacon



Jolyon Smith

It started to rain. Ben noticed something strange. It was raining money! We grabbed at it. We were millionaires! We knew nothing about the bad god which rains money, and we didn't know that it brought bad luck.

"Bad weather ahead! Batten all hatches. Hurricane blowing up!" We hit the rocks. We had all fainted.

Robin Douglas

It was a sunny day and I was eating my breakfast. I was thinking and "Oh yes, brother", I forgot it was morning! I have to hurry, it's a school day. I have to go or I will miss the bus. The car has broken so I will have to run! I ran like a racing car and I slipped into a deep, black hole. Wo!

"What's this?" I said as I climbed out.

"Out yes, I know now". I had forgotten all about school.

"I'm getting sm sm sm sm smaller!"

I fell back—

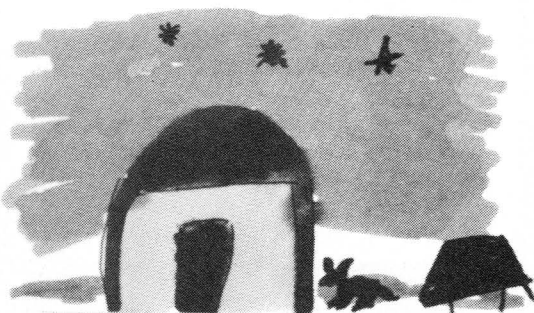
rats, RATS!

I was now in the

big black

hole.

Christopher Gadbury



Marisa Davies

Someone was coming into our territory. He had a gun in his hand. He fired. BANG!

He crept up to our tent. I fired. It shot a branch down. He ran behind a tree. I ran after him. The road was blocked by a river. He jumped into the river and swam until he got caught in a current. He swam back to where I was. He got out of the water and our dog Molly jumped up at him.

Nicholas Fisher

I got my tickets and got on the train. When I was on the train I noticed something strange. My drink kept on changing colour. I nervously drank my drink.

Suddenly, the train crashed. I was injured and trapped. The train was on fire because some oil was spilled and a match was still lit.

I panicked. Without warning I was shrinking, until I was the size of a mouse. I tried to escape but I couldn't. I looked all around and eventually I found a hole to creep through. Soon I was safe outside.

Andrew Nelson

At last we got into the desert. It was boiling hot out there. Suddenly, the jeep got stuck.

I forgot that we were driving in sand so I drove too fast and crashed into the hill . . . At last we fixed the jeep so that we could drive again.

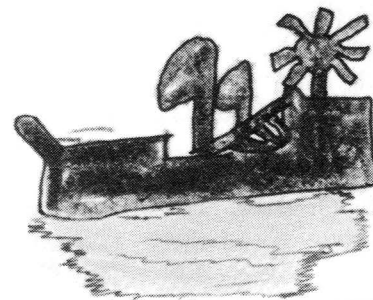
I said to myself that I mustn't drive so fast again. We drove until we came to a cave. I stopped the jeep and got out of it, and went into the cave. Suddenly, some monsters jumped out at us and tied us up, but the dog had stayed in the jeep and he heard me shout, so he ran into the cave. He chewed the rope that was around me.

Niels Lassen

We drove into a black hole. The black hole was making us go faster than lightning. We were hugging and screaming. We were very scared.

We were still screaming. At last the black hole ended. The Rolls Royce landed on a planet. I asked Erin if she could tell us where we were. She took her backpack off and unzipped it and took a watch out of it. She pressed some buttons. It told us where we were.

Jenny Kruse



Taran Chadha

We were running very fast when suddenly Mark skidded into a pond. He climbed out. He was very wet but he was all right. We carried on running. The cannibals were just behind, and they were getting closer. We came to another pond. We dived into it. We swam under the water. We escaped but we were very, very tired.

Sam Spinks

I woke up in the morning, then I went to the door. I packed my bag, then I went out of the door. I found ten thousand and twenty dollars. I went to the Police Station. The Police said, "In three days' time the money will be yours."

In three days' time the money was mine.

Kirsten van der Mije

Our Egg Diary

Day 1

We got twenty-two eggs from a farm and the cleaning lady gave us two eggs, so we have twenty-four eggs. We put them in an incubator. Each day we have to remember to turn them over.

Andrew Nelson

Chinese New Year

The colours of Chinese New Year are gold, orange, green, yellow and red. Gold is for the dragon and a laisee packet. Orange is for the oranges which grow on the kumquat trees. Red is for red fireworks and laisee packets. Green is for the new grass and plants.

Marisa Davies

The Chinese calendar has thirteen lunar months, so Chinese New Year does not come on the same day every year. Each year has a special animal symbol. This year it is the Year of the Snake.

Mark Morris

At The Temple

Chinese New Year sights and sounds,
People crowding all around
Laying their offerings on the ground.

Oranges and apples all around.
Lots of people all around,
Lighting joss sticks,
And praying to their gods.

Brooke Stewart, poet

Chinese New Year sights and sounds,
Stinky joss sticks all around.
Chim sticks shaking,
Rat-a-tat-tat!
One falls out
And that is that!

Alistair Robertson, poet

Fireworks exploding on the Bank of China.
They fall from the sky to the sea.

They fall to the sea
Like sparkling showers,
And another one goes up,
Shooting high in the sky.

Sam Spinks, poet

Stone lions and poles with gods of old,
With smoky smoke all around,
And people praying with no sound,
While they shake chim sticks,
Kneeling on the ground.

Kate Fulton, poet

Wong Tai Sin Temple with lots of people there,
Wong Tai Sin Temple with people everywhere.
People like you and me,
Saying their things to their gods,
As happy as could be.

Nicholas Fisher, poet

Fireworks everywhere,
Sparkling in the air,
So bright.
Fireworks living in the sky.

Sparkling, fizzing fireworks everywhere,
Bombing up and fizzing in the air.
Smoky everywhere.

Taran Chadha, poet

Fireworks, fireworks, flying high,
Popping and banging in the sky,
Whizzing and fizzing, exploding noisily.

Fireworks, fireworks, banging in the sky,
Fizzing, whizzing, crashing noisily.

Ben Deacon, poet

All glittering and sparkling,
And all bright and a pretty sight,
BANG go the fireworks.

In the sky goes a bang and a boom,
And glittering colours splash the night-time sky.
Fireworks go exploding in the night.

Going home on a junk,
Very wavy going home.
Dark sky now, no more fireworks.
Just a memory until next year.

Kate McDonald, poet

Temple, temple, all smoky and crowded,
People laying down food like pigs and oranges.
I see a lady praying,
And now a stick falls out.
Then she takes a piece of paper
And she reads it in her mind.

Kate McDonald, poet

At Chinese New Year people visit temples to say "Thank you" to their gods for the old year. They take offerings of food. We saw some pigs and fruit, and some cakes and oranges, and some joss-sticks and some chickens.

Ji-won Kim

Last night in the sky
There went some fireworks shining by,
With a crash and a bong
And me walking along,
The fireworks went glittering on.

As the jet fast fireworks go shooting by,
As the moon looks down through the sky,
The sparkling fireworks whizz by.

Alistair Robertson, poet

They go bang, crash, pop in the sky,
Filling up tonight's sky.
Look at the fantastic fireworks in the air.

Fireworks, fireworks, all in the sky.
Exploding all around you,
The beautiful fireworks open up all around.

Miles Dickinson, poet

A shower of golden rain
Falling down at me
Out of the sky.

Noise banging all around.
Stars and cameras flashing everywhere
Boats drifting all around.

Bang, crash all around.
Fireworks banging, crashing.
Barges shooting rockets into the air.

Niels Lassen, poet

Bang, bish, boom!
Watching from the moon.
Fizzing, sparkling,
Noisy jet.
Bang, bish, boom!

Clattering fireworks
In the night,
Fizzing, spinning, dynamite.
All the cameras flashing.

Christopher Gadbury, poet

Firecrackers are shining in sky,
Glittering in the sky.
In the sky the crackers bang.
The firecrackers made a pattern.

Kirsten van der Mije, poet

Bang go the firecrackers
And out shoot the fireworks.
Blue and green patterns –
Squares and circles as well.

Hurray, we're going on a junk.
Bring food, bring food.
Hooray!

Jennifer Kruse, poet

Fireworks, fireworks
In the sky,
Banging everywhere
As they fly.

Fireworks, fireworks
Have you seen?
They are flying
To the moon.

Clatter, clatter
In the sky,
Bang, boom
As they fly.

Night jets
Going high
In the very dark
Night sky.

James Mann, poet

Fireworks all alone,
Flying and whizzing all around.
Fizzing bright colours all around.

The sky is turning into a mystery.
The colours there are special.

Ji-won Kim, poet

Bang! Wavy fireworks fizzing,
Whizzing into the air.
Sparkling in the air are they.

Night-sky full of them, in the sky,
Sparkling bright fireworks
As they fill the sky.

Falling, falling down to the sea,
Parachutes taking them down so slowly.

Kate Fulton, poet

Firecrackers whizzing up into the air,
Spreading their glitter everywhere.
Crashing, gnashing,
Bang and pop go the fireworks
In the night.

Fireworks, oh fireworks
How I love to sit and watch
The sparkling colours in the dark.

Rosamund Goddard, poet

Fizzing, whizzing,
Shining bright,
Glittering in the night air.

Flashing, noisy-boom,
Pop display, magnificent
Clattering.

Wow! Looking from the moon,
Whizzing by,
Such a noise!

Lovely fireworks glitter.
Everywhere sparkling,
Exploding.

Brooke Stewart, poet

Primary Class 13 - Mr N. Miller

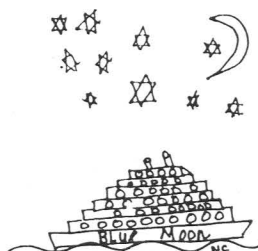
Luxury Liners

For many years passenger ships called "Liners" were the only way that most people could cross the sea to get to different continents and countries.

When people started to use aeroplanes more, the liners were only popular for luxury cruise ships.

Henry Turner

BLUE MOON CRUISES



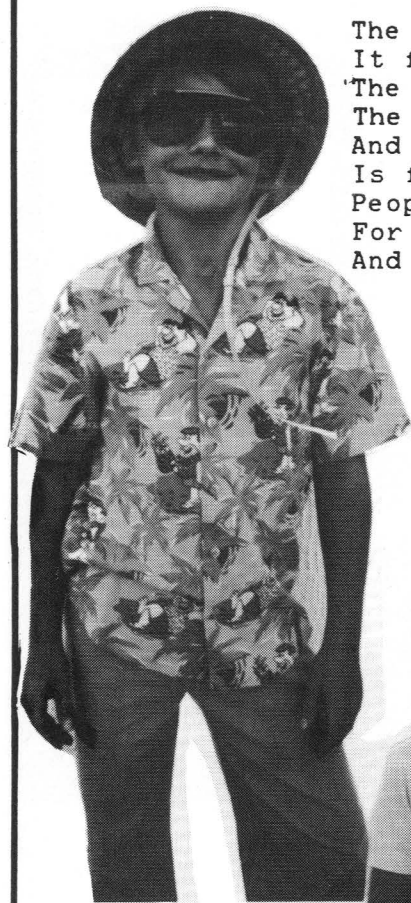
Special Dreams

The Blue Moon days are magnificent.
It floats underneath the sun.

The boat is almost a "Blue Moon".
The people dance in the moonlight,
And the ceiling
Is full of special dreams.
People come to the great hall
For breakfast.

And then the days go on.

Maurits van der Vegt



The Logo

I designed this logo because a dolphin is intelligent, friendly and lives in the ocean. The sun is for the Sun-Shine you will get throughout your journey.

Michelle Astridge

Blue Moon

Our liner will go down in history. On the second of February 1989 she was launched. The red wine hit and she was off. The passengers on the first voyage will never forget it. She was launched from Ocean Terminal in Hong Kong.

Her nine decks are very luxurious, with four pools and two tennis courts. Most liked will be the automatic bubble baths and the bars which are very posh.

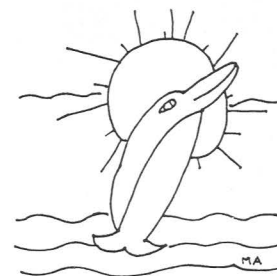
World famous people like Michael Jackson have already booked cruises with us, Blue Moon, the best liner.

Edward Barlow

The Name "Blue Moon"

I thought that Blue Moon was a good name for the ship because at night when the ship travels along the moon would shine on the water and reflect onto the ship and make the ship look blue.

Nicholas Carter



Blue Moon Luxury Liners
We are looking for a Captain

Requirements:

1. College or University Certificate
2. Minimum 6 years experience
3. Firm but cheerful, patient
4. Cool head
5. Comedian
6. Looking good.

Please apply to:

Blue Moon Luxury Liners Co.
1, Liner Rd,
Hong Kong.

Phone 5-248945 and ask for
Robert Dinnen

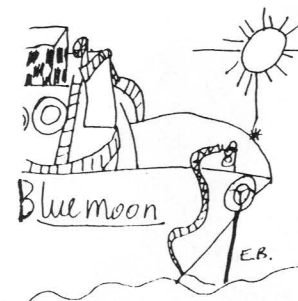
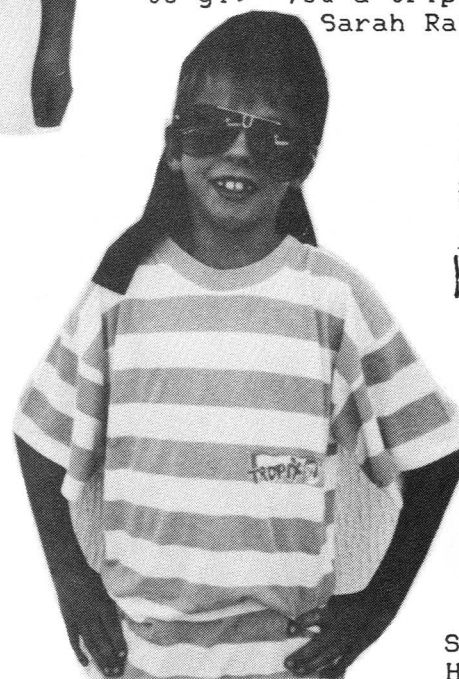
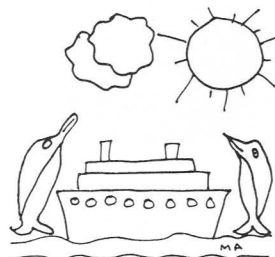
The Blue Moon
Enjoy the luxury of the Blue Moon Liner. With its luxurious saunas, jacuzzis, massages and steam rooms. There are many sports facilities, such as tennis, golf, squash, badminton, deck hockey, swimming and lots, lots more..... She also carries a peaceful first class lounge, a restaurant, a bar, a dazzling disco, a ballroom, a pub or you can order food from your cabin.

Luxurious cabins containing a sofa, two double beds, a wash room with a large bath and a wardrobe, also a lovely view from your window.

You can enjoy a sunbath at the front with the sun gleaming on you.

The staff try as hard as they can to give you a trip of a lifetime.

Sarah Rapoport



Baguio Villa,
Hong Kong.

Dear Miss Astridge,

I would like to apply for the job as a nurse on the Blue Moon. I am twenty years old and I come from Australia. I have been working in the Adventist Hospital since I qualified four years ago. Since then I have had thirteen people come to see me.

Yours Faithfully,
Lucy Squire



Dear Mr Dinnen,

I would like to apply for the job of Captain on the Blue Moon.

I have been commanding liners for nine years and I am 31 years old. I qualified to command a crew of one thousand. I did well in my examinations and I have won three competitions.

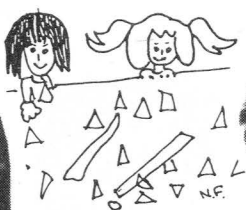
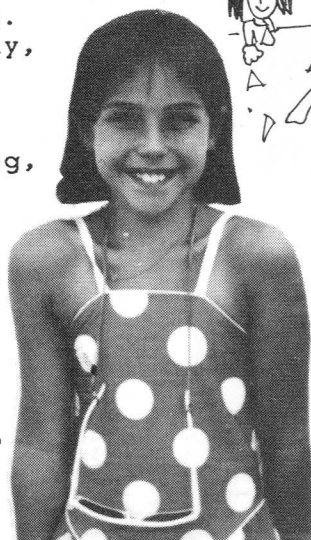
Yours faithfully,
Andrew McGuigan



Blue Moon

Blue Moon's great, Blue Moon's fun,
Come on people run, run, run.
Blue Moon's relaxing everyday,
Relaxing in the sun shine.
Tennis is fun to play,
But watch out,
The ball doesn't hit your leg,
OUCH!
Swimming is fine,
Floating in a rubber raft.
But make sure it's blown up,
Or you will sink.
"Ah, help, I can't swim!"
Restaurants are fine too
Wine and dine.
"A toast to the Blue Moon,
The best ship in the world."

Jolana Sampson

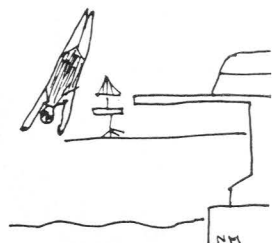
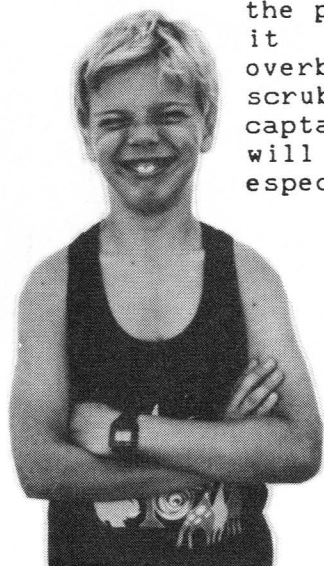


Looking Forward

The things I am most looking forward to on the cruise are:

Lying in the sun and swimming in the pool. Playing tennis, wouldn't it be fun if the ball flies overboard. It would be fun scrubbing the deck too or being captain and steering the boat. I will take my homework home with me, especially my maths.

Margit Korteweg



The Week of Luxury

It was 2:00 pm, we went to Star Ferry in a taxi. My friend Sarah was coming with me on the cruise. My mum couldn't come because she had to go to work.

We got on the ferry, we were both very excited. When we got there the boat was huge! We were shown to our cabin by a man from the reception desk. We put our bags down and changed our clothes. Then off we went to the Coffee shop for a snack.

Nicola Murphy

Going on Holiday

My mum, dad and I left for Star Ferry at 1:00 pm. We had already booked my cabin, it had a bath and a shower put together. My mum and dad came with me to the cabin and helped me to unpack my four suitcases. When we had done this they had to leave. Mum and dad went down to the quayside, the boat sounded its horn, we were off! I waved goodbye to mum and dad.

Alexander French

My First Cruise

At home I was still in bed, it was nearly four o'clock in the morning. I got up, finished packing my bags and mum and dad drove me to Star Ferry. I felt really good. When I got there I got on the boat and went and found my cabin. I put my bags down and went back onto the deck where I threw streamers at my mum and dad. When the boat had left I went to explore. I went to one of the restaurants and ate my breakfast because I hadn't had time to eat my breakfast at home.

Natalie Fletcher

To the Lifeboats

I thought about the Titanic, how many people had died, "I wish I had never come on this cruise !" Then the Captain said, "Do not go back to your cabins, make your way to lifeboat station number four". I felt very scared, I hoped the S.O.S. signal had worked. I went with the other passengers. I was on deck when the Captain's voice said, "ABANDON SHIP". A person's hand thumped me on the back, I turned around it was the Captain. "Go to your lifeboat now." I got safely into the lifeboat.

Madeleine Thompson



The Storm

I got changed, put on my life jacket and went to the ballroom. The Captain was speaking, "We have lost our rudder, an S.O.S. has been sent out." "Oh no, we've lost the lights". It was black for ten minutes, then the lights came back on. The Captain came back, "Don't panic but some water is coming into the boat!" I said "Oh gosh, is this going to be like the Titanic !" I was very scared and I felt sea sick.

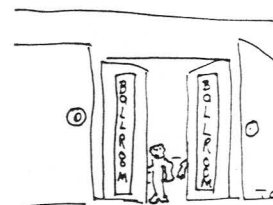
Timothy Tschetter



The Cruise

It was two o'clock. I had had my lunch, the sun was shining, it was a lovely afternoon. "What shall I do ?" I thought, "I could go swimming and then play tennis with Nick and Andrew". At three o'clock it started to rain, the tennis ball got wet and didn't bounce very well, so we went to our cabins until it stopped raining. "Bang" went the thunder and the lightning lit up the sky. At ten o'clock a voice said "Put on your life jackets and go to the ballroom, this is a practice drill!"

Chris Lucas



Don't Panic

I was sat in my cabin waiting for the storm to clear. The wind howled. I was watching T.V. when suddenly on the loudspeaker I heard the Captain's voice. I did as I was told to do. I very nearly fell overboard, everybody was panicking but the Captain said, "Don't panic it will just make it worse." All of a sudden the lights went out. Everybody was scared and thought the boat was going to sink. I had to go to lifeboat number five with a crew member. I was very frightened. The wind got so strong that I was almost blown away. I got inside the lifeboat. "I hope it doesn't sink! I hope the S.O.S. got through."

Stuart Suttie

Sharks

I rushed to the lifeboat. On the way I saw people diving off Blue Moon into the water. I felt really scared as I jumped into the lifeboat. We managed to get away from the boat, it was to be a rough ride and I thought we were going to sink. Blue Moon disappeared beneath the waves. There were some sharks around but I wasn't afraid. A shark came up to our lifeboat.....

Richard Scott

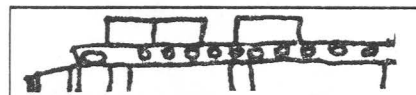
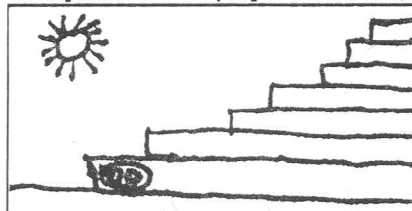
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DISASTER AT SEA

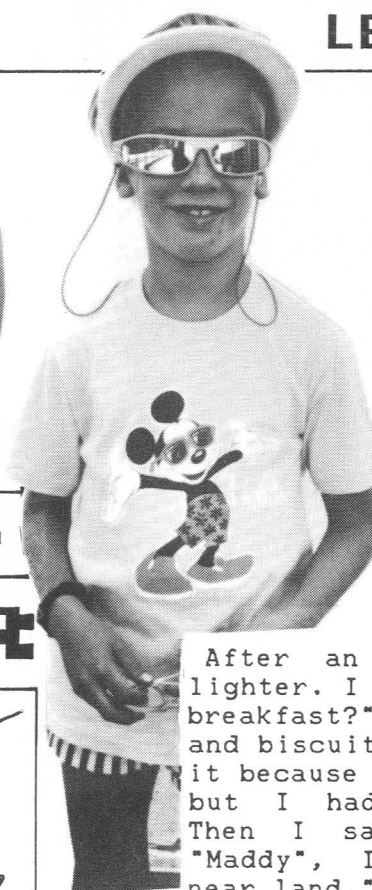
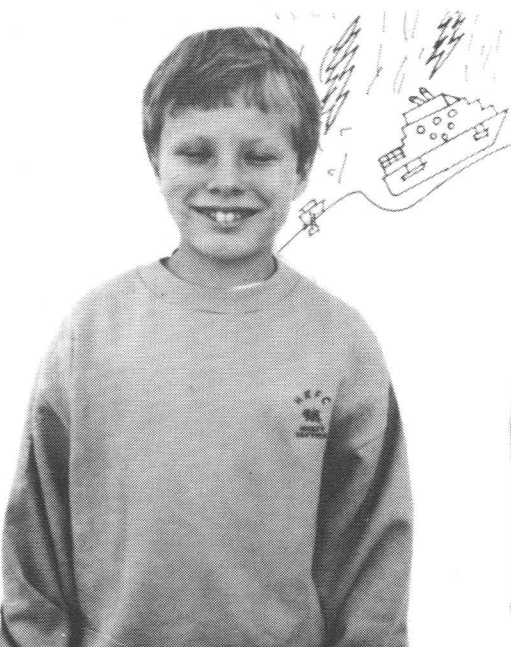
Blue Moon our most luxurious liner has run into heavy weather. We received an S.O.S. at 10:30 last night. She was sailing from Hong Kong to England. The Company has sent nine



search planes out to see if they can find any trace of the ship. So far no clues have been found. She was carrying two thousand passengers.

Max Woods

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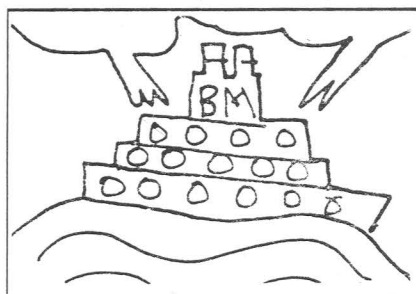
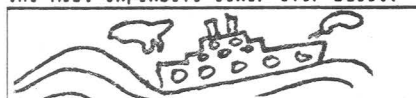
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DISASTER

Last night the Blue Moon sunk in the South China sea. It had been struck by lightning and then it caught fire. The captain quickly sent out an SOS. They had to abandon the Blue Moon immediately. Search planes rushed to the area but could find no sign of the Blue Moon.

Blue Moon was on her maiden voyage from Hong Kong. It was launched earlier this year and was said to be the most expensive liner ever built.



Charles Fox

Rescue

After an hour or two it became lighter. I asked Chris, "What's for breakfast?" He said, "There's water and biscuits." I hated the sound of it because I usually had pancakes, but I had to make the best of it! Then I saw some fluffy clouds. "Maddy", I said, "I think we are near land." A little later when the clouds got nearer Sarah agreed with me. She added "I don't know if it's the mainland or a deserted island." As we approached, to our dismay, we thought it looked deserted.

William Hutton

CHINA BANK

Primary Class 14 - Mrs V. Barker



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In Search of Dinosaurs

How I Found The Professor's Diary

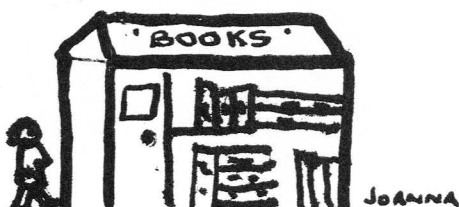
How I Found The Diary

It was 22 December, the school holidays had begun and I had not got a present for my mum or for my brother. They both liked books so I went to the second-hand bookshop to look for presents for them.

The bookshop was dusty, dim, full and very busy. There were tall bookshelves spilling over with books of all sorts. I hunted through the mystery novels for something that I thought my mum would like but could not find anything for my brother.

I decided to look in the boy's section and I saw a book called "G.I. Joe and the Night Fight". I opened it to see how much it cost when between the pages I saw another book. It said, "The Professor's Diary".

Joanna Absolom



How I Found The Diary

On my holiday, I said, "I wish I could go to the beach!" And one day I asked my mummy, "Can I go to the beach?"

"Yes."

"Yippee, I can go to the beach."

I went snorkelling with my daddy. We saw a diary under the rock. I snorkelled down and I picked it up and looked in it.

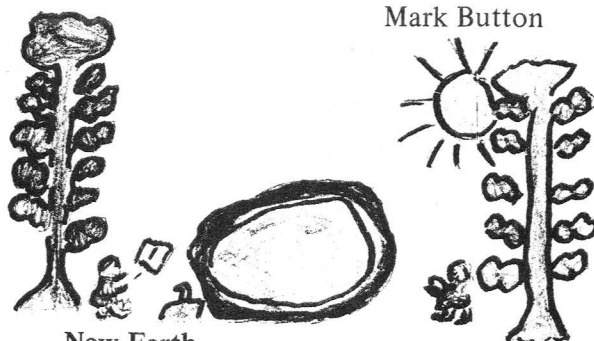
"I am going to do this."

And the next day I asked my mummy and daddy if I could go to the American Desert to find the dinosaur egg.

Norine Tan

How I Found The Diary

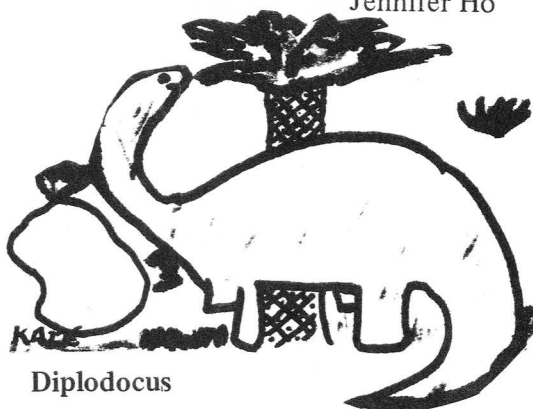
I found the diary in the Arabian Desert with my grandfather. We wanted to set up camp and were looking for an oasis, when I found a bottle. I thought there would be water in it but, in fact, there was a small exercise book full of writing. I read it slowly with growing excitement. It would be fun and thrilling to carry on the man's work and hatch a dinosaur egg.



New Earth

A foggy new world,
Slow thunderous dinosaurs,
Were plodding the earth.

Jennifer Ho



Diplodocus

Diplodocus was the longest of the Sauropeds. Because of her whip-like tail it would take only three of her to stretch all the way across a football pitch. She ate plants and had a very small brain.

Kate Deacon

Dinosaur

Terrible lizard,
The Greek word for dinosaur
Now they are all dead.

Sophie Corstin

Parasaurolophus

Parasaurolophus had the longest crest of all the Hadrosaurs. Its crest measured 2 metres from the tip of its nose. Hadrosaurs probably lived some of their time in water, their hands were webbed like a duck's and their feet had hoofs.

Christopher O'Neill

Massive Reptiles

Pre-historic times,
Strong, dangerous animals.
Massive and scaly.

Ceriel Coppus

Stegosaurus

The Stegosaurus lived over 150 million years ago. The Stegosaurus was one of the armoured dinosaurs. It had bony plates on its tail to protect itself from meat-eaters. The Stegosaurus was nine metres long.

Alexandra Judd

Ornithosuchus

Ornithosuchus was a carnivore. The word "carnivore" means meat-eater. The dinosaur's body was covered in green scales and it was a dangerous killer. It had strong sharp teeth to kill its prey with and its teeth were as sharp as knives.

Ornithosuchus was very much like Tyrannosaurus because both of them stood on two legs and they were both killers and meat-eaters. Ornithosuchus was a chicken-footed dinosaur and it lived in the Triassic period, which was about 225 million years ago.

Abigail Holdaway

Why The Dinosaurs Became Extinct



Why The Dinosaurs Became Extinct

One gloomy day on prehistoric Earth a big flood came. It started with light rain and gradually it became heavier and heavier until it became a flood and all the trees were washed away. All the dinosaurs were left standing on the muddy land with all the water around them and the rain pouring down.

Suddenly, there was a shout, it was a creature in an ark. He said, "Come in and you will be safe." But all the dinosaurs could not fit in the ark. There was a big rush to get to the ark and some dinosaurs like the Brontosaurus and the Diplodocus got stuck in the mud.

There was a shortage of rubber rings and when so many dinosaurs got on, the ark capsized.

Kelly McFadzien

Why The Dinosaurs Became Extinct

Long ago, in pre-historic times, there were animals called dinosaurs. They lived for over 150 million years. I think dinosaurs died out because their eggs were eaten and the one that ate them got so full that he died.

Samantha Dickinson

Why The Dinosaurs Became Extinct

There were lots of dinosaurs long ago. These are some of them, Brontosaurus, Tyrannosaurus and Stegosaurus too. A Tyrannosaurus tried to eat a Stegosaurus and the Stegosaurus hit a rock with its tail.

Some sparks of fire came out of it and it started a bush fire and all the dinosaurs were killed.

Christopher O'Neill

Dinosaurs

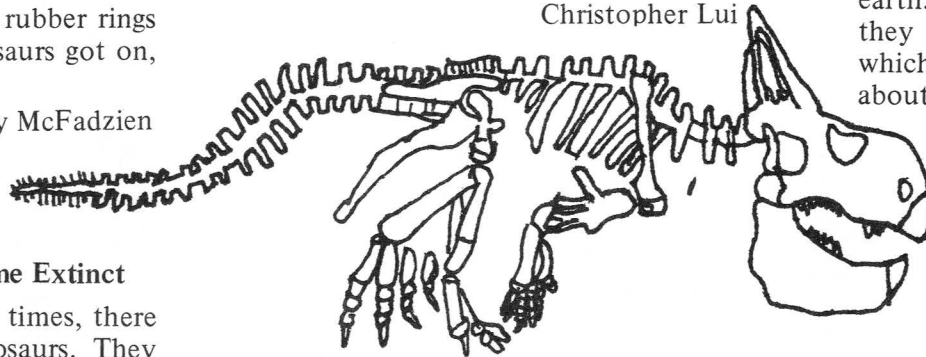
When the earth was new,
What dinosaurs roamed on it?
Too bad they died out!

Mark Egan

Why The Dinosaurs Became Extinct?

... maybe all the water dried up and all the plants died so that the plant-eaters starved and also the meat-eaters had a chance of eating the plant-eaters. Also the plant-eaters had no energy to fight, so most of them died. The meat-eaters were very happy but not for long. You see the plant-eaters, not having much to eat grew very skinny and so the meat-eaters starved too and that's how they became extinct. That's what I think. How about you?

Christopher Lui



Extinction

The huge dinosaur
Plodded along the desert.
Were there sudden floods?

Kate Deacon

Why The Dinosaurs Became Extinct

Two hundred million years ago, the earth's crust was very thin. The sun was getting hotter and hotter and the earth cracked like an egg's shell. Volcanoes erupted, fire exploded and all the creatures on the earth fell into the crack and died.

Ceriel Coppus



Why The Dinosaurs Became Extinct

About two million years ago dinosaurs roamed the earth. (Dinosaur means terrible lizard.) But up in space some strange gravitational forces pulled moons and stars and planets towards earth. As they sped faster and faster they brought with them meteorites which hit the earth and these brought about the end of the dinosaurs.

Edward Hallett

Diplodocus

Long-necked and stumpy,
Far from his green swampy home,
A plodding creature.

Samantha Dickinson

The Expedition...

The First Expedition

After we found the Professor's diary we set off to the shed that was mentioned in the diary. In the shed there were lots of things. We took the following objects: a rope, a compass, a torch and a bag.

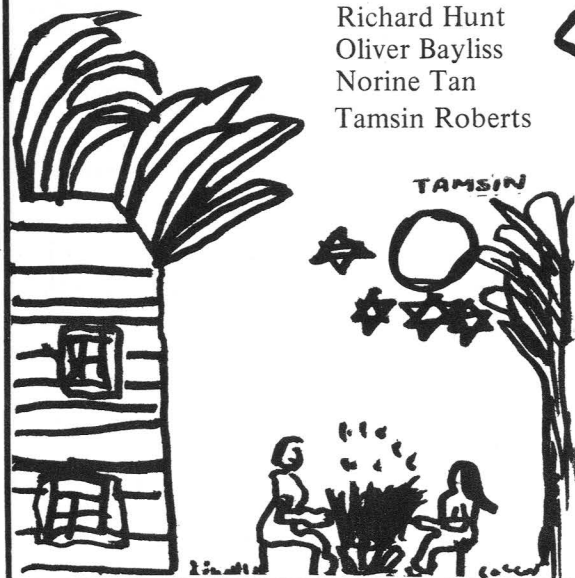
It was a rather drizzly day as we set off to the west. We walked along the road for a few miles and then we came to a big rain forest. The trees were bunched up so that we were unable to get through and so we turned round and went back to the shed because the rain was getting harder.

We collected our raincoats and set off from the shed. We walked along the road for two or three miles when we saw a large hole in the ground. We pulled out our torches and walked over to the hole. We looked in and decided to explore it. Inside it was soggy and damp, water was dripping from the ceiling and rats were scuttering around.

After bumping ourselves on the walls and getting sore elbows we managed to get through the tunnel. Finally, we saw sunlight shining in our eyes.

It seemed a good place to camp for the night.

Richard Hunt
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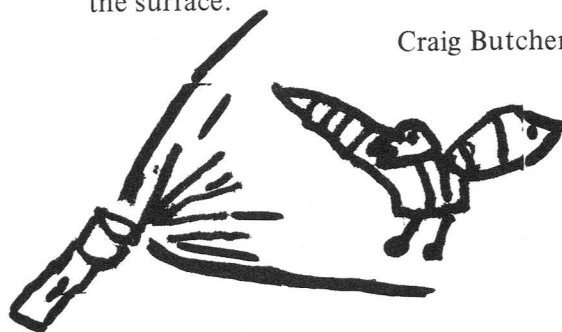


In The Cave

I was in the cave. The cave had moss but only in the entrance. The walls were damp and rocky. The light from my torch shone in a circular yellow beam lighting up the distance. It shone on bats and food which had been discarded by the bats. I heard screeches but ignored them.

I felt water start to fall on my head. I protected my torch but I slipped on the rocky surfaces. I held onto the torch so that it did not break. Its light glistened on the water that dripped down the walls. My torch began to fade and I lost all communication with my surroundings. I walked on and touched the solid mud which had hardened. I pushed it but it was unyielding. I turned to the other direction and saw lights that helped me to see where I was going. I climbed out of the hole and saw that I was at the surface.

Craig Butcher



The Cave

My torch was shining so brightly that I could see a long way in the cave. After a time my torch seemed to fade and after a time it was dark because the water was dripping on my torch. I had a waterproof one. It did not work so I could not see but I could go on with the journey. I had to depend on my hands and my legs.

The floor was rocky and the walls were rocky and I could hear bats and then I could see light. It was the sun. I was out.

Christopher Prior

The Tunnel

I am at the beginning of a long tunnel. I shine my torch, it only covers a very small area. I go into the dark and gloom of the tunnel and walk further in. After about an hour my torch gradually grows dim. The batteries had run out. I had brought two spare batteries in case this happened. I put them in.

The yellowish beam of my torch comes back on. Six crystals sparkle in the torch light like stars shining in the moonlight. I am just about to go on when I hear the flapping of bats. I jump, I am becoming scared of the tunnel.

Suddenly, I see daylight. I run towards it. I trip over, my torch falls to the ground and goes out. I pick it up but it won't go on. I walk towards what I think is the end of the tunnel. I go right and sit down and go to sleep. When I wake up I walk down the passage to my left and find I am in a maze of tunnels. I shiver because I am cold. I walk through the maze. It is no use. I am lost.

Richard Hunt

In The Cave

The torch lit the way. The long sharp stalactites hung from the roof and the stalagmites stuck up from the floor like giant's teeth. My torch seemed to fade and I could not see as well as before.

The light had become smaller and smaller and had almost disappeared and I could no longer see, and then finally it disappeared like a pin-prick. I had to depend on touch and hearing. The walls were damp, rough, and cut my fingers all over. My feet were bruised as I stumbled against the stalagmites.

Insects scuttered across the floor. I suddenly felt tired, I curled up on the rough ground and fell asleep in the darkness of the cave.

Sophie Corstin

Crystals

Crystals are a form of mineral. They come in different shapes. These are symmetrical and each mineral has its own shape. Crystals are found in rocks. They are formed by molten lava that cools slowly under ground.

Gems are the most precious crystals. They are precious because they are rare and beautiful. There are four gems that are precious because you do not find them often. They are diamond, emeralds, sapphires and rubies.

There are many semi-precious gems such as opal, jade, agate, rose quartz, and lapis.

We can make crystals by making a saturated solution with water and sugar or salt, calcium chloride, potassium permanganate or copper sulphate. We can make sugar crystals. If we allow the water to evaporate slowly crystals are left behind.

Hank Lynch



In The Cave

My torch gleams in the damp, dark cave,
Scuttering and flapping of bats,
They fly through the rocky passages.

In the cave the sound of water,
It drips on the solid wall.

The shining of the yellowish beam from my torch

Gleams,

Showing me the way through the blackness.

Suddenly . . . light.

The sun comes creeping in.

Catherine McDowall

My Conversation With The Hermit

I met a strange-looking man near the shed and this was our conversation.

Knock, knock.

"Who's there?"

"It's your old pal, Ollie."

"What do you want?"

"I want to know about the Professor."

"The Professor!"

"Yes, the Professor."

"Come in."

"Thanks."

"Now, what do you want to know about the professor?"

"How does he hatch dinosaur eggs and where does he get crystals?"

"Why?"

"I'm finishing off his work."

"Then I will help you. You find the crystals in the mine."

"How do you get to the mine?"

"It's on the map and you need the incubator to hatch the eggs. It's on Stegosaurus Island and that is on the map too. Here is the map."

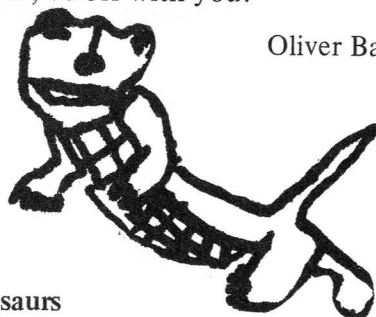
"Thanks."

"Oh yes, you need a sea chart. It's in a chest in the wreck and the wreck is on the map too."

"Thanks."

"Now, be off with you!"

Oliver Bayliss



Dinosaurs

Roaming dinosaurs,
Thundering feet, clashing teeth,
Walking so slowly.

Tamsin Roberts

Ancient Life

Scaley plodding things,
Massive, thunderous and slow,
Long-tailed dinosaurs.

Edward Hallett

The Second Day

We woke up at 6 in the morning. We continued our journey into the mine. As we entered we switched on our torches and saw damp moss and water dripping down the walls.

We first went forward into the mine, we bumped into its rough walls. We turned left at an angle of 90° and carried on forward. We first saw a green egg, and we were surprised that a mine would have eggs but we didn't need green eggs so we carried on forward. After a while we found a yellow egg and that is what we needed. We put it in padding and carefully put it in our bag.

Next we had to look for the crystals. They needed to be green. So we turned 90° and went nine steps forward. After that we turned 90° again and found the green crystals. We put them in the bag where we had put the eggs. We left at last and were glad to get out into the sunshine.

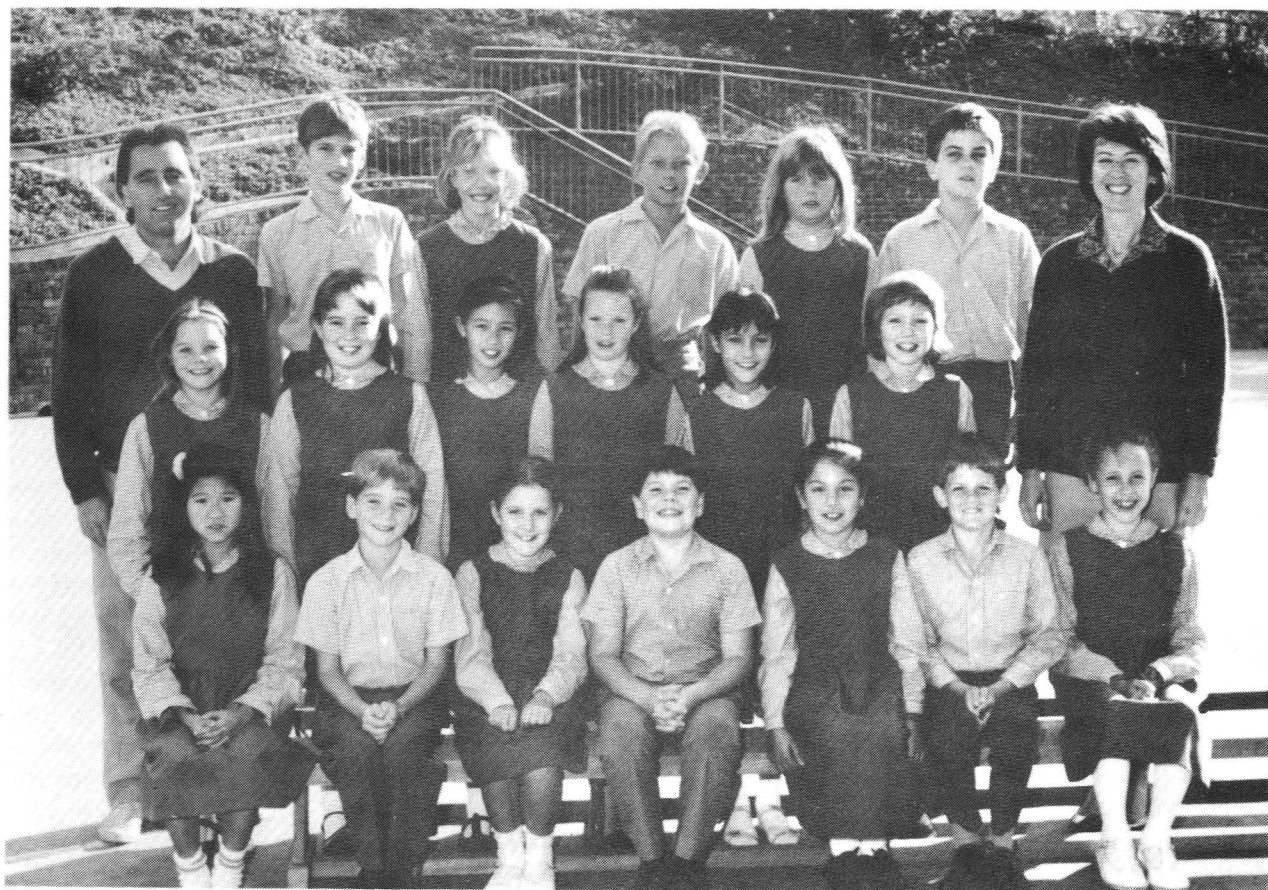
We tried to get to Stegosaurus Island as quickly as we could. First we had to go through the tunnel using our torch, then we visited the hermit who gave us information about the Professor and also gave us a key. We went through the desert and finally made it to Stegosaurus Straits. After a difficult sea voyage we got to the island where we successfully hatched a Brontosaurus egg.



Mark Egan
Jennifer Ho
Christopher Lui
Alexandra Judd



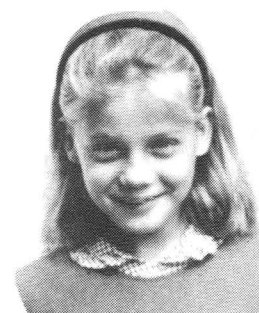
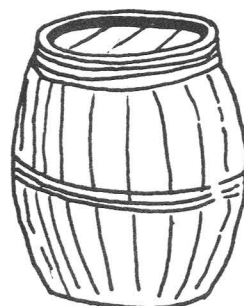
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Hannah Biggs



Annemieke Vink

Saqqara Stories and Poems

Saqqara

You may have heard of a young man,
Named Pharaoh Tutenkhamun,
Who people say was murdered,
By the priests of the god Amun.
But now in the Sahara,
You will find Saqqara,
That has glittering sand,
Covering all of the land.
Near the Great River Nile,
Home of the sacred crocodile.
In our Saqqara excavations,
We disagreed in conversations.
Discovered many ancient mummies,
But never any ancient daddies.
But Zoser was a mighty king,
Who had to do a lot of prep,
He also had an architect,
Whose name was good old Imhotep.
In the Step Pyramid,
There is a tomb,
That people whisper,
Will lead to doom.
In two months time,
We'll end our final steps,
Hopefully we'll find,
That tomb of Imhotep's.

Joanna Yao

My Sahara Story

I was driving through the hot
wasteland with the scorching,
uncomfortable sun blazing down on
me. I lifted my binoculars and saw my
first sight of the shimmering pyramid.
Then out of the corner of my eye I
noticed a section of an ancient worn
roadway.
I followed this road thinking that it
had probably been used by golden
chariots with crowned and
silver-covered stallions. Could it be?
Could it not? Could it lead to the
Pyramid of Unas?

David Hamblin



Saqqara Poem

Searching through the hot desert
sands.
Legends told about a hidden pyramid,
Eventually we discovered it,
I raced towards the triangular shape.
Hurrying, my group followed me.
Around the pyramid we stared
amazed,
Imhotep's tomb! We found it!
And we danced wildly together.

Kathy Marshall

The Tomb

Walking through the Saqqara air,
The baking wind,
Blowing hot sand in your face.
The hot blistering desert
Is burning your feet.
Suddenly I spotted some pot shards!
I knelt down to examine them
thoroughly,
Lifted them up delicately,
And put them in a special bag,
Hoping that they wouldn't break.
We walked back to camp,
To examine them more carefully.
When we got back it was late at night,
And the workmen were cooking
dinner.
Suddenly an animal ran past us.
Slyly it stole a chicken leg.
And took us to . . . Imhotep's tomb.

Thomas Ayres

Discovery In Egypt

We were searching,
In the desert.
The entire viewless wasteland,
With hot air blowing.
Raging against my cheeks.
But then as we glanced away,
"Pot shards".
We examined them thoroughly,
With excitement.
We put our gloves on,
Carefully marked the finds,
And took them back to base.

Simon Shannon

In The Desert

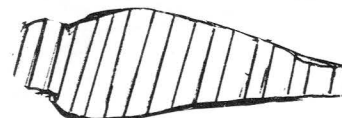
I was walking along the desert sand
knowing where I was going when I
saw something up ahead. It was blurry
but I could just see large puddles of
cool, refreshing water a distance away.
I started running as fast as I could
because my water bottle had run out.
My throat was so dry that my tonsils
were aching. I ran and ran but still
couldn't find the precious water. Now
I was beginning to feel exhausted so I
stopped for a moment. I thought that
I must have passed the oasis but I
couldn't have. Then I walked on to
the camp because I knew that it must
have been a mirage. I slowly staggered
back to camp, to drink, eat and rest.

Lindsay Ellis

The Hot Desert of Saqqara

Walking along the boiling ground,
You see a camouflaged snake,
Burying itself in the sand.
A lizard scuttles over the sand dune.
To save himself from burning
He does a strange dance.
You move forward,
And there you see,
A mirage of a lake,
In the distance.
You hear a whirlwind behind you,
And imagine a sand-storm,
You begin to feel afraid,
Suddenly, the noise is gone,
You look behind you,
And give a sigh of relief,
You start on your way,
Back to camp,
And there in front,
You see a rock,
As you put your hand on it,
It goes black as coal,
You shout Aaaaah!!!

Kate Smith



Salty Sea Tales



Shark!!!

Nice black eyes,
Deadly teeth,
I'm not a tiger shark,
I'm not a grey nurse.
I'm a GREAT WHITE!
I feel myself racing through the water,
With my huge triangular teeth,
Snapping savagely,
At every living thing.
I gobble them down.
Blood is everywhere.
Death has come.

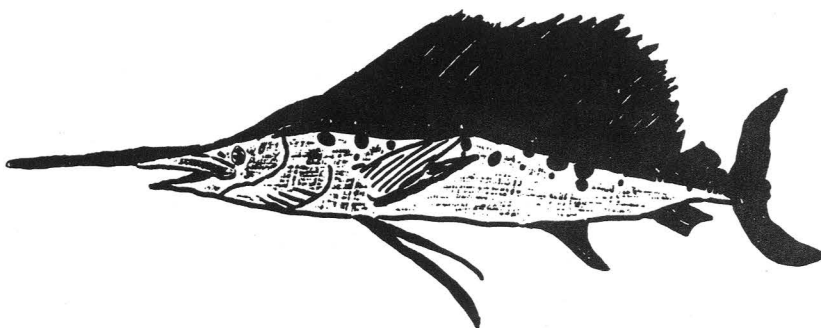
Simon Shannon

A Sardine's Point of View

The most amazing creature in the sea is the Screaming Lumpy Rubber Fish. It seems that humans are very cruel to these creatures but only humans that are bigger, of course.

There are lots of different breeds of the Screaming Lumpy Rubber Fish. Some of them have big, square rubber boxes near the top of their bodies. Some of them have round rubber circles round the middle of their bodies. Some of them even have both. First, the human would walk along the sand carrying the Screaming Lumpy Rubber Fish and then place it in the water. Then the Screaming Lumpy Rubber Fish really starts screaming and splashing its long, fat stalks in the water. This doesn't last long because soon an even bigger human comes along and takes it out.

Madeleine Boshier



This is a Chinese Bigteeth. The name Chinese comes from the hair under his mouth and his eyes. The name Bigteeth comes from his big teeth in his mouth. It lives in water in South America. It eats fish and people and is five metres long. It lives to be 1,000 years old.

Don't forget this: he is dangerous and very slimy too. The sharp fin is very poisonous. It has long ears because the baby Bigteeth keep pulling his ears and they keep getting bigger. He has forty small teeth and two big teeth.

Annemieke Vink



Shark Attack

Attacking the bait tied to the cage,
Tugging with all its might.
Trying to bite its way through steel bars,
Angrily thumping its way into the cage,
Chewing the meat off with difficulty.
Killer, now satisfied, swims away.

Clare BATTERY

A Scuba Diver from a Shark's Point of View

It has one big eye and a rubber tube coming from his head. Its skin looks like a dolphin's. It has one big piece of metal on its back. I wonder what that is for and I wonder if I could eat it? It likes to swim slowly and becomes excited when they find things. They always seem to be afraid when I go near them to get a closer look. They are usually found in small schools and at least one of them has a stick which hurts when it touches my head.

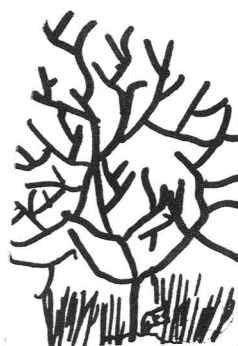
Graham Elliott

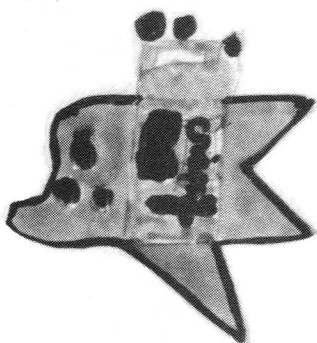
From the Saddle-back Butterfly Fish's Point of View (when he sees a scuba diver)

That thing over there pointing at me rudely has a very funny body structure. It has one big glass eye, a long stalk coming from its mouth, a big mound of metal stuck to its back, two other tubes coming from its mouth again leading to the metal. It is very big and has lots of straps on it, big flippers and is very colourful. Oh, here comes Mr Catfish, he's very wise. I bet he knows a lot about this extraordinary creature.

"Mr Catfish, what is that thing? What does it eat and where does it live?"
"Oh, that is a scuba diver, the food of this creature is anything and it lives on land." And with that he swam away and so did the scuba diver.

Hannah Biggs

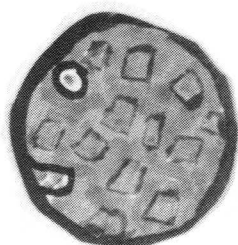




The Three-eyed Dustbin Fish

NAME: TheThree-EyedDustbin Fish.
 HABITAT: It lives in polluted places like Fragrant Harbour.
 COLOUR: Changes, depending on what it eats, usually black.
 DIET: Whatever it sees floating around.
 HOBBY: Swimming and eating.
 SIZE: Size ranges from 10 to 60cms.
 OTHER INFORMATION: It has three eyes and looks like a dustbin because it has a dustbin in the middle of it.

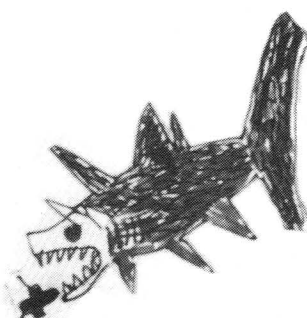
Luisa Allen



THE HAMFISH

NAME: Hamfish.
 LENGTH: 69cm.
 HABITAT: Follows junks to get ham. Children throw the ham sandwiches that they don't like into the sea.
 COLOURS: Blue, red and pink.
 DIET: He is a meat-eater and loves ham.
 HOBBIES: Eating and chasing after junks.
 WEIGHT: 3kg.
 OTHER INFORMATION: He looks like a big pizza and he changes to look like a grey rock. He is nice to people and they are nice to him.

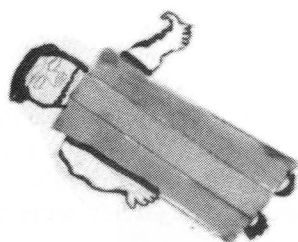
Kathy Marshall



Pocky Shark

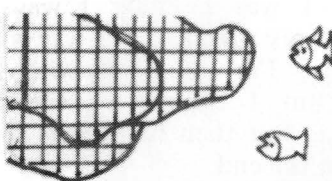
NAME: Pocky Shark.
 LENGTH: 240 metres.
 WEIGHT: 100,000 kg.
 HABITAT: Mariana Trench.
 HOBBY: Breaking radio messages, guessing the nationality and eating.
 DIET: Submarines but it thinks they are plankton.
 HOW TO ATTRACT IT: You cannot attract it but you can drive into it but I don't advise you to do that!

Antti Ahtiluoto



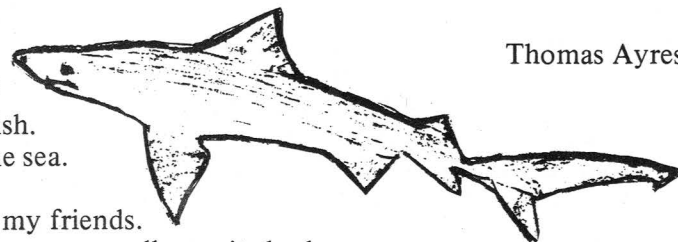
A Fish's View of an Airbed

NAME: Spongy Floating Rectangle.
 DIET: It doesn't eat much but it drinks the water.
 HABITAT: It lives all over the sea by beaches.
 SIZE: Two metres long and one metre wide.
 MARKINGS: Red, blue and white stripes.
 OTHER INFORMATION: A big ball shape comes out one end and two dangly things at the other end.



A Fisherman's Net Described by a Small Fish

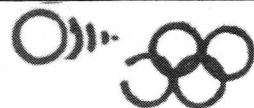
NAME: Hairy Monster Fish.
 HABITAT: Everywhere in the sea.
 LENGTH: Gigantic.
 DIET: Fish like me and my friends.
 MARKINGS: Very hairy and has squares all over its body.
 OTHER INFORMATION: It's very dangerous and keeps moving all the time.



Thomas Ayres

Jasmina van Dreil

Not Quite The Olympics



Once my cousin David was on a horse and all of us had to hug the horse's neck. He leaned down and the horse bent its head but David was clinging on to the horse's neck or else he would have fallen. Everyone laughed because David was screaming with laughter.

Clare Buttery

Once I put a golf ball on the tee and swung at it with my club. I expected it to go for miles but when I looked up the ball was not airborne. Then I looked down and was about to cry because the ball was still on the tee.

Simon Shannon

I was horse-riding when I went down a slope and the saddle slipped and I fell off and rolled down the slope with the horse on top of me.

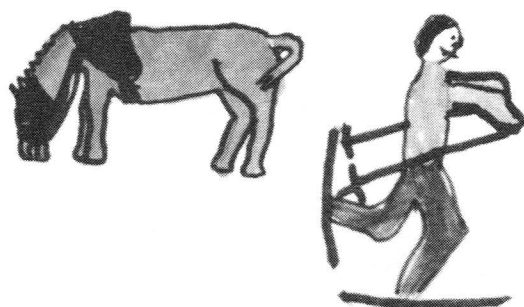
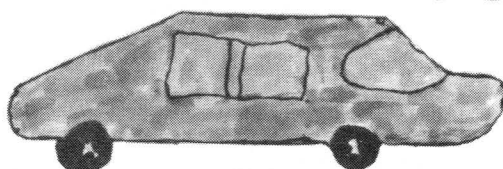
Kate Smith

An Australian big-game fisherman had a Tuna on his line and a Mako ate it. The next day he went hunting for it but he took the wrong rod and the Mako gave one big tug and the nylon wire snapped!

Antti Ahtiluoto

We were skiing in Switzerland and on the second day we were there we had skied half-way down the mountain. The chair-lift was starting to go up when I dropped my stick. My mum shouted back to my dad, "Emma's stick!" He said, "We'll get it next time." So we went back up to the top and skied half-way down again but then we found that it wasn't at the bottom of the chair-lift. We went back up to the top and fortunately it was there.

Emma Peacock



Once I was horse-riding and I came to a jump. Suddenly the horse threw me off but it jumped over without me.

Thomas Ayres

At Sea World we were watching the diving and the divers were doing really funny things. They would dress up like clowns before they jumped. Once one of them dressed up like a witch and rode a broomstick down to the water.

Madeleine Boshier

When my dad was young he was just going for a swim. He had put his swimming trunks on and went to the toilet. He came out ready to swim so he dived in the shallow end, smashed his tooth and had to have a gold one fitted.

Mark Evetts

I was going on a hack in England when my horse started to gallop. I fell off and the horse galloped away without me.

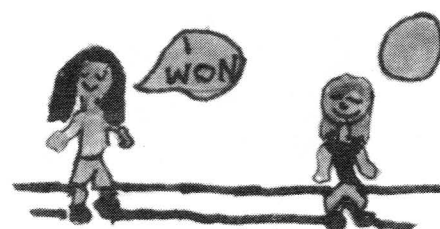
Graham Elliot

My uncle and one of my cousins are both really interested in cars. Aunty had always said, "Put your seat-belts on when you are in the car." Once when we were going back home after a party we saw our cousins without their seat-belts on.

Alexandra Aldcroft

Once I went to Kate's house to swim and she lent me some shorts. But they were too big so when I dived in I had to hold them tight.

Sarena Harvey



When we went skiing, my dad said he was a very good skier. Then he went out on the slope and started skiing. Suddenly he fell on his nose and it started bleeding.

Jasmina van Driel

I was riding on a pony called Heidi when the saddle slipped up her neck. She bent down to eat and I tumbled down and ended up between her forelegs.

Hannah Biggs

I was riding a pony called Tinkerbelle and we were cantering around the paddock and Tinkerbelle's stirrups were crossed over. They were tinkling so we sang Jingle Bells.

Kathy Marshall

When I was in Italy I was racing against my friend and I was winning. I said, "I'm going to win. Ha ha ha!" But I tripped so she started winning but then her shorts fell so I won in the end.

Veronica Pepe

Primary Class 16 - Mrs M. Davies



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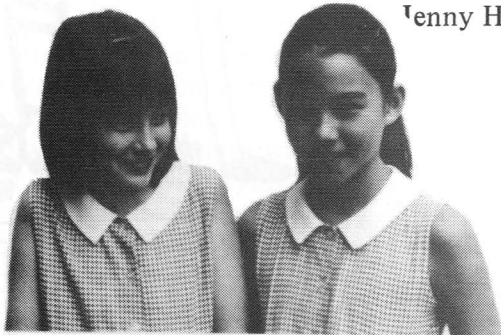
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Melanie Catley, Oonagh McCarthy

My Favourite Sport

I like the sport of tennis. I go to tennis lessons on Saturdays. Once I entered a tennis competition. I came second. In the next one I entered, I came first.

I remember the first time I held a tennis racket. I tried hard to hit the ball but I dropped my racket. I had another attempt but instead of hitting the ball with my racket, I hit it with my head!

My tennis teacher's name is Fredrik. He comes from Sweden. I have my lessons at the Marina Club. They are one hour long.

I do a lot of other sports. I think most sports are fun.

Nicole van der Mije



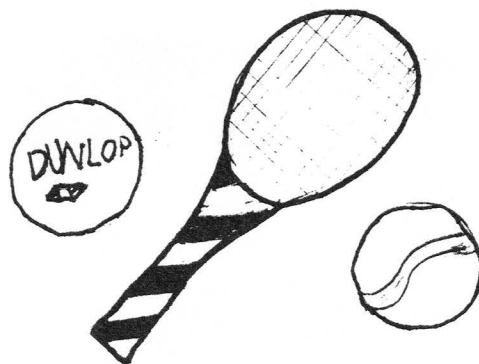
Tuesday Afternoon is Games

We all get changed.
Feeling excited,
We climb noisily onto the bus.
Mr Nevin shouts, "Be quiet!"
The bus arrives
At the field.
We jump off
And charge into the field.
As we separate into our groups
Noisy cars, trucks and vans
Go past.
I am playing hockey today.
We start our game.
I feel really good.
At the end of our game
We run for our drinks.
They're lovely and refreshing.
Picking up all the equipment
We go back to school.

Alice Barty



Sports



Interview with Mr Nevin

Mr Nevin plays several sports. He does football, squash, swimming and many others. He plays football on Sundays and the other sports when he can. Mr Nevin has played football since he was 3 years old. He has played squash since he was 20 and has been swimming from the age of 2.

Mr Nevin has played soccer in Ireland, Scotland, England, Greece, Singapore and in The Maldives. He trains every Tuesday and Thursday evening at the Hong Kong Football Club and he trains the Kellett School football team every Monday evening.

Mr Nevin would like to play tennis but he says he is hopeless at it. Mr Nevin told me that he could not serve very well in tennis.

I asked Mr Nevin if he had given up any sports and he told me that he had given up marathon running because it took up a lot of time. But he thought that he might take it up again. The last marathon he ran was in Singapore in 1985.

I asked Mr Nevin if he would recommend any particular sport to children. He said swimming because it is a clean sport, helps you enjoy other water sports, is important for safety and uses all your muscles.

Johane Royds-Jones

My Favourite Sports

Two sports I like are swimming and tennis.

I have swimming lessons three times a week. I swim at the Aberdeen Marina Club on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. I normally have to practise front crawl, breast stroke and butterfly. Then we practise for the swimming gala. I normally win the breast stroke, come third in the front crawl and last in the butterfly. Sometimes we do back stroke.

I play tennis sometimes with my mummy and daddy. We normally lose the balls! I play tennis at the Aberdeen Marina Club.

I also go out for walks with my family quite a lot. For our walks we depend on mummy but we often get lost. The last time we got lost, we were very hot.

Every Tuesday we go to the field with the school. There, we play rounders, netball, football and hockey. When we go to the field my favourite sport is rounders. We sometimes play rounders in the school playground.

Joanna Lewis



Tuesday Afternoons

Down the stairs and
 Into the bus, we bounce.
 I'm carrying the basket of drinks
 And it's heavy!
 The bus starts.
 A teacher shouts, "Quiet!"
 When we reach the field
 We leap off the bus,
 Push through the gate and
 Run up to the bench.
 Mr Nevin says, "Primary 5 boys –
 Football"
 Great!
 Warm ups first,
 Then we have a game.
 Goal!
 At the end of the game
 Its a draw 1 - 1.
 We run to our drinks
 Gulp!
 Down they go.
 Now the drink tray feels lighter!
 We carry the equipment
 Back onto the bus
 And return to school.

Cameron Harris



My Favourite Sports

I have swimming lessons at Aberdeen Boat Club. I can do breast stroke, back stroke and butterfly. I have my lessons on Saturdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays. Sometimes I go there with my auntie. My lessons last two hours. In school I do lots of different kinds of sports like gymnastics and hockey. I do gymnastics on Fridays and hockey on Tuesdays. In winter hours we go to the field to do games. I like to play football and tennis best when we are down on the field.
 On holidays I play tennis with my mum and dad. I love playing sports with my mum and dad.
 Sports are great. They are fun, exciting and good for you.

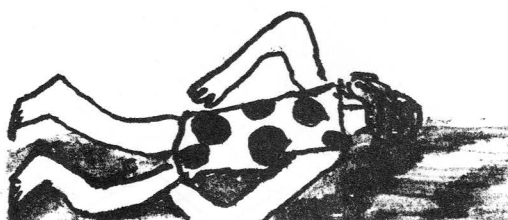
Loralei Pemberthy



Tuesday Games

Everyone is rushing
 Onto the bus.
 "Can you sit with me?"
 "SIT DOWN!" Mr Nevin shouts.
 Pushing, shoving,
 Jumping off the bus.
 Running to the field.
 "Mrs Davies' class,
 Come with me," calls Mrs Cook.
 "We are going to play hockey."
 Oh, I love hockey!
 I am in the red team.
 Blues score a goal.
 Oh no!
 Then it's my team.
 We score a goal.
 We all run everywhere
 Trying to score the winning goal.
 "You don't all go
 After the ball at the same time,"
 Says Mrs Cook.
 "Yes, Mrs Cook."
 I get the ball and I score!
 My team wins.
 We have a drink
 Before going back on the bus.
 "Harriet, Jenny and Nathalie,
 Carry the equipment
 Onto the bus, please."
 "Us again!"
 I sit with Anna on the way back.
 I can't wait until
 Next Tuesday games.

Harriet Inglis



Tuesday Afternoon is Games

Jumping on the bus,
 Everybody making a lot of noise.
 At the field we wait
 To be put into our groups.
 Maybe we'll have football today,
 Maybe rounders.
 Who knows?
 Boys like football.
 Girls like rounders.
 It's all a lot of fun.
 I am playing football.
 I score the winning GOAL!
 I feel tremendous.
 Everybody gives a cheer.
 At the end of the game
 Everyone's thirsty.
 We dive for our drinks
 And go back to school.

Michael Brownjohn



My Favourite Sports

On Tuesdays and Fridays I go swimming. I can swim 800 metres without stopping. I can swim butterfly, freestyle, back stroke and breast stroke. I go to the Jockey Club to swim.

On Monday afternoons I play football at school. Mr Nevin takes us. I hope this year that I can get in the team!

At one o'clock every Tuesday we go to the sports field where we do sports like football, rounders, hockey and cricket. On Fridays we do P.E. Sometimes we do it in the hall and sometimes we go out to the playground. In the hall we do movement on the apparatus. In the playground we do rounders and other activities.

On my holidays I do different kinds of sports. I play badminton, football, baseball, tennis, cricket and table tennis. We go to Asia, Africa and Europe on our holidays.

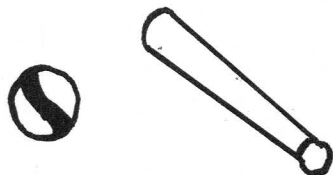
I think sports are great!

Joseph Ng

Tuesday Games

It's Tuesday.
 Today we have games
 On the field.
 Excitedly we all get changed,
 And climb on the bus –
 Noisily.
 A teacher tells us to be quiet.
 At last we're there.
 We get off the bus
 And run into the field.
 Some children play football
 And others play hockey.
 The best is rounders.
 It's a fun game.
 After we have played our games
 We have a drink.
 We feel tired and sweaty
 And glad to go home.

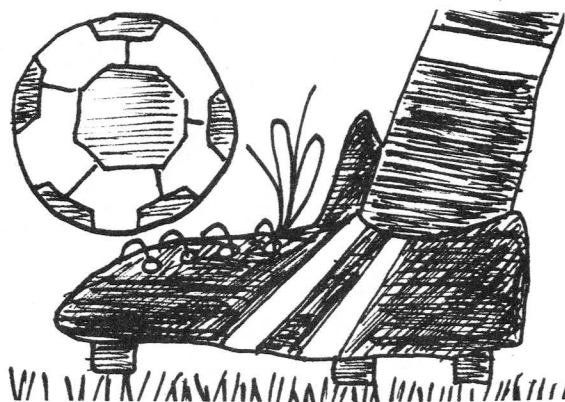
Jenny Hochstetter



Sports

There are lots of different sports to do. I like to go horse-riding, play golf and tap dance.
 For horse-riding, you need a saddle and a bridle. For golf, you need different kinds of golf clubs – woods and irons. You also need a putter. In tap, you need tap shoes. They have a piece of metal on the heel and the toe to tap out the sounds.
 Most people do at least one sport. I'd like to take up archery. I've done it before. You need to be quite strong (I'm strong!) and it's great fun.
 In horse-riding I have won two rosettes, one for coming second and the other for coming third. In golf, I've won a golf ball and a golf towel.
 I think sports are great fun. I don't lose my energy easily! I just love sports.

Anna Smith



Sports

One of my favourite sports is swimming because it cools me off on hot, sunny days. I love swimming freestyle. I do lots of swimming with Dad on our holidays. We always go to the Yacht Club. I can swim two or three whole laps in the Yacht Club pool.

My next best sport is gymnastics. After I've done something like a cartwheel or an Arab spring or even a backward roll, I feel proud of myself.

At school I do a lot of sports. My favourite sport there is benchball. It is fun and active. I think it is the favourite sport of our class. The other sport I play at school is rounders. Actually, rounders is my favourite sport. It is just FANTASTIC.

Sports are great but sometimes can be dangerous if you don't take care. Sports keep you fit and healthy.

Stephanie Ryan



Sports

One of the sports I like is swimming. I swim at the Hong Kong Football Club. I can swim 16 lengths. I like swimming because it is fun. I have been learning to swim since I was two years old. I can swim breast stroke, freestyle and back stroke. I have entered one swimming gala and I came fifth.

When I go on holiday I go horse-riding. My favourite horse is called Santana. I have been horse-riding every summer since 1985. I can walk, trot and do a bit of cantering. I sometimes do "Pony For A Day" where you groom the horses and tack them up.

I have given up tap dancing and ballet lessons. I thought they were boring. I like doing sports because they keep me fit and healthy. The sport I like to do most of all is swimming.

Melanie Catley



Tuesday Afternoon is Games

We rush to the bus
 And climb on.
 It's so noisy!
 Off we go to the field.
 It's a bumpy ride.
 At the stop we all get off
 And go into the field.
 Mr Nevin calls us over.
 We run to him
 And get put into teams.
 We race up and down the field
 With the ball.
 Then it's my turn
 Up and down I run.
 Hearing the shouts.
 I get closer to the goal.
 I score!
 It feels great!

Matthew Bone

My Favourite Sports

I like ballet because we do many different things. I go to ballet on Thursdays and Saturdays. My lessons last for one hour. I wear a leotard when I'm dancing ballet. The ballet school is in Pok Fu Lam. I have won a bronze and a silver medal in a ballet competition. In the competition I was dancing a dance with some other girls..

My next favourite sport is tennis. I like tennis because it is fun but it is not too easy. I had tennis lessons during my last summer holiday. I went with my brother and his friend.

I also like swimming. I have had lessons in the Aberdeen Boat Club. The lessons lasted half an hour. I think doing sports is good.

Marte Myrhe



Tuesday Afternoon Games

We get changed quickly and
Run noisily down the stairs,
Talking loudly all the way
On the bus journey to the field.
Jumping off the bus,
We run into the field,
Wondering what game
We are going to play today.
It's hockey!
I'm in the purple team.
We fight over the ball.
Our team scores three points.
We cheer!
Soon it's time to go back.
But first we have a drink.
Feeling hot and tired,
We arrive back at school.
But we're not as noisy as before!

Nathalie Goddard

Interview with Mr Miller

I interviewed Mr Miller about the sports he plays. I found out that Mr Miller's favourite sport is running. He also plays hockey, squash, tennis and tiddlywinks! He plays them at locations all over Hong Kong. Mr Miller belongs to the Hong Kong Football Club and the Cricket Club. The sports competitions Mr Miller has been in include hockey, marathon running, trampolining, badminton, rugby, squash and football. He has played in several foreign countries. They are Kenya, the United Arab Emirates, Canada, Korea, Taiwan, Thailand and India.

Mr Miller has won many medals, certificates and cups for playing sports.

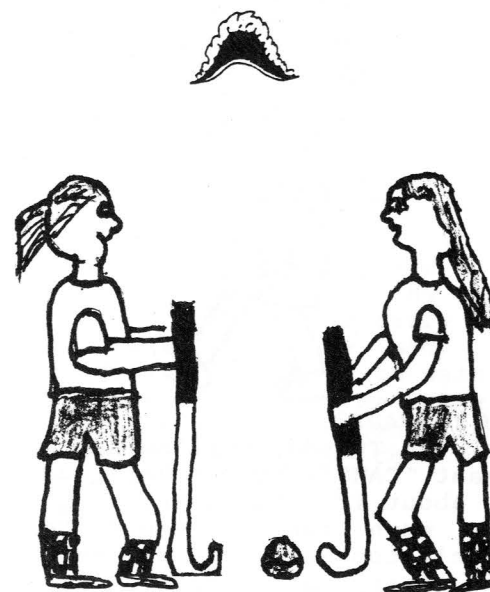
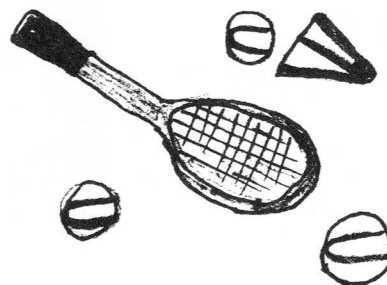
We asked him if he had had any injuries from sports. He told us that he has had two broken ankles, 14 stitches, a cut lip, and numerous bruises, cuts and grazes. His ankle had to be screwed together. All the sports he plays he takes very seriously. He has been playing hockey for five years, running for eight years and all the other sports for longer.

When he loses a game, Mr Miller goes up and shakes hands with the other player.

His favourite Olympic sport to watch is gymnastics.

The sports Mr Miller has given up are mountain climbing, parachuting, canoeing and rugby. He gave them up because he was too old to play them.

Darran Jones



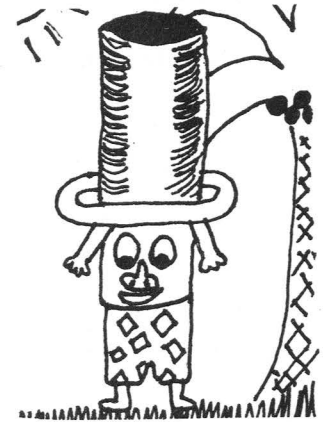
Hooray, It's Tuesday!

Tuesday afternoon
Time for games.
Getting changed.
What a rush!
On the bus
All the children are shouting.
Finally, we're at the field.
Pushing and shoving,
We climb under the metal chain
Attached to the field gates.
Racing to the benches,
We wait to be told
Which groups we will be in.
Am I ?
Am I going to be in rounders?
"All Primary Five girls in hockey"
Says Mrs Cook.
Ohhhhh!
A battle of sticks
Everyone in a muddle.
Who hit me with their hockey stick?
At half past two we finish.
A lovely, cool drink
Then it's on the bus again
Back to school.

Oonagh McCarthy



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AM I READY?

It was Tuesday morning and that meant "CAMP". My mum kept going on about if I had everything and how much fun it would be. I wasn't too sure. I arrived at the ferry pier, butterflies in my tummy. Soon everyone got there and we boarded the ferry at about 9.30. I cuddled E.T. as we splashed through the waves in the ferry.

"E.T. want to go home," moaned E.T.

"Me too," I whispered.

Horrible thoughts raced through my mind.

"How thin will the mattress be? Will I like the food?"

Well," I thought, "I'll soon find out."

CLARE

THE LONG WALK

I was going to die at any moment. We had been walking for two days without food or water. I had asked about a hundred times, "Can we stop now?" Every time the answer was "No!" We had walked passed dirty dogs, beaches, banana plantations, small water falls and worst of all we had a smelly and dusty dog following us. It was awful. I felt sick, hungry and worst of all thirsty. The sun was beating down on me and my legs were aching from walking so far. We must have walked about fifteen miles by now I thought. I would give anything for a cold drink. Suddenly I saw a drink shop. I ran forwards, I ran right through it. "Oh no," I thought, "it was a mirage."

MEGAN

A VIEW UNEXPECTED

Burrowing craters,
 Towering canyons,
 Everlasting holes.
 Hot, sweaty work.
 At last we stopped.
 What a magnificent view.
 The whole town before us.
 The silvery sea stretched away
 forever with islands
 motionlessly stuck like stepping
 stones.
 The valley leading down by
 windswept trees covering the
 dense hillside.
 A view unexpected.

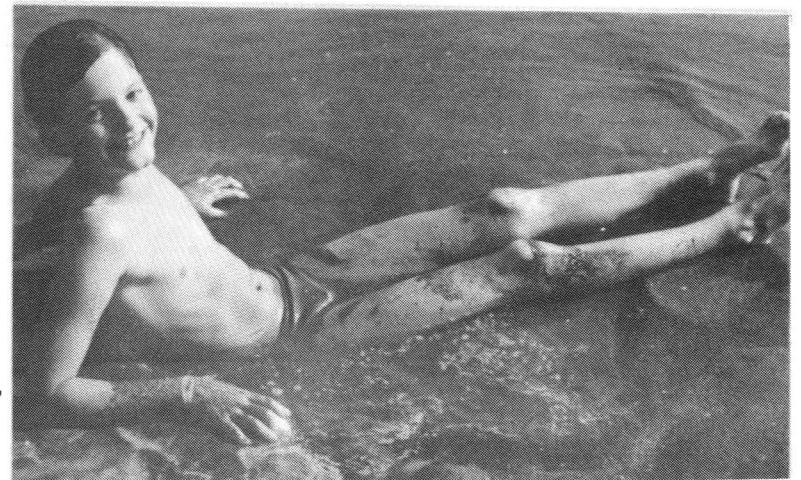
CAROLINE



SEA AND SURF

Sea and surf,
 Sea and surf,
 Bright, inviting,
 Sea and surf,
 Sea and surf,
 Flashing gaily,
 Sea and surf,
 Gushing boldly,
 Sea and surf,
 Rushing quietly,
 Sea and surf,
 Sparkling brightly,
 Sea and surf,
 Giggling slightly,
 Sea and surf,
 Sea and surf.

LEONIE



AIR RAID

The heat was unbearable but then I heard a little voice saying, "Squadron one coming into range," and "Don't shoot until you see the whites of their eyes." I got pretty worried about these secret conversations that were going on behind me. I quickly turned around and showed the whites of my eyes. Suddenly thirty rounds of mosquito bites circled me. I ducked to save my handsome looks, besides who would want a mosquito bite on the face? I took out my comb and used it as a boomerang. A few minutes later a fly in a F-15 fell to the ground. The plane however crashed in the hills. I was awarded champion fly catcher.

CAMERON



THE MYSTERIOUS FINGER

"What could that glow be?" I said as I woke up on top of the bunkbed.

.....I went down a step and there I was face to face with the glow. "Hold on," I said, "you're not a glow, you're a finger." I was right too! It was just one plain finger floating in the air. No other fingers, no hand, no arm, no nothing. There it was, a plain finger. "Huh, do you expect me to be afraid of you, you midget!" I said. When it heard this, I don't know how, it seemed to glow a lot more. Then it tried to tell me something, it told me in sign language. I think it wanted me to follow it because it was curling up and straightening again as if your teacher wanted you. "Do you expect me to follow you? What a joke," I shouted. Then suddenly a force started to pull me. It began to get stronger and stronger. It pulled me along the wet concrete until I, or we, reached an enormous hole. It was so big that it could fit a baseball field in it! And inside it was another finger. Not only one, but nine others. Then they slowly reached up to me. I couldn't run away because the force was still holding me. The fingers grabbed my legs and started to pull and pull, like I'm pulling yours!

RICHARD

HELP

Dear Mama,
How I wish you were here and I was at home. They did not let me bring my lotion and perfume. I have missed four of my beauty sleeps and I am getting red spots on my cute nose. My hands are itchy because I have to carry my bags. I also have a rip in my frilly underwear. My maid got sent back at the ferry pier and I have to make my bed. Can you believe it I have to wash my cup. They do not let me relax at the beach and get brown skin. I ask you, what is the world coming to?

ALANA

WASH

"Go and have a shower," Mr Marshall ordered. There was no way out. I was going to have to wash after all. I wasn't that dirty, I had only walked for seven miles. Mr Marshall's hand gripped my arm and he dragged me down the cold corridor to the dreaded bathroom. He tied me to a door handle while he turned on the shower. He then came back and untied me and took me to the shower. With one swift push I was shoved under the icy cold shower. In seconds I was as stiff as a board. I was completely frozen. Mr Marshall turned off the shower casually and left me there forever.

CALLUM



NIGHT TIME

It was dark and everyone was asleep, but oh no, not me. Suddenly I heard a loud buzzing sound and then a small voice said, "Umm, tasty human blood." Then I heard a scream. It's just the mosquitoes.

"They don't scare me," I said. Suddenly I heard a blood curdling scream. Maybe they could scare me after all.

AMY

CAMP BEDS

Camp Beds

Are as hard as rock,
Wobble,
Creak at night,
Rust,
Are haunted,
Are cold,
Are stiff.

It is better to sleep on the floor than a dreaded camp bed.

MEGAN

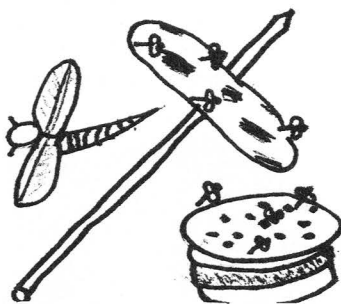
TO BED

To bed on a stone hard surface.
To bed on a 3mm thick mattress.
To bed on a completely unstabilized bunk.
To bed on something that Mrs Coultous said was comfy.
To bed on a

"Hey, what does this description remind you of?"

CAMP BEDS!

AMY



HUNGERITIS

My stomach sounded as if an elephant was blowing its nose. My tongue was hanging so low that I had to roll it up to put it into my mouth. Mr Marshall was doing it on purpose! The smell of the barbecue wafted up my nose and my senses told me that it was burnt sausages. I decided that I wasn't hungry any more.

LOUISE

CHUNG SHA BEACH

We got to Chung Sha Beach. The water was sparkling and calm. We went for a swim. Everybody was laughing and splashing. It was great fun. All of a sudden the ground started shaking. I fell to the sand and felt frightened. The ground split open and a mud monster slowly rose from the earth. Everybody started screaming and shouting.

ADENA



THE BEACH

I was swimming slowly in the blue water. This is the life. I saw something in the water, it was white. Could it be a jelly fish or was it a plastic bag? It was drifting towards me. I was not sure that it was not a jelly fish but it did look exactly like a plastic bag. Every move it made it came closer towards me. I was curious and frightened. I just had to find out what it was. Oh no, it's going to charge me. I tried to swim to the shore. Ouch! I got stung by that jelly fish. So now I know that it was a jelly fish.

GUY

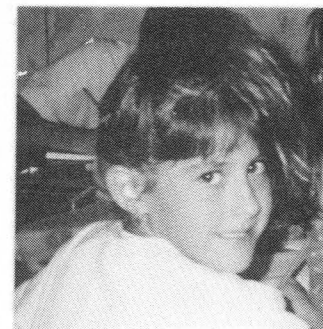


THE BUS

The bus was struggling up the long, thin, steep hill. I looked out of the window. The view was just a whole load of hills like an old, green bumpy carpet and in the centre was the reservoir with its faint ripples. The sun could just make its way through the hills and there was a patch of sunlight on the reservoir. I looked the other way, the concrete was crumbling off the road and when we turned the corner it was as though we were about to fall. The sea was shining since the sun could reach it. I looked up front. The driver was slouching over the steering wheel and one foot was completely out of the window. As we went higher the road started to get narrower and windier. The engine was getting louder and was fighting with the hill. The bus was vibrating and we were all bumping wildly in our seats. The engine was pushing its way round and just making it on every turn.

One day the bus will lose the fight, but hopefully not today.

NICOLA



LONG WALK

I saw the long curved path ahead. Grass was whipping across my legs. Rocks lay here and there, long pipes all over the place waiting to trip me up. Sweat was dripping down my face and my legs were killing me. I thought that I was going to collapse. I shouted, "Mr Marshall, can we stop!" I was dying of thirst. I couldn't wait 'till lunch. Another two hours to go. My stomach was rumbling and my hunger had dried my throat. I was starving. Another two hours....I collapsed.....

TAMSIN

BOOGAS IN THE LONG GRASS

THE DREAM VIEW

I stared at the foggy, rocky hills in the sky. It was like in a Chinese painting, the mountains with the mist. I sat there dreamily with my raincoat acting as a tent. I was cold, freezing and my sandwiches had gone hard. But that was not important. How could I store the beauty of the mist as it swirled around the hills? How could I remember this wonderful view?

WILLIAM



S.M.S

"Watch out!"

"Duck!"

"Be careful where you point that thing!"

We were allowed to have a go at the guns but when the boys tried they were danger areas.

"Stop pointing that thing at me!"

I held the shield which at least protected me from the maniacs.

"Why don't you say S.O.S."

"S.O.S? What do you mean?"

"Save our souls."

"Save our souls! You mean SAVE MY SOUL!"

"S.M.S.....S.M.S.....S.M.S....

NICOLA



BOOGAS

Boogas! Oh no, what will we do? Will they hunt us? Mr Marshall said that they lived in long grass and used spears and bonka hammers for hunting children. What made it worse was that there was long grass on either side of us! "Gulp!" I skipped up to Mr Marshall and slid my hand into his. He would protect me. Big strong Mr Marshall. As I walked past a tree I swore I saw two beady eyes staring at me! Shortly afterwards I heard a rustling noise in the bushes. I peered towards the vegetation and saw a spear head disappearing from sight. By now I wasn't the only one holding Mr Marshall's hand. Twenty - five others were holding poor Mr Marshall. Like a bunch of frightened monkeys we entered a clearing. Suddenly a war cry shattered the still air. Fifty-six eyes shot out of their sockets! Then, the whole clearing became a mass of confusion. Children running everywhere. Where was big, strong Mr Marshall? I heard a whistling sound and found an arrow in my hat!

"BOOGAS!"

STUART



ROCKSERVATION

It has taken years to make these fantastic rocks. These rocks are good pets for young and old. I.S.R. have made these rocks to teach man and aliens to be careful about what they are doing to these nice stones and to look out where they are walking. Every year hundreds of rocks are being killed by footsteps. We hope to stop this cruel murdering with our project.

LOUS



LISTEN TO THE ROCKS LAMENT

High above us disgusting creatures dwell,
Their horrible habits are spreading well,
They pick their nose 'till they bleed,
They bite their nails and on them feed,
Out from their eyes come waterfalls,
Some, when they're mad, bang on walls,
Their nasty voices are beyond compare,
They argue, moan and don't play fair,
They punch, kick and fight all day,
Until they finally get their way,
They run around and make a fuss,
Sometimes they even step on us,
So if something large treads on your face,
You know it to be of the human race.

GAVIN

THEY TOOK US THROUGH THE GALAXY

WONDERING

Wondering.....

Whether man's destiny is to
erase itself or to reach up and
conquer the stars?

Wondering.....

Whether alien life forms exist
and rule their own worlds or are
they make believe?

Wondering.....

Whether one day I will be up
there, floating in the heavens?

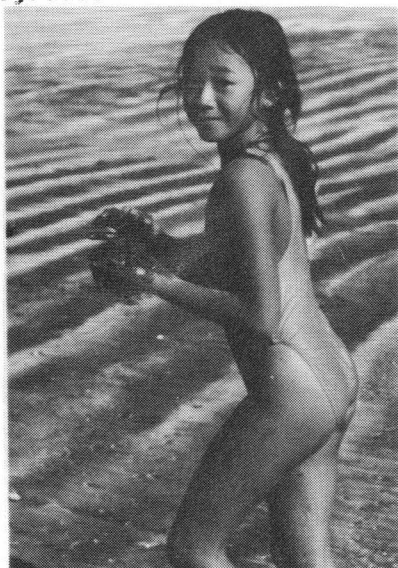
Wondering.....

A place where anything is
possible in a vast ever growing
space.

Wondering.....

Wondering.....

JULIAN



STAR GAZER

High, gazing widely through the
atmosphere,
Misty shooting stars beaming
closer,
Floating more deeply,
More deeply.
Men don't really understand.
Giant comets blasting towards
our deep and lonely world,
Flaming balls of burning gas,
Exploding everywhere.
All that was left was a deep
dark and cold sky.
Humungous beasts leaning over
our atmosphere,
Dreams of men in dangerous,
furious alien worlds.
This could surely be the end of
of the World we thought could
never end.

ADENA

QUESTIONS

Space so vast,

Our eyes are minds taking us as
far as we can see.

Does space ever come to an end?

Stars like diamonds,
Constellations being formed all
the time.

Are they formed for a reason?

Rockets being sent up trying to
find answers to all our
questions.

Will answers ever be discovered?

Messages being sent.

Will answers ever come back to
Earth?

Maybe from alien worlds?

Will anyone ever discover them?

Is man an enemy to the outer
world?

Did cave man ever wonder about
space as we do?

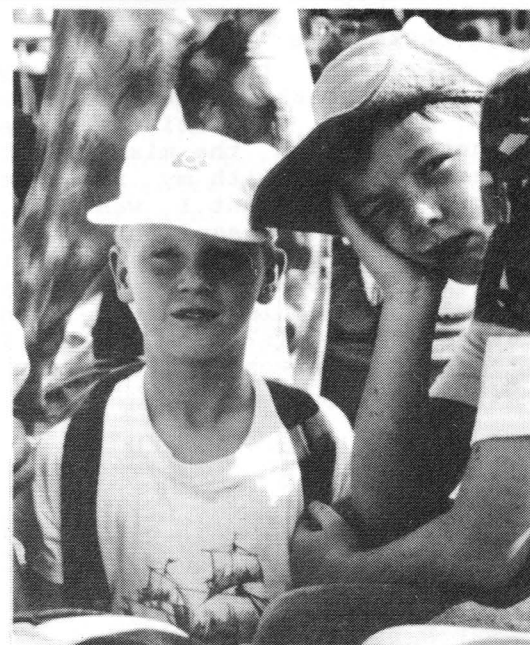
So many things to find out about
this magnificent world above us.
The world of never-ending space.

KIRSTY

STAR GAZER

Every time I look at the stars I
think, are there aliens out
there? Are they very powerful?
Will they destroy Earth and make
humans slaves on their planets?
I think that there might be
peaceful aliens out there that
don't have power at all. They
might be afraid of Earth. We
don't know. There are lots of
things that we don't know.

KLAUS



UNIVERSE

Never starting,

Never ending.

Ending never,

Starting never.

Never ending universe.

Never ending universe.

Never ending mystery.

ANGELA

STAR GAZER

Is there an end to space?

Still,

Alien worlds,

Turning, staring out of the
blackness of space.

Puzzlement,

Ignored,

Isolated Earth.

Rulers or destroyers of space?

Sending messages,

Only replied ten million years
later.

Is there life?

Ancient gods, hopes and dreams
on the vast emptiness of the
world above us.

Creation,

Stars come and go,

Twinkling, glimmering.

Questions come, questions go.

My dreams,

Space,

Filled with so many worlds,

Milky Ways, Galaxies.

MING MING



BACK TO THEIR HOME PLANET

ENCOUNTERS OF A CLOSE KIND

"Booga Planet dead ahead." I turned down the gear to 0.5 warp. "Do we have landing clearance?"

"Affirmative."

My heart was pounding, this was the first time humans had entered Galaxy 5, let alone sector 2.97. A strange buzz pierced the silence. "What's wrong?" I shouted.

"There's a viper on the starboard bow, sir."

"Status," I called. My head nervously flipped to the screen.

"Armed with 95 millivolt revolving lasers with lock on mechanism," came the reply.

GAVIN



BOOGA HOME PLANET

I could see the sun sinking into the ground.

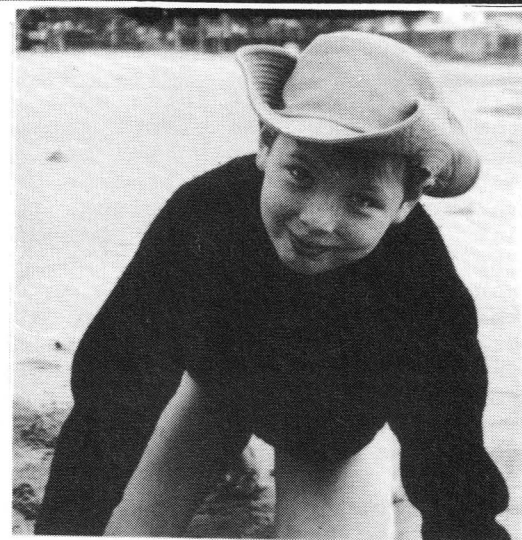
As we reached the Booga planet I noticed the crystal buildings rising into the sky. They were fantastic, they almost looked as if they were alive. It seemed as if they were breathing in and out. On the outside were lifts, they went up to the top then down into the building. Space hoppers were buzzing about in the huge sky. The trees seemed to have grown into all the shapes and sizes that you could imagine. It was a magnificent sight. Groups of Booga people came out to watch as we approached. I could now see the surface of the planet, it was rocky and sandy. A cloud of dust formed under us as we approached.

LYDIAN

BOOGAS' PLANET

Excitement filled me as we came closer to the Boogas' home planet. The air was filled with cries of wonder. A crowd of Boogas formed by the side of the Inter Stella runway. In the distance I could see the huge, tall towers of the ruby red buildings, the tops of which seemed to disappear into the clouds high above. The windows were filled with Booga faces. These were the business boogas. They only waited for us to land, then disappeared back into their buildings to get on with their work. I gasped in wonder, the buildings were made of the richest rubies that I had ever seen. Obviously such riches were worth nothing to the Boogas. We were greeted with warm hospitality. Space fruits were put before us. This was a great way to start our tour of the Boogas' planet.

ALANA



HARD HATS

The Boogas look funny and they have big hard hats like a metal disc with a hole. We asked them why and they said because in winter there are so many sharks and so much ice falling down from the sky, and in summer the sun is only ten miles away, so they have to put their hats on to protect their hair.

ANDY



BOOGAS

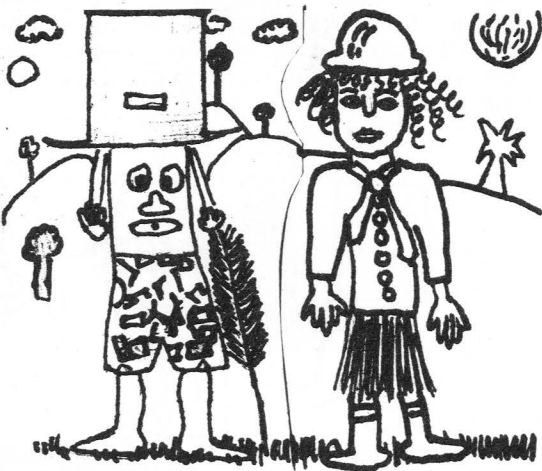
The Boogas crowded around us. They looked funny. Were they that kind of people? What happened to them? Were they born like that or were they transformed? The Boogas eat rocks which was strange. We tried some, they were hard but not to the Boogas.

GUY

PLANET BOOGA

We landed on the dark, dusty planet. There were three suns in the black sky. The planet looked deserted. Suddenly we saw a Booga - Booga coming towards us. He was wearing a huge black top hat and a pair of bermuda shorts. We opened the hatch. I would be the only one to enter the planet. I left the ship and stared around me. There was no vegetation, only rocks and sand for miles and miles. The rocks were tall and jagged and the sand was blowing in the wind. I followed the Booga to a large dark brown rock which opened as we got closer. My heart was beating faster with every step that I took. We entered the compartment and the rock closed. I felt myself being pulled down. We stopped and I was amazed to see.....

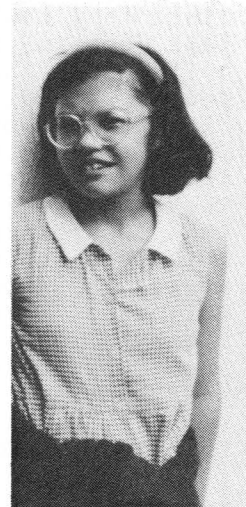
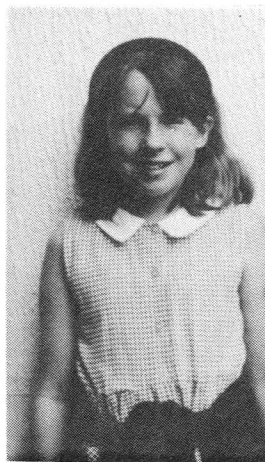
LOUISE



THANK YOU GLASSES

The Boogas in our space ship were jumping for joy at the sight of their home planet. We were told to put on dark glasses and as I looked out of the window I found out why. The sky was luminous yellow, the sea was fluorescent pink and the land was purple. I was glad that I didn't refuse to put on the glasses as I usually do, because if I had I would have been blinded immediately. Thank you glasses.

CLARE



THE INTER STELLA ROCKERY

It's a tiny bit like the Sydney Opera House, huge domes made out of glass and crystal. Boogas rushing to and fro with funny types of magnifying glasses and pet rocks in packages, funny shapes, funny sizes. A lift opens and out pop two Boogas with wheelbarrows. The busy feeling. I explored more. The place where pet rocks were made was amazing. Huge holes with crystals and around them mixtures of all kinds. Some had hot purple steam pouring out which made a drowsy, tired smell. Each hole had a machine which had knobs, syringes, buttons and pulleys. For as one Booga said, "To check if everything and the time is right." I walked on.

MING MING



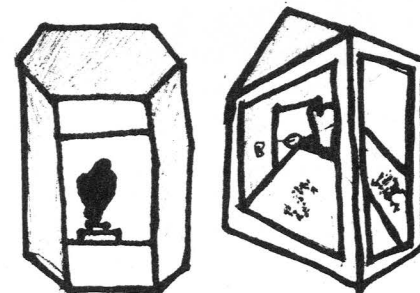
THE INTER STELLA ROCKERY

The enormous dome is filled with illuminating blue lasers sending a soft glowing light across it. As we enter the dome you will notice the many rocks on pedestals in glass cocoons which create their environment. If you are lucky you will meet one of the scientific boogas, who are quiet but friendly. Now if you follow me into the space centre you can view the making of the pet rocks.

The rocks are started from minerals, after a few months the boogas will transfer them to a tougher environment. This goes on until the rocks are fully grown. The room is specially cleaned to protect the vulnerable pets. We will next go to the rock shop.

Here there are stardust and pet rocks for sale. Even though you have just entered I'm sure that you can already feel the soft and friendly surroundings. You can observe the different personalities of the rocks. The blue lasers flash on and off, it is a beautiful sight.

NUND



INTER STELLA ROCKERY

I was standing outside the space ship. I saw hundreds of Boogas running in and out of the space ship loading pet rocks. A Booga tapped me on the shoulder. He pointed in front of me. He made me, in a sort of way, know that the Inter Stella Rockery was in front of me. As I thought about it, it was very strange that here on this planet the sky was clear red and the sandy ground, blue.

KLAUS

AND MET THE PET ROCKS

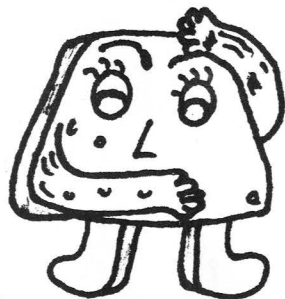
Name : Kingick Rocker
Age : 2,000 years
DoB : 5/5/2255
From : Someatin
Type : King. Snobbish
Rockonality : Cheerful, bright and very friendly. Likes luxurious surroundings. Looking for a rich owner.
NUND



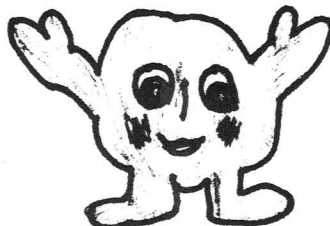
Name : Shiny
Age : 1,257,780,091 years
DoB : Two years after the beginning of time
From : Mercury
Type : Guard rock
Rockonality : Loving and loyal to owner but fierce to intruders. Shiny has a great sense of humour and entertains very well. Perhaps this is the only pet your great, great, great, great grandchildren will have.
JULIAN



Name : Gabbro
Age : 20 years
DoB : 2069
From : Mimas
Type : Guard Rock
Rockonality : Gabbro is a warlike fighter. At night it can feel vibrations on the ground and so it can catch burglars. Its hobbies are skiing, hiking and bowling.
WILLIAM



Name : Cindy
Age : 1 million years
DoB : Beginning of time
From : First planet - Flash
Type : Student
Rockonality : She is kind and quiet. She makes people happy when they are sad. She is soothing and soft and always helpful at home. She teaches the children how to do their homework.
ANGELA

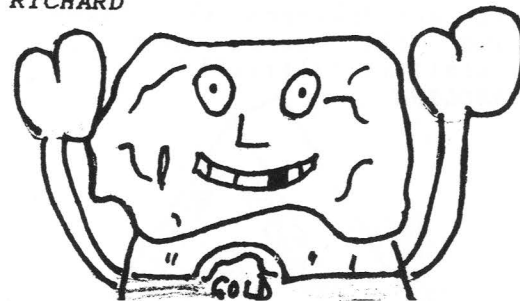


Name : Flaky
Age : 28,000 years
DoB : 30/3/26011 BC
From : Supus, The Red Galaxy
Type : Supus guard rock
Rockonality : Flaky has a temper which makes him a good guard rock. He never forgets someone when he smells them. He has a pretty good sense of humour and is cuddly when tired.
STUART



Name : Dirty Harry
Age : 5,999 years
DoB : January 2nd
From : Jupiter
Type : Pumice stone
Rockonality : High sense of smell. Has been arrested for back chat, other than that a very nice, strong, body-building rock.
CAMERON

Name : Boxer
Age : As old as Mt. Everest
DoB : 1,000 million years
From : Ioe
Type : Rocker
Rockonality : Loves to fight and becomes bad tempered easily. Good sense of humour. Loves to dance to Rock'n'Roll of the fifties. Very healthy and does not touch fattening sweets.
RICHARD



Name : Rocky
Age : 405 years
DoB : 1584
From : Brevillier (left of the black hole)
Type : Brainy (knows every word in the Oxford Dictionary)
Rockonality : Loves children and is very easy to live with. Loves hot baths and cold showers.
LEONIE



Name : Frosty
Age : 20,000 years
DoB : 9th January 1808
From : Pluto
Type : Clown Rock
Rockonality : Funny, happy. He always makes funny jokes. He can walk on his hands. He's just right for kids!
LYDIAN

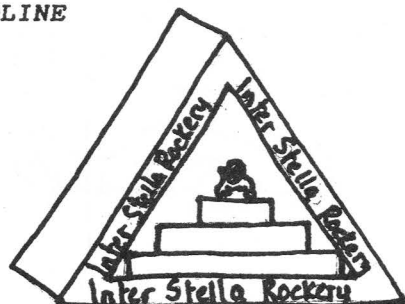
GRANNY GRANITE

This rock's name is

*** Granny Granite ***

and she is a lovely old rock who will suit any person. She's soothing and soft and is always helping at home and elsewhere. She is 2,000 years old and will last for ever as long as you take care of her. She's great for the kids with her comical taste and playfulness, but like all grandparents she likes a good old rest once in a while!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

CAROLINE



WANT TO GET A PET ROCK?

Come and buy the newest Pet Rocks.

Send your old pets to the moon. The rocks come in all shapes and sizes.

The Americans would say, "Cool man."

Hong Kong would say, "靚" ."

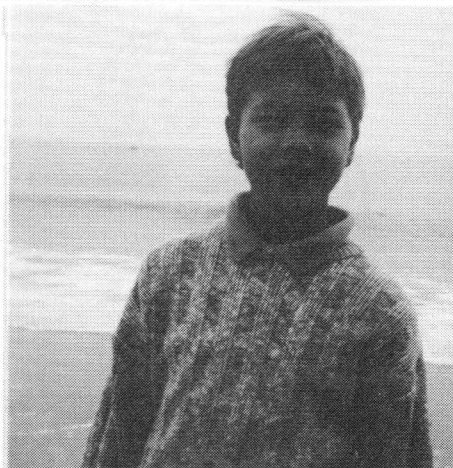
In Norway you would say, "Fantastik!"

In Denmark you would say, "Fantestik!"

In Italy you would say, "Fantastico!"

Come to the Inter Stella Rockery before it's too late.

TAMSIN



HOW TO TAKE CARE OF YOUR PET ROCK

If you have a rock at home, read about what it needs. Show your rock that you care. Give it a comfortable place to stay, most of the time in the sun so it feels at home. In the beginning talk to it, let it know you. Take it out for a walk. Give it exercise, it will love it. Sometimes you have to wash your rock if it is dirty, not all rocks like it so look out. If you are mad at your rock, don't hurt it. A rock has feelings. The most important thing is not to leave it alone too long. It will think that you don't love it. Give it minerals to eat and it will stay fit and healthy. Don't tell it frightening stories or it will be scared to death.

LOUS

A PET FOR ALL AGES

A fantastic, comforting new pet keeps you amused for ever. They're friendly, loving and don't demand anything. Throw your cats and dogs away. Why have them when you can have a pet rock? They come in all shapes and sizes and lots of different colours.

They don't take up much room. They're for all ages, young and old.

Come and get one that suits you best.

Come and buy your rock at the Inter Stella Rockery, NOW!

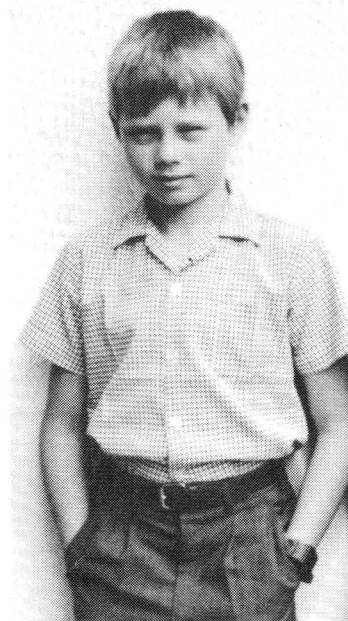
KIRSTY

HOMeward BOUND

I ignited the main engine and soon our ship was beginning the incredibly long journey home. We had finished loading up the pet rocks from Boogadon's mines and were transporting them back to Inter Stella Labs to be trained and sold. The megawarp speed engines roared and boomed as we began warp stage 1. I made a jump from warp 5 to 10. Everyone was flung backwards and Bud Stevenson hit the emergency stop button and we stopped abruptly. I was thrown out of my seat and landed on a dash board receiving several lacerations. Yet again I had forgotten to wear my seat belt. The rest of our journey was uneventful and we delivered the rocks safely.

Our next mission was to find the missing space convict, "Dirty Harry."

CALLUM



BACK HOME

In the morning I woke up at six because I was anxious to go back home. Mr Marshall had murderlised us for four days. He had made us sleep on the hard beds, eat the bad food and those walks!

Now I could go back home, my sweet, sweet home.

ANDY



Tu parles Français?



2. CORRIGE LES ERREURS!

Ah! Il est trois heures!



Oh! Il est dix heures et quart!



Oh là là! Il est six heures et demie.



1. Comment s'appelle la monnaie française?

- a. le franc ☐
- b. le peseta ☐
- c. le dollar ☐

3.

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C	H	A	T	X	Y	Z	B	S
H	A	M	S	T	E	R	P	O
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A	W	L	V	O	R	N	Q	I
L	A	P	I	N	X	E	V	S

Trouve 8 animaux dans la grille, dans le sens horizontal et vertical.

Aimes-tu le fromage? Les Français aiment le fromage. En France, il y a beaucoup de fromages différents. Il y a environ 360 fromages – un fromage pour chaque jour (ou presque). Les fromages célèbres s'appellent Camembert, Brie, Roquefort et Gruyère. Regarde dans un supermarché près de chez toi. Il y a certainement des fromages français!



LE FROMAGE

Sir Henry Kellett

Vice-Admiral Sir Henry Kellett was born in 1806 in Ireland. He joined the Royal Navy when he was 16 years old as a midshipman. He travelled the world and, on one occasion, his ship, the *Resolute*, was stuck in pack ice near the North Pole and he and his crew had to abandon ship and walk for two weeks over the ice before they were picked up by another ship.

Kellett commanded two ships in his time, the *Starling* and the *Herald*. He took part in the Opium War against China in the early 1840s in the *Starling* and carried out mapping work along the coast of South America in the *Herald*.

He returned to China and Hong Kong from 1869 to 1871 and many places in Hong Kong are named after him and his ships. He died at his family home in Ireland in 1875.



