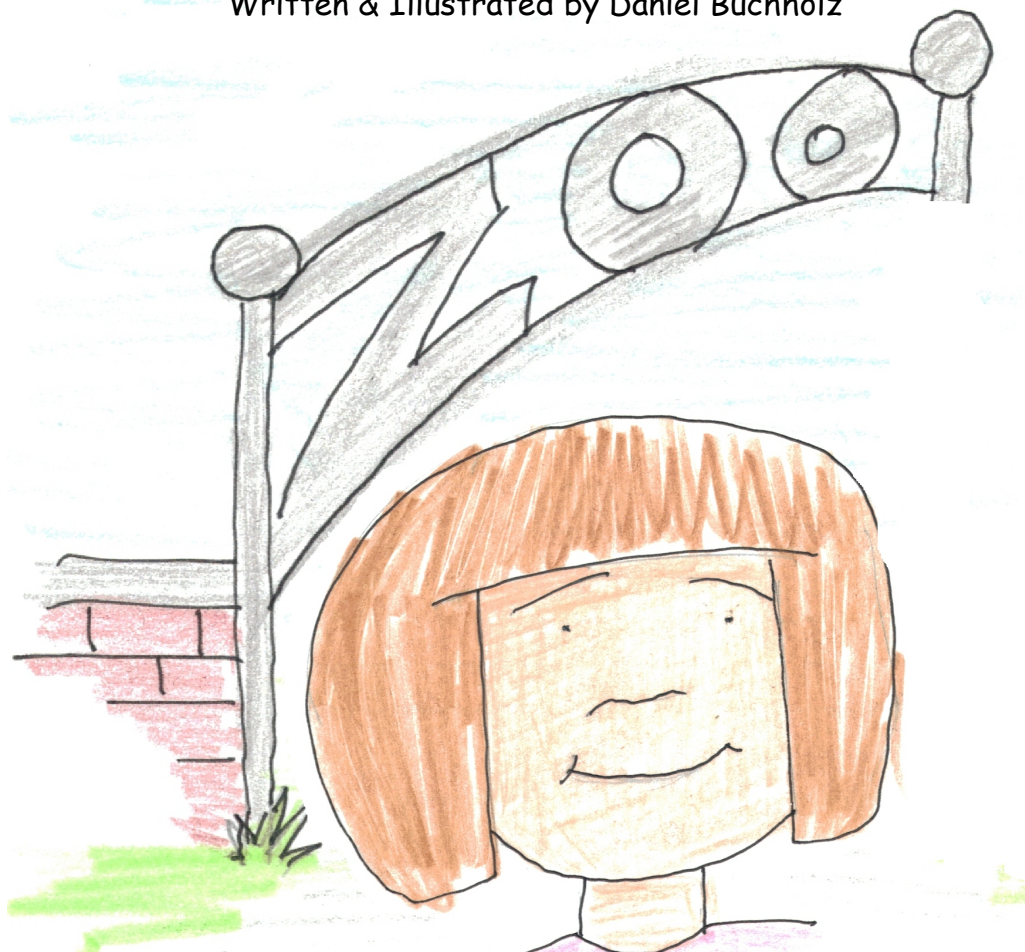


# The Zoo Mystery

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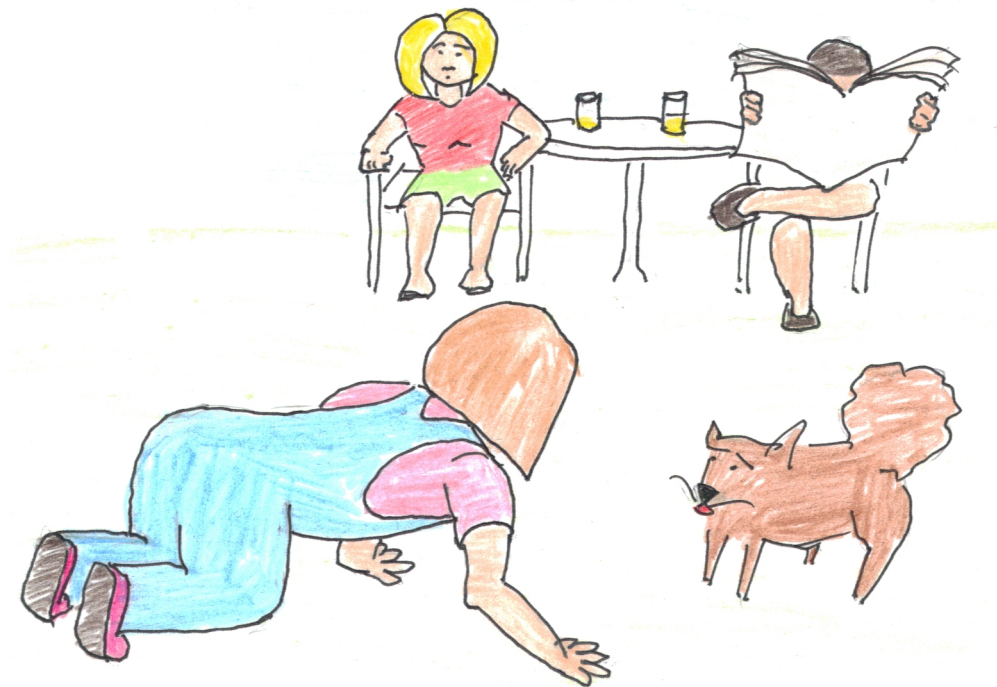


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One sunny summer day, a little girl was playing with her dog.



Mama and Daddy were sitting at the table.



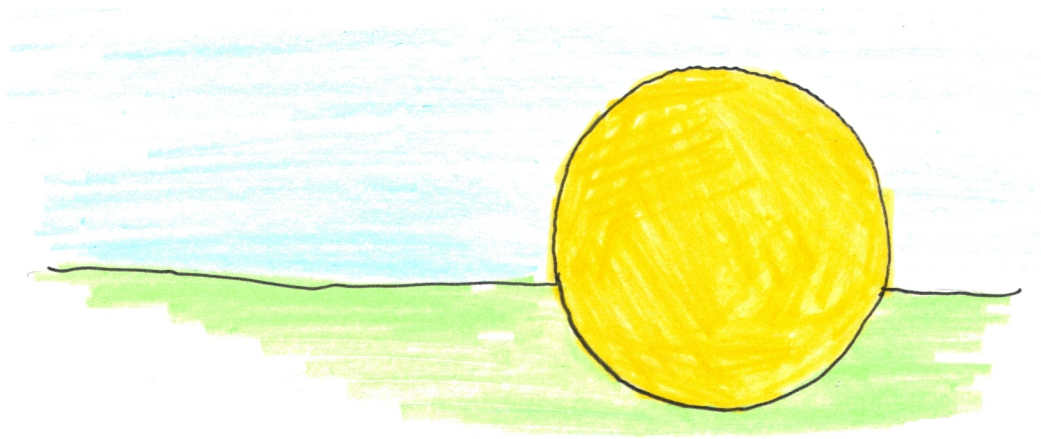


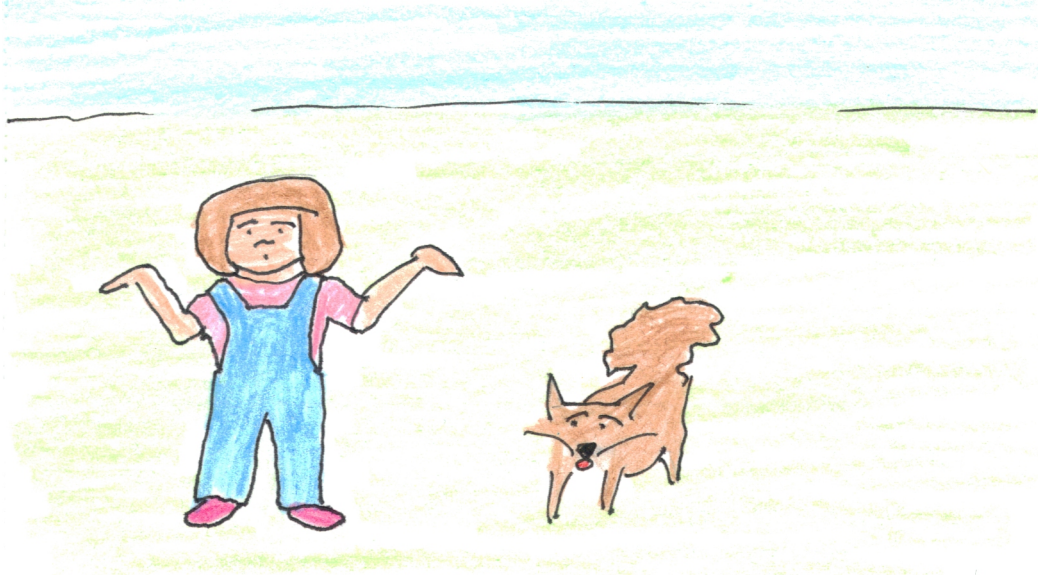
**Daddy was reading the  
newspaper.**

“Did you hear?”



**“One of the giraffes is missing  
from the zoo”, Daddy said.**





The little girl stopped playing.

“Where did it go?”

“Well,” Daddy said “this morning the Zoo Keeper noticed the missing giraffe. No one knows where it went and they’re giving a reward to whoever finds it.”

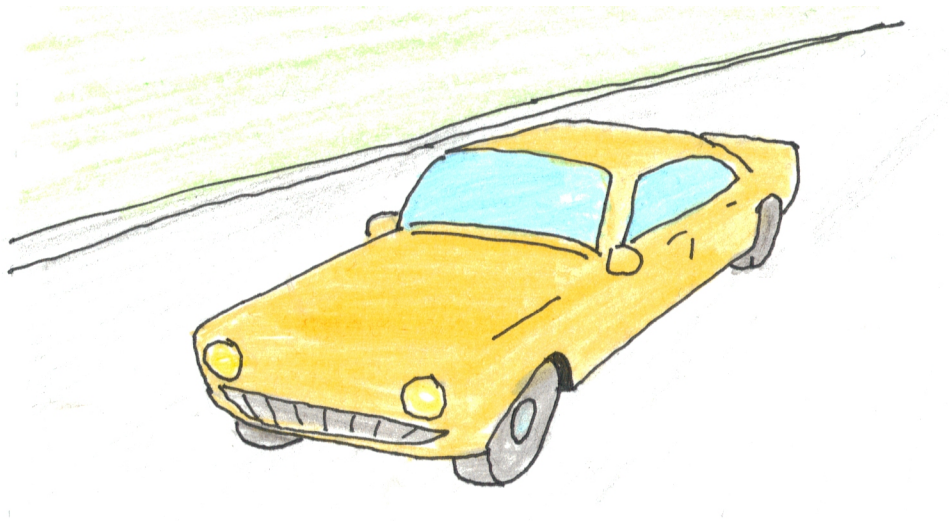




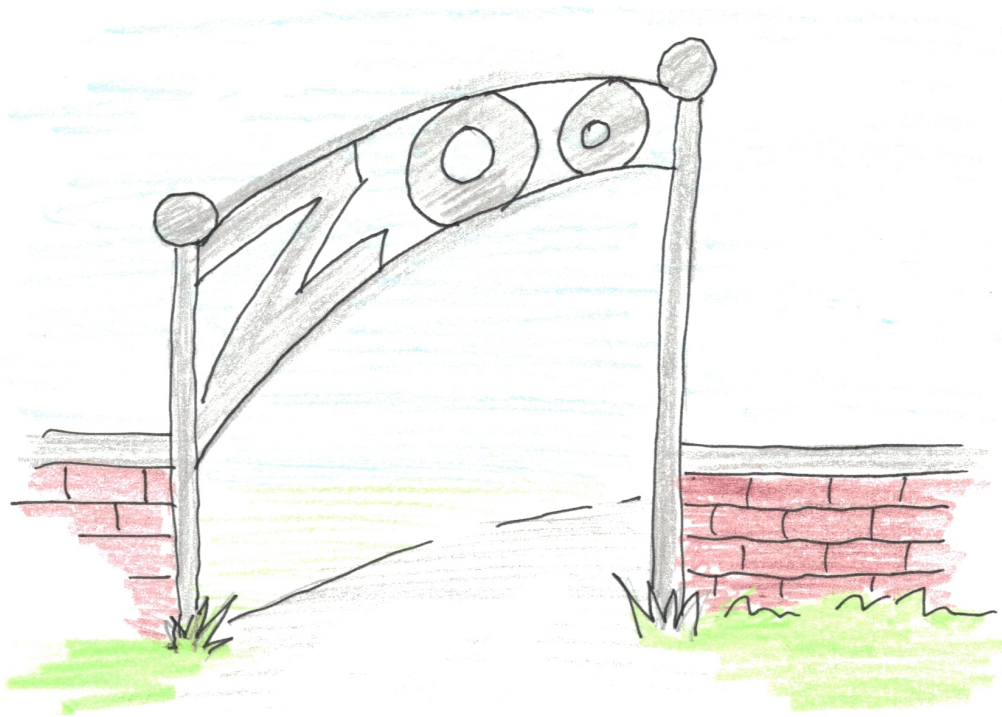
**"We should go and investigate."**

**Mama Said**

**After a short car ride.**



They were at the



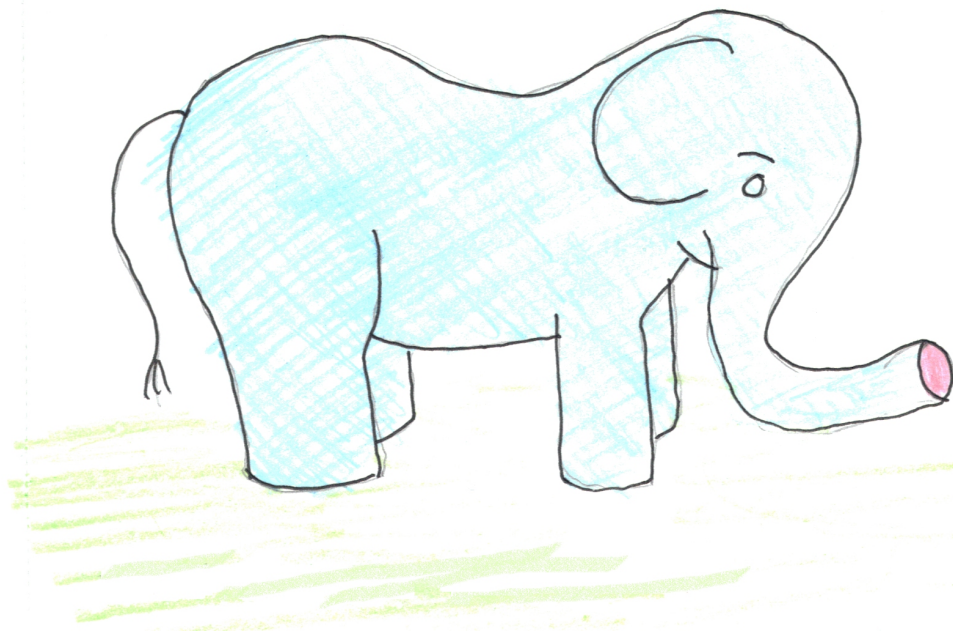


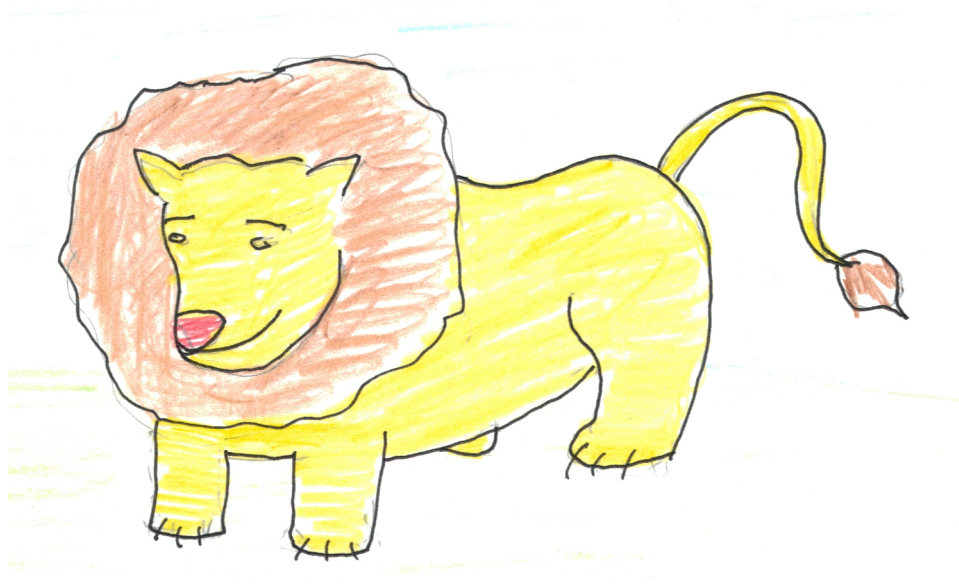
**“Let's look at the animals.”**

**"We may find a clue," Mama  
said. "Right!" Daddy said.**



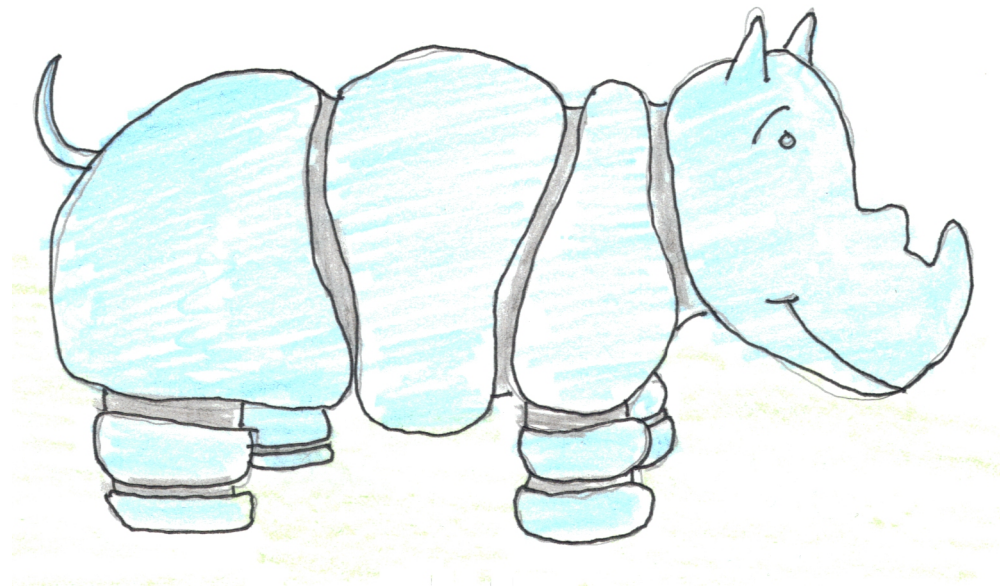
They saw an elephant



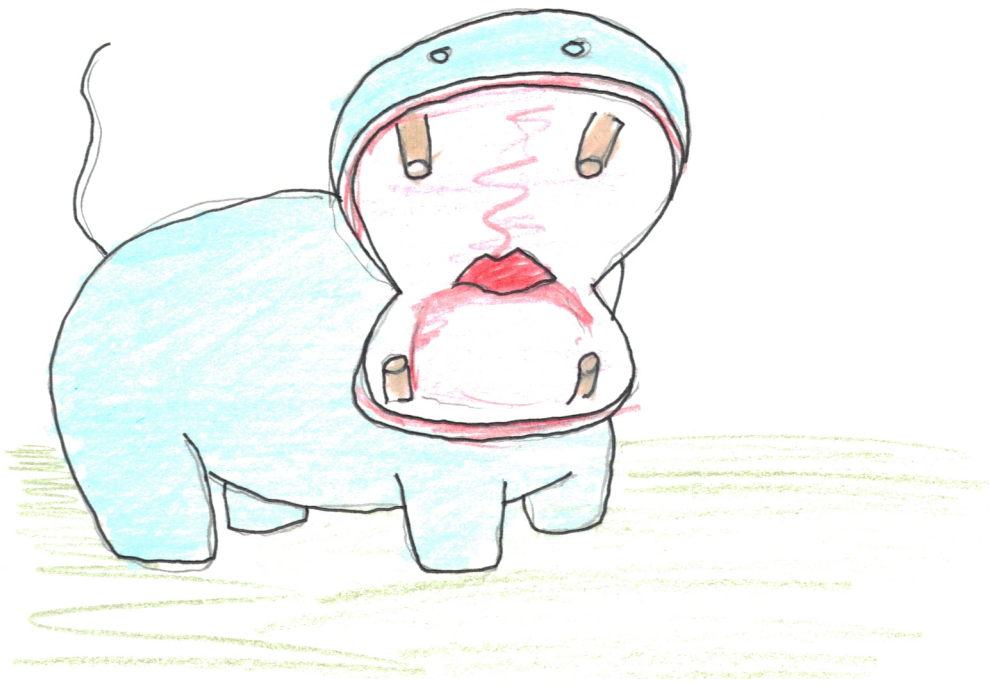


**A lion**

## A rhinoceros

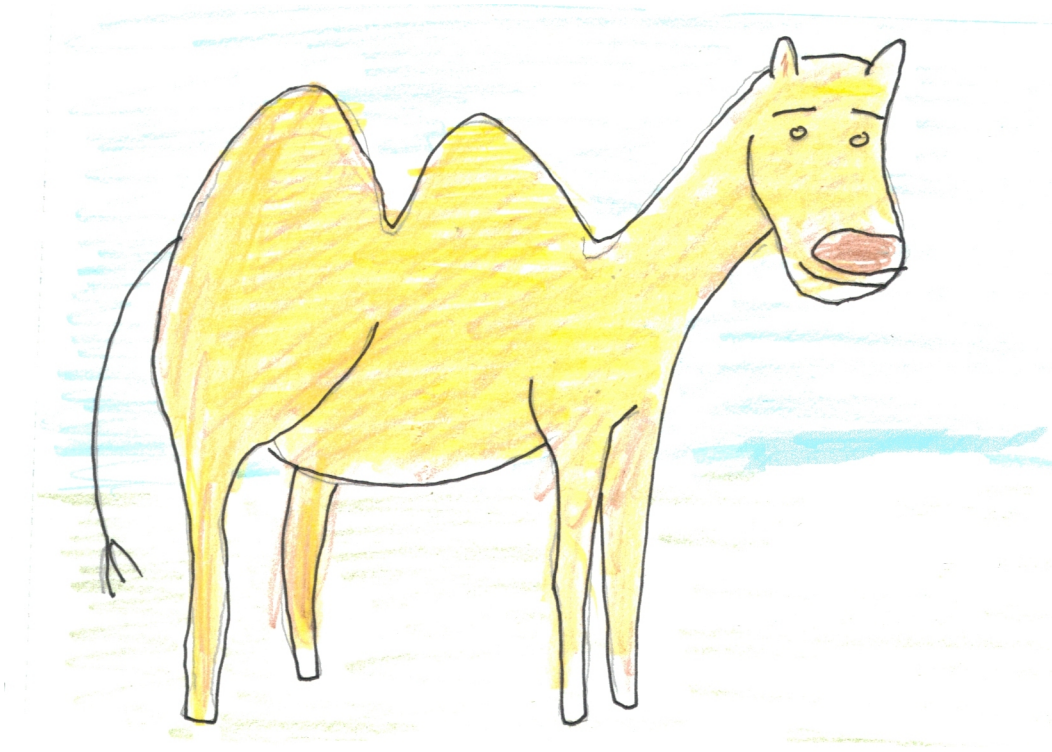






**A hippopotamus**

**And a camel**

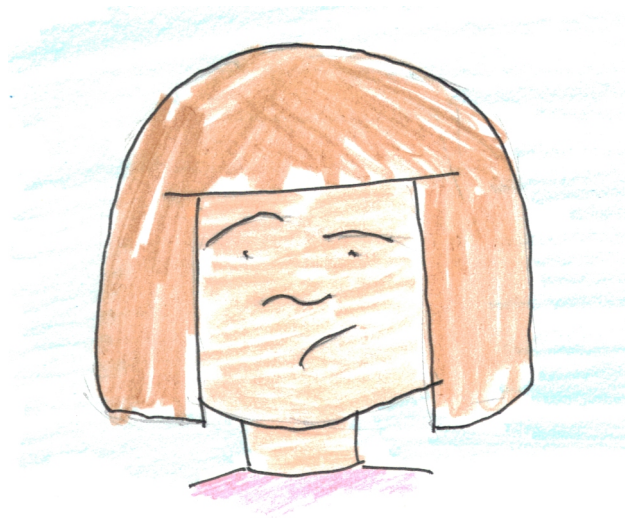





**An old lady said, "Did you hear  
about the missing giraffe?"**



**“That’s why we came to the  
zoo.” Daddy said.**



**"Hmm," the little girl looked at  
the old lady.**



**They kept  
looking  
at the  
animals.**

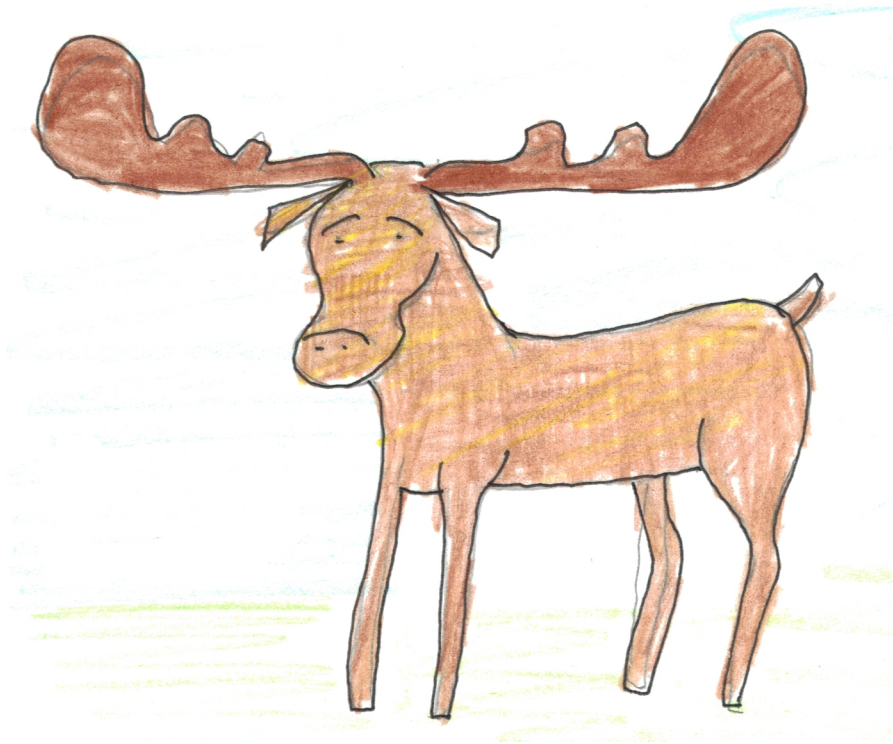
# A monkey





**A bear**





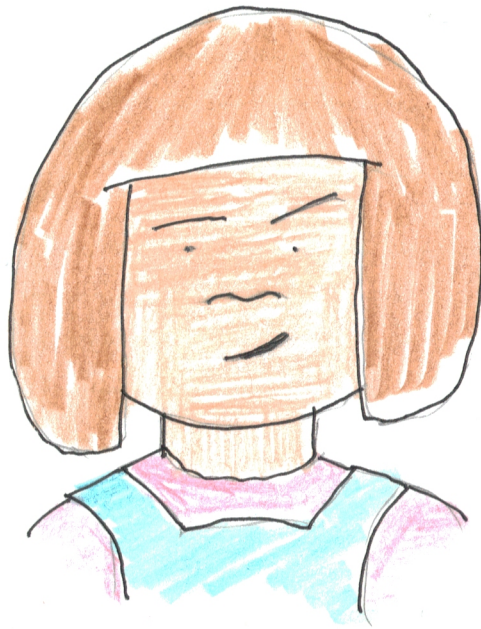
**A moose**

# A kangaroo



And a man riding a bike.





**"Hmm," the little girl said looking  
at the man on the bike.**

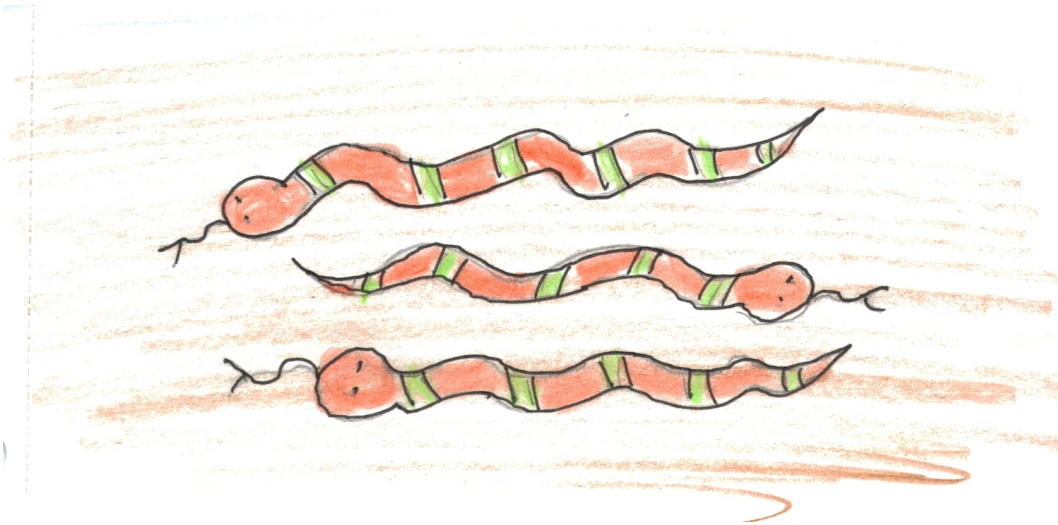
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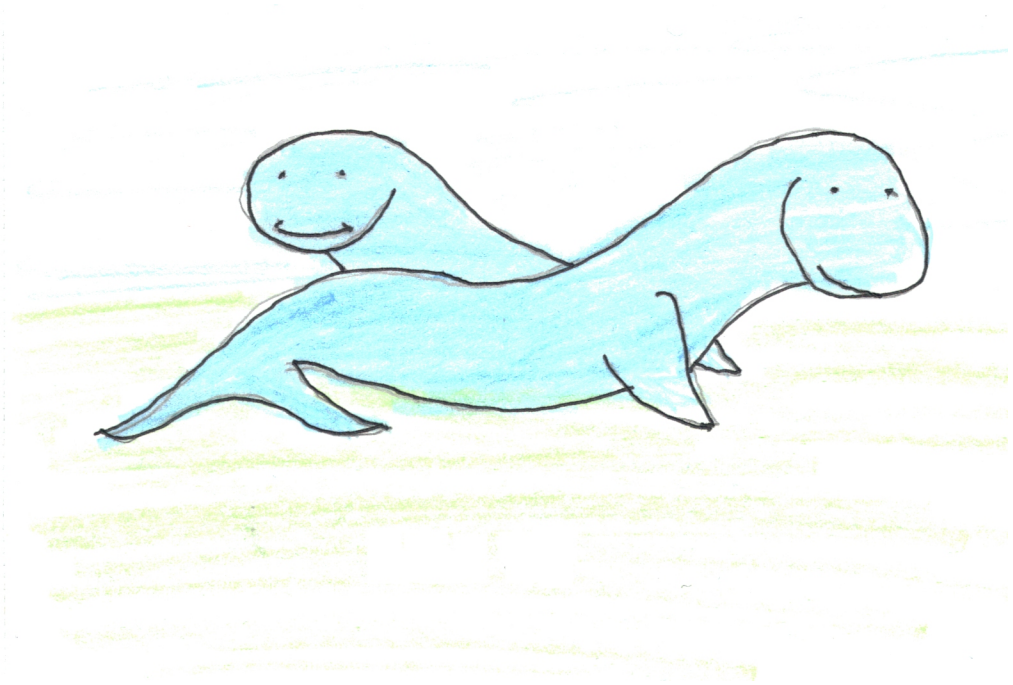
**“Let's keep  
looking  
at animals.”**



**They looked at ostriches**

# Snakes





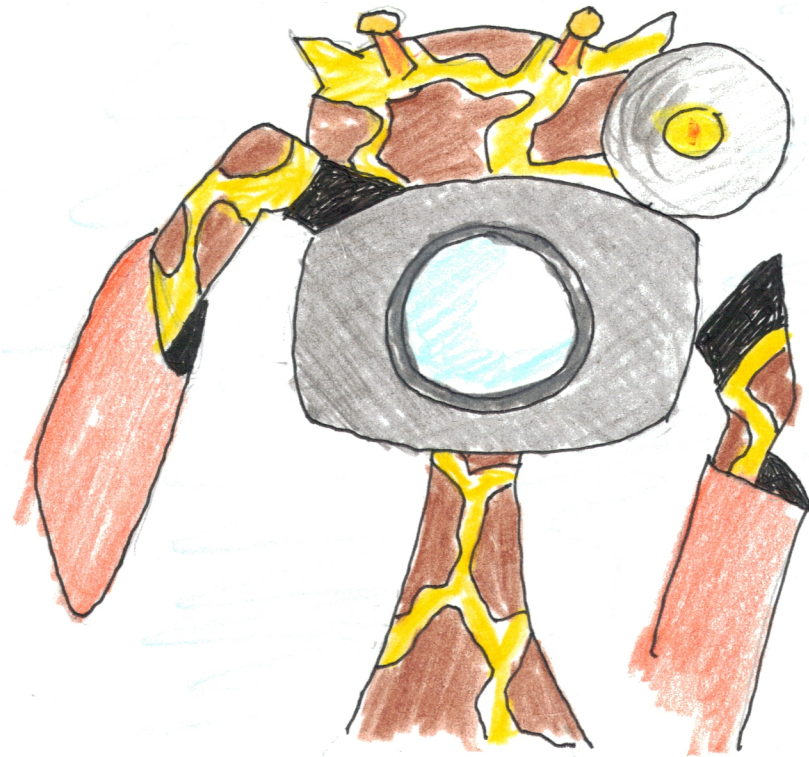
**Seals**



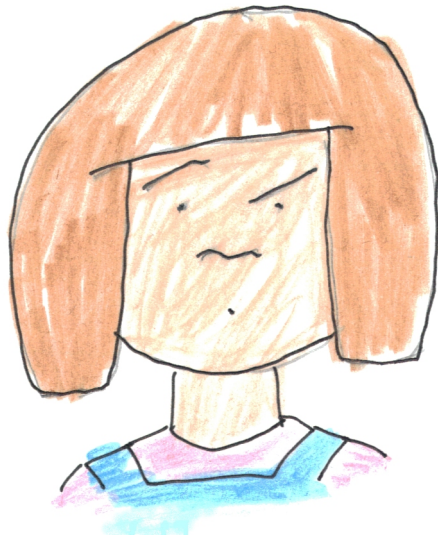
# A panda







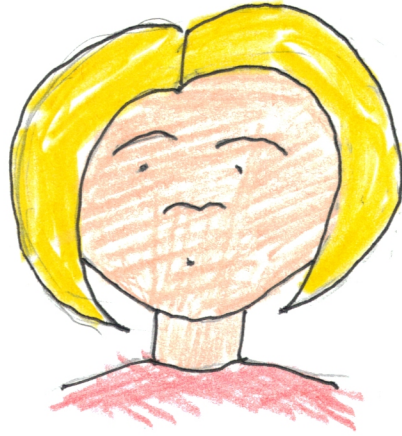
**Just a person taking a photo.**



**"Hmm," the little girl said again.**

"Mama?" "Daddy?"





**"Yes!?!"**

**“That lady...  
and man on the bike...  
and that photographer...  
ARE the giraffe!”**



"Huh?!?"





**She was right.**

**Mama, Daddy and  
the little girl  
told the  
Zoo Keeper...**



**"AH HA!"**

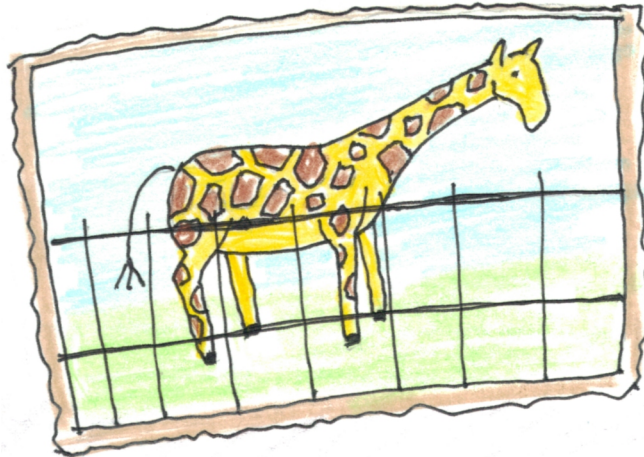
**The Zoo Keeper said.**



**"For finding the giraffe."**

**"Thanks!"**





The best part of the trip  
was a photograph of  
the giraffe.

