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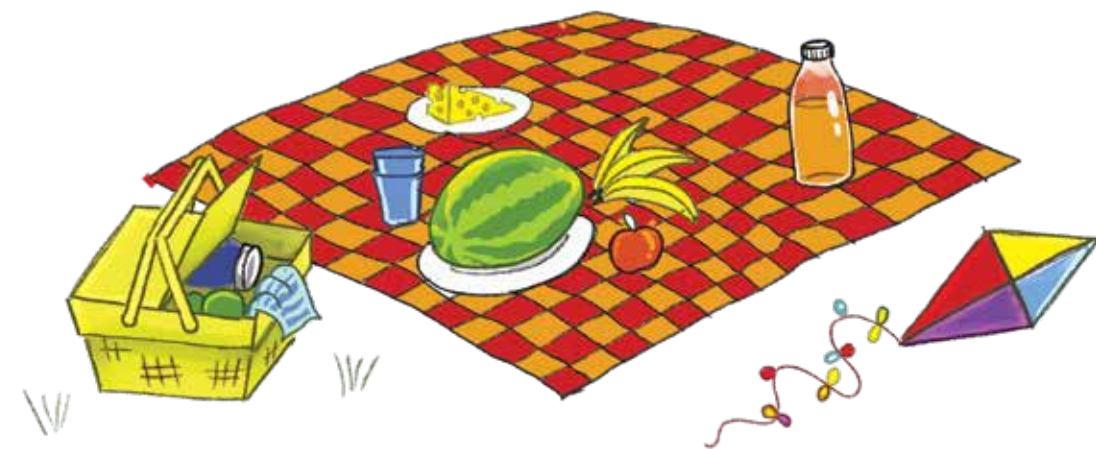


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TO SUMMER, WHO ALWAYS LOOKS ON  
THE BRIGHT SIDE. – AD

DEDICATED TO MY AWESOME KIDS, MILES AND  
RAMONA, AND MY BEAUTIFUL WIFE, CLARE. – DM


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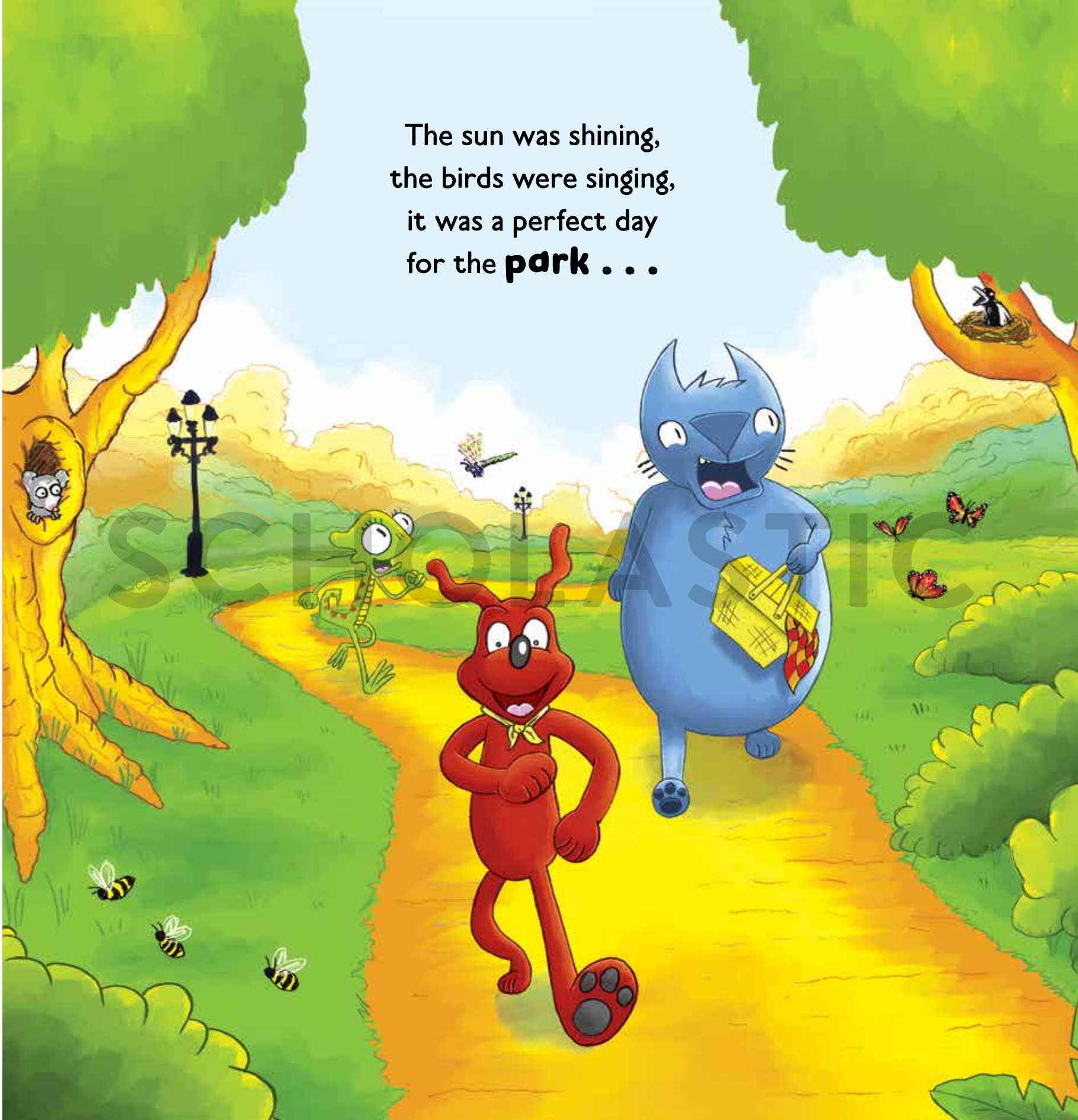
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The sun was shining,  
the birds were singing,  
it was a perfect day  
for the **park . . .**





Hotdog and friends were about to play catch . . .

when suddenly,  
the sky grew **dark!**



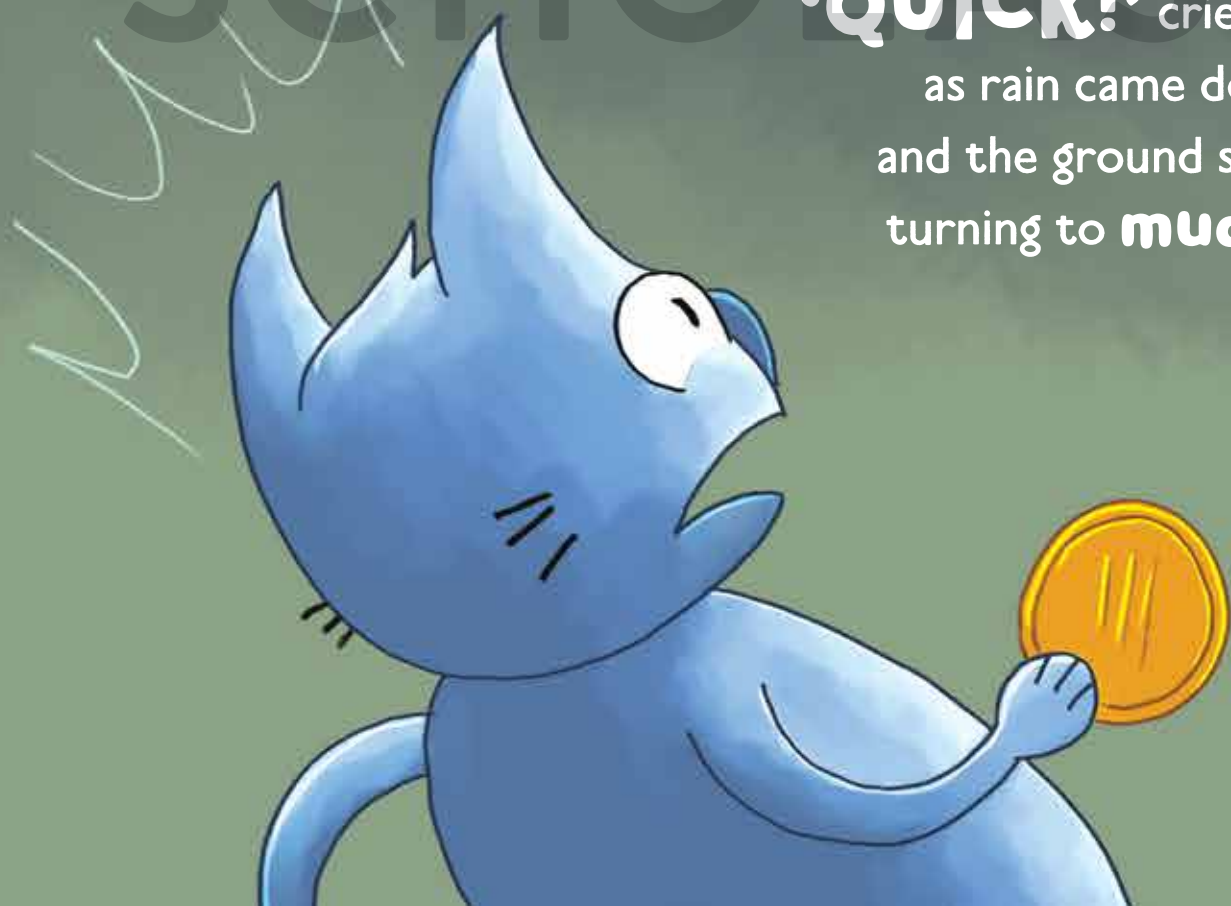




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**‘QUICK!’** cried Hotdog,  
as rain came down,  
and the ground started  
turning to **mud . . .**

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Kev the cat ran,  
but *OOPS*, he slipped,  
landing on his bum with a

**THUD!**

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‘Our lunch!’ said Lizzie, grabbing the basket,  
before it was taken by **ants** . . .

She started to shake it but tossed it away!

She didn’t want ants in her

**PANTS!**





Hotdog leapt over to save their kite,  
but it had already turned into **pulp!**  
Then he bumped their cakes into the pond,  
which a goldfish snapped up in a

**Gulp!**





Kev was muddy,



Lizzie was itching,



and Hotdog's shoulders **drooped**.



At least, they had one  
dry sausage left . . .



The rain had stopped but the park was a puddle.

The picnic had become a **disaster!**

The friends looked around –

**OH, WHAT  
A MESS . . .**

. . . but then a magpie **swooped!**





... and the three of them burst into **laughter!**

'It's time for some fun!' said Hotdog,  
and he **LEAP-FROGGED** across the **grass.**



His soggy friends followed  
as the sun returned –  
it seemed the storm had **passed!**

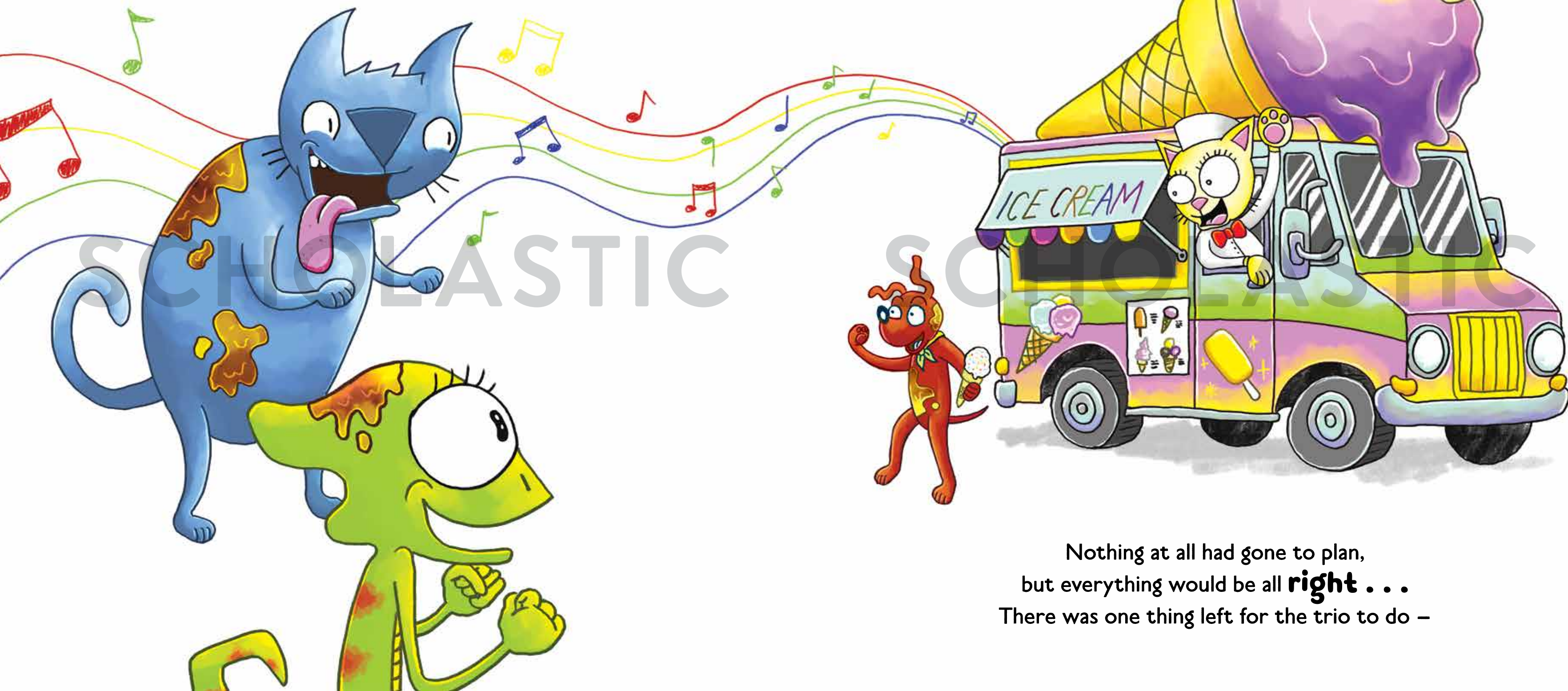


They raced each other  
to the top of the hill,  
and flew down the

**WATER  
SLIDE.**



Their tummies groaned but they were in luck!  
'An ice-cream truck!' they **cried**.



Nothing at all had gone to plan,  
but everything would be all **right** . . .  
There was one thing left for the trio to do –



Join in for an epic

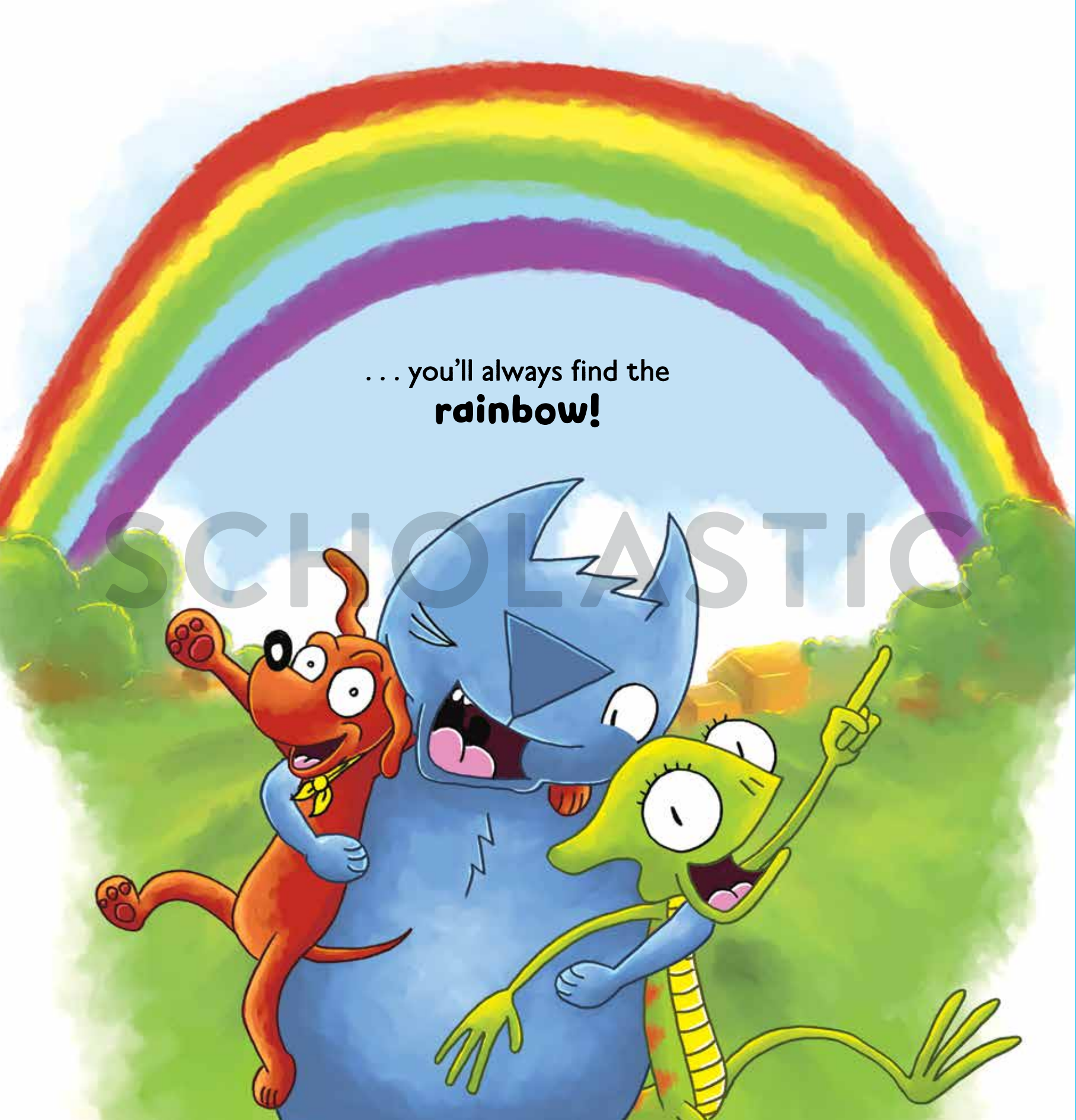
# MUD FIGHT!



See, Hotdog and friends, they never give up,  
and these best buddies **know** –  
when you look for the bright side  
and stick together . . .







... you'll always find the  
**rainbow!**

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Hotdog and friends are ready for an  
**AWESOME DAY** at the park.  
They have their picnic basket and games to play.  
But, wait . . . is that rain?!

**Oh, NOOOOOO!**



**LAUGH ALONG WITH FAN-FAVOURITES, HOTDOG, KEV  
AND LIZZIE, FROM THE BEST-SELLING **HOTDOG** SERIES!**

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