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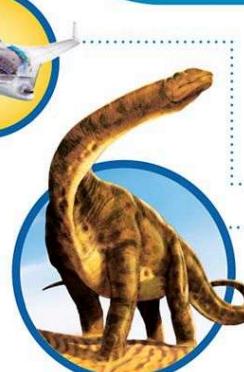


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Zebras journey thousands of miles to find rain during Africa's dry season.

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Just Joking



KNOCK,
KNOCK.

Who's there?
Waddle.
Waddle who?
Waddle I do if you don't
open the door?



ANOTHER LAME JOKE

CUSTOMER: Do you serve crabs?
WAITRESS: Of course, sir. We
serve anyone.

Q What did
the nut
say when it
sneezed?

A Cashew!



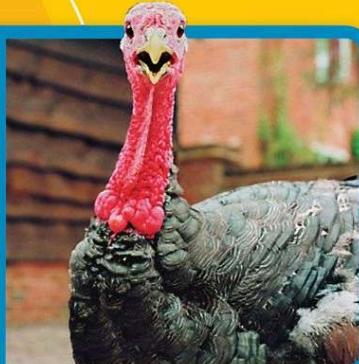
Q Why did
Johnny get
such low
grades after
Thanksgiving?

A Because
everything
is marked
down after
the holidays.

You've got to be joking...

Q How do you keep
a turkey
in suspense?

A I'll tell you later!



Go on Vacation

BY AMANDA SANDLIN

TAKE A WALK ON THE WILD SIDE

You may have to leave your pet behind when you go on vacation, but don't worry: Giraffes will keep you company when you stay at this hotel.

The Giraffe Manor

KENYA, AFRICA

Ever have the feeling you're being watched? That's because there's a giraffe at your hotel window! This hotel is home to nine Rothschild's giraffes that roam free on the property. And they're definitely not shy. Some of the giraffes may stick their heads into your second-story bedroom window or eat food right off the breakfast table. When they want a snack, the giraffes have been known to pluck flowers from the manor's vases. Patrick and Helen, the two youngest giraffes, are often seen playfully running across the lawn after warthogs, the hotel's pet dog, and sometimes even the guests. But no one thinks they're a pain in the neck!



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Check out these outrageous facts.

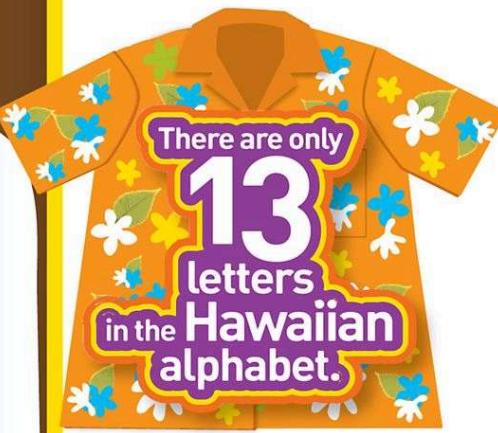


A GOAT'S PUPILS
ARE RECTANGULAR.



TWO BRAZILIAN MEN TRAVELED **5,045 MILES** ON WINDSURFING BOARDS; THE TRIP TOOK 14 MONTHS!

You can shine your shoes with a banana peel.



A British man grew a giant zucchini that weighed as much as a large sheepdog.



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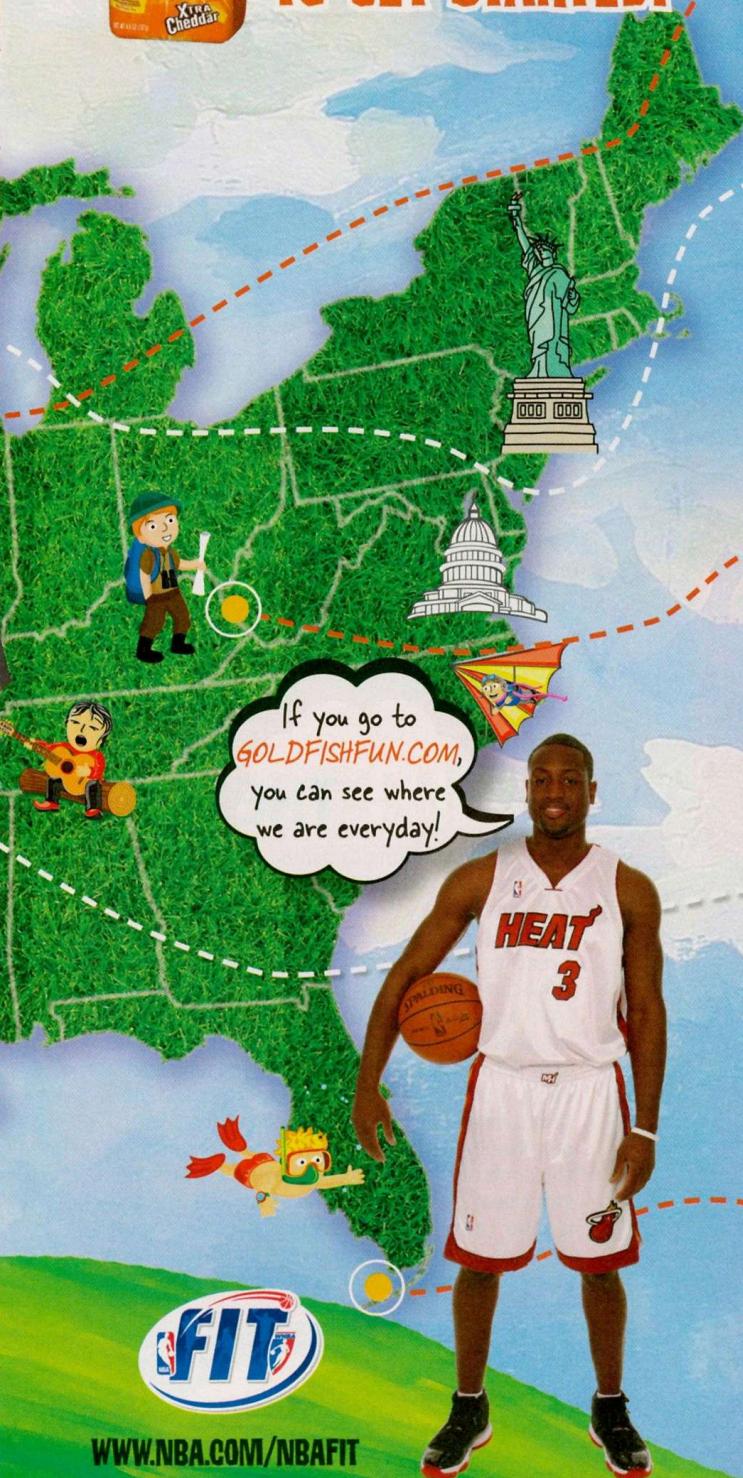
to join Team Xtreme and find out more about this exciting road trip that Dwyane Wade and Xtreme are taking.

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BIKING (IDAHO and UTAH)

At nearly 8 miles long, the family-friendly Bar-M Loop in Moab, Utah, is an easy bike trek taking riders past ancient rocks once used to make Native American weapons and tools.



DID YOU KNOW? Idaho has more than 19,000 miles of bike trails, including mountain trails, desert back roads, and river paths.

DO IT AT HOME! See what interesting bike paths you can find in your neighborhood. Start a bike club with your friends to increase the fun factor!



CANOEING (MINNESOTA)

Talk about going wild! The Boundary Waters Canoe Area in Minnesota has more than 1,500 miles of canoe routes—and no electricity, telephone lines, or roads.

DID YOU KNOW? Early canoes were simply entire trees that had been dug out. Later, Native Americans covered wooden frames with lightweight tree bark.

DO IT AT HOME! Most areas have a lake, dam, or river close by. See if there is somewhere you can rent a canoe or kayak and let the fun begin!



HIKING (APPALACHIAN TRAIL: MAINE THROUGH GEORGIA)

Break in your boots! The Appalachian Trail is about 2,178 miles long—that's about 5 million steps!

DID YOU KNOW? Touching 14 states, the Appalachian Trail crosses 8 national forests.

DO IT AT HOME! Hiking is a great way to explore and discover new areas. Head out in your neighborhood with family or friends and see what you can find.



SKIING (COLORADO)

At 14,259 feet, Longs Peak is the tallest point in Rocky Mountain National Park.

DID YOU KNOW? It's possible to snow ski on Hawaii's Big Island.

DO IT AT HOME! From Utah to Vermont, there are many places to ski throughout the United States. No slopes near you? No problem! Instead, try in-line skating or roller-skating.



SWIMMING (FLORIDA)

The Florida Keys contain a coral reef that's home to more than 600 species of sea creatures, such as colorful angelfish, pufferfish, moray eels, and barracudas. This makes it a great place for swimmers to put on their goggles and enjoy the view!

DID YOU KNOW? A swordfish can swim about as fast as a cheetah can run.

DO IT AT HOME! Different areas have great swimming choices—from lakes to pools. Next time you go swimming, wear goggles so you can look underwater, and see what you can find. Make sure you have an adult with you at all times.

KIDS, BE SURE TO GET YOUR PARENT'S PERMISSION BEFORE YOU DO ANY OF THESE ACTIVITIES.

COOL inventions



FUTURE OF FLIGHT

Is this the airplane of the future? It just might be. NASA is looking ahead 15 to 25 years, hoping to send you into the skies in a quiet, fuel-efficient, eco-friendly aircraft. One promising possibility is the blended-wing plane, which sports a seamless body for flying effortlessly through the air. The plane's lightweight, aerodynamic design allows it to fly more efficiently than today's planes. Right now, a flight from California to New York can use more than 8,000 gallons of fuel. NASA's goal for the blended-wing aircraft is to cut that amount of fuel in half. The first flight may take place around 2025, so fasten your seat belt for greener air travel.

SPY WATCH

Take a touch screen phone, combine it with a wristwatch, and what do you have? A gadget that will make you cooler than iCarly's Carly Shay. To unsuspecting friends, the Touch Watch Phone looks like a regular watch; but with a couple of taps and swipes of your finger against the touch screen, you can snap an undercover photo, send a secret text message, or call your contacts on the sly. The Touch Watch Phone even supports video calls, so you can actually see the person you're talking to. It's perfect for making covert reports to headquarters, or just as an awesome way to chat with your BFF.



TALK TO THE WRIST.



LIGHT THE WAY

You just spent a fun day fishing and swimming on the river, and you can't wait to get back to camp for dinner. You could have sworn your campsite was right here...or was it over there? Don't sweat it: This high-tech tent (a concept for now) lights up like a beacon to lead you home. Made from a special fabric woven with solar threads, the tent captures energy from the sun and then uses it to power all its tricks. As you approach camp, a chip inside your cell phone signals the tent's wireless controller, which in turn triggers the lights to switch on. On chilly nights, the controller can also sense temperature and start heating the groundsheet for you. The tent is smart enough to light your way back to your site, and it'll also keep you nice and toasty once you get there. Now that's camping in style.

GLOW HOME



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7 bite-size facts about dinosaurs

1 Some **giant** dinosaurs had **brains** the size of Ping-Pong balls.

2 Dinosaurs survived more than **800** times longer than humans have lived on Earth.

3 If *T. rex* were alive today, its **bite** would be **strong** enough to **dent** a car.

4 *Brachiosaurus* would be **tall** enough to look through a **fifth-floor window**.

5 The **longest** dinosaur name, *Micropachycephalosaurus*, belongs to one of the **smallest** dinosaurs.

6 The **biggest** dinosaur **eggs** could **hold** about as much fluid as **85** large **chicken** eggs.

7 Scientists once thought *Stegosaurus* had a **second brain** in its **hip**.



Find out more cool stuff about dinosaurs in the NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC KIDS book *The Ultimate Dinopedia*.

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A SNEAK PEEK AT AN EXCITING NEW NOVEL!

MUSEUM of THIEVES

The Protector is a fool. She believes that the city is safer than it used to be. She thinks it's time for a change," said Guardian Hope. She and Guardian Comfort looked at each other and snorted rudely. Then they stepped forward into the crowd, dragging the children with them.

She raised her voice. "It must be obvious to any thinking person, colleague, that the Protector is making a *serious* mistake in lowering the Age of Separation. Do you not think so?"

"I do, colleague. A *very* serious mistake."

"Jewel is as dangerous now as it ever was. It is only the vigilance of the Blessed Guardians that keeps the children safe. Take away that vigilance and we will go straight back to the bad old days! Has everyone forgotten how *terrible* those days were? Have they forgotten the *drownings*? The *diseases*?"

"Purple fever," said Guardian Comfort, shivering dramatically.

"Suppurating heart scab. *Plague*!"

The people within earshot looked at each other uneasily.

"Have they forgotten the slave traders?" said Guardian Hope.

Have you forgotten your brooch? whispered a little voice in the back of Goldie's mind.

Goldie's eyes widened. All her life she had heard this voice, like a whisper from somewhere deep inside her. Sometimes it got her into trouble; sometimes it got her out again. She had never told anyone about it, not even Ma and Pa. Not even Favor.

She's not going to give it back, whispered the voice. *And you might never get this close to her again.*

Goldie glanced down to where her right hand was pressed against Guardian Hope's robes. *Uh-uh*, she thought, mentally shaking her head. This was *definitely* one of those getting-into-trouble times. Imagine the fuss if Guardian Hope found the brooch gone!

She'll think she lost it, whispered the little voice. *And besides, it's Separation Day.*

Separation Day! The day when Goldie's silver guardchain would be removed forever! From now on she would be allowed to walk the streets by herself, without being tied to one of the Blessed Guardians. It was like the beginning of a new life.

Maybe the little voice was right. . . .

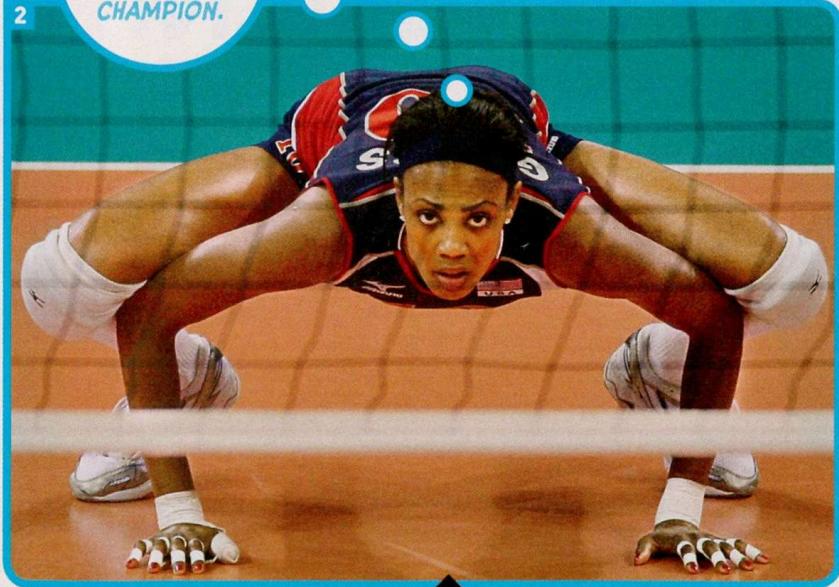
sports funnies

uh-oh!



Samuel Schwarz of Germany braces himself before crashing into a barrier during a 2008 ISU Speed Skating World Cup event in Salt Lake City, Utah.

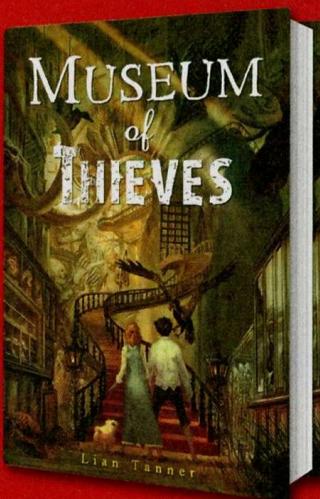
MY ONE DREAM IN LIFE IS TO BE A LEAPFROG CHAMPION.



Kimberly Glass of the United States crouches during a volleyball match at the 2008 Summer Olympics in Beijing, China.

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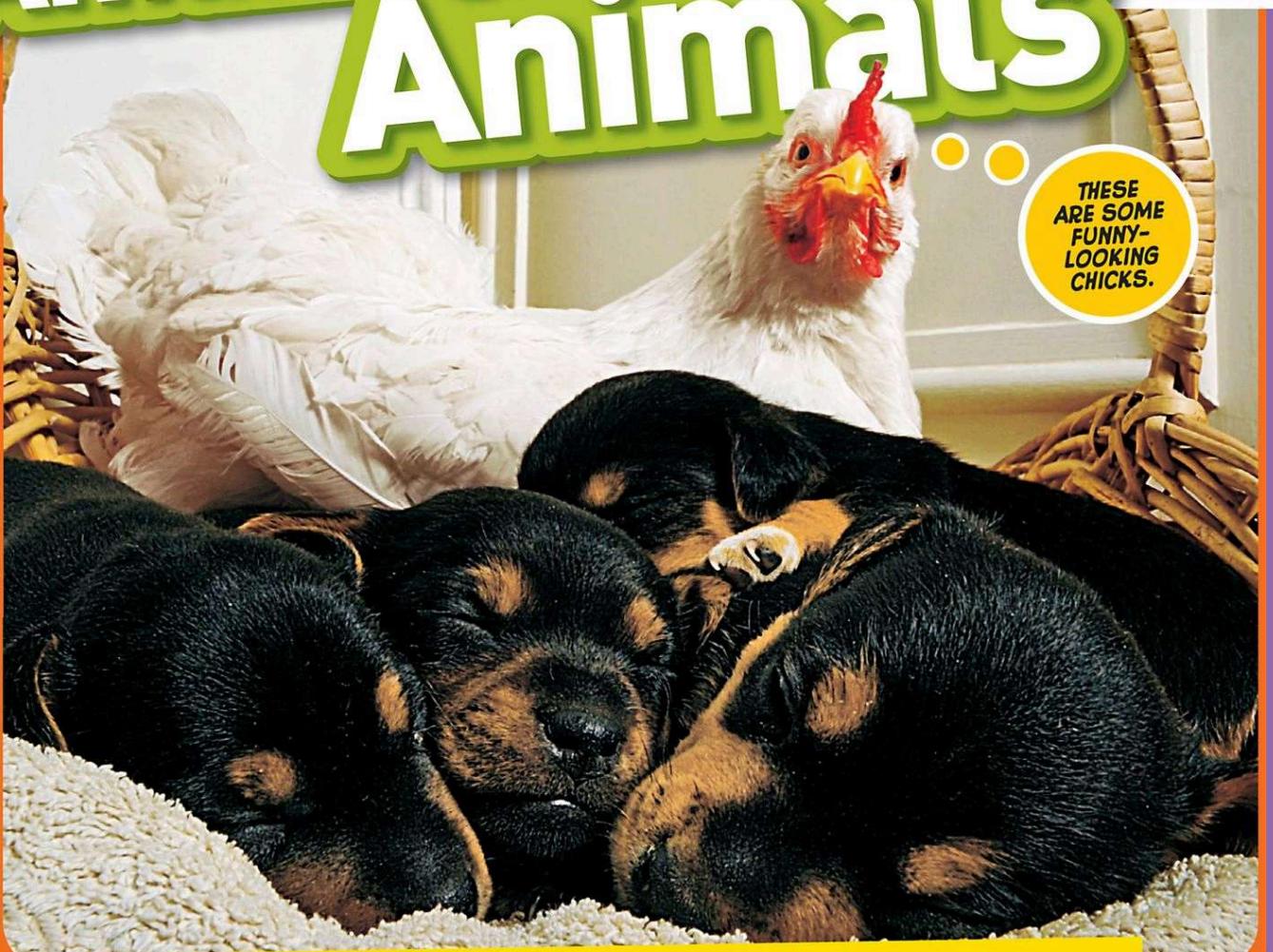
Goldie Roth finds herself in the mysterious Museum of Dunt, where she meets a boy named Toadspit, and discovers the museum holds terrible and thrilling secrets.

Only a thief can understand its strange, shifting rooms, and fortunately, Goldie has a talent for thieving. When the tyrannical Blessed Guardians have plans for the museum that threaten the lives of everyone Goldie loves, it will take a daring thief to stop them.

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Amazing Animals



PUPPY-SITTING HEN!



Shrewsbury, England

Whenever Nettle the Jack Russell terrier takes a break from her four pups, Mabel the chicken hustles to where the puppies are sleeping. Like a true mother hen, she fluffs her feathers and plops down on the puppies. Mabel tucks them in under her warm body as if the pups are a brood of chicks.

"At certain times, a hen will sit on anything that's warm and nestlike," says chicken behavior expert Bob Bailey. Gentle Mabel will cluck softly to her nest of "hatchlings" until their mom returns.

Mabel is a caretaker, but she's also a disciplinarian. Sometimes the puppies rambunctiously play with Mabel's feathers. "If they get too rough," says Edward Tate, the farmer who brought Mabel into the house after a horse injured the hen's foot, "Mabel gives them a glare and a gentle peck." Don't mess with this mother hen!

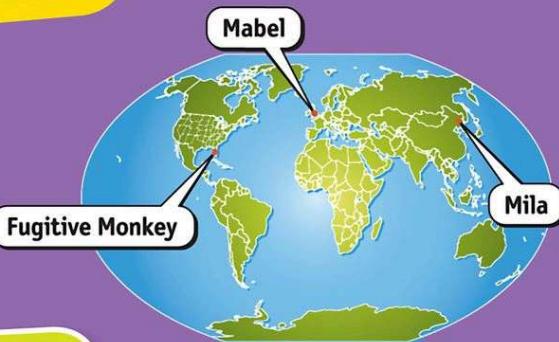
WHALE SAVES DIVER

Harbin, China

Mila the beluga whale spotted something strange in her pool the day of a diving contest at Harbin PolarLand park. A diver had experienced severe muscle cramps. Paralyzed and helpless, the woman sank toward the bottom of the pool.

The whale plunged to the rescue. Using her head, Mila pushed the diver upright. Then she gently grabbed the diver's leg in her mouth and propelled her more than 20 feet to safety so fellow humans could pull her out of the water and revive her.

"As an air-breathing creature, Mila would know the importance of getting to the surface of the water quickly," says beluga expert Ann Bowles of Hubbs-SeaWorld Research Institute. "Belugas are intelligent, social mammals who help each other. It's not hard to believe she did a favor for someone who was in trouble." Let's hope the diver sent a thank-you note.



MONKEY ON THE RUN

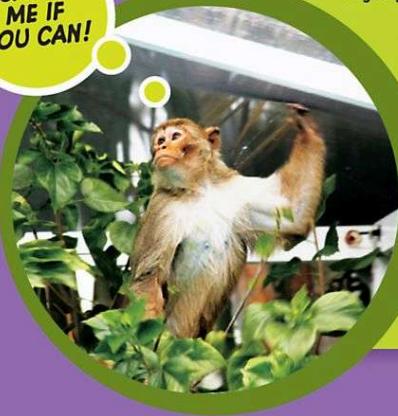
Tampa, Florida

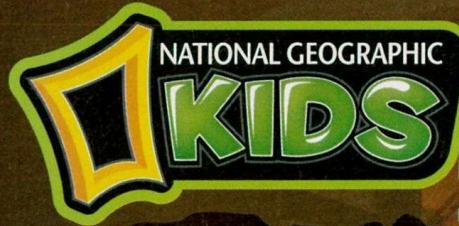
A rhesus macaque has made the list of the Tampa Bay area's most-wanted fugitives. The clever primate has avoided capture for a year and monkeyed with wildlife professionals trying to catch him.

Experts think the fugitive may be a released illegal pet or a member of a wild troop, descendants of monkey "actors" that were dumped in the Florida wilderness after filming old *Tarzan* movies. (Modern laws now make that illegal.) He's been spotted trespassing at private pools, running across streets, stealing birdseed, and sneaking fruit from trees.

With the impressive arm strength of a tree dweller, supersharp teeth, and a bad attitude, the monkey is potentially very dangerous. "When people crowd around to see him, his adrenaline skyrockets," says Gary Morse of the Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission. Still, he and his co-workers are determined to save the monkey *and* humans from harm. "This animal has managed to survive based on sheer athleticism, sharp eyesight... and learning to look both ways when he crosses the street."

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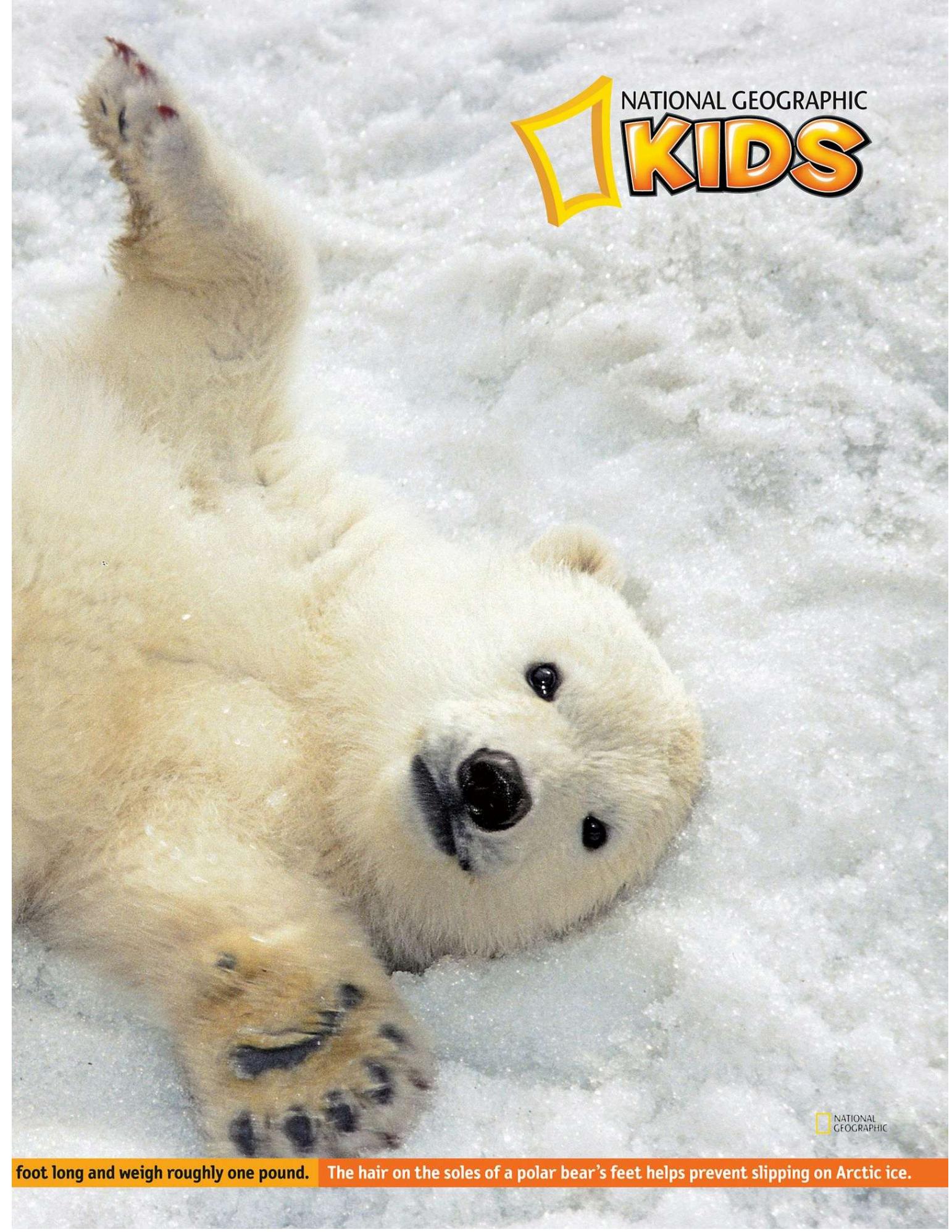
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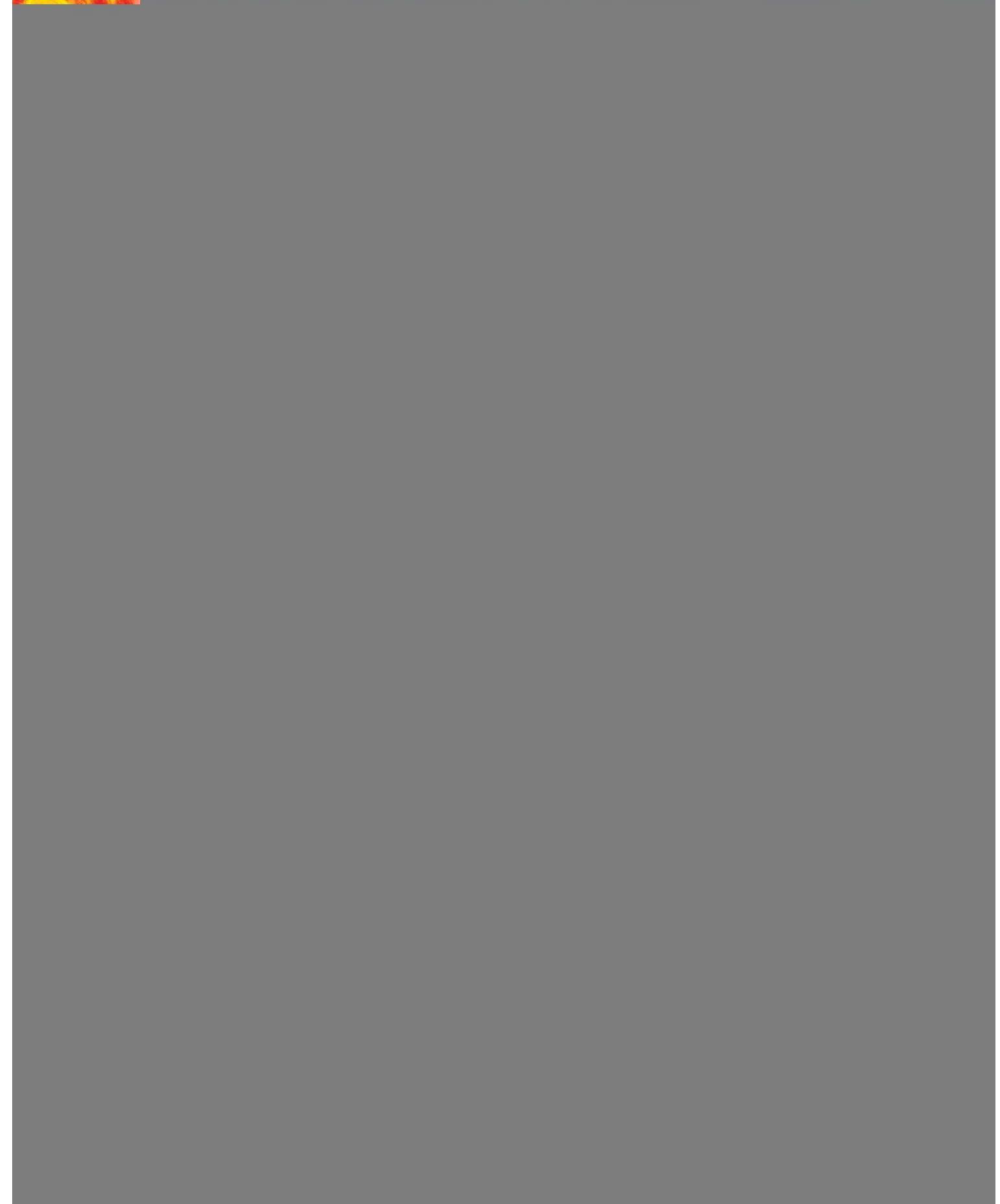


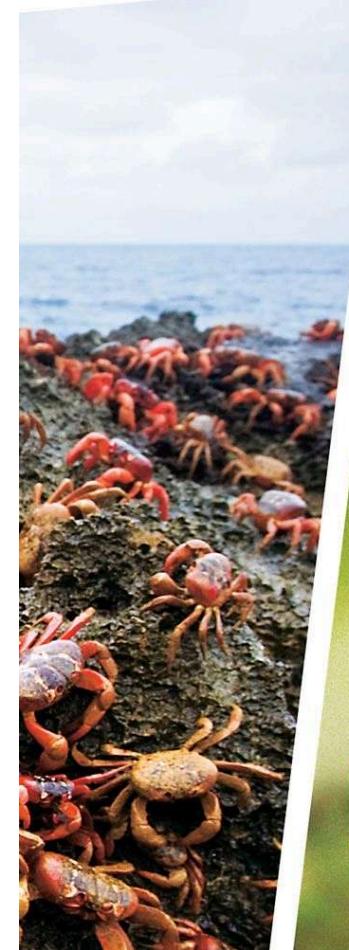
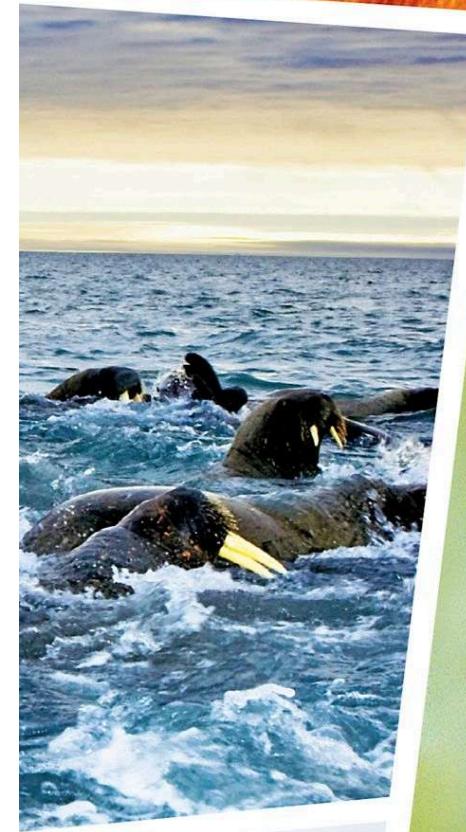
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foot long and weigh roughly one pound. The hair on the soles of a polar bear's feet helps prevent slipping on Arctic ice.







Fearsome army ants are practically blind; they communicate through chemical signals and touch.

INSECT INVASION

A legion of army ants assaults Costa Rica's rain forest on a daily search-and-destroy mission. They're armed with curved jaws and armor, but their greatest weapon is strength in numbers. Marching in a swarm up to 15 yards wide and hundreds of thousands strong, the soldier ants kill almost any small creature in their path—including cockroaches, crickets, wasps, grasshoppers, and even scorpions and tarantulas. Smaller worker ants follow the soldiers' trail of destruction, carving up the corpses and lugging pieces back to the colony's temporary nest. The daily raids are necessary to feed the huge colony, which may include 700,000 ants.

A three-week offensive picks the forest floor clean of prey. The colony needs a new hunting ground. The army mobilizes after dark, migrating almost a hundred yards each night. A couple of weeks later, the ants build another temporary base, and renew their rampage.

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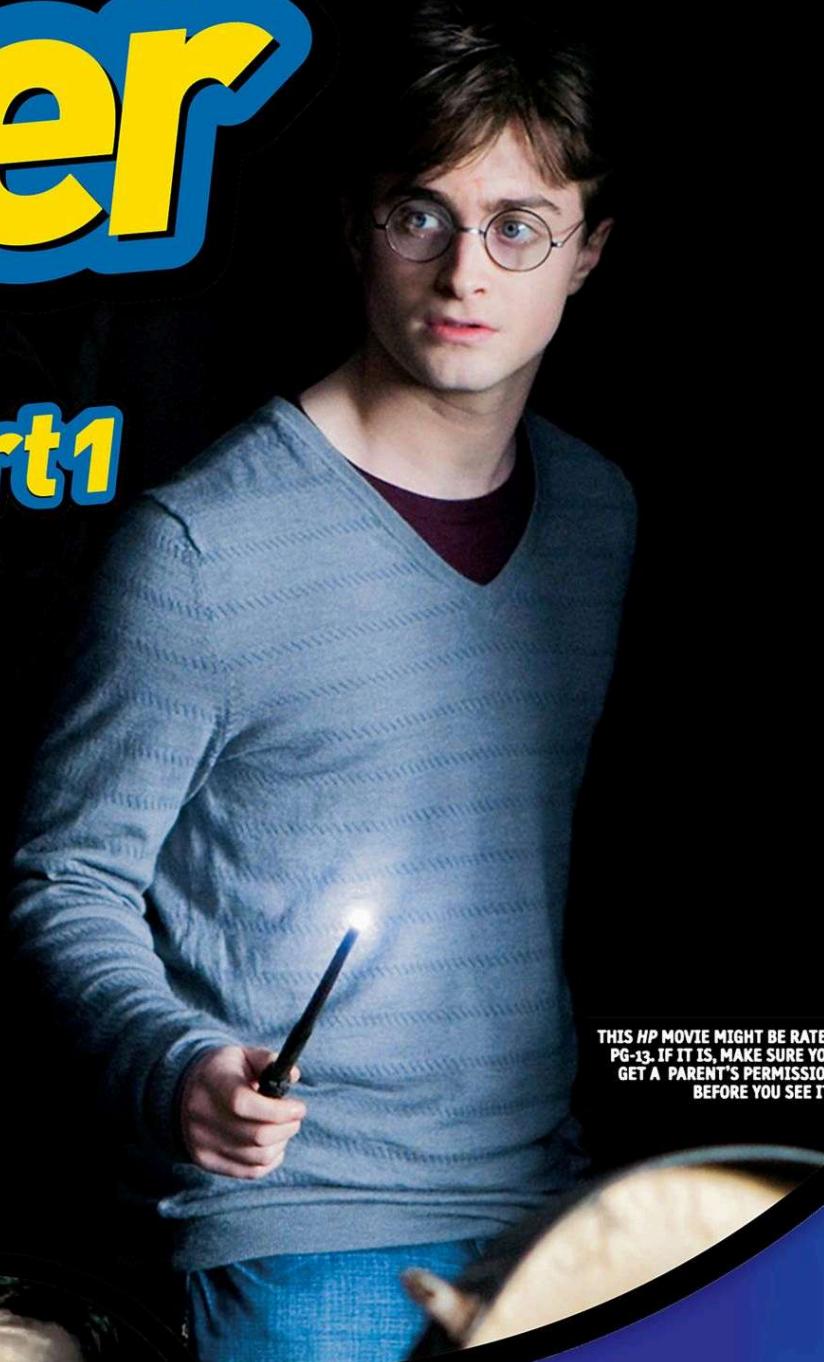
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Part 1



THIS HP MOVIE MIGHT BE RATED PG-13. IF IT IS, MAKE SURE YOU GET A PARENT'S PERMISSION BEFORE YOU SEE IT!



BELLATRIX LEARNS THAT HARRY, RON, AND HERMIONE HAVE BEEN CAPTURED.

SNOW MY!

Harry, Ron, and Hermione launch their hunt for the Horcruxes during winter, but filmmakers—not Mother Nature—created the snowy scenes. Some of the white stuff was a combo of Epsom salts and shredded paper. For falling flurries, the crew lit 1,500 “snow candles” that released a fine white ash as they burned. “Big fans blew the ‘snow’ softly,” special effects supervisor John Richardson says.

ACTOR PROFILES

DANIEL RADCLIFFE

(HARRY POTTER)

AGE: 21

HARRY POTTER CHARACTERS HE'D TRADE PLACES WITH: “Sirius Black and Lupin. They both have very interesting lives.”

SECRET TALENT: Reciting the entire periodic table

IDEAL PLACE TO APPARATE TO: New York City. “The people are so friendly.”

BEST PART ABOUT PLAYING HARRY: “Working with all the amazing actors and crew. Everyone has worked so hard on these films to make them the best they can possibly be.”

ALL-TIME FAVORITE HP SCENE: Anything with Sirius Black



EMMA WATSON

(HERMIONE GRANGER)

AGE: 20

BEST PART ABOUT PLAYING HERMIONE: “Hermione really brings to life the idea of ‘girl power.’”

HIDDEN TALENT: Ping-Pong

HARRY POTTER PROP SHE WISHES SHE HAD IN REAL LIFE: A Time-Turner. “There’s never enough time to do everything I want.”

FAVORITE THING TO DO WHEN SHE'S NOT ACTING: Sleep

HP CHARACTER SHE'D TRADE PLACES WITH: Bellatrix. “It’d be so great to play someone truly evil.”



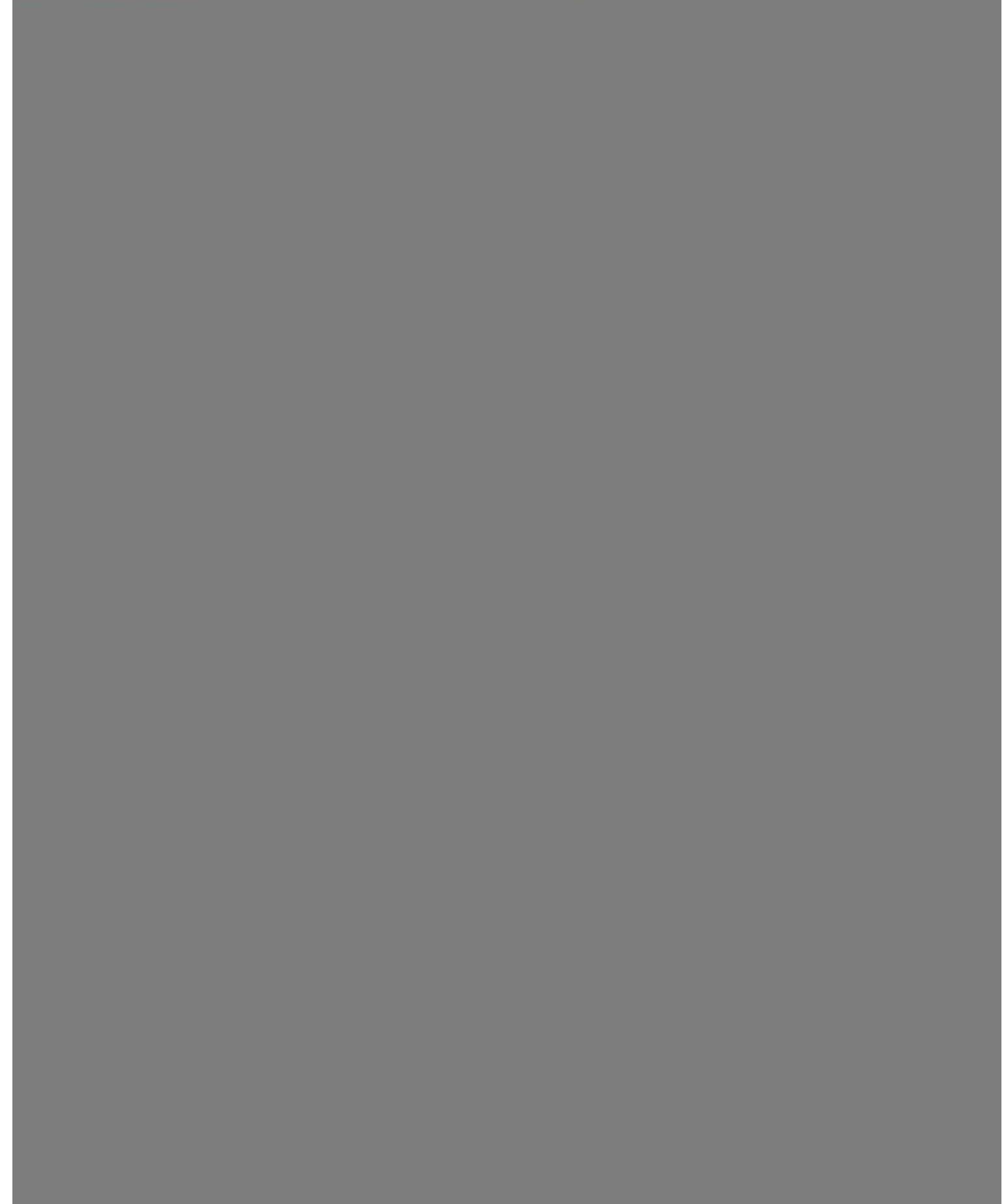


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Crazy Cornucopia

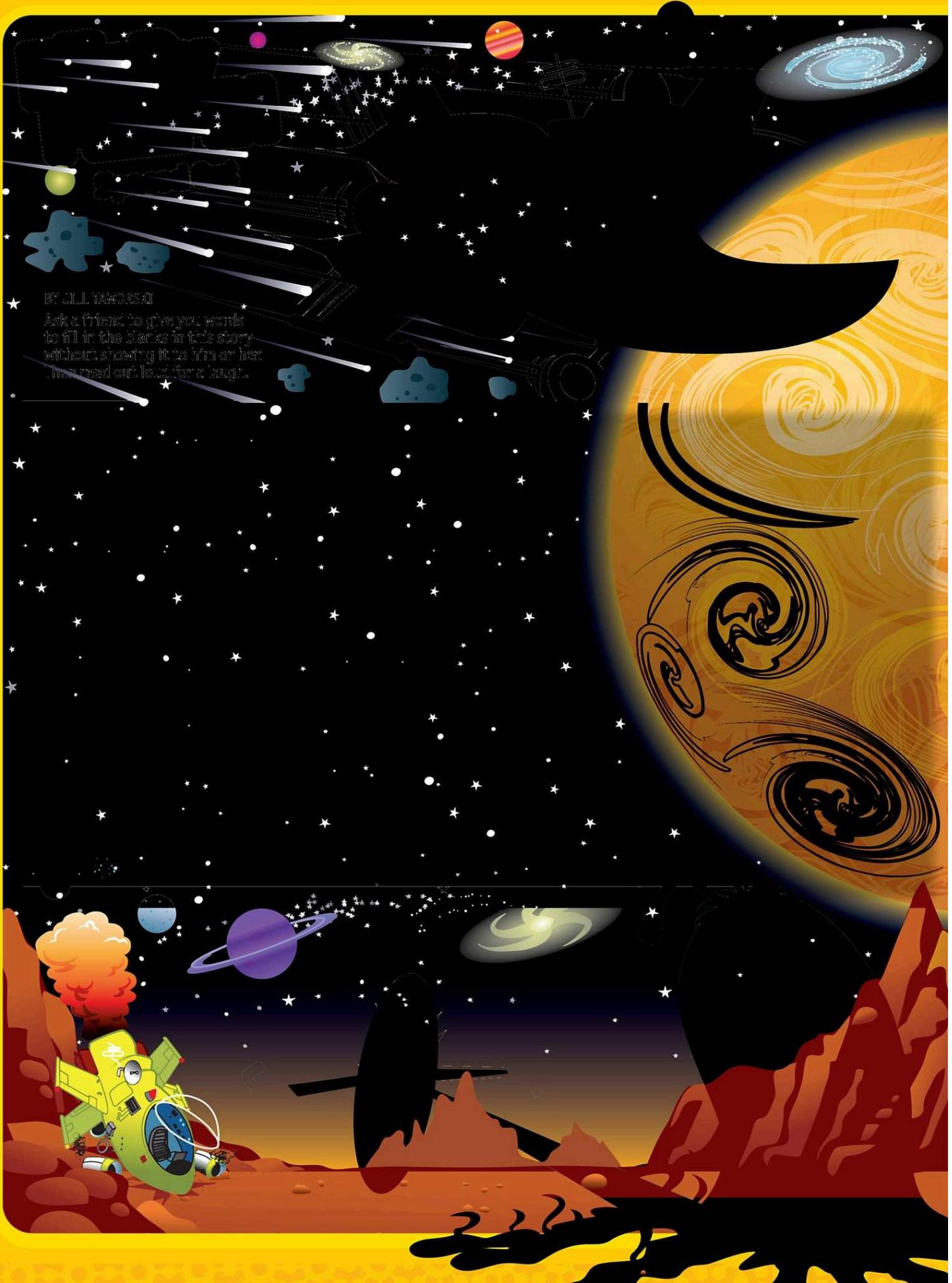
Oops! Someone knocked over the cornucopia during Thanksgiving dinner. Find and circle these items.

turtle	4 crayons
seashell	penny
bug	6 pinecones
key	cherry
8 bananas	monkey
deer	3 footballs
airplane	duck
2 umbrellas	cookie cutter

BONUS: Spell "Thanksgiving" with the letters in the scene.

BY JILL YAHORSKI

Ask a friend to give you words to fill in the blanks in this story without showing it to him or her. Then read out loud for a laugh.





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Use the clues to figure out which animals appear in these swirled pictures. ANSWERS ON PAGE 35

1



HINT: Be prepared for an all-nighter if you invite this amphibian to a sleepover.

2



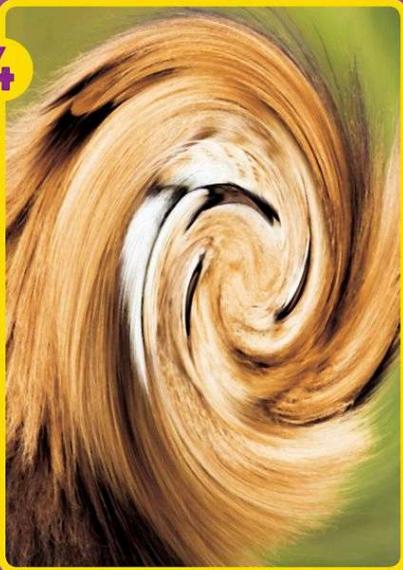
HINT: This red-haired animal loves to hang out.

3



HINT: If you took away this giant's food, it might feel bamboozled.

4



HINT: He's always the "mane" event.

5



HINT: You wouldn't want to pair this squishy sea creature with peanut butter.

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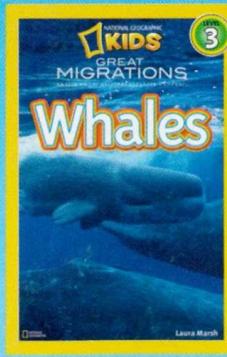
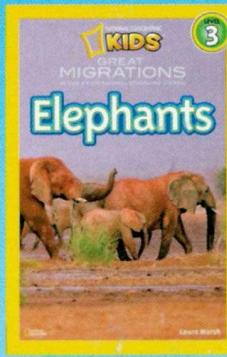
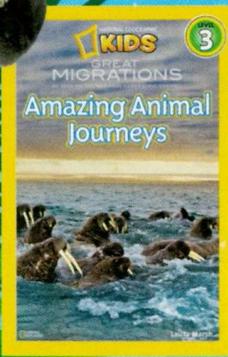
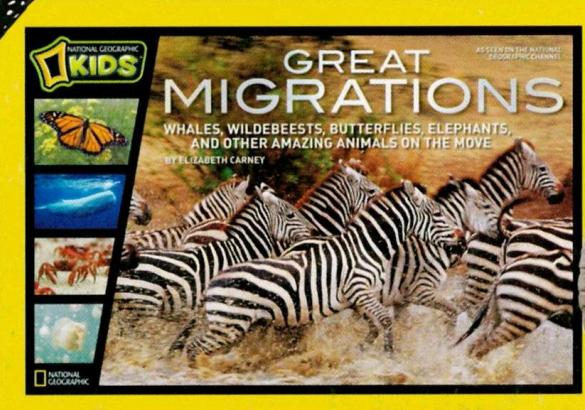
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