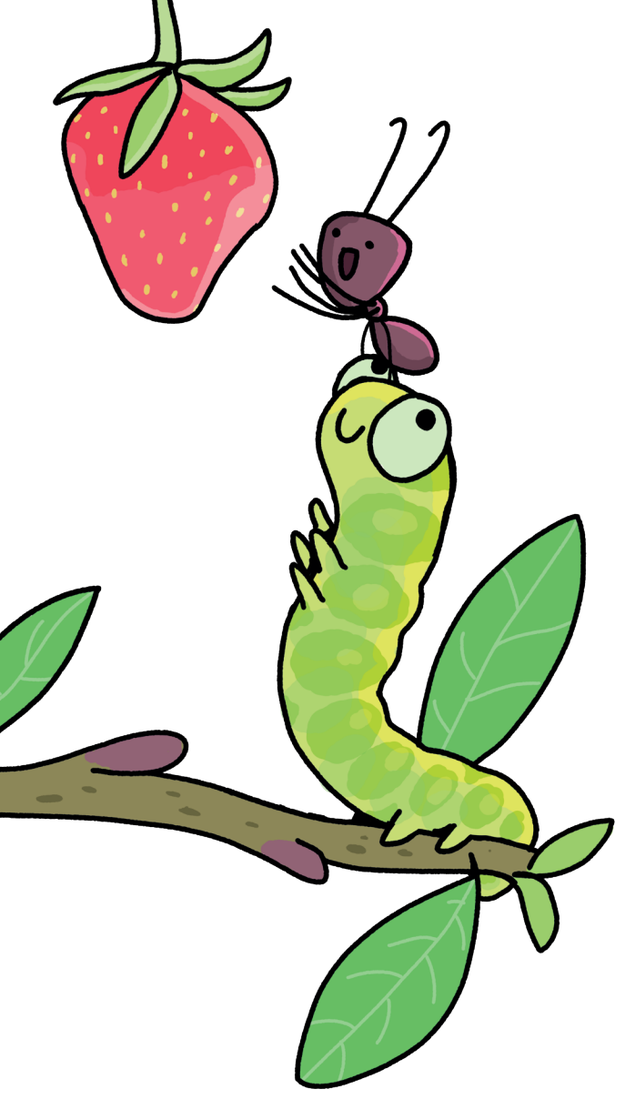
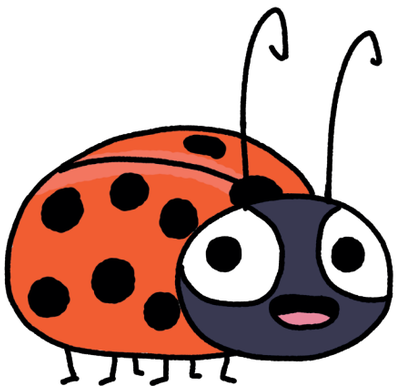




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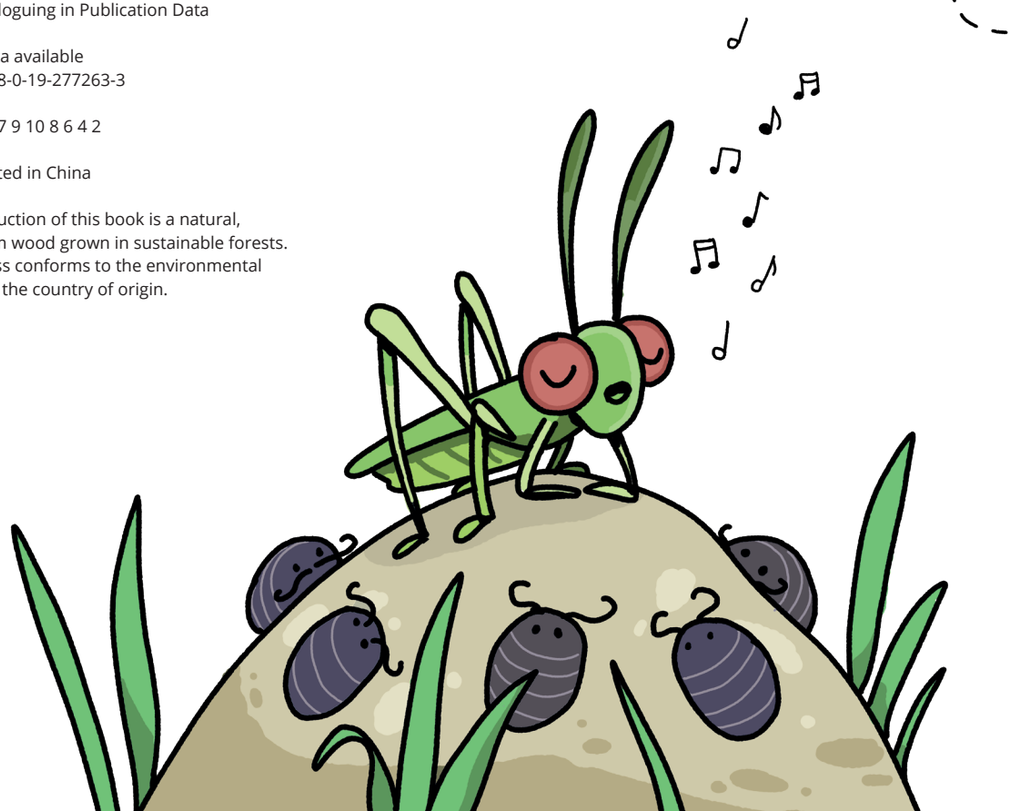
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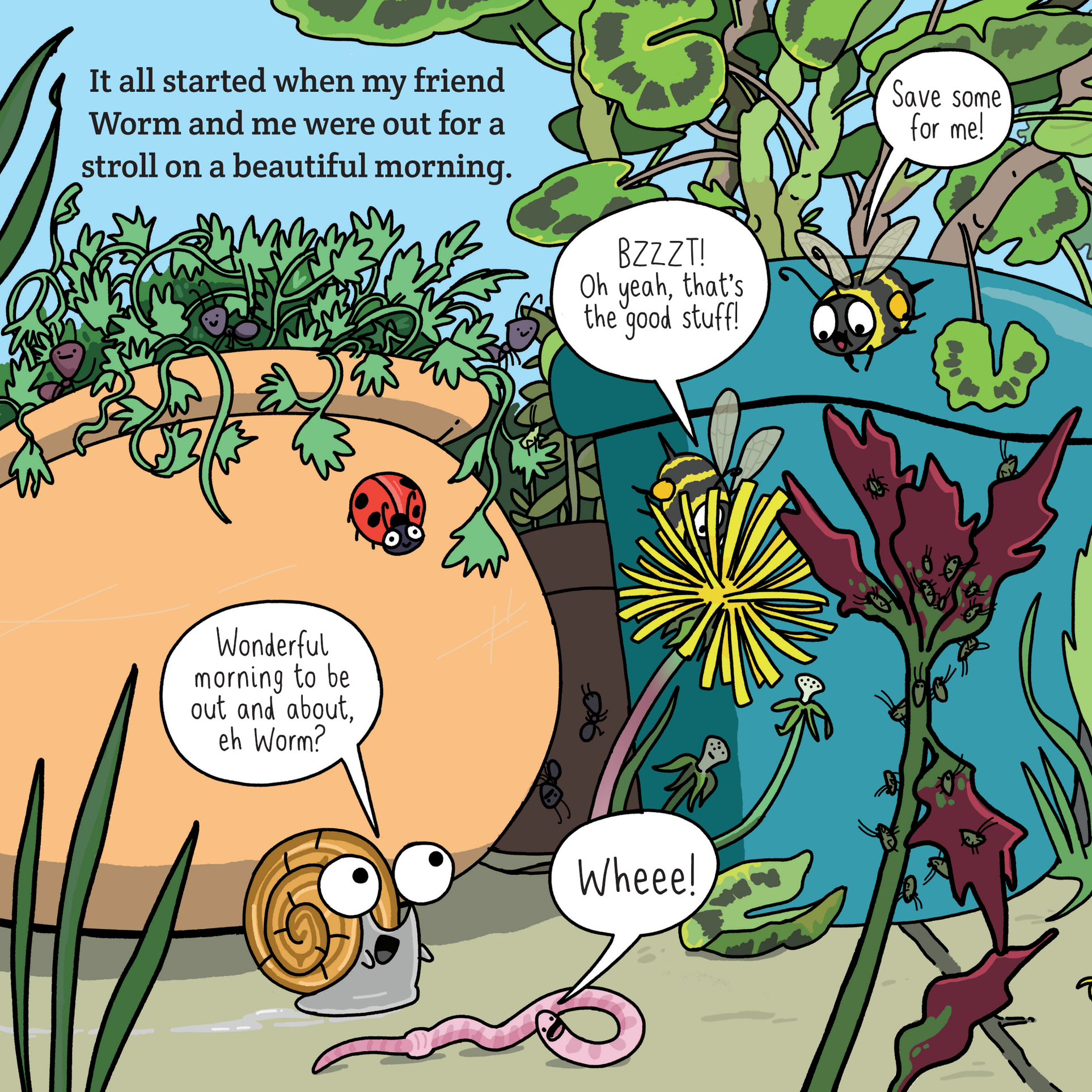
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Whee! Boop boop!

And you're probably also wondering who is making that noise.

Allow me to explain . . .

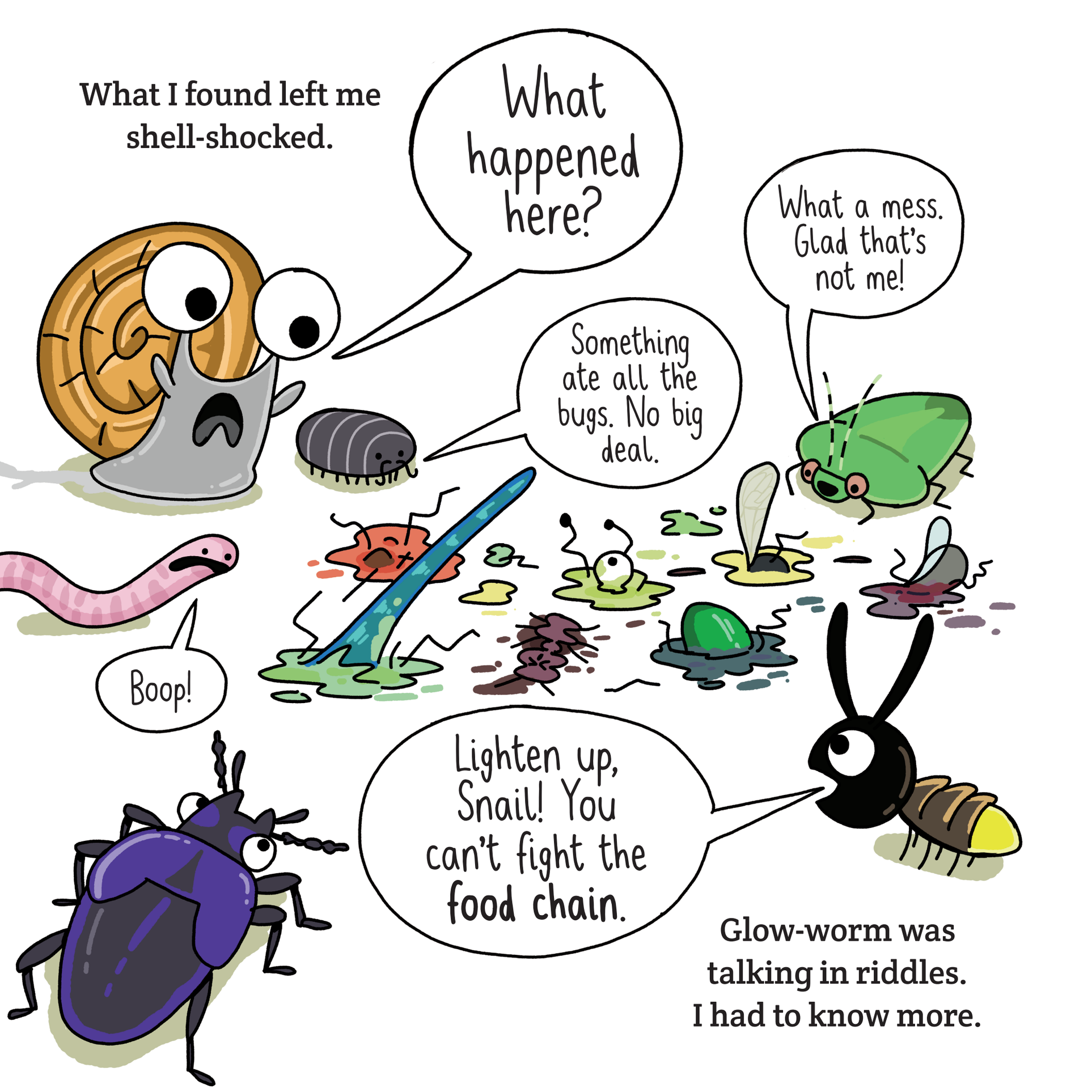

It all started when my friend Worm and me were out for a stroll on a beautiful morning.
Save some for me!
BZZZT! Oh yeah, that's the good stuff!
Wonderful morning to be out and about, eh Worm?
Wheee!


What a lovely day. Let's go and hide under a damp rock.
I want to be like THAT when I grow up!
Not this again . . .


But not everything was rosy in the garden . . .
RUUUN! Or fly or jump! Or skitter!
Woooo! Wheeee!



Being a curious sort,
I decided to investigate.


What I found left me shell-shocked.
What happened here?
Something ate all the bugs. No big deal.
What a mess. Glad that's not me!
Boop!
Lighten up, Snail! You can't fight the food chain.
Glow-worm was talking in riddles. I had to know more.


Bugs eat plants. Other things eat bugs. Are there any questions?
Food Chain
yum!
Yes. Where did this chart come from?
Woooo!
That's NOT FAIR! I'm going to find out who ate all the bugs and bring them to JUSTICE!
WHO'S WITH ME?
Think I have to wash my hair.
Bye-bye-boop-boop!
Can't. Upside down.
Good luck, Snail!


Staying alive was already hard enough without a new menace treating bugs like a buffet.
STRANGE SWEETS
Forgot to say—you shouldn't eat those.
I just can't take it any more!
Lovely day to be out on the water!
Swimming was a bad decision.
LOST AT SEA



But nothing would keep me from catching the culprit . . .


BIRD!
You ate all the bugs.
Prepare to face justice!
Whaaat?
I'm innocent!
I've only eaten seeds today (and maybe a worm or two).
But Bird was not to blame.


Not so fast, Snail! Birds don't just eat bugs. They enjoy a wide variety of foods.
Greedy.
Hey!
Couldn't you have told me that before I climbed this tree?
It's more fun this way.