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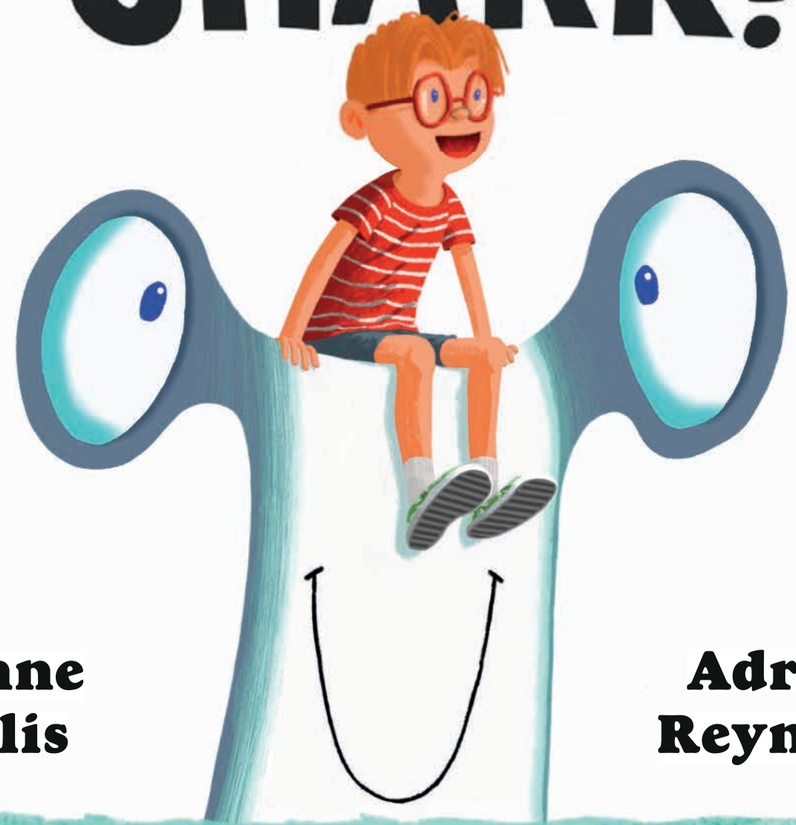
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For Lyn and Gillian – A.R.

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MY MATE MARK IS A HAMMERHEAD SHARK!



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My mate **Mark** is a
Hammerhead Shark.
I met him on an ocean cruise . . .

Snoozing on a deckchair in his underwear
As he listened to *The Daily News*.

No one else could see he was a **shark** but me,
They were fooled by his **cool disguise**.

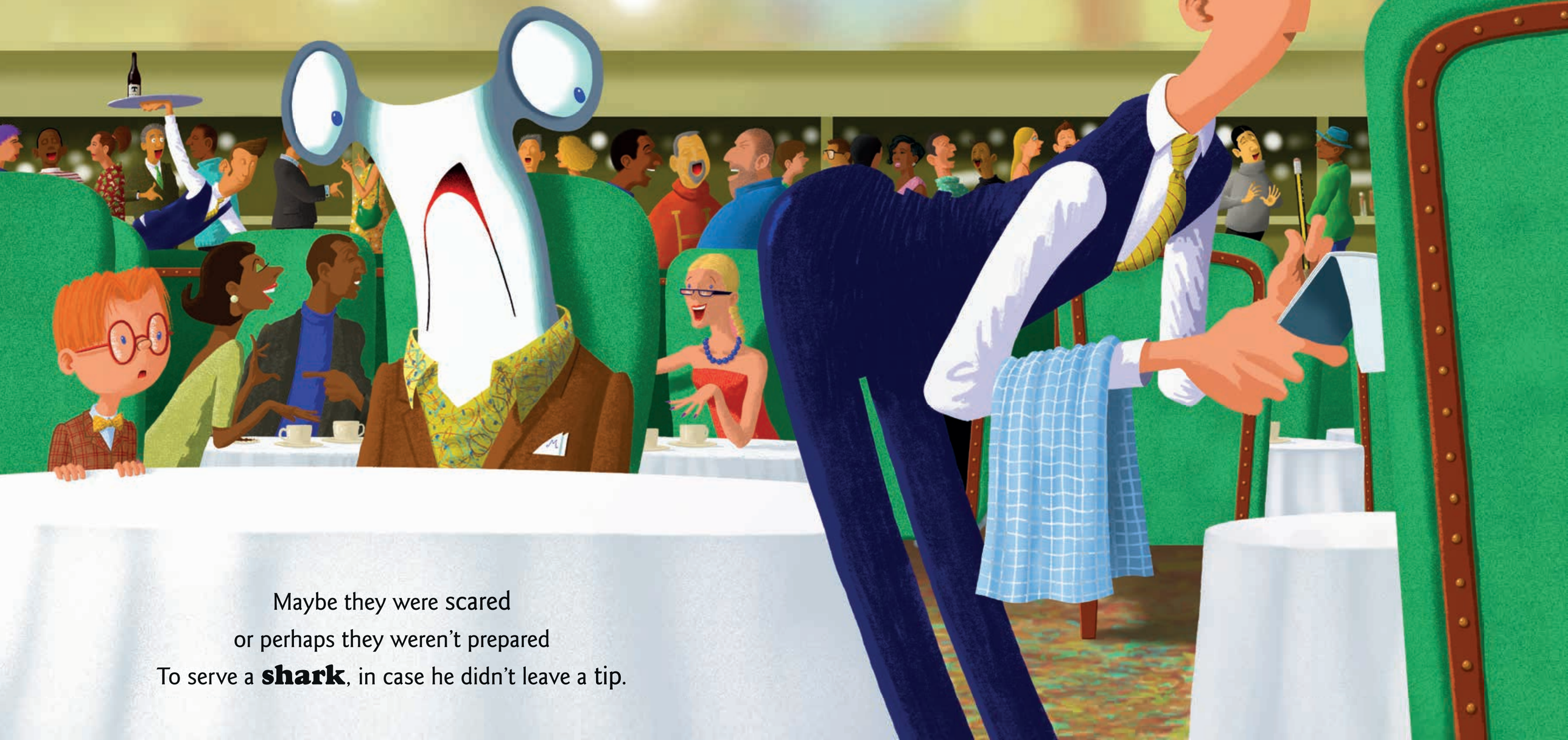
So I said **hello** and
invited Mark below
To share a bag of
battered cod with fries.

Walking wasn't easy, it made him very wheezy,
He was queasy, couldn't talk and had no toes.



I took Mark by the fin and he gave a chinless grin
And to thank me, kissed me gently on the nose.

He was avoided by the crew who had better things to do
And the waiters all ignored him on the ship.



Maybe they were scared
or perhaps they weren't prepared
To serve a **shark**, in case he didn't leave a tip.