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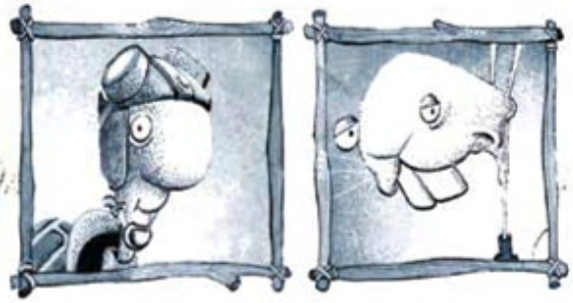
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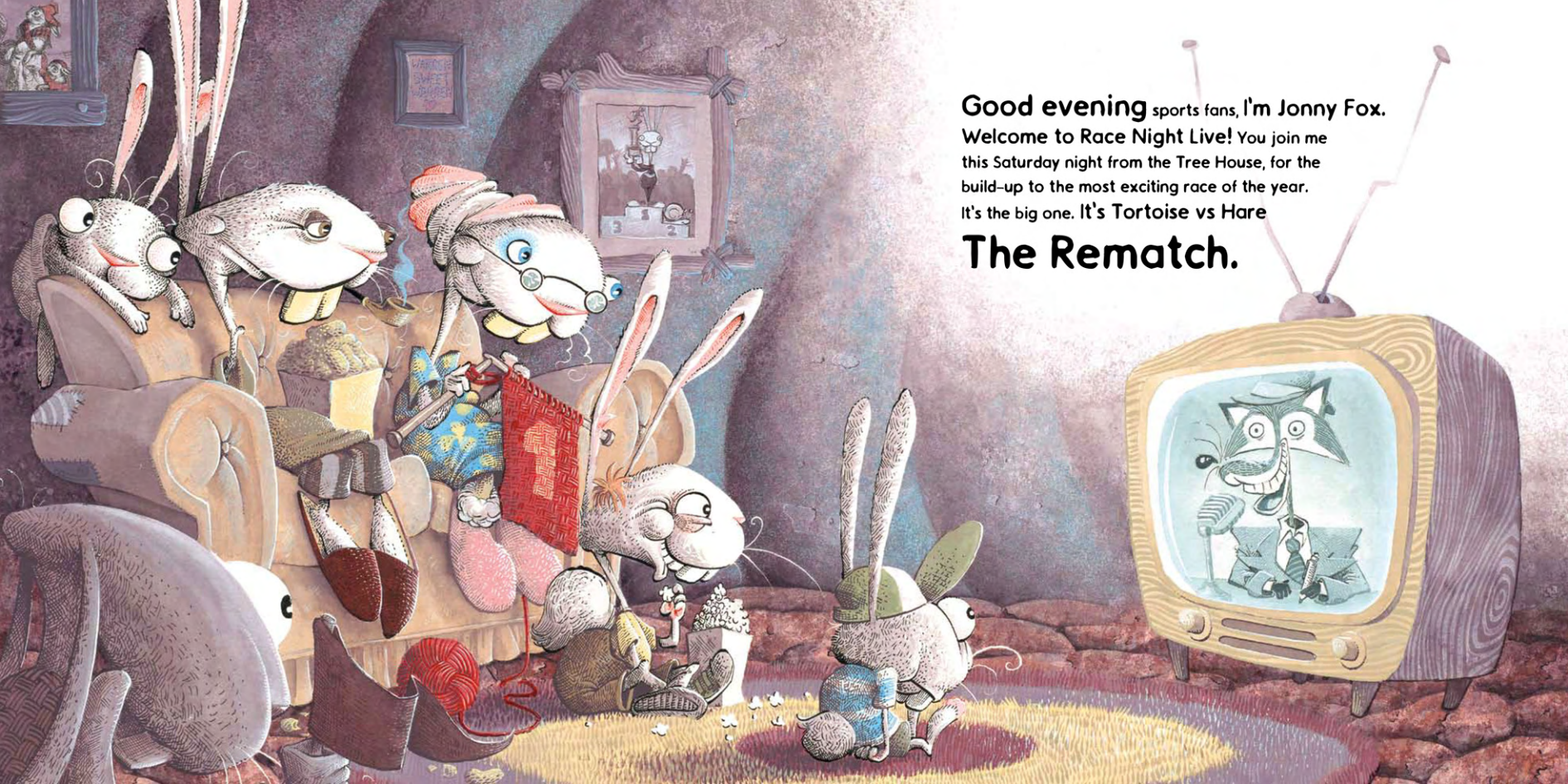


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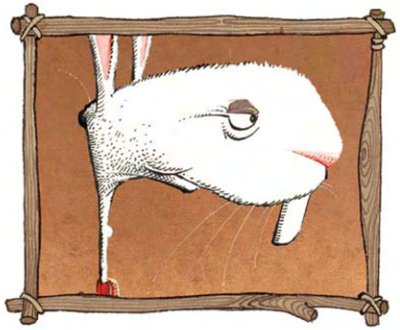
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Good evening sports fans, I'm Jonny Fox.
Welcome to Race Night Live! You join me this Saturday night from the Tree House, for the build-up to the most exciting race of the year. It's the big one. It's Tortoise vs Hare
The Rematch.

In red we have our challenger.
Former champion, land speed record holder,
the fastest fur in the forest,
Harry 'The Hurricane' Hare!!!





Hare

Age:	5
Style:	Fast and furious
Wins:	81
Losses:	1
Favourite Food:	Fast food

In blue we have the athlete who caused
one of the biggest sporting upsets in history.
It's the one, the only, the defending champion of the wood,
'Steady' Eddie Tortoise!!!



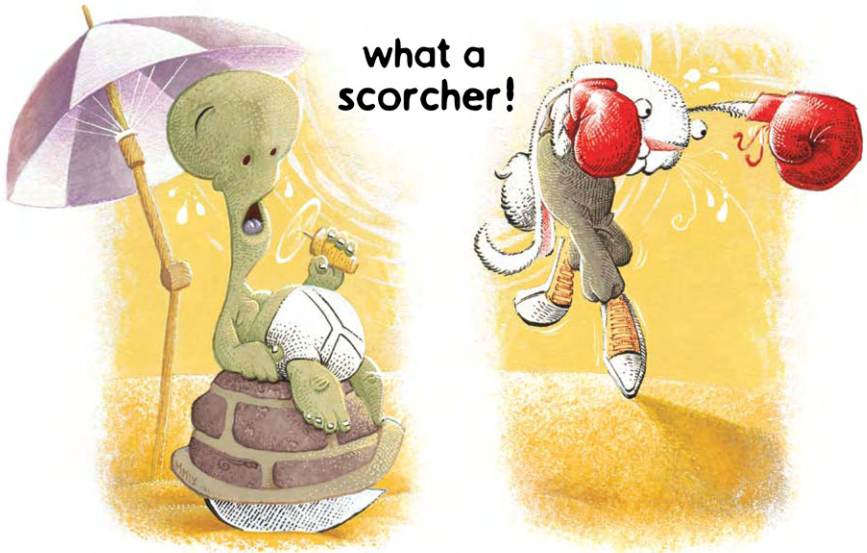
Tortoise

Age:	61
Style:	Easy does it
Wins:	1
Losses:	0
Favourite Food:	Slow-roasted tomatoes



Let's look back at an absolutely astounding week:
On Monday our runners arrived and **WOW,**

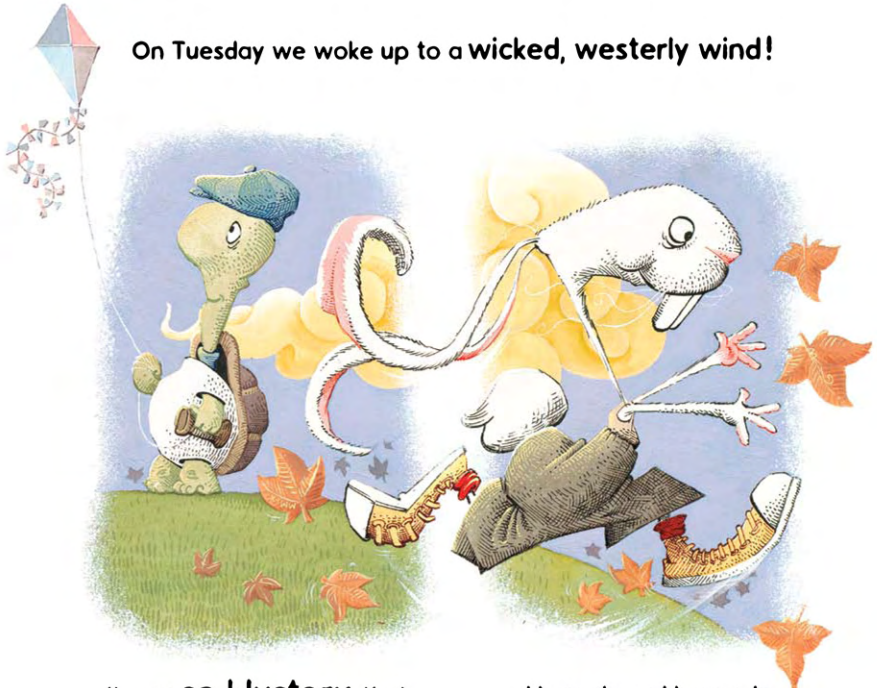
what a scorcher!



The sun was **so hot** that
Tortoise didn't train at all!

Hare shadowboxed all day long
in the burning heat. And boy
was he **strong as an ox!**

On Tuesday we woke up to a **wicked, westerly wind!**



It was **so blustery** that
Tortoise didn't train at all!

Hare chased leaves in
the ghastly gale. And boy was
he **fast as a cheetah!**