

This book belongs to

For the bairns: Rio, Skye, Aura, Sophia and Izzy



Picture Kelpies is an imprint of Floris Books
First published in 2012 by Floris Books

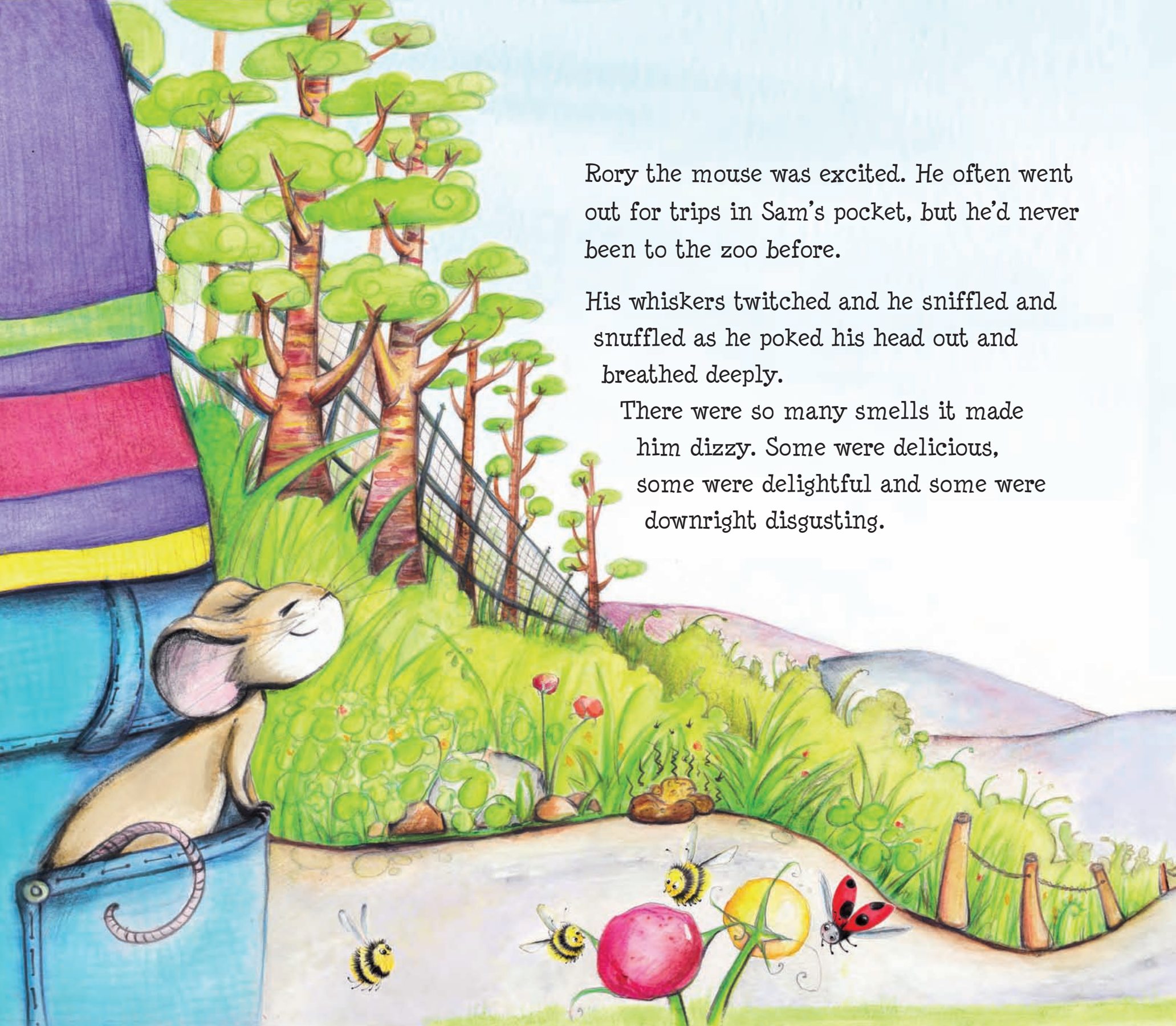
Text © 2012 Gill Arbuthnott Illustrations © 2012 Joanne Nethercott
Gill Arbuthnott and Joanne Nethercott assert their right under the Copyright, Designs and
Patents Act 1988 to be recognised as the Author and Illustrator of this Work.
All rights reserved. No part of this book may be reproduced without prior permission of
Floris Books, 15 Harrison Gardens, Edinburgh www.florisbooks.co.uk
The publisher acknowledges subsidy from Creative Scotland towards the
publication of this volume. British Library CIP Data available
ISBN 978-086315-870-4
Printed in China



Lost ^{at} _{the} Zoo

Gill Arbuthnott
and Joanne Nethercott





Rory the mouse was excited. He often went out for trips in Sam's pocket, but he'd never been to the zoo before.

His whiskers twitched and he sniffled and snuffled as he poked his head out and breathed deeply.

There were so many smells it made him dizzy. Some were delicious, some were delightful and some were downright disgusting.

From the top of the hill, Rory felt as though he could see the whole world. The wind whizzed through his whiskers and made his ears flap.

“Make sure you stay in my pocket,” said Sam. “You wouldn’t like being lost here.”

