









SHELTER FOR LOST DREAMS by Alfonso Font

Some years ago I started to think about a series that would allow me to connect with the reader, in an entertaining way, concerning matters that affect us all: money, ecology, war, racism, religion... But it was difficult to address such a variety of matters in only one story. After much consideration I came up with "Shelter for Lost Dreams."

It all begins in a city of no particular country, when a boy named Zò arrives at the house of his uncle Cyrus, a sort of wise tutor in charge of taking care of him as well as educating him. Cyrus' house, a mixture of antiques, books and strange objects, combined with small wild animals, creates a magical environment. While there Zò will meet Dontknow, a girl around his age, who has been living there for as long as she can remember.

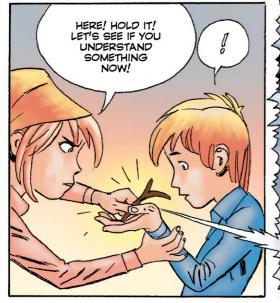
A small dried branch will trigger the remembering of the first forgotten dream, and we will see how, without that tree, Zò would have never been born. A strange pair of glasses will bring us closer to a "horrid" spider-like being, who will have an unusual encounter with two young, terrified hikers... We will learn all about the forgotten dreams of a thief who wanted to make history as the most famous thief of all time; the sadness of an old judge who would have liked to be a sailor; the glory of a retired general after the war... and much more.



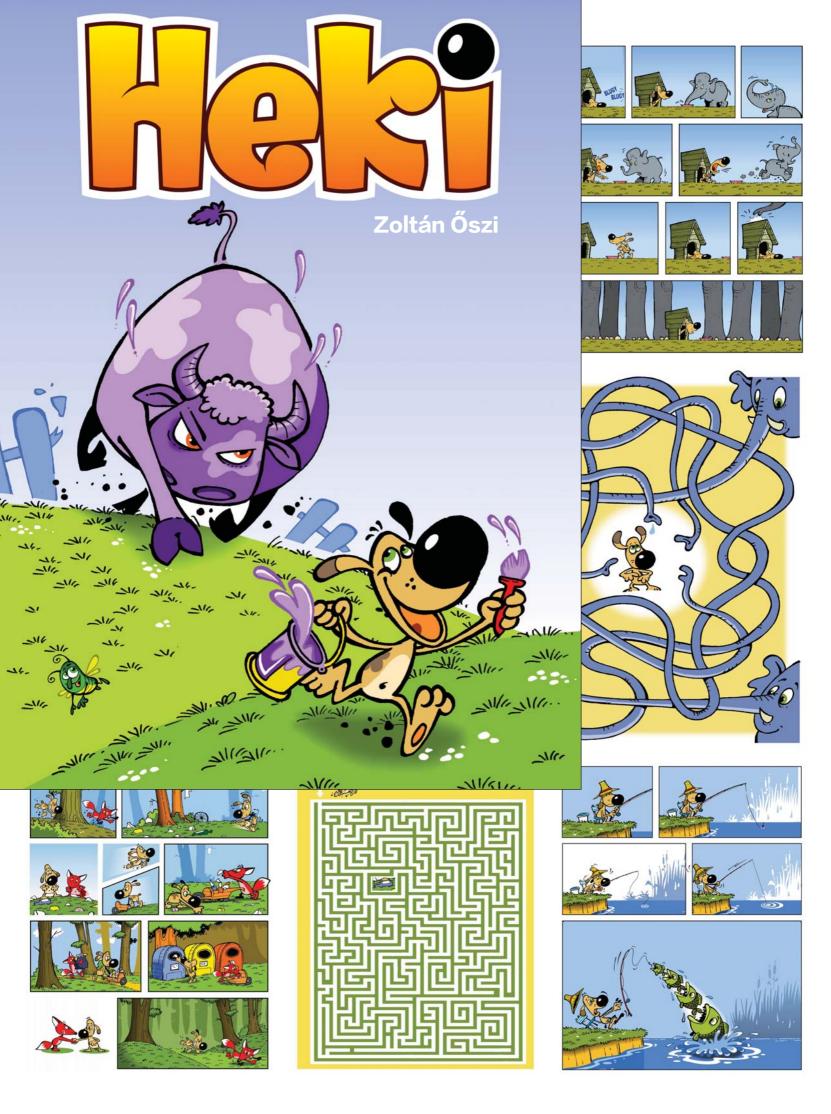






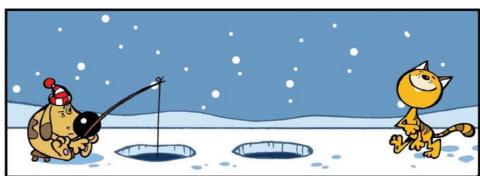




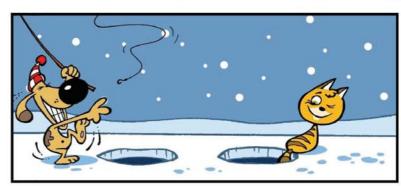


Winter Fishing



















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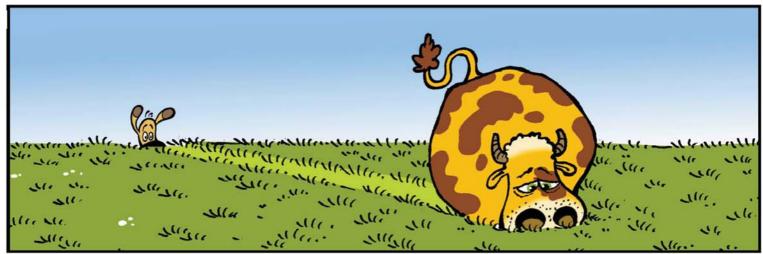










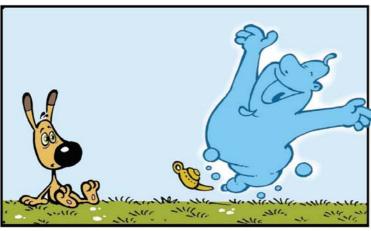


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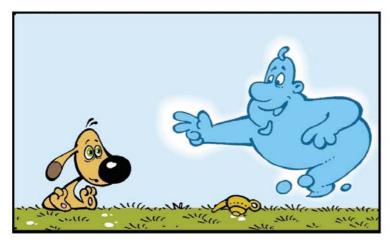






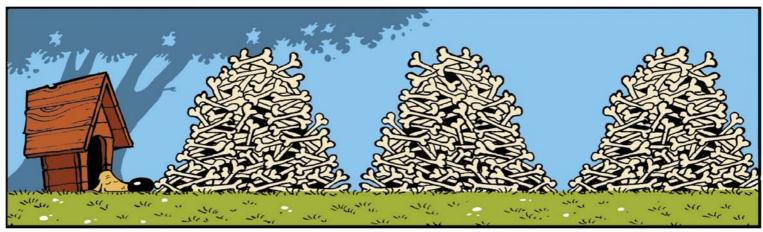














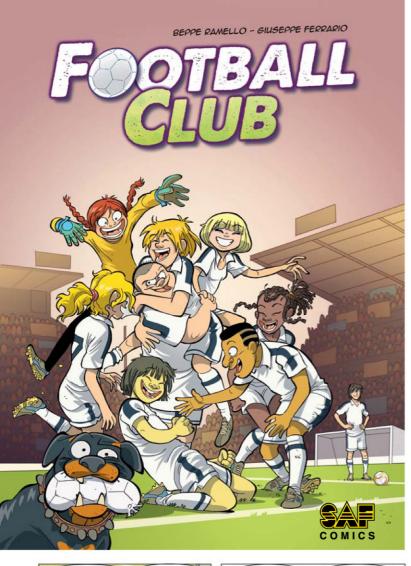
FOOTBALL CLUB

Writer: BEPPE RAMELLO Artist: GIUSEPPE FERRARIO

Leo is a former football player with an amazing career behind him, having played for the major European football clubs. Quite unexpectedly he gets involved with an after-school activity class for troubled kids. This is the start of *Football Club*, a new comic series from SAF, targeting children ages 9 - 13.

In three 48-page parts of the series, the young football players progress from playing on the school football field to representing their country in a competition in Brazil, which is held simultaneous to the FIFA World Cup. Coach Leo succeeds in transforming the troubled students of a junior high school on the outskirts of the city into a winning team. In the meantime the kids become friends.

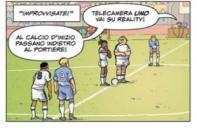
The series is produced in 8-page episodes, which are suitable for publication in weekly magazines and weekend supplements to daily newspapers. Six of these episodes constitute a 48-page album. There will be three such albums. And, as the final product, these albums can also be compiled into one volume of 144 comic pages.









































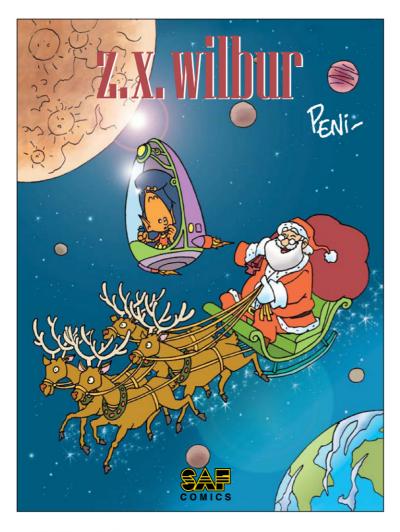










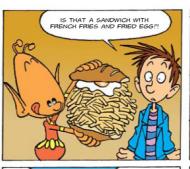


Z. X. WILBUR by Peni

Z.X. Wilbur is an alien boy from another planet, where children must attend an elementary school in some other galaxy, with children from other worlds. Luckily he chose our planet. Why, out of millions of planets did he choose Earth? Well, to get to know Earthlings and study their amazing culture, of course. But mostly because of French fries and fried eggs that cannot be found anywhere else in the universe. Wilbur amazes his school pals on Earth every day with his unique skills. While other kids have a hard time carrying their heavy bags full of books, Z.X. has his bag fly to school. When kids play soccer and make him goal keeper, Z.X. protects his goal with an invisible shield, so that nobody can score. He is the most fun alien you will ever meet.







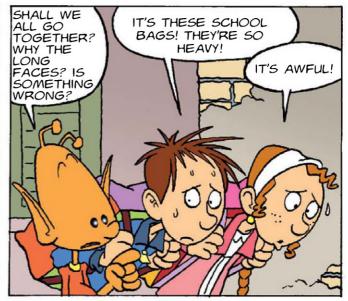




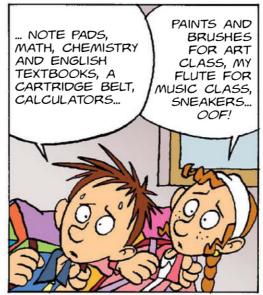






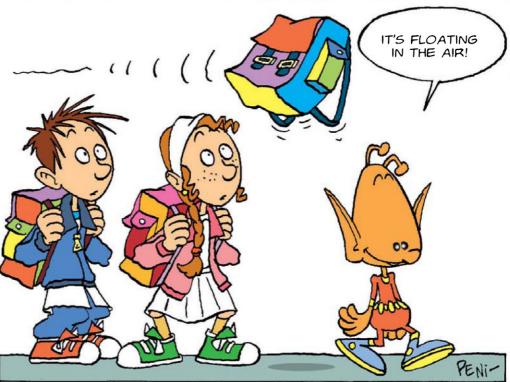


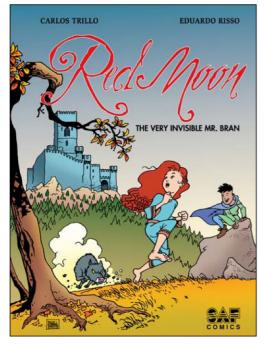


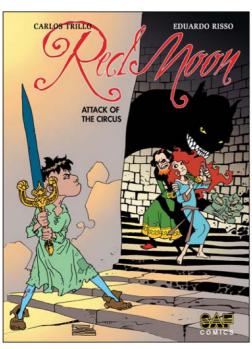


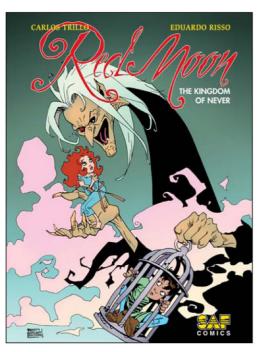


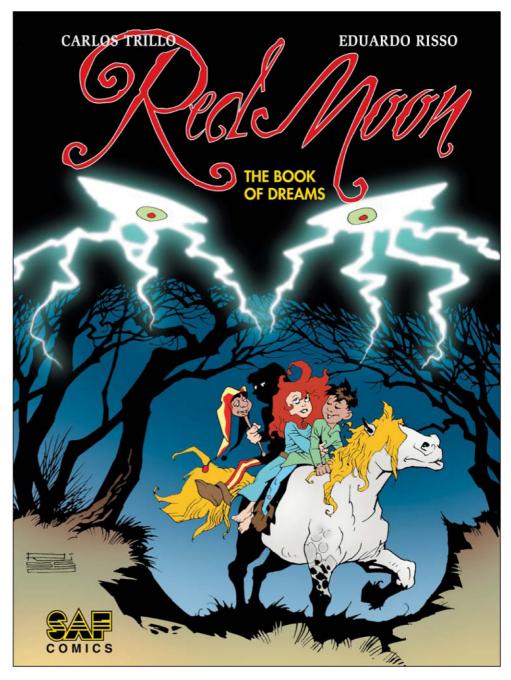






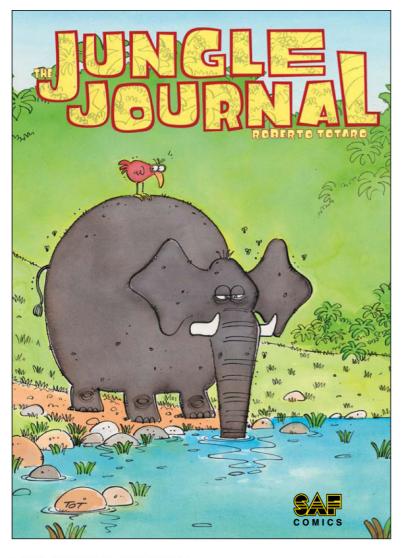






RED MOON by Carlos Trillo & Eduardo Risso

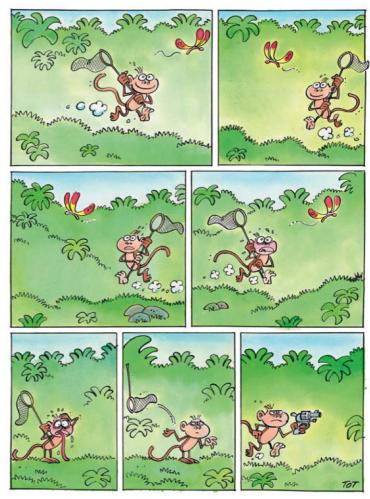
Moon is the fiery, red-headed daughter of the lord of Burien and his banished fairy wife. When her father is taken captive, Moon enlists the aid of Antolin, who is obviously in love with Moon; a bunch of strange circus performers; and Mr. Bran, whom only Moon can see. No sooner do they rescue her father, when Antolin's friends are abducted. Now, they must enter the Kingdom of Never - a dangerous land from which no one has ever returned. They find Antolin's friends, but a witch has turned them into pigs! They undo her evil, but their joy again is short-lived. Now, an ogre named Lamermor abducts Moon's father's new bride. Lamermor agrees to release her only if Moon's father can beat him in a duel. The problem? Lamermor's witch of a mother has made him invincible to almost everything. Eventually, Moon and her friends learn the secret that can hurt Lamermor. But will they get back in time to warn the King before it is too late?

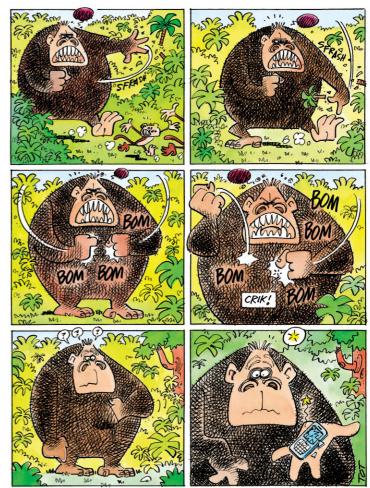


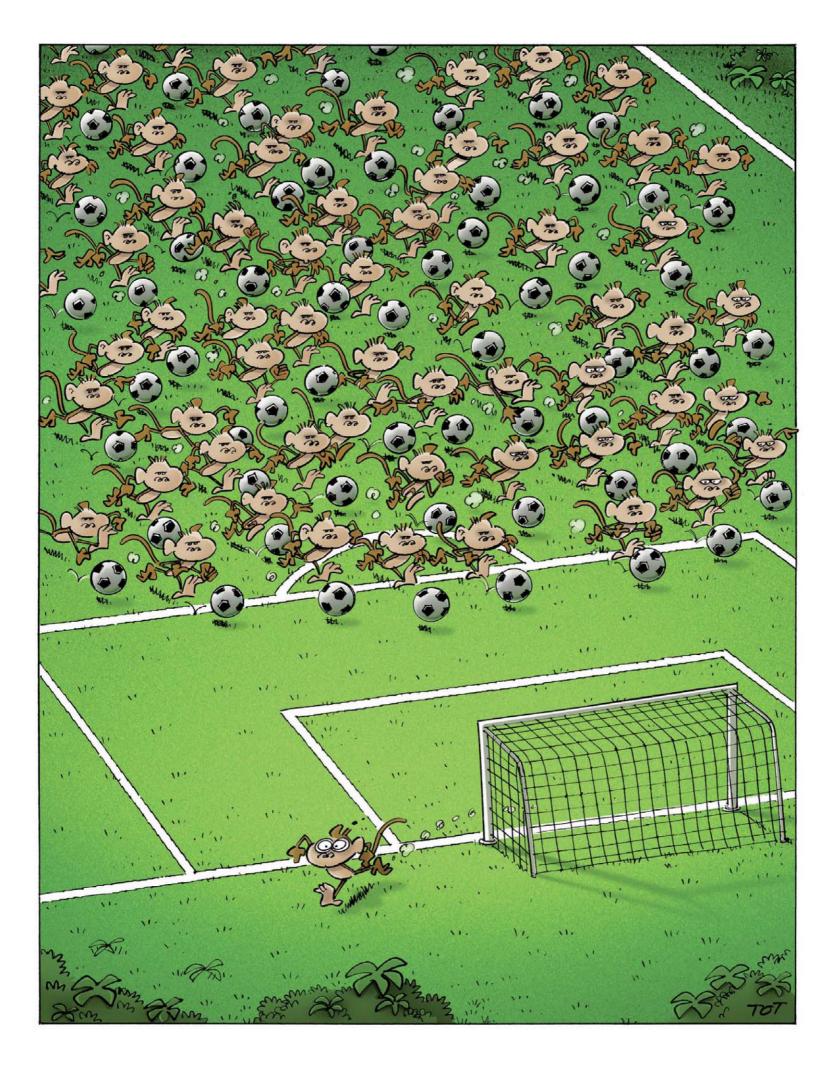
THE JUNGLE JOURNAL by Roberto Totaro

A hilarious one-page gag series with jungle animals from SAF's Italian artist and writer Roberto Totaro. Using his amazing drawing style, Totaro brings these animals to life. Whether it is a smiling monkey falling into a trap, an elephant starting to sink into quicksand after a bird lands on his back, or dozens of animals getting together to attend Tarzan and Jane's wedding, Totaro makes these creatures so charming and lovable, that you cannot resist wanting to read more and more of his jungle gags. We have more than 140 pages ready for publication in magazines and books.









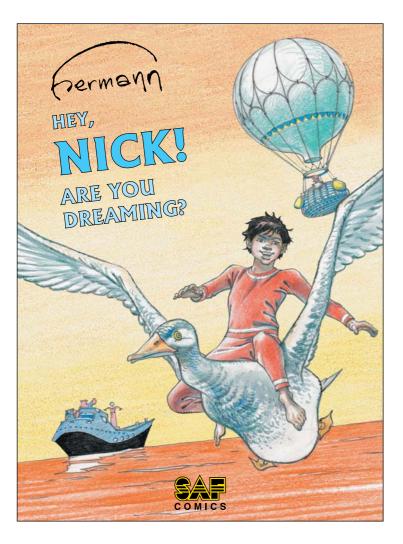


ELE by Trillo, Maicas & Mr. Zombi

Ele is a circus elephant who runs off when he can no longer take the audience laughing at him riding a bicycle or walking a tightrope. He hides out in a train station, but when he notices a group of children passing by, he asks them for help. All of them are thrilled with the idea of having an elephant as a house pet. But where can you hide an elephant at home without



your mom noticing? They decide to hide Ele in Timotea's spacious house -- she is the only girl among boys. Ele really enjoys sleeping by Timotea's bed and successfully hides every time her dad cruises the house looking for a lost slipper, or when her mom does a big spring clean. Besides these children, Ele has other friends, too. But they live in the city zoo...

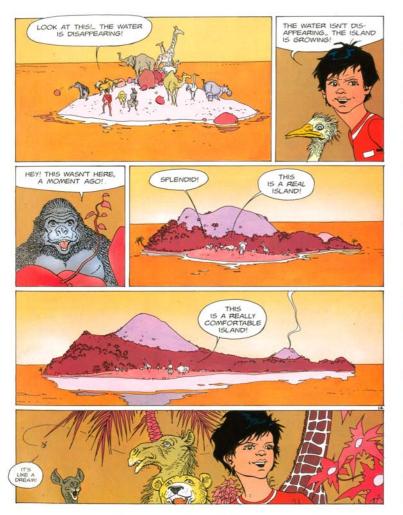




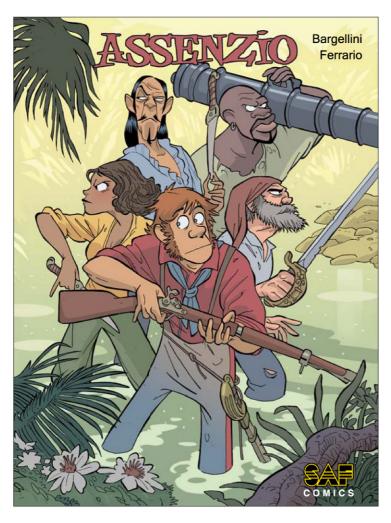
NICK by Morphée & Hermann

This three-album children's series follows a young boy and his amazing world of dreams, in which he travels to far-off places with a colorful group of animal companions. With his family never allowing him to own any pets at home, in his sleep Nick creates his own universe of animal characters who accompany him on every fantastic adventure imaginable, taking him as far as the North Pole one night and a pink island the next.

More often than not his animal friends cause him a world of trouble, but Nick always manages to find an ingenious solution to save the day, and to wake up in the safety of his warm bed.



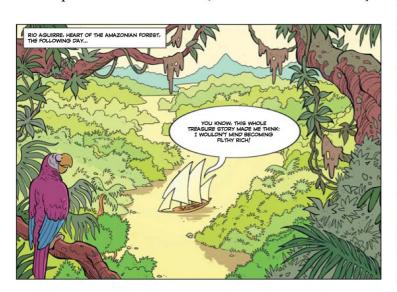






Get ready to meet a bunch of gritty, but lovable pirates, led by Garibaldino. At his side is his inexperienced apprentice who fights and boards ships in the South America seas along with his captain. It is the 19th century, where the revolutionary waves have begun all over the globe.

In these 48 pages you'll share the adventures of this pirate with the sideburns, and his crew of cutthroats with unique names (the quarrelsome Potock, Botafogo, and hot-tempered Astrud) as they embark on a very dangerous mission for the president of Rio Medio, Dom Sebastião Conchaça.







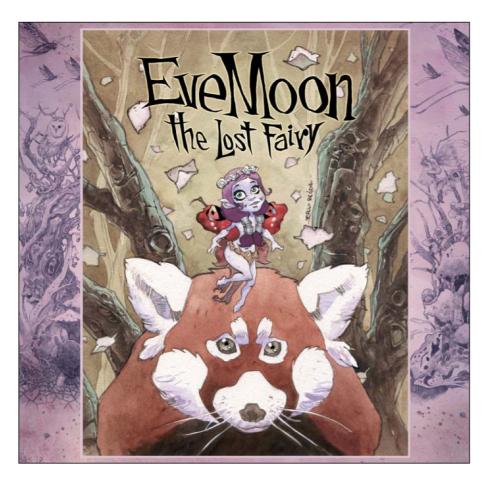














EveMoon, the Lost Fairy

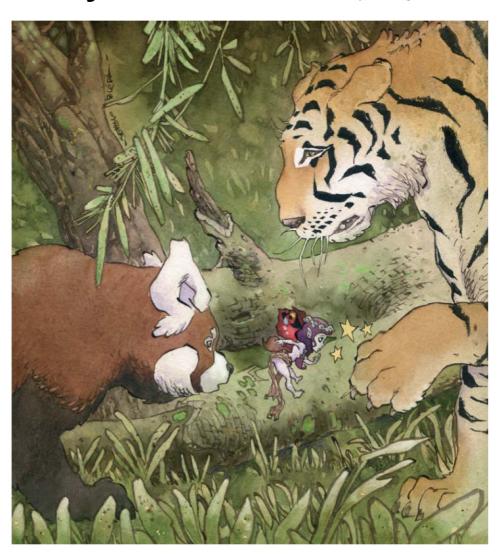
Written and illustrated by Sergio Bleda

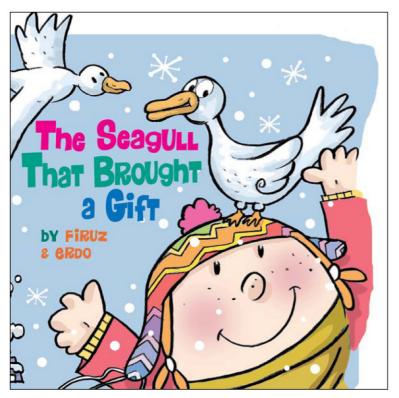
Why are all the inhabitants of the enchanted forest so impatient?

A lunar flower had sprouted from a very special tree, a tree whose roots draw their nourishment and strength from a star that fell from heaven and was buried long ago in the middle of the forest. This flower will open when the moon is full and give birth to **EveMoon**, a little fairy everyone is anxiously awaiting.

However, a sudden storm plucks the flower before the little one is born and carries her far away. Now, the Lady Mother of the forest has sent a group of magical creatures to our world to find **EveMoon**.

Will they find her?
This book shows children many different types of animals and habitats, while at the same time teaching them the value of friendship and coexistence through the adventures lived out by **EveMoon** and her new friend **Yuga**, the Red Panda (whose name literally means "friendly").





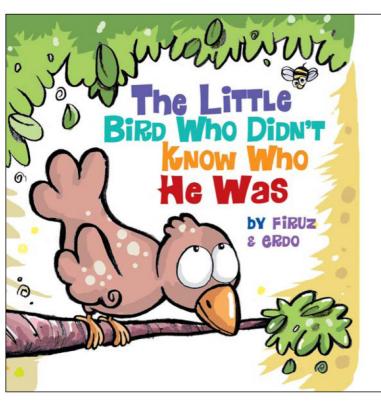
The Seagull That Brought a Gift

Little Dove's window looks out onto the roof of her building, where she has fallen in love with all the birds there. And they love her, too, because she keeps them

fed through the long winter. But Dove's mother hates the birds. Until a seagull does something for which the mom will always be grateful.

24 pages - 20 x 20 cm

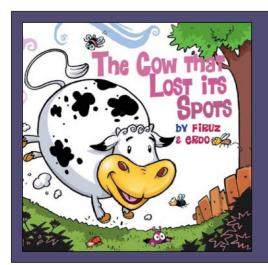


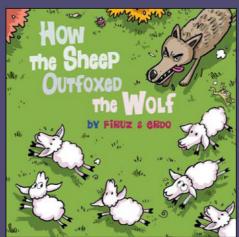


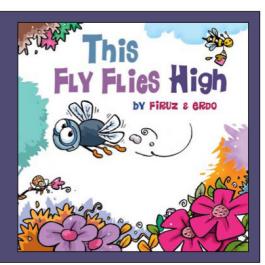
The Little Bird Who Didn't Know Who He Was

One day a little sparrow happens upon a very strange looking bird with brown feathers and white spots. The sparrow asks who he is, and the poor bird exclaims, "I don't know!" So the sparrow decides to help this sweet bird find out who he is, and in the process they become great friends. 24 pages - 20 x 20 cm







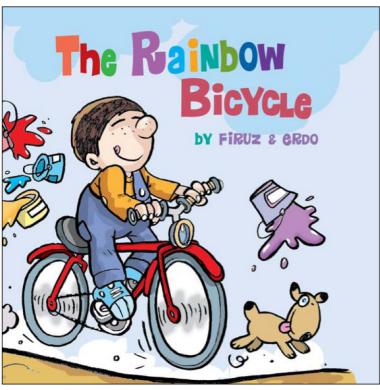




Mushi Takes a Trip

Mushi was a cute -- but naughty -- little cat. Always getting into things he shouldn't. But one day while playing inside a piano the cover is suddenly closed and

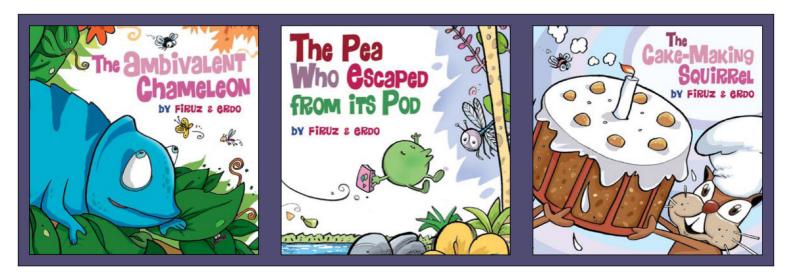




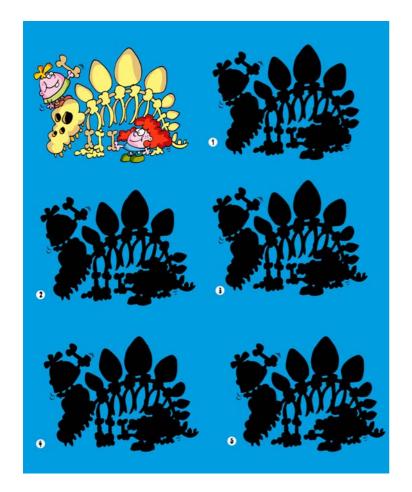
The Rainbow Bicycle

One day while helping his father clean out the garage, Alex's father gives him his old bike. Alex decides to paint it red so it will look like new. But everyone has a different opinion what color it should be. Finally Alex explodes and decides to paint it his way. Which is always best.

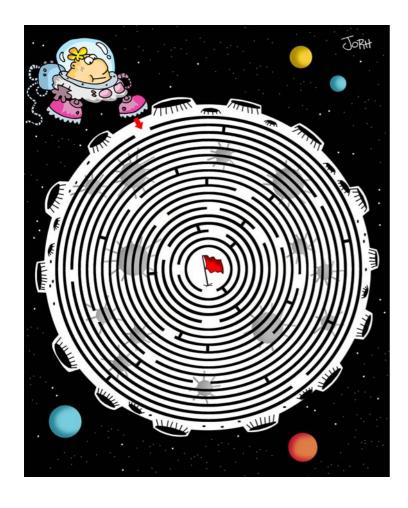




CHILDREN GAMES by Jorh

















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