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In a nook of the fire station, by frost-covered leaves,
a familiar chirp can be heard on the breeze.


It's our friend Robin, with a new role to play,
he's leading the cadet unit with three lessons today.
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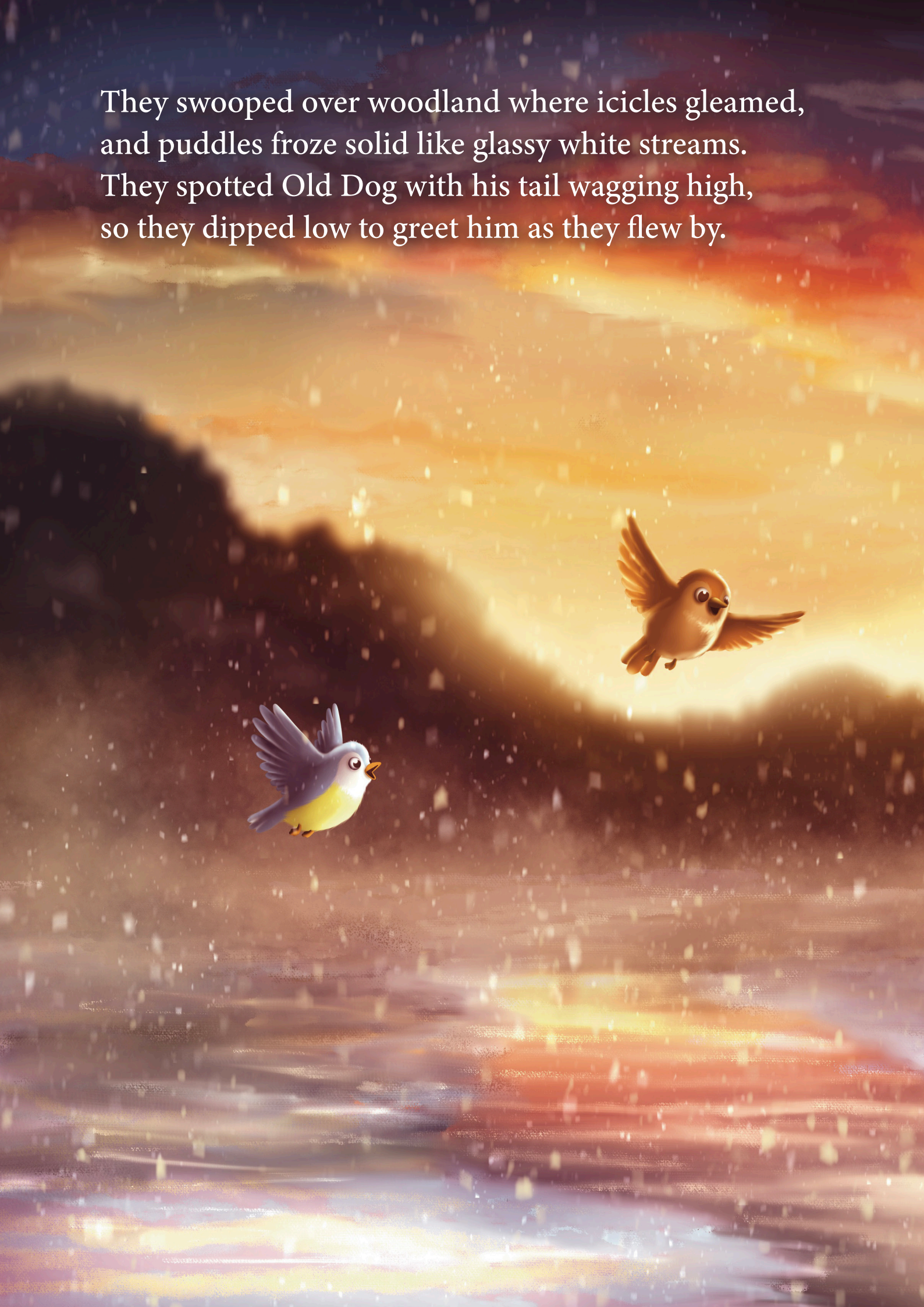


"Roll call!" chirped Robin, and the birds came to rest.
Wren gave a wiggle, Blue puffed out his chest.
Finch flapped excitedly – it was time to prepare...


SAFETY ADVICE
1. TEST YOUR SMOKE ALARMS.
2. PLAN YOUR ESCAPE ROUTE.
3. KEEP THE HOB CLEAR.
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3...2...1...
They took flight
into the air!

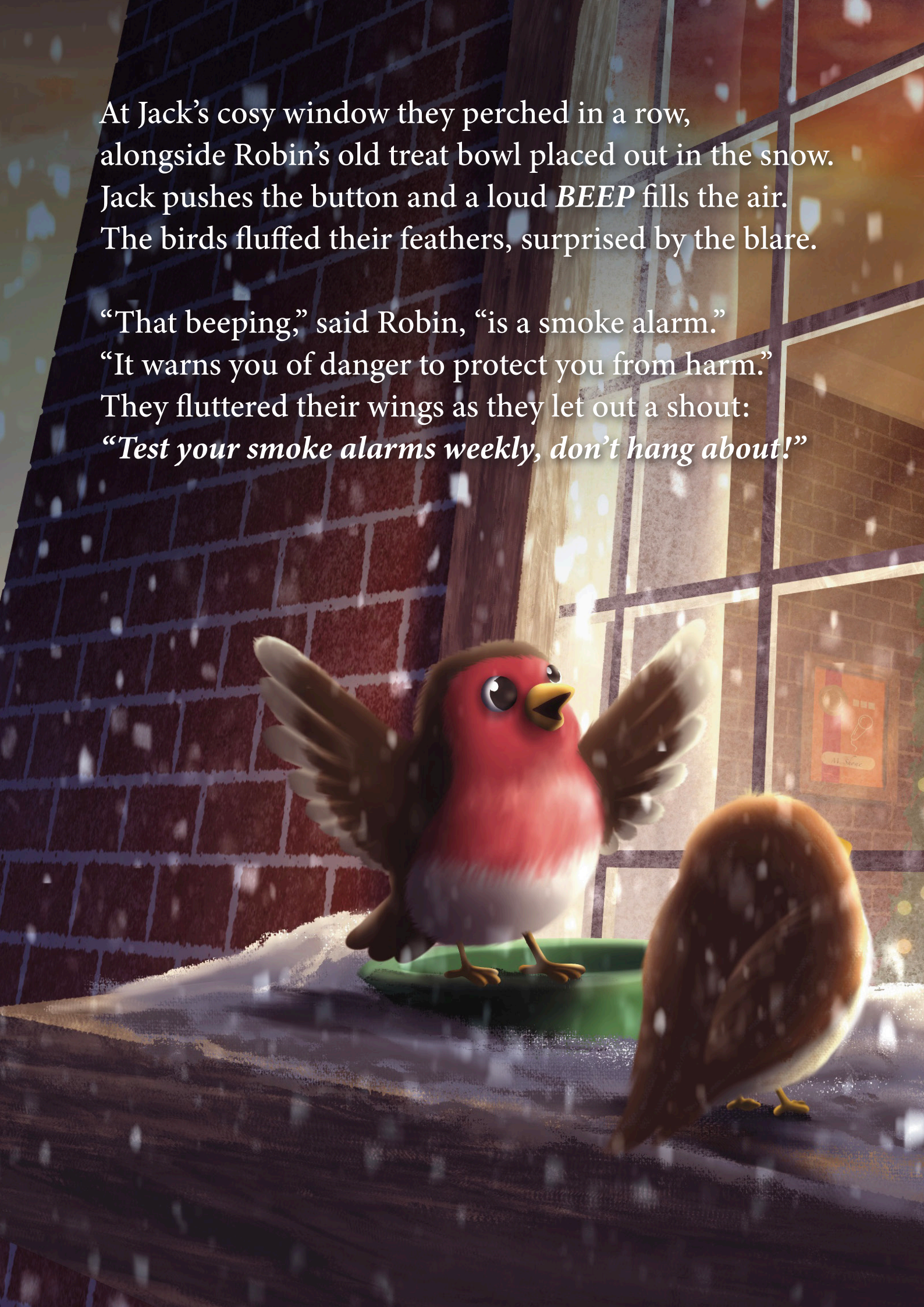




They swooped over woodland where icicles gleamed,
and puddles froze solid like glassy white streams.
They spotted Old Dog with his tail wagging high,
so they dipped low to greet him as they flew by.



"Careful!" called Robin, *"don't step on the ice!"*
Old Dog gave a bark as he took Robin's advice.
Onward they travelled, to a familiar place,
down Heald Way to visit a friendly face.



At Jack's cosy window they perched in a row,
alongside Robin's old treat bowl placed out in the snow.
Jack pushes the button and a loud ***BEEP*** fills the air.
The birds fluffed their feathers, surprised by the blare.

"That beeping," said Robin, "is a smoke alarm."
"It warns you of danger to protect you from harm."
They fluttered their wings as they let out a shout:
"Test your smoke alarms weekly, don't hang about!"



Next stop, a child's bedroom with toys in a heap.
Books stacked like mountains and clothes ankle-deep.
The doorway was jammed with a jumble so wide,
the cadets gasped aloud: "You'd never squeeze by!"

"Clear floors," Robin said, "mean you won't be delayed.
When you need to get out, you must find your way!"
They fluttered their wings as they let out a shout:
"Keep escape routes clear, so you can get out!"







They glided to a kitchen, where the warm window glowed,
and spotted a hob where the shopping was stowed.
“Hobs stay hot long after you’re done,” Robin said,
“it’s best to keep them clear so no fires can spread.”



Finch pointed to a cat, who gave a small mew:
"Pets switch things on when they don't mean to."
They fluttered their wings as they let out a shout:
"Keep your hobs clear, don't leave things out!"


As dusk rolled in, fresh snowfall was felt,
that's three new lessons now under their belt.



But suddenly, ***WOOF WOOF!*** A cry split the air.
"HELP" someone shouted in panic and despair.



Old Dog had slipped onto thin ice below...
CRAAACK went the surface, and down he did go!
His owner called out from the bank, safe and dry.
Dialling 999 as she let out a cry.



"*Cadets!*" cried Robin, "do you remember what to do?"

"We..."





Wren let out a tweet, her loudest to date:
"Help's coming! Help's coming! Don't panic, just wait!"

Finch flew to a branch lying long on the ground:
"Here's something to reach him without going down!"
"Don't go on the ice!" Robin shouted once more,
"Stay back, keep calm, stay safe on the shore!"

Blue swooped in low with a flutter and care:
"We're right here with you - stay calm, hang in there!"
Old Dog held on bravely, his paws icy cold,
but hearing their voices, he did as he was told.





Through trees came the sirens, a bright flashing glow.
Robin flew high, signalling down to below.



"Over here! Over here!" sang the cadets loud and clear,
guiding the crew in as they hurried near.





With ropes and warm blankets, the firefighters dashed,
across the wet ground as the cold water splashed.



They unpacked their kit with teamwork and care,
and lifted Old Dog from his freezing nightmare.





Wrapped in a blanket of shimmering foil,
Old Dog was safe from his icy-cold toil.
His owner hugged tight as tears warmed her face,
relieved Old Dog was in a safe place.

Back at the station beneath twinkling light,
the cadets stood proudly - what a busy night!



Robin beamed brightly as they received their reward -
"Your Winter Safety Badges" the crew applaud.
Everyone cheered with a hip-hip-hooray!
Our cadets will make great firefighters someday.



We hope Robin's adventure will inspire the next generation of young people to spread their wings and consider joining Cheshire Fire Cadets when they are old enough.

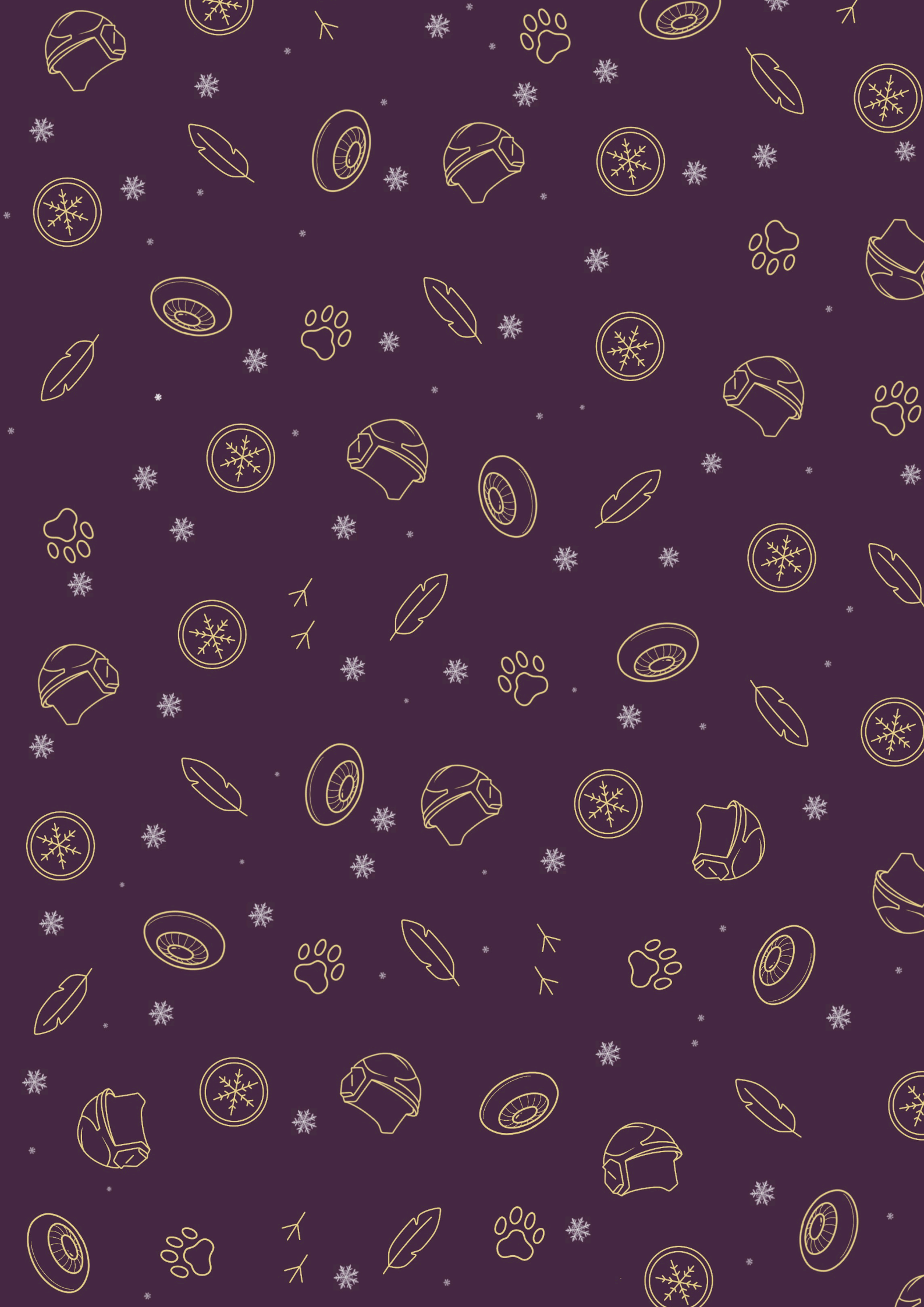


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In Robin's latest adventure, he's taken three new feathered friends under his wing.

As a Cadet Leader, Robin is teaching his fledglings important safety lessons, but when a real emergency unfolds near the water, can the young cadets stay calm and put their new skills into action?

To watch Robin's adventures and find out more, visit: cheshirefire.gov.uk/robin

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