

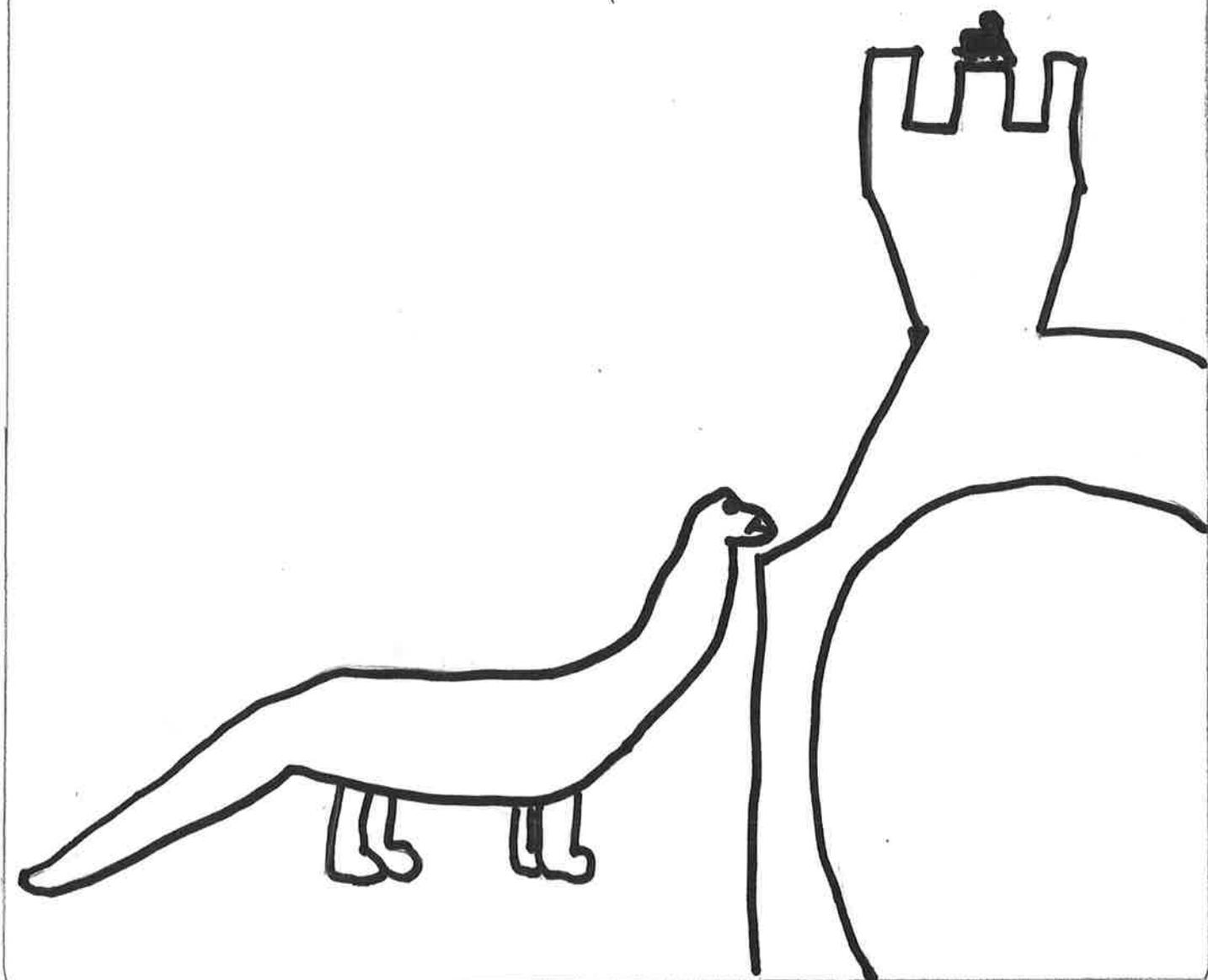


Once there was a dog named Brad. He lived with a dinosaur named Stompy. They lived in a big purple house in the Rainforest.

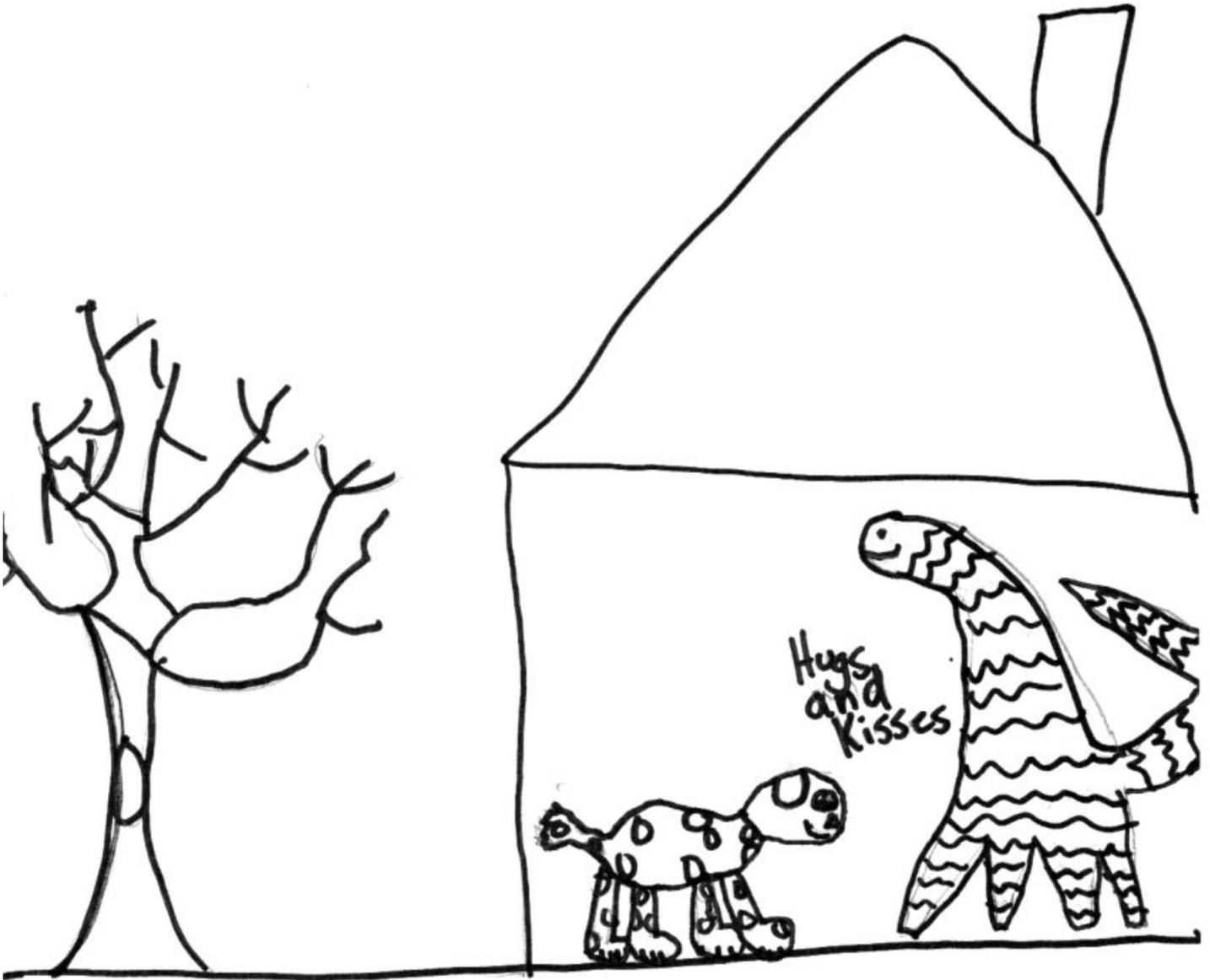


Brad was really good at ice skating. He was the best in the world!

*Kasay*



One day Stompy was trying to find a toy train, but he couldn't find it anywhere. Stompy asked Brad to go to Bowen's castle to get a new toy train. Stompy warned Brad not to go into the dragon cave along the way.



It was winter and it was snowing on this Christmas Eve night. Brad put on his red and black footie pajamas. Then he gave Stompy a hug and a kiss good-bye.

A small, stylized signature or mark.

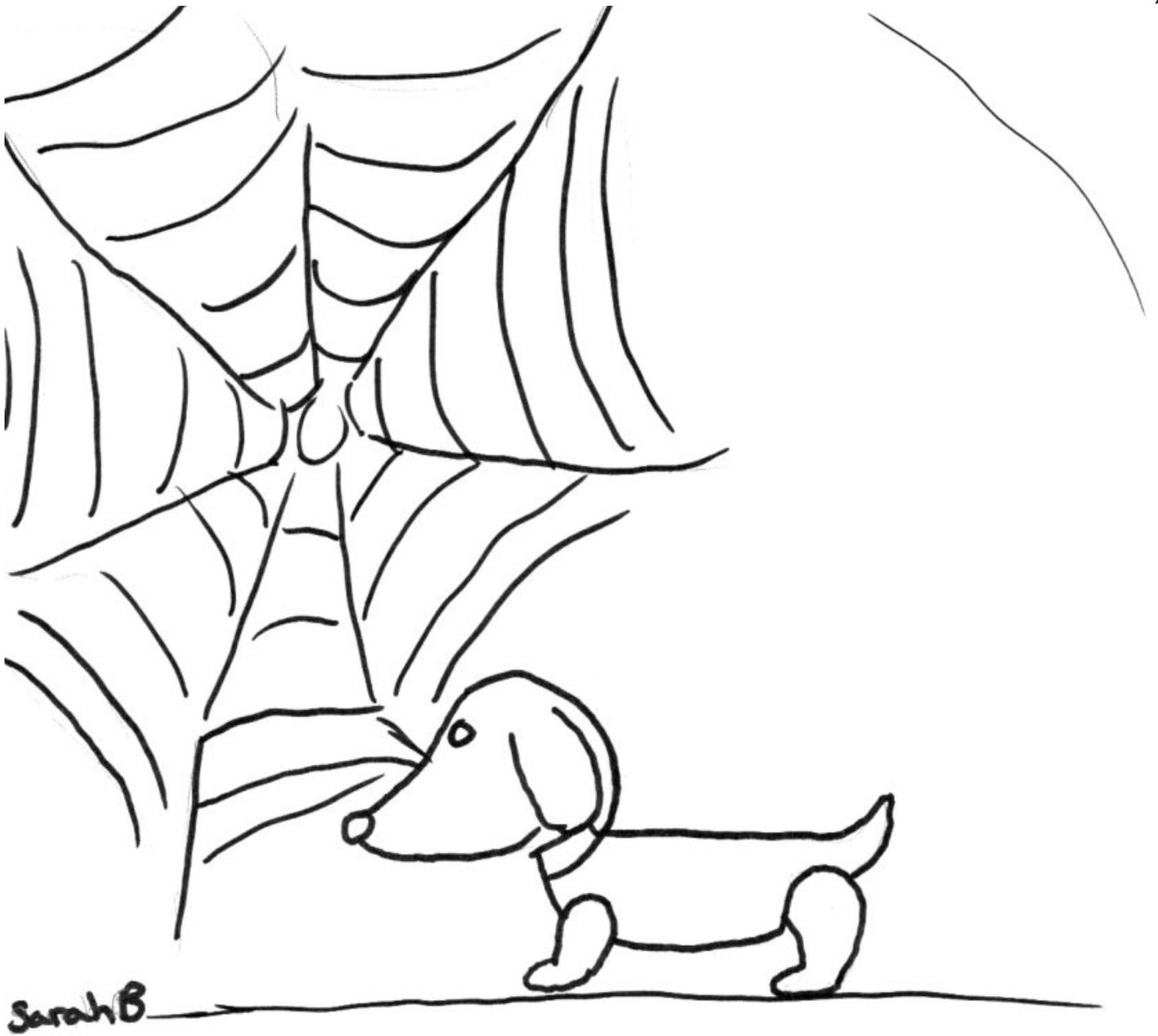


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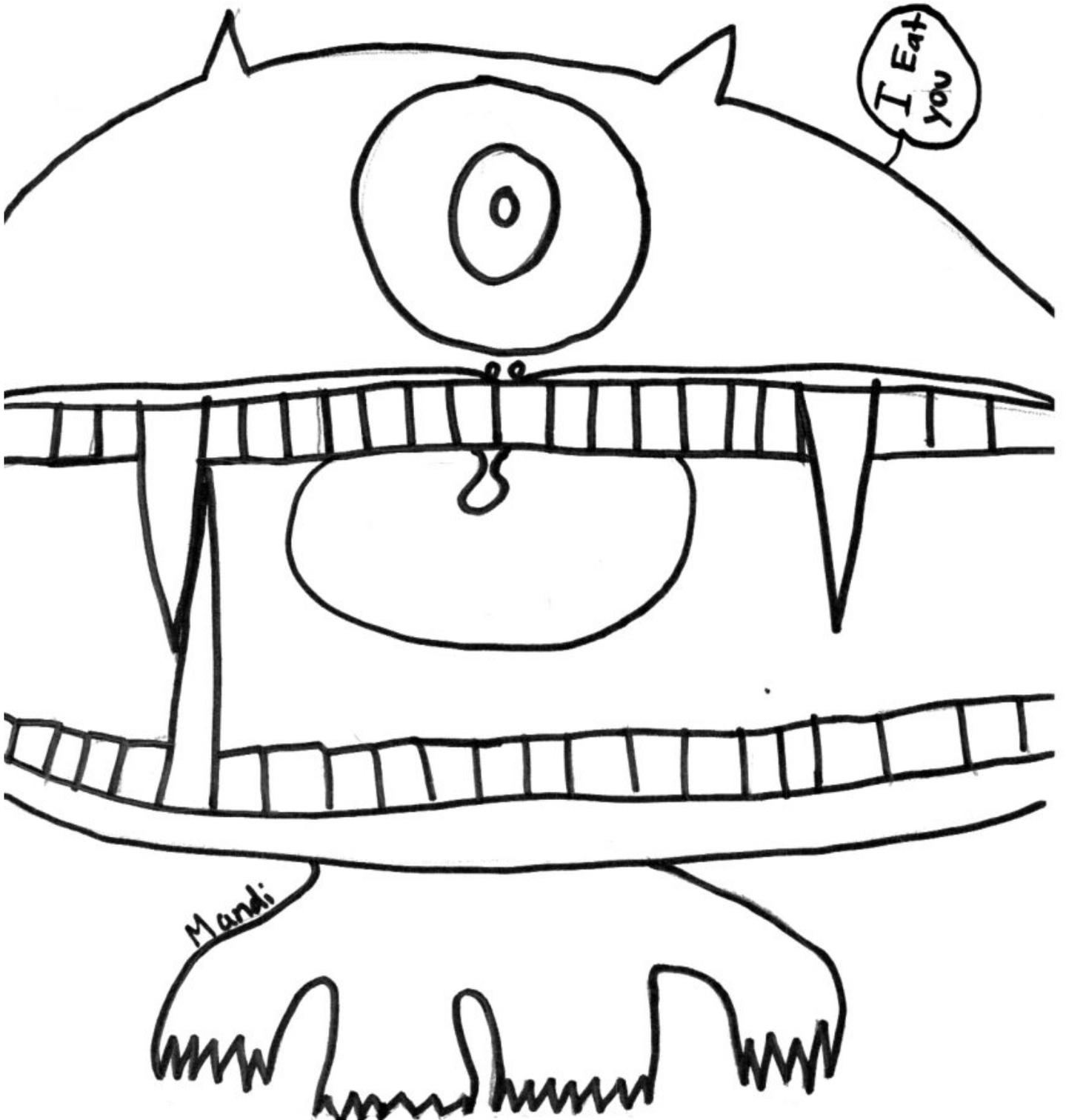
Brad was feeling kind of sad as he walked along the snowy path. He walked one hundred miles. Then he stopped. He stopped because he missed his friend Stompy and wanted to see him.



Just then Brad saw something scary, it was a ghost. He got so scared he ran into the dragon's cave.

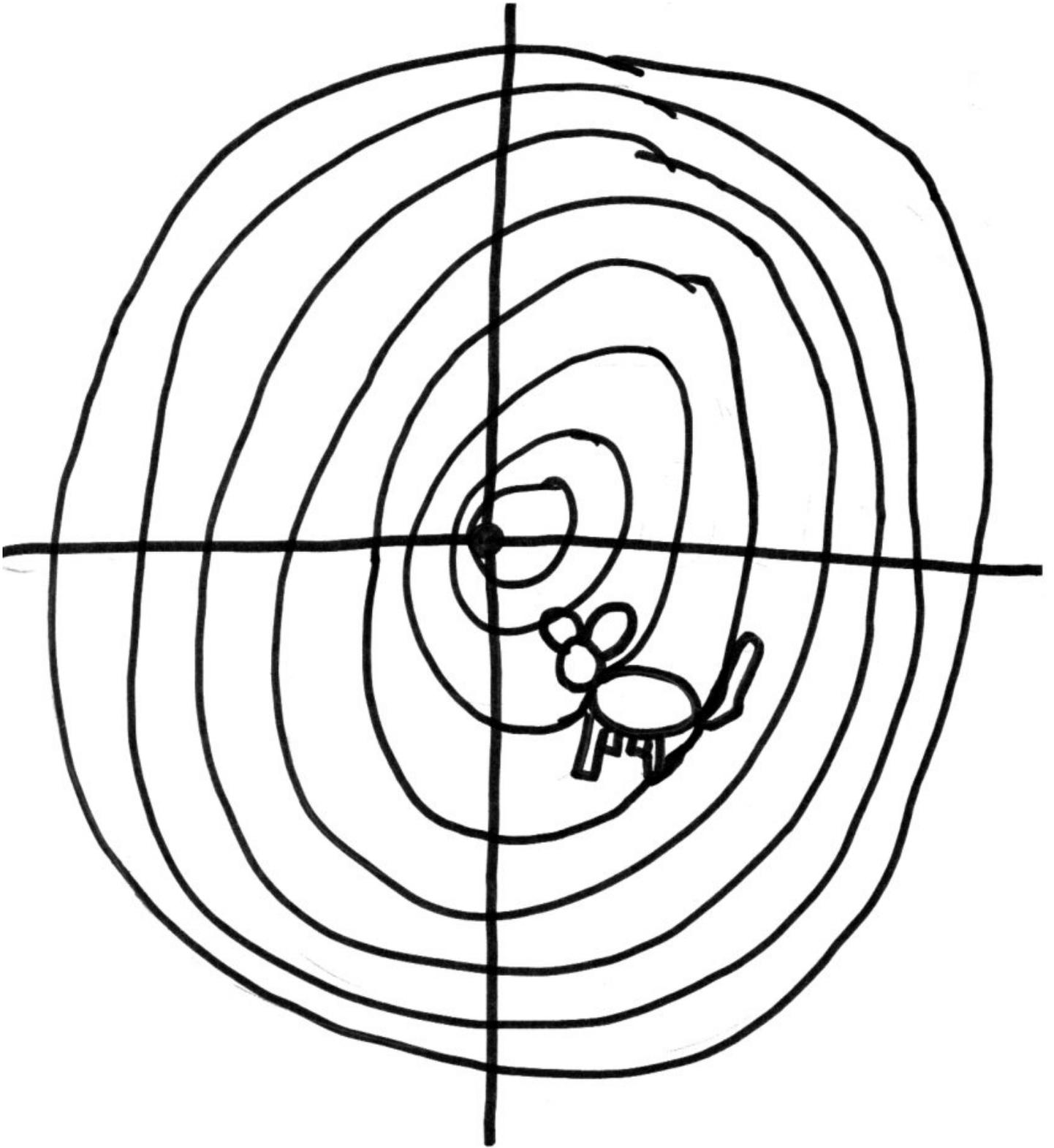


As soon as Brad ran into the cave he got stuck in a super-sticky spiderweb.



Brad saw a monster with one eye and one hundred teeth. He was bigger than Vernon Elementary School!

The monster said, "I am going to make you into a stew, with onions, peppers, and carrots."

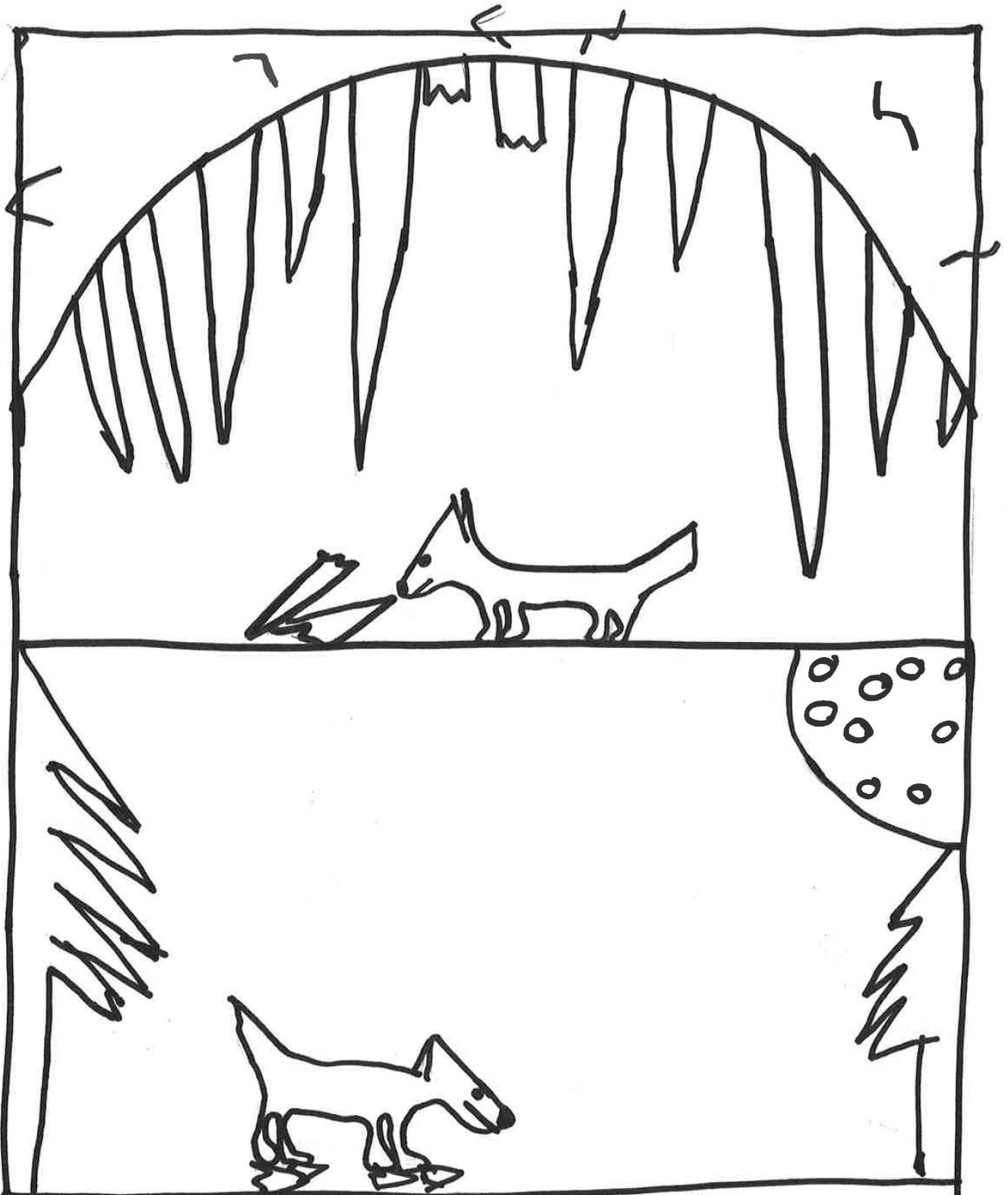


Brad twirled and twirled to get out of the spiderweb.

*Denise*



The spiderweb flew off Brad and stuck to the monster.



Brad grabbed two stalactites and used them as ice skates. He skated quickly away.



It only took five minutes to get to Bowen's castle. When he got there Bowen was busy decorating his Christmas tree.

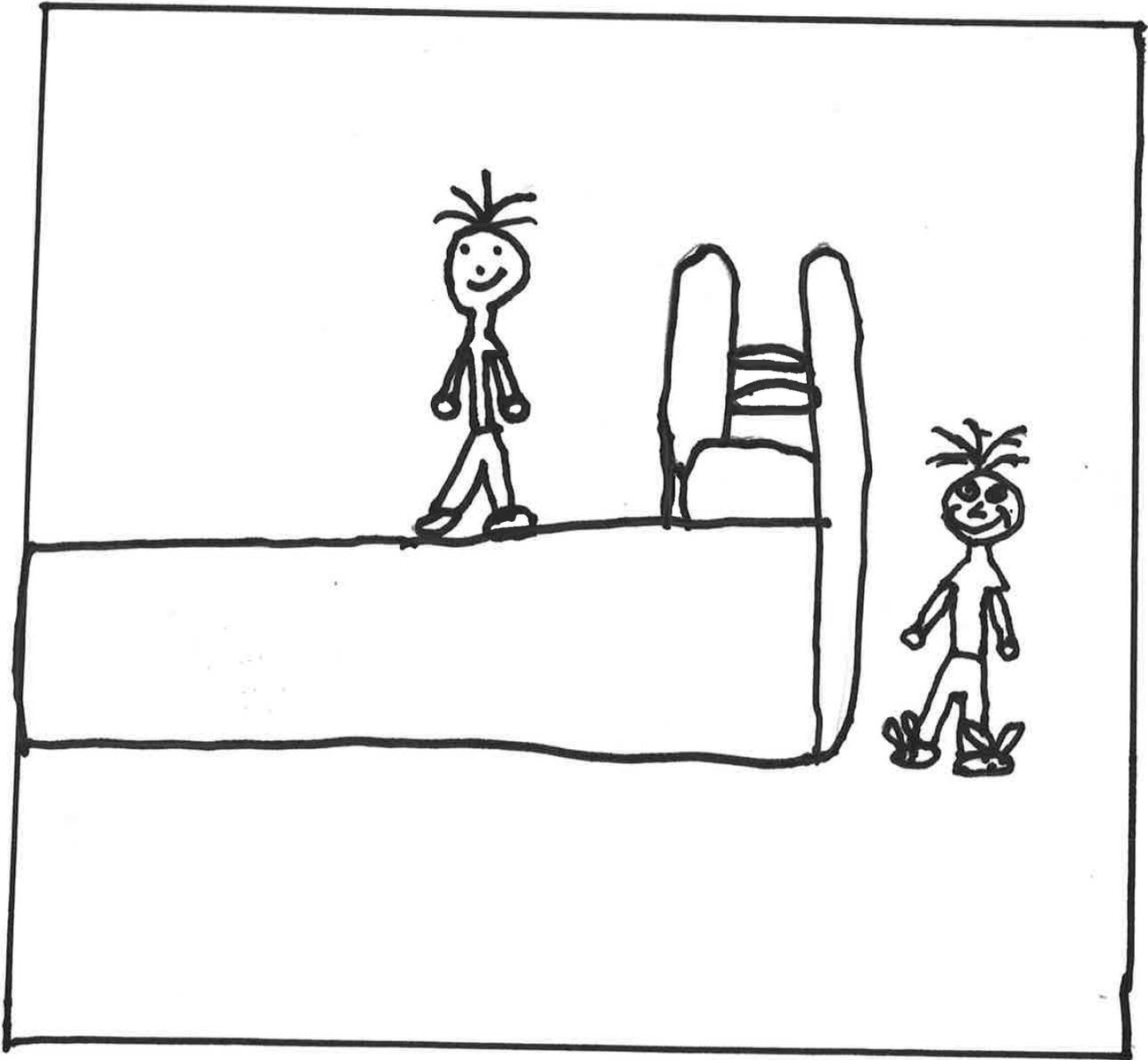


Bowen gave Brad a nice new train all wrapped in Christmas wrapping paper.



Then Brad ice skated all the way home.

By Raymond.



He got home just in time to put the train under the tree. Stompy was sleeping and Brad went right to sleep.



In the morning they had the happiest Christmas day ever.