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Winter is coming. Sunny the squirrel could feel it in her bones. She also had a feeling she was supposed to collect something for the winter, but what could it be?



Sunny went on a walk around the park, and visited her favorite flower patch. They smelled so good! Maybe it was flowers she needed to collect? While pretty, she didn't think they would last all winter.



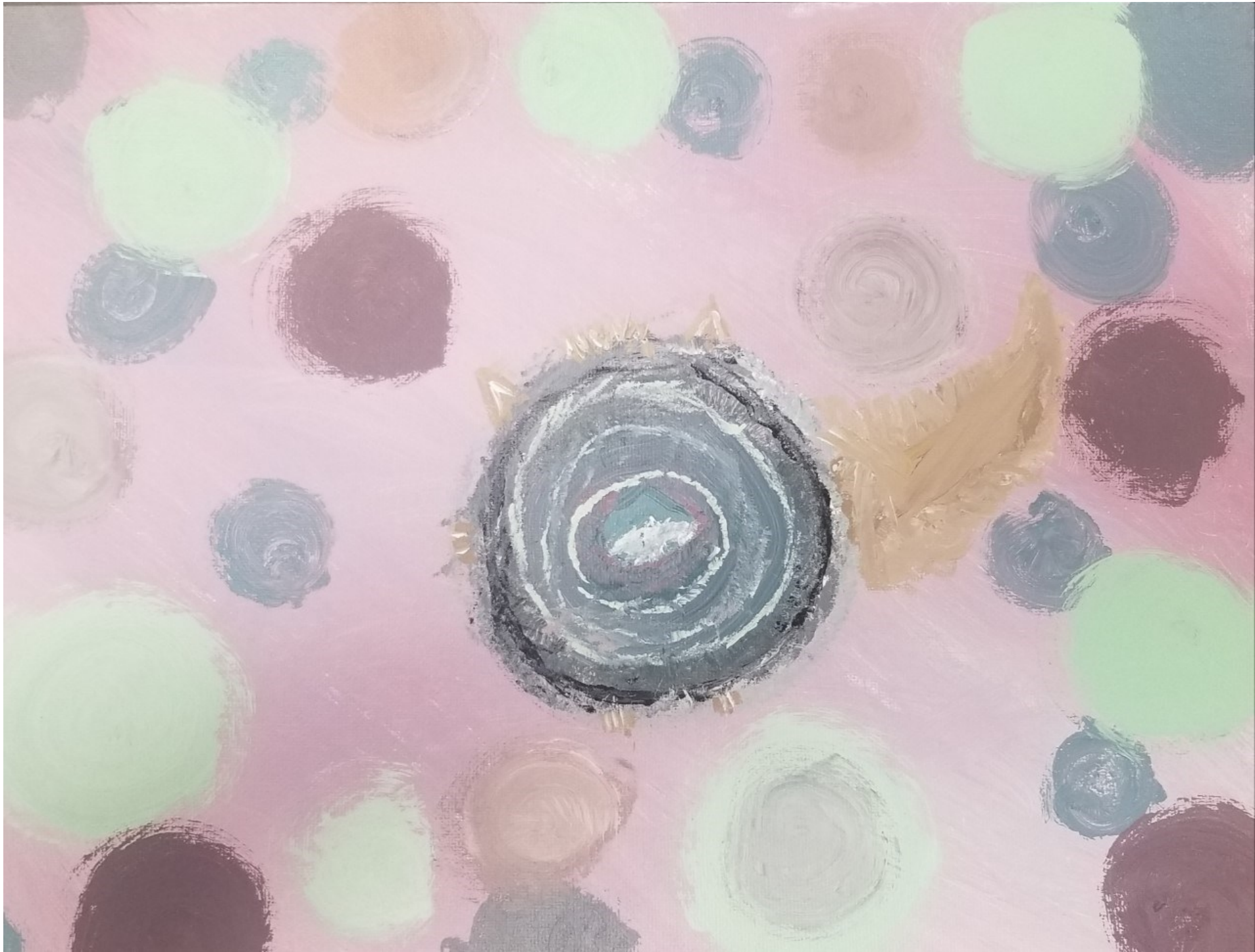
Oh look a shoe vendor! Sunny loved shoes! She could have a new pair for every day during the winter! But how would she get all the shoes back to her tree? I guess shoes just weren't for her.



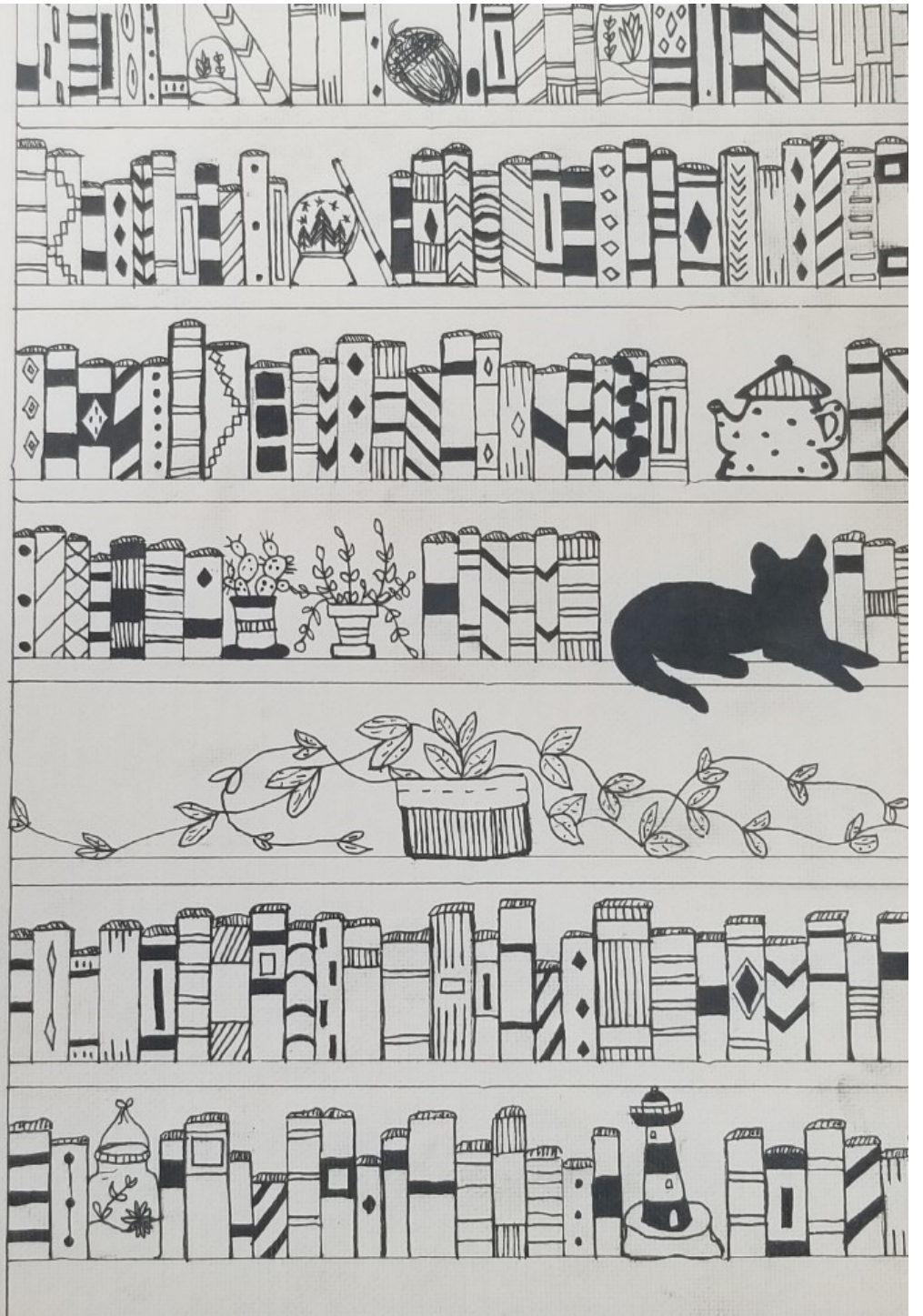
Sunny ran into the bathroom at the park, and saw stacks upon stacks of toilet paper. This could be a fun decoration for her tree, and it was super soft, but she didn't think she needed quite that much toilet paper.



She went to get a drink of water from the river, and saw the most beautiful rocks she had ever seen! But try as she might, those rocks were just too heavy for her to move.



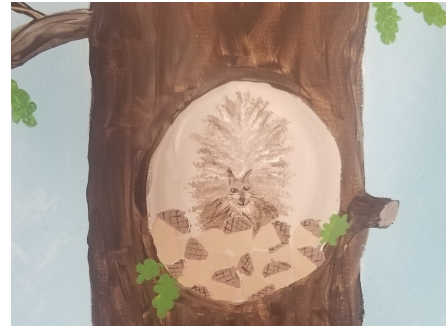
Sunny's last stop would have to be the library. She loved looking at the books, but most of them were bigger than she was! So books were out for Sunny. But there on the very top shelf she spotted an acorn!



Sunny now knew what she needed to collect for the winter, so she collected all the acorns she could find, and one by one, brought them back to her tree. All that work made her sleepy, so she laid down for a nice long winter nap.



Meet the Artists



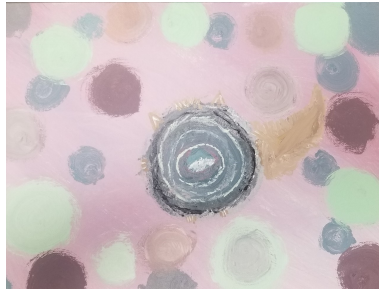
Sherri Westbrook is the City Reorder and as you can tell by her selection for collections she is the sweetest of the bunch.



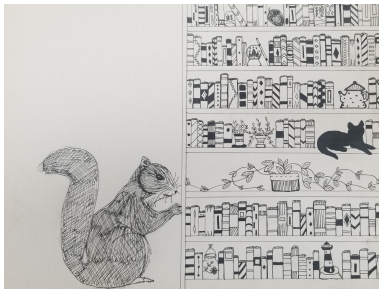
Jody Anderson is the City Treasurer. She works hard to keep things classy and takes care of the finishing touches.



Rebecca Peterson is our receptionist. She is always taking care of everyone's basic needs. no matter how bad the job smells.



Bridgette King is the Administrative Assistant and resident rock star. You can also count on her to handle the heavy lifting.



Michelle Lovejoy is the Librarian. She is also the author of the story and reminds us that less can be more.

Things to ponder with Sunny:

What interests you?

What are your strengths?

What are your distractions?



DC Storytime