

Charlie the Sweeper



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To all the Charlies out there. You are amazing!

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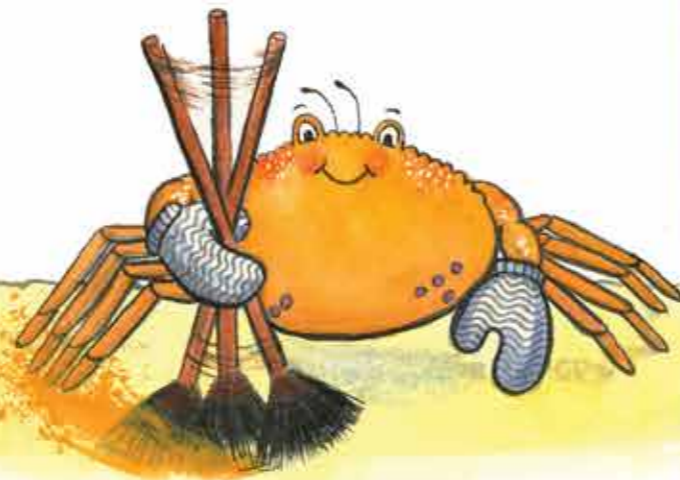
Every morning, Charlie would wake up, scuttle out of bed, stretch his pincers, gaze out on the blue shimmering water and begin...



To sweep.

Sweep, sweep, sweep.

He swept this way,



he swept that way,



when something
caught his eye.

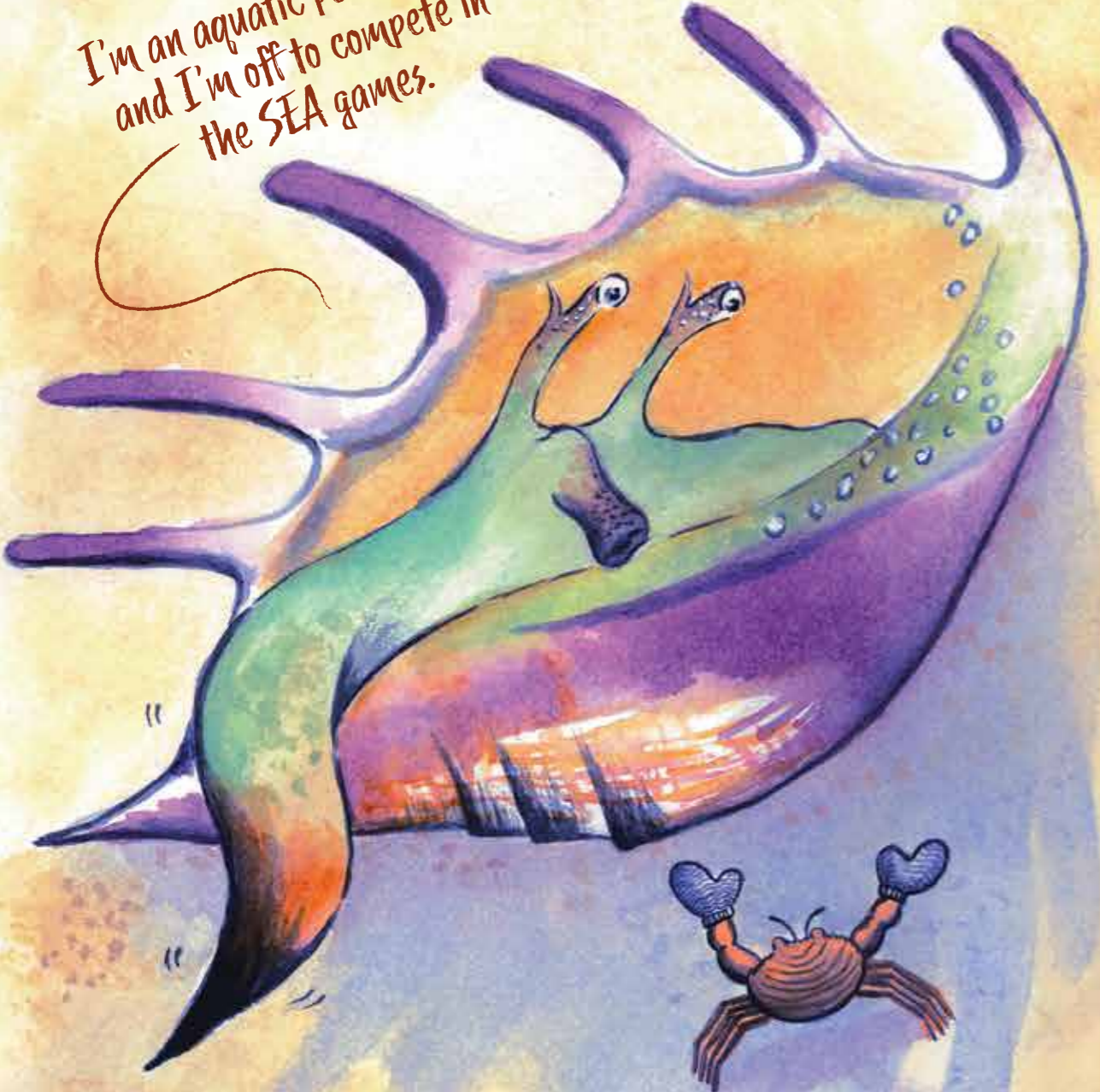


It was spiky!
It was shiny!
It was stunning!



“What are you?” Charlie asked.

*I'm an aquatic pole vaulter
and I'm off to compete in
the SEA games.*

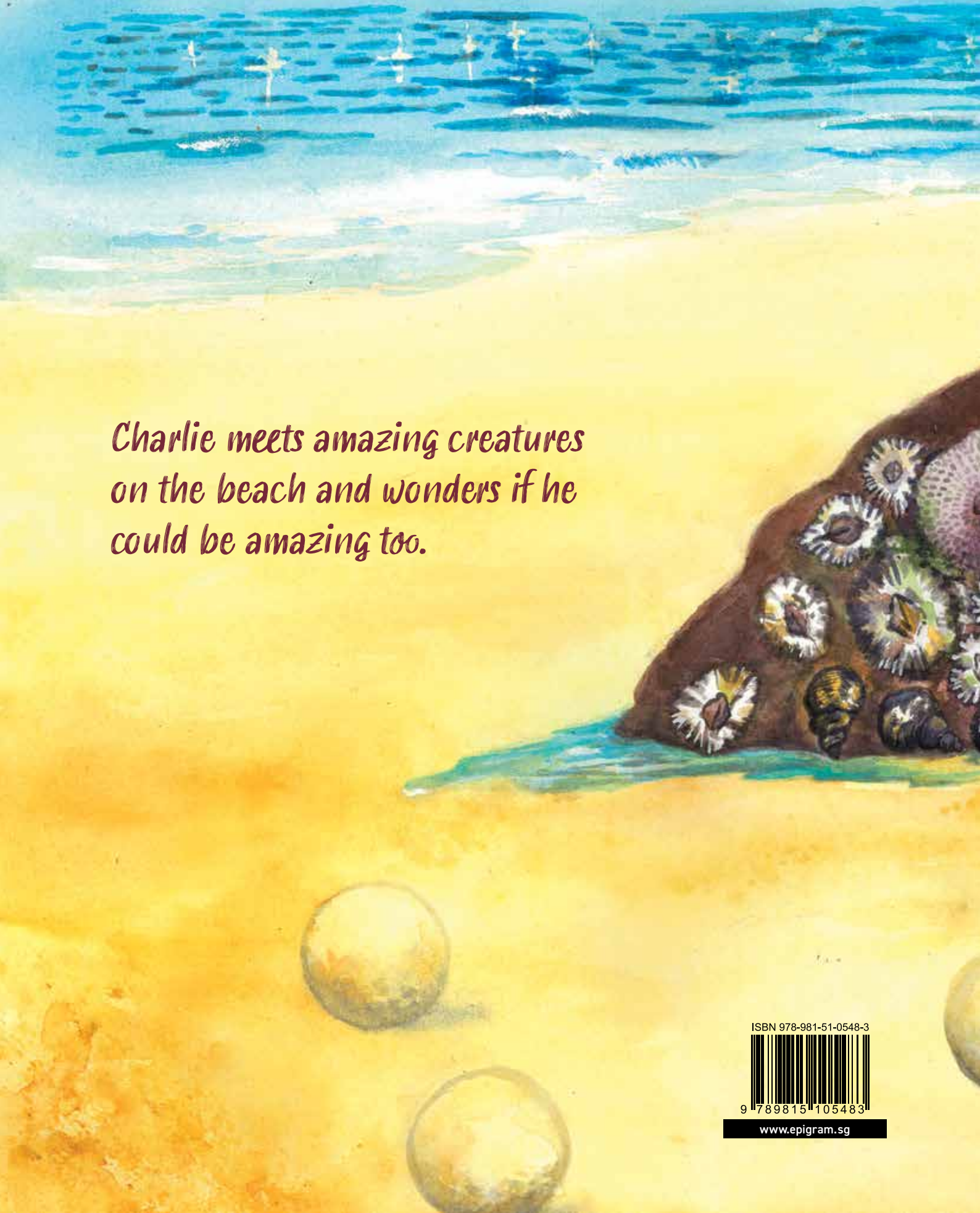


“Whoa! YOU ARE AMAZING!
I’m Charlie. I’m a sweeper.”

“Just a sweeper,” said the conch,
giggling, and he hopped into the water.



Charlie dusted the
sand off his back and
continued sweeping.



*Charlie meets amazing creatures
on the beach and wonders if he
could be amazing too.*

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