## Imira Entertainment Launches Animated Preschool Series *Zoonicorn* Into the Global Marketplace with 52 Original Episodes

Los Angeles/Barcelona, May 24, 2021 – <u>Imira Entertainment</u>, the leading kids and family entertainment distribution and production company, is launching a brand new animated preschool series <u>Zoonicorn</u>. Featuring a Zooniverse of enchanting characters, the 3D CGI series debuts with 52 original seven-minute episodes.

A magical mix of zebra and unicorn, the captivating Zoonicorns inhabit the dreams of young animals, taking them on amazing adventures to help learn important social-emotional and problem-solving skills. When the dream is over, the young animal wakes up feeling empowered to overcome whatever challenges they are facing. <u>Click here</u> to watch the trailer.

"It has been an unbelievable experience to watch our Zoonicorn characters and stories develop and grow over this last year," said **Mark Lubratt**, creator of Zoonicorn<sup>®</sup>. "Our goal from the beginning has been to create a world that will entertain and engage all young children, no matter where they are from. Now it's happening and we are incredibly excited to know that viewers from across the globe will be discovering and enjoying these fun, enchanting and inspiring personalities."

"The characters have wonderful joy and energy. It's an imaginative and creative take on exploring optimism and resilience. We can't wait for kids to have the opportunity to meet our Zoonicorns and we certainly look forward to adding it to our slate of titles for our viewers and partners from around the world," said **Gulshan David**, Director – Sales, Imira Entertainment.

The Zoonicorns include Purple Promi, a patient, kind super-planner, a wise and caring friend who finds beauty in everything she sees. Green Ene is a sweet yet cool tech whiz, who loves to figure out the solution to any problem. Blue Valeo is athletic and strong – he approaches life with gusto and confidence. Pink Aliel is a bubbly spark of endless energy, always ready to get things done and help others!

The Zoonicorns cleverly guide each animal – the curious and dramatic Odessa the Ostrich, the playful, inquisitive otter Pancake and his high spirited little sister Maple - through a wildly imaginative dreamland. Tackling obstacles, balancing emotions and discovering important life lessons, they learn that at the heart of every solution is one important truth— with optimism and resilience, the power to solve any problem is inside of them.

Zoonicorn products have continued to expand since the launch of the brand in 2015 in the US. The TV series, which is targeted at 2 to 6 year olds, follows the release of interactive plush and music videos. The eleven Zoonicorn music videos have been a hit on You Tube with 2.7 million plus views as well as additional Sing Along videos offered exclusively on Kidoodle TV and other streaming platforms like Happy Kids TV, Kabillion and Toon Goggles Jr. Zoonicorn also features a limited-edition apparel line.

Brand development and licensing for the property is headed by J'net Smith of All Art Licensing.

## About Zoonicorn LLC

More than just a toy or a book, Zoonicorn, LLC is passionate about developing products that enrich children's lives in meaningful ways. Launched by creator Mark Lubratt in 2015, Zoonicorn is a character-based pre-school entertainment property for kids ages 2-6. Zoonicorns come to young animals in their dreams to help them feel safe and learn important lessons. Kids can download coloring pages and other activities at Zoonicorn.com. The Zoonicorn music videos can be watched on You Tube with additional Sing Along videos offered on Kidoodle.TV and other streaming platforms. Zoonicorn was voted one of the 'One to Watch' top five properties at the 2015 Licensing Expo. To learn about this entertaining property, visit

http://www.zoonicorn.com. Background on the Zoonicorn curriculum goals can be found here.

## About Imira

Imira is a leading distributor and producer of kids and family entertainment content for the global TV and digital marketplace. Imira commercializes 4000+ half hours of quality international kids programming and around 150 titles with global appeal. Having solid working relationships with leading broadcasters and digital platforms around the world, Imira's distribution capabilities extend to Asia, Europe, Australia, North America, Latin America, Africa and the Middle East. The Imira catalog covers a wide range of age groups from Pre-school, Kids aged 6+, Tweens, Teens and Family audience. The Barcelona-based company is the distribution arm of Toonz Media Group, a 360 degree media powerhouse with over two decades of unparalleled experience and one of Asia's most active animation production studios. <u>www.toonz.co</u>

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