

PodPack

Chicken's Dog

Season 1, Episode 43

Poems & Activities: Little Dazzy Donuts
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Every episode of *Kids' Poetry Club* comes with a free PodPack of activities based on that week's poems.

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Activity 1: Dog Competition

In the episode, Queenie and Chicken pick up a leaflet about a dog rescue charity that is raising money through a fun dog agility competition with fun categories like waggiest tail, obedience, fetch, and retrieve. Imagine that you are organizing a fun competition for dogs, and create a fun poster to advertise it. Draw your poster below, and remember to include when the competition is happening, and where.

Activity 2: Knowing Your Dogs

In the episode, we hear the names of lots of different dog breeds. Below, are seven more - but can you work out the correct breed names by joining a word on the left with a word on the right. You can check your answers at the bottom of page 8.

1. French

A. Spaniel

2. Boston

B. Bulldog

3. Cocker

C . Greyhound

4. Irish

D. Terrier

5. Golden

E. Hound

6. Italian

F. Retriever

7. Basset

G . Setter

Activity 3: A Poem To Read

"The Dog Show"

The neighborhood dogs decided to put on a show to spotlight their talents.

How could I not go?

The performance began quickly, once the curtain went up, with a ventriloquist act from a beagle and pup.

Then on the trapeze
we saw Rover and Spot,
and slight-of-paw magic
from a Dalmation named Dot.

A family of spaniels performed as a choir, before a Labrador Retriever walked the high wire.

Then a rock band of dachsunds played sing-a-long hits, while gymnastic Chihuahuas all did the splits.

I watched quite amazed sat in the front row, the night of the strangest ever dog show.

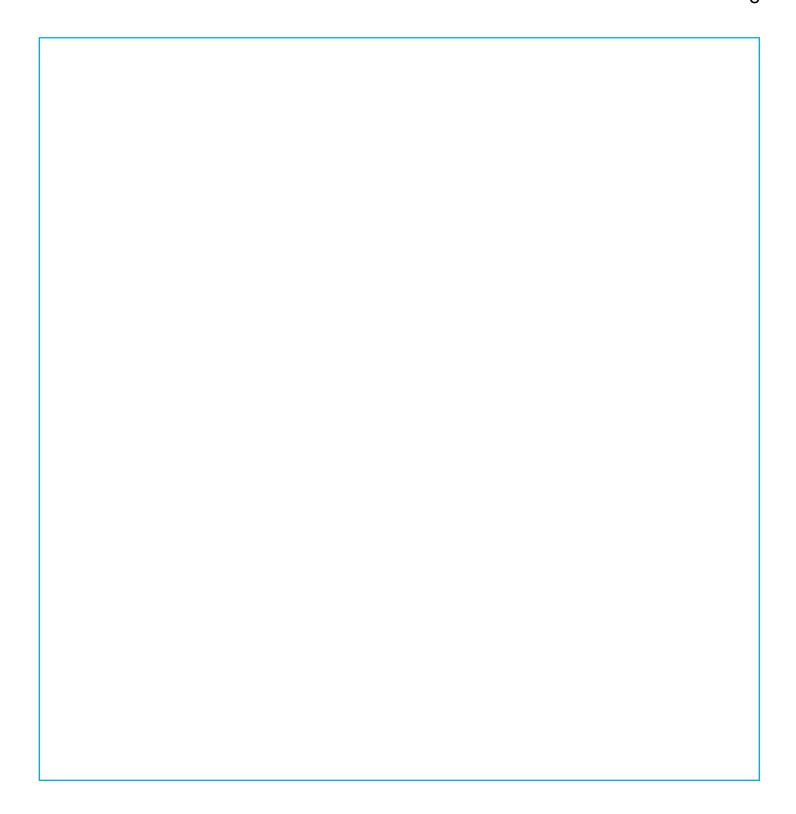
Activity 4: Drawings

Here are two pictures of Chicken and her dog, created by Kids' Poetry Club illustrator, Dot Cherch. Both show Chicken and her dog on their way to the competition - but we don't have a picture of them at the competition. Here's your chance to imagine what it would look like for Chicken and her dog to be competing, and to draw the scene on page 8.



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ANSWERS for Activity 2

1B; 2D; 3A; 4G; 5F; 6C; 7E.



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