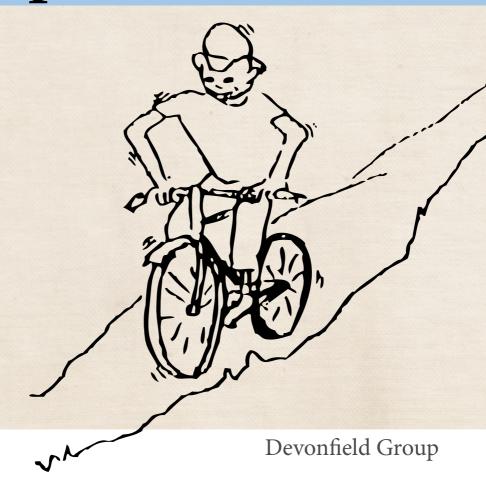
A Wet Experience



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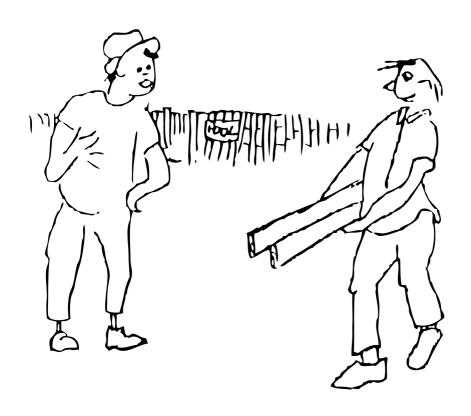
A story about a man who rode his bike into a dam.

There is a man who says, "I'll put you into the pool."

He often says it.

He says it to everyone.

He says, "I'll put you in the pool." It's just like saying "Hello" or "G'day".

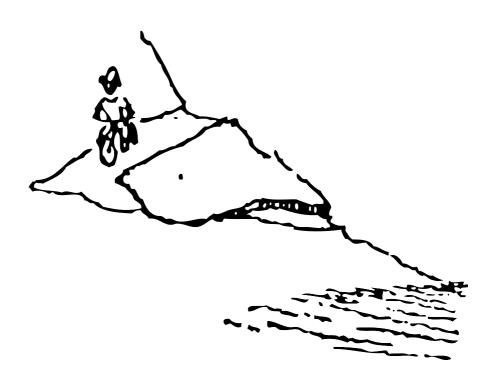




One day this man was on a farm.

He had a bike. He rode the bike round and round.

He was having a great time.



There was a steep hill on the farm.

There was a dam at the bottom of the hill.

The dam was full of water.

He started to ride down the hill.

Suddenly the brakes went!

His bike went faster.

He yelled, "Help! Stop! Oh!

No! STOP! Oooooooo..."





He tried to stop the bike.

He tried to slow it down.

The bike got faster and faster.

It bumped and bounced down the hill, towards the dam wall.

The man hung onto the handlebars.

Brr rr...



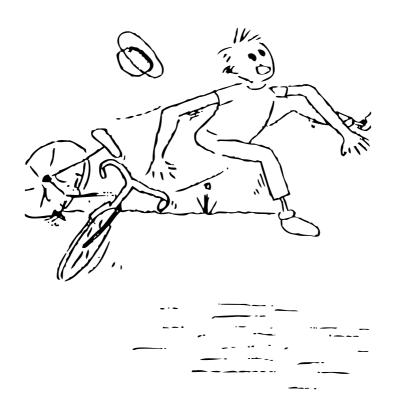


The bike headed for the dam wall.

SMASH!!

BANG!!

C*R*A*S*H!!



The man flew over the handlebars and S P L A S H!!

Into the dam.

He dragged his bike out of the dam.

He was all wet.

The bike had a buckled wheel.

His clothes were wet.

His boots were full of water.

He was all wet and soggy.

He had to walk the bike home.

SQUISH

SQUASH

RATTLE

BANG

CLUNK!!



25 Stories

Written by learners and published as a resource for others to share on their learning journeys

During the late 1980s and early 1990s, the Adult Literacy and Basic Education (ALBE) Resources Unit in Devonport, Tasmania, published over 50 stories that had been written by learners as part of their literacy learning program. The writers were closely involved in the production of their stories, with the understanding that the resources would be made available for other learners, teachers and tutors. Since their initial publication there has been continuing interest in the stories, that contain relevant content and appropriate reading levels for adult learners. They are widely used by individuals and organisations across Australia as reading resources and as models for writing.

25 Stories is a selection of those works that have been republished and made available to download, free of charge from the Tasmanian Council for Adult Literacy (TCAL) website, www.tcal.org.au. Each story has been assigned an Australian Core Skills Framework (ACSF) level for reading and writing.

TasTAFE and TCAL wish to thank the original writers, illustrators, learners, teachers and publishers who have generously made these stories available for others to share.







