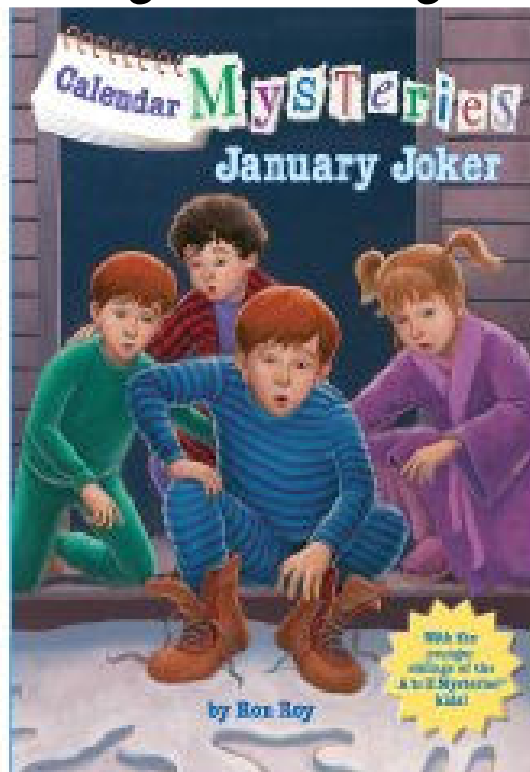


Detective Case File

for

Calendar Mysteries: January Joker

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Name: _____

Detective Dictionary

Clue-a fact or object that helps to solve *mysteries*.

Crime-an act that is against the law.

Detective-a person who investigates *mysteries* and gathers information.

Evidence-something that proves who committed the *crime*.

Mystery-something that is secret and unknown.

Suspect-a person who is believed to have committed a *crime*.

Victim-someone who is harmed or suffers some loss because of the *crime*.

Witness-someone who saw the *crime* being committed and can provide some information.

Word Collector

Use this word collector to write down interesting words you find while reading the book.

A	B	C	D
E	F	G	H
I	J	K	L
M	N	O	P
Q/R	S	T	U
V/W	X	Y	Z

Chapter 1: Spookey Lights

What did Bradley, Brian, Lucy and Nate see outside the barn?

Handwriting practice lines for Chapter 1. Each line set consists of a solid top line, a dashed middle line, and a solid bottom line. There are eight such sets of lines provided for writing the answer.

Chapter 2: Circle in the Snow

Describe what Bradley, Brian, Lucy and Nate saw in the snow?

Handwriting practice lines for Chapter 2. Each line set consists of a solid top line, a dashed middle line, and a solid bottom line. There are eight such sets of lines provided for writing the answer.

Chapter 13: See the Real, Live Aliens

What happened at the end of the book?

Handwriting practice lines consisting of solid top and bottom lines with a dashed midline, repeated 15 times.

Ingredients for a Mystery

Check off all the ingredients you found in the mystery you read.

Characters:

- Suspects-characters who are believed to have committed the crime.
- Detectives-characters who try and solve the mystery.
- Witnesses-characters who saw the crime being committed.

Setting:

- The place where the mystery happens.

Plot:

- A problem that needs to be solved.
- An event that cannot be explained.
- A secret.
- Something that is lost or missing.
- A crime that has been committed.

Clues:

- Hints that help the reader and the detective solve the mystery.

Solution:

- The mystery is solved.

January Joker Case Report

Who are the characters in the <i>mystery</i> ?	What is the setting of the <i>mystery</i> ?
What was the <i>mystery</i> in the book?	
What are four clues from the <i>mystery</i> ?	
1.	
2.	
3.	
4.	
How was the <i>mystery</i> solved?	What evidence helped solve the <i>mystery</i> ?
I give this <i>mystery</i> ... 