

YOUR OWN 'BUDDHA'

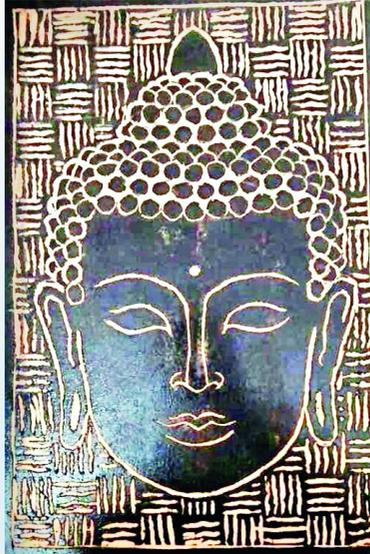
WOODCUT PRINTMAKING: Woodcut art is the oldest form of printmaking. It is said to be a relief process.

MATERIALS REQUIRED

- Woodblock or New wood
- Craft wood carving tools
- Sharpening tools
- Roller/Brayers
- Blank ink.

PROCEDURE:

- Select what kind of design you want to make.
- After choosing the design you can either draw it with your hand, with pencil. or print out the design and copy it on the woodblock.
- Good, sharp tools will minimise the risk of them slipping across the surface. A simple, inexpensive set of woodcutting tools is a good way to start.



- Carve along all the outline of the design and make a border at the edges

Note; The different blade types create different marks in the wood - from the V shaped tool for detailed lines to the large U-shaped tool for clear areas around your design. You can use the type of tool according to the shape you want to give your design.

if you want to.

- After you are done with all the carving and done with its finishing touch, take the roller, dip it into the black ink or whichever colour ink you want and then roll it over the block. Make sure the ink isn't dripping after you dip it.

Yes, that's it! Easy and interesting, something new to do isn't it?

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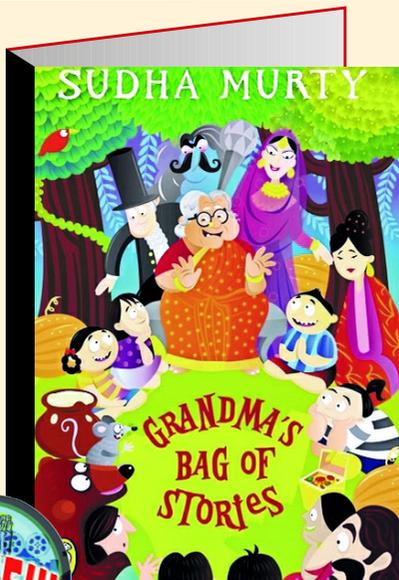


BOOK: STORIES THAT WILL STEAL YOUR HEART!

Grandma's bag of stories by Sudha Murty has stories that grandma tells over long summer days and nights, as seven children enjoy life in a little town. The stories entertain, educate, and provide hours of enjoyment to them. So why don't you join the fun?

I read this amazing story book some time back. It has so many stories, but my favourite is 'Kavery and the Thief'. There are episodes like 'Doctor Doctor', 'The Horse Trap', 'The Enchanted Scorpions', etc.

Sudha Murty has written this book in



memory of her grandmother, Krishnaa.

It has 'The Beginning of the Stories' in which the children come to Ajji and Ajja's home. Read the book to know more.

Priya Kuriyan has done the illustrations for the book. You should read the summary before you start reading the book. You will love it when grandma opens her bag of stories.

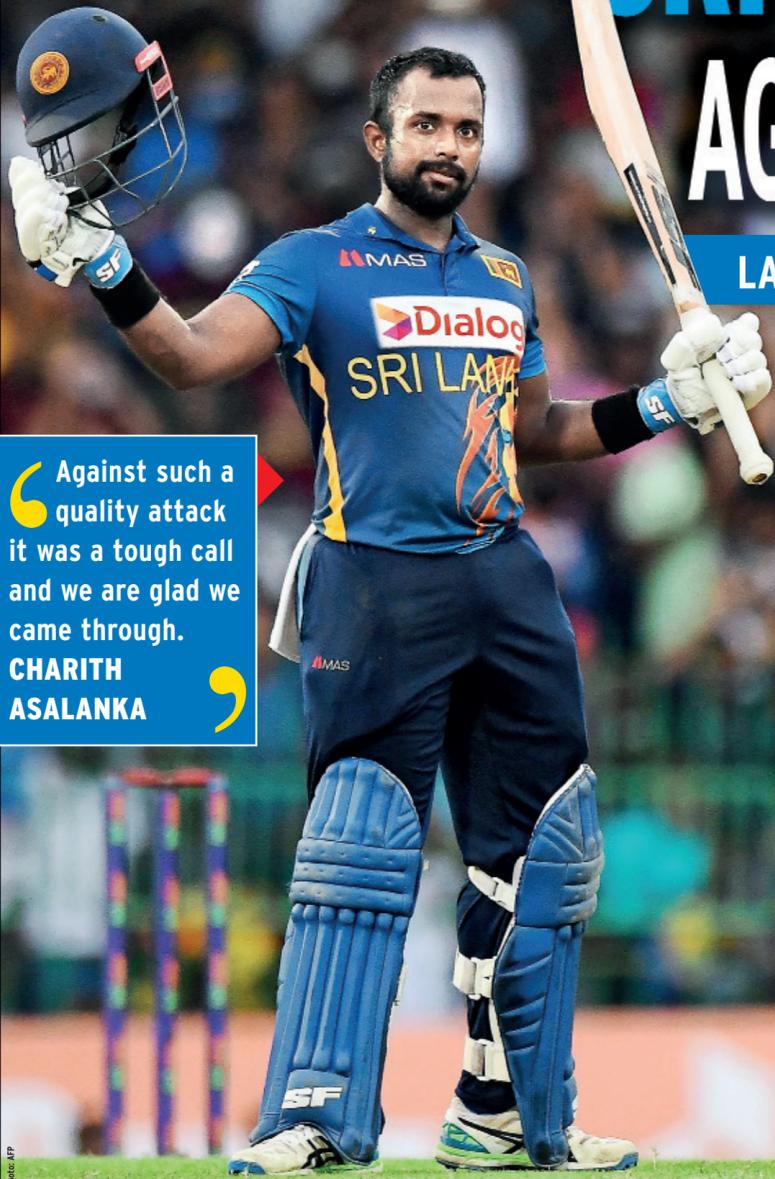
My most favourite character is 'Ajji', who tells so many stories to all the kids - one day, one story.

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SRI LANKA SEALS SERIES AGAINST AUSTRALIA

LAST GAME IS MORE LIKE PREPARATION FOR TEST SERIES



Against such a quality attack it was a tough call and we are glad we came through.
CHARITH ASALANKA

Anation dealing with its worst economic crisis and high inflation for months had something to celebrate when Sri Lanka sealed a limited-overs cricket series victory with a game to spare against Australia with a last-ball thriller in Game 4. Having been sent in and restricted to 258 in 49 overs, Dasun Shanaka's Sri Lanka lineup held its nerve to bowl out Australia for 254 to secure the five-match ODI series 3-1. The last game Friday will be more like preparation for the test series.

SLOWER DELIVERY

Australia needed 19 off the last over bowled by skipper Shanaka, and No. 10 batter Matthew Kuhnemann (15) hit three boundaries to get the visitors' equation down to five runs required off the last ball to keep the series alive. But he was deceived by a slower delivery, hitting it straight up in the air for Charith Asalanka to catch in the covers. In the end, David Warner's 99 wasn't quite enough to get the Australians over the line after Asalanka hit a 106-ball 110 and Dhananjaya de Silva scored 60 from 61 deliveries for Sri Lanka. Sri Lanka had not beaten Australia in an ODI series since 2010 and hadn't won a bilateral series at home against the Australians since 1992. Australia won the toss and made a bold call to bowl first, a gamble which almost paid off.

SMARTLY STUMPED

Australia was on course for the target as Warner and Travis Head (27) added 58 runs for the fifth wicket but

lost three wickets for the addition of three runs in the space of eight deliveries. Part-timer de Silva removed Head and Warner in his successive overs, starting when he bowled Head with the penultimate ball of the 36th. Maheesh Theekshana (1-40) trapped Glenn Maxwell (1) in the next over from the other end before de Silva returned and had Warner smartly stumped by wicketkeeper Niroshan Dickwella on the first ball of the 38th over. Warner was unlucky to be dismissed one run short of his 19th ODI hundred. The opener has not scored an international hundred for more than two years across all formats. De Silva finished with 2-39 in his 10 overs to back up his half-century during the Sri Lankan innings. The middle-order batter hit seven fours before he was spectacularly caught by Maxwell, and he combined with Asalanka in an innings-reviving 101-run stand.

Asalanka was the hero for Sri Lanka with his first ODI hundred, joining de Silva with the total at 34-3. The tour is all square heading into the two-match test series, with Australia winning the Twenty20 format 2-1 and Sri Lanka taking the ODI portion. **AP**



If someone had hung around David Warner for about another five overs that could have been a match-winning partnership.
AARON FINCH

RONALDO SINGH ADVANCES TO SEMIS IN SPRINT

DEFEATS JEE ONE PARK IN ASIAN TRACK CYCLING CHAMPIONSHIPS



Ronaldo Singh

As we head into Day 4 at the Asian Track Cycling Championships, it is Japan that leads the medal tally with 11 golds. The Japanese have won 11 golds, 6 silver and 2 bronze, with a total of 19 medals. Three of their golds have come from Para-Cycling. The Koreans are in the second position with 10G, 9S, and 2B ahead of Kazakhstan (4G, 3S, 1B). India is at fifth place with 2G, 5S and 13B.

HOPING FOR MEDAL

On Tuesday, there were six finals but India's search for a medal on the fourth day of the championship continues to draw a blank. The growing event 'Cycling' in India couldn't give any medal to India at the end of 4th day of the Championship but Indian Cyclists won the hearts by giving their best ever performances. Ronaldo Singh won his quarter-final event of the Men's Sprint event and advanced to the semi-final on Tuesday where he will challenge to Andrey Chugay of Kazakhstan. Ronaldo clocked 10.394s (69.27km/h) and 10.234s (70.353 km/h) re-

spectively to defeat Jee One Park of Korea in continuous two sprints. "Tomorrow is a big day for me as I will perform in one of my favourite events, I'm ready to give my personal best to earn the medal for India. This will also show me my preparedness for the upcoming Commonwealth Games" said Ronaldo in a statement.

HIMANSHI DISQUALIFIED

Harashveer Singh Sekhon gave a good fight to the Korean (Euro KIM) and Japanese (Naoki Kojima) Riders in the 30,000m Points race. In this power event, peddlers have to show their endurance and sprint performance where peddlers have to go for Sprints with full energy after every 10 laps of 120 laps race. Sekhon was in the leading bunch and peddling neck to neck with opponents and finishing creditable fourth with 43 points behind Korea (61 points) and Japan (60 points) riders. Ham-madi Al Mirza secured Gold

in this event with 69 points. Junior Cyclist Himanshi Singh earned second place in the 7.5km scratch race but was later disqualified on the ground of dangerous driving. She was blocked behind the Malaysian rider and in an attempt to go ahead of the Malaysian and Japanese rider, she made a technical fault and was disqualified by the Commissionaire. **AP**

I had no other option as I was blocked by the riders; you have to learn from every mistake and I will work on my techniques to handle such types of situations in future.
HIMANSHI SINGH



Photo: PTI

SERENA WINS 1ST MATCH OF COMEBACK AFTER YEAR AWAY

As "What A Feeling" boomed around Devonshire Park, Serena Williams strode onto center court at Eastbourne to a standing ovation for her first competitive tennis match in nearly a year.

Around 90 minutes later, fans were on their feet again, celebrating a comeback win for the 23-time Grand Slam singles champion at the Wimbledon warmup event on England's south coast.

Williams partnered Ons Jabeur to victory over Sara Sorribes Tormo and Marie Bouzkova in the first round of the women's doubles.

Williams and Jabeur recovered from losing the first set 6-2 to win the second 6-3 and then the match tiebreaker 13-11 on their third match point.

The win means Williams will have at least one more competitive match before playing singles at Wimbledon as a wild-card entry. Main-



Serena Williams

draw play at the All England Club starts Monday.

With no competitive activity since then, she is ranked No. 1,204 in singles and wasn't among the seeded players announced by Wimbledon on Tuesday. **AP**

QUIZ TIME!

Q1: Which sport's competition was known as the "NatWest Pro40 League"?

- Tennis
- Baseball
- Basketball
- Cricket

Q2: Name the first Indian woman athlete to win a gold medal at the Asian Games.

- Anju Bobby George
- P T Usha
- Kamaljeet Sandhu
- Shiny Abraham

Q3: Which bowler claimed the most number of wickets in IPL 2022?

- Hardik Pandya
- Virat Kohli
- Yuzvendra Chahal
- Munaf Patel

Q4: Which cricketer has scored the fastest hundred in IPL 2022?

- Virat Kohli
- Rajat Patidar
- David Warner
- Shreyas Iyer

Q5: How many losses did CSK face in IPL 2022?

- 3
- 6
- 4
- 7

Q6: Darwin Nunez joined Liverpool on a six-year deal from which club?



Darwin Nunez

- Benfica
- AFC Ajax
- Liverpool FC
- FC Porto

Q7: Which among the following South Asian Games in 1984?

- Kathmandu
- Dhaka
- Colombo
- New Delhi

Q8: Which tennis player has won the most grand slams?

- Rafael Nadal
- Roger Federer
- Novak Djokovic
- Dominic Thiem

Q9: Which team has won most IPL matches as of 2022?

- Kolkata Knight Riders
- Rajasthan Royals
- Mumbai Indians
- Royal Challengers Bangalore

ANSWERS:

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- c. Kamaljeet Sandhu
- c. Yuzvendra Chahal
- b. Rajat Patidar
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- a. Benfica
- a. Kathmandu
- a. Rafael Nadal
- c. Mumbai Indians