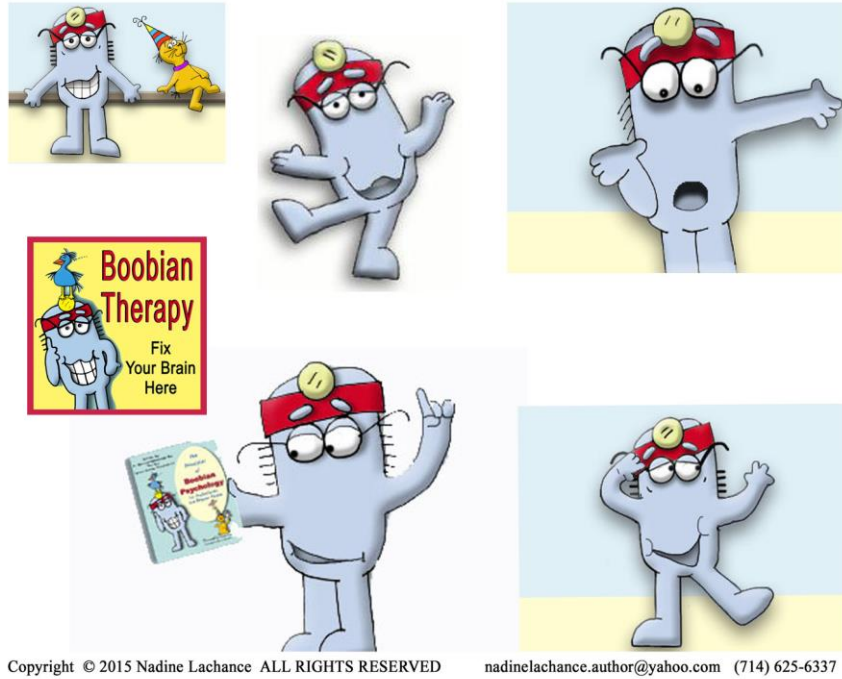


**Doc Boo:**



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*(German accent, sing-song voice)*

Vell, good evening good citizens! In order to understand a critter like zee Hug Bandit, who dresses up in Halloween costumes when it is clearly not Halloween, von must first understand zat a piece of zee pie is missing... *if* you knows vhat I mean! Zee reason ve can't find zis little hugging machine is 'cause she's living in La La Land...and vhere zee heck is zat place? Ha! If she tinks zat some hugs and coochie coos vill change tings, vell, she don't know how bad tings veally is! I believe zee Hug Bandit is suffering from a very dangerous coo coo condition called Optimistic-Idealistic-Ism, vvhich, if not treated soon, could infect zee whole community!

## Mayor King



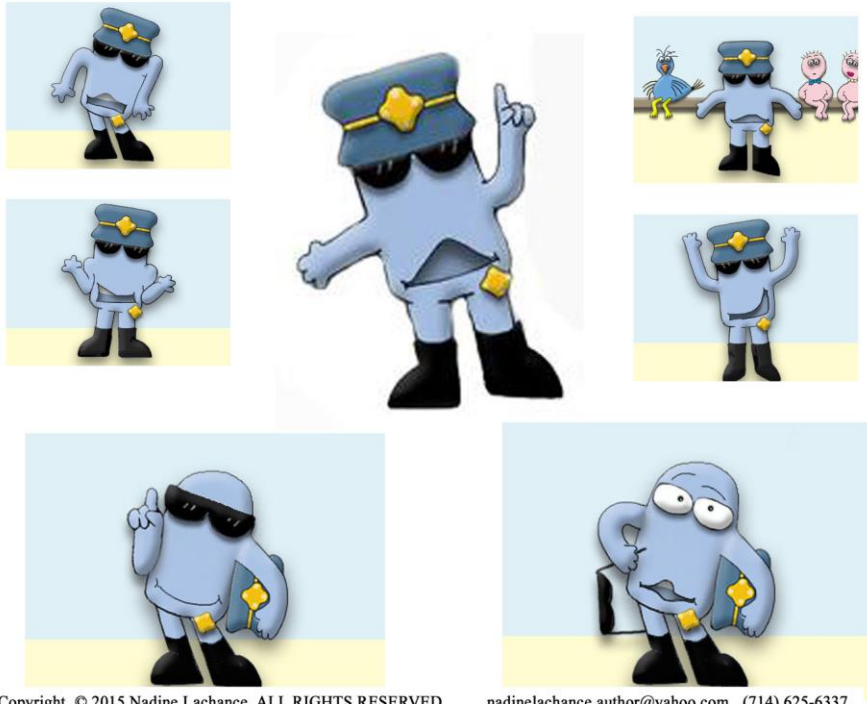
(arrogant, high pitched)

I hereby decree that laughing and singing and dancing are now outlawed! And no hugging either! Give me a little more time and I'll think up even meaner stuff 'cause I feel rotten and I don't want to feel rotten all by myself! And if you don't like it, you can lump it 'cause...

(sarcastic and taunting)

I'm the boss of *you hoo!* I'm the boss of *you hoo!*

**Officer Copper:**



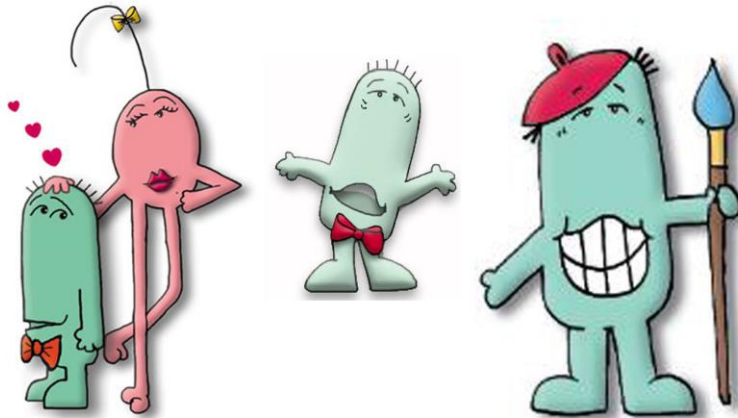
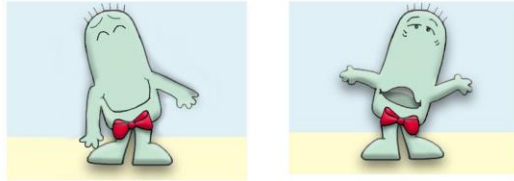
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*(deep, controlled and official sounding)*

First of all, let us not forget that *the law is the law* and, as an officer of the law, I enforce *the law*. Now, we all know that *the law* gets made up for some reason, right? And even if we *don't* know what that reason is, why heck, it's still the law! As upstanding citizens, we must always remember to uphold the law, even if it is *really* stupid!

**Peter Pearlywhite:**



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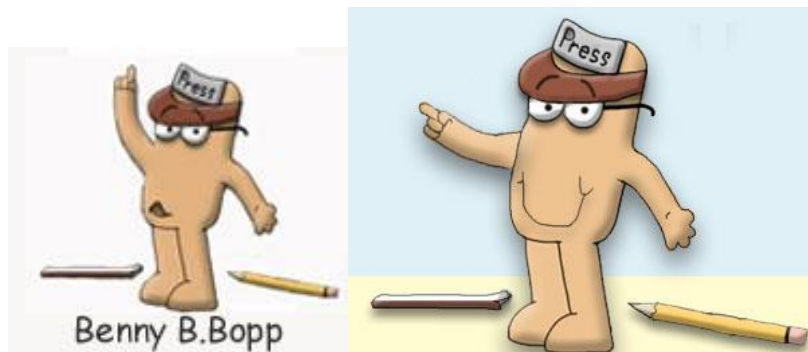
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*(high, nasal, sarcastic and patronizing)*

Hey everyone, I know...I've got a great idea! Maybe we could get the Hug Bandit to create even *more* sunshine by starting a *Huggers Anonymous* meeting! We could all wear masks and capes with little hearts all over 'em, and meet every day in town square to hug the heck out of each other. Oh, what fun it will be!

[Note: If you can do an English accent, would also like to hear a sample with English accent added.]

## Bennie B. Bopp

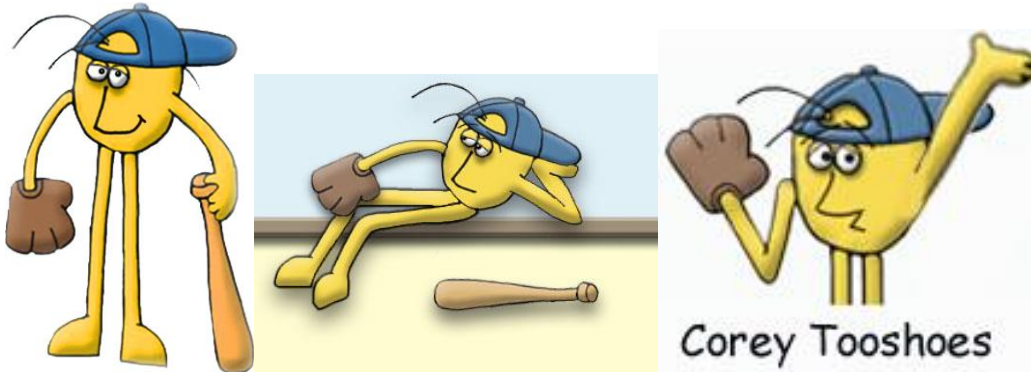


*(formal newscaster or announcer)*

I'm sure you're all up-to-date on the activities of the Hug Bandit by reading my highly informative and deeply investigative articles in the Kingdom News. So far, no one knows for certain whether or not the Hug Bandit is a goodie or a baddie. But, as a candidate for the Pootzer Prize, I can assure you I'll *never stop* until I've got the scoop, the whole scoop, and nothing but the scoop, so help me God!

**Corey Tooshoes**

(8 year old boy)



*(annoyed and softly pleading)*

Mom, can I please go play ball now? The guys are all waiting for me down at the park. (no response from mom)

C'mon mom, I did *most* of my homework and I can take out the trash later.

*Really* I will. *Purdy pleeeeeease*, mom.

*(resigned and disappointed)*

Ahh....geez...