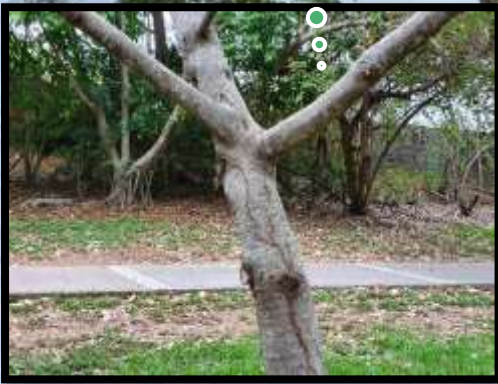




Ta-daa...!

Talking
trees...

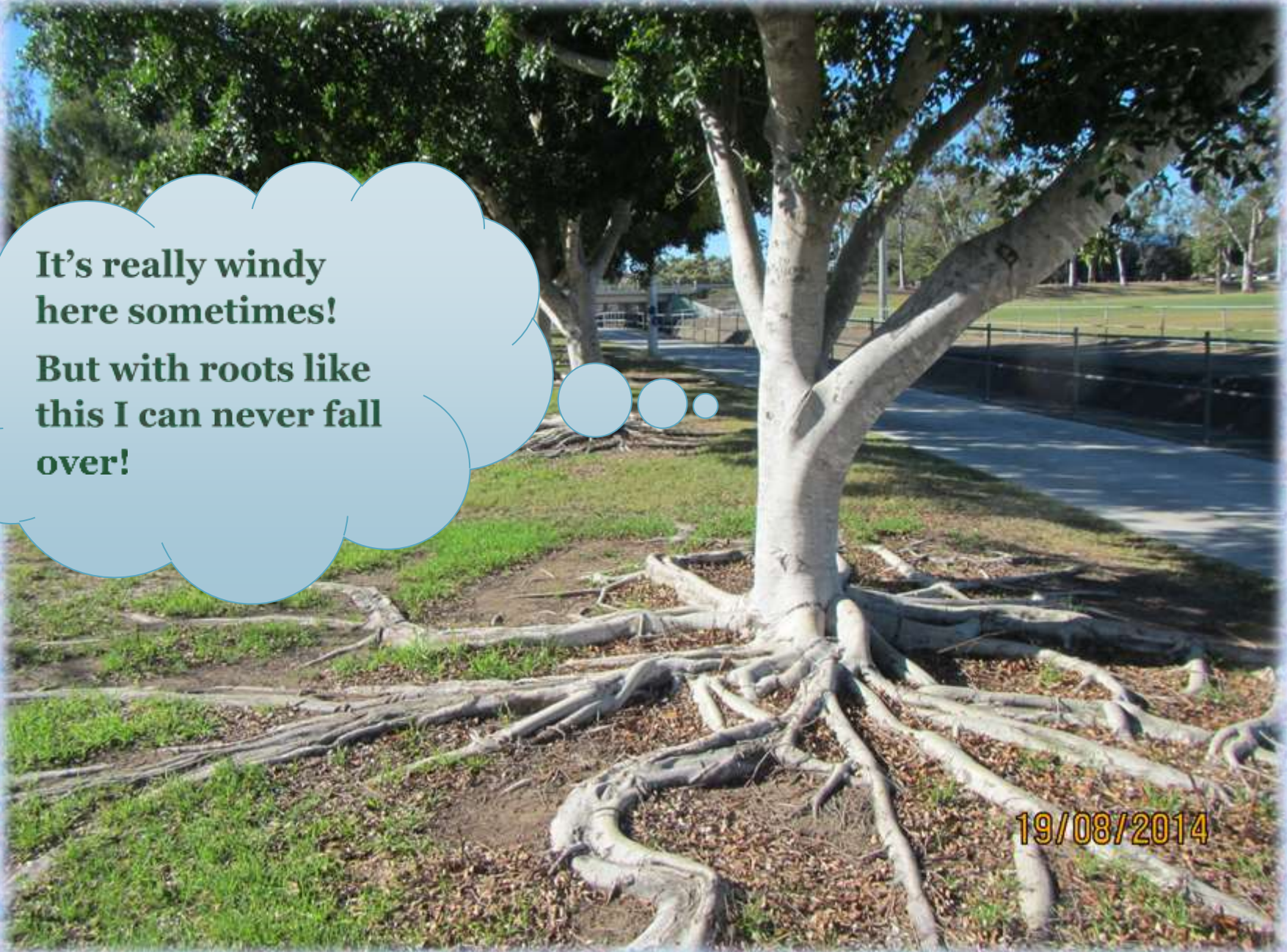
Ta-daa...!



**Come on kids – I'm ready to
be your treehouse!**

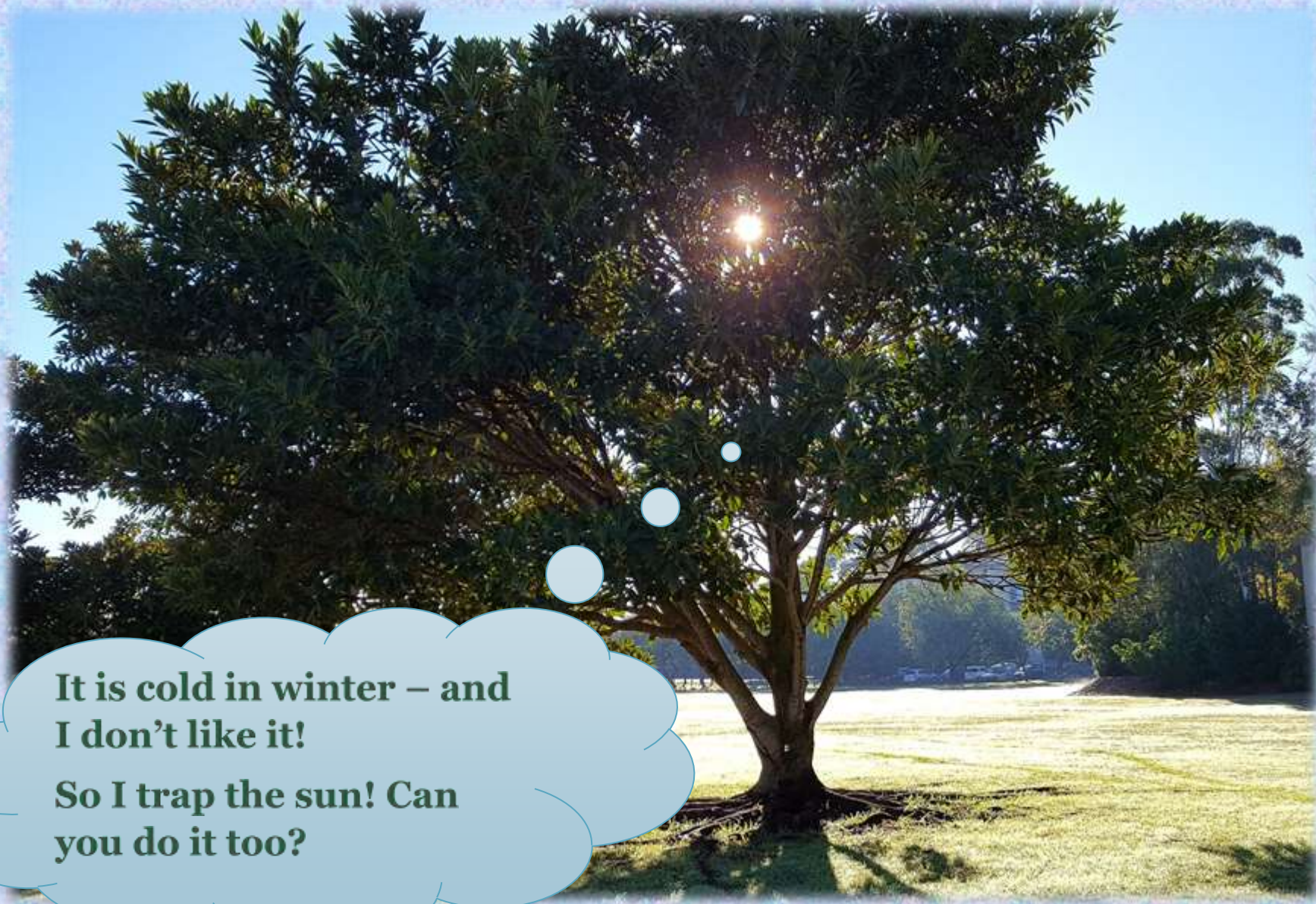
**I arranged the branches so
you can sit here
comfortably. I have also
made a roof with my leaves.
Go get a ladder!**



A photograph of a large, mature tree with a thick, light-colored trunk and a wide, spreading canopy of green leaves. The tree's roots are exceptionally prominent, spreading out horizontally across the ground in a complex, web-like pattern. The ground is a mix of green grass and brown, dry leaves. In the background, there is a paved path, a fence, and other trees under a clear blue sky. A thought bubble is overlaid on the left side of the image, containing text. A date stamp is visible in the bottom right corner of the photo.

**It's really windy
here sometimes!
But with roots like
this I can never fall
over!**

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**It is cold in winter – and
I don't like it!**

**So I trap the sun! Can
you do it too?**



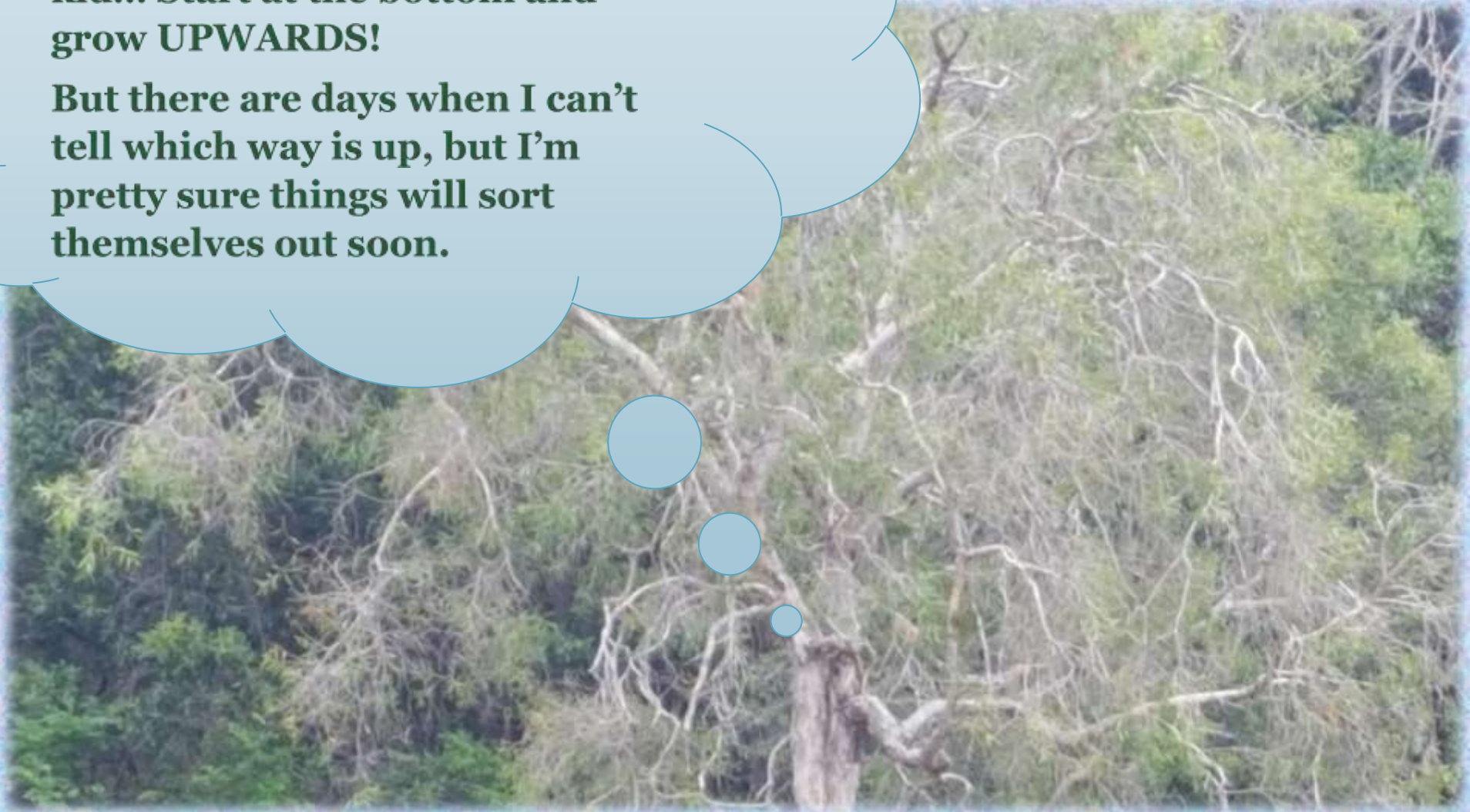
Rooti tooti...!


**My roots flow like
honey... gently down
to the ground.**

**Mother Earth feeds me
and keeps me strong
and healthy.**

I remember what I was told as a kid... Start at the bottom and grow UPWARDS!

But there are days when I can't tell which way is up, but I'm pretty sure things will sort themselves out soon.





**Sometimes I get angry...
like everybody else...
Do you get angry too?**


**Sometimes I pretend to
be somebody else...
This is when I was an
owl... 'hoo hooo..'**



Like you, I get old... and wrinkly!


There is only one thing you have to remember when looking at me...

Don't stare at my wrinkles - it is so rude!



**I am a real giant; big
and strong. I think I can
fly too!**

**They tied me up to stop
me flying away!**



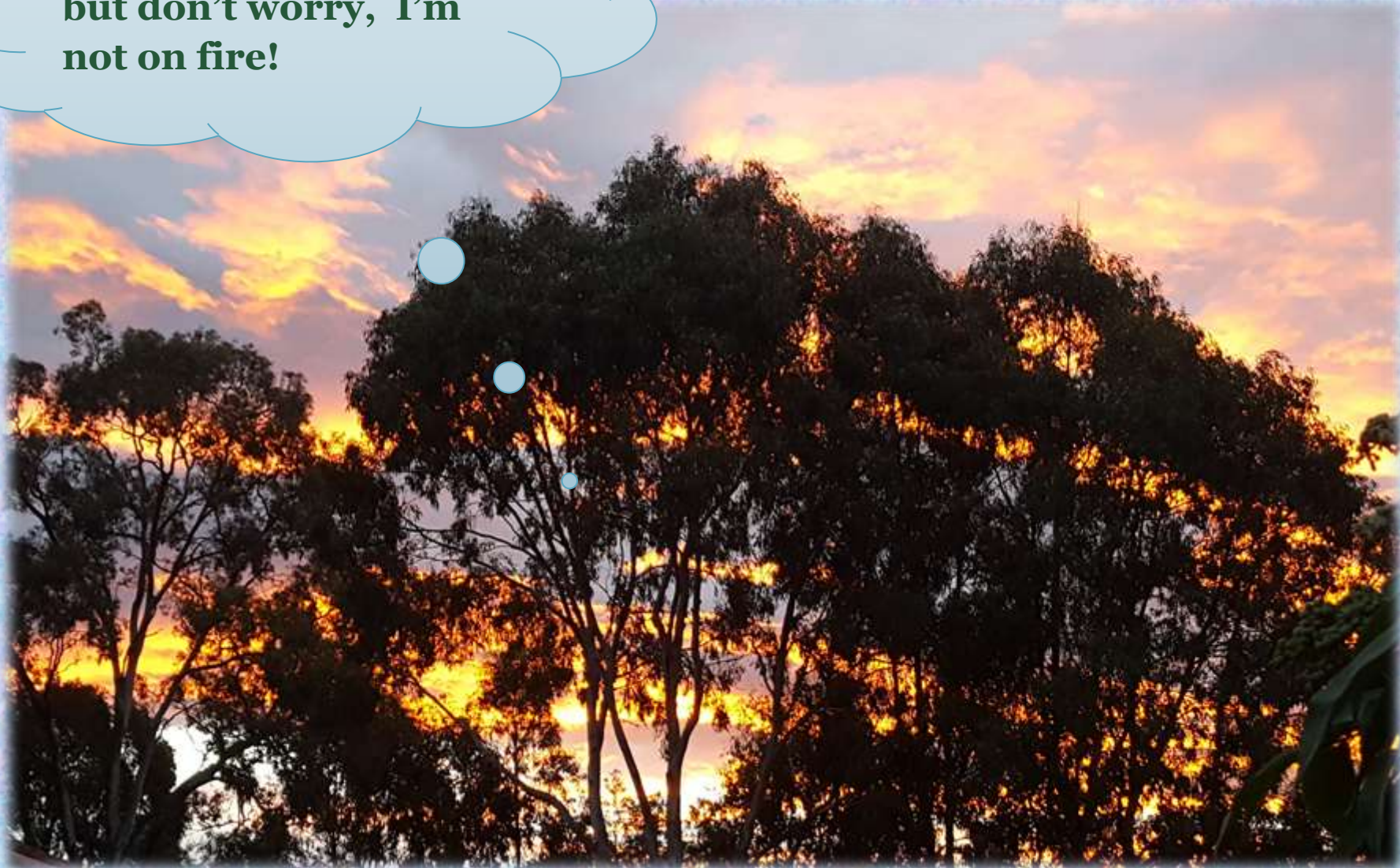
**Mum....!!! I don't *want*
to go to school!!!**




**Oh... It's too hot! I'll take
some of the clothes off.**

**I might even go naked –
yeah!**

**I know I said it's hot...
but don't worry, I'm
not on fire!**



A photograph of a tree trunk with a thought bubble overlay. The tree trunk is the central focus, showing rough, textured bark with patches of light green lichen. The background is a blurred green lawn and a white fence. A light blue thought bubble is positioned above the tree trunk, containing the text "Can you see my moose? He is mine – all mine!". Three small blue circles lead from the bottom of the thought bubble to the tree trunk.

**Can you see my moose?
He is mine – all mine!**

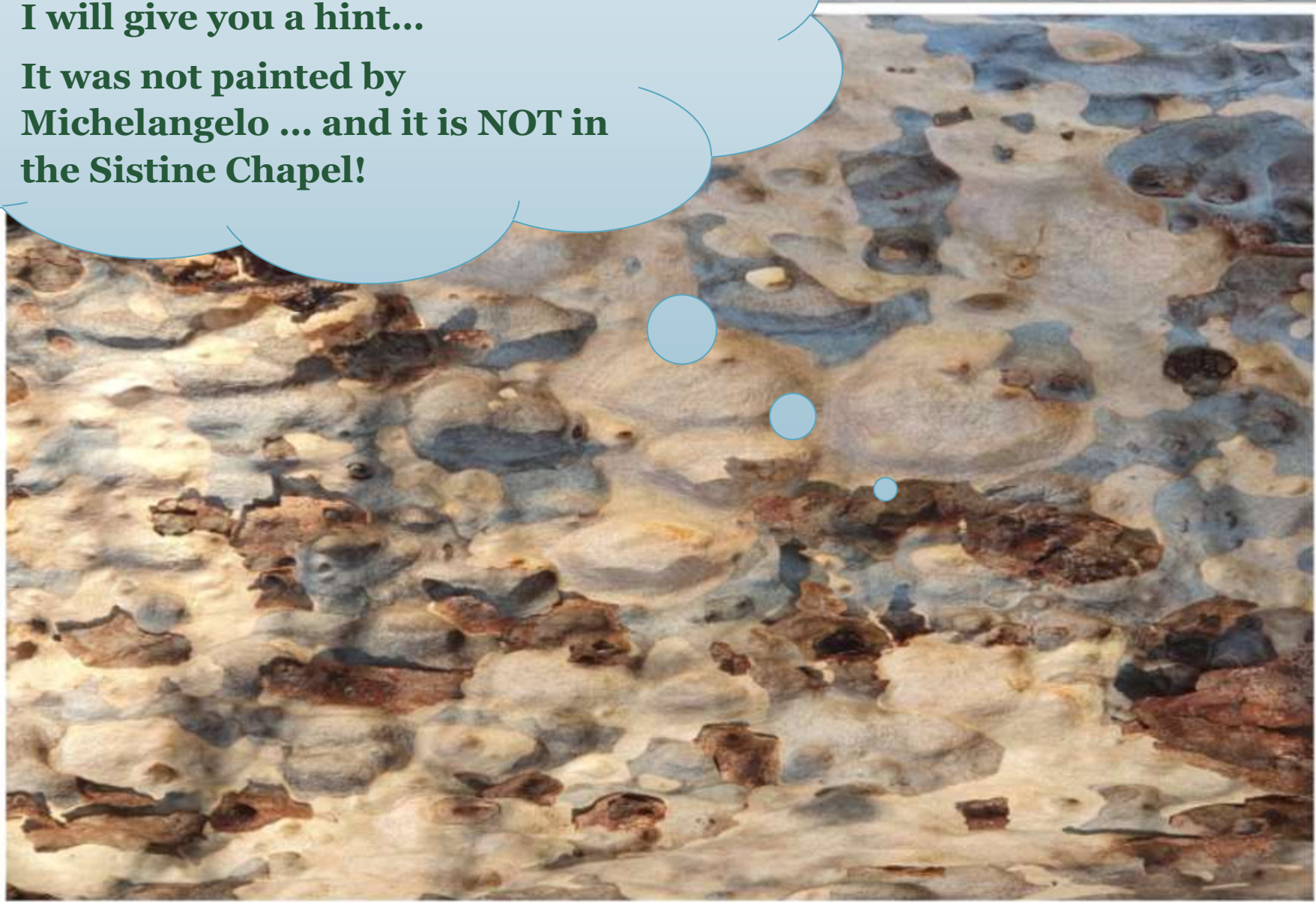
**Like the moose, when
you get close to me, you
can see a lot more stuff..
let's try it!**



What does it look like?

I will give you a hint...

**It was not painted by
Michelangelo ... and it is NOT in
the Sistine Chapel!**





**There are three of us
here ...**

**But you should know
that together, we are
one!**

**We are sisters and
brothers and we will
look after each other ...
always!**

**Can you
guess our
names?**

Bye...

Loku Aththa
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