

# BIG FOOT

Snowshoe hares' big feet help them jump as much as 12 feet! That's like jumping the length of two grown-up tigers...or two dads!





# **FOLLOW YOUR nose!**

A grizzly bear's sense of smell is so good that it can smell food from as far as 20 miles away. Hang on tight to your French Fries!





The image is a split-panel photograph of two arctic foxes. The left panel shows a white arctic fox sitting on a snowy surface, looking directly at the camera. The right panel shows a gray arctic fox sitting on a rocky surface, looking slightly to the side. The background of the left panel is a snowy, out-of-focus landscape, while the right panel shows a rocky, out-of-focus landscape with some green moss or lichen. The text is overlaid on the right side of the image.

# **WARDROBE CHANGE**

**An arctic fox has  
white fur in the  
winter, but in the  
summer it's fur  
changes to brown  
or gray. It's like  
a seasonal  
wardrobe change!**





# CHOIR BOYS

Male humpback whales sing complex, melodic songs that last 5 to 30 minutes can be heard up to 15 miles away! Males from the same population sing the same song, like a symphonic choir!



# CROWNING GLORY

A close-up photograph of two Caribou (reindeer) in a snowy environment. The Caribou in the foreground has large, brown antlers with snow on them. Its fur is a mix of brown and white. The second Caribou is slightly behind and to the right, also with large antlers. The background is a bright, snowy landscape with some blurred trees.

**Both male and female Caribou grow majestic antlers (in other deer species, only the males get these glorious crowns). Every year they shed their antlers so they can grow back bigger and stronger.**



# eAGLe eyes



A bald eagle has the best eyesight in the animal kingdom. While soaring at 10,000 feet, or 2 miles, a bald eagle can spot a tiny rabbit hopping in the valley below.



# BUILT-IN GPS



After migrating thousands of miles from their birthplace, salmon are able to swim from the ocean to the river they were born in. Then they swim upstream for miles to the very place they were born! It's like God made them with a built-in GPS!



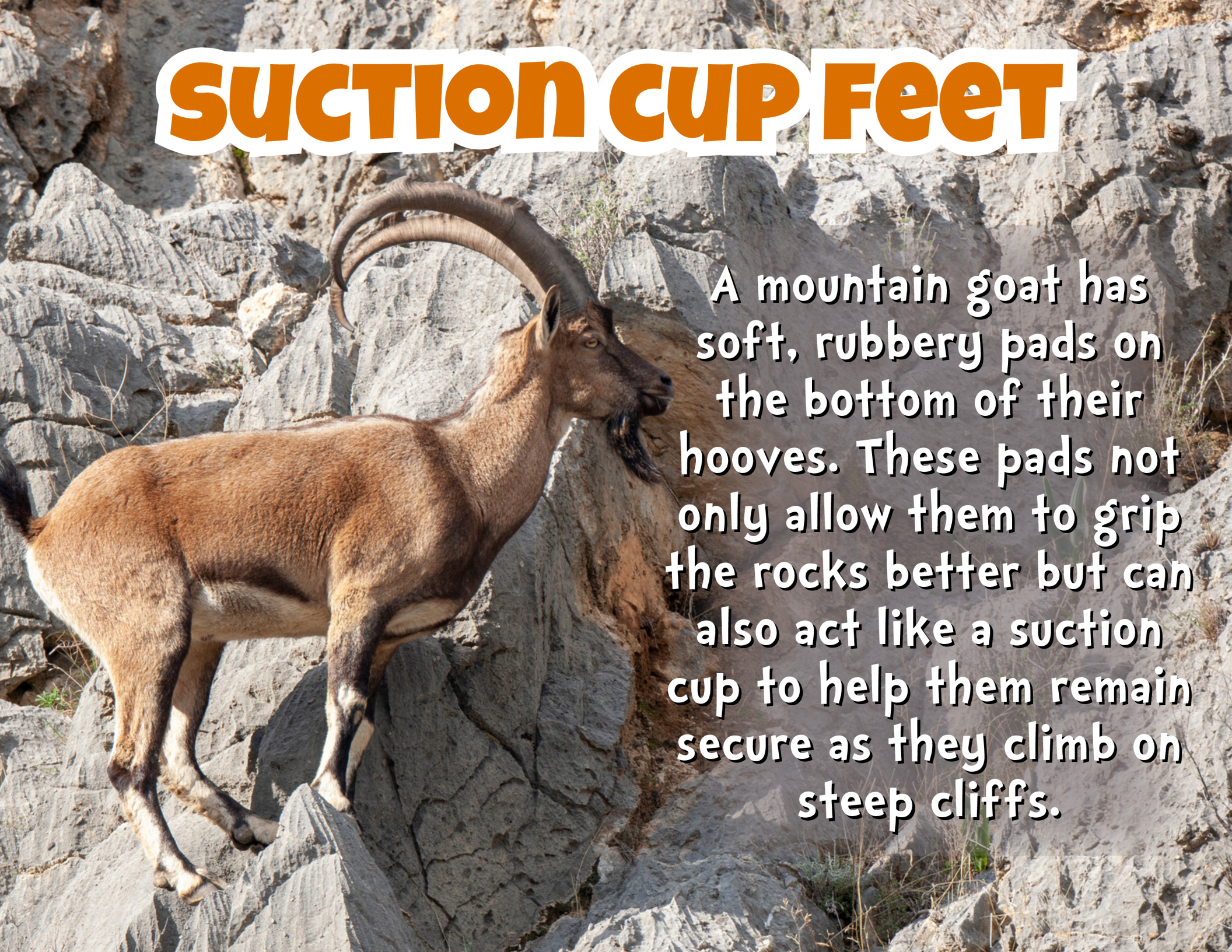
# **A NATURAL ICE CUBE**



The Alaskan wood frog can freeze solid in the winter, and then thaw out and hop away in spring! Its heart stops beating and it doesn't breathe while frozen—God made a natural ice cube!




# SUCTION CUP FEET

A mountain goat with large, dark, curved horns is standing on a steep, rocky cliff. The goat has brown fur and is looking towards the right. The background is a rugged, grey rock face.

A mountain goat has soft, rubbery pads on the bottom of their hooves. These pads not only allow them to grip the rocks better but can also act like a suction cup to help them remain secure as they climb on steep cliffs.



# **SAVING HIS BREATH**



**A harbor seal can hold his breath for up to 30 minutes underwater! That could come in handy during a game of hide-and seek!**



# WINGING IT!



Puffins flap their wings about 400 times per minute when flying fast. That's more than 6 wing flaps in a second!




# **pee-yew!**



**A muskox is  
one of the  
stinkiest  
animals in  
existence!  
According to  
some native  
Alaskans, even  
the caribou  
don't like to be  
around them!**



# A BEAUTIFUL smile



Beavers have orange teeth because they are strong and full of iron. They can chew through a tree with those teeth in just a few hours!



Willow ptarmigan  
(Alaska's  
state bird)  
lure predators  
away from their  
babies by  
pretending to  
have a broken  
wing. That's  
some pretty  
good acting  
skills!

**BEST  
ACTORS**







**“O Lord, what a variety of things**

**YOU  
HAVE  
MADE!**

**In wisdom you  
have made  
them all.**

**The earth is  
full of your  
creatures.”**

**Psalms 104:24**