

LA PERLE DES NEIGES

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A storm has left Wapitico covered in snow. Who is the sorcerer who sabotaged all the snow blowers? With snowshoes on his feet, Nicolas sees his village getting transformed. The mailman distributes the mail perched on stilts, the school kids are going to class using the carriage pulled by Anatole's mare. The villagers, all wearing skis, are having fun sliding on the ice crystals. What if the snow was never cleared again? This would be so much fun!

Themes abordés: family, winter, snow.

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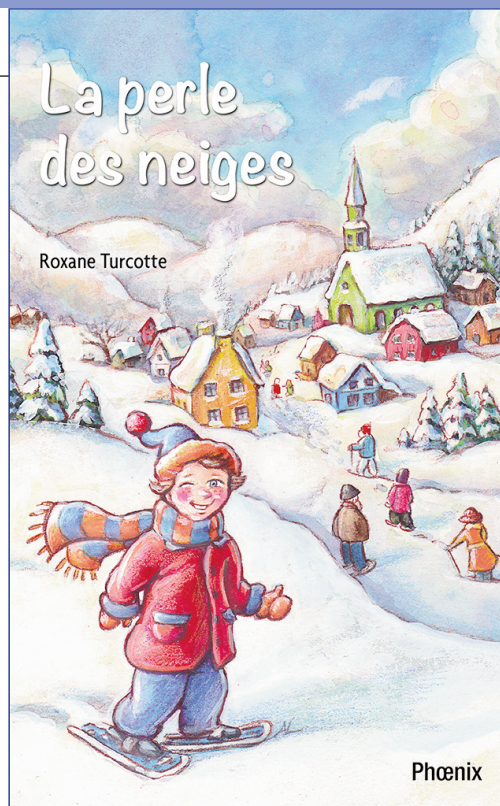
Je gravis la colline qui surplombe le village. Wapitico est féérique sous cette neige qui n'arrête pas de tomber. Pas besoin d'aller au cinéma pour admirer tant de beauté.

J'observe les skieurs de tout à l'heure qui traversent les champs en file indienne. J'ajuste mes jumelles. Les villageois ont l'air de s'amuser comme des enfants. Les lièvres et les porcs-épics s'interrogent-ils sur les rires qui fusent au-dessus de leurs terriers ? Il y a si longtemps que des hommes sont passés par là !

Je descends la rue Principale. Je croise le facteur. J'écarquille les yeux.

—J'aurais pu devenir acrobate, me dit-il.

Le facteur sur des échasses. C'est fantastique !



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