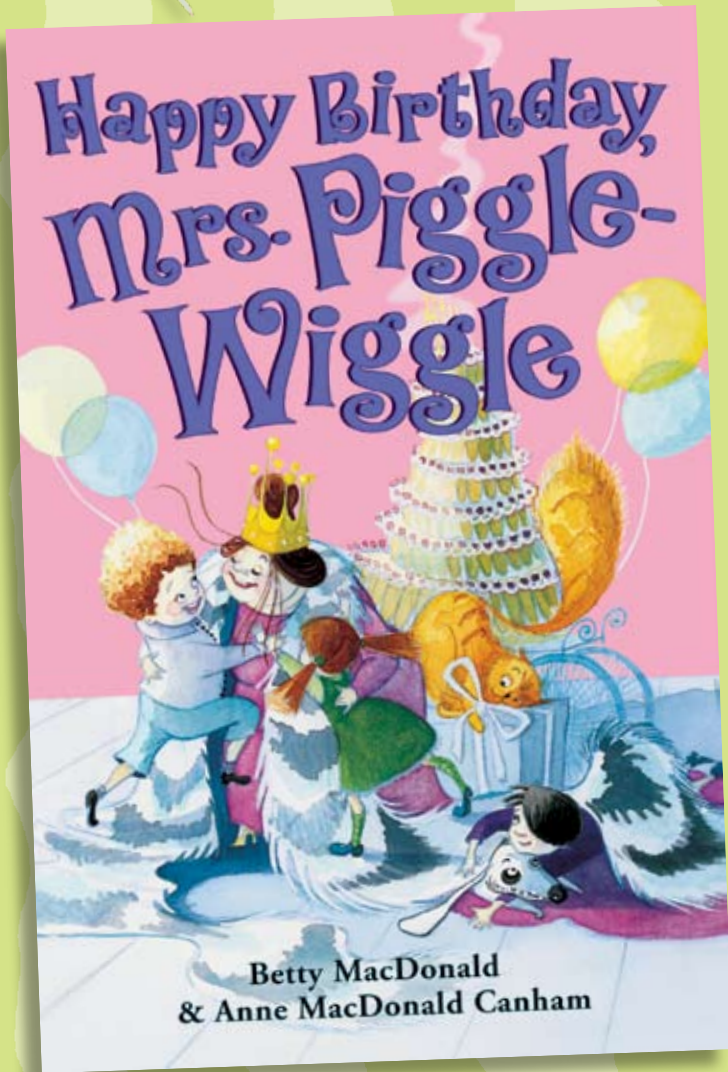


# Happy Birthday, Mrs. Piggle-Wiggle



Dear Party Host,

Celebrate the 60th anniversary of everyone's favorite problem-solver, Mrs. Piggle-Wiggle! In celebration of this occasion, we encourage you to throw your own birthday party for this beloved character.

To help you host your birthday party, here's a downloadable *Happy Birthday, Mrs. Piggle-Wiggle* Event Kit that includes the following items:

- Invitation to your event
- Make your own birthday hat activity
- Pin the birthday crown on Mrs. Piggle-Wiggle activity
- Party game suggestions

Make your guest list and have a wonderful birthday celebration!

Enjoy!



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# You're Invited!



Please join us to celebrate

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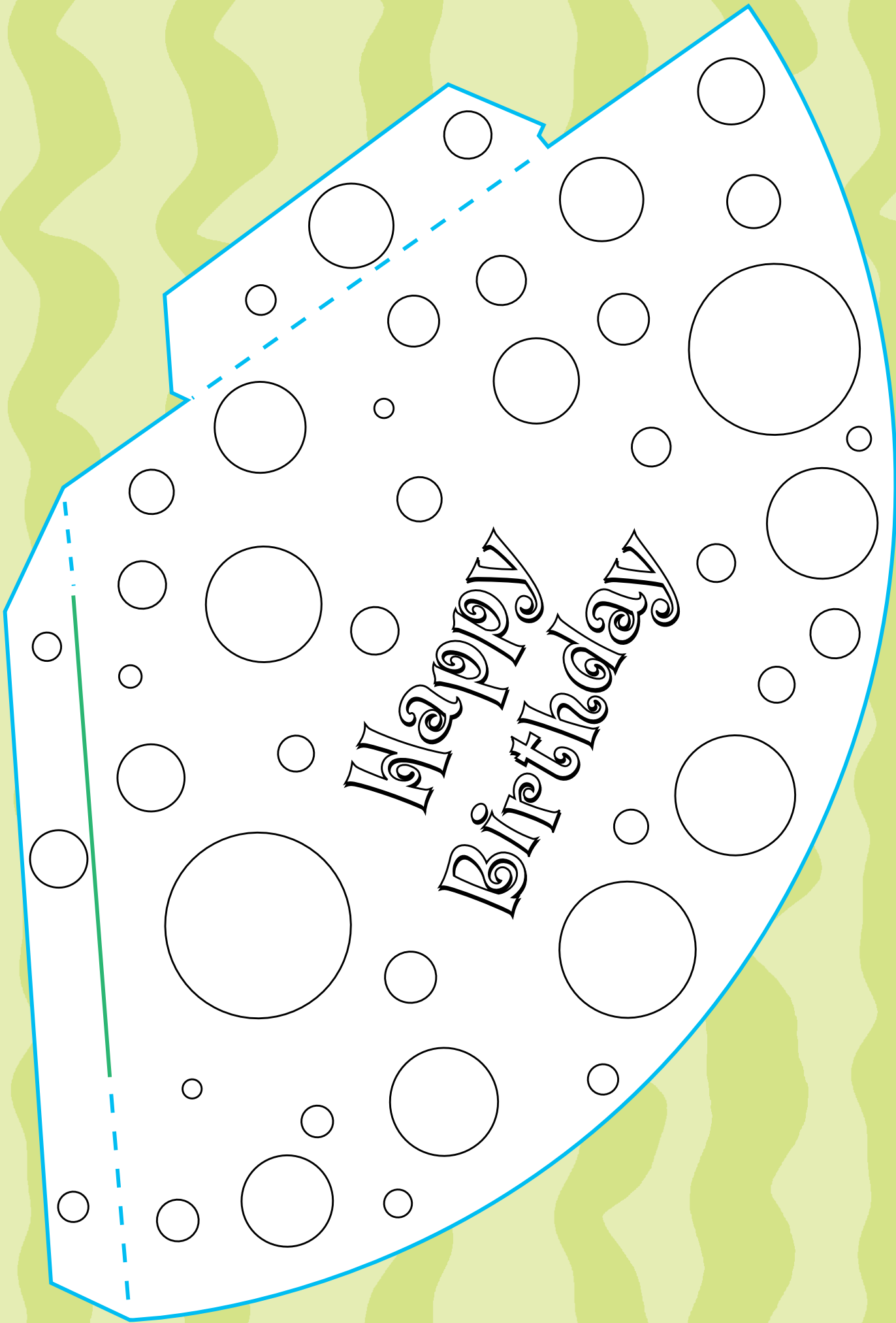
Hope to  
see you  
there!



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# Cut and Color Party Hats!

Color in your very own party hat to get ready for the celebration. After you're finished decorating your hat, cut along the solid outline and then tape the two sides together. Now take a deep breath and blow out the candles!



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# Pin the Birthday Crown on Mrs. Piggle-Wiggle



1. Print out a copy of the crown below for each party guest. Cut along the dotted lines and affix a piece of tape to the back of each crown.
2. Post the picture of Mrs. Piggle-Wiggle on the wall at about the height of the party guests. The picture of Mrs. Piggle-Wiggle can be found on the next downloadable page.
3. Players should line up about 5 feet from the picture of Mrs. Piggle-Wiggle.
4. Blindfold the first player and give him/her a birthday crown. Each player must try to pin the crown on Mrs. Piggle-Wiggle's head while blindfolded.
5. The player who gets the crown closest to where it should be wins a prize.



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# Pin the Birthday Crown on Mrs. Piggle-Wiggle

Print out and place on wall to begin game.

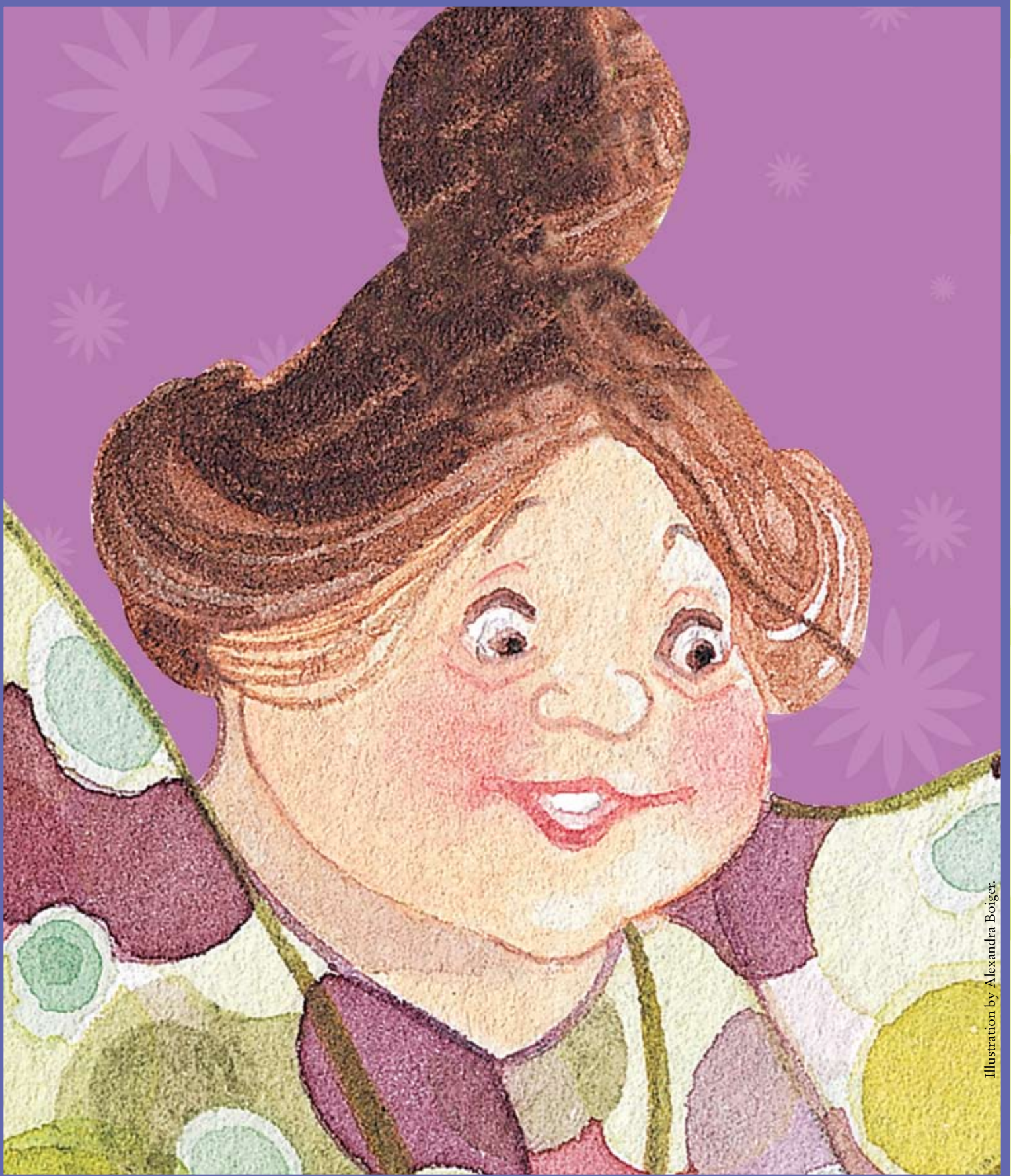


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# Fun and Games!



## Mrs. Piggle-Wiggle Says

Just like the classic game of “Simon Says,” players must follow what Mrs. Piggle-Wiggle says. First appoint a party guest to act as Mrs. Piggle-Wiggle and instruct guests to follow his/her lead, but only when those instructions are preceded by “Mrs. Piggle-Wiggle says.” If someone fails to follow such an instruction or follows an instruction that is not preceded by “Mrs. Piggle-Wiggle says,” they must leave the game. The last person remaining in the game other than the leader is the winner and will become the new leader in the next game.

*“Mrs. Piggle-Wiggle says clap your hands”— guests should clap their hands.*

*“Mrs. Piggle-Wiggle says jump up and down”— guests should jump.*

*“Stomp your feet”— guests who stomp their feet would be out of the game, because the instructor did not say “Mrs. Piggle-Wiggle says.”*

## Hello, Mrs. Piggle-Wiggle

Play the classic game of telephone with your party guests.

1. Party guests should sit in a circle facing one another.
2. Choose someone to start the telephone line. That person should make up a sentence and whispers it into the ear of the person next to him/her.
3. The second person must pass on what he/she heard to the next person, and so on until the sentence makes its way through the entire circle.
4. The last person to hear the sentence must say it out loud. It’s funny to hear how the story changed from person to person!

For a greater challenge, try whispering a tongue-twister like  
*“Mrs. Piggle-Wiggle prefers playful, peppy puppies to pretty, poised pooches.”*