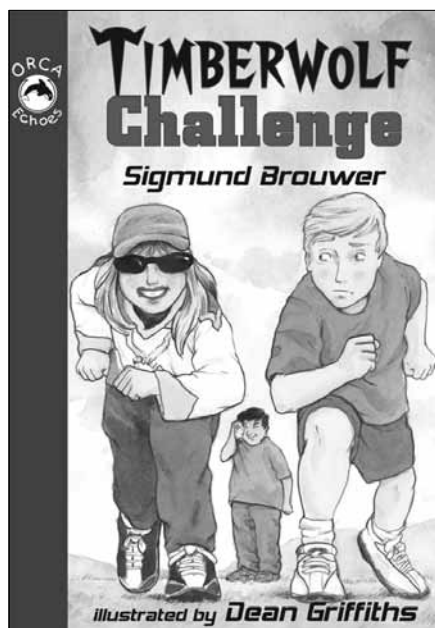




Timberwolf Challenge

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About the Book

Johnny Maverick has come up with an idea to win a fundraising contest for the Howling Timberwolves hockey team. It seems fun, until a girl visits Howling—and starts to win challenges against Johnny. The entire town finds it funny; even worse, his friends Tom and Stu like what's happening.

About the Author

With close to three million books in print, **Sigmund Brouwer** is the bestselling author of many books for children and young adults. In addition to several titles in the Orca Echoes series, he has contributed two titles to the Orca Currents series and over a dozen titles to the Orca Sports series. In the last ten years, he has given writing workshops to students in schools from the Arctic Circle to inner-city Los Angeles. One of his latest novels, *The Last Disciple*, earned Sigmund an appearance on ABC's *Good Morning America*. Sigmund and his family live half the year in Nashville, Tennessee, and half the year in Red Deer, Alberta.

Teaching Ideas—Curriculum Connections***Prereading Ideas***

Think about what it means to be a “good sport.”

Classroom Discussion Questions

1. On page 46, Johnny’s dad tells Johnny he needs to be at the video presentation in order to show everyone that he is a “good sport.” Discuss with students what the phrase “good sport” means in this instance and why it is such an important part of being on a team.
2. Make a list of good sportsmanlike behavior. Discuss what nonpartisan-like behavior is, and if possible, have students give examples from their own team experiences.

Other Titles of Interest

Timberwolf Chase

Timberwolf Hunt

Timberwolf Revenge

Timberwolf Rivals

Timberwolf Tracks

Timberwolf Trap

Other Books by the Author from Orca Book Publishers

Orca Echoes: *Timberwolf Chase*, *Timberwolf Hunt*, *Timberwolf Revenge*, *Timberwolf Rivals*, *Timberwolf Tracks* and *Timberwolf Trap*

Orca Currents: *Sewer Rats*, *Wired*

Orca Sports: *Absolute Pressure*, *All-Star Pride*, *Blazer Drive*, *Chief Honor*, *Cobra Strike*, *Hitmen Triumph*, *Hurricane Power*, *Maverick Mania*, *Oil King Courage*, *Rebel Glory*, *Scarlet Thunder*, *Thunderbird Spirit*, *Tiger Threat*, *Titan Clash* and *Winter Hawk Star*

Reviews

“Brouwer illustrates his moral with physical humor and one-liners that have proven appeal with children. Recommended.”
—*CM Magazine*

“...will appeal to young hockey players who enjoyed the first two books in the series.”
—*Resource Links*