

# OLIVER'S SAFETY SQUAD



# 4H BOOK

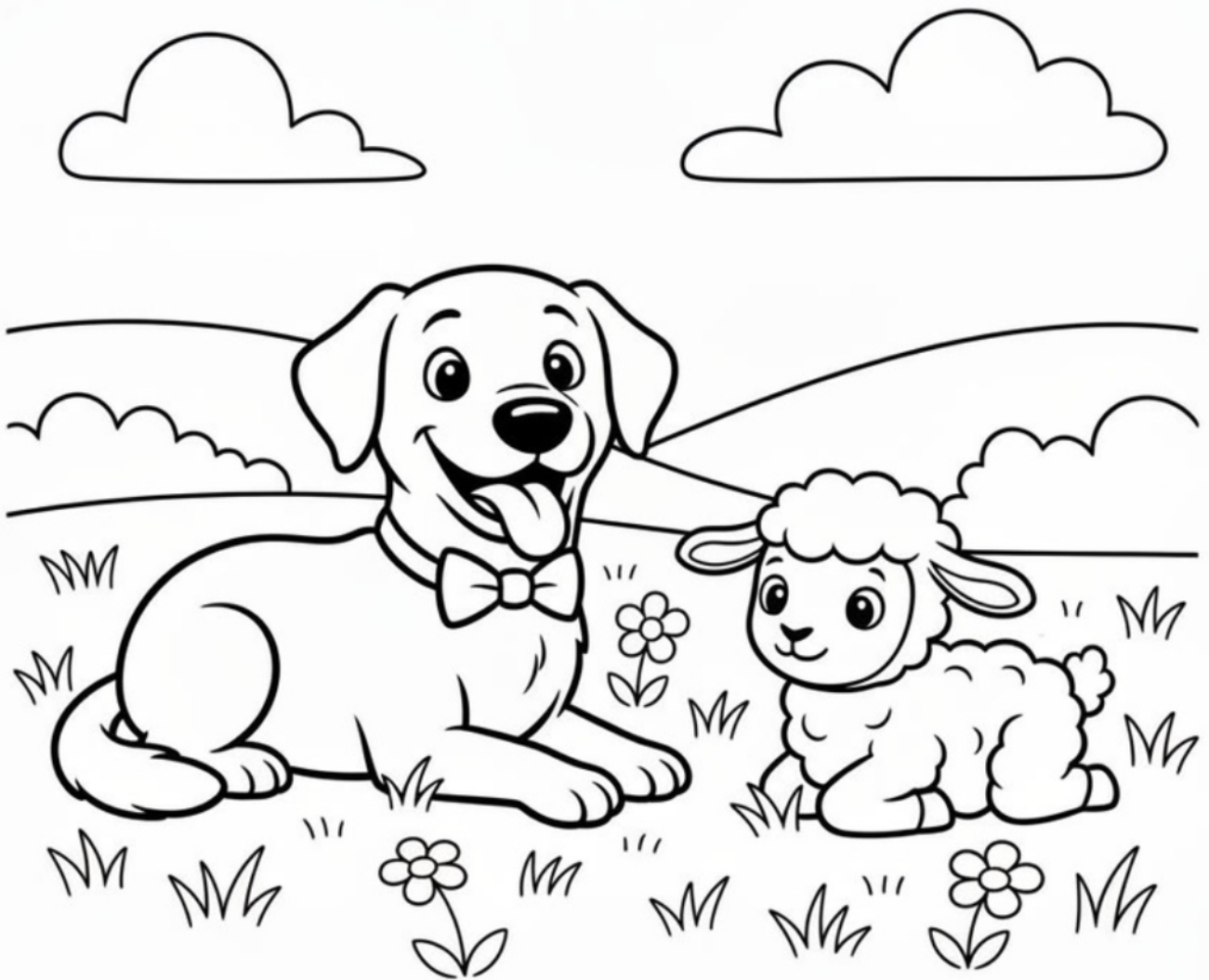
Oliver is joining his friends in 4H and he is so excited! There's so much to see, so much to learn, and so many new friends to meet. Are you ready?  
Let's go!



**COME ON**

**OLIVER!**

Today Oliver gets to meet his 4H animal. He wants to learn to care for a lamb, and this one is perfect. She is very soft and a little shy, Oliver is calm and moves slow so his lamb feels safe with him.



**GOOD BOY**

**OLIVER!**

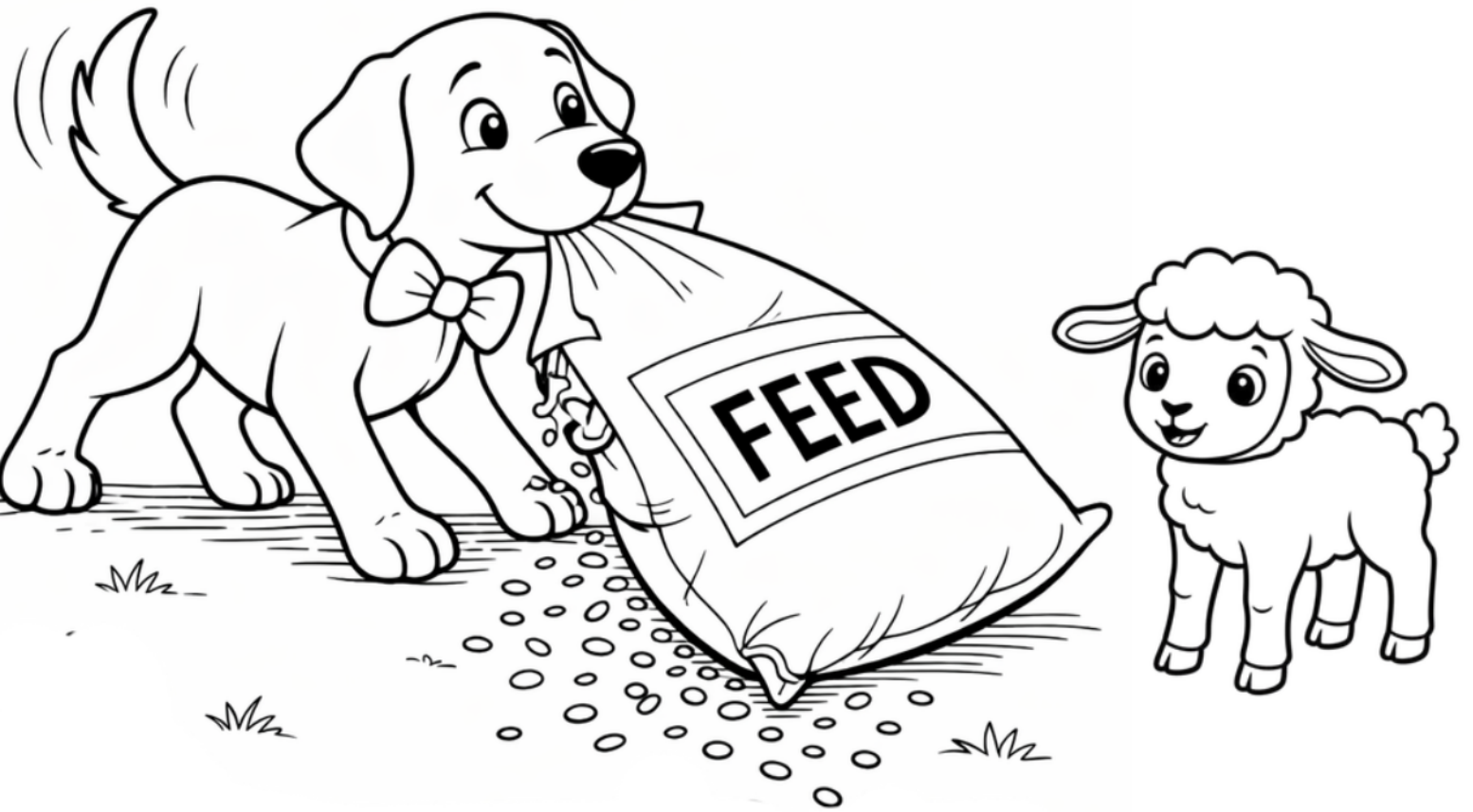
Oliver knows that animals can get scared just like people. He moves slowly, speaks softly, and lets his new friend come to him in the beginning. A Safety Pup stops, thinks, and checks – is my animal ready for me?



**GOOD BOY**

**OLIVER!**

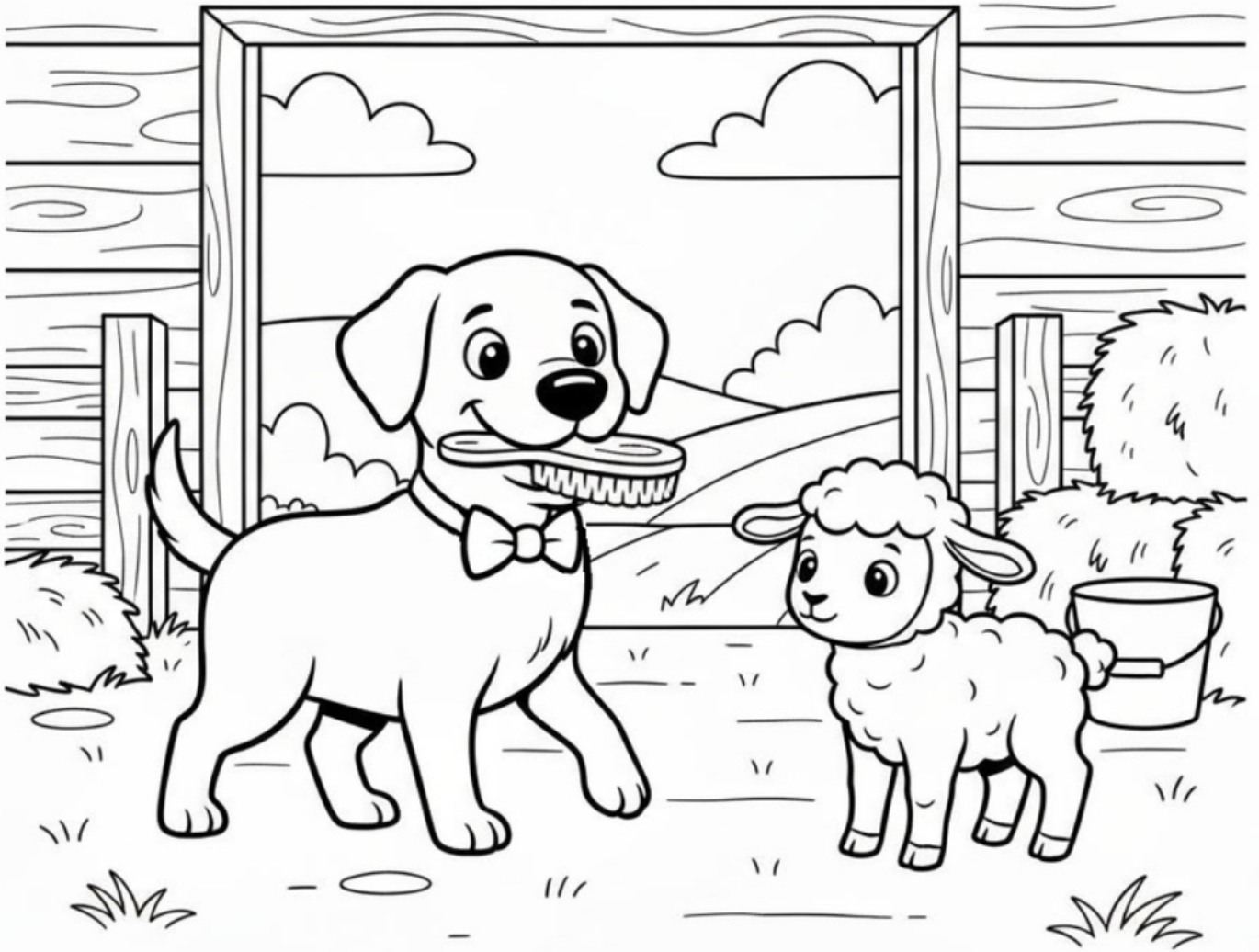
Taking care of his lamb is a big job. Sometimes Oliver's paws are tired and the feed bag feels really heavy. But every time he shows up, his lamb knows she can count on him. That's how trust grows — one day at a time.



**GOOD BOY**

**OLIVER!**

Grooming takes patience – and that's a hard thing to learn! But Oliver discovered something special: when he slows down and pays attention, his lamb listens to him. They are both learning to enjoy each other's company.



**GOOD BOY**

**OLIVER!**

Oliver was very sleepy and stayed in bed too long. When he got to the barn, Clover was waiting and hungry. Oliver felt bad he was late.

He fed her and stayed with her while she ate.

Next time, he promises to be there when she needs him.



**LET'S HELP**

**CLOVER,**

**OLIVER!**

Oliver's friend notices her goat isn't eating today. She's not sure what's wrong, but she knows what to do – find her grown-up and ask for help. A Safety Pup always pays attention to how their animal is feeling.



**GOOD JOB**

**KIDS!**

It's Fair Day! Clover is looking her best and Oliver made sure his bow tie is straight. A little bit nervous, a little bit excited. Oliver and his lamb worked very hard to get here and they want to do their best.



**GOOD BOY**

**OLIVER!**

Even brave pups like Oliver get butterflies before speaking to a group. But he practices his woofs with people he trusts to build his bravery. Every big voice starts as a little one!



**GOOD JOB**

**OLIVER!**

The judge shared ideas to help Clover do better. Some words were hard to hear. Oliver listened anyway, because he knew they could help him learn.



**IT'S OK  
OLIVER!**

First place or second place, Oliver knows the real prize is being a good friend. A handshake, a smile, and a 'great job' – that's what heart looks like!



**GOOD BOY**

**OLIVER!**

Oliver's friend had to say goodbye to his animal today. He's proud of his hard work but still feels sad. Oliver sits with his friend. He knows sometimes being a good friend is just letting someone know they aren't alone.



**GOOD BOY**

**OLIVER!**

Some of Oliver's friends are smiling. Some are quiet. Some aren't sure how they feel yet, and that's okay too. Right now there are stalls to sweep and water buckets to fill, and somehow doing it together makes every feeling a little easier to carry.



**GOOD JOB**

**KIDS!**

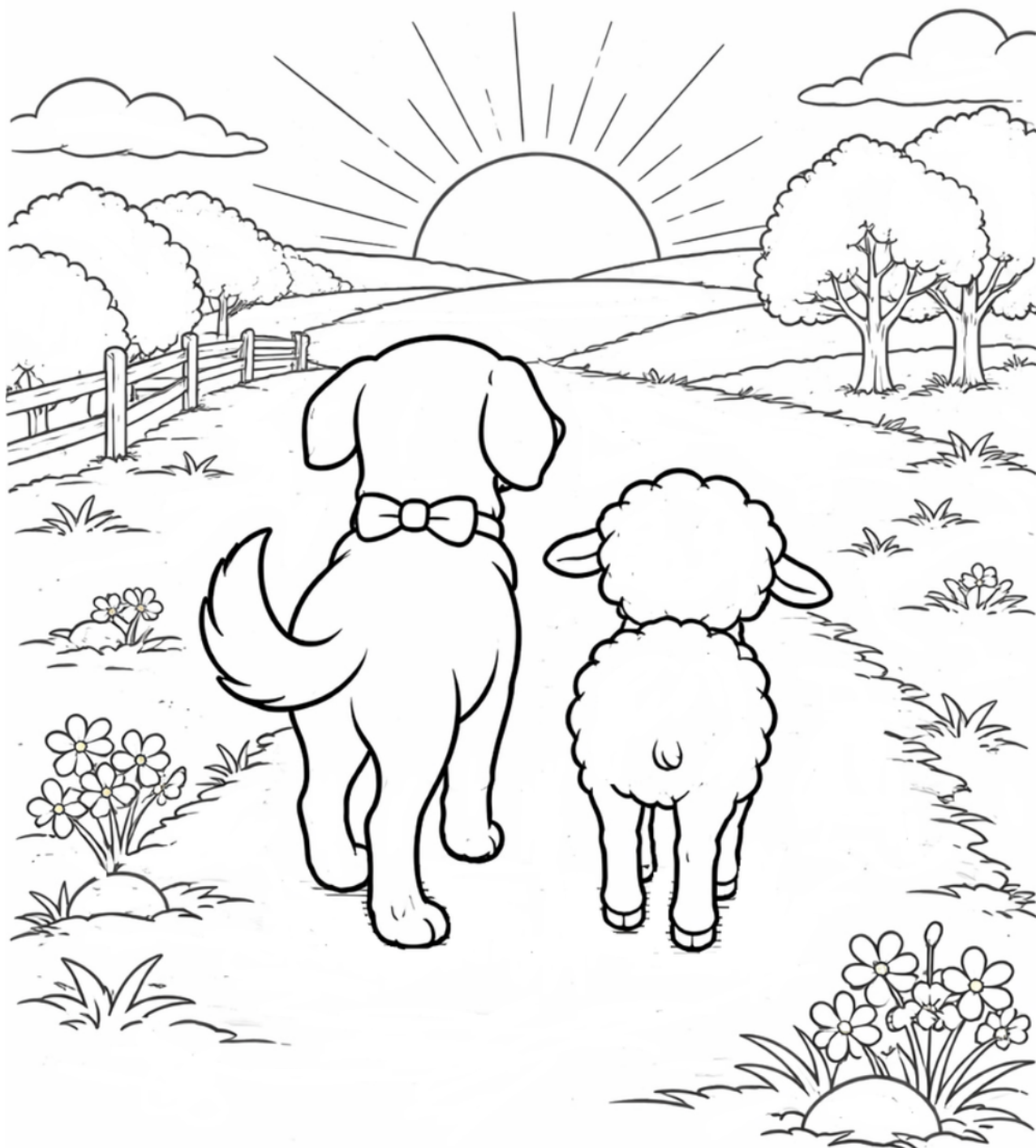
After a big day, Oliver knows the caring doesn't stop. Clean paws, clean stalls, fresh water — taking care of the small things helps a Safety Pup feel ready for what's next.



**GOOD BOY**

**OLIVER!**

Oliver and Clover learned so much this year. Now they're ready to keep trying and grow even more. Next year will be even better!



**GOOD JOB**

**OLIVER!**

What a big day. Oliver and his friends learned a lot, felt a lot, and took care of each other through all of it. That's what Safety Pups do. Rest up – tomorrow is a brand new adventure.



**GOOD JOB**

**OLIVER!**

## Note to Parents:

While Oliver's adventures take place at the fair, the lessons in this book belong everywhere. Whether your child has a barn full of animals or a goldfish named Bubbles, these are the skills that teach kids how to care for the living things that depend on them.

But this book is about more than safety. It's about raising good people – kids who show up even when it's hard, who sit with a friend who's hurting, who learn from criticism instead of crumbling under it, and who know that their feelings don't make them weak. Those lessons start small, with a dog and a lamb and a coloring page, but they grow with your child.

If a particular page sparks a conversation, follow it. You don't have to have the perfect words. Just be there. That's what Oliver would do.

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