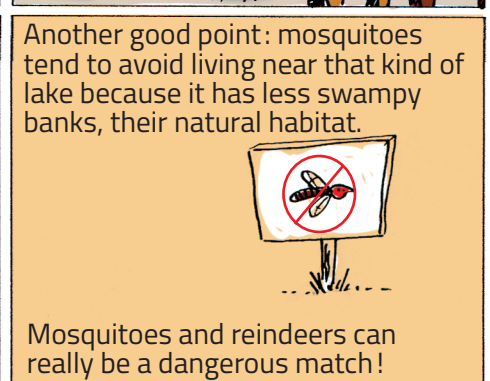
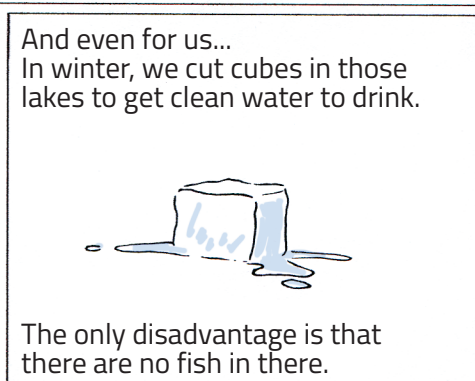
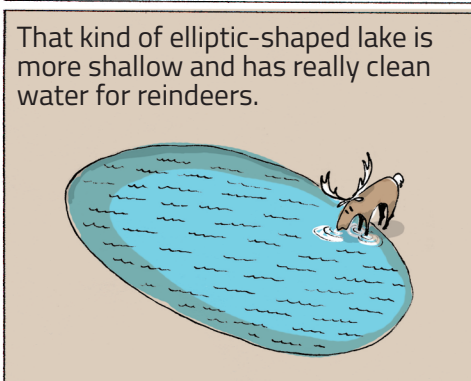
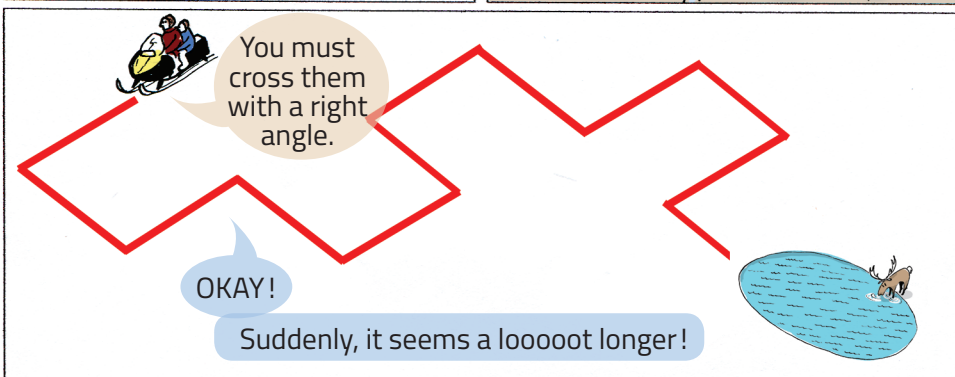
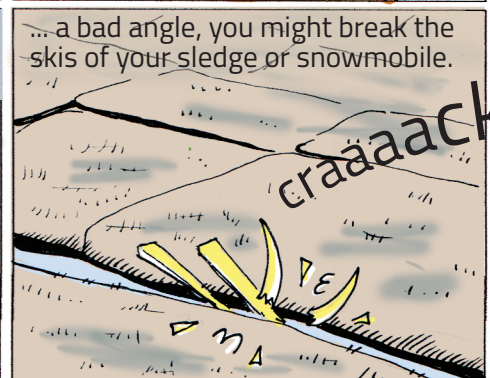
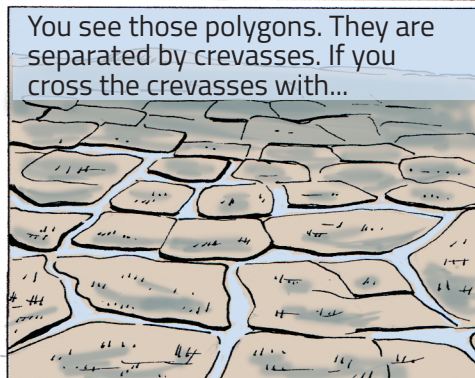
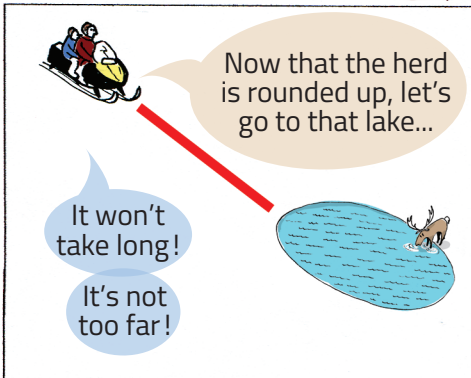
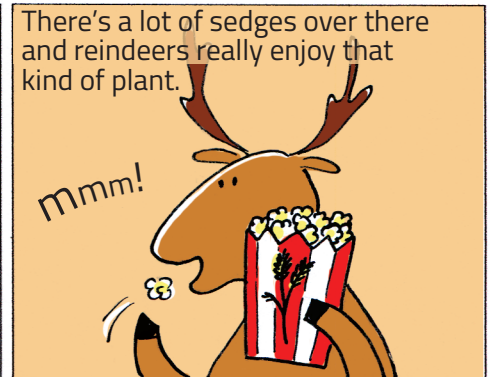
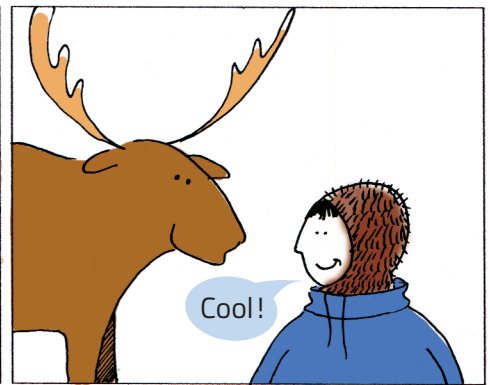
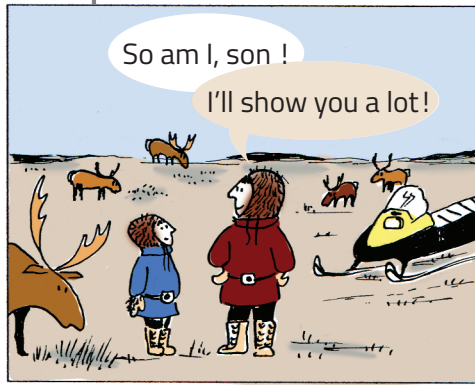


# the reindeer and the mosquitoes

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Dad, are you serious?  
I mean you told me sad stories about wolves and reindeer newborns...

You told me strange stories where the soil becomes soft and sludgy, the *living earth*, in which reindeer are in danger of drowning.

But how could a little mosquito be a danger for reindeer?

Believe me, son, at the peak of the season, in July, mosquitoes bother and attack the reindeer.

The herd becomes upset... and gathers...

...and ultimately starts to run in a circle, forming a *reindeer mill*.

They go fast, and for such a length of time, that they may themselves create a *living earth*.

OH NO! The herd is actually being attacked by mosquitoes!  
To protect the soil and the herd, we must move the herd up the hill.

There's less chance up there to create a *living earth*.

Are you ready?  
Yes!

Yaaahh!  
Yaaahh!

Alright! It's quiet again.

Dad, I thought it would never finish... I'm so tired!

Now I agree: little mosquitoes can be a **big** problem!

Son, you've learned a lot in one day!