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Why Can't the Referee Score Goals? And 52 Other Questions You Might Have About Sports Hvorfor kan ikke dommeren score mål? Og 52 andre ting du lurer på

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In *Why Can't the Referee Score Goals?* children learn the answers to both big and small questions about sports. Why do sumo wrestlers wear diapers? Why are tennis balls yellow? How do you shoot a bow and arrow without any arms? And what is the most dangerous sport in the world?

Why Can't the Referee Score Goals? is informative and easy to grasp with fun illustrations. It is the perfect book to start a conversation about the world of sports, with children aged six to nine years.





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