

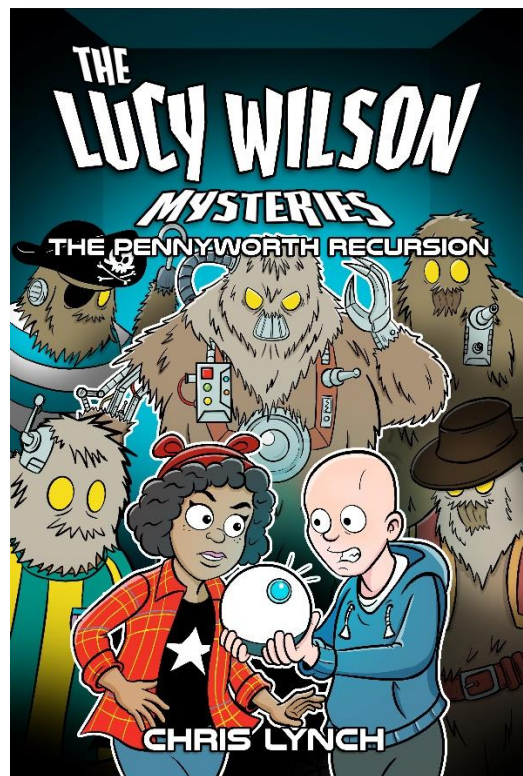


THE LUCY WILSON MYSTERIES: THE PENNYWORTH RECURSION

Candy Jar Books is thrilled to announce an exciting new addition to *The Lucy Wilson Mysteries* series: *The Pennyworth Recursion*.

Penned by veteran *Lucy Wilson* author Chris Lynch, this captivating short story continues the adventures of Lucy Wilson and Hobo.

Publishing Co-ordinator, Keren Williams, shares her enthusiasm: "Chris has been with us since the inception of this series and has a remarkable grasp of the characters, especially Hobo. Whenever I get a Chris story for proofing, I know that I'm going to have a fantastic couple of days!"



The Pennyworth Recursion reintroduces the character of Pennyworth, originally seen in the *Lethbridge-Stewart* novel, *The George Kostinen Mystery*. Pennyworth, a robot Yeti created by Hobo, aids him in navigating his bleak, dystopian life. This story brims with humour and adventure, featuring multiple versions of Pennyworth from alternate dimensions!

Head of Publishing, Shaun Russell, adds: "Chris has been a cornerstone of the Lucy Wilson series, particularly with his annual Christmas stories. While

this story takes on a slightly darker tone, akin to *The Terminator* franchise, Chris's signature outlandish ideas make it truly exceptional."

Renowned Beano artist, Steve Beckett, once again delivers a fantastic cover, which showcases various Yetis, including Pirate Yeti, Cowboy Yeti, and Football Yeti.

Blurb for *The Pennyworth Recursion*:

Lucy and Hobo embark on an olde-worlde coach trip to Bledoe. It's clearly a trap, but with tickets priced at just 1p, how can they resist? Or more accurately, how can Hobo resist? Lucy isn't convinced the price is worth the ride...

On a musty old coach packed with OAPs, they find solace in Pennyworth, a virtual, portable assistant created by Hobo. However, their luck takes a turn when Pennyworth calculates their chances of reaching Bledoe are... zero.

Robotic Yetis appear from nowhere – one in a cowboy hat, another wearing a football kit, and one half the size of the others! Despite their differences, they all share one name: Pennyworth.

The Lucy Wilson Mysteries is a Lethbridge-Stewart spin-off adventure and features licensed characters created for Doctor Who by Mervyn Haisman and Henry Lincoln.