

ALL ABOUT

HEDGIE BLASTS OFF!

SPACE!

Hi!
When I was little I liked to draw
imaginary planets. There are no rules!
My favorite was a mushroom planet, with
fungi in bizarre colors and shapes. I liked
to use my imagination and I still do.

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A VISIT TO YELLOWSTONE NATIONAL PARK

MORNING
GLORY

A visit to Yellowstone National Park
gave me the idea for my book.

In this area, molten rock comes close to the
surface and creates hot springs and geysers.
One hot spring is called Morning Glory Pool
because it is blue and turquoise like the flower.
It even erupted into a geyser. Then people threw
things into it and clogged its vent where pure
hot water bubbled up from the earth. Now there
is a fence around it so it can recover. After I
read the sign, I thought I would put this story in
a book, only it would take place in outer space.
But who would save the day?

PLEASE
DO NOT THROW
OBJECTS INTO
MORNING GLORY
POOL.