The Time Traveling Squirrel Adventure

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In the woods there lived two squirrels—Jack and Nutty. One day they went exploring and were having a jolly good time until they tripped and fell into a deep pit! When they landed they looked around and they were in a brightly lit room. In the middle of the room there was a strange, humming machine. They both got into the strange machine—after a loud disagreement about whether or not they should get in. Of course there was a red button and they pushed it. Whoosh! There was a clanking and whirring and then everything went dark causing them to fall fast asleep.

When they woke up, they heard a sound. They went over to investigate and saw a nest of baby dinosaurs and eggs. Jack went over and touched a baby dinosaur. Then Nutty, the science geek, said, “You touched its egg! Now it will know that we touched its young!”

Jack wondered, “What’s “it”?"

Suddenly, they heard loud footsteps and slowly turned around. When they turned around they saw a huge Tyrannosaurus Rex and she was coming straight towards them!

“Mommy!” yelled Nutty.
“Ruuunnnnnn!!!” yelled Jack.

“You don’t have to tell me twice!” exclaimed Nutty, who was already doing a dance that involved running in circles while screaming.

Now, this part will be told by Nutty’s point of view: “By the time I got control over my legs I was already very far away from the nest and panting breathlessly.”

“I’m curious,” wondered Jack, “so how do we get back to our time, our home?”

“The acorn,” gasped Nutty, “it contains the key”

“The acorn?” questioned Jack, “I thought it was real and I ate it!”

“You what!!??” hissed Nutty, “Aaaaarararhhhhhhggggggggg!”

Of course there was an extra key in the spare nut stored in the secret compartment of Nutty’s tail.

They both got into the machine, slammed the door, and hit the red button. When they got home they swore never to come back!
file: Jack
likes nuts and eating them
Dislikes stomachaches
Friends: Nutty
Foes: T. Rex

watchful eyes

large teeth

small arms

One ear is larger

tail is larger than body

compared to his body, Jack has small feet
Whoosh!

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