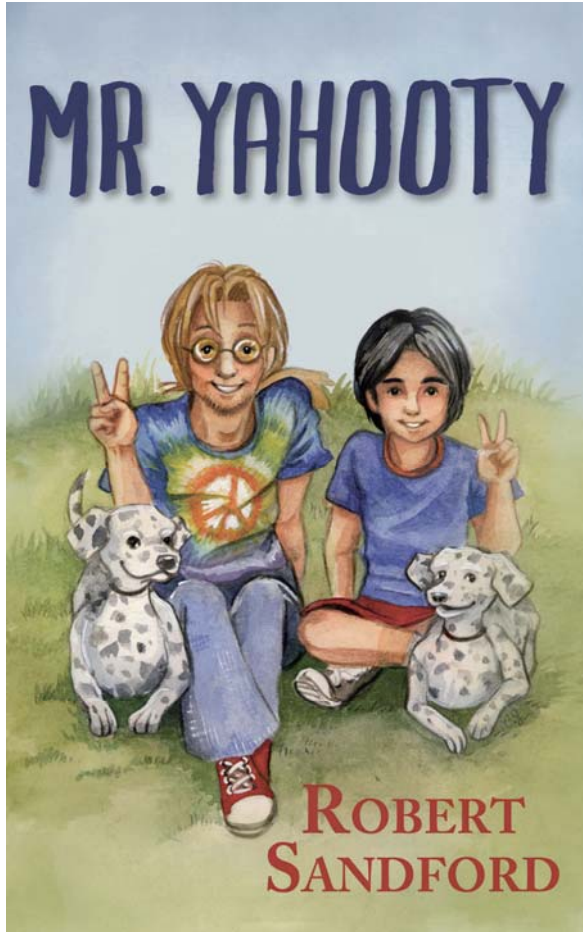


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Mr. Yahoooty
Book 1 in the Jack Trupiano Series**



About the Book

This story takes you on a journey through the eyes of a teenage boy named Jack Trupiano. Like other boys his age, he loves basketball, hates chores and looks forward to spending all of his summer days at the local park. His wild imagination enables him to turn his everyday tasks into a fun, nail-biting competition. Jack's day is jam-packed from the moment he wakes up until the sun goes down. Although he is known for always tackling any challenge he faces, his confidence is tested one summer day. An unexpected surprise at the park provides him with the courage to get back in the game.

About the Author

Robert Sandford was born and raised on Long Island. As a kid, most of his time was spent in parks or some kind of ball field. He is married with one son. He volunteers as a basketball coach and works with other organizations within his community.