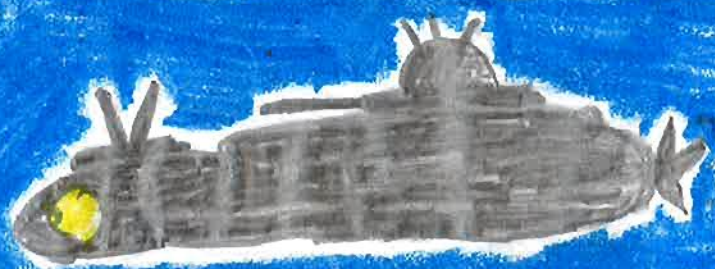


Torpedo Attack!



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My grandad told me a story about a man called Paddy Murphy who was a member of the I.R.A. He was my grandad's neighbour. During World War I in 1916 Paddy Murphy set sail on a massive boat which was travelling to London in England. When they were only a few hours away from shore disaster struck! The boat was torpedoed by a German submarine. Paddy Murphy luckily was found in the water and managed to get home safely without being shot by the Black and Tans. Many years later Paddy Murphy set sail on another boat which was travelling abroad. His boat was torpedoed again. He miraculously survived again! This time it wasn't so easy, all the lifeboats were taken

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and Paddy Murphy was left stranded in the water. A kind man let Paddy Murphy climb into a boat which was already very full. Thankfully he survived again. Paddy Murphy spent the rest of his life in England after the war had finished.



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