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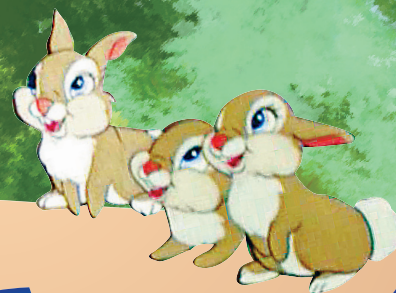
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Goodies



Bambi

and its artist



It's sad that
such a talented
artist has
passed away.



DID you know that Bambi is 75 years old? The Disney film's art director was Tyrus Wong (黃齊耀), a Chinese artist who recently passed away at 106. Bambi, the son of the Prince of the Forest, is curious, brave, and loyal. Turn the page to find out more about Bambi and deers.

But we
will always
remember
Bambi.



Editor's Note

Hi! The latest Disney film *Moana* is a big hit; kids and adults who have watched it think it is great. Disney is making some excellent animations now and I have really enjoyed *Big Hero 6* and *Wreck-it Ralph*. I never watched Disney films when I was young, but now that I have a daughter, I have enjoyed watching the classics, including *Peter Pan*, *The Jungle Book* and *Alice in Wonderland*. *Bambi* is next on my list now that I know a Chinese American created its unique look. Else where in *Goodies*, Stevie has trouble going to toilet! Turn to G10 to read more.



Simon



Walt Disney loved Wong's mysterious forest!

A most-loved deer

Creating a classic

WONG worked **tirelessly** on *Bambi*. Unlike the detailed backgrounds in previous Disney **animated** films, Wong used only a few brushstrokes to create the forest in *Bambi*. He said he was inspired by Song dynasty (宋朝) paintings.



Fun facts

- In the movie, Bambi is a white-tailed deer, but in the original book, he is a doe deer.
- Rudolph, 'the red-nosed reindeer', leads Santa Claus' reindeer team. The reindeer pull Santa's sleigh so that Santa can give children all over the world their gifts.



Names for deer

DIFFERENT types of deer have different names and different features. A baby deer is a fawn. A grown-up female deer is a doe. A grown-up male deer is a buck, and it grows and sheds **antlers** every year. A very large grown-up male deer is a stag.

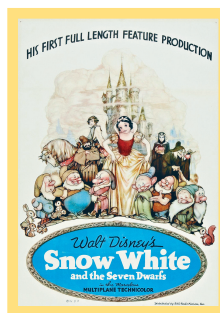


Other Disney animated films

The four Disney feature films before *Bambi* were *Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs*, *Pinocchio*, *Fantasia* and *Dumbo*. The first two were adapted from older stories.

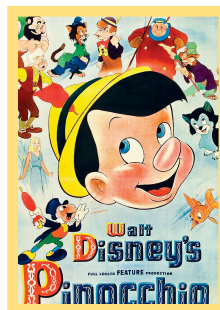
Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs

IN the fairytale, Snow White's stepmother, the queen, tries to kill her because Snow White is more beautiful.



Pinocchio

A WOODEN puppet comes to life by the magic of the blue fairy, who tells him he can become a real boy if he is "brave, truthful, and unselfish".



Wong's life

TYRUS Wong was born in China in 1910, but moved to the US state of California (加利福尼亚州) with his father when he was nine. He later went to an art school. After he graduated, he went to work for Disney. He inspired the art of the movie *Bambi* and was the lead artist. **Eventually** he went to work for Warner Bros and stayed there until he **retired**.



Original trailer

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Which Disney animated film is based on a fairy tale?

- A. Alice in Wonderland
- B. Lady and the Tramp
- C. Cinderella

Answer on G2

