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THE CATS' LAIR





MUMM-RA, S-S-SLITHE, MONKIANS, JACKALMEN, REPTILIANS – LION-O HAS FOUGHT THEM ALL AND WON . . . BUT, THIS ISSUE HE FACES AN EVEN GREATER ENEMY – *HIMSELF!* Though his fellow Thundercats have faith in him as the Hereditary Lord of the Thundercats, Lion-O is beginning to lose the faith he had in himself. But then Lion-O has good reason to doubt his abilities for, although he has the body of a full-grown man, he still has the mind of a ten year-old. At least he did – until he woke from a nightmare last issue and found that things were a little different! In our regular back-up strip, **Power Pack,** the Power children have found that their lives have become *extremely* different. Although they succeeded in their efforts to destroy their father's potentially deadly power converter, their parents are still being held prisoner by the vicious alien Snarks. When last we saw them, they were heading for home and, you can be sure, more trouble!

THUNDER AND ACTION IN BIRMINGHAM!

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On Saturday, May the 23rd, the creative teams on Marvel UK's **THUNDERCATS** and **ACTION FORCE** titles will be coming to Birmingham's NOSTALGIA & COMICS shop. **THUNDERCATS** artists Steve Yeowell, Martin Griffiths, Stephen Baskerville and Dave Hine will be there to sign **THUNDERCATS** comics, chat and maybe even draw a few sketches of your favourite Thundercats characters. Also on hand will be the **ACTION FORCE** team – Kev Hopgood, Geoff Senior, Dave Harwood, Mark Farmer, Simon Furman, Ian Rimmer and Mike Collins – all of whom will be happy to sign copies of **ACTION FORCE.** The signing starts at 1 o'clock and will continue for the rest of the afternoon. So, if you're in the Birmingham area on Saturday the 23rd, why don't you drop into NOSTALGIA & COMICS (14-16 Smallbrook Queensway, Birmingham B5 4EN) and say hello? Whilst you're there you can pick up any of those issues of **THUNDERCATS** and **ACTION FORCE** you may have missed – they always have plenty in stock.

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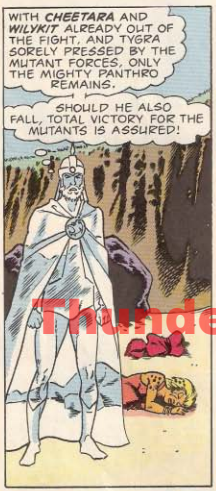


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THUNDER-CHAT

Dear **THUNDERCATS,**
In the **THUNDERCATS** sticker album, the 'DER' in ThunDERa is always written in capital letters. Could you please tell me why and could you also tell Snarf to improve his handwriting because I can hardly read it.
Giles Gordon-Saker
Norwich

Well, Giles, I hope you can read this all right – many reaDERs have written in wonDERing why the 'DER' in ThunDERa is always written in capitals. I could tell you the reason, but I reckon that there are a few reaDERs out there who already know. How about it? If you think you know the reason, write in and tell us – there'll be a Star Prize for the most imaginative explanation and we'll feature the best letters in a future edition of THUNDER-CHAT.

Dear Thunder-Chat,
I am writing to the **THUNDERCATS** comic to say what I think... **THUNDERCATS** is **FANTASTIC!**
Daniel Montlake
Salford

Terrestrial Daniel is a man of few words – but they're words that few people would argue with!

STAR PRIZE WINNER

Dear **THUNDERCATS,**
I am writing to ask you if you would be kind enough to put a Stock Exchange for **THUNDERCATS** toys in your comic. Lots of Luck for your comic.
Carl Vazquez
Chigwell

Brilliant idea, Carl. If any of our readers want to swap THUNDERCATS toys, write to us with the following details: What it is you want; What you have to swap; Your full name and address. Please DO NOT send any toys or money to us here at Marvel and label your envelope: SNARF'S SWAPS.

Dear **THUNDERCATS,**
I thought I would write to you to tell you how surprised my four-and-a-half year-old son was when he opened **THUNDERCATS** issue three and found his name printed on the inside cover. You see, by coincidence he has the same name as your cover artist Lee Sullivan. But the main reason for my writing is to ask you if you could please inform me where or how I could obtain a copy of the HOW TO DRAW COMICS THE MARVEL WAY book which you featured in a competition in an issue of **THE TRANSFORMERS** not so long ago. I haven't been able to find a copy of this book anywhere.
C. Sullivan
Luton

My terrestrial helpers tell me that you will almost certainly be able to obtain a copy of the book in question if you write to: FORBIDDEN PLANET (MAIL ORDER), 23 DENMARK STREET, LONDON WC2H 8NN.



Lion-O by Gerard Dunne, Bristol.

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