

The weasel
puffin, unicorn
baboon, pig
lobster race

began
one pinky morning
as the sun
climbed into space.



With creatures from around the world,
the thinnest to the thickest,
all gathered round the starting line,
to see which one was quickest.



From six to one
they counted down
invited by
the queen,
to bang their rowdy
pots and pans
and set the racers
fleeing.

