

A full-page illustration of a family of five and two dogs. A mother with blonde hair and glasses, a father with a beard, and a baby are posed on a wooden bridge. Two fluffy, light-brown dogs are sitting with them. The scene is set in a lush, green forest with sunlight filtering through the trees. The title 'Alex and the Bridge of Brave Paws' is written in large, white, sans-serif font across the upper middle of the image.

Alex and the Bridge of Brave Paws

A personalized storybook proof

Featuring Alex, Mom, Dad, Duncan, and Donuts

INTERNAL AI APPLICATION CASE STUDY

This proof demonstrates the parent-to-production workflow: character intake, likeness notes, AI art proofing, staff story approval, and print-ready layout export.

Trim	8.5 x 8.5 inches
Bleed	0.125 inches included on all sides
Interior proof	24 pages
Art status	Alex, Mom, Duncan, and Donuts are based on supplied references. Dad remains approximate until a centered Dad photo is provided.
Production gate	Parent art approval and staff writing approval required before paid final delivery.

CHARACTER SHEET LOCK

The family cast

Alex - blue eyes, light hair, round cheeks, sage green outfit.

Mom - blonde hair, gold glasses, warm smile, natural posture.

Dad - beard, warm expression, broad seated posture. Needs better source photo.

Duncan - larger tan curly doodle, blue bandana, happy stance.

Donuts - smaller tan curly doodle, red collar, patient posture.





**For Alex,
who can share the lead
and still stand proud.**



**Morning poured its golden glow
where bridge boards crossed the creek below.**

**Alex smiled in soft sage green,
the brightest little face the woods had seen.**





**Mom leaned close with glasses bright,
turning every worry into light.**

**Dad bent low with a gentle grin:
"Lead with care, then let us in."**





**Duncan danced with bandana blue,
sure each breeze held something new.**

**Donuts sat with patient paws,
watching closely, just because.**





**"I lead first!" Alex laughed with pride,
pointing down the sunny side.**

**But little leaders, brave and true,
learn the trail is shared by two.**





**A ribbon fluttered near a rail,
a blue-bright clue along the trail.**

**Duncan tugged, and Donuts stayed,
each one helped in their own good way.**





**Alex paused and looked around,
listening hard to every sound.**

**Mom said, "Questions help us see
what one small clue is meant to be."**





**Dad said, "Strong hearts do not rush;
they breathe, they look, they ask, they trust."**

**Alex held the ribbon tight,
sharing the lead with calm delight.**





**Together they found beyond the bend
the little lost path from start to end.**

**The bridge felt wider, warm, and new,
with room for every paw and shoe.**





**When courage speaks, it is not loud;
it asks for help and still stands proud.**

**So home they went through golden air,
with brave hearts lighter because they shared.**



PARENT RECAP

What Alex learned

Sharing

A leader can invite others in and still feel proud.

Bravery

Asking a clear question is a brave action, not a failure.

Listening

Duncan moved fast, Donuts waited, and both helped in different ways.

Family lesson

A safe adventure becomes stronger when every voice has a place.

PRODUCTION READINESS

Before final delivery

- [] Parent approves cartoon likeness for each character.
- [] Staff approves rhyme, story arc, lesson, and sensitive content.
- [] Better Dad photo replaces approximate Dad reference.
- [] Final scene art is regenerated at production quality.
- [] Stripe Checkout Session is connected before paid fulfillment.
- [] Final PDF, video, and art pack are delivered only after approvals.

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