PRESS RELEASE

**JOIN SARAH & DUCK IN A BIG SLEEPOVER THIS CHRISTMAS**

*The CBeebies favourite sees its second app launch for mobile and tablet devices*

**LONDON, 10th December 2015** – BBC Worldwide and Scary Beasties are excited to launch the second in the official series of Sarah & Duck Apps. Sarah & Duck have invited all their friends for a big sleepover party, and guess what… you’re invited! ***Sarah & Duck - The Big Sleepover*** allows children to immerse themselves in the amazing animated world of Sarah & Duck, so pull on your PJs and join in an evening of imaginative games and engaging activities before creating your very own Sarah & Duck dream.

Available to download from the App Store, Google Play and Amazon, this safe, ad-free app is ideal for pre-schoolers and fans of the TV series. Children can interact with their favourite characters across 6 fun animated games: Play a game of Same Bread – 5 correct matches beats Flamingo; teach Sarah some groovy dance moves on John and Flamingo’s dance mat; get on board the Tidy Up Train to clear away all those toys; brush Sarah and Duck’s teeth and beak till they sparkle; then make some music with Moon, Venus and Mars and watch the Dozing Donkey light up as he hears your lovely tune.

At the end of every game, players are rewarded with animated objects and characters that can be collected and used to create totally unique dreamy worlds – watch closely as the quirky and flappy scene comes to life.

Peter Hickman, BBC Worldwide Digital Entertainment Children’s Producer said “Bigger, better, with more characters and even more fun, The Big Sleepover is the second in a continuing series of Sarah and Duck digital games. The collaboration between BBC Worldwide, Karrot and Scary Beasties is the next milestone in BBC Worldwide’s commitment to producing trusted, best-in-class, children’s games that can also be enjoyed by parents.”

For fans of ***A Day At The Park With Sarah & Duck***, you’ll be excited to hear that there are some fantastic new Christmas features for your child to enjoy and help them get into the festive spirit.

***Sarah & Duck - The Big Sleepover*** costs £2.99/€4.49/$4.99 and is available today on:

The App Store

<https://itunes.apple.com/app/sarah-and-duck-the-big-sleepover/id1061553214?ls=1%26mt=8>

Google Play

<https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=com.bbc.sarahandduckthebigsleepover>

and Amazon <http://www.amazon.com/gp/mas/dl/android?p=com.bbc.sarahandduckthebigsleepover>

**Website:** [**www.sarahandduckapp.com**](http://www.sarahandduckapp.com)

**Twitter:** [**www.twitter.com/Sarah\_and\_Duck**](http://www.twitter.com/Sarah_and_Duck)

**Facebook:** [**www.facebook.com/sarahandduck**](http://www.facebook.com/sarahandduck)

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**About Scary Beasties.**

Scary Beasties is a mobile and online games designer and developer specialising in kids’ content, from pre-school through to the teen market. Be the first to hear about our other apps: on twitter @scarybeasties or [www.facebook.com/scarybeasties](http://www.facebook.com/scarybeasties)

**About Karrot Entertainment**

Karrot Entertainment creates, develops and produces children’s and family entertainment properties. Sarah & Duck is Karrot’s first in-house developed series and launched on CBeebies in 2013. Follow us on Twitter @KarrotAnimation or the series at [www.facebook.com/sarahandduck](http://www.facebook.com/sarahandduck)