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'Superhero' face mask covers

Marvel comics artist, Will Sliney, has created a collection of 'superhero' face mask covers for children who will fly with EasyJet. The illustrator, who has worked on Spider-Man and Star Wars comics, said "Flying with face masks is going to be a new experience for everyone, especially young children, so I hope these fun designs, inspired by comic book characters, help to encourage kids to wear their masks onboard. I have used a combination of a lion animal character and a futuristic pilot to create a set of mask covers to bring out the inner superhero in all young flyers." Everyone flying with EasyJet will need to wear a face mask when they restart flights, so EasyJet is making thousands of the items, worn over the top of the passengers' own face masks available.



Pictured: The face masks created by Irish illustrator, Will Sliney, taken from his Twitter page.

Spiny seahorse returns



Pictured: A Spiny Seahorse. Source: jidanchaomian.

The Seahorse Trust, a marine conservation charity, has discovered, during a survey dive, that the endangered spiny seahorse has recolonised its former stronghold of Studland Bay in Dorset. The Trust found the largest number of spiny seahorses that it has seen on a dive since they began to do them in 2008. The monitoring dive recorded 16 seahorses including pregnant males and a juvenile that had been born this year. No seahorses have been seen at the site for the last two years. Neil Garrick-Maidment, founder of the Seahorse Trust, believes this is due to lockdown measures reducing the amount of people, boat traffic, noise and anchors. He said, "We have seen so many seahorses because the food chain has recovered, giving seahorses plenty of food to eat and, crucially, somewhere to hide."

Incredible pool discovered

Explorers have discovered a mysterious underground pool, over 200 metres below the ground. The wondrous cave pool was found in the unexplored Lechuguilla Cave in Carlsbad Caverns National Park. The National Park in New Mexico has more than 119 known caves, all formed when sulfuric acid dissolved limestone. The geoscientists on the expedition found an isolated pool made of white frosted rock filled with a strange glowing milky-blue substance. The pool appears to be completely pristine and to have been untouched by humans for thousands of years. Max Wisshak, who led the expedition wrote: "The edges beneath this pool appear to be 'pool fingers', which could be bacterial colonies that have evolved entirely without human presence."



Pictured: The untouched pool photograph from the Carlsbad Caverns National Park

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Not all the time because some people want fame and make up interesting articles that aren't always true but is very catchy.

Autumn - Age 10

Sometimes we should because it is always true unless it is fake news.

Alex - Age 7



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Mohammad Anjam - Age 12

Not always, as some is fake and there are ways to check if it isn't or is.

James Ashworth - Age 8



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