

Fun Page

How much did you learn?

The answers to all these questions can be found in the newsletter...see if you can remember!

1. How long has Paul Kay been taking underwater photographs?
2. Where did John Black, the young signwriter, live?
3. Name the NASA spacecraft that sent back images of Pluto.
4. What animal features in the "Paper Pumpkin" activity?
5. What two organisations are asking for help in naming storms?
6. Into which sea does the River Danube flow?
7. What did they nickname the Yellow-billed Kite that had surgery on its beak?
8. What vegetables were originally used instead of pumpkins to make Jack-o-lanterns?
9. Does a Kingfisher eat fish head first or tail first?
10. Who is "Black John - the Bogus Pirate" hoping to find as he sails the waters of the Caribbean?
11. What does Paul Kay use to protect his camera underwater?
12. Name the extremely large mushroom photographed on Sherkin this summer.
13. Pumpkins are native to North America. True or false?
14. Who needs someone to draw her pictures before she can cast a proper spell?
15. Where did "Solar Impulse 2" begin its attempt at making the first round-the-world solar-powered flight?
16. Which large river flows through Hungary?

Answers: (1) 30 years; (2) Baltimore, Co. Cork; (3) New Horizons; (4) A spider; (5) Met Eireann & The Met Office, UK; (6) Black Sea; (7) Beaky; (8) Turnips, potatoes & beet; (9) Head first; (10) His long lost family; (11) A strong & waterproof aluminium case; (12) Dryad's Saddle; (13) True; (14) Zeldia; (15) Abu Dhabi, the capital of the United Arab Emirates; (16) River Danube.

What a Picture!

Have fun with your friends making up a caption for this picture of a Belted Kingfisher. Belted Kingfishers are found in northern United States and Canada.



Courtesy of Alan D. Wilson www.naturespicsonline.com

Nature Jokes



What is a pumpkin's favourite sport?
Squash.

If you cross an Electric Eel with a Sponge what do you get?
A shock absorber.



Where do little fish go every morning?
Plaice school!

What animal always goes to bed with its shoes on?
A horse.

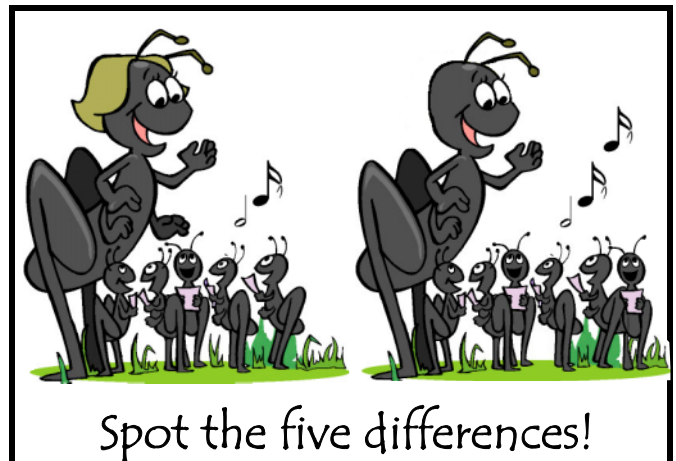


What animals are on legal documents?
Seals.

How did the chewing gum cross the road?
On the bottom of the chicken's foot!



What do you get when you cross a fish with an elephant?
Swimming trunks.



Spot the five differences!

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