UNDER THE SEA

"Under the Sea lay many secrets that are unknown"

LARGEST SEA CREATURE

The largest sea creature is a blue whale. A blue whale can weigh up to 3 tonnes and it averages around 25 feet in length.

Sadly, these harmless creatures are an endangered species. It is estimated that only around ten to twenty-five thousand whales remain in the seas. More than a thousand whales are killed every year for their meat and body parts which are sold for commercial gain. The death rate of whales can be decreased, only if people are willing to stop killing them for money and meat.

The blue whale only eats Krill, as they are not able to eat any other marine creatures due to their small throats.

MOST DANGEROUS SEA CREATURE

The most dangerous sea creature is a Box Jellyfish.

It gets its name from its box shaped body. Each of the four bottoms corners of the body has a bunch of 15 long tentacles hanging from it. Each of tentacles can inject deadly venom.

One large box jellyfish has enough venom to kill 60 people! There has only been one person that has survived after being stung by a Box jellyfish. It is a 10-year-old girl named Rachel Shardlow. She was stung by the Box Jellyfish while swimming in the Calliope river and miraculously survived.

SMALLEST SEA CREATURE

The smallest sea creature that we know about is called Zooplankton.

They are a type of Heterotrophic plankton whose size ranges from microscopic organisms to large species, such as jellyfish.

Zooplankton are found within large bodies of water, including oceans and fresh water systems.

BREAKING NEWS

SHIP WRECK

At 6:30am yesterday, a ship wreckage was found in the bottom of the Indian ocean. It was found by an expedition lead by Mr John Doe, a Marine biologist. They were looking for a rare species of fish when they made the discovery. Speaking to the BBC today, Mr John said "I was awe struck when I saw this beautiful ship."

(Few days.)

"Experts from around the world are waiting to board the submarine so that they could study the ship from a closer view. (A few hours later) The experts have come back from the expedition and have took many pictures of the ship. It is believed to be called The Unicorn. We will keep you updated on this. Thank you and this is BBC news.

WHO WAS ANNE BONNEY?

Anne Bonney is an Irish pirate, who is arguably the most famous female pirate to sail the Seven Seas. She found fame when she served as a crew mate on-board Calico Jack Rackham's ship. Sadly, Anne Bonney's team surrendered and they were all taken as hostages. Luckily Anne's father was able to pay the ransom for her and bring her back to Charles Town. She was born in Ireland around March 8th 1700 and died on April 25th, 1782 in Charleston, South Carolina, United states due to a fever. She will always be remembered.