

# 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. When it's Spring in Ireland, what season is it in Australia?
2. Name the disc that some sea snails have to seal their shell and help prevent them drying out.
3. Daniel Kish uses echolocation to get around. When did he lose his sight?
4. What type of fish is used in the BIM seafood recipe?
5. What mammal does Daniel Buckley study?
6. What precious liquid do fog catchers catch in the hills of Lima, Peru?
7. Which continent are ostriches native to?
8. Some mushrooms are deadly poisonous. True or false?
9. What type of whale was rescued by the lifeboat in Co. Wexford earlier this summer?
10. Which animals are good at finding truffles?
11. Vampire bats come from Transylvania. True or false?
12. How big is Ireland's underwater territory?
13. Where do salamanders lay their eggs?
14. Name the infamous Captain of the ship the *HMS Bounty*.
15. Which type of bat once flew into Daniel Buckley's room?
16. Swallows that have spent the summer in Ireland. Where do they go for the winter?
17. What is the name of the monkey that herds goats in India?

Answers: (1) Autumn (2) Operculum (3) When he was a young boy (4) Smoked Mackerel (5) Bats (6) Water (7) Africa (8) True (9) Humpback Whale (10) Pigs (11) False (12) 220 million acres (13) Seasonal pools (14) Captain Bligh (15) Leister's Bat (16) South Africa (17) Mani.

## What am I saying....?

Have fun with your friends making up a title for this picture of a mallard duck.



Courtesy of Alan D. Wilson www.naturesweb.ie

## Nature Jokes

What do you get if you cross a road with a safari park?  
Double yellow lions.



How do you milk a mouse?  
You can't, the bucket won't fit underneath.

What did the bat say to the witch's hat?  
You go on ahead. I'll hang around for a while!!



What reads and lives in an apple?  
A bookworm.

What do you get if you cross a dog and a vampire?  
A were-woof!



How do hens dance?  
Chick to chick.

What has six legs and can fly long distances?  
Three swallows.



Why is the snail the strongest animal?  
Because it carries a house on his back.



Spot the five differences!

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