

Welcome to the May, 2021



OUR FROSTBIT FINS MONTHLY NEWSLETTER

the Otter Edition!



Advice from an otter:
Take time to play
Keep your whiskers clean
Cherish clean water
Be spontaneous

HELLO FEATHERFINS!



Welcome to Merry May!

And what a month of May it will be! Not only do we have Mother's Day this month - with rumors of a giveaway - but it's also the Seward Mermaid Festival, and Frostbit Fins will be there!

Be sure to look for our booth, and say hello to your Miss Mermaid Alaska, USA 2021, AnneMeridia! We will be there all day Saturday the 15th, and possibly set up the night before as well. We'll have all our merch available there too, including our soaps, bathbombs, and of course, Munchies - as well as some new items. So if you haven't tried our stuff yet - come on down to the Frostbit Fins Grotto at the Festival, and check it out!

There's another special day in May, on the 18th, as that is the day that this pod was gifted with AnneMeridia herself - her birthday! Please join the whole Frostbit Fins pod in wishing her the happiest of birthdays, and a very special year to come!

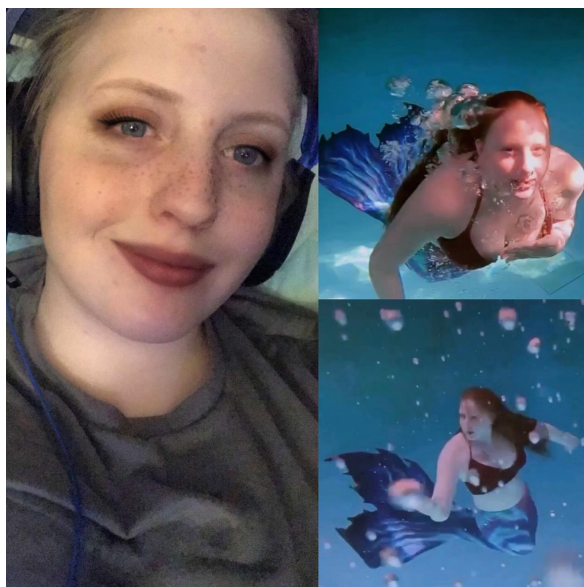
There are a lot of exciting National dates in May - but most importantly our Miss Mermaid Alaska is that May is National Water Safety Month! Our mermaid, both in and out of her Mersona, has made it her mission to help keep Alaska kids safe in our beautiful, yet sometimes dangerous, waters. Be sure to follow us on Instagram and Facebook, and stay tuned for some really exciting things we have in the works to help in her mission!

Want a sneak peek? Of course you do! Here you go!

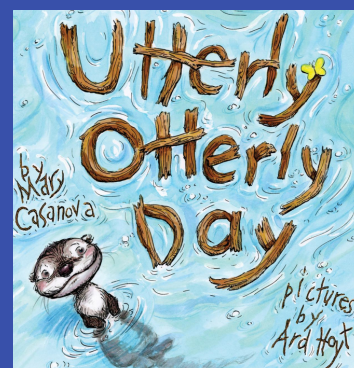


We will be making official announcements... All the details for both programs so stay tuned, and make sure you're following us on Instagram and Facebook - @FrostbitFins - so that you are in the know. See you in Seward!

With Mermaid wishes and Starfish kisses,
The Frostbit Fins Pod



LET'S READ!



Utterly Otterly Day by Mary Casanova

Little Otter likes to play in a carefree, unabashed, utterly otterly way. Mom warns Little Otter, "Be careful!" Dad says, "Stay close!" But does Little Otter listen? Oh, no! No. No. Little Otter thinks he's a big otter now, big enough to take care of himself.

National Dates

- 05/02 World Tuna Day
- 05/04 National Teacher's Day
- 05/09 Mother's Day
- 05/12 National Limerick Day
- 05/16 Sea Monkey Day
- 05/26 World Otter Day
- 05/26 National Paper Airplane Day
- 05/28 National Sunscreen Day
- 05/30 International Hug Your Cat Day
- 05/31 Memorial Day

Month Of May:
Water Safety Month!

MAY FIN FACTS WITH

OTTERS



- There are 13 species of otters found worldwide.
- Newborn otter pups cannot sink or swim.
- Otters are very playful and take part in activities just for fun.
- Just like penguins, group of otters in the water is called a raft.
- Some otter species spend all their time in the water while others split their time between land and water.
- Otters do not have a layer of blubber like other marine mammals. Instead, air gets trapped in their fur and keeps them warm.
- Sea otters, especially mothers and pups, hold hands to keep from drifting away from each other while they sleep.
- Otters dance and stomp when they poop, and their poop is said to smell like violets.
- Sea otters use rocks to crack open shellfish on their tummies. They will keep their favorite rock and carry it in a pouch under their left arm.



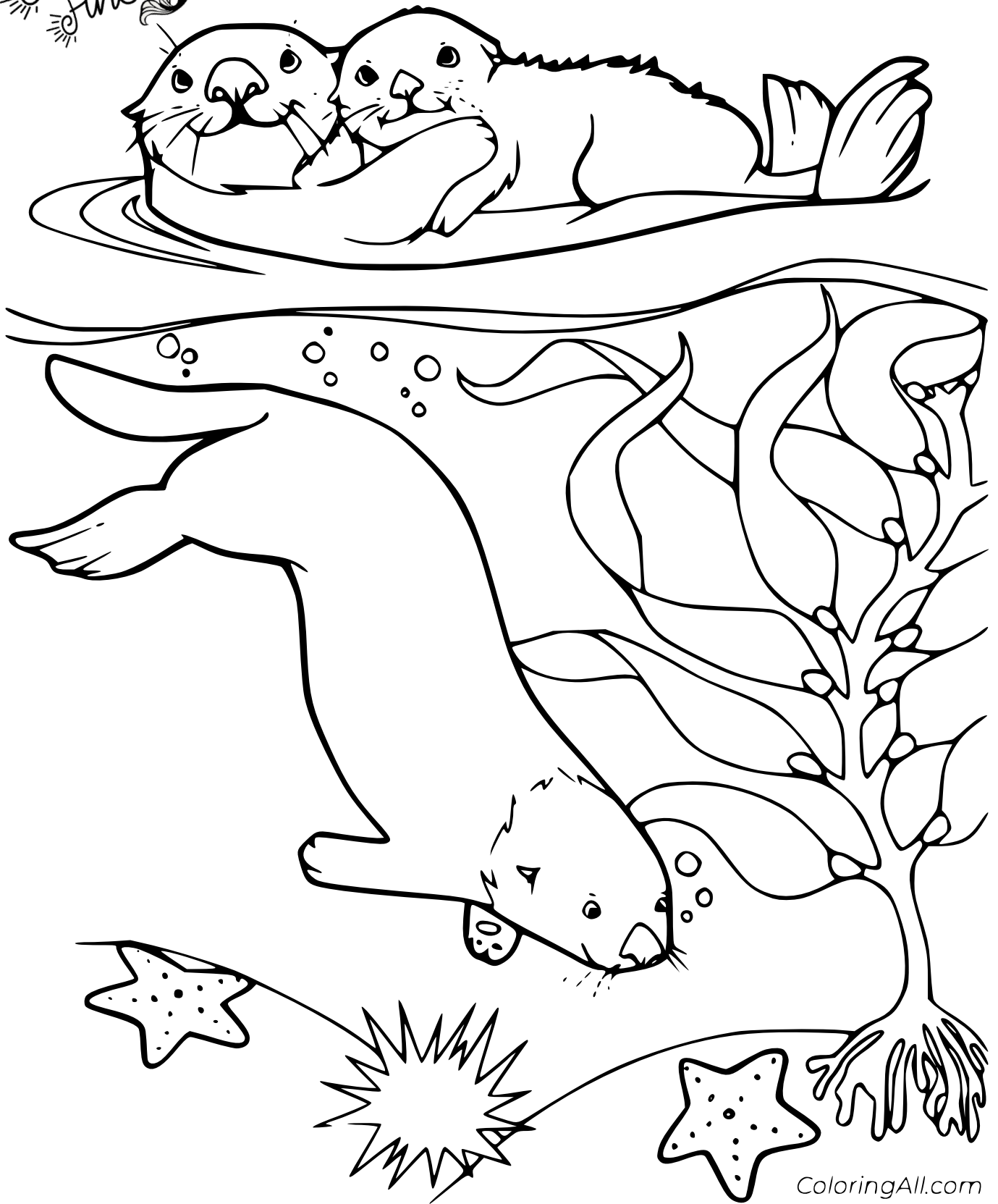
Our friend Kiri made this special Mother's Day coloring page for us this month!
To see more of Kiri's work, check out her etsy page at <https://www.etsy.com/shop/ColorwithKiri>

If you color these pages, be SURE to show it to us on Facebook, Instagram, Email so we can show off your beautiful work!
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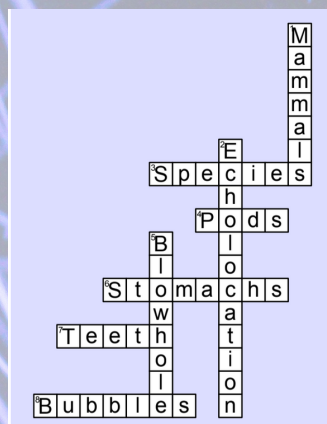
OTTER SPECIES

FIND THESE WORDS:

1. Asian Small Clawed
2. Cape Clawless
3. Congo Clawless
4. Eurasian
5. Giant
6. Hairy Nosed
7. Marine
8. Neotropical
9. North American River
10. Sea
11. Smooth Coated
12. Southern River
13. Spot Necked
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**LAST
 MONTH'S
 ANSWERS!**



Did you make the Guppy Goodies? Are you all finished with the coloring page? Have mom and dad put them on Social Media and tag us @frostbitfins on Facebook and Instagram for a chance to be featured in next months FeatherFinFlyer!



Fin Funnies!

Why did the otter join NASA?
She wanted to go to otter space!

What do you say when you see a famous otter?
Can I have your otter-graph?!

What do you drive in a river?
An otter-mobile!

Fintastic Deals!

Frostbit Fins Merch

You'll find our hand made soaps and bath bombs locally at Cad-re Feeds and online at FrostbitFins.com, along with our Munchies!

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Help rid the oceans of plastic, one sip at a time!

Guppy Goodies

Otter-Melon Ice Pops

Ingredients:

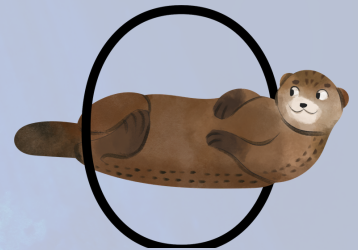
- 1 ½ cups watermelon, seeded and diced
- ½ cup water
- 1 tablespoon honey
- 1 tablespoon lemon juice
- 1 tablespoon white sugar

Directions:

Blend watermelon, water, honey, lemon juice, and sugar together in a blender until smooth.

Pour mixture into ice pop mold and freeze until solid, about 2 hours. If you do not have ice pop molds you can use paper cups and popsicle sticks.

Serve.



HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

- 05/10 Quinn Z
- 05/13 Maeley L
- 05/15 Ahna Pyatt
- 05/23 Max H
- 05/23 Amara I
- 05/31 Alyeska A
- 05/31 Cat B

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Birthday Club!



And a Very Special Birthday Wish to our own Mermaid, AnneMeridia on May 18th!