

## **SAVE "HEARTSEA"**

This is a story of a Ray fish whose name is "HeartSea". According to website wild for life species "Manta Rays" has the largest brain of the entire world's fish but they filter feed on some of smallest organisms in the oceans.

## WHERE ARE THEY FOUND?

They are mostly found in the coastal water of the tropics and sub-tropics and the largest ray in the world. "Manta Ray" migrates in the worlds open waters.

## WHY ARE THEY IMPORTANT?

They control plankton abundance and diversity and regulate nutrient cycling. "Reef Manta Ray" dives between the surface of the ocean and the deep sea creating a valuable ecological connection between two.

## **HOW ARE THEY THREATENED?**

As for most marine life, plastic pollution poses another major threat to "Manta Rays" pieces of plastic less than 5mm called microplastic, poses the serious threat. This affects dangerously on their digestive tracts, reduce growth and reproductive output.

So, as to know the seriousness about marine preservation, a Ray Fish "HeartSea" and her friends here have taken an oath of requesting the human beings to stop marine pollution. Lets save "HeartSea"

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It was a fine blue morning. The Sun was shining through Heart Sea's blue home. It was an amazing day again as she was excited that she will be going to coastal reef side of "Arabian Sea"

"Yummy planktons for my lunch today" said Heartsea.



"Mummy-mummy", I am ready to go. Mummy seems to be cooking. Daddy said, "oh my sweet girl what's the plan for today. Nowadays you are becoming very adventurous. But be careful of the plastics my dear"

"Bye Dad", smilingly & tangling "Heartsea" began to swim towards Reefs.



As she reached there she saw reefs, shrubs all over, she started to eat all the shinning wrappers of plastics, she was always attracted towards those little flying things in Reefs.

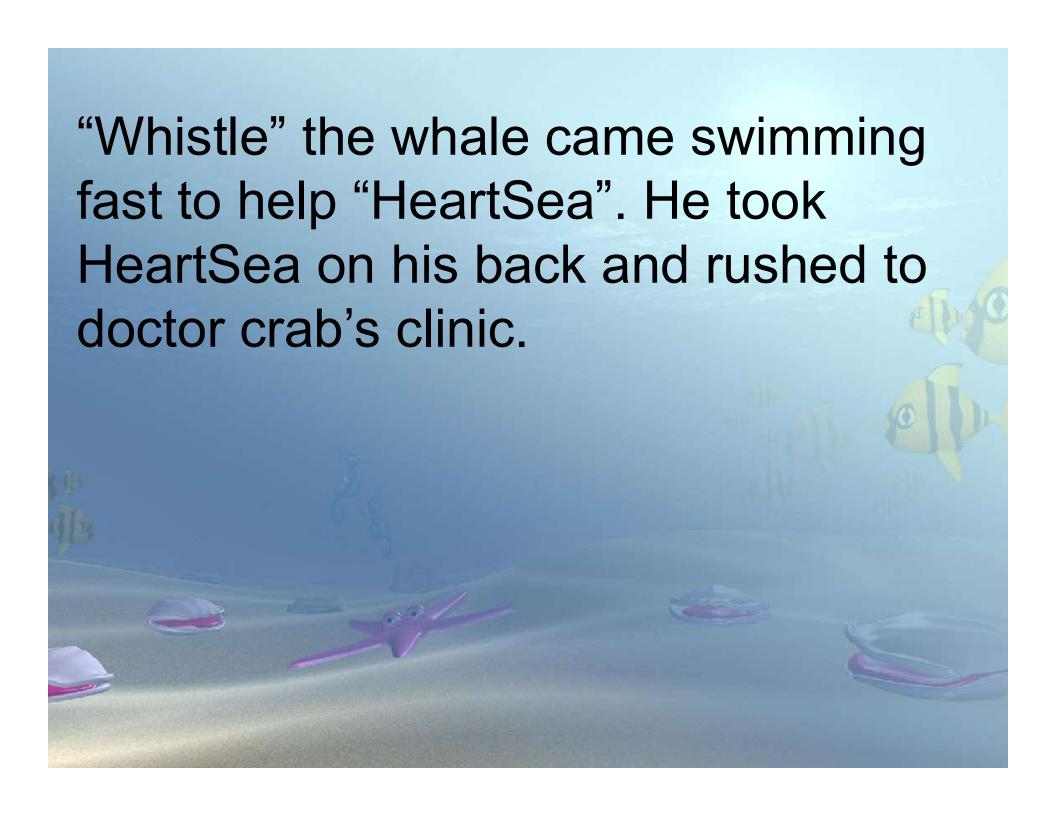
But this time, it was more tempting as it was chocolate wrapper, it smelled delicious for her. She swallowed it, but alas as soon as she started eating it chocked her throat.

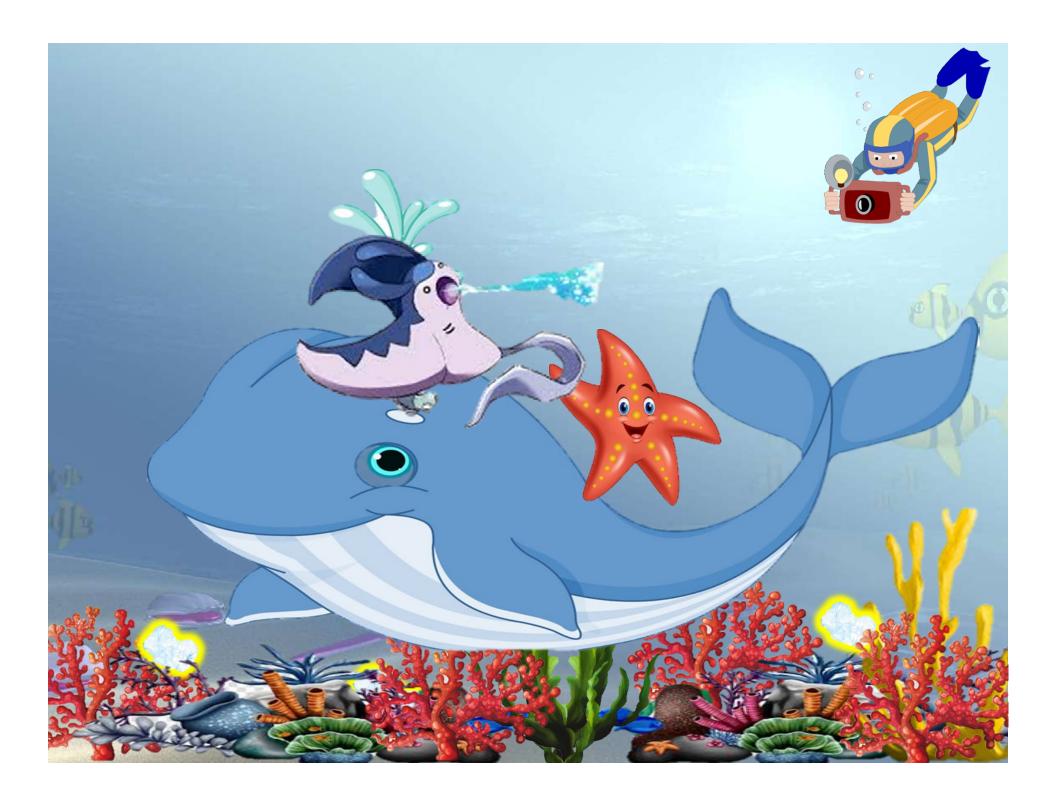


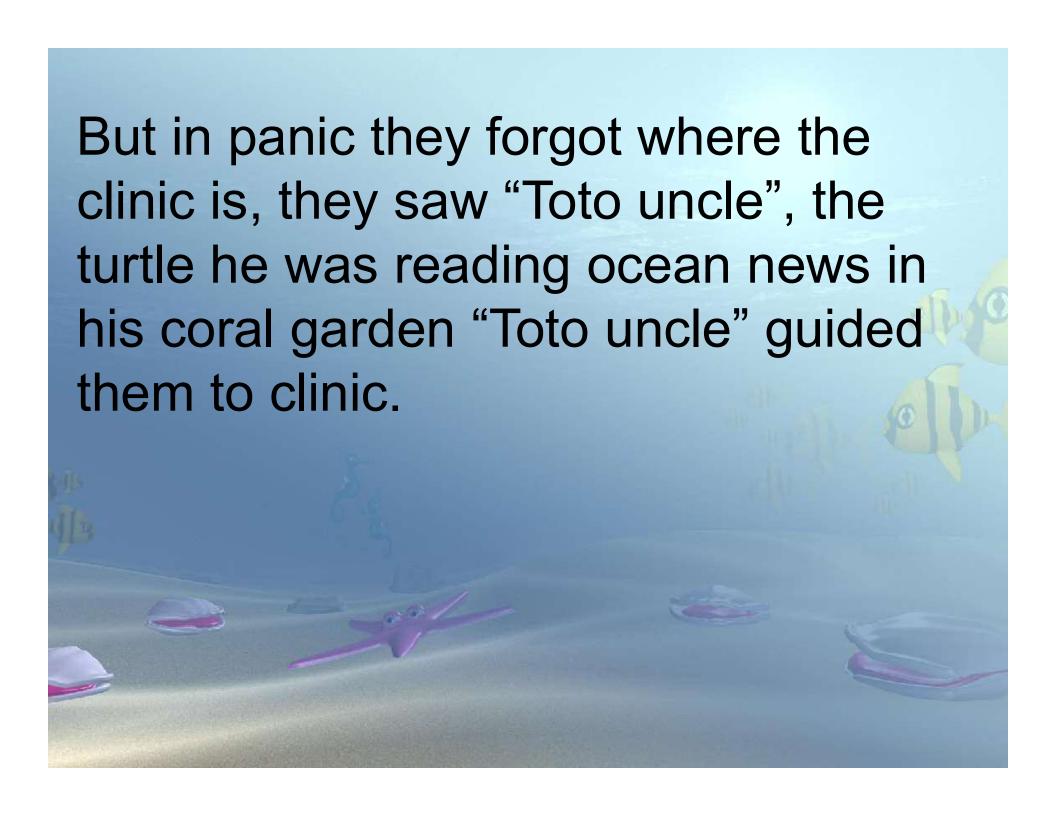
But luckily her friend "twinkle" the star fish came there for help. She asked "What happened my dear". But "Heartsea" could not say anything.

Twinkle took out her shell phone and called another friend "whistle".

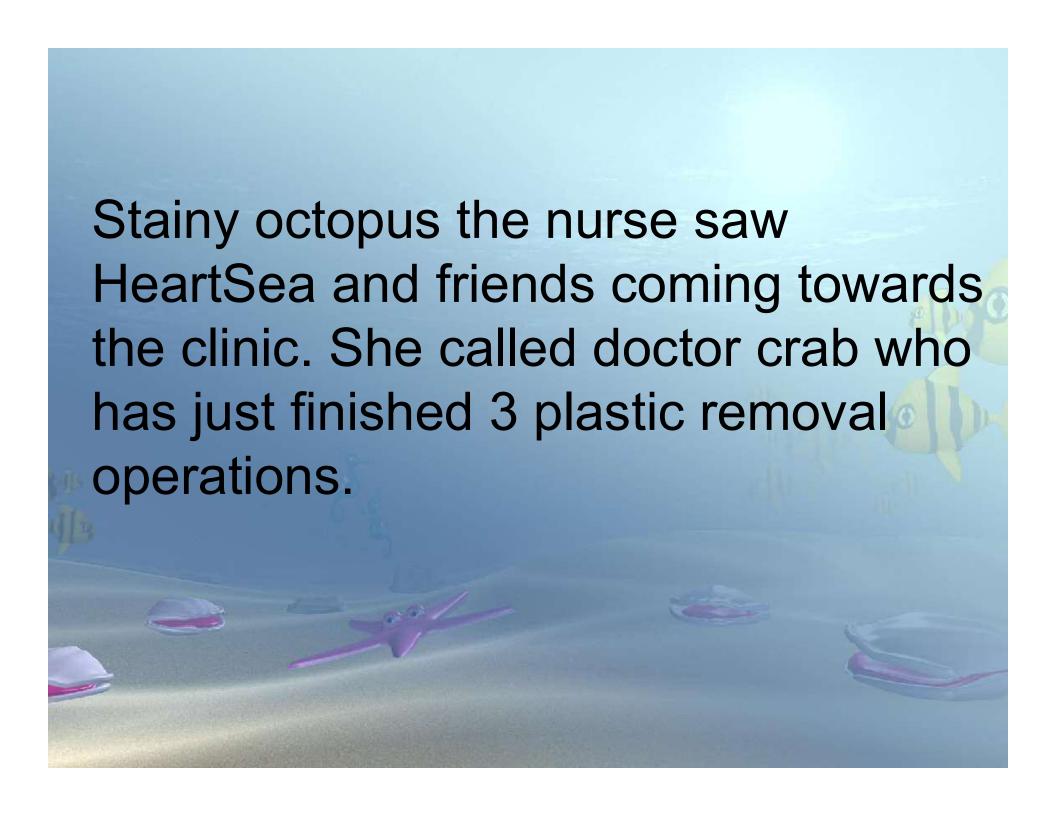


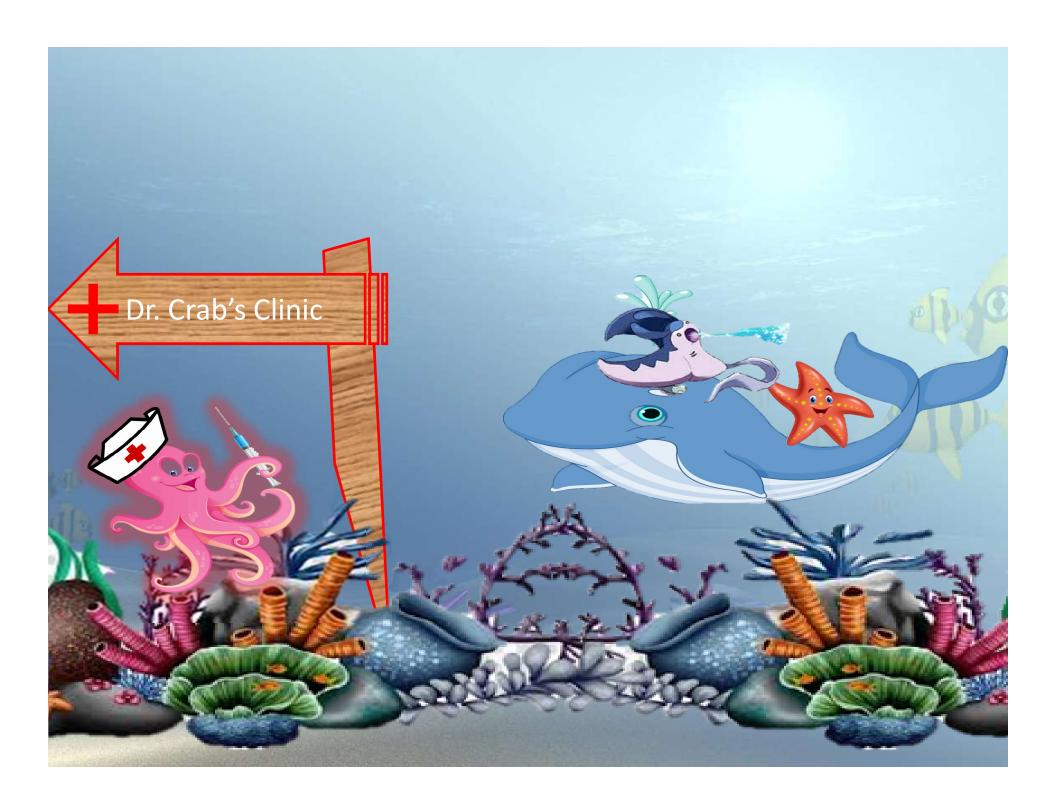




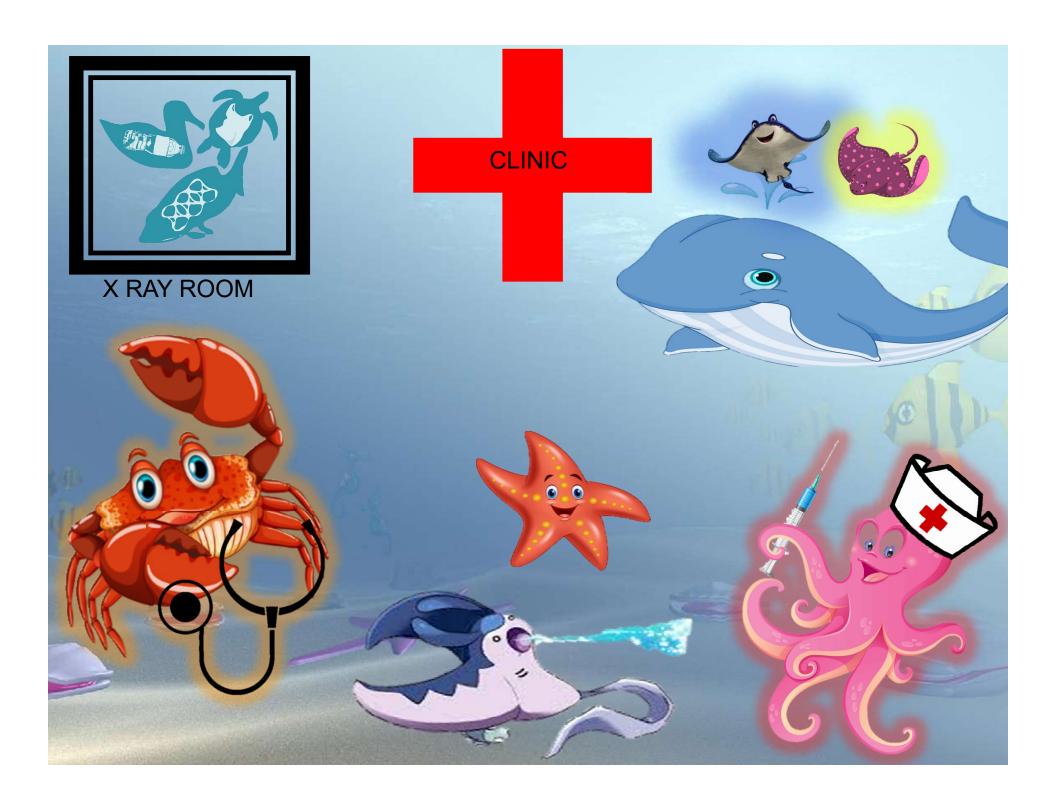








In meanwhile HeartSea's parents reached clinic. HeartSea was operated and not only one but many plastic things were removed from her stomach. Dr.Crab gave some Reefs & Shrubs as medicines to "HeartSea". Mummy & Daddy hugged HeartSea & took her home.



Next day twinkle, whistle & HeartSea together took an oath to request human beings to stop dumping waste in their homes, because many "HeartSea" like her & other ocean creatures are suffering.



They have started their campaign and going everywhere "Have you seen them". Please lets help them & stop polluting oceans.

Thanks
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