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FIVE THINGS YOU NEED TO KNOW

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FOR THE WEEK
FOR KIDS AROUND
THE WORLD

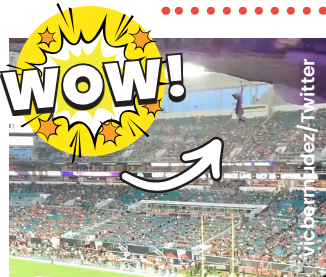
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WINDFARM BOOM



THE number of windfarms installed per year is rising fast, largely thanks to investment from China.

For the third year in a row, China installed more offshore turbines than any other country. China is expected to pass the UK as the world's biggest offshore wind market by the end of the decade.



A CAT who fell from a balcony at an American football match got a lucky landing. Fans at the game in Miami, Florida, spotted the dangling cat and used a US flag like a blanket to break the cat's fall.

The new dinosaur compared with the smaller tyrannosaurid, *Timurlengia*



GIGANTIC DINO DISCOVERY

SCIENTISTS have discovered a new gigantic dinosaur with shark-like teeth.

The beast was unearthed in Uzbekistan and is thought to have lived 90 million years ago. Now, it is known as *Ulughbegasaurus uzbekistanensis*.

By studying a fossilised jawbone of the dinosaur, scientists believe it was eight metres long and weighed more than a tonne. That means it may have been twice the length and over five times heavier than the tyrannosaurs around at that time (although not as big as a *T-rex*, which came along later).

A MAMMOTH COMEBACK!

SCIENTISTS have raised the money they need to bring back the woolly mammoth.

The genetic science company Colossal says it has \$15 million of funding required to try to create an elephant-mammoth hybrid (mixture or cross).

Colossal plans to produce lab-based embryos that carry mammoth DNA from frozen specimens of the ancient animals, which died out around 4,000 years ago. These embryos would then be carried by a surrogate (substitute) elephant mum, or possibly in an artificial womb, until birth.



A mammoth skeleton

ROOFTOP RUNNERS



Don't try this at home, folks!

TWO freerunners have recreated an iconic chase scene from James Bond film *Skyfall*.

Dominic Di Tommaso and Hazal Nehir scaled the rooftops of the Grand Bazaar in Istanbul, Turkey, for their own daredevil action sequence. The duo, who have 19 years' experience between them, ran, jumped and flipped across the skyline.

Freerunning is a bit like acrobatics, but where people use their environment and bits of buildings to perform impressive movements as they speed from one place to another.



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