

Covid-19 Mask and Notice from Starfleet Command

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Like many others in the midst of this Covid 19 crisis, my sister Juanita has been busy lately making masks for friends and family to wear.

When another sister sent along this image of a Trek-themed mask that she saw on line, Juanita decided to make her own versions as a surprise for a couple of her Trekkie friends.



She wasn't intending to take photos for the web page – she took these snaps quickly with her tablet, just enough to show us what she'd made. But she gave me permission to use them in this post.



She says she didn't want to perforate the mask by appliqueing the symbols, so she attached them with fusible bonding material and outlined them with fabric paint.



Once the masks were finished, she packaged them up to mail out to her friends.

The masks themselves are cool, of course, but the best thing about this project might just be the "official" notification from Star Fleet Command, authored by her husband.

She tucked this notice into the package along with the masks, which she sent anonymously to everyone on her gift list. Word is that they all got a huge kick out of the masks and message, and for some reason they immediately guessed who was behind the whole thing.

Their masks have been a hit wherever they've been worn.

Star Fleet Command Memo 20200505

To Executive Officers USS Enterprise

Star Fleet Command has recently become aware of an interplanetary virus in your sector of the Corona System.

Due to the presence of this virus, additional protective equipment is required. It is being transported to you at this time. Because of the possibility of contamination by the virus during transport, decontamination is required before use. (Wash them)

We leave it to the officers to ensure that the masks are received by the crew members of the correct rank.

Thank you for your cooperation.