



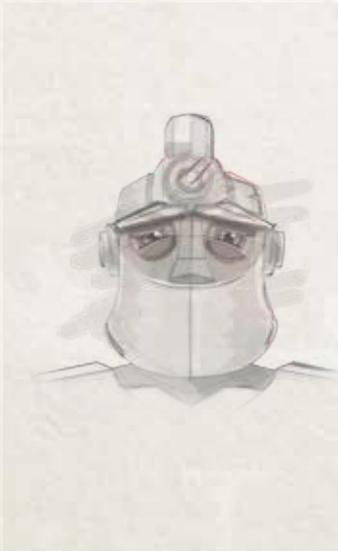
was hidden behind. After what seemed like a very long time, the light beam moved away from the boulders and swept around the area of the fallen craft before coming to a stop on a large **prickly cactus plant**. The cactus was very tall and green, and it had thick arms for branches that were lined with long spiky thorns.

The alien seemed interested in the prickly cactus and slowly began to move towards it. **The robot then slowly raised one of its robotic hands towards the cactus.**

It was then that Hackshaw heard **the voice of the alien** - a voice that could come from no human, a voice that sounded like it **came from a computer** (although Hackshaw very much admits that he has had very little experience with computers - cowboys don't have much use for them, neither do cows for that matter).



The alien's voice was rather loud as Hackshaw remembers jumping with astonishment when the **machine began to speak with human words!** To the best of his memory, and he does confess to being full of fear and wonder at this point, the creature appeared to be **speaking directly to the cactus**, the words it spoke went something along the lines of this...



“I am Klang.

I do not mean to you harm for I simply am passing your planet which Klang believes to be called ‘Earth’ - it is very pretty but you humans appear very different to how Klang imagine. I believe it is custom for human to shake hands when meeting for the first time. And so, allow Klang of the planet Fendaar to shake the hand of you, friend

The machine then reached out to grasp one of the arms of the cactus for it seemed to have **mistaken the large prickly plant as a person!** It was then that the confused alien let out an **almighty yelp** and shot back from the cactus squawking loudly...



“Waazho!” it cried

“Earthling hand gives Klang much ouch! Earthling hand very sharp! Klang sensors confused!”

Very quickly, it made for the entrance of its ship, still yelling loudly with its tank-like wheels spinning and throwing dry dirt high into the air.

“Klang will leave now, Klang shall go to planet Saturn. Klang will visit 2nd cousin Smah-shh who has holiday capsule there.”



Within moments, the trembling robot was inside his ship with the entrance sliding shut behind it. **Lights began to flash as a rumble of engines began to thunder and shake the ground.**



Hackshaw, ran for cover as fast as he could but turned to see the **ship whoosh into the air at great speed** leaving a trail of smoke across the moon.

The following day - with the help of a local sheriff, agents of T.W.I.T.S went to the area Hackshaw had pointed out as the spot where he had seen the weird encounter between alien and cactus.

Sadly, much of the tracks made by the machine had been blown away by the blast of the spacecraft’s jets. The grass and cactus were scorched and blown over by a blast that must have been made by a **very powerful engine.**

Hackshaw, although shaken and jittery, was a very good witness and was able to give a very good account of what he had seen and even help T.W.I.T.S **create a drawing of what he recalled the being to look like.**

We tried to interview the cows and Dixie the horse to get more details from them but they proved useless. Why the cows appeared to tap dance remains a mystery.



T.W.I.T.S. HQ
EYEWITNESS ACCOUNT #1, Chuck Hackshaw continued.

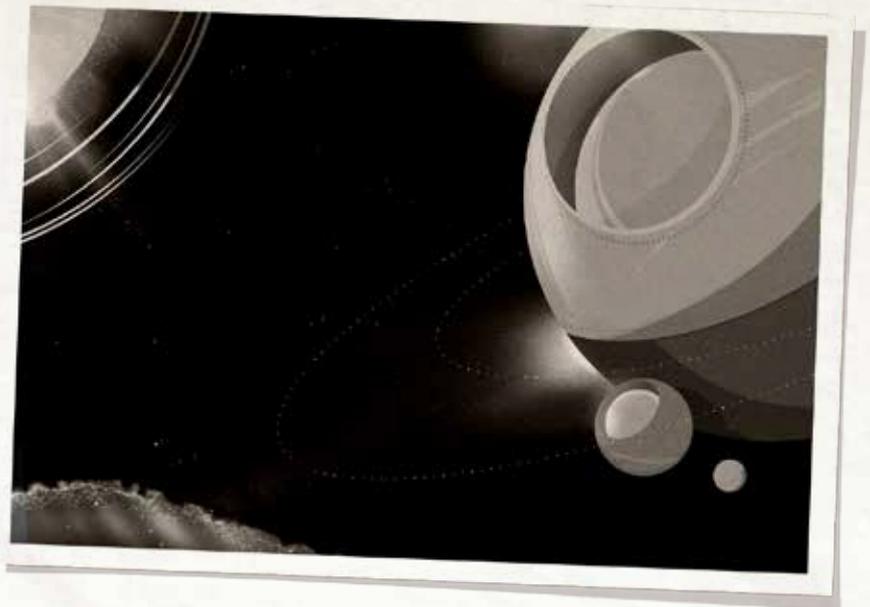


■ **Artistic reconstruction**

Agency artists have been able to create this image of the mysterious being from the accounts of Mr Hackshaw and other known sightings. Extreme caution should be used approaching such beings.



CONFIDENTIAL
INFORMATION



WHAT IS KNOWN ABOUT THE PLANET FENDAAR?



Professor Boffinsmart

Lots of research was carried out by **Professor Boffinsmart** of the **Nowittol University Observatory**. These were his findings...

The planet Fendaar can only be seen with the **most powerful telescope in the known universe** - and even then it appears as a **faint pink dot** in the darkest of skies somewhere between the **North star** and the **belly-button of the Great Bear**, a well-known collection of stars within the sector that scientists call **Kepler 438X**.

We believe that Fendaar has **8 known moons** orbiting the planet. It is currently impossible for humans to travel to Fendaar as the planet is **475 million light years away** and that's very, very far indeed.

F E N D A A R F A C T S

A year lasts 898 days

There are only two seasons. Winter is very cold and summer is very mild, a little like Scotland.

The oceans are very small.

There are eight known moons.

Fendaar circles around a star much like our own Sun which is what scientists call a 'red dwarf', which is cooler than our Sun and would make the sky pink. Can you imagine that?



TOP SECRET PROTOCOL



**OFFICIAL T.W.I.T.S. GUIDANCE FOR APPROACHING AND CAPTURING
ALIEN BEINGS...**

■ **ONE**

Approach all extra-terrestrial beings **with caution.**

■ **TWO**

Do not reveal any weapons as this may create panic and alarm and cause the target to flee.

■ **THREE**

Avoid direct eye contact by wearing approved anti-light beam, standard issue eye shields – also known as **sunglasses.**

■ **FOUR**

Scan being for harmful cosmic energy using field regulation scanning device. **Chewing rhubarb** will defend the body from these harmful energies.

■ **FIVE**

Attempt to gain trust of alien by speaking in its language. **Use the provided phrase books** to communicate, this will make the alien think you mean it no harm.

■ **SIX**

Report any information or confirmed sightings with the code phrase **“The banana is now ready to be peeled”** to your official T.W.I.T.S. supervisor who will dispatch a capture team for immediate back up.

■ **SEVEN**

Should you be in a position to capture the alien yourself, **alert T.W.I.T.S HQ immediately** with the code phrase **“the hippo is in the basket.”**

■ **EIGHT**

DO NOT make friends with such beings! Any sympathy or help given to any invaders is a serious breach of rules and guidelines and should be avoided at all costs – **we have eyes everywhere!**



W A N T E D

If you should come face to face with the alien invader remember your Agency training! Approach with caution, avoid eye contact and report any confirmed sightings with the code phrase: **“The banana is now ready to be peeled”**.

