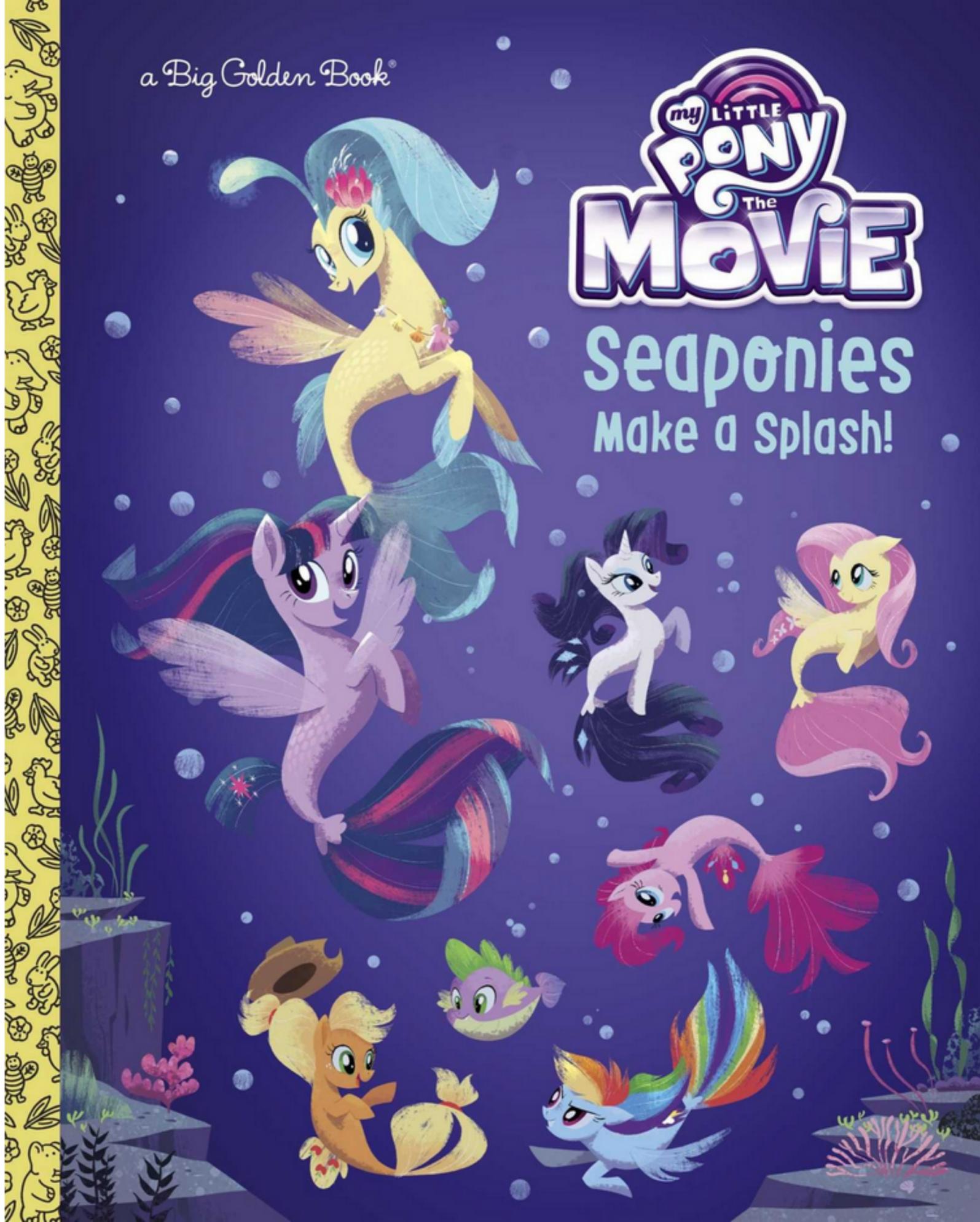


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A group of My Little Pony characters are swimming in a dark, purple underwater kingdom. A large, bright light beam from above illuminates the scene. The characters are swimming towards the right. The background is filled with dark purple rock formations and various sea anemones and coral. The overall atmosphere is mysterious and adventurous.

Princess Twilight Sparkle, Pinkie Pie, Rainbow Dash, Applejack, Fluttershy, Rarity, and Spike are on an adventure. They're exploring a strange underwater kingdom far from their home. After spying a friendly Seapony, they follow her into the mysterious deep.

The Seapony's name is Skystar. The friends soon discover that she is not just *any* Seapony. **She's a princess!**



Princess Skystar is so excited to have guests! She takes her new friends to meet her mother. The group swims through a village full of Seaponies before they arrive at a magnificent underwater castle.



Queen Novo doesn't know if she should trust the surface dwellers. Just as she is about to signal for her guards, Princess Skystar tells her mother the ponies are her friends.



Princess Twilight Sparkle has so many questions for her hosts. Princess Skystar decides to answer them by telling a story.

“Once upon a time, Hippogriffs—part ponies, part eagles—lived on a big mountain,” Skystar explains.



“One day, the Storm King came to steal their magic, so their brave and majestic leader, Queen Novo, led her subjects deep underwater where the beast could never go,” she continues.



“We are the Hippogriffs!
Ta-da!” Skystar cheers.

"Hold on. Let me get this straight," Applejack says.
"When the Storm King came, you ran?"



"We didn't run, we swam!" Skystar answers.
"But how?" Twilight Sparkle asks.



Queen Novo swims above her throne. She taps a jellyfish, which opens to reveal the most beautiful pearl anypony has ever seen, and places her hooves on it. A bright white light fills the throne room. Suddenly, a magical force swirls around the guests . . .



... and turns them all into Seaponies!
"These fins are divine!" Rarity exclaims.
"Hey, Applejack! I'll race you to that coral!"
Rainbow Dash shouts.
"You're on!" Applejack hollers.

Pinkie Pie uses her new fins to spin around in the water. "Woo-hoo! Try it, Fluttershy!" she encourages her friend.

Fluttershy does a small spin. "Yay!" she giggles.

“Guys! What’s happening?” Spike squeals.
He floats off and balloons into a puffer fish!
“Aw,” Fluttershy coos.
“This is amazing!” Twilight exclaims.



Everyfish is having so much fun!
Princess Skystar has an idea. “You can stay with us
FOREVER!” she says.
The ponies stop what they’re doing. “That sounds lovely,
darling, but you must realize we can’t stay,” Rarity says.
“We have to get back to our families,” Applejack explains.





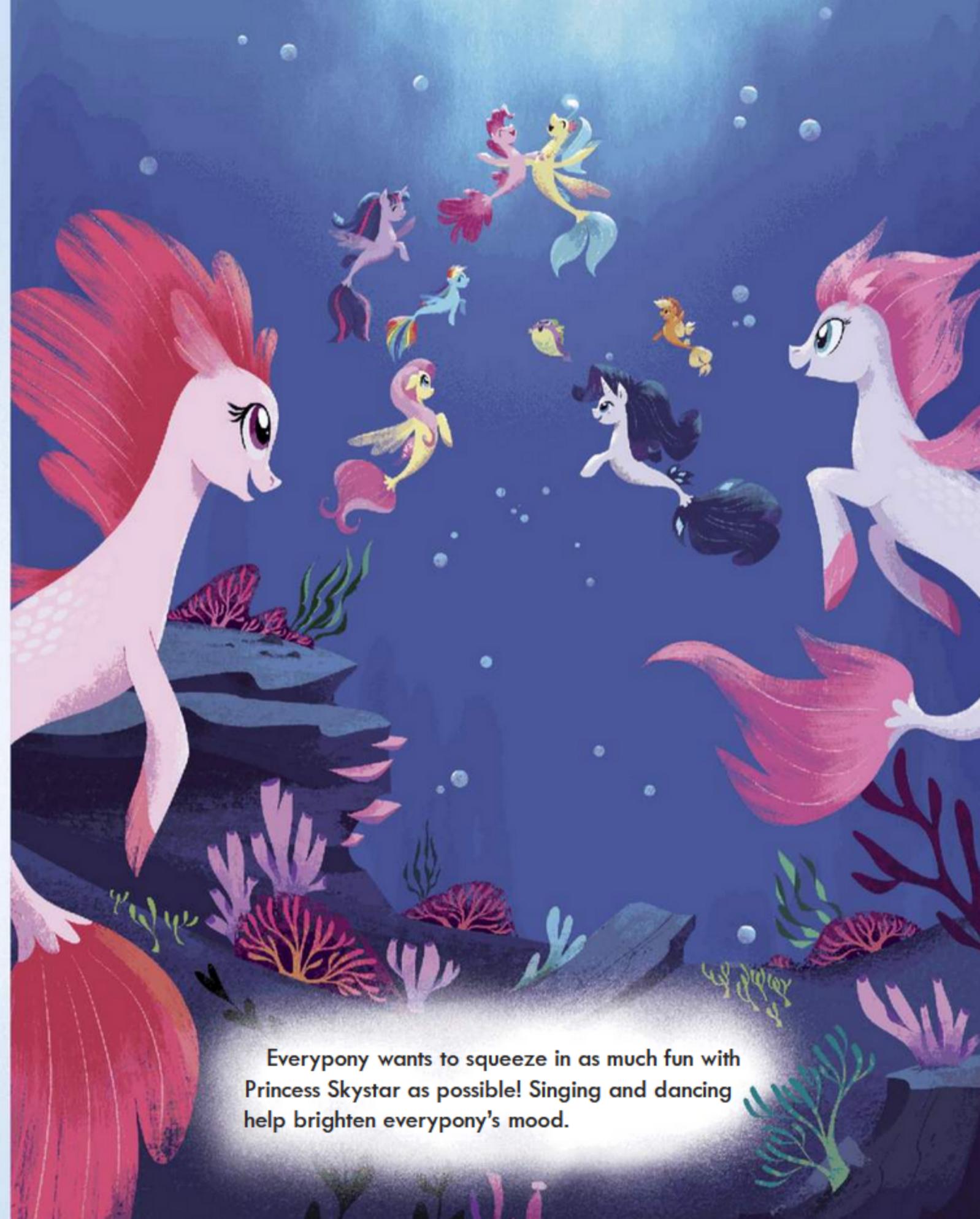
Princess Skystar is sad. She doesn't want her new friends to leave, but she knows they have to. "Of course. It's probably for the best. I'll just get Mom to turn you back so you can go home." She swims away.

The Seaponies float in silence. "I know we have to go, but couldn't we stay for just a little longer?" Pinkie Pie asks her friends.

"Yeah! Let's show Skystar the best time ever!" Twilight Sparkle agrees.

The group finds Princess Skystar sitting with her friends Shelly and Sheldon. "Don't be sad!" Pinkie Pie shouts. "We've got a little time to play. Let's pick one small thing to do."

"All right!" Skystar says.



Everypony wants to squeeze in as much fun with Princess Skystar as possible! Singing and dancing help brighten everypony's mood.



The Seaponies decide to make some jewelry. They make shell necklaces for everyfish they can. Rarity is impressed with all the unique designs!



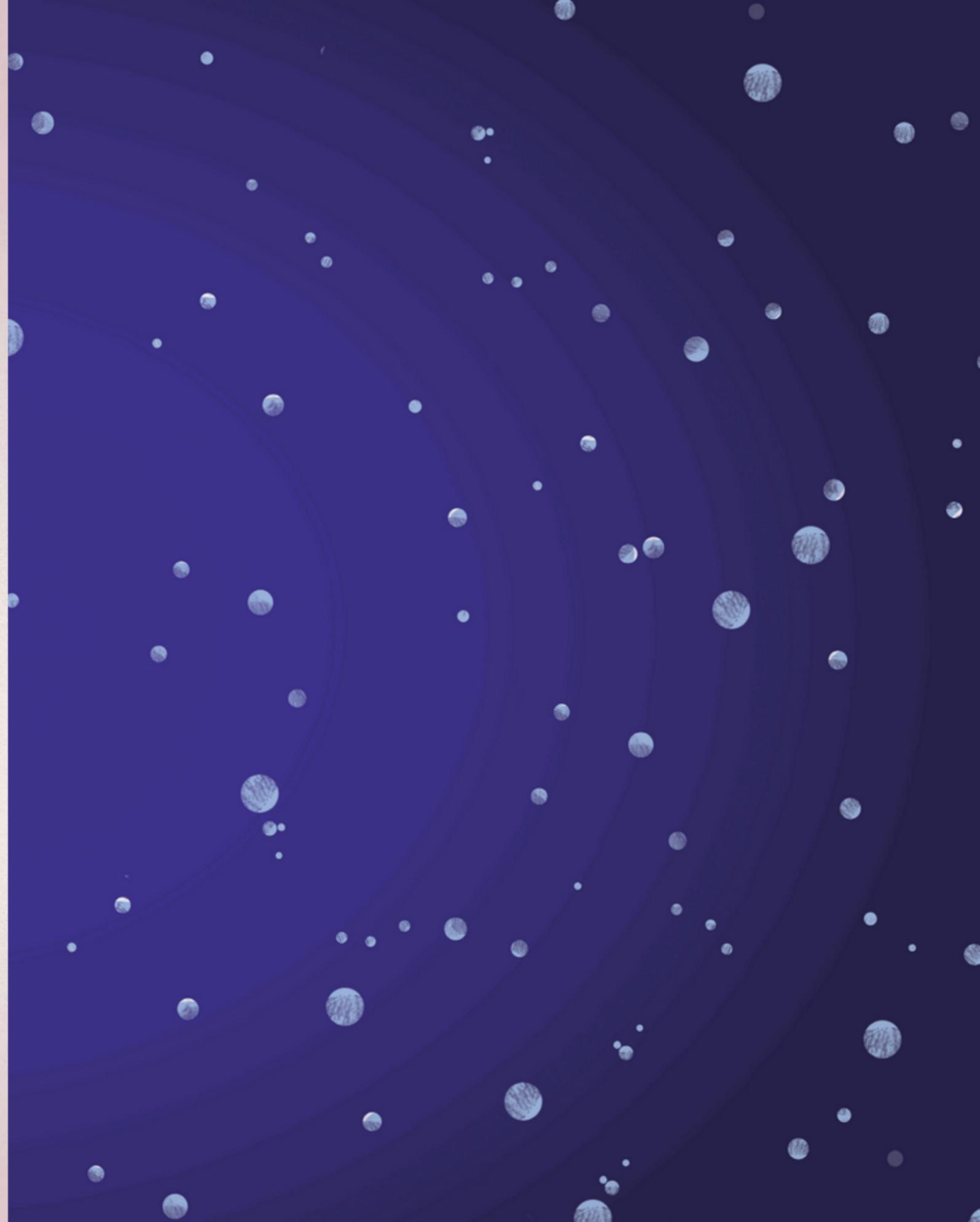
After they finish crafting, they play a quick game of hide-and-seek. Skystar has never played before, but she's a natural.





The new friends are having so much fun. But Pinkie Pie knows there's one thing that can make a good day even better—a **party!** Everyfish is invited to join in the celebration!

Princess Skystar is enjoying the **best day ever!** Even though Twilight Sparkle, Pinkie Pie, Rainbow Dash, Applejack, Fluttershy, Rarity, and Spike can't stay Seaponies forever, Skystar knows they will always be friends.





The logo for 'my little pony The MOVIE' is centered in a glowing white oval. 'my little' is in a small, rounded font above 'pony', which is in a large, stylized font with a rainbow arching over it. 'The' is in a smaller font between 'pony' and 'MOVIE', which is in a large, bold, outlined font.

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The Mane 6—Twilight Sparkle, Applejack, Rainbow Dash, Pinkie Pie, Fluttershy, and Rarity—dive into an unforgettable underwater adventure, discovering stories from the past and making new *fin*-tastic friends!



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