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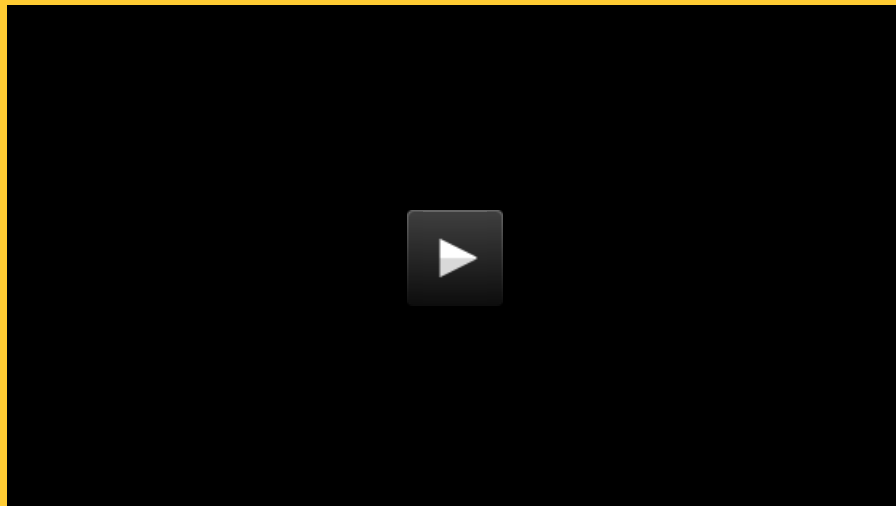
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Pantyhose the ANSWER

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[FINIS](#), worldwide leader in swim technology, has designed the body suit I will wear during the nights of the Cuba Swim.

But Bonnie and I have been stymied as to what to wear to protect the face. We're tried dozens of hoods, masks. All heavy, making hard work to plow through. All hard to breathe in, even in very flat water. But yesterday we FINALLY came upon the answer.



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Pantyhose!!

We had actually read about the Australians using pantyhose for both hoods and for entire cages to protect from the highly venomous Box Jellies. But now that we've tried a hand-fashioned hood of the stuff, we are believers. It still needs a larger hood over the head to protect the rest of the skin.

This one will work....no neoprene whatsoever so legal.

Funny to think that in this era of high-tech fabrics, we have reverted to simple, cheap pantyhose!



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[plus, you will look like a badass thug bankrobber, so the box jellies will be terrified of you. 😊](#)

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