

No. 29

SEMINAR

On Tuesday, July 30 at 12 noon in the Ancon Conference Room, MARTA LUCIA MARTINEZ, a former Exxon Fellow from the Universidad del Valle, Colombia, will speak on:

Parental Care and Reproductive Failure in Brown Pelicans on Taboga Island

This seminar will not last the whole hour and will be followed by an informal get-together.

ARRIVALS & DEPARTURES

STEVE HUBBELL returned to STRI this week, and will be here for a few weeks.

July 29 - Arriving, VICTOR MANUEL PATINO, Scientific Advisor and former Director of the Instituto Vallecaucano de Investigaciones Científicas, to meet with our staff on STRI-INCIVA collaboration. He will be here until July 31.

August 1 - Arriving, HENRY HOWE, University of Iowa, to continue studies on the ecology of a Neotropical seed-dispersal system. He will be on BCI until August 15.

LIBRARY NEWS

A new National Panasonic PANAFAX faximile transceiver machine was recently installed at the STRI Library. This machine can transmit documents to and from Washington.

FOR SALE

1981 Daihatsu Cuore, 4-door 90 kilometers/gal. Good condition. Call Jeff Burgett: 45-4789 (home).

SHOPETTE IN OLD DIABLO CLUB HOUSE

A mini-market, operated by the El Rey Supermarket chain, recently opened in Diablo, for the convenience of residents in the Canal area.

UPCOMING MONTH

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August 3 - STAN RAND will be leaving to spend a sabbatical year at the National Museum of Natural History in Washington, D.C. Dr. Rand will be writing a book on frog communication for the Indiana University Press series on animal communication.

August 4 - 10: SEMINAR ON ECOLOGY AND CONSERVATION for secondary school students, coordinated by Argelis Roman, STRI, and Nilka Schouwe de Ng, Colegio La Salle, to be held at Summit Gardens and Isla Margarita.

Aug. 11 - 17: Visit from RITA JORDAN, SI Office of the Asst. Secretary for Science; JOHN CLARK, Accounting and JIM HOLOHAN, SI Audits.

August 13 - 19: I. RUBINOFF and J. KARR are scheduled to be in Brazil on official business.

On leave:

Aug. 5 - 16 - ANGEL AGUIRRE.

Aug. 5 - 14 - GEORGINA DE ALBA.

Aug. 5 - 9 - JORGE VENTOCILLA.

Aug. 5 - 9 - ELENA LOMBARDO.

Aug. 5 - 9 - LORENA GATES.

Aug. 5 - end of the month - DON WINDSOR.

IMPORTANT NOTICE: TO HERBARIUM USERS

Anyone expecting to use the Missouri Botanical Garden herbarium at the Tivoli during the month of August should call or leave a note for Greg de Nevers before Tuesday, July 30. He can also be reached at home: 85-5281.

IN THE NEWS

The Southern Command NEWS, of July 26 features the article: "Bat Project Brings New Knowledge," describing CHARLES HANDLEY's 10-year project on fruit-eating bats on Barro Colorado Island.

NAMES & FACES

EDGARDO MUÑOZ has replaced JULIO TEJADA as course assistant for the Ecology and Conservation Seminar for secondary school students. Tejada was hired by the Ministry of Education.

NEW STRI ID'S:



ALISON ARCHAMBAULT Iguana Management Project



BRIAN BOCK Postdoc. Fellow BCI



AXEL CALDERON Exxon Assistant Naos



BARRY TEBS Visitor - BCI



ROBERTA OLENECK Visitor - GALETA



JOSHUA SCHWARTZ Visitor - Gamboa



KERYEA SOONG Short term Fellow Naos & Galeta