

SEMINAR

The luncheon seminar on Tuesday, December 3 at 12 noon in the Ancon Conference Room will be given by LESLIE JOHNSON, University of Iowa. Dr. Johnson will speak on:

Foraging and Worker Allocation  
To Scouts, Recruits and Reserves  
by Eusocial Insect Colonies

ARRIVALS & DEPARTURES

November 30 - Arriving, BARRY CAMPBELL, Tulane Univ., to work with B. Bock on Anolis limifrons for 2 weeks.

Dec. 2 - Arriving SEAN MORRIS, Oxford Films, for preliminary visit to prepare for a film on tropical ecology based on STRI research. He will stay until Dec. 10th.

Dec. 2 - Arriving, ROBIN ANDREWS, Virginia Polytechnic Institute, and assistant, MARK ZIMMERMAN to study population synchrony and dynamics of the lizard, Anolis limifrons. They will be on BCI until Dec. 21.

Dec. 3rd - Leaving, IRA RUBINOFF, for Washington, D.C. on official business. He will participate in the Tropical Forest Conservation Conference at the National Zoological Park, and will return Dec. 7.

Dec. 2nd - Leaving, RICHARD COOKE, to attend meetings in Mexico City.

Dec. 3rd - Leaving, GILBERTO OCAÑA, for Washington, D.C. to attend the Tropical Forest Conservation Conference. He will return Dec. 7th.

Dec. 3rd - Arriving, PAUL RICH, Harvard University, to begin study on: "Hemispherical photographic techniques for assessing forest understory light environment." He will be on BCI.

Dec. 4th - Leaving, JIM KARR, for Washington, D.C. on official business. He will return Dec. 7th.

Dec. 4th - Leaving, LEONOR MOTTA, on official business to Washington, D.C. until December 10th.

SUGURO MEDICO/HEALTH INSURANCE

Hasta el 6 de diciembre los empleados federales que fueron empleados antes del Tratado pueden inscribirse o cambiar de plan de seguro médico.

Until December 6 pre-Treaty employees can join or change health benefit plans.

WINNERS/GANADORES

Los ganadores en el reciente concurso para escoger dibujos para las camisetas de STRI son:

Primer premio: CARMEN SUCRE  
Segundo premio: MARIO BERNAL

A todos los participantes en el concurso se les agradecen sus esfuerzos.

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The winners for the recent contest to select art work for STRI t-shirts were:

First prize: CARMEN SUCRE  
Second prize: MARIO BERNAL

Thanks to all contestants for their efforts.

UPCOMING EVENTS

-The Tropical Forest Conservation Conference will be held from December 4-6 at the Smithsonian's National Zoological Park. This conference will go beyond discussing the nature of the problem of tropical deforestation and explore a variety of possible solutions. Case studies of projects that have conserved lowland tropical forest will be considered and discussion will also cover what the US public can do to help save tropical forests. Participants will come from various professional backgrounds and include biologists, economists, lawyers, foresters, agriculturists and anthropologists. IRA RUBINOFF will present a talk on: "Subsidies for reserves from developed countries."

-The University of Panama will hold its II National Scientific Congress from December 2 - 4. Researchers from the various institutions in Panama will present the results of their studies. DONALD WINDSOR, GISELLE MORA, LINDEN HIGGINS and ANIBAL VELARDE will participate.

A TIME OF GIVING

The STRI gamewardens would appreciate donations of toys (new or used), clothing (any size) for the Xmas Party they are organizing for the community of Las Pavas. Please send your donations, to the Tivoli now so those who are planning the party know what they have.

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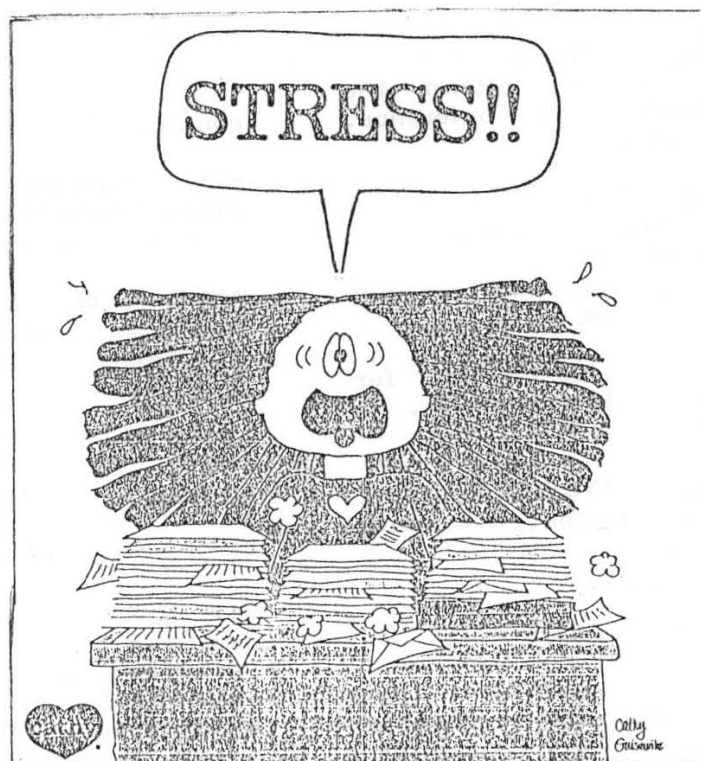
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### New books:

- LISTA DE LAS AVES DE VENEZUELA CON SU DISTRIBUCION ( W.H. Phelps and W.H. Phelps, Jr., 1950 ) QL 689 V4 P52 1950 STRI
- MANUAL DE LA FLORA DE LOS ALREDEDORES DE BUENOS AIRES. ( A.L. Cabrera and E.M. Zardi, 1978 ) QK 261 C117 1978 STRI
- MARINE ALGEN DER KARIBISCHEN KUSTEN VON KOLUMBIEN PART 1 PHAEOPHYCEAE ( R. Schnetter, 1983 ) QK 566 S35 STRI
- MARINE PHYTOPLANKTON AND PRODUCTIVITY ( O. Holm-Hansen, L. Bolis and R. Gilles 1984 ) QH 91.8 P5 M33 1984 STRI
- OSMOREGULATION IN ESTUARINE AND MARINE ANIMALS ( A. Pequeux et al, eds., 1984 QL 121 ) 86 1984X STRI
- THE PANAMA GUIDE ( J.O. Collins, 1912 ) F1564 C71 1912 STRI Special Collectio
- PASTURE PRODUCTIVITY IN ACID SOILS OF THE TROPICS (P.A. Sanchez and L.E. Terça 1979) SB 199 P29 1979 STRI
- POPOL VUH ( A. Recinos trans., 1950 ) F1465.2 Q5 P83 S1950 STRI
- PROCEEDINGS OF THE THIRD SYMPOSIUM ON LARVAL FISH ( R.D. Hoyt, ed., 1979) QL 639.25 S98 1979 STRI
- RECENT DEVELOPMENTS IN ISTHMIAN ARCHEOLOGY ( F. Lange, ed., 1984) qF 1434 R43 1984 STRI
- REPORT ON THE AGRICULTURE OF SOUTH AMERICA ( A. Barnes, 1892 ) S 471 S67 B26 1892 STRI
- RESTINGAS: ORIGEN, ESTRUCTURA PROCESOS ( L.D. de Lacerda et al, 1984 ) GB 459.15 R43 1984 STRI
- REVISION OF B.E. DAHLGREN'S INDEX OF AMERICAN PALMS ( S.F. Glassman, 1982 ) QK 495 P17 G545X STRI
- STUDIES OF FOREST, AGRICULTURAL AND SUCCESSIONAL ENVIRONMENTS IN THE UPPER RIO NEGRO REGION OF THE AMAZON ( C. Uhl, 1980a ) SD 175 U31 1980a STRI
- AS SUCESSIVAS FAUNAS DE MAMIFEROS TERRESTRES NO CONTINENTE AMERICANO ( C. de Paula Couto, 1952) QE 881 C83 X 1952 STRI
- TAXONOMY, PHYLOGENY AND BIOGEOGRAPHY OF THE GENUS COSMOPSALTRIA... ( J.P. Duffels, 1983 ) QL 527 C5 D85 STRI
- TRAVELS IN PERU ( J.J. Von Tschudi, 1847 ) F3423 T881 E1847 STRI
- TREE AND FIELD CROPS OF THE WETTER REGIONS OF THE TROPICS ( C.N. Williams et al., 1982 ) SB 170 W72 STRI
- TROPICAL RAIN-FOREST: THE LEEDS SYMPOSIUM ( A.C. Chadwick and S.L. Sutton, 1984 ) QH 541.5 R27 T855 1984 STRI
- TROPICAL ROOT CROPS: PRODUCTION AND USES IN AFRICA ( E.R. Terry et al, eds, 1984 ) SB 210 T85 T82 1984 STRI

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before they take control of us!