

#### STRI NEWS

#### ARRIVALS & DEPARTURES

We will start out with this this week - it might fill up the whole Newsletter......

- May 27 Arriving Ms. Tina Colburn, Western
  Kentucky University, to work at Galeta,
  on an Educational Outreach Fund assistant
  ship. She will be doing studies on
  spatial and temporal patterns in reef
  herbivory, and will be at STRI until
  mid August.
  - 29 Arriving Mr. George Stevens, U. of Penn. a Scholarly Studies Short-term fellowship, to work on host specificity and reproductive biology of the wood-boring insects of Panamanian lowland wet forests He will be at BCI until mid August.
  - 30 Arriving Mr. Cliff Cumingham, Yale Univ. on an Educational Outreach Fund assistant ship, for 3 months, to owrk with Dr. H. Lessios setting up Diadema exclosures and evaluating the impact of this echinoid on the coral reef systems.
  - 31 Arriving Mr. Scott Winterstein, New Mexico State U., on a Scholarly Studies short-term fellowship, to do studies on the ecology of some social tropical birds He will be at the Naos Lab until the end of August.
  - 31 Arriving Mr. Ron Heintz, New Mexico State Univ., for 3 months, to work at Naos with Dr. Naida Zucker on her fiddler crab project.
  - 31 Returning Dr. Robert Dressler after an extensive trip around the world.
- June 1 Dr. Phil Ward, Univ. of Texas, to visit STRI for 3-4 days, and present a seminar on his Rhytidoponera work.
  - 1 Ms. Gayle Vande Kerchove, Florida State Univ. to work at BCI, during the summer as Dr. Henry Howe's assistant.
  - 1 Ms. Lucinda Taft, National Zoological Park, to work at BCI on Dr. Charles Handley's ESP Bat Project. Cindy will be here for one month.

Arrived today: Dr. Ken Sebers, Harvard Univ. for 2 weeks, to work at Galeta on the effect of dissolved inorganic nitrogen on the bahavior and growth of coral reef anthozoan

### Leaving this week:

Tom Borges, on an official trip to Ecuador where he will be consulting with Dr. Hoeck, Director of the Charles Darwin Research Station, and officials of the Ecuadorean Navy, in reference to the construction of a research vessel for the C.D. Research Station. Tom will be returning on May 31.

Alan Jaslow, who will be returning to Univ. of Michigan at Ann Arbor, after being at STRI for two years working on his doctoral thesis and working with Dr. Kluge on a project concerning anuran reproductive biology.

Nickie Irvine, after having completed work for Dr. Robin Foster at BCI.

## SEMINAR

The luncheon seminar on Tuesday, May 29th will be given by Leonardo Maridueña from the Charles Darwin Research Station. He will be speaking on: 'Distribución de Aves Marinas en el Archipiélago de las Perlas y el estado actual de las aves en Pacheca''. This seminar will be in the Ancon Conference Room.

There will be a luncheon seminar on Tuesday, May 31, at 12 noon given by Michael Fawcett, University of California at Santa Barbara. The subject of the seminar is: "Factors Controlling the Distribution, Abundance and Life History of the Intertidal Turban Snail, Tegula.

Please check your bulletin boards for any last minute change.

# LEO BUSS, NEW PROFESSOR AT YALE

Leo Buss, John Hopkins University has recently accepted the position of Assistant Professor of Ecology at Yale University.

## REMEMBER

MONDAY, MAY 28 IS MEMORIAL DAY .....

EVERYTHING IN THE CANAL ZONE WILL BE CLOSED

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