

The WOX Story 2010

2010 saw a lot of “firsts” for WOX. We kick-started orangutan awareness presentations to schools and corporations titled “On the Brink”; organized the 1st Orangutan Awareness Weekend at Zoo Negara; launched our education programme WILD@Heart which is the 1st of its kind here; took on, for the 1st time, a consultancy with WWF; initiated contact with several world-class zoos and conducted the zoo educator programme at the 1st MAZPA-EDU conference.

We are feeling very energized and positive for 2011 and would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your generous contributions. We look forward to your continued support throughout our many projects planned for the year.

Wishing you a successful and fun year!!

ZOO NEGARA

Mazrul and the volunteers outdid themselves this year with the number of mini construction and



Leopard's dinner
April



Splicing class, June



Capybara mural, July



Chimpanzee integration, April

enrichment projects. Contribution to the zoo in 2010 was

worth more than RM100,000 including the successful integration of chimpanzees with the support of Hamilton Zoo in April and August.



Hyena dens, before & after



Building cougar cave, May



Various enrichment projects

2011 projects that you can contribute towards:
new chimpanzee night dens,
enrichment & zookeeper centre,
children's education programmes,
habitat restoration & reforestation.

Traditional dinner in village home, July



Wildlife viewing along river, August

Working with village fishermen to make "bubu", October



Having fun with children, August

SUKAU, SABAH

Our Lower Kinabatangan project has become ever more meaningful for the community and in terms of conservation. Some highlights: meals and boats provided by villagers; pioneering sessions for children to appreciate and understand issues facing their home, environment and wildlife; starting an exchange programme between the children of Sukau and a school in the UK. Reforestation work in critical areas along the river bank remains our priority and best of all, seeing all that wildlife!



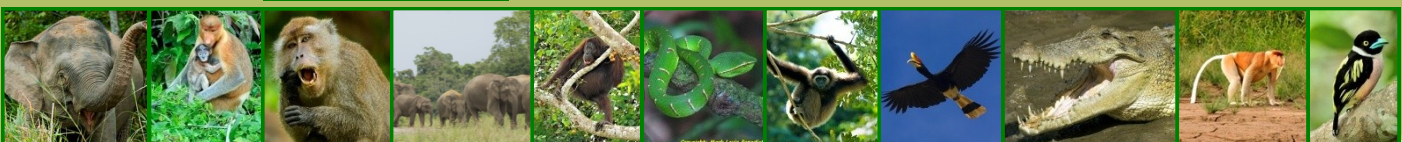
The family that built the nursery. Reforestation work, January



Rebuilding village house in Bilit, June



Children engaged in environmental education programme, September



FOR THE ENVIRONMENT



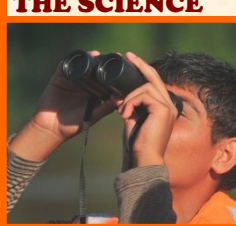
FOR THE ANIMALS



Our WiLD@Heart education programme was officially launched mid-2010. International schools from Hong Kong and Singapore visited Malaysia to put both time and energy into conservation and community projects. In addition to learning principles of ecology, students also helped replant fragmented forest, construct a tree nursery, maintain orangutan enclosures and teach English & conservation awareness at village schools in Sabah and Sarawak.

THE LEARNING &

THE SCIENCE



FOR THE CHILDREN



FOR THE COMMUNITY



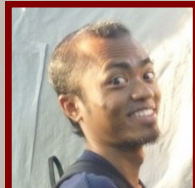
Our Core Team made everything happen during the most trying times through innovative ways to ensure every one of our programmes continued to deliver outcomes for the environment, animals, community, volunteers & students.



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