

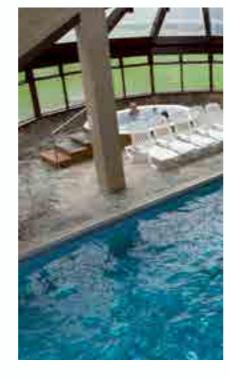
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# APE RESCUE CHRONICLE

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# THREE CHIPS OFF THE OLD BLOCK



STUMPY

By Jeremy Keeling & Karen Swann



It's been an eventful time in Chippy's woolly house recently as he's been busy giving us more babies!



At the end of last year on the 6th December, experienced mum Piquita gave birth to a healthy baby boy who was named Cassius. Piguita and Cassius are doing extremely well. Piguita has always been very confident and relaxed when it comes to raising her babies and takes motherhood in her stride. Little Cassius is already growing in confidence, spending time climbing off mum, and interacting well with all the other individuals in the group. You may remember that at the end of November Pacaja also gave birth. Both are well and Pacaja's little boy has been named Claud.

On February 16th, first time mum Ayla also gave birth to a baby boy. Unfortunately, when we arrived in the morning we found the baby lying alone on the playroom floor, cold. We don't know why Ayla did not care for her beautiful baby but this was her first



baby at the young age of seven. Primate Care Staff (PCS) managed to retrieve the baby, warm him up which took some time, and give him some vital fluids.

We wanted to give Ayla another chance with the little man, so the next day, under careful observation, we put the baby back into a bedroom and let Ayla through in the hope that she may pick him up. Sadly Ayla showed no interest at all and actively stayed away from the baby. Our second option was to try another female. Xingu, as her most recent offspring, Olivia, is nearly a

vear old and doesn't rely solely on Xingu's milk anymore. If Xingu chose to adopt the baby she could feed him naturally. Sadly Xingu was not interested either and made no attempt to pick him up or interact with him. Unfortunately our other females, who have proved to be excellent mums, are tied up with their own young babies, therefore it is now down to Alison and the PCS to hand-rear the baby boy, who has been named Cosmo. He has had a rough start in life but we have managed to get him healthy and strong and we will continue to care for him until he is five months old and able to rejoin his woolly family. At just over three months old, Cosmo now weighs 900 grams and is already spending the days down at Chippy's house in a bedroom specially designed for him. Chippy, in particular, is very interested in the baby so we are hopeful that Cosmo's future in the group will be a good one.







Cosmo is climbing really well now.



On November 29th 2016. Freddie and Toto, two male stumptailed macaques arrived at Monkey World. Unlike the majority of our macagues, these two are not "ugly monkeys" and did not come from a laboratory. Toto and Freddie came to us via Natuurhulpcentrum rescue centre in Belgium.

Previously Toto had been living in Split Zoo in Croatia and Freddie came to the Belgian centre from a zoo and had been living with an elderly female who unfortunately died before we could bring them to Monkey World. Toto and Freddie lived in cages next to each other but had no physical contact.



Jeremy brought the stumpies back to Monkey

Negotiations had been in the pipeline for a considerable time before I (Jeremy) was able to drive to Belgium to collect these chaps. The plan was to add them to our established group of eight "ugly monkeys" (two males & six females) who had been rescued from two different laboratories. The Belgian animal care staff were very efficient and they had the boys crated late at night with very little effort. Both of them, in true stumpy style, were very stoic in their transport accommodation and munched the miles away until we arrived back at the park in the early afternoon.



Very soon after they moved into our stumpy house, we opened the connecting door between the two new arrivals. After the usual pushing and shoving to establish a hierarchy they settled in just fine. There were lots of nice greetings with Freddie taking the submissive role. We believe Toto is the younger of the two, due to body condition, which is why Freddie may have automatically taken the submissive role. Physically they both look healthy but Toto has some stereotypic behaviours that may have developed when he was living in unsuitable conditions.

The two boys are living on one side of the stump-tailed macaque house but have yet to be introduced to our grumpy lot. Socialising is a very deep and meaningful (for want of a better description) part of a stump-tail's life so we are taking plenty of time before we introduce Toto and Freddie to the other "people" that will make up their new family. We also wanted to wait until spring for the introductions when the weather is better





thus giving all the macaques more space to use in their outdoor enclosures. Our macagues are not the most welcoming of groups so introductions will be slow and steady. We hope to create a lovely stumptail group for Toto, Freddie, and all the others to live out the rest of their days.





# ENDANGERED ASIAN SPECIES TRUST By Marina Kenyon





time. She saw the young gibbons Hoi and Vang in the trees from

our high viewing tower, learnt all about our last 10 years of pygmy

loris releases, and watched all our educational videos. What was

so lovely was that she paid attention to every detail of our work.

It was an honour, especially knowing that in the Vice-President's

free time she wanted to see and learn more about the primate







# DAO TIEN UPDATE

Vice President of Vietnam visits Dao Tien Endangered **Primate Species Centre** 





On February 25th the Vice President

of Vietnam, Dang Thi Ngoc Thinh,

accompanied by 50 officials and family

visited Dao Tien. This visit was an

unofficial visit, as the Vice President was

choosing to visit Cat Tien in her spare

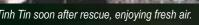
Vice President Dang Thi Ngoc Thinh and family had a tour of Dao Tien.

#### Have you seen my mum?

Over the last months Dao Tien has rescued five young gibbons, all with different levels of physical and emotional damage. Two of the gibbons, Tinh Tin and Duane are from the illegal pet trade and the other three (Hoi, Vang and Loc) were rescued soon after their mothers had been hunted from the forest.



Park, Nguyen van Dien, and his team.





Vang & Hoi, doing what they love, eating & playing!





# Same but different

Loc and Duane were hunted from the same region in the Central Highlands of Vietnam, Kon Tum.

We are waiting for DNA to confirm they are not Nomascus gabriellae but Nomascus annamensis, a species identified in 2010, located beyond the northern range edge of Nomascus gabriellae. They still have golden-cheeks and sound very similar to gabriellae, but DNA suggests a significant

Duane was rescued in November 2016. and was mentally and physically one of the most damaged individuals we have ever rescued on Dao Tien. He was discovered in the illegal trade by Facebook posts of him swaddled like a baby. Friends of Cuc Phoung in the North of Vietnam had seen the post and we got the call for help. The young male, estimated at 14 months old, had been swaddled tightly with his arms and



legs bound so that he had not been able to reach out for food or to climb or move. He was half the size for his age and he refused to use his arms for feeding. Duane started using his legs within a few days and slowly started to swing, but refused to use his hands for feeding. He had a good appetite but only if food was placed at his mouth.

Four months on. Duane has a beautiful coat. is gaining weight and condition, swings and plays throughout the day without stopping, and in the last week has slowly started to pick up fruit and eat. At last!

As for Loc, her time in the illegal trade was short but equally her time with her mother was also short, estimated less than 6 weeks. Her mother would have been hunted, most likely for meat, and Loc was rescued by a worker at the construction camp. When the construction worker returned to Ho Chi Minh City he contacted Dao Tien to take her. All we knew was that we had a 500g baby who needed immediate rescue. Imagining a very sick individual we organised rescue the next morning, but were pleased to find a healthy young female with a strong will to live. For the next days it was feeds round the clock every hour and a half. She was being fed a pet cat milk which was not rich enough for her. We gradually transferred her to the correct milk and the difference in her strength was amazing and equally at last she would go a little further in the night without feeds, full on the human milk powder. It was wonderful to see that people from all walks of life were prepared to try and help protect wild animals.





we have selected two adult females who we hope will be able to fill the role of a surrogate big sister/mum for Duane and Loc. The two females, Dao and Uh have suitable personalities and affinity with youngsters.













# THE HONG Jim Cronin Memorial Fund KONG FIVE

As Monkey World has experience rescuing, transporting, and quarantining slow loris, we agreed to help organise the paperwork and move five slow loris that had been confiscated from the black market trade in Hong Kong and were being kept at Kadoori Farms & Botanic Gardens.



specially made transport box.



Loris arriving at Heathrow animal reception

You may recall that in 2014 I (Alison) went to the Maldives to rescue a single female loris named Kan'bulo who had been confiscated by local police as part of a drug raid. There was no one in the international community that would help the Maldivian authorities to re-home the loris so the authorities were going to have to put the endangered species down. Monkey World agreed to help as a charitable act in order to support the Maldivian police who had done the right thing. Once Bu had finished her quarantine at Monkey World we found her a home at Shaldon Wildlife Park. This time it was Shaldon who came to us asking if we would help



with the import of the five loris so that they could be the start of an organised breeding program in Europe. Best of all, three of the five loris are boys, and one of them is destined to be a mate for our

It took a lot of organising but finally on December 20th the five loris arrived at Heathrow in one purpose built container with five separate compartments, as none of the loris had ever lived together in Hong Kong. All appeared healthy and large - they were big slow loris! We transported them to Monkey World and got all five settled into their new bedrooms that were designed & built for them and they are doing really well. Axl is our most confident, vocal loris and he is very inquisitive towards the primate care staff. Bruce is very gentle-natured and spends most of the day exploring for treats and resting in bamboo. Marley is our most speedy loris as he gets excited when food has been put in, especially locusts. Tina likes to keep to herself but is very protective over her food; her favourite being gum (tree-sap). Nicki has the 'fullest figure' and she loves sticking her head in a bowlful of mealworms.

With the hope to breed these individuals, we housed them opposite each other with visual access so they were able to get to know each other before being introduced with contact. Axl was housed opposite Nicki and was so eager to meet her that he performed play behaviour. We've described this behaviour as 'pretzel-like' because they cross their arms above their head in a pretzel shape and wriggle up and down vigorously. With this positive response, we decided to put them together. The introduction went well and after a bit of grooming and exploring each other, they eventually started















courting by making 'whistling' calls. They have mated a few times since and never seem to leave each other's side.

We also paired Tina and Marley together. Marley was very interested in Tina and followed her but Tina got defensive. Eventually she calmed down and got used to Marley being so forward and let him groom her. They eventually started courting and have possibly mated - we are not 100% sure due to the nocturnal lighting in the house and the mass of furry limbs that we see!

Bruce is still living by himself as Bu is waiting for him until their quarantine period has finished (which has just happened). We often find him looking over at the other pairs so he must be looking forward to getting a companion of his own.



## Primate Planet A Productions

# MONKEY LIFE





**MONKEY LIFE** available on DVD

# **SERIES 10 UPDATE**

With spring in the air at Monkey World we have been busy filming updates on all the primates at the park, including the chimpanzee groups playing in the sunshine and the lemurs now that they have a new member in the huddle. Away from the park we have been filming Alison and the team on more rescues in the UK, Belgium and Russia and recently we followed Mikado and Tia Nang's journey to their new home in France.

We will announce when Monkey Life series 10 will air later in the year!

Don't forget Monkey Life series 1 - 9 DVD's are available to purchase from the Monkey World giftshop and online at Amazon.

We enjoy hearing from fans of the show so feel free to get in touch; you can do this by emailing us at info@primateplanet.tv or via our Facebook Page.

For information or questions related to the Monkey Life TV series, please contact info@primateplanet.tv.

# MOON THE MARMOSET By Karen Swann



# MIKADO & TIA-NANG START THEIR NEW LIFE TOGETHER By Cat Talbot



Sadly the trade in primates in the UK is still prolific with the newest victim coming to Monkey World being a 4-5 month old baby marmoset named Moon...supposedly a girl.

After a tip off to the RSPCA from a concerned pet shop worker, Moon's owner was located and agreed to sign Moon over to the care of Monkey World. Moon is in good health and was obviously loved by his owner but in the wrong way with clothing, shampoo products, and an abundance of food items that were not needed. Most importantly without company of his (yes Moon is a boy and not a girl!) own kind he would have started to suffer living in solitary confinement.

When a young marmoset comes into Monkey World we try to find a pair that will adopt the youngster. For Moon we decided on Hazel and Solomon. These two have been together for a number of years and are a nice settled pair. Unlike most of the marmosets at the park Hazel was reared by her parents and even saw them raise her younger siblings. We believed this experience would help Hazel interact with Moon. Solomon arrived at the park when he was even younger than Moon and was adopted himself. The introductions started with Hazel first and straight away there was cautious interest from both of them.

Hazel was the more confident, with Moon staying in his nest box. After Hazel went in to see him a few times his confidence started to grow and he ventured out. When we added Solomon, Moon's interest peaked even more. Throughout the day the interactions between the three became more prolonged and affectionate. Hazel even let



Moon and Hazel

Moon take some food from her, Solomon on the other hand does not share food! The introduction went so well we decided to leave the trio together overnight and they bedded down together in the same basket. When checking on them the following morning it became very apparent that Hazel was now highly protective of her new 'son' when she told off any member of Primate Care Staff that she thought was getting too close. Moon was taken from his family at an extremely young age but thanks to a pet shop worker, the RSPCA, and Monkey World he now has a new family who appear to love him already.



Alison and RSPCA officer Selina Chan with tiny Moon in his travelling box.



Moon lived alone in a birdcage at his previous



At Monkey World we have bred five golden-cheeked gibbons over the years, but for the past few years all our ladies have been on birth control as there are not a lot of good homes for them to go to when they reach maturity.

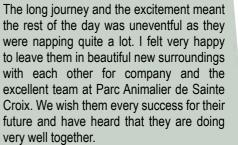


Luckily for Mikado & Tia-nang, Parc Animalier de Sainte Croix in France was building a new house and an island enclosure with lots of trees and was happy to take on a new pair of gibbons. Mikado and Tia-nang were living in separate houses so it was decided to do the introduction when they arrived in France. On April 29th it was an early start for the gibbon team and two unsuspecting gibbons. First up was Tianang who walked into her tunnel system and after a few moments went into her travelling box with little fuss. This was then repeated with Mikado and they got their first look at each other as the boxes were loaded into the van.

I travelled with them so they had a familiar face to help make the transfer easier for them and provide their favourite snacks on route. Both were very calm and quiet throughout the journey and eleven hours later two tired gibbons were unloaded into separate bedrooms in the new house. We left them to get an early night ready for the big day tomorrow.

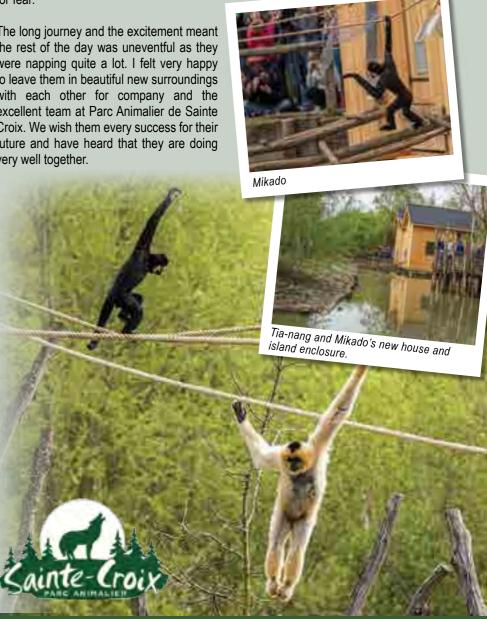
After a tasty breakfast, we went ahead and opened the slides to let them meet for the first time, always a tense moment. Both calmly entered the others' room and checked what they had left from breakfast, then Tia-nang came up behind Mikado. sniffed him, then touched his back a few times. Mikado was a perfect gentleman and

just sat quietly while she was close. He also demonstrated how well he could sing but Tia-nang didn't join in. For the next hour or so both gibbons were quite active moving around each other; sometimes sitting close or touching, other times looking at the views from the window. This was a perfect start with both being calm and relaxed; neither were stressing the other out or giving cause

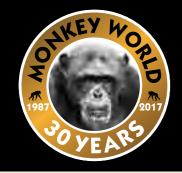




Tia-nang & Mikado were happy to meet each other.







# MONKEY WORLD 30TH ANNIVERSARY 1987 - 2017





1987

Jim Cronin, a New Yorker, opened Monkey World on August 7th 1987 to provide a stable home for abused



1998

Monkey World joins the EEP breeding programme for woolly monkeys, and has had success



2006

Members of the European Breeding programme, Monkey World becomes home to Europe's only orang-utan



First two families of golden cheeked gibbons complete their rehabilitation at Dao Tien and are released back



1987

Jim enlisted Jeremy to help care for the primates, pictured with Amy a Bornean orang-utan, the first



Jim pictured with Sinbad, a rescued capuchin. One of the many rescues under-taken by Jim and the team at



Jim sadly passed away. JCMF (Jim Cronin Memorial Fund) charity set up for primate welfare and conservation



11 new primates arrive at Monkey World as victims of the legal UK pet



1987

The Pavilions under construction which now provide home to two groups of chimps and one group of orang-utans.



2000

Alison with Lulu, rescued from a circus in Cyprus. Lulu is one of the many abused chimps who have been re-homed at Monkey World.



2008

Largest primate rescue in the world when 88 capuchins were rescued from a laboratory in Chile.



Rescue of a single female loris named Kan'bulo who had been confiscated by local police as part of



1989

Charlie arrived at Monkey World. One of the original chimps rescued from abuse and neglect as a beach photographer's prop in Spain



2000

Stump-tailed macaques rescued from British laboratories where they had been used in medical research.



2008

East (Endangered Asian Species Trust) charity set up supporting conservation work in South-East



JCMF (Jim Cronin Memorial Fund) set up primate conservation and education centre at Hethfelton



Alison first met Jim to discuss fencing for rescued bears. They married in 1996, with two degrees and a PhD Alison became scientific director.



2002

Jeremy with Tuan, rescued from Taiwan, found wandering the streets. One of the many primates rescued as a result of the illegal pet trade.



2009

Pygmy Ioris Mistletoe and Thang are the first primates to be released into the wild at Dao Tien, Vietnam,



Petition handed in to Downing Street, with the aim of regulating the growing pet trade in the UK



1997

Monkey Business TV show (now Monkey Life) first airs, documenting the work of Monkey



Meeting with Dr Pei of Pintung Rescue Centre, Taiwan. The two centres have worked closely for over 10 years.



2011

Continuing to rescue apes from abroad, with the rescue of chimpanzee Kiki from Lebanon, who had been kept



Monkey World continues to offer a home for primates in need from around the globe

## Picnic 4 Primates

You are invited to a 'Picnic at the Park' for Monkey World's 30th Birthday

Monday 7th August Join us for a day of entertainment, fairground stalls, fun kids activities and the chance to meet VIP guests! Bring your own picnic or buy one at the park. Also available are exclusive 30 year goody bags!

If you can't make the day, join in the fun by holding your own Picnic4Primates wherever you are!

shop website (coming soon!). Invite your guests & request donations for the primates! Create a buzz about your event by sharing it on social media, and on the

Monkey World Facebook and Twitter pages

Simply buy a picnic planning pack from the gift

#Picnic4Primates. For more information

please email apes@monkeyworld.org with a subject heading Picnic4Primates

# BUILDING & MAINTENANCE

Over winter our Maintenance and Grounds Teams have been kept busy with repairs, renewals, and care of the animal enclosures as well as the visitor areas of the park. It is a never ending job to keep our monkey and ape houses and enclosures modern, refurbished, and in good working order. This is the work that goes on "behind the scenes" that makes our primate rehabilitation work possible.

#### Replacing Sally's & Tuan's Fences



The fences at Sally's & Tuan's enclosures were dropped and replaced. It was a big job! link, and aluminum overhangs replaced.



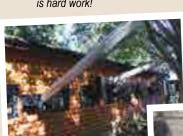
Both ape enclosures had poles, chain



Sally's fence was done first and then Tuan's. When both fences were replaced the two ape groups swapped sides!

#### Other Projects

Keeping the stream that runs through Peanut & Pung-yo's enclosure clear



Tunnels at the marmoset complex were "baffled" so that neighbouring pairs cannot threaten





#### Modernising The Small Monkey House



## CHOCOLAT DINGA FROM CONGO TO KENYA

By Alison Cronin

On November 21st Monkey World veterinarian, Dr. John Lewis, and I made an emergency trip to Nairobi, Kenya to help with an adult female chimpanzee named Chocolat.





X-ray showing gunshot

a victim of the bushmeat trade in the Republic of Congo 15 years ago, when her mother was shot and killed for food by local hunters. As an infant. Chocolat would have been clinging

to her mother's body and was also hit with shot gun pellets when they were hunted. Chocolat survived and was taken to the local chimpanzee sanctuary, but her injuries and the shotgun pellets that remained in her head and neck were doomed to leave the young chimpanzee crippled with little use of her right side.



Chocolat had life threatening injuries when she and her mother were hunted from the wild.

Luckily for Chocolat, she was taken in by Graziella Cotman who has cared for her ever since. In 2005 Graziella took Chocolat with her to Kenya, where she had hoped to rehabilitate Chocolat with other chimpanzees that were also orphans of the bushmeat trade; but this was not possible due to the lack of specialized facilities in Kenya and Chocolat's profound handicap. Over the years Chocolat has lived in a small house in Graziella's back garden and gone for walks in the local countryside. It was during one of these walks that Chocolat fell and suffered further damage to her hip.

I was asked by Graziella if Monkey World could help Chocolat, in the short-term with medical assistance and advice, but also in the long-term with the goal to move her to the park where we would introduce her to other chimpanzees. We agreed, so it was off to Kenya for a two day visit to see what her mobility was like, anaesthetise Chocolat and take x-rays, and give advice as to what could be done to help her recover to the same mobility she had before her fall. Since she was shot in the wild Chocolat has never had the use of her right hand or foot. They have grown in a distorted manner but luckily the pellet fragments did not effect her shoulder or hip joint, so she was able to walk and move her arm. However, the limping gait that Chocolat



adapted had been putting extreme pressure on her hip which now shows evidence of deteriorating bone disease. John has put Chocolat on medication to help with pain and the deteriorating condition of her hip, and I discussed a weight loss program and nutritional supplements that would also help Chocolat to get back up on her feet. At present Chocolat is only shuffling along on her bum and for her to have a future at Monkey World she must be able to stand up and hobble around to live with other chimpanzees. We are continuing to monitor Chocolat's condition, which has improved, but only time will tell if she has a future living with other chimpanzees.



right hand have grown



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#### FANTASTIC EVENTS FUNDING PRIMATE WELFARE, CONSERVATION & EDUCATION











#### **GREAT BIG - TWO NIGHT FAMILY SLEEPOVER EVENT**

FRIDAY 4TH & SATURDAY 5TH AUGUST









Join us for a fun-filled family weekend! Arrival is from 2pm on Friday followed by a light supper served at 4pm. An early evening stroll to Monkey World to watch the primates bed down for the night will be followed by a delicious dinner and mouthwatering desserts. We finish the evening around a traditional campfire with entertainment from the JCMF team!

After a good night's sleep, a full English Breakfast will be served from 8am before heading off to Monkey World prior to the park opening to the general public. You get to spend the day exploring the park at your leisure, but make sure you are back in time for dinner at 6pm, as Saturday night is movie night before relaxing around the campfire in the company of family and new friends. Finally, a light breakfast will be served on Sunday morning before guests depart.

#### **Tickets**

Family (2 adults & up to 3 children) Single parent (1 adult & up to 3 children)

Tickets include high tea & dinner on day one, breakfast and dinner on day two and breakfast on day three. Soft drinks and refreshments are provided throughout the event.

#### **RENT A TENT**

Pitched and ready to go! Priced from £30 for 2 nights.



Spaces are limited - Contact us now to book your place at the event!

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Please note that tickets for this event are available exclusively to charity members and Monkey World adoptive parents

#### **GREAT BIG - TWO NIGHT ADULTS ONLY SLEEPOVER EVENT!**

FRIDAY 14TH & SATURDAY 15TH JULY









#### **RENT A TENT**

Pitched and ready to go! Prices from £30 for 2 nights



Get away from it all and join us on this adults only 2 night sleepover event, exactly 30 years to the day of the first nine chimpanzees arriving at the park! Arrival is from 2pm on Friday the 14th of July with afternoon tea served at 4pm.

Next its off to Monkey World to watch the primates as they bed down for the night. A delicious dinner and a selection of truly scrumptious desserts will then be followed by our traditional campfire and entertainment from the JCMF team!

After a good night's sleep, a full English Breakfast will be served from 8am before heading off to watch the primates before the park opens to the general public. Dinner will be served from 6pm and then it's party time! A light breakfast will be served on Sunday morning before guests depart.

Tickets are priced at £150.00 per person and are available exclusively to charity members and Monkey World adoptive parents and will include the meals mentioned above as well as refreshments throughout the event. However if you prefer something a little stronger in the evenings, please bring your own drink and a glass (preferably plastic).

To book your tickets, please call us on 01929 462487 or email us on fundraising@jimcroninmemorialfund.org

## Remember a loved one

by sponsoring a tree or a rose bush

These sponsorship opportunities are a perfect way of creating a lasting and beautiful memory of a loved one no longer with us, while also supporting primate welfare and conservation.

Prices start at £100 for a sponsored tree and it's £85 for a rose bush. Both include a personalised engraved plaque placed in the beautiful gardens surrounding the charity's education centre. Sponsors are welcome to visit the centre by arrangement and will also receive a photograph of their plaque and a sponsorship certificate.

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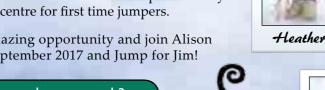


Sunday 3rd September 2017 Minimum Sponsorship £375.00

Experience the thrill of a tandem skydive from 10,000ft and raise funds for a great cause!

We have teamed up with the lovely people at GoSkydive to offer the adrenaline junkies among us the ultimate thrill. Full training and the experience of a lifetime will be provided by the UK's only specialist centre for first time jumpers.

So why not take this amazing opportunity and join Alison on Sunday the 3rd of September 2017 and Jump for Jim!



Are you brave enough? Call us for more information!







Meet some of our brave jumpers!











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#### SPONSORED WALK - A MILE FOR EVERY YEAR

FRIDAY 1ST & SATURDAY 2ND SEPTEMBER

For those of you who like to keep your feet on the ground, get your walking boots out and join us on Friday 1st and Saturday 2nd September for a 30 mile sponsored walk and complete a mile for every year that the park has been open!

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Or for more information, please visit http://www.jimcroninmemorialfund.org/event-detail /sponsored-walk-a-mile-for-every-year/2017-09-01/ Covering 16 miles on day 1 and 14 miles on day 2, the route is listed as good walking terrain, but with some steep ascents in places. All meals as well as overnight accommodation are included. Minimum sponsorship per participant is £175.00.

#### Meet some of our walkers!













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#### **MONKEY WORLD 30TH ANNIVERSARY PARTY!**

9TH SEPTEMBER 2017 - 7.30 PM UNTIL MIDNIGHT

Join us in celebrating 30 years of primate rescue, welfare & conservation Live music and fantastic food - book now to avoid disappointment!

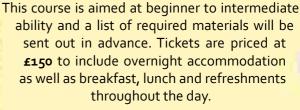
> Tickets are priced at £30 per adult and £15 per child under 16 years to include supper and arrival drinks.

Dance through the night to the incredible The Sweet & Lowdown, playing everything from retro swing and rock & roll, to 80's funk, 90's R&B and modern chart - all delivered i their own unique style

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#### PRIMATE DRAWING CLASS

Join internationally renowned wildlife Artist David Dancey-Wood for a full day's tuition drawing the primates from the park.



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# WITH DAVID DANCEY-WOOD - 13TH SEPTEMBER

#### The Life of a Keeper Talk

- What's it really like to be a primate keeper?

If you have ever wondered what its like to work with primates, this event is not to be missed! Join us for a frank and honest discussion about what it's really like to be a primate keeper; the highs and the lows, the good and the bad. Arrival is from 6.30 pm, with the talk scheduled

to start at 7.30 pm. Tickets are priced at £20.00 to include refreshments. Overnight accomodation is available for an additional supplement.

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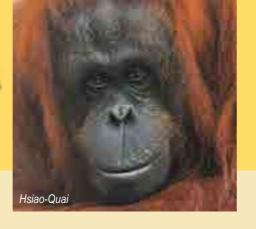
# LETTER FROM THE EDITOR

This newsletter has taken a while to get to you as there have been so many recent rescues and more that we are still working on. Just look at the front cover – these are all our new arrivals since the last edition of the ARC! It is always wonderful to see individuals come good when they start living more healthy, natural lives, with others of their own kind but at the same time how sad that our job doesn't seem to stop or slow down. As always we have been filming our work ready for the next series of Monkey Life which will be out on Sky Pick later in the year.

Over winter we received many lovely and useful Christmas presents as well as generous donations for the monkeys and apes. Every last bit is put to use and helps us to give our monkeys and apes as good and interesting a life as possible. We have received donations in place of Christmas cards and Christmas presents; from scrap metal recycling, and the birth of a 1st child, to handmade greeting cards and earrings to sell in the shop. Particular thanks should

go to Verwood Pet Shop for their continued support. If you want to help more please see our Amazon Wish List for items we need for our rescued primates.

Our thoughts are with the families and friends of supporters who have sadly passed away. We would like to remember Margaret Aitchison, Michelle Aldred, Kenneth Alfred, Susan Arnold, Victor Baker, Shirley Bannister, Mary Crane, Marion Dixon, Barbara Elkins, Ernest Ellerton, John Galleymore, Charlie Gardener, Cyril Goldsworthy, Phillip Hill, David Hindle, Dorothy James, David Jones, Mrs B Kleiser, Jean Kicks, Daniel Krumhorn, Sharon Lee, Lesley Martin, Philippa Miles-Ryan, Timothy Mills, Dominick Naylor, June Nevett, Joan Pitts, Anne Ragsdale, Su Sedgwick, Edna Singh, Phyllis Slyfield-Ford, Colin Smart, Sue McMillan-Staff, Valerie Staunton, Jean Trewinnard, Arthur Vincent, Peter Wootton, Aileen Wright, Doreen Wright. They will all be dearly missed.



We have used the quieter winter months to get the park ready for our 30th Anniversary year with lots of tidying, refurbishments and plans for events throughout the year. We hope you will be able to join us in remembering all the monkeys and apes we have been able to help over the years either by visiting the park or by having your own 30th Anniversary Picnic 4 Primates. Please join us in celebrations and send in photos of your event. Which reminds me, a big thank you needs to go out to everyone who has sent in photographs of our primates. They help so much with up to date adoption photos and with the newsletter.

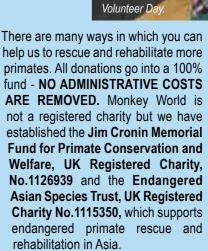
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#### SPRING IN THE GIFT SHOP Chimp Backpack £12.99 Chimp Lunch Bag £8.99 Large Big Hands Orang-utan Pencil Case £25.99 £3.99 Monkey World Ladies T Shirts Black, Purple, Pink Sizes: S / M / L / XL / XXL Mug & £9.99 Coaster Set See our full range in the Monkey World Gift Shop, online at www.monkeyworld.org Thelma Backpack £14.99 Monkey Shell Necklace Tuan Gym Bag £6.99 MARKARARAR 18 MARKARARARAR

# HOW YOU CAN HELP?



Thelma playing with Kong toys.



In addition to the list above, there are many other items we need to care for our rescued primates.

Please see our Amazon Wish List that has all kinds of different goods that we currently need. We also have an Online Shop (http://www.monkeyworld.org/Monkey-World-Online-Gift-Shop) & Gift Catalogue full of monkey memorabilia and ape accessories for anyone who loves primates. You might also consider being a Monkey World volunteer (not working with animals), or organise a group volunteer day with friends, family or colleagues.

We are continuing to rescue more monkeys and apes that will need our full care and

attention for many years to come. Please help with their on-going care by joining our **Primate Adoption Scheme** for yourself, your family and friends. As an adoptive parent you will receive a year's pass to the park, a photo of your monkey or ape, a certificate, and the Ape Rescue Chronicle three times per year. **Establish a legacy** for the long-term welfare of the primates

and be remembered in the park.



Volunteers from New Look help renovate the capuchin enclosure.

#### **ACCOMMODATION NEAR MONKEY WORLD**





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