

Today we measured Loggerhead Turtles—the females are coming ashore to lay their eggs! Coastal construction is taking a tremendous toll on these threatened creatures.



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A successful red wolf release at Alligator River National Wildlife Reserve in NC. We are able to track the location of the wolf through the collar.

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Sloth bears specialize on insects, especially termites, which form a dietary staple, and possess special morphological adaptations for myrmecophagy (termite-eating).



Snyamala Ratsnyevsk

Visited a few eagle and saker nests, then to Nouruzum forest. Finally got to put wing tags on eagle chicks—



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Macaws: Nesting sites in the wild; Peru, South America. Once chicks hatch, we return every day to measure the offspring and assess their growth rate. Larger siblings usually out-compete their younger nest mates, depriving them of starvation. In the early 1990s, 34 macaw chicks destined for disaster were rescued and hand-reared at the Research Center.



Lincoln Larson

Waza National Park, Cameroon  
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We finished attaching the collar, reversed the anesthesia, and removed the breathing tube. Soon after, the animal stood up, faced the team, vocalized, and ran off into the bush. From the time the elephant was darted to the time it recovered and ran off into the bush was 58 minutes. The collar is working fine on the young male bongo -



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Reintroduction of Przewalski Horses (Takhi), Gobi Desert. Each summer 500 new takhi are flown into Takhin Tol from zoos and reserves around the world. The horses' arrival is a huge event for the local community; hundreds of people will gather to watch the jet-tagged takhis take tentative steps on Mongolian soil.



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