AZA UngulatesMarketing Homework

2017 AZA Midyear Meeting

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Our mission

To work together to promote ungulates in AZA institutions, and provide ungulate resources to enhance management

Follow-up

Last year's Flooring Workshop

Anything to share?

Used any of the vendors?

Comments on successes or failures?

Information you wish you had gotten?

Dedicated Fund

For the past several years, we have been fundraising for all of the Ungulate TAGs, but using the Antelope & Giraffe TAG's AZA Dedicated Fund.

In keeping with AZA's policies, we are in the process of creating a dedicated fund (hosted by The Living Desert) for the AZA Ungulate TAGs to house our joint funds.

Fundraising

AZA Ungulate TAGs will be piloting a scholarship to attend next year's TAG meetings.

Application process is under construction.

Applicants will be required to present.

Stay tuned for details, but applications will likely be due in November.

Communication homework

- Populate TAG pages on website with content.
 - Due June 30
- Volunteers for Facebook
 - one post per month
 - Education advisors?
- Identify database expert to help investigate mixed species survey searchability
- Keeper reps

DISCUSSION Priority Species

2016 (past) species

Transcaspian urial Eld's deer

Banteng Pygmy hippo

Musk deer Persian onager

Visayan warty pig Speke's gazelle

Mountain Zebra Kordofan aoudad

Arabian oryx Slender-horned gazelle

DISCUSSION New Promotions

- Using existing materials in new ways?
- Continue postcards?
- Posters?
- Promotional items?
- Advertisements? (CONNECT, AKF, other?)

DISCUSSION New Marketing Ideas

e.g., "Collection planning" marketing

Highlight under-used habitats/regions with ideas for species. E.g., Asian savanna, west African woodland

What resources would help expand ungulate populations?

What information would be useful?

\$\$ Marketing budget \$\$

- \$571 donated to the Marketing Committee in 2015
 - 2015-2016 Expenditures
 - Priority Postcard printing: \$166.99
 - Postcard postage: Donated
 - Ribbons: \$134.97
 - 2016-2017 Expenditures
 - Ribbons: \$123.31
 - Banner: \$69.12

REMAINING FUNDS: \$76.61

We are requesting an additional \$250 for marketing efforts in 2017-2018 \$250 is being donated by TAG members- Thank You!!

Take Home Messages

- Get staff involved in workshops, conferences, etc.
- Share PRIORITY SPECIES + try to help
- Share communication resources
- Bank blood, plasma, semen
 - Linda Penfold, Budhan Pukazhenthi, Liza Dadone
 - Send female pig repro tracts to Annie Newell-Fugate
- In situ projects: get involved where you can
 - · (staff, expertise, equipment, funding)



If not us, then who?