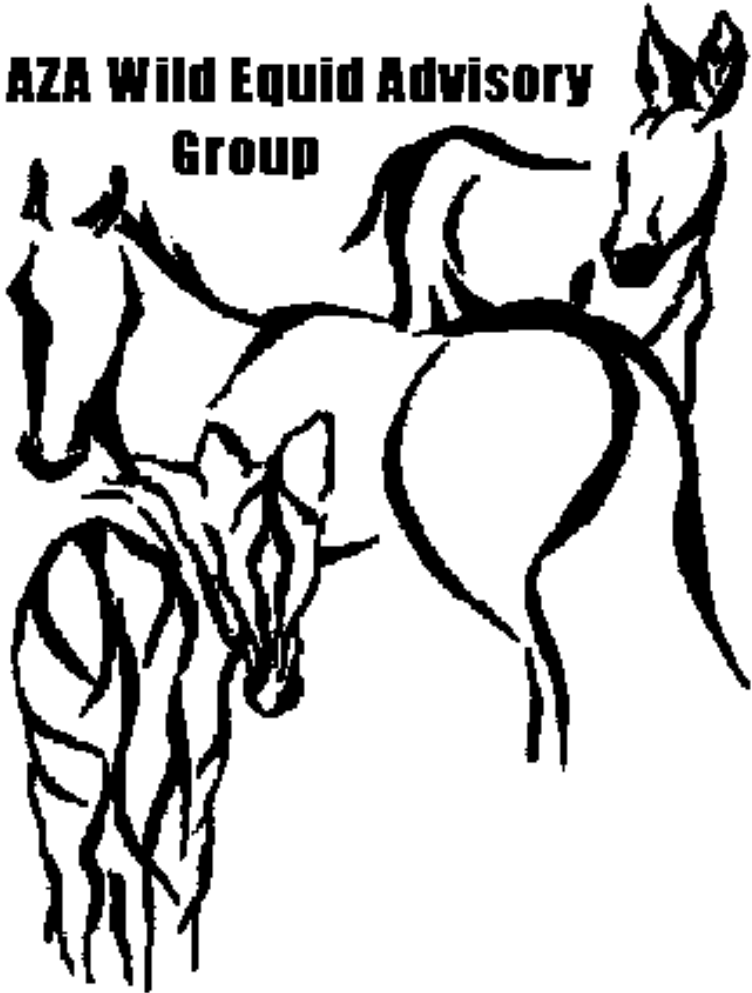


Equid TAG Update



**AZA Wild Equid Advisory
Group**



Reporting Session
AZA Midyear Meeting
23 March 2021

Equid TAG Leadership



Chair: Tim Thier, Saint Louis Zoo

Vice-chair: Ashleigh Kandrac, Lion Country Safari

Secretary: JT Svoke, Zoo Miami

Steering committee:

- Dan Beetem, The Wilds
- Tony Fisher, Minnesota Zoo
- John Fried, Dallas Zoo
- Adam Felts, Columbus Zoo
- Greg Peccie, San Diego Zoo Safari Park
- Scotty Wade, White Oak Conservation



Program Updates



- **Breeding and Transfer Plans published**
 - Asian wild horse
 - Persian onager
 - Plains zebra
 - Somali wild ass
- **North American Studbooks published**
 - Persian onager
- **Regional Collection Plan**
 - Due this year

Asian Wild Horse



- **Yellow** SSP 53.64 (117) at 19 institutions
- SSP Coordinator - Tony Fisher
 - Tony.fisher@state.mn.us
- Studbook Keeper – Amanda Faliano
 - Afaliano@denverzoo.org
- True Wild Horse Campaign
 - truewildhorse.org



Persian Onager



- **Red** SSP 10.22 (32) at 3 institutions
- Program Leader – Kate Volz
 - volzk@si.edu



Somali Wild Ass



- **Yellow** SSP 27.44 (71) at 9 institutions
- Program Leader – Yaraila Rodriguez
 - Yrodriguez@white-oak.org



Plains Zebra



- **Yellow** SSP 77.191 (268) at 67 institutions
- Program Leader – John Register
 - Jregister@houstonzoo.org



Hartmann's Mountain Zebra



- **Yellow** SSP 23.50 (73) at 18 institutions
- Program Leader – Tommy Jordan
 - tjordan@sdzwa.org



Grevy's Zebra



- Green SSP 43.107 (150) at 34 institutions
- SSP Coordinator – Martha Fischer
 - Fischer@stlzoo.org
- Studbook Keeper – Katie Pilgram-Kloppe
 - Pilgram@stlzoo.org
- Grevy's Zebra Trust
 - grevyszebratrust.org



Equid Space



Species	2012	2018	2021
Asian wild horse	131	130	117
Persian onager	30	35	32
Somali wild ass	41	68	71
Plains zebra	442	286	268
Hartmann's mtn. zebra	53	65	73
Grevy's zebra	180	174	150
Total	877	758	711
Number of facilities	176	158	150

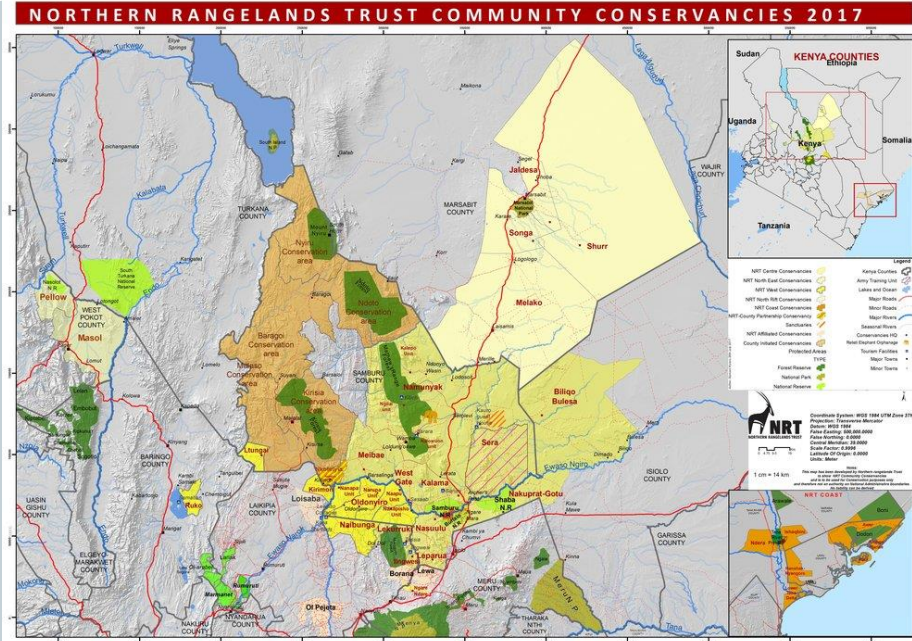
2020 Great Grevy's Rally



- Zoo Team



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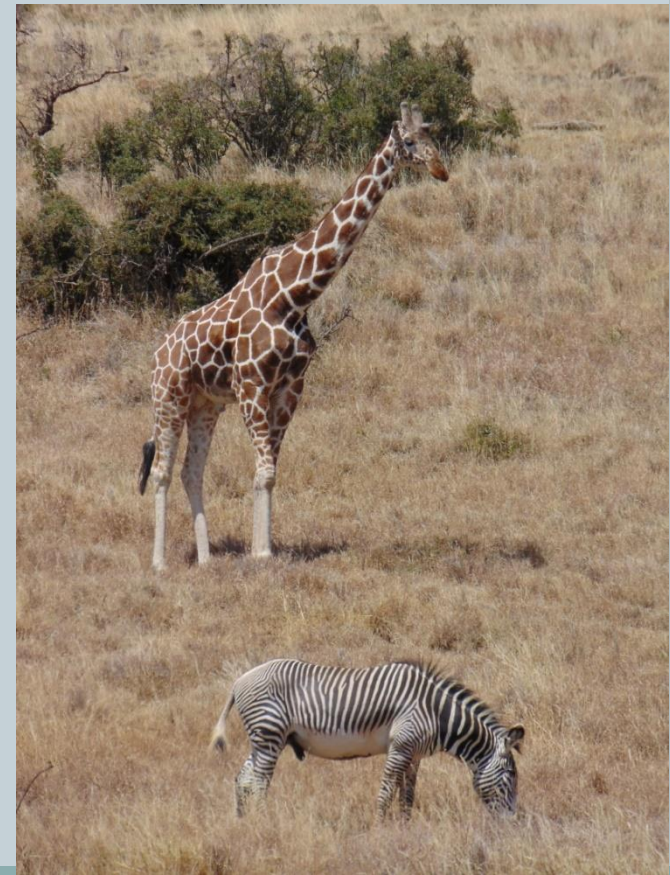
- Grevy's Zebra Trust Camp



2022 Great Grevy's Rally



- We do hope to have another Zoo Team in 2022
- Please email tthier@stlzoo.org for additional information



Equid Disease Information



- IUCN Action Plan for Wild Equids

Disease Category	Agent	Reference	Country, specific location, date	Transmission	Diagnostic tests
Bacterial	Anthrax (Bacillus anthracis)	Lindeque and Turnbull 1994	Namibia, Etosha National Park, 1974-1992	Spore ingestion, insect vectors	



Thank You!

