

Coming Events

"BONUS" REMINDER

Members are reminded that the Zoo will hold a Members' "Bonus" Day on Saturday, May 7 (raindate: May 14) from 9:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.

All Members plus two guests will be entitled to free admission to the Zoo, the Daniel W. Dietrich Memorial Children's Zoo, the Eleanor S. Gray Memorial Hummingbird Exhibit, and the John Penn mansion, "Solitude" on that day. Members and their guests will also be entitled to discount group rates on the Monorail.

The program for the day is as follows: A Plant Sale at the Greenhouse will begin at 9:30 a.m. and continue as long as the supplies hold out. Behind-the-Scenes tours of the African Plains, Reptile House, Hummingbird Exhibit, Commissary, and Penrose Laboratories will be held from 10:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. and again from 2 to 4 p.m. At

11:45 a.m., Dedication of the Outdoor Exhibit for Gorillas and Orangutans will be held. At 1 p.m. the 39th Annual Opening of Monkey Island will begin.

Our usual Members' Day will be held again this year in the fall. May 7th is an additional day of fun, surprises, and animal viewing opportunities designed specifically for you—our Members.

LION LECTURE

Judith Rudnai, a noted authority on lions will present a lecture entitled "Nairobi Park Lions," their social behavior, reproduction and feeding habits on Thursday, May 12, at 7:30 p.m. at the Educational Center/Administration Building Classrooms.

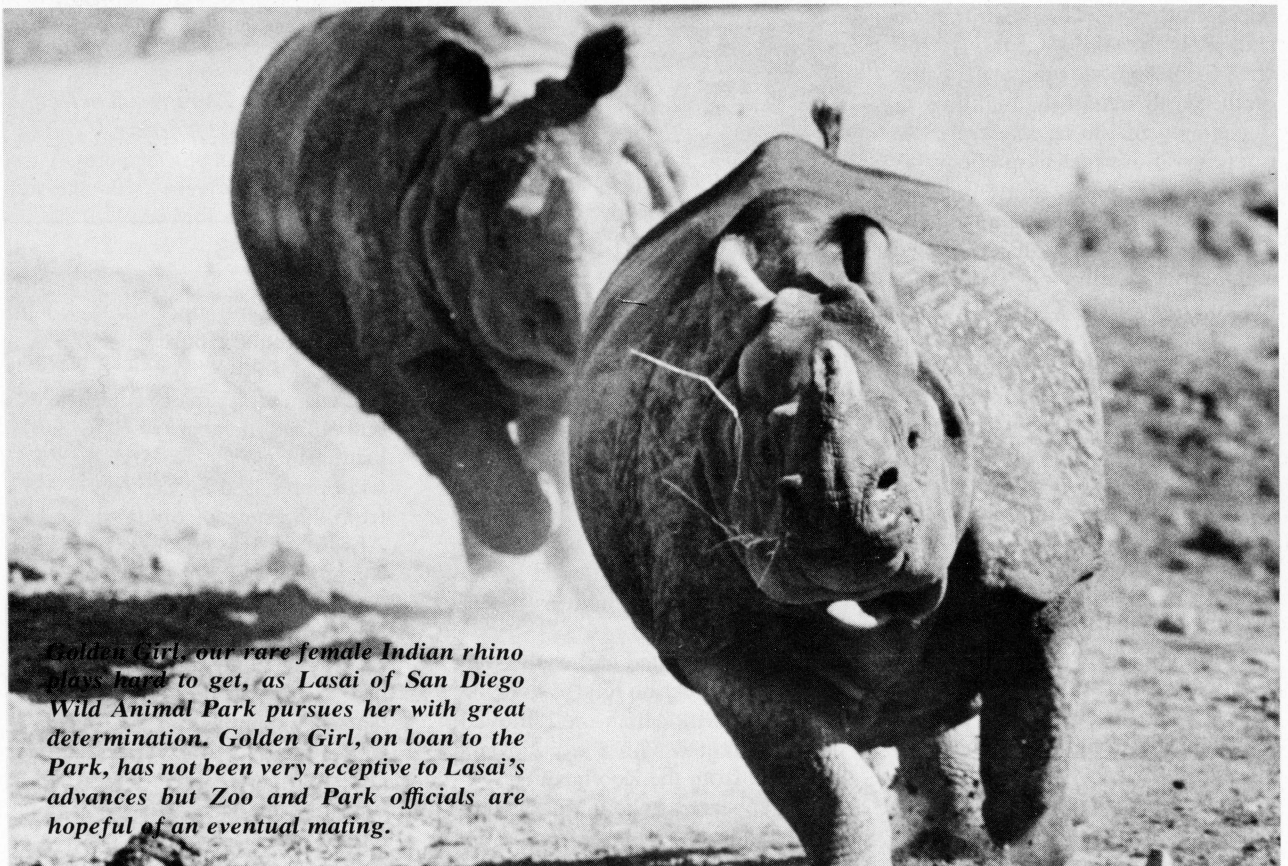
Ms. Rudnai has spent the past nine years in concentrated field study and research of lion behavior. She has authored many articles dealing with lions and has appeared on

various radio and TV talk programs around the world.

Admission to Ms. Rudnai's lecture is \$2.50 for Members and \$5.00 for non-Members. Checks should be made payable to the Zoological Society of Philadelphia. For reservations contact the Zoo's Public Relations Office at 243-1100, ext. 223. Reservations will be accepted until May 12. Seating is limited to 200 people.

Bequests

We cannot overemphasize the importance that bequests have been to the Zoo over the years. You, too, might wish the satisfaction of knowing that future generations will benefit from a mention of the Zoo in your will. To discuss how this may be done either with you or with your attorney, please write or call the Development Officer at the Zoo, 34th Street and Girard Avenue, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19104. (215) 243-1100, ext. 222.



Golden Girl, our rare female Indian rhino plays hard to get, as Lasai of San Diego Wild Animal Park pursues her with great determination. Golden Girl, on loan to the Park, has not been very receptive to Lasai's advances but Zoo and Park officials are hopeful of an eventual mating.

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