TReeS News No.57

(UK supplement)

This is the second TReeS Newsletter to be compiled in Peru by the TReeS Peru team.

We are also very pleased to have a high profile sponsor in Crazy Jack Organic Foods from around the world for this edition of the new Newsletter.

TReeS AGM - Saturday 13th October

The TReeS AGM will be held at the Dept. of Anthropology, DICE, Eliot College Annexe, University of Kent, Canterbury, Saturday 13th November, 2.30-4.30pm (Getting there: by train travel to Canterbury West station, buses pass from the town centre for the University; if driving it is about 1 mile from the central ring road along the A290 (Whitstable Road).

Michael Alexiades will speak and show a video about the Ese'eja ancestral territories reconstruction project, including a video of the trip made to the headwaters of the Rio Heath (Sonene) and the recently published Ese'eja bilingual health manual. There will also be updates on all current projects.

New TReeS London Library location -

The TReeS London library will be relocated from early October to -

Triple Line Consulting, 1 Princeton Court, 55 Felsham Road, London SW15 1AZ rebecca@tripleline.com
Tel: 020 8788 4666

The Library is open Mon-Fri (10-4pm) but any one wanting to visit the Library should contact Triple Line prior to visiting.

UK Libraries: Forthcoming deposits -

- a paper entitled: 'Natural resource use and protected areas: analysis of conflicts in La Torre community and the Tambopata National Reserve'.
- a paper entitled: 'Geophagy in the Amazon: Mammalian and Avian utilization of clay licks in Amazonian Peru'.
- a newspaper article entitled: 'Butterflies in the heart of Madre de Dios.'
- a report entitled: 'Peruvian Amazon Biodiversity Research Project: Bahauja Research Station - 2001 Annual Report'.

- a detailed leaflet about the 'Vilcabamba-Amboro' conservation corridor extending from central Bolivia to central Peru, plus a report entitled: 'Perfil del Ecosistema Forestal de Vilcabamba-Amboro.'
- a technical report entitled: 'Sustento tecnico de la actividad maderera del pequeno extractor de madera en el Madre de Dios'.
- a paper entitled: 'Enriquecimiento de Castana en claros naturales en Madre de Dios (untranslated);

TReeS Merchandise: Books -

- * NEW 'Ayahuasca Reader: Encounters with the Amazon's sacred vine': a wide range of extracts from over 30 texts about the ayahuasca experience. These include indigenous mythic narratives and narratives related by western travelers, scientists and writers; 250 pages. TReeS Price £20 (RRP £21).
- * NEW 'Wizard of the Upper Amazon': an extraordinary document of life amongst the Huni Kui indigenous group of the northern Peruvian Amazon at the turn of the C19th/C20th and the mixing of human, animal and dream worlds; 200 pages. TReeS Price -£13 (RRP £14).
- * NEW 'Andes to Amazon': a beautiful and substantial (336 pages) coffee-table book published in Peru covering the Tambopata (Peru) and Madidi (Bolivia) regions, with superb photos by TReeS member A.Bartschi.

TReeS special price - £48 (RRP - £60), plus £7 UK postage. This is a one-off opportunity: only 2 copies are still available on a first come first served basis - please send a separate cheque for any other purchases.

* 'Salud para Todos': a practical manual providing details of 80+ medicinal plants their cultivation, preparation and uses, published by TReeS & FENAMAD, 287 pages. New stock now available. Price - £15.

(All prices include postage and packing) (Full merchandise list available on request - it will be sent out again with the next Newsletter)

Peruvian Portraits

An exhibition of photos of indigenous people of the Iquitos area, melding documentary style with the dramatic. The Peruvian photographer Javier Silva Meinel poses his subjects with animals and fishes native to the region.

Zelda Cheatle Gallery, 99 Mount St., London W1 (14th Sept-5th Nov, Tues- Fri (10-6pm) & Sat (11-4pm).

