## **ZOOLOGICAL SOCIETY REPORT**

## **FEBRUARY 2013**

Curators Maggie Tarasewicz and Theresa Donarski are in Wheeling, WV for professional development with the AZA.

We are finalizing the acquisition of two Arabian camels, three Tunis sheep, three Barbados blackbelly sheep and six Nigerian dwarf goats as part of our "Get Closer!" summer campaign that will include the return of camel rides and a new Barnyard Safari.

We have hired Gianna O'Keefe to be the new RZS marketing and resource development manager. She brings with her over 20 years of experience in our market and will commence work on the 18<sup>th</sup> of February.

We have implemented iPads at all of our major cash transaction points and are optimistic that these will improve customer service, tracking trends and inventory management.

I will be speaking at the Founders' Rotary Club meeting on Friday the 22<sup>nd</sup>.

Respectfully submitted,

Jay R. Christie

President and CEO