ZOOLOGICAL SOCIETY REPORT

MARCH 2014

- Rudy the red-tailed hawk, and Gateway mascot, has arrived. She is doing well and settling in to her new surroundings.
- We have started the process of hiring for our seasonal Barnyard Safari positions. This area will be open for Egg-stravaganza on April 19th
- The Transvaal lions have been formally introduced and breeding behavior was observed.
- Confirmed that our baby woodchuck is in utero in Iowa. He or she will be here next month and should make a great addition to our education animal ambassador program.
- We had a security breech on Sunday, March 9 at 12:35am. The police responded but the intruder was not apprehended.
- We will be building a temporary baby animal nursery in the Benstead Discovery Center in anticipation of another baby boom this year.

Respectfully submitted,

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