

August 22, 2011

Mark Hagen



Dear Mark,

On behalf of the Canadian World Parrot Trust I would like to thank you for your generous gift of \$1,000.00 made on July 22, 2011. Enclosed please find your charitable tax receipt in that amount.

The past few months have seen the CWPT involved in several exciting conservation, welfare and education projects. Working in conjunction with our US and UK branches we're now undertaking projects in Puerto Rico, Mexico, Honduras, Costa Rica, Guatemala, Brazil, Bolivia, Belize, Bonaire, Cameroon, Uganda, the Democratic Republic of the Congo, India and Indonesia.

Some of our most recent work includes:

- Providing emergency support through our *FlyFree* initiative to the ECHO Project as they scrambled to deal with an unexpected arrival of some 80 additional Yellow-shouldered Amazon babies, saved from poachers by government officials in Bonaire.
- Providing funds to the Uganda Wildlife Education Center (UWEC) to help provide for the housing, rehabilitation and dietary needs of Grey Parrots confiscated from the Democratic Republic of the Congo.
- Providing the Lwiro Primate Sanctuary with emergency resources to care for over 500 Grey Parrots thrust upon them with little notice as a result of an unexpected confiscation in the Democratic Republic of the Congo.
- Supporting the efforts to finally end the wild caught parrot trade in Asia, Africa and Latin America.

For the forthcoming year we are looking forward to extending our efforts into education, conservation and research to projects that include the launching of an online seminar resource delivering live and on-demand interactive presentations on parrot conservation, welfare and care.

Each year the World Parrot Trust continues to advance its mission of saving parrots in the wild and enhancing the lives of parrots in captivity. Thanks to your support, we will continue to make great strides towards achieving this goal!

Best wishes,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Michelle Kooistra". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Michelle Kooistra
Administrator, Canadian World Parrot Trust

P.S. Please visit our website at www.parrots.org, to learn more about the work being done by the World Parrot Trust, including updates on our latest projects and how your donation is being put to good use. Watch for our re-vamped website, coming soon, which will focus even more attention on the incredible parrots that share our world.