

NEWSLETTER  
ANIMAL BEHAVIOR SOCIETY  
SECTION (DIVISION) ANIMAL BEHAVIOR AND SOCIOBIOLOGY

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American Society of Zoologists  
Ecological Society of America

NOMINATIONS: The Nominating Committee (Donald Dewsbury, Stuart Altmann, Paul Siegel) has submitted the following list of candidates for the 1980 election, for terms of office beginning July 1981:

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Vitae of the candidates and a ballot will appear in the August Newsletter. Additional nominations may be made by a letter signed by at least five ABS members and accompanied by an indication that the nominee is willing to serve if elected. These materials must be received by the ABS Secretary (D. G. Kleiman) by 15 July 1980. A complete list of current officers and chairpersons is included in this Newsletter. Please retain for future reference.

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ABS ANNUAL MEETING: JUNE 9-13, 1980. COLORADO STATE UNIVERSITY, FORT COLLINS

Invited paper sessions include:

- (1) Female social strategies; organized by Sam Wasser (Univ. of Wash.) (one day).
- (2) Structure and evolution of carnivore social systems; organized by Marc Bekoff, Michael Wells (Univ. of Colorado) and Peter Waser (Purdue Univ.) ( $\frac{1}{2}$  day).
- (3) Laterality; organized by Ira Perelle (Mercy College) ( $\frac{1}{2}$  day).

Keynote Speaker: Dr. R. A. Hinde (Cambridge), Ethology and the Social Sciences.

Banquet Speaker: Dr. Valerius Geist (Calgary).

For information on the program, contact: Joan Lockard, RI-20, Univ. of Wash., Seattle, WA. 98195 (206-543-3494). For housing and registration information, contact Animal Behavior Conference, Conferences and Institutes, Colorado State Univ., Ft. Collins, CO. 80523 (303-491-6222). The local host is Philip Lehner.

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REGIONAL MEETINGS: The 1981 Midwest Regional Meeting will be held at Iowa State Univ., Ames, IA. from 27 to 29 March 1981. The theme of the meetings will be wildlife behavioral ecology. Topics for the three main sessions of contributed and invited papers are: 1) Predator/prey behavioral ecology, 2) Waterfowl behavioral ecology and 3) Social organization and the environment. There will also be an open session of contributed papers and an evening film session. For additional information, contact William Franklin, Dept. of Animal Ecology, Iowa State Univ., Ames, IA. 50011 (515-294-1240).

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The 1980 Northeastern Regional Meeting will be held at SUNY-Binghamton, N.Y. from November 1-2, 1980. There will be two Plenary Sessions, one focussed on Animal Orientation and Navigation (organized by William Keeton). Keynote Speaker will be Richard Alexander. Two social gatherings are planned, a wine and cheese gathering prior to the Keynote address, and a Halloween reception costume party on October 31 (members should come as the animal they study). Papers and posters are invited; a call for abstracts will be mailed directly to northeastern regional ABS members. Students interested in free housing with SUNY-Binghamton graduate students should so indicate immediately. Registration fees, \$10 (students \$7), with checks payable to NE Regional Behavior Meeting, are due by 30 August 1980. For information contact: R. Stimson Wilcox, Dept. Biol. Sciences, SUNY-Binghamton, Binghamton, N.Y. 13901 (607-798-2423).

DEADLINE FOR RECEIPT OF MATERIALS FOR THE AUGUST NEWSLETTER IS 15 JULY 1980.

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APPLICATIONS FOR INVITATIONS, XVIIth INTERNATIONAL ETHOLOGICAL CONFERENCE  
1-9 September 1981; Oxford, England

Canadian ethologists: Individuals interested in being considered for an invitation should write for an application form to: Jacques Bovet, Département de Biologie, Université Laval, Québec, Qué. Canada G1K 7P4. Invitations will not be issued to individuals who do not apply. Deadline for submitting applications is 1 September 1980.

U. S. Ethologists: Individuals who are interested in being considered for an invitation must submit ten copies of the application form to M. Bekoff (USECC Secretary), Dept. EPO Biol., Univ. of Colorado, Box 334, Boulder, CO 80309 by 1 August 1980. Instructions on applying for an invitation and application forms appeared in the February Newsletter. Copies are available from either M. Bekoff or D. G. Kleiman, Nat'l Zool. Park, Wash., D.C. 20008.

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ASZ MEETING ANNOUNCEMENT

The Animal Behavior Society will meet with the American Society of Zoologists (ASZ) and six other organizations including the Ecological Society of America, Canadian Society of Zoologists, Western Society of Naturalists and the Society of Systematic Zoology in Seattle, Washington from December 27-30, 1980.

ABS and the Division of Animal Behavior of ASZ will cosponsor contributed paper sessions. Plans also include a business meeting and a joint social with the Ecological Society of America and the ASZ's Ecology Division. The following symposium is being cosponsored by ABS and the ASZ Division of Animal Behavior:

From Individual to Species Recognition: Theories and Mechanisms, organized by Michael Beecher, University of Washington.

Recognition by one animal of biologically significant traits in another is a critical aspect of many social interactions. This symposium will examine recognition processes from a variety of perspectives, to clarify the concept's more general significance in ethology and evolutionary biology. A variety of biological contexts will be examined, including recognition of species, kin, dialect group, and social status. Among the speakers will be M. Beecher, W. Holmes, P. Sherman, D. Cheney, R. Seyfarth, S. Rohwer, M. Baker, C. Gerhard, R. Hoy, S. Rothstein, and P. Marler.

Meeting plans include 19 other symposia, among them (1) Theoretical Ecology: To What Extent Has it Added to our Understanding of the Natural World (organized by Malcolm S. Gordon, and honoring the contributions of G. Evelyn Hutchinson), (2) Lizard Ecology: Studies on a Model Organism (organized by Raymond B. Huey, Eric R. Pianka, and Thomas W. Schoener), and (3) Fish Reproduction and Development. There will also be contributed papers, special programs, a job placement service, several socials, trips and tours, and an activity room for children. Bargain hotel rates, low registration fees, and group airline rates make this a very affordable meeting. CONTRIBUTED PAPERS IN ANIMAL BEHAVIOR ARE ESPECIALLY WELCOME (abstract deadline is August 15). For more information on the Seattle meeting plans (including a complete list of symposia) and/or membership in ASZ and the Division of Animal Behavior, complete the form below or call the ASZ Business Manager, Mary Wiley (805-492-3585).

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Send a brochure and abstract forms for the Seattle meeting of the Animal Behavior Society, American Society of Zoologists and six other organizations

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Send information and an application form for membership in the American Society of Zoologists and its Division of Animal Behavior

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(name and complete mailing address including zip code)

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Mail this form to: Mary Wiley, American Society of Zoologists, Box 2739 California Lutheran College, Thousand Oaks, California 91360.

SQEBC 5th ANNUAL MEETING: La Societé Québécoise pour l'Etude Biologique du Comportement (Quebec Society for the Biological Study of Behavior) will hold its 1980 Annual Meeting at the University of Québec, Rimouski, Québec from 7 to 9 November 1980. Short communications will be given by participants (in French or English) and guest speakers will be invited to discuss special topics. For registration and further information, contact: Jean Ferron, Dept. Sciences Pures, Université du Québec, Rimouski, Québec, Canada G5L 3A1.

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COLONIAL WATERBIRD GROUP: The Fourth Annual Meeting of the Colonial Waterbird Group, cosponsored by CWG and The Canadian Wildlife Service, will be held in Ottawa, Canada, from 9 to 12 October 1980. A symposium is planned on the effects of humans on colonial birds, and a Proceedings will be published. Anyone wishing to contribute to the symposium should send an abstract to J. Burger by 1 August 1980. Abstracts for contributed papers must be received by 1 September 1980. Contact: J. Burger, Dept. Biol., Livingston College, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, N. J. 08903. For information on registration, contact R. Michael Erwin, Migratory Bird and Habitat Research Labs., U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Laurel, MD 20811.

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CRUSTACEAN SOCIETY: A formal society to serve as a focal point for studies of all aspects of crustacean biology has been formed. The Crustacean Society's goals include the prompt publication of members' shorter manuscripts on crustacean biology in a journal to begin publication in 1981. Membership in the Society is open to anyone interested in Crustacea. To join, contact: The Crustacean Society, c/o R. B. Manning, IZ-NHB-W323, Smithsonian Institution, Washington, D. C. 20560.

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ANIMAL BEHAVIOR: To obtain back issues of the Animal Behavior Bulletin (Vol. 1-9; 1938-1951), Journal (Vol. 1-27; 1953-1979), and Monographs (Vol. 1-6; 1968-1973), contact Ms. Nichola Lewis, Marketing Department, Bailliere Tindall, 35 Red Lion Square, London WC1 4SG England for information.

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ABS GUIDELINES FOR ANIMAL CARE: The ABS membership voted to adopt the proposed "Guidelines for Animal Care" in the recent ballot. A total of only 72 ballots were cast.

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