



Colobus Conservation

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In the month of July, Colobus Conservation has been able to continue with their mandate in promoting the habitat of the Colobus Angolensis and ensuring their protection. It is within this month that the IUCN has updated the status of the Angolan Colobus monkey (*Colobus angolensis*) from Least Concern to Vulnerable. Now more than ever, Colobus Conservation has to enhance their conservation and animal welfare efforts to save this unique species from the threat of extinction



Colobridge Survey

In the month of July, a unique survey was carried out by both the team and volunteers. The colobridge survey, was a scientific survey aimed at assessing the colobridge use by the primates as well as assessing the vehicle volume on Diani's roads. This information will be used to assess the risks facing the primates on the roads! Colobus Conservation would like to thank everybody who made the survey a success!



Tree nursery

As part of the restoration program, Colobus Conservation continues to maintain the tree nursery and stocking it with indigenous trees. The trees are made available for visitors visiting the organization for purchase and planting.



Animal Care

Animal care continues uninterrupted with the monkeys undergoing rehabilitation for potential release back into the wild. In the month of July, we received one monkey into our rehabilitation program. The monkey "Moby" was rescued when his mother was attacked and killed by dogs. Through the authorities, Moby was brought down to Colobus Conservation where he was integrated into the nursery ready to start his journey towards release.



Animal rescue

In the month of July, the animal welfare team attended to 16 welfare callouts. The summary is as below

Species	Electrocution	Natural Fighting	Illness	Poaching	Dog Attack	Road Traffic Accident	Total
Colobus	1	2					3
Vervet	1	3	2	1			7
Sykes	2					1	3
Baboon				2			2
Monitor Lizard					1		1
Total	4	5	2	3	1	1	16

Orphan Care

With the demise of Lincoln, Uno, the ex-pet infant's health deteriorated. His behavior changed as well and was no longer playing with other monkeys. This prompted the animal welfare team to remove the infant from the nursery and place him in 24hour orphan care. Once his health is back and has been given clearance by the vet, he will be re-introduced back into the nursery enclosure where he can play and integrate with other monkeys.



Special Visit

The month of July, the Kenya Wildlife Service team visited Colobus Conservation. The visit was to enhance our working relationship with the wildlife authorities. This successful visit provided a platform for both organizations to discuss challenges and solutions in their work as well as learn more about each other.



Events Corner

Due to unavoidable circumstances, the annual fundraiser Golf on the Beach (GOTB) has been postponed till further notice.



Special Thanks

We would like to thank Base Titanium for their continued support in our work. Through your organization, we have been able to undertake projects that would have otherwise been limited. For that we say **Asante Sana!!**

