

โครงการคืนชะนีสู่ป่า Gibbon Rehabilitation Project



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1. Name – Aimee May
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3. Education/Profession – Student – Biological Sciences
4. Age – 22
5. Length of Volunteering - 3 months

6. Describe your favourite day – Any day that the gibbons have mango for lunch. This is definitely their favourite fruit, and they get very excited to eat it. Best of all, they can often be seen with beautiful orange beards of mango juice around their faces afterwards!

7. Describe your funniest moment at GRP – Kluay, our cute little langur, loves to play with the water hose when I'm cleaning the cage. One day he was curiously putting his fingers through the jet of water, then got a bit too adventurous, putting his whole hand over the nozzle. Much to his surprise, this sprayed water everywhere, getting him a little bit wet! His shocked face and little shake afterwards definitely made me chuckle.

8. Describe one of the gibbon/langur characters that you feel you have gotten to know a little bit during your stay here – Mai is one of my favourite gibbons. He is unfortunately blind, but he is such a character. Like me, he isn't a big fan of early mornings, and you'll usually find him up in the corner having a nice snooze when you first arrive at the rest centre. You have to call him down for the morning feed, then he'll gently feel around his basket, pick up a piece of food, and give it a suspect lick before deciding whether he approves. One of his favourites is peanuts, although he prefers to peel the skin off first! I will definitely miss watching him and his adorable ways.