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A Rocha Peru E-News

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*"The goal of life is to make your heartbeat match the beat of the universe,
to match your nature with Nature." Joseph Campbell*



La Libertad Dry Forest Project news

2021 is off to a great start and, in spite of COVID, La Libertad Dry Forest Project is making significant strides on our goal to help communities restore, the dry forests.

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Expanding conservation in the north

A Rocha Peru work has been working in collaboration with conservation practitioners and experts to develop some new conservation programs.

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Birding around

On May 8, 2021, A Rocha Peru participated in a global one-day event called the John Stott Memorial Birding Day to commemorate, celebrate and continue John Stott's legacy as a theologian, pastor, and birdwatcher in his centenary year.

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A visit from UTEC

On May 26, Dr. Patrick Venail Zorro, the Director of Environmental Engineering and of the Center for Water Research and Technology (CITA) at the University of Engineering and Technology (UTEC) in Lima, visited our project in Pacasamayo. The objective of his visit was to learn more about the Dry Forest Project La Libertad and obtain material to create a new video for students entering an Environmental Engineering career. We look forward to future collaborations with UTEC.



Introducing our new partner

A Rocha Peru is delighted to announce our new collaboration with GZB. We will be partnering on our new Creation Care Program, Iglesia Verde, starting in July 2021. We will train at least 90 leaders and members of churches and Christian institutions in the biblical principle of Creation Care.



Thank you for all your support

A HUGE thank you to all our donors including Interaction Foundation, Watershed Foundation, Aatop, CGK, Climate Stewards, and a number of individual donors from across the world. The incredible support and generosity help us to continue with our important conservation work. We invite you to continue sharing our link for our GlobalGiving current campaign.

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Team News

We are also pleased to welcome a new team member to A Rocha Peru, Andrea Mitzy Regalado Gálvez, our new Project Officer for the Iglesia Verde Project from July 2021.

Welcome, Andrea!!

We would also like to say a big thank you to all our volunteers who have provided time and energy to our projects. They are (in alphabetical order): Hannah Wilkinson and Nataly Landa Huaman. Please read more about our [current team members](#) on our website.



Some interesting reads

Climate Stewards, [Safer, Healthier & Greener Cooking in Peru](#) (p3)

A Rocha, [Endangered Species](#) (Field Notes, issue 64, p11)

Paula Banza, [Playing God? Deciding which species should live and die](#)



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