



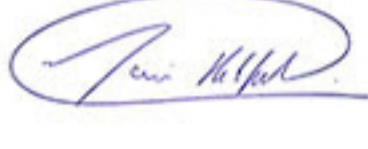
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### Together we are more!

New bases, new partnerships and more and more people working together for a better world, taking our actions further and further. This month, the highlight is a new partnership between Onçafari and Instituto Arara Azul, an NGO renowned for its excellent work in the conservation of species. At Fazenda São Francisco do Perigara, the most recent reserve acquired and now maintained by Onçafari, we have the largest concentration of hyacinth macaws in the world, now protected by the joint efforts of this new partnership.

I am also happy to share with you that United Airlines is our newest partner for international flights. On the field, our team continues at full speed with the monitoring of jaguars, manned wolves and other species of Brazilian fauna. The work with the local communities also continues in different biomes, with emphasis on the actions of the "Aprendizes da Mata" project, in the Atlantic rainforest, at the region of Vale do Ribeira, in São Paulo.

Good reading!



**Mario Haberfeld**  
President and Founder of Onçafari

## Onçafari and Instituto Arara Azul together at Fazenda São Francisco do Perigara!

At the end of 2021, Onçafari acquired Fazenda São Francisco do Perigara, in the Pantanal of Mato Grosso. This farm is an important refuge for fauna and is also an area of extreme relevance for the conservation of hyacinth macaws, as it is home to about 15% of the world's population of this species.

Onçafari and Instituto Arara Azul begin a prosperous partnership, joining efforts to conserve Pantanal biodiversity.

The Instituto Arara Azul has been working for over 31 years to maintain hyacinth macaw populations in the wild, in their natural habitat. At Fazenda São Francisco do Perigara, the Institute has been working since 2005, monitoring reproduction and the group of macaws that form an important dormitory on the Farm. Since 2020, it has developed numerous activities to minimize the impact of fires on the property.

With the installation of camera traps, which contributes to the development of scientific knowledge about the macaws and fauna in the region, studies that serve as a guide for conservation actions are being strengthened.

This year's monitoring has already started and click below to follow the work of the field team.

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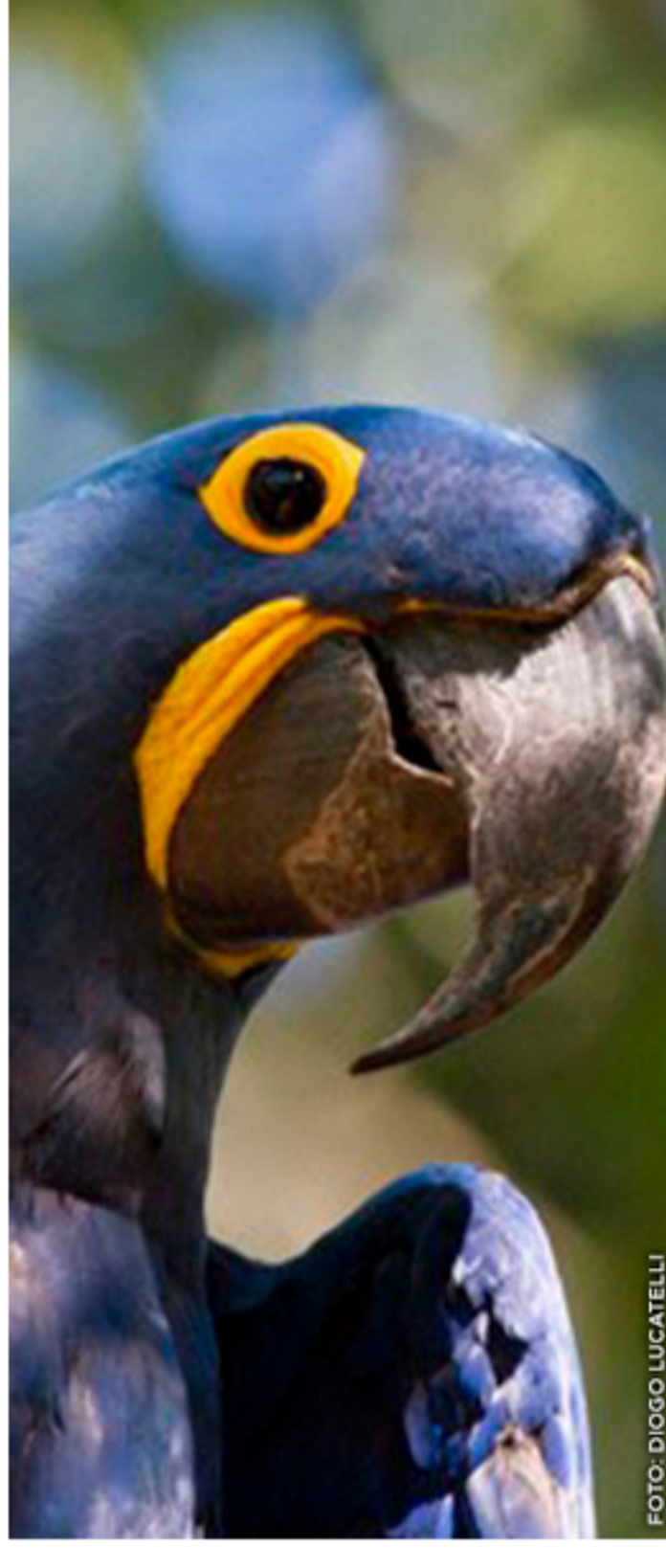


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## Aprendizes da Mata

The fundraising campaign to finance the "Aprendizes da Mata" project was a complete success and the project is taking place at Escola Estadual Profª Alice Rodrigues Motta, in Juquiá, SP!

There are about 50 students in contact with sustainable development issues. In our first virtual meetings, we learned about the relationship between human health and environmental health with [@matteuscf](#) and [@jaciara Jorge](#).

Through lectures and workshops, students learned how to compost organic waste through the takakura method with [@mudatuga](#) and through worm farms with [@biologadeise](#). We also built a vegetable garden at the school, with the support of [@legadodasaguas](#). Ecological, low-cost practices that students can implement to improve the quality of life in their communities.

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## Photo contest winners



Among amateur and professional photographers, there were 250 incredible records of Brazilian fauna and flora enrolled in the photographic contest "The future of the environment in our hands", held in celebration of Onçafari's 10th anniversary.

The winners by "popular vote" and "choice of experts" categories were João Pedro Salgado Rangel and Thiago Júnio Lima Vieira, respectively. As a prize, the two photographers had the opportunity of visiting our base in Caiman, Pantanal, in early April and were able to record not only the jaguars and fauna monitored by our team, but also rare events in nature that moved the internet.

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## Welcome aboard, United Airlines!



Another company concerned with environmental conservation joins onçafari. United's mission is to connect people and unite the world and believe in the sustainable future of aviation. We come together to make the future of conservation a reality. Starting in May, the international flights of the Onçafari team will be sponsored by United Airlines.

## Beyond jaguars and manned wolves

The white and red-eyed Easter rabbit is in the imagination of everyone. But did you know that Brazil has a rabbit with brown fur, dark eyes and short ears?



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The Tapiti cottontail rabbit (*Sylvilagus brasiliensis*) is the only species of rabbit that is native to Brazil. It occurs from Mexico to southern South America and can be found in all Brazilian biomes. It is a species of nocturnal and solitary habits, which prefers to be hidden in shelters, under rocks or inside hollow logs during the day. Unlike other rabbits, the Tapiti does not make a den during the reproductive period, it uses dry leaves or grass to make its nest, lining the interior with its own fur to house its young.

Click below to know more about the Tapiti.

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