ANNOUNCEMENT

Natal Bird Club

NATIONAL RINGING WORKSHOP

7-9 October 1994

The Natal Bird Club is pleased to announce it will host a Bird Ringing Workshop at Bonamanzi Game Park in Zululand from Friday 7 October to Sunday 9 October 1994.

The workshop is intended for anyone interested in ringing, from the novice to the experienced ringer. The focus will be on the practical side of ringing, with delegates afforded the opportunity of ringing Zululand birds. Additionally, a number of workshops on ringing topics will be held. Details will be advised once presenters and topics have been confirmed. Should you have any suggestions for workshops or would be willing to conduct a workshop, please contact GORDON HOLTSHAUSEN, the workshop organiser.

The venue for the weekend will be Bonamanzi Game Park, a privately owned reserve in Zululand, 10 km from Hluhluwe Village and \pm 5 km from Lake St Lucia. The habitat is basically sand forest and plays host to a variety of species such as Green Coucal, African Broadbill, Lemonbreasted Canary,

Pinkthroated Twinspot, Grey Waxbill, Narina Trogon, Squaretailed Drongo, Yellowspotted Nicator, Bearded Robin, Yellowbreasted Bulbul, Bluemantled Flycatcher, Neergaard's Sunbird and Rudd's Apalis.

Bonamanzi is known for its 12 tree houses. These comprise two 2-bedded rooms upstairs, with a kitchen and bathroom downstairs. Additionally, the Lalapanzi Camp has 10 2-bedded bungalows (en suite) and a communal living/cooking area overlooking a dam.

The cost for the workshop will be R180,00 per person sharing (self catering) for the weekend. Please advise your accommodation requirements together with a R40,00 deposit, made payable to the Natal Bird Club.

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