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Photo of the Month



Griffon Vulture (*Gyps fulvus*)

One of the best places to find this bird is in Dana reserve. It is a scavenger species which provides free services to human being as it feeds on carcasses of dead animals. It is considered a large bird species and easy to see as its wingspan can reach more than two meters.

Did You Know!



Did you know that Dana Reserve was established to protect a representative sample of the Juniper tree! And that Juniper seeds are used as a flavor for meat dishes!

BioBit



History of Protected Areas in Jordan

Dana was first proposed to be established as a nature reserve after the Clarke mission in 1975. which emphasized its importance to wild species of fauna and flora as well as its scenic values. It was established in 1993 and announced as the first biosphere reserve in Jordan in 1996 since it integrated conservation with socio-economic development.

Upcoming Events & Occasions

5 June
World Environment Day

July
Wild Weekly Weekends Trips

RSCN events in 2012

Have Your Say

Send us your questions, comments or even photos to:
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Go Greener!

Waste from packaging, accounts for more than 30% of all the waste generated each year. Use school supplies wrapped with minimal packaging; use compact or concentrated products; or buy products that come in bulk sizes.



Together, We Can Help People Help Nature



Amer Al-Refoa

Dana Biosphere Reserve Manager

Dana Biosphere Reserve is one of the many reserves run by The Royal Society for the Conservation of Nature. It was established in 1993 and is located in southern Jordan (in Tafila) with an area of approximately 300 km². Dana consists of a series of mountains and valleys which vary from an altitude of 1600 m above sea level to 100 m below sea level.

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RSCN News

Jordan Participates with 140 Countries to Celebrate World Migratory Bird Day

In cooperation with Birdlife International, Rangers, and Judicial Council, RSCN has celebrated World Migratory Bird Day at the Dead Sea Panorama complex.

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Solar Energy Replaces Kerosene, Gas Lanterns at Rummana Campsite

Now visitors in Dana Biosphere Reserve can enjoy a cup of Dana's famous herbal tea and watch cultural entrainment under the Kingdom's first Bedouin tent lit by solar energy.

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Clean-up Campaign in the Zai Region in As Salt

RSCN in cooperation with the Public Warehousing Company - Agility and Ro'ya TV conducted a cleanup activity in the Zai Region in Salt.

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RSCN has Celebrated International Biodiversity Day at the Wild Jordan Center

In celebration of the International Biodiversity Day, RSCN in cooperation with the Jordanian Society for Microbial Biodiversity present lecture "The Importance of Microbial Biodiversity" presented by Nura Abboud.

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Zafer Toubasi Donated to RSCN

RSCN invited the student Zafer Toubasi from Mashrek International School to know the details of his calendar design that contains pictures of endangered animals around the world.

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The Ultimate Eco-Experience

Located on Jordan's biggest natural reserves and surrounded by over 300 km² of beautiful wadi landscape, the Feynan Ecologde is a well-kept secret.

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World Environmental News

In a Pristine Rain Forest, the Rare Okapi

EPULU, Democratic Republic of Congo - I awoke shortly after dawn to a natural orchestra of sounds drifting through the Congolese rain forest. Ten pygmies with razor-sharp arrows and bows were milling about outside my window.

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wild weekly weekends

Craving adventure but dreading all the planning? Let Wild Jordan do all the work and be assured you're getting the best deal for your money. The best part is that we take care of it all.

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	Thu	Fri	Sat
7th - 8th Azraq Wetland Reserve Lodge & Village Biking Tour 51 JD RSCN members 58 JD non-members			
9th Mujib Biosphere Reserve - Siq trail			
14th - 15th Ajloun Forest Reserve Chalets & Rock Rose Trail 53 JD RSCN members 60 JD non-members			
16th Mujib Biosphere Reserve - Siq trail			
21st - 22nd Mujib Biosphere Reserve Chalets & Malaqi Trail 61 JD RSCN members 71 JD non-members			
23rd Mujib Biosphere Reserve - Siq trail			
28th - 29th Dana Biosphere Reserve Rummana & Wadi Dana Trail 55 JD RSCN members 63 JD non-members			
30th Mujib Biosphere Reserve - Siq trail			

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