



APW January/February 2010 News

We are pleased to announce that APW is now on Facebook. Visit <http://www.facebook.com/group.php?gid=308669200465&ref=mf> and invite your friends to chat with us!

We have plenty of good news to report for the beginning of 2010. Please find the following highlights below:

We are thrilled to announce that APW has received a generous two year award from the Regina Bauer Frankenberg Foundation for our Maasailand Lion Conservation Program. This grant will help us in our efforts to reduce conflicts between people and lions with the installation of our unique Living Walls, through better habitat protection with the support of a new team of village game scouts and through the continued education of Maasai youth in lion ecology and behavior.

For those of you who have generously contributed to our Living Walls project (http://www.afrpw.org/projects?q=projects/living_walls), we have received support from Google Earth Pro to upload the coordinates and details of our Living Walls. More information will be available soon. We will resume our Living Wall installations as soon as the current rains subside and the conditions are suitable for planting the *Commiphora africana* trees.

APW is proud to announce our new Noloholo Youth Environmental Scholarship Program. In our first year, three Maasai children have been awarded scholarships to attend the Moringe Private School outside of Arusha following a detailed application and interview process. All of our scholars were participants in our wildlife clubs and will continue to mentor this year's wildlife club members as part of their scholarship's community service requirement. If you would like to support a scholar in 2011, please contact APW at info@afrpw.org or visit our scholarship page for more information at http://www.afrpw.org/content/environmental_scholarships.