

Indonesia
The Spread and Enlargement of the 'Green Wall'
News from the Field

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## **Progress Reports on Monitoring and Reforestation**

The trees continue to grow well. In addition to regular monitoring by the community and the national park staff, army members who are regularly contributing to the Green Wall program also assisted in monitoring.



Monitoring and maintenance of trees together with army members

#### **Institutional Arrangement and Capacity Building**

The village cooperative received a letter of certification from the Indonesian government. Receiving permission from the government is a very important first step on the road to selling products on the market.



Village cooperative members show the letter of certification from the government



### **Strengthening the Media Plan and Communication**

In November 2015, national park staff visited our project site. The 70 participants from 30 national parks learned about our Green Wall Project and will now implement similar projects in their respective parks.



National parks staff visit the Green Wall Project

# Sign Boards

Each month we monitor the condition of four sign boards. All sign boards are in top condition and require no maintenance.



Sign board 1 (October 2015)



Sign board 1 (November 2015)



Sign board 1 (December 2015)



Sign board 2 (October 2015)



Sign board 2 (November 2015)



Sign board 2 (December 2015)





Sign board 3 (October 2015)



Sign board 3 (November 2015)



Sign board 3 (December 2015)



Sign board 4 (October 2015)



Sign board 4 (November 2015)



Sign board 4 (December 2015)

#### Year of the Gibbon 2015

To commemorate the International Year of the Gibbon 2015 and International Gibbon Day on October 24, we held conservation-related events in support of the Javan gibbon. The events were aimed at raising awareness of the importance of protecting the Javan gibbon and its habitat. Numerous competitions were held, including a Javan gibbon conservation coloring contest for elementary school students, a Javan gibbon drawing contest for middle and high school students, and gibbon face painting for teachers. Approximately 135 students and teachers from 55 schools enthusiastically took part in the events.



Coloring





Drawing



Face painting

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