



a Royal Dutch Zoological Society (KNDV) symposium

Biophysical Approaches to Zoology

8 June 2011

A farewell symposium for the Managing Editor of *Animal Biology*: Dr. Mees Muller

**Dierenpark Amersfoort (Amersfoort Zoo)
Barchman Wuyterslaan 224, Amersfoort**

Registration at www.kndv.nl (symposium participation is free).

The programme starts at 13:00 h, registered participants have free access to the zoo already from 9:00 h on 8 June.

Programme:

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| 13:00 h | Coffee/tea, room Chit Mimi in restaurant "De Olifant" |
| 13:30 | Welcome by Dr. Lia Hemerik (symposium organisation), room Indra |
| 13:35 | Opening by Prof.Dr. Johan van Leeuwen (symposium chair) |
| 13:40 | Dr. Robin Wootton (University of Exeter)
"Simple models in animal mechanics" |
| 14:20 | Dr. Peter Aerts (Functional Morphology, University of Antwerp, Wilrijk)
"Animal morphology and morphosis: useful insights for roboticists" |
| 15:00 | Coffee/tea
General Annual Meeting for members of the Royal Dutch Zoological Society (KNDV) |
| 16:00 | Dr. Mees Muller (Experimental Zoology, Wageningen University)
"Brownian motion of hair cell mechanoreceptors" |
| 16:20 | Dr. David Lentink (Experimental Zoology, Wageningen University)
"Swifts have an edge on drag reduction" |
| 16:40 | Dr. Marcel van Oijen (Van Hall Larenstein, Wageningen University)
"Animal Biology: a backstage look?" |
| 17:00 | Laudatio by Prof.Dr. Nico van Straalen (president KNDV) |
| 17:10 | Informal drinks |