

Update on the Brazilian merganser – 26.11.2015

As we reported in the last update we collected 8 eggs from 2 different pairs in two different areas.

From the 8 eggs we have 8 birds and they are exactly 4 pairs. 100 % success!!



Today they are still in our well-protected nursery and in January 2016 we will move them to the new aviary for adolescence. We built the ponds, but now we still have to do the fence.



In this area they can become adults and this will be only in their second year.

Around March 2017 they will start to pair up and then we have to separate them. We will be able to tell by the ring which bird from which area has chosen whom. Then we need for every pair a breeding aviary.

In the beginning of 2016 we have to build the breeding aviaries.
If it's possible we would be happy if you could support this project again.

Thank you very much,

Robert Frank Kooj
project manager



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