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rom the Vereda del Lago, the Vice-President of the Public Works and Services Sector, G/J Néstor Reverol, swore in 3,011 promoter teams that have joined the Master Plan for the Rescue, Conservation and Sustainable Development of Lake Maracaibo.

With this swearing-in, the first phase of the Route for the Lake concluded, after a dialogue of knowledge in 27 municipalities and 76 parishes in the states of Zulia, Mérida, Táchira and Trujillo.

"In this deployment, a multidisciplinary team from

Ecosocialismo, Iclam, Comunas, Bolivarian Militia. FANB, CPNB, People's Guard, Mayors' Offices, Governors' Offices and different expressions the Popular Power participated, who together with the Presidential Commission towards а common objective which is to recover the great water reservoir and improve the quality of life of all the people of Zulia", said Reverol.

The Presidential Commission for the Rescue, Conservation and Sustainable Development of Lake Maracaibo began its work on August 2, one week after the announcement of the President of the Republic, Nicolás Maduro, on the activation of a "special plan of attention, decontamination and recovery" of this Zulian icon.

To fulfill this task, he also appointed the Minister of Electric Energy, who since that moment has carried out, together with the other authorities, several working days to advance with this commitment and demand of the people of Zulia.



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ed by the Minister of People's Power for Ecosocialism, Josué Lorca and the Governor of Aragua State, Karina Carpio, the 50th anniversary of the National Parks Institute (Inparques) was celebrated with a series of events at the Henri Pittier National Park.

The Minister of Ecosocialism led the unveiling of a bust in honor of Henri Pittier, "in recognition of the man of nature who opened the natural sciences in Venezuela".

He also participated in the graduation and promotion ceremony of park rangers and forest firefighters that took place throughout the country.

"This year more than 1,071 forest firefighters have graduated, as well as more than 300 park rangers have been certified as Higher University Technicians (TSU) in Environmental Evaluation

from the Bolivarian University of Venezuela (UBV)," he said.

He pointed out that the action is an "effort of President Nicolás Maduro, who has called to always strengthen education and training for the improvement in the care of protected natural areas".

He emphasized that Inparques Small Park Rangers Program has reached its 26th anniversary and already has more than 3,000 enlisted and trained boys and girls, "who every weekend go to the different national parks", he said.

He recalled that "the National Parks System in Venezuela is made up of 44 national parks, 37 natural monuments and 65 recreational parks, covering more than 30 million hectares".

"There are 5,800 park rangers, 2,600 firefighters and more than 2,400 administrative

workers who protect 22% of the territory, in which 80% of the water consumed by Venezuelans is found, more than 60% of the national tourism is done, all telecommunications are based and the heart of the biodiversity of Venezuela and the world is found", detailed Lorca.

The governor of Aragua, Karina Carpio, said that "five municipalities cover 107,000 hectares of Henri Pittier National Park, which is at the disposal of the people".

"Inparques is 50 years old and to whom are we going to hand over the witness of everything we are doing. The delivery is here in the preparation of all these men and women who have fallen in love with a territory and are being trained," he said.







Shared with Park Rangers and Forest Firefighters

Minister Lorca visited the "Andrew Field" trail in Henri Pitier National Park

s part of the commemorative activities for the 50th anniversary of the National Parks Institute (Inparques), the Minister of People's Power for Ecosocialism, Josué Lorca, visited the "Andrew Field" trail, located in Henri Pittier National Park.

In the place that has more than 2 kilometers and is approximately 1,200 meters above sea level (m.a.s.l.) and 20 meters from the Rancho Grande Biological Station, the Minister of Ecosocialism shared with the members of the Civilian Corps of Park Rangers and members of

the Forest Fire Department, to relate the environmental, historical and scientific legacy of the site.

"We are among three 'Gyranthera caribensis', the reason for the study of the person who died in this space, giving life and name to this trail," he said.

He pointed out that, "the 'Andrew Field' trail is a dream created for Andrew, because he wanted to show that the love he had for this cloud forest could be connected to society, to the people, and that is why, taking advantage of the existing trails, he thought of

the creation of this interpretive trail, which brings us closer to this exuberant vegetation," he said.

"In this space are 'The three children', being these the tallest trees of our national territory, with an estimated average age of 10,700 years," he explained.

Lorca also extended an invitation to all residents, including students and young people to visit and discover the wonders that Henri Pittier National Park has to offer.



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More than 3 thousand children participate in this program

Small Park Rangers of Inparques Program celebrates its 26th anniversary

total of 25 children and young people were sworn in to join the ranks of the Small Park Rangers of the National Institute of Parks (Inparques), as part of the celebration of the 26th anniversary of this program developed by this entity attached to the Ministry of People's Power for Ecosocialism (Minec).

The swearing-in ceremony was held at the headquarters of the Civil Park Rangers Corps, located on Francisco de Miranda Avenue, in front of the Recreational Park of the same name, in the municipality of Sucre, Miranda State.

The Pequeños Guardaparques is currently made up of more than

3,000 boys and girls distributed throughout the national territory.

"This is one of the most beautiful and beautiful programs that the whole Venezuelan nation has", said the head of the Minec, Josué Lorca.



Small Park Rangers attend every weekend to different national parks





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To preserve the species

Merida hosted National Meeting for the Conservation of the Frontino Bear



Researchers, organizations, communities, institutions and students participated

National Meeting the Conservation of the Frontino Bear 2023, began this week in the auditorium of the Foundation for the Development of Science and Technology (Fundacite) in the state of Merida, a where researchers, space organizations, communities, and institutions students, knowledge exchanged strengthened capacities, with the purpose of addressing the threats that put this emblematic species of the Andean region in danger of extinction.

Biologist Robert Márquez, developed a workshop called "Design, Survey and Analysis for Monitoring the Occupation of Andean Bears", which kicked off the conference.

Likewise, Marcos Hidalgo, professor of the "Guaramacal Andean Bear" project in the state of Trujillo, showed nutritional learning agendas for this important species.

As Venezuela is one of the 10 most megadiverse countries on the planet, there is a singularity of species, genes and

ecosystems, which place the country at the top of the list in terms of biodiversity.

Since 2007, the date has been recognized, as a result of the promotion of different organizations that carry out various research, conservation and education projects on plantigrades.

These initiatives ensure the protection of this species, from the time it is a cub until it can reproduce.



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Special Reforestation and Equilibrium Recovery Plan

Preparations for the recovery of Yapacana National Park begin



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reparations for the Special Plan for Reforestation and Recovery of Equilibrium and the Permanent Occupation and Patrolling Plan in Yapacana National Park, located in Amazonas state, began after illegal mining affected the forested area of Yapacana National Park.

Therefore, in compliance with the instructions of President Nicolás Maduro Moros, these plans will be in charge of the Executive Vice President, Delcy Rodríguez; Strategic Operational Commander the Bolivarian National Armed Forces, G/J Domingo Hernández Lárez; Commander of the Strategic Region of Integral Defense (REDI) Guayana, M/G Rafael Prieto and the Sector Vice President for Science, Technology, Education Health, Gabriela Jiménez.

In this regard, the Minister of People's Power for Ecosocialism, Josué Lorca, held a meeting with the mayors of the Atures and Atabapo municipalities, the mayor of the Autana municipality, the authorities of the Ministry of Health (MPPS), Water Attention (Minaguas), Tourism (Mintur), Indigenous Peoples (Minpi), Development Center for Educational Quality, Social Vice-Presidency, United Socialist Party of Venezuela (PSUV), National Assembly (AN) and the Legislative Council.

During the meeting, the processes to be carried out for the reforestation and recovery of this important natural space were discussed.

Lorca specified that "one of the keys is that, although in this first phase, in the Yapacana, the Strategic Operational Command of the Bolivarian National Armed Forces (CEOFANB), fulfilled part of the mission, it continues to accompany us at all times in this and in the other incursions".

"We are always with a cable to land, because it is not only here, it is also in Bolivar, in the Canaima National Park, outside the Mining Arc of the Orinoco River, because normally the affected areas are Areas Under Special Administration Regime (Abrae) and protected spaces", stated Lorca.

He emphasized that during the meeting they made a general balance and reviewed everything that has to do with the instruction of the recovery plan, "not only of Yapacana, but of all the communities and all the zones, what we had been talking about had to do with the Amazon".

It is important to highlight that the CEOFANB was authorized to dismantle and destroy all types of structures that affect the environment, to arrest and apprehend individuals who commit environmental crimes, and to prohibit the use of machines for mining.







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11 years after that memorable October 4, 2012, to Commander Chávez we say: here we are his soldiers, his sons and daughters, at the front of the battle, standing victorious! We walk the roads of the independent and victorious Homeland. Our Eternal Homage to Chávez!





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I am impressed with all the popular mobilizations, there is no one to stop the informed, free and happy people, in defense of the truth of Venezuela and our Essequibo territory. Sisters and brothers, continue to travel the country to demonstrate that we are a reliable people.



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Soon Venezuela will have three new Great Missions, worked, thought, consulted and planned: the Great Mission Venezuela Woman, the Great Mission Venezuela Youth and the Great Mission Equality and Social Happiness of the People. Their objectives are to comprehensively attend to women, youth and the fight against inequality and poverty. We will do much more!















