

Newport Forest

Wednesday September 7 2006

2:30 - 5:15 pm

Weather: prec. 0mm; RH 75%; calm, cld/sn; LM 28C; FCF 23C

Purpose: maintenance

Participants: Kee, Steve, Brian

Brian and Steve spread gravel along a critical portion of the track, from the bend toward the first hill. The girls took 1.5 hours to show up. They appeared healthy, but displayed a moderate appetite. I inspected the regen zones, noting that a few trees (KC & HB) had started to turn yellow and lose leaves.

Louise's wound on the sole of her left foot (rear) still looks raw, but is noticeably shrinking. Thelma had a fresh wound on her left ankle (rear). I put hydrogen peroxide on both wounds as a precaution.

New species (from Malaise trap)

Lepidoptera; LM; J118/05

Mustard White	<i>Pieris oleracea</i>	LM J118/05 nz/KD
Little Glassy Wing	<i>Pompeius vema</i>	LM J118/05 nx/KD
Hermit Sphynx Moth	<i>Sphynx eremitus</i>	LM J118/05 nz/KD
Polished Dart	[<i>Euxoa perpolita</i>]	LM J118/05 nz/KD
Gray Half-spot	<i>Nedra ramosula</i>	LM J118/05 nz/KD