

COLGATE CELEBRATES CHARLES DARWIN

DARWIN WEEK EVENTS 10-13 February 2009

Tues, 10 Feb KICK-OFF BROWN-BAG TALK - 11:30 am (Ho 101)
"Darwin, Plants, and Tropical Biodiversity"
Catherine Cardelús, Biology Department, Colgate

Wed, 11 Feb FILM - 7 pm (Love Auditorium)
"Darwin's Dangerous Idea"
Episode 1 from the acclaimed PBS series, *Evolution: The Triumph of An Idea*.
Followed by Q&A with faculty.

Thur, 12 Feb DEDICATION OF "DARWIN THINKING PATH" and B'DAY PARTY!
Thanks to Liddy Kang '09 for proposing that Colgate dedicate one of its trails as a path - similar to the one Darwin walked each day - where students and faculty can contemplate many exciting or imponderable problems.

4 pm: Meet at top of ski hill (near cemetery) for trail dedication (BYOS: Bring Your Own Skis or Snowshoes - or rent from Outdoor Ed!)
5 pm: Trail dedication followed by 30-part "Tree of Life" birthday cake - baked by Colgate students - in Ho Atrium!

Fri, 13 Feb SCIENCE COLLOQUIUM - 3 pm (Love Auditorium)
"Darwin and Evolution: What the Fossils Say and Why It Matters"
Dr. Donald Prothero, Occidental College; paleontologist and book author.
Talk followed at 4 pm by book signing

PLUS
Check out **Cooley Science Library** for Darwin-related books on display!

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