

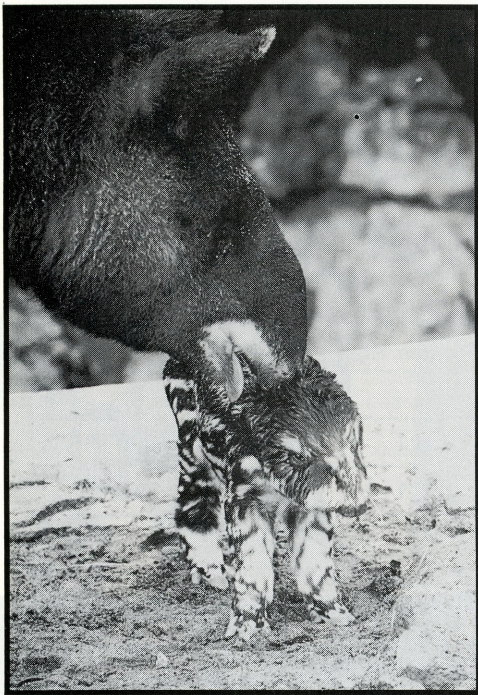


*Black Rhino at Metro Washington Park Zoo*

## Black Rhino Born at Metro Washington Park Zoo

A female black rhino (*Diceros bicornis*) was born at the Metro Washington Park Zoo, Portland, Oregon, on 26 September. This is the first rhino born at the zoo. The calf's 9-year-old mother was born at the Brookfield Zoo and came to Portland in March 1990. The 10-year-old father was born at the Denver Zoo and arrived in Portland in June 1988. This is the first offspring for both animals. The calf, which was 97 pounds 30 hours after birth, is being mother-raised.  
*S. Cohen*

## Tapir Born at Los Angeles Zoo



*Baby Mountain Tapir at Los Angeles Zoo*  
*Photo by T. Motoyama*

A female mountain tapir was born at the Los Angeles Zoo on 11 August. Her parents are an 8-year-old female and a 14-year old male. There are now only six mountain tapirs in zoos worldwide: three at the Los Angeles Zoo and three at the Cheyenne Mountain Zoo. The Los Angeles Zoo has exhibited this species since 1967 and produced 15 offspring.  
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