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SOCIETY NEWS

SNAKE DAY

Last October the annual Snake Day in Utrecht, Holland attracted a record number of visitors from holland and abroad. Many of them thought it was a very interesting day. Therefore I would like to thank everyone who made this day such a success by their efforts, organization talent and advice. Without their cooperation it would not have been possible to organize this major event.

However, due to ever increasing costs and the growing extent of the Snake Day some things will have to be changed. An admission fee will be levied for non-members. Members of the European Snake Society and their families will still have free admission. Furthermore we are forced to charge a contribution from standholders and other people who claim a table at the Snake Day. More details will be published in a later edition of *Litteratura Serpentina*.

In the mean time we hope to see you again at the next Snake Day on 16 October 1993.

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ANNUAL MEMBERS' MEETING

On 24 May 1993 the European Snake Society will hold its annual members' meeting in Zoetermeer, Holland. Since you will probably not come to Holland for this meeting, I would like to invite you to write to us if you have any suggestion, idea or critical comment concerning the European Snake Society. In this way we will still be able to take into account your recommendations to improve the functioning of the society. We welcome comments on every aspect of the society, be it the organization, the magazine *Litteratura Serpentina* or the Snake Day.

COMING EVENTS

17-20 June 1993: 17th International Herpetological Symposium. Miami Beach, Florida, U.S.A. For more information please contact: Mr. David Hulmes, Secretary, IHS, Inc. 361 Van Winkle Avenue, Hawthorne, NJ 07506, U.S.A. Tel.: (201) 427-0768

16 October 1993: Snake Day, Utrecht, Holland. More information will be published in next editions of this magazine.