Project Update: August 2009

In the first month of this project we started to do routine monitoring to get water bird and another animal data in Muara Angke Wildlife Sanctuary, including information on frogs, snake, and lizards. We also did bird surveying for species threatened with extinction in Jakarta, and as a result we found Javan plover chicks at Metro Marina Ancol area in August 20. Unfortunately the chicks were not there the next day when we checked again. We assumed that the wild dogs had taken them because we found a lot of dog footprints in that location.

Besides research and monitoring, environmental education activities are beginning. In collaboration with Coca Cola Jakarta we made 'edu mobile', which is a car containing materials about Jakarta wetlands. This car also visits schools and brings the campaign of the importance of Jakarta wetlands.

