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Wisconsin Photo Revelation

As we continued our investigation of the Rapid Pines, Wisconsin Investigation, Staff Investigator David Gay, traveled to the area (LaSalle Falls) on August 6th, 2006 and took the photo in the same general direction.

The foliage hid some of the formation but upon enlarging the photo, the characteristics seen in the original photo, were more clear.

Upon receiving the photo we scrutinized them and realized that it was a natural object and that the original analysis, was in error. After reading David's report, we realized that the item responsible for this were the large rocks such as those in the foreground, that had caused this anomaly.

A statement from Squatchdetective.com founder Steve Kulls stated, "When we're wrong, unlike some other organization, we "pony up" say



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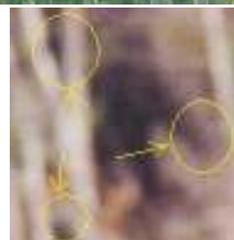
we were wrong and correct it.

"We will not pull the page and make this evaluation disappear, just post the corrected one.

"The other big difference here, is we continued on with the investigation ourselves. And we found our own mistake and reported it."

More can be found at :

<http://squatchdetective.com/wisconsinpic.html>



Wookiee in Wisconsin?

Thus begins another tale of a film. This time supposedly taken at Interstate Park in Wisconsin. Initially the video was found on YouTube.com by Squatchdetective Investigator David Gay.

He contacted the videographer who in turn contacted me, with a high resolution version of the film.

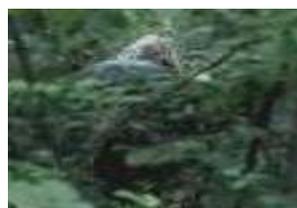
We have given the videographer a questionnaire and requested he be phone interviewed but has since to

reconnect with us, leaving us a little suspicious of both the film and his intentions.

We noticed in the video that the filmed subject never acknowledges the videographer, walks slowly and clumsily and has a difficult time in breaking a small branch.

We also find the videographer's calmness in the video a little suspect as well.

Again with the absence of



any back story (actually ignoring requests, makes us slightly suspicious. Alliance of Independent Bigfoot Researchers Consultant Alton Higgins suggests it may be a Wookiee costume. I am currently inclined to concur.

In Memoriam:



Credit:
Frederic M
Brown

Steve Irwin

1962 - 2006

He brought the world of wild animals to our living rooms world wide in a hilarious and unique way.

Spent a large sum of his earnings towards his zoo in Queensland Australia.

He was a man, dedicated to the preservation of the wonderful world of creatures.

He was larger than life itself and did the outlandish for a smile.

He will be missed.

Give Me a Hand Over Here!

As reported on Squatchdetective.com, the revelation of a severed hand found in a dump in Butte, Montana has the Bigfoot world guessing. While the world awaits its eventual origin there has been much speculation as to what it is. Some, like Texas Bigfoot Researcher and Cryptomundo.com blogger Craig Woolheater believe it is most like a bear paw. And some biologists are now weighing in on that as being accurate.

What facts we do know are as follows: The hand in 2003 was turned over to the Butte, Montana police department, allegedly found in a dump.

When the hand not deemed human was turned over to locally known Bigfoot researcher Don Monroe, who in turn had Chiropractor Dr. Todd L. Reese examine it. The doctor, classified it as not human, not bear, but rather primate.



In turn the hand eventually found its way into the hands of Tom Biscardi, who sent sample out for DNA testing at a lab in Ohio.

Although Biscardi claims the first verbal report of the hand came back as "unknown not in the system", the lab claims the samples provided were too degraded to yield results.

The internet rumor mill was in full force surrounding the hand. We did speak with Don Monroe and found that the

internet rumors were false and that Biscardi's accounting of how the hand ended up in his possession was accurate.

Biscardi stated he had paid the lab over \$2500 for DNA testing, and they took the stance on the hand to avoid controversy. Biscardi has also offered more samples of the hand to any willing university or researcher wishing to DNA test it.

Unfortunately Squatchdetective.com sources are telling us that Biscardi is placing some conditions on the test such as accommodations for himself, plane tickets etc.

As stated on the web site this seems to defy any logic or scientific study.

It may be some time before DNA labs get a hold of this specimen

Thunder from Down Under- yet another Wookiee!

Well here we go again kids yet another analysis of a video. This time our videographer had a lot to say. Perhaps a bit much.

Here we have a very Wookiee looking animal standing by a tree. Allegedly the film was taken on June 24, 2006 at around 9:20 PM in the evening.

After some analysis and thought, the creature appears to open its mouth, as if it were growling at the videographer, yet the sound track fails to provide any sound from the creature.

Also the creature allegedly according to the videographer went back into the brush, yet it would appear that the creature actually stampeded off towards the direction from where the town is.

Finally we have the damned resemblance to a Wookiee. (Seems like the Wookies for Bigfoot seem awfully frequent these days.)

This looks more like a Wookiee than the Wisconsin video.

We began to develop the witness and asked him some common questions. Truthfully the guy seemed like a legitimate witness had we not been marred with the video. However some things have emerged that I believe



Hi res picture from the film.

give the film away. Witnesses being unreachable. Waiting for another witness whom we never got to question.

A slight error in his story about when actually the video was posted, either before or after his bigfoot research as he had stated both at two points in time.

The creature in the film anatomically doesn't appear to move like a Bigfoot, seeing it with its head turned without the body. Meaning the presence of a neck.

And last a revelation as to the videographer working for Fox Studios sub-

sidary in Australia.

Now kind readers, let me digress, a couple of years ago, Star Wars: Revenge of the Sith was filmed in Australia and Fox Studios was its home. The videographer pointed that out to us, but then gave an objective reason as to why he wouldn't have been able to obtain a Wookiee costume. Needless to say it was in that episode where the most Wookies ever to make it into a Star Wars film was during the Battle of Kashyyyk scene. (Okay I'm a Star Wars junkie).

Fox studio was also the show that gave us the "World's Greatest Hoaxes", and revealed to the Snow Walker footage as being part of their scheme. This makes us extremely dubious of the film.



Texas Encounters from Squatch-D

On July 15 and July 16, 2006, I had the opportunity to explore a location north of Paris, Texas. I was accompanying the Tom Biscardi, Searching For Bigfoot Team.

The main witness, an ex-BFRO Curator there had been casting tracks for quite some time.

Upon arrival to the area, I was quite impressed with the vegetation, wildlife (including Bobcat, Wild Pigs) and water fowl. There was also a vast abundance of freshwater clams, each weighing about 2-3 lbs. each.

The area looked to me something out of Jurassic Park.

It wasn't before long where seven tracks were discovered along the bank of the lake in the area. The lake is surrounded by a marshy, swampy area, and has areas overgrown by tall 6 foot tall reeds.

The tracks each were about 16 inches in length and it was obvious that the toe spread was caused by the mud squishing up from in between the toes. One particular track appeared to have dermal ridges present as well.

I felt at this time the likelihood of hoaxed footprints nil. What ever made the tracks continued on to the water, and there was a complete lack of other human prints around upon discovery. The prints themselves had a 46" to 48" stride. Also noted was our boot prints did not impress the ground as much as the prints we discovered.

It wasn't before long as casting was taking place that dusk and darkness was soon upon us and the high tech gear, including a heat seeking device, a thermal imager and several night scopes were broken out.

A heat signature was detected after some time in the reeds. One of the researchers, ambled on through the reeds to pinpoint the source. I began to look through a night scope when I saw it pop up, standing a good two feet over the reeds looking in the direction of the researcher. After several seconds it took cover in the reeds again. Then there it was again,



Looking in the same direction. The again it took cover. Clearly I could see a head and shoulders covered by long dark fur. Tall, broad, but slender like. Then in a whoosh and a blur we heard a rumble in the reeds. We rushed to the area only to be left in the dust by a four foot path in the reeds. It was not a bear, as I did get a good profile and there was not snout present.

One of the researchers and I decided to spend a good portion of the night there and after not having any success in one area of provoking the creature(s), we moved a quarter of a mile away into the area that was supposed to be the real apex of activity.

After about ten to fifteen minutes of whooping and call blasting, we initiated tree knocking and were surprised when we received a knock in return. Eventually a second source of knocking commenced and we stopped and listened to the tree knocks for over an hour until it ceased around 2:20 AM. Tired and most of batteries exhausted in our equipment we called it a night.

The next day we returned to the area, this time with a KLTV (Texas) reporter and this time discovered fresh prints under some vegetation in the area we hear the wood knocking the night before. There was also present dig marks, holes and emptied fresh water clams. Something appeared to have it's own clam bar.

It wasn't before long when a heat signature picked up, once again something in the reeds, but this time by the ever present smell, I believed it to be a Bobcat marking it's territory.

After some time, I began to scan the sand barges in the swampy part of the lake when about 60 feet away I picked up a thermal image of something standing on two legs. It was huge. I handed off the thermal to show another researcher when it took off. The reporter was given the thermal and saw it on two legs running through the swamp. We all saw it's dark shadowy figure enter the tree line and into obscurity with the aid a several million candlepower lights.

The reporter himself (Bob Hallmark), an ex-Navy Seal, was a skeptic. From seeing his face directly after the encounter, you can see the man had rediscovered, a faith in things that DO go bump in the night.

"Believing that with the advancement in technology that a huge creature roams Texas undiscovered has not been found a little hard to believe I must admit after seeing the footprints and dig marks, and something very huge, moving at a high rate of speed, through the swamp, I have to rethink that," commented Hallmark on his KLTV broadcast.

Again the thought of this being someone playing a prank is a little hard to believe. As with all legitimate squatch sightings, this think moved at an incredible speed, and in the darkness over terrain that was extremely treacherous.

Not to mention the size, at least seven and a half to eight feet tall on both occasions, leads me to suspect that what I saw was a legitimate bonafide encounter in both instances.

For the last seven years in Bigfoot research and investigations, I never would have imagined, finding what I have been looking for in this manner. It happened so quick, yet the incidents have replayed in my mind for hours.

I am just so amazed, so amazed at the dexterity of these creatures. And they do seem like curious "little" buggers too.

The P/G Film....is there really another one there???

Nearly 40 years has passed since the emergence of the Patterson-Gimlin film and the debate still rages on.

For us in the Bigfoot Research community battling the main stream media that the film has not been proven a hoax because a few characters such as Bob Hieronimus have claimed to be the "man in the suit." Question is where's the proof that you were?

Where's the suit?

Or the question of the film being edited in a Canadian film lab. Again where's the proof?

Where's the clippings?

Or the confusion that Ray Wallace was the alleged videographer in a mix up between two separate people. Ray Wallace, according to the "Track Record's" Ray Crowe, was allegedly the Bigfoot in the Ivan Marx films.

The work of Dr. Jeff Meldrum, and more lately MK Davis, has proven some very interesting anatomical results, that no costume could ever yield.

More interesting is the work of Robert W. Morgan on the subject where there may actually be another younger creature in the background of the film.

Here at Squatchdetective.com, we ran the alleged pictures through some more of our routine analysis, and agree, there *could* be something.

It does seem compelling that coincidentally there appears in the background something which resembles a primate. The most convincing is the arm supposedly around the tree. There appears to be no anomaly other than that on the tree.

"Now I must first admit, that I was much ado to say poppycock at first"



For me the P/G film was a very simple story, remaining consistent over years. Roger Patterson went to his deathbed, claiming the film authentic.

Bob Gimlin, publicly speaks rarely these days, but last word was he too is still claiming the film to be authentic.

More constantly frustrating is the main stream press's notion that the film was PROVEN hoaxed, thus defaming a dead man's name.

The idea that more than one subject present in this film boondoggles the mind.

Is it blobsquatchery at it's finest???

Possibly, but if this turns out to be true, then all the so called truth Sayers who've stated they were involve in the hoaxing of this film are going to have some you know what to shovel.

We at Squatchdetective.com, can't say for sure if there is another subject in the film, and will yield to the people who've studied this film for decades.

A lot more study of the frames around this shot are at hand and at some point we will tackle them.

Thoughts...

Thick skin. That's what it takes sometimes. In this field critics are abound and internet rumor is as well.

I've always made it a point to take on the controversial and at the same time apply the same truths that lie within an investigation.

Over the past few months I've taken on a difficult and controversial assignment...covering events surrounding self proclaimed, "World Renowned" Bigfoot Hunter Tom Biscardi.

Now I can say this has caused much dissention in even my own ranks. And people started to question my credibility, when I backed up some things Biscardi had seen in Texas.

I was even asked if I was being intentionally fooled. The answer is simply. No.

I did witness the animal we seek on two separate occasions while in Texas, accompanying him on an investigation. The thought of an elaborate hoax on my behalf would be insane.

The law of averages based on the number of places Biscardi has traveled to, would dictate he was bound to come across something.



**Squatchdetective
Founder
Steve Kulls**

"Sometimes the truth isn't always what people want to hear"

is needed and it would seem things are usually by the seat of pants in nature.

Is it really the hand of bigfoot? No, it is most likely with the analysis of Dr. Jeff Meldrum and another local archaeologist a bear paw, though it did look convincing enough at first.

People have lacked the ability to simply pick up the telephone and talk and ask the questions that need to be asked. Internet rumor and opinion has been recorded as fact in some circles inadvertently. (This is not criticism, but rather a challenge)

The bottom line which is always what I'm about is this: We take on hard tasks here. Sometimes the truth isn't always what people want to hear. But it's what I give them. I call it like I see it based upon observation and investigation.

As for us at Squatchdetective.com, we will continue to carry on, and proceed with taking on things some others dare not touch. And carry on with fact not, supposition.

It even took it a few days to register to me what had actually occurred and it's significance in my life. For me there was also a .01% chance of the creature not existing. Now for me it is 0% doubt.

The thing I worry about is the field itself. I mean people have gotten angry with me for accompanying Biscardi, and conducting an investigation of his investigations.

But what are we supposed to do to get the truth? The time for sitting behind a computer keyboard is over with. It is time to get to the field.

The computer was first meant as a forum to communicate with other researchers, and obtain research

material. Now it is being used as a judge and jury and even in some cases an executioner.

Putting spin on something just because it is the popular opinion is just not my thing.

Will Biscardi capture a Bigfoot? From my view of his operations....No. Proper planning

Investigation In Whitehall, NY

A recent sighting occurred in the Abair Road area in Whitehall, New York, by two panic stricken youngsters.

The sighting occurred on July 28th, at about 7:30 PM.

Steve Kulls, accompanied by Bill Brann, George Sands and Ed Denegar, investigated two days later.

The witnesses were extremely credible and their fear was apparent. A search of the area yielded no conclusive evidence. It was apparent however something larger than a deer may have bedded down for some time.

The area has had reported sightings for some thirty years past.

We will continue to monitor events and happenings around the area.

So stay tuned.

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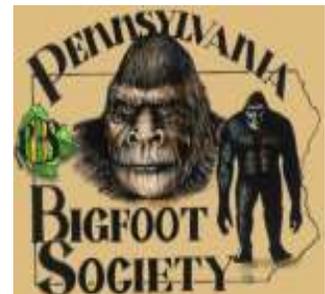
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