





DEEP SEA SPY

PhD researcher Fee Smulders is studying the habits and habitat of the manatee in Burgers' Zoo in Arnhem. The Arnhem study is an interim stage really. Smulders and the zookeepers fitted one of the three manatees in Burgers' Zoo with a special underwater camera attached with suction pads. The aim is to see whether the camera stays in place, and where it can best be attached to the animal. In the summer, Smulders will travel to Mexico, where she wants to attach the camera, worth about 10,000 euros, to wild manatees. ^{WA}

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