

# RIVER TIDINGS

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## Flowing like a river!

Aquarium delivery and installation going smoothly.



After much planning and anticipation, the aquariums and other exhibits have finally been delivered and are being installed!

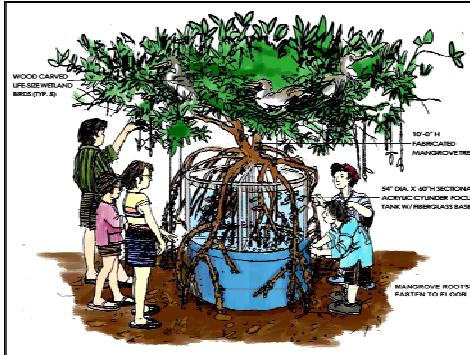
The Wild and Scenic River exhibit was delivered on May 27, 2008. It required a special truck and a whole team of people to carefully angle it in

through the loading doors. It was then pushed and pulled through the center, and hydraulic jacks were used to lift and place it into its final position.

The rest of the aquariums and cabinetry were delivered on May 30, 2008. It is amazing to see all that space filled with aquariums!



Wild and Scenic River Exhibit



This stunning 360 degree sectional of a red mangrove communicates the importance of this species as a nursery for juvenile fishes, a feeding ground, and a natural shoreline stabilizer.

The tank will be divided in half so that

predator and prey species can exist in the same tank. This will add some interesting dynamics to this exhibit and introduce the subject of predator/prey relationships. The red mangrove prop roots will "grow" out of the tank, giving visitors a good look at their structure.



## Featured Exhibit—Mangrove

**SAVE THE DATE!**

**GRAND OPENING**

**CELEBRATION**

**AUGUST 23, 2008**

**Special points of interest:**

- Volunteer Opportunities are available. Please contact Jocelyn at 561-743-7123 or [jocelyn@loxahatcheeriver.org](mailto:jocelyn@loxahatcheeriver.org)
- Friends of the Loxahatchee River meetings are regularly held at the River Center at noon on the 1st Friday of the month.