Come on a unique adventure with TBZ's Founding Director and Award-winning Environmentalist, Sharon Matola! On this special Belize Zoo journey, Sharon will take you for personal encounters with our charismatic animal ambassadors. Some of these encounters include:

- **Junior Buddy the Jaguar.** Here you get a full introduction on Jr Buddy’s background and interact with him in an encounter available nowhere else in the world!

- **Runt the Keel-billed Toucan.** Here you will get to feed and take photos with a charming representative of Belize's National Bird! What “Runt” lacks in size, he makes up for in personality!

- **Indy the Tapir.** One cannot visit the Belize Zoo without meeting the magnificent "mountain cow," our national animal. Indy the tapir will trundle right over for a "meet and greet," and accept
treats from his new friends!

- **Panama the Harpy Eagle.** On your tour with Sharon, you will get to meet "Panama," our harpy eagle! The harpy is one of the largest and most powerful eagles in the world, and Panama is their famous "ambassador" here at the Zoo. Learn about the success of the Belize Harpy Eagle Restoration Program, while being in the presence of this regal raptor.

Take photos, ask questions, make memories! The Director's VIP Tour is an unforgettable experience, and great for everyone: couples, groups, families, and "lone wolves" are welcome!

*This tour is available by appointment only. For more details, pricing, or to book the tour, email frontdesk@belizezoo.org, or call the Zoo at +501-822-8000.*

**(NOTE: tour takes a minimum of 2 hours, and includes a signed copy of one Sharon's books).**