

The Fauna Society Hungary



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The Fauna Society...



- √ ...is a charity established in 1989, with the aim to shape the society to respect life. It works for the good of animals and people by means national campaigning, lobbying and education.
- √ Members: 35, volunteers: 50, employees: 2
- √ *Fauna is the only one doing campaigning and lobbying for farm animals which is a very young movement in Hungary.*





Legislation

Breakthrough:

Animal Protection Act, 1998

- √ Fauna: 13 years lobbying, 20-25 versions of legislation

Further development:

Animal abuse in the Criminal Code, 2004

- √ All AR&AW groups effort
- √ Support from the public, the media and the 4 parliamentarian parties

Live Transport of Animals – *Compassion in World Farming*



- √ 2000-: Hungarian representation
- √ Goal: Ban on long distance and replace by trade of animal products

Results:

- √ Investigations
- √ Raising public awareness
- √ More strict inspection





Whalewatch – WSPA

Successful lobbying, 2004

- ✓ the Government to protect whales

World Oceans Day Action, 2005

- ✓ thank you
- ✓ mosaic whale-
300 children



Circuses – RSPCA



The Case, 2004 Summer

- √ *Europa* travelling circus
- √ Bad equipment, improper food supply

Campaign goal

- √ Ban wild animals in travelling circuses
- √ New legislation
- √ Public awareness



Circuses 2 – The Campaign



Cirkusz

A photograph of a tiger behind a wire cage, illuminated by stage lights.

• **Vadnak születtek,
nem artistának**

A circular logo with a horse head and the text "Négy Manócs".A circular logo with a red horse head and the text "Négy Manócs".

- ✓ Partner: *Vier Pfoten Hungary*
- ✓ New legislation approval in 2006

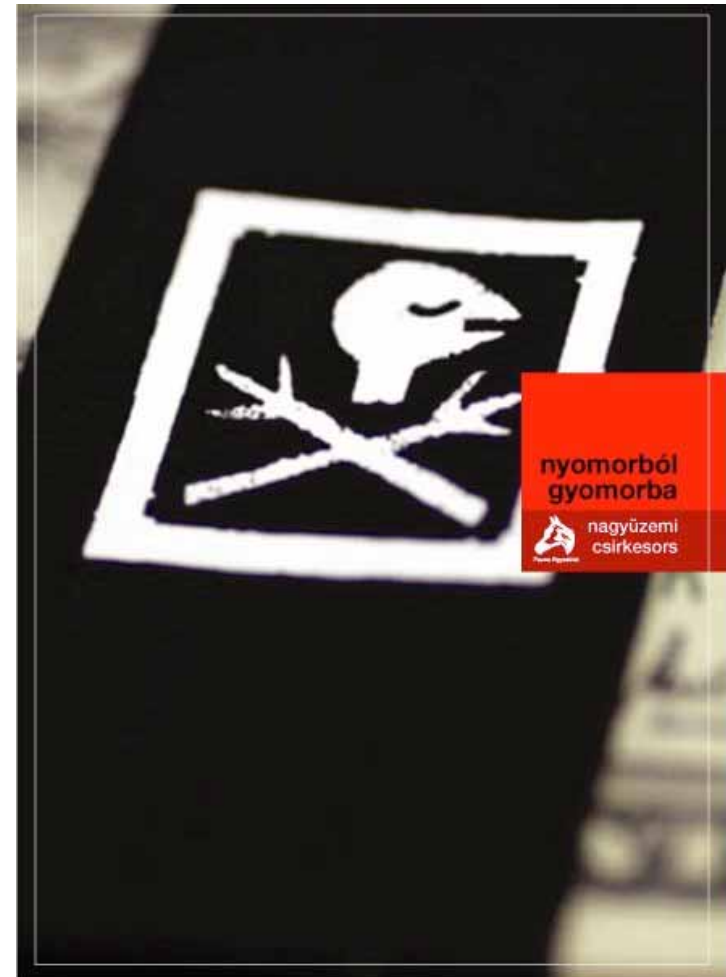


Born
to be
wild,
not
to be
an artiste!

Broiler chickens – Eurogroup for Animals



- √ EU Directive
- √ Investigation 3' film
- √ Children contest – success
- √ Advertising - professionalism
- √ Lobbying





Thank you
for your attention!

