

SIO Open House  
October 25th, 2003



UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, SAN DIEGO

## Palmer Station: Long-Term Ecological Research

# Questionnaire

**A. Age: Check the appropriate box**

- < 7
- 8 – 14
- 15 – 20
- 20 – 40
- > 40

**B. Occupation**

- Teacher
- Undergraduate Student
- Graduate Student
- High School Student
- Scientist
- Other: \_\_\_\_\_



**C. How did you hear about this Open House?**

- Flyer
- Invited Guest
- Newspaper Ad
- Word of Mouth
- T.V./ Radio announcement
- Other \_\_\_\_\_

**D. Have you heard of the Long-Term Ecological Research Program? (LTER)**

- Yes
- No

**E. Have you heard of any of the following? (check all that apply)**

- Scripps Institution of Oceanography
- SIO Education/Outreach Programs
- Stephen Birch Aquarium
- Newton's Apple
- Live from Antarctica
- Teachers Experiencing Antarctica
- Glacier
- Schoolyard LTER
- National Science Foundation
- United States Antarctic Program
- Palmer Station
- Long-Term Ecological Research Program

**Computer Familiarity: Circle One**

1. How often do you use the computer?  
1 = frequently    2 = occasionally    3 = hardly ever
2. How would you rate your computer skills?  
1 = excellent    2 = better than average    3 = average    4 = need assistance
3. How often do you access the internet for research?  
1 = frequently    2 = occasionally    3 = hardly ever
4. Would you welcome the opportunity to work regularly with a science/research team?    Yes    No

**Trivia: Please answer T (true) or F (false)**

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. You will find polar bears in Antarctica.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 2. The Antarctic and Arctic are continents covered by ice and snow.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 3. Antarctica is in the Southern Hemisphere.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 4. Penguins live only in Antarctica.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 5. Antarctica is roughly twice the size of the USA.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 6. The oceans around Antarctica have fish, krill, and plankton.