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Children of nature

Their enthusiasm is contagious. They roam in the sun, live close to the sea, fish with bare hands. Every subject inspires mirth, provokes laughter. They are impatient for adulthood and exciting fishing trips. Very early, they develop an empathy for marine life and the sea. Ways must be found to tap their spirit, their courage, their energy, their love for adventure. The BOBP believes that management awareness among fisherfolk must begin early – with the children.

The BOBP comes to a close as an externally funded agency in December 1999 after 20 years of service to both fisheries and coastal zone development and management. Ways are being explored to move BOBP forward as an inter-governmental agency. We take this opportunity to thank member-governments and fisherfolk communities – as well as the fisheries officials, extensionists and scientists from many disciplines – with whom we have interacted over the years. We wish them success in their efforts and strivings for a sustainable future, a better tomorrow.

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Thailand

January

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February

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Bangladesh

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Indonesia

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