

Re: Alternating gait

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Rich Travsky <"traRvEsKy"@hotmMOVEail.com> wrote in message
news:<4196D946.683A0A33@hotmMOVEail.com>...

> *Algis Kuliukas wrote:*

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>> *jae@ucdavis.edu (Jason Eshleman) wrote in message
news:<b7af43cb.0411110831.23bad9aa@posting.google.com>...*

>> [...]

>> *Human bipedalism seems to have evolved in two phases. The first one
>> was not to do with energy efficiency, the second phase was. The
>> simplest explanation which addresses both of these is that wading
>> through shallow water resulted in some hominoidae moving bipedally in
>> the first place. Later, when some of these became less arboreal, long
>> distance locomotion along beaches and/or dried up river/lake beds
>> and/or tracking herds of bovids on very hard, relatively
>> vegetation-free grasslands provided another scenario where the second
>> phase is likely to have evolved.*

> *"vegetation-free grasslands"*

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> *heh*

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> *heh heh*

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> *Hahahehahahahhh gasp wheeze hahahahaha oh lordee*

Richard, think of "vegetation-free grasslands as a diet plan for
overweight grazers. "It's healthy vegetarian dining without all of
that annoying roughage."

lovingly,
Quitten

[Posts on this newsgroup have a certain anarchic quality to them.
Sort of like putting a 4 year-old in the driver's seat of a Corvette
and telling the child to drive from LA to New York City, alone].