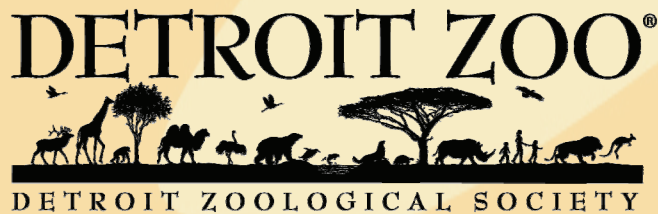


Summer Safari 2011



Another fun-filled summer is just around the corner! Enclosed you'll find a complete listing, by age group, of all our summer camps.

How to Make Summer Safari Work for You

Look inside for a calendar of classes to make registration easy. You can register your children for single-day camps, half-day camps or a combination of the two to create a whole week's worth of exciting opportunities. You can also pair morning and afternoon weeklong camps to create a full week of activities. Just make sure to pack a lunch for full-day campers. Children will be supervised in between sessions.



Early Bird and Late Owl (All Ages)

Busy schedules and work commitments don't always work well with a 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. camp schedule. Take advantage of our early drop-off and late pick-up program to make Summer Safari work for you! Campers will be supervised by Summer Safari staff the entire time, enjoying games, activities and stories. Simply register for either Early Bird (7:30-9 a.m.) or Late Owl (4-6 p.m.) for as many days as you need during the week. Cost is \$5 for each morning or afternoon. Available every morning and afternoon that camp programs are offered.

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Early Learner Camps (Ages 4-5)

American Adventure Single-Day, Half-Day

Cost: \$25 member, \$30 non-member

See the world through a prairie dog's view, visit the majestic bison that once roamed the plains in huge herds and check in on the grizzly and black bears to see what antics they're up to.

Dates: July 1, 9 a.m. to noon
 July 8, 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.
 July 19, 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.
 July 26, 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.
 August 9, 9 a.m. to noon



Arctic Adventure Single-Day, Half-Day

Cost: \$25 member, \$30 non-member

Trek through the tundra, explore the open sea, watch seals swim overhead and journey through the pack ice in search of polar bears! Campers will tour the Arctic Ring of Life, a one-of-a-kind exhibit among zoos and aquariums.

Dates: July 1, 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.
 July 4, 9 a.m. to noon
 July 21, 9 a.m. to noon
 July 25, 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.
 August 12, 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.



Crocodile Capers Single-Day, Half-Day

Cost: \$25 member, \$30 non-member

What's the difference between a crocodile and an alligator? Come find out while you visit all the reptiles that live in the Holden Museum of Living Reptiles.

Dates: June 28, 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.
 July 7, 9 a.m. to noon
 July 21, 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.
 July 28, 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.
 August 8, 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.



Frog Hop Single-Day, Half-Day

Cost: \$25 member, \$30 non-member

Hop through the National Amphibian Conservation Center to find frogs of all colors, toads, salamanders and newts.

Dates: June 27, 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.
 July 7, 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.
 July 20, 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.
 July 29, 9 a.m. to noon
 August 11, 9 a.m. to noon



Animal Alphabet Single-Day, Half-Day

Cost: \$25 member, \$30 non-member

From aardvarks to zebras, campers will visit animals while recording their journey in a unique Detroit Zoo animal coloring book. Participants will be encouraged to observe the animals' patterns, but still express their creativity!

Dates: June 30, 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.
 July 4, 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.
 July 19, 9 a.m. to noon
 July 27, 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.
 August 11, 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.

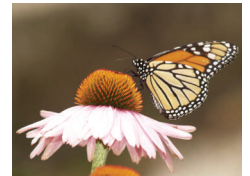


Bugs and Butterflies Single-Day, Half-Day

Cost: \$25 member, \$30 non-member

Explore the indoor Butterfly Garden, then search outdoors under logs, near the ponds and through the Backyards for Wildlife site as you get a close-up look at bugs of all sorts!

Dates: June 27, 9 a.m. to noon
 July 6, 9 a.m. to noon
 July 22, 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.
 July 28, 9 a.m. to noon
 August 10, 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.



Dino Digs Single-Day, Half-Day

Cost: \$25 member, \$30 non-member

Become a paleontologist as we venture into the ancient world where dinosaurs once roamed. We'll visit Dinosauria to compare what we know about dinosaurs and their modern-day relatives.

Dates: June 28, 9 a.m. to noon
 July 8, 9 a.m. to noon
 July 20, 9 a.m. to noon
 July 25, 9 a.m. to noon
 August 10, 9 a.m. to noon



Penguin Tales Single-Day, Half-Day

Cost: \$25 member, \$30 non-member

Our penguins can't wait to share their tales! Explore the Penguinarium and the aviary, to compare cold- weather and warm-weather birds.

Dates: June 29, 9 a.m. to noon
 July 5, 9 a.m. to noon
 July 22, 9 a.m. to noon
 July 27, 9 a.m. to noon
 August 12, 9 a.m. to noon



Early Learner Camps (Ages 4-5)

Who's New at the Zoo? Single-Day, Half-Day

Cost: \$25 member, \$30 non-member

Join us to find out who our newest additions to the Zoo are, including our young giraffe who is growing up quickly! We'll visit as many new arrivals as we can.

Dates: June 29, 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.
 July 6, 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.
 July 18, 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.
 July 29, 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.
 August 9, 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.

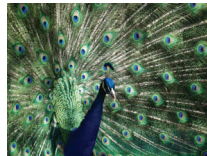


Zoosemiotics Single-Day, Half-Day

Cost: \$25 member, \$30 non-member

Roars and growls, hoots and hollers, squawks and squeaks! Animals use verbal and non-verbal methods of communication, just like we do. We'll visit some of our noisiest animals to get in on the conversation.

Dates: June 30, 9 a.m. to noon
 July 5, 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.
 July 18, 9 a.m. to noon
 July 26, 9 a.m. to noon
 August 8, 9 a.m. to noon



World of Wildlife Weeklong, Half-Days

Cost: \$115 member, \$125 non-member

Visit animals from all over the world. Each day will bring adventures on a different continent, discovering unique animal adaptations that allow them to survive in very diverse habitats.

Dates: June 20-24, 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.
 July 11-15, 9 a.m. to noon
 August 1-5, 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.



Stories of the Wild Weeklong, Half-Days

Cost: \$115 member, \$125 non-member

Join us for a week of legends, stories, games, projects and more! Each day is packed full of fascinating animal facts and loads of fun while participants write and illustrate a short story of their own.

Dates: June 20-24, 9 a.m. to noon
 July 11-15, 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.
 August 1-5, 9 a.m. to noon



Youth Adventure Camps (Ages 6-8) Continued...

Wild Tales Weeklong, Half-Days

Cost: \$115 member, \$125 non-member

Join us for a week of legends, stories, games, projects and more! Each day is packed full of fascinating animal facts and loads of fun. Participants will create their own animal legend in a notebook they create from recycled products.

Dates: June 27-July 1, 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.
 July 18-22, 9 a.m. to noon



Gator 'Strators Weeklong, Half-Days

Cost: \$115 member, \$125 non-member

You'll use all of the Zoo's animal residents, not just the reptiles, to inspire you as you sharpen your skills in observing nature and learning the basic principles of simple illustration! Discover different media, such as pastels, watercolors, crayons, colored pencils and markers.

Dates: June 27-July 1, 9 a.m. to noon
 July 18-22, 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.



Earth Trek Weeklong, Full-Days

Cost: \$225 member, \$235 non-member

Campers will use a special Zoo Passport to travel to all seven continents while observing animal adaptations and behaviors first hand. After visiting each continent, campers will earn a stamp in their passport, accompanied by images of the animals that live in that part of the world.

Participants will need to bring a lunch each day.

Dates: June 20-24, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.
 July 11-15, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.
 August 8-12, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

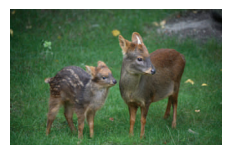


Twilight Trails Evening

Cost: \$25 member, \$30 non-member

Follow the Zoo trails as dusk settles in. Visiting animals in the cooler twilight hours shows activity missed during the regular visiting hours. The visit is complete with making s'mores and a special craft activity.

Dates: July 5, 6:30 p.m. to 9:30 p.m.
 July 7, 6:30 p.m. to 9:30 p.m.
 July 11, 6:30 p.m. to 9:30 p.m.
 July 12, 6:30 p.m. to 9:30 p.m.



Youth Adventure Camps (Ages 6-8)

Army of Frogs Single-Day, Half-Day

Cost:\$25 member, \$30 non-member

An army of frogs or a knot of toads, we'll check out all the amphibians at the National Amphibian Conservation Center and the importance of these bio-indicator species.

Dates: July 6, 9 a.m. to noon
July 26, 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.
August 2, 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.



Avian Adventures Single-Day, Half-Day

Cost:\$25 member, \$30 non-member

This program is for the birds, literally! We'll visit the many species that we provide habitats for at the Zoo, including penguins, birds in the aviary and bald eagles.

Dates: July 5, 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.
July 28, 9 a.m. to noon
August 5, 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.



Designing Habitats Single-Day, Half-Day

Cost:\$25 member, \$30 non-member

Find out the inside scoop on how we design habitats for the animals that live here and our guests who visit!

Dates: July 5, 9 a.m. to noon
July 27, 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.
August 5, 9 a.m. to noon



Mammal Mania Single-Day, Half-Day

Cost:\$25 member, \$30 non-member

Mammals live at both ends of the world and everywhere in between. Discover amazing adaptations that allow them to inhabit all parts of the Earth!

Dates: July 6, 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.
July 29, 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.
August 1, 9 a.m. to noon



Outback Adventures Single-Day, Half-Day

Cost:\$25 member, \$30 non-member

Take a trip Down Under to the Australian Outback! The wallabies, kangaroos and emus are all there, waiting to hear music you'll create when you make your own didgeridoo.

Dates: July 4, 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.
July 26, 9 a.m. to noon
August 4, 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.



Paleontology Uncovered Single-Day, Half-Day

Cost:\$25 member, \$30 non-member

Journey through Dinosauria to visit the ancient rulers of the Earth. Discover how fossils and the field of paleontology have provided so many vital clues to these amazing creatures.

Dates: July 7, 9 a.m. to noon
July 25, 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.
August 3, 9 a.m. to noon



Reptile Revelations Single-Day, Half-Day

Cost:\$25 member, \$30 non-member

Do lizards leap? Do snakes slither? Find out more about reptiles at the Zoo, in natural habitats and in the Holden Museum of Living Reptiles.

Dates: July 8, 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.
July 27, 9 a.m. to noon
August 4, 9 a.m. to noon



Serengeti Safari Single-Day, Half-Day

Cost:\$25 member, \$30 non-member

Discover the predators and prey of the African Grasslands. We'll travel as a herd to check out the African Grasslands habitat and speak with David Gakure, Education Specialist and Kenyan safari guide.

Dates: July 8, 9 a.m. to noon
July 28, 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.
August 2, 9 a.m. to noon

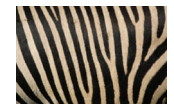


Survival Styles Single-Day, Half-Day

Cost:\$25 member, \$30 non-member

We'll travel the Zoo to study camouflage techniques, visit the themed studios of the Ford Education Center and leave with an animal craft of your own design!

Dates: July 4, 9 a.m. to noon
July 25, 9 a.m. to noon
August 3, 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.



Tundra Tracks Single-Day, Half-Day

Cost:\$25 member, \$30 non-member

Polar bears have incredible adaptations that allow them to live in one of the toughest environments on Earth. Track them through the Arctic Ring of Life to learn their incredible stories.

Dates: July 7, 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.
July 29, 9 a.m. to noon
August 1, 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.



Youth Adventure Camps (Ages 9-11)

Zoologist Camp

Weeklong, Full-Days

Cost:\$225 member, \$235 non-member

Spend each day learning how our vets and zookeepers tend to the needs of the Zoo's animals. Includes a behind-the-scenes tour of the Animal Health Complex and Enrichment Kitchen (providing the hospital is not closed for an emergency situation) and keeper talks at various habitats throughout the Zoo. Participants will need to bring a lunch.

Dates: June 20-24, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

July 4-8, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

July 11-15, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

July 25-29, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

August 8-12, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.



Theater in the Wild

Weeklong, Full-Days

Cost:\$225 member, \$235 non-member

We have teamed up with theater professionals to bring you a summer program that will unleash your creative "beast". Participants will use improvisation and skits to learn the building blocks of theater and explore their relationship with the Earth and its inhabitants in an exciting way. This experience will culminate with a performance for friends and family on stage at the Main Picnic Grove. Participants will need to bring a lunch.

Dates: June 27-July 1, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

July 18-22, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

August 1-5, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.



Zoo Snooze

Overnight

Cost:\$75 member, \$85 non-member

Spend the night at the Detroit Zoo! Uncover the lives of nocturnal animals during early-evening and late-night treks where you'll experience the Zoo in a way few people ever get the chance to. S'mores, activities and a craft project fill your night. After a good night's sleep in the Ford Education Center, you'll enjoy breakfast at an animal habitat.

Dates: June 30, 7 p.m. to 9 a.m.

July 14, 7 p.m. to 9 a.m.

July 21, 7 p.m. to 9 a.m.

July 28, 7 p.m. to 9 a.m.

August 4, 7 p.m. to 9 a.m.



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Teen Camps (Ages 12-15) Continued...

Field Studies

Weeklong, Full-Days

Cost:\$225 member, \$235 non-member

This weeklong program introduces field observation methods that researchers use to assess biodiversity and the health of the environment. The group will travel off grounds most days to a variety of Southeast Michigan nature preserves. One day will be dedicated to Belle Isle to visit tern nesting sites and the Belle Isle Nature Zoo. Participants will need to pack a lunch each day.

Dates: June 27-July 1, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

August 1-5, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.



Theater in the Wild II

Weeklong, Full-Days

Cost:\$225 member, \$235 non-member

We have teamed up with theater professionals to bring you a summer program that will unleash your creative "beast". Participants will use improvisation and skits to learn the building blocks of theater and explore their relationship with the Earth and its inhabitants in an exciting way. This experience will culminate with a performance for friends and family on stage at the Main Picnic Grove. Participants will need to bring a lunch.

Dates: July 11-15, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.



Teen Camps (Ages 12-15)

Destination Exploration Weeklong, Full-Days

Cost: \$225 member, \$235 non-member

An intense immersion into animals and behavior, conservation and animal welfare, this experience will give youth the opportunity to build on their knowledge and love for nature and wildlife. The week includes a day trip to the Belle Isle Nature Zoo to study the island's ecosystem, test the water quality of a nearby lagoon and feed the fallow deer at the Nature Zoo. Participants will need to bring a lunch each day.

Dates: June 20-24, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

July 4-8, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

July 18-22, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

August 8-12, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.



Overnight Extreme Evening, Full-Day

Cost: \$115 member, \$125 non-member

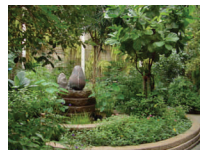
Spend the night and more at the Zoo! You'll not only spend the evening exploring the Zoo, but the entire following day. Your time will be filled with activities such as enrichment sessions, making s'mores, observations and sketching, creating enrichment projects, a behind-the-scenes tour of Amphibiville (providing there are no emergency situations) and so much more. Breakfast is provided, please pack a lunch.

Dates: June 28-29, 7 p.m. to 4 p.m. (Girls)

July 19-20, 7 p.m. to 4 p.m. (Boys)

July 26-27, 7 p.m. to 4 p.m. (Girls)

August 2-3, 7 p.m. to 4 p.m. (Boys)



Registering for an EdZOOcation Program

Registration Methods

If you would like multiple children to be placed in the same group, please mail all registration forms together or indicate such when calling.

Mail

Please address as follows:

Detroit Zoological Society
Attn: Call Center Associate - Education
8450 W. 10 Mile Road
Royal Oak, MI 48067

FAX

(248) 541-0344 ATTN: Call Center Associate - Education

Phone

(248) 541-5717 ext. 3800.

Please have your registration form nearby and filled out so you are prepared with the necessary information.

Additional Registration Forms

Please feel free to duplicate our registration form. Additional copies may be downloaded and printed from our website, www.detroitzoo.org.

Refunds

Refunds will not be issued for participant failure to attend or for participant failure to comply with age guidelines. If a class is cancelled, a full refund will be issued. Extreme circumstances, addressed on an individual basis, will receive refunds in the form of a EdZOOcation gift certificate.

Priority

Programs are filled on a first-come, first-served basis. If programs are full, we will attempt to find a different date to schedule you. Otherwise payment will be returned to you in the form it was received.

Confirmation

Participants will receive a confirmation packet upon successful registration including specific policies and information about their program. Confirmations will be sent out within a week of successful registration.

Weather

Programs are held regardless of the weather. Please dress accordingly. Participants will be sheltered in the case of severe weather.

Age Appropriateness

Programs are designed to be age specific. All participants must be the required age at the beginning of the program. Proof of age may be required. Parents, siblings or others are not allowed to shadow enrolled participants unless otherwise indicated in the program description.

Miscellaneous

Domestic pets are not allowed on Zoo grounds, including in parking lots. Toys, cell phones, electronic devices, mp3 players, etc. should be left at home. Please do not wear skate/roller shoes. Only Zoo personnel or its authorized agents are allowed to take pictures of program participants.