Family Day at the Zoo!

Friday, April 14 to Sunday, April 16

Bring the family and join us at the Assiniboine Park Zoo this Weekend! With many activities planned all across the Zoo, your visit is sure to be a blast for the whole family! Free when you buy a zoo ticket!

Family Day Scavenger Hunt!

April 14, 15 & 16

Follow the clues list that comes with your Zoo map upon entry to play in the family-focused site-wide Scavenger Hunt! With 6 stops available, learn all about the animal families on site, family dynamics in animal species, and more! Visit any or all of the stops to participate, and submit your ballot at the marked table before exiting the Zoo to be entered into a random draw to win the following incredible prizes*:

- Wild Encounter for 6 people
- Family Zoo Day for 6 people 1x daily parking pass, 6x Zoo admissions, 6x carousel passes, 6x Zoo mobile passes
- Assiniboine Park Zoo Family Membership
- 1 of 5 retail prize packs to be enjoyed by the whole family

Family Day Animal Enrichment

Follow the below schedule to see some incredible herbivore feeds, carnivore feeds, and Family Day enrichment pieces enjoyed by the animals!

Saturday, April 14th

10:00 am - Lions - African Savanna - Carnivore Feed

10:30 am - Slender-tailed meerkats - African Rainforest Pavilion

1:00 pm - Babirusa - Australasia Pavilion

2:00 pm - Snow leopard - Eurasia Wilds

Sunday, April 15th

10:00 am - Giraffes - African Savanna - Browse Feed

10:30 am - Ring-tailed lemurs - African Rainforest Pavilion

11:30 am - Sumatran tigers - Indo-Malaya - Carnivore Feed

12:00 pm - Goats - Kids Zoo

1:30 pm - Malayan river turtles and Tomistoma - Indo-Malaya Pavilion

Monday, April 16th

10:00 am - Orangutans - Indo-Malaya Pavilion

11:00 pm - Polar bears - Tundra - Carnivore Feed

12:00 pm - Gorillas - African Rainforest Pavilion - Browse Feed

1:00 pm - Komodo dragon - Australasia Pavilion

Enriching Our Zoo - Enrichment Demonstrations

April 14, 15 and 16

Join our Animal Experts learn more about the animals at our Assiniboine Park Zoo and the various forms of enrichment used to care for them. These 15-minute demonstrations will show you how our dedicated teams construct enrichment for the animals in our care, as well as explain the conservation science used to ensure animal well-being. Learn about the 5 types of enrichment, the science behind what, where, when, why and how we use enrichment, and even see how the enrichment is created right here at your Assiniboine Park Zoo.

3:00 pm - The 5 Types of Enrichment - Greater One-horned Rhino (Indo-Malaya).

Terra Lumina

Available May 20, 21 and 22 - shows begin at 7:00 pm

After nightfall at the Assiniboine Park Zoo, you are invited to pursue an immersive experience along a 1.5 km walking path that travels into the future and back.

Your journey begins when a portal carries you into the luminescent wonders of the year 2099, a time when humans and nature have learned to live in harmony.

Let yourself be transported by vibrant lighting, multimedia effects, breathtaking video projections and an original score to an enchanted world filled with possibility. And explore this bright and hopeful future to reveal the powerful secrets of tomorrow.

MEMBERSHIP DISCOUNT:

From Friday, April 14 to Monday, April 17, enjoy a 10% discount on NEW Family/One Adult Family Memberships! *Must be new membership, onsite purchases only.

Family-Sized Food & Beverage Discounts

Check out our Family Day weekend specials here.

Room to Grow

Your gift in support of the Assiniboine Park Zoo Wildlife Conservancy's Room to Grow fund will help your Assiniboine Park Zoo prepare for any new arrivals! The well-being of the animals at your Assiniboine Park Zoo is a top priority, and habitat retrofits and new equipment can sometimes be necessary to accommodate a growing animal family.

* Prize and redemption details will be confirmed with winners via email from partnershipsandevents@assiniboineparkzoo.ca.

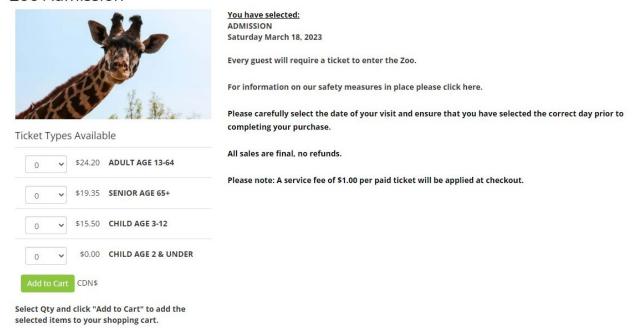
Redemption timelines will apply.

The Assiniboine Park Zoo strives to provide experience and events that are accessible to all guests. Accommodation requests by guests for experiences and events are always welcome and every effort will be made to provide optimal support for the needs of guests with disabilities.

Please note all events subject to change without notice.

Please Note: Discounted spring ticket pricing is currently in effect.

Zoo Admission



Hours of Operation

Public greenspace is open 24 hours a day, year-round.

Attraction	Hours
Leo Mol Sculpture Garden	Year-Round: 9:00 am – Dusk
English Garden	Year-Round: 9:00 am – Dusk
The Leaf	Daily, year-round: 9:00 am - 9:00 pm The Leaf will be closed temporarily four to five times per year to allow for display changes. <u>Click here</u> for closure dates.

Outdoor Gardens at The Leaf	Open year-round, 24 hours/day Seasonal Garden: 9:00 am - dusk Kitchen Garden: 9:00 am - dusk
The Pavilion	Summer: Daily 9:00 am - 5:00 pm Winter: Daily 9:00 am - 4:00 pm
The Park Café	Daily: 9:00 am - 4:00 pm
Nature Playground	Daily: 8:00 am - 8:00 pm For safety reasons, portions of the Nature Playground - including the hill slides, sand and water play, and washroom facilities - are closed in winter. Seasonal closing and reopening dates fluctuate depending on the weather.
Cargo Bar	Closed for the season
Leo Mol Gallery & Schoolhouse	Summer: Daily 9:00 am - dusk Seasonal closing and reopening dates fluctuate depending on the weather and temperature.
Assiniboine Park Zoo	Summer: Daily 9:00 am - 5:00 pm Gates close at 4:30 pm Winter: Daily 9:00 am - 4:00 pm Gates close at 3:30 pm Zoo holiday and gift shop hours of operation.

Seasonal Hours: Summer hours are in effect March 15 - September 30, winter hours are in effect October 1 - March 14.

Holiday Hours

All attractions are CLOSED on Christmas Day (December 25).

Attractions operate with reduced hours on September 30 (National Day for Truth and Reconciliation):

• Assiniboine Park Zoo: 1:00 pm - 5:00 pm

The Pavilion: 1:00 pm - 5:00 pm
 The Park Café: 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm

• Leo Mol Gallery & Schoolhouse: 1:00 pm - dusk

Attractions operate with reduced hours on November 11 (Remembrance Day):

• Assiniboine Park Zoo: 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm

• The Pavilion: 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm

• The Park Café: CLOSED.

Attractions are open with regular hours of operation on all other holidays.