

Zoo Knoxville's Wildly Fun Zoo Camp 2019



Cost: \$175/week for annual passholders and Circle of Friends members
 \$205/week non-passholders/non-members
 *July 1st-3rd camps are \$110 for passholders/members and \$130 for non-passholders/members

Details: Monday – Friday each week (except 4th of July week will be Monday – Wednesday)
 9:00am to 3:00pm for all age groups and camps
 Bring a sack lunch and snacks, drinks will be provided.

Registration: Advance registration is required. Register online at zooknoxville.org. Other camper forms will be sent to you with your confirmation.
 Registration opens:
 February 1st for annual passholders and Circle of Friends members.
 March 1st for non-passholders/non-CoF members.
 Closes one week before each camp starts, if it isn't already full.

All camps are designed to be age-appropriate, so please do not request to enroll children in other age categories including older or younger siblings. Children with special needs may require a personal chaperone to be provided. Campers can attend up to three camps.

All camps are held at Zoo Knoxville rain or shine. Programs fill quickly and are on a first-come, first-serve basis. Registration fees are non-refundable unless the program is canceled by Zoo Knoxville.

If you have questions, please contact zkfamily@zooknoxville.org.



2019 Zoo Camp Themes

Zoo Camps at a Glance

	6/3-6/7	6/10-6/14	6/17-6/21	6/24-6/28	7/1-7/3	7/8-7/12	7/15-7/19	7/22-7/26
4-5 yr olds	Do you Feel That?	Where the Wild Things Are	Dino-Mite!	Do you Feel That?	Where the Wild Things Are	Dino-Mite!	Dino-Mite!	Where the Wild Things Are
6-7 yr olds	Now you see me, now you don't	Creative Creatures	Zoorassic	Zoorassic	Creative Creatures	Now you see me, now you don't	Now you see me, now you don't	Zoorassic
8-10 yr olds	Ancient Creatures	Grossology	Forensic Investigators	Forensic Investigators	Ancient Creatures	Grossology	Forensic Investigators	Ancient Creatures
11-13 yr olds		All about - Ologies	Vlog Around the World	All about - Ologies				

4-5 Year Olds

Do you feel that?

How are animals able to hunt in the dark? How do animals know to run away from danger when it seems like nothing is around? During this camp we will focus on the senses that animals and even people use when trying to search for food or avoid danger. Each day will focus on a different sense and include hands-on activities using the featured sense.

June 3rd-7th

June 24th-28th

Where the Wild Things Are!

Discover that wildlife is not only found in zoos but everywhere around us. Campers will meet and observe animals to understand what it means to be wild. Then grab a magnifying glass and other science tools and go on the hunt to uncover what wildlife is hiding all around the zoo!

June 10th-14th

July 1st-3rd

July 22nd-26th

Dino-Mite!

This will be a week filled with fun and excitement as campers travel back in time to uncover some of the mysterious creatures that once roamed the earth. Campers will get to explore different types of dinosaurs such as the Parasaurolophus and the Tyrannosaurus Rex and how scientists discovered these seemingly mythical creatures.

June 17th-21st

July 8th-12th

July 15th-19th

6-7 Year Olds

Now you see me, now you don't!

Why are animals so many different colors? Campers will discover the different types and uses of animal coloring and camouflage through hands-on activities and meeting animal ambassadors. After learning about the different types of camouflage animals use, campers will get the chance to blend in with their own environment in a huge game of camouflage!

June 3rd-7th

July 8th-12th

July 15th-19th

Zoorassic

Campers will become paleontologists for the week as they uncover the truth about what dinosaurs really were and what modern dinosaur relatives are still around today. During this week campers will learn what a paleontologist is, dig for fossils and discover some of the lesser-known dinosaurs.

June 17th-21st

June 24th-28th

July 22nd-26th

Creative Creatures!

Which animals are your favorite? Who has the coolest adaptations? Campers will learn about animals in the zoo through keeper chats, animal ambassadors, and hands-on adaptation activities. These observations and hands-on activities will build up to campers creating their own animals and animal stories!

June 10th -14th

July 1st-3rd

8-10 Year Olds

Grossology

WARNING: If it's gross we're doing it! This week will be filled with all of the grossness of the animal world. Campers will learn all of the lesser known dooties of being an animal scientist. From dissections to scat identification to animal X-Rays we'll take a closer look at the dirty side of working with animals.

June 10th -14th

July 8th-12th

Ancient Creatures

Junior Paleontologists will discover the ancient relatives of creatures around the zoo. Campers will learn what it means to be a paleontologist while they do fossil excavations and skeletal reconstructions to see how these ancient creatures compare to modern animals.

June 3rd-7th

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Forensic Investigators

An animal has gone missing and it will be up to the Forensic Investigators to track down the poacher. What piece of evidence will lead you to solving the mystery? Will it be DNA, fingerprints or microscopic evidence? Throughout the week investigators will learn how to extract DNA from a cell, use microscopes to examine bacteria and hair samples and learn how to examine and lift fingerprints to find the culprit.

June 17th-21st

June 24th-28th

July 15th-19th

11-13 Year Olds

All About -Ologies

Thinking about a career in science? Join us as we explore career paths in meteorology, paleontology, zoology, biology and geology. Each day we will focus on different professions as campers complete various activities that correlate with jobs in those specific science fields. They will also go behind the scenes, meet zoo keepers and other professionals in those fields to explore what a day in the life of a scientist is really like.

June 10th -14th

June 24th-28th

Vlog Around the World

Get your cameras ready as we safari through the African savannah, swing through the forest of Asia and trek across the Americas while capturing your travels in your very own vlog. Create a passport filled with photos of your journey as campers meet with zoo keepers to gather information on animals and their habitats.

June 17th-21st