

Member Benefits

The opportunity to ...

- ... learn from leading wildlife biologists and conservationists.
- ... contribute to environmental protection efforts.
- ... join fellow nature lovers and conservationists in a wide-range of discussions about environmental issues.
- ... enjoy traveling to exotic locations in Africa, Central and South America, Asia, Australia, and the United States.
- ... participate as a hands-on research assistant in helping scientists with conservation studies around the world.
- ... visit the Zoo after-hours in conjunction with Zoofari Club meetings.



Sponsored and supported by America's first zoo, the Zoofari Club is committed to increasing our understanding and appreciation of the earth's ecosystems and wildlife resources.

Like the Zoo itself, the Zoofari Club promotes initiatives aimed at public education and animal conservation.



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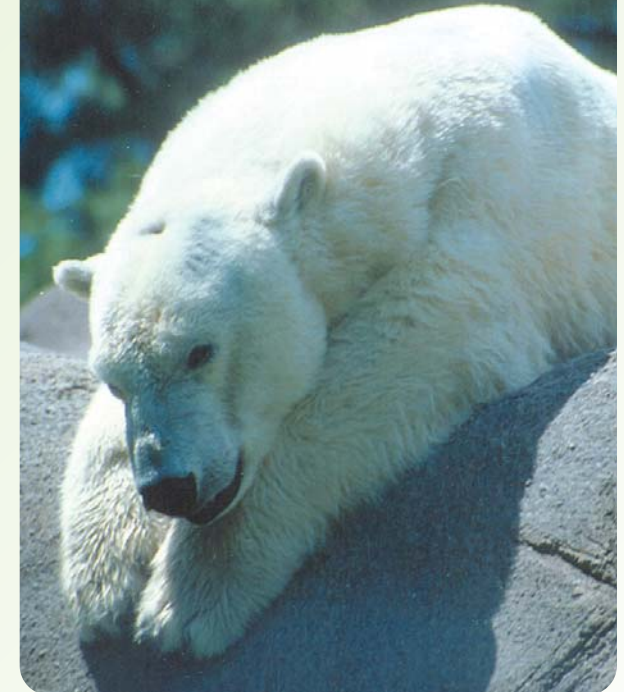
Zoofari Club

Safari

(Swahili): A journey.

Zoofari

(English): A journey of understanding; an opportunity to observe natural wonders; a chance to contribute to the preservation of endangered species; a commitment to community, both human and animal.



Offering Exciting Experiences In:

- Animal Education
- Ecotourism
- Wildlife Conservation
- Worldwide Travel

Education

The Zoofari Club hosts world-renowned experts in the field of wildlife education, such as:

- Dr. Marcella Kelly, Virginia Tech, monitoring jaguars in Belize
- Laurie Marker, director of the Cheetah Conservation Fund, Namibia
- Katie Payne, Cornell University, Elephant Communication

Travel

The Zoofari Club supports the Zoo's trips to exciting destinations.

Upcoming trips:

- South Africa
- Namibia & Botswana
- Egypt
- Kenya
- Costa Rica
- Galapagos Islands
- Brazil
- Australia
- India
- Holland

Conservation

A portion of the proceeds from our annual meetings are donated to conservation efforts worldwide.

Recipients have included:

- Cheetah Conservation Fund, Namibia
- Chincoteague Wildlife Preserve
- Golden Lion Tamarins, Brazil
- Wildlife Conservation Society, Belize
- Forest Partners International



Meetings

The Zoofari Club holds four regularly scheduled meetings annually, usually in the evenings, at which featured guests speak about wildlife conservation, animal education or ecotourism.

March: a Sunday brunch or evening wine & cheese event

May: our annual Zoo Stroll & bring-your-own hors d'oeuvres and desert

Fall (September or October): our annual dinner at the Peacock Pavilion

December: Zoofari Club Holiday Party

Annual Membership

Regular Adult [A]\$ 20.00

Sponsor [S]\$ 35.00

Junior (12 and under) [J]....\$ 10.00

To apply...

Name(s) Fee	Level [A/S/J]	
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Mail a copy of the above form, along with a check or money order (payable to "Philadelphia Zoo") to:

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For information on all Zoo trips including detailed itineraries and photo images, visit TRAVEL under Programs at **www.philadelphiazoo.org**