



# EVENTS

at  
PHILADELPHIA ZOO

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# ALL ZOO AND HALF ZOO PACKAGES

• Prices valid as of February 1, 2026 •

All Zoo and Half Zoo Packages offer exclusive access to the Zoo for three hours, allowing your guests to discover and learn about wildlife. Packages also include parking in secure designated lots, complete with a parking attendant, as well as event hosts to oversee the details. All Zoos and Half Zoos occur between 6:00 and 9:00 p.m.

Hosting your event at Philadelphia Zoo means so much more than just the memories you'll make; every event directly supports our mission to connect people with wildlife! As a 501(c)(3) non-profit, your contribution goes far beyond Philadelphia to every region where we are working to save wildlife.

Contact [events@phillyzoo.org](mailto:events@phillyzoo.org) to learn more about our offerings and schedule a tour of this unique Philadelphia venue!

## ALL ZOO RENTAL

Indulge your guests with a unique evening at the Zoo. Attendees will have a rare chance to explore our expansive 42-acre garden while privately engaging with our stunning exhibits. An All Zoo Rental is a fantastic option for corporate gatherings, client events, and convention groups. Please keep in mind that exhibit availability may vary, and some buildings may close early to prioritize animal welfare.



**Capacity** ..... 750-6,000 guests  
Available April 15 through September 15 • Includes admission for 750 guests



## 2026 RENTALS

**Weekday Rental** ..... \$20,000  
**Weekend Rental** ..... \$25,000



## 2027 RENTALS

**Weekday Rental** ..... \$21,000  
**Weekend Rental** ..... \$25,000

*Additional guests may be added for \$20 per guest ages 2 years and older.*

## HALF ZOO RENTAL

This package is ideal for a company that seeks more than just a single exhibit but doesn't require an All Zoo Rental. The Half Zoo Rental provides access to the Rare Animal Conservation Center, KidZooU, Reptile and Amphibian House, PECO Primate Reserve, and Big Cat Falls. Please be aware that the availability of exhibits may vary, and some buildings may close early to prioritize animal welfare.



**Capacity** ..... 300-1,000 guests  
Available April 15 through September 15 • Includes admission for 500 guests.

**Anytime Rental** ..... \$15,000  
*Additional guests may be added for \$20 per guest ages 2 years and older.*

Prices do not include entertainment or food and beverage fees.  
All food and beverage must be supplied by the Zoo's exclusive in-house caterer.  
Philadelphia Zoo requires pre-approval of all entertainers and vendors.



# AMENITIES

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Along with fascinating animal encounters with wildlife from around the globe, Philadelphia Zoo offers countless entertainment options to make your special event unforgettable. Please inquire for availability and additional options.

**DJ (three-hour rental)** ..... \$1,000

*For party animals that love to dance and fete together, a DJ is the perfect choice to provide a wide variety of musical selections throughout the evening.*

**Access to ZooShop** ..... \$250 per location\*

*Allow your guests the opportunity to purchase a Philadelphia Zoo souvenir from our gift shops!  
\*If guests spend more than \$500 per location, this fee will be waived.*

**Philadelphia Zoo Photo Booth Rental**..... \$450 per booth

*Whether you're celebrating a special occasion or just having a wild time with family and friends, our photobooth is the perfect way to create lasting memories.  
\*customized frame with logo available.*

**Face Painting**..... \$350\*

*Add flair and color to your party and your guests with custom face painting!*  
• Face paint artists can complete twenty small designs per hour. •  
\*price based on one artist for two hours

**Caricatures** ..... \$350\*

*Treat your guests to custom art mementos that capture the fun and memories from a fabulous Zoo event!*  
• Caricature artists can complete eight color designs or twenty black and white designs per hour. •  
\*price based on one artist for two hours

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Speak with your event planner about these and other additions that will make your Zoo event fun and memorable for guests!

## EVENING ATTRACTIONS TICKETS

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**Wild Explorer Virtual Reality** .....\$500 Rental plus \$8 per rider

*Explore the ocean's depths, soar above the plains of Africa, and trek deep into the forest—all from the comfort of Philadelphia Zoo!*

*Wild Explorer Virtual Reality is a 360° visual experience with a motion seat, an immersive VR headset, and audio.*

*Explore the wonders of wildlife like never before in this brand-new attraction, available now!*

*Guests must be at least 35" tall and fit the headset for this experience.*

*Children ages 13 and under must be accompanied by an adult.*

All prices listed below include a two-hour rental of complimentary rides.

Ride availability is based on weather conditions and sunset times.

**Amazon Rainforest Carousel** .....\$500

*Riders of all ages will be treated to sounds of the Amazon, while gliding along on animals such as jaguars and anacondas right outside the Zoo's historic Treehouse building!*

**SEPTA® PZ Express Kiddie Train** .....\$500

*Your youngest event guests can enjoy a quaint ride on our very own SEPTA PZ Express Kiddie Train, a charming reminder of the Zoo's Victorian heritage.*

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