



**wildlife and habitat through
conversation and education**

Location:

2900 S. 2nd Ave, Lower Ross Park

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www.zooidaho.org

Bison, cougar, eagles, pronghorn and grizzly bear are living symbols of the Intermountain West. You can find these and other North American species at the Zoo Idaho. Zoo Idaho provides a unique opportunity to learn about native wildlife through exhibits, events, classes, and other family programs.

GENERAL ADMISSION:

- Adults (12 thru 59) \$6.00
- Seniors (60 & over) \$4.50
- Children (3 thru 11) \$4.00
- Military Service Discount
(Active/Veteran) \$4.50
- Infants & Zoo Society Members....FREE

FALL/WINTER HOURS:

- Post Labor Day - October 31:
Weekends Only 10:00am - 4:00pm
- First two Saturdays in December:
1:00pm – 5:00pm

We Re-Open in April

Zoorific Events

Zoo Boo

**Saturday, October 30th,
10:00am-3:00pm**

**Sponsored by Lookout
Credit Union**

If you are looking for a howling good time this Halloween, Zoo Boo is sure to deliver. Come dressed in your favorite costume for this Halloween bash from 10:00am-3:00pm. Trick or treat around the zoo and participate in fun activities provide by our vendors. Dress to impress and enter our costume contest: individual and group prizes! This is a not-so-spooky, safe trick-or-treating atmosphere. Have a fanging ghoulish time!



COST: Admission to the zoo

STOCKINGS FOR WILDLIFE

**Purchase Stockings from
Nov. 8th until Dec. 10th**

Sponsor a stocking for one of our Zoo Idaho residents. Stockings include treats and enrichment for the animal, plus sponsors one school outreach program for a local school who cannot afford to pay. Stocking Sponsor Winter Enrichment Day will be on Sat. Dec. 11th from 11am-3pm. Stocking sponsors are invited to a private event at the zoo to watch their animals enjoy the enrichment items included in their stocking.



COST: \$75 per Stocking

COVID-19 ADVISORY: Pocatello Parks and Recreation staff will continue to work in conjunction with the Southeastern Idaho Public Health departments to implement any safety measures required due to COVID-19.

EDZOOICATION PROGRAMS

**REGISTER IN ADVANCE
at www.zooidaho.org**

Science Trivia

Second Monday of the month

Test your science knowledge while also participating in an engineering challenge. Prizes will be awarded to the Trivia Winner, Challenge Winner, and for Best Team Name.

COST: \$15/Team

Location: Jim Dandy Brewery, 305 E Lander

Zoo Art

Third Tuesday of the month

Create one-of-a-kind wildlife art pieces with instruction from local artists. Each month will feature a different art medium from painting to sculpting and everything in between.

COST: \$25/person (adults only)

Zoo Zoom Classes

Wednesdays in October

ADVANCED Registration is REQUIRED

Join Zoo Idaho every Wednesday in October at 1:00pm for fun zoo classes on Zoom! Participate in real time and meet some of our native wildlife. Featured themes in order: mammals, reptiles, birds, and amphibians. This is a great opportunity if your child is enrolled in online or home schooling.

COST: Free and open to all ages

WILD WINTER WILDLIFE

ADVANCED Registration is REQUIRED

Every Thursday in November*

5:00pm – 6:30pm

Ages: ALL AGES

Join us and meet the residents of Zoo Idaho. Each class will investigate the unique adaptations of our animal family! Featured animals in order: Elk, Bears, and Cougars.

COST: \$10 per participant
\$8.50 per participant(ZIZS Mem)

***Except Thanksgiving**

Jr. Zookeeper Days

Every Saturday in February

Ever wonder what it's like to be a zookeeper? Want to learn how to train animals? During this class, we will provide a glimpse into the life of a zookeeper. Includes live animal encounters, preparing animal diets, and animal training demos.

HABITRACKER OUTREACH

One-week reservation notice required

Can't come to the Zoo? Bring the Zoo to you! Our education programs and animal ambassadors are able to travel to local schools, youth groups, scout groups, organizations, and more. Programs are offered for all ages, and cover a variety of subjects including: Habitats, Life Cycles, Animal Coverings, Food Webs, and Wild Wings. All programs meet Idaho science standards.

COST:

- **Within school district 25:**

\$25 first class

\$16 each additional class, per trip

- **Beyond school district 25
(up to 25 miles):**

\$40 first class

\$26 each additional class, per trip

- **Beyond 25-mile radius:**

\$40 first class

\$26 each additional class +

\$2 for each additional mile +

cost for overnight if required

VIRTUAL OUTREACH

Schools not allowing guests visits? No Problem! Book a virtual outreach program. One of our amazing zoo staff will log on with your class and cover any of the outreach topics. Programs include live animal encounters.

ADVANCED Registration is REQUIRED

COST: \$20 per class

EDZOOICATION VIDEOS

Check out zooidaho.org for a list of our downloadable animal programs. Free resources for teachers to supplement their lessons.



BIRTHDAY BEARNANZA

Offered on weekends

Are you looking for a unique and educational event for your child's birthday? How about a Zoo Party? Birthdays – after all – don't just come in the summer, and can be scheduled year round! This isn't just any party but is also a program designed for parents who want their child to have a meaningful and educational experience with his or her friends. Depending on package, programs include a tour, presentation, and possibly a game, puppet show, or animal craft.

COST:

- Bear Basics (up to 10 children)

\$200* (additional: \$10/child; \$5/adult)

- Big Paws (up to 10 children)

\$250* (additional: \$13/child; \$5/adult)

- Unbearably Good (up to 10 children)

\$275* (additional: \$15/child; \$5/adult)

- Hibernating Bear Overnighter (up to 10 children)

\$475* (additional: \$35/child; \$15/adult)

*15% Discount on Base Rate for Pocatello ZIZS members.

HOW CAN I HELP?

JOIN THE ZOO IDAHO ZOOLOGICAL SOCIETY

Receive free admission and other discounts at Zoo Idaho and free or discounted entrance to approximately 75 other zoos and aquariums across the United States. For information regarding membership benefit and making donations Contact Yolanda at 208-234-6264, pocatellozoosociety@gmail.com, or go to www.zooidaho.org.



ADOPT AN ANIMAL

Invite one of these wild and wonderful members of our Zoo family into your family! Adoptions are good for one year. Adopt for yourself, a relative, or a friend. Adopt an Animal makes a one-of-a-kind present for birthdays, graduations, anniversaries, holidays, or other special occasions. As a Zoo parent you will have the enjoyment of knowing that your contribution is helping Zoo Idaho and the welfare of the animals. Visit our website for adoption levels.



VOLUNTEER PROGRAMS

"WILD TRACKERS"

ADULT VOLUNTEER PROGRAM

We need you at the Zoo! Dedicated adult volunteers (Zoo Trackers) share the Zoo's Mission to increase the public's knowledge of and appreciation for native North American wildlife.

YOUTH VOLUNTEER PROGRAM

Youth ages 14-17 may apply for a limited number of summer positions (June-August). The Zoo will accept applications from youth until May 15. Following an interview, all youths accepted in the program are required to attend the training class as well as a parent's meeting.

(Dates for the training class and meeting will be announced in the spring brochure.)

GROUND, MAINTENANCE, AND CONSTRUCTION VOLUNTEER PROGRAM

Based on your age and experience, you might work on the grounds or on improvements– a great way to help the Zoo, while having fun learning more about animals and your Zoo Idaho.