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Consider a membership.

Patron level ($79) includes:
- Parking for six visits
- 36 member tickets:
  - Bird show experience* – coming May 2023!
  - Dinoroarus*
  - Sea Lion Show*
  - Zooline Railroad
- Discounts on food, in gift shops and more!
- Purchase at Welcome Desks or at Zoo attractions

Consider an Adventure Pass.

This one-day pass includes:
- Bird show experience* – coming May 2023!
- Conservation Carousel
- Dinoroarus*
- Sea Lion Show*
- Stingrays at Caribbean Cove*
- Zooline Railroad
- 4D Theater
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Our Mission

The mission of the Saint Louis Zoo is to conserve animals and their habitats through animal management, research, recreation, and educational programs that encourage the support and enrich the experience of the public.

Saint Louis Zoo Rules and Policies

The following are prohibited for the safety and welfare of our animals and guests:
- The use of tobacco products, including e-cigarettes
- Dogs or other pets (service animals are permitted, except in the Antelope House and Cypress Swamp). Dogs whose sole function is to provide comfort or emotional support do not qualify as service animals under the Americans with Disabilities Act and are not permitted inside the Zoo.
- Firearms and weapons (even if you have a concealed carry endorsement)
- Bicycles (racks are available at entrances), hoverboards, segways, skateboards, scooters

Please note the following policies:
- Children under age 14 must be accompanied by an adult or have an adult chaperone present at the Zoo.
- Family-friendly attire is required (no profanity or graphic images). Shirt and shoes must be worn.
- The Zoo may take photographs and videos of your party during your visit to the Zoo or the Saint Louis Zoo WildCare Park. These photos and videos may be used and published for Zoo marketing purposes, including the Zoo website and social media channels.
- Student/commercial filming must be approved by the Zoo’s Public Relations Department in advance.
- Distribution of any advertisements, handbills, products, or solicitation of funds or pledges of contributions within Zoo property is prohibited.

The rules and policies listed here are not intended to serve as an exhaustive list of all rules and policies. See the Human Resources Department for more information.

Sea Lion Spring Training (Daily, March 13-26)
Sea Lion Show (Weekends, April 1-May 25)

Stingrays at Caribbean Cove presented by SSM Health opens April 7

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Now celebrating 45 years of the Zoo Parents Program! Visit a Welcome Desk for details.

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Spring Hours:
Through May 25, 2023
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