

# ZOOPEER EDVENTURES



# SPRING

# 2010

ASSOCIATION  
OF ZOOS &  
AQUARIUMS



NORTHWEST  
PARKS & RECREATION  
DEPARTMENT

Potawatomi Zoological Society  
Potawatomi Zoo Education Department  
500 S. Greenlawn Ave.  
South Bend, IN 46615

Non-Profit Org.  
U. S. Postage  
PAID  
South Bend, IN  
Permit No. 19

**Tiny Explorers**  
All Classes from 10-11AM

**3 & 4 year olds**

**Going Buggy**



Session 1A  
Session 1B  
Session 1C  
Session 1D

Saturday, February 6  
Wednesday, February 10  
Saturday, February 20  
Wednesday, February 24

**Bobcat Tales**

Session 2A  
Session 2B  
Session 2C  
Session 2D

Wednesday, March 10  
Saturday, March 13  
Wednesday, March 24  
Saturday, March 27

**Funny Bunnies**

Session 3A  
Session 3B  
Session 3C  
Session 3D

Saturday, April 3  
Wednesday, April 7  
Wednesday, April 21  
Saturday, April 24



**Cost:** The class cost includes 1 adult & 1 child. There are fees for any additional children & adults attending.

Members \$10.00 (additional \$5.00 each)

Non-Members \$15.00 (additional \$7.00 each)

**Potawatomi Zoo – Tiny Explorers Registration**

Family Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Member?  No  Yes # \_\_\_\_\_

# Children Attending: \_\_\_\_\_ Child's Name(s) \_\_\_\_\_

# Adults Attending: \_\_\_\_\_ Adult's Name(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address (to receive email confirmation): \_\_\_\_\_

Title	Choice	Session	Date	Cost
Going Buggy		1A	February 6	
		1B	February 10	
		1C	February 20	
		1D	February 24	
Bobcat Tales		2A	March 10	
		2B	March 13	
		2C	March 24	
		2D	March 27	
Funny Bunnies		3A	April 3	
		3B	April 7	
		3C	April 21	
		3D	April 24	
			<b>TOTAL \$</b>	

Payment

Cash

Check # \_\_\_\_\_  
(payable to Potawatomi Zoo)

VISA

M/C

Credit Card # \_\_\_\_\_ Expiration Date \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ Security Code \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Other Information

Student's Allergies or Limitations: \_\_\_\_\_

*For office use only.*

Date Received \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_

Confirmation Sent \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_

Date Paid \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_

Mailing List

# Junior Naturalists



**5 & 6 year olds**

- Leaping Leopards**      Session J1      Potawatomi Zoo is the spot to learn about these cool spotted cats      February 13 @ 10-11:30AM
- Awesome Alpacas**      Session J2      Take a closer look at alpacas and their cousins the llama and vicuna      March 6 @ 10-11:30AM
- Chinchilla Adventures**      Session J3      Kind of crazy looking but super cute, come find out more about chinchillas      April 10 @ 10-11:30AM

**Cost:**              Members \$8.00                                      Non-Members \$10.00

# Future Zoologists



**7 - 9 year olds**

- Tiny Tamarins**              Session F1      These petite primates are small but mighty      February 27 @ 10-11:30AM
- J.A.W.S.**                      Session F2      Just Another Wicked-Cool Shark class      March 20 @ 10-11:30AM
- Just Ducky**                  Session F3      Waddle, swim, or fly in for this ducky class      April 17 @ 10-11:30AM

**Cost:**              Members \$8.00                                      Non-Members \$10.00

## Potawatomi Zoo – Junior Naturalist / Future Zoologist Registration

Child's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_  
 Guardian's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Member?  No  Yes # \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Email Address (to receive email confirmation): \_\_\_\_\_

Title	Session	Date	Cost
<b>TOTAL \$</b>			

**Payment**     Cash     Check # \_\_\_\_\_ (payable to Potawatomi Zoo)  
 VISA     M/C \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_  
credit card number                      exp. date                      sec. code (last 3 digits on back of card)  
 Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Other Information  
 Student's Allergies or Limitations: \_\_\_\_\_

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# Class Information

## Registrations

- You can mail your registration form and payment to Potawatomi Zoo Education Department / 500 S. Greenlawn Ave. / South Bend, IN 46615 or fax your form and credit card information to #574-235-9080
- Only register one student per form (except Tiny Explorers classes). You may copy a registration form or download another from [www.potawatomizoo.org](http://www.potawatomizoo.org), under Edzoocation & Families, if you are registering more than one student.
- Please note the age requirements for each class. Only students of the appropriate age will be permitted. Please call the Education Department #574-235-9070 if you have any questions.
- The Education Department cannot reserve space in a class over the phone, and registrations will not be processed without payment.
- Registrations must be received one week prior to a class or the first day of any camp.
- Once your registration has been processed, the Education Department will send you a confirmation listing your scheduled classes' dates and times.
  - If you would like an electronic confirmation, please provide an email address on the registration form.
  - If you are receiving an email confirmation, you may want to add [hdowney@southbendin.gov](mailto:hdowney@southbendin.gov) and [lkime@southbendin.gov](mailto:lkime@southbendin.gov) to your address book to avoid your confirmation being sent to a spam folder.
  - All other confirmations will be sent by mail.
  - If you do not receive a confirmation, you can contact the Education Department to check on the status of your registration. Email: [hdowney@southbendin.gov](mailto:hdowney@southbendin.gov), [lkime@southbendin.gov](mailto:lkime@southbendin.gov) or call #574-235-9070.
  - **Tiny Explorers**: When registering for Tiny Explorers classes or ZooCamps, you must select a session to attend. Each title class has multiple sessions, so we can accommodate more students. Because these classes have multiple sessions, you may choose 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, and 3<sup>rd</sup> choices when registering. This way if your 1<sup>st</sup> choice session is filled, you will be placed on a waiting list and scheduled for your 2<sup>nd</sup> choice.
  - **Waiting Lists**: If the class you are registering is full, you will be placed on a waiting list and your payment will be refunded to you. If the Education Department receives a cancellation, we will notify those on the waiting list until we are able to fill the opening.

## Cancellations & Refunds

- If you cancel your registration with at least one week's notice, you may opt to receive a voucher in the amount of your registration fee or a refund check for 50% of the original registration fee.
- If you cancel at least 48 hours prior to the class or first day of camp, you will receive a voucher in the amount of your registration fee.
- No refunds will be issued for cancellations received with less than 48 hours notice.
- Potawatomi Zoo Education Vouchers, if issued, may be used towards any future education class, program, or party. They may not be used towards zoo admission or at the Zoo's gift shop or concession stand. Vouchers are valid for one full year.
- **Tiny Explorers**: If you miss a registered class, you can contact the Education Department to be added to a waiting list for another session. If there is an opening in that session at the registration cut off date (one week prior to class), you will be notified and admitted into the class.

## Student Drop-Off & Pick-Up

- Students can be signed in with the Zoo Educator at the old entrance gate, Gate 3. You can also look for a sign directing you towards this gate.
- Parents may accompany students into the classroom to get them settled but are expected to leave before class starts (except for Tiny Explorers).
- **Zooper Edventures Classes**: pick up students in the classroom; either wait by Gate 3 for a Zoo Educator to open the gate or enter through admissions (when zoo is open) and wait by the classroom. If you have other children with you, you can ask the Zoo Educator who opens Gate 3 to bring the student to you.

## Other Policies

- Potawatomi Zoo and the Education Department are not responsible for any items that are lost or stolen during classes and programs.
- On occasion, Education and Zoo staff may take photos, video, or other recordings of participants in our classes and programs. Please be aware that this multimedia is only for Potawatomi Zoo use and may be used in future print publications or on our website. Please contact the Education Department if you have any questions.
- The Education Department reserves the right to dismiss any student for disruptive or threatening behavior. Guardians will be notified of a behavioral problem before dismissal except in extreme circumstances.
- Registrants understand that participation in classes at Potawatomi Zoo may expose students to risks and hazards. By registering for a class, you release the Potawatomi Zoo and its staff from any and all claims, judgments, and/or liability for any injury, whether personal or property, that the student may receive during class participation.

Download the complete Class Information & Policy document at [www.potawatomizoo.org](http://www.potawatomizoo.org)