

Alameda Park Zoo Summer Camp



Dear Parents/Grandparents/Guardians,

Thank you for your interest in the Alameda Park Zoo 2019 Summer Camp! We are a City of Alamogordo operated organization whose mission it is to provide pleasing naturalistic environments, recreation, and biological research. The intended concept is to instill through audio, visual, and tactical means, a unity of non-human and human relationships. Through professional cooperation and tactics, the Alameda Park Zoo aims to provide the public with high standards of environmental education. This educational procedure takes place in an atmosphere that promotes environmental recreation as well as education.

Campers will work with our educated zoo staff in programs that will teach them about wildlife and give them a behind the scenes look at what it means to be a Zookeeper. Campers will have the opportunity to feed animals, clean enclosures, and construct enrichment.

Day camp is Monday through Friday, 9am to 12pm. June 3-7 is open to ages 5-8. June 17-21 is open to ages 9-11. July 22-26 is open to ages 12-15. August 5-9 is open to ages 16-18.

Enclosed you will find the materials required to hold your camper's spot in our 2019 Summer Camp. A camper's spot is not reserved until the "Summer Camp Application Form" and \$50 payment is submitted to the Alameda Park Zoo Gift Shop. (checks should be made payable to "City of Alamogordo"). The full \$50 cost is due at sign up. Please remember to attach a recent photo of your camper, and a camper's spot CAN NOT be reserved without a completed application and payment. Keep this sheet and submit all additional pages.

Mark your calendars!! Please notify us if the camper is no longer able to attend ASAP. The payment is non-refundable in any circumstance. A camper cannot be substituted, as we have a wait list we will use to fill the spot in the case of a cancelation.

Campers MUST:

Wear closed toed shoes that are strapped to their feet.

Bring water, a hat, sunscreen, and any necessary medications.

Wear or bring clothes that can get dirty.

Be ready to learn and have fun!

Be dropped off and picked up within 15 minutes of camp start and end times.

****Failure to comply with the above can result in the loss of privilege to participate in activities.****

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us. We appreciate your cooperation and participation in this years Summer Camp.

Sincerely,

The Alameda Park Zoo Staff
1321 N White Sands Boulevard
Alamogordo, NM 88310
Alamedaparkzoo@ci.alamogordo.nm.us
575-439-4100



Alameda Park Zoo Summer Camp

Submit at Registration



Registration Form

Camper's Name: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Age (at start of camp): _____

Name of primary person responsible for camper during camp: _____

Relation: _____ Email address: _____

Address: _____ City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Primary Phone Number: _____

Secondary Phone Number: _____

Person(s) to notify if primary person cannot be reached:

Name: _____

Phone: _____

Please Attach Photo
Here

Or Email to:

alamedaparkzoo@ci.alamogordo.nm.us

Please select a session below (*double check the age range for the session selected*):

Day Camp Session 1: June 3rd – 7th (\$50) Ages: 5-8

(Payment and Paperwork required to reserve spot)

Day Camp Session 2: June 17th – 21st (\$50) Ages: 9-11

(Payment and Paperwork required to reserve spot)

Day Camp Session 3: July 22nd – 26th (\$50) Ages: 12-15

(Payment and Paperwork required to reserve spot)

Day Camp Session 4: August 5th-9th (\$50) Ages: 16-18

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Medical Release Form

Camper's Name: _____

MEDICAL HISTORY STATEMENT

I understand that zoo activities may be strenuous, and that normal healthy lungs, heart, ears and sinuses are essential for my safety and well-being. I hereby confirm that my circulatory systems are healthy and normal and that I have no severe emotional or neurological problems or communicable diseases. I understand that I need to seek approval from a licensed physician if I am uncertain as to my physical fitness for zoo activities.

Please check each item that applies to your current or past medical history and explain under remarks.

Due to the limited staff, we require an aid for any child that requires extra help to participate.

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| <input type="radio"/> <u>I have read the medical statement</u> | <input type="radio"/> Epilepsy |
| <input type="radio"/> Glasses or Contact lenses | <input type="radio"/> Diabetes |
| <input type="radio"/> Asthma or Lung Disease | <input type="radio"/> Physical Disabilities |
| <input type="radio"/> Dizziness/Fainting | <input type="radio"/> Any serious medical problem |

Remarks: _____

Child's Aid Name & Phone# (if applicable): _____

List ALL medications camper is currently taking: _____

Camper's Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent's Signature: _____ Date: _____

It is recommended that each student be covered under a Health Insurance Policy. Please provide the following:

Health Policy Name: _____ Physician's Name: _____

Policy Number: _____ Physician's Phone Number: _____

Please read and sign in agreement of the following statement.

In the event of any injury requiring medical treatment, I hereby grant permission for emergency medical treatment to be initiated for my child by the Alameda Park Zoo. The cost of such treatment will be paid for by the above named policy or parent. Any expenses not covered by the above named policy will be solely my responsibility as parent or guardian and I understand will not be paid for by the Alameda Park Zoo or any of its agents.

Parent's Signature: _____ Date: _____

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Participant Code of Conduct



I, _____, (camper's name) hereby agree to abide by this Student Code of Conduct during the Alameda Park Zoo Summer Camp I am attending.

1. I fully understand that the purpose of the program is to explore and learn about wonders of the wildlife and zoo life.
2. I will conduct myself in a manner, which is not disruptive to any scheduled activity.
3. I will follow all verbal and written instructions of the Alameda Park Zoo Staff and Jr. Counselors.
4. I will be respectful in thoughts, words and actions to all persons at the Alameda Park Zoo.
5. I will always remain with my assigned group and group leader.
6. I will always follow all safety rules and regulations & exercise common sense.
7. I will respect other participants' personal property and their right to privacy.
8. I will respect Alameda Park Zoo staff, equipment, and all camp property.
9. I will abstain from the use of alcohol, tobacco products and any non-prescriptive medication or drugs.
10. I will always conduct myself in a normal manner and be respectful in thoughts, words and actions towards those of the opposite gender and different races.
11. I understand that any single violation of this Code of Conduct may result in being sent home immediately, at my own expense, and without refund of tuition.

Camper's Signature: _____ Date: _____

As the Parent(s) of the above-named student, I/we understand the Student Code of Conduct and agree to arrange for, and bear the expense for, providing an adult escort for my child and transportation for the escort and my child back to the point of origin or home within 1 hour of being notified of my child's unacceptable behavior. I understand this policy is in the best interest of all students involved in the Program.

Parent Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent Name (print): _____

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Liability Release Form

Camper's Name: _____ Gender (circle): M F

Street Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Home Phone: _____ Other Phone: _____

Emergency Contact _____ Emergency Phone: _____

General Medical Information

Please list ANY medical problems such as allergies: _____

Medications presently taking: _____

My health/accident insurance policy is with: _____

Policy Number: _____ Group/Plan/ID: _____

RELEASE AND WAIVER OF LIABILITY/IMPLIED CONSENT

In signing this form, I understand that I waive the right to sue the City of Alamogordo (COA) as well as any of the individuals associated with the Alameda Park Zoo (APZ). I am aware that APZ arranges activities involving raking, shoveling, lifting, running, animal encounters, scavenger hunts, and cleaning. In participating or allowing my child to participate in these activities I acknowledge that during these activities, I or he/she may be exposed to certain risks which are inherent in the activity and cannot be eliminated without destroying the purpose and character of the activity, such as animal encounters, field games, and the forces of nature, including sun, wind, and rain. I understand the description of these risks is not complete and that these and other unknown or unanticipated inherent risks may result in injury or death.

In consideration for the right for myself or my child to participate in such activities, and other services and activities arranged for me or him/her, I have and do hereby assume all risks and will forever indemnify, hold harmless, and covenant not to sue APZ, APZ employees, APZ volunteers, property owners, directors, officers, and members from any and all liabilities, actions, causes of actions, debts, claims, demands, or other liability of every kind and nature whatsoever which may arise or in connection with my or his/her trip to or participation in this program, whether caused by ordinary negligence or otherwise. This signed agreement serves as a release or assumption of risks for my heirs, executors, and administrators, assigns, next of kin, and members of my family. This agreement is meant to be broad and inclusive. I give permission for staff to take pictures and videos of myself or my child while participating in these activities. The photos and videos shall remain the property of the Alameda Park Zoo.

Signature of Participant: _____ Date: _____

Signature of Parent/Guardian (if under 18): _____ Date: _____