

The Pride Donor Circle

ENGAGEMENT OPPORTUNITIES 2026

The Pride supports the annual fund and allows Cleveland Metroparks Zoo to thrive, grow and evolve. As the advancement partner of Cleveland Metroparks Zoo, the Cleveland Zoological Society works to secure private funding that helps catalyze excellence at your Zoo.



MEET THE PACK: WOLF CARE IN ACTION

Step behind the scenes to learn how your Zoo cares for Mexican wolves as part of a national recovery effort for this species. This experience brings you up close with the experts to see first-hand the daily specialized care, monitoring, and enrichment they provide.

Thursday, February 12 at 9 a.m.

Saturday, February 21 at 9 a.m.

Thursday, March 12 at 4 p.m.



CREATING LANDSCAPES THAT LIFT: POLLINATOR GARDENS & MONARCH CONSERVATION

See how landscaping becomes conservation in action! Featuring native milkweed and nectar blooms, sustainable gardening practices, and public education pathways, Zoo horticulturists craft gardens to support essential pollinator species – and inspire others to join in the effort.

Thursday, April 23 at 9 a.m.

Thursday, May 14 at 4 p.m.



BIG CATS, BIG MILESTONES: 10 YEARS OF ROSEBROUGH TIGER PASSAGE

Celebrate 10 years of Rosebrough Tiger Passage with a guided walk focused on the care and management of tigers as well as lions. Guests can choose between a longer walk to Wilderness Trek or a shorter stop at the lion habitat, each led by the Zoo's expert animal care staff.

Thursday, August 20 at 9 a.m.

Thursday, September 10 at 4 p.m.

Saturday, September 26 at 9 a.m.



WHERE ANIMALS THRIVE: THE STORY OF HABITAT DESIGN AT CMZ

Explore how your Zoo designs habitats that prioritize animal well-being, natural behaviors, and exceptional guest experiences. These goals drove the design of recent habitats such as Susie's Bear Hollow and Rosebrough Tiger Passage, and will shape the next major milestone: the new gorilla habitat coming to Primate Forest.

Thursday, October 15 at 9 a.m.

Thursday, November 5 at 4 p.m.

Discounts on Ticketed Events

Tails + Cocktails

PRESENTED BY THE STEFFEE FAMILY

Wednesday, April 29

Thursday, November 12

Twilight at the Zoo

Friday, August 7

Plus, additional opportunities and discounts on Zoo events throughout the year

Primate Forest

Stay tuned for special opportunities to see Primate Forest progress and updates.

Don't forget to schedule your private golf cart tour!

Please reach out to your Advancement Officer to schedule your walk or golf cart tour around the Zoo. Tours start at 10 a.m. or 2 p.m. and must be scheduled at least two weeks in advance of your requested date.

Tours are for 6 people. Children must be 5 years old or older.