

Oshkosh Zoological Society



The Oshkosh Zoological Society (OZS) supports the Menominee Park Zoo's animals, educational activities, and more!

OZS was established to support, promote, serve and improve the Menominee Park Zoo. They help provide a meaningful educational and recreational experience for visitors. OZS emphasizes conservation of natural resources and fosters an appreciation of the role humans play in nature.



2019 OZS EVENTS

Bird Fest Saturday, May 4th 10 am - 2 pm

Join us at our first event of the season! Fun opportunities for the entire family throughout Menominee Park! For more information visit our website or contact our Zoo Education Coordinator: **** at (920) 267-7847.



Visit our website to learn more:
www.oshkoshzoo.org

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

Don't let us be the ones to have all of the fun! We are always looking for (and appreciate)



volunteers at our events. Be sure to check our website for opportunities to volunteer or contact Jenny McCollian at (920) 232-5319.

www.ci.oshkosh.wi.us/Parks/MenomineeParkZoo

****Please note: Any pictures that are taken at our events may be used for advertising or marketing****

“We Need Each other Wednesdays”

2019 Summer Series

Join us on Wednesdays throughout the summer for a variety of presentations and outdoor activities that will take place inside the Menominee Park Zoo. Designed to help children and families develop knowledge, a healthier attitude, and respect of wildlife this free series is about the environment and how we are all connected.

May 29th
10am



June 12th
4pm



June 26th
4pm



July 10th 4pm

Pine View
Rehabilitation
& Education
Center



July 24th
4pm



August 14th
4pm
David Stokes



Visit our website for more details!

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Coming Soon: Eagle Exhibit!

Plans are currently underway to create an Eagle Exhibit at the Menominee Park Zoo! We envision this exhibit housing federally permitted birds of prey to be on the zoo grounds year-round. Your help is needed to make this happen. **Donate today!**

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Menominee Park Zoo



2019 Season:

Opening Day: May 4, 2019

May 4th - Sept. 29th

Hours: 9:00 am – 7 pm

Closing Day: September 29, 2019

Cost: FREE

520 Pratt Trail, Oshkosh

(920) 236-5082

www.ci.oshkosh.wi.us/Parks



General Information



The zoo is approximately eight acres and carries 30-50 animals during the season. The zoo entertains and educates over 100,000 visitors per year.

As the zoo continues to grow and improve, several major, permanent exhibits are planned. These exhibits will house native species that will reside at the zoo all year round. Three permanent exhibits are complete: the wolf, elk, and otter exhibits.

The zoo is located in Menominee Park on the east side of Oshkosh near the shores of Lake Winnebago.



Admission continues to be FREE due to a generous gift by Tom and Penny Harenburg.

Educational Programs

Be sure to check out our Facebook Page for information and updates regarding educational programs at Menominee Park Zoo! www.facebook.com/MenomineePark/

Field Trips

- We ask you provide one adult for every five students.
- Each group should go through the zoo independently.
- Looking for an animal demonstration or guided tour? Contact Zoo Education Coordinator at **920.267.7847**.
- If any group is interested in amusement rides during their visit, please contact **Jenny McCollan: 920-232-5319**.

Biology Internships

For information about internships through the zoo's Animal Care Department, contact: **Chad Dallman: 920.236.5080**. Applicants are selected on a case by case basis.

2019 Special Events

Breakfast with the Bunny

Saturday, April 13th

8 am - 11 am

Oshkosh Seniors Center North

Enjoy a pancake breakfast with the Easter Bunny! Bring your camera for a great holiday picture. Enjoy family activities & raffles. Cost: \$5/adult (18yrs+) \$3/child (2-17yrs) Free for child 1yr & under. Purchase tickets in advance at the Oshkosh Parks Dept., Oshkosh Seniors Center, & Oshkosh Festival Foods beginning March 25th.



Egg-Citing Day at the Zoo

Saturday, April 13th

11 am - 3 pm

A fun-filled Easter celebration & fundraiser for the Zoo! Visit the Easter Bunny, go on an egg hunt inside the zoo, crafts, games, raffles, contests, & prizes. Cost: \$3/child (Adults & child 1yr & under are FREE). **Special combo tickets available!** Purchase tickets in advance at the Oshkosh Parks Dept., Oshkosh Seniors Center, & Oshkosh Festival Foods beginning March 25th.



Snooze at the Zoo

September 7 & 8

Camp out under the stars with your favorite animals. Fun family activities, dinner & breakfast are included. Settle in and watch the movie "Dumbo" under the stars that night with the family! Each camper receives a t-shirt & water bottle. Cost \$15/camper.



To register, or for more information about 2019 events call 920-232-5319. **Sponsored by: Hiwela Youth Fund at Oshkosh Area Community Foundation.**

2019 Special Events

Zooloween Boo

Sat. & Sun., Oct. 19 & 20

11 am - 3 pm



Come in your costume and enjoy Trick- or- Treat stations, bounce houses, Halloween concessions, games, crafts, prizes, mascots and much more! Cost: \$5/adults (18yrs+) \$3/child



(2-17yrs) Free for children 1yr & under. Purchase tickets in advance beginning Oct. 1st at Oshkosh Festival Foods and Oshkosh Parks Department.

All proceeds from the special events go back to zoo events and exhibits.

LakeFly Cafe

Hours

Saturday, May 25 – Monday, September 2:
11 am - 7 pm weekdays
10 am - 7 pm weekends



A trip to the Menominee Park Zoo would not be complete without a visit to the LakeFly Café. We offer a variety of

concessions and zoo souvenirs. Proceeds go back to zoo exhibits.

Zoo Rules:

- **NO** bicycles, rollerblades, or skateboards
- **NO** pets
- **NO** smoking
- **NO** carry in food allowed