

# Summer Camp



**AGES  
4-15**



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## Week-long Zoo Day Camps - Ages 4 - 13

Campers participate in a week-long session full of fun and adventure. A snack is provided daily. **Please bring a water bottle.** Please inform us ASAP of any dietary or other special needs. If your session is full day, you may pack or buy your lunch. Hot lunches are available for purchase. The menu will come in your confirmation packet.

While we do not have extra staff available to accommodate severe behavioral and emotional special needs, campers with those needs are welcome to attend with an aide or caregiver. Enter through the Education Entrance (tiger-striped) door at the foot of the office stairs.



### **Warning:**

Summer campers may get messy as they learn, play and explore the zoo. A change of clothes is encouraged.

All check-ins must take place between 7:45 and 8:30 am. Any late arrivals and early dismissals must be pre-arranged with zoo staff because they disrupt the flow of the camp. Pick up will occur between 3:30-4:00 pm.

### **Pricing:**

½ day members- 110, second child 95; non-members 140  
Full day members- 190, second child 165; non-members 225





## Animals on the Move

Whether they live on land, survive in the sea, or soar in the sky, campers will have fun exploring how creatures move. Get ready to jump, dive, hop and slither to the zoo!

### Ages 4-6:

June 10-14, 8 a.m. - 12 p.m. OR  
June 10-14, 8 a.m.-4 p.m.

### Ages 6-8:

June 10-14, 8 a.m. - 12 p.m. OR  
June 10-14, 8 a.m. - 4 p.m.

### Ages 8-13:

June 10-14, 8 a.m. - 4 p.m.

## Where the Wild Things Roam

Home can mean many different things to many different animals. From lush rainforests to icy polar regions to golden grasslands, discover the incredible array of environments on our planet.

### Ages 4-6:

June 17-21, 8 a.m. - 12 p.m. OR  
June 17-21, 8 a.m.-4 p.m.

### Ages 6-8:

June 17-21, 8 a.m. - 12 p.m. OR  
June 17-21, 8 a.m. - 4 p.m.

### Ages 8-13:

June 17-21, 8 a.m. - 4 p.m.



## ZooTroop

Come find out why a zeal of zebras likes to live in a group while you won't normally see a leap of leopards because they prefer to be solitary. Join our flock as we discover who lives in a crash, romp and mob!

### Ages 4-6:

June 24- June 28, 8 a.m. - 12 p.m. OR  
June 24- June 28, 8 a.m.-4 p.m.

### Ages 6-8:

June 24-June 28, 8 a.m. - 12 p.m. OR  
June 24- June 28, 8 a.m. - 4 p.m.

### Ages 8-13:

June 24- June 28, 8 a.m. - 4 p.m.



## ZIP: Zoo Insider Program

Who lives at the Erie Zoo? How do we transport train and feed all the animal residents? Take a deep dive into all things Erie Zoo and learn about all the people it takes to make the zoo run!

### **Ages 4-6:**

July 1-5, 8 a.m. - 12 p.m. OR

July 1-5, 8 a.m.-4 p.m.

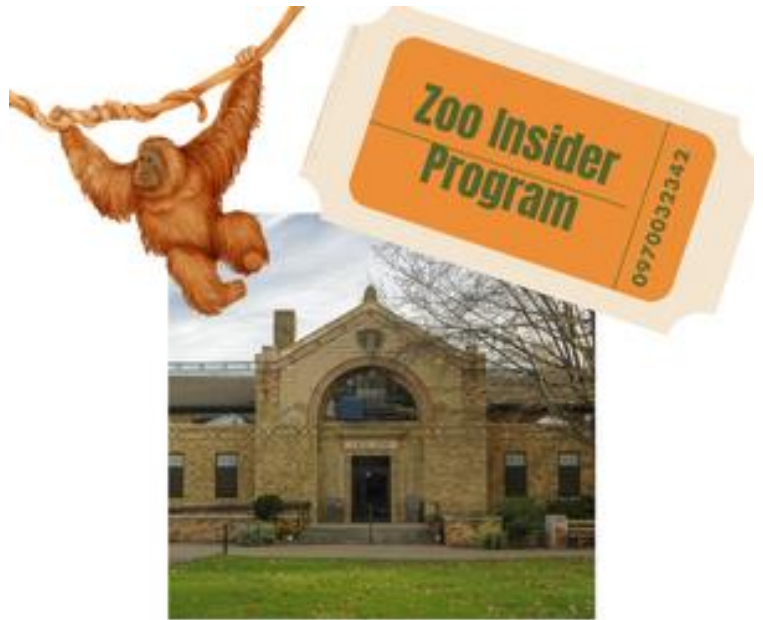
### **Ages 6-8:**

July 1-5, 8 a.m. - 12 p.m. OR

July 1-5, 8 a.m. - 4 p.m.

### **Ages 8-13:**

July 1-5, 8 a.m. - 4 p.m.



## Elemental Explorers

Earth, Wind, Fire and Water! There's no need to trek across the planet to learn about these elements that make up our world. Campers will discover ways that animals and the elements are linked together in the web of life.



### **Ages 4-6:**

July 8-12, 8 a.m. - 12 p.m. OR

July 8-12, 8 a.m.-4 p.m.

### **Ages 6-8:**

July 8-12, 8 a.m. - 12 p.m. OR

July 8-12, 8 a.m. - 4 p.m.

## This Camp is a Disaster

The natural world is full of disasters- fires, floods, earthquake, and so on. But some of those disasters are necessary to animals' survival! This camp explores how disasters happen, how they affect animals (for better or for worse) and how we can help.

### **Ages 8-13:**

July 8-12, 8 a.m. - 4 p.m.





# WILDLIFE PUZZLERS



## Alien Invaders

Campers will be space travelers this week and their mission is to identify invasive animal and plant species. Come aboard our starship to save native species and restore freedom to the galaxy.

May the Zoo be with you!

### Ages 4-6:

July 22-26, 8 a.m. - 12 p.m. OR  
July 22-26, 8 a.m.-4 p.m.

### Ages 6-8:

July 22-26, 8 a.m. - 12 p.m. OR  
July 22-26, 8 a.m. - 4 p.m.

### Ages 8-13:

July 22-26, 8 a.m. - 4 p.m.



## ani-mazing animals

# Wildlife Puzzlers

The world is full of things to figure out! Take a chance on this camp that will take you and your fellow adventurers on a quest through the zoo, solving riddles and figuring out your mystery 2024 animal for the week. Who could it be?

### Ages 4-6:

July 15-19, 8 a.m. - 12 p.m. OR  
July 15-19, 8 a.m.-4 p.m.

### Ages 6-8:

July 15-19, 8 a.m. - 12 p.m. OR  
July 15-19, 8 a.m. - 4 p.m.

### Ages 8-13:

July 15-19, 8 a.m. - 4 p.m.



## AniMazing Animals

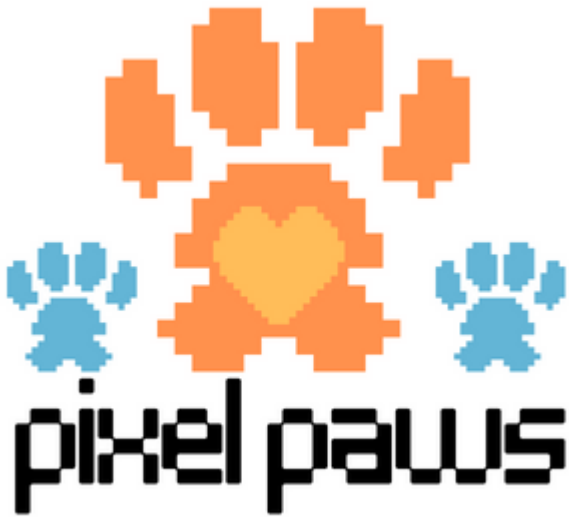
Do animals look and act the same in real life as they do on TV and in movies? Do porcupines shoot their quills? Can turtles come out of their shells? Let's learn the difference between real animals and their animated counterparts.

### Ages 4-6:

July 29-Aug 2, 8 a.m. - 12 p.m. OR  
July 29- Aug 2, 8 a.m.-4 p.m.

### Ages 6-8:

July 29-Aug 2, 8 a.m. - 12 p.m. OR  
July 29-Aug 2, 8 a.m. - 4 p.m.



## Pixel Paws

Find out how real life animals compare to their video game equivalents. Discover and meet some creatures that look like they've been pulled right out of your favorite games. Game on!

**Ages 8-13:**

July 29-Aug 2, 8 a.m. - 4 p.m.

## Invented by the Animals

Some of the coolest inventions were based on, you guessed it, animals! Velcro, water proofing, flight and slime are just some examples. Your camper will learn and discover how the natural world inspires play every day!

**Ages 4-6:**

Aug 5- 9, 8 a.m. - 12 p.m. OR

Aug 5-9, 8 a.m.-4 p.m.

**Ages 6-8:**

Aug 5-9, 8 a.m. - 12 p.m. OR

Aug 5-9, 8 a.m. - 4 p.m.

**Ages 8-13:**

Aug 5-9, 8 a.m. - 4 p.m.

**INVENTED BY ANIMALS**





### **Junior Explorers- Ages 11-15**

Part Junior Zookeeper and Part Junior Volunteer. Campers will shadow a few zookeepers and try out different volunteer stations at the zoo including touch tables, kangaroo, wallaby and lorikeet yards, as well as learning about different zoo careers. Time will also be spent making animal enrichments, visiting “behind the scene” areas and participating in conservation activities. Learn about zoo animals and how they are cared for while participating in a hands-on fun-filled day. This is a great way to earn service hours for a project. At the end of the week, your child will become an official Erie Zoo volunteer and will conclude with them earning their volunteer shirt and badge.

(Volunteering is not required after this program).

#### **Pricing:**

Cost for full day sessions: \$205 members/ \$240 non-members

Each additional child from the same family: \$180 members only

#### **Ages 11-15:**

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