



Experience the Zoo in a whole new light—*moonlight!*

Wild Nights is an overnight program intended for organized youth groups; such as school or scouting groups. Participants must be at least 8 years old to attend.

Wild Nights is a fun-filled and educational overnight experience. Groups go on a nocturnal safari and meet a Zookeeper for an up-close animal encounter. Games, and evening snack and activities are all part of the wild adventure! After waking up, enjoy a continental breakfast and a morning nature walk. You are then free to explore the Zoo on your own for the remainder of the day!

As a memento of your group's unique experience a Wild Nights patch is available (see enclosed registration form).

Your group will thrill to the sights and sounds of the Zoo at a Wild Nights overnight!



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About Your WILD NIGHT



WHAT TO BRING:

-From Daylight Saving Time start (March/April) to Daylight Saving Time end (October/November); we will camp outdoors.



- ★ Participants will need to bring; a tent, ground cloth, sleeping bag, warm, layered clothing, flashlight (camp- site use only), toiletries, and air-tight container for any extra food (loose food will attract wild animals to your camp site).
- ★ The Zoo has a coastal climate and can be cold and damp. Our program runs rain or shine, so remember to check the weather and come prepared with layers of warm clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- ★ While adults are welcome to carry a flashlight, we will not be using them on our night walk.
- ★ Restroom facilities will be available all night long—campers must supply their own toiletries.
- ★ Your entire group may choose to purchase a pizza dinner from us, or they can bring along their own brown bag dinner. An evening snack and continental breakfast will be provided. Bringing additional food is discouraged.

COST:

\$60 per child (8-17 years old)
\$70 per adult
Minimum total group size: 30

CHECK IN

Your Wild Nights guides will welcome you at the Zoo Entrance at 5:30 pm to direct you to parking and your camping area. Please be prompt, no one will be admitted after the gates are closed. NO late arrivals or early departures.

RULES & REGULATIONS:

The entire group must participate in all activities. Everyone, including the chaperones, must follow the instructions of the Wild Nights guides. Chaperones must be at least 18 years old and are responsible for the supervision and care of the campers throughout the entire program. One chaperone is required for every five children. Alcoholic beverages, weapons of any kind, and electronic equipment are not permitted.

RESERVATIONS:

To make your group overnight reservation: call (415) 753-8135 to choose a date for your overnight and make a reservation.

To secure your reservation, fill out the attached form completely and mail with a \$200 non-refundable deposit to: Wild Nights, SF Zoo Education Department, 1 Zoo Road, San Francisco, CA 94132. Your deposit must be received no later than 14 days after making your phone reservation.

CANCELLATION POLICY:

Cancellations will result in the loss of the \$200 non-refundable deposit. There are no refunds for cancellations less than two weeks (14 days) prior to your overnight. If you wish to add campers after making your final payment, you must notify us no less than one week prior and the additional payment will be due upon arrival. In the unlikely event that the Zoo must cancel your overnight, we will issue a full refund.

SAN FRANCISCO ZOO WILD NIGHTS RESERVATION FORM

Please fill out completely and sign below.

The San Francisco Zoo is able to reasonable accommodate individuals with disabilities. If you have any questions or need any accommodations to enable you to participate in this program, please let us know at the time of registration.

Please Print

Group Name: _____

Group Leader: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Contact Phone: _____

E-mail address:: _____

Overnight Date: _____ / _____ / _____

Grade Level: _____

Estimated number of children: _____ Cost: _____
(must be at least 8 yrs old)

Estimated number of adults: _____

Will Choose pizza at the Zoo (\$8 per person): _____

Pre-Purchase Wild Nights patches (\$4 each): _____

\$200 deposit is enclosed: _____ - \$200

Estimated cost for Overnight: _____

I have read and understood the information provided in this brochure. I agree to all terms and conditions and will be responsible for the supervision and behavior of my group.

Signature of Group Leader: _____