



# PARTIES

**BIRTHDAY PARTIES  
& MORE!**



# PARTIES AT OGLEBAY GOOD ZOO

## Scheduling Your Party

To schedule a party, please complete the reservation request online at [oglebay.com/good-zoo](http://oglebay.com/good-zoo) or attached on Page 3. We recommend scheduling your party as soon as possible. All parties must be scheduled a minimum of two weeks in advance.

Parties are held year-round on Saturdays & Sundays and typically last two hours.

**Party Times:** 10 am - 12 pm  
1 - 3 pm

**Party Cost:** Good Zoo Members: \$243  
Non-Members: \$297.50  
Up to 25 people, any combination of children and adults. Add \$8.75 for each additional guest.  
*Pricing plus applicable taxes. Rates subject to change.*

All adults and children entering the zoo must be included in your attendance count.

## Room Options

When scheduling your party online, you will be given the option between the classroom and multipurpose room space. The classroom comfortably holds about 35 people. There are some small animal habitats in the classroom. For larger groups, we suggest the multipurpose room, which can hold approximately 55 people.

## Party Inclusions

We do all of the set up and clean up. All you have to do is show up! The basic party package includes zoo admission for up to 25 guests, party room for two hours, paper goods (table cover, plates, napkins, etc.), and one team member to assist with party activities. We also provide chips, punch, and 25 cupcakes. Additional cupcakes may be purchased as an add-on.

## Party Add-Ons

Make your party extra special with our party add ons! Some items are seasonal/facilities permitting. Items must be added at least five days prior to your party.

Pizza - Cheese	\$13 per pizza (16 inch, 8 large slices)
Pizza - Pepperoni	\$15 per pizza (16 inch, 8 large slices)
Carrots with Ranch	\$21.25 (approximately 25 servings)
Extra Cupcakes	\$1.90 each
Hot Dogs	\$2.50 each
Soft Pretzels	\$2.50 each
Pepsi/Diet Pepsi	\$5.50 per pitcher (approx. 8 servings)
Train Rides	\$4.50 per person (seasonal, facilities permitting)
Jumbo Jumper	\$1.75 per person (seasonal, facilities permitting)
Low Ropes Course*	\$14.50 per person (seasonal, facilities permitting)
Goat Feeding	\$13.50 per container of goat food (25 servings)
Critter Connection	
Animal Experience	\$65 (Includes a visit from 3 ambassador animals)
Guided Zoo Tour	\$54

*Pricing plus applicable taxes and fees. Rates subject to change.*

\*Guests must be 50" tall to enjoy the course. Must weigh less than 275 lbs. Appropriate clothing and closed-toe/heel shoes required. Crocs are not permitted.



## Cancellation/Refund Policy

Payments are non-refundable should you decide to cancel your party. If weather is unsafe for participants to travel (determined by the zoo), you may choose to transfer your deposit to a new party date OR cancel the party with a full refund. The zoo reserves the right to cancel a party for any reason.

## Attendance Count

The basic party package includes zoo admission for up to 25 guests. Add \$8.24 for each additional guest. The zoo needs an estimated attendance count a minimum of five days prior to your party. All guests who enter the zoo (adults and children) must be included in the attendance count. Children 2 and under are free.

## Arrival and Departure

You do not need to arrive early for your party. The zoo team will have everything set up! Should you wish to come early to greet your guests, you may do so up to a half hour prior to your party start time.

Our team will be waiting for your guests to arrive and will direct them to the party room. Latecomers can check in with the admissions gate for directions to the party room, which will be located in a zoo classroom on the lower level of the main zoo building.

You are given access to your party room for the two hours designated for your party. Due to the large amount of educational programs and parties conducted at the zoo, you must be out of the party room on time. If the zoo is open, you and your guests may remain at the zoo, visiting the habitats on your own. Please ask for hours of operation when booking your party.

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## Frequently Asked Questions

### What is the appropriate age for a zoo party?

Zoo parties can be held for any age! The zoo team is experienced in providing programming for all ages.

### Can we have a party when the zoo is closed?

Yes. Parties can be scheduled outside of normal zoo operating hours. Please contact the Zoo Office for availability.

### What if it is cold, rainy, or snowy?

The zoo can host parties all year round! Some activities are seasonal/facilities permitting.

### Can I bring extra food?

The zoo provides cupcakes, potato chips, and fruit punch for your party. You can purchase additional food from the zoo (must be ordered five days prior to your party). You may bring additional food; however, due to the party schedule, we discourage bringing large amounts.

### Can I bring my own decorations or paper goods?

The zoo provides paper goods (table cover, plates, napkins, etc.) for your party. You may choose from various themes, or you are welcome to bring your own. Due to the nature of the party room, items cannot be taped or tacked to the walls. Only pull-string piñatas are permitted. In most cases, you may have access to the party room a half hour prior to your party start time.

### Will we be able to open my child's gifts at the party?

This is up to you. If you would like more time in the zoo, you may choose to open gifts at home. A staff member will check with you upon arrival for your preference.

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## Questions

Call 304-243-4100 or email [ZooOffice@oglebay.com](mailto:ZooOffice@oglebay.com) for questions regarding Oglebay Good Zoo parties.





# PARTY RESERVATION REQUEST

Please complete applicable fields or register online at [oglebay.com](http://oglebay.com)

Parent's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Confirmations will be emailed.

Child's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_

**Date you wish to have your party:** 1st Choice Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Time: 10 am - 12 pm 1 - 3 pm  
2nd Choice Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Time: 10 am - 12 pm 1 - 3 pm

**Please select a cupcake flavor:**

- Chocolate       Yellow       Chocolate & Yellow

**Please select a paper product theme:**

- Happy Birthday       Party Animal       Dinosaurs       None (bringing own supplies)

**Name on Good Zoo Membership (if applicable):** \_\_\_\_\_

*Not a zoo member? Purchase your membership by or on the day of your party, and receive member rate.*

**Please select the following add ons for your party. Add ons must be ordered at least five days prior to the party date.**

	<u>QUANTITY</u>	
Pizza - Cheese	_____	\$13 per pizza (16 inch, 8 large slices)
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Personal checks or credit cards cannot be accepted for tax exempt groups.

**Please send request and deposits if applicable to:**

Zoo Office  
Oglebay Good Zoo  
465 Lodge Drive, Wheeling WV 26003  
Email: [ZooOffice@oglebay.com](mailto:ZooOffice@oglebay.com)



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