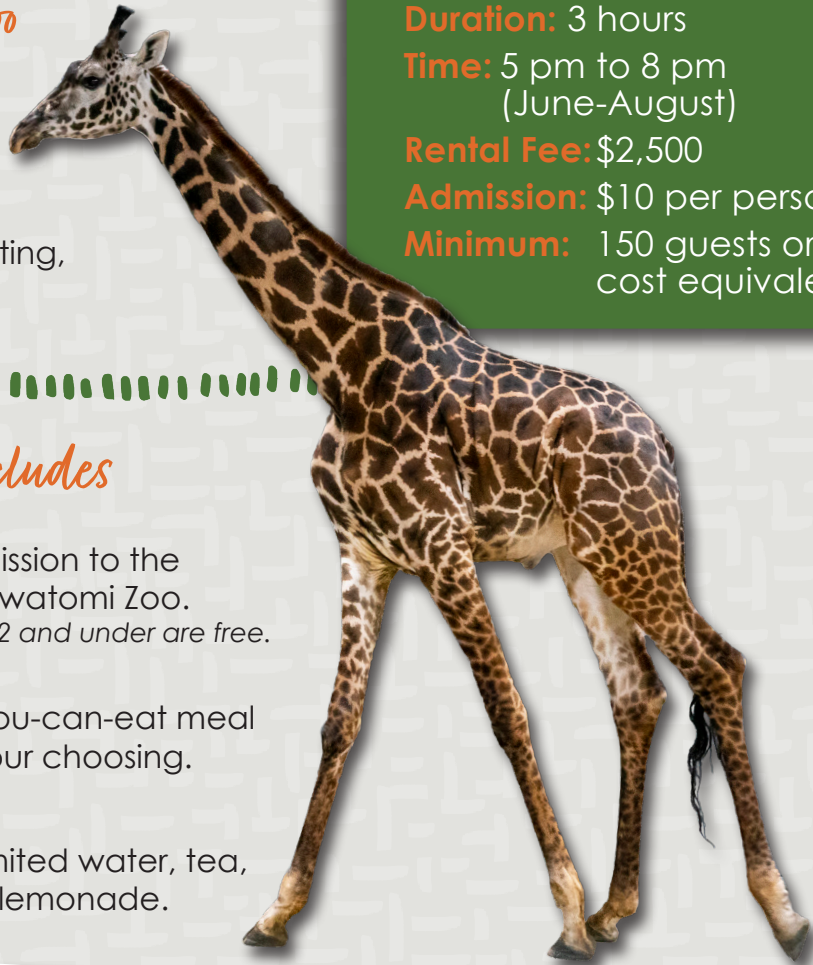


# Private Events 2026



## Choose the Potawatomi Zoo

for your next private event and have the time of your life! With more than 350 animals on 23 acres, the Zoo is the perfect place for a corporate event, family-friendly picnic, group outing, and so much more.



## Evening Zoo Picnic

- Duration:** 3 hours
- Time:** 5 pm to 8 pm (June-August)
- Rental Fee:** \$2,500
- Admission:** \$10 per person
- Minimum:** 150 guests or cost equivalent

## Your Picnic Package Includes



Admission to the Potawatomi Zoo. Ages 2 and under are free.



All-you-can-eat meal of your choosing.



Unlimited water, tea, and lemonade.



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## Buffet Packages

### Backyard Cookout \$22 per person

Hamburgers  
Hot Dogs  
Garden Salad  
Potato Chips  
Buns  
Assorted Cookies & Brownies

### BBQ Buffet \$28 per person

Pulled Pork  
Pulled Chicken  
Garden Salad  
Baked Beans  
Buns  
Assorted Cookies & Brownies

**Ages 2 and under eat free.**

*Please Note: Sales tax is not included.*

## Experience Add-Ons

### Farm Animal or Fish Food 2 tokens for \$1

### Train & Carousel Wristband \$5 each (unlimited rides)

### Single-Use Attraction Tickets \$3 each (train, carousel, or giraffe feeding)

### Ambassador Animal Encounter \$150 - \$350 Arranged by request

### Face Painting \$250/hour (must cover event duration)

### Live Music Arranged by request

## Dining Add-Ons

### Basic Options \$4 per person

Can of Water or Soda  
Bratwursts  
Macaroni & Cheese  
Potato or Macaroni Salad  
Fruit Salad  
Ice Cream

### Cash Bar \$250 setup plus service

Cash Bar; or  
Open Bar  
(to be settled with client  
at the end of the event)

### Appetizers & Desserts Arranged by request



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