



Open

March 31st - November 4th

Tuesday – Sunday, 10:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.

mail@AnimalArk.org or 1.775.970.3111

Regular Admission Prices

Members are free

Adults \$9.50; Seniors \$8

Children (3 – 12) \$6.50; 2 and under are free

Calendar of Special Events 2012

Wild Winter Weekends

Saturday & Sunday

January 14th & 15th

11:00 am – 3:00 pm

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February 18th & 19th

11:00 am – 3:00 pm

See the Animal Ark residents in their winter coats! Enjoy watching the animals play in their winter wonderland at 6,000 feet. Dress warm. Please call on event day as severe weather may cancel the festivities. Prices for this special day event: Adults \$12; Seniors \$11; Children \$10; children 2 years and under are free. Golf carts may not be available.

Opening Weekend!

Saturday & Sunday

March 31st – April 1st

10:00 am – 4:00 pm

Our gates are open for the season after the long winter break and we look forward to welcoming visitors! Come help us celebrate Animal Ark's 31st year. Regular admission prices.

Sponsors Night!

Saturday

April 28th

4:30 – 6:00 pm

This is an invitation-only event for Members and Adoptive Parents! Bring a treat for your animal; talk to the animal keepers; and hear behind-the-scenes stories. Not yet a member or an adopter? Please come and purchase either status at the door.

Reservations required.

Piñatas & Predators

Saturday

May 5th

10:30 am – 3:00 pm

Come watch the fun as our predators break open their treat-filled piñatas! Great photo opportunities! We invite you to come Saturday, April 28th, and help make the piñatas. Prices for this special day event: Adults \$15; Seniors \$13.50; Children \$12; children 2 years and under are free.

Cheetah 500

Sunday

May 27th

5:30 pm

Reservations required due to limited seating. RSVP at 1-775-970-3431

May 27th is the day for the *Indianapolis 500* and the *Cheetah 500*! Come see the world's fastest land mammal in action as our cheetahs run at top speeds – completely off-leash – around the Animal Ark cheetah field! Prices for this special evening event: Adults \$40; Seniors \$35; Children (10-16 years old) \$30. *Children must be at least 10 years old to participate.*

Wolf Howl Night

Saturday

June 2nd

6:00 – 8:30 pm

Join us for a howling good time! The park opens at 6:00 p.m. so you may see the other animals of Animal Ark prior to the fun and educational *Wolf Howl* at 7:00. Hear the wolves and coyotes howl then participate in our contest, with prizes to be awarded to the best human howlers. Prices for this special evening event: Adults \$15; Seniors \$13.50; Children \$12; children 2 years and under are free.

Dash 4 Dads Cheetah Chase

Sunday

June 17th

6:00 pm

Reservations required due to limited seating. RSVP at 1-775-970-3431

What Dad doesn't enjoy watching cheetahs run at top speeds? Our cheetahs go from zero to 45 MPH in three seconds, with 22-foot strides & a top speed of 60 MPH! We predict Dad will be impressed! Prices for this special evening event: Adults \$40; Seniors \$35; Children (10-16 years old) \$30. *Children must be at least 10 years old to participate.*

July is Military Month at the Animal Ark. We offer free admission for all active and reserve personnel. Military family members will receive 50% regular admission prices. We're grateful for your service!



Lure of the Cheetah Saturday, July 7th 7:00 pm

Reservations required due to limited seating. RSVP at 1-775-970-3431

Come see the world's fastest land mammal in action as our cheetahs run at top speeds – completely off-leash – around the Animal Ark cheetah field! Prices for this special evening event: Adults \$40; Seniors \$35; Children (10-16 years old) \$30. *Children must be at least 10 years old to participate.*

Sponsors Night! Saturday August 4th 4:30 – 6:00 pm

This is an invitation-only event for Members and Adoptive Parents! Bring a treat for your animal; talk to the animal keepers; and hear behind-the-scenes stories. Not yet a member or an adopter? Please come and purchase either status at the door. **Reservations required.**

Ark at Dark Saturday August 18th 7:30 – 9:45 pm

Reserve early as this event fills quickly! RSVP at 1-775-970-3431

Wolves and coyotes howling and big cats growling in the night: it's Ark at Dark! Guided tours start promptly at 8:00 p.m. Gates open at 7:30 p.m. for you to enjoy the sunset and our picnic area. Prices for this special evening event: Adults \$15; Seniors \$13.50; Children \$12; children 2 and under are free. No golf carts are available at this event!

On the Wind Cheetah Run Sunday September 9th 5:00 pm

Reservations required due to limited seating. RSVP at 1-775-970-3431

Majestic balloons grace the skyline at dawn, and our 3 cheetahs race into the sunset! Come see the world's fastest land mammal in action as our cheetahs run at top speeds – completely off-leash – around the Animal Ark cheetah field! Prices for this special evening event: Adults \$40; Seniors \$35; Children (10-16 years old) \$30. *Children must be at least 10 years old to participate.*

“Out of Africa” Gala Saturday September 22nd 2:00 – 6:00pm

Reservations required. This event sold out in 2011! RSVP at 1-775-970-3431

Enjoy great food and drink; meet Tango, the famous cheetah ambassador from Project Survival's Cat Haven; and meet a Maasai warrior from Tanzania. Watch the Ark cheetahs run at top-speeds, and chat with leading African cheetah conservationists! The money raised during this event will support cheetah conservation in Africa, as well as Animal Ark. Individual tickets are \$125; “Game Drive” tickets can be purchased for \$200 each and will include a personal tour with Ark founders, Diana and Aaron Hiibel. Tables seating 9 people can be purchased for \$1000.

Harvest Festival Saturdays October 6th & 20th 10:15 am –2:30 pm

As part of our behavioral enrichment program, most of the animals will receive pumpkins filled with their favorite treats. Watch the enjoyment experienced by our predators when presented with these unique and delicious meals. Throughout the day, pumpkins will be delivered to different animals. Come spend the day; bring the camcorder... ..this is animal viewing at its finest! We will also offer pumpkin painting for kids. Prices for this special day event: Adults \$15; Seniors \$13.50; Children \$12; children 2 years and under are free.

Last Chance Cheetah Dash Sunday October 14th 4:30 pm

Reservations required due to limited seating. RSVP at 1-775-970-3431

This is the last Cheetah Run of the season! Reward yourself with an incredible experience: Watch these magnificent cats running with extraordinary speed, off-leash, across the desert in pursuit of an enticing lure. Prices for this special evening event: Adults \$40; Seniors \$35; Children (10-16 years old) \$30. *Children must be at least 10 years old to participate.*

Thanksgiving Weekend Friday & Saturday November 23rd & 24th 11:00 am to 3:00 pm

If you are not wild about hitting the malls for the annual holiday shopping frenzy after Thanksgiving, why not drive out to the Animal Ark? You can enjoy our animals in the cooler temperatures of late fall, when they are active and frisky. Goodies and refreshments will be available. Prices for this special day event: Adults \$12; Seniors \$11; Children \$10; children 2 years and under are free. Golf carts may not be available.