

Lincoln Park Zoo Grounds – Frequently Asked Questions

Q: How many locations are available to rent privately on Zoo Grounds?

A: 10

Q: Is the entire zoo available to rent out privately?

A: Yes, starting at 6:00pm the entire zoo is available to rent.

Q: How many guests can be accommodated at Lincoln Park Zoo for an event?

A: We have venues throughout the zoo that can accommodate 25 – 10,000 guests.

Q: How is parking handled for an event on zoo grounds?

A: Valet is available for an additional fee or self parking in our lot.

Q: Can I tent for an event?

A: Yes, tenting is available through our preferred vendors.

Q: Can I have music for my event in the animal house?

A: Yes.

Q: Is the per person bar package charged for guests under 21?

A: No, you will not be charged for guests under 21. We do offer a non-alcoholic beverage package. Please speak with your sales manager for more information.

Q: Can we close the bar during dinner?

A: Yes. You can close the bar for dinner or leave it open the entire time. If the bar closes during dinner, most clients serve wine at the dinner tables and reopen the bar after dinner.

Q: Can we bring our own liquor?

A: No, you must purchase liquor through us as we carry the proper insurance and a city license.

Q: Where can I get the required event insurance policy?

A: You can obtain an insurance policy from wedsafe.com or your own insurance agency.