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El Paso Zoo and Botanical Gardens Celebrates Leap Year with Special Discount

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EL PASO, Texas - A Leap Day only happens once every four years to keep the calendar aligned with the seasons, and to celebrate the springing day the El Paso Zoo & Botanical Gardens is honoring our favorite leapers with a special promotion.

To celebrate, guests who visit the zoo dressed in costume can enjoy \$2 off admission on Saturday, February 24, and Sunday, February 25.

To receive the discount, costumes or attire need to be any animal or insect that "Leaps" - a frog, grasshopper, rabbit, monkey, tiger, mountain lion, or any other leaping animal. Only visitors who dress in costume can receive the discount. Visitors are encouraged to wear full animal costumes or create their own animal outfits.

There will be Zoo animal encounters for families to enjoy, plus all zoo attractions will be open including the Foster Treehouse Playgrounds, and Hunt Family Desert Spring splash pad (weather permitting). For an additional charge, visitors can ride the Hunt Family Endangered Species Carousel and try out the Copper Canyon Ropes Challenge.

To learn more about the El Paso Zoo and Botanical Gardens, visit the zoo on social media (Facebook and Instagram) or at www.ElPasoZoo.org.

About the El Paso Zoo and Botanical Gardens

The El Paso Zoo and Botanical Gardens stretch across 35-acres and house animals representing over 220 species, including critically endangered species. Accredited by the Association of Zoos & Aquariums (AZA), the El Paso Zoo celebrates the value of animals and natural resources. It creates opportunities for people to rediscover their connection to nature.

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