

Spring ushers in first Zoo Doo sale of the year
First time EVER that poop of primates and more added to the mix!

WHAT: It's time to spring into action for Woodland Park Zoo's Fecal Fest and get your Zoo Doo! Green thumbs, small farmers, and novice gardeners will be able to get their hands on Woodland Park Zoo's compost from March 29–March 31 and April 12–14.



While it looks and smells the same, this season's highly coveted compost has a new recipe. For the first time in Zoo Doo's history of nearly 40 years, more species' feces has been added to the mix of the animals' bedding materials (straw, sawdust, etc.). Instead of the zoo's herbivores being the exclusive contributors, poop from primates such as gorillas, orangutans and monkeys and carnivores including lions, snow leopards and maned wolves has been added to the mix.

Thanks to community philanthropic investments, the new composting system has doubled the production—resulting in more than 1 million pounds of Zoo Doo a year—which means more waste turned into compost.

The nutrient-filled Zoo Doo is a great way to garden clean and healthy, which is beneficial for pollinators and other local wildlife, and is a sustainable green choice. The compost is so extraordinary that the zoo's horticulture experts also use it throughout the zoo in its award-winning animal habitats and other landscaped areas.

WHEN: **Available for pickup at the zoo:**
Friday, March 29, 11:00 a.m.–3:00 p.m.
Saturday, March 30, 8:00 a.m.–3:00 p.m.
Sunday, March 31, 8:00 a.m.–3:00 p.m.
Friday, April 12, 11:00 a.m.–3:00 p.m.
Saturday, April 13, 8:00 a.m.–3:00 p.m.
Sunday, April 14, 8:00 a.m.–3:00 p.m.

Visit www.zoo.org/zoodoo to book a pickup, pay with a credit card and receive instructions for pickup.

COST: 25 gallons - \$16.50
50 gallons - \$32.50
75 gallons - \$45
100 gallons - \$55
Small truck (250 gallons) - \$85
Medium truck (350 gallons) - \$105
Large truck (500 gallons) - \$125

Pint Containers

Limited supplies of Zoo Doo or Worm Doo are available year round in 1-pint containers at the zoo's ZooStores. Or order online at www.zoostore.zoo.org to ship:

1 pint Zoo Doo - \$6.95

1 pint Worm Doo - \$10

INFO:

Visit www.zoo.org/zoodoo for information or call 206.625.POOP (7667).

As a conservation organization, Woodland Park Zoo is committed to reducing its own ecological footprint and educating the community in doing the same. The Zoo Doo program is central to the zoo's goal of increasing waste diversion from landfill and demonstrating closed loop approach to integrated resource management.

Zoo hours: 9:30 a.m.–4:00 p.m. daily. For more information or to become a zoo member, visit www.zoo.org or call 206.548.2500. Follow the zoo on [Facebook](#), [Twitter](#) and [Instagram](#).

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