Have a Happy Easter



Oregon Zoo schedules their Rabbit Romp for April 23

Things will be hoppin' Saturday, April 23, when the Oregon Zoo hosts its annual Rabbit Romp, a celebration of spring for all ages. Rabbit Romp is sponsored by the Oregon College Savings Plan and is free with regular zoo admission.

Rabbit Romp features candy egg hunts every 20 minutes between 9:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. Children ages 3 to 10 are divided into age groups and invited to hunt for eggs filled with candy and prizes. Toddlers, two and under, can participate in a candy hunt organized especially for them. Rabbit Romp festivities also include a petting zoo, games and photo opportunities. The polar bears will also be receiving egg-themed enrichment at 11 a.m.

"While Rabbit Romp allows a fun way for visitors and our animals to celebrate spring, it also provides a great opportunity for visitors to learn more about the conservation projects the zoo is involved in, like Washington's pygmy rabbits," said Kim Smith, zoo director.

The zoo opens at 9:00 a.m. daily, and is located just off Highway 26. The zoo is also accessible by MAX light rail line. Visitors who travel to the zoo via MAX receive \$1.50 off zoo admission. General admission is \$10.50 (ages 12-64), \$9 for seniors (65 and up), \$7.50 for children (ages 3-11) and free for those 2 and younger; 25 cents of the admission price helps fund regional conservation projects through the zoo's Future for Wildlife program. A parking fee of \$2 per car is also required. Additional information is available at www.oregon zoo.org or by calling 503-226-1561.

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