

CALENDAR ADVISORY

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HOOT for the HOOD celebrates neighbors of Woodland Park Zoo

WHAT: Join Woodland Park Zoo in celebrating its neighbors from Fremont to Phinney Ridge, and Green Lake to Wallingford at HOOT for the HOOD: a neighbor appreciation event. **Press is invited to attend.**

Woodland Park Zoo is nestled between some of the hippest and most active neighborhoods in Seattle, and the zoo is excited to pay tribute to its supportive neighboring communities.

Neighbors are invited to an after-work mix and mingle at the zoo. Chat with neighbors, meet some new friends, enjoy ice cream and explore the zoo's Banyan Wilds exhibit, home to Malayan tigers. Neighbors are encouraged to bring friends and family to enjoy this exclusive evening.

WHEN: Friday, June 24, 6:30-8:00 p.m.

WHERE: Woodland Park Zoo's West Plaza. Enter through the West Entrance at Phinney Ave. N. between N. 55th & N. 56th Sts. Park in the Penguin Lot at N. 55th St. & Phinney Ave. N. or Otter Lot off N. 59th St. & Phinney Ave. N.

INFO: HOOT for the HOOD is **free** to Woodland Park Zoo neighbors and their guests. **Evening parking for the event is free.** For more information, visit zoo.org/neighbors or call 206.548.2500.

Accredited by the Association of Zoos & Aquariums, award-winning Woodland Park Zoo is famed for pioneering naturalistic exhibits and setting international standards for zoos in animal care, conservation and education programs. Woodland Park Zoo is helping to save animals and their habitats in the Pacific Northwest and around the world. By inspiring people to care and act, Woodland Park Zoo is making a difference in our planet's future. For more information, visit www.zoo.org.

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