

CALENDAR ADVISORY

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Poop-ular Fall Fecal Fest kicks off August 21 ***New rhinos Glenn and Taj join as contributors to Zoo Doo***

WHAT: Fall is just around the corner which means it's time for Woodland Park Zoo's annual **Fall Fecal Fest**, an online opportunity for gardeners to win the chance to purchase **Zoo Doo**. Dr. Doo, aka the "Princess of Poo," the "GM of BM" or the "Captain of Caca," has been piling the zoo's exotic, highly coveted compost and Bedspread all summer. The Fall Fecal Fest kicks off **August 21**.



The sweet, aromatic Zoo Doo is composed of species feces contributed by a variety of the zoo's non-primate herbivores, such as rhinos, hippos, giraffes, mountain goats, tapirs and more, and is perfect to grow veggies and annuals. Bedspread, the zoo's premium composted mulch, is a combination of Zoo Doo, sawdust, and large amounts of wood chips; it is used to cushion perennial beds and woody landscapes including rose beds, shrubs and pathways.

Zoo Doo is available by the gallon starting at 5 gallons up to a maximum of 100 gallons or by the truck load, and Bedspread by the truck load only.

HOW: Due to the high demand for Zoo Doo, gardening fans must enter online to win the chance to purchase Zoo Doo or Bedspread. To enter, fill out the online form at zoo.org/fecalfest starting **August 21–September 15**. Only one entry per person is eligible for each drawing.

Entries will be randomly selected according to supply and demand. Dr. Doo will contact the lucky drawn entries only. Pick-up dates will begin **September 29–October 14**. Phone and mail orders can't be accepted.

WHEN: Online entries accepted: **August 21–September 15**
Pick-up dates take place: **September 29–October 14**

COST: Only cash or checks will be accepted—no debit or credit cards.

Zoo Doo: 5 gallons \$5; 10 gallons \$10; 32 gallons \$20; 55 gallons \$30; 100 gallons \$50. Pick-up truck: 6x3 bed \$50; 6x4 bed \$70; 8x4 bed \$80. Winners may purchase one full truckload per person. 2 gallon and pint-sized buckets are available at the ZooStores for \$20 and \$4.95.

Bedspread by the truckload: 6x3 bed \$40; 6x4 bed \$50; 8x4 bed \$60. Winners may purchase up to two full truckloads per person.

INFO: Visit zoo.org/fecalfest for information

Summer zoo hours through September 30 are 9:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. daily. For more information or to become a zoo member, visit www.zoo.org or call 206.548.2500.

Founded in 1899, Woodland Park Zoo is accredited by the Association of Zoos & Aquariums and certified by the rigorous American Humane Conservation program. The Humane Certified™ seal of approval is another important validation of the zoo's long-standing tradition of meeting the highest standards in animal welfare. Woodland Park Zoo is helping to save

animals and their habitats through more than 30 field projects in the Pacific Northwest and around the world. Each year, the zoo engages more than a million visitors of all ages, backgrounds, abilities, and walks of life in extraordinary experiences with animals, inspiring them to make conservation a priority in their lives and a difference in our planet's future ecological health and sustainability. Visit www.zoo.org and follow the zoo on [Facebook](#), [Twitter](#) and [Instagram](#).

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