

Media Advisory

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Making dreams come true at the Zoo

Media are invited to attend the eighth annual Dreamnight at the Zoo, a magical evening for kids at the Edmonton Valley Zoo.

Date: Friday, June 5, 2015 **Time:** 6:30-10 p.m.

Location: Edmonton Valley Zoo, 13315 Buena Vista Road

This special night provides children with chronic illness and disabilities from the Stollery Children's Hospital an opportunity to take a break and Get Closer to animals. Dreamnight at the Zoo will treat more than 1,500 specially invited guests to an evening of animal encounters, crafts, face-painting, magic shows, science experiments, caricatures, live music, tasty treats and many more surprises.

Dreamnight at the Zoo is an international event that started at the Rotterdam Zoo in Holland in 1996 as a way for chronically ill and disabled children and their families to experience a night at the zoo free of charge. The Edmonton Valley Zoo is proud to be one of more than 255 zoos, aquariums and parks worldwide who host this annual event.

The High Level Bridge will be lit up pink and red on June 7 as a thank you to all of Dreamnight's sponsors and volunteers.

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