

Lighten up at the Edmonton Valley Zoo

December 8, 2016

The <u>Edmonton Valley Zoo</u> and the <u>Valley Zoo Development Society</u> are ready to light up the night at the fourth annual Zoominescence, a festival of light. Running daily from Dec. 9-18, Zoominescence will feature artistic light installations, LED dancers, outdoor skating, animal encounters and hot chocolate, all in the unique setting of the zoo at night.

Date: December 9-18, 2016

Time: 5-9 p.m. daily
Location: Edmonton Valley Zoo (13315 Buena Vista Road)
Cost: \$5/child or \$7.50/adult

For extra special holiday fun, join us on Tuesday, Dec. 13 for Family Fun Night and Thursday, Dec. 15 for Date Night.

On Family Fun Night, you can enjoy added touches like tea sampling, glitter tattoos, and a Santa's Workshop where children can buy and wrap gifts for \$5. Date Night will feature a fun couples craft and the 'Significant Otter' shop. On both nights you can even expect a visit from Santa himself!

All proceeds from the event will support future zoo development, including Nature's Wild Backyard. Please note that since this is an after-hours fundraising event for the Valley Zoo Development Society, memberships and Leisure Access cards will not be accepted.

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