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EVENINGS ON THE SAVANNA OFFERS OUTDOOR DINING AT THE ZOO

Fresno, CA – Fresno Chaffee Zoo is offering extended hours every Friday and Saturday throughout May. With last entry at 7pm and closing at 8 pm, Evenings on the Savanna give guests the opportunity to enjoy outdoor dining with a view at the Zoo.

In addition to the menu of family favorites, the Zoo's Kopje Lodge will offer food and drink specials, with new offerings for guests each week. The Zoo will also be hosting live music, theme nights, and other family-friendly entertainment throughout these evenings.

“These extended hours give our community even more time to visit the Zoo. With Evenings on the Savanna, we look forward to offering more outdoor fun, more opportunities to learn about animals and efforts to conserve them, and an opportunity to enjoy a delicious dinner to complete your visit,” said Brandy Gamoning, Marketing Manager.

Evenings on the Savanna kick off on the evening of Friday, May 7, starting Mother's Day early with free gifts for moms while supplies last. Enjoy a performance by Patrick Contreras, also known as Violin on Fire, in the Kopje Lodge from 6-8 pm, as well as delectable food and drink specials, including Balsamic Grilled Steak Salad, Steak Fettuccine, Strawberry Shortcake Cup, Grilled Pineapple Parfait, and a Pink Lemonade Mimosa drink special.

The Zoo offers outdoor dining at its Kopje Lodge, overlooking its African savanna, where guests can watch southern white rhinos, elephants, ostriches, and more. Tables are spaced for social distancing and staff has increased cleaning and sanitation.

During Evenings on the Savanna, Giraffe feeding, Zoorassic Park, and Stingray Bay are open at their regular rates. Zoo admission is \$14.95 for adults (ages 12 and up) and \$8.95 for children (ages 2-11). Children 1 and under get in for free. Member entry is free.

See the full Evenings on the Savanna schedule for menus, themes, and live entertainment at <https://fresnochaffeezoo.org/events/>.

"Fresno Chaffee Zoo inspires wonder of our natural world, provides an engaging learning environment, and creates a passion for conservation."

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