

Connecticut's Beardsley Zoo

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If you love animals, the environment and being outdoors, then you'll love Zoo Patrol at Connecticut's Beardsley Zoo. Zoo Patrol offers a week full of zookeeper talks, behind-the-scenes tours, hands-on learning, games, crafts and more for children, ages 6-14.

Each day Zoo Patrollers tour an area of the zoo (Rainforest, Predators, Farmyard, Hoofstock) and enjoy a special presentation by the animal keeper staff. Activities may include making enrichment items for the animals, watching training procedures, learning about new exhibits and an introduction to our collection of education animals. Young patrollers will love our zoo related games, crafts and interactive activities. Sessions for older children may include hands-on activities involving scientific observation, tracking and artifact identifications. Zoo Patrollers also take part in all of our special summer shows. Each day includes time for a snack and a little air-conditioned break. Special Friday activities feature a carousel ride and a trip to the gift shop.



Sessions are scheduled for children, ages 6-8, 9-11 and 12-14. Zoo Patrol takes place in the Research Station and throughout the zoo grounds. Children arrive at 9 a.m. and leave at 12:30 p.m. Prices vary for zoo members and non-members. Call 203-394-6563 for prices and to make your reservation today!