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Two Great August Events at the Zoo

Toledo, OH—One long-time favorite event returns and a brand-new event debuts this August at The Toledo Zoo! Join the Zoo for **Arts Gone Wild, August 8-11**, a four-day celebration of some of the best arts and entertainment this region has to offer. Then on **Friday, August 15**, the Zoo opens its gates after hours for **Rock 'n' Roar**, the summer's hottest dance party!

Arts Gone Wild is a collaborative effort between The Toledo Zoo and a dozen other cultural organizations. As visitors stroll around the Zoo, they'll encounter performances and demonstrations ranging from hands-on visual arts experiences to music, dance and theatrical performances. All Arts Gone Wild activities are free with regular Zoo admission. Further information can be found at the Arts Gone Wild website, www.artsgonewild.org, where individuals can sign up for e-news alerts. Sponsored by K100, the Blade and the Ohio Arts Council.

As **Rock 'n' Roar** returns for another year, there's even more reason for the party people to congregate at the Zoo as no fewer than four great live bands perform throughout the Zoo. With '70s and '80s music plus disco and country, it's no surprise that Rock 'n' Roar has people getting their Zoo groove on! Tickets are \$20 for Zoo Members and \$25 for non-members, and reserved tables of ten are available for \$300. Tickets must be purchased in advance, and you must be 21 or over to attend. More information can be found at www.toledozoo.org. Rock 'n' Roar is presented by KeyBank.

The Toledo Zoo is open daily from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. and is located on the Anthony Wayne Trail (US 25), four miles south of downtown Toledo. For more information, please visit www.toledozoo.org or call (419) 385-4040. Lucas County residents are admitted free of charge each Monday from 10 a.m. to noon. ID showing proof of residency is required.

The Toledo Zoo is accredited by the Association of Zoos & Aquariums (AZA). Look for the AZA logo whenever you visit a zoo or aquarium as your assurance that you are supporting a facility dedicated to providing excellent care for animals, a great experience for you, and a better future for all living things. With its more than 200 accredited members, AZA is building North America's largest wildlife conservation movement.

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