

## **Assiniboine Park Zoo Offering Zookeeper Talks, Free Giveaways, and Daily Prize Draws During Spring Break**

**For immediate release:** Winnipeg, March 23, 2017 – Spring break starts this Saturday and the Assiniboine Park Zoo has planned a variety of zookeeper talks, daily prize draws, and activities for visitors of all ages. Plus, the first 100 visitors to the Zoo each day from March 25 to April 2 will receive a voucher for a FREE popcorn from the Tundra Grill in Journey to Churchill.

From Saturday March 25 to Sunday April 2, Zoo visitors can take part in:

**Daily Zookeeper Talks:** Catch a sneak peek of the popular Zookeeper talks featured in the summer including, *Spotlight on Tigers*, *Climate Change & Polar Bears* and *In the Company of Camels*.

**Meet Winston and Friends:** Weekends from 11 am – 1 pm visitors can meet Winston the Zoo's polar bear mascot and his friends.

- March 25 – Chase from Paw Patrol
- March 26 – Poppy from Trolls
- April 1 – Super Girl
- April 2 – Moana

**Spring Break Colouring Contest:** Visit the colouring station in the Gateway to the Arctic building between 11 am and 3 pm daily to enter the colouring contest. Zookeepers will select their favourite and the winner will receive an animal-themed prize. Contest runs from March 25 – April 2.

**Daily Draws:** Visitors can enter a daily draw for a chance to win a FREE Assiniboine Park and Zoo membership.

Other attractions available to Zoo visitors over spring break include wagon rides at McFeetors Heavy Horse Centre, the Polar Playground, Toucan Ridge, and over 160 animal species including snow leopards, red pandas, Amur tigers, polar bears and more!

The Zoo is open daily 9 a.m. – 4 p.m. Plan your visit at [www.assiniboineparkzoo.ca](http://www.assiniboineparkzoo.ca)

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