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## **Kids Rock the Zoo with “Hallowtween” on October 15**

Toledo, Ohio— On Saturday, October 15, kids 8 – 12 years old transform the Toledo Zoo into a rockin’ bash from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. with Kids Rock the Zoo!

This year the fantastic tween party takes on a fall twist and becomes Hallowtween, with costumes encouraged but not required. In the Zoo’s Museum of Science, Radio Disney AM 910 will perform a live D-tour show featuring games, music and fabulous Disney prizes, while a DJ spins your favorite Radio Disney tunes. Wii games and more will be waiting in the Meijer mobile activity station; Bella Bee will offer fab makeovers; and ZOOTEens will be on hand, too.

The Zoo will provide a nearby Parents Zone where adults can relax while the kids party. All children attending Kids Rock the Zoo must be accompanied by an adult chaperone to enter, and there should be at least one adult chaperone for every five children. All children and their accompanying adults will be issued matching wristbands when they register in advance. These wristbands will be checked as groups exit, and all wristbands must match before children will be permitted to leave Zoo grounds.

**Tickets are \$12 each (Zoo members save \$1 per ticket) and must be purchased in advance.** Only 1,000 tickets will be sold, so call (419) 385-5721, ext. 2091, or visit [toledozoo.org/kidsrock](http://toledozoo.org/kidsrock) today to reserve your child’s place. Kids Rock the Zoo is presented by Meijer.

The Toledo Zoo is open daily from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. (10 a.m. to 5 p.m. weekends in May) and is located on the Anthony Wayne Trail (US 25), four miles south of downtown Toledo. For more information, please visit [www.toledozoo.org](http://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 committed to inspiring others to join in caring for animals and conserving the natural world. As part of that mission, The Toledo Zoo is accredited by the Association of Zoos and Aquariums (AZA), a leader in global wildlife conservation. AZA member institutions are dedicated to providing excellent care for animals, a great experience for visitors and a better future for all living things.*

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