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**SUMMER
SAFARI**



L.A.'S CULTURAL SUMMER SAFARI



This summer embark on a safari—a cultural one, that is. The Getty Center, the Los Angeles Zoo, the Natural History Museum of Los Angeles County, and the Skirball Cultural Center invite you to come along on the adventure as we celebrate exhibitions and events related to animals and insects.

Birds, beasts, and more await the whole family! Visit each of the participating institutions between May 29 and September 2, 2007 and collect a stamp in your family passport. Complete your safari by obtaining all four stamps, and you'll receive a special prize.

(See Visitor Information page for details)

**BINOCULARS AND SAFARI CLOTHING
ARE OPTIONAL. A SPIRIT OF
ADVENTURE IS REQUIRED.**





This summer at the Getty Center, you'll have the rare opportunity to

see works by the 18th-century's greatest animal painter, Jean-Baptiste Oudry. The exhibition includes life-size paintings of a lion, an antelope, a leopard, several exotic fowl, and a famous touring rhinoceros named Clara. Recently restored by conservators at the Getty Museum and on display for the first time in 150 years, Clara's portrait captures the spirit and majesty of the gentle giant that dazzled audiences 250 years ago on an extensive European tour.

To celebrate, the Getty is offering several related activities* for the entire family—all free.

Storytelling

A musical tale about Clara. Saturdays through September 1.

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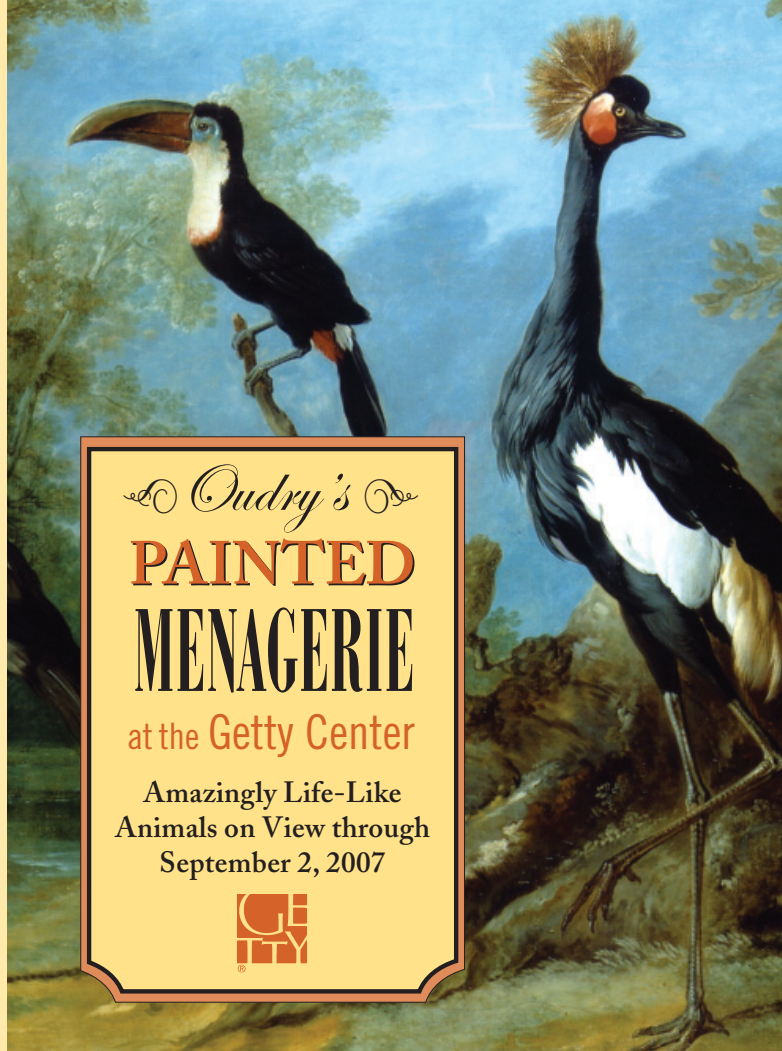
Family Festival An array of animal-themed performances, activities and workshops. Saturday, August 4.

Garden Concerts for Kids Award-winning children's musical artists perform in the Central Garden while stirring kids' feet and imagination. Saturdays, August 11, 18, and 25 and Sundays, August 12, 19 and 26.

*Visit Getty.edu for more information

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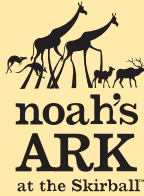
at the Getty Center

Amazingly Life-Like
Animals on View through
September 2, 2007



NOAH'S ARK AT THE SKIRBALL™

The Skirball invites all generations to share a timeless story, inspiring us to build a better world today. Imagine immersing yourself in a fantasy world



come to life, where you are a key player. Noah's Ark at the Skirball is a new hands-on, indoor and outdoor attraction, offering a multi-sensory, interactive experience for children

and families. Visitors board a gigantic wooden ark filled with fanciful, handcrafted animals for a journey progressing through storms (challenges), arks (shelter and community), and rainbows (hope)—an ancient story with parallels in hundreds of cultures around the world. Many of the animals, representing 186 species



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in all, are made of creatively recycled materials. Visitors role-play, build, climb, explore, generate sounds, operate gadgets, play games, and more. Five years in the making and occupying an 8,000-square-foot gallery space, Noah's Ark at the Skirball creates a wondrous world through ingenious architecture, exhibition design, and special effects. Complemented by a range of activities, performances, and special events, Noah's Ark at the Skirball is a must-see destination for Southern California families.

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THE SKIRBALL
ADMISSIONS DESK!**

WATCH FOR WINGS, DIG FOR DINOSAURS, MINE FOR MINERALS

The Natural History Museum of Los Angeles County offers one of the world's most extensive and valuable collections of



natural and cultural history — more than 33 million objects, some as old as 4.5 billion years. Three floors of permanent exhibition halls feature grand dioramas of African and American mammals, exquisite gems and minerals, rare dinosaurs and fossils, marine animals, Pre-Columbian culture, “walk-through” habitats ranging from local desert landscapes to tropical rain forests, and historical artifacts from California and Southwest history, including early Hollywood memorabilia. The family-friendly, interactive Ralph M. Parsons Discovery Center is home to touchable artifacts, specimens and educational activities. Its live animal collection includes snakes, fish, turtles and lizards, and the adjacent Ralph M. Parsons Bug Spot presents



insects from around the world. At both, visitors can interact with the animals and watch as trained staff feed and care for them.

The Butterfly Pavilion, open through September 3, features 30 different species of free-flying butterflies in a beautifully landscaped outdoor space (separate fee applies).

Family Passport holders may get their stamps at any Museum entrance or at the Information Booth in the foyer. Be sure to visit the gift shop to claim a free passport prize!



STAMP YOUR FAMILY PASSPORT AT THE MUSEUM
ENTRANCE OR AT THE INFORMATION DESK!

TAKE A SAFARI TO SPIDER CITY

THIS SUMMER AT THE LA ZOO!

Get face-to-fangs with venomous spiders and creepy crawlers from around the world at the Los Angeles Zoo's new Spider City exhibit, now open.



Weave your way through chilling displays of over 25 species of spiders, including black widows, tarantulas, brown recluse and more. Meet a quarter-pounder (spider, that is) along with the Goliath Bird-Eating Tarantula boasting a legspan of up to 11 inches. Learn what makes a spider a spider and why these misunderstood creatures are so important to our ecosystems. Explore giant spider webs and test your abilities to see how you measure up against a real spider!

The Los Angeles Zoo, located in the heart of Griffith Park, features over 1,200 animals amid lush Botanical Gardens. Enjoy the popular koalas,



tigers, giraffes and hippos; plus visit orangutans in the Red Ape Rain Forest; Chimpanzees of Mahale Mountains and Dragons of Komodo featuring the largest lizard in the world.

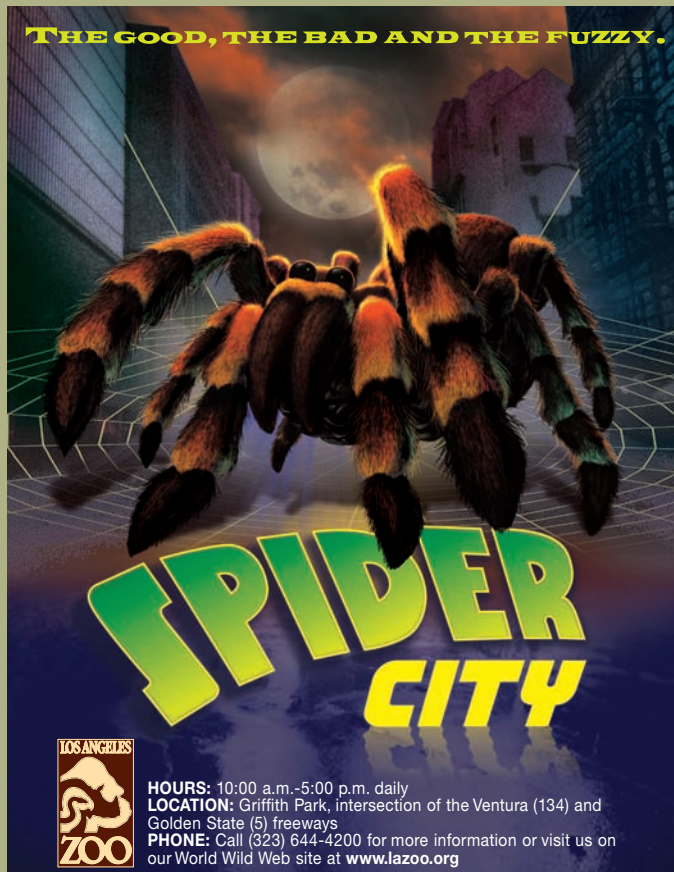
Present this booklet and receive **\$2 OFF** adult admission and **\$1 OFF** child admission to the L.A. Zoo. Spider City is free with admission.

Not valid with other offers.



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THE GOOD, THE BAD AND THE FUZZY.



HOURS: 10:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. daily
LOCATION: Griffith Park, intersection of the Ventura (134) and Golden State (5) freeways
PHONE: Call (323) 644-4200 for more information or visit us on our World Wild Web site at www.lazoo.org

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LOS ANGELES' CULTURAL SUMMER SAFARI LOCATIONS



VISITOR INFORMATION

The Getty Center

1200 Getty Center Drive, Los Angeles, CA 90049

(310) 440-7300

www.getty.edu

Hours: 10:00 a.m.–6:00 p.m. Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Sunday; 10:00 a.m.–9:00 p.m. Friday and Saturday.

Closed Monday and major holidays.

Admission to the Getty Center is always free.

On-site parking is \$8; no reservations required.

The Los Angeles Cultural Summer Safari promotion is only valid at the Getty Center.

Does not apply to the Getty Villa.

Los Angeles Zoo

5333 Zoo Drive, Los Angeles, CA 90027

(323) 644-4200

www.lazoo.org

Hours: 10:00 a.m.– 5:00 p.m. daily, closed Christmas.

Extended Hours: 10:00 a.m.– 6:00 p.m. daily, July 1–September 3.

Admission: \$10 adults and \$5 children ages 2–12.

Wheelchair accessible.

Spider City is sponsored by Pepsi, Ralphs, 104.3 KBIG, Cumulus, KHTS-AM 1220.

Skirball Cultural Center

2701 N. Sepulveda Blvd., Los Angeles, CA 90049

(310) 440-4500

www.skirball.org

Hours: 12:00 p.m.–5:00 p.m. Tuesday–Friday; 10:00 a.m.–5:00 p.m. Saturday and Sunday.

Admission: \$10 general; \$7 seniors and full-time students; \$5 children 2–12; and free to Skirball Members and children under 2.

The Natural History Museum of Los Angeles County

900 Exposition Boulevard* Los Angeles, CA 90007

*Across the street from USC

(213) 763-3538

www.nhm.org

Hours: 9:30 a.m.–5:30 p.m. Monday–Friday; 10:00 a.m.– 5:00 p.m. Saturday, Sunday and Holidays.

Admission: \$9 adults; \$6.50 seniors (62+), students 18+ with ID and children 13–17; and \$2 children 5–12. Children under 5 and Natural History Museum members are free.

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The Getty Center
Attn: Communications
1200 Getty Center Drive, Los Angeles, CA 90049

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