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GO BEHIND THE SCENES WITH A KOMODO DRAGON AT FRESNO CHAFFEE ZOO Now Open

FRESNO (July 22, 2024) - Fresno Chaffee Zoo is excited to announce the opening of a unique and immersive behind the scenes program featuring the Komodo Dragons. This exclusive experience provides guests with an opportunity to step into the world of these magnificent creatures.

The Komodo Dragon tour takes guests into the holding area of our two Komodo Dragons in Kingdoms of Asia and offers insights and expert knowledge about these awe-inspiring reptiles. During the tour, guests will have a chance to engage in a feeding experience, safely offering a piece of the dragons' diet from the end of a stick. This interactive encounter allows participants to observe the Komodo Dragons up close, marveling at their size and power, while learning about their behaviors, habitat and the care they receive at Fresno Chaffee Zoo.

This program is designed to inspire a greater appreciation for reptiles and the vital conservation efforts need to protect them in the wild. Reservations are required and tickets can be purchased on the Zoo's website at www.fresnochaffeezoo.org.

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Centrally located in Fresno, California, Fresno Chaffee Zoo is a 39-acre <u>Association of Zoos and Aquariums</u> (AZA) accredited zoo. It is home to over 200 different species and features WOW exhibits—from Sea Lion Cove to African Adventure—that teach guests about animals all across the globe and the conservation efforts to protect them. The Zoo welcomes over 800,000 guests annually, offering a world-class guest experience and conservation education to all who visit. The mission of Fresno Chaffee Zoo is to inspire people to care for animals, create connections, build community, and save wildlife.

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