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## **Cincinnati Zoo Promises So Much Fun, It's Scary**

*HallZOOween, Presented by Frisch's Big Boy, October 10-11, 17-18 & 24-25*

**CINCINNATI** – Little ghouls and boys can enjoy three spooktacular weekends of fun, October 10-11, 17-18 & 24-25, from Noon – 5 p.m. at the Cincinnati Zoo & BOO-tanical Garden during HallZOOween. So much fun, it's scary!

Children will be able to **Trick-or-Treat** their way around the Zoo. (Help the Zoo Go Green and bring your own treat bag!) Along the way, guests may encounter **Pumpkin Pandemonium** – the Zoo's animal version of trick-or-treating, including a Gorilla Pumpkin Hunt, Snow Monkey Pumpkin Hide & Seek, Elephant Pumpkin Smash, Polar Bear Pumpkin Bob and many other animals playing with pumpkins.

NEW this year, visit the **Beauty Shop of Horrors**, where your little monsters can get their fingers painted or get a cool Zoo tattoo; a **Costume Parade** through the Zoo; and the **Curse of Skull Rock & Dino Island in 4-D** playing in the Special FX 4-D Theater. The Curse of Skull Rock is a swashbuckling animated adventure that pits plucky cabin girl Jill Hopkins against the tyrannical Captain Scabb in pursuit of the lost treasure of Skull Rock. Get ready for this family-friendly 4-D adventure in digital 3-D with added special effects to bring the action to life. (There is an additional cost for this attraction.)

Back by popular demand, **Phil Dalton's Theater of Illusion** invites you to come and witness one of the world's best magical entertainers. Not only will he play tricks on your minds with his illusions but he will also play tricks on your eyes with his sleight of hand. The show takes place each Saturday and Sunday at 1 p.m. and 3 p.m. at the Wings of Wonder Theater.

In addition Zoo guests will also enjoy **Giant Pumpkin Carving Demonstrations, Frisch's Pumpkin Patch, Halloween Animal Meet & Greetings, spooktacular Train Rides** and the **Scare-ousel**.

HallZOOween....So Much Fun, it's Scary! The Cincinnati Zoo opens daily at 9 a.m. HallZOOween takes place Noon - 5 p.m. and is FREE with Zoo Admission. Admission prices are \$13/adults, \$9/children (2-12) and children under two are FREE. Parking is \$6.50. For more information, visit [.cincinnati.zoo.org](http://cincinnati.zoo.org).

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*The world famous Cincinnati Zoo & Botanical Garden was rated the #1 attraction locally and one of the top zoos in the nation by Zagat Survey. It has also been recognized by Child Magazine as one of "The 10 Best Zoos for Kids." Over one million people visit the Zoo's award-winning exhibits, and more than 500 animal and 3000 plant species annually. The Zoo is an accredited member of the American Zoo & Aquarium Association (AZA) and the American Public Gardens Association (APGA), is internationally known for its success in the protection and propagation of endangered animals and plants, and engages in research and conservation projects worldwide.*