



## Traveling Nativity

### Description

Adding live animals to your nativity will enhance the experience for your next Christmas event. Animals included in the nativity are one goat (Nubian or pygmy), one angora goat, one miniature Sicilian donkey, and one highlander cow. Our animals have been used in live nativities, parades, photo shoots, and much more. Our professional handlers will bring and manage the animals in their pen or even lead a single animal out for a more personal occasion. If desired, petting and pictures with the animals is permitted. Extra animal add-ons will be brought in a pen separate from the nativity animals.

### Availability

Nativity animal reservations begin on July 1. Animals are available any day in November and December only. Every Friday, Saturday, and Sunday in November and December has a \$1000.00 minimum booking. For the safety and comfort of our animals, they are available for up to five hours per event time per day. All events must be located within 100 miles of the park address.

### Pricing

<u>Rates</u>	
First hour	\$350.00
Each additional hour	\$150.00
If applicable, extra Animal Handler charge first hour	\$100.00
If applicable, extra Animal Handler charge each additional hour	\$50.00
<u>One-way mileage rates</u>	
The first 15 miles	FREE
Each mile after the first 15	\$2.00
Each additional handler mileage charge	+\$0.50/mile
<u>Veterinary Fee</u> (only applies to events outside of PA)	\$100.00
<u>Add-Ons</u>	
One camel first hour	\$500.00
One camel each additional hour	\$150.00
Two camels first hour	\$800.00
Two camels each additional hour	\$250.00

### Payment

Payment is due the day of the event. Nativities may be paid for by check, card, or cash. Please note that the handlers do not have change available; cash payments should be exact. Full refunds are only available if the program is cancelled before 30 days of the event. To cancel your event, call and speak to the Office Manager or Manager on Duty.

### Animal Handler Charges & Discounts

The nativity animal pen includes one handler. An extra animal handler will be required if a pen animal is requested to be led outside of the pen. In this circumstance, the extra animal handler charge will apply for the duration of your event as well as the extra mileage cost. If a camel (or two) is added to the event,





the camel add-on rates include the extra handler(s) cost. However, each additional handler also increases the mileage charge by \$0.50 per mile. If your event is located outside of Pennsylvania, veterinarian fees apply to cover the cost of state requirements. In addition, if both the nativity animal pen and an additional camel(s) is booked, you will receive a combination discount of \$50.00.

### **Animal Information & Requirements**

Please note that you are responsible for clearing the area where the animals will be set up. Any snow and ice must be cleared before we arrive. When you book your event, the following questions will be reviewed to ensure a smooth arrival process for the animal handlers.

- How will the animals be used?
  - Unless otherwise specified, all nativity animals will be in a 10'X10' pen. If you want a pen animal on a lead during a nativity scene, the extra charges will apply. Arrangements must be made in advance.
- Is your event inside or outside?
  - Knowing the conditions helps our handlers bring the correct supplies and dress appropriately.
- Will there be steps or doorways involved in getting the animals in place?
- What other types of entertainment will be set up by the animals?
  - Please let us know in advance if the animals will be set up near loud activities (i.e. music, fireworks, etc.)

### **Important Information**

- **For the health and safety of our animals, we can never guarantee that one specific animal or species will be available for your event.**
- **If temperatures are expected to be or exceed 90 degrees Fahrenheit during the event or during our travel time to and from the event, we reserve the right to cancel and issue any refunds as necessary.**
- Nativity animals are covered by the park's liability insurance.
- Handlers can wear themed attire, but the attire must be provided by you.
- Handlers will provide full set up and clean up. They will arrive early and stay later than your event time at no extra cost to provide this service.
- No animals booked for a nativity can be ridden by guests or as part of a nativity scene.
- Approximately 32' of space must be available for parking our truck and trailer upon arrival.
- Please note that we simply provide the animals for your nativity event. The animals are not a performance program.
- We recommend that you contact the park with as much advanced notice as possible as the calendar fills very quickly. These prices and options are only valid for the Moraine location.
- Any prices quoted may be adjusted in the future. Once reserved and on our calendar for the season, your event price will be locked in.

