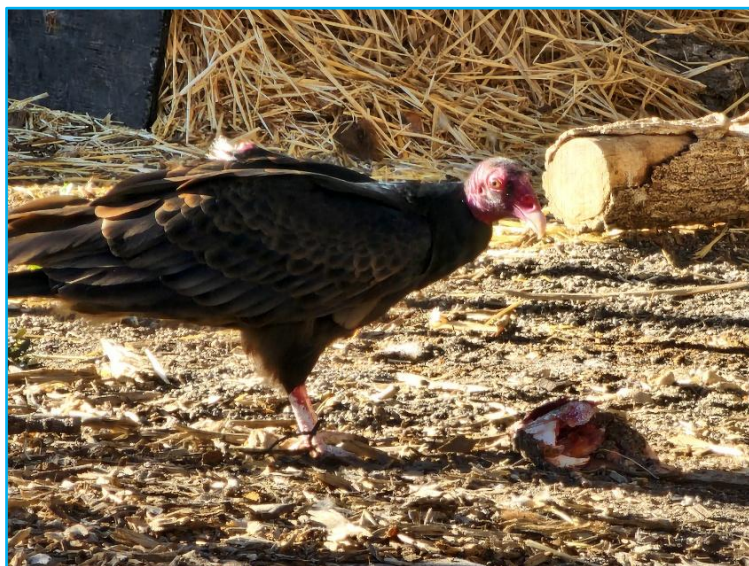


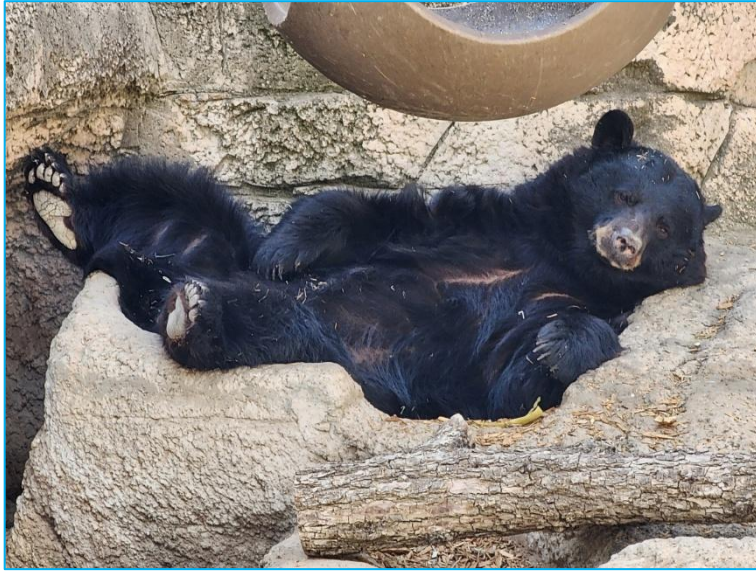
ZOO – March, 2026

Highlights/Animal Care/Maintenance:

- ❖ Routine upkeep done on all animal enclosures, the park, and non-animal areas.
- ❖ Animal care, including feeding, cleaning, medical care, and enrichment.
- ❖ Llamas were sheared.
- ❖ One of our grey foxes, Roxy, went to the vet for an annual checkup and evaluation of her lameness, which has been an ongoing issue that she is under vet care for. Both vets are considering her options due to the extent of her orthopedic issues.
- ❖ Sami, our eldest grey fox, who will be 15 this year, went to the vet because she was not bearing weight on her left hind leg. It was discovered she had a broken tibia, which required surgery. She is currently off exhibit recovering.
- ❖ Bernie, one of our ring-tailed lemurs, developed an ulcerated sore, which is currently being treated with antibiotics and topical ointment.
- ❖ Fecal samples were taken to the vet for routine testing (this is done every 6 months to ensure animals do not have parasites or other intestinal issues).
- ❖ Tinkerbelle, our muntjac, passed away. She had ongoing health issues that had been closely monitored by the zoo and veterinary team. We are awaiting necropsy results.
- ❖ Two of our zookeepers resigned due to relocation.
- ❖ Interviews have been conducted to fill three vacant zookeeper positions.



Chaps the turkey vulture eating some donated fish guts – her favorite treat!



Black Bears: Ursula and Sierra are enjoying the spring weather.



Zero, the guinea pig, relaxing in his cozy hay house.