

## The CP Zoo is open: Menderu takes interest in visitors and increased activity around him.

Don't let construction keep you from visiting your favorite animals at the zoo. The Zoo is open as usual. Zoo staff reports that the tiger Menderu, who is anything but shy, is interested in the activity around him and is alert and watchful. This would be a good time to enjoy a visit with the big cat and all of his Zoo animal neighbors.

## Central Coast Zoo Society Fundraiser: Need a break from your busy holiday schedule?

**Tastee-Freez/Weinerschnitzel in Atascadero will donate 15% of sales (on the days and times listed) to Central Coast Zoo Society.**

**Days: November 18<sup>th</sup> and December 16<sup>th</sup>  
Times: Between the hours of 3:00 p.m. and 8:00 p.m.**

When you purchase food on the days (during the times) listed above, Tastee-Freeze will donate 15% of all sales directly to the Zoo Society.

Tastee-Freeze/Weinerschnitzel is located at 8905 Montecito Avenue.

## Winter Wonderland! December 11<sup>th</sup> (5:30-9:30pm)

Huge holiday event with snowslides, food, live entertainment and shopping. Tree-lighting ceremony with Community Band and singing. Held in the historic downtown Colony District. **Come by the Zoo Society's booth to purchase gift items at a huge discount!**

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~Sala

## Notes:

⇒ Central Coast Artists make donations~ **Cathy & Steve Weaver, and Sandra & Richard Rowe** generously made donations to the Zoo in November after the Giftique at Pomar Junction Winery.

⇒ Educational Workshops~ **Rep-tales**  
Sat. Nov. 21, 1:00-4:00pm  
CCZS members--\$12  
Non-members--\$15  
Register on Active Net~  
[www.atascadero.org](http://www.atascadero.org)  
[www.charlespaddockzoo.org](http://www.charlespaddockzoo.org)

⇒ Don't let your membership lapse. In future issues of Zoo-logic you will continue to find information about the nearby Zoos and Aquariums from our reciprocal list.

 **Renew your membership~**

♦♦Online at  
[CharlesPaddockZoo.org](http://CharlesPaddockZoo.org)

♦♦In the Zoo Society Office (located in the Ranger House at Lake Park)

♦♦By calling (805) 470-3182

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## ⇒ Holiday Magic at the Charles Paddock Zoo

**Walk Around the Lake/Lakeside Caroling, Dec 5~** Choirs & carolers, musical groups, refreshments, holiday decorations, community sing along at 8:00pm. This event takes place from 5:30-9:00pm. Special performances in the Pavillion are from 5:30-10:00pm. (Sponsored by the Atascadero Lake Neighborhood Association)

**Holiday Magic, Dec 19~** Use your membership card and join the animal care staff at the Zoo as we give "special" gifts to our animal residents. Santa will be on hand to help (and to take any last minute requests!) Have a hot chocolate and help us thank our animal friends. This festive event takes place from 10:00am – 4:00pm.

## ⇒ Charles Paddock Zoo's Education Department

**November 21, 2009 - 1:00pm -4:00pm "Rep-Tales"** - Not every creature is soft and cuddly, but others aren't as slimy and slithery as you might think. Learn about our reptile friends and the vital function they serve in the natural environment.



⇒ **Get the most value out of your membership...  
use your reciprocal list to locate nearby zoos!**

## Fresno Chaffee Zoo

### ZOO HOURS:

9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. daily

**Fresno Chaffee Zoo** is open 364 days a year, including most holidays. In 2009 the Zoo will close early at 2:00 p.m. on Thanksgiving Day, November 26, and will be closed ALL day on Christmas Day, December 25.

**Stingray Bay** is open weekends and holidays during regular Zoo hours.

**Zoo Lights** display is open every weekend in December (except Christmas weekend) from 5:00pm-8:00pm. There is an additional charge for this holiday light display.\*

Be sure to call ahead to verify that the zoo will be open and ask about any additional fees or charges—such as parking. For general inquiries about the Fresno Chaffee Zoo, please call 559-498-5910 (select option 0 to ask about membership information).

\*Visit their web site at [www.FresnoChaffeeZoo.com](http://www.FresnoChaffeeZoo.com).