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ZOO ANIMALS TO RECEIVE TREAT FILLED PIÑATAS

FRESNO, Ca. – Fresno Chaffee Zoo animals will “take a whack” at their own specially made piñatas on Sunday, May 4 in celebration of Cinco de Mayo. The animal-friendly piñatas will be filled with palate pleasing food rewards as part of the Zoo’s enrichment program which is designed to stimulate natural behaviors in the animals such as foraging and play.

Zoo visitors will receive a schedule of events when they enter the Zoo.

ENRICHMENT SCHEDULE – May 4, 2008

10:00	Orangutans and siamangs
10:30	Australian Aviary birds
11:00	Kangaroos
11:30	Red-ruff lemurs
12:00	Warthogs
12:30	Bear
1:00	Tigers
1:30	Galapagos tortoises
2:00	Elephants
2:30	Addax
3:00	Serval

Fresno Chaffee Zoo is open every day of the year from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. General admission is \$7 for adults, \$3.50 for children 2-11 and seniors 62+, and children under 2 and Fresno Chaffee Zoo members are free. The mission of Fresno Chaffee Zoo is to provide a fun, unique and up-close experience that strengthens the bond between people and wildlife. The Zoo is accredited by the Association of Zoos and Aquariums (AZA)

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