

ANIMAL EXPERIENCE TERMS AND CONDITIONS

1. The maximum number of participants for each encounter are below: Capybara x4, Giant Anteater, Keeper for the Day, Birds of Prey, Vultures and Birds of the World x2, Binturong, Arctic Fox and Bat Bitesize encounters x6.
2. Participants must be of the minimum age or above as stated below. If the participant is not of the minimum age they will not be allowed to continue with the experience and no refund will be given. Capybara, Keeper for the Day, Birds of Prey, Vultures and Birds of the World 8 years +, Giant Anteater 10 years +, Binturong, Arctic Fox and Bat bitesize 6 years +.
3. The duration of each encounter is the maximum time spent. Capybara 30mins, Giant Anteater 20mins, Binturong, Arctic Fox and Bat bitesize encounters 10mins, Birds of Prey, Vultures and Birds of the World 15mins.
4. By signing the terms and conditions you agree that these are wild animals, and the animals have the choice to participate in the encounter, and if they choose not to participate the keeper will do everything possible to encourage the animal but will not force the animal to participate.
5. Zoo admission is included in the price of the following experiences for the participant: Capybara and Giant Anteater and Keeper for the Day. Zoo admission is NOT included in the price of the Binturong, Arctic Fox, Bat, Birds of Prey, Vultures and Birds of the World, zoo admission must be paid for separately.
6. If the person completing any of the following experiences: Capybara, Giant Anteater, Binturong, Arctic Fox, Bat, Birds of Prey, Vultures and Birds of the World are under the age of 18 a supervising adult must be in attendance. The supervising adult must pay normal zoo admission. Zoo admission tickets can be booked here www.wilddiscovery.co.uk/tickets/. A supervising adult is not required for the duration of the Keeper for the Day experience.
7. The participants and the supervisor must attend the health and safety briefing before starting and sign this form to agree that they have understood. The person taking part understands that Wild Discovery is not and shall not be responsible or liable for any illness, injury to person or damage to property resulting from the Animal Experiences. I, hereby, fully and forever release and discharge Wild Discovery from all claims, demands, damages, rights of action, present and future therein.
8. The person taking part in the experience understands that the animals are still deemed wild and may be unpredictable and will adhere to all instructions given by the keeper. If at any time during the experience the participant does not follow the health and safety instructions the experience will be stopped immediately, and they could be removed from the experience with no refund.
9. If you have any physical or medical conditions and/or allergies that may affect your experience, you must inform Wild Discovery **before** making a booking to ensure that we can provide you with a full experience. If you do not provide this information prior to your day it may be cancelled with no refund provided. The experiences are not suitable for pregnant persons or anyone with an autoimmune disease. Please contact us prior to booking if you are a wheelchair user.
10. Wild Discovery reserve the right to alter the contents of experience session at any time, for reasons beyond our control, including but not limited to, animal welfare, health and safety, staff shortages, adverse weather or changes to our animal collection. If Wild Discovery does cancel your experience, we will aim to reschedule the experience, however, we cannot be held liable for any travel, accommodation or other related costs or expenses in this scenario. In the event that we have to reschedule your experience to a different date and you are unable to attend the rescheduled date we reserve the right to cancel your booking and provide you with a refund of the price paid.
11. It is your responsibility to arrive on time. We ask that you arrive at least 15 minutes before the start time of your encounter. If you are running late you must contact Wild Discovery on 01772 673836 with your estimated arrival time. We are unable to delay the start of the encounters as we may have other participants waiting. If you arrive before the end of the encounter, you will be able to join and receive the time remaining. If you miss the encounter time completely, we cannot guarantee that the encounter can be offered again that day. No booking transfers or refunds are provided.
12. Sturdy suitable footwear must be worn, NO open toed shoes are allowed. Wear clothes and footwear you do not mind getting dirty and be prepared for all weathers. Most of the experiences take place outside.
13. Full payment must be taken at the time of booking and no discounts apply for Ribby Hall Staff, Leisure Members or Holiday Home Owners.

14. Once a booking is made no refunds are given. A booking can be transferred if availability allows. A transfer request must be emailed to info@wilddiscovery.co.uk with your booking reference number with a minimum of 72 hours notice.