



AWESOME AUSSIE ICONS

9:00am – 11:00am Australian Bushwalk

Many Australian species are most active when it is cooler, so make the Australian Bushwalk the first on your to-do list and spend an hour or so among iconic kangaroos, koalas, echidnas, emus, Tasmanian Devils, wombats and dingos.

Don't miss! At 10:30am (Oct–Apr) learn all about Western Australia's mammal emblem, the Numbat. This charismatic little marsupial abandons its secretive ways when the zookeeper comes into the exhibit with its breakfast – a serving of tasty termite custard.

11:00am – 12:30pm Reptiles, Penguins and Crocodiles

Head straight down to the *Penguin Plunge* to hear from a zookeeper and watch the world's smallest penguin feed underwater (11:15am).

As soon as you're done there, cross the courtyard to the *Reptile Encounter* (open from 10am) to learn all about our Aussie lizards and snakes.

Back into the Australian Wetlands where we showcase the best of Aussie water birds, as well as Australia's most endangered reptile (and great conservation success story), the Western Swamp Tortoise. Found only in a tiny wetland pocket of Perth, breeding this little tortoise for re-introduction into protected habitat north of Perth has helped ease it back from the brink of extinction.

Exit the Australian Wetlands past our snappy dressers, the Freshwater Crocodiles, our freshwater turtles and fish, then to see Australia's ancient predator, the Estuarine Crocodile, catching some sun in his billabong.

You'll end up perfectly positioned among the BBQs and picnic tables of the main lawn just in time for lunch.

12:30pm– Relaxing lunch

Enjoy a picnic lunch on the lawn or grab some food from one of our food trucks.

Kids can work off their lunch in the nearby *Variety Children's Playground* while parents enjoy a rest under the trees and prepare themselves for a jam-packed afternoon.



Open 9am to 5pm every day
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