

## Spook-tacular Fun Volunteering at ZooBoo



For over 20 years, Cub Foods ZooBoo has offered families with even the youngest 'ghoul' a family friendly environment to celebrate Halloween. Como Zoo's grounds are transformed into a storybook paradise where flowers can talk, pirates offer hugs and the tigers can dance. The Cub Foods ZooBoo will take place October 18, 19 and 24, 25, 26 from 4:30-7:30pm. It takes over 250 volunteers each night of the event, from greeting visitors, make-up application, moving "treats", directing traffic and even getting costumed up to entertain attendees.

Persons who are at least 17 years of age and can volunteer for late afternoon or evening shifts are needed to wear fun costumes provided by Como, greet and entertain young children and families, or pass out Halloween treats. Also needed are many non-costumed volunteers for event support positions. Individuals, families and groups are encouraged to volunteer.

ZooBoo is a non-scary Halloween festival for families and young children. For this unique fall event, the grounds of Como Zoo transform into a world of fairytales and fun! Live costumed characters interact and entertain children. This magical event offers families a safe trick-or-treating alternative plus many Halloween surprises. Guests will be able to take in live entertainment shows in the Amphitheater and partake in activity stations, while parents enjoy a free cup of coffee.

Cub Foods ZooBoo is Saturday & Sunday, October 18 and 19 and Friday, Saturday, Sunday, October 24, 25, and 26 from 4:30pm to 7:30pm. For more information on how to volunteer, call 651-457-8247 or apply on-line at [www.comozooconservatory.org/vol](http://www.comozooconservatory.org/vol)

Proceeds from ZooBoo benefit two of Minnesota's most treasured year-round attractions, Como Zoo and Marjorie McNeely Conservatory. ZooBoo is a production of the Como Friends.

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