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MOTHER NATURE DEFINITELY HAD AN IMPACT ON US

Aldergrove – Unfortunately we had an extreme amount of high winds yesterday and have had huge extensive damage to trees and fencing. The Zoo was evacuated at approximately 11:30 am yesterday of all public walking around the zoo due to flying tree branches and debris.

Shortly after we had several large trees fall on fences surrounding animal enclosures, we went into our Emergency Protocol for those types of circumstances. All of the staff performed extremely well under great pressure and although fences did come down, none of the animals escaped or were injured.



We did have a group hosting their child's birthday in our indoor Education Centre who was allowed to stay at the zoo, as long as they didn't go outside of the Education Centre.

The Greater Vancouver Zoo is grateful and thankful for the continued support of our valued visitors and our amazing staff!

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