NAPLES ZOO *at* **CARIBBEAN GARDENS** 13 October 2006
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BOO at the ZOO: Lions & Tigers "Carve" Pumpkins while Kids Trick-or-Treat at Naples Zoo

What: Between noon and four p.m. on Saturday, October 28 and Sunday, October 29, kids can have a wildly good time celebrating Halloween during **Boo at the Zoo** at Naples Zoo. Kids will enjoy trick or treating at sponsored treat stations throughout the Zoo, joining in a costume contest, and watching animals "carving" pumpkins with tooth and claw.

A deep discount on admission will be given to visitors who come in costume to help celebrate the day. With at least one child in costume, the whole family will receive half off regular admission. Regular zoo admission is $15.95 for adults and $9.95 for children. So with costumes or a coupon, guests can enjoy all day at the Zoo including the Halloween festivities for just $7.95 for adults and $4.95 for children. Discount coupon is available at www.napleszoo.com or at sponsor radio stations websites.

Kids can trick or treat in the Zoo from 12-4 p.m. A ***Kids Costume Contest*** will be held at 1 p.m. with great prizes including family zoo memberships as part of the grand prizes.

With the help of Mix 104.7, Gator Country 101.9, Groovin' 102.9, Naples FM Talk 98 and other sponsors, the event will benefit the Zoo's Behavioral Enrichment Committee, dedicated to providing fun and stimulating activities for the Zoo's animals.

When: **Saturday, October 28 and Sunday, October 29, 2006**
Enter as early as 9:30 a.m. Boo at the Zoo activities from 12 noon - 4 p.m.

Where: **Naples Zoo at Caribbean Gardens**
1590 Goodlette-Frank Road (across from Coastland Center)

Photos: Images of animals with pumpkins available for immediate media use at www.napleszoo.com/press

Photo Ops:

12- 4 p.m.	Kids trick or treating throughout the zoo
12:30	Lions "Carving" Pumpkins
1:00	Kids Costume Contest
2:00	Tigers "Carving" Pumpkins
2:30	Planet Predator