



NATIONAL AVIARY
PITTSBURGH, PA



National Aviary Sensory Guide

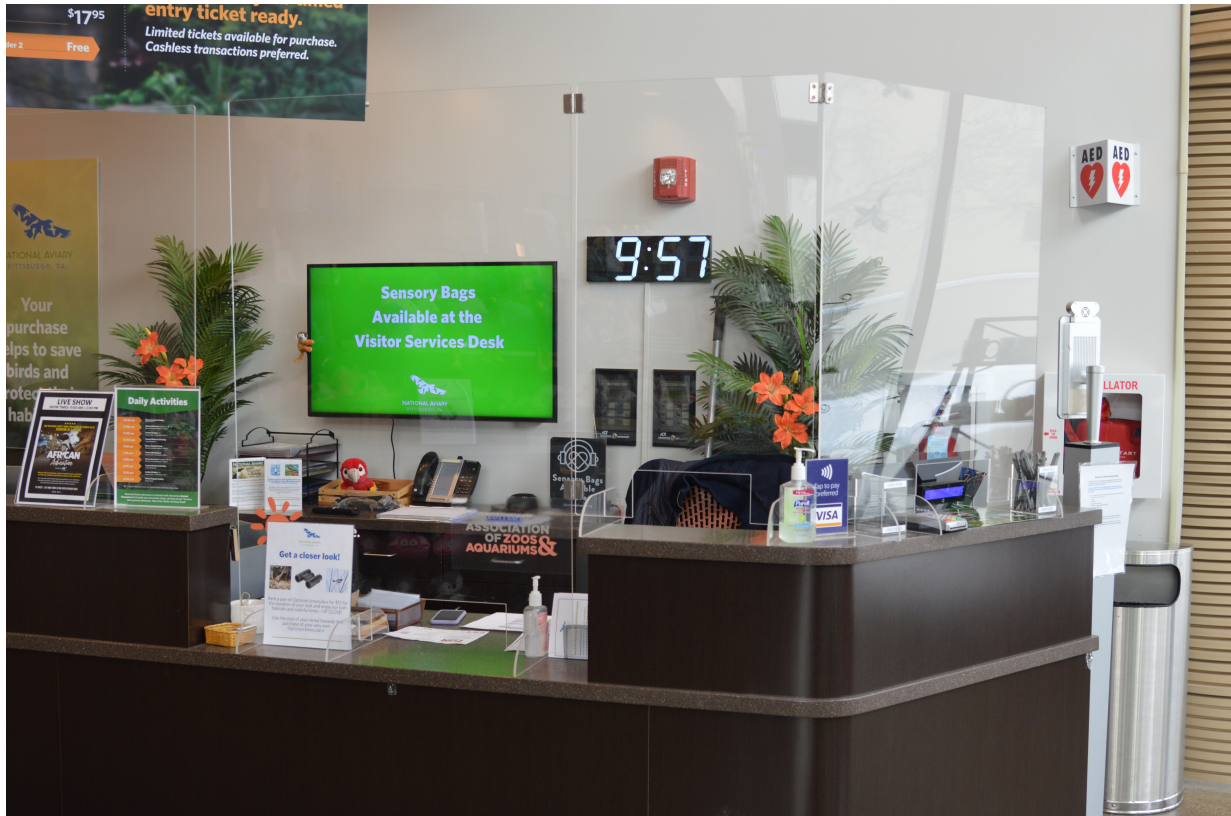


When you arrive



When you arrive, you may need to wait in line to enter with your family or group. This area may be loud and crowded.

Getting a Sensory Bag



You can borrow a Sensory Bag from Kulture City, for free any day of the week. Sensory Bags are available at the Visitor Services Desk.

What Is In A Sensory Bag



There are items in the Sensory Bag that could help you stay calm. You can use noise cancelling headphones if it gets too loud. There are fidget toys and plush toys to help you enjoy your visit.

Atrium/Dining



In the Atrium, you may experience bright light from the windowed dome. There are tables and seating to eat, drink, and rest.

Dining



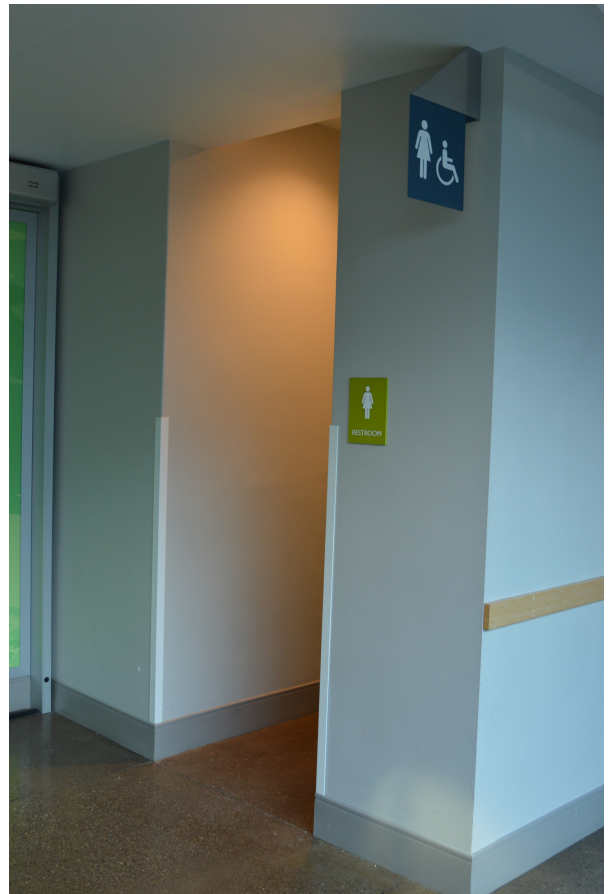
Guest are welcome to bring in outside food but should be aware that there are no refrigerators or microwaves on the premises.

Staff and Volunteers



If you have questions or need help, you can ask a staff member or volunteer. They wear blue shirts with the National Aviary logo on it. They will also have nametags on.

Restrooms



Our restrooms are ADA accessible. They can be found in the Atrium by the entrance to the Tropical Rainforest. They may be loud, with automatic flush toilets and an electric hand dryer.

Restrooms



Restrooms, including an all-gender restroom with an adult changing table, can be found in The Garden Room, located at the end of The Charity Randall Foundation Eagle Hall.

Canary's Call Presented by Dollar Bank



You can expect loud noises from our flock of Rainbow Lorikeets which vocalize frequently.

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It is also home to a colony of fruit bats which can cause a strong smell. It is a low-light area with lighted photos and signage. There are benches to sit and rest.

Condor Court



**Condor Court is an outdoor habitat.
The pathway in this area is unpaved.
There are benches to sit and rest.**

Grasslands



The Grasslands is an indoor habitat where you may experience an element of surprise as small birds fly close to visitors, experience bird droppings from above, or encounter smells from the birds. There is a bench to sit and rest.

Penguin Point



Penguin Point is a 360-degree habitat that can be experienced indoors and outdoors. Indoors, you may encounter low light conditions. Penguin Tunnels have low ceilings for kids to explore. The tunnels are ADA compliant and can fit a wheelchair. There are benches to sit and rest.

Penguin Point



You may encounter smells from the colony of penguins that eat fish, especially in the outdoor areas. There may be sudden loud noises from colony members. If you stand close to the pool outside, you may get splashed by an African Penguin swimming close by.

Tropical Rainforest



The Tropical Rainforest is an indoor habitat. This room can be loud, and birds in this room are free-flying and may fly or walk close to you. You may encounter scents from the birds. You may experience bird and water droppings from above.

Tropical Rainforest Waterfall



This room can also be very bright because of the glass paneled ceiling. There is a 15 foot waterfall and you may hear the water splash along the rocks.

The Wetlands



This indoor habitat can be very loud with birds calling. Birds in this room are free-flying and may fly or walk close to you. You may experience bird and water droppings from above.

The Wetlands Continued



You may encounter scents from the birds. This room can also be very bright because of the windowed ceiling. There are benches to sit and rest.

The Charity Randall Foundation Eagle Hall



The Charity Randall Foundation Eagle Hall is home to two eagle species. This habitats is currently covered as we renovate their habitats.

Treetops Presented by Peoples



At the end of the hall, is Treetops Presented by Peoples. This area can be bright because of the large glass windows. There are several benches to sit and rest.
