

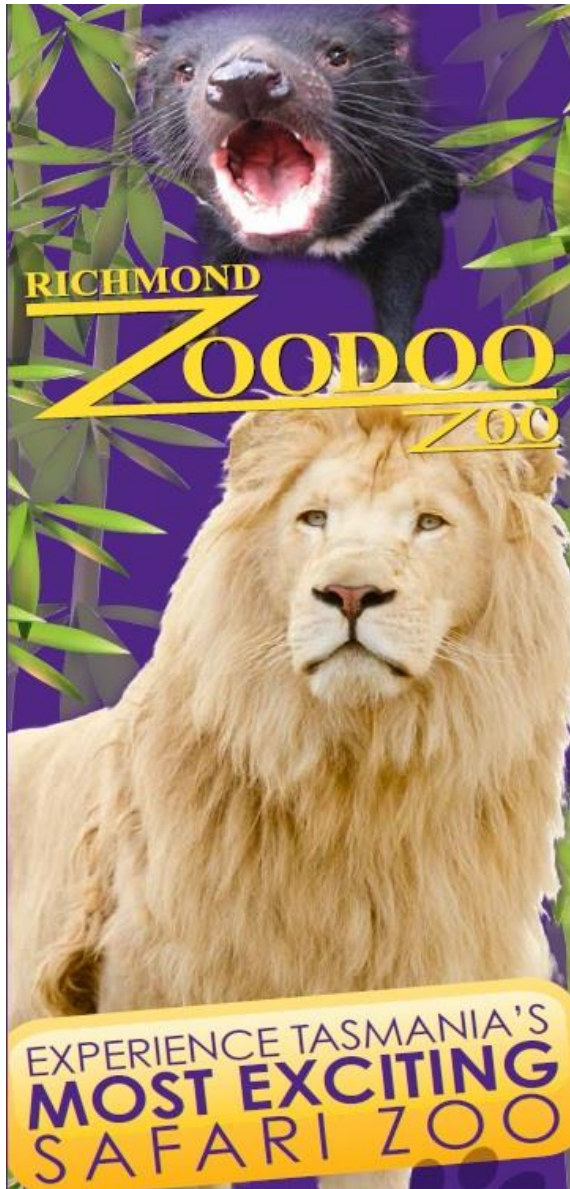
## Position Vacant – Zoodoo Zoo

### **Senior Keeper & Tour Guide**

A position is now available for a senior Keeper, possibly two. The position offers a unique, outdoor career working with a large variety of animals. The position would ideally begin in February 2018 which would include a 3 month trial period, followed by 12 month permanent contracts. Start dates can be negotiated.

Standard responsibilities of keepers & tour guides include to care for and maintain the animal populations at Zoodoo Zoo and to achieve customer satisfaction through interactive, educational and fun tours, presentations and encounters. Additional responsibilities of Senior keepers would be to guide junior keepers, compliance checks on all aspects of keeper husbandry, monitor park stock levels and ongoing reporting to management.

**This role is for those who have extensive experience in this type of environment. Senior Keepers may also regularly work the exotic animals round and those with large animal / carnivore experience may be considered above others.**



To apply, applicants **MUST** demonstrate that they have the following;

- Minimum 3 years previous experience working with a variety of animals in a wildlife park / zoo setting.
- Previous experience working directly with Exotic species, including large carnivores.
- Relevant qualifications i.e Cert III captive Animal Management, Zoology etc
- Previous experience with tour guiding / customer interaction
- Outgoing personality to provide loud & fun tours.
- Workplace references to verify work ethic and character
- Well-developed communication and teamwork skills
- Broad knowledge of a range of animal species and handling techniques
- High level of physical fitness and strength
- Mature & approachable personality
- Current unrestricted full manual car drivers licence
- Flexibility to work weekends, public holidays & school holidays.

**Additional points that may aid a successful application, but are not essential;**

- Ability to adequately handle machinery such as electric tools, chainsaws, lawn mowers, tractors etc
- Previous experience driving large vehicles / passenger vehicles
- Firearms licence, First Aid Training, OH&S training
- Previous role in zoo record keeping.

All applications should be submitted by email to General Manager Donna Cuttriss via [donna.zoodoo@yahoo.com.au](mailto:donna.zoodoo@yahoo.com.au)

Applications open until the right applicant is found, though it is encouraged to send applications ASAP.

Accepted applicants will be given further details on pay rates, job description, working conditions and other relevant information before proceeding to interview stage.

\*Basic accommodation can be made available for successful applicant to assist in the event of an interstate move\*