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Star-Studded Global Celebration of the Film Release of Disney Animation's *Zootopia 2* to be Hosted at Shanghai Disney Resort

Shanghai Disney Resort to add new scenes, characters and music inspired by the sequel, officially starting November 18, at the world's one-and-only Zootopia-themed land

Shanghai, November 4, 2025 – Shanghai Disney Resort is gearing up for a wild celebration for Walt Disney Animation Studios' new film, *Zootopia 2*, turning its one-of-a-kind Zootopia land into a living extension of the sequel. Thanks to a comprehensive creative synergy with Disney Animation, the resort will debut new film-inspired décor, immersive embedded details, reimagined entertainment and a lineup of limited-time experiences that together fully activate the continued story of the vibrant metropolis in an entirely new and immersive way.







"Since opening in December 2023, Zootopia has welcomed millions of guests from home and abroad, becoming one of the resort's most beloved experiences and earning global theme park industry recognition. In celebration of *Zootopia 2*, our talented cast members and Imagineers have teamed up with Walt Disney Animation Studios artists to extend the new story into creative, tangible, and immersive experiences in our *Zootopia*-themed land," said Andrew Bolstein, President and General Manager of Shanghai Disney Resort.

On November 18, Shanghai Disney Resort will join hands with The Walt Disney Company China to host the Global Celebration of *Zootopia 2* in the world's first and only *Zootopia*-themed land at Shanghai Disneyland. Much like the city of Zootopia, the celebration will be a dynamic and energetic experience, welcoming creators, invited guests, film and park fans from around the world to gather in this vibrant metropolis for an unforgettable occasion. Due to this special event, there will be operational adjustments to the Zootopia-themed land including its attraction "Zootopia: Hot Pursuit" on November 18. Park guests are advised to refer to the resort's official platforms for more information.

"Anyone Can Be Anything" – Judy & Nick embark on a new adventure and debut all-new looks

In Zootopia, Officer Judy Hopps and Nick Wilde solved their first case and proved that "anyone can be anything." Their unlikely partnership saved the animal metropolis and became a global fan favorite. In the highly anticipated sequel, the rookie duo reunites to crack an even more intricate case, forcing them to rely on—and redefine—the trust that first brought them together. The story of this dynamic duo will unfold in sync within the park, letting guests step directly into the newest narrative of Judy and Nick.

Starting November 18, during the daily Mickey's Storybook Express parade, guests can see Judy and Nick in their brand-new *Zootopia 2* outfits. These appearances will be available for a limited time, through January 27, 2026.

Even more proudly, Shanghai Disney Resort will present Judy and Nick in their Zootennial Gala fashions, a heart-warming surprise from the sequel, as the first and only offering in any Disney parks. For a limited-time, Judy and Nick in their new and stunning looks will grace the Main Entrance Portal to greet guests during the *Zootopia 2* celebration campaign, starting November 19, 2025 through January 27, 2026.





Clues from Judy and Nick's new partnership and adventure are all around — including the case files on Judy's desk, her undercover sunglasses, and the key evidence in Nick's cubicle — letting sharp-eyed guests follow the story while they explore the popular ride "Zootopia: Hot Pursuit."

From big screen to immersive realm: explore new scenes and characters

The world of Zootopia is a sprawling metropolis of unique districts, from the frosty Tundra Town and arid Sahara Square to the lush Rainforest District and quaint Little Rodentia. The sequel, *Zootopia 2*, invites audiences into a thrilling new chapter set within the bustling, canal-laced Marsh Market. Through a holistic creative synergy, Shanghai Disney Resort will immerse guests in this new district, expanding the land's story to include Marsh Market as it debuts on the big screen. Guests will uncover the district's mysteries through clues seamlessly woven into the cityscape: from updated signposts pointing to the new district to cryptic posters, new billboards, and revised city maps along Mane Street.





The adventure also introduces new friends and foes. As Judy and Nick navigate the dynamics of their partnership, they become entangled in a decades-old mystery with a key character from the sequel: the pit viper, Gary De'Snake. Shanghai Disney Resort introduced this character at the start of the year as part of the "Year of the Snake" celebrations. With the arrival of *Zootopia 2*, Gary will leave many more hints throughout the land about him and his role in the plot—whether through the reptile-inspired texture on the updated Zootopia Marquee or his mysterious shadows in Nocturnal Alley.







Gary De'Snake will also join the much-loved Disney Zootopia Comes Alive, a daily highlight featuring lively performances from many of the city's favorite residents, including Flash, Duke Weaselton and Judy Hopps' family. Beginning November 18, the talkative viper will join the Zootopia community and appear in the popular live entertainment. He will debut in several refreshed stories where characters interact with guests and each other throughout the day, and even join the animal choir of "Zootopia, We Love You."







Furthermore, all around Zootopia, guests can discover hints about even more new characters set to debut in the sequel. These include everything from the opening of quokka therapy animal Dr. Fuzzby's partners counseling room to portraits of the city's new mayor, Brian Winddancer, inside the Zootopia Police Department. The characters' stories continue in both the sequel and the land, where Fru Fru is now a mother and her daughter's pink passion shows up in Mr. Big's rose suit and the toddler's own dresses as guests walk through. These creative clues keep guests actively exploring and deeply engaged, offering exciting insights into what's ahead for the new film and the themed land.

Gazelle's all-new original song "Zoo" to debut at Shanghai Disneyland

Music has always been a defining force in Zootopia, with Shakira's "Try Everything" becoming a global phenomenon. Carrying on this legacy, the highly anticipated sequel introduces a new original song, "Zoo," performed again by the iconic superstar Gazelle and her voice and vocal performer, Shakira. Guests at Shanghai Disney Resort will be the first to experience this powerful new track in a Disney theme park in person with a limited time performance by Gazelle herself in the Hot Pursuit attraction.

Following the adventure on Zootopia: Hot Pursuit, guests are invited to celebrate their successful rescue of the city's biggest pop star, Gazelle, by enjoying her all-new song "Zoo." This vibrant anthem will be featured for a limited time from November 19, 2025, through January 27, 2026. With the pursuit of excellence and attention to details from Disney Imagineers, the celebratory finale scene will be refreshed with upgraded lighting, music, and synchronized effects, creating a truly amazing immersive experience.

Zootopia 2 brings fresh fun to every find and bite, beyond the land

The adventure of *Zootopia 2* extends beyond the themed land, immersing guests throughout their entire journey at Shanghai Disney Resort. It begins with a collection of new limited-edition park tickets, available for the duration of the campaign. Uniquely designed as Zootopia name cards or featuring an iconic Zootopia image, each of the 14 styles showcases beloved characters and exciting new arrivals from the sequel.

Whether guests choose to follow in the footsteps of Judy and Nick as ZPD cops or think big in business like Mr. Big, each ticket invites them to embark on a brand-new adventure





within the metropolis. Starting November 19, 2025, guests can also log into the "Zootopia Detective Quest" WeChat Mini Program to follow clues and unlock hidden fun while they explore the land.



Upon arrival, guests will be welcomed by the giant Judy Hopps floral, brimming with her signature optimism. The winter seasonal celebration continues across the park, with popular ice sculptures now featuring new arrivals from the sequel—Gary, Nibbles, and Dr. Fuzzby—joining Judy, Nick, Gazelle, and Flash throughout the park for a unique photo opportunity.

In addition to Judy and Nick's new *Zootopia 2* looks appearing at the daily Mickey's Storybook Express Parade, as evening falls, the Enchanted Storybook Castle comes alive with a special Zootopia-themed projection show before the iconic show "ILLUMINATE! A Nighttime Celebration", again during the limited-time celebration period from November





18, 2025, to January 27, 2026. Vivid scenes from both films, set to Gazelle's infectious beats from "Try Everything" and the new song "Zoo," will add an extra layer of wild fun to the nighttime entertainment.





Since the opening of Zootopia, themed merchandise and food and beverage offerings have become "must-try" items for guests exploring the vibrant city. Popular screen-to-street items such as Pawpsicles, Clawhauser's favorite, the Big Donut, and head-to-paw apparel allow guests of all ages to immerse themselves in the fun. With the evolving story of *Zootopia 2* coming to the land, a wave of new products will arrive. From tasting *Zootopia*-themed treats to dressing up in themed apparel, guests can fully immerse themselves in the flavors and styles of the all-animal world featuring fresh inspiration from new characters and storylines from *Zootopia 2*. Among the new arrivals, guests can enjoy diverse fish-inspired foods from Marsh Market, or come face-to-face with Gary De'Snake himself with a themed cotton candy. Fashions by Fru Fru on Mane Street now offers new *Zootopia 2*-inspired apparel





and accessories, such as Nick's tropical shirt and a crossbody bag spotlighting Gary, allowing guests to explore the city as Zootopia residents and bring the fun from *Zootopia 2* into everyday lives.

As *Zootopia 2* hits theaters on November 26, 2025, the adventure continues beyond the screen. Shanghai Disney Resort keeps the story going, inviting guests to dive back into the bustling metropolis where Zootopia comes alive with sights, sounds, and surprises.

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