

Calvin's Road To Recovery

Quite a few species of monkeys have found a forever home at Noah's Ark.

The most easily recognized and largest family troupe of monkeys housed at The Ark are the Capuchin monkeys. With five other adorable acrobats to look after, dominant pair Joshua and Sister spend their days settling squabbles and foraging for treats hidden amongst the leaves. Although they are not endangered, wild capuchin populations in South America have been affected by both deforestation and poaching.

A white faced capuchin male, Calvin, is our elderly statesman at the age of 35 and has been a part of the Ark family since 1994. Before coming to Noah's Ark, Calvin suffered unimaginable cruelty at the hands of his former owner. After attacking his owner, Calvin was punished by a brutal beating and the removal of his teeth with no anesthesia. When he arrived at Noah's Ark, he was covered in dried blood and his face swollen beyond recognition. Today his facial scars still bear testimony to his fighting spirit and refusal to be tamed. Calvin had a seizure several months ago and is now taking medications daily to keep him healthy. His caregivers present him with a fresh red raspberry every morning, with his medicine hidden inside. His facial deformity make him immediately recognizable ... and his Capuchin friends also want a special red raspberry.

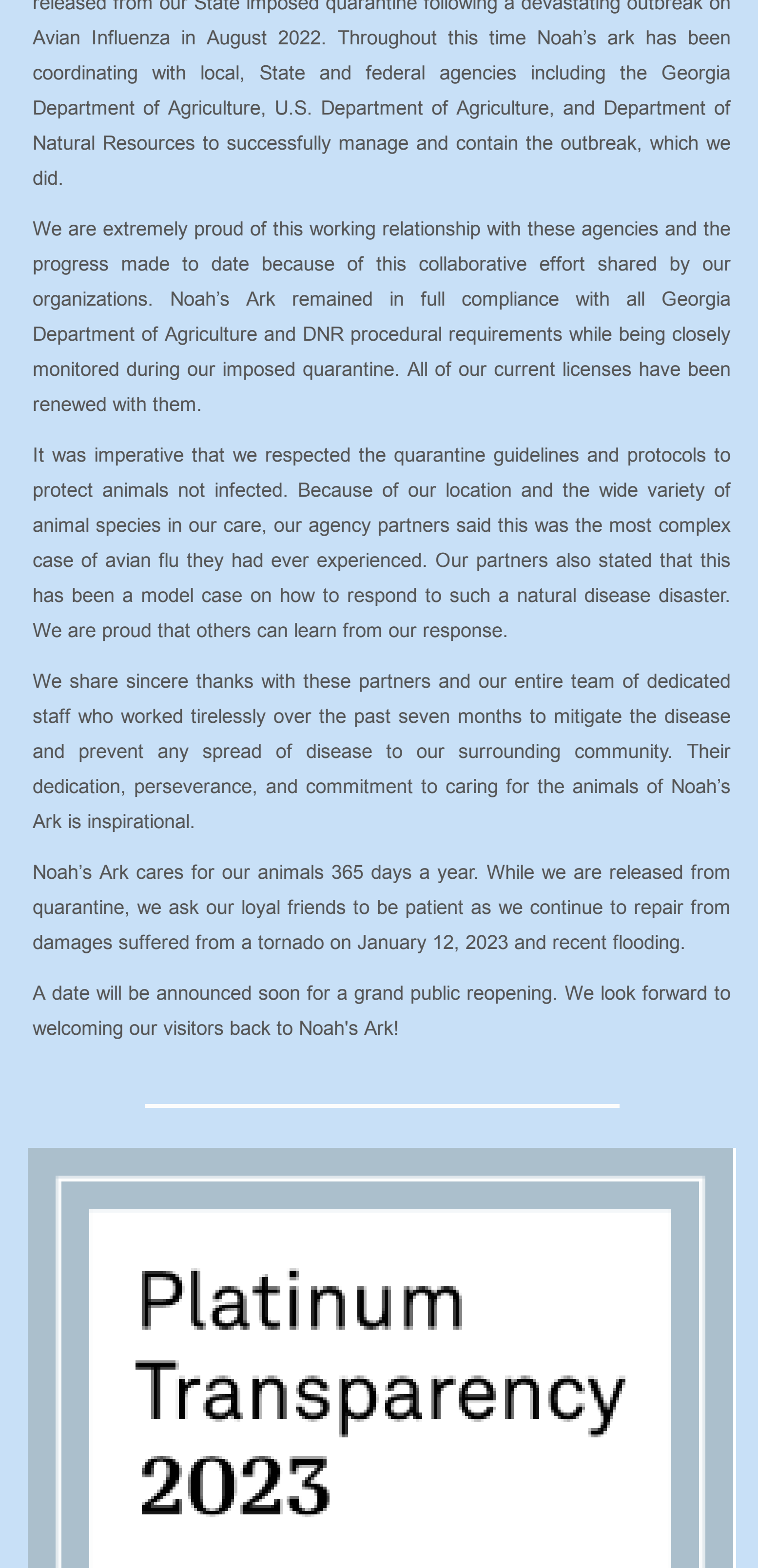
So what has sneaky little miss Sister started doing??? When the keepers arrive with the special "medicine" treat she scurries over and tries to distort her face to look like Calvin!

She's not fooling us but, good try cute girl! Don't worry, all the primates get wonderful fresh fruit, Sister just wants extra attention. Calvin is doing well and we are grateful for his progress.

We are so appreciative and grateful to our amazing donors and supporters who provide the necessary resources to give our residents the best care possible.

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News At The Ark



GREAT NEWS!

Noah's Ark Animal Sanctuary is thrilled to announce that we have officially been released from our State imposed quarantine following a devastating outbreak on Avian Influenza in August 2022. Throughout this time Noah's ark has been coordinating with local, State and federal agencies including the Georgia Department of Agriculture, U.S. Department of Agriculture, and Department of Natural Resources to successfully manage and contain the outbreak, which we did.

We are extremely proud of this working relationship with these agencies and the progress made to date because of this collaborative effort shared by our organizations. Noah's Ark remained in full compliance with all Georgia Department of Agriculture and DNR procedural requirements while being closely monitored during our imposed quarantine. All of our current licenses have been renewed with them.

It was imperative that we respected the quarantine guidelines and protocols to protect animals not infected. Because of our location and the wide variety of animal species in our care, our agency partners said this was the most complex case of avian flu they had ever experienced. Our partners also stated that this has been a model case on how to respond to such a natural disease disaster. We are proud that others can learn from our response.

We share sincere thanks with these partners and our entire team of dedicated staff who worked tirelessly over the past seven months to mitigate the disease and prevent any spread of disease to our surrounding community. Their dedication, perseverance, and commitment to caring for the animals of Noah's Ark is inspirational.

Noah's Ark cares for our animals 365 days a year. While we are released from quarantine, we ask our loyal friends to be patient as we continue to repair from damages suffered from a tornado on January 12, 2023 and recent flooding.

A date will be announced soon for a grand public reopening. We look forward to welcoming our visitors back to Noah's Ark!

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We are incredibly proud and humbled to receive the 2023 Platinum Seal of Transparency from Candid and are committed to continuing to be transparent and accountable to our donors and the community.

Being awarded the Platinum Seal of Transparency from Candid (formerly Guidestar) is a major testament to the transparency of Noah's Ark, and is their highest level of ratings. The Platinum Seal of Transparency is a rating that puts us in the top of charities nationally in terms of transparency and means that Noah's Ark has shared clear and important information with the public about our goals, strategies, capabilities, achievements and progress indicators.



Noah's Ark is among the top 9% of all charities in the United States for trustworthiness & effectiveness.

Noah's Ark Animal Sanctuary is proud to announce that its strong financial health and ongoing accountability and transparency has earned a Four-Star Rating from Charity Navigator for the third year in a row. This is their highest rating and designates Noah's Ark as an official "Give with Confidence" charity, indicating that our organization is using its donations effectively based on Charity Navigator's criteria.

Charity Navigator is America's largest and most-utilized independent charity evaluator and has been an unbiased and trusted source of information for more than 11 million donors annually.

"We are delighted to provide Noah's Ark with third-party accreditation that validates their operational excellence," said Michael Thatcher, President and CEO of Charity Navigator. *"The Four-Star Rating is the highest possible rating an organization can achieve. We are eager to see the good work that Noah's Ark is able to accomplish in the years ahead."*

This milestone achievement for Noah's Ark couldn't have happened without you and your support. Thank you for being part of our family as contributors, funders, and volunteers.

Your trust and support helps us give a better life to over 1,200 animals.

Thank you for being an integral part of our mission!

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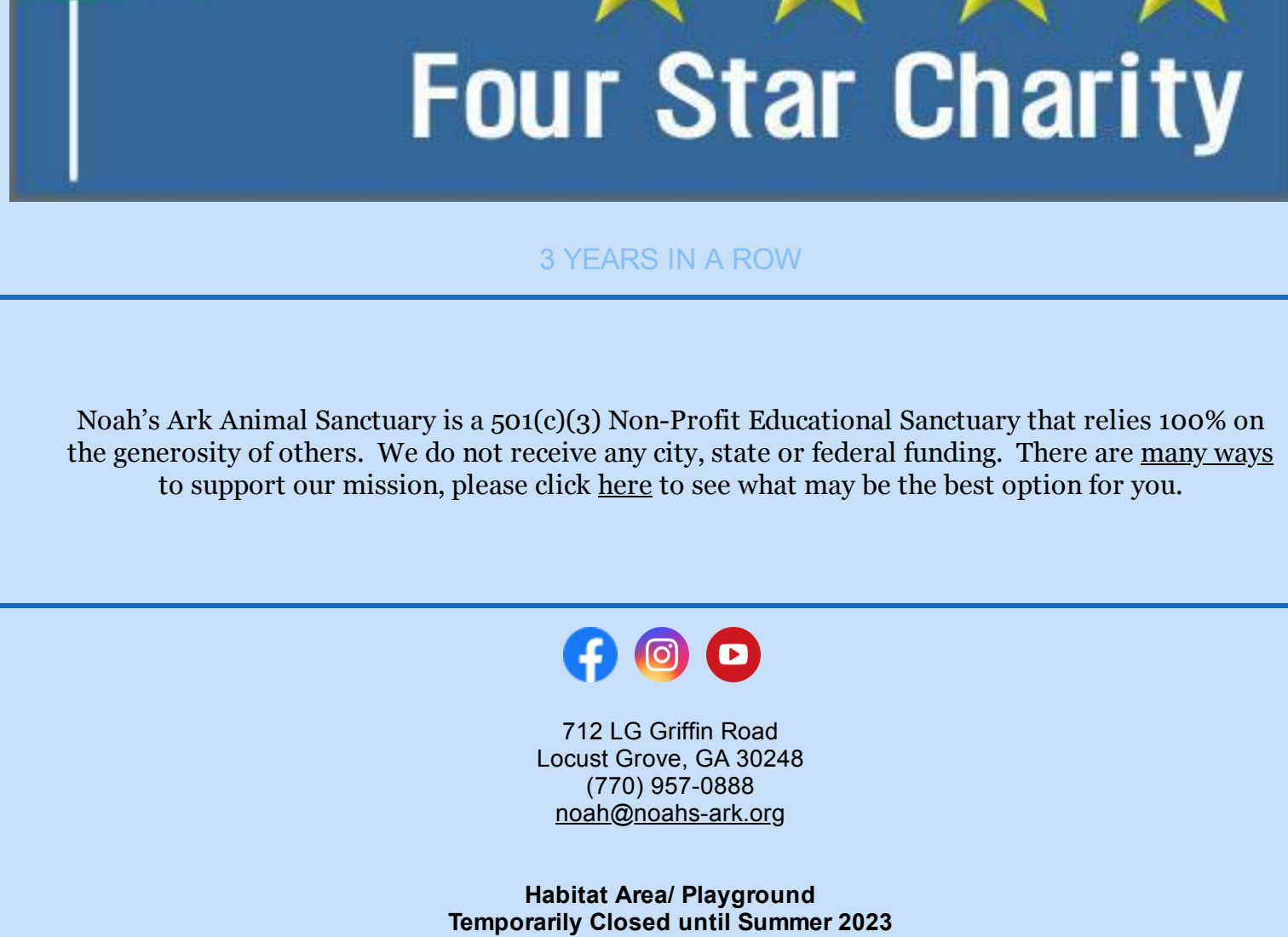


Our parrots need a fresh round of enrichment items for their enclosures. Please consider purchasing items from our wishlist to continue keeping our feathered friends mentally and physically healthy.

[Wishlists](#)

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3 YEARS IN A ROW

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