



10-5-21

Animal of the Week: Platypus (Ornithorhynchus anatinus)

- Only living representative of its family and genus
- Senses prey through echolocation
- Egg-laying mammal
- Has an ankle spur that delivers venom, non-threatening to humans, but still painful
 - Likely used for dominance during breeding season
- Classified as vulnerable, but no one really knows their population size







General Meetings

- Every Tuesday
- 7-8PM, Room 140 Natural Science
- Zoom Link: https://msu.zoom.us/j/99362011129 Meeting ID: 993 6201 1129
- Advisor: Dr. Eila Roberts



Opportunities in Zoology!

- Join AZA!
 - o Resume builder
 - Job postings
 - Connect with zoos all over the world
 - Get the Connect Magazine
- Keep an eye out for job boards and IBIO emails
- A Night at the MSU Museum!
 - October 15, 7PM
 - Fossil themes party! Enjoy crafts, activities, games, costume contests, and free food!



Volunteer Events

- Potter Park Zoo Halloween event is looking for volunteers!
 - Saturday October 9, 16, 23,
 - Sunday October 10, 17, 24
- Talk to Christina for more details!

2021-2022 Merchandise!

- Looking for designs for our 2021-2022 t-shirt!
- Send designs to <u>msuzsa@gmail.com</u>

Check out our Social Media

- Facebook: MSU Zoological Students Association
- Website: www.msuzsa.weebly.com
- Instagram: msu_zsa or MSU ZSA
- Venmo: MSU ZSA



Tonight: Aaron Sullivan

