



# Calendar Alert

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## **SAVE A FEW GEORGE WASHINGTON'S AT SHEDD AQUARIUM WITH A WEEK OF FREE GENERAL ADMISSION FOR THE LAND OF LINCOLN!**

*Celebrate the Red, White and Blue on President's Day with Shedd's Blue Waters  
During Illinois Resident Discount Week, Feb. 19-23*

**WHAT:** Celebrate President's Day at Shedd Aquarium with a week of **FREE** general admission for all those in the Land of Lincoln! During Illinois Resident Discount/Free General Admission Week from Sunday, Feb. 19 through Thursday, Feb. 23, Illinois residents enjoy free general admission to the original galleries and discounted admission to all other exhibits, sponsored by Ford Motor Company Fund, the philanthropic arm of Ford Motor Company.

Love is in the aquarium air this February as Shedd shows some love to Illinois residents with Discount/Free General Admission Days on Mondays and Tuesdays all month long, including Valentine's Day. As the chilly winter winds blow outside, let Shedd warm your heart. Treat your valentine to an exotic escape to the balmy tropical climate of [Caribbean Reef](#) or trek to see the anacondas and rays of [Amazon Rising](#). Don't forget to swing by [Jellies](#) and immerse yourself in the vibrant and mysterious world of Shedd's newest temporary exhibit.

For the latest information, please visit [www.sheddaquarium.org](http://www.sheddaquarium.org) or call (312) 939-2438.

**WHEN:** Illinois Resident Discount/Free General Admission Week: Sunday, Feb. 19 – Thursday, Feb. 23  
Illinois Resident Discount/Free General Admission Days: Mondays and Tuesdays in February, including Valentine's Day!

**PRICES:** Original galleries only: **FREE**  
Shedd Pass with discount: \$18.95 for adults; \$11.95 children (ages 3-11)

Advance tickets are recommended. Regular and discounted passes can be purchased through [www.sheddaquarium.org](http://www.sheddaquarium.org) or by calling Ticketmaster at 1-800-982-2787.

**WHERE:** John G. Shedd Aquarium, [1200 S. Lake Shore Drive, Chicago](#)  
Shedd is open 9 a.m. – 5 p.m. on weekdays and 9 a.m. – 6 p.m. on weekends.

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