

Teatown Lake Reservation
 1600 Spring Valley Road
 Ossining, NY 10562

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ADOPT AN ANIMAL AMBASSADOR

Help Teatown care for our
 'wildlife ambassadors'
 by adopting one of our animals



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Adopt a Friend...



When you adopt one of Teatown's Animal Ambassadors, you are providing funds that will be used to care for that animal. In recognition of your contribution, you will receive the following:

- ▶ A personalized adoption certificate
- ▶ A large color photograph of your animal
- ▶ Information about your animal
- ▶ Species finger puppet
- ▶ Animal Ambassador Coloring Book
 With adoptions of \$75 or above



Adoption Form

Adopting Guardian

Name _____

Address _____

City, State _____

Zip code _____

Phone _____

Email _____

Gift From (if applicable)

Name _____

Address _____

City, State _____

Zip code _____

Phone _____

Email _____

Gift purpose or message _____

\$ _____ Total amount enclosed

Check MC VISA Discover Amex

Card # _____

Exp. Date _____ Card code _____

Name on card _____

Signature _____

Does your employer have a Matching Gift Program? Yes No

If so, is your company Matching Gift Form enclosed? Yes No

Support Teatown . . .

Please choose the animal you'd like to adopt:

- Rabbit, \$25
- Turtles, \$25
- Snake, \$25
- Virginia Opossum, \$25
- Eastern Screech owl, \$25
- American Crows, \$25
- Ferret, \$50
- Barred Owl, \$50
- American Kestrel, \$50
- Wild butterflies in Butterfly Garden, \$50
- Wild songbirds, \$50
- Red-shouldered Hawk, \$50
- Turkey Vulture, \$75
- Black vulture, \$75
- Red-tailed hawk, \$75
- Great-horned owl, \$75
- Discovery Room reptiles & amphibians, \$75
- Bald Eagle, \$100



American Crow



American Kestrel



Turkey vulture

Give the Gift of Life and Learning

By adopting a Teatown animal you are helping provide for its vital care and enrichment. And through meeting our animals, you learn respect and appreciation for all our wildlife residents.



Smooth Green Snake



Eastern Screech Owl

Great Gift Idea

Adopting a Teatown animal makes a great gift. Whether an anniversary, birthday, Earth Day, Mother's or Father's Day, new baby or any other special occasion, this gift is unique and special to all.

Adopt Now!

Animal adoptions are valid for one year from date of contribution.



Northern Water Snake

Bull Frog



Virginia Opossum



Monarch butterfly in Teatown's Butterfly Garden

About our Nature Center...

Teatown Lake Reservation is a private, non-profit 875-acre nature preserve and education center spanning Yorktown, Cortlandt and New Castle in the beautiful Hudson Hills and Highlands region. The property has three lakes and over 15 miles of hiking trails over woodlands, meadows, streams and marsh habitats. Teatown's mission is to conserve open space and to educate and involve the regional community in order to sustain the diversity of wildlife, plants and habitats for future generations.

The Adopt-an-Animal Program is one of many ways you can help support Teatown's mission. Refer to our website www.teatown.org for more opportunities.



Cardinals frequent our Wild Songbird feeders

Did you know?

As "wildlife ambassadors," Teatown's animals meet audiences in school and education programs almost everyday! During the week students visit from schools throughout the region to learn about animals in their habitats. On weekends, public programs, birthday party groups and scouting organizations gain knowledge about local wildlife through the expertise of Teatown educators and animal ambassadors.

Why do these animals live at Teatown?

All the animals that we care for at Teatown are here because they cannot live in the wild. Many have permanent injuries that prevent them from being able to fly, escape predators or find food on their own. Some of our animals are 'domestic' meaning they are pets, or are 'exotic' meaning they are not from this area. These animals help us learn about their local wild 'cousins.' For example, a pet rabbit is related to its wild 'cousin,' the eastern cottontail rabbit.

How are Teatown animals different from domestic pets?

The animal that you adopt must stay at Teatown—but you are welcome to visit anytime! The reason for this is because Teatown has special permits that allow us to house and care for wild animals. You are not allowed to take any wild animals that you find home with you—wild animals don't make good pets, they don't want to be pets, and it's against the law!