

Event Costs

The Dallas World Aquarium is open to the public from 10 AM - 5 PM. Evening events are usually scheduled to begin at 7:00 pm (unless with authorization). Events are scheduled for four hours, with additional hours requiring supplemental labor charges. Minimum building rental rates are as follows

AQUARIUM

First floor (Reef Room)	\$750.00
Both floors (Reef Room & Port Hole)	\$1,000.00
Second floor (Port Hole - luncheons only)	\$500.00

RAINFOREST

Tribal Gallery (including Orinoco Room)	\$1,500.00
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MUNDO MAYA

Café Maya	\$2,500.00
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ENDANGERED SPECIES GALLERY

Evenings	\$2,500.00
Day Events	\$1,000.00

COMBINATIONS:

Endangered Species Gallery & Café Maya	\$4,000.00
Aquarium & Rainforest	\$2,500.00
Aquarium & Mundo Maya	\$3,500.00
Aquarium, Rainforest & Mundo Maya	\$5,000.00

The above rates include group admission for up to 250 guests per facility (500 for two areas and 750 for entire facility). Additional admission cost is \$9.50 person.

DEPOSITS/PAYMENTS

A tentative date can be held for one week. The date is not guaranteed and will automatically be released without notification if the deposit is not received by the end of the "courtesy hold" week. A \$2,500.00 deposit and signed contract are required in order to secure a date for one area (Aquarium, Rainforest or Mundo Maya). A minimum deposit of \$5,000.00 is required to secure two portions of the facility and \$7,500.00 is required for the entire facility.

A deposit equal to 50% of the contract amount for any event is due 30 days before the scheduled date. Payment in full is due on the day of the event. All deposits are non-refundable.

The following are day/month revenue minimums* for events at The Dallas World Aquarium. These are based on totals before taxes and surcharge:

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday & Sunday	\$5,000.00
Saturday	\$7,500.00

*Minimums double or triple for booking, based on number of selected venues.

*Minimums are effective until 30 days prior to event date.

