



## THE WILDCAT SANCTUARY



### Enrichment for The Wildcat Sanctuary Cats

Thank you for your interest in providing The Wildcat Sanctuary (TWS) Residents with enrichment. The cats love to have different toys to liven their day. We encourage you to be creative and have fun knowing how much your help is appreciated.

**Because there are some craft items that can cause injury (like sharp objects) or cause obstruction in the cats (like foam), it is VERY important for the cat's safety for you to keep these rules in mind when making your enrichment:**

1. Only use paper products (cardboard tubes, brown paper bags, boxes, construction paper, and newspaper) as follows:

- Remove staples, tape, etc
- Use masking tape only (no duct, packaging or scotch tape) – glue sticks could be used MINIMALLY, but MASKING TAPE IS PREFERRED
- Thin standard wrapping paper may be used – **absolutely no foil wrapping paper**
- Non-toxic, child safe paint can be used
- Catnip, Lowry's Seasoning Salt and cinnamon may be used to spice up the enrichment - **Please do not substitute any other spices!**

2. ALL items should have an opening so the TWS staff can check the inside of the box for any items that are harmful or dangerous to the cats. These holes will be sealed if needed to enhance the enrichment.

#### IDEAS:

- Snowflakes from construction paper
- Candy canes made from paper towel rolls or toilet paper rolls and construction paper
- Giraffes, zebras or other animals made from boxes, paper towel rolls, etc.
- Birthday presents made from boxes and wrapping paper

