

Since I've started blogging about the Saskatoon Zoo Foundation, I've learned so much. One thing is that they always have great new things happening. If you follow them on social media, you may have heard some if it yourself. Check out the latest about their [newest duo coming later this Spring](#). I'm super excited, and I think my son will be as well. That's not what I want to write about today though as that's not the only thing to be excited about.

I have amazing news for your start of April. Koda (Koh' dah) and Mistaya (miss TIE' yuh) are awake! Who are Koda and Mistaya you ask? They are the bears that have been hibernating all winter, and they're awake and ready for some company. I'll be heading there with my son this week and he will be really excited to see them again. He also has a really great toddler bear growl that the Koda and Mistaya will most likely love. It's not as nice as it was last week, but



that won't stop us since we're from Saskatchewan and as long as it's not -50, we are ready to go.

I have more news about Koda and Mistaya though as they have so many exciting moments to come this year. The Saskatoon Zoo

Foundation and the Saskatoon Forestry Farm Park & Zoo are building them a new habitat. They'll be moving to an area that is over 16 acres, and this will give them the biggest bear habitat in the world. They will be two happy bears, and the people watching them will love seeing them in all the space they will have to enjoy.

They will be relocating to the back of the zoo. It's not currently being used so it'll be a nice space to build the huge bear habitat. I love to walk around the zoo, so my toddler and I will enjoy the stroll over to visit the bears once their new habitat opens. There is no set date as to when Koda and Mistaya will move, but work on their new home will start this year.

If you'd like to help build the bears a new home, please donate! It's super easy and can be done on the Saskatoon Zoo Foundation [website](#). Also - don't forget, Zoogala tickets are [on sale](#) right now!

It's YOUR zoo!  
Thanks for reading.

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