Lakeisha

Scientific Name: Giraffa camelopardalis reticulata

Common Name: Reticulated giraffe

Sex: Female

Birthdate: March 9, 2000

Birthplace: Cheyenne Mountain Zoo

Weight: 1,920 pounds (2018)

Parents: Dam - Becky
          Sire - Laikipia Sr.

Identification and Characteristics:
- Some defining characteristics include a small bump on her nose (image 3), a bow tie pattern on her chest (image 2) and her ossicones are close together (image 1).

Socialization, Temperament and Behavior:
- Lakeisha and Msichana like to chase each other around the barn. She is usually one of the last giraffe in the main yard when shifting in at night.

Known Behaviors:
- Target, back up, left & right foot, touch, curl, X-rays

Behaviors Being Trained:
- Touch along back, chute

Rewards:
- Lakeisha will take crackers and romaine as reinforcers; she will occasionally take bananas.

Reproductive History:
- Lakeisha has had no calves.
GIRAFFE PROFILE

Pictures:

Image 1

Image 2

Image 3

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