Gus

and the

mysterious museum

noise...
Oh, hello. My name is Gus. Any chance you are good at solving mysteries? I hope so!

I have been hearing a strange noise on my walks lately but cannot figure out where it is coming from...
You see, my eyes and ears are not as good as they used to be, and I need a little help with my investigation. There is that noise again! Can you help me find what animal is making the noise?

Let’s check out this side of the gallery first.
Hmmmm... there is water in this tank... I wonder what animal lives here. Oh, my cousins, The Eastern Painted Turtles! I do not think they made the sound I heard... oh, well. It was nice seeing you both, we can catch up at the next family reunion!
What about this tank?

Oh, hello frogs! I do not think the noise came from over here.

Is it just me or are they jumpy?
This tank looks like a great spot for basking! I need to vacation here sometime. Snakes do not quite make the noise I heard... thanks anyway reptile-friends, enjoy that warm patch!

What about the next tank? Is anyone in there?
I do not hear anything... Oh, wait... I think I see bright yellow spots in the darkness... Hello! Was it you making the hoo-h'Ho-o-hoo-hoo?

...Yes? ...No? ... okay... well, uh, thank you!...
... That was kind of weird, huh? Amphibians can be so moody.

Oh, those kids! Haha they sure do move fast. There is that noise again! Let’s check the tanks over this way now.
The noise has got to be around here, we only have one tank left to check! Hopefully, we will find the noise soon.

Oh, I do not think the noise came from anyone in this tank.
All this walking is making me tired; I need to take a break.

Hmmm, I do not know where else that noise could be coming from. Can you think of where it could be?
DID YOU HEAR THAT?!?

THE NOISE IS SO CLOSE I CAN FEEL IT!
IT HAS TO BE AROUND HERE SOMEWH-

*GASP*

I should have known the naturalists had something to do with this...
DID YOU SEE THAT??? It was the button on the tree making owl sounds! Phew, that is lucky.

I was starting to worry but I knew we would solve the mystery!
Thank you so much for your help finding the mysterious noise!
I could not have done it without you, and I cannot wait for our next adventure at the Museum of Natural History!

XO Gus