

Enchanted Skies Star Party Schedule

Tuesday, October 17, 2017

FOOD: Green's Kitchen will be at Star Village for **DINNER ONLY**.

- **1pm** – Arrive at "Star Village;" pick up party packet at Welcome Tent
- **7pm** – Entry gate to Star Village closes
- **All Night** - Dark, dark sky observing at "Star Village"

Wednesday, October 18, 2017

FOOD: Green's Kitchen will be on-site for Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner. To pre-order a Green's Kitchen Box Lunch, please call Julie Green at 575-418-1291. (See this file for other Magdalena Restaurant options)

- **11am** – Arrive at "Star Village;" pick up party packet at Welcome Tent

For VLA and MRO tours you must pre-arrange participation by contacting Cathi Havens (email cathi@sandsoptika.com, please put "ESSP" in subject line), First 30 only.

- **1pm** – Car Caravan to Karl G. Jansky Very Large Array (VLA) from Star Village (first 30 pre-arranged participants ONLY)
 - **Food is not available at the VLA**, bring your own or order a box lunch (see FOOD note above). Sodas, water, snacks available at the VLA gift shop.
- **1:30pm – 4pm** – VLA VIP tour (first 30 pre-arranged participants ONLY)
- **2:00pm** – Briefing and Required Safety Lecture for trip to Magdalena Ridge Observatory (MRO) at Star Village (first 30 pre-arranged participants ONLY)
- **2:30pm** – Car Caravan to MRO from Star Village
 - **Food in not available at the MRO**, bring your own food or early order a box lunch (see FOOD note above); water and toilets available up top! Dress WARM and in layers!
- **3:30pm** – Arrive at MRO
- **3:45pm – 6pm** – Tours of the 2.4-Meter telescope and interferometer (first 30 pre-arranged participants ONLY)
- **6:30pm** – set up for observing at top of South Baldy @ 10,600ft elevation (first 30 pre-arranged participants ONLY)
- **7pm** – Entry gate to Star Village closes
- **10:30pm** – Car Caravan down the mountain OR stay all night (first 30 pre-arranged participants only)
- **All Night** - Dark, dark sky observing at "Star Village" or overnight at MRO (first 30 pre-arranged participants only)

Thursday, October 19, 2017

FOOD: Green's Kitchen will be on-site for Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner. To pre-order a Green's Kitchen Box Lunch, please call Julie Green at 575-418-1291. (See this file for other Magdalena Restaurant options)

- **11am** – Arrive at "Star Village;" pick up party packet at Welcome Tent
- **For VLA and MRO tours you must pre-arrange participation by contacting Cathi Havens (email cathi@sandsoptika.com, please put "ESSP" in subject line), First 30 only.**
- **1pm** – Car Caravan to Karl G. Jansky Very Large Array (VLA) from Star Village (first 30 pre-arranged participants ONLY)
 - **Food is not available at the VLA**, bring your own or order a box lunch (see FOOD note above). Sodas, water, snacks available at the VLA gift shop.
- **1:30pm – 4pm** – VLA VIP tour (first 30 pre-arranged participants ONLY)

- **2:00pm** – Briefing and Required Safety Lecture for trip to Magdalena Ridge Observatory (MRO) at Star Village (first 30 pre-arranged participants ONLY)
- **2:30pm** – Car Caravan to MRO from Star Village
 - **Food in not available at the MRO**, bring your own food or early order a box lunch (see FOOD note above); water and toilets available up top! Dress WARM and in layers!
- **3:30pm** – Arrive at MRO
- **3:45pm – 6pm** – Tours of the 2.4-Meter telescope and interferometer (first 30 pre-arranged participants ONLY)
- **6:30pm** – set up for observing at top of South Baldy @ 10,600ft elevation (first 30 pre-arranged participants ONLY)
 - Astrophotography techniques demonstration and help with your equipment provided by Coleen Gino
- **7pm** – Entry gate to Star Village closes
- **10:30pm** – Car Caravan down the mountain OR stay all night (first 30 pre-arranged participants only)
- **All Night** - Dark, dark sky observing at “Star Village” or overnight at MRO (first 30 pre-arranged participants only)

Friday, October 20, 2017

FOOD: Green’s Kitchen will be on-site for Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner. (See this file for other Magdalena Restaurant options)

- **11am** – Welcome table opens at Star Village
- **1pm-4pm Simultaneously, at *Star Village OR Astronomical Lyceum in Magdalena*** – Astronomy Camp at Star Village or Intermediate talks at the Lyceum
- **4:45pm-6pm** – On-site equipment presentation by John Briggs (up on RV Hill)
- **6:30pm** – Sweet Treats sponsored by ESSP at Star Village! Gather in the Welcome Tent.
- **7pm** - Entry Gate to Star Village closes
- **7 – 8pm** – Assisted Observing
- **8 - 9pm** – Green Laser Tour
- **9pm – 11pm** – Assisted Observing
- **All Night** - Dark, dark sky observing at “Star Village”

Saturday, October 21, 2017

FOOD: Green’s Kitchen will be on-site for Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner. (See this file for other Magdalena Restaurant options)

- **11am** – Welcome table opens at Star Village
- **1pm-4pm Simultaneously at *Star Village OR Astronomical Lyceum in Magdalena*** – Astronomy Camp Star Village or Intermediate talks at the Lyceum
- **5pm at Star Village**– Door prize drawings (**those holding \$40 or up registration ONLY**) and raffle drawings at Star Village (**MUST BE PRESENT TO WIN!**)
- **6:30pm** – Star Talkers
- **7pm** - Entry Gate to Star Village closes
- **8pm** – Green Laser Tour
- **9pm – 11pm** – Assisted Observing
- **All Night** - Dark, dark sky observing at “Star Village”

Sunday, October 22, 2017

FOOD: Green’s Kitchen will be on-site for Breakfast. (See this file for other Magdalena Restaurant options)