

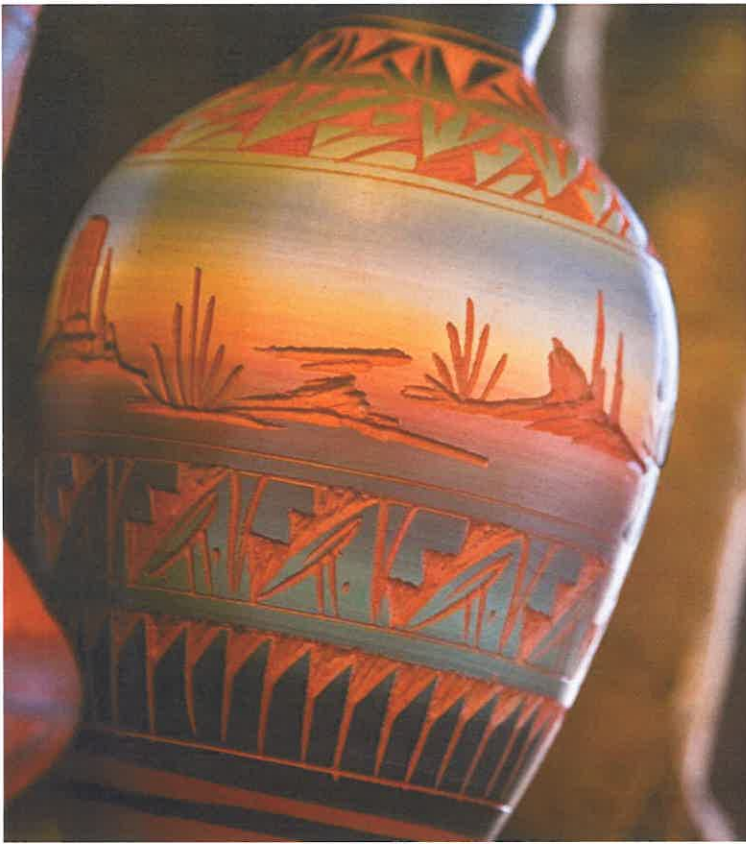
Mission Oaks Community Center presents...

Albuquerque Balloon Fiesta

October 10 – 15, 2017



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6 Days • 8 Meals: 5 Breakfasts, 3 Dinners

HIGHLIGHTS... Balloon Fiesta, Old Town Albuquerque, National Museum of Nuclear Science & History, Indian Pueblo Cultural Center, Turquoise Trail, Santa Fe, Santa Fe School of Cooking

ITINERARY AT A GLANCE

Days 1 – 3 Albuquerque Marriott, Albuquerque, New Mexico

Days 4, 5 Drury Hotel, Santa Fe, New Mexico

On some dates alternate hotels may be used.

Day 1: Tuesday, October 10, 2017 Albuquerque, New Mexico - Tour Begins Welcome to a true “land of enchantment.” As we explore Albuquerque and Santa Fe, a rich blend of multiculturalism, natural beauty and profound history await. Tonight, get to know your fellow travelers during a welcome dinner. (D)

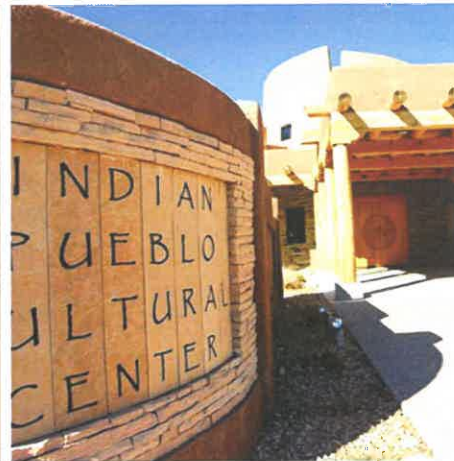
Day 2: Wednesday, October 11, 2017 Albuquerque Today is sure to be one of the highlights of your trip...Albuquerque’s International Balloon Fiesta. **Join in the excitement of this annual hot air ballooning extravaganza.** This is your chance to experience one of the world’s most photographed events. Watch as the balloons launch in two remarkable waves. It’s one of the most spectacular displays of sound and color in all of aviation. After an early morning, enjoy some time to relax. Later this afternoon, set out on a tour of Old Town Albuquerque and the surrounding area. Savor the unique fusion of Mexican, Native American and Spanish heritages. Embark on a bucket-list ride along the eclectic Route 66. Take some time in Old Town to explore the wonderful shops and restaurants. (B)

Day 3: Thursday, October 12, 2017 Albuquerque Since before the Cold War, New Mexico has been known as a hub for covert military projects. Today, this fascinating history unfolds at the National Museum of Nuclear Science & History where a docent takes you on an intriguing journey that includes details of the Manhattan Project. Next, **visit the gateway to the 19 Pueblos of New Mexico at the Indian Pueblo Cultural Center.** See the ever-changing galleries that highlight local and national Native American artists. With a focus on Pueblo artists, the center strives to preserve their culture. Later, **experience the grandeur of the Balloon Fiesta by moonlight.** There will be plenty of time to stroll the grounds, shop for a memorable Balloon Fiesta souvenir or grab a bite to eat. (B)

Day 4: Friday, October 13, 2017 Albuquerque - Santa Fe Today we set out for Santa Fe. Traveling via the historic Turquoise Trail, you are sure to enjoy the stunning views. Prehistoric peoples made their homes here, Spanish missionaries explored the area and many battles were fought over this land. Next, we’ll stop in the quaint old coal mining town of Madrid. Once in Santa Fe, a local guide joins us as we tour the renowned Santa Fe Plaza and the surrounding city. Enjoy time to discover the many shops and numerous art museums that Santa Fe is known for. (B, D)

Day 5: Saturday, October 14, 2017 Santa Fe Today is yours to explore Santa Fe independently. There’s so much to see and do in this southwestern city. Perhaps you will choose to visit an art studio or join an optional excursion. **A special treat awaits at the Santa Fe School of Cooking.** It’s your favorite cooking show come to life as you watch an expert chef create a delicious meal before your eyes. Everything is made with a southwest theme and is simply delightful. (B, D)

Day 6: Sunday, October 15, 2017 Santa Fe - Tour Ends Your tour comes to an end with wonderful memories of the spectacular Balloon Fiesta. (B)



Per Person Rates* :

Double \$2,649; Single \$3,249; Triple \$2,619

Included in Price: Round Trip Air from Sacramento Airport, Air Taxes and Fees/Surcharges, Hotel Transfers

Not included in price: Cancellation Waiver and Insurance of \$240 per person

* All Rates are Per Person and are subject to change

IMPORTANT CONDITIONS: Your price is subject to increase prior to the time you make full payment. Your price is not subject to increase after you make full payment, except for charges resulting from increases in government-imposed taxes or fees. Once deposited, you have 7 days to send us written consumer consent or withdraw consent and receive a full refund. (See registration form for consent.)

PLEASE NOTE:

When reserving a triple room, please note that it will have two double beds. Due to fire safety regulations, a rollaway bed cannot be brought into the room.

Due to weather conditions the order of the Balloon Fiesta events may change.

To complete your tour, we include roundtrip airport-to-hotel transfers when purchasing our airfare with your tour. If you have arranged for your own air, we are pleased to provide you the option of *purchasing* these transfers. Please note that all transfers will leave at prescheduled times.

This tour includes moderate physical activity. The itinerary blends some longer days with shorter days and more leisure time. Walking tours, as well as walking slightly longer distances, up stairs or on uneven walking surfaces should be expected.

This tour involves travelling at high altitudes (approximately 7,000 feet) and may not be suitable for some travelers. We suggest that you consult your doctor if you have any concerns.

Our air passengers will depart from Albuquerque, NM airport. All of our transfers will depart from Santa Fe for the Albuquerque airport.

Please be advised many airlines do not provide advance seat assignments until check-in at the airport. Advance seating will be subject to the airline's terms and conditions.

Flights on departure day should depart after 10:00 a.m.

Economy air rate and schedule are applicable for groups of 10 or more traveling on the same flights and dates.

A deposit of \$250 per person due upon reservation. Reservations are made on a first come, first served basis. Reservations made after the deposit due date of April 03, 2017 are based upon availability. Final payment due by August 11, 2017. Please note: deposits are fully refundable up until April 10, 2017, after that date certain charges apply.

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Experience It! The Balloon Fiesta

The Albuquerque International Balloon Fiesta is a world-renowned attraction and destination. For more than four decades, the first week in October brings the smell of roasting chiles and the beautiful, magical moving picture show of hot air balloons sailing silently through the crisp fall air.

From its modest beginnings in 1972 with 13 balloons launching from a shopping mall parking lot, the Balloon Fiesta has grown to multiple events launching year-round at the custom-designed, 365-acre Balloon Fiesta Park. This signature event, with over 600 balloons, is the largest ballooning event on earth, the most photographed event on earth, and the largest annual international event held in the United States.

For more information visit <https://gateway.gocollette.com/link/763175>



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TOUR: Albuquerque Balloon Fiesta
GROUP NAME: Mission Oaks Community Center

DEPARTURE DATE: Oct 10, 2017
BOOKING NUMBER: 763175

AVAILABLE PREPAID OPTIONS

Personalize your tour by adding an optional activity below. Our recommended options have been carefully chosen to help enhance your individual experience. Complete the provided Prepaid Options Form to reserve your options.
Availability is limited and reservations are on a first come, first served basis. Payment must be received no later than 15 days prior to departure. Prices are subject to change. Children under the age of 18 MUST be accompanied by an adult.

PASSENGERS NAME: (Please submit a separate form for each passenger)

Salutation: _____ First: _____ Middle: _____ Last: _____ Suffix: _____ Nickname: _____
(Mr., Mrs., Rev.) (Please print EXACTLY as it appears on the government issued travel identification) (Jr., Sr.)

| ✓ | Option | Price Per Person (USD) |
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| | Taos Pueblo | 50.00 |

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Taos, NM

Taos Pueblo

\$50 USD

The foothills of the largest peaks in New Mexico are the pristine setting of the Taos Pueblo Village. Taos Pueblo is the only living Native American community designated both a World Heritage Site by UNESCO and a National Historic Landmark. The multi storied adobe buildings have been continuously inhabited for over 1,000 years. We welcome you to visit the village and enjoy a guided tour conducted by a Native American tribe member. Learn about the customs, their way of life and the fascinating history of the ancestors of the 150 people who live in the Pueblo full time. There will be time to purchase the unique handmade items in the curio shops and have lunch on your own in Taos before your return to Santa Fe. *Duration: Approximately 5 hours.* Please note a minimum of 15 passengers is required. Transportation is included.