



Parking & Night Sky Etiquette

Event Location : Bluff Community Center unless otherwise noted.

Parking: To minimize car headlights, and preserve night vision, **the Community Center parking lot will be CLOSED.** Please park on streets surrounding the Community Center, or in the designated parking lot on Highway 191 between East 3rd & 4th Streets East. Parking is also available at the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints.

Flashlights: Bring a flashlight to help find your way, but use **red-light only flashlights** to protect night vision. Red-light flashlights available for purchase. Or, we can help you hack your flashlight to shine red.

Brought to you by the Business Owners of Bluff, Bears Ears Partnership, Bluff Community Foundation, Town of Bluff, San Juan County Visitor Services, and Southwest Adventure Tours





Schedule

FRIDAY, NOV 14

LOCATION:

Bluff Community Center, 3rd and East Mulberry
Click [here](#) for a map of Bluff

6:00 p.m.

Welcome

6:30 p.m.

Speaker

Kevin Schindler

Historian and Public Information Officer,
Lowell Observatory, Flagstaff, AZ

7:30 p.m.

Speaker (Beamed In)

Dean Regas

Tour of the Universe, You Are Here

Astronomer, Public Speaker

Cincinnati, Ohio

8:00 - 10 p.m.

Star Party

Telescope Walk & Constellation Tours

Red Flashlights ONLY; No White Lights
including Cell Phones



Schedule

Workshops are free and are first come, first served

SATURDAY, NOV 15

LOCATION: **Bluff Community Center, 3rd and East Mulberry**
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10:00 a.m. **Planetarium Showings (Portable Planetarium)**

Workshops

-Astrophotography Cell Phone Tips

-Hack A Red Flashlight

(Bring your own flashlight--we'll help you make it into a red flashlight for the Star Party)

11:00 a.m. **Planetarium Showings (Portable Planetarium)**

Workshop

-How to Read A Star Chart/

Make Your Own Planisphere

1:1:00 - 1:00 p.m. **Solar Telescope Viewing**

1:00 p.m. **Planet Walk**

- A To-Scale Journey Through the Solar System

Matthias Schmidt, Stargazing Zion



Schedule

SATURDAY, NOV 15

LOCATIONS: **Various Locations in Bluff. [Click here](#) for map**

Until 6 p.m.

Mission: Star Stop Scavenger Hunt

-See individual business hours) -

-Grand Prize: Celestron binoculars

Location: Various Bluff Businesses

11 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Paint Your Own Space Rock

-Cosmic rock painting for kids

Location: Bluff Dwellings Resort & Spa



Schedule

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1:00-3:00 p.m.

Paul Martini

-Meet Bluff's astrophotographer, explore his gallery, and learn how he captures the night sky

Location: Canyon Smokehouse

2:00 p.m.

Sarah Burak

-How Bluff Became an International Dark Sky Community

Location: Bluff Community Center

3:00 p.m.

Jonathan Till

-Solar Orientation in Ancestral Puebloan Community Organization

Location: Site of Bluff Great House, Cemetery Hill (Community Center if inclement weather)



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6:00 - 7:00 p.m. **Speakers**
Nancy Maryboy, Ph.D. and David Begay Ph.D.
Sharing the Skies: Navajo Constellations
Indigenous Education Institute

7:00 - 8:00 p.m. **Speakers**
Navajo Winter Stories

Curtis Yanito
Navajo Nation Delegate

Don Mose, Jr.
Elder and Monument Valley Guide

8:00 p.m. **Winners Announced from**
Mission: Star Stop Scavenger Hunt

8:10 - 10 p.m. **Star Party** 
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