

2017 Daily Event Schedule

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Saturday October 7

Morning Session

- 5:45** Laser Light Show
- 6:00** Dawn Patrol Show, *presented by*
Route 66 Casino Hotel & RV Resort, [more...](#)
- 6:30** Krispy Kreme Morning Glow
- 6:45** Opening Ceremonies
- 7:00** Mass Ascension, *presented by Canon, [more...](#)*
- 8:30-11:30am** AIBF Chainsaw Carving Invitational

Evening Session

- 1:30-5:00** AIBF Chainsaw Carving Invitational
- 2:00** America's Challenge Gas Balloon Race Inflation
- 6:00** Twilight Twinkle Glow™

- 6:00** America's Challenge Gas Balloon Race Launch
- 7:45** Laser Light Show
- 8:00** AfterGlow™ Fireworks Show, *presented in part by the Albuquerque Journal*

Sunday October 8

Morning Session

- 5:45** Laser Light Show
- 6:00** Dawn Patrol Show, presented by *Route 66 Casino Hotel & RV Resort, [more...](#)*
- 6:30** Krispy Kreme Morning Glow
- 7:00** Mass Ascension, [more...](#)
- 8:30-11:30** AIBF Chainsaw Carving Invitational
- 9:00** [Fiesta of Wheels Car Show](#), located on Launch Field
- 11:00** Balloon Fiesta Pin Trading (Group Tour Tent north end of Main Street)

Evening Session

- 1:30-** AIBF Chainsaw Carving Invitational

5:00 Balloon Glow

6:00

7:45 Laser Light Show

8:00 AfterGlow™ Fireworks Show, *presented in part by
the Albuquerque Journal*

Monday October 9 - Propane day presented by

Airgas, an Air Liquide Company

Morning Session

5:45 Laser Light Show

6:00 Dawn Patrol, [more...](#)

7:00 Balloons Launch

8:00 Competition Flying Begins

**8:00-
11:00** AIBF Chainsaw Carving Demonstrations

Evening Session

No events

Tuesday October 10 - Coca-Cola Day

Morning Session

- 5:45** Laser Light Show
- 6:00** Dawn Patrol, [more...](#)
- 7:00** Balloons Launch
- 8:00** Competition Flying Begins
- 8:00-11:00** AIBF Chainsaw Carving Demonstrations

Evening Session

No events

Wednesday October 11

Morning Session

- 5:45** Laser Light Show
- 6:00** Dawn Patrol Show, presented by
Route 66 Casino Hotel & RV Resort, [more...](#)
- 6:30** Krispy Kreme Morning Glow
- 7:00** Flight of the Nations Mass Ascension
- 8:00** Competition Flying Begins

8:30-11:00 AIBF Chainsaw Carving Demonstrations

Evening Session

No Events

Thursday October 12 - Kids' Day presented by KOB-TV

Morning Session

5:45 Laser Light Show

6:00 Dawn Patrol, [more...](#)

7:00 Special Shape Rodeo™ presented by
Wells Fargo Bank

8:00 Competition Flying begins

8:30-11:30 AIBF Chainsaw Carving Invitational

Evening Session

1:30-5:00 AIBF Chainsaw Carving Invitational

6:00 Special Shape Glowdeo™

7:45 Laser Light Show

8:00 AfterGlow™ Fireworks Show, *presented in part by
the Albuquerque Journal*

Friday October 13

Morning Session

5:45 Laser Light Show

6:00 Dawn Patrol, more...

7:00 Special Shape Rodeo™

8:00 Competition Flying begins

**8:30-
11:30** AIBF Chainsaw Carving Invitational

Evening Session

1:30-5:00 AIBF Chainsaw Carving Invitational

6:00 Special Shape Glowdeo™

7:45 Laser Light Show

8:00 AfterGlow™ Fireworks Show, *presented in part by
the Albuquerque Journal*

Saturday October 14

Morning Session

- 5:45** Laser Light Show
- 6:00** Dawn Patrol Show, presented by
Route 66 Casino Hotel & RV Resort, [more...](#)
- 6:30** Krispy Kreme Morning Glow
- 7:00** Mass Ascension
- 8:30-11:30** AIBF Chainsaw Carving Invitational
- 11:00** Balloon Fiesta Pin Trading (Group Tour Tent north end of Main Street)

Evening Session

- 1:00-5:00** [Music Fiesta™](#)
- 1:30-5:00** AIBF Chainsaw Carving Invitational
- 6:00** Night Magic™ Glow *presented by Canon*
- 7:45** Laser Light Show
- 8:00** AfterGlow™ Fireworks Show, *presented in part by
the Albuquerque Journal*

Sunday October 15

Morning Session

5:45 Laser Light Show

6:00 Dawn Patrol Show, presented by
Route 66 Casino Hotel & RV Resort, [more...](#)

6:30 Krispy Kreme Morning Glow

7:00 Farewell Mass Ascension

**8:30-
11:00** AIBF Chainsaw Carving Q & A

*AfterGlow™ times may change due to field/weather conditions
** North end of Launch Field for the pin trading