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Albuquerque International  
*Balloon Fiesta*

--- October 6-9, 2023 ---

Hear the thrilling roar of hundreds of burners simultaneously igniting, turning the Balloon Fiesta Park into a remarkable site with hundreds of thousands of smiling, upturned faces, awestruck by the spectacular beauty of hot air balloons filling the big blue New Mexico sky. Enjoy deluxe hotel accommodations at Hotel Albuquerque and free time in Old Town Albuquerque, exploring museums, shops and galleries. Sit front and center at the Gondola Club, the Balloon Fiesta's premium hospitality location for two morning and one evening session featuring Dawn Patrol and Evening Glow. Join us for special access to experience the world-renowned attraction, the Albuquerque International

# *Balloon Fiesta!*





## Program Highlights

- Three (3) nights' deluxe hotel accommodations at the newly renovated Hotel Albuquerque at Old Town
  - Check-in: Friday, October 6th
  - Check-out: Monday, October 9th
- Welcome table with SET Staff
- Welcome reception with hot air balloon industry speaker including light hors d'oeuvres and drinks
- Deluxe roundtrip motor coach transportation from the hotel to Balloon Fiesta Park including preferred parking
- Admission to the Balloon Fiesta for three sessions (Saturday morning and evening; Sunday morning)
- Special admission to Gondola Club hospitality at the Balloon Fiesta Park including guaranteed seating for breakfast and dinner, bar, premier viewing location, and live entertainment in between sessions
- Sunday evening Flamenco dance performance with food and drinks
- Group breakfast at the hotel on departure day
- Official Albuquerque International Balloon Fiesta souvenirs
- Experienced SET Staff available throughout the tour
- Detailed pre-travel and on-site travel documents



### OPTIONAL TOUR ADD-ONS:

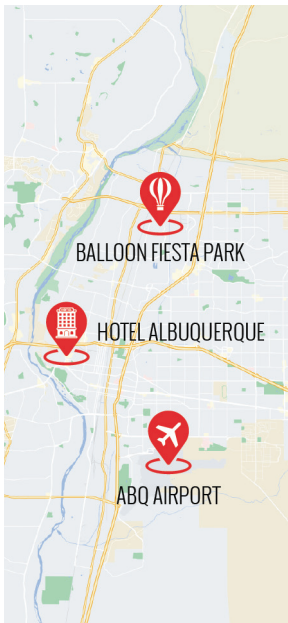
- Private Hot Air Balloon Ride and Albuquerque Tour information can be provided on request.



**Activity Level:** MODERATE. Guests have the opportunity to walk the Balloon Fiesta Park to see the balloons up close. There is plenty of seating in the Gondola Club for those who do not wish to be as active.

*T*ogether we will touch the sky!





## *Your Itinerary*

**DAY ONE** Arrival Day – Check into Hotel Albuquerque and visit the SET hospitality desk to pick up souvenirs and on-site travel documents. Evening welcome reception with hot air balloon industry speaker including light hors d’oeuvres and drinks.

**DAY TWO** Depart early morning for Balloon Fiesta Park for Dawn Patrol and Mass Ascension. Mid-morning return to Old Town. Afternoon at leisure. Late-afternoon return to Balloon Fiesta Park for the evening Balloon Glow. Access to Gondola Club hospitality. Food and drinks available for both sessions. Musical performances, attractions, concessions, and shops are located throughout the park.

**DAY THREE** Return to Balloon Fiesta Park early morning to continue exploring all the park has to offer. Mid-morning return to Old Town. In the evening, revel in an Albuquerque tradition - the Flamenco Performance.

**DAY FOUR** Departure Day - Group breakfast at Hotel Albuquerque. Check out of the hotel and have a safe trip home!

## *Your Accommodations*

### **HOTEL ALBUQUERQUE AT OLD TOWN**

This landmark Albuquerque luxury hotel is conveniently located in the heart of Old Town and the Sawmill District, offering accommodations and amenities, including on-site restaurant and bars and an outdoor resort swimming pool.

Hotel Albuquerque is only steps away from Sawmill Market: a 25,000 square-foot food hall with various local vendors featuring an array of culinary experiences.

### **GONDOLA CLUB HOSPITALITY**

Enjoy the Balloon Fiesta from one of the most picturesque locations in Balloon Fiesta Park. The Gondola Club location is a private area away from the crowds that offers guests delicious food, local entertainment, courtesy shuttles, and outdoor seating. Your experience will provide spectacular views of a Mass Ascension, balloon glow, and the stunning fireworks show. The Gondola Club has its own gift shop so you can shop without fighting the crowds on Main Street.

## *Optional Post-Tour*

### **SANTA FE**

Discover Santa Fe, dubbed as one of “The Top 10 Small Cities in the US” by Conde Nast Traveler. Explore everything from an introduction to the Spanish culture and cuisine of northern New Mexico in Chimayo to an exclusive behind-the-scenes look at the creative processes of the “Mother of American modernism” Georgia O’Keeffe in Abiquiú.

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**GUEST INFORMATION:**

Guest #1 Full Name (Title/Salutation): \_\_\_\_\_ D.O.B.: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

Tour Badge Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Guest #2 Full Name (Title/Salutation): \_\_\_\_\_ D.O.B.: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

Tour Badge Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

**RATES:**

**Main Program:**    ☐ Single (\$3,629)    ☐ Double (\$2,799)    ☐ Triple (\$2,599)    ☐ Quad (\$2,469)

**Post Tour Add-On:**    ☐ Single (\$2,249)    ☐ Double (\$1,729)    ☐ Triple (\$1,589)    ☐ Quad (\$1,519)

**DEPOSIT** (Final payment will be charged on July 7, 2023):

# \_\_\_\_\_ guests for main tour (\$799/person) = TOTAL DEPOSIT: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**DEPOSIT PAYMENT:**    ☐ MasterCard / Visa    ☐ American Express    ☐ Discover

Card #: \_\_\_\_\_ Exp. Date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ CVV: \_\_\_\_\_

Name (As printed on card): \_\_\_\_\_

Billing Address (if different from above): \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

I/we authorize SET to charge my credit card above to take the initial deposit and final payment for this tour.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_



**Weather Statement:** Postponement, relocation, or cancellation of events due to weather conditions is beyond control of SET and refund or exchange for such events will not be issued. If an event is canceled or postponed due to weather, we will not be responsible for accommodations, transportation or tickets beyond the original scheduled date of the event. We can only provide refunds to the extent that such refunds become available to us.

**Reservations & Payments:** Reservations may be made online or by phone. Deposits and/or final payment may be made by Visa, MasterCard, American Express, or Discover. All reservations will be acknowledged on a first come, first-served basis and time stamped, if applicable.

**Rates:** Program rates are based on minimum participation levels, current fares (air, water, land, fuel surcharges), tariffs and currency values. While Sports & Entertainment Travel, LLC does everything possible to maintain the listed program rates, they are subject to change effective immediately upon posting unless otherwise specified by Sports & Entertainment Travel, LLC. In the case of invoicing errors, we reserve the right to re-invoice with the correct pricing.

**Not Included:** Unless otherwise specifically noted in the itinerary, program prices do not include the following expenses, which if applicable are your sole responsibility: Trip cancellation insurance and passenger travel protection plan, Domestic, international, and internal airfares, Transfers and luggage handling fees except in connection with scheduled group flights, Costs associated with obtaining passports or entry visas, Airport departure taxes, Airline ticketing fees, Airfare transfers, Hotel accommodations, Meals and beverages other than those specified as included, Personal expenses such as laundry, communication charges and optional activities which are subject to availability, Ship, air, or transportation fuel surcharges, if applicable. Any items not in the "Included" list.

**Accessibility:** SET cannot guarantee that the transportation, lodging, and entertainment accommodations will be accessible to all persons regardless of their physical and mental condition. In addition, many of the activities involved in this travel include walking for some distance on uneven ground or pavement as well as the ability to walk up and down stairs without assistance. Should any individuals seeking to participate in a travel opportunity need special accommodations to ensure

**Payments:** A deposit of \$799 is generally required for this tour. The deposit can be applied or credited to a future SET tour if SET is notified prior to the final payment date. The balance of your payment will be due 90 days prior to the trip (July 7, 2023). The credit card used to make the reservation will be automatically charged 90 days out unless notified otherwise by the guest. If final payment is not received by SET by the final payment due date, SET may, at any time and with or without notice, cancel your reservation in its sole discretion with no right of refund. Travel packages booked within 90 days of the package start date will require full payment upon booking and are non-refundable.

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**Cancelled or Postponed Programs:** All programs are subject to cancellation or postponement by SET prior to the scheduled departure date for such reasons as, but not limited to, insufficient participation, or logistical problems that, in SET's sole judgment, may impede program operations or represent conditions or events that may expose program guests to undue risk of harm, injury, damage or inconvenience. In the event of program cancellation or postponement by SET, SET may offer

**Travel Advisories:** The State Department and the Centers for Disease Control periodically issue statements and advisories about risks to travelers. These statements are country specific and contain important information. The State Department information can be found at [www.travel.state.gov](http://www.travel.state.gov), and the CDC statements can be found at [www.cdc.gov](http://www.cdc.gov). SET highly recommends everyone to review these sites prior to travel.

**Hotel Accommodations:** SET shall provide room accommodations, valet parking, and shuttle transportation, in accordance with the parameters set forth by package options and purchase. Any additional incidental charges incurred by travel guests will be the sole responsibility of the guest. Incidental charges may include, but are not limited to internet services, valet parking, room service, dry cleaning, minibar usage, and shuttle transportation. SET works to reach contractual agreements with all hotel and resort properties. As part of these agreements, no more than four (4) guests shall reside in one hotel room. At least one guest over the age of 18 must be present per every three (3) children. No more than three (3) children may be accommodated in one (1) hotel room, subject to additional fees. More than four (4) guests to a room may be subject to additional fees under SET's Terms and Conditions, [www.sportsandentertainmenttravel.com](http://www.sportsandentertainmenttravel.com) and the Hotel's Guest Policy.

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**Baggage:** Air carriers, and motor coaches often impose significant other restrictions or limitations on the number of pieces, size and weight of luggage and may reject or impose additional fees on luggage exceeding such limitations or restrictions. All such fees are your sole cost and responsibility. In addition, and regardless of location or transportation method, your baggage and personal effects are and shall at all times be at your sole risk throughout the entire program. Please check with your air carrier for other applicable baggage restrictions and limitations.

**Acceptance of Contract:** Any payment to SET, including but not limited to deposits or full payments constitute your acknowledgement of and agreement to these Terms and Conditions, Release and Binding Arbitration Agreement set forth above and in more specific tour documents.

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