

2024 ALBUQUERQUE BALLOON FEST

Route Distance from Home to Albuquerque Balloon Festival: Approx: 1,633 miles

2024 Wagonmasters: Patty & Steve Holderfield and Linda & Ron Hartman / 2019 Wagonmaster: Sharon & Marlowe Skar

#	Date	Travel	Hrs	Miles	To Do / See	Price	Conf
	Thur 9/19	Prep RV to Travel					
1	Fri 9/20	Home Hw 80 to Fallon NV 193> 80E: 137mi Ex48 Hwy 50 to Fallon: 88 mi	5.0	235	Stay: Cold Springs Station RV Park 52300 Austin Hwy, Fallon 775-423-1233 Dinner: Friday Fish Fry at Station		
2	Sat 9/21	Fallon to Ely, NV Hwy 50E: 200mi	4.0	200	Stay: Ely KOA 1596 South US Hwy 93, Ely 775-289-3414 Happy Hour - Site 32 - Bring Appetizer Dinner: ?		
3	Sun 9/22	GREAT BASIN N.P. Ely to Marysvale, UT 50E/US6/: 53 mi NV 487: 11 mi UT21E: 77 mi > UT 21: 31mi Misc: 54 mi	5.0	230	Stay: South 40 RV Park, Site 29 1170 N. Hwy 89, Marysvale 435-326-4404 Dinner: Local Restaurant/? 7:00 Campfire at Group Area		
4	Mon 9/23	BRYCE CANYON N.P. Jeep to Rose Ranch Marysvale Marysvale to Bryce Canyon , UT 89S: 59 mi 12E: 15 mi	1.5	0.5 70	ATV Rental - ½ Day 8am-1pm Stay: Ruby's Inn RV Pk 300 S. Main Hwy 63, Bryce 866-878-9373 Dinner: Show at Ebenezers		
5	Tues 9/24	Jeep to Bryce Canyon Trail Rides: Coral @ Sunrise Point Bryce		3.5	Horseback ride ½ Day, Stay: Ruby's Inn RV Pk Campfire at Site 204 Dinner: 7:00 Campfire at Site 204		

6	Wed 9/25	ZION N.P. Bryce to Virgin UT UT 63S > 12W: 14 mi 89S: 43mi > 9W 38 mi	2.5	122	Stay: Zion River Resort RV Pk 551 E State Rt 9, Virgin 435-635-8594 5:00 Happy Hour & Games - Bring Appetizer		
7	Thur 9/26	Virgin, UT			10:00am 2-3 hr Jeep Tour in Zion NP Stay: Zion River Resort Free Night		
8	Fri 9/27	Virgin, UT			Golf - Org by Ron Hartman Stay: Zion River Resort 5:00 Dinner Out: Bit & Spur		
9	Sat 9/28	ANTELOPE CANYON Virgin to Page, AZ 59S- 7 mi > AZ389E: 136 mi Antelope Pt Rd: 5 mi	3.5	155	Stay: Antelope Point RV Pk 537 Marina Pkwy, Page 928-645-5900 Ext 5077 5:00 Pot Luck Dinner at Group Area Burn Your Own Meat Bring Salad		
10	Sun 9/29	Page, AZ			9:30 Antelope Canyon Boat Tour Stay: Antelope Point RV Pk Free Night		
11	Mon 9/30	GRAND CANYON N.P. Page to Grand Canyon NP AZ 98W: 7 mi AZ 89S: 43mi > 64W: 86mi	5.0	220	Stay: Trailer Village RV Pk 100 Trailer Village Rd, GC 877-404-4611 5:00 Happy Hour - Bring Appetizer		
12	Tues 10/1	Grand Canyon			Independent - Visit Canyon Stay: Trailer Village RV Pk Free Night		

13	Wed 10/2	Grand Canyon to Grants NM 40E: 58mi > NM53: 275 mi	6.0	330	Stay: Grants KOA Journey 26 Cibola Sands Loop, Grants 505-287-4376 Opt Dinner Service 7:00 Group Fireside Mtg		
14	Thur 10/3	ALBUQUERQUE, N.M. Grants to Albuquerque 140E: 83mi > 528S: 1 mi	1.5	70	Stay: Balloon Fiesta Park 4401 Alameda Bl. NE, Albuquerque South Lot Box View Happy Hour at both campgrounds - Bring Appetizer? ? Tour/Dinner - Albuquerque		
15	Fri 10/4	SANTA FE N.M. Albuquerque Taos/Santa Fe			Free Day & Night Travel to Taos - 125 mi or Santa Fe Train to Santa Fe / Drive Taos Stay: Balloon Fiesta Park		

16	Sat 10/5	BALLOON FESTIVAL Albuquerque			5:45am - Drone Light Show 6:00am - Dawn Patrol 6:30am - Krispy Kreme Morning Glow 7:00am - Opening Ceremonies - Mass Ascension various - Chain Saw Carving 5:00 - 9:00 pm - Gondola Club 5:00pm - Team Fastrax™ Skydiving 6:30pm - Twilight Twinkle Glow 7:30pm - Team Fastrax™ Skydiving 7:45pm - Drone Light Show 8:00pm - After Glow Fireworks Stay: Balloon Fiesta Park		
17	Sun 10/6	Albuquerque			Similar Itinerary as 10/5 Stay: Balloon Fiesta Park		

18	Mon 10/7	Albuquerque			6:00am - Dawn Patrol 7:00am - Ascension Balloon Launch 8:00am - Fly-In Compet. Begins 5:00 - Dinner Out: El Pinto Stay: Balloon Fiesta Park		
	Note	Special Shapes Event is not until October 10th			END OF RALLY HEADING HOME		
19	Tues 10/8	PETRIFIED FOREST N.P. Albuquerque to Holbrook AZ	5.5	241 mi	Stay: Holbrook/Petrified Forest KOA. 102 Hermosa Drive Holbrook, AZ 86025 1-928-524-6689		
20	Wed 10/9	Holbrook to Needles CA	6.5	301 mi	Stay: Needles KOA Journey 5400 Rte 66, Needles, CA 1-800-562-3407		
21	Thur 10/10	Needles to Bakersfield, CA	6	272.mi	Stay: Orange Grove RV		
22	Fri 10/11	Bakersfield to Home	7	317 mi			

Miles Covered:

States Crossed: