



2017 Festival Hosts



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August 17 (Thursday) Activities in Fort Smith	August 18 (Friday) Activities in Fort Smith	August 19 (Saturday) Activities at Pine Lake	August 20 (Sunday) Activities at Pine Lake
<p>9:00 am start (all day) Wood Buffalo Land and Sky Tour Touch the Arctic Tours: 1-844-606-6784</p>		<p>10:00 to Noon Grosbeak Lake Hike - WBNP nature excursion</p>	<p>8:30 am to 9:00 am Festival Pre-Breakfast - Coffee, tea, cereal</p> <p>9:00 am to 10:00 am Festival Breakfast - Hot breakfast favorites</p> <p>10:00 to Noon Kid's Games and Activities - Games, activities + more</p> <p>Presenter's Discussion / Science Demo - Space exploration update - Meteor Impacts</p>
	<p>1:00 pm to 2:00 pm Circus of Science - Science demonstrations by Prof Quark</p> <p>2:00 pm to 4:30 pm Science Academy - Model rocket making session</p> <p>AuroraNauts Program - Space Explorer Kit (rover) assembly ** Pre-registration required</p> <p>Cosmic Crafts - Exploring your creativity</p> <p>Presenter's Workshops / Stellar Seminars</p> <p>2:00 pm to 3:00 pm - Using Literature in Astronomy - Basic Astronomy and Our Night Sky</p> <p>3:30 pm to 4:30 pm - Space & Time: Universe Perspective - Basics of Aurora / Astrophotography</p> <p>5:30 pm to 7:00 pm Festival Welcome and Dinner - Festival meal and refreshments</p>	<p>1:30 pm to 2:30 pm Circus of Science - Science demonstrations by Prof Quark</p> <p>2:30 pm to 4:30 pm Science Academy - Kite making session</p> <p>AuroraNauts Program - Rover tweaking and testing</p> <p>Cosmic Crafts</p> <p>2:00 pm to 4:00 pm Presenter's Workshop / Stellar Seminars - Astronomy Poetry and Limericks - Telescope Use and Selection - Got what it takes to be an Astronaut</p> <p>4:00 to 5:00 Rocket Launch and Rover Races - Rocket launch and Rover competition</p> <p>5:30 pm to 7:00 pm Festival Dinner - Festival meal and refreshments</p>	<p>Noon and beyond Packing up</p>
<p>7:00 pm to 9:30 pm Early Bird Social Planetarium Shows - Planetarium shows</p>	<p>7:00 pm to 8:00 pm Feature Keynote Presentation - Nathalie Sleno / - Lee Johnson</p>	<p>7:00 pm to 9:30 pm Feature Keynote Presentation (7:00-7:30) Peter McMahan</p> <p>Presenters Q+A Session (8:30-9:00) N Sleno/L Johnson/P McMahan</p> <p>Astronomy Poetry Reading (10:00-10:30) Lee Johnson</p> <p>Kid's games and activities - Games and activities + more</p> <p>8:00 pm to 9:30 pm WBNP nature excursion - Checking out nocturnal critters</p>	
<p>9:30 pm to Midnight Observatory Tour - Tour of Roll-Off Roof Observatory</p> <p>Night Sky Viewing - Viewing and photography of night sky</p>	<p>9:00 pm and beyond Pine Lake Festival Early Bird - Night sky viewing and more</p>	<p>9:30 pm and beyond Glow Stick Jamboree - Spot first visible star, glow stick ring toss</p> <p>Fire Side Chat with Presenters - Question and answer</p> <p>NIGHT SKY VIEWING - Telescopes, constellation ID and more!</p>	