



ALCon 2016 Washington, DC

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ALCon 2016 Event & Tour Schedule

Wednesday, August 10th				Thursday, August 11th				Friday, August 12th				Saturday, August 13th	
Talks		*Tours		Talks		*Tours		Talks		*Tours		Talks	
				Room CC1	Room CC3			Room CC1	Room CC3			Room CC1	Room CC3
8:30	Welcome Table Open			8:30	Welcome Table Open			8:30	Welcome Table Open			8:30	Welcome Table Open
8:45		Meteorite Tour Board		8:45				8:45				8:45	
9:00		Meteorite Tour Depart		9:00	Welcome by AL & NOVAC Presidents			9:00	Meteorite Tour Depart			9:00	Astronomical League Public Business Meeting
9:15			NASA Tour Board	9:15	Dr. David Devorkin "Bringing Astronomy to the Nation's Mail"			9:15		NASA Tour Board		9:15	
9:30			NASA Tour Depart	9:30				9:30		NASA Tour Depart		9:30	
9:45		Natural History Museum Meteorite Tour Approx 90 Minutes		9:45	Break			9:45	Natural History Museum Meteorite Tour Approx 90 Minutes			9:45	Break
10:00				10:00				10:00				10:00	
10:15				10:15				10:15				10:15	
10:30			NASA Goddard Space Flight Center Tour Approx 2 Hours	10:30	Christi Whitworth "Eclipses and Seasons: Activities and Outreach"			10:30		NASA Goddard Space Flight Center Tour Approx 2 Hours		10:30	Youth Award Winners Presentations
10:45		Board to Return		10:45				10:45				10:45	
11:00				11:00				11:00				11:00	
11:15		Arrive Back from Tour		11:15	Break			11:15		Board to Return		11:15	Break
11:30				11:30				11:30				11:30	Dr. Julius Benton Observing Venus with the ALPO
11:45				11:45				11:45				11:45	Dr. Mike Reynolds 30 years of Perseids Meteor
12:00	AL Board Meeting	Board to Return		12:00	Kevin Quin "Astrophotography: It's Easy and..."			12:00		Board to Return		12:00	
12:15		Udvar Hazy Tour Board		12:15				12:15		Udvar Hazy Tour Board		12:15	
12:30		Udvar Hazy Tour Depart	Arrive Back from Tour	12:30				12:30		Udvar Hazy Tour Depart	Arrive Back from Tour	12:30	
12:45				12:45				12:45				12:45	
13:00				13:00	Lunch Break			13:00				13:00	Lunch Break
13:15		Smithsonian Udvar Hazy Museum Tour Approx 90 Minutes		13:15				13:15				13:15	
13:30			Air & Space Board	13:30				13:30				13:30	
13:45			Air & Space Depart	13:45				13:45				13:45	
14:00				14:00				14:00				14:00	
14:15		Board to Return		14:15	Gregg Harry "Gravitational Wave Astronomy"			14:15		Board to Return		14:15	Dr. John Westfall The Aristarchos Experiment
14:30			Smithsonian Air & Space Museum Tour Approx 90 Minutes	14:30	Christi Whitworth "Eclipses and Seasons: Activities and Outreach"			14:30				14:30	Dr. Mike Reynolds 46 Years of Total Solar Eclipse
14:45				14:45				14:45				14:45	Break
15:00		Arrive Back from Tour		15:00	Break			15:00		Arrive Back from Tour		15:00	Dr. Stella Kafka Variable Stars and Their Stories
15:15				15:15				15:15				15:15	
15:30				15:30	Dr. Mike Summers "Update on the New Horizons Mission to Pluto & Charon"			15:30				15:30	
15:45		Board to Return		15:45				15:45		Board to Return		15:45	
16:00		Arrive Back from Tour		16:00	ALCon Updates			16:00		Arrive Back from Tour		16:00	
16:15				16:15				16:15				16:15	
16:30				16:30				16:30				16:30	Free Time
16:45				16:45				16:45				16:45	
17:00				17:00				17:00				17:00	
17:15				17:15				17:15				17:15	
17:30	AL Boards Bus For Docks			17:30	Board Buses for Star-B-Q			17:30				17:30	
17:45	Board Cruise Ship	Board for Naval Observ.		17:45	Buses Leave for Star-B-Q			17:45		Board for Naval Observ.		17:45	Mixer at NRECA with light refreshments
18:00		Depart for Naval Observ.		18:00				18:00		Depart for Naval Observ.		18:00	
18:30				18:30				18:30				18:30	
19:00	AL Board Potomac Dinner Cruise	U.S. Naval Observatory Tour Approx 90 Minutes		19:00	Star-B-Q at Lake Barcroft Park with music courtesy of The Awesome Exaggerations			19:00		U.S. Naval Observatory Tour Approx 90 Minutes		19:00	NRECA Buffet Awards Dinner with Gen. Charles Bolton NASA Administrator
19:30				19:30				19:30				19:30	
20:00		Board to Return		20:00				20:00		Board to Return		20:00	
20:30		Arrive Back from Tour		20:30				20:30		Arrive back from Tour		20:30	
21:00				21:00	Board Buses for Return			21:00				21:00	

Breaks
Special Events
Tours
Speakers
AL Announcements & Info
Tour Boarding
Tour Departing and Arriving
All Buses for Tours will depart and arrive from the Westin

