

**ANGEL FIRE RESORT TO SPONSOR 2<sup>ND</sup> ANNUAL HOT AIR BALLOON  
WEEKEND**

***New Mexico Mountain Village Prepping for 40 Hot Air Balloons  
Mass Ascension over Father's Day Weekend***

ANGEL FIRE, NM – (June 8, 2016) – While New Mexico is well known for the International Balloon Fiesta that takes place every fall there is now a second hot air ballooning event in the state that is quickly gaining popularity. Angel Fire Resort, located in the Southern Rocky Mountains of northern New Mexico, will be sponsoring the 2<sup>nd</sup> annual Balloons Over Angel Fire. This 3-day Hot Air Balloon event will take place in the heart of the village at over Father's Day weekend, June 17- 19.

The event was so popular last year that it's tripled in size this summer. This year, 40 balloonists will participate in the morning ascensions, planned for 7 a.m. on the 17, 18 and 19. There will also be a special Balloon Glow taking place on Saturday night. The event is free and open to the public.

Balloons Over Angel Fire will be an ideal mountain get-away for the family to give dad a special weekend. In addition to the mass ascension, there are several other events taking place in Angel Fire over Father's Day Weekend, including a Balloons Over Angel Fire softball tournament, a Sip and Swing 9-hole and cocktails-on-the-course scramble at the Angel Fire Country Club and several teaching clinics for fly-fishing, golf, mountain bike riding and tennis. Additionally, chairlift rides and live music on the deck at Elements will be provided by Angel Fire Resort.

For more information on the Balloons Over Angel Fire event go to  
<http://www.angelfirefun.com/>

For more information on the clinics and events taking place at Angel Fire Resort go to  
<http://www.angelfireresort.com/events/>

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For information on this and all other events and summer activities please contact Angel Fire Resort at 800-633-7463 or visit [www.angelfireresort.com](http://www.angelfireresort.com).

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**About Angel Fire Resort**

Angel Fire Resort is a top year-round mountain resort destination in New Mexico. Situated at over 8,600' elevation in the Southern Rocky Mountains, Angel Fire strives to offer the best value and choice for family and group outdoor recreation activities to its members, guests and visitors--including skiing, snowboarding, ziplining, golf, mountain biking, tennis, fishing, hiking and more. For additional information on Angel Fire Resort, resort membership, or opportunities for real estate investment in Angel Fire, please call 800-633-7463 or visit [www.angelfireresort.com](http://www.angelfireresort.com).