

Military Winterfest Feb. 22-26, 2018

EVENT SCHEDULE

National Veterans Wellness & Healing Center of Angel Fire, Host & organizer



Thursday, February 22

Activity	Time	Location
Registration, Dinner List Signup, Inter-Service Race Signup	8:30 am – 4:30 pm	Resort Lodge Lobby
Skiing/Snowboarding	9 am – 4 pm	Ski Mountain
Sledding & X/C Skiing	10 am – 4 pm	Country Club Nordic Center
Opening Festival Blessing by the Very Reverend L. Michael Olsen, a retired Army colonel & Vietnam vet	1 – 2 pm	Vietnam Veterans Memorial Chapel
Tubing	1 – 5:30 pm	Tubing Hill

Friday, February 23

Service Flag Parade	8:30 - 8:45 am	Exhibition
Registration, Dinner Wait List Signup, Inter-Service Race signup	8:30 a.m. – 4:30 am	Resort Lodge Lobby
Skiing/Snowboarding	9 am – 4 pm	Ski Mountain
Sledding & X/C Skiing	10 am – 4 pm	Country Club Nordic Center
Hot Chocolate, H2O, snacks	10:30 am – 2:30 pm	Upper Middle Deck
Nat'l Veterans Wellness & Healing Center Info	Noon – 4 pm	Upper Middle Deck
Meet Sgt. 1 st Class Dana Bowman NEW Autographs. Snacks provided	1 – 3 pm	Nat'l Veterans Wellness & Healing Center near Vietnam Veterans Memorial
Tubing	1 – 5:30 pm	Tubing Hill
Service Flag Parade – National Anthem	4 - 4:15 pm	Exhibition
Meet & Greet Social Complimentary Pizza	4:30 – 6 pm	Chianti's
Kid's Activities – movies, games, popcorn - NEW	5 – 10 pm	Conference Rm A & B
Donor Dinner	5:30 – 8:30 pm	Angel Fire RV Resort Clubhouse

Saturday, February 24

Service Flag Parade	8:30 - 8:45 am	Exhibition
Registration, Dinner Wait List Signup, Inter-Service Race signup	8:30 am – 4 pm	Resort Lodge Lobby
<i>Never Summer</i> Snowboard Demos	9 am – 3 pm	Near base of Chile Express
Skiing/Snowboarding	9 am – 4 pm	Ski Mountain
Nat'l Veterans Wellness & Healing Center Info	9 am – 4 pm	Upper Middle Deck

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Saturday, February 24 (continued)		
Activity	Time	Location
Winterfest Family Expo ALL NEW	10 am – 3 pm	Resort Conference Rooms
Sledding & X/C Skiing	10 am – 4 pm	Country Club Nordic Center
Kid's Activities – movies, games, popcorn - NEW	10 am – 10 pm	Conference Rm A & B
American Flag Jump-In Dana Bowman <i>Narrator: Chuck Zobac, KVSF Radio</i>	10:15 - 10:30 am	Base Area
Hot Chocolate, H2O, snacks	10:30 am – 2:30 pm	Center Booth Upper Middle Deck
Meet Sgt. 1 st Class Dana Bowman	10:45 - 11:45 am	Upper Deck
Ski Mountain Tours	11 am – 12:30 pm	Top of Chile Express chairlift
Group Photo with Dana Bowman 15% off photos @ Atmosphere Photos	11:30 am	Upper Deck Base Area
Snowboard demos featuring <i>Never Summer</i>	1 – 2 pm	TBD
Tubing	1 – 5:30 pm	Tubing Hill
Visit Vietnam Veterans Memorial Park & Veterans Cemetery Site	1:30 - 3 pm	Meet in Resort Lodge Lobby
Flag Run Sgt. First Class Dana Bowman	2- 2:30 pm	Meet at Summit Map, Ski down Headin' Home
Group Photo with Dana Bowman 15% off photos @ Atmosphere Photos	2:30 pm	Top of Exhibition Run & Lift #2
Service Flag Parade - National Anthem	4 - 4:15 pm	Exhibition
Celebratory Dinner – Music, photo op with Sgt. First Class Dana Bowman! Presentation by Nat'l Veterans Wellness & Healing Center Retreat Program Director Markus Podell, U.S. Army Special Operations veteran with tours in Bosnia, Kosovo, and multiple tours in Afghanistan & Iraq NEW . <i>Must register to attend dinner.</i>	5 – 8:30 pm Doors open 4:30 pm Dinner begins 5:30 pm	Garden Court Bar in buffet room NEW
Sunday, February 25		
Service Flag Parade	8:30 – 8:45 am	Exhibition
Registration, Inter-Service Race signup	9 am – 4 pm	Resort Lodge Lobby
Nat'l Veterans Wellness & Healing Center Info	9 am. – Noon	Upper Middle Deck
Skiing/Snowboarding	9 am – 4 pm	Ski Mountain
Snowshoeing (signup)	9:30 am	Meet in Resort Lodge Lobby <i>with your equipment</i>
Native Pride Dancer Larry Yazzie NEW	9:30 – 10 am	Upper Deck

Sunday, February 25 *(continued)*

Activity	Time	Location
Inter-Service Fun Race <i>(signup)</i>	10 am – Noon	Exhibition Race Course
Sledding & X/C Skiing	10 am – 4 pm	Country Club Nordic Center
Hot Chocolate, H2O, snacks	10:30 am – 2:30 pm	Upper Middle Deck
Ski Mountain Tours	11 am – 12:30 pm	Top of Chile Express chairlift
Inter-Service Fun Race Awards	12:30 pm	Top Deck
Tubing	1:30 – 5:30 pm	Tubing Hill
Service Flag Parade – National Anthem	4 - 4:15 pm	Exhibition
Winterfest Karaoke by "DJ JP" james.prichard@yahoo.com & Drink Specials NEW	6 – 8 pm	Legend's

Monday, February 26

Registration Desk CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED
Skiing/Snowboarding	9 am – 4 pm	Ski Mountain
Sledding & X/C Skiing	10 am – 4 pm	Country Club Nordic Center
Tubing	1 – 5:30 pm	Tubing Hill

LESSONS, ACCOMODATIONS & MORE

Only parties registered, as a Winterfest participant & wearing the Winterfest 2018 bracelet, will get special Military Winterfest 2018 discounted rates on lessons, accommodations, lift tickets, tubing hill & rentals.

REGISTER mwf2018.eventbrite.com **FESTIVAL DETAILS:** MilitaryWinterfest.com

WINTERFEST LODGING with Angel Fire Resort (hotel, condos, homes & RV Resort).

http://bit.ly/Winterfest_2018 or call Central Reservations (575) 377-4320. Book equipment & get lift tickets too. For other local lodging see MilitaryWinterfest.com.

REGULAR GROUP LESSONS -- Call Angel Fire Resort Central Reservations (575) 377-4320. *Vet2Vet Lessons:* Schedule permitting, vets & active duty military members taking a group lesson will be paired with a professional instructor who is also a veteran! **ADAPTIVE SESSIONS** -- *require 2 weeks advanced registration* so that the Angel Fire Ski & Snowboard School may secure appropriate adaptive sports equipment & certified instructors.

INTER-SERVICE FUN RACE -- Register online at <http://www.militarywinterfest.com/#menu-racing> or at the Military Winterfest Registration Desk. Local vets welcome! **SNOWSHOEING ADVENTURE** signup at <http://veteranswellnessandhealing.org/military-winterfest/#menu-snowshoeow>

GET YOUR RENTAL EQUIPMENT IN ADVANCE FOR ALL LESSONS! HIGHLY RECOMMEND you get them the night before! Don't wait until minutes before your lesson. Be at the Ski & Snowboard Schools sign NLT 15 minutes before your lesson **READY TO GO!**