

# Albuquerque Prepares for Its Day in the Sun

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❖ *Partial Eclipse visible in Albuquerque on April 8, 2024*

❖ *Annular Eclipse - October 14, 2023*  
*(Next annular eclipse in ABQ - 2238)*

❖ In Albuquerque...

❖ Begins ~ 9:15 a.m. MDT

❖ Lasts almost three hours

❖ Full Annularity

Starts: 10:34 a.m

Lasts: 4 min. and 45 sec.



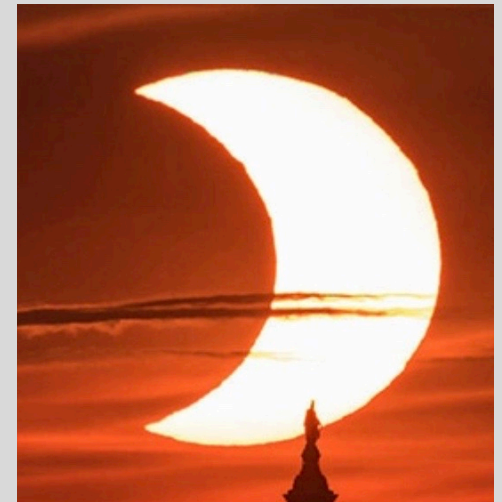
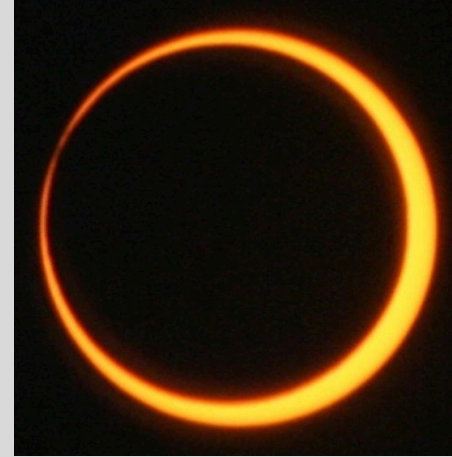
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# Major Partner Organizations

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AAS June 2023 – Get Ready for the North American Solar Eclipses

- ❖ **PUNCH Outreach Collaborative**
- ❖ **NASA**
- ❖ **NASA-ASP Eclipse Ambassador**
- ❖ **NOAA**
- ❖ **National Park Service**
- ❖ **The American Astronomical Society**
- ❖ **The Albuquerque Astronomical Society**
- ❖ **Girl Scouts of New Mexico Trails**



❖ **NM Museum of Natural History & Science**

- ❖ NASA, NOAA & PUNCH Activities



❖ **International Balloon Museum & Fiesta Park**

- ❖ NASA TV Broadcast and Activities
- ❖ NOAA Broadcast and Activities



❖ **Petroglyph National Monument**

- ❖ NASA & PUNCH Activities



❖ **National Hispanic Cultural Center**



❖ **City of ABQ Parks and Recreation**

❖ **ABQ Open Space**

❖ **New Mexico State Parks**

**Rio Grande Nature Center**





## ❖ University of New Mexico

- ❖ Students Going to Area Public Schools pre-Eclipse
- ❖ Event at Johnson Field
- ❖ NASA Balloon Launch



## ❖ Southwestern Indian Polytechnic Institute (SIPI)

- ❖ Pre-Eclipses Events
- ❖ NASA Balloon Launch



## ❖ CNM (Central New Mexico College)



## ❖ Native American Community Academy (NACA)



## ❖ U.S. Forest Service – Sandia Ranger District

## ❖ Valle de Oro National Wildlife Refuge

## ❖ Explora



## ❖ National Nuclear Museum



❖ **Santa Fe Children's Museum**

- ❖ Solar System Ambassador



❖ **Rio Rancho - Rainbow Park Observatory**

- ❖ Hosted by Rio Rancho Astronomical Society



❖ **Placitas Community Library**

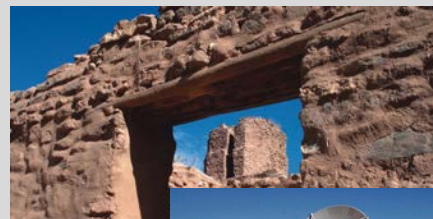
- ❖ Hosted by the Albuquerque Astronomical Society  
(club members assisting at other sites also)



❖ **Bureau of Land Management  
El Malpais National Conservation Area**



❖ **Pueblo of Acoma - Haaku**

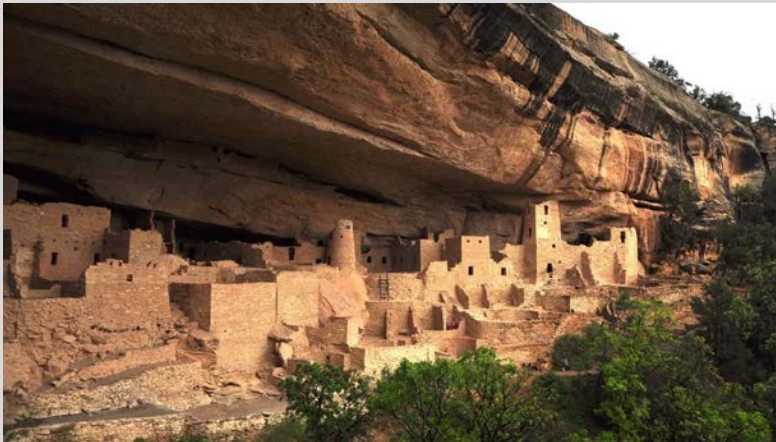


❖ **Jemez Historic Site**

❖ **NRAO – VLA (Very Large Array)**



- ❖ **Chaco Culture National Park**
  - ❖ Cultural Programs
  
- ❖ **El Morro National Monument**
  
- ❖ **Mesa Verde National Park**





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❖ Any of the local coalition of event/viewing sites

❖ [www.nasa.gov/eclipse](http://www.nasa.gov/eclipse)

❖ [www.greatamericaneclipse.com](http://www.greatamericaneclipse.com)

❖ [https://punch.space.swri.edu/punch\\_outreach\\_overview.php](https://punch.space.swri.edu/punch_outreach_overview.php)



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