



WHITE SANDS NATIONAL MONUMENT



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## White Sands National Monument 2013 Special Events

### Sunset Strolls

Take a leisurely one-hour ranger-guided walk through the dunes and learn about this amazing place. Offered daily one hour before sunset.

### Sunrise Photography

Join a ranger for an early morning program focused on amateur sunrise photography. Reservations are required two weeks in advance of the hike. Register at [www.nps.gov/whsa](http://www.nps.gov/whsa).  
6:00 am Sunday, March 24  
6:15 am Saturday, October 26

### Skins & Skulls

Offered daily from Memorial Day through Labor Day and on weekends the rest of the year. Program starts at 3:00 pm.

### Balloon Invitational

Saturday, September 21  
Sunday, September 22

### Holiday Open House

Join us on December 6, 2013 from 5 pm to 8 pm to celebrate the holiday season.

### Hike Smart!

Bring the whole family and join a ranger to learn orienteering and more. Offered Saturdays at 5 pm from Memorial Day through Labor Day.

### Full Moon Hikes

Hike the moonlit dunes with a ranger. Reservations are required and accepted 2 weeks in advance of the hike. Register at [www.nps.gov/whsa](http://www.nps.gov/whsa).

8:00 pm Thursday, May 23  
8:00 pm Saturday, June 22  
8:00 pm Sunday, July 21  
7:30 pm Tuesday, August 20  
7:00 pm Wednesday, Sept 18  
6:30 pm Thursday, October 17

### Map Talks

Offered daily from Memorial Day through Labor Day and on weekends the rest of the year. Program starts at 1:30 pm.

### Crafty Kids

Kids, make a take home craft! Offered every Sunday at 2 pm.

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### Lake Lucero Tours

Hike with a ranger to the source of the sands and learn about the formation of the dunes.

2 pm Sunday, January 27  
2 pm Sunday, February 24  
9 am Saturday, March 30  
9 am Saturday, April 20  
5 pm Sunday, May 26  
9 am Saturday, June 29  
9 am Sunday, July 28  
9 am Saturday, August 31  
4 pm Sunday, September 29  
9 am Sunday, October 27  
10 am Saturday, November 23  
10 am Sunday, December 29

Reservations required. Special fees apply. \$3 per adult, \$1.50 children. Visit [www.nps.gov/whsa](http://www.nps.gov/whsa) for more information or to make reservations.

### Full Moon Bike Rides

Take a leisurely bike ride through the monument. No cars are allowed in the monument during the event.

9 pm Saturday, April 27  
8 pm Friday, October 18

Reservations required and accepted one month in advance of bike ride. Special fees apply. \$5.00 per person 16 and older \$2.50 per person 15 and younger Visit [www.nps.gov/whsa](http://www.nps.gov/whsa) for reservations.

### Full Moon Nights

Listen to music, learn about the monument, and enjoy the beauty of moonlit dunes.

8:30 pm Friday, May 24  
8:30 pm Sunday, June 23  
8:30 pm Monday, July 22  
8:00 pm Wednesday, August 21  
7:00 pm Thursday, Sept 19  
6:30 pm Saturday, October 19

Monument entrance fees apply. \$3.00 per person 16 and older. No additional fee for program.

*Schedules are subject to change. Activities may be cancelled due to weather or missile range activities. For information call 575-479-6124 ext. 236 and/or visit [www.nps.gov/whsa](http://www.nps.gov/whsa)*