



*To Celebrate, Promote and Protect
the Glorious Dark Skies of Flagstaff and
Northern Arizona*

P.O. Box 1892, Flagstaff, AZ 86001

Flagstaff Dark Skies Coalition

Presents:

The 2019 Annual Flagstaff Star Party

The First International Dark-Sky City Shares its Dark Skies with the World

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The 2019 event will continue in the successful Flagstaff Star Party tradition, anchored by three nights of naked-eye and telescope viewing, with 30 telescopes hosted by professional and amateur astronomers. Each evening will also feature popular-level "Sunset" and "Twilight" talks by Flagstaff scientists about the beauty of Flagstaff sunsets and wonders of the Universe over our heads. Special guests include New York photo-journalist Stan Honda, back by popular demand, who will lead a night sky photography workshop!

The Flagstaff Star Party is the **most accessible Star Party in the world**, centrally located at Buffalo Park. We're planning for the stars to come out from 6 - 10 p.m., Thursday, Friday, and Saturday, September 26, 27, and 28, 2019.

Sponsors Play a Starring Role!

Generous support from community and environmentally minded sponsors help build awareness, appreciation and awe for our famous dark skies and keep the Flagstaff Star Party free for residents and visitors!

Donations are tax-deductible! The Flagstaff Dark Skies Coalition is a non-profit organization, a chapter of the International Dark-Sky Association in Tucson.

Thank you for your generous sponsorship!

Red Giant Level (sponsorship of \$5,000 and above)

These super stars are the Flagstaff Star Party's Headlining Sponsors, whose names and logos will appear prominently on all Flagstaff Star Party informational, educational and promotional material, on the event title banner at Buffalo Park and will have a speaking opportunity at the keynote presentation! Red Giant Sponsors are featured in *Flagstaff Business News* as "Flagstaff Dark Skies Stars of the Month," (for one month between March and September), recognized for their company commitment to the environment where they do business. They will also be named as a sponsor of "Moments in Flagstaff's Dark Skies," a program of one-minute educational radio spots aired on KAFF radio running for a month between March and September. They will receive six tickets to the VIP Shining Star Luncheon and a star party for their private function. Additional sponsorship benefits include:

- Large logo on banner inside welcome tent (6-10 p.m. for three nights)
- 10' x 10' space for onsite company promotion, lighting must be reviewed and approved by FSP
- Logo and link on Star Party website, FlagstaffStarParty.org
- Recognition on social media
- Inclusion on all local and statewide news releases

Hercules Level (sponsorship of \$2,000 and above)

The Hercules Constellation is home to the largest known planet, 70 percent larger than Jupiter. Like Hercules the constellation, Hercules the mythological god is a symbol of strength and greatness. Hercules sponsors have a strong connection and commitment to their community, leaving a legacy as a champion for Flagstaff's precious dark skies. Their names and logos appear on all Flagstaff Star Party informational, educational and promotional material, and will be included as sponsors of "Moments in Flagstaff's Dark Skies," a program of one-minute educational radio spots aired on KAFF radio running for a month between March and September. They will receive four tickets to the VIP Shining Star Luncheon. Additional sponsorship benefits include:

- Recognition as a telescope sponsor for five telescopes
- Logo on banner inside welcome tent (6-10 p.m. for three nights)
- 10' x 10' space for onsite company promotion, lighting must be reviewed and approved by FSP
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Pluto Level (sponsorship of \$1,000)

Flagstaff's beloved Pluto will always be a "true planet" in the hearts of locals. As Pluto has its important place in our galaxy, Pluto Sponsors create community in Flagstaff and build a solid structure where others live, work and play. As such, they receive their names and logos on all Flagstaff Star Party materials. They are featured in *Flagstaff Business News* as "Flagstaff Dark Skies Stars of the Month," (for one month between March and September), recognized for their company commitment to the environment where they do business. They will receive four tickets to the VIP Shining Star Luncheon.

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Ceres Level (sponsorship of \$500)

Ceres is the largest asteroid, a third the mass of the entire Asteroid Belt. It is so large that it has earned the title of "Dwarf Planet," as it is such a bright stand out in a sea of twinkling lights. Ceres Sponsors will have their names on all Flagstaff Star Party materials and will receive four tickets to the VIP Shining Star Luncheon.

- Recognition as a telescope sponsor
- Logo and link on Star Party website, FlagstaffStarParty.org

Lunar Level (sponsorship of \$250)

The Moon is Earth's only natural satellite and has been the focus of dreams, myths, seasons and space exploration. This reliable partner is in synchronous rotation with the Earth and continues to inspire artists and scientists. Lunar Sponsors will have their names on all Flagstaff Star Party materials and will receive two tickets to the VIP Shining Star Luncheon.

Evening Star Incentive: A pledge of \$1,000 or more by March 29, 2019, entitles the sponsor a **FREE MINI STAR PARTY** at their office or private home!

Please make checks out to: International Dark-Sky Association
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