

The 2024 Institute: New Mexico



Institute Preview



58th Institute in Albuquerque

(Wednesday, Dec. 4 — Saturday, Dec. 7, 2024)

The New Mexico Institute will provide new experiences and open eyes to extraordinary adventures. During the 2024 Institute, attendees will see how agriculture impacts lives in an area that is part desert and part mountain. From farming to marketing to agricultural value-added production, this will be an adventure filled program.

Discover the secrets of ag in the desert like raising chile peppers, forages and beef cattle. Learn about the opportunities for agri-tourism as Pumpkin Festival park, a lavender/honey bee farm and a community garden. Touring the masterful work of the New Mexico State University College of Agriculture (Los Lunas Station) will provide perspective on the challenges and opportunities of agriculture with limited water resources.

In addition, see the Pueblo Museum, the International Hot Air Balloon museum, the art scene of Santa Fe and Christmas in the Southwest.

There will be trips to fabulous local restaurants for authentic Southwestern food.

Two optional tours are available: (1) a trip to the top of Sandia Peak Tramway or (2) a behind the scene tour of the Albuquerque film industry. Remember the show Breaking Bad? See where the series was filmed and the unique features of a city where Netflix has a studio. The hotel will be the Embassy Suites in downtown Albuquerque.

The Institute has a long standing tradition of excellent tours, unique learning experiences, great people (who become lifelong friends) and outstanding food and entertainment. The 2024 Institute will exceed those goals!

The Schedule —

Wednesday: Board / Delegate/Contest Meetings.

Opening Reception and Optional Tours

Thursday/Friday: Off-site Tours

Saturday: Ag Decision Makers College, Awards Programs/Auction and the Big Show Entertainment



Registration: Online: www.nyfea.org or mail to: NYFEA: Box 20326, Montgomery, AL 36120

Deadline preferred registration is 10/31/24.

Name(s): _____

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Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Email Address: _____

(Registration will be confirmed by email.)

Phone: (____) _____ - _____

NYFEA Full Registration: Attendance to all events: \$395 each

_____ @ \$395 = _____

Optional Tour: Sandia Peak Tramway _____ or Film Industry Tour - _____ // # _____ @ 85/person

Weekend Rate (great for those who want Friday/Saturday only)

_____ @ \$350 = _____

NYFEA Daily Rate

\$200 per day: Thur - # _____ @ \$200 = _____

Fri - # _____ @ \$200 _____ Sat - # _____ @ \$200 = _____

NYFEA Student Rate (ALL events —no hotel) = \$375

_____ @ \$375 = _____

NYFEA Student Rate (ALL events & w/ hotel) =

\$525 (includes hotel room for four nights) (Students must attend Ag Decision Makers College & YALE. Students must be willing to share an assigned room if the room rate is included)

_____ @ \$525 = _____

NYFEA New Mexico Student Only—Rate (Daily Attend—no hotel) =

\$100/person/day

_____ @ \$100 x # _____ days = _____

(for group discounts or Saturday events, call 334/546-9951)

Circle days: TH / FR

Child Registration (under 12) # _____ @ \$185 = _____

Total Amount Due: \$ _____

Hotel Reservation Information

Reservations must be made separately and should be made by Nov. 5, 2024 to insure rate. (If problem call 334-546-9951).

Rooms and meetings are at the Embassy Suites in Albuquerque—Downtown. Contact number for the hotel is 505-245-7100.

The room rate is \$121 per night. Go to www.nyfea.org for hotel details.



Registration for the Institute is best accomplished at www.nyfea.org