

# 2020 BALLOON FESTIVAL PILOTS

"YEARS" REPRESENTS THE NUMBER OF YEARS AT THE SNOWMASS VILLAGE BALLOON FESTIVAL

# THE BALLOONIST'S PRAYER

The winds have welcomed you with softness. The sun has blessed you with his warm hands. You have flown so high and so well, that God has joined you in your laughter, and has set you gently back again, into the loving arms of Mother Earth.

### **BALLOON OFFICIALS**

COLLEEN JOHNSON
BALLOONMEISTER
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SKIP HOWES
COLORADO SPRINGS, CO
"WILDFIRE"
15 YEARS



MIKE JOHNSON

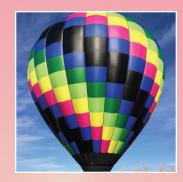
MITCHELL, NE

"SKYTREK"

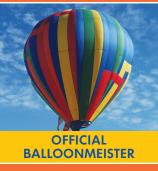
10 YEARS



RICH LAWHORN
LOUISVILLE, KY
"HUMPTY"
7 YFARS



CHRIS LIBERTI
HIGHLANDS RANCH, CO
"AIRTIGHT"



COLLEEN JOHNSON
MITCHELL, NE
"MARY ALICE
IN WONDERLAND"
13 YEARS



STEPHEN BULCHER COLORADO SPRINGS, CO "MORNING GLORY TOO" 10 YEARS



KENNY BRADLEY
AULT, CO
"NEW DIRECTIONS"
5 YEARS



AMANDA BROADBECK
DACONO, CO
"VIVIAN TITALEE"
1 YEAR



DURANGO, CO
"GEORGE"



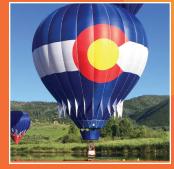
CRAIG PENDLETON
ALBUQUERQUE, NM
"SPIRIT TOO!"
8 YEARS



STEVE SCHEER CASTLE ROCK, CO "MARGARITA" 6 YEARS



NOLAN SCHULER
MANITOU SPRINGS, CO
"BELLA COLORADO"
A YEARS



PATRICK CARTER
COLORADO SPRINGS, CO
"COLORADO HIGH"
ALL 45 YEARS



KELLI COOK GREENWOOD VILLAGE, CO "HIGH MAINTENANCE" 4 YEARS



CLAYTON CROUCH DENVER, CO "FINISH LINE" 7 YEARS



DON DOUGHERTY COLORADO SPRINGS, CO "DARK SUNRISE" 20 YEARS



KASEY SCHWEMMER
WICHITA, KS
"POST-LUMBER"
1 YEAR



MEN TADOLINI
DENVER, CO
"RE/MAX"
26 YEARS



CORY TAGTOW
COLORADO SPRINGS, CO
"CORONA BOREALIS"
2 YEARS



DAWNA TELLES WHEAT RIDGE, CO "HOT FLASH" 2 YEARS



DON EDWARDS
SOLDOTNA, AK
"HEAD SOUTH"
4 YEARS



DAVID EICHHORN
CORRALES, NM
"MARAUDER'S MARK"
6 YEARS



PATRICK FOGUE COLOMBIA, MO "PEPSI" 2 YEARS



JASON GABRIEL ALEXANDRIA, VA "SPIRIT OF '76" 5 YEARS



SHANNON WHITE LOVELAND, CO "FLOWER POWER" 18 YEARS



MARK WHITING DENVER, CO "BIG TOP" 44 YEARS



KENT WOLCOTT COLORADO SPRINGS, CO "TOUCAN PILOT" 22 YEARS



BRUCE WOOD CARBONDALE, CO "EXHANNAH" 22 YEARS

## 2020 SNOWMASS VILLAGE BALLOON FESTIVAL

The Snowmass Balloon Festival celebrates its 45th anniversary a little differently in 2020.

This event will be a drive-in style event with required registration.

#### FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 11

7:00-10:00am The SnowMASS Ascension

Balloons will float above the Snowmass Valley. Spectators must register for a drive-in space, or hike/bike Snowmass trails to view from a distance. Registration and viewing guide at SnowmassBalloon.com.

Balloon Festival commentary broadcast on 92.1 FM.

7:30-8:30pm Balloon Night Glow

Take in the sights and sounds of the "Drive-By" Balloon Night Glow. Balloons will be tethered at Snowmass Town Park and around the Snowmass Golf Course, with tunes broadcasting live on KSPN, 103.1FM. Drive around the golf course, on Brush Creek and Owl Creek roads, to enjoy the

balloons from afar.

#### **SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 12**

7:00-10:00am The SnowMASS Ascension and X-Marks the Spot

Target Competition: Pilots attempt to maneuver as close as possible to two different targets above the Snowmass Golf Course. Following this competition, the balloons will float above the Snowmass Valley. Spectators must register for a drive-in space, or hike/bike Snowmass trails to view from a distance. Registration and viewing guide at SnowmassBalloon.com. Balloon Festival commentary

broadcast on 92.1 FM.

9:30-10:30am & 3:30-4:30pm Yoga with Aaron King in Base Village

2:00-8:00pm Social Saturdays

This week, a special Balloon Festival edition of Social Saturdays kicks off at 2:00pm with outdoor entertainment, all-day sidewalk sales and live music around the village starting at 5:00pm. Details

at GoSnowmass.com.

2:00-5:00pm Aerialists & DJ Show on the Base Village Events Lawn

2:00-5:00pm Fairy Bubbles & fun with Kidtoons on the Mall

5:00-8:00pm Live music featuring Dead Horse Flats and Nick Lenio in Base Village

5:00-8:00pm Live music featuring Jill Cohn with Special Guest and Smuggler Mtn. Boys on the Mall

8:00-10:00pm Movies Under the Stars: The Lion King in Base Village

#### **SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 13**

7:00-10:00am The SnowMASS Ascension

Balloons will float above the Snowmass Valley. Spectators must register for a drive-in space, or hike/bike Snowmass trails to view from a distance. Registration and viewing guide at SnowmassBalloon.com.

Balloon Festival commentary broadcast on 92.1 FM.

9:30-10:30am Yoga with Aaron King in Base Village

Schedule subject to change. All balloon events are free and open to the public. For more information visit GoSnowmass.com.



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