

Alumni Program Private Trinity Site Tour

**Friday, April 17, 2020
11:00 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.
White Sands Missile Range**

Tour will be open to all Lifetime Members and dues-paying Alumni Members after January 1, 2020. The tour is limited to 40 people so reservations are on a first-come first-served basis.

\$35 per person for this event

Fax this form to 505.247.7455 or email it to leader@leadershipnm.org to reserve your spot. Call 505.398.1500 if you have questions.

NAME: _____

PROGRAM & YEAR: _____

COMPANY: _____

TITLE: _____

EMAIL: _____

GUEST NAME:* _____

* Lifetime Members may bring a guest. Guests must be 21 years of age or older.

Tour Details

The Trinity Site is where the first atomic bomb was tested in 1945. The 19-kiloton explosion not only led to a quick end to the war in the Pacific, but also ushered the world into the atomic age. The 51,500-acre national historic landmark includes a base camp, where scientists and the support group lived, ground zero, where the bomb exploded, and the McDonald ranch house, where the plutonium core to the bomb was assembled.

The Manhattan Project began in 1942 and was responsible for designing and building an atomic bomb. Los Alamos was one of three large facilities constructed for this project. The group of scientists were led by Dr. J. Robert Oppenheimer, who is credited with being the driving force behind building the workable bomb. Two designs were created, using uranium 235 and plutonium. It was decided that the Trinity Site would be the test site. The test was scheduled in the early morning of July 16, 1945, and the device exploded successfully at 5:29 a.m. After the second and third atomic bombs over Japan ended the war and the Trinity Site came under control of the new rocket and missile testing facility. Since then, White Sands Missile Range has developed into one of the most sophisticated test facilities in the world.

Join us to learn more about the Trinity Site; take a tour of the Ground Zero, the Trinity Site, and the McDonald Ranch House.

Tour Guidelines

Participants must wear closed toe shoes and long pants, no heels. Bring sunscreen, hats and a jacket. Leadership New Mexico will contact you with the appropriate identification required upon receiving your registration.



****Please Note****

This tour is subject to cancellation at any time by White Sands Missile Range range and their testing schedule.

Registration fee will not be refunded for no-shows

- I will pay the \$35 for each participant in this event on Paypal.
- Please invoice me \$35 for each participant in this event.
- I have not yet paid Alumni Dues but would like to attend this event. Please invoice me \$100 for the 2020 calendar year.