



apogaea 2017

This is a guide to art, camps, and events at Apogaea 2017.

Remember, however, that happenings *will* be occurring without a schedule or pre-planned location. Apogaea is what you make of it—the entertainment is what you and your fellow participants create.

Whatever your special talent might be, share it with us!

Art, events, and camps marked with an * indicate they received a supporting grant from Apogaea in 2017.

ART INSTALLATIONS

(See map or visit Info Booth for locations...or just explore!)

***All of You** - A semicircular arrangement of six mirrored mosaics. Participants can experiment with distance, angle, and motion to experience fragmented expansion, separated replication, and strobing of movement. As a viewer moves further from the installation, their reflection inverts, and then disintegrates into an abstract arrangement of light. **All of You** will be continuously influenced by sky light and its surrounding environment. The goal of the artist is to catalyze the consideration of an expansive, shared, ever-changing existence. *Crew/Artist: Mike Lustig*

***Almighty Lite-Brite** - Remember creating unicorns and rainbows on your Lite Brite, back when life was simple and cough syrup tasted like candy? Relive your fondest childhood memories on the **ALMIGHTY LITE BRITE**...a souped-up and super-scaled-up Lite Brite for Apogaea's young and young at heart. Larger than a grown man...more pegs than you could moop in a drunken stupor...and enough light to power a very (very) small village. *Crew/Artist: Jill Katzenberger and Piper Merriam*

***Apogaea's Original Banana Stand** - Come on down to The Big Yellow Joint and have a frozen banana and meet up with your pals! We will be gifting 200 frozen, chocolate-covered, bananas to the big and little participants of Apogaea. We'll also have other banana-flavored goodies to gift. The Banana Stand will be a great place for hop-ons, magicians, brothers, bow-tie-wearing seals, and Mother! **Daily 11:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.** *Crew/Artist: Diane Overbye and Dan Singer*

***Bongfire** - A series of small fire sculptures that come together to form an array of propane fire, dazzling lights and most importantly: water. A clear plenum houses a column of water with propane bubbles rising from the bottom. The propane bubbles burst at the surface, mix with air, then burn off. Further mesmerizing display is provided by color changing lights illuminating the bubbling water. Placed in the **Event Horizon** sound camp! **Daily 7:00 p.m. to 4:00 a.m.** *Crew/Artist: Evan Beloni*

Burn Barrels - Burn barrels to keep you warm and spark conversation! Propane-powered, depending on fire ban status.

Burnin' to the Beat - Ruben's tubes! Sound reactive fire art! Talk into the mic to see your voice on fire. Please bring any instruments you play, jokes or stories you have to tell, and/or music you'd like to hear and then see them on FIRE! We have a soundboard and all the cables to make it happen. Now all we need is your creativity and participation. **Daily 9:00 p.m. to 4:00 a.m.**

***Camp Wardrobe MalFUNKtion's Majestic Arch of Fashion Splendor** - Come strut your new burner wear along our fashion runway, adorned with a spectacular flaming arch, designed by Jed Winters Fabrication. This alter-ed ego is an homage to fashion, and glam, with a little taste of funk tossed in for good measure! *Crew/Artist: Jules Pellerin "Maven of MalFUNKtion" and Jed*

***Club Smash Club** - A cathartic release through carnal expression. Smash hate, prejudice, and the disposable culture. Hone the human form with new tools. Provide a unique and immersive environment. Long live metal! *Crew/Artist: Todd Oliver and Metal Camp*

***Colossal Head** - An interactive video sculpture through which participants can have their face (processed with digital effects) projected on to the nine-foot disembodied head. When not being used by participants, pre-prepared video content will be mapped onto the head. *Crew/Artist: Ryan Peru and Lindsay Akiyama*

Fire Spirit - In loving memory of our dear friend Jay Ro—we will blast some sick fire. **Friday and Saturday at 9:00 p.m.**

***Heart of Gold (the Effigy)** - A sculpture with advanced flame effects (and surprises) for the 2017 Apogaea effigy. **Heart of Gold** is a collaborative piece of art, allowing community members to get involved in creating and operating the piece, offering opportunities for both new and experienced artists to learn more about fire arts and fabrication skills. The core sculpture of **Heart of Gold** is a gift to the Apogaea community and will be left in the care of Apogaea to use for future events. *Crew/Artist: Jed Winters, Mark Switzer, Brad Allen, and Jules Pellerin. In loving memory of Skyler and Isobel. Burn Night starts on Saturday at 9:00 p.m.*

The Heart of Isobel - In loving remembrance of Isobel Johns.

***Hotaru no Hikari: The Firefly Temple** - The Firefly Temple embraces the Japanese temple aesthetic; participants will have the opportunity to decorate one of the hundreds of flickering lanterns that will glow throughout the event. *Crew/Artist: Andrea Pliner and Tom Varani*

***Infinescent Garden** - A fire and light garden to inspire contemplation of the beauty and depth of the infinite universe around and within us. We are creating an experience for Apogaeans to find comfort in the chill of the night by wandering into our garden of metal flowers that burn and glow with heat and passion (propane or lights, depending on fire status). Fire and light are primal and represent passion, creativity and inspiration as a source of life itself. We combine that with flowers representing manifestations of the energy of the universe. *Crew/Artist: Camp Amalgamation*

***Laetor's Ladder** - In the Temple at Saguaro Man 2014, a small child's toy was found. Much discussion and whimsical "what-ifs" ensued. Now the toy is all grown up. Get some friends, pull the rope, and watch it flip and fall! *Crew/Artist: Rene and Chromatest*

***Late Nite Price is Right** - Back for 2017! Pricier! Righter! Now with more dildos! Get off on our fabulous prizes as we bring consumerist exuberance to Apogaea! Building upon Bob Barker's long obsession with genitalia, **Late Nite Price is Right** is a mashup re-appropriation of classic game show games reimagined for the discerning Burner. *Crew/Artist: Dead Horse Productions: Continual Beatings Since 2006*

***Los Diablos Pianos del Fuego** - A semi-circular array of propane flame effect devices, controlled wirelessly by an arrangement of digital musical instruments. *Crew/Artist: Aaron Wilson, Chuck Honeycutt, Dirty Frank, Danimal Holden*

***Love Within** - A journey of the self. Walk up to the art piece: a lovingly adorned box, the outside brightly painted and decorated. Inside is the magic. Read the inscription, then open the box as directed and you will be presented with yourself. Complete the answer through reflection.

***Man Pavillion LED Columns** - Nine columns linked together with arches and filled with LEDs

***Mercury Touchstone** - A twelve-foot-tall interactive space rocket covered in 6,000 LEDs. *Crew/Artist: Bad Astronauts and Brian Weatherhead*

***The Octopussy** - A medium-sized mutant vehicle that explores the depths of space and time. A radically internally illuminated octopus/cat hybrid creature, the **Octopussy**, has the ears and nose of a cat, but the eyes and tentacles of an octopus. Whether dancing in the glow or her 6000 multicolor sound-reactive LEDs, getting cuddly in her plush underwater lounge, or taking her on an intergalactic journey, the **Octopussy** will tickle your fancy and leave you wanting more. *Crew/Artist: Kitty KittyMeow, Guthrey Coy, and the Octopussy team*

***Outside In** - A unique audio immersive environment that envelops the artists and audiences in three-dimensional audio soundscapes, transporting visitors, artists, and musicians on acoustic journeys overlaid on the real-world local environment. **Outside In** is about merging and blurring environments, people, and experiences. There is no audience/artist separation; the artist/performer becomes part of the audience and the audience participates in and sometimes is the performance. There is no separation of the performance from external environments; sights, sounds, and smells are invited in and becomes part of the unique and transient performance, never to be repeated. *Crew/Artist: Jeff Merkel and the Signal-to-Noise Labs Sci-Art Collective*

***The Poop Deck** - An elevated deck on top of the Narwhal King Dome

***The Queen of the Night** - A space where shamanistic healing can be explored. A place where we can take ahold of our journey together by provide a catalyst to our shared experience with this representation of the unique beauty that exists within our temporal boundaries. The center piece is an artistic representation of a *Selenicereus grandiflorus* (commonly known as "The Queen of the Night"), a desert flower that blooms for only one night, once a year. This plant will be depicted in steel and will feature flame effects. This plant articulates the ephemeral nature of our experience with this place and time and we seek to inspire a sense of immediacy. The flower will sit atop a large steel mandala podium. *Crew/Artist: Caitlin Morris and Joshua Birkmaier*

***Scrabble Camp** - A fully functional 15-foot Scrabble board. *Crew/Artist: Cheryl and Dave Barrar*

***SoundPuddle** - An interactive space of visual-acoustic synesthesia. This spectrographically colorful dome illuminates sound on an immersive canopy of light. Visualize the spectral shapes of sound-space with any noise you can make. **SoundPuddle** has been redesigned from the ground up, and you will laugh, shout, and sing as thousands of solar-powered LEDs unify your ears and eyes. Bring your musical instruments and voices to create an unforgettable experience. Located at **Electron Village**. *Crew/Artist: John English, Austin Glaser, Kevin McWilliams, and crew*

***Speleomountain** - A whole mountain of cubes for you to climb, dance, and play upon. *Crew/Artist: Piper Merriam, Ian Bates, Seth Herd, Pete Lyons, David Pichara, Diana Sabreen and Fractal Tribe*

***StarDust** - Take a spin on **StarDust**, a 3D rotating star waiting to take YOU on a first class adventure though Apogaea and beyond! *Crew/Artist: Jana McKinny*

***Thereminus Rex** - A giant, blinking theremin that participants play using their bodies as controllers. Apogaeans can control the audio and visual output from T.Rex by interacting with the art piece's proximity sensors through dance, play, and collaboration. *Crew/Artist: Toni Klopfenstein, Brennen Bearnes, and the electron cloud*

THEME CAMPS

(See map or visit Info Booth for locations)

A BAR @ A CAMP – We're A CAMP. We have A BAR. Come see us @ Sundown. You brought your cup? Well, that's swell. Fuck your cup. Come stay for a spell and visit us @ A BAR with fucking fancy libations and a break from techno soup. You're welcome. **Thurs/Fri/Sat 8:00 p.m.+**

- Thursday Night: metal + disco = **Thursday**
- Friday night + 90s hits = **Fetish Friday**
- Saturday night + 80s, goth, post-punk = **Sparkle Saturday**

Electron Village - A camp for interactive electronic art, and Apogaea's unofficial hackerspace! Home to **SoundPuddle**, **Thereminus Rex**, and other unique creations, this quieter corner of Apogaea is full of electrifying geekiness. Come visit us to play with art, talk nerdy, and make new friends.

Everything Butt Fucking - NARRR! Back by popular demand! The Narwhals are returning to cause a commotion! Our camp features the Narwhal King Dome, the 1,400-LED Narwhal Horn and **The Poop Deck** (observation platform). Joining us this year, Brulee bar will be lubricating us with tasty concoctions. The Narwhal King Dome houses the bar, access to the dome is limited to 21+ at all times. Join us for flog-making, brunch and daily dance parties! **Daily**

Glitter Chicken Roost - A collective of veteran burners, featuring the infamous Banana-Na-Na-Boo-Boo dome, a 16-foot-tall beacon, calling wanderers into our camp for beverages, respite from the heat, and great conversation (unless the bartender is really drunk). **Late Nite Price is Right** is back again—now with more dildos! (Friday night, strictly 18 and over). Our bar boasts an eclectic collection of mixed drinks served by muddled bartenders. Barkers will entice passers-by to join in our fully immersive artistic experiences. We enjoy sharing our various art projects, creating moments for participation, making new friends, and getting great stories. **Glitter Chicken Roost**: bring us your hatchlings and they'll mature to sparkle ponies (or we'll roast 'em)! **Daily**

***Hat Bar** - Sick and tired of all the fake news everywhere? Not sure where the propaganda ends and the love begins? We believe Apogaeans need hats on their heads more than hate in their hearts. Hat Bar will feature daily craft workshops from 2-4 p.m. with handmade, sewn, and 3D-crafted hats, headpieces, and fascinators. We'll also have nightly parties 8-midnight with hat/schwag giveaways for contests, hobby horse races, and at the bartender's discretion. Come picket us, or join us for a drink in our adults-only lounge. Don't let fear of the Thought Police keep you from participating with us. **Daily 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.; evening parties daily 8:00 p.m. to midnight**

Shangri-LaLa-Ommie - Your retreat from the overstimulation and excess that is Apogaea. Come enjoy the shade and the comfort of pillows and chimes. The Dolly Llama is there to share the space and words of wisdom, and the purple elephant too!

Camp Wardrobe MalFUNKtion - Open for shopping and our ongoing runway fashion show. This year we'll be featuring a huge inventory reduction, markdown, discount, closeout, rebate, clearance, red-tag, doorbuster, 100%-off savings sale! Thank you for shoplifting! Get costumed by our fashion technicians then saunter down our runway to model your new look. Also featuring our roaming crew of fashion police. Citation recipients will be taken into custody for makeovers. We'll be accepting costume and clothing donations all weekend. **Daily noon to 4:00 p.m.**

When In Gnome - Enjoy some shade, moisture, mischief, groovy tunes, and glorious mountain views. Rest and relax at your eternal refuge from zombie clowns, hail, and dubstep...and don't believe the Propaganda. Bring your instruments and voices. We offer a collaborative arena with booming sound. If you can hum, strum, or drum, you're in. Music fuels Gnome Camp, day and night. **Daily 10:00 a.m. to midnight**

Wizards - Wizards Assemble! A brand-new camp bringing a space for all of you amazing souls to make magic occur. We love having fun and creating magic in the moment! We've got fun wizardry cocktails and are an open sound camp which will be keeping the party going through the nights. When you want to relax, we have a black-lit Wizard Hat tent for you to lounge in and cuddle-puddle with friends. Are you a Wizard or want to be a Wizard? Join us in the afternoon and partake in one of our daily workshops to enhance your Wizardry! We're offering a craft workshop, many beginner and advanced music workshops, and a crystal metaphysical workshop. Meet each day at 4:20 p.m. in the Wizard Tent for the "pot"luck. **Daily**

WonderLounge - Brings you a very Burner, twisted Wonderland. We'll titillate you and fuck with your senses (in the most pleasant ways, of course). Enter the Looking Glass and find yourself down the Rabbit Hole, where things are not always as they seem. You'll emerge fully immersed in WonderLounge, a place where you can chill and chat, have your child entertained (daytime, and with an adult present), play poker, chess, or just kick back. Bring your friends, and look for our lineup of wonder-full events. This year, Alice goes to Hollywood... better make sure you're on the (black) list!

EVENTS, PERFORMANCES, & WORKSHOPS

Daily

CENTER CAMP – Join us at **Center Camp** for various daytime performances and workshops. Visit **Center Camp** for a detailed schedule of events.

Arbitrary Noodle Wagon - Rusty-Moo presents his **Arbitrary Noodle Wagon**. Will it appear? We don't know. Where will it be? Not really sure. Who will be serving? It depends. Why should you come? Because if you can find it, the noodles will be AMAZING! You are most likely going to find Moo and his noodle wagon hanging out around the **Glitter Chicken Roost**. If you wander by at the right time, you can take advantage of his homemade broths and farm-fresh veggies! Yum!

Caravanserai Tea Tent - Apogaea can be a bit intense. Take a break from the barbarians about and join us in the **Caravanserai** for some intense chilling- tea tent style. Sample our fine teas from along the Silk Road, or just stop in and enjoy our relounging space. *Artist/Crew: Sipapu and Mama Snail*

***Club Smash Club** – Daily Smash times; kid-friendly day times and debauchery-filled nights.

Grilled Cheese at Elkzilla Camp - When you see the Wyoming flag flying; you will know you're in for some cheesy goodness! Last year we served 200 grilled cheeses to Apogaeans with our propane-powered flattop stove. Donations of green chili and bacon appeared and made the whole culinary experience phenomenal! We'll be upping our game this year to include bacon, green chili, and pulled pork from our travelling smoker. We will provide some shaded areas to eat and hang out. Creative donations of yummy additions to grilled cheese are encouraged! We'll keep the cheese flowing as long as we have patrons and supplies. We're a family-friendly camp of three generations of Burners. We look forward to meeting people who may also be camping at Kidsville at Burning Man. Stop by to visit! Granny, Buster (19-month-old; this is his second Apo), Mary Jo (mommy), and Heath (daddy). **Noon to 3:00 p.m.**

The Octopussy's Tentacle Treasures - Try out universal trade! Find your bountiful booty or donate terrific treasure! Whatever tickles your fancy. The Octopussy's Bountiful Booty Box can fulfill all your treasure hunting desires! Have you picked up neat stickers from your travels on earth and abroad? If so, while you plunder her booty, leave your mark on the Octopussy for all future travelers to enjoy while they relax in the Octopussy's underwater lounge.

420 PotLuck with the Magical Rainbow Wizard Tocquahontis - Wizards invite you each day at 4:20 to the potluck to share with other burners and smoke-out the Wizard Hat tent! Bring joints, pipes, dabs, dab rigs to puff and pass! @ Wizards Camp **4:20 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.**

Everything Butt Fucking Dance Party - Guaranteed to be the hottest dance floor at Apo! Come cut loose, give consent, get lubricated, and break out those sweet moves. Eargasms will be provided by one of the best sound systems in Colorado! Anticipate an eclectic variety of music including special groovalicious sunrise sets! 21+ **7:00 p.m. to 7:00 a.m.**

Thursday

Ignition Gifts and Hugs Giving - H.U.G.S. (Hugs Uniforms and Gifts) will be located in the **Info Booth**. Apogaea Ignition members only, come and receive your well-deserved gifts and hugs from yours truly, Kiki, H.U.G.S. Lead. This is for people who are serving on the 2017 Ignition roster, including the wonder peeps who have served on Ignition for two years and will receive a special gift and hoodie if you pre-ordered it. I will be handing out these awesome thank-you tokens from noon to 2 p.m. on Thursday and Friday. Keep an eye on the booth for any schedule or location changes. For the fantastic people who come to volunteer at the event and are NOT on Ignition, you will receive your thank-you gift directly for the Department Lead to which you volunteer for at the time you finish your shift. Thank you everyone! **Thursday & Friday noon to 2:00 p.m.**

***Spray & Squirt @HatBar** - Bring your favorite gear or get a hat or shirt from us and use our Apo-related stencils and sprayable fabric paint to personalize your own schwag. @ Hat Bar **2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.**

***Adorn an Ashtray** - A Center Camp event where we'll decorate small tins to turn into pocket ashtrays that can be used to collect trash from various smoking methods, as well as any other kind of micro MOOP. Let's use our personalized pocket art pieces to keep Apogaea beautiful while spreading the Leave No Trace message! *Artist/Crew: Mosey Christa* **3:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.**

Fire Safety Briefing (MANDATORY for fire spinners!) - Meet at the effigy for your **Apo Fire Safety briefing!** Attending a Fire Safety Briefing is MANDATORY for anyone who wishes to spin fire at the burn. ALL fire performers are welcome to join this year's Conclave. Come out so that you can participate! **4:00 p.m.**

All of You Happy Hour - Enjoy an elegant art experience! **All of You** is an art installation that pairs nicely with box wine. Join us for happy hour and get some class in your life, hippie. Slap the bag, we'll slap your ass. Bring a cup. @ All of You Camping **4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.**

Magic of Crystals with Wizard Jake Dekker - A metaphysical workshop where you can learn about the incredible properties of crystals and how they form and why they contain magical energies. If you have a particular crystal that you would like identified please bring it! @ Wizards Camp **5:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.**

Fifth Annual Scotch Happy Hour - Bring your cup, some friends, and bottles of fine whiskey to **Dr. Scotch's 5th Annual Scotch and Whiskey Happy Hour!** Split a spiffy bottle with your campmates and share the scotch love! If you want to save some for later, put a label with your name on the bottle. We'll stop pouring when the level reaches the tape, and return the bottle to you. @ When in GNOME **6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.**

Wizards Blast Off! - Wizards launch party to celebrate our first night as an official camp. Please come meet and mingle with the Wizards. Champagne will be served. @ Wizards Camp (obvs) **6:30 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.**

McKenna's Dream - The Gnomes have cooked up some special magic in the form of an interactive virtual psychedelic experience. Come explore another dimension of reality without doing anything that might upset your mother! Walk around in a mushroom-filled grove inhabited by hyper-dimensional elves, travel down the tunnel and through the chrysanthemum, or create your own pulsating sculpture in a world free of that buzz-killing law of matter conservation. @ When in Gnome **7:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.**

Mercury Touchstone Rocket Launch Party - Come witness the launch of our jet-fueled space rocket, connecting Apo with the Earth's stratosphere and beyond! Three control stations let YOU participate in the launch of this 12-foot tall, LED-covered rocket. Enjoy one of our Moon Tang and Rocket Fuel shots, dance under the black lights of our **Asstral Lounge** with live resident and guest DJs playing house, trance and fun electro! Space attire and UV-reactive clothing is highly encouraged! At 11 p.m. the party moves to **Camp Wardrobe MalFUNKtion**. At 2 a.m. the party moves to Event Horizon until 4 a.m. **8:00 p.m. to 4:00 a.m.**

Intergalactic Camp TakeoverR ~ Sound Camp Tour - Featuring resident DJs from **The Badastronauts, Wardrobe MalFunktion & Event Horizon**, this radically inclusive parade of sound takes you on a journey to the edges of Apogaea! 8-11 p.m.: "Blast Off" @ Badastronauts with guest DJs from Wardrobe MalFunktion; 11-2 a.m.: "Maximum Velocity" @ Wardrobe MalFunktion with guest DJ's from Event Horizon; 2:00+: "Deep Impact" @ Event Horizon with guest DJs from Bad Astronauts **8:00 p.m. to 4:00 a.m.**

Why Do You Suck Party @HatBar - Bring your goth/industrial self and find out why you suck. Join us for drinks, 420 lounge, BYODab e-nail, and new wave, synth pop, dark wave, and industrial sounds for your earholes to get down on. Tell your bartender why you suck to enjoy a tasty libation, or be prepared for us to tell you why you suck--all totally free of charge and only @ Hat Bar. **8:00 p.m. to midnight**

Mad Science Party - Enjoy music and a drink on Night One at camp **Bass'd on Science!** WARNING: We may all be mad! **9:00 p.m. to 1:00 a.m.**

WonderLounge Blacklist Party - Take a trip to **Wonderlounge** and get classy on this night / Attend our Blacklist Party, it's sure to be a delight / Only one riddle, to get down the Rabbit Hole / To see the stars you wish, to soothe your mortal soul / Name thyself a name, a name from Wonderland / To get on the list, which Buttercup has in hand... Will you be on the list? Champagne shots, drinks, and beats served for your pleasure. @ Wonderlounge **10:00 p.m. to 7:15 a.m.**

***Club Smash Club** -Smash. SMASHSMASHSMASH! **10:00 p.m. to midnight**

Friday

Is Anal Right for You? - Come see the Narwhals at the Everything Butt Stuff bar and find out if anal is right for you! Bring your own toy and choice of lube. **11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.**

Astrology and You - Astrology is the study of the movements and relative positions of celestial objects as a means for divining information about human affairs and terrestrial events. Come learn more about how the Universe interacts with YOU! @ Event Horizon **noon to 1:30 p.m.**

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Let the Games Begin! - Gnomes love to play. If you have a hankering for a game of Giant Jenga, Dueling Twister, or backgammon, you can scratch that itch When in Gnome. We'll have one officiated period of Dueling Twister on Friday at high noon. Games are available for your enjoyment at most other times as well. @ When in Gnome **noon to 2:00 p.m.**

***Apogaea Soldering Workshop 2017: The Propagand-Eye - Electron Village** is bringing the soldering workshop back to Apogaea with a fresh new kit for 2017! The **Propagand-Eye** is an eyeball-shaped PCB onto which participants will solder addressable LEDs as well as a variety of other components to make their own blinky badge they can wear with pride. Once assembled, the badges will be able to communicate with one another via infrared (IR) communication creating an interactive game in which participants will be able to collect different blinky modes from other badges. This will create many opportunities for interaction among participants long after the workshop is over. Participants of all ages and skill levels are encouraged to come learn to or brush up on your soldering skills. Kits will be given out and soldering stations will be available on a first-come, first-serve basis until the kits are gone or until time runs out. @ Electron Village. *Artist/Crew: Joel Bartlett (Joel E B): Hardware Design and Workshop Lead; Spec7er: Software; The Electron Village Crew* **noon to 3:00 p.m.**

***Club Smash Club** -Kid/family-friendly smash! **noon to 3:00 p.m.**

Moving from Me to We - When you leave Burning Man, you might be left asking, "why can't my life be like this?" What if I told you there was a way to move the world towards the Burning Man Principles? What if that world had an economic system that valued civic responsibility, communal effort and gifting? What if that same economy devalued the collection of things and valued the good you make in that economy? What if this unlikely economy encouraged a community "good" monetary system that involved people providing currency value for companies that leave no trace? And what if this collection of ideas and seemingly implausible plans also provided the immediacy that we all seek in our daily lives, helping us to overcome barriers that stand between us, moving us from me-centered thinking to more we-centered thinking? Come find out! Skeptics welcome. @ Everything Butt Fucking **1:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m.**

Ballet Basics Workshop - If you've ever been interested in learning ballet, start with the basics here at my ballet basics workshop. All ages welcome. @ Event Horizon **2:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.**

Music: Unlock the Magic! - Wizards are hosting a workshop where you can learn about the magic that makes music work, from psychoacoustics to wave physics! This is a beginner music workshop led by Wizard Alex Kormendi. @ Wizards Camp **2:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.**

Origami Box Workshop - Don't let your tent turn into a disaster zone! Come to this workshop to learn how to make paper origami boxes to organize all your knick-knacks and propaganda communiqués. @ When in Gnome **2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.**

***Teensy Tiny Top Hats and Tea with (Mickey) Mooselini** - Join **Hat Bar** for teas and making/decorating your very own teensy tiny top hats. We'll have several varieties of hats to craft, ball caps to decommoify/decorate, and leather coin purses for you to create and take. **2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.**

Beverly Hillbillies Take Over WonderLounge - Come git yer fill of wieners, shitty beer, cheap whiskey, and good ol' country music. Dress in your best white trash outfit! **2:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.**

Octopussy Pilots License Test - Calling all intergalactic travelers! The space police is out in full force! Don't get caught without proper identification. Renew your pilot's license at the Octopussy. Don't get detained at the wormhole gates! **2:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.**

Rubik's Cube 101 - Come learn how to solve the Rubik's Cube! Use one of ours or bring your own. It's so easy anyone can do it, even kids! Also: Rubik's Cube Repair Shop. Have one of those stupid cubes that's been sitting in a drawer, silently taunting you and making your OCD ratchet up? We'll bring it to us and we'll fix it for you! Proudly display your completed Cube and learn how relaxing a solved Cube can be. **2:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.**

Make Your Very Own Flogger - Learn how to make a flogger out of used bicycle inner tubes. We'll supply everything you need, just bring yourself and yer butt for optional flogging practice. Adults only. @ Camp Everything Butt Fucking **3:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.**

Rhythm: Booty Telekinesis - A workshop where we will go beyond music theory and discover how to wield the magic of the groove! This is a beginner workshop led by Wizard Alex Kormendi. Bring your drums & instruments if you have them! @ Wizards Camp **3:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.**

Intergalactic: The People's Collage - Help us collage our history of space adventures by leaving a mark on the outer limits of the Event Horizon Shade structure! This is an interactive art session in which we will display the artistic creations of the Apogaea community year after year. Come get your art on! @ Event Horizon **3:00 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.**

Learn to Juggle - It's exciting to juggle, especially with our balls. Come down and learn how to handle balls by juggling them. *Artist/Crew: David Wang and Sara Whitby* **3:00 p.m. to 4:40 p.m.**

The Wild Frumpian Pie Society - Join the **Wild Frumpian Pie Society** for a sinful selection of slightly southern sweets and refreshments including cookies, cake, and most importantly...PIE! First come, first serve 'til it's gone; bring a plate if you feel fancy. **3:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.**

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***Art of Apogaea - Fancy-Schmancy Granted Art Tour by CATS** - Join CATS (Creative Art Team Support) for a guided tour of the 2017 Apogaea Granted Art. Box wine and cheese will be provided to put you in an art-appreciating mood. Meet at Center Camp at 4:00 p.m.; art tour goes mobile to appreciate the art and meet the artists shortly thereafter. **4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.**

Grope Meditation - Please join us at **Camp Shangri-LaLa-Ommie** for a grope—I mean group—meditation ending in a spiraling ohm. (Remember, groping of any kind requires consent!) **4:30 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.**

Get Crafty with the Radical Wizard K-Rad - A craft workshop where you can let your creative juices flow and make your own Wizard wand or staff! Led by Kristin Rad! @ Wizards Camp **5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.**

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Gnome Hill Bacchanalia - When in Gnome, do as the Gnomans! Start your Frisky Friday Frolic at Happy Hour on Gnome Hill. Wear your Gnomans finest: togas, legionnaire battle dress, space aliens, and magical woodland critters. @ When in Gnome **6:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m.**

Dvořák's New World Symphony in SoundPuddle - Completed in 1893 and played by Neil Armstrong during the first moon landing in 1969, Dvořák said he was inspired by American "wide open spaces" while composing this piece. Experience this majestic orchestral work as an immersive fusion of sound and sight, at the intersection of 19th-century composition and 21st-century electronic art. **8:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.**

***Club Smash Club** -Smash. SMASHSMASHSMASH! **8:00 p.m. to midnight (or 2 a.m.)**

Dance For Your Drink @HatBar - Fight the powers that be and come join us to do a little dance, take a little sip, and get crunk tonight. Dance Contests: probable. Dancing Required for Drinks: likely. 420 Lounge/BYODab enail: for certain. Jive on my funky fresh turkeys...jive on. **8:00 p.m. to midnight**

The Get Down! Old Skool Hip Hop and Funk Party - Come to **Speleo MalFUNKtion Village** for the dopest beats this side of the Hudson River! We'll be throwing down the most danceable tracks around from sundown til the wee hours. Come dressed to impressed, or just come ready to shake your booty the best! DJs Gahbe, Milk, LaFontaine & more! **8:00 p.m. to 2:00 a.m.**

Total Tentacle Takeover - Seduced by suction cups? Tickled by tentacles? Crazy about cephalopods? Embrace the tentacle and avoid the tentacalypse at the **Total Tentacle Takeover!** Come get caught in a tentacle time warp with toe tapping tunes! Presented by the Octopussy and Event Horizon! Gifted Pink Tentacle Drink while supplies last (21+ WE CHECK ID) **8:00 p.m. to 3:00 a.m.**

***Late Nite Price is Rite** - Back for 2017! Pricier! Righter! Now with more dildos! Get off on our fabulous prizes as we bring consumerist exuberance to Apogaea! Building upon Bob Barker's long obsession with genitalia, **Late Nite Price is Right** is a mashup re-appropriation of classic game show games reimagined for the discerning Burner. We adapt game show challenges to adult themes, pushing community participants to leave their comfort zones behind. We are (maybe) doubling our showtimes, expanding our seating, and building bigger and more ridiculous games. **L.N.P.I.R.** will fill one evening, and (maybe) one NEW matinee, providing hours of adult-themed game-show fun, open to anyone 18+ and hosted in our 32' dome. **L.N.P.I.R.** IS A STRICTLY 18 AND OVER event. **Please DO NOT bring anyone under the age of 18 to our event**--our door persons will be forced to turn you away. @ Glitter Chicken Roost Artist/Crew: *Ieki, Cory, Kate, and The Good Dr.* We would also like to thank the following support staff: *LGs, Sipapu, Gu, Hot C., Skull Mama, Hatchet, Dome Raisers, and all the Glitter Chickens!* **9:00 p.m. to 11:00 p.m.**

Black Hole Black Light Party - Calling all space cadets and species from faraway galaxies! Join us as we take you through a black hole to another dimension of UV colors and sound. Enjoy Moon Tang shots from our bar, dance to our live DJs in our Asstral Lounge and chill on our giant cuddle puddle Launch Pad. @ Bad Astronauts. **9:00 p.m. to 1:00 a.m.**

Saturday

All of You Hangover Assist Workshop - So you had a wild Friday night, and now you are paying the price. Your crusty eyes open to the stabbing rays of the mountain sun, and your organs feel like smashed bananas. Join us for an educational and palliative workshop where we will categorize the severity of your hangover, and enjoy a variety of (potential) cures! Bring a cup. @ All of You Camping **9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.**

Supernovas and Mimosas - Come join us for mimosas and music! @ Bass'd on Science **9:00 a.m. to noon**

Naughty Pilates - Ready to bend over and streeetch? Thrust and hold? Bounce around? Saturday morning put on your finest 80s workout gear and come get your heart pumping with a naughty workout, Wingnut style. Complete with everything you expect from a workout: live DJ, instructor, dancing, unicorns, spankings, boots and cats...you know, pilates (but weird)! @ Wingnuts Camp **11:00 a.m. to noon**

Emotional Freedom Techniques - Tap on acupuncture points for personal performance, emotional challenges and physical issues. @ Event Horizon **noon to 1:30 p.m.**

***Club Smash Club** -Kid/family-friendly smash! **noon to 3:00 p.m. (or 4:00 p.m.)**

Tin-Foil Hat-Making Workshop - It's well-known that the Effigy actually houses the mind-control ray that makes all of us bow down before Larry Harvey. Make and wear a tin-foil hat to protect against the Burner conspiracy to sap and impurify your precious bodily fluids. Deny them your essence! @ we can't tell you where because then THEY would come shut us down. **12:64**

Kids' Talent Show - Kids, come show off your talents, whatever they may be. Entertain us with your singing, dancing, magic, comedy, instruments, athletics, artistry. This is your moment to shine! @ Event Horizon **1:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m.**

Octopussy Pilots License Test - Calling all intergalactic travelers! The space police is out in full force! Don't get caught without proper identification. Renew your pilot's license at the Octopussy. Don't get detained at the wormhole gates! **2:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.**

I, Artist: Transcend - Become a true artist! Wizards are hosting a workshop where you can learn how to transcend the shackles of your lower self and what to expect along the way. This is an advanced music workshop led by Wizard Alex Kormendi. @ Wizards Camp **2:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.**

Parent/Child Dance - Daddy/daughters, mother/sons, mommy/daughters, daddy/sons. All are welcome to come dance and enjoy some quality time together. @ Event Horizon **2:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.**

***Are You Feeling Horny? Meow! @HatBar** - Decorate your very own 3D-printed hat, unicorn horn, kitty kat ears, demon horns, and more! We'll have a variety of fabrics and paints, including an airbrush, so you walk away wearing your own unique Apogaea art. **2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.**

Improvisation and Voodoo - Wizards are hosting a workshop where you can learn to become the music! Its life-changing magic becomes yours to command at will. This is an advanced music workshop led by Alex Kormendi. Bring your drums & instruments if you have them! @ Wizards Camp **3:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.**

Intergalactic: The People's Collage - Help us collage our history of space adventures by leaving a mark on the outer limits of the Event Horizon Shade structure! This is an interactive art session in which we will display the artistic creations of the Apogaea community year after year. Come get your art on! @ Event Horizon **3:00 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.**

BoD Meet & Greet: Patrick's Deep-fried Hootenanny - Who doesn't love deep-fried goodness? Your Apo President dragged his deep fryer out here & will be cooking the hell out of some crunchy, salty & sugary snacks. Join your Apo Board of Directors for cheap beer, fried food & questionable behavior. @ Camp Kremlin **3:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.**

Moon Bass Martini Lounge - Dress up in your best spy attire for this top secret mission including stellar cocktails! What is the plot? What's the end state? Stick around to see what happens! @ Event Horizon **3:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.**

WonderLounge's Twisted Tea Party - Join us for WonderLounge's fabulous tea party, our founding and signature event. Bring your own tea cup... or enjoy ours. Please feel free to bring tea treats you'd like to share. We will have "tea" and tea treats also. Can't wait to see you! **3:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.**

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The Ginger National Front presents the 42nd Annual SPREAD THE RED Cheese and Grapes Potluck, Reception, Hazing, and Hobby Horse Races - Bring that thing in your cooler you never actually ate to share with all. Bonus points, and maybe ginger hugs, if you bring red food. Come pig us with us and our BYODab enail. Cheese and grapes provided for this potluck event @HatBar. **4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.**

Moon Tang Happy Hour with Nuclia Waste - Enjoy one of our Moon Tang shots, dance to electroswing with our special radioactive drag queen guest DJ, Nuclia Waste! @ Bad Astronauts **4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.**

Wizard Crunk-B-Q with ENERJOHN! - Wizards are hosting a BBQ where we gonna get *crunk!* Featuring old school hip-hop, chronic smoke, and 40s! Wear your bling! **4:30 p.m. to 9:30 p.m.**

The Apo-A-Go-Go Slappy Hour Burlesque Show - Camp Wardrobe MalFUNKtion and your host David Westman are delighted to present the seventh annual Apo-A-Go-Go Slappy Hour Burlesque Show and Talent Review! Bring a camp chair, sit back, relax and indulge in Apogaea's bountiful, bodacious, burlesque bombshells and bulging boytoys as they strut their sexy stuff on our stage. It's a smokin' hot pre-burn burlesque and variety show that's sure to fire you up. @ Camp Wardrobe MalFUNKtion **6:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.**

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9 Countries in SoundPuddle - 9 Countries is an hour-long composition by Wax Audio of sounds recorded across south east Asia in 2005: temple bells; chanting monks; the beating drums of festival processions; insect, bird and animal noises; random street conversations with people; traffic sounds; protest rallies; and everyday people singing their hearts out. Let SoundPuddle transform your senses and take you on a journey to another part of the world. **8:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.**

Fahrenheit 420- Burn Blunts, Not Books @HatBar - Big Brother is watching, so you might as well get your ass down to Hat Bar tonight and enjoy drinks, music, 420 Lounge and BYODab e-nail. You know by now that it's hats and a bar. Duh. **8:00 p.m. to midnight**

Flaming Shuttlecocks Badminton Tournament - LED badminton competition... 'nuff said. @ Event Horizon **8:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m.**

Apogea Effigy Fire Performance and Heart of Gold "Burn" - The Apogaea Effigy Conclave, in conjunction with Mark Switzer and Brad Allen, present a technicolor rainbow of colored flames. @ the Effigy. *Artist/Crew: Jules Pellerin, Jason Kemo Wasabi, FI Amy Styles, Mark Switzer, Brad Allen, The Apogaea Fire Conclave* **9:00 p.m.**

Readings from the Protocols of the Elders of Apogaea - You think the Board of Directors makes the decisions concerning Apogaea? Wake up, sheeple! The REAL strings are being pulled by the Illuminati Cabal that Actually Runs Apogaea (ICARA). Be prepared to learn the REALITY behind this event! (Note: This event is subject to its hosts' not being disappeared during the event by ICARA secret police. ICARA is not responsible for tent or shade structure damage caused by black helicopters' rotor blast). Listen to the Apo numbers station broadcast for location details. **9:83 p.m.**

Camp Wardrobe MalFUNKtion's Burner Prom - Hostesses Princess Stephanie and Kiji Kiji invite you on a magical journey of slow dancing, necking and heavy petting at the 2017 **Camp Wardrobe MalFUNKtion Prom Party**. DJ Old Man Winters will be kicking the party off with an assortment of 80s prom tunes! Our lovely hostesses will be nominating and voting for the Apogaea 2017 Prom King and Queen, so be sure to dress your very best and show us how you and your date (or dates) cut a rug! Crimp n' curl your hair, wear your best prom attire, and get ready to dance! King & Queen entry details: Please show up by 11:00 p.m. and submit your name(s) to Princess. King & Queen winner(s) will be judged on wardrobe and dance moves. This does not mean contestants have to be dressed in formal prom attire, just prom attire as you interpret it. King & Queen contestant(s) are not gender specific. @ Camp Wardrobe MalFUNKtion. *Artist/Crew: Jules Pellerin-Camp Wardrobe MalFUNKtion, Matthieu Lafontaine, Princess Stephanie and Kiji Kiji* **10:00 p.m. to 4:00 a.m.**

The Notorious Gemini Birthday Bash! - Back by popular demand, the annual Gemini Birthday Bash! Geminis and Gemini lovers, come celebrate another year around the sun in true Narwhal style: no lifeguard on duty. @ Everything Butt Fucking **10:00 p.m. to 4:00 a.m.**

***Club Smash Club** - Burn Night hard-core smash **10:00 p.m. to 2 a.m. (or as late as we have help)**

"After Burn" Black Light Party - After the burning of the Effigy and/or Temple, join us for a black light party in our Astral Lounge featuring badass DJs, Moon Tang shots, and our Launch Pad bouncy lounge. Interact with our 12-foot rocket Mercury Touchstone. UV reactive outfits highly encouraged! @ Bad Astronauts **11:00 p.m. to 2:00 a.m.**

Sunday

Temple Closing Silent Tea Ceremony - Join us at the Temple for a Silent Tea Ceremony. Please bring a cup. @ the Temple **9:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m.**

Now, go home! And be safe about getting there!

Start thinking about what you'll create, bring, and do for Apogaea 2018!

Thank everyone who makes the festival possible: volunteers, team leads, the Board and Ignition members, advisors, and everyone who attends/performs/interacts/enjoys Apogaea in the spirit and ethos of the event. Be sure to sign up for volunteer shifts, play safely and with respect to others, have fun, and remember: leave no trace!