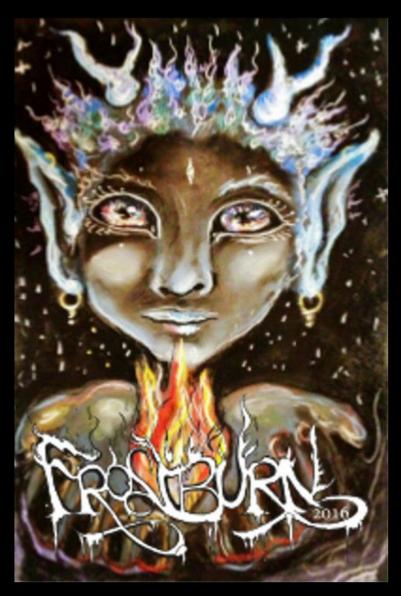
Event Guide



What? Where?! When?!?

To the Frostburners who make this event possible...

Thank you to the brilliant artists Hallsi Rose and Cort for collaborating on the beautiful ticket art.

Thank you to our tireless effigy builder, Doug Ruuska.

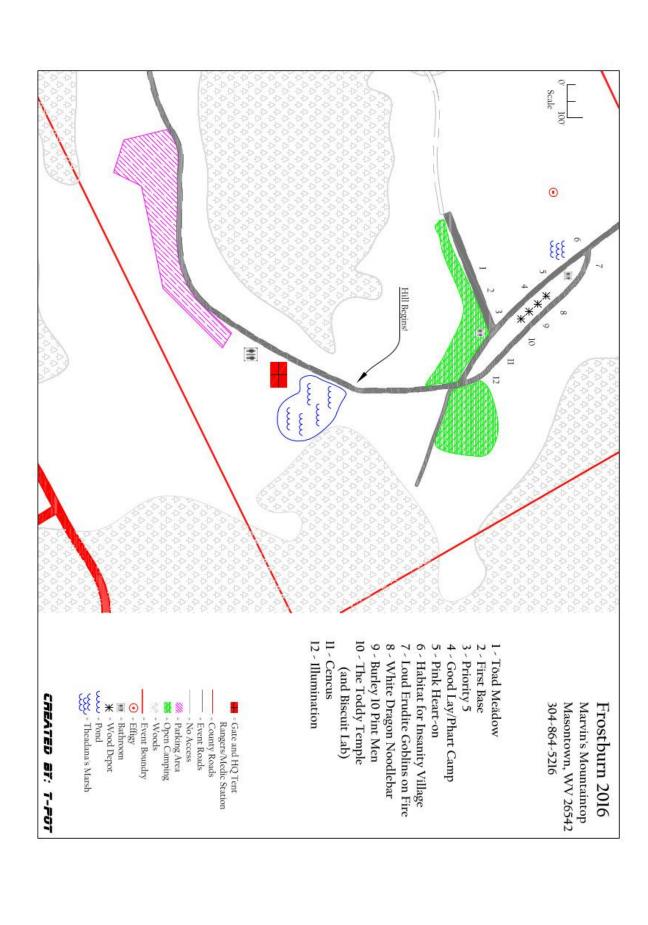
Thank you to Marvin, who welcomed us home!

Thank you to the dedicated Medical, DPW, Ranger, Gate, Conclave, FAST and Placement Leads.

Thank you to the most amazing volunteer community.

Thank you to the event organizers.

Thank you to the Frostburn community, sharing the warmth since 2008.



Theme Camps

Burly Ten-Pint Men

Firepit, food, music. Possibly martial displays, people in armor, varying levels of medieval period clothing.

Camp Good Lay

Camp Good Lay is back to bring you the warm and cozy yurt complex you've come to know and love. This year, we've partnered with Camp Gold Star and Phart Camp to bring you many different unique experiences - including Phart Camp's new geodome! Don't be shy, come on in! We'd love to share the warmth with you.

Census

Gather information about the community demographics

First Base

Tundra hardened Echo Base and the up-and-coming First Fires team up to create an unforgettable new experience-This Frostburn, get to First Base.

Our home is open to visitors to come in, warm up by the stove, and enjoy company in our living area. Travelers are encouraged to add their marks onto the murals of our cave walls. Space permitting, we plan to continue our popular Onesie Tea Party and Open Mic events.

Habitat for Insanity/The Psychedelic Ski Lodge

Gather 'round the wood stove for a discussion on a provably optimal method of taxation, a radically different approach to tort law, or a less serious discussion on proper nutrition. Details and times are listed in the schedule.

ILLUMINATION

A light in the winter darkness. Image of a warm fire to trick your mind. A stop on the way to somewhere else

Loud Erudite Goblins on Fire

We know we're scary. And smelly. And loud. And rude. Sometimes. Sometimes we're super fun and entertaining and have meat. Unsourced meat, but meat none the less. We also have warm. Many warms, Come use the warms. Have some late-night meats. Maybe some early-morning meats. Learn to give glory to the Knife Demon in hopes that he will harden your nipples with his icy presence, guiding you through the brutal winter to safety. Relative safety, anyway. Assuming he isn't drunk. Anyway, come be impressed with goblin horsebrutality and erudition.

Phart Camp

Phart Camp (Philadelphia Art Camp) returns for our second year at Frostburn as a neighborhood within the Camp Good Lay Yurt Village. Come indulge in some authentic movie theater popcorn as you snuggle up next to our make-pretend fireplace dvd. We aim to create a warm and dry Geohome to share with our fellow Frostburners as a place to create art, play board games, and occasionally take a break for some Mario Kart 64 or a good movie trilogy. As the night revs up, come to Phart Camp for some Late Night Pharts with DJ Liquid Sugar for a less womp womp music experience. If we survive till the morning, there's a good chance we'll be hosting Yoga. BYOM. (Bring your own mat.)

Pink Heart-on

We are most masochistic members of the southeastern camp Chocolypse Now!, and we are very excited to risk hypothermia and frozen toes to come burn with y'all. We will have several spacious army tents, one with a heater, to provide some social space. We will be serving up delectable hot beverages and soups to warm the bodies and souls of all our fellow burners. We will also bring our popular Psychiatric Help Booth to tend to to warped minds of all these freaks that choose to camp out in such inhospitable conditions.

Priority 5

Priority 5 strives to create an immediate and participatory environment that is centered around music and dance. We embrace the blank white slate of the tundra and try to ensure that we have a place always available to the rhythmically inclined masses.

This year we will have a very respectable bar at which we welcome the strange, the weird and the present.

- Do not camp near us if you do not like music - -

The Toddy Temple (and Biscuit Lab)

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Töad Meädow

Drinking, and music all night. Relaxing chill out hookah lounge in back. Daytime philosophy talks and shit talking.

White Dragon Noodle Bar

The White Dragon Noodle Bar is back from our travels round the 'verse for another year of slingin' salty noodles and stingin' drunken wit. When the tent's open, stop by for a snack, a chat, a drink, a game, or yet another story about your very generous mother. At sundown stay for our world-famous vegan soy shiitake noodle soup! Feeling shiny? Sumo wrestle a friend or frenemy and both of you cut the line. Look for the big white tent with the red and white flag, that transgalactic bedouin diner off the shoulder of Orion. Come in and revel in your time.

Art Installations

Fire-osty

Artist: Doug Ruuska

A work of wood and metal unlike any Snowman that has come before! A beacon in the dark and a work of art in the daylight. The Snowman will be waiting for you on the Tundra, dusted with snow and ready to burn.

Stop Here

Artist: Raoul Duke

You'll know if when you see it. A seat in the storm, a place to stop when you probably shouldn't stop here.... Maybe even a drink if you're a little more crazy than you are smart.

Theadona's Marsh

The mountaintop has created an installation for us this year. Brave the swamp between Habitat for Insanity and Pink Heart-on to find a moment of calm or maybe even long forgotten treasures from Theadona herself. Who is Theadona you ask? Brave the frozen marshlands and you might find out.

Santa's Bobsled

Artist: Saint

Santa's Sleigh has no magical properties, it just gets dragged around the world by his magical reindeer. Reindeer have been banned from Marvin's Mountain since the Yuletide goring tragedy of 1986, so Santa's Bobsled has been designed to operate without these dangerous animals. This is a combination of art, insanity, and the potential for participation. Please don't use the Bobsled when it has "passengers" in place, and riders must be capable of safely operating it.

Radio Station

Priority 5 FM

Listen to the party you are missing out on! The output from our mixer turns into a magical energy field that surrounds all of us and lies awaiting you on your radio dial at 105.5 P5.

Zello!

Zello is like a walkie talkie that works over the internet, on your phone. If you want to keep in touch with your friends while on the Tundra, download the Zello app to your smart phone and sign in on site. This is a password protected channel for Frostburn participants and will not be used by Frostburn staff for official communication. The zello channel is **Frostburn2016**, find out the password when you check in at Gate.

Events and Happenings

Thursday

Gate Opens(starts at noon)

Welcome to the Tundra!

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Seminar: The Stoner Food Pyramid (7:00 PM)

Habitat for Insanity/The Psychedelic Ski Lodge

With marijuana becoming legal in an increasing number of states, it is important to recognize the role of proper stoner nutrition. We'll explore the latest findings in this hard-science seminar given by leading researchers.

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Friday

Night in Bucharest - Romanian Techno Party (midnight)

Priority 5

Be prepared to be transported to Romania with the sights and sounds of this little Balkan country's unique brand of Techno. Take in the music, the dancing, and the vibes as you spend your night with Priority 5 in Bucharest.

Yoga (Morning)

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A New Kind of Litigation (2:00 PM)

Habitat for Insanity/The Psychedelic Ski Lodge

Nuisance Lawsuits are those of dubious legal merit that are initiated by plaintiffs knowing that it is cheaper for the defendant to settle than to win at trial. We'll discuss a radically different set of litigation rules where defendants would welcome a nuisance lawsuit.

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First Fires Open Mic (4:00)

First Base

Swing by the cave for an afternoon of feels and giggles! Sing a song, tell a joke, read a poem, play your flute (or someone else's)-- do whatever makes you feel like you, and do it proudly!

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Epic. Movie. Trilogy. (Sundown)

Phart Camp

At Quarter to Dark. The Most. Epic Trilogy. Of the Season. Balto & Cool Runnings. There will be popcorn. Trilogy.

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Feel the Burn

Downwind of the portapotties closest to Toad Meadow

Frostburn kicks off the 2016 Burn season, and it's time that more people start to FEEL THE BERN! This is a freeform group discussion about how to help support any politician that will be the change you want to see in the world.

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Pawffle House Vibes - Brunch House Set (11:00AM)

Priority 5

What is "brunch house?"

Brunch house is a mood. It's an aesthetic. It's a feeling. It's also brunch. There will be Waffles. There will be Paw-mosas. There will be Vibes. Bring your vessel and greet the day with breezy tunes, food and drink you need to start burn day off right.

For the adventurous of stomach: If you bring it, we will waffle it.

A New Kind of Taxation (1:00 PM)

Habitat for Insanity/The Psychedelic Ski Lodge

When 100% of one's labor is claimed by someone else, it is known as slavery. Many consider taxes on people's labor, or on goods that they produce, to be similarly immoral. Yet most would agree that some level of publicly funded government is necessary. Is there any moral way to tax? We'll explore a completely moral method of taxation based on the unimproved value of land, and a way to assess the value of land that is immune to political manipulation.

Miss Frostburn Pageant (2:00PM)

Effigy

Think you have what it takes to rep our fair tundra? The crown of Ms Frostburn is not won lightly. Sashes required. Miss information? Miss behavin? Miss chief more likely! Bring your talent, your best tundra wear, bribes for the judges, your sash sass and booty because you know the competition is full of sweet ninja skills. No gender bias. All Playa ponies encouraged to come strut their stuff! Good luck and don't fuck it up!

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Mandatory Fire Conclave Safety Meeting (3:00PM)

Effigy

If you are a flow artist or fire performer who would like to join our effigy conclave this year: join us at 3pm Saturday @ the Effigy to go over the plan for the burn later in the evening. We want to help you share your warmth and flow to the community! For legal reasons this safety meeting is mandatory and wristbands will be distributed. Please be timely because it's cold outside, snarky remarks and sarcastic jabs will be served to latecomers. Tools are optional but encouraged.

Roaming - Santa delivers! (3:00)

The Tundra!

A Frostburn tradition, every year the too-tall Santa treks through the snow and ice to deliver gifts and holiday fun to everyone who wants to participate. No need to be naughty or nice, all are welcome. Santa reserves the right to be shorter at times, and you may be lucky enough to get a glimpse of his bobsled/sleigh. When you hear the bells and the Christmas tunes, come join the fun!

3rd Annual Bourbon Tasting: with Priority5 (3:30)

Priority 5

For the poor souls last year who either slept through the tasting or were running around like chickens with their heads cut off trying to keep their temporary homes and most precious of belongings from soaring off to Narnia, HAVE NO FEAR. YOUR CHANCE FOR REDEMPTION IS HERE!!!

Bring your favorite and most precious bottles of bourbon and slap a "Missing" picture of me on them now (especially after last year's results) as Priority5 will be hosting the Bourbon Tasting for the 3rd consecutive year!

Everyone is encouraged to bring their favorite bottle of bourbon to share with your fellow participants. The more, the merrier we will get. Even those without bourbon stop by for a few pours and please try to remember to bring a cup. We look forward to tipping a few back with you!

The Art of Tease (4:00PM)

Toad Meadow

Burlesque is the artistic way of being a stripper. You know you like the attention, now learn how to make them all melt at your feet. You can aim to excite just your lover or perform for an entire audience with a few sultry, tantalizing, and titillating tricks of the trade. We will make Toad Meadow style pasties then make our way to wearing just those. It will be madd warm and madd comfy. Everyone with nipples are welcome.

Mario Kart Tournament (4:00PM)

Phart Camp

LET'S GO! Mama Mia! OK! It's time to show the unsuspecting masses why they should tread lightly when you have an N64 controller in your hand. Phart Camp will be your host for the 2016 Frostburn Mario Kart 64 tournament. This is a burner style tournament in which we will make up the rules as we go along. The battles rages from 4 PM until dinner time.

**Phart Camp LLC cannot be held liable for butthurt due to blue shell game changers

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Effigy Burn (6:00PM)

Hell or high wind, fire conclave will start to celebrate the burning of our beloved Snowman as the sun drops below the ridge line. Share the warmth and watch fire melt the ice.

Tarot Readings (11:59PM)

Töad Meädow

Frostburn is in full swing! We are creating our future. Visit Töad Meädow for a personal Tarot reading and learn what the future holds. Remember: don't ask any questions that you don't want to know the answer to....

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Sunday

PAY TRIBUTE TO THE KNIFE DEMON (9:00AM)

Loud Erudite Goblins on Fire

ALL THINGS DESTROYED BY HIS WINTERY MIX GO TO HIM AND HIS GLORY! SHIVER WITH WORSHIPFUL TERROR! BRING THE COLD-WRACKED FRAGMENTS OF YOUR FORMER POSSESSIONS TO THE GOBLINS WHO SERVE HIM SO THEY MIGHT BE ADDED TO THE SHRINE OF HIS AWFUL FRIGIDITY, FOOLS! ONLY THOSE THINGS DESTROYED BY THE WIND, COLD AND SNOW ARE WORTHY!

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Champagne Tower and toast (noon)

Singles Camping

Come toast to another successful Frostburn! Champagne tower at Noon on Sunday. Singles camping area...look for the dome and yurt connected by a vestibule with a real door. We'll be welcoming you outside with a table filled with champagne (if the wind cooperates we'll even try to pour it in true tower style)!

Onesie Tea Party (noon)

First Base

Don your favorite onesie, ears, tail, makeup, or fuzzy attitude, and join us for tea and snacks!

5th Annual Luchador Formal (1:00pm)

White Dragon Noodle Bar

The White Dragon Noodle Bar will be hosting the 5th Annual Lucha-formal! Come dressed in your finest playa finery and luchador (Mexican wrestling) mask, and enjoy some tequila and mezcal, whilst being awarded your Mexican Playa Name! Those attending without being so properly attired will have to do rail shots and sing the Mexican National Anthem before admittance so c'mon folks: find a luchador mask (or a decent equivalent made out of pantyhose or some such thing, and a nice suit coat or cocktail dress) and come whoop it up before the weekend ends.

Yacht Rock Beach Party (2:00:00 PM)

Priority 5

Share the warmth of our beach party Sunday afternoon at Priority 5. Starting at 2pm sharp, we shall begin by dancing like our groovy ancestors did on their yachts during the late 1970s. Beach themed wear strongly encouraged, beach themed drinks at the bar.

Easter Bunny Redux (2:00)

The Tundra

The Easter Bunny Visitation was witnessed by a few lucky people last Frostburn. He's returning again to provide an alternative to Santa and to find the hottest dance party that's rabbit-friendly. If conditions require, The Easter Bunny may be replaced with the Snowshoe Hare.

Care and Feeding of Your Theme Camp Generator (or other small engines) (4:00:00 PM)

Töad Meädow

Unlike a vehicle that you drive everyday, your theme camp generator or art car are probably put into storage for long periods of time and then called back into duty after months of neglect. This presents unique challenges to smooth functioning of your equipment. Come to this workshop and we'll review basic maintenance and preparation for storage. As the heartbeat of your theme camp, you want to be absolutely certain that your generator will work when you need it to. This work shop will teach you how to make sure that happens.

It will also be useful for other equipment you have that gets put away for long periods of time such as snowblowers, lawn mowers, dirt bikes, snowmobiles and so on. Immediately following the workshop, we will align your chakras and tune your aura. Those who stay for this will receive extra karma credits.

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Gates Close (noon)

With thawing toes and blissful hearts we say goodbye to our beloved Tundra for one more year. Share the warmth, until we meet again!