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“Ballooning 101” During National Tourism Week- POSTPONED

(Gering, NE)

Due to the predicted weather forecast for Friday morning, May 10th and the condition of the launch site at the Mitchell Air Field (wet and very muddy), it has been decided to POSTPONE the “Ballooning 101” frontline training scheduled for tomorrow morning, Friday, May 10th at 7:00 a.m. at the Mitchell Air Field Hanger.

Ballooning 101 will be rescheduled for another date in early June; date to be announced. We will inform all tourism frontline businesses and sponsors of Old West Balloon Fest-U.S. Nationals Competition of the new date as soon as it is set. “This fun-informative training is important for frontline staffs and our sponsors; and we want to reschedule it to another date when the weather, field and flying conditions are conducive to all participants having a positive “Ballooning 101” experience”, stated Karla Niedan-Streeks.

Thank you for your understanding. Questions, contact Karla at the Gering Visitors Bureau.

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