View Eclipse From Atop Iron Mountain

LAKE WALES, Fla. – As one of the highest elevations in Florida, Bok Tower Gardens offers visitors a unique opportunity join the Eclipse “viewing mania” on Monday, August 21, 2017 atop Iron Mountain. The first 400 hundred visitors will receive a complimentary pair of CE/ISO certified viewing glasses. General admission prices will apply.

Kids are encouraged to join the Nature Play Guides at Hammock Hollow Children’s Garden to learn more about the Eclipse at the Discovery Cart from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

The maximum viewing time for Lake Wales is estimated at 2:49 p.m. Views from the Pine Ridge Preserve Knoll, the Tower lawn or Pinewood Estate lawn will be exceptional.

Central Florida residents will be able to view the solar eclipse at 85 percent totality, which means the moon will almost completely cover the sun. This will be the first total solar eclipse that will travel from the west coast to the east coast and viewable from the continental United States in 99 years. Florida will not see another total solar eclipse until the year 2045.