

# University of Arizona Astronomy Club

## General Meeting Notes: September 29, 2014

- Club Affairs
  - Club dues are \$10 per semester
  - AAS
    - Abstracts are due October 1st
    - If you plan on going and want the club to help fund you, email Megan at [mnieberding@email.arizona.edu](mailto:mnieberding@email.arizona.edu)
    - A meeting about AAS will be soon...
  - World Space Week
    - October 10<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 PM,
    - Meet in Steward Courtyard
    - Satellite gazing and telescopes on the grassy area by the courtyard at Steward
    - Movie Night/ Big Bang Theory Marathon
  - Grad School Panel
    - Yancy, our club advisor is returning the week of October 13th
    - He wants to have a grad school panel to discuss the application process and writing an application essay
    - Email Megan at [mnieberding@email.arizona.edu](mailto:mnieberding@email.arizona.edu) if you are interested!
  - The Art of Planetary Science Showcase
    - Oct 17<sup>th</sup>-19<sup>th</sup>
    - A showcase of art that is about space
    - There will be artwork, dance, music, etc. with a space theme
    - Kuiper Space Sciences Building
    - 5:00-9:00 PM on the 17<sup>th</sup>
    - 1:00-5:00 PM on the 18<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup>
  - Flandrau Planetarium Show
    - SEDS and the Astronomy Club want to go watch a planetarium show!!!
    - October 21<sup>st</sup> at 6:00 PM
    - We are going to try and watch Desert Moon (a show about the UA's involvement in the landing on the moon!!!!)
    - There will be a cost, but if we have a large enough group, we can get a discounted rate. (I will let you know the exact cost once Flandrau lets me know...)
    - Email Megan at [mnieberding@email.arizona.edu](mailto:mnieberding@email.arizona.edu) if interested
  - Apparel
    - T-shirts are \$10
    - Polos are \$20
  - Locked out of meeting
    - Visit Treva or Michelle if you are locked out for the meeting
    - They will get you cat card access to the building
    - They are in the all glass room in Steward.
    - Ask anyone and they will know where Treva is if you are lost

- Astronomy News of the Week
  - Special thanks to Erica for presenting Astronomy News of the Week!
- Club Trips and Visits
  - Club Star Party at Sabino Canyon
    - October 4<sup>th</sup>
    - Meet at 7:00 PM in the parking lot behind Steward
    - Bring your own telescope if you have one, please
    - The club just bought our own scope and we want to use it for the first time this Saturday!!
    - Email Megan at [mnieberding@email.arizona.edu](mailto:mnieberding@email.arizona.edu) if you can help drive or need a ride
- Outreach Events
  - Solar Eclipse
    - October 23<sup>rd</sup>
    - 2:00-5:00 PM
    - On the mall near the union we will have scopes out to watch the partial eclipse
    - Come join us for this event!
- Astronomy Question of the Week with Dr. Don McCarthy