

SAN JOSE AMATEUR ASTRONOMERS
MONTHLY BULLETIN
JUNE 1972

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DUES DUES DUES DUES DUES
June is the time of the year when your membership and subscription to Sky & Telescope expires. There are several advantages to being a member of San Jose Amateur Astronomers, Inc. They include use of the club library and telescopes, (6 inch reflector, 4½ inch reflector, 2.4 inch refractor, and soon 12.5 inch reflector and 6 inch refractor). Your \$10 for dues pays for your Sky & Telescope subscription, the monthly bulletin of SJAA and club projects such as the library, the 12.5 inch telescope, etc. Those wishing to join or rejoin SJAA should send \$10 with the blue card that Sky & Telescope sent to Emmet Murphy, 65 So. 9th Street, Apt. 3, San Jose, 95112 (287-6378).

JUNE 2, BOARD ELECTIONS AND EQUIPMENT NIGHT

The June meeting is election night. Board members are elected for two year terms. On even years, such as 1972, four board positions must be filled. On odd years five positions are open. The following persons have positions expiring as of June 2, 1972: Ralph Bridge 252-9396 Dick Glasspool 886-8843
 Greg Nichols 264-7724 Bruce Smith 327-1868

Persons wishing to fill board openings are:

Dave Aguilar	Ralph Bridge	Emmet Murphy
Brian Day	Dick Glasspool	Jerry Rattley
Dave Merritt	Dave Erickson	

Other persons interested in board positions but not listed should contact Dave Erickson at 269-4838 or at a meeting.

As well as election of the board there will be an equipment night. This is your chance to show and discuss your new or old pieces of astronomical equipment. All members and guests are urged to come and bring their astro-things to discuss. People who bring things should be prepared to discuss their function "briefly". The meeting will be held at Community Bank Building, Market & St. John Streets, second floor executive conference room, at 8 P.M. For information or directions call Dave at 269-4838.

JUNE 9, BOARD MEETING AT COMMUNITY BANK 8 P.M.

The June 9th board meeting is where the officers for the next year will be elected. Each board member has one vote for each official position. Officers are selected from the general membership, the board and current officers. Each board member casts his vote for each position. Officers are then installed at the Annual Banquet on July 16.

Following officer elections banquet preparations will be discussed. All members and guests are welcome to attend.

JUNE 10, STARPARTY AT FREMONT PEAK STATE PARK

For the past six years San Jose Amateur Astronomers has been having over night starparties at Fremont Peak. When the

weather is good it is usually the best night of viewing or photography participants have ever had. So this is your chance. Bring your telescopes, warm clothes, food, camping equipment and a camping fee. Be prepared for an excellent night of viewing. For more information call Dave at 269-4838 or Emmet at 287-6378.

NOTE Due to banquet preparations the scheduled public star-party on June 17th is being postponed. Please make a note

SAN JOSE AMATEUR'S ANNUAL
BANQUET & INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS
JULY 16, 1972

The Red Carpet Restaurant is hosting the banquet. Members and guests with families or friends are invited to attend.

Dr. Witteborn, a lifetime amateur astronomer and now head of NASA's "Airborn Astronomy," will speak. His topic, "Infrared Astronomy From Above."

At six o'clock there will be a happy hour, followed by dinner at seven o'clock. Possible entrees are Prime Rib and Chicken Kiev. Tickets will sell for around six dollars. For dinner reservations contact Dave at the regular meeting or by mail, (4112 Camden Ave., S.J. 95124). For more information contact banquet chairman Dr. Gregory at 258-6095. It's an excellent night out that you won't want to miss.

DEADLINE FOR RESERVATIONS JULY 10th

ADDITIONS AND CORRECTIONS TO SUMMER CALENDAR

Public Starparty June 17th postponed
July 7 Planning meeting at Dave Aguilar's
July 8 Starparty near Lick Observatory
July 16 ANNUAL BANQUET and officer installations

Good Seeing!