



RASCals STAR PARTY

Come join us! Learn Astronomy and Explore the Night Sky


August 30 to September 2, 2013

At the Metchosin Municipal Grounds
behind the Metchosin Fire Hall
4440 Happy Valley Road

Gates will open at 12pm noon on Friday. Camp on the field and setup your telescope.

Cost: Free of charge! RASC members and visiting observers (who stay overnight): suggested donation of \$20/Adult one day, two or three. Everyone present is entitled to tickets for door prizes, lectures and access to the observing field.

See <http://victoria.rasc.ca/events/StarParty/> for more details.

<p>Schedule of Events (subject to change)</p> <p>Friday 30th</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ 12:00pm – Gates open ■ 8:00pm – Door prizes ■ 8:30pm – Presentation: A Magic Lantern Show ■ 9:30pm – Guided Telescope Walk and “Astronomy 101” workshop, followed by viewing of the night sky <p>Saturday 31st</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Solar viewing – all day ■ 2:00pm - Workshop: Lunar Observing ■ 3:00pm - Workshop: Astrophotography ■ 4:00pm - Workshop: Double Stars ■ 4:00pm – 6:00pm – activities for the kids ■ 8:00pm – Door prizes ■ 8:30pm – Speaker: "Shedding Light on Light" by Mark When ■ 9:30pm – Guided Telescope Walk, followed by viewing of the night sky <p>Sunday 1st</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Solar viewing – all day ■ 8:30pm – Presentation: Aurora ■ 9:30pm – Viewing of the night sky 	<p>Monday 2nd</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ 9:30 am Cleanup (Please pitch-in & help) ■ 12 noon – early departures please! <p>Facilities:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Large camping area on the Field ■ Lots of parking - both on-field and parking lot ■ Food – Restaurants nearby. <p>■ And last but not least, a good 360° view of the night sky, see the Moon, Planets, Galaxies and more.</p> <p>Directions:</p> <p>From Duncan: Drive South on Highway 1 to Millstream Rd (Route 14 – Sooke Exit), drive South to Sooke Rd., turn right, and follow to Happy Valley Rd., turn left, and follow all the way to the Fire Hall.</p> <p>From Victoria: Drive West on Highway 1 to Millstream Rd (Route 14 – Sooke Exit), drive South to Sooke Rd., turn right, and follow to Happy Valley Rd., turn left, and follow all the way to the Fire Hall.</p> <p>All are welcome. Don't have a scope? No problem, RASC members will be happy to give you a tour of heavens above!</p>  <p>This is a presentation of The Royal Astronomical Society of Canada, Victoria Centre. Courtesy of the District of Metchosin.</p>								
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