

## See the night sky

through a variety of telescopes and binoculars; bring your own or view through others.

KNOWLEDGEABLE Prescott Astronomy Club members will have available their personal telescopes and binoculars for the public to view interesting objects in the night sky (weather permitting). Starry Nights is hosted by the Prescott Astronomy Club in cooperation with the Prescott Public Library as well as both the Prescott and Prescott Valley Departments of Parks and Recreation.

## 2022 Starry Nights Schedule in Prescott and Prescott Valley

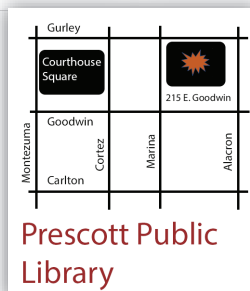
- **March 5:** Pronghorn Park, 7:30 - 9:30 pm; sunset 6:30 pm, see Orion Nebula, the Moon, galaxies, clusters, double stars.
- **March 31:** Highlands Center, 7:00 - 9:00 pm; sunset 6:50 pm, see clusters (Beehive, Hyades, Pleiades), Orion Nebula, galaxies, double stars.
- **May 7:** Pronghorn Park, 8:15 - 10:15 pm; sunset 7:19 pm, see details of the Moon, double stars, galaxies.
- **September 24:** Pronghorn Park, 7:30 - 9:30 pm; sunset 6:25 pm, see Saturn, Jupiter, nebulae (Ring, Eagle, Omega, Dumbbell), cluster (Wild Duck).
- **October 28:** Highlands Center, 5:30 - 7:30 pm; sunset 5:41 pm, see the Moon, Saturn, Jupiter, nebulae (Ring, Eagle, Omega, Dumbbell), clusters (Wild Duck, M15).
- **November 19:** Pronghorn Park, 6:30 - 8:30 pm; sunset 5:24 pm, see Jupiter, Saturn, double stars (Alberio, Almach), Wild Duck Cluster, Double Cluster.

### PRONGHORN PARK

is at 7931 E. Rusty Spur Trail, Prescott Valley

### HIGHLANDS CENTER FOR NATURAL HISTORY

is at 1375 Walker Rd, Prescott



### PRESCOTT ASTRONOMY CLUB

[www.prescottastronomyclub.org](http://www.prescottastronomyclub.org)

### PRESCOTT PUBLIC LIBRARY

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# Starry 2022 Nights

Soul Nebula

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Prescott & Prescott Valley

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# GET OUT

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Elephant Trunk Nebula



## Monthly Club Meetings

The Prescott Astronomy Club meeting is at 6:30 PM on the first Wednesday of each month at the Prescott Public Library in the Founders Suite.

Club meeting speakers are invited from a mix of club members, talented astronomers, researchers, hobbyists, and others who will speak about their work or current astronomy related projects.

## Third Thursday Star Talks

The club offers Third Thursday Star Talks, which is held each month and is held at the Prescott Public Library in the Founders Suite, times vary.

Star Talks presentations are on a variety of subjects relevant to astronomy. Speakers are selected from regional organizations for their knowledge and interests in astronomy and are often from the local community.

The Prescott Public Library is located at 215 E. Goodwin St, in downtown Prescott.

*The public is welcome to attend any meeting!!*

### Club Meeting Dates

- February 2
- March 2
- April 6
- May 4
- June 2
- July 6
- August 3
- September 7
- October 5
- November 2

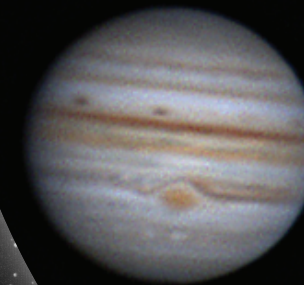
### Third Thursday Dates

- February 17
- March 17
- April 14
- May 19
- June 16
- July 21
- August 18
- September 21
- October 20
- November 17

For the most up-to-date Club Meeting, Third Thursday, and Star Party information, please visit [www.prescottastronomyclub.org](http://www.prescottastronomyclub.org)

# Prescott Astronomy Club Membership Highlights

- **Club Meetings and Third Thursdays** - regular monthly meetings highlighting current astronomy topics and research
- **Star Parties** - come out to a local park and observe the night sky using member provided telescopes and binoculars
- **METASIG** - informal social gathering at a local restaurant
- **Loaner Scopes** - club-owned telescopes and equipment available for loan to members
- **Astronomical League** - free membership in main association of astronomy clubs
- **Observing Programs** - guided lists of fun and challenging astronomy observing programs
- **MORE!** - member classifieds, local educational outreach



Saturn and Jupiter