

## **PAC GENERAL MEETING MINUTES – September 2, 2020**

Called to order @ 6:30PM via Zoom by President Carter.

There were 19 members and guests, including several from the Prescott College Astronomy Class, signed in via Zoom.

President Carter introduced board members and coordinators. He outlined tonight's meeting: Welcome guests, business meeting, scheduled events, short topics, break, main topic, announcements.

Prescott College Professor Mark Daley introduced himself and the students with him.

### **February meeting minutes and Treasurers Reports**

President Carter read the Treasurer's report. Ending balance \$6067.36, an increase of \$64.19.

President Carter reviewed the Club's Web site for the attendees.

Membership Coordinator John Baesemann reported that there are 53 active members.

### **Old Business**

President Carter reported on old business. There's been a donation of 10 inch mead with a wedge, like brand new. He currently has the items. There are Green 15mw lasers for sale.

### **New Business**

None.

### **SCHEDULED EVENTS**

METASIG, September 9, 5PM via Zoom. Third Thursday, September 17, 6pm, via Zoom. Speaker is Jennifer Buzz, PhD, subject Planetary Magnetic Fields. Prescott Library is handling the announcement. Star Party, September 19, 7pm, Pronghorn Park, Prescott Valley. Board meeting on September 15.

### **SHORT TOPICS PRESENTATION**

President Carter presented What's up in the September sky, using SkySafari.

7:46PM            **Break**

### **PRESENTATION**

7:55PM            Presentation by John Worman, Building a Telescope. A slide show of various stages of construction of his structure to house a telescope.

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

METASIG next Wednesday. Third Thursday coming up with Jennifer Buzz. Library will be hosting. President Carter should be getting information for distribution. Star Party September 19. John Baesemann will be there with a table. Each astronomer needs to bring wipes for their equipment. Nobody has signed up yet. President Carter spoke about having a virtual star party. Next meeting will be October 7 cohosted by ERAU. Guest speaker will be Emily Levesque.

Meeting was adjourned at 8:30 PM

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