

Sidereal Times



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MEETING NOTICE

The May meeting of the Amateur Astronomers Association of Princeton will be held on Tuesday, May 10, at 8:00 p.m. in Jadwin Hall, Room A-07, Princeton University.

Mr. Roger Gordon of the Lehigh Valley Amateur Astronomical Society will speak on Telescopes. The meet-the-speaker dinner will be at The Foolish Fox, Rocky Hill, N.J., on Route 206 at 5:45 p.m.

APRIL MEETING

Those who missed the April meeting - and many members did - missed a very interesting slide show by AAAP members Dick Peery, John Church, Mike Clark, Leith Holloway, Dave Brown, and Tullio Regge.

Our thanks to Dr. Regge for the use of the excellent meeting room at the Institute for Advanced Study.

Many guests from the Institute attended this meeting, in fact, guests outnumbered AAAP members.

The Nominating Committee presented the following slate for officers for the coming year.

Director	-	Dick Peery
Assistant Director	-	Roxanne Tobin
Secretary	-	Dave Brown
Treasurer	-	Leith Holloway
Program Chairman	-	?

The Nominating Committee was unable to find a person willing to run for the vitally important Program Chairman position. A volunteer will have to come forward if a serious constitutional crisis is to be avoided. The AAAP constitution says that all officer positions must be filled. Dick Peery has pledged to form an active committee to help a new Program Chairman find speakers.

Nominations for any and all officer positions will be accepted from the floor at the May Meeting.

OBSERVATORY NEWS

Great progress is being made on construction of the AAAP observatory at Washington Crossing State Park, but more volunteer help is essential to complete the project. Call Bill Phillips at 921-2732 if you can spare some Saturdays to work on this worthwhile project. If you cannot contribute labor, monetary contributions are still needed..