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FROM THE DIRECTOR

I am sure we are all too busy partying and enjoying the holidays to think about observing, but in case it does clear up and the stars beckon I have some good news. John Church and I have done some much needed work to the flap of the roof on the observatory and I can assure you that one person can easily open and close it.

There was some question about the last issue's duty roster. First, public sessions are not held during the winter months, the Friday sessions are for members and friends only. Second, keyholders should be available for the night listed, and depending on their time of travel to the observatory may not go out automatically. If you are not a keyholder and would like to use the observatory on a Friday night PLEASE CALL the assigned keyholder beforehand. This way no one is stuck out there alone.

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1982 PRELIMINARY SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

January 12, Tuesday, 8 pm

Dr. John Lowrance of Princeton University will talk about Electro Optic Sensors.

to be announced:

February 9, Tuesday, 8 pm

March 9, Tuesday, 8 pm

April 13, Tuesday, 8 pm

May 11, Tuesday, 8 pm

June 8, Tuesday, 8 pm

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The Publicity Committee is doing some fine work in getting our name known to the public. They would like AAAP members who see or hear publicity about the club to clip it out or tell them about it.

Jay Albert is working on setting up an astronomy fair at Quakerbridge Mall. Roughly, the support of 15 volunteers is needed. If you would like to help or offer discussion bring it up at the January meeting. Hope to see many more of you there. Happy Holidays!

Roxanne Peery

Before regular Tuesday evening meetings, members may want to relax and enjoy dinner with the guest speaker at the Foolish Fox restaurant located at the junction of Routes 206 & 518 in Rocky Hill, NJ; 5:45 pm.

Observatory Duty Roster

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Please give all materials for next issue to Editor by January 21st.