

LECTURE SCHEDULE

TIME	LECTURER	TOPIC
10h00	Jim Knight - Former Director of the Solar Section of ASSA	Solar Observing
11h00	Prof Okkie de Jager - Department of Physics, Potchefstroom University	The H.E.S.S. Gamma Ray Telescopes in Namibia
12h00	Dr Claire Flanagan - Director Planetarium, Johannesburg	People in Space
13h00	Dr Matie Hoffmann - Senior-lecturer: Department of Physics, University of the Free State	Recent and future developments for Optical Astronomy in SA: Boyden and SALT
14h00	Dr. Michael Gaylard - Hartebeesthoek Radio Astronomy Observatory	Is Astronomy useless? No, it can tell you what the time is and where you are, courtesy of Space Geodesy at HartRAO
15h00	Prof David Block - Director: Cosmic Dust Research Laboratory: University of the Witwatersrand	Penetrating Masks of Cold Cosmic Dust
16h00	Sarah Buchner – Astronomer Hartebeesthoek Radio Astronomy Observatory	Interpreting results from NASA's Wilkinson Microwave Anisotropy Probe
16h40	Emmanuel Petrakakis – Presenter at the Founding Convention of the Mars Society in Colorado 1998	Mars Society
17h00	Dave Gordon – Chairman of ASSA JHB	What's up in the Sky
18h30	Richard Wade - Owner N'Kwe Ridge Observatory	Archaeoastronomy of Great Zimbabwe

TELESCOPE EXHIBITORS

No	Name	Comment
1	Andrew Monnick	8" Dobsonian
2	Bjorn Magnussen	3" F15 Refractor
3	Brian Baker (from Dundee)	Equatorial platform
4	Brian Fraser	6" F8 Newtonian on a German Equatorial stand; 4.5" Maksutov
5	Bruce Dickson	Meade 12" SCT
6	Callie van der Merwe	6" F7 Dobsonian
7	Chris (Linda) Lubbe	ETX 90 Meade
8	Christopher Middleton	Meade 12 " LX 200GPS; Celestron 8 " C8
9	Dave Blane	Homemade 90mm F17.5 refractor
10	Dave Gordon	Meade 125 ETX ; Meade 10" LX50 SCT
11	Dave Hughes	6" F7.8 Dobsonian
12	Evan Dembskey (Owner Chris Stewart)	6" F5.6 Dobsonian; Equatorial Platform
13	Evan Dembskey (Owner Chris Stewart)	
14	Francois Nortje	6" F8 Dobsonian; Equatorial platform; 8" F5.4 Dobsonian motorised
15	Frikkie Le Roux (from Pta)	6" Newtonian on an Split Ring Mount
16	Gavin Blakeman	8" F8 Dobsonian
17	Geoff (Durban)	Mirror grinding machine

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18	Gerhard Koekemoer	8" F6.4 Dobsonian
19	Gerry Germishuizen	Foucault tester and some mirrors
20	Hilton Foyster (from Dundee)	8" Dobsonian
21	Jan Schut	6" F6.8 Newtonian ; Spectroscope (hopefully)
22	Jim Knight	Celestron C90 telescope with a glass filter; 80 mm refractor with a Herchel Wedge filter
23	Johan Meyer	8" Dobsonian
24	Johann Swanepoel	10" F6.3 open truss Dobsonian
25	John Scott	6" F6.25 Dobsonian
26	Keith Liddle	4" homemade reflector ; Binocular viewing chair
27	Keith Lou	6" F8 Dobsonian, 8" F5 Dobsonian; 8" F5 Dobsonian (probable)
28	Mary McKinnon	8" F5.25 Dobsonian
29	Mauritz Geyser	4.5" Newtonian on an Equatorial mount
30	Melvyn Hannibal	Meade 8" LX200
31	Merle Monnick	6" Dobsonian
32	Neville Young	76mm refractor (belonged to Jack Bennett, SA comet discoverer)
33	Peter Baxter	6" F6.7 Dobsonian; 10" Newtonian F6.9 on horse shoe mount
34	Peter Fyfe	6" F8 Dobsonian
35	Peter Van Laun	8" Newtonian on equatorial mount
36	Richard Van Copenhagen	8" F7.5 Dobsonian
37	Scotty Naughtin	6 " F5 Dobsonian; 8 " F6.7 Dobsonian; 12 " F6 Truss Dobsonian; 3 " F4.5 Dobsonian (copy of an astroscan)
38	Theo Pistorius	Audine CCD camera
39	Tim Cooper	16" Meade
40	Tom Marsicano	Celestron C8 F10 with Celestron white light solar filter and camera attached
41	Tony Halliday	6" Refractor F8
42	Vince Nettman	96mm F13.9 Dobsonian
43	Wayne Mitchell	Refurbished SCT 8" (1975 Criterion - Dynamax8) with a home-built equatorial /altazimuth tripod