2025 CALENDAR OF EVENTS

JULY Monthly Meeting—Gerry Kochen 25-26 Parmentier Observing Weekend NPMAS Club Picnic

AUGUST

6	Monthly Meeting—Wayne Kuhn
20-24	Northern Nights Starfest—Palisade, MN
22-23	Parmentier Observing Weekend

SEPTEMBER

3	Monthly Meeting—Dick Francini
19-20	Parmentier Observing Weekend
19-20	Northwoods Starfest—Fall Creek, WI
27	Public Observing—Brillion Nature Center

OCTOBER

 Monthly Meeting—Game Night
 Public Observing—Brillion Nature Center (Alternate Date)
 Parmentier Observing Weekend
 Public Observing—Bay Beach Wildlife Sanctuary

November

Public Observing—Bay Beach Wildlife
 Sanctuary (Alternate Date)
 Monthly Meeting—Trivia Night
 Parmentier Observing Weekend

DECEMBER

Monthly Meeting—Year in Review

NPMAS MEMBERSHIP FORM

Complete the form below, including payment (Checks made payable to NPMAS) and bring it to the next meeting or mail to:

NPMAS Treasurer 3092 Lakeview Drive Suamico, WI 54173

YES!! Include me as a member of the NPMAS!

SINGLE MEMBERSHIP	\$25.00			
FAMILY MEMBERSHIP	\$35.00			
Primary Member Name				
Additional Family Member Name(s)				

City, State Zip

Address

Phone Number

Email Address

Check this box only if you will NOT allow your information (name, address, phone, email) to be included on the membership roster.

Neville Public Museum Astronomical Society

2025 SCHEDULE OF EVENTS



Neville Public Museum 210 Museum Place Green Bay, WI 54303

Society Info:

Website: www.npmas.org Email: info@npmas.org Phone: 920-676-6363



Founded 1966

Astronomical League Member Society

MONTHLY MEMBERSHIP MEETINGS

Our monthly meetings are held at the:

Neville Public Museum*

First Wednesday of each month

6:30 pm to 8:30 pm

*All meetings when held at the museum are free and open to the public.

BENEFITS OF MEMBERSHIP

Access to all NPMAS sponsored events, observatories and star parties,

- ♦ Voting privileges (age 18+)
- ♦ Use of club loaner scopes
- ♦ Use of club library materials
- ♦ 12 issues of the NPMAS newsletter: *The Eyepiece*
- Membership in the Astronomical League (AL), including four issues of the AL newsletter, *The Reflector*
- ♦ Reduced Subscription rate to Astronomy magazine

STAR PARTIES

Star parties are an important part of our club activities - whether club sponsored or other. Members have the opportunity to observe from numerous dark sky sites giving the beginning member a chance to learn the night sky with more experienced observers. Experienced observers have the opportunity to further their own observing skills locating more difficult objects.

PARMENTIER OBSERVATORY



NPMAS Members have access to Parmentier Observatory on scheduled observing nights. Parmentier Observatory houses a 30-inch classical Cassegrain telescope with a sixinch Astrophysics refractor, housed in a two story observatory. Properly trained members will be in the

dome showing highlights of the night sky.

Members are also welcome and encouraged to set up their own telescopes or binoculars in the field below the observatory. While Parmentier Observatory nights are scheduled dusk to dawn, members are welcome to stay the whole night or just a few hours.

This is a great opportunity for new and experienced members to enjoy the night sky through the largest privately owned observatory in the state or in the field with their own telescope. We hope to see you there.

LOANER TELESCOPE PROGRAM

As an NPMAS member, you are able to use, free of charge, any of our available loaner scopes and accessories. Choices include:

- ♦ 10-inch Dobsonian Reflector
- ♦ 6" Celestron Nextar Evolution Computerized Telescope
- Meade ETX125 w/ autostar (5-inch Maksutov-Cassegrain, automated)
- ♦ 12" Orion SkyQuest Intelliscope

This is the perfect opportunity to become familiar with different telescopes and how each works before deciding to buy one of your own.

2025 CALENDAR OF EVENTS

8	Monthly Meeting—Holiday Party
	monthly meeting from any rate,
Februa	RY
5	Monthly Meeting—Jerry Schaefer
<u>March</u>	
5	Monthly Meeting—Observing Tips
14	Total Lunar Eclipse
15	Sheboygan Swap-n-Sell—Sheboygan Airport
29	Messier Marathon—Brillion Nature Center
April	
2	Monthly Meeting—Astronomical Equipment
5	Public Observing—Bay Beach Wildlife
	Sanctuary
12	Public Observing—Bay Beach Wildlife
	Sanctuary (Alternate Date)
25-26	Parmentier Observing Weekend
25-26	NCRAL Convention—Hopkins, MN
26	Messier Marathon (Alternate Date)
May	
7	Monthly Meeting—Brian Welsch
23-24	Parmentier Observing Weekend
June	
4	Monthly Meeting—Amy Hannon-Drew
19-21	Wisconsin Observers Weekend—Waupaca,
	WI
20-21	Parmentier Observing Weekend
	Schedule continued on other side