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Meeting Announcement

The meeting this month will be on Thursday, June 13th at 7:00. It will be a BBQ at Doug Say's home. The club will supply the burgers, hot dogs and some soft drinks. If members want to, they may bring a side or dessert. It is not required that you bring anything. This is a fun event that we started last year and we hope everyone will come out. You are welcome to come out early and play golf.

Series folks have purchased Powder Mountain and are in the process of developing the area into a small resort community they have mentioned to me about the possibility of placing some scopes up there. I don't know if it would be in conjunction with Weber State or not, but maybe they would consider remote viewing for local schools at a minimum.

Clear Skies
Craig

Message from the President

Hi All,

We will be meeting at Doug Say's home for the second annual summer cookout. The club will be furnishing the hamburgers and hotdogs and you are welcome to bring a side dish if you would like. Next to the Monte Cristo meetings, this is a strong third for me. I do enjoy being able to visit with all of you and I feel this makes for a stronger club and friendships between our members. We owe a big thank you to Doug and Donna Say for hosting this event.

We have been asked to do a star party for the Summit Series Convention on July 19th and 20th this is going to be a unique one in that I feel we have a possibility of influencing a future observatory at Powder Mountain. As some of you know the Summit

OAS Minutes – May 2013

Minutes for Ogden Astronomical Society May 8, 2013. Meeting was called to order at 7:30 PM by Craig Browne.

Announcements,
Star parties
Eden Park May 10
Antelope Island May 18
Antelope Island Jun 1
Curlew Jun 7-8

Our presentation this month was a report on the lizards and squirrels of northern Arizona ☺. Actually it was a report on the trip that several of us took to the Lowell Observatory in Flagstaff. We visited several places while down there including Meteor Crater, Walnut Canyon, Grand Canyon and Sedona.

We also had a nice dinner at Doug's sister's home. The sky was cloudy (of course) the night of our observing through the telescope. We did get to see Saturn and explore the observatory. This was a really fun trip and I hope we do it again soon.

For those that weren't at the meeting, Pam, Rodger and Mandy went to many more places than the rest of us and gave us a look into a lot of other places down there. Pam loves lizards, squirrels and beavers.

Meeting adjourned and several members went to Village Inn.

Eden Star Party

Thanks to all those that showed up and helped with the Eden Star party. It was well attended by the club and the community. I know that the people enjoyed it and it was a really nice even.

Star Party Schedule

Public Star Parties are as follows.

Aug 10	Antelope Island
Sep 7	Antelope Island
Sep 14	Snowbasin
Oct 12	Antelope Island

Our Requested Star Parties (Schools, etc).

Jul 19-20	Summit Series Convention (Powder Mountain).
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Our Private Star Parties are as follows.

May 2-5	Flagstaff
Jun 6-9	Curlew
Jun 13	2 nd Annual BBQ at Doug's
Aug 1-4	Monte Cristo
Aug 29-Sep 2	Monte Cristo
Oct 4-6	Curlew
Nov 1-3	Curlew