

Astronomers Without Borders

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PRESENTS



GLOBAL ASTRONOMY MONTH 2014

April 1-30, 2014

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One People, One Sky

Founded in 2007, Astronomers Without Borders (AWB) is the only organization connecting both professional and amateur astronomers worldwide. Together with a broad spectrum of people interested in world peace and science education, Astronomers Without Borders reminds us all that we are united in our awe of the universe and our respect for all humankind. Hundreds of thousands of people from more than 140 nations have participated in Astronomers Without Borders' innovative programs, projects, and initiatives.

Be a Part of the World's Largest Celebration of Astronomy

Astronomers Without Borders' worldwide community of astronomy enthusiasts, educators and professionals provides opportunities for participation in programs throughout the year. Programs focus on bringing people together under the sky we all share in a worldwide expression of AWB's motto, *One People, One Sky*.

Global Astronomy Month is Astronomers Without Borders' signature program and continues to grow rapidly as the world's premier astronomy event. The <u>GAM 2014 web site</u> is the hub of all activities, providing social networking and integration with social media sites like Facebook to expand its reach. Events are registered by participants worldwide, and articles, blogs and program descriptions are mirrored on astronomy blogs and web sites around the world. Exposure goes far beyond the Global Astronomy Month website.

Global Astronomy Month 2014

Each year a broad range of 30 to 40 programs fills the month, with GAM events taking place around the world. Again in 2014 thousands will view through telescopes provided by amateur astronomers and science centers during the <u>Global Star Party</u>, <u>Mars Watch</u>, <u>SunDay</u>, and <u>Lyrid Meteor Watch</u>.

<u>Online telescope observing</u> again features live interaction between the host and attendees worldwide in four special GAM events. The <u>Online Messier Marathon</u> kicks off GAM on April 1, followed by <u>The Night of the Red</u> <u>Planet</u>, viewing Mars in opposition on April 8, then <u>Vesta Watch</u> and <u>Stars For All</u>.

Partner programs bring in new audiences and participants: measuring light pollution worldwide in <u>Globe at</u> <u>Night</u>, classrooms discovering asteroids in the <u>International Asteroid Search Campaign</u>, and connecting art and astronomy in numerous varied and exciting ways with our wide range of <u>AstroArts programs</u>

Each year GAM fosters new, innovative programs. New in GAM's 2014 edition is an expanded <u>AstroArts</u> <u>program</u> containing programs <u>about Aboriginal Astronomy, Art, and Music</u>, two astronomy themed concerts (<u>CosmicConcert</u> and <u>AstroConcert</u>), <u>images bounced off the moon</u>, and <u>music created from the sounds of space</u>.

More Programs, More Events

Learn more on the GAM 2014 web site at <u>www.gam-awb.org</u> GAM 2014 website: <u>http://www.astronomerswithoutborders.org/global-astronomy-month-2014.html</u>

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Notes:

• *Universe Sponsorship is limited to one sponsor only.

• All GAM 2014 Sponsorships begin immediately and continue throughout GAM, April 1 to 30, 2014.

• The GAM 2014 web site will be archived, available and used by many in planning events for future Global Astronomy Months.

Individual Program and Event Sponsorship Opportunities

Sponsor the Global Star Party, Remote Observing sessions, Dark Skies Awareness or other programs that target your preferred audience. Opportunities begin at \$1000 and can be shared or exclusive. Write for more information on programs of interest. Sponsorship of the Opening and Closing events, which provide significant international exposure throughout the evening, are also available.

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