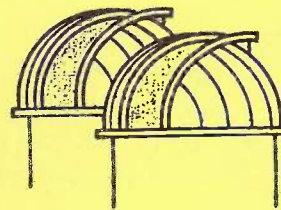


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- : JANUARY 1982 : -

LAST CALL FOR DINNER! By the time you read this notice there'll be only a few days left to make your Dinner-Meeting reservation(s)! The Double-Dome has been mailed a week early so that Mr. & Mrs. Dan Fromm can send a final reservation figure to the UWM Union no later than Tuesday, Jan. 12, or, in other words, Mr. & Mrs. Fromm must have your reservation(s) no later than midnight of Monday, Jan. 11!

Again, the Annual Dinner-Meeting will take place Fri., Jan. 15 in the UW-Milwaukee Union Wisconsin Room Lounge, room E-229, second floor. The Union is located at Kenwood and Maryland. Park in the nearby pavillion or on the street. Be careful to check the street parking time limits!

The cash bar opens at 6, dinner is served at 7, meeting starts at 8. The sit-down dinner includes in addition to the entree, appetizer, salad, potato, rolls, butter, beverage, and dessert. No reservation or payment is required for attending only the meeting. Members and guests are invited. See tear-off on page 2.

Dr. Robert Greenler, UWM professor of Physics will give another of his exciting talks after the meeting. Dr. Greenler is widely known for his expertise in physics as applied to meteorological phenomena and has recently authored a gem of a book entitled Rainbows, Halos, and Glories. Please see your January, 1982 Sky and Telescope, page 40, for an in-depth review.

If you need or can offer transportation to or from the meeting, call an MAS officer or the Double Dome editor.

NEW MEMBER Paul Moertl of Milwaukee will be introduced at the January Dinner-Meeting.

CONVENTION-50th ANNIVERSARY UPDATE: There's been a change in the meeting location. The committee will meet instead at the home of Mr. & Mrs. Dan Fromm, 2511 E. Newton Av., Fri., Jan. 8, at 7:30 PM.

The Convention-50th Anniversary event will take place Sat., May 22, at Carroll College in Waukesha. The observatory will be open on Friday and Saturday nights. The main speaker will be from the Univ. of Chicago. Details will be made available soon.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- Fri., Jan. 8 - Convention - 50th Anniversary meeting. See article above.
- Fri., Jan. 15 - Annual Dinner-Meeting. See article above.
- Fri., Jan. 22 - Board of directors meeting at the home of John Asztalos, 411 N. 61st St., 258-5626, at 7:30 PM. Spouses invited.

CANADIAN HANDBOOKS are here. Members who have ordered may pick up their copies at the Annual Dinner-Meeting or at the home of Treas. Jim Toeller, 407 W. Mall Rd., Glendale. (352-7144). The price is \$4.50 per copy. Extra copies may be available. Please call the above number.

OBSERVATORY NEWS: 26" (66 cm) TELESCOPE: The window is installed, framing between the roof and dome has been completed, and the fascia boards are roughed in.

The new building needs a donated or borrowed heater so that work may continue during the cold months ahead. Call Gerry Samolyk or John Asztalos at 258-5626 if you can furnish one.

With cooperation, there's a strong possibility the building can be finished by Convention time in May.

MEMBER'S NIGHT KEYHOLDERS:

Jan. 2	P. Borchardt	445-1181	Jan. 30	G. Hall	786-8579
9	L. Burazin	481-4852	Feb. 6	J. Hesseltine	482-4515
16	R. Berry	442-4267	13	R. James	421-2162
23	W. Collins	255-4169	20	P. Murn	464-1539

Saturday night is member's night at the observatory. All members are invited to come out to observe, learn how to use the equipment available, or just chat. Call the keyholder the Fri. before his night - cancel Sat, if necessary. Keyholder should report anyway. He will also oversee tours during the week ending with his assigned night. Mr. J. Toeller (352-7144) will act on requests.

- : FULL WOLF MOON SAT., JAN. 9 : -
 - : FULL SNOW MOON MON., FEB. 8 : -

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I (we) want to attend the Jan. 15, 1982 Dinner-Meeting! Please make the following dinner reservation(s).

Roast Sirloin Baron Beef Au Jus @ \$7.00 each

How Many?

Prices include gratuity and extras listed in Dinner-Meeting notice.

Name _____

Address & Phone _____

Please send your remittance made payable to the Milwaukee Astronomical Society to Mr. Dan Fromm, 2511 E. Newton Av., Shorewood, Wis. 53211 (332-3725). Payments must be received by Mr. Fromm before midnight of Mon., Jan. 11, 1982.