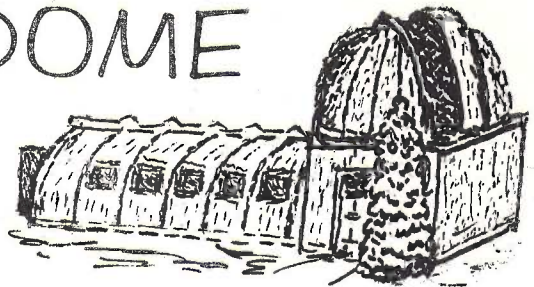


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There can be no doubt that the meetings since last fall have been very interesting and informative - and controversial at times. But the wide range of subjects covered - instrumentation, weather, even UFO'S - illustrates conclusively that there is more to astronomy than looking at a waning moon through a hazy sky or at a few dim stars. It would not be amiss here to thank Mr. Bill Collins, our Vice-President, for his efforts in securing interesting speakers for our enjoyment.

The May 1968 meeting will be the last for this season at the UWM P & E Bldg., those for June, July, and August to take place at our observatory. Included in the business portion this month will be a Board of Directors election to renew terms of some incumbents and to replace outgoing directors. The slate presently lists Messrs. Al. Brouillette, Harvey Lindemann, LeRoy Simandl. Nominations from the floor will also be honored. Members will please show their membership cards when receiving their ballots. To round out the evening, a movie The Story of the Cosmic Ray will be shown. Let's meet

Friday, May 17, 1968 - 8 PM at the UWM Physics and Eng.
Bldg., E. Kenwood Blvd. & N. Cramer Ave.

The address of one of our new members was listed incorrectly. It should read

Hudzinski, Randy, 3030 S. 62nd. St., 53219 M68

Keyholders in charge of the young mens JOMAS on Saturday nights are Bernard Olson-May 18; Al Brouillette-May 25; Ed. Osypowski-June 1; Virgil Tangney-June 8; Len Schaefer-June 15. Call Thomas Schwartz (781-5625) or Tim O'Dell (786-6929) for program or weather information.

The Icarus Observation Training Program will continue Sunday evenings May 19, June 2 & 9 at 7 PM. The June 9 meeting will wind up the program initiated by Ed. Halbach to observe the close approach to earth of the Asteroid Icarus on June 15, 1968. See the January, 1968 Sky & Telescope, page 21.

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