



Shannon Schmoll

Our Cosmic Perspective

To some people, a long car or plane ride defines “far”. Shannon Schmoll, director of the Abrams Planetarium at Michigan State University brings us a new perspective on the vast distances we find in the cosmos, how tiny Earth is in comparison--and why that makes us amazing.

Lecture at 9PM. For more information, visit GLAAC at www.glaac.org/kensington or call the Kensington Nature Center at 810-227-8917 during business hours.



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18th Annual Kensington Astronomy at the Beach

Friday & Saturday, September 26-27, 2014, 6PM-Midnight (rain or shine)

Maple Beach in Kensington
Metropark, Milford, MI



Get astronomy questions answered by local amateur club members, and find the club nearest you

View objects through volunteer telescopes and binoculars

Children's scavenger hunt for prizes

Free planetarium shows

Attend fun & informative talks & demonstrations

Check out astronomy equipment and meteorites for sale

And much more! (Food and beverages available for purchase)

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Enter Kensington Metropark by I-96 exit 151 or Milford Road. Follow the signs to Maple Beach. Our event is **FREE**; park entry requires a \$7 Day Permit or an Annual Permit.

For your safety and that of others, please observe the Metropark rules (at www.metroparks.com) and these considerations:

- We love dogs, but please leave them at home (except service dogs, of course). Many people and expensive equipment are allergic to them!
- Feel free to bring a flashlight *with a red filter*. A red balloon makes a quick and inexpensive filter!

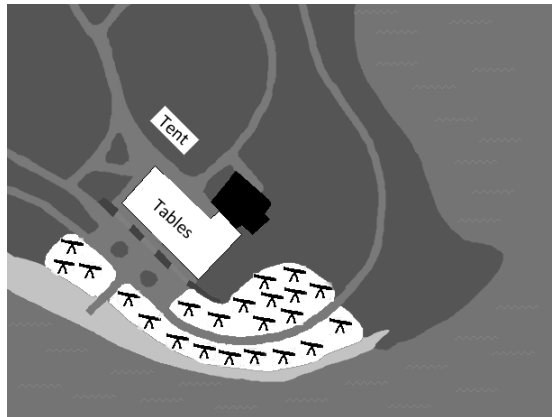
Events rain or shine:

Comet Making
The Rescue of Andromeda
Oh What a Spin We're In!
Losing the Dark
3D Tour of the Solar System
Keynote Presentation
Planetarium Shows
Vendor & Club tables

Weather Permitting:

Telescopes on the Field
Constellation Tours

Maple Beach



Check out www.glaac.org to find other astronomy events and the amateur clubs near you!

We are:

Astronomy Club at Eastern Michigan University
Ford Amateur Astronomy Club
Oakland Astronomy Club
Seven Ponds Astronomy Club
Sunset Astronomical Society
University of Michigan Student Astronomical Society
University Lowbrow Astronomers
Warren Astronomical Society

Twitter Event Tag #kaatb2014