

The Adler Planetarium Brings Science To You With '*Scopes in the City*!

CHICAGO – April 19, 2016 – All year long, Adler astronomers and educators are bringing the museum—and the Universe—a little closer to you! With '*Scopes in the City*, Adler team members lead free sky-observing programs and related conversations in Chicago and Chicagoland neighborhoods. Depending on the dates, times and locations of the '*Scopes in the City* events, attendees may be able to observe the Sun, Moon, Jupiter, Saturn, and more. In 2015, nearly 2,200 people attended '*Scopes in the City* events!

Below are the dates for the 2016 events. Please visit our website at <http://www.adlerplanetarium.org/education/scopes-in-the-city> for more information, and additional events as they are added.

| DATE | LOCATION | TIME |
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| 5/10/2016 | Chicago Theater – Neil DeGrasse Tyson Show | Post-Show |
| 5/14/2016 | Forest Preserve District of Cook County, <i>Nature Block Party</i> | 11:00 am – 3:00 pm |
| 5/17/2016 | Windy City Thunderbolts 'School Day' Baseball Game | 10:35 am – End of Game |
| 5/17/2016 | Richard M. Daley Library | 6:00 pm – 7:30 pm |
| 5/25/2016 | Windy City Thunderbolts 'School Day' Baseball Game | 10:35 am – End of Game |
| 6/8/2016 | Kilbourn Park | 3:30 pm – 4:30 pm |
| 6/9/2016 | Kilmer Elementary School Science Night | 4:30 pm – 6:30 pm |
| 6/10/2016 | Palmisano Park Phenology Festival | 5:30 pm – 7:30 pm |
| 8/10/2016 | Warrenville Public Library | 7:30 pm – 8:45 pm |
| 9/8/2016 | Star Lounge Coffee Bar | 7:30 pm – 9:00 pm |
| 9/22/2016 | 606 Trail Western Trailhead (Northwest Side) | 7:30 pm – 9:00 pm |
| 9/27/2016 | Nature Museum (21+ Event, <i>Nature On Tap</i> Ticketholders Only) | TBD |
| 10/5/2016 | Star Lounge Coffee Bar | 7:30 pm – 9:00 pm |
| 10/8/2016 | International Observe The Moon Night, Chinatown (Near South Side) | 6:30 pm – 8:30 pm |
| 10/28/2016 | Eggers Grove (Far Southeast Side) | 5:00 pm – 8:00 pm |
| 11/8/2016 | Back of the Yards Library | 5:00 pm – 6:30 pm |
| 11/18/2016 | Dan Ryan Woods Pavilion (South Side) | 5:00 pm – 8:00 pm |

Because all '*Scopes in the City* events are weather permitting, please follow us on Twitter @AdlerPlanet or search #ScopesintheCity for updates. You never know where our telescopes will pop up next!

Photos that can be used for press purposes can be found at: <http://smu.gs/1HKUtG7>
(Credit: Adler Planetarium)

About the Adler Planetarium:

The Adler Planetarium—America's First Planetarium—is more than a museum; it is a laboratory, a classroom, and a community exploring the Universe together. Each year, over 550,000 visitors experience the museum's interactive exhibitions, live planetarium shows, hands-on, minds-on STEM education programs, and world-class collections. Founded in 1930 by Chicago business leader Max Adler, the Adler Planetarium is a recognized leader in public engagement. The museum's scientists, historians, and educators inspire the next generation of explorers and invite you to explore space with us.