

Galilean Nights Event ID: gn1,159

Number of telescopes: 4

Number of organisers: 2

Number of attendees: 30

Event photos:

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Event Report:

Objects observed with telescope: Jupiter, Moon, M13,M52,M31,Perseus Double Cluster, Albireu, Polaris, Mizar and Algol, epsilon-Lyra and zeta-Lyra.

Stories relating mythology and constellations were told.

Explanation of the importance of Polaris for ancient navigation in northern hemisphere explained with the use of astrolabium and quadrant.

Explanation of the observations of Galileo and their importance on the conceptual changes of "Sistema Mundi".