

**Galilean Nights Event ID:** gn643

**Number of telescopes:** 7

**Number of organisers:** 1

**Number of attendees:** 220

**Event photos:** <http://www.flickr.com/photos/44733723@N04/?saved=1>

**Event Report:**

At the Children's National Palace are held astronomy lessons weekly for pupils from 7 to 19 years. Within the event of Galilean Nights, besides our pupils there were also invited approximately 120 students to attend the presentations and observations.

We held presentations about Galileo Galilei, about the working principle of refractive telescope (for better understanding we used an experiment involving convex lens). We also observed solar spots and Venus in daytime and Jupiter and his Galilean satellites and lunar craters when the night fell. We have also discussed about Mercur's and Venus' phases.

We mostly had good weather, but Saturday morning was ruined by clouds.