

Galilean Nights Event ID: gn385

Number of telescopes: 3 telescopes in room (bad weather)

Number of organisers: 15

Number of attendees: 100-150

Event photos: None

Event Report:

Urania 31, our astronomy association, organized the Galilean Night on Saturday October 24th in Cugnaux in France.

Cugnaux is a little town in the South West of France, close Toulouse which is a city with about 700 000 people.

We planned to observe Jupiter with its satellites and to show and explain the sky to the public.

Three days before, forecast of the weather gave us information of bad weather ; we had to find a meeting room to receive public and to talk them about our passion, so this event will be not cancelled.

Unfortunately, on October 24th, bad weather was there with grey clouds.

40 persons came and we have them interested in astronomy with PC, video projector and observational equipments.

The observation outside was cancelled but we succeeded therefore to transmit the practice of astronomy to people who came to discover this activity.