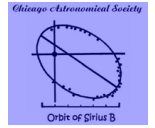


Volunteer Astronomers Sought for Scouting Event



On the weekend of
September 19 – 21

The local council of Scouting America (Boy Scouts to those of us of sufficient vintage) will be holding a large camporee event at the Sandwich Fairgrounds

We of the Chicago Astronomical Society have been asked to contribute our expertise in the history of astronomy on Saturday, the 20th.

The event will consist of events grouped into four general time periods:

1400-1600 CE, 1900-1920 CE, 1960's, Future

If we could provide one or more of our members who can make each of these periods interesting to pre-teen and teen youth we can achieve a number of our general Society goals: outreach, education and a passing-down of our passion for astronomy to a new generation.

I already have some ideas to begin with, but I look forward to developing these ideas and more with other volunteers.

If you would like to be a part of this effort, please fill in the sign-up sheet at our Society meeting, or contact me: Eric Friedl,
Eric_Friedl@comcast.net or 773 216-3827. To join the team.

Feel free to ask questions before committing. I have a lot more answers than I can include here.

Clear Skies,
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