



SHORT AND MAIN TALKS

2011-2012

Amalgamated list



Thank you to all who have prepared and delivered talks in the past. Please keep on volunteering. Whilst we started the 'Short Talk' series with constellations, anything relevant to topical observing events for the month would be equally appropriate for this slot. With regard to the 'Main Talk', any aspect of astronomy and space is welcome.

If you have never tried to do a talk before, then please – 'have a go'. You are amongst friends and we (Judith, Rick, Julie, or Mark) are very happy to give practical help and advice. Just come and talk to us! If you have ideas for a talk you would like a speaker other than yourself to present, then please also let us know.

If you have been allocated a talk spot, but then realise you are unable to attend on that evening, please let us know as soon in advance as possible and we will arrange a swop.

2011 – Updated August 2011

	SPEAKER	TOPIC	DATE - WED	NOTES
Short	Judith Brock	January Jewels	05 January 2011	
Main	Rick Dooley	Solar System Moons		
Short	n/a	AGM, so Main Talk only	02 February 2011	AGM
Main	Judith Brock	Bright Stars		
Short	Mark Buckingham	Messier Marathon	02 March 2011	
Main	Stuart Bartlett	Magneto Stars		
Short	Stuart Bartlett	Leo	06 April 2011	
Main	Lee Benwell	Neptune		Abs - Rick stood in
Short	Martin Medd	Corvus and Crater	04 May 2011	
Main	Julie Buckingham	Clouds		
Short	Keith Hopper	Early Arabic Astronomy	01 June 2011	
Main	Reg Jeffs	The Universe - According to Reg!		
Short	Judith Brock	July Gems	06 July 2011	
Main	Rick Dooley	Supernovae		
Short	n/a	Telescope Evening	03 August 2011	
Main	Mark Buckingham	Telescope Evening		
Short	Manay Hendley	The Summer Triangle	07 September 2011	
Main	Mark Buckingham	Scarborough and Ryedale District Starfest		
Short	Mark Buckingham	Ten Autumn Objects	05 October 2011	
Main	Judith Brock	Black Holes and Active Galactic Nuclei		
Short	Reg Jeffs	Aries and Cancer	02 November 2011	
Main	Manay Hendley	Dark Energy		
	Rick Dooley	Quiz Night	07 December 2011	

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Short	Stuart Bartlett	Ten Winter Objects	04 January 2012	
Main	Judith Brock	Active Galactic Nuclei & Galaxy Formation		
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Main	Mark Buckingham	Mars		
Short	Mark Buckingham	Messier Marathon, etc	07 March 2012	
Main	Stuart Bartlett	TBN		
Short	David Hornby	TBN	04 April 2012	
Main				
Short	Keith Hopper	TBN	02 May 2012	
Main	Rick Dooley	Transit of Venus		
Short			06 June 2012	
Main	Bill Boucher	Astronomical Humour		
Short	Rick Dooley	Equuleus to Vulpecula	04 July 2012	
Main				
Short			01 August 2012	
Main	Julie Buckingham	"Clouds in Space"		
Short			05 September 2012	
Main	Keith Hopper	TBN		
Short			03 October 2012	
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Short			07 November 2012	
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	Rick Dooley	Quiz Night	05 December 2012	