



The COROT (CONvection ROTation and planetary TRANSITS) space telescope recently discovered a new Earth-sized planet around another star. We won't see any new planets but there are a few old ones we can spot at the NEXT

Age of Aquinas Star Party

Saturday, October 17, 2009, 6:30~10:00 pm

Bring your telescope and/or binoculars (if you have them), and a picnic dinner! While the sun sets and twilight deepens, we'll have our picnic and get our telescopes set up. *Dress warmly in layers.* Clear nights can get chilly. ***Meet at the Park'n'Ride at I-280 and Page Mill Rd in Los Altos.*** We'll carpool from there to Foothills Park. Any car with a telescope or a Palo Alto resident aboard gets in free. Or you can just tell them at the gate that you are an amateur astronomer participating in the public star party. We will be joining the Peninsula Astronomical Society (<http://www.foothill.fhda.edu/ast/pas.htm>) for this month's summer star party. ***Don't be late! Park gates will close at 7:30.***



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