

FROSTY DREW OBSERVATORY

Ningret Park, Charlestown, RI



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ROUND UP THE FAMILY AND COME to Frosty Drew Observatory at sundown every **Friday night, rain or shine!** On clear Fridays—under a spectacularly dark sky—we open the dome’s sliding shutter and point our Meade 16" telescope toward the heavens. When visibility is poor, we present visual programs in our Sky Theatre.

- *Experience* observational astronomy. Interested amateurs are welcome to bring their own instruments.
- *Marvel* at wonders of the universe, such as the rings of Saturn, the cloud bands of Jupiter, star clusters, double stars, features on the moon, and even the flow of light from distant galaxies.
- *Learn* how to find your way around the night sky. Simple questions are starting points for discussions of how the universe began, how stars shine, why stars are colored, and what the planets are like.

The Observatory will also be open for special astronomical events, such as meteor showers, lunar eclipses, comets, and the like. We will publicize these openings on our website.

In the winter, wear warm clothing because the inside of the observatory must have the same temperature as the outside. In the summer, be sure to bring a sweater and mosquito repellent.

Because we rely on donations, memberships, gifts, and grants for our operating funds, we ask for a donation of \$1 for adults (free for observatory members).



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