

Abingdon Astronomical Society

PROGRAMME 2016 / 2017

SEP 12th	Talk by Stephen Tonkin FRAS (Wessex AS), 'Binocular astronomy'
SEP 19th	Beginners Meeting
SEP 26th to 28th (FCN)⁺	<i>Observing evening at Frilford Heath Golf Driving Range</i>
OCT 10th	Talk by Dr Elisa Chisari (University of Oxford), 'Weak gravitational lensing'
OCT 24th	Beginners Meeting
OCT 31st to 2nd NOV (FCN)⁺	<i>Observing evening at Frilford Heath Golf Driving Range</i>
NOV 14th	Talk by Dr Eric Dunford (RAL), Space challenges, disasters and triumphs'
NOV 21st	Beginners Meeting
NOV 28th to 30th (FCN)⁺	<i>Observing evening at Frilford Heath Golf Driving Range</i>
DEC 12th	Talk by Prof Steven Balbus (University of Oxford), 'The Moon: what is, what was and what might have been'
DEC 19th	Beginners Meeting
JAN 9th	Stan Cocking Memorial Lecture: by Dr Allan Chapman (University of Oxford), <i>title to be confirmed</i>
JAN 23rd	Beginners Meeting
JAN 30th to 1st FEB (FCN)⁺	<i>Observing evening at Frilford Heath Golf Driving Range</i>
FEB 13th	Talk by Dr Helen Walker (RAL), 'Exploring the solar system'
FEB 20th	Beginners Meeting
FEB 27th to 1st MAR (FCN)⁺	<i>Observing evening at Frilford Heath Golf Driving Range</i>
MAR 13th	Talk by Prof Malcolm MacCallum (Queen Mary University of London), 'General Relativity'
MAR 20th	Beginners Meeting
MAR 27th to 29th (FCN)⁺	<i>Observing evening at Frilford Heath Golf Driving Range</i>
APR 10th	<i>Talk to be announced</i>
APR 24th	Beginners Meeting
MAY 8th	AGM and talk
MAY 22nd	Beginners Meeting
JUN 12th	<i>Talk to be announced</i>
JUN 19th	Beginners Meeting

⁺ FCN = first clear night between these dates

Abingdon AS meets on the above dates at the Methodist Church Hall, Dorchester Crescent, Abingdon at 8 pm, except for the 'Observing evenings' when we meet at the site shown at times to be arranged.

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