



# ASTRONOMICAL LEAGUE

A FEDERATION OF ASTRONOMICAL SOCIETIES  
A NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATION

To promote the science of astronomy:

- \* By fostering astronomical education;
- \* By providing incentives for astronomical observation and research;
- \* By assisting communication among amateur astronomical societies.

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What does the Astronomical League offer you, as a Member-at-Large?

- Full voting privileges.
- A subscription to the Reflector, our quarterly, full-color newsletter.
- The Book Service through which you can buy astronomy-related books at a 10% discount (does not apply to League Sales merchandise).
- A choice of astronomically-oriented magazines at a discounted price.
- Eligibility for all Astronomical League awards, both national and observing.
- Support an organization that promotes education, observing, research and communications.
- But the most important benefit is that you join a national organization of amateur astronomers. You become part of a group that promotes observing, research, and the love of the sky. You have the opportunity to earn awards for your observing skills and learn more about what other amateurs are doing through our national newsletter.

Please be sure to check out our Home Page ([www.astroleague.org](http://www.astroleague.org)).

When you join, you will receive our Member-at-Large membership packet. In this packet, you will receive:

- One of our great observing guides (choices on application);
- "Getting Started in Astronomy", or other similar publication;
- The Astronomical League Observing Club awards overview;
- The League Sales Product Price List;
- AstroNotes for Members-at-Large (several topic-specific notes on general astronomy and League orientation);
- The current issue of the Reflector;
- A letter of welcome to the MAL program;
- Full color membership card;

To join the Astronomical League as a member-at-large, please print the application on page 2, fill it out, and mail it with a check or money order, payable to the Astronomical League, in the amount of **\$30.00/year (U.S. postal addresses)** or **\$45.00 (non-U.S. postal addresses)** for an annual membership. Persons less than 19 years of age may join as a **Youth-Member-at-Large, for \$20.00 (USA only)**. Payment must be made in U.S. funds. The mailing address to send your application and payment is on the bottom of the form.

You may also sign up on our website at [www.astroleague.org/store](http://www.astroleague.org/store) and click on the link for "AL Membership". At our website, you can pay by Visa, MasterCard, American Express, Discover, and PayPal.

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Please indicate which **ONE** of our Observing Guides from the following list you would like (you may choose a different ONE each year you renew for **FREE**):

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| <input type="checkbox"/> ALPO Guide to Watching Meteors   | <input type="checkbox"/> Math for Amateur Astronomers       | <input type="checkbox"/> Planetary Nebulae Guide                             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Globular Clusters                | <input type="checkbox"/> Messier Objects - Beginner's Guide | <input type="checkbox"/> Universe Sampler                                    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Handbook for Astronomy Educators | <input type="checkbox"/> Observe Eclipses                   | <input type="checkbox"/> Eclipse Presentations CD<br>(May require Win 95/98) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Jupiter Observer's Handbook      | <input type="checkbox"/> Observe the Herschel Objects       | <input type="checkbox"/> AAVSO Atlas & Video                                 |

Please indicate which publication(s) you desire (all are optional):

\$ \_\_\_\_\_ **RASC Observers Handbook:**  
(quantities limited – inquire for availability):  
add \$24.00 (U.S.)  
\$29.00 (Canada);  
\$34.00 (all other countries);

\$ \_\_\_\_\_ **Astronomy Magazine:**  
add \$34.00 (1 year USA)  
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\$48.50 (1 year all other countries)  
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\$ \_\_\_\_\_ **Sky and Telescope Magazine:**  
add \$32.95 (U.S.)  
\$39.95 (Canada);  
\$49.95 (all other countries);

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add \$19.50 (USA)  
\$24.00 (Canada)  
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Enclose your payment (check or money order payable to "Astronomical League" in U.S. funds) for

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**PLUS** the cost of any optional publications you have selected above.

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