

## 2019 Astronomical League Sketching Award Entry Form

To recognize the importance of sketching in appreciating astronomical objects and of the skill required in depicting celestial scenes.

## **Personal Information:** City: \_\_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone number: Email: Astronomical League Club: Are you a Member-at-Large? \_\_\_\_\_ **Sketch Information:** Title:\_\_\_\_\_ Description of the celestial scene: Specify sketching media (paper, pencils, electronic, etc.): Digital manipulation used, if any: Date and Time: Seeing: \_\_\_\_\_ Transparency: \_\_\_\_\_ Telescope aperture and type or binoculars size:\_\_\_\_\_ Magnification: Field of view:

More specific information and suggestions regarding Sketching Award entries are available at <a href="https://www.astroleague.org/awards/astronomics-sketching-award">https://www.astroleague.org/awards/astronomics-sketching-award</a>. For more information regarding the award, email <a href="mailto:Sketch@astroleague.org">Sketch@astroleague.org</a>.

Please read to the program rules and eligibility requirements on the next page, then sign and submit your entry.

## PROGRAM RULES AND ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

- 1. ONLY CURRENT ASTRONOMICAL LEAGUE MEMBERS ARE ELIGIBLE TO ENTER. WORK MUST HAVE BEEN DONE WHILE AN ASTRONOMICAL LEAGUE MEMBER.
- 2. Your sketch must be original work and must have been done at the eyepiece after March 31, 2018.
- 3. Sketches from photographs are not allowed.
- 4. Sketches using online telescopes are not allowed.
- 5. Sketches must be the original work of amateurs. People who have received compensation for astronomical themed sketches since March 31, 2018 are not eligible for the award.
- 6. Sketches will be evaluated for accuracy, esthetics, neatness, composition, and visceral affect.
- 7. Submit your entry as a high resolution jpeg to Sketch@astroleague.org
- 8. 10 Mb file size maximum.
- 9. Submit a photo of yourself, preferably in an astronomical setting in jpg format to *Sketch@astroleague.org*. This might appear in the Reflector magazine, on the Astronomical League website or Facebook page.
- 10. Astronomical League officers and Sketching Award judges are not eligible. The first place winner is not eligible the following year.
- 11. Only one submission per year, please.
- 12. The deadline for submitting your entry is March 31, 2019.
- 13. Winning sketches might appear in the Reflector magazine, on the Astronomical League website and Facebook page.
- 14. Judges decisions are final.

I have read and understand	the eligibility	requirements	and the	rules of
the award competition.				

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