



What's Up With the Astronomical League May 2026

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Call for

What's Up With the Astronomical League Submissions!

Does your society or you as a member-at-large have a time sensitive event you would like to share with the national membership? Or do you just want to share some special projects or events that you or your club have participated in?

This is your opportunity! The possibilities are endless.

Over the several years this periodic publication has been in existence, we have shared such varied subjects as positive dark sky ordinances in cities, online library signup for a member club, a celebration of a AL region's 50th anniversary celebration, star parties notices and follow-up stories, and articles from other astronomy groups.

A full one page submission is requested in either JPG, Word or PDF. Pictures may also be shared as part of your submissions.

Please email submissions to carroll.iorg@gmail.com with the words "What's Up" in the subject line.



The Astronomical Society of Eastern Missouri invites you to the Mid-States Region 76th Annual Convention

St. Charles County, MO

June 26-28, 2026

Program includes:

- Observing
- Food
- Lectures
- Workshops
- Prizes

And great times with good friends

All regions welcomed!

Website: <https://www.asemonline.org/2026-msral>

Email questions to MSRAL2026@asemonline.org



2026 MSRAL Convention

Registration is now open.

- **June 26 - 28, 2026**
- **Friday: StarBQ** on Friday evening at the Broemmelsiek Park Visitor Center, followed by telescope viewing at Broemmelsiek Park Astronomy Site.
- **Saturday: Convention** at St. Charles Community College.
- **Sunday: Convention** at the Weldon Spring Interpretive Center.
- **Prices.** We have worked hard to keep these as low as possible.
 - **Convention admission:** \$65, early-bird \$55 (til April 30, 2026)
 - **Youth Convention admission :** \$30, early-bird \$25 (til April 30, 2026)
 - **StarBQ:** \$15
 - **Saturday lunch:** \$15
 - **Saturday Banquet:** \$35
- <https://www.asemonline.org/2026-msral>

Questions, etc should be emailed to msral2026@asemonline.org

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ITS ALMOST TIME FOR ALCON!!!



REGISTRATION DEADLINE IS JUNE 30TH

- Nationally Recognized and Regional Astronomy Speakers
 - Happy Hours
 - Special Events
 - Tours
- The Annual StarBQ at The Cincinnati Museum Center
- The Sunday Afterparty at The Moeller Observatory

Learn More and Register at
ALCON2026.ORG

ASTRONOMICAL LEAGUE LIVE!



June 26, 2026 7:00 pm EDT

Scott Roberts

*"Spanning the Globe:
Travels to International Star Parties"*



with host
Terry Mann, AL VP

also

Chuck Allen
Don Knabb
Bryan Simpson
David Levy

Watch Live Stream or Recorded:
[Explorescientific.com/live](https://explorescientific.com/live), or
www.facebook.com/Astronomical.League



ALCon 2026:
Hosted by the Cincinnati Astronomical Society at the
Marriott RiverCenter, Covington, KY, August 12–15, 2026