



AstroAssembly 2019

Saturday, October 5th

47 PeepToad Road, North Scituate, Rhode Island

Note: We are not holding a Friday evening program this year. Instead, we are expanding our Saturday morning program to include informal talks. If you would like to give a short talk on Saturday morning, please contact Bob Horton at Robert_Horton@Brown.edu.

3:45 PM **Prathima Muniyappa, MIT Space Exploration Initiative, Indigenous Cosmologies Working Group** - "We Have Always Had Our Eyes Turned Skyward - Art, Culture and Inclusion in the Democratization of Space"

All Day Saturday at Seagrave Observatory

Poster Session, Swap Table (please bring your own table), Solar Viewing, Astrophotography Contest, Homemade Telescopes (bring yours), and the Famous Astro Bake-off Contest.

10:30 AM **Steve Hubbard, President, Skyscrapers, Inc.** - "Southern Skies: A trip below the equator to see an eclipse, the southern Milky Way and even a llama or two"

Noon **Lunch at the Skyscrapers Grill**

1:15 PM **Roger Fu, Harvard University** - "Stars Through the Araucanias: Mapuche-Pewenche Ethnoastronomy"

2:30 PM **Ed Ting, New Hampshire Astronomical Society** - "Chile 2017-2018 Astronomical Trip"

Saturday Evening

at North Scituate Baptist Church, 619 W Greenville Rd (Route 116), North Scituate, RI 02857

Reception & Antipasto Bar (pre-registration required)

Evening Banquet – Italian-style Buffet Dinner catered by Quik Stop Deli (pre-registration required)

Words of Welcome, Awards, Raffle Drawing

7:30 PM **Professor John Mustard, Department of Earth, Environmental and Planetary Sciences, Brown University** - "What Will Mars 2020 Tell Us About the Planets?"

Times of specific activities are subject to change. For up-to-date program information, see <http://www.theSkyscrapers.org/astroassembly2019>

Directions to Seagrave Memorial Observatory

From the Providence area: Take Rt. 6 West to Interstate 295 in Johnston and proceed west on Rt. 6 to Scituate. In Scituate bear right off Rt. 6 onto Rt. 101. Turn right onto Rt. 116 North. PeepToad Road is the first left off Rt. 116. **From Coventry/West Warwick:** Take Rt. 116 North. PeepToad Road is the first left after crossing Rt. 101. **From Southern Rhode Island:** Take Interstate 95 North. Exit onto Interstate 295 North in Warwick (left exit.) Exit to Rt. 6 West in Johnston. Bear right off Rt. 6 onto Rt. 101. Turn right on Rt. 116. PeepToad Road is the first left off Rt. 116. **From Northern Rhode Island:** Take Rt. 116 South. Follow Rt. 116 thru Greenville. Turn left at Knight's Farm intersection (Rt. 116 turns left) and follow Rt. 116. Watch for PeepToad Road on the right. **From Connecticut:** Take Rt. 44 East to Greenville and turn right on Rt. 116 South. Turn left at Knight's Farm intersection (Rt. 116 turn left) and follow Rt. 116. Watch for PeepToad Road on the right. • or • Take Rt. 6 East toward Rhode Island; bear left on Rt. 101 East and continue to intersection with Rt. 116. Turn left; PeepToad Road is the first left off Rt. 116. **From Massachusetts:** Take Interstate 295 South (off Interstate 95 in Attleboro). Exit onto Rt. 6 West in Johnston. Bear right off Rt. 6 onto Rt. 101. Turn right on Rt. 116. PeepToad Road is the first left off Rt. 116.

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