



THE PLANETARIUM  
*at los angeles  
valley college*

LOS ANGELES VALLEY COLLEGE  
ASTRONOMY GROUP

# PLANETARIUM SHOWS

## 2009

**8:00 PM on these selected Fridays:**

***February 13, 2009- "Oasis In Space"***

Liquid water is a critical requirement for life, so our search for extraterrestrials must begin by looking for water. Join us as we tour our solar system in a search for water in our local neighborhood in this show from E & S Spitz, Incorporated.

***March 13, 2009 - "The Spring Sky"***

As milder weather returns the familiar constellations of Spring reappear. Join us as we show you how to find these constellations in the evening sky, and take a humorous look at the myths behind them.

***April 17, 2009- "ET- The REAL Search"***

We see aliens all the time on TV and the movies. But what would they really be like? Where might we find alien life? Join us as we hunt for extraterrestrial life and speculate what form it may take.

***May 8, 2009 - "Point Of No Return: Quasars and Supermassive Black Holes"***

Some galaxies are so far away that all we can see of them are their bright cores--the rest of the galaxy may be too faint for us to observe visually. These are the Quasars: distant galaxies powered by a supermassive black hole at their core. Join us for a look at these enigmas of deep space in this show from the Mueller Planetarium at the University of Nebraska.

**Accessibility Notice**

Planetarium shows and Sunday night Meetings/Lectures are wheelchair accessible. Individuals needing sign-language interpreters or other accommodations should contact David Falk, the Planetarium Director, at (818) 947-2864 as early as possible, but AT LEAST TWO WEEKS IN ADVANCE of an event.

Open to the public! Multimedia presentations on a variety of astronomical topics. Please arrive early, as shows start promptly at 8 pm. and there is no late seating. Tickets are sold at the door on the night of the show, starting at 7:30 pm (there are no advance ticket sales). Afterwards, join us in the Observatory for viewing through the Celestron 16" telescope (weather permitting). Each show is an hour long. No previous knowledge of Astronomy is required! Shows and dates are subject to change; please call our "Hotline" to confirm the program.

**ADMISSION:** \$5.00 for Adults; \$4.00 for Senior Citizens, Group Members & LAVC students with PAID ASO activity cards; \$3.00 for kids 8 - 16.

**PARENTS PLEASE NOTE:** We cannot admit children under the age of 8.

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