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Meeting:

July 16, 2016

Location:

~~First Christian Church
2102 E. Foothill Dr.
San Bernardino, CA~~

~~7:00 p.m.~~

~~Pre-meeting Dinner.
5:00 to 6:30 p.m.,~~

~~Pepper Steak
Restaurant
26589 Highland
Ave.
Highland, CA~~

After the meeting telescopes will be set up for viewing and members will be available to answer questions. Bring your telescope to observe with us.

*No telescope is too humble,
and beginners are always
made welcome!*

Program

Dinner & Socializing

Nothing special this month. We're not having a regular meeting. Instead we're having a social get-together at Sizzler Restaurant (**the one on S. Waterman Ave. and Vanderbilt in San Bernardino**) from 5:00 to 7:00 on Saturday, July 16.



For Sale

Meade XL200 GPS, Schmidt-Cassegrain telescope with tripod and quick release mount. Also included are a JMI rolling case, 2" diagonal, plus eyepieces -- 2" 34mm, 2" 2x Barlow, 1 1/4" 4.7mm, 10mm, 17mm, 26mm, and 2x Barlow, plus other miscellaneous items.

Originally over \$5,500 invested. Looking for best offer.

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Calendar of Upcoming Events

Aug. 5, Outreach, Burrage Mansion,
Redlands, for Cub Scouts

Aug. 6, Star Party, Johnson Valley

Aug. 10, Outreach, Hermosa School,
Alta Loma

Aug 20, Annual Club BBQ

Sept 3, Star Party, Johnson Valley

***Other star parties, outreaches and events for
2016, TBA***

Rudy Rodriguez Scholarship Fund

A scholarship fund has been set up in the name of our former colleague, Rudy Rodriguez. As many of you may remember, Rudy was very generous every year at A.B. Miller High School, providing telescopes and scholarship funds from his own pocket to deserving students.

Ideally, A.B. Miller High would like for this scholarship fund to continue on as time goes by. The fund would help offset the cost of continuing education for at least one (if not more) deserving senior. Rudy's sister, Sandy, and his niece, Jacquie (an A.B. Miller graduate) are in conversation with some close friends and will be directly involved with the selection process. It gives them great joy to know that Rudy's legacy might live on in this way.



If you would like to contribute to this fund, the school would welcome your support. Checks should be made out to A.B. Miller High School, making sure to designate this fund in the memo section.

If you have any questions, feel free to call Kent E. Moore at the school, extension 10153.

Your editor does not know if this is (or will be) a registered 501 3(c) non-profit fund. However, it is in support of a public school and therefore likely to be tax deductible. Check with your tax advisor to clarify.

Memories of Grandview June, 2016

Pristine skies, good friends and good food



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