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### Itinerary:

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- Gather on our driving range to view constellations, moon craters, and planets as seen with an eight-inch telescope.
- Take the stairs to the 4<sup>th</sup> Floor and then a spiral staircase to the Observatory Dome. (Handicap accessible theater viewing is available with advance notice.)
- After the dome opens, images from the 14-inch telescope are projected onto flat panel screens for simultaneous viewing. (Sweaters or jackets are advisable year round.)
- For 2-hours explore constellation mythology, Stellar Evolution, from star formation to star death, galaxy formation, and the grand scale of the Universe as you observe planets, nebula, and faraway galaxies.

Adults . . . . . \$75  
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