

Thanet Astronomy Group

Astronomy for Everyone in Plain English

Agenda 037

Date 7th Jun 2017

Time : 8:00 Start

Note: The start may be delayed if the cafe is still serving customers

8:00pm Doors Open

8:15pm Welcome and Notices - Gill

Thanks and updates.

This summer we will be looking at Jupiter in more detail.

8:30pm Radio Astronomy – Steve

To start our Jupiter season :-

As an experienced amateur radio license holder Steve has offered to attempt to repair an old receiver he has, that is likely to be able to listen in to the planet Jupiter.

This evening Steve will set up and explain this equipment and attempt to receive radio signals direct from Jupiter.

See <https://www.ofcom.org.uk/manage-your-licence/radiocommunication-licences/amateur-radio/amateur-radio-info>

for info on becoming an “amateur radio license holder” or better still talk to Steve, Graham, Danny or Sheila.

We all hold the license at various levels.

9:00pm Break Time

Comfort Break: The Cafe will be staffed and Teas, Coffees, Snacks etc. will be available.

If the sky is clear we will bring the 8” telescope and have a look at Jupiter and its 4 Galilean Moons.

9:15pm Continuing our Look at Jupiter :- Presentation on Jupiter (Part 1) – Danny

We will have a look at the first part of the Jupiter Presentation.

(To be continued at following meetings)

10:00pm Home Time

We look forward to helping you achieve all your Astronomy goals.

Danny D - George W - Gill P

We are extremely grateful to Alan and Kate for the kind support they have shown us in providing a venue for our group at

West Bay Cafe, Sea Road, Westgate-on-Sea, CT8 8QA.