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September Meeting

The next meeting of STAR will be Thursday, September 6th, 2001 at 8 PM at the Colts Neck Fire House #2 on Conover Rd. in Colts Neck. This is our first meeting of the 2001–2002 year.

The topic of the meeting will be "What I did on my Summer vacation". Several members will be giving presentations of astronomical trips or projects they did over the summer, and all are invited to bring materials and speak about their summer, if desired.

There are several important business items that will be discussed as well. They include:

- Finding a new meeting place. Our current location will be going up drastically in price soon, and we need to either find a new place or reevaluate our budget for the year.
- Finding a new editor for this newsletter. As you may know, our previous editor resigned last year due to lack of time. The newsletter is a very important tool for the club to bring in new members and to remind members of upcoming meetings and events.

Dues are Due!

September starts our club year both in terms of meetings and fiscally. Membership dues of \$20 per individual or \$30 for a family are due as of the September meeting, and may be paid either to our treasurer, Paul Nadolny, at the meeting, or by mail to our club's post office box:

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Events and Star Parties

- **September 8**, Jenny Jump State Forest, Hope, NJ. The UACNJ Symposium. Visit <http://users.erols.com/njastro/>; njastro@erols.com.
- **September 13–16**, Tuckahoe State Park, MD. The No–Frills Star Party. Contact Lyle Jones, 230 N Bradford Street, Dover, DE 19904, phone 302–736–9842, email lyjones@state.de.us or visit <http://www.delmarvastargazers.org>.
- **September 14–16**, Colebrook CT. The Connecticut Star Party (by pre–registration only). Visit <http://www.asnh.org> or contact Bob Carruthers, 37 Saw Mill Drive, Wallingford, CT. 06492, 203–265–6014; bobcarruthers@webtv.net.
- **September 14–16** Cherry Springs State Park PA. The Black Forest Star Party. Write to CPO, P.O. Box 947, State College, Pa. 16801; black-forest@pop.psu.edu, or visit <http://www.bfsp.org>.
- **September 21–23** Arunah Hill Massachusetts. Arunah Hill Days (free). Call Steve Pielock at 413–772–6715; pielock@acad.umass.edu <http://www.arunah.org>.