



The Night Sky from Eycott Hill

with the Border Astronomical Society



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Event details

Thursday 8 November 2018

19.30 to 21.30 pm in the evening

The evening will begin with a short:

'What's Up There Tonight' presentation by Stuart Ridley at the Sportsman Inn CA11 0SG followed by a viewing session in the car park at Eycott Hill, if fine.

Booking is required. Contact events@cumbriawildlifetrust.org.uk or 01539 816300 to reserve a place. A free event but donations to Border Astronomical Society would be welcome.

If no observing is possible due to inclement weather then a member of the Society will give an illustrated presentation about astrophotography for beginners this will be followed by an illustrated talk on an astronomical topic.

We will have our 6" 'goto' refracting telescope available as well as two 'goto' Cassegrain telescopes (owned by Society members) and a pair of mounted binoculars for visitors to look through.

If the night is clear participants should get an excellent view of the night sky. The planets Mars and Uranus, will be visible but, as there is no moon, prominent constellations such as the Hercules cluster, the Great nebula in Andromeda and the Pleiades



The Western Sky from Eycott Hill