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ScopeOut's 10th Anniversary

Saturday, September 13th, The Cincinnati Observatory Center celebrates the hobby of astronomy. Since 1998, *ScopeOut* has been an opportunity for families and people of all ages to get their questions about the universe answered.

Activities include:

- Kids' crafts, art contest and activities.
- Educational resources for teachers.
- Learn what to ask when buying a telescope. Have a telescope? Bring it along for expert help.
- Afternoon presentations on topics from novice to experts.
- Exhibitors including the *Cincinnati Nature Center*, *Cincinnati Museum Center*, the *Drake Planetarium*, *Hamilton County Park District* and *iSpace*.
- Science career information from UC, Xavier, NKU and other local universities.
- Ask the Astronomer Booth. *Why isn't Pluto a planet anymore? What is a Black Hole?*
- Safe viewing of our nearest star.
- Evening stargazing through our 104 and 164 year old telescopes.
- Door prizes include all sorts of astronomical goodies.

ScopeOut 2008's evening's dinner/lecture
(Keynote Speaker & Topic to be announced)

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Noon to 5 PM for the day's events.

6 PM to 8 PM for the dinner & Keynote Lecture.

8 to 10:30 PM telescope viewing of the Universe (weather permitting).

ADMISSION

Adults, \$5.00 Children \$3.00 Dinner & Lecture, add \$15 per person

The Cincinnati Observatory Center is located on Mt. Lookout in east Cincinnati. For information visit www.cincinnatiobservatory.org, email observatory@fuse.net or call 513.321.5186.

Available for Interview:

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