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SkyFest: International Observe the Moon Night

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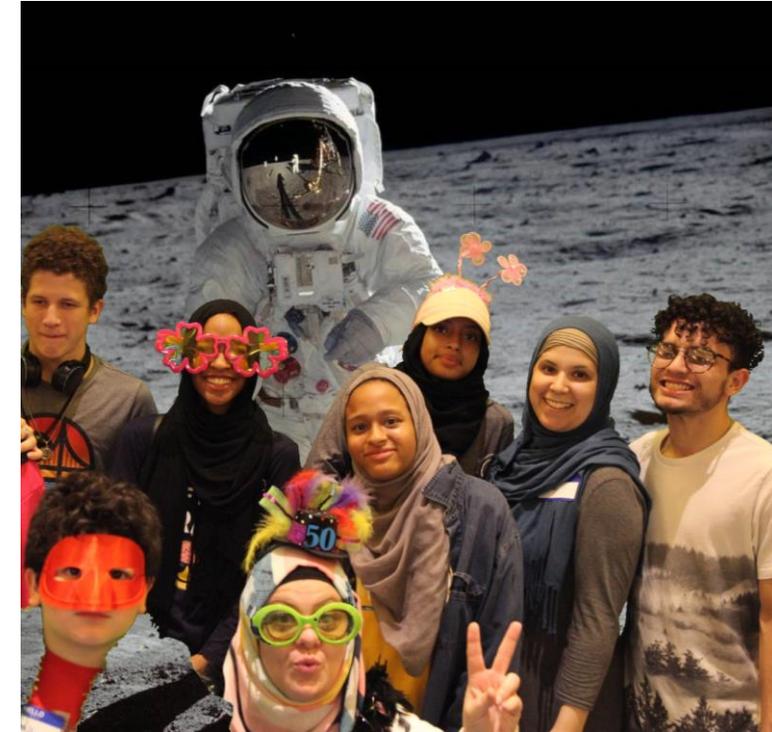
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Nearly 400 attended the free public event, celebrating the 10th anniversary of the International Observe the Moon Night.

The event featured

- (Portable) planetarium tours of the Moon and other planets, and telescopic views of the Moon, Jupiter, and Saturn.
- Remote operation of Spheros for exploration of Apollo landing sites on a Moon Map.
- Family activities included modeling impacts, creating edible models of lunar mare, listening to Moon tales told with puppets, and taking family green screen photos on the Moon.
- Scientist presentations (also streamed live via Ustream) by *Dr. Julie Stopar*, LPI – *10 years in Lunar Orbit and What We Learned*
- Lunar science activities/discussions were facilitated by LPI scientists *Dr. Katie Robinson*, *Dr. Julie Semprich*, *Dr. Tab Prissel* and JSC scientist *Dr. Juliane Gross*.



Participants “on the Moon.”