

Mornington Peninsula Astronomical Society - 2026 Calendar

Day	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Day
1	Th New Years Day	Su	Su	W	F 8pm Public Night	M	W	S	T	Th	Su VicSouth	T	1
2	F 8pm Public Night	M	M	Th	S	T	Th	Su	W	F 8pm Public Night	M VicSouth	W	2
3	S 8pm Public Night	T	T	F Easter 8pm Public Night	Su	W	F 8pm Public Night	M	Th	S	T Cup Day	Th	3
4	Su	W	W	S Easter NACCA	M Aquariids	Th	S	T	F 8pm Public Night	Su Daylight Savings Starts	W	F 8pm Public Night	4
5	M	Th	Th	Su Daylight Saving Ends	T	F 8pm Public Night	Su	W	S	M	Th	S SPCB Xmas Concert	5
6	T	F 8pm Public Night	F 8pm Public Night	M Easter	W	S	M	Th	Su Fathers Day	T	F 8pm Public Night	Su	6
7	W	S	S	T	Th	Su	T	F 8pm Public Night	M	W	S	M	7
8	Th	Su	Su	W	F	M King's Birthday	W	S NSW	T	Th	Su	T	8
9	F 8pm Public Night	M	M Labour Day	Th	S	T	Th	Su NSW	W	F 8pm IA Public Night	M	W	9
10	S	T	T	F 8pm IA Public Night	Su Mothers Day	W	F	M NSW	Th	S 1:45pm Cosmology	T	Th	10
11	Su	W	W	S	M	Th	S 1:45pm Cosmology	T NSW	F	Su	W Remembrance	F	11
12	M	Th	Th	Su	T	F 8pm IA Public Night	Su	W NSW	S 1pm APWS	M	Th	S Members Xmas Dinner	12
13	T	F 8pm IA Public Night	F GSP	M	W	S	M	Th NSW	Su	T	F	Su Geminids	13
14	W	S CLCB Trivia Night Valentines Day	S 1:45pm Cosmology	T	Th	Su	T	F 8pm Public Night	M	W	S	M	14
15	Th	Su	Su GSP	W MPAS Meeting 8pm	F	M	W MPAS AGM 8pm	S NSW	T	Th	Su	T	15
16	F 8pm Public Night	M	M GSP	Th	S	T	Th	Su NSW	W MPAS Meeting 8pm	F	M	W Scorpius Deadline	16
17	S	T	T St Patricks day	F	Su	W MPAS Meeting 8pm	F	M	Th	S NASA Moon Day	T Leonids Meteor shower	Th	17
18	Su	W MPAS Meeting 8pm	W MPAS Meeting 8pm	S Cos 4pm W/B BBQ	M	Th	S W/B 4pm Members BBQ	T	F	Su	W MPAS Meeting 8pm	F	18
19	M	Th	Th	Su	T	F	Su	W MPAS Meeting 8pm	Su W/B 4pm Members BBQ	M	Th	S	19
20	T	F	F	M	W MPAS Meeting 8pm	S W/B 4pm Members BB	M	Th	Su	T	F	Su	20
21	W MPAS Meeting 8pm	S W/B 4pm Members BBQ	S TLD 4pm Members BBQ	T Lyrids Meteor shower	Th	Su	T	F 8pm IA Public Night	M	W MPAS Meeting 8pm	S Cos 4pm W/B BBQ	M	21
22	Th	Su	Su	W	F	M	W	S Cos 4pm W/B BBQ	T	Th	Su	T	22
23	F	M	M	Th Scorpius Deadline	S W/B 4pm Members BBQ	T Scorpius Deadline	Th	Su	W	F SCAG	M	W	23
24	S W/B 4pm Members BBQ	T Scorpius Deadline	T	F	Su	W	F SCAG	M	Th	S TLD 4pm Members BBQ	T	Th	24
25	Su	W	W	S ANZAC day	M	Th	S	T Scorpius Deadline	F AFL Public Holiday	Su	W	F Xmas Day	25
26	M Australia Day	Th	Th	Su	T	F	Su	W	S	M	Th	S Boxing Day	26
27	T	F	F	M	W	S	M	Th	Su	T Scorpius Deadline	F	Su	27
28	W	S	S	T	Th	Su	T	F	M	W	S	M Boxing Day Holiday	28
29	Th		Su	W	F SCAG	M	W	S	T	Th	Su	T	29
30	F		M	Th	S 1:45pm Cosmology	T	Th	Su	W	F VicSouth	M	W	30
31	S 1:45pm Cosmology		T		Su		F	M		S VicSouth Halloween		Th New Years Eve	31

Code

- Green Boxes** - Public nights @ the Briars 8pm
- Orange Boxes** - Indigenous Astronomy Public nights @ the Briars 8pm
- Yellow Boxes** - MPAS Meeting @ the Briars 8pm to 10pm
- Blue Boxes** - Members BBQ nights @ the Briars 6pm, working bee starts 4pm
- Khaki Boxes** - SCAG Scout, Cubs & Guides @ the Briars 8pm to 10pm
- Pink Boxes** - Cosmology Group @ the Briars 1:45pm to 4pm
- Grey Boxes** - Weekends & Public Holidays
- Bold Underlined Days** - School Holidays

Autumn Equinox - March 20
 Winter Solstice - June 21
 Spring Equinox - September 23
 Summer Solstice - December 22



- OT = Observatory/telescope Training** 24th Jan 8pm after w/bee & BBQ
- Trivia & CLCB** = Cranbourne Lions Concert Band - 14th February @ the Briars
- GSP** = Gippsland Star Party 13th - 16th March @ Echo Bend, Glenaladale
- TLD** = Telescope Learning Day 21st March @ the Briars 4pm (Public)
- BSS** = Buy, Swap & Sell 21st March @ the Briars 4pm (Public)
- NACCA** = Hosted by Tamworth Regional Astronomy Club 3rd - 5th April 2026
- NSW** = National Science Week 8th to 16th August (Public)
- APWS** = Astrophotography Workshop - 12th September @ the Briars 1pm
- NASA Moon Day** - 17th October
- TLD & BSS** = Telescope Learning Day 24th October @ the Briars 4pm (Public)
- VicSouth** = Little Desert Star Party 30th October to 2nd Nov @ Nhill
- SPCB** = Southern Peninsula Concert Band - Xmas Concert 5th December