# Astrofiles

### Auburn Astronomical Society E-Newsletter August, 2012

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#### **Events** Calendar

We'll hold our **monthly meeting** on **Friday, August 3**, at 7:45PM, in <u>room 215 of</u> <u>Davis Hall, the Aerospace Engineering Building</u>. Riders from the Montgomery area are welcome to meet at the <u>home</u> of Russell Whigham, <u>518 Seminole Dr.</u>, and carpool over to Auburn. Plan to be ready to leave for Auburn at 6:45PM.

We'll resume our dark-sky star parties this fall when the overnight temperatures return to a bearable level.

We'll have a better than average <u>ISS Pass</u> on **Monday Aug. 6**, moving SW to NE, rising at 8:52PM, overhead at 8:54, and setting at 8:56.

## Curiosity Web Links

Landing Aug 6, 2012, 12:31 a.m. Central

**Start Here:** <u>http://www.nasa.gov/mission\_pages/msl/index.html</u>

Animated entry and landing video: http://marsprogram.jpl.nasa.gov/msl/participate/

Link to <u>Watch NASA TV Show Online</u>: <u>http://www.nasa.gov/ntv</u>

#### Member News

Please welcome one new member and one renewing:

Zachary Harper, Mobile, AL and Dr. Jim T. McLaughlin Montgomery, AL

Hoping to see everyone at the meeting,

Russell