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## Schedule

We're kicking off our new school year with a great new line-up of shows at the Planetarium! Our fall schedule runs from September 4 through November 30, 2014.

### Tuesdays

5:00 pm – Open House

Come see the Planetarium for free Tuesdays at 5:00 pm through September during our Open House nights. A different show from our catalog will be played each month. More details are available below and on our [calendar](#).

### Thursdays

6:00 pm – [Two Small Pieces of Glass](#)

Follow two students as they interact with an astronomer at a local star party. Along the way the students learn how telescopes work, the history of telescopes, and major discoveries made by these instruments.

### Fridays

6:00 pm – [Spacepark 360: Infinity](#)

The fastest fulldome show continues with 9 all new rides! *SpacePark360: Infinity* is a set of fulldome movies designed to recreate the experience of amusement park thrill rides - roller coasters, pendulums, inverters and more.

### Saturdays

1:00 pm – [One World, One Sky: Big Bird's Adventure](#)

Discover the night sky with Big Bird, Elmo and their new friend from China, Hu Hu Zhu.

2:30 pm – [Two Small Pieces of Glass](#)

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5:30 pm – [We Are Astronomers](#)

*We Are Astronomers* reveals the global collaboration, technology, and dedication required to answer the unresolved questions of the Universe.

7:00 pm – [Pink Floyd](#)

*Pink Floyd* is the classic that everyone loves. Combine that with the amazing visual effects and you have an absolutely amazing show that no one should miss.

### Sundays

1:30 pm - [Astronaut](#)

The exploration of space is the greatest endeavor that humankind has ever undertaken. What does it take to be part of this incredible journey? What does it take to become an astronaut?

3:00 PM – [Spacepark 360: Infinity](#)

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## Planetarium Open House Nights



We're offering free shows every Tuesday at 5:00 pm through September during our Open House Nights. Each week we'll play a different title from our show catalog. Check out the line-up below!

### September 9

5:00 pm – [Back to the Moon For Good](#)

Narrated by Tim Allen, *Back To The Moon For Good* immerses us in the Google Lunar XPRIZE race to the Moon and the human stories of both the competition and the collaboration it inspires.

### September 16

5:00 pm – [Mayan Prophecies](#)

Visit the Classic Mayan cities of Uxmal, Chichen Itza, Tikal, and Palenque to discover how the Maya aligned their temples to watch their sky gods and used interlocking calendars to record the past and predict the future.

### September 23

5:00 pm – [Violent Universe](#)

The beauty of a starlit sky conceals the violent forces at work within our universe.

**September 30**

5:00 pm – [Bad Astronomy](#)

*Bad Astronomy* will interest both new and experienced astronomers of all ages as it examines bad science wherever it can be found.