

# STAR GAZETTE BUSINESS BITS — MARCH, 2024

## **IMPORTANT: March Meeting is THURSDAY MARCH 7!!**

7:30 PM at Glenview Library and via Zoom.

Details: <https://www.skokievalleyastronomers.org/meetings.htm#m20240307>

## **Eclipse!**

April's meeting will be dedicated to the Great American Eclipse of 2024. If you see it, be sure to bring photos and stories to share. If you were stuck at home, or clouded out, we'll share sad stories, too.

## **Comet!**

Comet 12/P Pons-Brooks may brighten to naked-eye visibility in April and May. You can check its position at Sky Live: <https://theskylive.com/where-is-12p>

## **Interesting Stuff**

Jim Kovac will present "Extreme Exoplanets -- Part 2" twice in March:

*Tuesday, March 5<sup>th</sup>, 7:00 pm, Poplar Creek Public Library, 1405 South Park Avenue, Streamwood*

Please register: <https://poplarcreeklibrary.evanced.info/signup/EventDetails?EventId=10511&df=calendar&et=all&backTo=Calendar&startDate=2024/03/01>

*Saturday, March 9<sup>th</sup>, 1:00 pm, Northern Illinois Rocketry Conference, open to the public  
Woodstock North High School, 3000 Raffle Road, Woodstock, IL*

**Membership Form** now available online!

## **Just for Fun:**



*Respectfully submitted by Gretchen Patti*