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Tirai Kasih Pentas Budi Nor Azlin Hamidon 2019-04-30 Tirai Kasih Pentas Budi merupakan festschrift terbitan khas Jabatan Sosio-Budaya/Kesenian Melayu, Akademi Pengajian Melayu, Universiti Malaya sebagai dedikasi

istimewa untuk Profesor Emeritus Datin Dr. Rahmah Haji Buang. Terhasilnya festschrift ini adalah untuk mengenang dan menghargai jasa dan sumbangan beliau dalam permartabatan bidang seni persembahan dan seni budaya di persada antarabangsa. Himpunan 20 buah makalah dalam buku ini merupakan sumbangan kasih teman-teman seperjuangan dan bekas anak-anak didik beliau, khususnya pada peringkat Doktor Falsafah (PhD) dan Sarjana. Penerbit ini secara langsung memperlihatkan keluasan bidang ilmu yang telah diterokai oleh penyumbang-penyumbang makalah festschrift ini dan secara langsung mencapah minda pembacanya dengan pelbagai dapatan analisis dan kajian. Namun demikian, sumbangan makalah ini terlalu kecil berbanding dengan limpahan jasa dan bakti beliau yang tidak ternilai dalam pelbagai bidang ilmu. Diharapkan agar permata ini terus bergemerlapan untuk mencahayai dan mewarnai persada seni budaya Melayu.

Philip's Astrophotography With Mark Thompson Mark Thompson 2015-01-30
Philip's Astrophotography With Mark Thompson is an essential guide for anyone wishing to photograph or image the stars and planets, written by TV's favourite astronomer. For many people, looking at the sky is not enough and they would love to try and capture what they can see. Until a few years ago,

capturing astronomical images was fraught with many challenges, but with the development of digital cameras replacing film, things have become much easier and great astronomical images are now within the reach of even the most novice stargazer. Mark Thompson has spent many years capturing the beauty of the night sky, first with film and now with the digital camera, and has discovered and overcome many of the pitfalls. This book takes the reader on a journey through the world of capturing astronomical images from using the humble mobile phone to specialist cameras, brought to life with Mark's personal experiences and many of his own astronomical images.

Over fotografie Susan Sontag 2019-10-01 'Nog altijd domineert Over fotografie het denken over fotografie. De schrijfstijl is vintage Sontag: trefzeker, stoer en stellig. Ze bracht de angsten en ambivalenties die veel mensen voelen tegenover moderne technologie in het algemeen, en fotografie in het bijzonder, messcherp onder woorden. Zelfs nu kun je amper een column, recensie of boek over fotografie lezen waarin Sontag niet wordt aangehaald – zeker wanneer het over foto's van oorlog, honger of geweld gaat.' – Lynn Berger in De Correspondent Over fotografie is een boeiend relaas over wat foto's eigenlijk zijn, over esthetische en morele problemen waarmee we door

hun alomtegenwoordigheid in onze mediacultuur worden geconfronteerd en over de (on)bedoelde effecten van fotografie. Het is een klassiek geworden, baanbrekend onderzoek naar de rol en de betekenis van beelden. Sontag weet het moderne leven zo scherpzinnig te vangen dat kritische vragen niet uit kunnen blijven. ‘Sontag heeft ons als geen ander geleerd na te denken over de rol en het effect van fotografie in onze tijd. Prachtige essays.’ – Trouw ‘Een mijlpaal in de reflectie over fotografie. De opstellen over camp en pornografie zijn virtuoos.’ – De Tijd ‘Over fotografie is het origineelste en meest verlichte boek over dit onderwerp.’ – The New Yorker ‘Elke pagina roept belangrijke en prikkelende vragen op, en bespreekt die vervolgens op de beste, briljante manier.’ – The New York Times Book Review

NightScenes Paul L. Money 2017-09-18

[Astrophotography is Easy!](#) Gregory I. Redfern 2020-10-29 There are many books covering different facets of astrophotography, but few of them contain all the necessary steps for beginners in one accessible place.

[Astrophotography is Easy!](#) fills that void, serving as a guide to anybody interested in the subject but starting totally from scratch. Assuming no prior experience, the author runs through the basics for how to take astrophotos

using just a camera—including cell phones and tablets—as well as a telescope and more sophisticated equipment. The book includes proven techniques, checklists, safety guidelines, troubleshooting tips, and more. Each chapter builds upon the last, allowing readers to master basic techniques before moving on to more challenging material. Also included is a comprehensive list of additional books and resources on a variety of topics so readers can continue expanding their skills. Astrophotography Is Easy! doesn't simply teach you the basic skills for becoming an astrophotographer: it provides you with the foundations you will need for a lifelong pursuit.

The ShortTube 80 Telescope Neil T. English 2019-09-14 Welcome to the first comprehensive guide to one of the world's most popular telescopes: the ShortTube 80 refractor. With its ultra-portability, versatility, and relatively low cost, this telescope continues to delight generations of stargazers. Starting in the field under a dark sky, the author walks the reader through a typical evening of stargazing, where the ShortTube 80 brings many astronomical treasures into focus. From there, he provides an in-depth account of the optical properties of the ShortTube 80 refractor and the accessories and mounting arrangements that maximize its potential both as a spotting 'scope

by day and an astronomical 'scope by night. The main text discusses how the versatile ShortTube 80 can be used to study deep sky objects, the Sun, the Moon, bright planets and even high-resolution projects, where the instrument's features can be optimized for the observation of tight double and multiple stars. It explores how the ShortTube 80 can image targets using camera phones, DSLRs and dedicated astronomical CCD imagers. Packed with practical advice gained from years of firsthand stargazing experience, this book demonstrates exactly why ShortTube 80 has remained a firm favorite among amateur astronomers for over three decades, and why it is likely to remain popular for many years to come.

Capturing the Cosmic Light - A Handbook of Astrophotography Sathyakumar P M Sharma 2016-11-01 The Handbook of Astrophotography is the first book dedicated to Astronomical Imaging through modest equipment, and the first to be published in India. It is a chronicle of the techniques learnt and employed by the author and by no means are proprietary. It is assumed that the reader is equipped with the basic knowledge to use a digital camera. After showing the many methods to capture the Cosmos, the book shows how to process these images. It is designed to be a handbook and not a user manual. The author

hopes that the reader will be confident in astronomical imaging and develop his/her own techniques after reading the book.

Astronomy Now 2008

DSLR Cinema Kurt Lancaster 2018-02-19 The DSLR cinema revolution began over ten years ago. Professional filmmakers, students, video journalists, event video shooters, production houses, and others jumped at the opportunity to shoot cinematic images on these low budget cameras. The first edition of the book mapped the way focusing exclusively on DSLRs. This new edition shows how you can create stunning cinematic images using low budget cinema cameras, from iPhones to the C200. The author examines new cameras and new projects as filmmakers shoot action movies with the Panasonic GH5, craft personal stories with Blackmagic's Pocket Cinema Camera, make documentaries and short films with the Canon C100 Mark II, and create music videos with the 5D Mark IV. This book, like the previous edition, takes the wisdom of some of the best shooters and empowers you to create visually stunning images with low budget cinema cameras. It includes six all new case studies, as well as updated examples from short films and documentaries. This book contains the essential tools to make you a better visual storyteller.

FEATURES An examination of the creative and technical choices filmmakers face—everything from why we move cameras to shooting flat in order to widen the dynamic range of cameras Case studies from documentary filmmakers, news shooters, fiction makers, a visual anthropologist, and recent film school graduates An updated list of gear for low-budget filmmakers, including a section on what to look for in the gear you need to shoot and edit your projects

The 100 Best Astrophotography Targets Ruben Kier 2009-08-15 Any amateur astronomer who is interested in astrophotography, particularly if just getting started, needs to know what objects are best for imaging in each month of the year. These are not necessarily the same objects that are the most spectacular or intriguing visually. The camera reveals different things and has different requirements. What objects in the sky tonight are large enough, bright enough, and high enough to be photographed? This book reveals, for each month of the year, the choicest celestial treasures within the reach of a commercial CCD camera. Helpful hints and advice on framing, exposures, and filters are included. Each deep sky object is explained in beautiful detail, so that observers will gain a richer understanding of these astronomical objects. This is not a book that dwells on the technology of CCD, Webcam, wet, or

other types of astrophotography. Neither is it a book about in-depth computer processing of the images (although this topic is included). Detailed discussions of these topics can be found in other publications. This book focuses on what northern latitude objects to image at any given time of the year to get the most spectacular results.

Scott Kelby's digitale fotografie boek Scott Kelby 2012

Digital Astrophotography Stefan Seip 2012-04-19 At first glance, the challenge of astrophotography may appear daunting. But not only are spectacular results possible, they are easy to learn with the step-by-step instructions provided in Stephan Seip's Digital Astrophotography: A Guide to Capturing the Cosmos. Today, amateurs can produce images that only twenty years ago a large professional observatory would have been proud of; and this book shows you how. Learn how to: Set up your camera for optimum results Focus your camera for razor-sharp images Take beautiful night shots with a simple compact digital camera, a tripod, and a telescope Use a DSLR camera to shoot the Sun, Moon, stars, star clusters, and nebulae through your telescope Get brilliant images of planets with a Webcam Capture remote galaxies with a charge-coupled device (CCD) camera just like a pro Also included are lessons

on the processing that is done in the "studio" after your shoot, including how to: Shoot RAW format images and improve them with calibration frames Take short exposures of faint deep-sky objects and combine them into a longer exposure Perform brightness, contrast, and color correction Make corrections to correct for vignetting and uneven field illumination Process your images for stunning results Equipment requirements for astrophotography range from nothing but a simple camera and tripod to a multi-thousand dollar computer controlled telescope equipped with a CCD auto-guider and separate guide-scope. Researching the best equipment for your needs is a task in itself. Seip helps you to sort out which cameras are best for the various celestial objects, what to look for when buying a camera, and what accessories you really need. The rewards of this fascinating hobby, as the author says, "Grants you unforgettable hours under the night sky; it allows you to produce aesthetically rewarding and lasting results. Astrophotography is a love-match between physics, photography, art, and digital image processing. It is exciting!"

The Moon James Harrop 2020-11-23 A practical guide aimed at beginners interested in learning about the Moon and how to image our closest satellite neighbor. The book contains the complete photographic process including

equipment, settings, capture techniques, stacking and image processing, each of which is vitally important to producing a good image. The information is laid out in a visual and easy-to-understand format so that even the dark art of image processing will not seem quite so daunting. There are many high-quality color photos of the Moon to help you learn about different lunar features and a list of 100 lunar targets identified as a challenge for you to find. All the targets have been captured by the author who provides a brief description of each feature and where it is located on the lunar surface. You will be surprised to discover the fine level of lunar detail which you can see from your back garden and once you start imaging, you will realize there is more to the Moon than meets the eye.

Grating Spectroscopes and How to Use Them Ken M. Harrison 2012-03-02
Grating Spectroscopes and How to Use Them is written for amateur astronomers who are just getting into this field of astronomy. Transmission grating spectroscopes look like simple filters and are designed to screw into place on the eyepiece of a telescope for visual use, or into the camera adapter for digicam or CCD imaging. Using the most popular commercially made filter gratings – Rainbow Optics (US) and Star Analyzer (UK) – as examples, this

book provides the reader with information on how to set up and use the grating one needs to obtain stellar spectrograms. It also discusses several methods on analyzing the results. This book is written in an easy to read style, perfect for getting started on the first night using the spectroscope, and specifically showing how the simple transmission filter is used on the camera or telescope. No heavy mathematics or formulas are involved, and there are many practical hints and tips – something that is almost essential to success when starting out. This book helps readers to achieve quick results, and by following the worked examples, they can successfully carry out basic analysis of the spectra.

Astrophotography on the Go Joseph Ashley 2014-10-03 No longer are heavy, sturdy, expensive mounts and tripods required to photograph deep space. With today's advances in technology, all that is required is an entry-DSLR and an entry level GoTo telescope. Here is all of the information needed to start photographing the night sky without buying expensive tracking mounts. By using multiple short exposures and combining them with mostly 'freeware' computer programs, the effect of image rotation can be minimized to a point where it is undetectable in normal astrophotography, even for a deep-sky object such as a galaxy or nebula. All the processes, techniques, and

equipment needed to use inexpensive, lightweight altazimuth and equatorial mounts and very short exposures photography to image deep space objects are explained, step-by-step, in full detail, supported by clear, easy to understand graphics and photographs. Currently available lightweight mounts and tripods are identified and examined from an economic versus capability perspective to help users determine what camera, telescope, and mount is the best fit for them. A similar analysis is presented for entry-level telescopes and mounts sold as bundled packages by the telescope manufacturers. This book lifts the veil of mystery from the creation of deep space photographs and makes astrophotography affordable and accessible to most amateur astronomers.

Shoot the Moon Nicolas Dupont-Bloch 2016-09-30 Dedicated to modern lunar imaging, this is an in-depth and illustrated guide to capturing impressive images of our nearest neighbour.

Viewing and Imaging the Solar System Jane Clark 2014-09-24 Viewing and Imaging the Solar System: A Guide for Amateur Astronomers is for those who want to develop their ability to observe and image Solar System objects, including the planets and moons, the Sun, and comets and asteroids. They

might be beginners, or they may have already owned and used an astronomical telescope for a year or more. Newcomers are almost always wowed by sights such as the rings of Saturn and the moons of Jupiter, but have little idea how to find these objects for themselves (with the obvious exceptions of the Sun and Moon). They also need guidance about what equipment, besides a telescope, they will need. This book is written by an expert on the Solar System, who has had a lot of experience with outreach programs, which teach others how to make the most of relatively simple and low-cost equipment. That does not mean that this book is not for serious amateurs. On the contrary, it is designed to show amateur astronomers, in a relatively light-hearted—and math-free way—how to become serious.

Sterrenkunde voor Dummies Stephen P. Maran 2005 In dit boek worden talloze pictogrammen met tips, bijzonderheden, 'geheimpjes', technische info en andere informatie gegeven. Met verwijzingen naar allerlei websites en te downloaden materiaal. Tevens bevat het boek informatie over zelf sterrenkijken, verenigingen, sterrenwachten etc.

Stargazing Basics Paul E. Kinzer 2015-07-09 How do I get started in astronomy? Should I buy binoculars or a telescope? What can I expect to see?

This wonderful beginners' guide to astronomy covers all the information you need to get started. This second edition has been fully updated and now includes new illustrations, the latest astronomy equipment and celestial events through to the year 2025. It starts by explaining the basic techniques and equipment you need for exploring the skies before taking you on a tour of the night sky, covering the Moon, Sun, stars, planets and more. Any necessary technical terms are clearly explained. The author gives sound advice on using and purchasing affordable binoculars, telescopes and accessories, and the book is illustrated with photos taken by the author, showing how objects in the sky actually look through modest amateur equipment. It contains a comprehensive glossary and references to further astronomy resources and websites.

Beginners Guide to Night Photography Steve Rutherford 2018-07-01 Do you struggle to take great photos of fireworks or the stars and night sky? Written by Multi Award Winning Australian Photographer, Trainer and Best Selling Author Steve Rutherford. This book, The Beginners Guide to Night Photography is one of the best selling "Beginners Guide to Photography" book series and is an easy to understand practical guide to night photography. In the latest book

"The Beginners Guide to Night Photography" another book in the best selling "Beginners Guide to Photography" book series. You'll discover the secrets the pro's use to get amazing photos of star trails, planets and even deep space! Here is what is covered in this complete beginners guide to Photographing the Night Sky by Award Winning Professional Photographer and Best Selling Author Steve Rutherford. The SECRET TECHNIQUES pro photographers use every day FREE Access to BONUS VIDEO TRAINING to learn photo editing like a pro Beginners buying guide to telescopes and how to use them with cameras. Dozens of astrophotography techniques, tips and tricks. Equipment needed to capture star field planetary and celestial objects. Specialised telescopic equipment studies. All the resources to find processing software for astrophotography. Over 200 pages of hands on easy to follow instruction The equipment that takes your shots from boring to amazing How to save time and money using the right photography tools How to turn your photography passion and creativity into a BIG \$ income You will discover the many secrets that I, and other pro photographers, use to capture stunning award winning photos, with sharper focus, more color, more detail and less time wasting, trying every setting to "hope for a good shot". Set out into an easy to follow,

page by page guide, join me indoors, outdoors and at night on all aspects of photography and how to take control of your DSLR Camera, and master striking photos, with every shoot. The Beginners Guide to Night Photography, is clearly written, easy-to-understand guide will be an indispensable resource whenever you pick up the camera for your next night photography shoot. You'll also get FREE access to Video Training at - <https://www.photocheats.com>. Also FREE Access to One Shot Magazine at - <http://www.oneshotmagazine.com>. It is packed full of tips and tricks to improve your photography. Just follow the links to both Photo Cheats and One Shot Magazine in the book or Like us over at <https://www.facebook.com/OneShotMagazine> Please also come back and leave a review we would love to know what you thought of this book. Don't forget to check out the other books in the "Beginners Guide to Photography" book series. Written with all levels in mind, there is instruction for beginners, as well as many advanced techniques and tips. I have also included "live website links" throughout, as well as easy to find "quick tip" sections. The "Beginners Guide to Photography" book series breaks techniques down into specific categories so you can perfect these techniques. Please see the other

books in the series for more in depth tutorials on a large range of photography styles. Please also come back and leave a review we would love to know what you thought of this book. Don't forget to check out the other books in the "The Beginners Guide to Photography" best selling photography book series. ***** 5 STAR REVIEWS for this book series so far ***** "Explanatory, easy descriptions involved material" "Loved it has helped me in numerous ways. Have used it as a reference constantly. One of my photos has gone viral since using the hints and tips in the book. Small adjustments make huge differences." - Mike Roche. "Has absolutely everything" "Do not miss out on this book. As the title says it has absolutely everything and I particularly like the boxes with advice to shoot particular subjects. It doesn't matter whether you are just starting out or experienced with a camera, it has something for everyone. Highly recommended!" - Paul B "Well worth the money" "Great book that starts from the very basics, explains everything to do with modern cameras, their use, settings and techniques under different settings and circumstances." - Qball "A great read" "Getting back into photography after a 6 yr break - born and raised on a film SLR, this book helped me remember things and to better adapt to a digital SLR - whether you're novice or

experienced, you will get a lot out of this book...." - Brian I love this book and hope to capture few good images as a result of this." - Jatinkumar.

From Casual Stargazer to Amateur Astronomer Dave Eagle 2013-10-16 The beginning astronomical observer passes through a series of stages. The initial stage is hugely exciting and gives the beginner a real buzz as he discovers some of the faint fuzzy objects, markings on the planets, rings around Saturn and the craters on the Moon. But as the novice observer progresses, he or she wants to know what more there is than looking at faint fuzzy blobs or indistinct planet markings. Many jump to the conclusion – wrongly – that they need to spend lots of money on expensive equipment to progress. “From Casual Stargazer to Amateur Astronomer” has been written specifically to address this group of budding stargazers. Astronomy is much more than a quick sightseeing tour. Patient observers who can develop their skills will start to appreciate what they are seeing, and will know exactly what to look out for on any particular night. And equally important, they will learn what not to expect to see. “From Casual Stargazer to Amateur Astronomer” is for those who want to develop observing skills beyond mere sightseeing, and learn some of the techniques used to carry out enjoyable – and scientifically useful –

observations. It will also direct readers to make informed choices about what can be seen and when. This book is for anyone keen to develop their skills as an amateur astronomer.

Opensource Astrophotography 2.2 Karl Sarnow 2013-08-02 Astrophotography is a great hobby, but it is generally considered to be difficult, expensive and time consuming. In this book I describe my way to overcome these problems. The benefit of open source software is not only the reduction of the financial burden. It also facilitates the implementation of the hobby by a variety of software tools that are easy to install and a useful remedy for the problems in astrophotography. I use UBUNTU Linux and all the examples in this book use the software on this operating system. The software is platform independent (except fotoxx) and runs as well on Windows or Mac. The focus of the hardware, which is described in this book, is also located in the low-cost area. A digital SLR or a mirrorless system camera is enough to start with. Important is the option of interchangeable lenses, especially that of a T2 adapter. No further adaptation is needed. The camera is mounted on the focuser of the telescope using the T2 adapter. In case you don't have a system camera with interchangeable lenses, a normal digital camera will do. In

this case you might want to use a “digital mount”, which holds the camera in front of the eyepiece. Which telescope you want to use depends on your wallet. For getting started in astrophotography, you can safely use an inexpensive achromatic refractor telescope. If necessary this can be later used as a guide scope. The telescope with a camera must finally be fixed on on a tripod or better on an equatorial mount. At this point, it becomes expensive: Even beginners should prefer a stable equatorial mount before a cheap “wobble mount”. If you give up the hobby, a GOTO mount is easily sold on eBay. After this introduction, I hope you will enjoy reading the book, have a lot of success with the implementation of the content and a lot of satisfaction when looking at the results. One note to my language skills: This book is the translation of my German language book “OpenSource Astrophotografie 2.0”. I apologize for any translation errors. Karl Sarnow December 2012 In the meantime, the German language version made an upgrade to version 2.2, motivated by the inclusion of more OpenSource software:

- The INDI-Interface for connecting a mount with a computer.
- The gphoto2-software to control your DSLR by your computer.
- The darktable-software, basing upon gphoto2.
- The RawTherapee-software, which allows the development of images from the camera sensors

raw image. This version of the eBook brings the upgrade to the English language version. Karl Sarnow July 2013

The Universe Today Ultimate Guide to Viewing The Cosmos David Dickinson 2018-10-23 The Definitive Resource for Viewing the Night Sky David Dickinson, Earth science teacher and backyard astronomer, and Fraser Cain, publisher of Universe Today, have teamed up to provide expert guidance on observing the night sky. The Universe Today Ultimate Guide to Viewing the Cosmos features the best tips and tricks for viewing our solar system and deep sky objects, as well as detailed charts, graphs and tables to find must-see events for years to come. This comprehensive guide is complete with stunning and exclusive photography from top night sky photographers, as well as advice on how to take your own incredible photos. Take your recreational viewing to the next level with activities like: Finding comets and asteroids Tracking variable stars Monitoring meteor showers Following solar activity Tracking satellites Timing lunar and asteroid occultations With star charts, practical background information, technological resources and telescope and astrophotography guides, this is the ultimate resource for any backyard space

enthusiast.

De antwoorden op de grote vragen Stephen William Hawking 2018

A Stargazing Program for Beginners Jamie Carter 2015-11-20 Sets out a simple month-by-month program to reveal all of the night sky's biggest and most beautiful secrets in just one year – and with only a few hours of stargazing each month By investing just an hour a week and \$50 in binoculars, it's possible to learn a few simple techniques and quickly gain a real insight into the night sky's ever-changing patterns – and what they tell us about Earth, the seasons and ourselves. Searching more for a learned appreciation of nature and our exact place within the cosmos than academic scientific knowledge, science and travel writer Jamie Carter takes the reader on a 12 month tour of the night sky's incredible annual rhythms that say so much about Earth. During the journey he learns about the celestial mechanics at work in the skies above that are – to the beginner – almost beyond belief. As well as the vital constellations and clusters, and the weird and wonderful nebulas, he searches out “dark sky destinations” across the globe that help increase knowledge and give a new perspective on familiar night sky sights. On the journey he witnesses a solar eclipse and grapples with star-charts, binoculars,

smartphone apps, telescopes, spots satellites and attempts basic astrophotography. By year's end, the reader will be able to glance at the night sky from anywhere on the planet and tell what direction he or she is facing, what time it is, where all the planets are and even where the Galactic Center Point is.

The Art of Astrophotography Ian Morison 2017-02-02 In The Art of Astrophotography, astronomer and Astronomy Now columnist Ian Morison provides the essential foundations of how to produce beautiful astronomical images. Every type of astroimaging is covered, from images of the Moon and planets, to the constellations, star clusters and nebulae within our Milky Way Galaxy and the faint light of distant galaxies. He achieves this through a series of worked examples and short project walk-throughs, detailing the equipment needed - starting with just a DSLR (digital single lens reflex) camera and tripod, and increasing in complexity as the book progresses - followed by the way to best capture the images and then how, step by step, these may be processed and enhanced to provide results that can rival those seen in astronomical magazines and books. Whether you are just getting into astrophotography or are already deeply involved, Morison's advice will help

you capture and create enticing astronomical images.

Demystifying astronomy Kevin Quinn 2015-06-01 Demystifying Astronomy is an absolute beginner's guide to choosing binoculars, telescopes, eyepieces and accessories for visual astronomy. Based on the author's own journey and extensive research in the subject, it provides everything you need to know to get started in this fascinating and hugely popular hobby. Discusses the differences between telescope types, what you should consider when making your choice, and what you can expect to see. Also explains focal length, collimation, and much technical terminology, as well as eyepieces, accessories, troubleshooting and maintenance.

Night Sky Nicholas Nigro 2021-03-01 The ultimate illustrated guide to the most spectacular objects in the night sky, fully updated and revised. Night Sky: A Falcon Field Guide covers summer and winter constellations, planets, and stars found in the northern hemisphere. Conveniently sized to fit in a pocket and featuring detailed photographs, this informative guide makes it easy to identify objects in the night sky even from one's own backyard. From information on optimal weather conditions, preferred viewing locations, and how to use key tools of the trade, this handbook will help you adeptly navigate

to and fro the vast and dynamic nighttime skies, and you'll fast recognize that the night sky's the limit.

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Astronomy Adventures and Vacations Timothy Treadwell 2017-03-29 This astronomy travel guide examines the many wonderful opportunities for

experiencing the observing hobby. Amateur astronomy is often consigned to observing from home or from a local park, yet it can be much more. Tim Treadwell explores all the possibilities of astronomical and space-related activities that are available on day trips and longer vacations. These activities range from observatory visits and other simple ways to build an astronomy event into a holiday, to full blown specialized astronomy travel. Many trips give the opportunity to visit some of the world's famous attractions. On most vacations it can be a matter of just taking a day (or night) out of your schedule to fit in an astronomy event, but larger, dedicated pilgrimages are also possible. How to make the most of astronomy potential on a holiday, whether observing on the beach in Hawaii with the Telescope Guy or visiting Star City in Russia, is covered in detail. Go to a star party, explore the national parks or see the northern lights! There are a wide variety of activities for all budgets described in this book.

Introduction to Astronomy and Photography John A. Allocca 2017-06

Introduction to Astronomy and Photography This book covers the basics of astronomy and photography Table of Contents: Part 1 - Astronomy Basics Introduction Learning Astronomy Binoculars Binocular

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