

Austin Astronomical Society
Membership Form

YOUNG ASTRONOMERS

The objective of the AAS Young Astronomers is to provide a sound foundation in astronomy in an organization specific to the needs of young people and an opportunity for peer involvement in this wonderful hobby. Young men and women, ages 8-18, are eligible to participate in the AAS Young Astronomers. Parental involvement in activities is an essential element of the educational process.

Young Astronomer Name: _____
(First) (Init.) (Last)

Address: _____

Phone: _____

E-Mail: _____

Type Telescope/Binoculars (if any): _____

Age: _____ **Observing Experience & Interests:** _____

Parent's Name (s): _____
(First) (Init.) (Last)

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Address (if other than above): _____

Phone (if other than above): _____

Email (if other than above): _____

Annual Membership Dues:

Dues may be paid as directed online at www.austinastro.org (AAS website), or at AAS meetings. Annual dues are payable in September. Although Junior Membership in the Austin Astronomical Society is very strongly encouraged, it is not required for attendance at regular monthly Young Astronomer meetings, which are open to the public. However, a Young Astronomer must be an "AAS Junior Member/Additional Family Member" and accompanied by a parent; or be accompanied by an "AAS Member/Additional Family Member" parent in order to participate in other activities such as observing sessions or field trips. Junior Membership is required of the AAS Junior Member-at-Large who serves on the AAS Executive Committee.

AAS Junior Member: _____ (\$15) (Y/N) or **Additional Family Member:(\$15) (Y/N):** _____

Parent (s) AAS Members? (Y/N): _____

Parent (s) Desire to Join? (Annual \$25, Additional Family Member \$15, Seniors \$15) (Y/N): _____

Discounted "Sky and Telescope" and "Astronomy" magazine subscriptions also available through AAS – see website for cost. Bring the completed form to a Young Astronomers' meeting or mail to: AAS, PO Box 12831, Austin, TX 78711