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**WHAT'S UP IN JUNE
OTHERS**

See Mercury

This planet is actually very difficult to observe. The only times you can actually observe it is when the Sun has just set, or is about to rise. You only have a short amount of time to spot it, and



you need a place that has a clear view of the horizon. When you hear Mercury is in the sky, find a clear view of the horizon in either the East for the morning or the West in the evening. It will be a very bright object that will either set after the Sun, or fade away as the Sun rises. It might be interesting to know that there are recorded observations of Mercury by the ancient Greeks and Romans who named it after the god Hermes.

Black Hole Seeker

In February 1997, the Hubble Space Telescope had a new instrument installed called the Space Telescope Imaging Spectrograph (STIS). This piece of equipment is the main black hole seeker on



the telescope. A spectrograph splits any incoming light using prisms and diffraction gratings into a rainbow. The STIS can measure ultraviolet, visible, and near-infrared wavelengths, allowing it to capture a wide range of places at once. The placement and intensity of the spectrum provides indispensable information to scientists. Every spectrum can be analyzed to find out the speed at which stars and gas swirl at a certain location.

Deadly Sun

The Sun is actually slowly heating up. It's becoming 10% more luminous every billion years. In fact, within a billion years, the heat from the Sun will be so intense that liquid water won't exist



on the surface of the Earth. Life on Earth as we know it will be gone forever. It will take another 7 billion years for the Sun to reach its red giant phase before it actually expands to the point that it engulfs the Earth and destroys the entire planet. The most famous spacecraft sent to observe the Sun is the Solar and Heliospheric Observatory, built by NASA and ESA, and launched in December, 1995. Hopefully it will be able to warn us in time.

The 13th Science Picnic

How do you examine the surface of the Moon? Can you create your own personal cloud? What is a vacuum? The answer to these and many more questions can be found during the 13th Science Picnic of Polish Radio and the Copernicus Science Centre, Europe's largest outdoor event promoting science. The overall theme of this year's edition will be "Science Among the Stars" –



a reference to the fact that the UN has declared 2009 the International Year of Astronomy. Therefore, one can expect a lot of astronomy-related shows, exhibits, and experiences. Visitors to this year's Science Picnic will have the opportunity to see numerous unusual and extraordinary inventions, fascinating experiments, state-of-the-art scientific achievements and roughly a thousand fantastic shows and presentations from all over the world. The area will be divided into special subject matter sectors, which should be helpful when looking for a specific scientific subject. Apart from the City of Warsaw Technical University, the Archaeological Village, and the European Village, attractions will include: the Space Alley, Nuclear Street, Biological and Medical Pavilion, Machinery Alley, Museum Alley and Experiment Alley. The 13th Science Picnic is also a mine of information, treasures, and learning for children, who will have the chance to hear their voice change under the influence of helium, sit in a paraglider, and eat a cake frozen with liquefied nitrogen.

New Town Square and Podzamcze Areas, May 30