Galilean Nights Event ID: gn1,185

Number of telescopes: 3 telescopes (a central one and two mobile ones), a binocular Number of organisers: 23 Number of attendees: 3200 Event photos: A short film (90 sec) with SARM's Galilean Nights festival of astronomy in Targoviste is available here:

http://www.flickr.com/photos/8313346@N03/4099863031

A long film will be available here:

http://www.noptigalileene.sarm.ro/raporteaza-evenimente.php?p=sarm-targovistefilm

Event Report:

The Romanian Society for Meteors and Astronomy-SARM's Galilean Nights festival of astronomy in Targoviste contained:

1. An Orionid meteor shower observational night prologue (October 21-22), in a dark sky area, near Targoviste.

Images here: http://www.flickr.com/photos/8313346@N03/sets/72157622692811659

2. Press conference at SARM's headquarters, and co-operations with 5 televisions and more radio programs (including Radio Romania), on-line publications and newspapers, which this way drew the attention of the whole town and informed the whole country about the event.

Images here: http://www.flickr.com/photos/8313346@N03/sets/72157622693110635 TV News here: http://www.flickr.com/photos/8313346@N03/sets/72157622817649314 Online newspapers:

http://www.adevarul.ro/rss/articol/targoviste-nopti-galileene-in-piata-tricolorului.html

http://www.adevarul.ro/articole/targoviste-nopti-galileene-la-targoviste.html

http://jurnaldedambovita.artpress.ro/jdb_articol--Nopti_Galileene_la_Trgoviste,423.html

http://www.ziar.com/articol-din-ziar.php3?id_syndic_article=1351337

3. Activities in the "Tricolorul" (central) square in October 22-24: tents with astronomical products, projections of images, movies and planetarium programs, workshops, astroelectronic music, 3D images, remote observations, promotional materials, astroart exhibition made by children, telescopic observations of Galilean objects.

Images with public observations here:

http://www.flickr.com/photos/8313346@N03/sets/72157622817512982

Images with public projections here:

http://www.flickr.com/photos/8313346@N03/sets/72157622817804088

Images with astroart exhibition and promotional materials here:

http://www.flickr.com/photos/8313346@N03/sets/72157622693331575

Remote observations, images here: http://www.flickr.com/photos/8313346@N03/sets/72157622693423697 4. A special live broadcast (Columna TV, Targoviste, October 24) about Galilean Nights (including finally an astropoetry and astrofolk music mini-show).

A TV broadcast record (1 hour duration) will be available here:

http://www.noptigalileene.sarm.ro/raporteaza-evenimente.php?p=sarm-columnatv

Images here:

http://www.flickr.com/photos/8313346@N03/sets/72157622817869850

5. Galilean Gala Show (Dambovita History Museum, Targoviste, October 24): astromovies, astrophotography exhibition, International Galilean Poetry Evening (with texts received from Europe, America, Asia and Australasia), and astrofolk music recital, in which Galileo Galilei was performed by a SARM counselor. (The Show was filmed by Columna TV).

Images here:

http://www.flickr.com/photos/8313346@N03/sets/72157622817653676

6. An original and innovative web page as both a unique homage for Galileo and an album-document, including comments and images on Galilean Nights-Targoviste and poetic writings dedicated to the Great Astronomer by important astronomers and writers from 4 continents: Galilean Poetry

http://www.cosmopoetry.ro/astropoetrytoiya/galileanpoetry.html

Thus, SARM tried to promote astronomy during Galilean Nights-Targoviste in a complex (technical, cultural, educational, artistic, social, historical and creative) way.

A short film (90 sec) with

With the Targoviste event, SARM wants to participate in 4 Event Awards:

-Most innovative event.

-Community outreach.

-Outstanding Galilean Nights Event.

-Highest attendance of a single registered event.