Schedule for Astronomy 1031, *Wednesday* sections

August 26  Introduction, syllabus, and tour of observatories
          Distribute take-home activity: the planisphere
September 2  Computer planetarium
         Night lab sign-ups
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   9    Moon phases
   16  Apparent motion of the sky: the celestial globe
   23  Night lab (gibbous moon): No daytime labs!
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   30  Telescopes

October 7  Sizes and scales in the universe
       Take-home observing due
       Rain or shine: September 21–24, 7:30 or 9:00 p.m.
   14  MTSU’s Uranidrome
   21  Spectroscopy: the physics of light
   28  Stars and the H.R. diagram

November 4  The Pleiades and star clusters: distances and ages
        Rain or shine: November 9–12, 7:30 or 9:00 p.m.
   11  Night lab (new moon): No daytime labs!
   18  Hubble’s Law and the age of the Universe
   25  University closed; no class
December 2  Class meets at instructor’s discretion