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BUFFALO ASTRONOMICAL ASSOCIATION NOW IN FULL COOPERATION WITH I.G.Y. PROGRAM

ASTRONOMICAL LEAGUE NATIONAL CONVENTION

August 31 - September 2, 1957

Location: University of Kansas City

And what a convention this is going to be! The first national meeting during the International Geophysical Year. Here, the nation will compare notes on their efforts during the summer.

The program includes IGY subjects, speakers and buzz sessions.

All persons interested in attending the convention or receiving convention notes by mail, immediately notify this paper. If enough will accompany the editor of this paper, we can form an organized delegation.

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FURTHER NOTES ON AL CONTEST

Mr. Charles Federer, editor of Sky and Telescope, offers as a prize: "The History of the Telescope," to the person or club which chooses the best name for the new AL Bulletin.

The contest rules are as follows

WALTER SEMERAU PLANS OPEN HOUSE

On August 3rd., the first Saturday, Mr. Semerau is having an open house at his residence at 135 Zimmerman Blvd. in Tonawanda. His street may be reached by Delaware Ave. and runs parallel to Sheridan Dr. which is 3 blocks to the South.

The program will begin about 10:00 Saturday morning with observations through Mr. Semerau's Solar Coronagraph. As usual there will be questions answered, notes compared, and much small talk about the IGY.

Reservations for this meeting must be mailed to Mr. Semerau at the above address before July 30th. Changes in time or date will be printed in this paper's August issue.

Select an appropriate name and in 25 words tell why you chose the name.

Send the entry on a postcard to:

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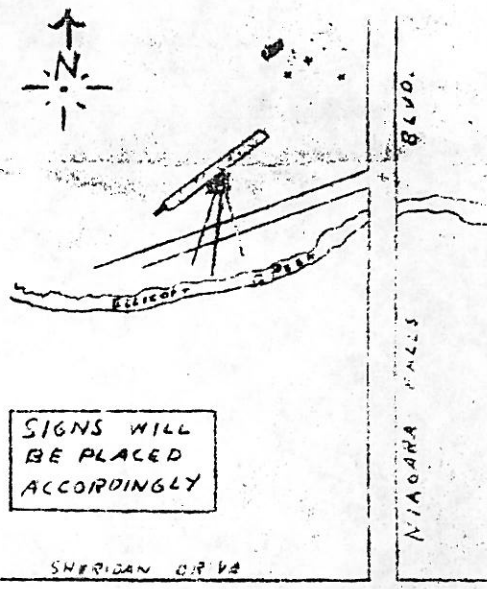
Be sure to include your own name and address.

Contest ends July 31, '57

FIRST EFFORT:

^{13th and SATURDAY}
JULY 13th. STAR PARTY IN
ELLCOTT CREEK PARK

Final plans are being made for the first star party of the season. It will be held at the same location as the party of last summer. The following map shows its location in Tonawanda:



The program will start at about 6:30 P.M. with a hot dog roast. This will be followed by a briefing session for those interested in the Moonwatch, Meteor, and Auroral Committees. Telescopes will be set up for observations and we will have the first actual observing period for the International Geophysical Year.

If weather is unfavorable, the same program will take place the next

NOTE CHANGE IN DATE FOR STAR PARTY