

# The George Observatory

On **Saturday, November 21<sup>st</sup>**, there will be an optional field trip to the George Observatory for anyone who is interested. Since August you have hear me speak of stars, planets, and other astronomical phenomena. This is your chance to see some of things up close using telescopes. In addition, the George Observatory has many other great astronomy exhibits that I know you will find most interesting.

The cost of admission to the Brazos Bend State Park is \$5.00. There is an additional cost of \$5.00 to view the large 36", 14" and 18" telescopes. I hope you can all make it. Below is the link to their website for more information as a driving map.

Mr. Finger

## Website

[http://www.hmns.org/see\\_do/george\\_observatory.asp?r=1](http://www.hmns.org/see_do/george_observatory.asp?r=1)

## Directions

Take Hwy. 59 south to the Crabb River Road exit. Go left under the freeway and stay on Crabb River Road over the railroad tracks. The road changes names to FM 762 once you go over the tracks. Stay on FM 762 for 12 miles until you get to the entrance of Brazos Bend State Park.

**Please note, if the weather is not conducive to star gazing (if any clouds are in the sky on Saturday, I will reschedule the event for a later date. Please call me on that day (832) 689-5075 if you have any questions as to whether or not the trip will be cancelled.**