

# Northumberland Park Stargazing Event

## A unique Stargazing Extravaganza



Find out about the amazing show going on above our heads.

### Friday 9th February 2018, 7pm till late.

#### Northumberland Park Visitors Centre (North Shields)

(Site Access via King Edwards Road, Postcode: NE30 2ES)

#### Free Entry (Just Turn up).



North Tyneside Council

Clr Eddie Darke, cabinet member - responsibility for Leisure, Culture and Tourism, said: "This event is a great opportunity for anyone to come along and marvel at the night sky, as well as learn more about the wonders of the universe".

Join local astronomers for a fun night of assorted astronomical treats at the Northumberland Park Visitors Centre.

Northumberland Park in partnership with Sunderland Astronomical Society are hosting an evening of stargazing.

Powerful telescopes will be available to view:

- The planet Uranus.
- Amazing stellar nursery, the Orion Nebula (M42).
- Andromeda Galaxy (M31).
- Gorgeous open star clusters such as "The Seven Sisters".
- Plus many other astronomical wonders of the night sky

#### Event Information:

- Suitable for all ages & abilities.
- Lots of telescopes of all shapes and sizes
- Astronomy related talks with Q&A.
- Local amateur astronomer expertise on hand to answer questions & share their knowledge of the night sky.
- Astro merchandise available to buy.
- Bring suitable clothing for the weather.
- Free Entry (Just turn up).