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## **Summer Astronomy Series Set for Wetherbee Planetarium.**

**Albany** – Thronateeska Heritage Center announces its schedule for the *Summer Astronomy Series* at the Wetherbee Planetarium. Programs will be conducted on the fourth Tuesday of June, July and August. The first program – *Black Holes: the Other Side of Infinity* – will be held Tuesday, June 22.

The Science Museum will be open at 7:00 p.m. After introductions, guests will view a planetarium show followed by a presentation on the latest observations and theories on black holes and the life cycle of stars to be followed by questions and answers. The program will last approximately until 8:30 p.m.

The July 27<sup>th</sup> presentation – *Exploring our Solar System* – will feature the show *Two Small Pieces of Glass* and focus on telescopes, how to use them and observable objects in our solar system.

*Oasis in Space* will start off the August 24<sup>th</sup> program and the evening continues with information on the latest discoveries in our galaxy. Visitors will also investigate deep space objects and constellations.

Admission to the series is \$3.50 plus tax per person. Thronateeska members are admitted at no charge. While reservations are not required, seating is limited. Program content is suitable for all ages. For more information call 229-432-6955.

*Thronateeska Heritage Center is a 501(c)3 not-for-profit organization located at 100 West Roosevelt Avenue, Albany, Georgia. Facilities include the History Museum, Wetherbee Planetarium, Science Museum, and Transportation Museum. Admission is free to the History & Science Museum. Annual Memberships are available. Group reservations may be scheduled by contacting the Thronateeska Heritage Center office at (229) 432-6955.*