

Yuri's Night - 2013

On April 12, 1961, Yuri Gagarin became the first person to orbit the Earth. To celebrate the anniversary of this milestone in space exploration, the Phoenix aerospace community is hosting a Yuri's Night event on Friday, April 12, 2013.

This will be a fun evening of entertainment, education, and socializing. We will again be holding it in conjunction with the 2013 Space Access Conference which will be held at the InnPlace Hotel Phoenix North. The hotel location is 10220 North Metro Parkway East, Phoenix AZ 85051, in the Metrocenter Mall complex in north central Phoenix. For conference information see:

<http://www.space-access.org/updates/sa13info.html>.

The Yuri's Night function will be free and open to everyone. No advanced registration is required. We are looking into a discounted admission for the SAS programming that evening (stay tuned!).

The schedule for the Yuri's Night event will be:

7 pm - Doors open, light refreshments available all evening

8 pm - Space History Trivia Photo contest with fun prizes

9 pm - NASA Solar System Exploration Update by Dr. Dave Williams of ASU

11 pm or whenever - doors close

This primary sponsor of this event is the Phoenix Section of American Institute of Aeronautics and Astronautics, with additional support provided by local chapters of the National Space Society and the Moon Society.

For more information, see our website: <http://yuriphx.net>

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