

## Friday Star Parties Spring 2012

**Department of Physics & Astronomy** 

## Dates: Special Fridays each Month

Feb 3 Galaxy Clusters --- Brian Hart (special guest)

\*Feb 24' The Spring Triangle --- Ford

Apr 13 (Alumni weekend) The "Magic" in Physics --- Klumpe

\*Apr 27 The Elusive Higgs Boson --- Higgins

\* Date changed due to school holiday

June 5 Special Observing Event 5:00-8:00pm
The Transit of Venus

Time: 6:30pm - 8:30pm

Place: Lecture: Wiser-Patten Science (WPS) Building Room 102

Observing: Telescopes set up by the MTSU Observatory

Format: 30 - 45 min public lecture followed by

Telescope Observing (if clear weather)

Audience: General public, MTSU students, faculty, and staff (kids are welcome)

Cost: FREE

Directions: Free Parking behind the WPS building. Use Main Street Entrance to MTSU, follow Blue Raider Drive past Cope Building and past Old Main Circle. Left at Friendship Street. Left into 2<sup>nd</sup> parking lot. WPS building is the 2<sup>nd</sup> building on the right, and the MTSU Observatory is next to the WPS building.

