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NEW EXHIBITION: *TELESCOPES: THROUGH THE LOOKING GLASS*

Open May 22 - December 31, 2009

Visit the Adler to experience *Telescopes: Through the Looking Glass*, the most comprehensive exhibition of its kind. From the earliest telescopes used by Galileo 400 years ago, to today's Hubble Space Telescope and into the future with

leading-edge technologies, the exhibition shows how these amazing instruments have changed our concepts of the Universe.

Featuring some of the world's most important telescopes and one-of-a-kind hands-on interactives, *Telescopes: Through the Looking Glass* explores the extraordinary beauty and technology of these astonishing instruments and the objects they discover.

[Click here to learn more about *Telescopes: Through the Looking Glass*.](#)

FREE ADMISSION DURING *CHARTER ONE TELESCOPE DAYS*

Sunday, June 7 - Friday, June 12

Join the Adler's celebration of telescopes with FREE general admission June 7 - 12 during *Charter One Telescope Days*! Four-hundred years ago, Galileo first looked through a telescope to make astronomical observations. As part of the



International Year of Astronomy, the Adler is marking this major milestone with a week of hands-on fun exploring this important instrument.

Families can enjoy daily giveaways, participate in telescope-themed activities from 1 - 3 pm and explore the Adler's newest exhibition,

Telescopes: Through the Looking Glass.

General admission is free on these days as part of the ***Charter One Discount Days*** program.



TELESCOPE GIFTS IN THE INFINITY SHOP

After visiting ***Telescopes: Through the Looking Glass*** at the Adler, stop by the Infinity Shop for great cosmic gifts! Do you have an out-of-this-world Dad? Don't forget Father's Day on June 21. Telescope-themed gifts are also perfect for recent graduates who shoot for the stars.

- **Binocular Stargazing Kit, \$74.95**
This beginners kit includes everything you'll need to become a starry night explorer!
- **100 Things to Spot in the Night Sky Spotters Cards, \$9.99**
Discover the night sky and learn to recognize the constellations using these fun, fact-filled cards!
- ***Looking Through a Telescope*, by Linda Bullock, \$4.95**
This book introduces young children to telescopes using colorful photos and simple text.

GUESS THE MYSTERY OBJECT ON FACEBOOK!

Do you know what this object is, how it works and what it does? Every month, the Adler posts an image of a Mystery Object on its Facebook page. Head to the Adler's Facebook page to submit your guess for the May object (pictured right) and see other people's



ideas! The object's identity will be revealed at the end of the month.



Check out the Adler's Facebook page for a new Mystery Object at the beginning of each month. You'll also find Adler event information, photos and the chance to connect with other museum fans.

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