

# AGE OF AQUINAS

a Bay Area group for Christian singles 40+

Next hike: Saturday, June 14, 9:00 am

TONIGHT! Star Party: Saturday, June 7, 7:30 pm

There was no cloud to be seen for 360 degrees, horizon to zenith. And, though it was cool at 9 am in the shade as we were milling around and chatting waiting for all to arrive, many realized that once we started walking it was going to get warm. When the gathering reached 20 in number, we took off.



The first thing we noticed was that there were hundreds and hundreds of Canada Geese converging on one spot by the lakeshore. And it appeared at that time that none of the goslings were present. We figured it must be a parent meeting. Most of the chicks had reached the equivalent of their teen years, and that's as good a time as any for a parent meeting!

And *tonight* is the June star party (see below for details).



## Every Saturday in June, 2008, 9 am: Shoreline Park Hike & Coffee

Meet at *Lakeside Cafe* in Mountain View's Shoreline Park at 9 am. We'll start off from there and walk for about a half hour, then turn around and walk a half hour back to the café for coffee and/or brunch about 10:00 or 10:15 am. You don't have to make the hike to come to coffee! The hikes go on regardless of temperature, sky condition, or precipitation state!

### Directions to Lakeside Café:

*From northbound 101*, take the Shoreline Blvd exit (**CAUTION!** Slow down! Tight off-ramp curve!) and turn right at the light (**NOTE:** No right on red).

*From southbound 101*, take the Shoreline Blvd exit and turn left at the light.

Once on Shoreline Blvd, follow it about 2 miles to the Lakeside Cafe parking lot. We will gather near the breezeway between the cafe and the aquatic center.

**Map:** [Lakeside Café at Shoreline Park](#).

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\*\*\* Hikes are every Saturday \*\*\*



## Saturday, June 7, 2008, 7:30 pm: PAS Star Party, Foothill Park, Palo Alto

*Sponsored by Peninsula Astronomical Society.*

Bring your telescope and/or binoculars (if you have them) *and* a picnic dinner. While the sun sets and twilight deepens, we'll have our picnic and get our telescopes set up. Dress warmly in layers. Clear nights can get chilly. We will be joining the Peninsula Astronomical Society (<http://www.foothill.fhda.edu/ast/pas.htm>) for this month's public star party.

**Admission: FREE!!**

**Location:** Meet at the Park'n'Ride at I-280 and Page Mill Rd west of Palo Alto at 7:30pm. From there we'll carpool to Foothill Park. Anyone with a telescope aboard gets in free and does not need to be a Palo Alto resident. Just tell them at the gate that you are an amateur astronomer participating in the public star party.

**Map:**

[http://maps.yahoo.com/maps\\_result?addr=i-280+%26+page+mill+rd&csz=los+altos+ca+94022](http://maps.yahoo.com/maps_result?addr=i-280+%26+page+mill+rd&csz=los+altos+ca+94022)

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