

Weekend Walk on the Moon – An Apollo 11 Moon Landing Celebration

Event Date: Friday, July 19 – Sunday, July 21, 2019

Event Times: Friday, July 19, 7:00pm - 9:00pm
Saturday, July 20, 8:30am - 12:30pm
Sunday, July 21, 12:00pm - 4:00pm



Event Description: The Institute for Earth Observations at Palmyra Cove is proud to announce a “Weekend Walk on the Moon” in celebration of the 50th Anniversary of the Apollo 11 Moon landing. From special guest speakers to building rockets to walking on the Moon in virtual reality*. There is something to do for every family member. This event is free to the public.

*Two virtual reality experiences will be featured: [The Blu](#) produced by WEVR, Inc, and [Lunar Learning Expeditions](#) developed right here at the Institute’s Innovation Lab.

Friday Evening

- Special Guest Speaker (live from California): Professor Hildreth (Hal) Walker, Jr. (conducted the Lunar Laser Ranging Operations during the original Apollo 11 Moon Landing)
- Special Presentation: *The Epic Voyage of Apollo 11*, Frank O’Brien, NASA Solar System Ambassador
- Moon and Earth Visualizations throughout the Environmental STEM Center
- Virtual and Augmented Reality Experiences at the Innovation Lab

Saturday and Sunday

- Starlab Planetarium Shows
- NASA STEM Challenges
- Hands-on Space Activities
- Outdoor “GLOBE on the Moon” Activities
- Moon Quest Map Game
- Outdoor Solar Viewing with Sun Scopes
- Virtual and Augmented Reality Experiences at the Innovation Lab
- Moon and Earth Visualizations throughout the STEM Center

Event Type: Educational, Exhibit, Hands-On Activities

Topics: Apollo 50th Anniversaries, Earth’s Moon, STEM