

# **COSMOS 2007 PROGRAMME**

## **FRIDAY MARCH 9<sup>th</sup>:**

**19:30** – Registration

Exhibits etc. on display

**20:30** – Mr. Seanie Morris, Tullamore Astronomical Society  
*“Cosmic Dust: Is that all we are?”*

**22:00** – Observing Session and/or Indoor Activities

## **SATURDAY MARCH 10<sup>th</sup>:**

**9:15** – Registration

Exhibits etc. on display throughout the day

**9:45** - Official Opening & Welcome Address

**10:00** – Mr. Tony O’Hanlon, Shannonside Astronomy Club  
*“Carbon Stars: Cool Stellar Dudes”*

**11:15** - Coffee Break

**11:45** – Mr. Tom Bonner, Cork Astronomy Club  
*“From Under the Shadow of Newton”*

**13:00 - 14:00** Lunch

**14:15** – Mr. Sean McKenna, Tullamore Astronomical Society  
*“Radio Astronomy in Action”*

**15:30** - Coffee Break & Table Quiz preparations

**16:00** - Table Quiz – free for all!

**17:30** – IFAS General Meeting (reps only)/Break for Cosmic Dinner

**20:00** - Cosmic Dinner (Limited Numbers, enquire with Denise Matthews (Treasurer) on arrival)

**22:00** – Observing Session and/or Saturday Night’s Activities

## **SUNDAY MARCH 11<sup>th</sup>:**

**10:15** – Mr. Dave Grennan (with Jed Glover), South Dublin Astronomy Society & Astronomy Ireland  
*“Digital Astrophotography”*

**11:30** – Coffee/Tea Break

**12:00** – Prof. Niall O’Murchadha, Dept. of Physics, University College Cork  
*“In search of Gravitational Waves”*

**13:15 – 14:15** Lunch

**14:30** – Deirdre Kelleghan, Irish Astronomical Society  
*“Sketching from the Eyepiece”*

**15:45** – Raffle & Presentations

**16:15** - Farewell Address

Times, titles, and speakers are subject to change at short notice.