

West Jersey Astronomical Society

Meeting Minutes for October 4, 2019

Location: Clara Barton School, Cherry Hill, NJ

Attendees: not counted

“Formal Meeting”

Because WAS had a star watch scheduled for the Clara Barton Elementary School on this date, it was decided at the Sept 19 meeting that we would simply convene at the school should the weather cooperate. The star watch would be our meeting, considering that dates available for the school can be limited, let alone having clear weather on that date.

Indeed, the weather did cooperate. We had a clear sky and so a large turnout of both members with their scopes as well as students, parents and teachers from the school. We were able to provide excellent views of the Moon, Jupiter and Saturn, plus a few deep-sky objects (despite light pollution in this decidedly suburban location) and double stars. There was also a nice pass of the International Space Station (ISS).