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## WESTERN PLANETARIUM HOLDS SPRING SERIES

**St. Joseph, Mo.** — Feb. 7, 2005 — The Missouri Western State College Planetarium will begin its spring series with shows entitled “More Than Meets the Eye,” “Lewis and Clark” and “Hubble Vision.”

“More Than Meets the Eye” will be shown Feb. 24 and March 3. “Lewis and Clark” will be shown Feb. 23 and “Hubble Vision” will be shown March 2. All shows begin at 7:30 p.m. and last approximately 40 minutes. The seating capacity is 40 people. Tickets are \$3 each. Advance reservations are required and can be made by calling (816) 271-4370. The planetarium is located in the Evan R. Agenstein Science and Math Building, room 105.

“More Than Meets the Eye” is a show covering general aspects of astronomy information on constellations. The “Lewis and Clark” show relates how the two explorers used the stars to help them navigate while on their Corps of Discovery. “Hubble Vision” includes the history of the Hubble Telescope and information on how the telescope is used and what has been learned from it.

Showings for school groups or organizations can be arranged by calling (816) 271-4370 or contacting Jerry Wilkerson at [wilk@mwsc.edu](mailto:wilk@mwsc.edu).

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