Space & Stars Grades 3-4

July 25 – 29 or August 15 – 19 9 am to 3 pm

Mikolaj Kopernik observed the planets and became the father of Modern Astronomy. In Space & Stars, your young astronomer will explore what lies beyond our Solar System, including blue, red giant, and sun-like stars, supernovas, constellations, galaxies, and nebulas. Students will learn how to use telescopes and how to observe the Sun safely. They will explore what it is like to be sucked into a black hole with Hubble's Black



Hole Simulator! Activities will include making star wheels, modeling the Milky Way Galaxy, and building NASA Spacecraft models.

Monday LEARN ABOUT CELESTIAL NAVIGATION

BUILD A PLANISPHERE

EXPERIENCE A PLANETARIUM

Tuesday HUNT FOR LIFE IN OUR SOLAR SYSTEM

OBSERVE THE SUN

MAKE AN EDIBLE COMET

Wednesday LEARN ABOUT STARS AND STELLAR DISTANCE

EXPLORE BLACKHOLES AND NEBULAS

Thursday LEARN ABOUT EXOPLANETS

CREATE A CONSTELLATION

Friday IDENTIFY STAR (USING GAS TUBES)

CREATE MUSICAL / ARTISTIC SUMMARY OF THE WEEK