

Subject: TRA Lunch Tuesday & News

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Our Next Week Luncheon A

Next Week 2nd Tuesday July 12, 11:30 Olive Garden

I was just there today making sure shaking up the staff

Later:

Lunch B 4th Tuesday July 26 - Macaroni Grill

Aug Lunch A 2d Tuesday Aug 9 - Olive Garden ok?

Information at the meeting

- will provided some information about the forthcoming LearningQUEST class term (at the downtown library), registration day is Tuesday July 26 0830.

Jim Troy will provide a class about recent NASA planet encounters in October with amazing photos and findings.

The first close encounter with Jupiter/ arrival, just occurred **July 4** as horrible strong radiation licks at the Juno probe from Jupiter's unfriendly environment. The first photos from this project will not arrive until later in August as instruments are currently in a protection mode. What reports they do get are positive and on schedule.

In the great old film (James Whitmore and Nancy Davis), God interrupts radio programs to speak in our tongue from his or her home on Jupiter. Again, in 2001 Space Odyssey our group of scientist board an airliner-like rocket to Jupiter in the deep future of 2001, where someone gets off and lives in a windowless room somehow, where there is no solid ground apparently and it's -234F. Mere details. On the way in "Odyssey" a passenger scratches his head trying to understand the instructions on the onboard Space Toilet! TODAY! anyone can visit the all new Space Station modules represented in the main building at Huntsville's very own giant U S Space and Rocket Center and Space Camp, and see our own Space Station toilet and its instructions. Your host here will be glad to demonstrate this machine, er I mean show it to you the actual onboard device mock up at this huge new exhibit a great thing to see if you haven't.

Employee Appreciation Luncheons

Special NGC Tempo luncheon events are coming that may be attended by retirees on different days July 13-21 one for each location:

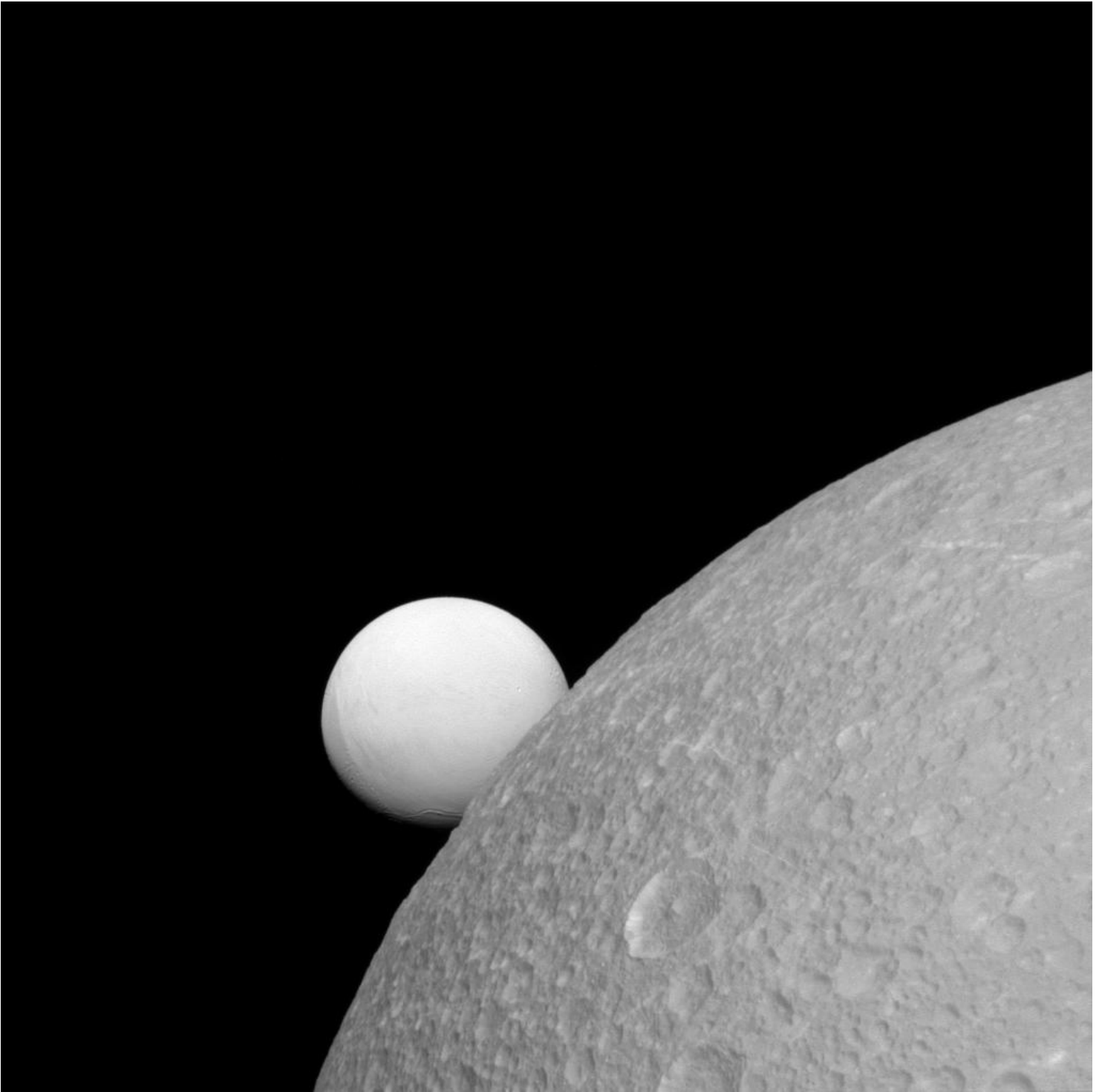
Voyager, Wynn Dr, Bradford, Wall Triana and Old Madison Pike. Contact representatives and reserve, please review this offer if interested, at our web site

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Some Local News

Good signs- Huntsville's Park Place Center mall seems currently fully occupied by stores, which probably means there is a waiting list for new businesses. How does that fur coat store stay open so many years, in Huntsville? Seems a heavy thing to wear on a golf course or fishing. Bridge Street Center seems to be doing well especially its restaurants. Been downtown lately? Cafes and bars galore in a slight New Orleans atmosphere quite fun. Downtown Huntsville some of it is almost 200 years old. New large apartment structures galore going up downtown with new businesses and eateries on the first floor coming soon. Guided tours of several area activities and businesses are available through LearningQUEST. Have you heard? Sears and Ace Hardware merged their businesses nationally. The national speed boat races that used to annually visit Guntersville are returning beginning in 2018, thanks for that report from Doug Powell in Grant. And thanks again some more to our worthy helper and webmaster Robert Hoffman down now in the Fort Lauderdale, Florida part of Huntsville.

The probe Cassini has from not so close-up, analyzed outer gas giant planets and is still at work now back in the Saturn planet neighborhood. Taken this last winter here is one of its amazing photo below of two Saturn moons Dione (near) and Enceladus (not enchilada) 698 and 313 miles in diameters. Taken just last winter. Please enjoy this amazing shot:



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