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~President's Message~

We now have a date for the special **Mars viewing Public Night**. It will be **January 12th, from 7 - 10 pm**. We normally have a pretty good crowd at this event so would appreciate the help of as many members as possible. Bring your personal scopes if you can, it's always good to show the public just how much they can see with scopes smaller than the 14" or 16". See you then!

Carla Chalker

~ Vice President's Message~

As the year draws to a close there's not much more to do other than enjoy the holidays. The Christmas party was well attended and everyone had a good time. We've had several new members join the RAS - Rachael Slater, Robert Orre, Jacque Kruse, and Pete Peterson. Welcome!!! If you haven't paid you're dues and magazine subscriptions yet, please do. The RAS has renewed the magazine subscriptions for everyone who had them last year - we will be canceling all of the unpaid subscriptions in January. I look forward to seeing everyone on Mars night!

Have a great holiday season!

"Ad astra per alia porci" Dave Finch

~2008 Elections~

The nominations for the Board of Directors are now closed. The Election will be held at the January General Meeting (TBA) and ballots will go out with the next newsletter. The candidates are:

President – Dave Mogenson
Vice President – Dave Finch
Treasurer – Carla Chalker
Secretary – Chris Tobias

Mike Zweifel

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