



Newsletter of the Baton Rouge Astronomical Society

**March 2011**

**The Next Meeting of the  
Baton Rouge Astronomical Society  
will be March 14, 2011  
at 7 PM.**

We will be meeting at the Highland Road Observatory. The meeting starts at 7 PM. Please arrive a few minutes earlier .

**PROGRAM NOTES: The Future of the Michoud Facility -  
Post Space Shuttle**

This month's meeting we will be hosting John Filostrat of Jacobs Technology, Inc., which is the Advanced Technology arm of Jacobs Engineering. For those of you that don't know, they were some of the folks working on the Constellation project at NASA's Michoud facility near New Orleans. They have been involved with NASA since the Mercury Project days and their list of clients also includes the DOD, U.S. Special Operations Command, Boeing, Lockheed Martin and many others. Mr. Filostrat will be letting us know what's going on at the Michoud facility in light of the recent setbacks regarding the Constellation Program. *(VP message continued on page 2 )*

Thanks,  
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