

McDonald Observing Schedule – October 2025

DATE (Civil)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	
DAY OF WEEK	W	Th	F	Sa	Su	M	Tu	W	Th	F	Sa	Su	M	Tu	W	Th	F	Sa	Su	M	Tu	W	Th	F	Sa	Su	M	Tu	W	Th	F	
PHENOMENA						FM							3 rd Q								NM								1 st Q			
Other Notes																																
2.7m PI/Prop. No.	CHT 11	CHT 11	CHT 11	CHT 11	CHT 11	CHT 11	Mirror Clean		PF TCU Obs class	AK 12	PF TCU Obs class		DD 5	DD 5	DD 5	DD 5	ME 21	ME 21	ME 21	ME 21	JO 19	JO 19	JO 19	SC 2	SC 2	SC 2	KK/HD 22 23	KK/HD 22 23	KK/HD 22 23	KK/HD 22 23	KK/HD 22 23	
	1st Equipment	IG	IG	IG	IG	IG			IG	IG			TS23	TS23	TS23	TS23	TS23	TS23	TS23	TS23	GCMS	GCMS	GCMS	GCMS	GCMS	GCMS	GCMS	IG	IG	IG	IG	IG
	2nd Equipment																															
Remote/Assisted?										X			X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X									
Focus	F/9	F/9	F/9	F/9	F/9	F/9			F/9	F/9			F/33	F/33	F/33	F/33	F/33	F/33	F/33	F/33	F/9	F/9	F/9	F/9	F/9	F/9	F/9	F/9	F/9	F/9	F/9	
2.1m PI/Prop. No.									MB 2		MOVC			MOVC	MOVC	MOVC	MM 1	MM 1	MM 1	MM 1	MM 1	MM 1	MM 1	RW 3	RW 3	RW 3	RW 3					
	Equipment								Pro		eye			eye	eye	eye	Pro	Pro	Pro	Pro	Pro	Pro	Pro	ETSI	ETSI	ETSI	ETSI					
	Focus								F/14		F/14			F/14	F/14	F/14	F/14	F/14	F/14	F/14	F/14	F/14	F/14	F/14	F/14	F/14	F/14					
0.9m Program																																
0.8m PI/Prop. No.									TCU Obs class	TCU Obs class	TCU Obs class						AM 2	AM 2	AM 2	CJK 1	CJK 1	CJK 1	CJK 1	CJK 1								

OBSERVER LEGEND

BGA = B-G Andersson	KK = K. Kaplan	ES = E. Sawczynec
YHC = Y-H Choi (KASI)	YK = Y. Kim (KASI)	CS=C. Sneden
SC = S. Comeron (IAC)	CM = C. Moreley	CHT = C-Y Tang (Rice)
HD = H. Dinerstein	JJL = J-J Lee (KASI)	RW = R. Wilhelm (Kentucky)
DD = D. Divikar	PM = P. Mason (NMSU)	JY= J. Young (SETI)
ME= M. Endl	AM = A. McKay	
PF = P. Frinchaboy (TCU)	JO = J. Oppor	
KG = K. Gebhardt	JOM= J. Orell-Miquel	
CJKJ = C. Johns-Krull	MP = M. Preston (UTSA)	

EQUIPMENT LEGEND

TS21(3) = Tull coudé spectrographs
IG = IGRINS
GCMS = George Mitchell spectrograph
VW=VIRUS-W DF=DIAFI
Pro=ProEM
SQ=SQuean
ETSI - ETSI (TAMU)

NOTES

Updated Mt. Locke Operations Schedules
<https://mcdonald.utexas.edu/observing/observing-schedules>