

McDonald Observing Schedule – March 2026

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	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	Sa	Su	M	Tu
PHENOMENA			FM								3rdQ							NM							1stQ						
Other Notes																															
2.7 m PI/Prop. No.	JJL 21	JJL 21	YAJ 19	JJL 21	JJL 21	ME 10	ME 10	ME 10	ME 10	DD 14	DD 14	DD 14	ML 9	ML 9	ML 9	ML 9	ML 9	ML 9	RV 22	RV 22	RV 22	RV 22	RV 22	DD 14	DD 14	KG 16	KG 16	KG 16	KG 16	AR 23	AR 23
1st Equipment	IG	IG	IG	IG	IG	TS23	TS23	TS23	TS23	TS23	TS23	TS23	VW	VW	VW	VW	VW	VW	GCMS	GCMS	GCMS	GCMS	GCMS	TS23	TS23	TS23	TS23	TS23	TS23	TS23	TS23
2nd Equipment																															
Remote/Assisted?	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X												X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Focus	F/9	F/9	F/9	F/9	F/9	F33	F33	F33	F33	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	F/33	F/33	F/33	F/33	F/33	F/33	F/33	F/33
2.1 m PI/Prop. No.	SVN TA														MM FRI	MM FRI	MM FRI	MM FRI	PM 2	PM 2	PM 2	PM 2	PM 2	PM 2							
Equipment	eye														Pro	Pro	Pro	Pro	Pro	Pro	Pro	Pro	Pro	Pro							
Focus	F/14														F/14	F/14	F/14	F/14	F/14	F/14	F/14	F/14	F/14	F/14							
0.9 m Program																															
0.8 m PI/Prop. No.																															

OBSERVER LEGEND

YC = Y-H Choi (KASI)	YAJ = J-A. Jo (KASI)	PM = P. Mason (NMSU)
SC = S. Comeron (IAC)	CJK = C. Johns-Krull (RICE)	CVM = C. Morley
DD = D. Divakar	CJ = C. Jurardo	JO = J. Oppor
ME = M. Endl	KK = K. Kaplan	AR = A. Rothermich (AMNH)
KG = K. Gebhardt	AK = A. Kraus	CS = C. Sneden
SG = S. Gomez	MLL = M. Lara-Lopez (Madrid)	SYT = S-Y Tang (Rice)
AI = A. Isaac	JJL = J-J Lee (KASI)	RV = R. Verna
UJ = U. Jeong	ML = M. Lipka (MPE)	TA = T. Armandroff
	MM = M. Montgomery	MOVC = McDonald Obs. Visit. Cen.

EQUIPMENT LEGEND

TS1, TS2 = Tull coude spectrographs	
GCMS = George & Cynthia Mitchell spectrograph	
VW=VIRUS-W	
Pro=ProEM	IG=IGRINS
CQ=CQuean	DF=DIAFI
ET = ETSI	
SVN = Special Viewing Night	
FRI = Freshman Research Initiative	

NOTES

The 0.9 and 0.9 m telescopes are currently out of service
Updated Mt. Locke Operations Schedules
<https://mcdonald.utexas.edu/for-researchers/observer-tools/observing-schedules>
Updated HET Operations Schedules
<http://het.as.utexas.edu/HET/Schedules/schedule.html>