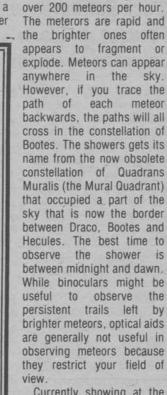


Quadrantid Meteor Shower at its Peak

This year, the Quadrantid of

January 3/4. For meteors per hour can be has been known to produce meteor shower will be at its observers away from city visible after midnight under a



Currently showing at the Planetarium is the miltimedia experience "Death of the Dinosaurs''. For many people, dinosaurs exist as hazy images from textbooks or tacky old horror films. 'Death of the Dinosaurs' portrays dinosaurs in a vivid and scientifically accurate manner. Beginning with an overview of the development of the dinosaur family, the show soon turns to the various ideas that have been proposed for the mass extinction of these ancient creatures over 65 million years ago. This program will continue through January 10. 1987.

26 Seniors Selected As Semifinalists in National Merit Scholarship Program

high school seniors have been selected as semifinalists in the Thirty-second NMSC. National Merit Scholarship Program. The National Merit Scholarship Program is an designated over 50,000 academically talented U.S. high school students are honored and outstanding receive Merit study. The program is conducted by the National Merit Scholarship Corporation (NMSC), an independent, not-for-profit organization that operates withouteither federal or state funding.

Over one million students enter each annual Merit Program. Some 15,000 qualify as semifinalists. Approximately 13,500 of the fulfill semifinalists requirements for finalist standing and only these students compete for Merit

Planetarium performances are on Thursday through Saturday at 6:30 and 8:00 p.m. A matinee performance is presented at 3:30 on Saturday afternoon. Theater will be closed on Christmas and New Years Day. General admission is \$2.00. A discount admission of \$1.00 is available for children, students, seniors, military and the handicapped with presentation of the appropriate ID. Reservations are recommended for groups of 10 or more (call 643-6060, ext. 326, weekdays from 8 to 5 p.m.). a.m. Reservations will be held until ten (10) minutes prior to show time. All performances begin on time and there is no late seating. On clear evenings, a telescope will be available for viewing after the 8:00 p.m. performance. Current targets for the telescope include Jupiter and Mars. The Moon is also viewed when available.

The Planetarium is located at Clark County Community College in North Las Vegas at 3200 E. Cheyenne Avenue. From I-15, take Cheyenne Avenue east about one mile the College. The Planetarium is just inside the

Twenty-six Clark County Scholarships supported by corporate, business, and college sponsors, as well as

Only 15.000 the participants who are semifinalists annual competition in which have an opportunity to continue in the competition for Merit Scholarships. The young men and women who some 5,800 of the most qualify as semifinalists represent the highest scorers Scholarships for college in each of the 50 states. The nationwide group of 15,000 semifinalists includes about half of one percent of the high school seniors in each state

> Because of their high level of academic attainment, semifinalists compete successfully for scholastic honors and scholarships whether or not they are selected as finalists. the status of Attaining semifinalists is an excellent predictor of a student's academic success in college.

Do You Have What it **Takes to Start Your Own Business?**

Opening a new business in today's market requires knowledge in accounting, legal matters, finance, organization and planning before opening the doors.

Small Business The Administration and Clark County Community College are co-sponsoring a Pre-Business Workshop at the Cheyenne Campus, January 9th, from 9:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Room 1068.

Professionals in law. advertising and accounting Business will discuss: Planning, Legal Aspects of a Business, Marketing and Advertising, New Tax Reform Act, and Small Business Administration Programs.

Registration fee is \$10.00. Contact Clark County Community College at 643-6060, Extenstion 200 for reservations, Seating is limited

south entrance to the building. Use the parking lot closest to Cheyenne Avenue.

6

peak of activity on the night lights, as many as 60 clear, dark sky. This shower



The SENTINEL-VOICE, January 1, 1987