



Orwell Astronomical Society (Ipswich) Guest Speaker Talk



Where are the Sun's Sisters?

The Sun is unusual in being a solitary star. Most stars occur in binary or multiple systems - but we believe that all stars are probably created in the collapse of a large nebula leading to the formation of a cluster of tens to hundreds or even thousands of stars. These clusters gradually shed stars to orbit the galaxy alone. **Paul Fellows** (chairman of the Cambridge Astronomical Association) explores the question: can we locate the Sun's birth siblings that might have been formed with it in the same cluster?

Friday October 4th 2024 - 8pm
Venue: St Augustines Community Hub,
Bucklesham Road, Ipswich, IP3 8TH

