

# Library Telescope Lending Agreement

Name (please print):

Library Card No:

## Borrower's Agreement:

- I understand that the telescope may be checked out by a patron of the **Boyden Library** who is 18 years or older, in good standing. (Patron must present a valid Massachusetts Driver's License or government issued I.D.)
- RETURN: I understand that the telescope must be returned directly to a staff member at the Circulation desk.
- TRANSPORT: I understand that the telescope must be transported in a vehicle and secured safely in the provided transportation tote with the eyepiece and finder correctly positioned so it will not be damaged. (Eyepiece and finder up toward the lid on the tote – in between the two pillow cushions for secure transport).
- LOAN PERIOD: I understand that the loan period is 1 week with no renewal. **LATE FEES ARE \$5 PER DAY.** If the telescope is not returned within one week of its due date, I will be charged the full replacement costs below.
- LIABILITY: I accept full responsibility for the telescope and accessories while checked out to me, including:
  - I am liable for repair costs if the telescope is returned damaged.
  - I am liable for replacement costs (outlined below) if the telescope is lost or stolen while checked out to me.
  - Any costs incurred will be added to my library record, will constitute a debt owed to the **Boyden Library** and must be paid in full.

| Replacement Costs | Item                                   | Cost   |
|-------------------|----------------------------------------|--------|
|                   | Telescope, finder, lens, eyepiece & SH | 290.00 |
| Total - \$375     | Pouch                                  | 10.00  |
|                   | Headlamp ( Red & White Light )         | 17.00  |
|                   | Laminated User Guide                   | 16.00  |
|                   | Audubon Constellation Guide            | 12.00  |
|                   | Decals                                 | 5.00   |
|                   | Transport Tote                         | 8.00   |
|                   | Pillows                                | 7.00   |
|                   | Dedication Plaque                      | 10.00  |

### CAUTION, PLEASE READ:

**DO NOT LOOK AT THE SUN WHILE USING THE TELESCOPE; DOING THIS CAN BLIND THE USER. THE LIBRARY IS NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR ANY DAMAGES A PATRON INFLECTS UPON ONESELF OR THE TELESCOPE.**

Borrower Signature\*:

Date:

\*To be signed in front of a **Boyden Library** Staff Member

Phone Number:

Email Address: