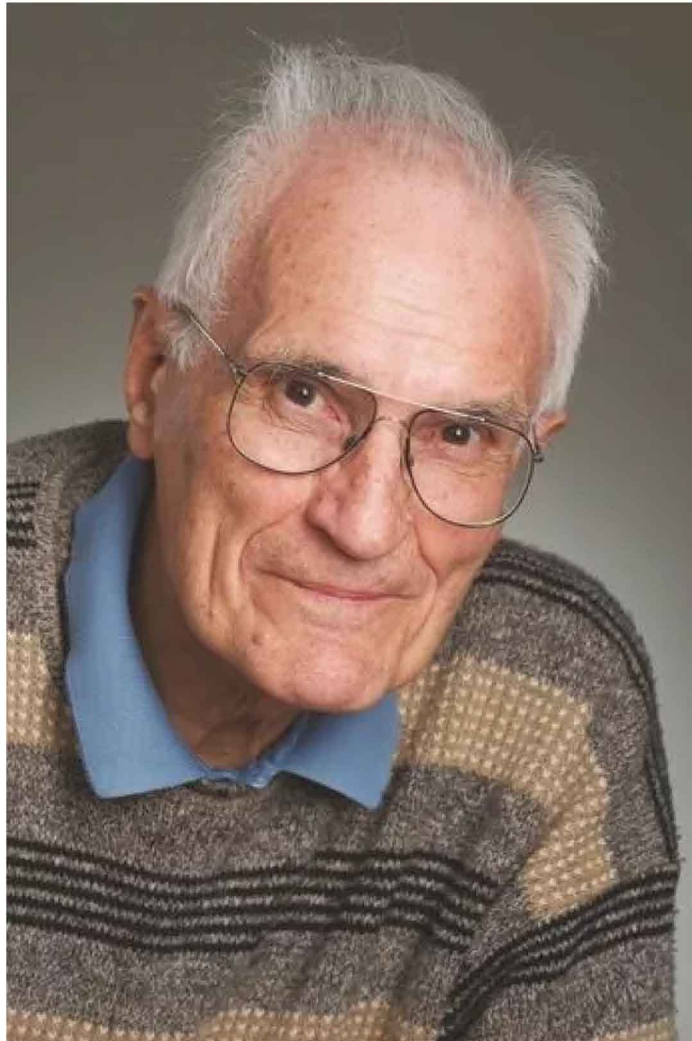


'Canada's Stonehenge' expert to present Saturday at Rothney Observatory

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Dr. Gordon Freeman

Dr. Gordon Freeman has become the go-to guy when it comes to Vulcan County's sun temple.

Located remotely east of Milo on prairie trails near the Bow River at 50.5852° N, 112.4106° W, his lifetime passion to unlock the history of the Majorville medicine wheel has caught much attention. Freeman is the author of a book called Canada's Stonehenge and Hidden Stonehenge. You can check out much of his findings at <http://canadastonehenge.com>.

He spoke to a crowd on May 12, 2017 at the Vulcan Tourism and Trek Station and amazed the 100-plus people audience that day. In his discussion, he showed many aerial shots and explained his findings after 30-plus years of research. He lived there a year to watch every sunrise and sunset to test the cairns' accuracy with the sunbeams.

Dr. Freeman will be at Calgary's Rothney Observatory Saturday, Feb. 10. It will be an expected sellout crowd, so get there early.

He will discuss the sun observation lines that mark the summer and winter solstices. There will be an array of scopes operated by University Calgary astronomers and members of the Calgary chapter of the Royal Astronomical Society of Canada. Attendees will have the opportunity look through the telescopes.

The event starts at 8 p.m. The entrance fee is \$30 per car.

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