

STARRY NIGHTS

October 2021

HOW TO USE THIS MAP

MPM's sky map shows the night sky as it appears on various dates and times. The sky lies overhead so we've designed the map to be held above your head. Compass directions are indicated along the edge of the circle. Turn the sky map around its center so the compass direction that appears along the bottom of the map is the same as the direction that you face. Begin by using the sky map to find a bright star pattern in the sky.

BEST VIEWS

October 1 around 9 p.m., October 15 at 8 p.m., and October 31 around 7 p.m. Best to use the chart within an hour of the times listed. This chart is drawn for 43 degrees latitude but may be applied throughout the continental USA.

OCTOBER MORNING SKY

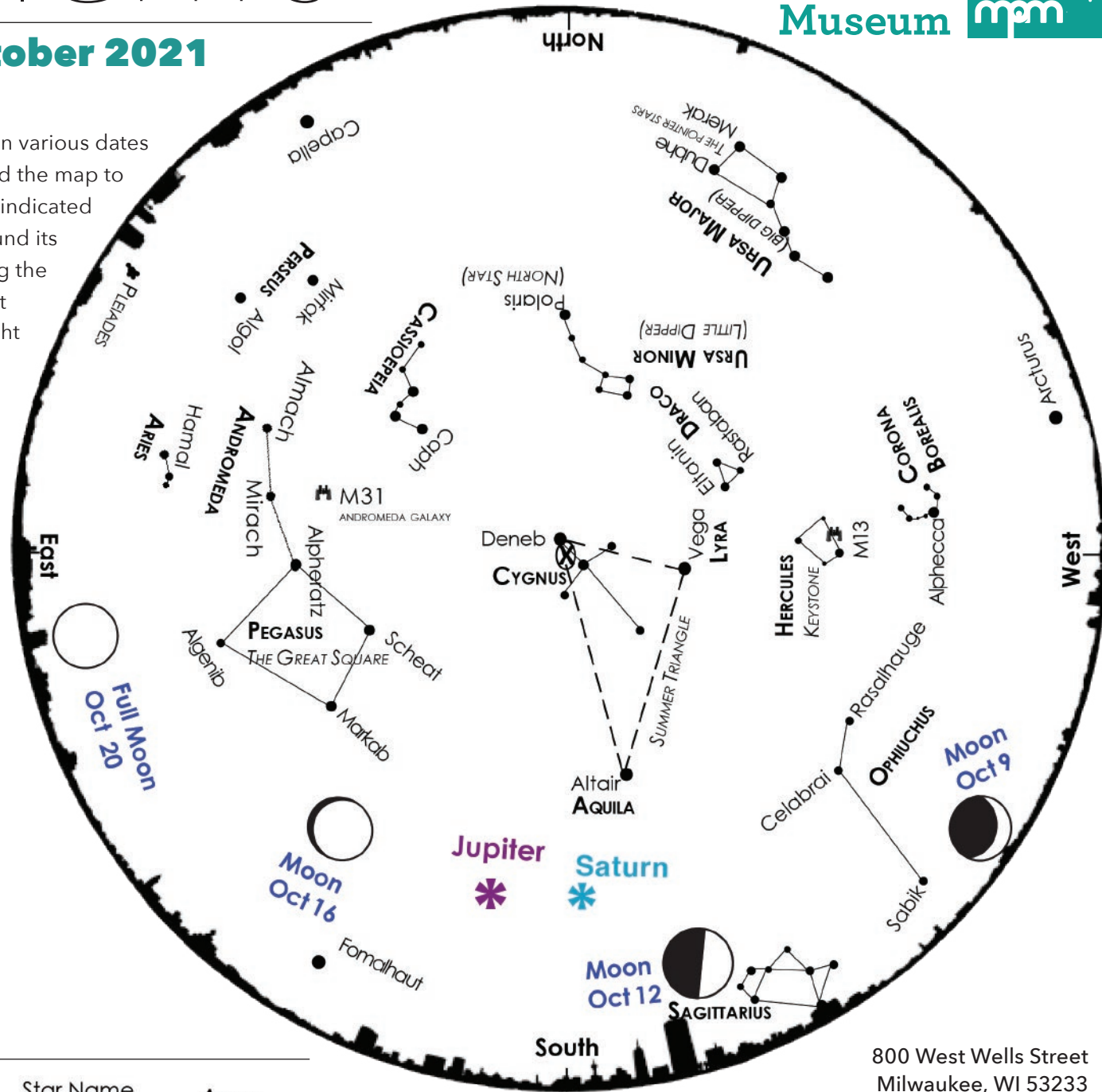
Mercury's best dawn showing starts around October 20 and continues to early November. Look low in the east sky. Orion and his dog stars, Sirius and Procyon, can be seen in SW sky.

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