



Starry Trails - July Highlights

- July 1 – Full Moon. According to folklore it is the Full Thunder Moon.
- July 8 – Last Quarter Moon. July 15 – New Moon.
- July 18 – Spectacular view of the Crescent Moon lower left of Crescent Venus!
- July 20 - Happy Moon Day! - 46 years ago, Apollo 11 Commander Neil Armstrong and Lunar Module Pilot Buzz Aldrin became the first humans to set foot on the Moon.
- July 24 – First Quarter Moon. July 26 – The Moon passes north of Saturn.
- July 30 – Southern Delta Aquarid meteor shower peaks.
- July 31 – The Blue Moon. When a second Full Moon occurs in a calendar month it is sometimes called a “Blue Moon.” The next Blue Moon is January 2018.

	Galaxy
	Nebula
	Star Cluster
	Planet

This map shows the sky for mid-July
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Brightest Stars:
 West – Regulus. Southwest – Spica. South – Antares. Overhead – Arcturus. East
 Vega, Deneb, Altair.