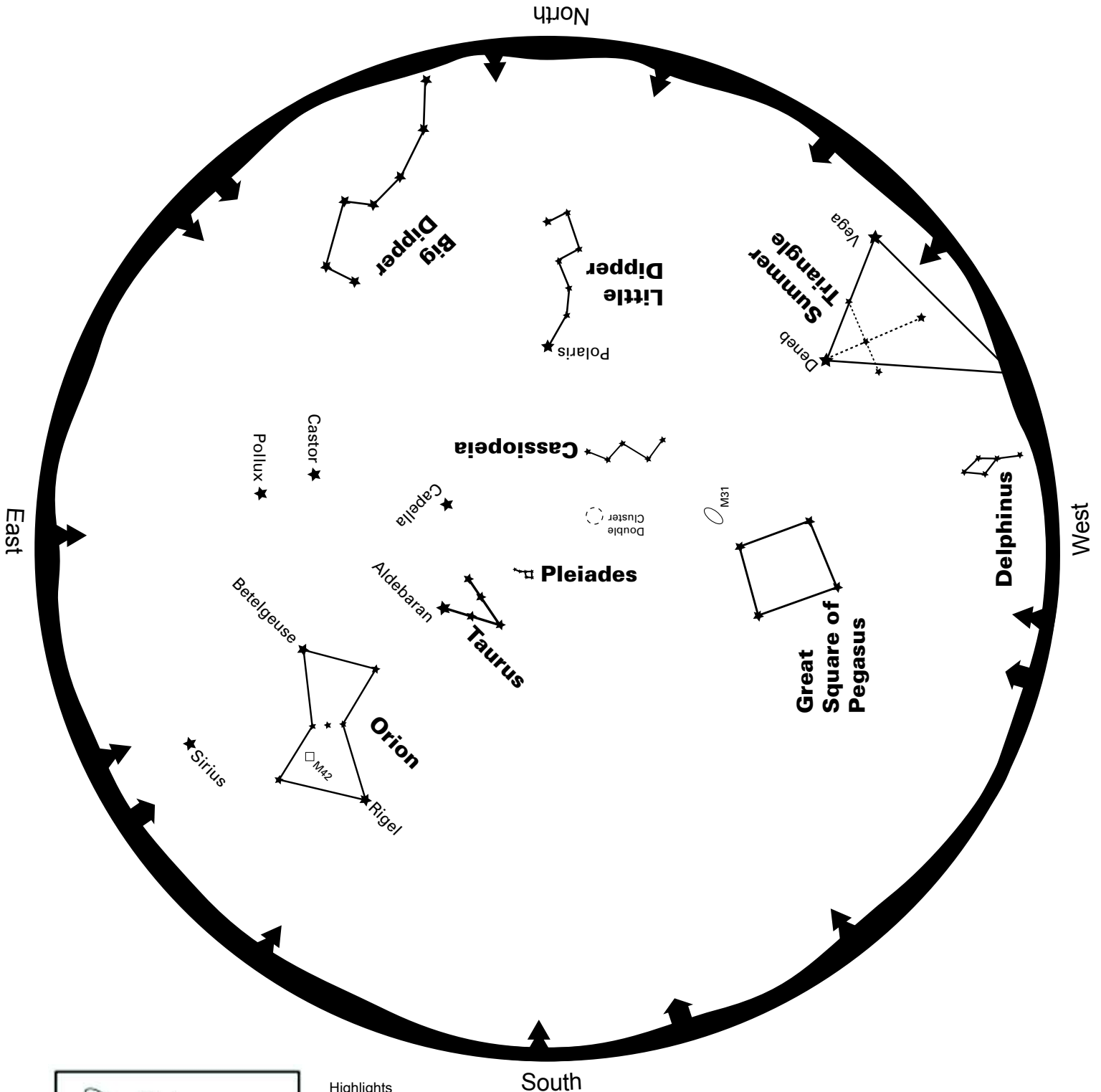


To use this star chart, rotate the chart so that the direction you are facing (north, south, east or west) is shown at the bottom. The center of the chart represents the point directly above your head, called the zenith, and the outer circular edge represents the horizon.

## Starry Trails Map - January 2016



	Galaxy
	Nebula
	Star Cluster
	Planet

### Highlights

- January 2 – Last Quarter Moon.
- January 2 – Earth at perihelion or closest distance to the Sun (91.4 million miles).
- January 4 – Quadrantid meteor shower peaks.
- January 6 – The Crescent Moon passes north of Venus in the southeastern sky before sunrise.
- January 7 – Venus, Saturn, the Crescent Moon, the star Antares put on a beautiful show in the southeastern sky before sunrise
- January 8 & 9 – Venus & Saturn are less than one degree apart in the southeast, one hour before sunrise.
- January 9 – New Moon.
- January 16 – First Quarter Moon.
- January 23 – Full Moon. According to folklore, it is called the Full Wolf Moon
- January 31 – Last Quarter Moon.

This map shows the sky for mid-January at 7pm.