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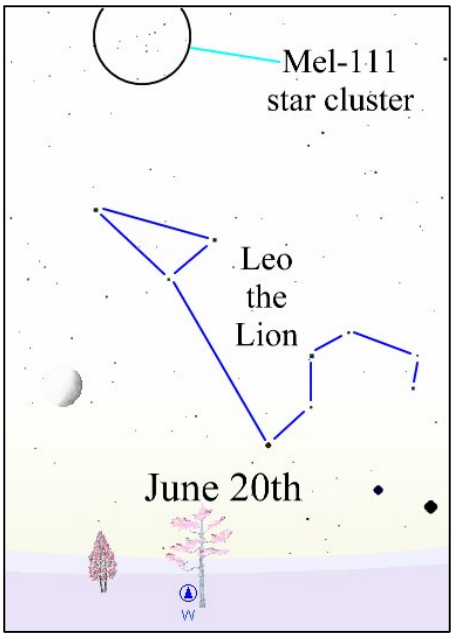
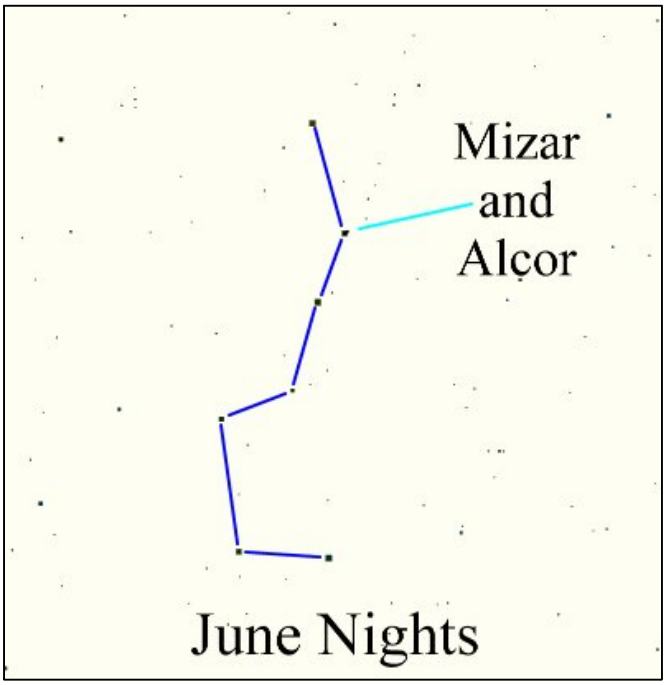


Melcotte 111 (a widely scatter star cluster)



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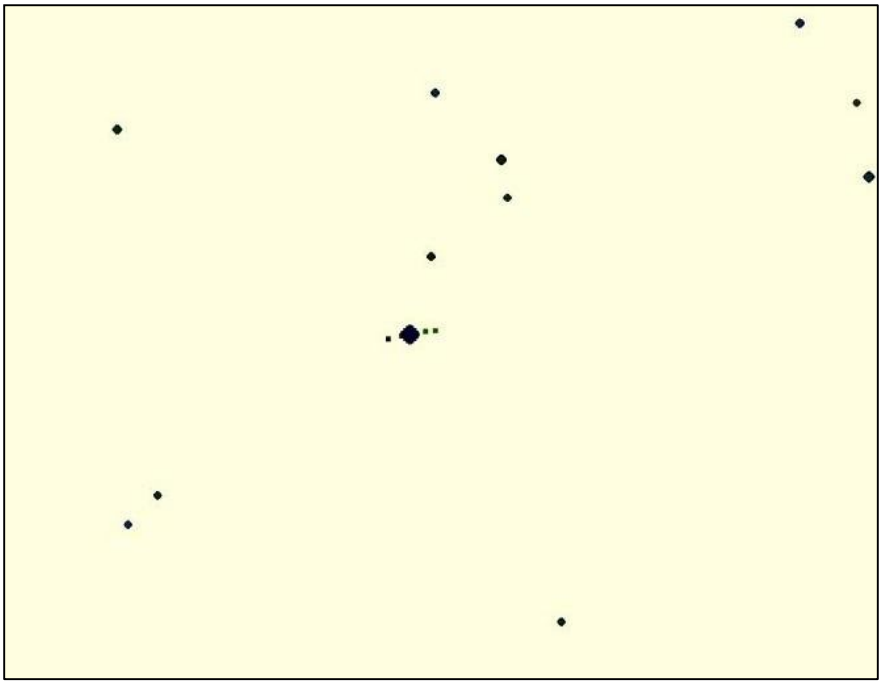
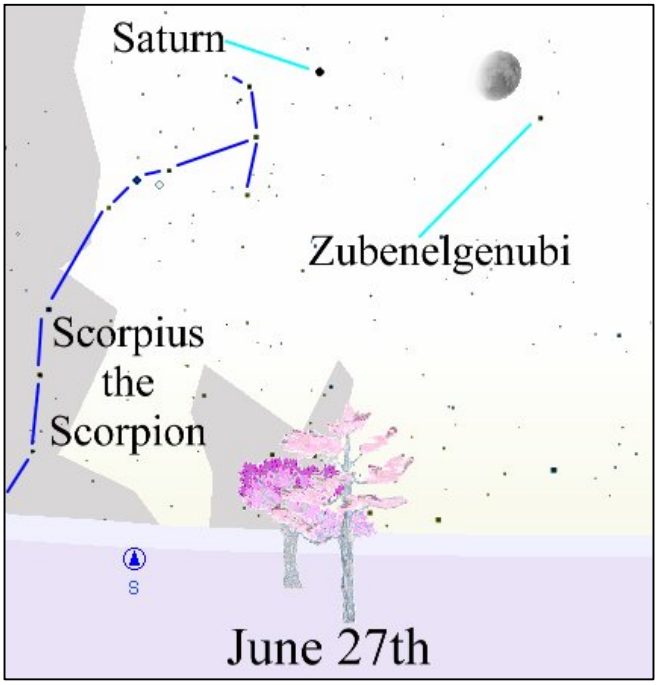


The Galilean Satellites (position of satellites changes daily)



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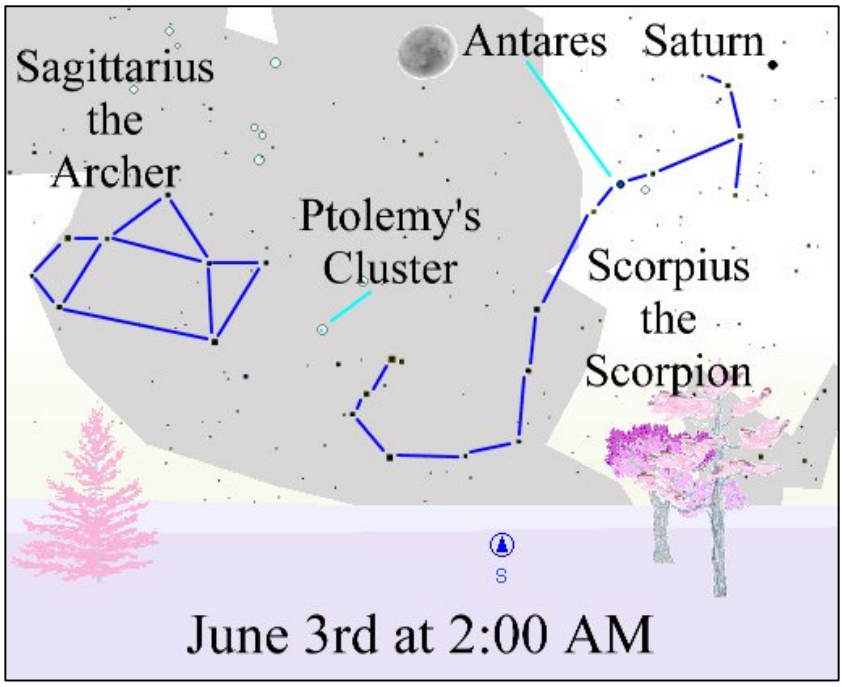
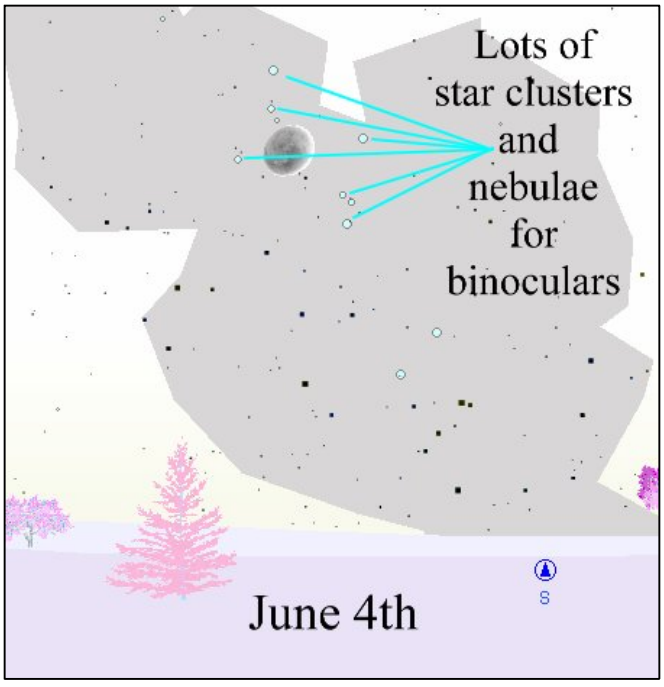
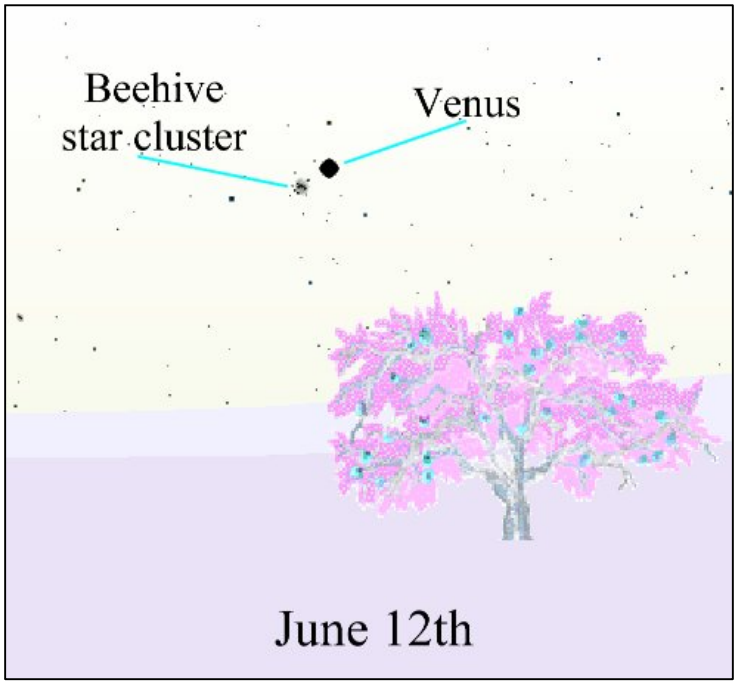


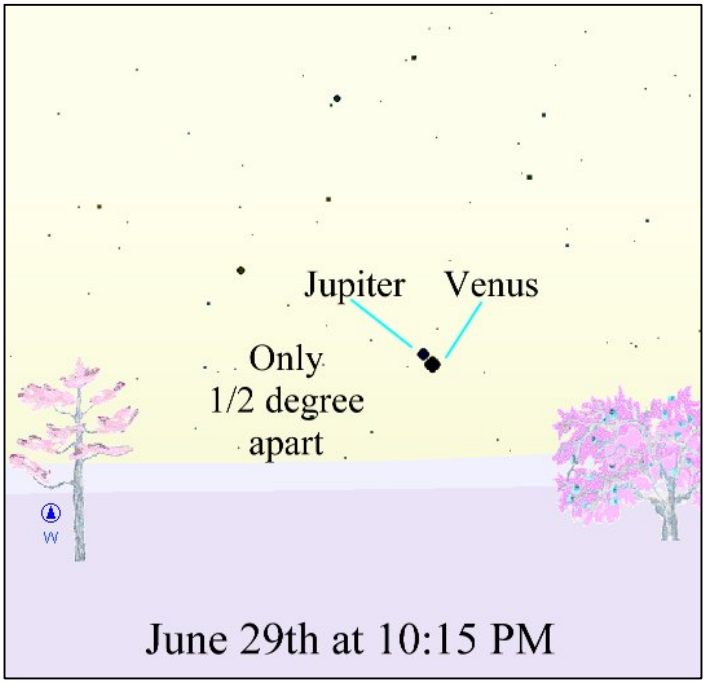
Ptolemy's Cluster (a large star cluster)



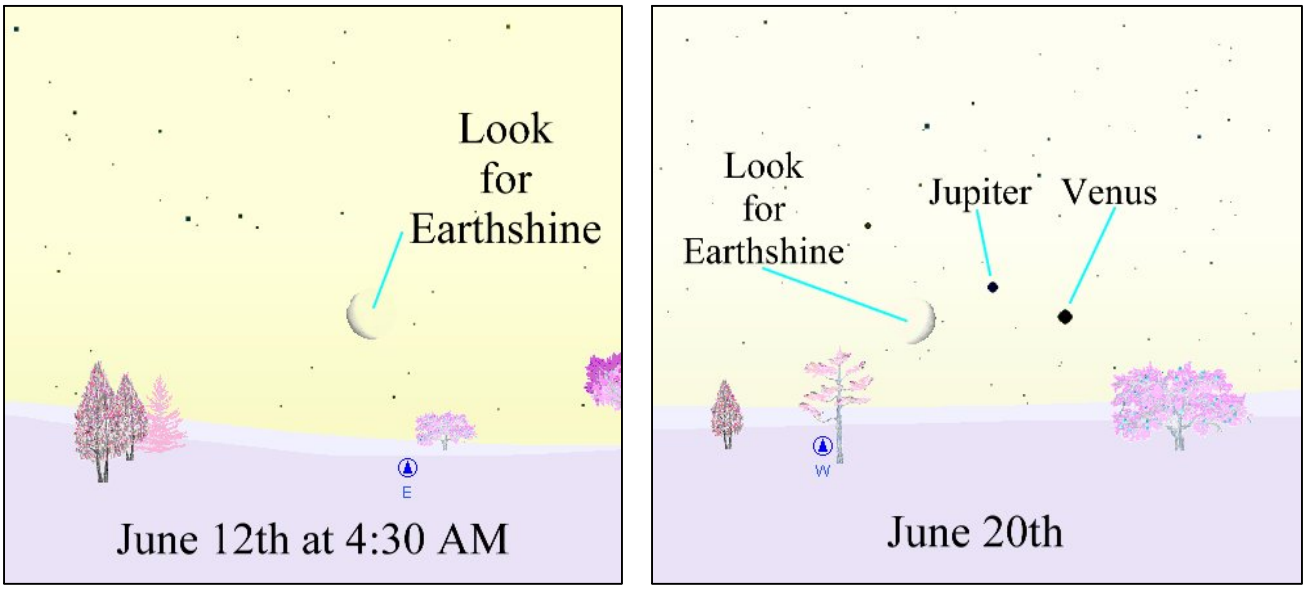
Star Clusters and Nebulae (look for fuzzy spots through binoculars)



Venus and the Beehive star cluster



Two bright planets very close together



Earthshine (always search a day or two prior)

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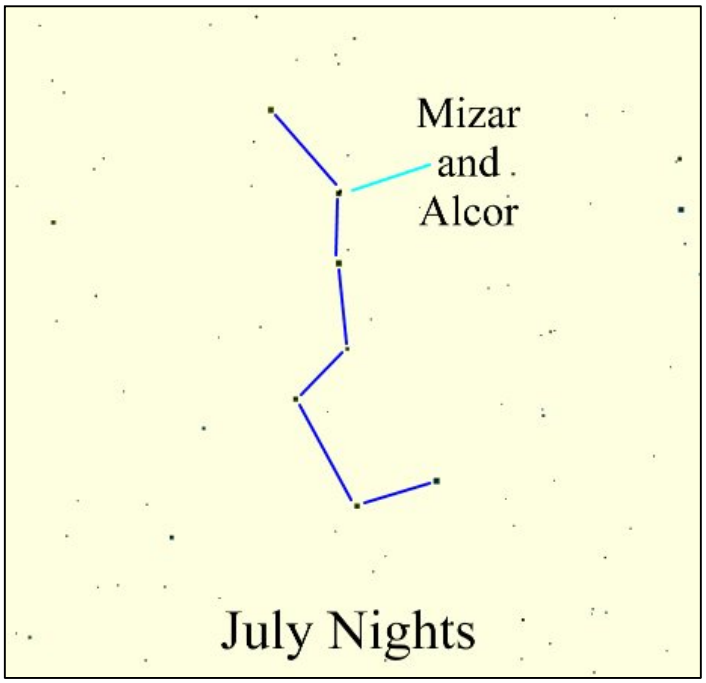
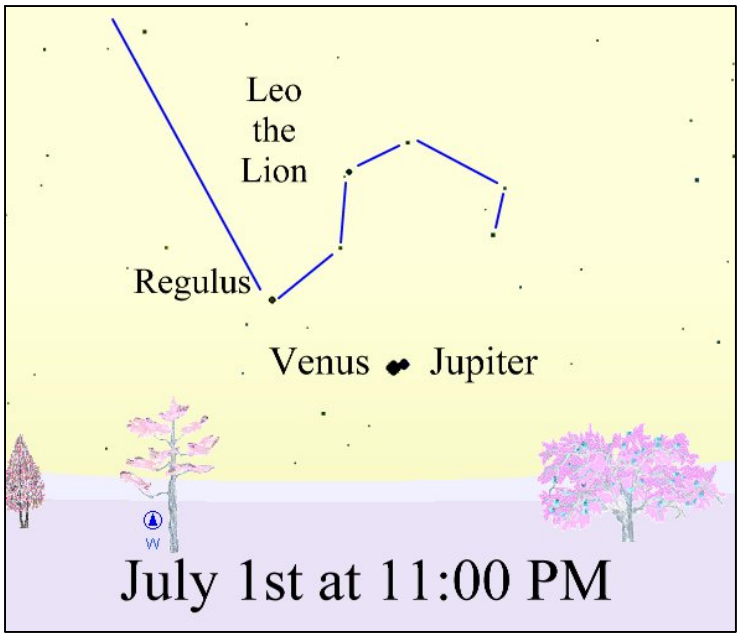
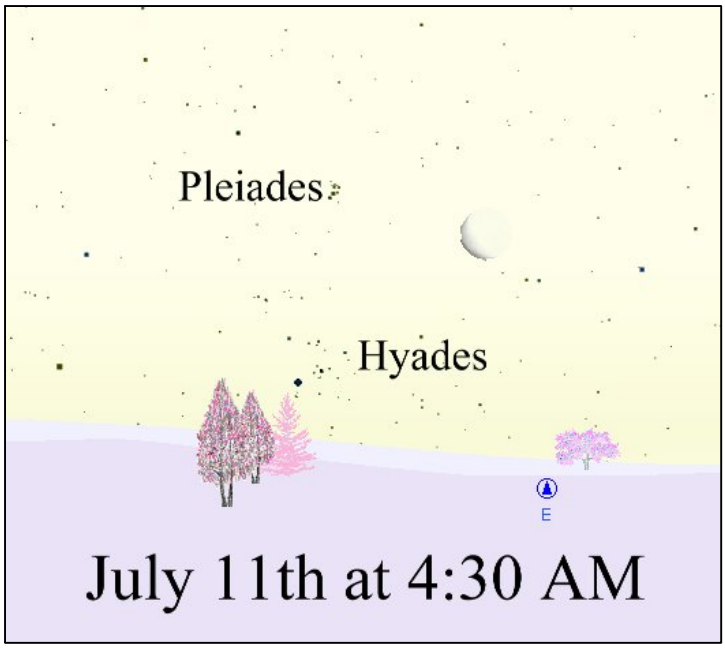


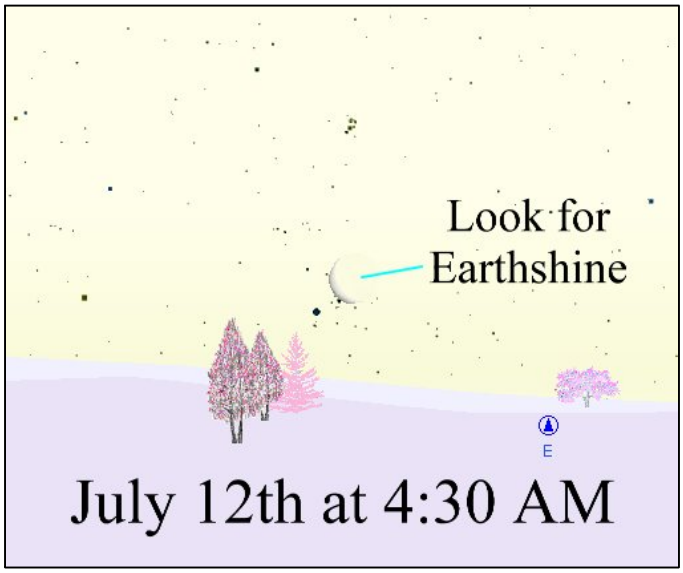
Mizar and Alcor, a good double star for binoculars - can you split them without binoculars?

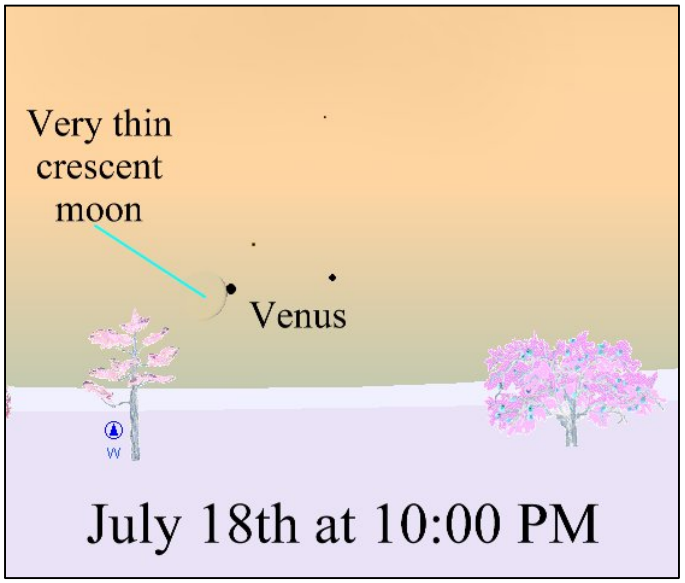


Jupiter and Venus very close together

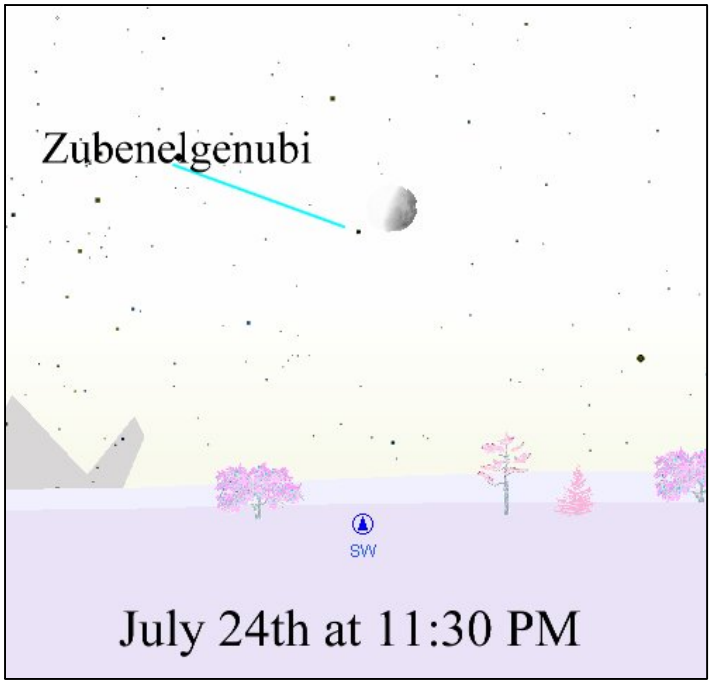


The moon near the Pleiades and Hyades star clusters - be sure to look for earthshine at the same time

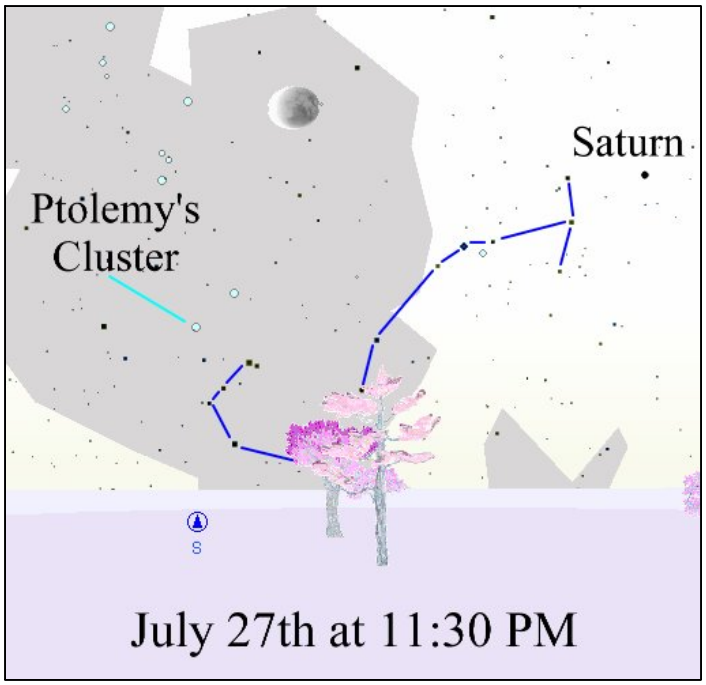




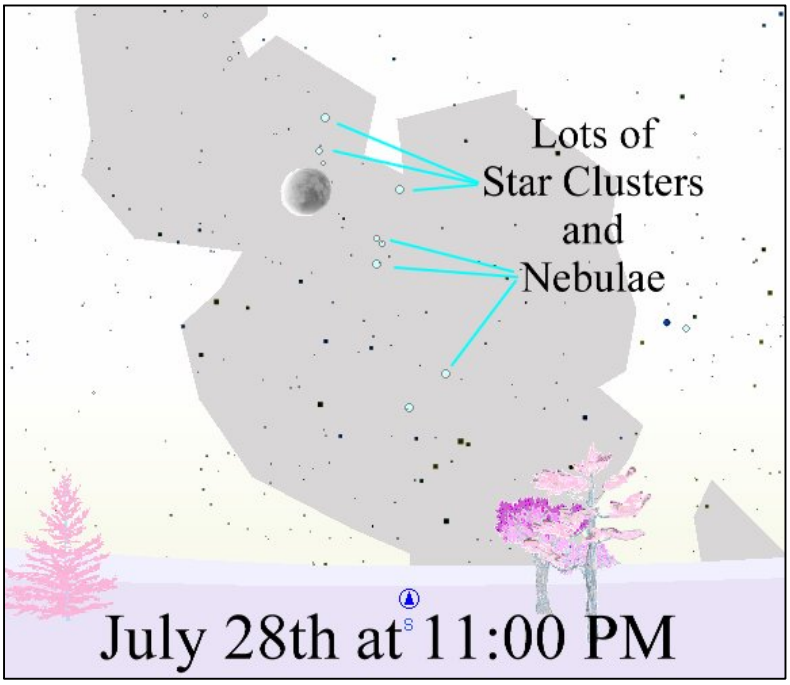
The moon passes through the Hyades star cluster and the 12th
The moon passes very close to Venus on the 18th
Look for Earthshine on the 12th and 18th



Zubenelgenubi is a double star suitable for binoculars.



Ptolemy's Cluster is visible to the naked eye and more impressive through binoculars



Star clusters and nebulae near the moon; scan the region with binoculars looking for fuzzy clouds or small clusters of stars

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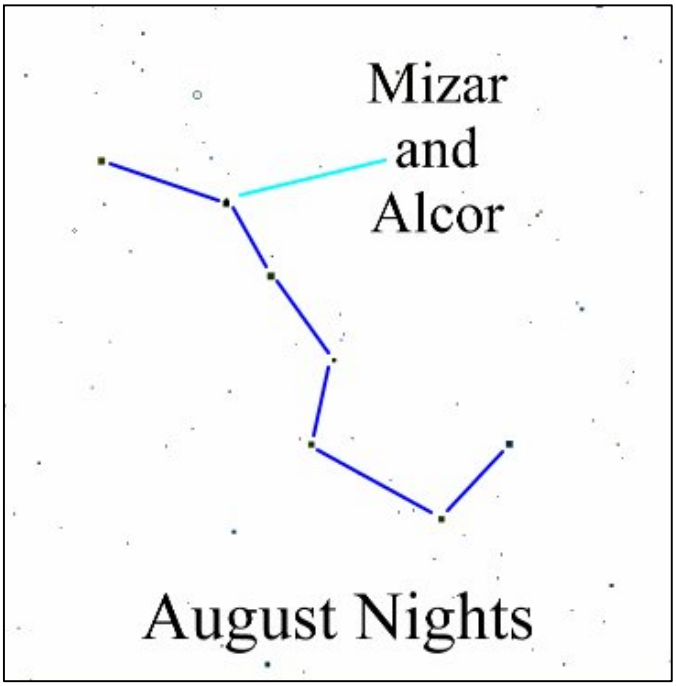

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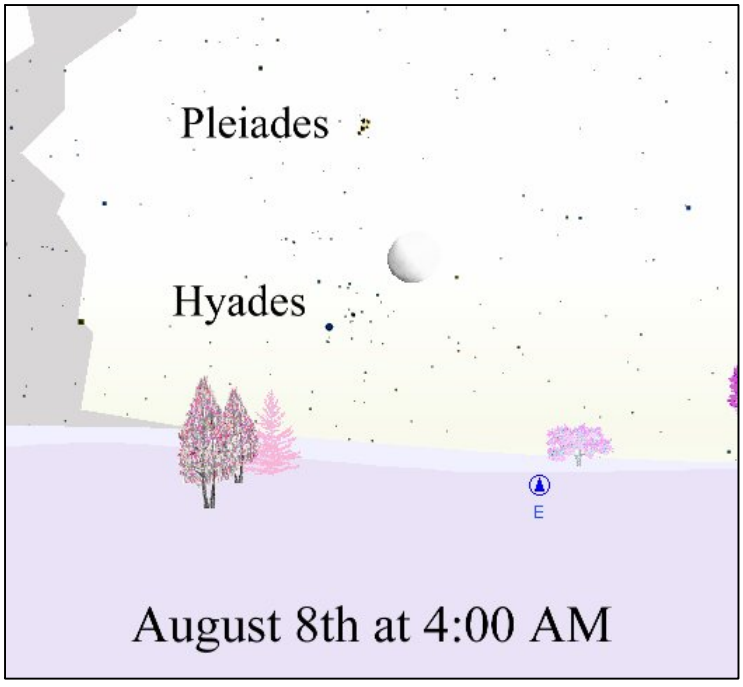
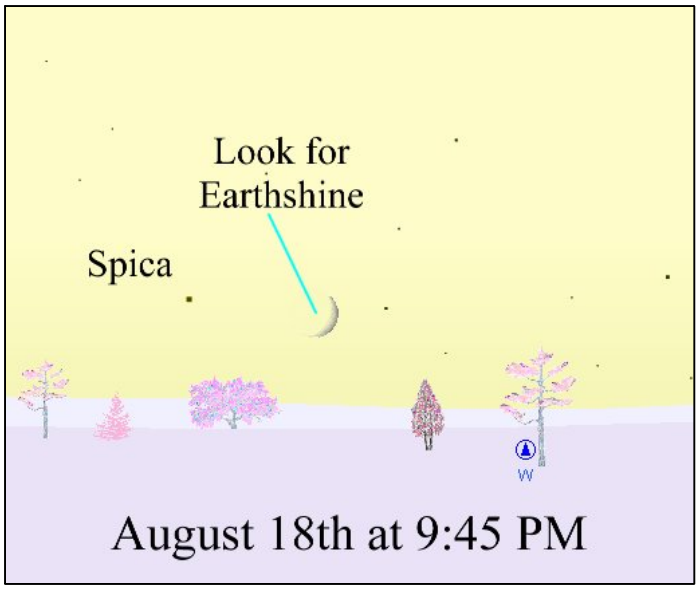
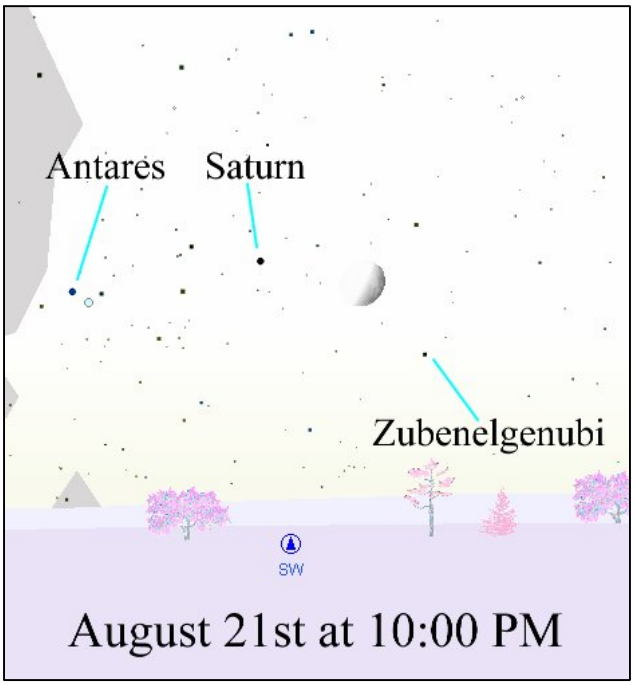


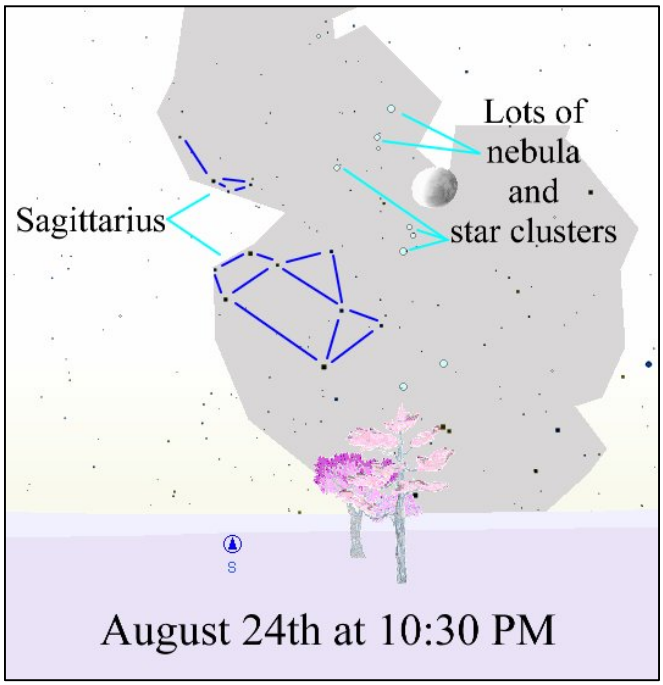
The moon located between two large star clusters



Look for Earthshine



Zubenelgenubi is a fine double star for binoculars



Look for fuzzy nebulae and small star clusters near the moon
Sagittarius consists of a teapot and teaspoon

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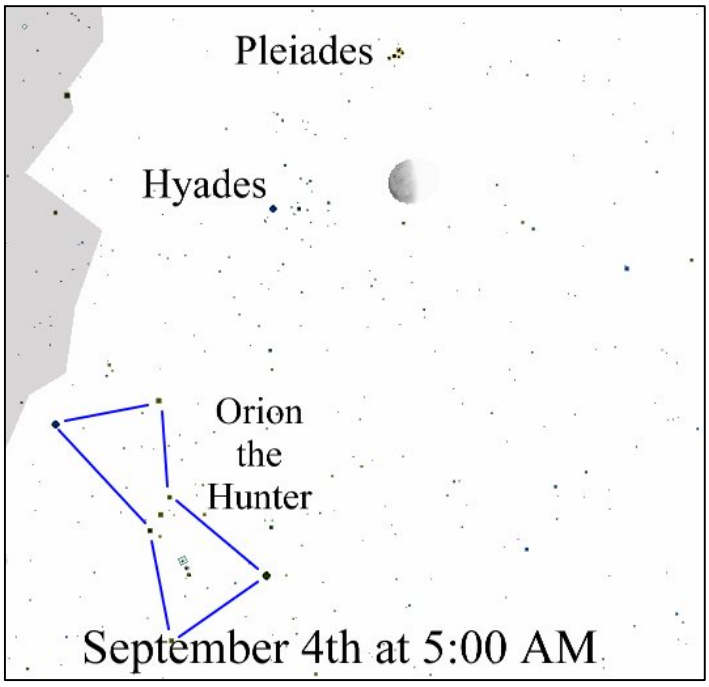

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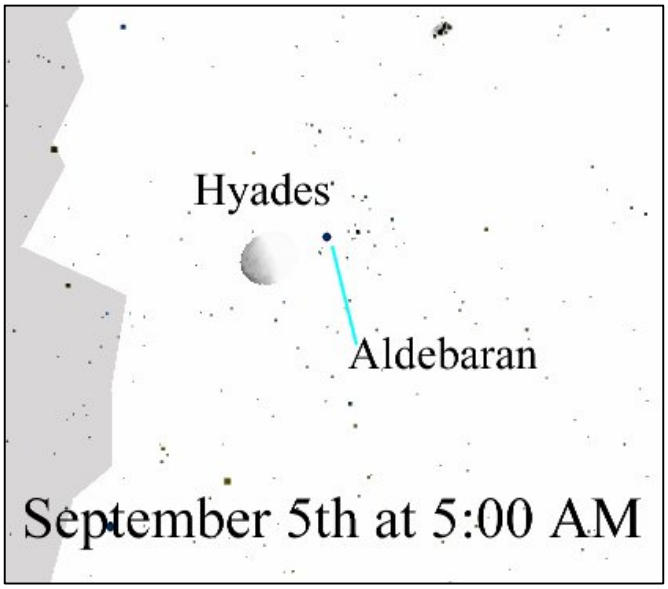
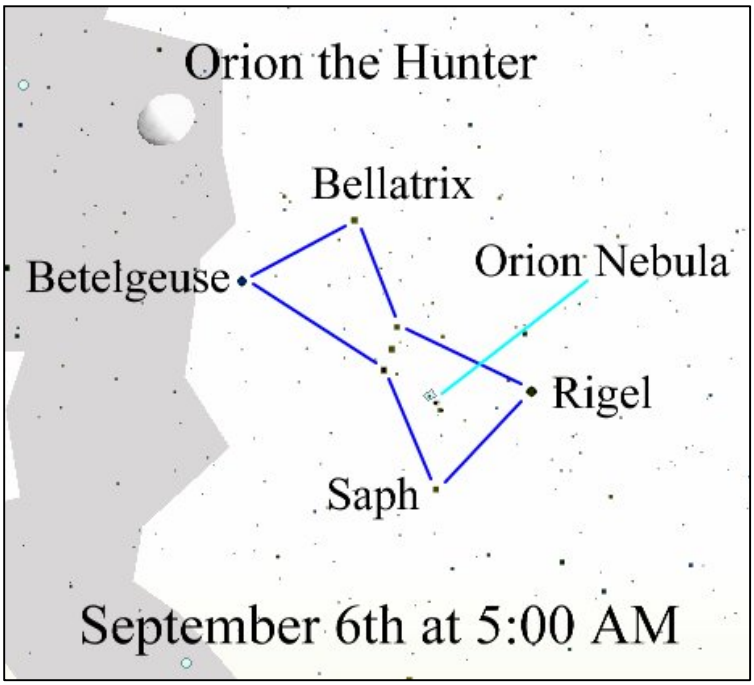
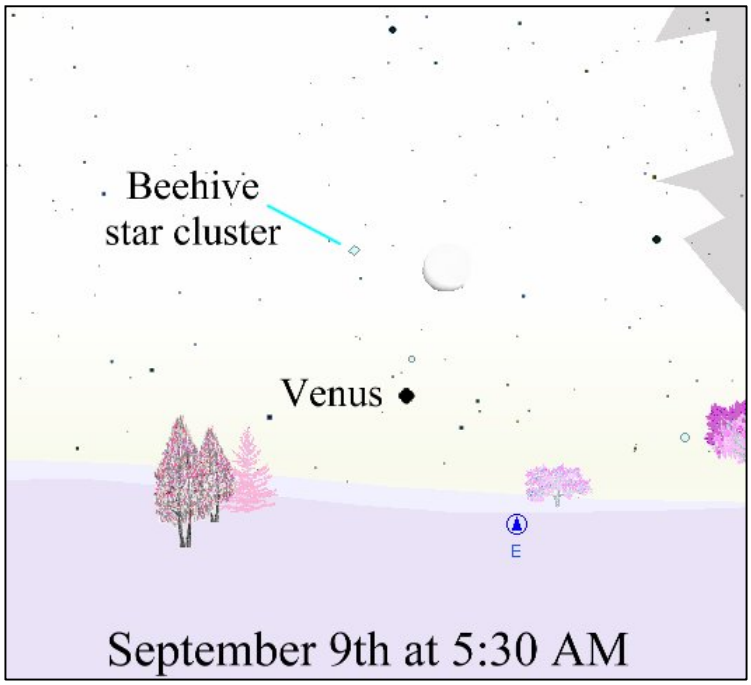


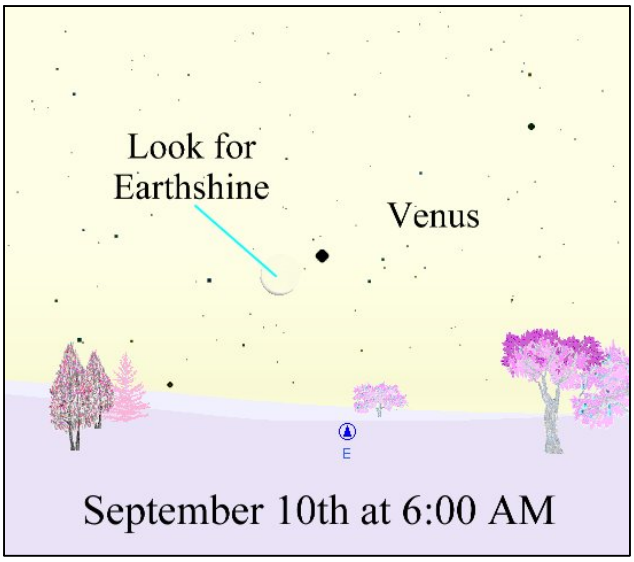
The moon and Hyades star cluster

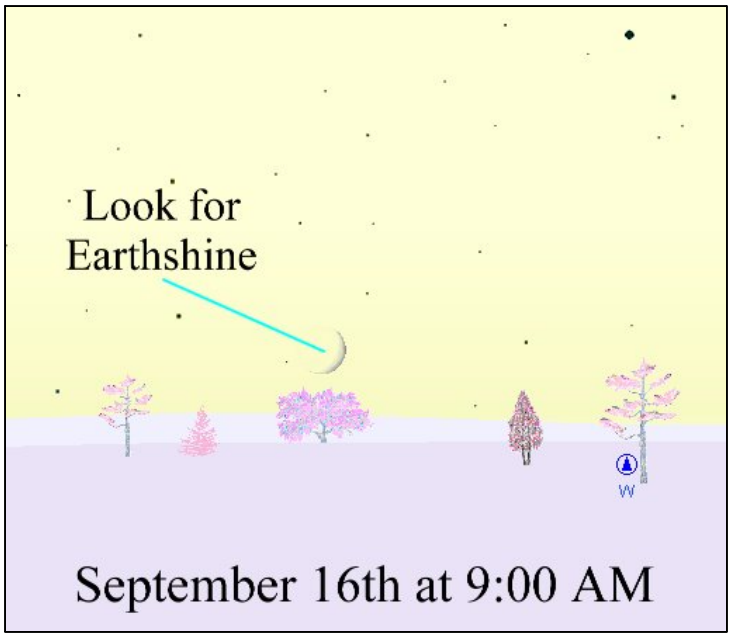


The Orion Nebula will appear as a small fuzzy cloud through binoculars



Beehive star cluster
Also look for Earthshine





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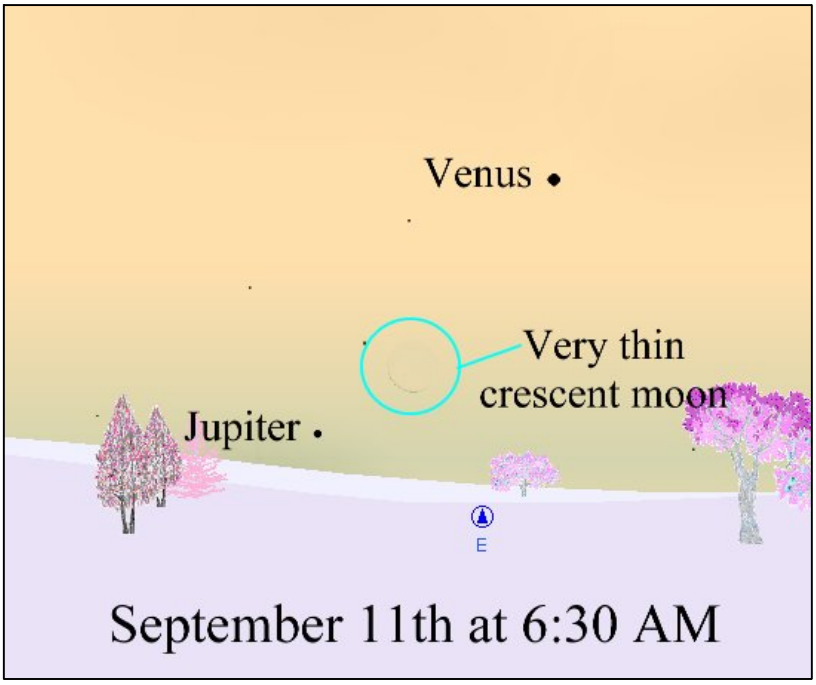
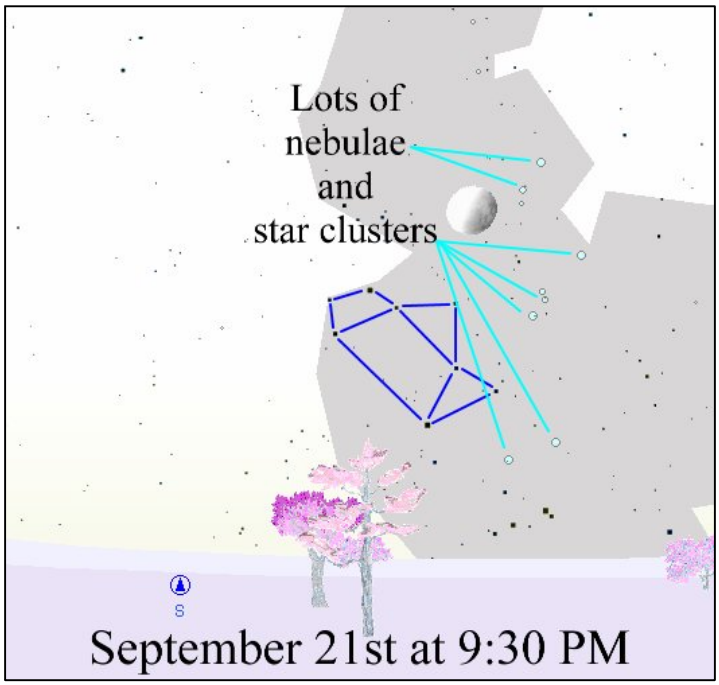


Difficult to see crescent moon



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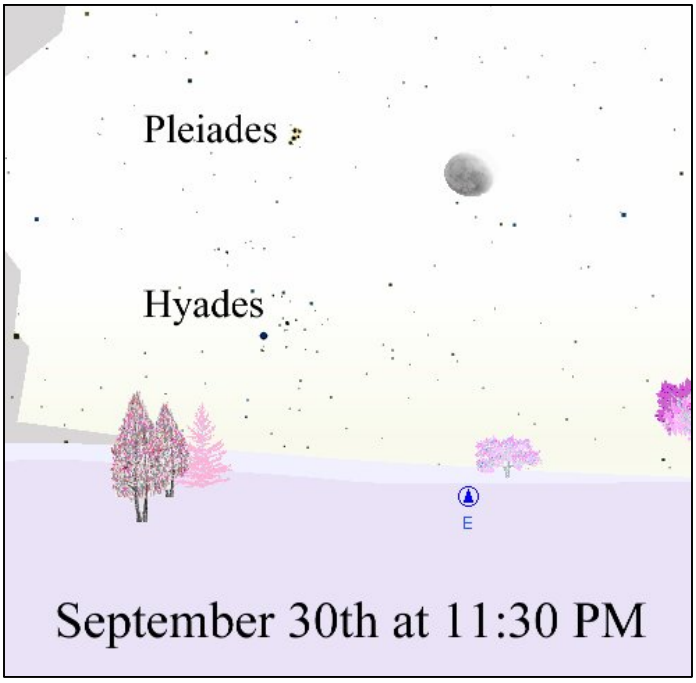

Two nice star clusters near the moon