## ASTC Passport Program Information for members, cashiers and staff

Cernan is now a member of ASTC and participates in the Reciprocal Passport Program. This means members of other participating institutions with the ASTC logo on their membership card get benefits here.



# **EXCLUSIONS** as specified by ASTC.

- 1. Science centers and museums located within 90 miles\* of the Cernan Earth and Space Center.
- 2. Science centers and museums located within 90 miles\* of the visitor's residence.
- 3. \* This distance is measured "as the crow flies," meaning it is based on the linear radius, not driving distance.

## If someone shows you their membership card with the ASTC logo:

- 1. Check their card. We do not honor passport members from places within a 90 mile radius of the Cernan Earth and Space Center.
  - Adler Planetarium
  - Betty Brinn Children's Museum
  - Burpee Museum of Natural History
  - Discovery Center Museum (Rockford)
  - Discovery World
  - International Museum of Surgical Science
  - Milwaukee Public Museum
  - Museum of Science and Industry
  - Peggy Notebaert Nature Museum
  - SciTech Hands-On Museum
- 2. Check the attached list to confirm their institution is currently on the passport list. Their institution MUST appear on the current list.
- 3. If they are not from one of exclusions above AND they are on the list, they receive

**Free planetarium admission for up to four family members.** All other family members admitted at youth price. **Passport visitors receive 10% off Star Store purchases**, excluding autographed books.

### Using the ASTC Travel Passport Program CALL BEFORE YOU VISIT OTHER MUSEUMS TO CONFIRM YOUR PASSPORT PROGRAM BENEFITS.

As a member of an institution that participates in the ASTC Travel Passport Program, you are eligible for benefits such as free GENERAL ADMISSION when you travel outside of your local area to other participating institutions. Visit astc.org/passport for the current list. These benefits DO NOT include free or discounted admission to special exhibits, planetarium and large screen theater presentations, nor do they include museum store discounts and other benefits associated with museum membership unless stated otherwise.

The Association of Science and Technology Centers (ASTC) is a global organization providing collective voice, professional support and programming opportunities for science centers, museums and related institutions whose innovative approaches to science learning inspire people of all ages about the wonders and the meaning of science in their lives. Through strategic alliances and global partnerships, ASTC strives to increase awareness of the valuable contributions its members make to their communities and the field of informal STEM learning.

Founded in 1973, ASTC represents over 600 members in nearly 50 countries. Membership is not limited to science centers and museums. These are nature centers, aquariums, planetariums, zoos, botanical gardens plus natural history and children's museums, as well as companies, consultants and organizations who share an interest in informal science education.

#### From the ASTC.org website