

# STATE of WISCONSIN



OFFICE of the GOVERNOR

## Proclamation

*WHEREAS*; STARBASE Wisconsin, a “hands-on, minds-on” STEM education program proudly sponsored by the Wisconsin Air National Guard, is celebrating its Grand Opening on Monday, June 18, 2012; and

*WHEREAS*; STARBASE Wisconsin is a Department of Defense-funded interactive academic outreach program that helps youth increase their knowledge in science, technology, engineering and mathematics (STEM); and

*WHEREAS*; STARBASE Wisconsin takes fifth-grade students on a five-week odyssey into the exciting world of the sciences through hands-on activities and experiments, technology projects and interaction with military and civilian professionals with careers in STEM fields; and

*WHEREAS*; STARBASE programs nationally have served more than 700,000 students and STARBASE Wisconsin will serve more than 1,500 students in the City of Milwaukee annually; and

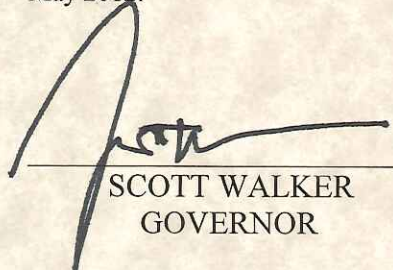
*WHEREAS*; STARBASE Wisconsin is an investment in the education of our nation’s greatest economic and intellectual resource – our future innovators;

*NOW, THEREFORE*, I, Scott Walker, Governor of the State of Wisconsin, do hereby proclaim Monday, June 18, 2012, as

### STARBASE WISCONSIN DAY

throughout the State of Wisconsin, and I commend this observance to all of our citizens.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Wisconsin to be affixed. Done at the Capitol in the City of Madison this 31<sup>st</sup> day of May 2012.

  
SCOTT WALKER  
GOVERNOR



By the Governor:

  
DOUGLAS LA FOLLETTE  
Secretary of State