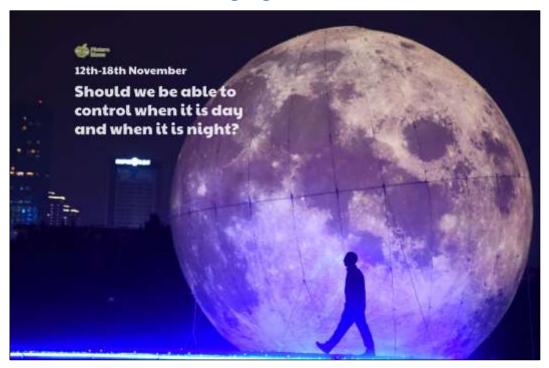


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What's going on this week?



China is to launch a fake "moon" into space that it hopes will illuminate one of the country's biggest cities. Officials in Chengdu, a city of 14 million people in China's southwestern province of Sichuan, announced plans to place a satellite in orbit by 2020 capable of reflecting sunlight onto its streets at night, claiming it will be bright enough to entirely replace street lights.

Things to talk about at home...

- Do you think a new 'fake moon' is a good idea?
- Do you think it's important that we have night and day?
- It is thought that the new moon would save a lot of money and electricity, but it may affect wildlife, which do you think is more important?

Please note any interesting thoughts or comments here...





