



NEWSLETTER

PAIGNTON SNU SPIRITUALIST CENTRE

JANUARY & FEBRUARY 2020

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NEW YEAR GREETINGS

TO OUR MEMBERS, FAMILIES & FRIENDS

NEW BEGINNINGS, CHANGES & SPIRITUAL GROWTH

We send our heartfelt prayers to the family of Derek Acorah who sadly passed to spirit this month after a brief illness; he was a much loved medium, who touched many lives linking with spirit. He often visited the South West and many know him for his T.V. work as a medium, as well as the haunting programmes. He will be missed enormously.

Although our Centre is quiet at this time of year our spirit friends are working tirelessly behind the scenes to keep our Centre open. Welcoming new spirit friends and members at our Sunday Services, Medium Demonstrations, Healing Sessions, as well as our Saturday Coffee Mornings.

Our Festival of Light Service is on 12th January 2020 from 6.30pm. We look forward to seeing you all at this very special service.

A reminder to our members that the Annual Membership Fee of £10 is now due for this year. Membership Request Forms are located in the kitchen hall for new members.

Whatever we achieve, wherever our travels take us, please try to be kind to one another and spread the word of spirit wisely. Have fun making those memories.

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Find us on the Web!

by visiting:

<http://www.paigntonsnuspiritualistcentre.co.uk>

A WARM WELCOME TO ALL OUR MEMBERS & VISITORS.



Saturday Coffee Mornings

A reminder those Coffee & Tea mornings with the Craft Group continues from 10.30am to 12.30pm.

A good way to catch up on the busy schedule of functions, groups, workshops, special medium demonstrations and Open Days. Dates, Times, Costs and Posters are displayed in the Kitchen Hall of our lovely CENTRE.

Our Committee and Fund Raisers are always working hard to bring new ideas for us all to enjoy.

Suggestions and ideas are also welcome.

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JAN & FEB

JAN 2020

4 th & 6 th	Glenda Osborne	Torquay
5 th	Brenda Sawyer	Torquay
11 th 12 th 13 th	Ricky Whitemore	Paignton
12 th	FESTIVAL OF LIGHT WITH HEALERS pm	
18 th 19 th 20 th	Darren Turner	Somerset
25 th 26 th 27 th	Nicola Monks	Paignton

FEB 2020

1 st & 3 rd	Glenda Osborne	Torquay
2 nd	Julieann Harper	Plymouth
8 th 9 th 10 th	Debbie Campbell	Redditch
15 th 16 th 17 th	Jamie Tennant	Paignton
22 nd 23 rd 24 th	Craig Morris	Torquay
29 th	Sharon Bird	Clevedon

GUILD

JANUARY 2020

8 th	Tina Corns	Kingsteignton
15 th	Ricky Whitemore	Paignton
22 nd	Craig Morris- From	Torquay
29 th	Billy Cook CSNU	Paignton

FEBRUARY 2020

TBA

The next fortnightly Healing Circle starts on

Friday 28 February 2020

All of the above dates are subject to change at short notice



History of Dolls Houses

The earliest records of dolls houses or "baby houses" as they were also called, date back to the sixteenth century, but these were exclusive, tending to be replicas of wealthy family homes and were built as a record of the times rather than for hobby or play purposes.

A dollhouse or doll's house is a toy, home-made in miniature. For the last century, dollhouses have primarily been for children but their collection and crafting is also a hobby for many adults. After World War II they were often mass-produced and became more affordable to everyone. Their design range from simple boxes for use in play to exquisite structures displayed in museums. They were also elaborate designs costing hundreds of pounds.

Many Toys today are made with the new technology and need batteries or electricity to make them function.

In the past toys had play value using imagination, story-telling for the young and old.

Spooky

I had a very weird dream recently which was scary but not too frightening. In the dream there were 3 dolls faces stood in front of me just looking my way. They didn't speak or move and that was that. I went shopping the next day to spend a book voucher. Walking into the shop I was drawn to a beautifully coloured book's front cover with the feeling I must read it. As I got closer the title read "The Doll Factory".

Spooky cont'd

Two days later I was mooching in a charity shop looking for Christmas cards in the sale. I glanced along the bric-a-brac shelves as no cards in the sale. There was something very small only about an inch square; I wondered what could be for sale so small. I picked it up, and to my surprise it was a plaque showing a picture of a Dolls House; the title was tiny not easy to read, so I brought it up to my eyes really close. I have to say it made me step back in shock. Is someone trying to give me a message? And why Dolls?



Spiritual Healing

Every Week

Monday	2-4 pm
Tuesday	4-6 pm
Thursday	2-4 pm

Everyone is welcome to come along and receive Spiritual healing at the Centre. Many people find it hugely beneficial and come on a regular basis.

Our healers are dedicated in providing this service, giving their time freely and selflessly to help others.

Spiritual healing involves the channeling of healing energies from the Spirit world through a Spiritual healer to the patient. Healing can bring about harmony to the mind, body, Spirit and emotions of the recipient.

Healing Circle
Fridays fortnightly
7.30pm.
See dates on notices in the kitchen/hall area.



SPECIAL EVENT

FESTIVAL OF LIGHT
SUNDAY 12TH JANUARY 6.30PM

Join us with our Centre Healers for a time of reflection, where we join together to send our love and healing thoughts to the World.

During the service Lyn our Healing Leader will lead us into a beautiful meditation, then the congregation will be invited to leave a message on the healing tree. Free Refreshments served after the service.

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**The Centre A.G.M. is scheduled for Saturday
28th March 2020 at 2pm**

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If you have any news, stories or spiritual gems that you would like to share with our readers, please send them into the Centre or give them to a Committee Member. Different topics make our Newsletter more interesting to our readers so let's have something to make us laugh, something to make us think, or something about your spiritual journey, maybe a true spiritual happening.

UPDATE ON CENTRE CHRISTMAS EVENTS
CAROL SERVICE EVENING
Sunday, 15th December 2019
&
CHRISTMAS COFFEE MORNING
Saturday, 21st December 2019
&
CHRISTMAS DAY SERVICE

We had a fantastic Christmas Evening Service with Carols on Sunday 15th December 2019; it was wonderful seeing so many people coming and enjoying the evening. We extended a warm welcome to our new friend Maxine from Australia. Hilarious sketches by our groups and committee. Carole playing Fanny haddock (Craddock) instructing Delia how to bake a cake while tasting the whisky, could not stop laughing. Then the development group acting out a bond scene to the music of Diamonds are forever, with Tina as 007 James Bond and Dale playing Shirley Bassey, looked beautiful in sequins and hairy chest. The healers rapping to White Christmas. So much fun. A big thank you goes to the lovely lady Carol who sang and played her guitar to the Christmas songs, and to the kitchen helpers who laid on a superb spread and everyone who helped to make this an evening of love, light and togetherness.

Our Saturday 21st extended Christmas coffee morning with stalls grand raffle and yummy food was also well attended. With many going home happy and content; some winning fantastic prizes such as a food hampers, fruit basket, gift boxes etc.

We had our lovely Christmas Day Service with our President Joan and her husband Alan.

Finally to round off 2019, the popular Craig Morris took our last Sunday morning service of the year which was well attended.

We look forward with Love, Peace and Hope in our Hearts and pray that the leaders of our World work together in harmony for a better future for all beings and our planet. **(Thank You to Anne Jenkins for this lovely update)**

Pictures are:

Delia and Fanny doing their baking : Shirley Bassey with our President : Our Healing leader and Trish doing the rap
Annette and Carole rapping : Fanny getting drunk on the whisky meant for the cake!!







The Pioneers

The Pioneers of Spiritualism

Andrew Jackson Davis



He was born in 1826 in Orange County New York. His family were very poor and Andrew suffered very bad health consequently receiving very little education. His mother passed away in 1841 when he was fifteen but Andrew was not sad as he could see where his mother was living and could hear her voice saying that she was very happy where she was. Andrew was able to visit the Summerland as he called it whilst in trance state and he saw many spirit people including a doctor called Galen who gave Andrew a spiritual cane to lean on. A golden light appeared to him and he saw these words: "Behold, here is thy magic staff. Under all circumstances keep an even mind. Take it. Walk with it. Talk with it. Lean on it. Believe on it. Forever."

This staff helped him many times with spiritual guidance. Andrew saw many spirit children and learnt that they went to school in the Summerland. They learnt how things worked, about colours and music and many other things. He was told that these schools in the Summerland were called Lyceums. Andrew gave a talk in 1863 at Dodsworth Hall on Broadway, New York, about his experiences and what he had learnt and seen in the Summerland. Those who listened to him thought that it would be a good idea to have a school like this on the earth plane, which led to the first Lyceum being formed with Andrew as its founder.

Researched from the Web on Pioneers