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## *Dear WRGN Supporters,*

**A** bumper listing of events, articles about the mystery of megaliths and what it means to human, and a book review from the Netherlands comprise this May newsletter.

The month ahead sees the launch of the De Danaan Network of Ireland, 'Out of this World' a new INTERNET TV show and two new web sites; [www.nrgdowsing.co.uk](http://www.nrgdowsing.co.uk) for Shaston Dowsers and [www.martinsey.org.uk](http://www.martinsey.org.uk) for the Martinsey Isle Trust.

We welcome the arrival of Lynne McTaggart from the USA and Carol Fraser a spiritual teacher and pupil of Sri Shin Shiva Swayambhu M from India.

Karma and Relationships by Judy Hall is the latest lecture to be digitised and added to the on-line digital audio archive. Dowsing and Aura by Miroslav Provod of the Czech Republic is the latest addition to the article archive.

**Opposite:** *One of a series of paintings depicting the pilgrim's journey. Courtesy of the WRGTrust Psychic Art Archive*



## **What it is to be Human**

1. You will receive a body.
2. You will learn lessons. You are enrolled in a full-time informal school called life. Each day in this school you will have the opportunity to learn lessons. You may like the lessons or think them irrelevant or stupid.
3. There are no mistakes only lessons. Growth is a process of trial and error, of experimentation. Failed experiments are as much a part of the process as the experiment that ultimately works.
4. A lesson is repeated until it is learned. A lesson will be presented to you in various forms until you have learned it. When you have learned it, you can then go on to the next lesson.
5. Learning lessons does not end. There is no part of life that does not contain its lessons. If you are alive then there are lessons to be learned.
6. There is not better than here. When your there has become you're here, you simply find another there that will again look better than here.
7. Others are merely mirrors of you. Anything you love or hate about another person simply reflects something that you love or hate about yourself.
8. What you make of life is up to you. You have all the tools and resources you need. What you do with them is up to you.
9. Your answers lie inside you. The answer to life's questions lie inside you. All you need is to look, listen and trust.
10. You will forget all this.

*Source the newsletter of the Edgar Cayce Centre, Durham No. 28 1998*

## **Book Review**

***The Language of Crop Circles - "De Taal van Graancirkels – De kosmische betekenis van graancirkels in Europa en Noord Amerika"*** By Judith Moore and Johan Keijser.

Crop circles (formations) are a worldwide phenomenon. Who makes the circles, how are they made and why are they here? Each circle has it's specific formula and effects for influencing humans, the plant and animal realms, water, air, cultures and society, and Mother Earth. Formations are also interrelated, each one part of an all-embracing master plan. This book examines the crop circle phenomena and its relationship with the structure and function of the cosmos. For more information, log on to [www.taalvangraancirkels.nl/engels/index.htm](http://www.taalvangraancirkels.nl/engels/index.htm) or email [j.m.l.f.keijser@ncrvnet.nl](mailto:j.m.l.f.keijser@ncrvnet.nl)

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Society  
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Group  
Dave 07977 144147  
Peter 01258 472722

School of Energy  
Healing Educational  
Trust  
Nikki 08708007060

New Dimensions  
Group Bristol  
Ghislaine  
01225 333825

Centre of Awareness at  
Ashburton  
[awarenesscentre.ashburton.co.uk](http://awarenesscentre.ashburton.co.uk)

Bristol Dowzers  
Jason 0117 9498933

Joyous Isle workshops  
Dorset. Jackie  
01202 885294

Axminster Awareness  
Centre 01297 32331

World in our Hands  
[WorldinourHands.org](http://WorldinourHands.org)

Stoneseecker Tours  
[www.stoneseecker.net](http://www.stoneseecker.net)

Centre of Pure Sound  
Healing  
Contact 01935 389655

Rode Dream Share Circle  
01373 830253

**CONFERENCES**

**Lundy Island** 28 April - 5 May  
Society of Leyhunters Annual  
Moot  
Tel. 01650 531354

**Stroud** 1-3 May  
Revisioning Mental Health  
Contact: 01453 759034  
[info@hawkwoodcollege.co.uk](mailto:info@hawkwoodcollege.co.uk)

**Dorchester** 6 May  
Convention of Alternative  
Archeology and Earth  
Mysteries. Da Vinci  
Code/Mary Magdalene  
Special.  
Tel. 01258 472722  
[stoneseecker@waitrose.com](mailto:stoneseecker@waitrose.com)

**Portslade** 13 May  
Spiritual Networking Event  
[www.sussexconnections.co.uk](http://www.sussexconnections.co.uk)

**Camberley** 18-20 May  
Mind: How to Access the Inner  
Knowing. A conference  
devoted to exploring mind and  
deeper levels of  
consciousness.  
Tel. Diana 01252 544123

**Glastonbury** 19 – 20 May  
Megalithomania  
Tel. 01458 830281  
[www.megalithomania.co.uk](http://www.megalithomania.co.uk)

**FESTIVALS**

**Sheppey, Kent** 5 May  
Beltane Celebration  
Tel. Lynn 01795 874542

**Totnes** 12 – 13 May  
Spiritual Extravaganza  
Tel. Gail-Elaine 01736 795143

**Oxfordshire** 25 May – 2 June  
Sacred Arts Camp  
Tel. Diane 01297 33700 or  
Gitta 01202 825450.  
[mail@sacred-arts-camp.org.uk](mailto:mail@sacred-arts-camp.org.uk)

**South Somerset** 31 May-4  
June. Sunrise Celebration  
Tel. 0845 0096347  
[www.sunrisecelebration.com](http://www.sunrisecelebration.com)

**LAUNCH EVENT**

**West Cork**, Ireland 6 May  
De Danaan Network of Ireland  
email Jasper  
[jasperh@eircom.net](mailto:jasperh@eircom.net)

**Mindspiritnetwork.com**  
Out of this World INTERNET  
TV 8 May  
[www.mindspiritnetwork.com](http://www.mindspiritnetwork.com)  
[cosmicrebirth@btinternet.com](mailto:cosmicrebirth@btinternet.com)

**Glastonbury Abbey**  
12 - 13 May.  
'Colder than Here'.  
A play - and optional post-  
performance discussion about  
death, dying and funeral

ritual (and about living)  
Tel. Judith 01258 475 125

**MASTERS COURSES**

**University of Exeter**  
MA in Western Esotericism;  
a part-time, distance  
learning programme.  
Tel. 01392263301  
[n.goodrick-clarke@exeter.ac.uk](mailto:n.goodrick-clarke@exeter.ac.uk)

**The University of Wales,  
Lampeter**  
Home Study Masters  
Programme  
The Body: Eastern and  
Western Perspectives.  
Email  
[bodyprogramme@lamp.ac.uk](mailto:bodyprogramme@lamp.ac.uk)

**The University of Bath**  
MSc in Death and Society  
Tel. 01225 383203.  
Email [hss-pgr-coordinator@bath.ac.uk](mailto:hss-pgr-coordinator@bath.ac.uk)

**COURSES**

**St Leonards on Sea** 1 May  
Cosmic Rainbow Chanelling  
Tel: 01424 441284

**Chard** (Unicorn Centre)  
12, 13 and 14 May  
Diana Cooper School of  
Angels and Ascension,  
Ascension Module  
Tel. Margaret 01460 66151

**Salisbury** 14-20 May  
Lost and Found: A week for  
men.  
Tel. Charlie 01647 281217  
or Jeremy 01647 433765  
Email. [Oj11@onetel.com](mailto:Oj11@onetel.com)

**London** 18 -19 May  
Human Experience Beyond  
the Five Senses  
[natalietobert@aol.com](mailto:natalietobert@aol.com)  
[www.beyond5senses.com](http://www.beyond5senses.com)

**Chard** (Unicorn Centre)  
19 May  
Reiki First Degree Course  
Tel. Margaret 01460 66151

**Bristol** 19 – 20 May  
Fundamentals of Energy  
Healing. School of Energy  
Healing. Tel. 0870 8007060  
[www.energyhealing.co.uk](http://www.energyhealing.co.uk)

**Brighton** 19-20 May  
The Wiccan Rede – 'In  
Perfect Love'  
Tel. Claire 01903 202721

**Chard** (Unicorn Centre)  
20 May. Reiki Second  
Degree Course  
Tel. Margaret 01460 66151

**Axminster** 26 - 28 May  
Transcendental Meditation  
Colin Beckley  
Tel. 01297 32331

**Glastonbury** 26-27 May  
Unveiling the Soul  
Tel. 01458 830443  
[www.openhand.org](http://www.openhand.org)

**WALKS AND TOURS**

**Stanton Drew** 13 May  
Lunch and visit to the stone  
circles  
Tel. Jason 0117 9498933

**Stonehenge** 18 May  
Tel. 01458 830281  
[www.megalithomania.co.uk](http://www.megalithomania.co.uk)

**South Cadbury** 19 May  
Afternoon walk  
Contact 01258 472722  
[stoneseecker@waitrose.com](mailto:stoneseecker@waitrose.com)

**Glastonbury** Sacred Sites  
21 May  
Tel. 01458 830281  
[www.megalithomania.co.uk](http://www.megalithomania.co.uk)

**TALKS**

**Glastonbury** (WRG)  
1 May. Glastonbury as a  
Symbol  
Steve Roberts  
Tel. Sue 01458 835708

**Rode** 2 May  
Dream Share Circle  
Tel. Karen 01373 830253  
[karenflowers@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:karenflowers@hotmail.co.uk)

**Yeovil** 2 May  
Clairvoyance  
Bev Powell  
Tel. Jan 01935 421161

**Frome** 2 May  
Pure Sound and the Cosmic  
Scale  
Dean Carter  
Tel. Marina 01373 466391

**Ashburton** 3 May  
Healer Support Trainer  
Evening  
Tel. Ivor or Sheila 01626  
862047

**London** 3 May  
Spirituality and the Feminine  
Series. Conversations with  
Lynne McTaggart and  
Brandon Bays of 'The  
Journey'  
Tel. 0208 944 9886

**Dorset Earth Mysteries** 3 May  
the Stone Circle of Callanish  
Gerald Ponting  
Tel. Dave 07977 144147  
or Peter 01258 472722

**Axminster** 4 May  
Serpent Knowledge and Jesus the  
Druid

Edmund Marriage  
Tel. 01297 32331

**Ashburton** 4 May  
Clairvoyance  
Tel. Lynda 01364 654622

**Axminster** 6 May  
Call of the Drum  
Scott Jasper.  
Tel. 01297 32331

**Chard** (Unicorn Centre) 8 May  
Monthly Spiritual Growth  
Circle  
Tel. Margaret 01460 66151

**W'mouth & D'chester** 9 May  
Thirteen Insights from Mother  
Earth. Peter Knight  
Tel. Pat 01395 767242

**Ashburton** 10 May  
Introduction to Energy Work  
Margerethe  
Tel. Lynda 01364 654622

**Axminster** 11 May  
Clairvoyance.  
Jean Hole  
Tel. 01297 32331

**Elworthy** 11 May  
the Earth Needs Awakened  
Human Beings  
Carol Fraser  
Tel. 01984 656236

**London** (TS) 13 May  
the Inanna Myth: Blueprint  
for Psychic and Spiritual  
Wholeness  
Diane Wolkstein  
Tel. 0207 9359543

**London** (TS) 13 May  
Inanna, Queen of Heaven  
and Earth  
Diane Wolkstein  
Tel. 0207 9359543

**Sherborne** 14 May  
Spiritual Development and  
the Awakening Kundalini  
Carol Fraser.  
Tel. Jean 01963 220323

**Ashburton** 14 May  
Sustainable Living and  
Climate Change  
J Robertson  
Tel. Lynda 01364 654622

**Bournemouth** 14 May  
Fairies  
Pamela Mooney  
Tel. 01258 472722

**Yeovil** 16 May  
Where Spirit and Matter  
Meet  
Jean Smythe  
Tel. Jan 01935 421161

**Ashburton** 17 May  
Healer Support Trainer  
Evening  
Tel. Ivor or Sheila 01626  
862047

**Axminster** 18 May  
Local Wild Herbs  
Gwyneth Owen  
Tel. 01297 32331

**Bristol** 18 May  
Dowsing and Homeopathy  
Leah Sur  
Tel. Jason 0117 9498933

**Bristol** 20 May  
45 years of Dowsing and  
Geomancy  
Sig Lonegren  
Tel. Ghislaine 01225  
333825

**London** (TS) 20 May  
Seeing Yourself in the Zen  
Oxherding Pictures  
Caty Green  
Tel. 0207 9359543

**Middle Piccadilly** 20 May  
Crystal and Tibetan Bowl  
Soundbath  
Dean Carter  
Tel. 01935 389655

**Totnes** 20 May  
Can we find Druidic  
Philosophy at the  
Foundation of Human  
Civilisation?  
Edmund Marriage  
Tel. Jeffrey 01803 868744

**Sherborne** 21 May  
Karma and Personal  
Development  
Philip Martin  
Tel. Jean 01963 220323

**Bath** 21 May  
Bath Story Telling Circle.  
Tel. Kevan 01225 334204

**Glastonbury** (LoA) 21 May  
Library Meditation Evening  
Tel. 01458 832759

**Bournemouth PLG** 21 May  
How to attract Love  
Anne Jones  
Tel. Sue 01202 581898

**South Devon** 22 May  
Meditation and Clairvoyance  
Dilys Guildford  
Tel. Dilys 01803 770977

**Ashburton** 24 May  
Introduction to Energy Work  
Margerethe  
Tel. Lynda 01364 654622

**Chard** (Unicorn Centre) 22  
May.  
Reiki Share Evening.  
Tel. Margaret 01460 66151

**Axminster** 25 May  
Transcendental Meditation.  
Colin Beckley  
Tel. 01297 32331

**Ashburton** 26 May  
Introduction to Energy Work  
Margerethe  
Tel. Lynda 01364 654622

**London** 29 May  
Spirituality and the Feminine  
series. Conversations with  
Lynne McTaggart and Dadi  
Janki of the Brahma  
Kumaris  
Tel. 0208 944 9886

**Yeovil** 30 May  
Palms and How to Read  
Them  
Yvonne Ann  
Tel. Jan 01935 421161

**Ashburton** Wednesdays  
Drop in Healing  
Tel. Jan 01364 654546

#### ON-LINE TALKS AND TEACHINGS

[www.mindspiritnetwork.com](http://www.mindspiritnetwork.com)

On-line events:

**Sundays** In vision joyshop  
visualisations with Gail-  
Elaine. **Tuesdays** The  
Unseen we See Show with  
Clint Denyer.  
On-line Courses  
Learn to read Tarot.  
First Steps in Astrology  
Tel. Gail-Elaine 01736  
795143

#### WORKSHOPS

**Axminster** 5 May  
Working with Angels  
Wendy Fountaine  
Tel. 01297 32331

**London** (TS) 5 May  
the Secret Doctrine:  
Spheres, Rounds & Races  
Victor Hangya  
Tel. 0207 9359543

**Wimborne** 11-13 May  
the Goddess Within  
Roger Woolger  
Tel. Jackie: 01202 885294  
info@joyousisle.fsnet.co.uk

**Stroud** 11-13 May  
Being Here Now  
Joy Hicklin-Bailey  
Tel. 01453 759034

**Axminster** 12 May  
Connecting with Your Guides  
Jean Hole  
Tel. 01297 32331

**Frome** 12 May  
The Medicine Wheel – A  
Spring Ceremony of Beauty  
and Balance.  
Trudi  
Tel. Marina 01373 466391

**Elworthy** 12 May  
Spiritual Exercises From the  
Celtic Cosmic Tradition  
Tel. 01984 656236

**Glastonbury** 12 May  
Funeral Planning – the choice  
is yours  
Tel. 0208 442 0126

[MindSpiritNetwork.com](http://MindSpiritNetwork.com).  
Gail-Elaine:  
01736 795143

**Bath Storytelling Circle**.  
Kevan: 01225 334204

**The London Forum**.  
Margaret:  
02086715417

**Bournemouth Positive  
Living Group**.  
Sue: 01202581898

**Body, Mind, Spirit  
Centre, Dorchester**.  
Contact: 01305756000

**Academy of Spiritual  
Psychology Colchester  
& London**.  
Kim: 01206 521177

**Unicorn Centre, Chard**.  
Margaret: 01460 66151

**Sussex Alternative  
Connections Network**.  
[www.sussexconnections  
.co.uk](http://www.sussexconnections.co.uk)

**The Theosophical  
Society in Scotland  
Edinburgh**  
[christinebrian@totalise.  
co.uk](mailto:christinebrian@totalise.co.uk)

**Library of Avalon (LoA)**  
[www.libraryofavalon.co.  
uk](http://www.libraryofavalon.co.uk)

**Theosophical Society,  
London**.  
02079359543

**Foundation for  
International Spiritual  
Unfoldment**:  
[www.fisu.org/en](http://www.fisu.org/en)  
0208 5514108

**Antiquarian Society**:  
01273 264822

**Bath Royal Literary and  
Scientific Institute**:  
01225 312084

**Hospice of the Heart**  
[www.hospiceoftheheart.org](http://www.hospiceoftheheart.org)

**Openhand**  
[www.openhand.org](http://www.openhand.org)

**Soliluna House  
Glastonbury Workshops**  
[www.soliluna.net](http://www.soliluna.net)

**Shaston Dowzers**  
01747 820293

**Sherborne** 13 May  
The Mission of  
Christian Rosencreutz  
and the Maitreya  
Buddha.  
Carol Fraser  
Tel. Jill 01865 251 915  
mobile: 07887868016

**Glastonbury** 13 May  
Preparing for Dying –  
all in good time  
Tel. 0208 442 0126

**Axminster** 13 May  
Shamanic Awareness  
(4 of 6) Donna Nunn  
Tel. 01297 32331

**Stroud** 14-15 May  
Money, Work and the  
Spiritual Path  
Peter Koenig  
Tel. 01453 759034

**Axminster** 19 May  
Awareness Course (2  
of 6)  
Sue Rees & Jean Cuss  
Tel. 01297 32331

**Axminster** 19 May  
West Country Healing  
Fellowship Course  
(part 2)  
Tel. 01297 32331

**Farrington, Dorset**  
19 May  
Dowsing  
Miranda Aldridge  
Tel. 01747 820293

**Stroud** 19 May  
Resona – Sound as a  
Healing Art  
Stefan Cartwright  
Tel. 01453 759034

**Uckfield** 19 May  
Holistic Health and  
Wellbeing Day. Email  
[gabrielle11@onetel.com](mailto:gabrielle11@onetel.com)

**Axminster** 20 May  
Healing and  
Development Day (5)  
Wendy Fountaine  
Tel. 01297 32331

**Glastonbury** 20 May  
Introducing Astrology  
Tel. 01458 835506

**Axminster** 20 May  
The Way of the Spiritual  
Warrior  
John Gloster Smith.  
Tel. 01297 32331

**Weymouth** 20 May  
Western Mysteries  
Tel. Patricia  
0775 6316 435

**Stroud** 21-25 May  
Sacred Stone Setting  
Gabiella Kapfer  
Tel. 01453 759034

**Stroud** 21-25 May  
The Mystic Fire  
David Goddard  
Tel. 01453 759034

**Chard** (Unicorn  
Centre) 22 May.  
Reiki Share Evening  
Tel. Margaret 01460  
66151

**Bridport** 25 May  
Midwiving the Soul  
[felicity.warner@btinternet.com](mailto:felicity.warner@btinternet.com)

**Stroud** 26 May  
Crystal Healing  
Elizabeth Mansion  
Tel. 01453 759034

**Glastonbury** 26 - 28 May  
the Template Ceremonies:  
Sacred Geometry Activation  
Tel. 01458 835506

**Wincanton** 26 May  
Equine Assisted  
Psychotherapy  
Josephine Sellars  
[Josephine@wessexaquaria.n.co.uk](mailto:Josephine@wessexaquaria.n.co.uk)

**Addington, Kent**  
27 May  
Fairy Day  
Tel. Caroline 01634  
319787 or Deanna  
01303 275694

## **The Mystery of Megaliths** by Hugh Newman

The debate regarding the ancient megaliths of Britain continues and it is astonishing how these simple rocks placed in circular fashion and in chambers, cause such controversy to our modern minds. Defined as a 'large stone' used for any monumental human built or assembled structure, megaliths can be found in Britain and Ireland, India, North Africa, Asia Minor and Europe, where they served as tombs, temples, ritual sites, meeting places and astronomical calendars.

If we take a step back in time, we can start to rethink the mindset of our distant relatives for who survival was major concern. The birth of farming and the transition to agriculture meant that communities were reliant on knowing the weather patterns and cycles of the seasons. The development of megaliths as astronomical calendars suggests that ancient peoples must have understood astronomic principles, with many monuments orientated to coincide with farming festivals and solstice events. Stone circles as predictors for following the seasons accurately enabled agriculture to develop through successive generations.

Within sacred sites there is also evidence that the energies of seeds and grains could be enhanced by manipulating electromagnetic energies in the earth and the crystalline rock. If this was the case, then megaliths could have helped in enhancing food production.

The importance of megaliths to ancient peoples warranted a dedicated workforce of designers, astronomers and labourers who could build such

monuments as Avebury, Stonehenge or Newgrange in Ireland. If the average lifespan was little more than 25 years, generations of families would have been involved in the construction of the monuments. Estimates for the construction of Newgrange for example, say that it would have taken about 30 years using a workforce of about 300. Construction at Stonehenge may have lasted for a thousand year period.

The spiritual significance of ancient megaliths was such that the Celts are said to have slept on those that were ancestral gravestones in order to have dreams. The early church felt threatened by their presence and from 452 AD (at the Synod of Arles) the first of a series of resolutions against the worship of trees and stones was passed.

In this modern technology driven age we might not require megaliths as astronomical calendars, but these most permanent of archaeological structures are a reminder that our human destiny is still interwoven with the planetary and cosmic progression of consciousness and that we must re-gain that sense of spiritual and planetary attunement that our ancestors possessed.

The Megalith debate is set to continue at the Megalithomania event. Log on to [www.megalithomania.com](http://www.megalithomania.com) or email [Hughinfo@newhuman.co.uk](mailto:Hughinfo@newhuman.co.uk) for more information.

*If you wish to promote an event, submit a literary contribution to the newsletter or you require further information about the WRGNetwork email Robert on [r.mulliss@virgin.net](mailto:r.mulliss@virgin.net) or log on to [www.wessexresearchgroup.net](http://www.wessexresearchgroup.net)*