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July, and we welcome the association of the Inner Potential Centre at Fulham with the network. The month ahead also sees the launch of a series of forums each focussing on a different subject. The July (inaugural event) considers Earth Energies and includes a tour, meal and a forum discussion with Nicholas Mann, Sig Lonegren and Gordon Strong at the Megalithic site of Stanton Drew, Somerset. For further information about the event, contact Gordon at flashmagic7@yahoo.co.uk

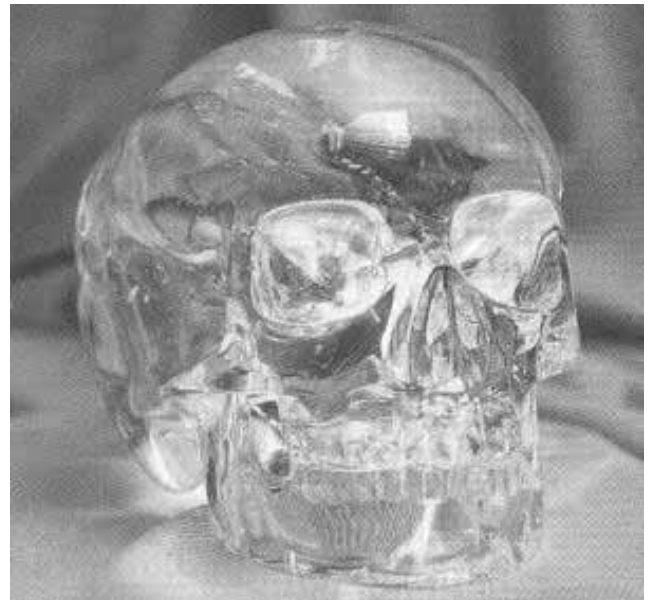
The latest additions to the on-line digital lecture archive are; *The Christ Impulse in an Age of Turmoil* by Sir George Trevelyan and a *Layman's Guide to Spirituality* by Barry Anson. Additions to the on-line article archive include the *Path of the Five Buddha's* by Dean Carter and *Communication via Channelling* by Mark-Age.

The Power of Crystal Skulls – Fact or Fiction by White Elk Woman

As someone that has worked with crystal skulls for many years, and who has created a deck of message cards inspired by them, I was really excited when I heard about the Indiana Jones movie and the idea of witnessing a crystal skull on the big screen. There was also an element of concern at how these enigmatic & somewhat magical creations might be portrayed by Hollywood. Attending a first showing of the film in May, it was delightful to find that the researchers had clearly done their homework with ties into Area 51, Roswell, the Nazca lines in Peru, the Mitchell-Hedges skull and much more. Things you will quite likely find yourself drawn to if you work with crystal skulls.

Although skulls are now made from a wide variety of materials, traditionally they are carved or machined from quartz crystal, and are shaped to resemble a skull (human or otherwise). Quartz is formed through extremes of heat and pressure over millions of years and is found in abundance in the Earth's continental crust. In its purest form (Silicon Dioxide) it is clear or cloudy in colour but with the infusion of other elements and impurities the colour may change to Grey (Smoky Quartz through Aluminium impurities), or Pink (Rose Quartz through Iron / Titanium impurities) or produce Amethyst (Iron impurities), Onyx, Aventurine, Tigers Eye and Citrine (produced when Amethyst or smoky quartz is heated).

Quartz is also a piezoelectric crystal and so creates electricity through a process called piezoelectricity when subjected to mechanical stress. Its crystalline tetrahedral structure has a constant level of energetic vibration, one that can attune closely and quickly to the vibratory frequency of human beings.



There is definitely something 'other worldly' about working with crystal skulls, and in addition to the ability to energise other crystals, clear and energise energy fields and clear toxins from the body, they can bring healing, positive change, heightened awareness, protection and a great sense of unconditional love and 'oneness'.

A piece or cluster of crystal quartz is very often one of the first pieces to find its way into a healer's collection. The energy (or vibration) of clear quartz can act quickly on the head or crown chakra. The shape and purity of the crystal is also influential. Clusters (or wands) of crystals tend to have a more clearing and uplifting type of energy. Many healers will also use a crystal sphere for healing that amplifies the vibratory power of the crystals and so assists in the clearing of aura's and energy fields.

The most widely celebrated crystal skull is the Mitchell-Hedges skull. Made from clear quartz, it has a detachable jaw. It's origins remain shrouded in mystery and controversy although it is thought to originate from the era of ancient Mesoamerican culture. The use and symbolism of crystals and crystal skulls is also synonymous with the mythology and spiritual traditions of the ancient Egyptians, Greeks, Chinese, Native American, Lemurian and Atlantean cultures.

To find out more about Crystal Skulls & the Crystal Skull Message Cards log on to www.mystic-mouse.co.uk or www.ebook.crystalskull-cards.com where a free 30 page E-Book is available at. If you do not have Internet access please call Sharon on 01634 270307 to arrange for a printed copy.

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Yeovil Psychic Society
www.yeovilpsychics.org.uk

Dorset Earth Mysteries
Group
www.dorsetmysteries.org

School of Energy
Healing Educational Trust
www.energyhealing.co.uk

New Dimensions
Group Bristol
Lea 01225 722963

Bristol Dowzers
Jason 0117 9498933

Joyous Isle workshops
www.joyousisle.fsnet.co.uk

Axminster Awareness
Centre
www.awarenesscentre.org.uk

World in our Hands
WorldinourHands.org

Stoneseeker Tours
www.stoneseeker.net
www.dragonseeker.co.uk

Centre for Pure Sound
Tel. 01935 389655

London Earth Mysteries
Circle. lemc@ic24.net

The Martinsey Isle Trust
www.martinsey.org.uk

Natures Way, Exmoor
Tel. 01984 640147

Hawkwood College
hawkwoodcollege.co.uk

Taunton Pagan Moot
Tel. 01823 283742

www.avalonrising.co.uk

www.angellight.co.uk

Taunton Association for
Psychodynamics (TAP)
Tel. 01823 665798

Wiltshire Crop Circle Study
Group www.wccsq.com

Inner Potential Centre
www.innerpotential.org

**CONFERENCES &
GATHERINGS**

Newton Abbott 3 July
Quest 2008
www.questuk.co.uk

Birmingham 4 July
Pagan Federation Camp
Tel. Eilean 07852910369

Gower Peninsula 4 July
Pagan Federation Camp
Tel. Steve 01691 679066

Bournemouth 5 July
Dare to Dream
www.daretodream-uk.com

Gillingham 18 July
Summer Festival of
Humanistic Psychology
www.ahpb.org.uk

Stanton Drew 19 July
Earth Energies Forum
flashmagic7@yahoo.co.uk

Wimborne 22 July – 2 Aug
Richard Glyn Foundation
Summer School
Tel. 01202 841522

Glastonbury 25 July
Glastonbury Symposium:
Investigating Signs of Our
Times
glastonburysymposium.co.uk

Ayr 26 July
First International Natural
Freelife Annual Mind, Body
and Spirit Festival
www.spiritualworkersassociation.org.uk

Deal, Kent 27 July
Green Man Festival
www.magicalfestivals.co.uk

Glastonbury 30 July
Goddess Conference
www.goddessconference.com

Forest of Dean 30 July
Druid Camp
www.druidcamp.org.uk

**CONCERTS &
CELEBRATIONS**

Glastonbury 18 July
Full Moon Evening
Kellianna
Tel. 01458 831154

Glastonbury 25 July
Love and thanks to Water
Ceremony
Tel. 01458 831154

TALKS

Glastonbury WRG 1 July
Black Sun
Hugh Le Provost
Tel. Sue 01458 835708

Frome 2 July
2012: Is Humankind on the

Brink of Extinction or
Evolution?
David Hand
Tel. Marina 01373 466391

Axminster 4 July
Psychic Development in a
Changing World
Julie Soskin
Tel. 01297 32331

London (TS) 6 July
Fundamentals of Esoteric
Philosophy
Barry Thompson
Tel. 0207 563 9815

Bournemouth PLG 7 July
Rapid Eye Technology
Glynes Mewton
Tel. Sue 01202 581898

London (LEMC) 8 July
Reincarnation: Lost Western
Teaching and Connections
Robert Slater
lemc@ic24.net

Yeovil 9 July
Palm Reading and the EFT
Rod Bristow
Tel. Jan 01935 421161

Stroud (H'kwood) 9 July
Sacred Space Sacred Sound:
Acoustic Mysteries of Holy
Places
Susan Elizabeth Hale
Tel. 01453 759034

Roadwater 10 July
Native North American Wisdom
Teaching
Celia Gunn
Tel. Carolyn 01984 640147

Axminster 11 July
Clairvoyance
Kim Moore
Tel. 01297 32331

Bournemouth PLG 14 July
the Psychic Children: DNA
changes and Nutrition for the
New Human
Hugh Newman
Tel: Sue 01202 581898

Taunton 14 July
A Journey through the Stories
of the Minor Arcana
Oak
Tel. 01823 283742

London 14 July
the Journey: An Introduction
Harriet Young
Tel. Harriet 07816 528390

Upwey 15 July
Out of the Blue
Alchemist Evening of Film
Tel. David 01305 750399

Glastonbury 18 July
Sacred Geometry
Claudie Planche
Tel. 01458 835506

Axminster 18 July
Past Life Energy Constructs
Joanne Bristow Watkins
Tel. 01297 32331

Bristol (NDG) 20 July
Cosmic Ordering
Richard de Meath
Tel. Lea 01225 722963

Bournemouth PLG 21 July
Positive Living Summer Party
Tel. Sue 01202 581898

Bath 21 July
Bath Story Telling Circle
Tel. Kevan 01225 334204

London (LEMC) 22 July
London Earth Mysteries Open
Evening and Social Forum
lemc@ic24.net

Yeovil 23 July
Clairvoyance
Mandy Sayer
Tel. Jan 01935 421161

Axminster 25 July
Clairvoyance
Claire Corner
Tel. 01297 32331

Sherborne 28 July
the Psychology and
Experience of Regression
Andrew Tomlinson
Tel. Jean 01963 220323

**WORKSHOPS &
COURSES**

Global Meditation Event
1 July at 9pm
www.networkoflight.org

Tiptree 1 July
Spiritual Friends Service, Guest
Medium, Healing, Workshop and
Discussion
Tel. Carole 01621 869567

Sturminster Newton 2 July
Reiki Share Group
Jane Williams
Tel. Jane 01258 471152

Bishops Lydeard 2 July
Reiki Share Group
Roy Snelling
Tel. Roy 01823 430959

Wales 4-11 July
Transfiguration (level 3)
Openhand
Tel. 01458 830443

Chard 4-13 July
Ascension 10 Day Teacher
Training Course
Margaret Merrison
Tel. 01460 66151

Wimborne 4-6 July
the Way of the Gong
Don Conreaux
Tel. 01202 841522

Glastonbury 4-6 July
the Template: Sacred
Geometry Activation
Claudie Planche
Tel. 01458 835506

Axminster 5 July
Psychic Development
Julie Soskin
Tel. 01297 32331

Stanstead 5 July
Spiritual Development Course
(Module 4). Chrissie Astell
chrissie@angelight.co.uk

Oxford 5 July
Journey Intensive
Debs Burgess
Tel. Megan 01656 890400

Axminster 6 July
Further Psychic Development
Barbara Dobson
Tel. 01297 32331

Childe Okeford 6 July
Soundbath
Dean Carter
Tel. Dean 01935 389655

Stroud (H'kwood) 6-8 July
Singing Bowl Making
Workshop
Ton Akkermans & Carry
Schomper
Tel. 01453 759034

Oxford 7 July
Advanced Skills
Debs Burgess
Tel. Megan 01656 890400

West Mersea 8 July
Spiritual Friends Service, Guest
Medium, Healing, Workshop and
Discussion
Tel. Carole 01621 869567

London (TS) 9 July
The Egyptian Path of Love
(part 1) Katy Noura Butler
Tel. 0207 563 9815

London 11 July
Encounters With Spirit
Karen Sawyer
info@soulcompanions.org

Axminster 12 July
Tree of Angels
Mary Hykel Hunt
Tel. 01297 32331

Weymouth 13 July
Atlantis: the Evidence, Religion
and Destiny
Ruth
Tel. 0775 6316 435

Axminster 13 July
Meditation and Spiritual Study
Andrew Smith
Tel. 01297 32331

Sturminster Newton 15 July
Meditation Group

Jane Williams
Tel. Jane 01258 471152

London (TS) 16 July
The Egyptian Path of Love
(part 2) Katy Noura Butler
Tel. 0207 563 9815

Boscombe 16 July
New Lightworker Circle
David Hand
Tel. 01202 429300

Stroud (H'kwood) 18-20 July
Exploring Sacred Space and
Sound
Susan Elizabeth Hale
Tel. 01453 759034

Cullompton 19 July
Enneagram Part 1
Veronica Croft
Tel. Chris 01884 855759

Axminster 19 July
Reyad Sekh Em Levels 1 & 2
Three day Practitioner's
Intensive Course
Joanne Bristow Watkins
Tel. 01297 32331

Glastonbury 18-20 July
Soul Recognition Retreat
Flo Aeveia Magdalena
Tel. 01458 831154

Reading 19 July
Energy Release
School of Energy Healing
Tel. 0870 800 7060

Glastonbury 19-20 July
Mayan Calendar
Claudie Planche
Tel. 01458 835506

St Leonards on Sea 20-24 July
Mediumship: Discover Your
Potential
Colin Bates & Lorraine Edwards
Tel. 01424 729518

Kelvedon 22 July
Spiritual Friends Service, Guest
Medium, Healing, Workshop &
Discussion
Tel. Carole 01621 869567

London (TS) 23 July
The Egyptian Path of Love
(part 3) Katy Noura Butler
Tel. 0207 563 9815

Stroud (H'kwood) 26 July
Dowsing for Health
Julie Sweetlove
Tel. 01453 759034

Glastonbury 26-27 July
Crystal Healing Practitioner
Workshop
Tel. 01458 831154

Chard 26 July
First Degree Reiki
Margaret Merrison
Tel. 01460 66151

Chard 27 July
Second Degree Reiki
Margaret Merrison
Tel. 01460 66151

Axminster 27 July
Tao of Revitalisation
Sandie Gillet
Tel. 01297 32331

Cyprus 27 July
Meditation Deepening
FISU
www.fisu.org

Axminster 27 July
Monthly Open Circle
Harry and Pauline Alldritt
Tel. 01297 32331

Axminster 27 July
Healing Support Group
Wendy Fountaine
Tel. 01297 32331

Childe Okeford 27 July
Overtoning Follow up
Dean Carter
Tel. Dean 01935 389655

Glastonbury 29-30 July
Unfolding in to Light (level 1)
Openhand
Tel. 01458 830443

London (TS) 30 July
The Egyptian Path of Love
(part 4) Katy Noura Butler
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University of Exeter
MA in Western Esotericism; a
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programme.
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**The University of Wales,
Lampeter**
Home Study Masters
Programme
The Body: Eastern and
Western Perspectives.
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The University of Bath
MSc in Death and Society
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TOURS & FIELD TRIPS

Bath the Bard of Bath Walk
(daily not Mondays)
Tel. 01225 334204

**Cranborne Chase and
Knowlton** 3 July
Dorset Earth Mysteries
Tel. Dave 07977 144147
or Peter 01258 489798

Crop Circle Quest Weekend
4 July
Megalithic Tours
Tel. Neil 01772 728181

www.wrekinforum.org

www.Mindspiritnetwork.com

Bath Storytelling Circle.
Tel. 01225 334204

the London Forum.
Tel. 02086715417

Bournemouth PLG
www.powerofpositiveliving.com

Body, Mind, Spirit Centre,
Dorchester.
www.body-spirit.co.uk

Chalice Well
www.chalicewell.org.uk

Unicorn Centre, Chard.
www.unicorncentre.co.uk

Mysticklight.com

www.thamesvalleydowsers.org.uk

www.libraryofavalon.org.uk
Tel. 01458 832759

Theosophical Society,
London.
www.theosophical-society.org.uk

www.fisu.org/en

Antiquarian Society:
www.theantiquariansociety.com

South Coast Dowsers
www.healthyandwise.co.uk/south_coast_dowsers.htm

www.Loveandlight.co.uk

Hospice of the Heart
www.hospiceoftheheart.org

www.openhandweb.org

www.soliluna.net

www.white-elk-woman.com

House of Life Mystery
School
www.thehouseoflife.co.uk

R.I.L.K.O.
<http://members.aol.com/rilko/>

Psychic-Sanctum.co.uk

www.Enneagram-uk.com

www.sacredconnections.co.uk

Serapis Bey Mystery School
www.revolutionof2012.net

www.networkoflight.org

www.megalithictours.com

www.iamfoundation.co.uk

www.saahera-centre.org

Richard Glyn Foundation
www.gauntshouse.com

www.educationaid.net

Sea Spirit Centre
www.spiritual-courses.info

Salisbury 5-6 July
St Michael and Ley Line Special
Stoneseeker Tours
Tel. Peter 01258 489798

Knowlton Church Circle 6 July
South Coast Dowsers
Tel. Paul 08704280934

Temple Church and St Mary Redcliffe 13 July
Field Visit with Bristol Dowsers
Tel. Jason 0117 9498933

Cornwall: Sacred Sites 13 July
Megalithic Tours
Tel. Neil 01772 728181

Stonehenge – Special Access Evening 16 July
Tel. Sue 0208 7155335

Full Moon at Knowlton Henge and Stone Curcus 18 July
Stoneseeker Tours
Tel. Peter 01258 489798

West Kennet Evening 19 July
Stoneseeker Tours
Tel. Peter 01258 489798

Crop Circles 20 July
Thames Valley Dowsers
Tel. Susan 01494 813214

Orkney & Shetland 24 July
Megalithic Tours
Tel. Neil 01772 728181

Mystical Avebury 27 July
Dorset Earth Mysteries and Wessex Dowsers
Tel. Peter 01258 489798

Wiltshire 27-28 July
Crop Circles and Sacred Sites Outings.
Claudie Planche
Tel. 01458 835506

Book Review: The Return of the Perennial Philosophy-The Supreme Vision of Western Esotericism by John Holman

The perennial philosophy: a set of universal truths and values common to all cultures and religions can be found at the heart of all the great schools of thought and writings of the greatest philosophers, no matter how diverse the presentation of their perceived truths.

This book helps us understand that the nature of reality and our potential for transcendence are at the core of all belief systems. Elucidating a number of enigmatic esoteric topics and revolutionising the debate on the perennial philosophy, The Return of the Perennial Philosophy provides a crucial and rewarding spiritual context for modern times. Log on to www.watkinspublishing.co.uk for further information about the book or email publicity@dbp.co.uk

Book Review: Lost Islands, Inventing Avalon, Destroying Eden by Kevan Manwaring

Otherworldly islands haunt the imagination of the West. From Atlantis to Ys, the peoples of the Atlantic seaboard have dreamt of, searched for, journeyed to and lost several distinctive kingdoms of the sea – all 'into the West', where the sun sets and where the soul is said to go at death. Are they a collective dreaming of a real place, or mere salty yarns spun by ancient mariners? In this adventurous odyssey we will chart this metaphysical archipelago, drawing upon philosophy, folklore, literature and myth. Join us on this wonder voyage to these alluring and elusive isles, where healing, inspiration and a perspective upon the vulnerability of our own present civilisation can be gleaned.

The myths of inundations are more poignant today than ever, in an era of climate change and global uncertainty. How permanent are our own 'island states'? Can we ever hope to attain such paradises or are they ultimately within ourselves – states of consciousness and enlightenment to aspire to and fall from? For further information about the book email kevanmanwaring@yahoo.co.uk or log on to Albion Press www.hoap.co.uk

The Sacrifice of Selfishness

(From 'Values to Live by Today' - the Lucis Trust)

The hindrances to a new and better world order for all mankind can be summed up in one word; *selfishness*, whether this be national, racial, political, religious, economic or individual selfishness.

New values to live by are desperately needed if our planet as we know it is to survive. Selfishness can be transcended and the vision of a better world can become factual. The time has come in this interdependent world for individuals to submerge their personal interests for the good of the group; for the group or groups to merge their interests in the national good; for nations to relinquish their selfish purposes and goals in the interests of the right international relationships and the good of humanity as a whole.

There is a growing tide of aspiration towards a new vision for better ways of life for all men everywhere in the world. Human consciousness is opening to spiritual impression and to the realisation that there are desirable spiritual values to be built in to every aspect of life, superseding the materialism which has controlled mankind for centuries. These values concern essential attitudes of mind and heart which determine actions and create the circumstances of daily life.

The sacrifice of selfishness would increase the bonds of understanding between the peoples of the world, through the practical substitution of international cooperation, mutual tolerance and sharing between peoples and nations. It can liberate the men and women of all nations from limitation into freedom from fear and from want, freedom of speech and of worship, and freedom to expand mentally and spiritually. Further information about the work of the Lucis Trust can be obtained by logging on to www.lucistrust.org

To promote an event or submit a contribution to the newsletter email Robert at rmulliss@talktalk.net www.wessexresearchgroup.org