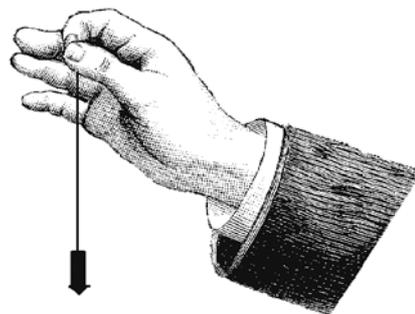


NEWSLETTER

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DSV philosophy: Through awakening consciousness, we are empowered with knowledge and skills to unconditionally serve others.

NEXT MEETING Sunday, 5th October, 2008

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

If you attended our last meeting, no doubt you've been practising some of the wonderful dowsing techniques that our Dowsing Instructor, Caroline Koludrovic, covered so well in her mini course on dowsing.

Caroline's suggestions for everybody to step outside for some practical dowsing straight after the meeting were very well received. So many seemed to benefit in many different ways. There was obviously lots of food for thought, so, if there's anything that you'd like to clarify, or discuss further - either in a meeting or via our newsletter - please let us know.

I had a welcome email recently from Keith Fitzgerald, who is arranging to reconvene meetings of the South Australian Dowsers. I was so pleased to hear that they are planning to restart regular meetings on Sunday afternoons at 2.00 pm, at Clarence Park Community Centre, 72 East Ave, Black Forest. The first meetings are scheduled for 28th September, 23rd November, 2008 and 22nd February 2009. If anyone would like more information about the meetings, please contact me via email, lynwood@optusnet.com.au or by phone on (03) 9729 2624.

The SA Dowsers first came together 41 years ago, however for various reasons they haven't met together for sometime. As we all recognise, at times it's not easy to always keep a large group working together harmoniously and enthusiastically. One of the problems is often being able to continually provide informative

speakers, so we wish them well. If anyone has friends in South Australia who might be interested in attending their meetings, please pass on the information.

I'm really looking forward to our next speaker, Christine Rothwell, an Astrologer, who will present to the DSV on 5th October 2008. I had a reading with Christine last year and was fascinated by what she was able to tell me about where the planets were positioned in relation to the time when I was born. These influences on our lives can be quite profound and I feel they warrant a lot of consideration. Personally, I felt that when Christine was interpreting my own chart, she was also drawing considerably on her intuition. I have no hesitation in recommending her to you as a speaker. I also feel confident that Christine's presentation to you will be able to shed some light on the various shifts of energy that we are experiencing.

I certainly hope you will join us at our next meeting. Please bring your friends along because they are most welcome.

**Lyn Wood
President**

NEXT MEETING

Time & Date:

2.00 pm, Sunday 5th October, 2008
(1.30 pm for dowsing practice)

Place:

Mt. Waverley Community Centre,
Miller Crescent, Mt. Waverley
(Opposite Mt. Waverley Railway Station)
Melway: 70 E 1

Parking at rear, off Holskamp St. which runs off
Stephensons Road

OUR NEXT MEETING

Our next speaker, Christine Rothwell, is an astrologer in private practice in Melbourne. She is an Accredited Astrology Teacher and member of the APA. Interests in mythology and archetypal psychology, as well as training in counselling and family therapy influence her approach to her work.

Alongside her astrological teaching and consulting work, Christine facilitates seminars and workshops on women's myth and spirituality. Her passion lies with deepening the awareness of the feminine points in the birth chart.



Christine Rothwell

Christine came to Astrology from a background in Education..

Christine has been working as a full time professional in this area since 1990 and has lectured at the last three International Astrology Conferences hosted by the Federation of Australian Astrologers in Melbourne and Sydney. Apart from seeing individual clients, Christine also teaches a two-year astrology course that provides an in-depth introduction to astrology. She writes a monthly online newsletter about current astrological energy - it's posted on her website and sent freely to anyone who is interested.

Astrology and the Evolution of Human Consciousness

According to Christine, we are fated to live in 'interesting times' that see human consciousness continually awakening to new levels of awareness.

She believes that Astrology provides a lens for us to view these collective shifts and the accompanying personal 'awakenings' that are occurring for many. She says too that the cycles of the planets and the discovery of new planets and bodies within our solar system offer us insights into these shifts and the challenges we are facing, personally and collectively.

Christine's presentation promises to be extremely interesting, so we urge you to come along with your friends

And, we are delighted to announce that

the DSV's Raffle prize on 5th October will be a \$25 voucher towards one of Christine's printed astrology profiles. Worth winning !!

For more information about Christine Rothwell, please visit www.christinerothwell.com

OUR LAST MEETING

The DSV's Dowsing Instructor, Carolyn Koludrovic, spoke about how an international dowser, Dale Olson, had influenced her own dowsing development.

She talked about the importance of hydration before we dowse, given the fact that we live on a water planet, and are ourselves composed of 70-80% water.



Carolyn also spoke about how much the moon affects us.



Phases of the moon

She explained the importance of the need to breathe deeply because it creates a highly evolved meditative state to assist the dowsing mind, and why tapping our thymus is so relevant in order to centre ourselves. She also spoke about the ethics of dowsing – the threefold permission as in asking Can I, May I, Should I (or is this appropriate) ?

Carolyn led us in a short exercise which demonstrated how to deepen and slow our breathing. She pointed out that breath controls the mind and that the mind controls the body, explaining that dowsers use the alpha, beta, delta and gamma brainwaves to get into a highly evolved, meditative state.

Carolyn explained that the human body is electrically charged, with the right side of the body being positive, and the left negative. She told us that one way to program the pendulum is

to hold it in search position between the knees. When holding it over your right knee it is likely to swing in a positive direction, and that when it swings over the left knee it is more likely to indicate your negative response.



Carolyn had some helpful recommendations to implement before we start to dowse. She suggested it can be appropriate to repeat affirmations, pray for the outcome, ask for the threefold permission, and/or protect ourselves in a white light shower.



**Gently Does It
Lyn Wood**

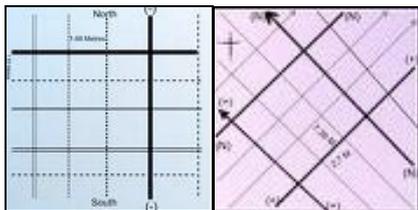
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Carolyn also suggested doing some breathing techniques to oxygenate the body to create prana - to help both energetically and in balancing our emotions – specifically to turn off our flight and fright responses.

During her presentation, Carolyn used the white board to explain underground streams, springs, Hartmann and Curry grids, vortex energy and energy domes.

She talked about how the various energies can be detrimental to human health, but also explained how they can be neutralised using a variety of remedies including copper rods, pyramids, earth acupuncture, essences, white light, Reiki symbols, water bottles infused with intent, and by asking the devas to move the energy deep enough to not be harmful.



Hartman Grid Curry Lines

Carolyn also talked about dowsing the aura

of trees, and how important it is to praise them and send them love. She encouraged us to stand back a bit, to wait for the energy to grow. After her presentation, we went outside in groups for a practical session – dowsing for Hartmann and Curry grids and also sending love to the trees while dowsing their auras.

Dr Emoto's August 08 Ceremony

Dr. Masaru Emoto conducted a "Love and Gratitude to Water" Ceremony at Lake Baikal, in Siberia, Russia, on 3rd August, 2008.



This is the huge double-rainbow that appeared right after the ceremony at Lake Baikal Siberia, Russia on 3rd August, 2008.

Dr Emoto invited people to join in by sending their own sincere prayer of Love and Gratitude to the water of Lake Baikal, and the waters of the world. The findings of this particular ceremony are still being collected and we will pass them on to you as they become available. Editor.

Dr. Emoto is a Japanese author known for his extensive work with water and its implications.

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A DIVINE WORLD

Another contribution in an ongoing series by DSV Member, Mick Moran of Learmouth, Victoria.

I have read with great interest on the internet about people who have found unmarked graves by dowsing, and some of the stories also said if you hold a small piece of bone it makes it easier.

I've found no explanation as to why holding a piece of bone would make any difference, but I thought I would try it out for myself and take a piece of bone with me when I ventured into grave dowsing.



Mick Moran

I headed out to Waubra, which is about 35 km North West of Ballarat (in Central Victoria), and about 10 km from Learmonth.

I was born and raised in the Waubra district and my ancestors were some of the first to settle in Waubra more than 150 years ago. I knew the Waubra cemetery had two old Chinese headstones that had been moved from their original positions, and nobody was sure if they had been placed back over their graves.

When I arrived at the cemetery I headed straight over to the area where the Chinese headstones were. This part of the cemetery had been fenced off many years ago as there were no other graves in this part of the cemetery, and there were usually sheep grazing there to keep the grass down.

As soon as I started dowsing my dowsing rod signalled that I had made contact with something. I stood there for a few moments but nothing else happened. I had taken a small piece of sheep bone with me and I wondered what would happen if I were to touch it. I took it out of my pocket and immediately the dowsing rod started moving up and down. The moment I let go of the bone the rod stopped moving. I



found three graves near the Chinese headstones (which I couldn't explain), so I decided to try another spot. As I walked around the cemetery I appeared to be picking up a large number of unmarked graves. I wasn't sure what to make of this, and I didn't know whether I was picking up graves or my imagination was running wild. On

my way out of the cemetery I noticed a small sign on one of the entrance gates. It showed the position of the two Chinese graves, and it also said that the last aborigine to die in Waubra was buried next to the two Chinese men.

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This would explain why I had picked up three graves instead of two. Reading further it said that there were over two hundred unmarked graves in the Waubra cemetery. I hadn't known this before, but I guess it explains what my dowsing rod had been picking up.



I then drove to the Learmonth cemetery and thought I would try again. Again I found rows and rows of unmarked graves along the back fence. I tried holding onto the piece of bone while standing over some of the marked graves and I found that if I was over a child's grave the dowsing rod would hardly move, but when I was standing over an adult's grave the rod moved up and down quite strongly. I won't try to explain this but leave it up to you to put your own interpretation on it. I would like to add, that I wouldn't dowse in a cemetery if there was any one else in the cemetery at the time, and I always treat the graves of the departed with the respect they deserve.

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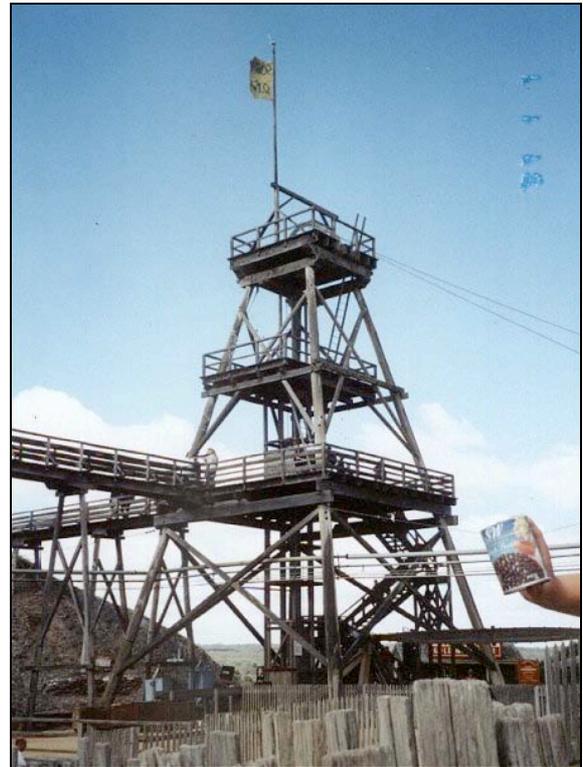
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Chinese Graves at Waubra

Having detected unmarked graves I wondered if it would be possible to detect old mine shafts. I had some maps of Ballarat from during the gold mining era showing where the gold mines had been dug. I went to a number of these and found the dowsing rod reacted quite strongly.

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The difference with detecting the mine shafts to underground water or graves was that the mine shafts were many metres wide. With underground water, the stream appeared to be very narrow, no wider than one step, but some of the mine shafts were up to eighteen metres wide. I was able to confirm this from some of the historical records which gave the depth and distance of the shafts, and also the indication of the width of the shafts.

I also noticed the dowsing rod would move up and down the same as with detecting underground water. I put this down to there being water in the old shafts as many of the gold mines were closed because the miners could not pump out the huge volume of water they encountered. Because the dowsing rod would move up and down I could estimate the depth of the mine. I'm not sure what people thought seeing me walking around the streets of Ballarat with a dowsing rod.

Mick Moran – mmoran@supernerd.com.au

**2009 ASTROLOGICAL PLANTING
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One of our DSV Members, Susane Starc, is generously providing us with the opportunity to order some beautifully presented, full colour 2009 Astrological Planting Calendars at the very reasonable cost of \$10 each.



To reserve yours, please order and pay at our next meeting on 5th October. These wonderful calendars make excellent gifts, so plan ahead for the gift-giving season. This is a fabulous opportunity, not to be missed.

PROPERTY DOWSING

By Lyn Wood, DSV President

When I first learned to dowse properties, I went with George Williams, our Society's founder. He taught me so much, especially the value of hands-on experience.

My friend Maureen Potter, a former DSV Committee Member and Newsletter Editor, has been coming with me lately to pick up some pointers so that she, too can go out and heal damaging energy.



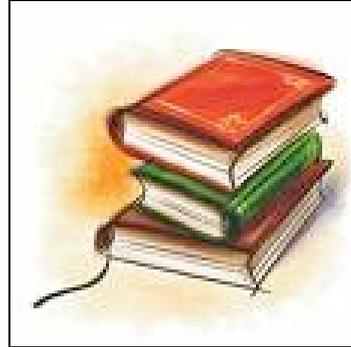
Recently, we were dowsing a house, and had just healed a stream of damaging energy running through the laundry. Soon afterwards we noticed the family's dog running in to the laundry, urgently slurping at his water bowl. We later learned that this dog usually avoided drinking from his water bowl in the laundry – that he preferred to find water outside.



We know that dogs avoid damaging energy, which explained why he wouldn't drink from his bowl in the laundry. It was wonderful to see that after we'd healed the energy, he was more than happy to drink from the water there.

DSV BOOK SALE

The DSV will conduct a fabulous book sale at our next meeting on Sunday, 5th October, 2008. A bargain hunter's paradise !!



This is a wonderful opportunity to pick up a terrific bargain because we have some fascinating titles going for a song - many that you won't find in general book stores. You can be certain that our prices will be very reasonable.

We're taking this drastic step because we need to make way for some of the new titles that keep arriving.

So, make it a date to come along and check out some of the great bargains during our library book sale.

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There are many ways to achieve important goals in the world of energy management but all of them rely on people like you doing something using your own capabilities in a way that is meaningful to you.

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Please visit our site to find out more about the results we have achieved, but feel free to use whatever technique works for you - you are your own best guidance after all - as we all work towards the same goal of being the positive changes and making the positive changes we want to see in this world.

In asking you to participate in these projects, know that we appreciate all that you do to help. This is a self-organising movement of like minds committed to positive change and we look forward to receiving your feedback about the successes you have achieved in your area so that we may inspire others to work similarly!

<http://www.raymongraceprojects.com>

Raymon Grace is a native of the Appalachian Mountains of Virginia. He has treated hundreds of people from around the world for many different illnesses, both physically and emotionally.

OVERDUE MEMBERSHIPS

Just a reminder that, if your membership is overdue, it's time to Renew! By doing so, you support the Society's ongoing viability, and receive advantages and privileges (like a reduced meeting rate). From the October meeting, only paid-up members can receive the Member Rate.



Remember, we are reliant on our members being fully paid up so that we can ensure an ongoing arrangement of top speakers and products for sale.

MY DOWSING

From Joey Korn

When most people think of dowsing, they think of using a forked tree branch to find a place to drill a water well. It's how dowsing started, but dowsing has gone far beyond looking for water.

Dowsing can be used to find many things besides water, such as pipes, wiring, lost objects, and buried treasure. However, I use dowsing, combined with prayer and blessing, to help people grow spiritually, heal, and take charge of their lives--to find the treasure buried *within*.



Joey Korn

We are energy beings living in a sea of energy. We change the subtle energy around and within us with every thought, action, and emotion. With negative thoughts and emotions, we put detrimental energy into our living environments and into our beings. We literally surround and fill ourselves with our fears, our anger, our resentment, and other negative emotions that hold us back in life and can make us sick. With positive, joy-filled thoughts and

emotions and with prayer and blessing, we surround and fill ourselves with living beneficial energies that bring us more joy, healing, prosperity, and success.

The more we understand what is going on energetically, behind the scenes in life, the more we can take charge of the process. Dowsing, especially with L-rods, can be a powerful tool to explore the world of subtle energies and to understand how we are intimately tied to these energies. We can take charge of the process with the blessing process, taking ever more control over our lives.

Joey Korn is an internationally known dowser, energy worker, and author who lives in Augusta, Georgia <http://www.dowsers.com/>

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Please write these dates in your diary for 2008

5th October, 23rd November

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