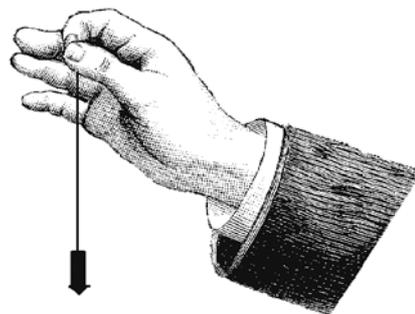


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DSV philosophy: Through awakening consciousness, we are empowered with knowledge and skills to unconditionally serve others.

NEXT MEETING
Sunday, 26th April, 2009

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

After a very hot, dry summer and a truly horrible February, the arrival of autumn is very welcome. Some have attributed the bushfires, the strong winds and earth tremors in Victoria - plus the floods and hurricane in Queensland - to the Earth's cleansing.

One positive outcome from the fires has been the compassion extended. In spite of all the people and animals that perished and the hundreds who lost homes and businesses, a strong sense of community has developed.

There's also been overwhelming generosity for the Australian Red Cross Victorian Bushfire Appeal. The DSV contributed by donating \$550 - our total takings from our last meeting.



Another positive outcome has been the ongoing healing that many dowers and healers have actively sent to the regions affected.

I believe compassion and strengthened community ties are two things we can look forward to with the new emerging energies.

Please continue to send healing to the Earth as a whole. We have relied on her for so much, without considering the consequences. I'm sure that transmuting negative energies, using environmentally-friendly products, recycling, and projecting positive thoughts all help.

I'm pleased to report that our visit to Hanging Rock was successful, with 30 people attending on 29th March - the most we've ever had for a DSV field trip. It was a good dowsing experience.

For our next meeting, our AGM, Dennis Toop from South Australia will speak to us about his experiences with property dowsing and transmuting negative energies. I'm looking forward to it and hope you'll be able to join us.

I'd like to thank all the members of our Committee who have helped me tremendously in my first year as President. Sadly, our Treasurer, Barbara Raiskums has decided not to stand again. We will certainly miss her extraordinary contributions and we're very sorry that she's decided to take a well-deserved rest.

As all Committee positions will be declared vacant at the AGM, if you've been a member for 12 months or more you're eligible to stand. So if you feel you'd like to make a contribution to the DSV and help in our own little community, please let me know. Our DSV preparations take place between meetings and we meet officially as a Committee before each public meeting. It's interesting and rewarding.

Looking forward to seeing you on 26th April and perhaps also to welcoming you on board.

Lyn Wood, *President*

NEXT MEETING

Time & Date:

2.00 pm, Sunday 26th April, 2009 - AGM
(1.30 pm for dowsing practice)

Place:

Mount Waverley Community Centre,
Miller Crescent, Mount Waverley

(Opposite Mount Waverley Railway Station)

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Stephensons Road

OUR NEXT MEETING

The DSV is pleased to announce that South Australian dowser Dennis Toop, Treasurer of the SA Dowsers' Club, will present at our next meeting on Sunday, 26th April, 2009.

Dennis was first taught how to search for water by a local diviner while he was at primary school in Orroroo in the mid-north of SA. However his early dowsing experiences were forgotten for many years, until reawakened through an illness in his family.



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He then studied feng shui and energy dowsing courses with Juergen Schmidt among other teachers and realised he had a natural interest and talent for such things. Being a solution-driven person, with a long-time "need-to-know" everything, led him to working with several naturopaths and others interested in sick environments. Once he realised that it's so often people themselves at the root of many problems, he continued searching esoteric matters with Partrick DesPlace, joined the Roscicrucians movement, the Theosophical Society and the SA Dowsers' Club, where he's been a member for over 20 years.

Recently Dennis has studied "Reverse Speech" which he feels ties up some loose ends in his search for answers, particularly the universal picture of the subconscious (symbols and metaphors).

Dennis' dowsing experience covers useable water, sick houses, feng shui, power line radiation and earth energy radiations.

He has a particular interest in remotely

dowsing "unsaleable" properties", which to the naked eye look to be perfectly good houses. He enjoys changing the energy to the astonishment of some local real estate agents. He's sure some quietly question what he's doing, but when they see the results, with something close to 80% of what he's working on suddenly selling, he finds them very supportive. The instant feedback confirms the accuracy of his dowsing findings.



Please join us and bring your friends to find out just how Dennis manages to transform those "unsaleable houses" into sold ones.

OUR LAST MEETING

Our last speaker was DSV Member and dowser, Charles Cheesman.

Charles gave us a comprehensive talk on the vast topic of what may or may not take place on or around 2012. He explained that over time many ancient civilisations have had something to say about it. The Mayans, Maoris, Zulus, Hindus, Incas, Cherokee Indians, and the Aztecs among others. He said that the Tibetan calendar teachings prophesise about the start of a golden age, similar to that in the writings of the Buddha.

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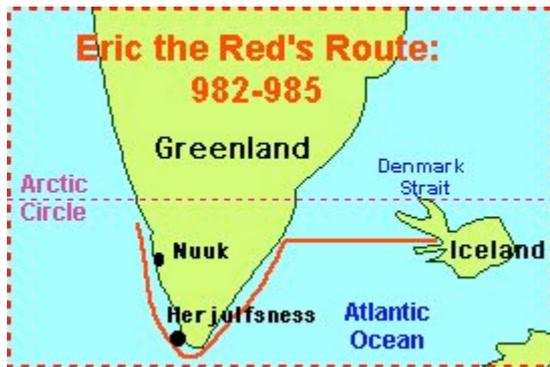
Charles said that anecdotal evidence suggests that something will happen, but in his opinion he doesn't believe anything significant will occur in December 2012, in spite of many others predicting the opposite. He personally questions whether Western interpretations of the ancient calendars are entirely accurate

In his own research Charles has found a lot of indicators pointing to something significant happening in 2015 or 2017, rather than in 2012.

He also spoke somewhat controversially

about the predictions for global warming, saying that he believes that temperatures will ramp up and then drop away quickly to produce a mini ice age by 2015. In support of his views, Charles touched on the mathematics and physics involved.

He questioned why Greenland was given its name, given it's now "white". When discovered in the 12th century by Viking explorer, *Eric the Red*, the country was fertile and lush, growing grapes and other crops and hence was called Greenland. Within 200 years it had frozen over.



Viking, *Eric the Red* named Greenland in 985

Charles also suggested that the Age of the Sphinx was flawed, saying it was a tropical rain forest at about the same time that the Arctic was tropical. Is something that happened back then due to happen again? He believes that what happened then may have been a polar shift, perhaps a polar reversal, one that may be heading our way again (as spoken of by Gregg Braden in his early works).

Charles mentioned that some Russian scientists are looking at prior positions of the poles and finding it interesting when looking at large structures such as the pyramids. He also referred to the CIA remote viewing programs and their discoveries.

Charles then queried why NASA is retiring the space shuttle fleet in 2015 – is there some connection we don't know about?



'Doomsday Seed Vault' in the Arctic

He spoke of Bill Gates investing some \$30 million in a seed bank on the Barents Sea near the Arctic Ocean, some 1,100 kilometers from the North Pole. Gates is investing tens of his

millions along with the Rockefeller Foundation, Monsanto Corporation, Syngenta Foundation and the Government of Norway, among others, in what is called the 'doomsday seed bank'. Why?

In spite of so much prophesying by people such as Nostradamus, Cayce and others, the predictions aren't proving to be as accurate as they perhaps were earlier. Charles said that he believes that forward predictions have been less accurate since the Harmonic Convergence of 1987. He believes that convergence changed the connections of people on the planet and that as a result timelines are being affected.

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While Charles said it was no longer likely that times and events could be predicted with the same accuracy of earlier times and that we cannot know what will take place in the lead up to 2012, 2015 and/or 2017, with our increasing quest for spiritual development and enlightenment we are in a position to influence these outcomes. He cited the positive influences that significant numbers of people meditating together can bring about as the consciousness of the whole planet is affected. Any and all of the scenarios being predicted may or may not happen. In the end, it's really up to us.

Visit Charles Cheesman's website:
<http://www.aethericconnections.com.au>

Website references provided by Charles:
<http://www.greggbraden.com/>
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HANGING ROCK FIELD TRIP

The field trip to Hanging Rock on 29th March was a great success. We had not held a field trip for some years so it's wonderful that it was the best ever held, with 30 people sharing the beautiful day and lots of dowsing activity. Care was taken beforehand to ask permission to climb the Rock and for people to protect themselves. Our visitors were encouraged to look for Hartmann and Curry Grids and New Energy Lines relating to the recent energetic activity. Thanks to those who contacted us to say how much they appreciated the day and thought it was well organised. (Editor.)

Two DSV Members wrote in detail to share their experience. Joan Evans emailed:

I brought two visitors with me, both of whom trained with me under Eric Dowsett. We took a field trip to Hanging Rock with Eric in January 2003 and were all interested to see how different the DSV field trip would be, so the main slant of our dowsing was comparing what we found in 03 with what we found in 09.



Joan Evans

The Saddle area was our main area of focus, as it had been before. I recalled that on the earlier occasion I had spontaneously burst into tears and was quite overwhelmed by the sadness there. The sadness was still there but this time I found a mixture of other energies which contributed to that sadness.

We decided that the rocks there were saddened by the lack of respect in general for such a sacred site - people walking with headphones on etc. - and other less obvious ways of not honouring the place. The symbiotic relationship between the rocks, soil, trees combined with the sadness felt by Mother Nature in the whole area arising from the lack of water was a major factor contributing to the overall sadness we encountered.

Although this could be described as a form of anger, we didn't experience that as the major emotion. Everything in nature is there to support all other aspects, which is not happening there. We felt it was more like despair than just sadness and that all these factors contributed to the compressed Hartmann grid.

We noticed that the extension of the asphalt path had also resulted in disturbances in nature, particularly on the apparent reduction of rock spirits. New and more mankind-like ley lines had been formed.

Near the beginning of the path leading up the Rock, we encountered crossed ley lines which seemed like a protest against the invasion of mankind in the form of the constant stream of tourists. There was also an incongruity about that area in the form of a particularly powerful energy field coming from one special tree there, in spite of the lack of water.



We enjoyed the concept of "new earth grid lines", a term which Lyn Wood informed me she had coined - very apt we thought and an appropriate label for the many changes occurring on the planet at this time. In a sense, we were looking for those in our quest for contrasts between 03 and now, but we liked the label and will adopt it in our future dowsing.

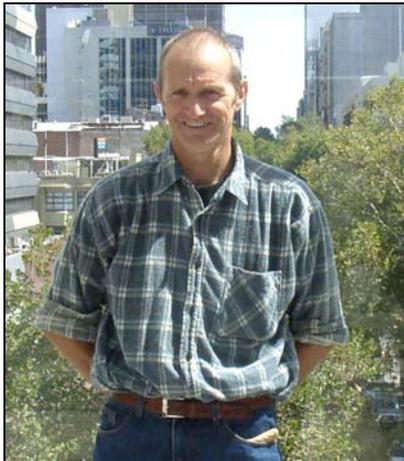
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Mick Moran wrote: I learnt to dowse nearly five years ago, but in that time I haven't had the opportunity to dowse with a group of dowers, so when I read there was a DSV field trip coming up, I was over the moon. The field trip being at Hanging Rock, (Mount Diogenes) near Woodend was great for me as it's only a little over an hour's drive from home. I invited some friends

along to learn a bit more about dowsing from people who had been doing it for much longer than I have.



Mick Moran

Most of those attending the DSV field trip had arrived at Hanging Rock by 11:30 am, where we were given a talk about the history of the surrounding area and of course Hanging Rock itself by the local Park Ranger. After the Ranger had finished we heard from Lyn Wood, our President, who filled us in on the timetable for the day, and then Carolyn Koludrovic took a small group for a training session.



DSV group meeting in the picnic area.

After lunch small groups headed off towards the summit of Hanging Rock. Two of my friends, a new DSV member and I decided there was no need to hurry as the top of Mount Diogenes wasn't going to disappear in the next 30 minutes, and besides it was a beautiful day and there was much to dowse on the way. One of the members of our group grew up in the district, and had spent years exploring Hanging Rock, so he told us many of the points of interest, and showed us where the filming of "Picnic at Hanging Rock" had taken place.

On the way to the top we dowsed many energy fields which I found very interesting as I wasn't the only one able to detect them. As usual when I go dowsing I take a number of stones and gems with me to see if I can detect

any signals, so when we reached the summit I thought I would see what would happen. I found I could detect a signal while holding a piece of nickel iron meteorite. The signal was coming from north of where we were, but at what distance I didn't know.



At the summit of Hanging Rock

I found uranium and tektite also caused the dowsing rod to point in the same direction. I was also getting a signal using a piece of loadstone, but this time the signal appeared to be coming from a large rock near the summit. After much discussion on the subject and a bit more exploring, we decided to make our way down as time was slipping away. On the way I showed the other members of our group a technique I use to determine the height of trees. I'm not sure how accurate it is but everyone found it very interesting. They all had a go and found they could all do it as well.

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After we reached the bottom we had a cuppa and a bite to eat, which we all needed. After a while a small group began to gather back at our starting point, the subject of conversation was the mysterious Straw's Lane, a road where cars seem to roll up hill.

We headed off in convoy to see the impossible take place. We allowed one of our cars to roll down the small decline in the road perhaps 10 metres in length, and then the car appeared to roll up hill for approximately 150 metres. To see the car roll up the hill for such a long distance, was extraordinary, to say the least. Everyone present was intrigued by it. Cars can't roll up hill, or can they?

A famous current affairs reporter and now radio host who used to live in the area once said he saw water flowing up hill. This was the spot he was referring to, so we poured some water on the road to see what would happen. I couldn't believe that either. The water appeared to be flowing up the hill, or was it? We wondered whether there were strange forces at work or if our eyes were playing tricks on us. After much discussion and a few tests with a spirit level, I think think we solved the mystery. Although it looks like an incline, the spirit level showed it wasn't, so it all comes down to being an optical illusion. All the same, it's a very convincing one!!



The incline of Straw's Lane

I thought the DSV field trip to Hanging Rock, was a great success. It was a terrific opportunity for many to come together as a group, to share experiences and knowledge with others, on a subject we all find interesting. Dowsing.

Mick Moran – mmoran@supernerd.com.au

For further information about Hanging Rock
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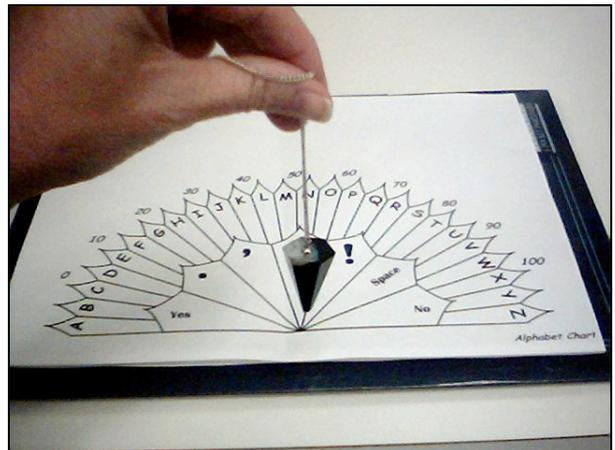
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WELCOMING NEW DSV MEMBERS

DSV President Lyn Wood and the Committee welcome four new members who signed up in February. We hope you enjoy your membership!

Brunie Grozinger
 Ann Fynmore
 Erika Lane
 Kay Scott



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DSV SPEAKERS ON CD

We're now recording some of the speakers who present at our DSV meetings.

It's a team effort. Thanks to Anne Smith for her role in editing the talks to improve the sound (the audio quality varies), and to Fred Ward for printing the labels as well as burning the copies.



To date we have five speakers on CD.

1. Dianne Ward - the Dreamspell Calendar, about the Mayan and the Gregorian Calendars.

2. Astrologer, Christine Rothwell - on the value of Astrology.

3. Bill Patterson – on meditation to access our energy to connect with the unconscious.

4. Joan Evans – about her personal experiences of dowsing in Hawaii.

5. Charles Cheesman – events relating up to December 2012 and beyond.

More CDs are in the pipeline and we'll keep you posted via our newsletters.

The CDs are a great idea for those who would like to hear the details again at their leisure, and for people who weren't able to attend a particular meeting and missed someone they'd really wanted to hear.

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A GLASS OF WATER RELATED TO STRESS

A lecturer was explaining stress management to an audience. He raised a glass of water and asked 'How heavy is this glass of water?'

Answers called out ranged from 20g to 500g.



The lecturer replied, 'The absolute weight doesn't matter. It depends on how long I try to hold it.'

If I hold it for a minute, that's not a problem.

If I hold it for an hour, I'll have an ache in my right arm.

If I hold it for a day, you'll have to call an ambulance.

In each case, it's the same weight, but the longer I hold it, the heavier it becomes.'

He continued, 'And that's the way it is with stress.'

If we carry our burdens all the time, sooner or later, as the burden becomes increasingly heavy, we won't be able to carry on.

As with the glass of water, so it is with stress – you have to put it down for a while and rest before holding it again.

When we're refreshed, we can carry on with the burden.'

Sourced from <http://amcaffrey.com/how-heavy-is-this-glass-of-water/>

Ann-Marie Caffrey hails from Ireland. She sends out monthly newsletters with articles on manifesting and usable tips to help overcome common problems.



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