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Don't miss the July 31 deadline for an early registration discount for **The Question of Consciousness Today Conference with Virginia Sease, August 28-30** right here in Portland. Additional information is available in this month's newsletter and on our website – register soon!

<http://www.portlandanthroposophy.org/question-of-consciousness>

The Question of Consciousness Today - A Conference with Virginia Sease

This conference is open to members of the Anthroposophical Society and the School for Spiritual Science and includes catered snacks and meals.

Friday Evening, Public Lecture

“Rudolf Steiner's Contribution to the Question of Consciousness for Contemporary Life”

Today Rudolf Steiner (1861 - 1925) is well-known in many spheres, and one would mention him in connection with education, medicine, bio-dynamic farming, social questions, art and eurythmy and other spheres of interest. If one takes all of his work together such as his writings 'Philosophy of Freedom', 'How to attain Knowledge of the Higher Worlds', 'Esoteric Science. An Outline' or his 6,000 lectures, his artistic work such as the four Mystery Dramas, the Goetheanum buildings – all of this work has its basis around consciousness in all of its many diversifications. I think the greatest contribution of Rudolf Steiner in regard to consciousness may be summed up in one sentence, and from that sentence many directions open up: "All life, all evolution arises and subsists as consciousness and develops further as consciousness".

There are, however, many questions in this regard. What is the source of consciousness? Where does it reside? What about animals? What about angels? These are some of the questions which we will consider together on Friday evening at 7:00 p.m., in relationship also to our consciousness in our contemporary life.

Saturday Morning Lecture for Society Members *"The Enigma of Reincarnation Today and the Activity of the Hierarchies"*

After the middle of the 20th century the consideration of reincarnation arose in a consistent manner within the Western world. Before, reincarnation as a word was hardly known except by people connected with Eastern philosophy. Now it is something which every educated person at least has heard of and perhaps even has taken into his consideration. Our viewpoint on this will be regarding enigmas, that is puzzles, that a person may confront in regard to dealing with the thought about reincarnation as a continuity of one's own identity. Rudolf Steiner opened the door to understanding reincarnation which he preferred to call repeated earth lives. Rudolf Steiner as spiritual researcher has given facts in regard not only to the continuity of earth lives but also in regard to the preparation for a new earth life. Here it is significant that the spiritual beings, the

**The Portland Branch of the
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Save The Date!**

**See the attached Calendar & fliers for more info.
And more events**

August 28 “Rudolf Steiner’s Contribution to The Question of Consciousness For Contemporary Life”, Virginia Sease Public Lecture

August 29-30 “The Question of Consciousness Today” Conference with Virginia Sease

Your 2015 dues will be gratefully received. Thank you for helping to make our lively community life possible. Please send \$50 – or what you can – c/o Ruth Klein, 3609 SE Center St., Portland, OR 97202

hierarchies, connected with humanity work in an active way in this preparation. In this presentation we will also look at the pathway of the human soul after death and how this is related to the work of the hierarchies and the great spiritual being known in Western tradition as Christ.

Rudolf Steiner, as no other spiritual researcher before or after, provides insights into the preparation for a new earthly life. In this preparation the spiritual hierarchies play a decisive role which will form a central aspect of this lecture and the following discussion.

This lecture is open to members of the Anthroposophical Society and the School for Spiritual Science. Blue cards for members of the Anthroposophical Society and Pink Cards for members of the School for Spiritual Science will be required.

Saturday Afternoon Lecture for Society Members

"The Development of the Human Ego in the Era of the Etheric Christ"

We will look at the aspect of the human ego in relationship to previous times and to our own era which may be called the era of the etheric Christ, in so far as the Christ Being is accessible to every human being today - not any longer in physical form but within the sphere of the etheric world. In this regard the conversation about the lecture will have definite significance so that one can share one's perceptions and questions, both in regard to the human ego and in regard to the etheric Christ.

To comprehend the complexities of the human ego it helps to become acquainted with the differentiation in regard to the ego which Rudolf Steiner described from various aspects. After considering these differentiations we will approach our theme through two special meditations by Rudolf Steiner which provide a background for the era of the accessibility of the Christ-Being in the etheric world. This pathway will lead through historical developments up to the dimensions of consciousness necessary for humanity today. The degree of I-consciousness which human beings can achieve in our present time will also determine how their spiritual endeavors to comprehend the Christ Mystery will work on in the future both for the individual as well as for humankind. It is important today to recognize at least from a cognitive perspective the reality of the presence of the Christ within the etheric sphere.

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Saturday Evening For Members of the First Class

"Silence When Meeting Inner and Outer Experiences of the Threshold"

In approaching the necessity for silence in regard to the threshold between the physical and the supersensible worlds we will focus on several main aspects: the significance of silence for the inner life based on cultural history; Rudolf Steiner's understanding of "silent knowledge" and the development of inspiration; the encounter of silence, the question of the inner meeting in relationship to the spiritual beings of the higher worlds, and listening and speaking in the last three mantric situations in the Class Lessons (17, 18, 19). This lecture is open to members of the School for Spiritual Science. Pink Cards will be required.

Sunday Morning

"Rudolf Steiner's Esotericism before 1914 and its Metamorphosis in the Lessons of the First Class"

Now after more than a century we can regard Rudolf Steiner's exoteric and esoteric contribution through Spiritual Science as an integrated continuum which through its innate flexibility and dimension/scope could find expression in 1. the content appropriate for the work of the Esoteric School (1904 - 1914) and the work with ritual (1906 - 1914) in the form for the content 3. in the verbal expression. With the inauguration of the Michael School on earth (1924) the prior content was significantly increased, the form underwent some vital changes and the verbal dimension may be regarded as highest achievement in cognitive-mantric expression, which, however, bears witness to earlier achievements in this domain. Examples will assist us in perceiving such metamorphoses. This lecture is open to members of the School for Spiritual Science. Pink Cards will be required.

"A Pathway through the 19 Lessons of the School for Spiritual Science: Encounters with the Hierarchies".

The role of the hierarchies becomes more and more decisive as the Class lessons proceed and the human being's awareness of them progressively develops. This awareness proves to be of ultimate significance on the pathway. This lecture is open to members of the School for Spiritual Science. Pink Cards will be required.

Members of the School for Spiritual Science!

You are invited to a series of six lectures: Friday evening, August 28th, Saturday, August 29th and Sunday morning, August 30th. Your School of Spiritual Science blue cards will be required.

Virginia Sease will be presenting the topic, ***The Question of Consciousness Today***. Session topics are: "Rudolf Steiner's Contribution to the Question of Consciousness for Contemporary Life"; "The Enigma of Reincarnation Today and the Activity of the Hierarchies"; "The Development of the Human Ego in the Era of the Etheric Christ"; "Silence When Meeting Inner and Outer Experiences of the Threshold"; "Rudolf Steiner's Esotericism before 1914 and its Metamorphosis in the Lessons of the First Class"; and, "A Pathway through the 19 Lessons of the School for Spiritual Science: Encounters with the Hierarchies".

Snacks, two catered lunches and a dinner will be provided.

See the registration form on the Portland Branch website for more detail about the lectures and conference costs at <http://www.portlandanthroposophy.org/question-of-consciousness>. **Early registration before July 31st will save you a bundle.** A limited number of work study opportunities are available for those who register early.

Contact James Lee at anthroposophynow@comcast.net with questions.

Rudolf Steiner's Contribution to the Question of Consciousness for Contemporary Life with Virginia Sease Open to the Public

Friday, August 28, 7:30 pm
Cedarwood Waldorf School
3030 SW 2nd Ave., Portland

Members of the Anthroposophical Society in America!

You are invited to a series of three lectures: Friday evening, August 28th; and Saturday morning and afternoon, August 29th. Your pink Anthroposophical Society membership cards will be required.

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Local Lodging Requested for Virginia Sease Conference: The Question of Consciousness Today, August 28-30

The Portland Branch is seeking local lodging opportunities for participants in this conference. Typically a one bedroom with bathroom is \$35/night. We also have a request for camping at someone's home with access to a full bathroom for \$15/night. Please contact James Lee at anthroposophynow@comcast.net. Or 503-249-3804



A Public Art Conference

Sponsored by the North American
Visual Arts Section of the School of
Spiritual Science

Today we have passed and are living through the 100-year anniversary of the inauguration of an anthroposophical artistic work, begun by the spiritual initiate Rudolf Steiner in 1907 in Germany and continued through the design and creation of the two Goetheanum buildings in Switzerland. Steiner himself pointed to the need for renewing, if not transforming, an initiative after about 100 years (3 x 33 1/3 year periods relating to a Christic rhythm), lest its vitality and relevance fade away. Many feel that it is time to revisit and hopefully revitalize, expand, deepen, and transform this artistic work so that it can continue its further development into the future. We hope this conference will be one step in that direction.

Some of our questions: Is there such a thing as “anthroposophical art” or “anthroposophical style”? Is what is most essential about practicing a visual art out of anthroposophical inspiration a particular appearance or a medium used in certain ways? Or is it adherence to certain principles, ideals, and “rules” that is most important? Or is it more a matter of particular methods and manners of creatively working? How can we take into account the further development of both humanity and the visual arts since the time of Rudolf Steiner? How can the work of artists serve present and future human evolution?

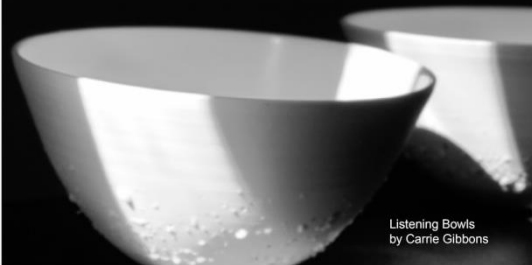
It is likely that Rudolf Steiner would have had other things to say and would have demonstrated other approaches to art had he lived long enough for artists to approach him with further questions. Consider the dramatic difference in outer appearance of the two Goetheanum buildings that he designed in Switzerland.

If as artists we aspire to serve our fellow human beings and the larger cause of human evolution, then our study of Rudolf Steiner’s own artwork is only one starting point. If human consciousness is evolving, even within the span of a hundred years, then we need to carefully observe the soul-spiritual forces and trends at work in human and world evolution up to the present.

As we live with these questions, the practice of our art will become less a form of self-expression and more a path of spiritual inquiry and research. We will focus on the present and future of visual arts practice created out of anthroposophical inspiration.

The Visual Arts Section
School of Spiritual Science in North America
sponsors
A Public Art Conference
Portland, Oregon
July 31 to August 2

**Anthroposophy
and the
Challenge
of a
Contemporary
Visual Arts
Practice**



Listening Bowls
by Carrie Gibbons

See the registration form attached to this newsletter, and for more information go to the Art Section website,
<http://northamericanartsection.blogspot.com>



Working With Color

An Exploration of Rudolf Steiner’s Sketches for Painters, with Laura Summer, August 3-6
See Calendar for more information.

Portland Branch Calendar

July 2015

First Class of the School of Spiritual Science – Lesson Fourteen

Sunday, July 12, 9:30 am sharp (no admittance after the class starts) • Bothmer Hall, 5919 SE Division St, Portland, 97206, Contact Diane Ramage at 971-271-7479 or Cheri Munske at 503- 484-4133 Blue card required. Second Sunday of each month.

Portland Branch Council Meeting

Monday, July, 13, 7pm • 2606 SE 58th Ave. • Contact Valerie Hope, 503-775-0778; email valerieannhpdx@aol.com.

All Branch members are welcome to attend, and/or to call us with agenda items, proposals, suggestions, or to observe. Meetings are on the second Monday of each month.

Anthroposophy and the Challenge of a Contemporary Visual-Arts Practice – A Public Art Conference sponsored by the Visual Arts Section of the School of Spiritual Science in North America

Friday, July 31 – Sunday August 2 • Portland Waldorf High School, 2300 SE Harrison St., Milwaukie, OR 97222. • Fee, only \$25! Contact Carrie Gibbons, 503-708-8994; or email Christopher Guilfoil at c.guilfoil@gmail.com

See article in the July newsletter, and the registration form in the electronic version of the July newsletter, or go to the Art Section website, <http://northamericanartsection.blogspot.com>

Working With Color: An Exploration of Rudolf Steiner's Sketches for Painters, with Laura Summer

Monday, August 3 – Thurs. August 6, 9am-1pm, 7 pm – 8:30 pm, Open Studio Available in Afternoon • Corvallis Waldorf School • Fees \$0-\$500, all supplies included • Contact Laurie McCloskey 541-337-6441, auricle@yahoo.com

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Rudolf Steiner's Contribution to the Question of Consciousness for Contemporary Life, with Virginia Sease

Friday August 28, 7:30 pm • Open to the Public • South Space, Cedarwood Waldorf School, 3030 SW 2nd Ave., Portland 97201 • Contact James Lee for more information or to reserve your place at anthroposophynow@comcast.net . Suggested Donation \$10. No one will be turned away for lack of funds.

Today Rudolf Steiner (1861 - 1925) is well-known in many spheres of life such as Waldorf education, medicine, therapy, biodynamic farming, architecture and art forms in general, and other endeavors which arise out of the impulse of Anthroposophy (the wisdom of the human being) which he developed. In addition to these fields he may also be credited as a clear thinker who introduced not only very clear and comprehensive descriptions of human consciousness and its evolution but also examples to illustrate his findings. We need only embark on a journey through some of his best-known works such as "Philosophy of Freedom", "How to Attain Knowledge of the Higher Worlds", "Esoteric Science, an Outline", as well as his 6,000 lectures which were recorded in shorthand, to discover that this enormous edifice (including his artistic work: 4 Mystery Dramas, 2 large buildings called "Goetheanum", a more than 26 feet high wooden sculpture) has its fulcrum in consciousness in all of its manifold diversifications. The greatest contribution of Rudolf Steiner in regard to consciousness may be summed up in one sentence: All life, all evolution arises and subsists as consciousness and develops further as consciousness.

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This special conference with Virginia Sease is open to members of the Anthroposophical Society and members of the School for Spiritual Science. Saturday and Sunday meals and snacks will be catered and are included as part of the conference fee. To request work study or a full or partial scholarship, contact James Lee at anthroposophynow@comcast.net.. This event is sponsored by the Portland Branch of the Anthroposophical Society. The conference schedule, lecture titles and summaries are included on the early registration page located on the Portland Branch Website at <http://www.portlandanthroposophy.org/question-of-consciousness>.

Ongoing Local Activities and Study Groups

First Class of the School of Spiritual Science • Second Sunday of the month, Lesson 14
9:30 am sharp (no admittance after the class starts) • Bothmer Hall, 5919 SE Division St, Portland, 97206 • Blue card required. Contact Diane Rumage at 971-271-7479 or Cheri Munske at 503 772-2632

First Class Study • Second and Fourth Tuesday of the month • Blue card required
7:30-9pm • Contact Tom Klein, 777-3176, Tgklein@aol.com.

This group works with the contents of the class.

First Class Study, Prokofieff • Second Thursday of the Month • For Members of the School of Spiritual Science

7:30-9:00 pm • Contact Rebecca Soloway, jrsoloway@hotmail.com or 503-908-7615

We will be studying *The First Class of the Michael School and its Christological Foundations*, written by Sergei O. Prokofieff for members of the School of Spiritual Science (1st class). **Please note:** You will need to order the book directly from the Goetheanum, by email, sekretariatSP@goetheanum.ch ; by mail, Sekretariat S. Prokofieff, Postfach, Ch-4143 Dornach, Switzerland or by fax 0011-41-61-706-4371. Mr. Prokofieff specified that no portion of the book could be photocopied or transmitted electronically. It is not necessary to have the book in hand for your first meeting. However, blue cards are required.

Council Meetings of the Portland Branch • Second Monday of the month

7-9 pm • 2606 SE 58th Ave., Portland • Contact Valerie Hope, (503) 775-0778, valerieannhpx@aol.com

All Branch members are welcome to attend, and/or to call us with agenda items, proposals, suggestions, or to observe.

Eurythmy for Waldorf High School Alumni: Wednesdays

Study, 6:30-7:30 pm; Eurythmy; 7:30-8:30 pm • Eurythmy Room, Portland Waldorf School, 2300 Harrison St., Milwaukie • Contact Carrie Mass, Carrie.mass@portlandwaldorf.org

If you've ever attended a Waldorf High School, this is for you!

Eurythmy Foundation Course: Tuesday Evenings, and one weekend a month.

Tuesdays 6-7:30 pm; Saturdays 10:30 am - noon & 1-2:30 pm; Sundays 10:30 am - noon • Fee, \$20/session • Portland Waldorf School, 2300 SE Harrison St., Milwaukie • Contact Jolanda Frischknecht, 503-896-3345 or jolandafrischknecht@hotmail.com ; or Micha-el Institute, 503-774-4946, <http://www.micha-elinstitute.com/>

This class is for adults with prior experience in Eurythmy.

Festivals Study Group: First and Third Thursdays

7-8:30 pm • 3711 SE Brooklyn St. • To find out which Thursday is next contact Suzanne Walker, 503-208-2426 zzwalker@mac.com

We are working with various of Dr. Steiner's lectures in an effort to better understand the festivals and how best to observe them.

Mystery Dramas of Rudolf Steiner and Speech-Formation Exercises • Second and Fourth Wednesdays (holidays excluded)

7:30-9:00 pm • Starting anew November 12, 2014. Free. Beginners are welcome –come check us out! • 8654 NE Boehmer St., Portland 97220 • Contact Diane Rumage by e-mail at drumage@comcast.net or by phone at 971-271-7479.

Portland Waldorf School Community Choir • Friday Mornings

8:45-10:15 am • Portland Waldorf School, 2300 SE Harrison St., Milwaukie, in the Orchard Room • Free will donations gladly accepted, all voices are welcome. Contact www.portlandwaldorf.org • pws_choir-subscribe@yahoogroups.com (503) 654-2200

Portland Waldorf School Community Eurythmy: Friday Mornings

8:45-9:30 am, Eurythmy Room, Portland Waldorf School, 2300 Harrison St., Milwaukie • Free

All are welcome. Contact: Carrie Mass, Carrie.mass@portlandwaldorf.org

The Spiritual Hierarchies and the Physical World Study Group • First and third Tuesdays
7:30-9 pm • 3046 NE 33rd Ave. contact Donna Patterson and Bob Kellum, 503-331-7393 • All are welcome

Theosophy Study Group • First Monday of the Month
7:45-9:00 pm • Bothmer Hall, 5919 SE Division St., Portland 97206 • Contact Jerry Soloway 503-908-7615 or jrsoloway@hotmail.com
Please join us in lively discussions centered on Rudolf Steiner's *Theosophy*.

Threefold Social Renewal Study Group • Every Friday
9:40-10:30/11 am • Portland Waldorf School, 2300 SE Harrison St., Milwaukie • contact dr.ali.nd@gmail.com or 503-609-0890
We will start with reading and discussing Johannes Rohen's "Functional Threefoldness in the Human Organism and the Human Society", and will continue to choose readings together under the general topic of the threefold social organism. All are welcome. Hope you are able to join us!

World Economy Study Group • Last Friday of the Month
6:00-8:00 pm • 3046 NE 33rd Ave. • contact mgivens.lac@gmail.com or 503-609-0890
Please join us in a diverse study group around the principles and practices of Associative Economics. We will be reading and discussing Rudolf Steiner's 14 lectures on the "World Economy". The recommended text is "Economics: World as One Economy", translated by Dr. Christopher Houghton Budd. It can be found at <https://www.cfae.biz/publications/shop/>

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Calendar of the Soul-Summer

June 28-July 4, Verse 13

Now that my senses are at home on high
I hear my soul re-echo from her depths
a fiery message from the Gods:
'Welcome the hint, seek thine own deep relation
to Spirit in the Spirit's own foundation.'

July 5-11, Verse 14

Captive to all the pageantry of sense
I lost the pressure of my single being,
thoughts like to dreams
were spiriting my self away, it seems,
now – now in what the senses make appear
the Thinking of the World itself draws near.

July 12-18, Verse 15

I feel the Spirit weave
Trance-charméd in the world's array;
In drowsihood of sense
It muffled my sole self
To tender me the strength
Myself I am too poor to furnish forth
Helpless within these narrow bounds.

July 19-25, Verse 16

A hint of warning: harbor well
the Spirit's bounty, gifts from gods
are there to ripen, there to swell
earthed in the soul and, fructifying, bring
the fruits of Self to light.

July 26-August 1, Verse 17

It speaks, the Word of Worlds
that I through doors of sense
had leave to introduce into my soul:
'Brim thou thy spirit's deep
with my World-wide –
in time thou shall discover Me in thee.

~Paraphrase, Owen Barfield

Calendar of the Soul; Multiple Translations Available from Mercury Press!

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Friday evening, August 28th, Saturday, August 29th and Sunday August 30th

EARLY REGISTRATION FORM

This special conference with Virginia Sease is open to members of the Anthroposophical Society and members of the School for Spiritual Science. Friday's lecture is open to the public. Saturday and Sunday meals and snacks will be catered and are included as part of the conference fee. This event is sponsored by the Portland Branch of the Anthroposophical

Society in Portland, Oregon. We have a few discounted work-study positions available for this event. For additional information and to reserve your place, please contact James Lee at anthroposophynow@comcast.net.

Early Registration Conference Fee (valid through July 31, 2015): (Select the one that applies to you):

I am a member of the School for Spiritual Science. **\$200**

The conference fee includes access to the Friday evening lecture and five lectures on Saturday and Sunday. The conference fee includes two catered lunches; one catered dinner and catered snacks. **Blue Card required.**

I am a member of the Anthroposophical Society and not a member of the School for Spiritual Science. **\$125**

The conference fee includes access to the Friday evening lecture and two Anthroposophical Society members' lectures on Saturday. It also includes one catered lunch, one catered dinner and catered snacks. **Pink Card required.**

Meals: Lunches and dinner included in the conference fee will consist of a poultry-based main course, predominantly vegetarian offerings, and gluten and dairy free options. Please indicate your primary food preference here:

Poultry Vegetarian Gluten Free Dairy Free

Lodging: When planning your stay in Portland, you will find that there are numerous lodging options available. Traveling around Portland is rather easy and flexible most times of the day. The conference venue is located at the Cedarwood Waldorf School, 3030 SW 2nd Ave. Portland OR 97201. Parking is available on the streets near the school.

Home Stays: There may be a few community home stay possibilities provided by local members, subject to availability. The charge for a room and bathroom is typically \$35. If you are interested in a home stay, please indicate that preference by checking here: . We will contact you and let you know if a home stay is available.

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Please make your check out to "**The Portland Branch**" and write "**Virginia Sease Conference**" in the memo line. Mail your Early Registration form and check as soon as possible and before August 1, 2015 to: "**Ruth Klein, Treasurer Portland Branch, 3609 SE Center Street, Portland OR 97202.**" (After July 31, 2015 conference fees will be \$250/\$150)

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July 31 to August 2

**Anthroposophy
and the
Challenge
of a
Contemporary
Visual-Arts
Practice**

Conference Venue:

Portland Waldorf High School
2300 SE Harrison St, Milwaukie, OR 97222
(503) 654-2200

Registration Form:

name

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Workshop first choice and second choice, write in 1 and 2

- The Middle Path of the Artist
- Training Sketches for Painters
- Experiences with Social Sculpture
- I have enclosed a check or money order for the conference fee of \$25.00

- Make checks out to Patricia Lynch
- Mail registration form and check to:

Patricia Lynch Studio

3359 NE 72nd Ave, Portland Or. 97213

Reading material prepared for the conference will be e-mailed (mailed by request) to you upon registration

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