

# The TOS Village News

(The Theosophical Order of Service)

**28 February 2017** 

#### **Coming Events**

- \* Taizé Meditation Friday,3 March 2017 @ 6pm Liberal Catholic Church, Lacey St Perth
- \* TOS Supper & Talk Bumi Sehat A Birthing Clinic in Bali by Lyn Leeder on Tuesday, 14 March 2017 @ 6.30 pm
- \* Easter Weekend Seminar 16-17 April 17 @ Perth Branch Please support us, the TOS will be catering for the 2 lunches.

#### Welcome to the Village

We held our first TOS committee meeting and donated \$1,000 to the Italian TOS Syrian refugee project and another \$500 to MSF (Doctors without Borders). If you have attended our movie days or bought one of our suppers, you made these donations. Thank you. We will be helping people like you and me, except their houses have been blown up and they are living on the street in a cold European winter and they are stateless, but they are still human. Suffering humans.

The January TS Convention in Hobart was a successful and happy event. Everyone seemed to enjoy themselves. I had a great time and have come back with a long reading list, which will last the rest of this year. Books suggested by wise people, whom I respect are:

- Entering on the Sacred Way by Joy Mills
- Your Sacred Self by Dr Wayne Dyer
- Why Love Matters by Sue Gerhardt
- The Hero within by Carol S Pearson
- ◆ Tao Teh Ching translated by Eva Wong
- Brain Power from Neurons to Networks by Tiffany Shlain
- ♦ The Soul's Journey by Peter Richelieu
- Limits to Growth by Dennis Meadows et al

By the time I have finished reading these books, I will be ready for next year's convention.

Our 'Link of Hearts' meditating team would welcome new Meditators. Your commitment would be 1/2 hour per week from you home for a period of 6 to 12 months. Our healing list is constantly growing and we need help.

Please contact me. Thank you.

#### **Best wishes**

Rhonda Phillips,
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#### **India Calling**

The Flyer for the TOS Fundraiser tour of Southern India
"Sacred Sights Tour"

05-16 Jan 2018

is at the end of this newsletter

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The Itinerary is attached to this email as a separate document.

There are only 20 places on this tour, if you are interested please email Jean Carroll on tos.australia@gmail.com to secure your place.

Join like-minded people for a wonderful adventure.

# Other Travel Opportunities to enter in your Diary.

- 4-9 August 2018 TS World Congress in Singapore.
- November 2019 Indo-Pacific Federation Conference in Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia.

### 14 March 2017 Supper / Talk

One million Australian visit Bali each year. It is a great holiday destination and some Australian's are choosing to give back to the people of Bali. Lyn Leeder is one of these Australians. Her talk is on the Bumi Sehat Centre, which is a Birthing Clinic in Ubud, Bali.

The clinic is a place were Mothers from all cultures and faiths may come to have their babies free or for a small donation. The Midwifes offer Gentle Birthing techniques plus love and support before and after the birth of their baby.

It's a not for profit organization and Lyn is fundraising to pay the fees of Dila as she trains in Midwifery at a College in Denpasar.

#### TOS MEMBERSHIP FORM

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Annual Membership Fee: \$5.00

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EFT \$5.00 in to the TOS Bendigo Bank BSB: 633-000 Account: 116559105 Reference: Your full name

And send an email to <u>tosperth@gmail.com</u> advising of the deposit including your name, address and phone number.

#### The Great TOS Gathering at the Hobart TS Convention - January 2017



## The Link of Hearts Healing Meditation

Anne Bower is coordinating a team of Meditators who will provide long distance healing to people on our TOS healing list. The person's name will remain on the list for one month and during that time the team will regularly send healing energy.

Contact Anne on tosperth@gmail.com or 0408 784 443



## The Theosophical Order of Service - WA Inc.

We are a humanitarian service group who work to help others, near and far, and in the process transform ourselves.

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New members are welcome, however it is not necessary to be a member to attend our functions.

You are welcome.



# TOS Fundraiser Tour to Southern India "Sacred Sights Tour" 11 nights/12 days 05-16 Jan 2018

This tour has been designed to follow our Theosophical Society International Convention at Adyar 2017-2018

Cost Land Only AUD1360 per person twin share (15 participants)

AUD1330 per person twin share (19 participants)

In this 12 day tour we will cover the southeastern coast of India. Tamil Nadu is a region with an inherent rich heritage. Majestic temples with intricately carved walls that tell the tales of glorious legacy of Dravidian culture that flourished here. Also visit Kerala, which is bestowed with by a bounty of natural beauty- rippling waves of Arabian Sea, serene backwaters, lots of greenery, aroma of spices. Kathakali dance is one who can describe Kerala in one line. Because of its sheer beauty Kerala is fondly called "Gods Own Country"

India this extraordinary country, with its billion plus population and bubbling melting pot of multi-faith customs and festivals, presents travelers with an enigmatic array of unique experiences that will remain etched in their minds long after departing India's shores. Spirituality is an integral thread in the intricate tapestry that is India. Whether in solemn temple ceremony or convivial religious festival, all things sacred are passionately pursued by Indians from all walks of life. Several lifetimes would be required to explore all of the country's cultural and historical legacies.

Come join us following the TS Convention 31 Dec 2017 through 05 Jan 2018

Application form for International Conference available Aug 2017.

Participating in this tour with like-minded people will help support

Australian National TOS Projects for 2018

Qandeel Schools Pakistan

Golden Link College Philippines

Syrian Refugees