



ANTHROPOSOPHICAL SOCIETY
RUDOLF STEINER BRANCH



February 2012 Calendar of Events

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All Branch events will take place at the above address unless otherwise stated.

Member Initiatives

February 11
Saturday
1:30 pm

DuPage County Songtrail Spiral ó West DuPage Woods in West Chicago. Take a step toward building your relationship with the earth, the heavens and all the beings in between. Songtrails incorporate singing, walking and stories from the land to build a living connection with our place. Call Marianne (773-931-9093) for more information or to join us for Saturday's walk. Click on the link for directions and map of West DuPage Woods.
http://www.dupageforest.com/Conservation/Properties/Forest_Preserves_List.html

February 12
Sunday
2:00-5:00 pm

Annual General Meeting of the Rudolf Steiner Branch of the Anthroposophical Society. Dear Members, please save the date! Your invitation and agenda will be forthcoming in a separate mailing. Please call Janis Ignolfo (773-549-5753) with any concerns or questions.

February 18
Saturday
7:00 pm

Meeting of the First Class of the School of Spiritual Science, Lesson XV. Blue Membership Cards are required for this meeting and for the Sunday conversation. For information, call Clark Remington (773-955-5955).

February 26
Sunday
2:00-4:00 pm

"Rudolf Steiner's Esoteric Intentions", lecture by Ross Rentea, MD.
2012 marks another important milestone in the life of Anthroposophy: 100 years eurythmy; 100 years Calendar of the Soul; 100 years from the founding of the Anthroposophical Society. How are all these impulses related to Rudolf Steiner's esoteric intentions? The celebration of his birthday (February 25, 1861) is a worthy occasion to ponder on these questions. Refreshments and social gathering following the lecture. Lecture starts on time. Punctuality would be much appreciated. The event is FREE but a \$10 donation is suggested.

Ongoing Activities and Anthroposophical Groups

- Mondays
7:00-9:00 pm** This weekly group will study Rudolf Steiner's *A Way to Self-Knowledge* and *The Threshold of the Spiritual World*, published in 1912 and 1913, now available in one volume. Meant to complement and amplify his other writings such as *How to Know Higher Worlds*, these short books offer descriptions of Steiner's experience in spiritual spheres from different points of view and were intended to be able to stand alone. Many suggestions and examples are given for sound meditative practice appropriate to our time. Books will be available at the Branch, in the library or for purchase. All are welcome. For more information, please call Carolyn (773-989-2003) or Debbie (773-339-8707)
- Tuesdays
8:15 am** Resolve to Evolve: Come together with other spiritual seekers for a lively discussion and study of Spiritual Science. Effect change from the inside out as we explore "*How to Know Higher Worlds, A Modern Path of Initiation*", one of Rudolf Steiner's basic books. Awaken your head, heart and hands through artistic endeavors with guest teachers and special subject lecturers. Try some eurythmy shoes on for size. Bring your curiosity and questions along with your commitment to investigate practical Anthroposophy. Our Inner Development Circle meets every Tuesday, beginning February 7th, in the Lower Eurythmy Room at the Chicago Waldorf School, 1300 W. Loyola 60626. For more information, contact Hazel Archer Ginsberg, hazel@shedrums.com (773-549-3026).
- Wednesdays
7:00-8:30 pm** This study group is working with *Philosophy of Freedom*. All who are interested are welcome to join us. For more info, please call Josephine (773-631-7934)
- Thursday
10:30-12:00 pm
February 16** This monthly group will read Lecture 12, "The Language of the Heart", and Lecture 13, "Memento Mori", from *Staying Connected - How to Continue Your Relationships with Those Who Have Died*". This book is a collection of selected talks and meditations by Rudolf Steiner. Books are available for use from the Branch Library or for purchase. All are welcome. For more information, call Alice (773-528-5340) or Carolyn at (773-989-2003).
- Sundays
5:00 pm** This group meets weekly to study *Karmic Relationships, Volume VI*. For more information, please call Andrei (773-764-2313).

The Branch library will be open Saturdays in February 2-5 pm. For questions relating to the library, call David Kavesch (312-451-9872). To make an appointment to browse in the library outside of these hours or to purchase books from the bookstore, please call Janis Ignoffo (773-549-5753)

Calendar Procedure

Please submit items for the March 2012 Calendar by Monday, February 20

1. For day and time availability, contact the Program Committee through Andrei Onegin at 773-764-2313 or by email at calendar4249@yahoo.com.
2. Submit your Calendar item to Andrei via email at calendar4249@yahoo.com.
3. For general use of Branch space, please contact Janis Ignoffo at 773-549-5753.



