



Hamilton Lodge of the Theosophical Society

June 2007

Greetings, members and friends,

Our Healing programme will be over by the time you read this newsletter. It has been very well attended and seems to have been widely appreciated. Our first meeting in June is something of a postscript where we consider the relationship between the healing modalities ("in" word!) and our theosophical base. We have two excellent speakers later in the month, too.

June Programme

3 June No meeting (Queen's Birthday)

10 June (Pot-luck meal 6 p.m. - all members welcome; bring a plate.)

A two-part session:

(a) General discussion and evaluation of the six talks on healing and how they relate to theosophy,

(b) A review of some articles in *Quest* Magazine (journal of TS in America) - Charles and Brian

17 June

Title: **Rastafarianism** Presented by: **Nandor Tanczos**

Come and hear our Member of Parliament talk on Rastafarianism, Bob Marley and Haile Selassie, and what his religion means to him in his daily life.

24 June

Title: **Ruled by the Heart** Presented by: **Bill Williamson**

Bill is an old friend of the Theosophical Society, both here and nationally; the talk will be on the importance of the heart and the alchemical processes it uses in the refinement of the human being.

National President

John Vorstermans' term as National President comes to an end this year, and nominations close for a successor on 30 June. Voting papers will be sent to all members who have been in good standing for 24 consecutive months. They will be sent out in early July for return by 31 July.

Subscriptions

These became due on 1 October 2006, and if your address is marked with a cross, please attend to this matter (members \$35, couples \$45 - to the Treasurer, 73 Anglesea St.). Remember that in a case of hardship the Committee may (in confidence) remit a part. You will see from the previous item that you need to be a member in good standing in order to vote in the Presidential elections in July.

Cinema Circle - June

Attendance has been encouraging for the first month of our new venture. For just a gold coin donation there is a new film based on spiritual values. For further enquiries about specific films, contact Tim on 856 6332 (evenings) or Brian.

Guard the Gallery

The artistically shaped art gallery shown at the top of this newsletter is to be guarded by people stationed at specific corners. If each guard has 360° vision, what is the smallest number of guards needed to be sure that the whole gallery is observed and where should they be? (There is actually a fiendishly clever way to solve this sort of problem - if you are interested, contact Brian.)

“Sensible men are all of the same religion.” - and what is that? “Sensible men never tell.”
Benjamin Disraeli: Endymion

With kind regards from Brian, Charles, John, Peter, Tim, Una and Vicki.

(The Lodge meets on Sundays at 7.30 p.m. A light supper is provided.)

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