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Chairperson's Report

Since our last newsletter we have had one event, which was held on 12th May. Rick Boyd gave a presentation on Edgar Cayce's Astrology.

Rick's talk was well researched and very interesting, particularly the part about the planetary sojourns, which are a state

between successive incarnations where the spirit may dwell for some considerable time. During this time the spirit resonates to a particular planet, which can be deduced from a list of personality qualities and talents. This planet will be very important in your current lifetime and often the planet will be prominent in the natal chart.

It was amazing that Cayce knew nothing about astrology, but he was able to channel the planetary energies during his trance readings.

For our next talk we welcome back Joy Usher from South Australia. Everyone I speak to loves Joy. She is an incredible Astrologer and always has something new to teach, plus she has written two new books, both of which will be for sale on the day.

Please note the start time for Joy's workshop is a little earlier than usual being at 1.00pm for a 4 hour duration. There is also an increase in cost to reflect this. Light refreshments will be available at break times or you can bring your own. All details can be found on page 2 and 3 under "next event". I hope you all can make it along to support Joy but if you are otherwise engaged we have more good astrology later this year.

Best wishes,

Jeff Farrow

FAAWA Chair 2019

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- 1.00pm to 5.00 pm -

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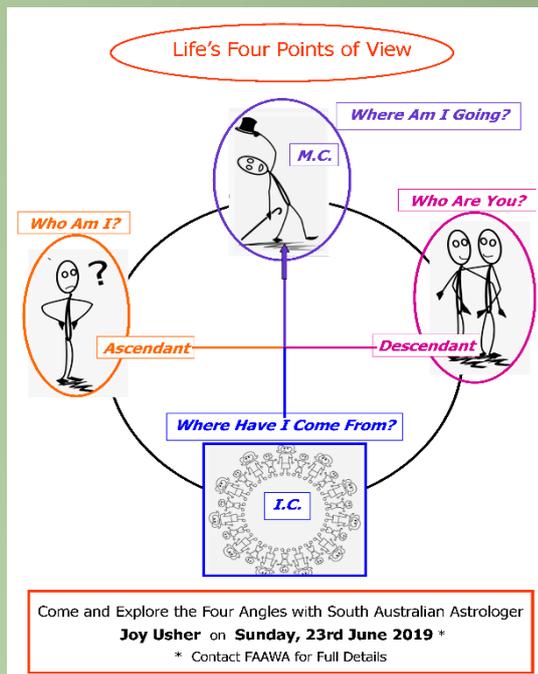
Guest Editor:

Carol Jenkins

... NEXT EVENT ...

Sunday, 23rd June 2019

Experiencing Life through the Four Angles



Presented by
... **Joy Usher** ...

1.00pm to 5.00pm

at the

**South Perth Learning
Centre**

This workshop revisits each of the four angles and looks at their role as the 'skeleton of the chart'.

Meeting the Cross of Matter and understanding its significance – the Ascendant and Descendant, the Midheaven and the opposite point nadir.

Light refreshments will be available at breaks or bring your own.

\$40 Concession(over 65)

\$45 Member

\$50 Non-Member

Payment options

Pay directly into FAAWA: Account no: 416267-2 BSB no: 306-084

OR Pay cash or cheque only on the day (no credit card facilities)

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The ancients and Manilius placed much importance on these four 'power points'.

"Come now, prepare an attentive mind for learning the cardinal points: four in all, they have positions in the firmament permanently fixed and receive in succession the speeding signs."

"These points are charged with exceptional powers, and the influence they exert on fate is the greatest known to our science, because the celestial circle is totally held in position by them as by eternal supports."

Joy will look a little closer at the pillars of the four quadrants, and examine in greater depth the impact for each of the planets when they rule the Cross of Matter in any given chart.

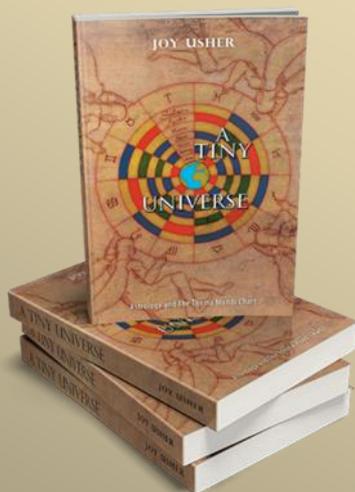


Joy is a diligent researcher, gifted teacher and writer and has been a frequent visitor to the West in recent years. Along with Mari Garcia, Joy is co-principal of the highly esteemed **AstroMundi School of Astrology in Adelaide** which has a long history of excellence in traditional astrology.

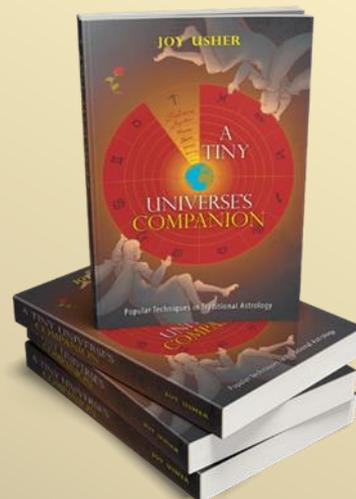
This presentation on angles is an extended version of one of AstroMundi's master classes and is a fun workshop which caters to astrologers of all skill levels.

Email: joydusher@yahoo.com.au if you wish to contact Joy directly

NOTE: there will be a few of Joy's books available on the day for purchasing.



A Tiny Universe **\$30**



A Tiny Universe Companion **\$40**

or \$60 for both

... ASTROLOGY CLASSES & NOTICES ...



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☆☆☆ Eclipse workshop ☆☆☆

It will run from 3-5 on Saturday June 1 in Bayswater.

Eclipse cycles bring a specific energy depending upon the configuration of the planets involved at the time. The Saros Series has been described by Bernadette Brady to assist our awareness at this time. Work with your natal chart for key times in your life.

Contact Margie Crocker 9272 7861 for more details or email margie@constellationsastrology.com.au
Dip. International Guild of Astrologers;
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Astrology classes from the FAA accredited syllabus.

I have information here from the APA. I am the contact person for WA and any queries can be addressed to myself. There is a counselling requirement to join this association. A method of gaining this information has now been finalised. Further details on the individual units can be obtained on application.

My contact is Margie Crocker 92727861

APA COUNSELLING CRITERIA for MHA final

Counselling requirements for APA Membership

All applicants must have completed a minimum of 30 hours counselling theory. This can be completed as part of an astrological training program where the teacher has a recognised counselling qualification or achieved separately through an independent recognised training program.

One example of a recognised training program is Mental Health Academy, an online program that provides text and video based courses which allow the flexibility and convenience of learning in your own time. After a positive trial by two of our members a motion was passed at the 2018 APA AGM **“That the successful completion of the 38 hours of training from the Mental Health Academy as outlined in the attached document, Mental Health Academy Units for APA Membership, be accepted as fulfilling the counselling requirement for APA membership. 2018 / 10.4.1**

Due to the online nature of this counselling program it was deemed necessary to extend the 30 hour counselling requirement for APA membership from 30 hours to 38 hours. This aids in gaining practical insight and in fine tuning your skills, by watching counselling professionals apply counselling therapies in a live environment. All 38 hours must be successfully completed from the APA stipulated units that comprises 32 hours of text base units and 6 hours of video based units.

From time to time Mental Health Academy eliminates some units/videos and whilst the APA tries to keep abreast of these changes and make the necessary adjustments should a recommended unit/video have been deleted please notify APA President or Joshua –MHA Course Director on 07 3112 2090 or email admin@mentalhealthacademy.com.au

After completion of the 38 hours APA stipulated units there is also 15 hours of units/videos that are Highly Recommended should time and inclination permit. These are NOT compulsory.

Annual Premium Membership (\$349 2019) is recommended as it gives access to:

- On-demand, video-based learning (150+ hours)
- Complimentary access to MHA Masterclass Days
- Accrue CPD hours/OPD points
- Self-paced, text-based learning (120+ programs)
- Online, 24/7 access to programs - from anywhere
- Personalised online classroom
- Professional certificates of attainment
- Weekly member's newsletter
- New programs released every month
- 30-day money-back guarantee

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Endorsements for Mental Health Academy

Continuing Professional Development (CPD) is a mandatory requirement for most mental health industry associations. It's the instrument associations employ to ensure their members are up to date with the latest research, methods, skills and ethical frameworks.

MHA courses and videos provide you with the opportunity to update or gain knowledge in a range of mental health disciplines, and also accrue compulsory CPD points to maintain membership with your industry association.

Currently, Mental Health Academy programs are endorsed by the following associations:

- Australian Association of Social Workers
- Australian Counselling Association
- Clinical Counsellors Association
- Federation of Victorian Counsellors
- Professional Counselling Association of the ACT and NSW
- Professional Counsellors Association of Western Australia
- South Australian Professional Counselling Association

Mental Health Academy programs also comply with the Psychology Board of Australia's standards for active CPD, meaning Registered Psychologists in Australia can undertake MHA programs as part of their mandatory continuing professional development requirements.

Member profile

As a Mental Health Academy member you can easily manage your CPD history and records via your tailored, secure (login-only) CPD profile. Through your unique profile you can keep track of all your subscribed programs; download certificates; access tax invoices; update profile information; review what you have learned at any time (even if your membership has lapsed); plus much more.

UNITS REQUIRED TO MEET APA COUNSELLING CRITERIA

32 hours of units and 6 hours of video = 38 hours

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Units required Include

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| 1. Counselling Micro Skills –Introduction (related courses 2,7) 1 hour | 4 |
| 2. Person Centred Therapy – the basics – Introductory 3 hours | 5 |
| 3. Transference and Projection –Specialised - 2 hours | 5 |
| 4a. Principles of Psychosynthesis - Introduction (related courses 4b,4d,5a) 2 hours | 6 |
| 4b. Working with Sub personalities - Specialised – 2 hours | 6 |
| 4c. Understanding Will –Introduction 2 hours - | 7 |
| 4d. Working with Will in the Therapy Room *- Specialised (related courses 4a,4b,5a - 2 hours | 7 |
| 5a A Constructive-developmental Approach in Therapy - Specialised (related courses 4a, 4b,4d) - 2 hours | 8 |
| 5b. Constructive Development Approach Case Studies - Specialised - 3 hours | 9 |
| 6. Acceptance and Commitment Therapy- Specialised - 3 hours | 9 |
| 7. Cognitive Behavioral Therapy- the basics Introductory (related courses 2,) - 3 hours . | 10 |
| 8a. Sitting with Shadow- Specialised - 3 hours | 10 |
| 8b. Client, Meet your Shadow- Case study - 2 hours | 11 |
| 8c. Working with Shadow -Case studies (related courses 8a,b,)– 2 hours | 11 |

VIDEOS = 6 HOURS INCLUDE

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| 1. On Being Effective, Empowering, and A Compassionate Therapist - 1 hour | 12 |
| 2. Cultivating Client Strengths in Career Counselling - 1 hour | 12 |
| 3. Spirituality and Counselling: Integration, Inspiration, and Insights - 1 hour | 13 |
| 4. Creating Sustaining Counselling Conversations in the Face of Grief - 1 hour | 13 |
| 5. The Aging Brain - 1 hour | 13 |
| 6. Your Supervision Question - 1 hour | 13 |

FAA Calculation Exam Tutoring

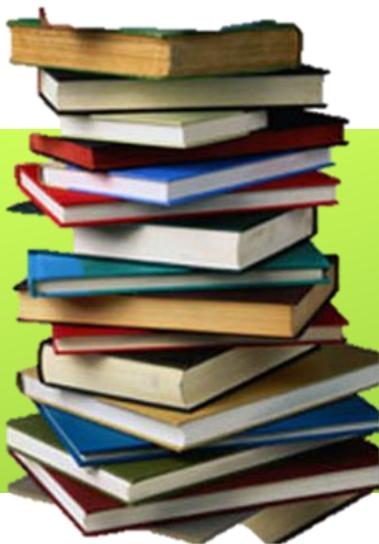
For those who would like some help in preparing for the calculation exam this year -
on 18-19 August 2019 (at home)

Group or 1-1 tutoring available.

Call Jenny Coad 0427 080 430 OR jencoad@iinet.net.au



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Membership
Overdue?**



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Access to the Library is available through a
phone call to

Margie Crocker on 9272 7861

Using Wild West Oz times

June 2019 Transits, Ingresses, Stations, Full & New Moons Information from Moontime Diary 2019

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| Friday 31 May | Venus trine Saturn 11:26pm |
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| Monday 3 | Venus trine Pluto 11:41am New Moon in Gemini 12°33' 6:01pm |
| Wednesday 5 | Mercury enters Cancer 4:04am |
| Friday 7 | Mercury sextiles Uranus 10:16pm |
| Saturday 8 | Mercury square Chiron 5:52am |
| Sunday 9 | Venus enters Gemini 9:36am |
| Monday 10 | Sun square Neptune 3:33am First Quarter Moon 1:59pm Sun opposite Jupiter 11:27pm |
| Friday 14 | Venus sextiles Chiron 1:09am Mars trine Neptune 2:11pm Mars opposite Saturn 11:49pm |
| Sunday 16 | Mercury trine Neptune 7:42pm Mercury opposite Saturn 10pm Jupiter square Neptune 11:21pm |
| Monday 17 | Full Moon in Sagittarius 25°53' 4:30pm |
| Tuesday 18 | Saturn sextiles Neptune 7:46pm |
| Wednesday 19 | Mercury conjunct Mars 0:04am Mercury opposite Pluto 6:55pm |
| Thursday 20 | Mars opposite Pluto 11:26am |
| Friday 21 | Sun enters Cancer 11:54pm |
| Saturday 22 | Neptune goes Retrograde |
| Monday 24 | Venus opposite Jupiter 0:44am Venus square Neptune 5:58pm |
| Tuesday 25 | Last Quarter Moon 5:46pm |
| Thursday 27 | Mercury enters Leo 8:19am |
| Friday 28 | Sun sextiles Uranus 1:45am Sun square Chiron 3:59am |

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