

# Astrology Edmonton

Official Newsletter of the Edmonton Astrological Society

## *F.Y.I. : A Musing President*

by David Mulligan



I hope you all had eventful summers... especially those of you with early degree planets at Cardinal signs. Although having nothing in my natal chart at these crucial early degrees, I have noticed some interesting things occur tied into my progressed planets at these points. I look forward to hearing your life adventures when we meet this fall.

As you're all aware we have only two months to go before the society's elections in November. I would like to get you to start thinking about what role you might contribute to the new executive. Our Librarian has made a good start this past year on bringing our library up to a more usable standard and she has expressed plans for the future with it. If you're not interested in an executive role per se, you might find it rewarding to act as an assistant to the librarian in this ongoing project.

Alternatively, you might consider 'mentoring' one of the executive roles with a view to taking on the position in a future executive year. Our past president Julie Carlin has been making this suggestion for a little while and I think it's a really great one. Instead of stepping into a role that seems too demanding of time and effort to learn, you get to learn all the shortcuts to a job from an experienced person. The reward of being a contributor to the society's health and future is more than enough for some, but the incentive to make change happen (albeit slowly sometimes) is a great motivator for those who feel that the organization is always in the hands of only a few "inner circle" people.

Well enough proselytizing.

I know our program director has a great program lined up for September and October, and there is the idea floating about that we might have a one day social affair sometime in October. I hope that this idea gets some airing at our September meeting.

On that final point I have to apologize in advance for not being there at the September meeting. I will be tied at the office that evening until at least 7:30 or 8:00 and I need to be back at the office at 7:00 AM on the Saturday morning, so I know that I will not be able to attend. I am more than confident that, Betty, our vice President will conduct the business meeting with élan.

Yours in Service

David Mulligan

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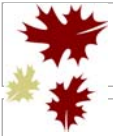
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EAS Conference Room 2nd Floor

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## Septembers Program :

This evening will begin with **Roger's Corner: *Cosmic Forces in the News*** followed by ***Astro Tidbits: The 12th House*** by Julie .

Our main presentation will be given by our very own **Inge**. She will be talking about the **Libra Ingress Chart**, what to watch for and perhaps even a few predictions as to possible turn outs for different events.

All in all this is an evening not to be missed !!



## **Astrology Classes by: Chris McRae, ISAR.CAP, NCGR.CA, PMAFA**

These classes are structured in a series of Semesters designed for study from beginners to advanced development. Chris has 40 years experience teaching both locally and globally. For further info on classes and registration, please [phone Chris at 780- 469-2974](tel:780-469-2974)

### **ASTROLOGY I: BEGINNERS COURSE... Commencing Tues. Sept. 7th, 2010**

Astrology is one of the most dynamic studies that can assist personal development through self-awareness. Due to the many profound thinkers that have entered its field, Astrology has reached profound levels of effectiveness applicable to the complexities of 21st Century living.

In this course, study your own personal dynamics through your birth chart and those of your loved ones. You will learn of its many uses, and build the language of Astrology through the meaning of signs, planets, houses, and planetary combinations called aspects. No previous knowledge is necessary. Ample hand-outs are supplied, including your own natal chart.

**10 Tuesday's commencing Sept 7th , 2010**

**Cost \$235.00**

### **ASTROLOGY III: PROGRESSIONS & TRANSITS ... Commencing Wed. Sept. 8th, 2010**

Life is not static. It is an ongoing developmental process. This is a very exciting semester because you learn how to move the natal chart through time by Progressions and Transits to determine the dynamics affecting your life at any time, particularly the present. You will not want to miss this opportunity to study further. However, knowledge of the natal chart basics is a necessary prerequisite.

**10 Wednesday's commencing Sept 8th, 2010**

**Cost \$235.00**

### **ASTROLOGY IV: EXPANDED CONCEPTS ... Commencing Thurs. Sept 9th, 2010**

In this semester we start seeing the chart as a whole through patterns such as Grand Trines, T-Squares, Grand Squares, Yods, Interceptions, and various other dynamics. With each semester we are able to get deeper and deeper into the essence of a chart.

**10 Thursday's commencing Sept 9th, 2010**

**Cost \$235.00**



## *Classes by:* Lesley Francis

### **Digging Deeper . . . Different Themes in Meditation - Sept 14, 21, Oct 5 & 12 7 to 9 p.m.**

Meditation is a tool for so much more than relaxation. Come and explore how it can be used to amplify your intuitive gifts, to set and manifest goals, to create affirmations and to remove blockages. These classes will also focus on different meditative techniques.

Classes can be taken individually or all together.

**Investment: \$150** (all four classes) or **\$45** per individual class (prices include GST)  
(Limited space; register early).

### **Angels**

**Oct 6 (Beaumont Public Library)**

**Oct 13 (Cathel Books, Camrose)**

**7 to 9 p.m.**

Open the door to the power of the angelic realm and find out how deeply connected you are to the guidance they offer. Discover the different kinds of angels and how you can call on them to assist you.

**Investment: \$45** (prices include GST)

### **The Mystery of Past Lives - Nov 2, 9, 16**

**7 to 9 p.m.**

Delve deep into previous incarnations and discover talents and gifts, challenges and difficulties, beliefs and patterns that you brought forward into the life you are living. Use the knowledge, the awareness, and the illumination that you find in this exploration to create a more rewarding, more effective life in the here and now.

**Investment: \$125** (includes GST)

## **COMING IN NOVEMBER**

One-day astrology workshop . . . topic and date TBA.

## **ROGERS: "Odds & Thoughts"** by Roger

Roger has been sending me tidbits from various News papers, (not in any particular sequence). I've chosen a few of these, wondering what **YOU** think might have been passing in the skies to even merit having them printed in the paper to start with.

### **April 27- Brazil - Brazilian health minister writes prescription for more sex**

Brazil's health minister has a remedy for the nation's high blood pressure problem: More sex. Minister Jose Temporao says a good cardiovascular workout includes sex.

### **April 28 - World - Jury's out for alleged Palin hacker**

The case against a man charged with hacking into Sarah Palin's email went to a federal jury yesterday in eastern Tennessee. David Kernell, 22, is accused of invading the then-Alaska governor's Yahoo email account in 2008 and exposing personal phone numbers and email addresses.

### **May 6 - Toronto- "Enigma machine" decode messages from our genes, researchers say**

Toronto researchers have unveiled an "Enigma machine" program that can decode the messages of our genes. Like the German decoding device captured by the Allies during the Second World War, the University of Toronto program can unlock the meaning of a garbled language – in this case, the cryptic orders that direct our genetic machinery.

## Astro Forecast: " Leo " written by Inge Lohse

July 23 to August 22

A Fixed Fire sign of positive polarity ruled by the Sun. Key Phrase: ' I Will '



Leo is represented by the lion. Often called the King of the Zodiac. Leos' understand the need for self-expression, and the principals of power. It is the function of the Sun to bestow upon the world: heat, light and life. It is the function of the sign of Leo to bestow upon humanity: love, kindness and generosity. The Sun in Leo operates best when they are the center of your universe (and everyone else's as well for that matter). Leo expects no more of anyone else than they would give themselves. You'll often find Leo in charge. They instinctively gravitate to playing the leadership role. So, the next time you see your favourite Leo, do shine the spotlight on them. They'll love you for it !

### *Forecast 2010 to 2011*

Powerful Pluto entered the sign of Capricorn at the end of November 2008. This is a quincunx aspect to your Leo Sun. All Pluto aspects bring changes. This transit in particular will frequently make you feel like there is no way out of a predicament - it's like being caught in a catch-22 situation - with no hope of finding a solution to the problem. The trick is to let go - walk away - accept the changes - deal with the losses - clear the decks and make new plans for your future. Pluto's transit through the constellation of Capricorn will take 16 years. So there is plenty of time for you to make the necessary adjustments.

Nebulous Neptune is still cruising along in the sign of Aquarius, and will continue until the year 2012. This really does make it difficult for you to define exactly who, or what, is, or is not, agreeing with you. Leo and Aquarius oppose each other. Neptune never quite unveils everything, all at the same time, only in bits and pieces. Neptune will tend to make you feel overly sensitive and you are really not sure why or what about.

Uranus is preparing to move out of the sign of Pisces and that means the 'mutual reception' with Neptune is almost over. Two planets in mutual reception with each other can seemingly take on each others' characteristics. In this case Neptune rules Pisces and is in the sign of Aquarius - conversely Uranus rules Aquarius and is in the sign of Pisces. Confusion at its finest - but - if you were paying attention - this aspect taught you to look beyond the obvious. From June to August 2010 Uranus makes a debut appearance into the sign of Aries. This will give you a sneak preview of what to expect when Uranus permanently enters the sign of Aries in March 2011. Uranus will then trine your Leo Sun for the next seven years. Whatever area of your life is in a rut, when Uranus comes knocking at your Sun's door, be prepared for a major jolt as you are about to get on solid ground. Uranus is a wake up call. Uranus is about independence and personal freedom - traveling the unbeaten path of life.

Practical Saturn moved into the sign of Libra in July 2010 and will sextile your Leo Sun for the next 2 years. Saturn's energy is exalted in the sign of Libra. Saturn is about boundaries, structures and guidelines. Although Saturn demands that you work hard and fulfill your commitments, Saturn also rewards you for a job well done. Transiting Saturn carries a measuring stick - it's report card time - what have you accomplished in the past and what can we accomplish in the future. During the next couple of years you are more focused on achievement. You find new ways to use your talents and show off your creativity. You are a serious contender in any project you undertake. During this transit Saturn will present you with many opportunities to be recognized by those you wish to attract.

Jupiter will transit three signs during your 2010 - 2011 solar year. Jupiter entered the sign of Pisces in January 2010 - makes a quick trip into Aries from June to September, then goes back into Pisces until January 2011. Jupiter has a short visit in Aries - from January until June 2011. In June 2011 Jupiter moves into the sign of Taurus, where it will reside until June 2012. And - what does that mean for Leo's - you ask. Well - it covers a lot of territory. From the sign of Pisces; transiting Jupiter quincunxes your Sun - This is about spiritual growth, rather than physical gratification - adjustments and revisions are on the menu. From the sign of Aries; transiting Jupiter trines your Sun - This is about growth, expansion and prosperity - you feel lucky - you think BIG - you are adventurous and can become a bit of a daredevil - this is the time to experience Jupiter's growth on a physical level. From the sign of Taurus; transiting Jupiter squares your Sun - Best be looking twice before you leap - watch your diet as Jupiter expands both mental and physical growth - keep your ego in check - and promise only what you can deliver.

## *Astro Forecast: " Virgo "* written by Inge Lohse

August 23 to September 22



A Mutable Earth sign of negative polarity ruled by the Mercury. Key Phrase: ' **I Analyze** '

Virgo is represented by the virgin; naive, but wise. Virgos are very meticulous and organized in everything they do. They are efficient and pay attention to details. There is only one way to do a job and that would be the Virgo way. You could say they are perfectionists. Virgo documents everything. (mentally and/or physically) Virgos make lists to make sure nothing is forgotten. Virgos use their excellent analytical skills every chance they get. The **UNIVERSAL STEERING COMMITTEE** is surely headed by a **VIRGO !!!**

### *Forecast 2010 to 2011*

Powerful Pluto moved into the sign of Capricorn at the end of November 2008. This aspect gives Virgo's the strength of Capricorn resolve. Pluto will stay in Capricorn until 2024, trining your Virgo Sun, giving you a powerful sense of self sufficiency, bringing out your inner strength to express yourself with confidence. This transit will purge what you no longer need and change the way you see YOU. This is a time of rebirth.

Nebulous Neptune from the sign of Aquarius is stressing out your Virgo Sun. Neptune distorts the picture. Aquarius instinctively comprehends. This aspect is about adjustments. Under the influence of this energy aspect, change is inevitable, growth is optional.

Uranus is in the sign of Pisces and will stay until 2011. This is an opposition to your Virgo Sun. Consider this to be your chance to take a look at the other side of things. The opposite viewpoint. Pisces is about your beliefs. Virgo is about doing it right. Your Virgo Sun will scrutinize and analyze everything to make sure it is not only correct, but, that it is perfectly logical as well. From June to August 2010 Uranus makes a debut appearance into the sign of Aries. This will give you a sneak preview of what to expect when Uranus permanently enters the sign of Aries in March 2011. Uranus will then quincunx your Sun for the next 7 years. This will be a time of adjustments and revisions.

Serious Saturn currently resides in the sign of Libra until 2012, right next door (semi-sextile) to your Virgo Sun. Saturn in Libra brings harmony and a spirit of co-operation in everything you do. Saturn in Libra will give you a statement of checks and balances in both your career and personal life. During this time you will scrutinize and dissect your relationships to determine their significance in your life. Saturn opens doors, recognizes your accomplishments and rewards your efforts.

Beneficial Jupiter will transit three signs during your 2010 - 2011 solar year. Jupiter entered the sign of Pisces in January 2010 - makes a quick trip in to Aries from June to September, then goes back into Pisces until January 2011. Jupiter has a short visit in Aries - from January until June 2011. In June 2011 Jupiter moves into the sign of Taurus, where it will reside until June 2012. From the sign of Pisces; transiting Jupiter will oppose your Virgo Sun - you will need to examine the strength of your beliefs and your innermost motives and principles. From the sign of Aries; transiting Jupiter will quincunx your Sun - best to use a pencil with an eraser during this time as adjustments and revisions will be the norm, rather than the exception. From the sign of Taurus; transiting Jupiter will trine your natal Sun - think BIG - life is grand in every way, both personally and professionally - you are extremely creative - your mind is crystal clear - your sense of humour is infectious - there are few downsides to this transit - so do enjoy it.

## *F.Y.I. Astrologically Speaking - Information Corner*

As you may or may not know, there are many Astrological Societies & magazines out there. This page is dedicated to informing our members about "What's Hot & Happening in the Astrological World". We welcome suggestions and any information you may come across that you'd like to see added to this section.

### **ForumOnAstrology - An Internet Conference - Oct. 1- 3rd, 2010**

Three Days of Live Video Broadcasts

[www.forumonastrology.com](http://www.forumonastrology.com)



**The Organization for Professional Astrology California -Astrologer's Retreat Oct. 20 - 23, 2010**

Take Your Practice to the Next Level For more information : [www.professional-astrology.org](http://www.professional-astrology.org)

### **SOTA (State of the Art) Astrology Conference- (Buffalo, N.Y.) October 21 - 25, 2010**

For more information go to the website at: [www.blog.donnnavantoen.com/2010/01/sota-2010-fees-registration.html](http://www.blog.donnnavantoen.com/2010/01/sota-2010-fees-registration.html)

### **International Academy of Astrology Breaking Down the Borders - Nov. 19 - 21, 2010**

The conference will be the first-ever three-day astrology conference held completely online. For more information go to: [www.astrologyconference.org](http://www.astrologyconference.org)



**The Northwest Astrological Conference (NORWAC)**

[www.astrologyetal.com/NORWAC/index.htm](http://www.astrologyetal.com/NORWAC/index.htm)



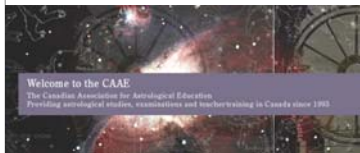
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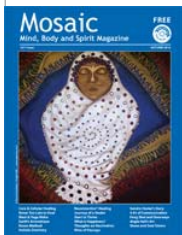
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**The Fraser Valley Astrological Guild**— This is an Astrological Society covering the Vancouver & Fraser Valley area of B.C.

[www.astrologyguild.com](http://www.astrologyguild.com)

**SAAS- Southern Alberta Astrological Society (Calgary)**- The Southern Alberta Astrological Society (S.A.A.S.) was founded by Paul Hewitt with two other volunteers. Paul is a full time veteran astrologer with over 25 years of experience, who also teaches astrology classes in Calgary. [www.saasociety.org](http://www.saasociety.org)



**Mosaic Magazine - Mind, Body and Spirit Magazine**— Alberta's unique magazine with heart and soul ~ promoting inner and outer health

[www.ilovemosaicmagazine.com](http://www.ilovemosaicmagazine.com)

## *EAS Elections :*

At the November meeting it will once again be up to the current membership to determine who our next Executive will be. With this in mind I hope when the nominating committee calls on you, you'll perhaps allow your name to stand for a position or two.

The positions that make up the EAS executive are as follows ; (These positions are held only for a year)

- Pres ident
- Vic e President
- Secretary
- Treasurer

The Directors positions are ;

- Me mbership
- Prog rams
- Library
- Ne wsletter
- Webmaster

Perhaps you would like to be an assistant to one of these positions (try before you apply) this too can be accommodated.

This society remains strong and vibrant due to not only our ever increasing membership, but also to those who volunteer their time to fill these positions and with that bring bright and new ideas.

So come out and vote .

**REMINDER - Membership fees are due at the end of October.**

## *ROGERS: "Odds & Thoughts"* Con't

### **May 6- Toronto - Stem cells put women at risk ?**

A team of Toronto researchers has pinpointed the molecular mechanism that may explain why women who undergo menopause late in life face a higher risk of breast cancer. Scientist from the Ontario Cancer Institute have found the ovarian hormone progesterone drives the production of stem cells in breast tissue, which creates an environment ripe for cancer. The finding provides an important clue to why a woman's reproductive history is a risk factor. Studies have shown women who have more than the average number of menstrual cycles— women who menstruate early and those who undergo menopause later in life are at increased risk of developing cancer. But until now, scientists did not understand the molecular basis for why progesterone is involved. "Our work establishes a direct connection between these hormones and the stem cells in the breast," said the study's principal investigator, Rama Khokha.

### **May 12 - Sweden - Cartoonist attacked by protester**

A Swedish artist who angered Muslims by depicting the Prophet Muhammad as a dog was assaulted yesterday as an angry protester interrupted his university lecture about the limits of artistic freedom. Lars Vilks said a man in the front row ran up to him and head-butted him during the lecture, breaking his glasses but leaving uninjured.

## What's coming up ...

- Sept. 10, 2010 **Meeting** of the Edmonton Astrological Society. Starts at 7:30 p.m.,  
2nd Floor of Condor Machinery
- Sept. 17, 2010 **Deadline** for the **October Newsletter**. Please send any articles or  
information to Joesy.
- Oct. 8, 2010 **Next** meeting of the Edmonton Astrological Society



## OCTOBER'S PROGRAM

October 8, 2010 Meeting

### Round Table Astro Discussion

What you've often wanted to know

- but didn't have the opportunity to ask
- There are no silly questions
- Just unanswered ones

Do bring your Mercury along - so we  
can all share our collective knowledge



## Membership Information:

The **EAS** welcomes all like minded Astrologers and Astrology Students to become a member and enjoy the fellowship. Our year is from Nov. to Oct. excluding July & August.

### **EAS MEMBERSHIP INCLUDES:**

- Attendance at all monthly meetings
- Reduced fees at events hosted by the **EAS**
- Voting privileges
- Access to **EAS** library books, tapes and archives
- **EAS** monthly Newsletter 10 issues per year.

(Members only can serve on the Executive committee)

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The EAS was founded 32 years ago on: **Dec. 10th., 1977** in Edmonton, AB. at **1:58 PM MST**

The prime directive of the Society is to create an environment to practice, grow, and share Astrological information & philosophies with Astrologers and students alike.