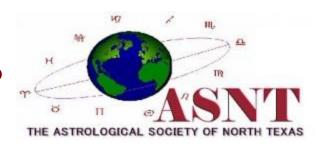
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Welcome to the Astrological Society of North Texas!

Meetings -

Join us Sunday, April 12, 2015 at 1:30 pm, at 1st Jefferson Unitarian Universalist Church for our meeting with Diane Eichenbaum. In an exciting lecture from local Dallas-area Astrologer Diane Eichenbaum, we will learn techniques that she uses when interpreting natal

charts. She is a respected astrologer, psychic and teacher of metaphysics. Her expertise is based on 30 years of intensive spiritual work and she has a loyal

client base across the globe. She regularly contributes to The Dallas Morning News and appears on national radio and television programs. At our meeting she will be using the chart of noted British pioneering computer scientist Alan Turing as



an example. Turing's work with cryptography and code breaking helped the Allies defeat the Nazis in World War II, and he created blueprints that were used to create the world's first personal computer. In the United Kingdom during the early 1900's, Turing was convicted of indecency for homosexual acts, which were then considered criminal offenses. You may have seen the movie that came out last year about Alan Turing called "The Imitation Game" where Turing is played by Benedict Cumberbatch.

Below is a map to the church:



ASNT March 2015 Minutes:

Marie opened the meeting at 1:43 p.m. by asking Debbie to introduce the guests. Though there were 13 members and no guests in attendance, Barbara and Cindy from Ennis and Waxahachie re-introduced themselves. They are unable to attend often but hope to attend more in the future. Marie shared the Treasurer's report. She then opened the floor for new business.

Wayne Hall asked the members to mark their calendars for November 6, 7 and 8, when ASNT will be hosting David Cochrane as our annual workshop speaker. David will present his original work as well as a discussion of the Fibonacci numbers. More details regarding the workshop will follow in the months ahead. Wayne added that ASNT is working to bring Frank Clifford to speak at an April 2016 workshop. Some discussion followed regarding ASNT's plans to advertise the workshops. Wayne also suggested ASNT consider funding speakers in advance of their speaking engagement so prominent speakers can be scheduled in 2017 and beyond.

Next month's speaker will be Diane Eichenberg with no meeting in May. The speaker scheduled for June had to cancel; if anyone has the name of someone who might be able to speak, contact Christy Hall. Wayne stated he will be updating the website soon and will be adding a link to order recordings from past meetings.

Marie introduced Naomi Bennett. Naomi has been an astrologer for 45 years and teaches a classic astrology that emphasizes the fundamentals as it applies to natal astrology and world events in mundane astrology. Naomi brought 10 copies of her newly published book, Foundations of Astrology, which she offered for sale at a 20% discount. Naomi stated her mentor was Carl Payne Toby, and she offered a couple of his books for sale. She then began a discussion of the history of astrology and America's founding fathers as well as the importance of fractal geometry in our lives. Additionally, she expounded on the discovery of the Goddess Nut in the interior lid of a Coptic sarcophagus, why planets appear in the order we accept today, and whole signs and the equal house system.



Well Hello Spring!

What a great time to be an ASNT member! Our future looks bright with the visionary leadership of my fellow board members! In efforts to secure some well-known and choice speakers, we are working to lock in their speaking engagements far in advance not only to be sure to get the date, but to ensure that we can advertise and invite other organizations to the events. Many thanks to Christy and Wayne Hall for their fantastic efforts here and even their frequent traveler awards contributions to the travel costs involved for our speakers to come to town!

So, as we brace ourselves for round two on the spring eclipse pattern, what's poised to fast forward in your life? With the Full Moon Lunar Eclipse in Libra, what needs some balance out there? (Okay, don't make your list too long!) Our savings grace is when the great benefic Jupiter goes direct in Leo four days after the eclipse, so you get to charge forward with confidence. Something or someone will have made that teeter-tottering balancing act you've been doing come to a head and the path will be clear. If not now, within two weeks or a month to the day after the eclipse. Personally, my balancing act has run out and I literally fell off my feet. I'm nursing a badly twisted, possibly fractured ankle as I write this!

Our next meeting on April 8th should be an exciting one, so be sure to attend! We are looking forward to Diane Eichenbaum discussing the chart of Alan Turing, the man who lead his team to "crack the code" of the Nazi's during WWII that was the essential component to enable the ally forces to position against Hitler. This was made into a wonderful movie (The Imitation Game) that showed during the holidays and is on pay-per view now. If you haven't seen it, you might want to before our meeting. Diane will discuss not only his chart, but her method of interpreting natal charts that she uses with her world-wide 15,000+ clientele.

Marie Loeb, ASNT President 2015



State of the Planets

Making sure a planet is direct and in good aspect for activities represented by their rulership, we find that-

Sun – is exalted in Aries until his ingress to Taurus on April 20.

Venus – is happy in Taurus, then ingresses to Gemini April 11th Venus' ingress into Gemini finds herself in opposition to Saturn, giving more pronounced and serious observations.

Mars – is in his detriment in Taurus, but will sextile Neptune on April 12, and will trine Pluto on April 21st.

Jupiter – Stations Direct April 8th in Leo.

Pluto stations Retrograde in Capricorn at 15 degrees April 16th. A Pluto station on one of your planets can be sneaky, causing total breakdowns and rebuilding scenarios.

A planet should also be in good aspect to the moon for its desired effect.

Local Moon for April~ Full moon lunar eclipse April 4th @ 14 γ 24. This eclipse is square Pluto. New moon on April 18th @ 28 γ 25.



Apr 15, 2015 4:37 PM Moo Sxtil Plu V/C 1:57 PM Sun Conj Moo V/C Apr 18, 2015 Apr 19, 2015 6:07 PM Moo Trine Plu V/C Apr 22, 2015 12:38 AM Moo Sxtil Ura V/C Apr 25, 2015 8:13 AM Moo enters Leo Apr 27, 2015 8:07 PM Moo enters Virgo Apr 30, 2015 9:03 AM Moo enters Libra

Apr 2, 2015 4:01 AM Moo Trine Ven V/C 2:07 AM Apr 3, 2015 Moo enters Libra Apr 4, 2015 10:58 AM Moo Oppos Ura V/C Apr 5, 2015 2:04 PM Moo enters Scorpio Apr 7, 2015 3:42 PM Moo Oppos Ven V/C Apr 8, 2015 12:08 AM Moo enters Sagittarius Apr 9, 2015 12:42 PM Sun Trine Moo V/C Apr 10, 2015 7:47 AM Moo enters Capricorn Apr 12, 2015 3:15 AM Moo Sqr Mer V/C Apr 12, 2015 12:44 PM Moo enters Aquarius Apr 14, 2015 2:45 PM Moo Sxtil Mer V/C Apr 14, 2015 3:12 PM Moo enters Pisces

Note: Times are for time zone 6 hours West. DST is observed.

 Apr 16, 2015
 4:00 PM
 Moo enters Aries

 Apr 18, 2015
 4:31 PM
 Moo enters Taurus

 Apr 20, 2015
 6:28 PM
 Moo enters Gemini

 Apr 24, 2015
 12:04 PM
 Moo Sxtil Mer V/C

 Apr 27, 2015
 9:12 AM
 Moo Sqr Mer V/C

 Apr 30, 2015
 7:23 AM
 Moo Trine Mer V/C

The moon is a developing power and the final aspect indicates outcome of any venture under consideration. In selecting the day and hour for taking an action we base our decision to act or not on what she advises according to her final aspect "when all is said and done" If she is void of course the matter is also inactive with no harm done. If in Mutable and cadent houses, the issue may not end up as planned. A besieged moon is under duress and is prevented from acting freely. – In the beginning astrology, Ivy G Jacobson

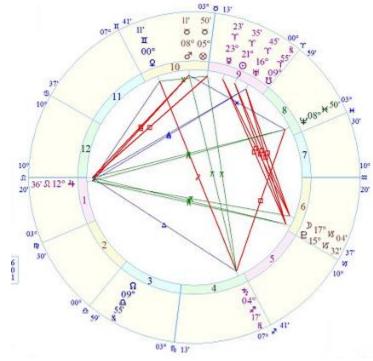
April Birthday Returns



Happy Birthday to Sandra and Dee, two of our favorite Aries! Sandra's solar return this year has the Sun in the 9th house, with Mercury and Uranus, showing a lot of bright ideas in formation. There is a square from moon and Pluto in the 6th, and so the ideas are not always meshing with feelings, and there may be overreactions to 6th house issues. The goal is to take the bright ideas from the 9th and combine them in a Generous, creative way (Jupiter in Leo on Asc), to make something practical (Taurus on

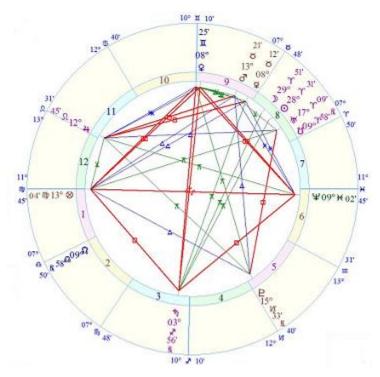
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predominance of fire and cardinal planets and only one air and water planet can make you impulsive and expend your energy in many different directions. With creative Leo on the ascendant and a packed 9th house, it is a great time to study or go to classes that inspire you and give you an outlet for artistic skills. Moon in the 6th can make you sensitive to the needs of others in your work, and the moon and Pluto in the 6th can also indicate illness and work related to emotional or psychological stress. With Mars, ruler of the 9th square Jupiter, it is important to avoid going to extremes regarding your beliefs, or to over-schedule yourself. With Jupiter in the first house it is important to believe in yourself,



and you must adjust your actions and habits (yod with Neptune, Moon and Pluto) accordingly.

Dee's Solar return shows a prominent



Venus square Neptune, which rules the natal 9th, promises more 9th house issues this year and they should be pleasant. With Neptune on 7, I would be wary of contracts with people, and you may end up helping someone who is ill or someone you know may become ill. Venus, ruler of the 2nd house, and Sun and moon are in the 8th, the stress is on finances and shared resources. The new moon shows a new project, or new money accounts. There may be a change or anxiety regarding economic compromises. Mercury and Mars square Jupiter show enthusiasm and optimism for the future, but you may be inclined to overschedule or be impulsive. Pluto in the 5th can indicate a change with a child, and the ruler of the 5th

is opposite Venus, ruler of the 5th from the 5th, showing birth or a new project for them.

The preceding solar return interpretations are in no way comprehensive, if you would like to share your thoughts with their owners. ©

Become a member of ASNT! Dues are \$35.00 per year, and help us to have exciting speakers and pay for our room. Renewal is \$25.00. See Debbie at the next meeting.

Claire Shepard will have classes this year, you can contact her at 817-585-1089 and Mary Burke-Kelly is offering Accutonics and facials her number is 817-918-3939.

If you are in Central Texas, visit the Astrological Society of Austin. You can find out about their meetings at www.meetup.com/Astrological-Society-of-Austin.

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Psalm 19 1-3

The heavens declare the glory of God. The skies proclaim the work of his hands. Day after day they pour forth speech. Night after night they display knowledge. There is no speech or language where their voice is not known