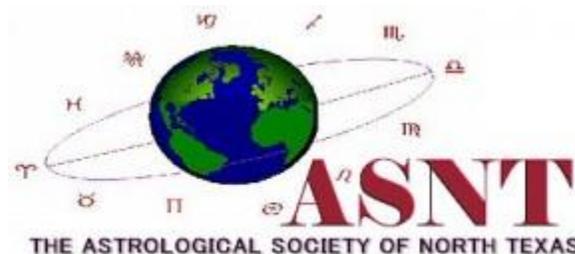


*The Vertex*

# Newsletter



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**November 2017    Welcome to the Astrological Society of North Texas!**

Join us Sunday, November 12, 2017 at 1:30 pm, 1st Jefferson Universalist Church,  
For a “Group Discussion”

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Every other month, ASNT hosts a Group Exercise where we discuss an Astrological topic (or two) in a peer-to-peer fashion. If you're new, bring your questions and if you're experienced, bring your knowledge. If you're middle, bring both! No preparation or homework is required. This month, we will discuss the following two topics, and the group will majority vote on which one we start with first.

- Chart Ruler and It's House Placement
- Tightest Aspect in the Chart

Bring your chart with you (or any chart) and we'll discuss how to find these items, what they might mean and explore as much as we can with the knowledge in the room.

\$10.00 for non-members and \$5.00 for dues paying ASNT members.



Has anyone ever told you how important you are to our Astrological Community?

Take the fact that you're reading our newsletter – that in itself shows that you are expanding your mind and engaging with a local group dedicated to being a source of education about astrology. Like-minded people, when banded together with a common goal, can accomplish so much.

Where we focus our attention indicates what we value. We have technological advances that could drop the jaw of Benjamin Franklin and the fact is we have a lot of it going towards paying the most money to whoever can keep our attention on an advertisement for *just three seconds longer* in between cat videos on our phones. I will admit, though – those cats melt my heart every time, and the picture on my phone is more vibrant than ever before, and I don't even have a very new one.

Speaking of focusing attention, last month, we banded together for our Monthly Member meeting and gathered around a large television to meet remotely with Kimberly McSherry from Houston. She shared interesting insights about Jupiter in Scorpio just a few days before the ingress occurred. This event opened up a completely new world of remote speakers. If you know of someone outside our normal reach who might want to share their astrological knowledge with us, drop me or any of our Board members a note and we'll reach out to them.

And speaking of Board members, we gained one new Board member this past month! Chris Unzicker was nominated and approved to be our new Technology Chair. Thank you, Chris, for coming forward and filling one of the three open spots on the ASNT Board. Now we only have Publicity and 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President of Programs positions to fill in order to have a full board. Should anyone else feel like joining, it would be greatly appreciated, as the more we have that join, the easier it becomes to serve the community due to the better ideas, the more diverse support and the more distributed resources.

We hope you'll join us for our upcoming November Group Exercise as we continue working towards making this group into what serves you best, and please continue to provide feedback to any of us as to how we can best perform that goal.

You are important to us and we hope to see you.

Astrologically Yours,

Wayne Hall

ASNT President 2017-present

# State of the Planets for November ~



**Conjunctions** - Dynamic, emphatic energy.

**Sextiles** – Finding assistance; opportunities.

**Square** –Challenges requiring action.

**Trine** –Success if worked and controlled.

**Opposition** – Awareness brings balance.

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

 **Sun (Illuminates, finds success)** – **Conjunctions** : none. **Sextiles**: Pluto Nov. 9th. **Squares**: none. **Trines**: Neptune Nov. 3rd. **Oppositions**: none.

The **Sun** starts the month in devoted **Scorpio**, and ingresses to far-seeing **Sagittarius** on Nov.21st. While the Sun is in Scorpio it is a good time to come to a decision about things you were “weighing” in Libra. Sagittarius is pictured as a centaur with bow and arrow. It is a good time to set your sights on future plans, or try to relate to people and beliefs from a place that is different from your own.

## *Traditional Planets Aspects and Stations:*

 **Mercury (Reasons, extends)** – **Conjunctions**: Saturn Nov. 28. **Sextiles**: Mars Nov. 17th. **Squares**: Neptune Nov.13th. **Trines**: Uranus Nov.25th. **Oppositions**: none. **Mercury** ingresses to far-seeing **Sagittarius** Nov.5th, and reaches 28 degrees Sagittarius by the end of the month. Try to keep a level head and your feet on the ground when Mercury squares Neptune this month especially if you have any planets at 11’ 29” mutable signs (Gemini, Virgo, Sagittarius, Pisces). Mercury goes out of bounds this month on November 9th, with a tendency to push the limits, creating an atmosphere where you may over-think things or say too much.

 **Venus (Harmonizes,enjoys)** –**Conjunctions**: Jupiter Nov. 13th. **Sextiles**: Saturn Nov. 3rd, Pluto Nov. 21st. **Squares**: none. **Trines**: Neptune Nov.16th. **Oppositions**: Uranus Nov. 4th. **Venus** ingresses to devoted **Scorpio** Nov. 7th, reaching 29 degrees Scorpio by the end of the month. After a rocky start to the month, when Venus opposes Uranus at 25’ 54” of Libra/Aries, she will make a beautiful conjunction to Jupiter on the 13th.



**Mars (Initiates, energizes)** – **Conjunctions:** none. **Sextiles:** Mercury Nov. 17th. **Squares:** Pluto Nov. 19th. **Trines:** none. **Oppositions:** none. **Mars** moves from 6 to 24 degrees in fair-minded **Libra**. The square of Mars to Pluto this month at 17' 30" of Libra and Capricorn can unbalance Mars with the Libra scales this month, with either stifled, over-cautious energy or intense ambition. Mars can also indicate accidents and is bringing in the energy of unpredictable Uranus, which is in Mar's sign so be safe especially if you have planets in the cardinal signs (Aries, Cancer, Libra, Capricorn) within 3 to 5 degrees of 17' 30".



**Jupiter (Generous, expands)** – **Conjunctions:** Venus Nov. 13th. **Sextiles:** none. **Squares:** none. **Trines:** none. **Oppositions:** none. **Jupiter** moves from 4 to 11 degrees in tenacious **Scorpio**, and has been keeping things real and ethical as it disposes Saturn's stern energy through law and order. It went through a tough time as it opposed rebellious Uranus this year



**Saturn ( Stabilizes, tests)** – **Conjunctions:** Mercury Nov. 28th. **Sextiles:** Venus Nov. 3rd. **Squares:** none. **Trines:** Uranus Nov. 11th. **Oppositions:** none. **Saturn** is completing its transit through **Sagittarius**, moving from 24 to 27 degrees this month. It has been a hard road for us as we have been tested regarding our beliefs and behaviors regarding people that are different from ourselves, what we promote and publish, and our ability to play by the rules.

### *Modern Aspects and Stations:*



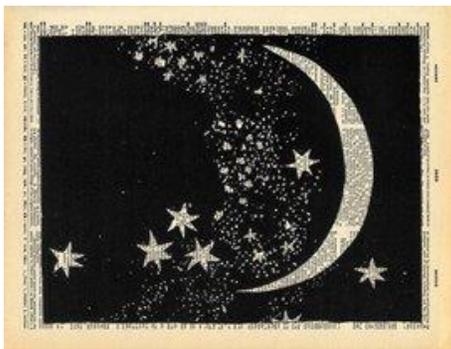
**Uranus (innovates, rebels)** – **Conjunctions:** none. **Sextiles:** none. **Squares:** none. **Trines:** Saturn Nov. 11th, Mercury Nov. 25th. **Oppositions:** Venus Nov.4th. **Uranus** is retrograde at 25 degrees in bold **Aries**.



**Neptune (Inspires, illudes)** – **Conjunctions:** none. **Sextile:** none. **Squares:** Mercury Nov 13th. **Trines:** Sun Nov 3rd, Venus Nov.16th. **Oppositions:** none. **Neptune's** energy is strong this month and it **stations direct** at 11 degrees of idealistic **Pisces** on Nov. 22nd.



**Pluto (Transforms, polarizes)** – **Conjunctions:** none. **Sextiles:** Sun Nov. 9th, Venus Nov. 21st. **Squares:** Mars Nov. 19th. **Trines:** none. **Oppositions:** none. **Pluto** stays within one degree of 17 degrees in serious **Capricorn**.



*Local Moon* for November ~ **The Full Moon** is at 11♊58 on November 4th, and the **New Moon** is at 26♋19 on November 18th.

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

Nov 1, 2017	1:43 AM	Moo enters Aries	Nov 15, 2017	6:50 PM	Moo Sxtil Sat V/C
Nov 2, 2017	10:03 PM	Moo Conj Ura V/C	Nov 16, 2017	2:19 AM	Moo enters Scorpio
Nov 3, 2017	4:46 AM	Moo enters Taurus	Nov 18, 2017	5:42 AM	Sun Conj Moo V/C
Nov 5, 2017	3:28 AM	Moo Oppos Mer V/C	Nov 18, 2017	12:59 PM	Moo enters Sagittarius
Nov 5, 2017	4:26 AM	Moo enters Gemini	Nov 20, 2017	6:26 PM	Moo Conj Sat V/C
Nov 7, 2017	4:39 AM	Moo Trine Ven V/C	Nov 21, 2017	1:14 AM	Moo enters Capricorn
Nov 7, 2017	4:44 AM	Moo enters Cancer	Nov 23, 2017	4:33 AM	Moo Sqr Ura V/C
Nov 8, 2017	11:14 PM	Moo Sqr Ura V/C	Nov 23, 2017	2:14 PM	Moo enters Aquarius
Nov 9, 2017	6:29 AM	Moo enters Leo	Nov 25, 2017	8:37 PM	Moo Sxtil Sat V/C
Nov 11, 2017	2:55 AM	Moo Trine Ura V/C	Nov 26, 2017	2:04 AM	Moo enters Pisces
Nov 11, 2017	10:41 AM	Moo enters Virgo	Nov 28, 2017	6:09 AM	Moo Sqr Mer V/C
Nov 13, 2017	9:45 AM	Moo Sqr Sat V/C	Nov 28, 2017	10:30 AM	Moo enters Aries
Nov 13, 2017	5:26 PM	Moo enters Libra	Nov 30, 2017	12:37 PM	Moo Trine Mer V/C
			Nov 30, 2017	2:38 PM	Moo enters Taurus
			Dec 1, 2017	7:53 PM	Moo Trine Plu V/C

It has been said that the placement and condition of the moon will indicate the circumstances surrounding the beginning of your endeavor, and the planet that rules the sign the moon is in will indicate the circumstances surrounding the outcome of your endeavor also, Ivy Jacobson has said that 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.

## Happy Birthday to Scorpio and Sagittarius members!



## *Our Professionals -*



### **Christy Hall**

Has a Level 1 NCGR Certification, a diploma from the AstroPsychology program taught by Glenn Perry, and has been a practicing astrologer since 2009. She is currently on the ASNT board as our Programs Director. You can reach her at 972-275-1682



### **Donna Henson**

Donna is a professional astrologer, lecturer, counselor and author who has worked with astrology since the age of 10. She has certification from the AFA, ISAR, and NCGR (level IV) and teaches all levels of astrology. She has served on the board of ASNT and has been president 5 terms. You can reach her at 817-589-1676.



### **Sandra Moore Williams**

Sandra has 21 years experience as an astrologer and 19 years as a certified Personalist/Face Reader. She served on the board of ASNT as the Programs Director for 10 years, and was ASNT President for 4 terms. You can reach her at [sandra@sandramoorewilliams.com](mailto:sandra@sandramoorewilliams.com) or 817-531-1661.

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](http://www.meetup.com/Astrological-Society-of-Austin).



We will discuss the upcoming UAC Conference at our meeting.



# Have A Great Thanksgiving



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## **2017 ASNT Board Members**

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*Secretary - Christy Hall*

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