

The T.O.S. Village News

(The Theosophical Order of Service)

31 October 2016

Coming Events

- * **Taizé Meditation** - 7 November 2016 @ 6pm
Liberal Catholic Church, Lacey St Perth
- * **TOS Healing Meditation** - Sunday, 20 November 16 @ 2pm. TS main hall, 21 Glendower St, Perth.
- * **TOS Committee Meeting** - Sunday, 20 November 16 @ 3pm. TS Main Hall, 21 Glendower St, Perth.
- * **Meet & Greet** - Dianne Kynaston, National TS Speaker, Tuesday 22 November after Dianne's talk.
- * **Movie "The Fencer"** - Sunday 29 November 16 @ Cinema Paradiso, Northbridge. Movie - time to be advised later. Before the movie join us for Coffee at the Dome across the road.

Welcome to the Village

We have a movie! There has been slim picking in recent times. Put Sunday afternoon, 29 November in your diary. We will announce the session time when the Luna Cinema publishes the times. There is a flyer at the end of this newsletter.

The Kanyana Supper/talk was a success. There was an abundance of food. Usually the TOS committee donates the food, which they did again this time. However our TOS members also generously bought in food. Thank you very much to those TOS members and committee members who donated food.

It was a successful fund raising evening. We raised a total of \$477.40, which is broken down to \$360 for meals, \$51 from the raffle and \$66.40 for the stall.

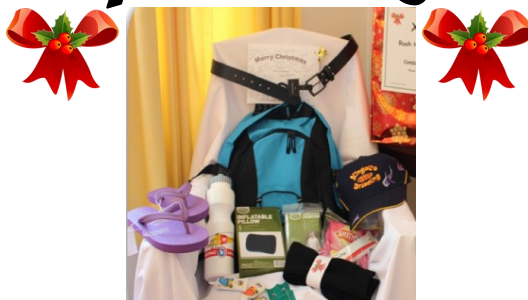
Next time we have a stall, check out the books. Becky has been finding some excellent spiritual books and the range is very eclectic. If you want to bury your nose in a good book, Becky's books are a great place to start.

Finally, Dianne Kynaston, National TS Lecturer, is giving a talk titled 'The Great River of Evolution' on Tuesday 22 November. It is sure to be a fascinating talk. She is a skilled and well informed speaker. After her presentation, the TOS will host a "Meet & Greet" to introduce Dianne to the members. This will be a gold coin donation event with light nibbles. Dianne fully supports the TOS work and we are grateful that she accepted our invitation.

Best wishes

Rhonda Phillips,
TOS Chairperson tosperth@gmail.com

RUAH Backpacks Xmas 2016



Donations for the RUAH backpacks of cash or EFT will be accepted up until **10 November 16**. We are closing off on this date to give us time to buy the goodies and compile the backpacks.

TOS Bendigo Bank
BSB: 633-000 Account: 116559105
Reference: RUAH & your name

Kanyana to the Rescue

Chris Todd of Kanyana Wildlife Sanctuary along with her colleague **Audrey** gave an informative presentation on the work of Kanyana in preserving and rescuing our local wild life.



Kanyana was founded in the 1970 in June and Lloyd Butcher's home in Gooseberry Hill. Kanyana rapidly expanded and today is a Wildlife Hospital, endangered species breeding program, scientific research and resident animals.

Kanyana receives no government funding and operates on donations and volunteers. Hard working volunteers look after more than 2600 animals every year. There is an education team, enrichment, transport and maintenance teams.

Wild life Emergency

Kanyana Wildlife (08) 9291 3900 (8am-8pm)
WILDCARE Helpline (08) 9474 9055 (until late)

Please Note: All sick, injured and orphaned wild-life will be cold, shocked, highly stressed and dehydrated. Injured wildlife, other than orphans, will adopt what is called the preservation reflex. They will mask their pain and injuries at all costs in order to appear normal. Appearances can be deceptive to the untrained observer. Native animals are particularly susceptible to stress and this alone is enough to kill them.

Thank you Chris & Audrey

TOS MEMBERSHIP FORM

I _____ (first name) _____ (Surname)
wish to join the Theosophical Order of Service – Western Australian Incorporated.

My address: _____

My email: _____@_____

My Phone number: _____

Annual Membership Fee: \$5.00

Cheque to: "The Theosophical Order of Service"
Mail to: TOS, C/- 21 Glendower St, Perth, 6000

Or

EFT \$5.00 in to the TOS Bendigo Bank
BSB: 633-000 Account: 116559105
Reference: Your full name

And send an email to tosperth@gmail.com advising of the deposit including your name, address and phone number.



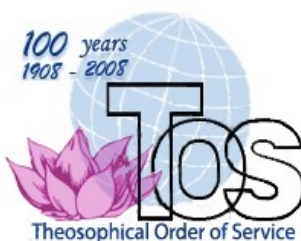
Happy photos from the Kanyana Talk



The Link of Hearts Healing Meditation

Anne Bower is coordinating a team of Meditators who will provide long distance healing to people on our TOS healing list. The person's name will remain on the list for one month and during that time the team will regularly send healing energy.

Contact Anne on tosperth@gmail.com or 0408 784 443



The Theosophical Order of Service - WA Inc.

We are a humanitarian service group who work to help others, near and far, and in the process transform ourselves.

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New members are welcome, however it is not necessary to be a member to attend our functions.

You are welcome.



November movie fund raiser

An audience favourite at the 2016 Scandinavian Film Festival, Klaus Härö's elegantly crafted, multi award-winning drama is set in post-war, Soviet-occupied Estonia, and movingly depicts the true story of fencing master Endel Neils, who risked his life to give a group of children something to believe in.

It's 1953, and Endel (Märt Avandi) is on the run. With his war-time affiliations catching up with him, he eludes the secret police in Leningrad and flees to a remote Estonian village. There he tries to keep a low profile by taking a menial job in the sports department at the local school, but his efforts to give the students a proper physical education are quickly frustrated by a lack of resources.



But once Endel – a skilled fencer – locates a few foils in the gym, he starts an after-school club for the kids, who for their part are eager to learn. Yet the strong rapport he builds with his young students only raises the ire of the party-loyalist school principal, who's already suspicious of his past. Soon it's impossible for Endel to avoid attention.

This beautifully acted and stunningly-shot film is a deeply affecting and memorable story of compassion, sacrifice and bravery against the odds.

2016 Golden Globe nominee – Best Foreign Language Film

2016 Academy Awards – Best Foreign Language Film (SHORTLIST)

2016 Finnish Academy Awards – Best Film, Best Cinematography

2016 Palm Springs International Film Festival – Best Film

When: Sunday 29 November – **Time TBA**

Where: Cinema Paradiso

Note: *Meet at the Dome café across the road for a cuppa and socialising.*

