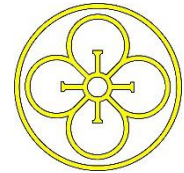


Celebrating Ceridwen's Cauldron of Poetic Inspiration

Midsummer weekend in Penwith, Cornwall

24-26 June 2022

led by Peter & Sarah Dawkins, and Swami Aliananda Paramahansa



This will be a weekend of celebrating the poetic inspiration of the land in beautiful Penwith, the western end of Cornwall and root chakra of the Three Lands (Scotland-Ireland-Britain) of the British Isles. Ceridwen's cauldron is symbolic of the land, and is a holy grail whose magical contents inspire those who drink of it with poetry, prophecy, vision, beauty, wisdom and knowledge, which is enlightenment. The Celts called this *Awen*.

The great goddess of these Three Lands was known to the Celts as the Triple Goddess, Ceridwen. Her nine maidens or attendants breathe on the fire beneath the cauldron so as to keep the brew at the right temperature. The root chakra of the British Isles is a prime position for breathing on this fire, which lies beneath the cauldron, to help the land become beautiful and those within it, who partake of its magical potion, to achieve *Awen*.

There is, of course, a deep wisdom, knowledge and underlying power in all this. We will explore this and the landscape with meditations, talks, teachings, kriya yoga breathing, Paneurhythmy, excursions to key geomantic and poetic areas of the landscape, and with anything else we are inspired with.

- Peter will lead us in the meditations, talks, and attunements to the landscape, etc.
- Sarah will lead us in the Paneurhythmy.*
- Swami Aliananda Paramahansa will lead us in the kriya yoga.**

**Paneurhythmy (which can be translated as Cosmic Harmony and Rhythm) is a sacred meditation in motion, with meaningful gestures and movements, with or without music and song, that connects us with Nature, the Universe and each other.*

***Kriya Yoga is about aligning ourselves with our heavenly breath, the breath of peace, the breath of the Supreme Soul.*

Information

Venue

Queens Hotel, The Promenade, Penzance, Cornwall, TR18 4HG.

Website: www.queens-hotel.com

Programme

The weekend will begin on Friday evening with an introductory talk at the Queens Hotel.

It will be followed on Saturday morning with a meditation, a second talk, and some Kriya Yoga and Paneurhythmy. During Saturday afternoon we propose to visit Chapel Carn Brea, Caer Bartinney, and Chapel Euny Holy Well, which will involve a short drive by car and a round trip walk of about 2.3 miles. The day will be concluded back at the Queens Hotel with a sharing plus questions and answers session, finishing around 6:00 pm.

On Sunday morning we will have another meditation, a third talk, and some more Kriya Yoga and Paneurhythmy. During Sunday afternoon we will visit some other part of West Penwith that calls us and is practical, such as Cape Cornwall or the Lands End and Sennen Cove coastal paths, or simply revisit Carn Brae, etc, for further attunements and insights. The day and weekend will be concluded back at the Queens Hotel with a further sharing and a summary, finishing around 6:00 pm.

Talks

The talks will explain something of the importance and mystery of the British Isles, its esoteric function within the world as a whole, its landscape energy pattern, and the role of Cornish Penwith as an essential part of this. We aim to weave together and explain such poetic, mythological topics as the Cauldron of Ceridwen, the Swan Maidens' Breaths, the Holy Grail, the Triple Goddess, the Pleiades, Hyperborea, Hesperides, and Blessed Isles of the West, and the symbolism of the Bull, Boar and Swan of these lands.

Deeper insights and inspirations will undoubtedly come from our being together in this sacred landscape, and sharing such insights, inspirations and knowledge we might have of these things.

Cost

£75 per person

(The cost is a fee covering attendance only. It does not include costs of travelling to, from or during the weekend event, food, drink, accommodation, car-parking, personal insurance, or any other possible costs.)

Booking

Email sarah@zoence.co.uk

Cars

Cars will be required for visiting the sites. Please either bring your own to travel in, or arrange with another participant to travel in his or her car. We hope to arrange, with car sharing, the

use of as few cars as possible. When booking, please let us know your needs or what you can provide in terms of car sharing.

Meals

Please bring your own lunch on Saturday and Sunday; or, if preferred, sandwiches can be pre-ordered on the day and supplied at the Queens Hotel.

Friday and Saturday evening dinners are available at the Queens Hotel, or at the many restaurants and pubs in the locality. Because of the time of the year, pre-booking is essential for dining at the Queens Hotel, and probably almost certainly essential elsewhere.

Leaders

Peter Dawkins

Peter Dawkins is a philosopher, seer, author and geomancer, who gives teaching and training in the core truths of the Western wisdom traditions, and conducts geocosmological pilgrimages, educational tours and mystery schools in special landscapes of the world. He is the founder of Zoence Academy, which he runs in partnership with his wife Sarah. He is also founder of the Francis Bacon Research Trust, of which he is the principal, and a co-founder of Gatekeeper Trust, of which he is now an elder.

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Sarah Dawkins

Sarah is a partner with her husband Peter of Zoence Academy. She is also secretary of the Francis Bacon Research Trust, and elder of Gatekeeper Trust. Sarah organises, teaches and leads workshops and pilgrimages internationally, including Paneurhythmy.

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Swami Aliananda Paramahansa

Swami Aliananda Paramahansa,¹ known to her family and close friends as Beth Holman, was trained by the Nainital Mahavatar Babaji,² who gave Beth her honorific spiritual name as a Kriya Yoga master and sent her on a World Peace Mission with the task of teaching Kriya Yoga in the West. Over the years Aliananda has taught extensively in many European countries and in the USA. Her centre is at the Queens Hotel, Penzance.

www.kriyayoga.org.uk; www.worldpeacemission.com

¹ Aliananda = *Alia* = 'exalted, sublime' + *nanda* = 'joy, delight, happiness'.
Paramahansa = *parama* = 'supreme' + *hansa* (*hamsa*) = 'swan'.

² For more information see: www.peterdawkins.com/the-mahavatar-babaji.