

## Members' News and Notices

### Ingemar Warnstrom Launch of University

The UGWB will be launched in mid-September in Southern Sweden with a pilot group of around 30 students. Network Member and UGWB supporter Prof. Henryk Skolimowski will be present at the inauguration and will teach a course. One of the issues they are facing is that of accrediting a course based on new ideas and values. Ingemar hopes that the initiative will herald the establishment of a worldwide network of small universities. The purpose of UGWB is to investigate and present models for how human beings can live in peace and harmony with their environment, experience meaningful lives, faith in the future, joy and personal development; and to initiate projects aimed at this end. Tel/fax: +46 40 6117898. Web site: <http://home2.swipnet.se/~w-29844/ugwb/index.html> Email: [canhelp@swipnet.se](mailto:canhelp@swipnet.se)

### Igor Grigorjev Experiments on Psychoemotional States (PES) and Composition of Saliva

Igor has carried out series of experiments to study PES influence on the protein spectrum (within the range of 18-200 kD molecular weights) of a person's mixed saliva. It was found that people with spiritual or altruistic consciousness have their saliva protein with a strongly enriched fraction within 50-55 kD. People with normal consciousness have low contents of these proteins, while strong depression or excitement vastly inhibited secretion of 50-55 kD proteins. Joint spiritual aspiration of consciousness of two friendly people resulted in harmonisation of their saliva protein pattern within ten minutes. Confirmation of their results by other scientists could be very important. Please contact Igor at Vitebsk Medical Institute, Central Laboratory, Frunze Str. 27, Vitebsk 210023, Belarus. Email: [vgm@cnilmi.belpak.vitebsk.by](mailto:vgm@cnilmi.belpak.vitebsk.by)

### Dr. James Dyson Work on Treatment of Cancer with Viscum

James gave a very well received presentation on this work at the Annual Meeting in Warwick. The work has its roots in the anthroposophical approach to medicine, developed by Rudolf Steiner and Dr. Ita Wegman in the early part of the century. Steiner himself was the first to recommend the use of viscum (mistletoe) as a cancer treatment. Work since that time has reinforced Steiner's original insight and has provided evidence that science, medical practice and spiritual research can fructify each other. The state of the art was reviewed at a symposium in late 1996 and published in the April 1997 volume of *Anti-Cancer Drugs*, Volume 8, Supplement 1. James is at the Park Attwood Clinic, Trimpey, Nr. Bewdley, Worcs. DY12 1RE, UK. Email for details: [info@pbl.cursci.com](mailto:info@pbl.cursci.com)

### Dr. Phil Gang Master of Education in Integrative Learning

An ecocentric approach to teaching and transformative learning. Phil has now established a link with Endicott College in Beverly, Massachusetts and his institute is now offering an on-line M.Ed. degree. One can access more information from their Web site: <http://www.tmn.com/ties/>

### Dr. Andrew Tresidder A General Practice Patients' Library

Andrew has been running a library at his GP practice in Somerset since 1993. It is situated next to the reception desk in full view of the waiting room. His experience shows that it is a valuable resource to which patients can be referred by a professional on the basis that every consultation aims to diagnose, offer treatment and educate in some way. Since the

philosophy of the library was changed from disease to empowerment, the borrowing rate has soared. In the last quarter of 1996, 311 titles were borrowed by 246 people. Andrew's address: Yarn Barton, Higher Sea, Ilminster, Somerset TA19 0SB, UK.

Kevin McCarthy - Emotional Education

Learning by Heart is a short pamphlet which calls for recognition of the place of emotional education to raise achievement in schools. New thinking, its authors assert, is providing a clearer picture of the range of human capacities or intelligences. Based on research in Britain, Europe and the USA, the report demonstrates that emotionally literate pupils are not only more tolerant, more sensitive to others and better able to form better relationships, but also more likely to improve their scores in literacy and numeracy tests. Investing time and energy in programmes of self-esteem, teaching pupils to recognise, name and channel their emotional energy will help raise academic standards.

It also seeks greater acknowledgement of the emotional dimension of all subjects: a feeling for other cultures in geography, awe and wonder in science as well as greater emphasis on cross-subject relationships. The authors of the report call for individuals, departments and institutions to lend it their support by writing to Qualifications & Curriculum Authority.

Copies of the paper are available from its author, Kevin McCarthy, Re:membering Education, 66 Beaconsfield Villas, Brighton, BN1 6HE, UK. Tel/fax: 01273 239311. Email: remember@mccmail.co

Geoffrey Farthing Modern Theosophy: Origins and Intentions

A 44 page booklet with three essays about the writing of Isis Unveiled and The Secret Doctrine, and the relationship between Theosophy and Theosophical Society. They attempt to revitalise old memories so that the present generation can know something of, and perhaps be inspired by, the figures responsible for the advent of Theosophy at the end of the 19th century. Available from Geoffrey at 36 The Mount, Fetcham, Leatherhead, Surrey KT22 9EA, UK. Price £3 including p&p.

Bernhard Harrer Projekt Patienteninformation

This is a German speaking service of documentation, research and consultancy for complementary medicine based in Berlin. They offer a consultation hotline for patients, documentation of current research, investigation and evaluation of naturopathic treatments and diagnostic techniques, a database for complementary medicine and frontier sciences, and a networking service for similar organisations. Special topics include holistic cancer therapy, biophysical effects of EM fields, spiritual healing and mind-body interaction, methodology of clinical trials, and fundamentals of homoeopathy. Address: Bernhard Harrer, Patienten-information für Naturheil-kunde, Genter Str. 63, 13335 Berlin, Germany. Email: pi@datadiwan.de  
Web site: <http://www.datadiwan.de/>

Dr. Ikram Azam Future Forever Meditations

A collection of 231 short poems and sayings by the Director of the Pakistan Futuristics Foundation on a variety of topics that range from the inspiring to the openly polemical. For instance 'People's Democracy' is defined as 'Government of the elite, for the elite and by the elite to exploit the people'. And 'All being, becoming and belonging is a search for a journey

towards seeking one's own identity in You!' Available from the author for Rs100 plus p & p.  
Address: House 27, St. 33, F-8/1 Islamabad, Pakistan. Phone/fax: +92-51-262116.

Solihin Thom The Life Forces

Solihin and his colleagues run a workshop programme working with what he calls the five life forces: the force of the true human or inspiration, the human force of intellect and knowledge, the animal force of power, will and motivation, the vegetative force of feelings and the material force of the past and genetic inheritance. The basis of his work is that the human body stores all experiences in its cellular memory. He teaches a simple method of muscle testing using kinesiology to retrieve information about yourself from yourself. Further details are available from Inner Natures Integration at either 16 Bois Moor Road, Chesham, Bucks HP5 1SH, UK or 91 Berwick Road, Lake Oswego, Oregon OR 97034, USA.

Dr. Vivianne Crowley New MA at London University.

This new course is starting up this autumn and will cover the following subject areas: Psychology and Christian Experience; Jung and the Post-Jungians; Religion and Mental Health; Psychological perspectives on Religious Development; Empirical approaches to the Psychology of Religion; East meets West: Buddhist, humanistic and transpersonal psychologies and religion; Interpersonal communication in a pastoral situation; Depth psychology: Religion and spirituality. Entry requirements are usually a first degree in Psychology, Theology or Religious Studies, but other well-qualified applicants are welcome. Details from the Academic Registrar, Annabel Clarkson: [a.clarkson@heythrop.ac.uk](mailto:a.clarkson@heythrop.ac.uk) address Heythrop College, Kensington Square, London W8 5HQ, UK. Tel: 0171-795 6600. Fax: 0171-795 4200.