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# theosophical centre

## Community

Our programme is the envy of other branches in the Theosophical Society in NZ, but Auckland members stay home in droves! Certainly, other centres don't have our torturous traffic, but why not come and sample anyway? There's a lot of top quality stuff.

## Astrology

Would you like to join a small number of HPB members for in-depth study of Astrology? Phone Dorothy (09) 529-2634 or Valerie (09) 524-5776.



## The Magic Within

*Ancient Wisdom in a Modern World*

What is the Magic in human nature that makes possible practical solutions for positive change in our lives, despite the current state of world distress?

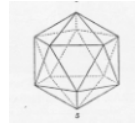
**Gavin Laurie**

**7:30pm, Thursday 19 May, 2005**

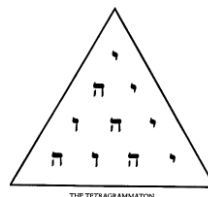
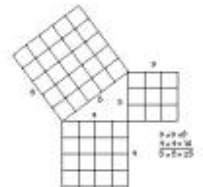
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## Pythagoras and his Teachings



Pythagoras proclaimed that he was simply a seeker after knowledge. "Philosopher" – meaning "lover of wisdom" – was the only title he would assume.



Learn about the great Greek sage's life and schools, and the hidden meanings in the sacred **Tetraktys**.

**Hugh Dixon M.Mus**

**7:30pm, Thursday 16 June, 2005**

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# For your diary

## Indigo

A poignant new film co-written by and starring Neale David Walsh (author of best-selling "Conversations with God").  
7:30pm Friday 1 July 05.



## A Walk of Wisdom

Discover the amazing background of Buddhist nun Mae Chee Sansanee, spiritual leader of Thailand, and her dedicated, long-term work to rehabilitate Tsunami survivors and orphaned children.  
7:30pm Friday 3 June 05.

## Seriously Good Videos

The Spiritual Cinema videos we have been featuring in our Friday night evenings are a whole lot more exciting and interesting than virtually everything Hollywood ever produced. Want to check them out?

8-May-05	Sun	6:30pm	White Lotus Day	Several	Celebration of HPB's life. Starting date of this Diary list. It was a nice occasion.
15-May-05	Sun	10:00am	Awareness D G	Colin Watson	The healing power of Acceptance, Trust. (Theme for month is Self Transformation)
19-May-05	Thur	7:30pm	Public	Gavin Laurie	The Magic Within - Ancient Wisdom in a modern world. See notice on other side.
22-May-05	Sun	10:00am	Awareness D G	Murray Stentiford	Cleansing and harmonising processes
23-May-05	Mon	6:30pm	Healing Group	Renee Sell	Healing Meditation for Service to Humanity THESE 2 MEETINGS ARE COMBINED
23-May-05	Mon	6:30pm	Meditation	Renee Sell	Service Meditation AS ABOVE.
26-May-05	Thur	7:30pm	Members	Murray Stentiford	Journey of the Soul. The Life Between Lives research of Michael Newton offers a stunning confirmation & extension of Theosophical accounts of our Soul life.
29-May-05	Sun	10:00am	Awareness D G	Murray Stentiford	Action and acting as if – sowing the seeds
2-Jun-05	Thur	1:00pm	Lunchtime Meeting	Dr Venu Chintapatla	The Homoeopathic Treatment of Allergies. He's a very knowledgeable practitioner.
3-Jun-05	Fri	7:30pm	Video Evening	---	<b>A Walk of Wisdom</b> - the spiritual leader of Thailand in long-term Tsunami relief efforts, education. Another Spiritual Cinema gem.
6-Jun-05	Mon	7:30pm	Study Classes	---	Queens Birthday, no classes
12-Jun-05	Sun	9:30am	Round Table	Group members	Ceremonial
16-Jun-05	Thur	7:30pm	Public	Hugh Dixon	Pythagoras and his Teachings – a towering figure in maths, music, & spirituality
20-Jun-05	Mon	6:30pm	Healing Group	Renee Sell	Healing Meditation for Service to Humanity
22-Jun-05	Wed	7:30pm	Meditation	TBA	Service Meditation
23-Jun-05	Thur	<b>7:00pm</b>	Members	Warwick Keys	"Walking the Talk" - Applied Theosophy. Note 7pm start - it's a 2 hour workshop. <b>President of Wanganui Lodge</b> , Warwick has extensive spiritual & public experience.
1-Jul-05	Fri	7:30pm	Video Evening	---	<b>Indigo</b> - the acclaimed movie about a spiritually gifted child who transforms her family
3-Jul-05	Sun	9:30am	Round Table	Group members	Ceremonial
3-Jul-05	Sun	10:00am	Awareness D G	Murray Stentiford	Prayer, meditation and mindfulness
7-Jul-05	Thur	1:00pm	Lunchtime Meeting	Jenny Johnson	Poetry as a Vehicle for Awareness & Personal Growth. Support this delightful visitor.