

SHAMANIC COURSES OPEN TO ALL

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THE FOLLOWING COURSE IS OPEN TO ALL:

16 February -18 February 2018 CELTIC VISIONS: Seership, Omens and Divination from Nature with Caitlín Matthews. This residential course explores the realm of Celtic seership, divination and vision that was once the preserve of the druidic seers of the Celtic world who used subtle perception to reveal nature's truth and the soul's knowledge. Caitlín has made a special study of the oracular and sacred traditions, finding simple, practical ways by which these methods can illuminate the present moment. Participants will learn how to read the omens of the natural world and use traditional methods, including 'the Three Illuminations' - ancient Irish modes of oracular divination by incantation, resonance and shamanic incubation - and 'the Augury of Brighid' which was employed by the ancestral freers of Gaelic Scotland. There will be opportunities to give and receive oracles and auguries, by means of the *dha shealladh* or 'the two seeings' and by other traditional methods.

Held at Dunderry Park. Starts at 19:00 and finishes at 16:00 Fee, with meals and board included: €290. Early Bird (Book by August 31 2017): €270. Email the organisers Ger Moane, Cait Brannigan, Ellis Stanley at: caitlinmatthewsireland@gmail.com for more infor. www.facebook.com/events/690529777814118/

FOUNDATION COURSE IN CELTIC & ANCESTRAL SHAMANISM: LEVEL A TRAINING

This course begins the Level A training. If you want to see the shape of the curriculum, go to: <http://www.hallowquest.org.uk/resources/curriculumtraining.pdf>

DATES TO BE ANNOUNCED – RUNS in MARCH & SEPTEMBER 2018

INTERMEDIATE LEVEL SHAMANIC PRACTITIONER TRAINING: LEVEL B For those who've completed the Foundation Course.

*Courses marked * are £20 cheaper to those who subscribe to FIOS*

***3-6 September 2017 MIDWIFING THE SOUL with Caitlín Matthews & Angela Cotter** This residential course teaches shamanic methods of soul-retrieval, extraction of spiritual intrusions and practical ways to guard the three souls. We will explore the Celtic concept of the soul and its re-enchantment, through the profound medium of soul-singing. Considerable pair-work is involved **Take *Thresholds of Power* first.** At EarthSpirit, Somerton, Somerset. Camp/Caravan: £353, Standard: £370, En Suite: £388. Special Diets: + £23 Single Occupancy of double rooms + £43. Send a £150 non-returnable deposit payable to **Caitlín Matthews** to Jane May, Briarwood, Long Wittenham, Oxon OX14 4QW (01865 407680) janedmay@btinternet.com

NOTE: there will be no Intermediate courses running next year except *Thresholds of Power* in Melbourne on 14-17 June 2018.



***5-8 July 2018
THE ART OF THE HEALING VOICE IN
CELTIC SHAMANISM**

Cáit Branigan is an ordained Priestess Hierophant, a Bean Feasa (Shamanic Practitioner) and healer working within the Irish tradition. She teaches groups and conducts ceremonies, teaching internationally. She teaches regularly on the Walkers Between Worlds curriculum.

Led by Cáit Branigan and Caitlín Matthews.

The healing voice speaks directly to the soul, bypassing all barriers. In this course, we shall explore the use of the voice in shamanic practice, using toning and keening to access our inner worlds, and exploring the use of chant to heal and unblock our energetic bodies. Based upon the three musical strains or modes of ancient Ireland. *This course is also open to people who can journey fluently.*

NOTE: approx. prices only: TBC Single £425, Shared £365, Non-res £305, *Please send your non-returnable deposit of £90 payable to Hawkwood College, Painswick Old Rd., Stroud, Glos GL6 7QW (01453 759034) Enclose an SAE for map & confirmation.*

**ADVANCED LEVEL SHAMANIC PRACTITIONER TRAINING: LEVEL C
for those who've completed Intermediate Level B.**

Note: The Advanced Level courses run over a three year cycle and are not all available every year. When there are sufficient students to activate it, we open up Level D courses every five years or so, depending on numbers. The nature of this training takes into account that people will fall out or need to stop for a few years between courses. We don't require that you take the full curriculum without a break, as we know that life happens! This way you can work your way through the levels in order, in real time, rather than in serial time.

12-15 November 2017 VOYAGES OF THE SOUL: SHAMANIC WISDOM OF DEATH with Caitlín Matthews & Angela Cotter. This course explores the shamanic wisdom of death; the help that can be brought to the dying; the healing available around bereavement, hauntings, unfinished business and ancestral bequests. We will find allies, rituals and passports to our own living and dying, exploring how we pass through death's labyrinth to emerge as living souls. We will learn how to make soul-houses for our kindred. *The Soul Friends Moon Boat Ritual* offers initiation to all participants so that they may be consecrated as an Anam-Cara or Soul Friend, a soul-midwife to the dying, wherever that service is required. *Unsuitable for the recently bereaved.* At EarthSpirit, Somerton, Somerset. Camp/Carv £363, Standard £380, En Suite £398. Send a £150 non-returnable deposit payable to **Caitlín Matthews** to Jane May, Briarwood, Long Wittenham, Oxon OX14 4QW (01865 407680)
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