

Virtual KG 2020 Schedule, Version 2

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<https://zoom.us/download>

Raven’s Knoll has one account for up to 500 people. We have borrowed other staff members’ accounts (thank you) for up to 100. We ask everyone to mute themselves when the presenter is speaking. You can unmute for questions. It keeps the feedback and other noises to a minimum. You do not have to use the video feature if you choose not to, or put it on and off. We do recommend changing your name (go to participants, and

you will be at the top – you can rename it there) so that if you ask a question you are not known as iPad42 or whatever. 😊

So that our presenters can focus strictly on their material, we have KG staff as “zoom drivers” to allow people in, monitor the chat, and direct presenters to questions. It is difficult to concentrate on what you are saying/doing when you are trying to read the chat. 😊 They will approve people coming into the meeting and keep track of time for presenters. If you click “Presenters” they will show up as “hosts” in case you need any

assistance. They are there to help you out; happiness facilitators!

We know it is not the same. There are no trees, people, bugs, shenanigans or unicorns. But there can still be magic and enchantment. To everyone, stay safe and know that you are not alone. Thank you for joining us at this Virtual KG.

Never forget: YOU are the magic that is KG.

	Wednesday (29 th)	Thursday (30 th)	Friday (31 st)	Saturday (1 st)	Sunday (2 nd)	Monday (3 rd)
Join KG Vendors at the Virtual Marketplace!						
Munchkinland Activities Daily Posted on KG Page!						
9:30 am				Gayatri - Venette (75 minutes)		
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10:00 am		Herb Wal k- A Green Witch's Enchanted Garden - Laurie Benson (60 minutes)	Of Ætir and Álfar: A Re-interpretation of Elves - Auz (60 minutes)	Elf-locks, Lúfa, and Witchelzopf: A Personal Reflection on Matted Hair Traditions and Heathenry - Auz (60 minutes)	Recycling - Amy (30 minutes)	DIY Runes - Rae Green (60 minutes)
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11:00 am	Opening & Greeting - MA & Auz	#SistersoftheHunt HUNT - Venette (60 minutes)	Meditation in an Enchanted Wood - Laurie Benson (30 minutes)	Death & Taxes - Maryanne (90 minutes)	#SistersoftheHunt BANNER - Venette (60 minutes)	Main Ritual: Seeking Enchantment from a Distance - Ja (60 minutes)
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6:00 pm	Enchanted Food Feast - Mel (90 minutes)	Working with La Santa Muerte - Jennifer Medway (60 minutes)	Pride Event - Calling the Colours & Mocktails by the Fire - Alex & Raven (all welcome) (90 minutes)	Serving Ancestors in Afro-Caribbean Traditions - Jennifer Medway (60 minutes)	Foundations of Sense: Puerto Rican Vodou - Jennifer Medway (60 minutes)	
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7:00 pm	Let Yoga Enchant Your Life! - Laurie Benson (90 minutes)	Olson Mask-Making - Nicka Steel (60 minutes)	Wine & Cheese - Ron (90 minutes)	Crone Chat - Lou (60 minutes)	Mahamrityunjaya - Venette (75 minutes)	
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8:30 pm	Enchanted Movies - Willy Wonka (Gene Wilder version) Mel (90 minutes)	Enchanted Movies - Matilda Mel (90 minutes)	Enchanted Movies - Monty Python and the Holy Grail Mel (90 minutes)		Enchanted Movies - Dragonheart Mel (90 minutes)	
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9:00 pm	Zoom hang out - Ember, Corrina, Myst	Virtual Elvis Shrine - Auz and TomyHawk	Zoom hang out - Brynn, Jay, Myst	Bardic!!! - Angus	Karaoke - Janel (90 minutes)	
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As Raven's Knoll has been closed the entire 2020 season thus far, and is likely to remain so, any donations to help are very much appreciated. They can be sent to us via PayPal or by e-transfer to ravensknoll@rogers.com. Thank you for helping with the fixed costs we cannot avoid, like property taxes, insurance (the biggest expense), the accountant, and hydro carrying charges for 3 meters.

We hope to see you in 2021. Be safe, MA & Auz and all the Kaleidoscope Gathering Staff.

Enchanted Lives

Competitions

13 Ravens Virtual Beard Comp - The Joshs: The second annual 13 Ravens Beard Competition has gone digital! Everyone can compete! Yes, everyone! Beards and mustaches have no age or gender restrictions!

Rules:

- All Questionnaires to be submitted two days before competition (Thursday midnight)
- Send questionnaire and photos of your beard or mustache (BorM) to KG_2020@rogers.com
- Donations to Raven's Knoll are appreciated but not required to enter
- Spectators welcome
- The Joshs will review the photos and share them with you on Zoom
- The winners will be announced live!

Photo Requirements:

- For the Long Beard, Short Beard& Moustache category: 1. Side shot 2. Straight on shot 3. Shot with a ruler to get length
- For the Virtual Beard: 1. Front shot 2. Side shot 3. Shot showing your beard's enchantment

Questions to be Answered:

- Your Name
- Your Age (Note must be at least 1 day old and cannot be over 200. We know some of Wizards live a long time and that not fair to the others...lol)
- Name of your BorM
- Age of your BorM
- Category of your BorM
 - 1. Long beard
 - 2. Short beard
 - 3. Moustache
 - 4. Virtual BorM (weird beard and wacky stash)
- Length of your BorM
- Describe the smell of your BorM

- Favourite colour of your BorM
- Your BorM's favourite place to visit
- For the Virtual BorM, what is its enchantment?
- If your BorM was an animal, what kind of animal would it be and why?
- Why do you think your BorM is the most epic?
- If your BorM was to take "The Joshs" on a date what would your BorM order to drink?

20 Questions! - Ember: Join me as I pick 20 random questions from a hat and attempt to answer them as honestly (maybe ;)) as possible. Feel free to join in and comment that you would like a question too! I will answer first and then you can answer in the comments. Or just tune in to listen to our answers! (30 minutes)

Bardic Competition - Angus and Friends: Singing. Stories. Music. Good-spirited competition. This is THE Bardic Circle, virtual edition. No winners, but an opportunity to shine. 18 slots. 5 minute sessions. Sign up, along with your preferred order of 1-18 on the Facebook page. First come, first served.

Karaoke! - Janel: Come and join a zoom karaoke! Will it be good? Will it be fraught with technical issues? Will someone forget to put themselves on mute to listen? Will someone forget to share computer audio and sing acapella? Who knows - that's the whole COVID-19 karaoke experience and what makes it fun. Join Janel for an evening of karaoke. 10 years of hosting in-person karaoke, 10 weeks of hosting online karaoke. The curve is steep but not as hard to hit as a high C.

For this to work, SINGERS need to connect via laptop/desktop as screen sharing is required. Observers (aka "the audience") may join in any digital form. Observers do NOT need to register to join the group, singers do. Please note if you're an observer who changes their mind and wishes to sing, you'll be placed in the rotation after registered singers.

To sign up to SING (to allow for time/space/rotation planning purposes) please email kg_2020@rogers.com by JULY 30. Singing space is limited based on number of participants. Instructions for optimal karaoke performance will be sent to all who wish to sing regarding where to find songs, Zoom sharing, and general audio settings. General rules will be explained by the host to all during the event. If you want to SING, email kg_2020@rogers.com If you wish to just observe, join us on the day of! Hope to see you all there - ALL singers welcome. Maybe sing a song that has enchanted you, or that you sing to enchant others!

Events

Bedtime Bardic Service - Hobbes: Even though KG is digital, the kids still won't go to bed? There's nothing quite like being told a bedtime story to end the day perfectly, ensuring a good night's sleep. That's why Hobbes the Bard is offering you the Bedtime Bardic service on Zoom. Log into the Hobbes' Zoom channel for a selection of tales guaranteed to put you to sleep! No need to

register, sign sheets, or reserve the Bard. This Bard is reserving the time for you! Just join us on the Zoom channel and Hobbes will regale you with tales that could make Badger blush!

Enchanted Food Feast - Mel: Have you ever wanted to try and make your favorite recipe from Game of Thrones? Have a favorite food from D&D? Wanna make some grum from Star Trek or Star Wars? Want to try your hand at some historical or medieval recipes? Drag out your favorite fantasy, Sci Fi and enchanted theme cookbooks and whip up a recipe for dinner or dessert then join us for a virtual feast where we eat together and discuss the recipes and what it took to make them. (90 minutes)

Enchanted Movies - Mel: Join us every night starting at 8:30pm for "Enchanted Movies" Movie choices will be posted ahead of time and a Netflix party with Zoom will be created where we can all watch the movie together and chat together. You put on your own Netflix, and chat and laugh together while everyone watches together. Movies are on the schedule!

KG Kids Bardic: Bardlings Unite! If you're a kid with a special talent that you want to show off, this is your chance to hog the spotlight. Hosted by the Hobbes, the KG Kids Bardic is the place where kids get to shine, entertain, and make the Adult Bards quake in their booties as they see how amazing the Bardlings are!

Main Ritual - Seeking Enchantment from a Distance - Ja: Although we cannot be together in ritual physically, please do join us for an enchanted guided meditation and auditory journey full of sounds and suggestions to help us find the things that connect us to ourselves and to each other, to our magical community and to the enchantment of the world we create and live in. At the end, join your spirit with ours as we will all light candles together in community.

Munchkinland - Brandi: Join Brandi at Munchkinland on the FB page daily for fun activities you can do with your sproglings at home! No zoom, no homework, just connecting with the magic...

Pride Event - Alex Del Busso & Raven: Join us to Call the Colours in ritual and enjoy mocktails by the "fire." Be loud! Be proud! Be fabulous! Join the Fest LGBTIAQQ2S+ community for the KG 2020 Virtual Pride Event. Everyone is welcome – be an ally!!

Prime 'n Hawk's Hazy World View! Join us as we interpret the wisdom of the all-knowing "MAYO"! If you have questions about the world, your place in it or questions about reality itself and have ever wondered "What would MAYO do?" Submit your questions in real time and we will interpret the wisdom of MAYO for you! Hawk 'n Prime have studied for years. The teachings of "MAYO." We are 12thlevel leaders of "The Order of Mayo" and want to share the wisdom with you.

RKKG Radio! - Grey Wolf: Yes, live from... a living room everywhere to a living room everywhere. Join GreyWolf and magical friends for shenanigans and giggles.

Virtual Elvii Shrine - Auz and TomyHawk: Calling all 4-20 Pagans, lovers of the dank álf-wort, Elvii disciples, and those that hang out with them. This is an informal hangout to pass a virtual dutchie. The Rite of the Sacred Elvii Circle always gets interesting conversations flowing. Warning: Conversation will get as baked as apple pie and as crispy as potato chips. You are responsible for your own munchies and consumables. Ages 19 and over only, please. This activity features the consumption of cannabis products. (As long as it goes, eh.)

Wine & Cheese - Ron: With all that is going on in the world today, there still needs to be an opportunity to celebrate the "enchanted lives" that we do have, in terms of friends, family and community. In this context, this year's KG Wine and Cheese will be virtual opportunity to reconnect with old friends (as well as connect with new friends), and to just enjoy a beverage of your choice (with cheese of course...there must be cheese 😊). Given the virtual nature of this event, we aren't able to share our bounty as we usually do, but would encourage everyone to share something they have discovered over the past year, be it new wines, cheeses, or anything that tickles your fancy. 😊 Look forward to seeing all your shiny faces. 😊 (90 minutes)

Zoom Hang Outs: Join KG staff and attendees to hangout and just chat. See each other's faces, maybe our kitties or doggos will wander in the frame too. No schedule. All welcome.

Newbie Program & Seeker Series (All Welcome!)

1. **All are welcome to the Newbie Program and Seeker Series! - Monique & Friends:** Would this have been your first KG? If so, come and learn about what we are offering this week as part of the Newbie Program. We will share with you all the tips and tricks to make this a fantastic -although not in person- experience. Bring us your questions!

Newbie (noo-bee): If you answer YES to any of these questions...congratulations, you are a newbie! Are you 0-5 years in your experience with the KG family and still get a little "stunned" amongst its carnival? Are you thinking of returning after a prolonged period of absence? Have you wondered about how this festival began? All welcome!!

2. **At the Very Beginning: KG Foundations - Gina Ellis & Alex Del Busso:** Come meet the founders of Kaleidoscope Gathering, Gina Ellis and Alex Del Busso, as they recollect the beginning of KG as Mini-Fest. It was a small get-together 30 years ago at Lammas by Ottawa-area Wiccan/Pagans. Even if it was "Mini" (with 40 attendees), it was fully formed. Including workshops, main rit, "security" (the fairy patrol) and bardic fun around the bonfire. Come hear from two people who have done so much for the KG family. From all of us: Thank you for the good times! A question and answer period will follow. *This webinar will be recorded for publication, exclusively on KG and Raven's Knoll platforms, and will be edited to extract the voices and faces of anyone other than the special guests and moderator(s).* (60 minutes)
3. **An Introduction to KG Culture - Badger Jones:** Get a group of people together, big or small, and it's inevitable that some sort of culture will develop around them. KG, of

course, is no different, with 30 years of history, and so many of the same people coming back again and again. So just what does KG culture involve? If you're asking yourself "This is my first time here, how can I tap into that positive, uplifting energy that has kept things going for so long?", then come listen to one of the most genuine people you'll ever meet: Badger Jones, our Head of Security since KG moved to Raven's Knoll. A question and answer period will follow. *This webinar will be recorded for publication, exclusively on KG and Raven's Knoll platforms, and will be edited to extract the voices and faces of anyone other than the special guest and moderator(s).* (60 minutes)

4. **Through the Years: KG Evolution - Lady Pamela:** Everyone's story has helped shape how the festival has evolved to what it is today. Our old continues to become our new. So many things have changed, yet so many have stayed the same. Come listen to Lady Pamela who was lovingly called "She Who Must Be Obeyed" and was involved in organizing KG for 17 years before it moved to Raven's Knoll. A question and answer period will follow. *This webinar will be recorded for publication, exclusively on KG and Raven's Knoll platforms, and will be edited to extract the voices and faces of anyone other than the special guest and moderator(s).* (60 minutes)
5. **Getting to 'Knoll' the Kaleidoscope that is KG - Jacky Bee:** Attending KG year after year tends to make us want to spread our wings and help the land stewards take care of our beloved Raven's Knoll. For the past decade, the land spirits there have affected many of us to our very core. Because of this, some contribute a little extra and help create extra-special memories deep in the woods...or by the bog! Come listen to Jacky Bee, Bog Dweller, as she talks about her experiences in glamping and discusses how to make the most out of your KG experience. A question and answer period will follow. *This webinar will be recorded for publication, exclusively on KG and Raven's Knoll platforms, and will be edited to extract the voices and faces of anyone other than the special guest and moderator(s).* (60 minutes)

Seeker Series - Monique and Friends: This series of 5 workshops is designed to help those who are searching for their spiritual path. With the help of special guests, from diverse backgrounds, we will explore 4 different types of magical practice. Whether you are just curious or are seriously searching for your practice, this series will either help you find some answers, or will assist you in asking the right questions.

1. **Understanding Our Pagan Landscape - Monique & Friends:** Things may look the same but be profoundly different. This lecture type workshop aims to help you acquire a basic understanding of neo-pagan history. We will explore the ways in which various currents developed to create the kaleidoscope of practices you may encounter at KG or elsewhere. The aim is to help you recognize the various forms of practice and materials you may encounter, and to give you an understanding of some of the language used in magical settings. All in order to better navigate the sometimes-confusing waters that can be the seeking process in the Pagan community. A question and answer period will follow. (60 minutes)

2. **Heathenry and Northern Paganism - Linda Demissy:** Are you interested in Heathenry and the Northern gods and goddesses? Here is what you should know to get started! A conversation with our Special Guest Linda Demissy, Founder and Gythja of the Ragna Saeti Kindred. An interview followed by a question and answer period. *This webinar will be recorded for publication, exclusively on KG and Raven's Knoll platforms, and will be edited to extract the voices and faces of anyone other than the special guest and moderator(s).* (60 minutes)
3. **Traditional Initiatory Mystery Traditions - Apollonius Mithras:** Come hear about what it's like to seek and be initiated into a mystery tradition with our special guest Apollonius Mithras, High Priest of the Isis Urania Lineage. An interview followed by a question and answer period. *This webinar will be recorded for publication, exclusively on KG and Raven's Knoll platforms, and will be edited to extract the voices and faces of anyone other than the special guest and moderator(s).* (60 minutes)
4. **Solitary Occult Practice and the Left-hand Path - Kindra Ravenmoon:** Think the solitary path is for you? Let's talk about serious solitary occult practice with our special guest Kindra Ravenmoon, Author and Satanic Witch. An interview followed by a question and answer period. *This webinar will be recorded for publication, exclusively on KG and Raven's Knoll platforms, and will be edited to extract the voices and faces of anyone other than the special guest and moderator(s).* (60 minutes)
5. **The Modern Wiccan Traditions - Meri Fowler:** Come hear about the coven experience in a modern wiccan tradition from Meri Fowler, High Priestess and founder of the Greenwood Celtic Shamanic Wiccan Tradition. An interview followed by a question and answer period. *This webinar will be recorded for publication, exclusively on KG and Raven's Knoll platforms, and will be edited to extract the voices and faces of anyone other than the special guest and moderator(s).* (60 minutes)

Workshops

Altars 101 - Og: This is an intro to the basics of what goes on an altar! From athame to cauldron, this workshop will outline a standard altar, purposes for instruments, and where is might be best to place them. (30 minutes)

Basic Arrow Repair - Isla: Social distance shishkabobbing is a fun activity but it does put a lot of wear and tear on your equipment pretty quickly. Buying replacement arrows can get expensive, and is largely unnecessary if the damage is minor. This workshop will provide a basic overview of common repairs you can do on your arrows to extend their usable life. (60 minutes)

Crone Chat - Lou: Come and join in an informal crone chat with some of the older women along with a spot of tea (or whatever else may be in the teapot). Topics covered, for example, could be

changes in personal power with the ageing process, social perception of crones, or claiming cronehood. The discussion is open to anyone all people who both self-identify as female and self-identify as a crone. Please come! Bring your tea cup! (60 minutes)

D&D - DM Adam: Everyone deserves a little escape from the craziness of reality... so let's go to a fantasy realm! The forest realm of Mondarbo has existed as a paradise. Six villages coexist peacefully beneath the vast forest canopy, surrounding the central ancient tree known as Melora's Heart. Melora's Heart is maintained by a specially ordained member of one of the tribes who takes on the name/title of "Guardian." The forest has been getting darker lately, though. Where it once was easy to travel back and forth between the villages and Melora's Heart, it is now a treacherous path. The council of villages has deemed that a group of adventurers (one from each village) must travel to Melora's Heart and determine the cause of the darkness. A Dungeons and Dragons 5thEd one-shot adventure for up to six people at a time. The game will be run over Zoom using Theatre of the Mind and the online resource D&D Beyond. DM Adam will set up a sign-in sheet on the FB group. Several to choose from. (4 hours)

Death & Taxes - Maryanne (MA): Protecting yourself and loved ones does not end with your death. Wills and powers of attorney are important, and many people do not have these. MA will go through the types of documents and how and what they do. Taxes are important to do. First, you may be entitled to various benefits (most commonly: GST, Trillium, Climate Action, Child Tax Benefits, Old Age Security and/or Guaranteed Income Supplement). All of these require your filing your tax return. Second, if you've been directed to do so by CRA, you really need to. Taxes can be intimidating and overwhelming for a lot of people, regardless of income or education. MA will provide an overview of taxes and benefits, primarily focusing on personal taxes, including simple business taxes for vendors or the like. After almost 20 years as a volunteer tax preparer, averaging 200-400 returns a year, she brings her CRA training and experience to provide some basics of taxes. She is happy to take questions, including during the presentation or privately. And please stop to ask any questions or clarification – acronyms just ooze out of public servants. (And swear words ooze out of MA too...) (90 minutes)

DIY Runes - Rae Green: A quick and dirty workshop including some rune history, information on the various materials, and how to DIY your perfect runes in no time flat. (60 minutes)

Elf-locks, Lúfa, and Witchelzopf: A Personal Reflection on Matted Hair Traditions and Heathenry - Auz: In this presentation, Auz will describe some methods for locking hair, then present some ethnographic and historical examples of hair locking traditions grounded in spirituality: Hindu; Rastafari; and, Plains First Nations. Auz will discuss two historical examples of hair locking in areas of Germanic cultural influence: that relate to oaths and warrior culture; and, to belief in elves (alfar, fairies). (60 minutes)

Foraging and Harvesting for Smoke Cleansing Practices - Heron: Thyme, rosemary, juniper, bay leaves, etc. Moon water and flower essences. How to forage, gather, dry and bundle herbs for cleansing. How to make moon water, and flower essences. (60 minutes)

Foundations of Sanse: Puerto Rican Vodou - Jennifer Medway: Sanse originated in Puerto Rico and is comprised of Espiritismo, 21 Divisiones, Taino practices, and brujeria. Sancistas serve the Lwa who bestow protection, prosperity, health, and many other blessings. This presentation explores the origins, history, basic tenets, practices, ceremonies, and seven divisions of Sanse. Participants learn about the Lwa, their feast days, altars, colors, offerings, lore, and how to begin a relationship with them before a Sanse initiation. We also explore working with ancestors and the commissions of spirit guides. During this presentation, Sancista Jennifer shows participants how to work with Papa Legba and make products for engaging with the spirits. (60 minutes)

Gathering of the Turtles 2.0 - Tina: Do you have an affinity for turtles spiritually, artistically, or physically? Last year we learned the similarities within our personalities, this year we build bigger bale bonds (because a group of turtles is known as a bale hah!) and make new friends for a lifetime (ok, maybe aT fest-time). Please join our Facebook group and do bring any personal favourite turtle relics or stories to share with the group. (60 minutes)

Gayatri Mantra-Chanting - Venette: The power of vibration through mantra has been experienced for thousands of years, we will be chanting the Gayatri Mantra 108 times. This mantra is an expression of gratitude, tranquility and wisdom. It is one of the oldest mantras chanted for unity of all creation, invoking the light of the sun and helps us to transcend suffering. No experience necessary. Chant along or sit back and enjoy. Bring your mala if you have one (not required). Water to wet your whistle and a comfy place to sit and enjoy the vibrations. *You will be taught the mantra and the phonetic spelling of the words will be posted on screen.* (75 minutes)

Health, Wealth, Happiness, and Self - Luna Rune: A group coaching session to look at what you can do to make the most of 2020 and take the next smallest step to create a better second half! Most people know when things aren't right when stuff just isn't working, and when they need change. The first seed of courage comes from identifying a challenge that can no longer be ignored. This urge becomes bigger than self-doubt, stronger than the fear of the unknown, heavier than the twisted feeling in your gut. Something happens & a switch is flicked. At this moment, it will begin to replace the feelings of dissatisfaction with an insatiable urge to do SOMETHING. Successfully taking action is achieved by having a vision of what you want, having a plan of what you will need, recognizing what you already have, and then deciding how you are going to get there. Most importantly knowing that you are not alone, I am going to support you through it. Find inspiration and discover empowerment to achieve your goals. Realize your potential and to identify and move beyond your blockages. Come on into the zoom room and work with a professional Coach, Coach Kelsie (Luna Rune) a certified Leadership, Life and Business Coach. Living your best for the rest of 2020! (90 minutes)

Herb Walk: A Green Witch's Enchanted Garden - Laurie Benson: Welcome to my Enchanted Life as a Green Witch in a Haunted House with a Wild Garden - see the plants I encourage and their uses, and learn from my mistakes! (60 minutes)

Herbs 101 - Coco: This workshop will equip you with tips on how to successfully grow, harvest, and use or preserve familiar herbs in different ways. (60 minutes)

Intro to the Reclaiming Tradition - Coco: This workshop will help you learn more about Starhawk's "Reclaiming Tradition" in witchcraft, and how it fits into the bigger picture. We'll also discuss why this particular tradition might be especially relevant now as we co-create a post-pandemic world that is greener and more just. (60 minutes)

Knife Throwing - Ilsa: Are darts not satisfying enough? Does looking at wood fill you with a rage that only stabby vengeance can satisfy? Try knife throwing! This workshop will introduce you to a knife throwing technique that you can enjoy within even relatively small spaces, as well as how to make a target for yourself relatively inexpensively. (30 minutes)

Let Yoga Enchant Your Life! - Laurie Benson: I propose to share a Yoga class in a Magickal Horse Field to bring you to an increased awareness of your Body/Mind/Spirit, during an actual class so that immediate energies can be shared. (90 minutes)

Mahamrityunjaya Mantra-Chanting - Venette: The MahaMrityunjaya mantra is a verse found in the Rigveda. The name comes from the oldest religious text of Hinduism. The Sanskrit maha, meaning 'great', mrityu, meaning 'death', and jaya, meaning 'victory'. It is also called the tryambakam (three-eyed one) mantra. It is said to be beneficial for health and healing, peace and harmony, and helping to overcome fears. No experience necessary. Chant along or sit back and enjoy. Bring your mala if you have one (not required). Water to wet your whistle and a comfy place to sit and enjoy the vibrations. *You will be taught the mantra and the phonetic spelling of the words will be posted on screen.* (75 minutes)

Magic and the Art of Illusion Workshop - Loran: Here's your chance to get into the secret world of illusion. Loran teaches you how to impress friends and family with several astonishing magic effects using everyday objects such as ropes and cards. Discover the psychology of illusion and how "magic" is actually created. In addition, explore the fascinating life of famous magicians such as Chung Ling Soo, the magician who was killed live on stage. This workshop will please young and adults. (30 minutes)

Magic in Art - Drew Thomson: This workshop is on using art in many ways to express artistic and creative elements in everyday practice. A short talk followed by a chance to show off art by the folk. (60 minutes)

Making a Willow Wreath - Pam Bridgeo: This workshop teaches how to work with white willow (/weeping willow) branches to make a lovely wreath. Make it small to fit your head, or big to decorate the door! Either way, the technique is the same. Fresh willow is best, but if it's a couple days old you can soak it in tap water. (60 minutes) Materials needed:

- 7-8 fresh/soaked willow branches (depending on how thick you want your wreath. 1 day old is fine, any older needs to be soaking. If soaking the willow ahead of time give yourself 1 day for every 4 feet of willow.)
- pruning shears or scissors
- tweezers
- twine
- gardening gloves (optional)
- floor space
- patience!

Meditation in an Enchanted Wood - Laurie Benson: We all have areas around us that are enchanted. There is somewhere a wood, field, weed patch or around the corner from the library where we feel the Other. Welcome to my Enchanted Wood and I will take you on a guided meditation to find your inner healing Woods. (30 minutes)

Of Ættir and Álfar: A Re-interpretation of Elves - Auz: In this presentation, Auz makes a case for re-interpreting álfar as beings of equivalency to humans, not as either 'supernatural' or 'ancestors'. His argument is based primarily on a structural analysis of cosmological references in the Prose Edda, a kinship analysis of likely álfar figures in the myths, and, ethnographic comparison of historical Old Norse and Sámi cultures. The theological implications include advancing the development of a sound theoretical groundwork for gandr-sorcery, and 'racism-proofing' Heathen world-views, amongst others. (60 minutes)

Olson Mask-Making - Nicka Steel: In this new world of plague, wearing of masks is very common, and sometimes required. In this workshop, Nicka will show you how you can make your very own. Keep yourself and others safe! (60 minutes)

Recycling - Amy: Am I recycling properly? What should I be doing? These are often questions that arise. As part of Green Fairies, I help to sort through your recycling to ensure it is properly sorted for our local transfer station. Join me in a walk-through of various problem recycling, and how to deal with them while camping. (30 minutes)

Sapphires' Sewing Circle - Sapphire: No machine or patterns needed. A general talk about sewing and trying to demystify reading patterns. Then a chance to have your questions answered about machine maintenance or sewing in general. (60 minutes)

Self-Blessing Ritual Workshop - Amethyst: We will go through three different self-blessings with a view to inspiring your own personal practice. Materials to have on hand: if you can, have a representation of each of the four elements: Air, Fire, Water and Earth. These are useful, but not mandatory. Come and get blessed! (30 minutes)

Serving Ancestors in Afro-Caribbean Traditions - Jennifer Medway: Ancestor veneration is the foundation of many Afro-Caribbean spiritual traditions. Espiritistas refer to them as losmuertos, and in Haitian Vodou, they are the zansyetyo. In Lukumi and Santeria, Ancestors or eggun receive

service before the Orisha. Elevating ancestors clears their paths, heals ancestral trauma, and gives them more power that they can use to bless their descendants. Ancestors can help heal relationships, remove blockages and obstacles, provide direction, find lost objects, and teach lessons. When beginning to practice these traditions, one's first service should be to the ancestors because they are essential for spiritual development. During this presentation, participants learn how to set up an ancestor altar, serve their ancestors, and work with and receive messages from them. Sancista Jennifer shows participants how to elevate ancestors and make an oil and incense for engaging with their spirits. (60 minutes)

Sharp and Pointy Things Show and Tell - Allison McCuaig: Gather your sharp and pointy's and join us as we share our favourite weapons with each other. Maybe it's a homemade knife, a special bow or that bat'leth hanging on your wall... whatever it is come and regale us with your stories! (90 minutes)

#SistersoftheHunt - BANNER - Venette: It's time to get crafty! With a few items from around the house and a little imagination, you too can make your very own banner. I'll provide an item list and a few templates...bring your imagination and a desire to connect and craft with your Sisters. *I also have something up my sleeve for when your banner is completed. You can finish your banner during KG or work on it for months; it is entirely up to you.* (60 minutes)

#SistersoftheHunt - HUNT - Venette: Calling all current and past Sisters! Come join your 2019 Huntress (and a few past ones as well) for a little fun and frivolity. On this zoom call you will be given a mission should you choose to accept it!? We'll have a few challenges up our sleeves and a HUNT list of course. Tune in to find out more!

Wild at Heart: Covid Era - Drew Thomson: I will open the floor to the topic of Primal Urges vs. Pandemic. I did this work shop years ago covering the origins of human history involving how we learned from the animals and how we took what we learned and evolved in a modern age. This work shop will focus on more of what if all our regular normal life is contained at home for long periods of time. What of our inner more primal self dealing with being boxed in or some of us unable to get away from the cities, to be free in nature. I will do a brief overview then break an open discussion on experiences during Covid days. (60 minutes)

Working with La Santa Muerte - Jennifer Medway: La Santa Muerte is a Mexican folk Catholic saint of death who has many names such as La Santisima Muerte, La Nina, and La Huesita. La Santa Muerte is the embodiment of death with the highest power over life of any spirit or saint—second only to God. Many venerate her as she accepts people from all walks of life and does not discriminate against LGBTQ+, sex workers, criminals, and cartel members. Many depict her as a grim reaper-like skeleton holding a scythe, scales, or a globe. La Santa Muerte has three traditional robes or aspects: white (La Blanca), red (La Roja), and black (La Negra). Each robe represents a different side of her. La Santa Muerte is a complete magical system, which means that she can fulfill any need. The class begins with an introduction to Santa Muerte, her magical system, and a brief history of La Huesita. Participants will learn the symbolism and parts of Santa Muerte, roles of her different robes, signs of being called to work with her, rituals to complete

before working with her, offerings to make to her and when, construction of a Santa Muerte altar, protection prayers before invoking her, celebrating of her feast days, praying of her rosary, and different Santa Muerte prayers and rituals for common issues. (60 minutes)

Auction

Welcome one and all to our very first Virtual Kaleidoscope Gathering Marketplace. The group (<https://www.facebook.com/groups/1127293380989212/>) is for Vendors of our Kaleidoscope Gathering to connect with our yearly Kaleidoscope attendees. Sell your wears and participate in an online auction to support the Eganville Foodbank as well as our home away from home Ravens Knoll.

For the dates of July 29th until August 3rd, 2020 vendors may post once a day with pictures (on one post) or video showing items that are available to purchase. Customers can contact vendor directly to purchase and to make arrangements for shipping. There will be no approved posts until July 29th, 2020. We will be adding vendors and potential customers everyday in the coming days, so that those that are interested will not miss out.

We recommend that payments for items be safely made through Paypal or bank e-transfer so that both parties have documentation of their transactions. Raven's Knoll and the Kaleidoscope Gathering is not responsible for sales or shipping. Please use ethical business practices. Please follow Raven's Knoll and Kaleidoscope Gathering Policies at all times. Due to the nature of our Marketplace this year we will not be accepting posts that pertain to non item related sales such as readings and/or arranging for future services. No sales of illegal goods.

As your Vendor Coordinator I will contact you if information is missing, required or if your item does not meet the requirements to be posted in the group or Auction. I am also responsible for contacting auction winners and ensuring accurate book keeping to ensure your funds are directed where they should go.

Online Auction (OPTIONAL)

If you are a vendor and you wish to help support the Eganville Food Bank and Raven's Knoll you may submit items for auction. Please include photo of item and all relevant information such as shipping costs, description, reserve amount to start and any other related info.

From July 29th to August 3rd items will be approved for auction. Customers who wish to bid can post on thread bid amount. On August 3rd at 2 pm all auctions will be closed. At that time I will tag winner/contact winner and send info regarding payment. At this time we can discuss which organization you wish your funds to go to. Payment for the auction will be by way of e transfer. In the mean time you may wish to submit posts for approval early. This is okay. Having posts ready and prepared for July 29th would be amazing!!

In the coming weeks I will be posting in all RK / Kaleidoscope Groups to inform everyone we can

reach that our Marketplace is happening. Though we cannot be together this year in person I wish you all good sales and hope that online feasters can get their hands on some wonderful goodies!! Thank you for participating!!

***As this is our first time doing an online Marketplace for Kaleidoscope Gathering please bare with us as we work out kinks.**

Your Magical Carnie, Aniya

Biographies

Amethyst is both eccentric and eclectic. She runs on hugs, fruit and occasionally three wheels.

Amy is a troll and Green Fairy when Kaleidoscope is on the land at Raven's Knoll. They help with maintenance during the rest of the city when we can be there. When in the city, they wilt and try to do art and crafting things.

Austin (Auz) Lawrence is a doctoral student in the Criminology and Social Justice PhD program at Ontario Tech University whose research focuses on intersections between right-wing extremism and Germanic Neo-Paganism. In his personal life Austin is known as "Auz." He is one of the Stewards of Raven's Knoll Special Events Campground. Austin is an Ásatrúar who has also been an oathedgoði, since 2008. His path in Heathenry has been influenced by members of the Troth, particularly those that became part of the American Vinland Association; as well as being influenced by some of the members of the independent kindreds of the American Northeast. Auz has a side-hobby as an inclusive Heathen meme creator, "Auz'z Hoard of Memes for the Heathen Scenes" on Facebook, and is an admin of "Mirthful Heathen Memes". Austin is also the creator of the YouTube cooking show "Heathen Hearth".

Coco currently teaches in the department of the Humanities in a CEGEP (College) in Montreal but she hopes one day to teach on witchy subject matter full time. She will be launching her first e-course on Ritual in the Fall.

DM Adam has been running tabletop and live-action roleplaying games for nearly a decade. He currently runs a weekly live Dungeons and Dragons game as well as an online weekly Vampire: The Masquerade game. He recently started an adult Vampire LARP at KG, but for obvious reasons, it can't happen this year. So this is the alternative.

Drew Thomson is a veteran feaster, a past staff member, and now a vendor at KG. He is interested in Native culture and folklore and follows a Celtic/hedge witch path and has paid homage to the Morrigan now for 5 years. His roots are Animistic and he now embraces his Therianthrope self after many years. He is a wood crafter and is always up for a chat.

Hobbes has made his name at KG as the long-suffering, but entertaining Bard. He has won the Adult Bardic in 2014 and has been regaling KG goers with tales of love, adventure, and poor life choices.

Janel: You'll know her from all the Elvii, all the time; 3 AM smokes on the riverbank; the last dancer around the fire at night; and screaming your name (from the YAG, obviously).

Jennifer Medway began practicing the occult and esoteric arts at a tender young age when her mother gave her a tarot deck. Rootwork and hoodoo run in Jennifer's family in Louisiana. Her mother's cousin, Maybelline, was a professional rootworker whom locals called The Swamp Witch. Jennifer carried on her family tradition and works as a rootworker as well as a Sancista, Reiki Master, witch, ceremonial magician, and bruja at her company Serpentine Spiritual Arts. She trained with some of the top occult professionals internationally and is a member of Ordo Templi Orientis. Jennifer presented working with La Santa Muerte during the Daisy L. Machado lecture at Vanderbilt University. She is researching the occult sciences and folklore while a master's candidate. Jennifer attended Stanford, UCLA, and UC Berkeley, where she earned her BA in English. She has published spiritual poetry, fiction, and narrative nonfiction in several journals, including Cornell's Rainy Day and Goddess and the Moon Metaphysical Journal. Jennifer is also a successful equestrian with many championships, and her students have won five state championships.

Laurie Benson is a Green Witch, Yogi, Seeker of the Spirits. She has never been on the path of Normal and is totally accepting of that and all who encounter her. She taught herself Yoga from a book when she was in university, helping herself with anxiety and mobility challenges. Then she forgot about it until she hit mid life and all that that entails. She then studied internationally to achieve her Advanced Yoga Teacher Training and now deals with lots of life challenges with a lot of fun and humour - No Pain No Pain! She has been following the Enchanted Path of the Green Witch for over 30 years, and was initiated by Susun Weed in 1993. She has done Herb Walks and Talks at all the major festivals in Ontario and Northern New York State and is Resident Herbalist at Wic-Can Fest/Harvest Fest.

Loran: With over 700 shows in Asia, stage performances across Africa and Canada to capacity crowds, the illusionist Loran will surely amaze all your senses. He has opened for AC-DC and the Rolling Stones in Toronto. Loran as presented is magic on screen TV networks, CTV, CBC and City TV, as well as the national French-language networks, TVA, and Radio-Canada. His acting skills have been seen in a wide variety of Canadian and American movies, and television series. He is a member of C.A.M. (Canadian Association of Magician) and the I.B.M. (International Brotherhood of Magicians). www.Loranillusion.comwww.loranillusion.com/en/

Maryanne Pearce, known as MA, did her MA thesis on Pagans in Canada a long, long time ago. For the past 10 years, she has served as co-organizer for the Kaleidoscope Gathering, and for 11 years, as co-owner of Raven's Knoll, Canada's first Pagan/Heathen campground. In 2013, MA earned her doctorate in laws with a groundbreaking study into missing and murdered women in Canada. Today she works with the federal government on issues around violence against

women, including speaking in 4 European countries and the UN in 2019. In her own time she supports animal rescues, and provides pro bono tax help for Ottawa women's shelters. She spends her life surrounded by dogs, cats, grand-dogs, a grand-cat and grandchickens... oh, and two awesome grown-up children of whom she is enormously proud.

Mel aka Toasty Yagger is an Ottawa based Kitchen Witch, Chef and nerd. She can often be found in her garden with her cats.

Monique Goguen:In 1997, Monique discovered the KG festival after a co-worker at the time said to her: "Hey you like camping. You are an open-minded person. Would you like to attend a Pagan festival?" To which she replied, "What is Pagan?" Monique's life has changed in so many awesome ways since then! You can usually find her around the registration area; visiting all her favorite spaces on the land; relaxing by the river -or in her hammock.

Nicka Steel became experienced in making masks in March and has been researching them like crazy, since. They picked up their own new sewing machine and began helping make masks for vulnerable communities through Mississauga and beyond.

Pam Bridgeo has attended KG once before, but this is her first time running a workshop. She has been making various sewing projects and crafts since 2007, and made willow wreaths two years ago. She's a friendly green hedge witch who hangs on bogside!

Rae is a strange woman with too many dogs, cats, and kids. She identifies as a witch, with some heathen leanings. Rae has been working with the runes for 15 years as a divination tool.

Tina is an activist, artist, pansexual, polyamorous, and a proud mom of one. You can find her being an introvert, working with adults with developmental disabilities, camping, foodie-ing, trying to catch z's, enjoying mead, enjoying the small stuff, with their pride/union people, or fraternizing with the trolls. Please note, margaritas are the way to their soul.

Venette is the current Huntress who is an eclectic practitioner from the Niagara Region. When she is not killing it as Mama Bear to two very active cubs, she can be found dancing in the rain, drumming and chanting her heart out and walking around with a big pointy stick.

