

***Tenth Annual
'Night Before Late Night Shopping'***

This event is at Hillside Mall, and we have 500 tickets to sell!!

The tickets are \$5.00 each, and all the money from these 500 tickets goes directly to our Positive Living Centre (that's \$2,500.00!) There is a possibility of getting more tickets if we sell out. Other charities are also selling tickets.

Hillside Centre's special evening is on **Sunday, November 21st from 6:00 to 9:30 pm**, and you must have a ticket to get in. There are great in-store bargains, tasty treats, live entertainment (our own Louise and Darlene will be playing and singing Christmas Carols in the mall), and the chance to win fabulous prizes including a family vacation to Disneyland! It's a great time to start your Christmas shopping.

Books of 10 tickets are available on Sundays at church. I will be glad to provide you with a booklet or two. The entire ticket goes to the purchaser, and the information piece goes into the draw boxes at the mall on that night.

Let's make this a great fundraiser!
Love and Blessings,
Pat Alfke, Treasurer

The Positive Living Centre of Victoria

Centre News for November 2010

Kim's Korner

In this month of Remembrance, I give thanks that we live in peace, remembering that many have sacrificed a great deal in making this our reality. I invite you to join with me in deep gratitude for the fact that we and our loved ones in this country go to sleep every night and awaken every morning free from fear for our safety. We are so blessed. At this time it's also important to remember that lasting peace is not something that can be won through war, it is instead won or lost in the hearts of us all. It is through being at peace with our lives exactly as they are, this doesn't mean life is exactly as we want it to be, it means to me that I have come to a place of peace with the challenges, knowing that they are stepping stones to ever expanding good. When a few million of us arrive at that place of understanding, we will have peace on earth. This is a worthy and very achievable goal.

In Love,
Kim

PS. There will be no movie night in November or December.

President's Remarks

During October the Board met once on October 10 at the Centre right after the service. The congregation was advised that all Board meetings are open and if there is "in camera" business this will be conducted at the end of each meeting.

On October 17 there was a well-attended "community gathering" during which members of the Centre spoke about their reactions to recent events. I explained that both Rev. Kim and Rev. Jennifer had indicated an interest in serving as our full-time Minister, however as Rev. Kim had not officially offered her resignation, Rev. Kim was and would continue to be our Minister. Rev. Jennifer announced that she would step down from her part-time work as Associate Minister at the end of December at the conclusion of her contract. We also held a Visioning Meditation for the future of the Centre.

The executive of the Board (Jim Scott, V.P., Cathy Fletcher, Sect. and I) met with Rev. Kim and with Rev. Jennifer individually to discuss their interests and to ensure that the current contractual agreements were in order. Rev. Jennifer scheduled to meet with Rev. Kim to discuss their working together on Nov. 4. Rev. Jennifer resigned from the Board and ended her contract effective November 1.

Rev. Jennifer has contributed much time, talent, energy and love to the Positive Living Centre during the past three years and she will be deeply missed.

The Board will meet on November 7 after the service and those who wish to attend are invited to do so.

Everyone on the Board recognizes that the Centre has gone through a difficult period. All of us on the Board continue to strive to put into daily practice the New Thought principles that are the foundation of our lives. We acknowledge the need to heal through love any differences of view that have arisen in recent months.

As we follow the light of Love, Truth and Divine Guidance, I know that we are building a foundation for a bright future for the Positive Living Centre.

Love and blessings!
Rev. Joanna Drewry
Interim President

The Library

Dear Friends,

I can't believe it is almost November. The year (and particularly the summer) has gone so quickly. October has been a month of a great deal of reading for me. I borrowed **Wayne Dyer's "My Sacred Path"** from the PLC Library and it is almost as inspiring as "**Spiritual Problems**".

This coming month I am recommending **Esther & Jerry Hicks' book, "Money and the Law of Attraction"**. Two years ago Tony and I had the privilege of being part of a special cruise that they had arranged, and it was indeed a spiritual milestone in both of our lives.

It is with great regret that I retire from being responsible for the **Spirit Library** as of November 1st. I have enjoyed it more than words can say.

God bless you all.
With love,
Thelma