

NSAC Board News

The NSAC Board has set the dates for their first, since Covid-19, in person Spring Board Meeting. They will be meeting in Lily Dale, at the NSAC Office April 24 – April 27, 2025.

The NSAC Secretary will be contacting each Western New York NSAC Auxiliary to plan visits with each of them from some of our board members.

This year, the NSAC Board has decided that every auxiliary Secretary will receive the 2025 NSAC Yearbook free. This yearbook is to be shared with the auxiliary board and members.

From the NSAC Secretary

The NSAC office has been quite busy this winter. We have been sorting, organizing, and cleaning up some of the offices' rooms. With volunteers and your generous donations, we have completed projects in our book making/book storage room; research library and one of the archival storage rooms.

Part of this modernization is to have a searchable document listing all our research books, including title, author, edition and a brief description of the book. This will enhance researchers as they are typically looking for specific topics.

This makeover includes some wall patching, painting, flooring, and all round making the rooms functional.

Again, this is being done via your donations and a host of volunteers. If you would like to support this venture, you can send a check to the NSAC Office, or use this link:

<https://nsac.org/support-nsac-donation/>

As the funds come in, the project will continue to move forward. The main need is for restoration of the front entrance flooring, as the linoleum is peeling up.

Gratitude Day

In accordance with the NSAC Bylaws, "the 4th Sunday of March in each year shall be known as Gratitude Day. Chartered church societies **shall** hold a special service in honor of the founding of Modern Spiritualism and of the workers who have devoted their lives to The Cause. A special love offering **shall** be taken for the NSAC Spiritualist Benevolent Society."

These donations assist our members who have dedicated their lives to Spiritualism. We currently have several members who receive a monthly stipend from this fund, which assists them with their financial needs. If you, or anyone you know, fits the criteria below, and is in need, please contact the NSAC Secretary.

Spiritualist Benevolent Society (SBS) criteria:

Member of the NSAC based upon need and twenty (20) years of NSAC Church membership.

Must be a member of an NSAC Church and maintain their membership.

Must be recommended by more than one person or by their church board.

NSAC Bookstore News

The NSAC Bookstore hours are Mon, Wed, Thurs, & Fri, 9:30am-4:30pm.

The NSAC website has a complete listing of our books, you can utilize this link:

<https://nsac.org/bookstore/>

You can also place an order by calling the NSAC Office (716-595-2000), or email us at:

nsacbookstore@nsac.org

Reminders

March 15: Most Department and Committee reports are due to the NSAC Secretary.

4th Sunday in March: Gratitude Day. In honor of the founding of Modern Spiritualism. "A special love offering shall be taken for the NSAC Spiritualist Benevolent Society".

March 31: Advent of Modern Spiritualism.

March 31: Nominations for NSAC Awards due to the NSAC Office postmarked no later than March 31. The form can be found on NSAC website.

August 31: All Annual reports must be postmarked and sent to the NSAC Secretary

October 5-10: NSAC Annual Convention, Crowne Plaza Indianapolis, IN

Congratulations

The following auxiliaries are celebrating the anniversary of their charter with the NSAC.

February:

Church of Two Worlds, NSAC, CA

Church of Peace & Light, CT

Church of Spiritual Growth, NSAC, MA

First Spiritualist Temple of Royal Oak, MI

First Spiritualist Church of Houston, TX

First Spiritualist Church of West Allis, WI



Dates in Spiritualism

February 3, 1811-1872: Birthday-Horace Greeley (Abe Lincoln of Modern Spiritualism).

February 11, 1870: Event – Katie Fox Séance Automatic Writing of Benjamin Franklin.

February 16, 1836-1907: Birthday-Moses Hull (1st President of MPI)

February 26, 1798-1872: Birthday-Isaac Post (Protected the Fox Sisters).



Horace Greeley



Katie Fox



Moses Hull



Isaac Post

NSAC Convention SAVE THE DATE

The 2025 NSAC Convention will be held in Indianapolis, Indiana, October 5-10, 2025. The hotel's location is the Crowne Plaza Indianapolis Airport.

Based on the motions adopted at the 2024 NSAC Convention, we will be hosting more classes this year. The Convention Committee is working on the scheduling and particulars of these events.

The Convention Committee is seeking a location for the 2027 NSAC Convention. If your auxiliary is willing to assist the committee, please contact

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NSAC Classes

You asked, and the NSAC is now hosting classes and seminars via Zoom.

There are a variety of classes that started this month and continue throughout the year. Please check the NSAC website frequently for new updates and information at:

nsac.org/classes-seminars/

The first class is currently underway. The next class is **History of the Advent of Modern Spiritualism History of the Fox Family & Hydesville Memorial Park**. This class will be held on Mondays in March, starting March 10th. To Register:

<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/history-of-modern-spiritualism-the-fox-family-hydesville-memorial-park-tickets-1120741380639?aff=oddtcreator>

Auxiliary News Congratulations!!!

The NSAC would like to congratulate the First Spiritual Temple of Royal Oak, Michigan for celebrating the milestone of being an NSAC Auxiliary for 100 years this month.

Spiritual Healing Requests

Spirit healings result from law-governed forces being put into operation following the sending forth of a thought directive (prayer).

Please set time aside each day to send healing thoughts for each of those listed below, that they may receive from Spirit, which is for their highest and best needs.

Your healing prayers are needed and benefit others in ways we may never know.

Prayer for Spiritual Healing

I ask the great unseen healing force to remove all obstructions from my mind and body and to restore me to perfect health. I ask this in all sincerity and honesty, and I will do my part.

I ask this great unseen healing force to help both present and absent ones who are in need of help and to restore them to perfect health. I put my trust in the love and power of God.

Jackie, Vernon, Jennifer, Susan, Hunter,

To request Spiritual Healing

To have a name listed, notify the Spiritual Healing Center. Spiritual Healing is directed to a specific individual. To list more than one individual from a household or group, submit the first name and the initial of the last name of each person. Names may be resubmitted if need continues.

Spiritual Healing Center at:

nsachealing@nsac.org

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Deadline: Items to be included in the current upcoming month must be submitted to the NSAC Secretary at nsacsecretary@nsac.org no later than the 20th of the month.

Subscriptions: Make a request by email (Subject: NSAC News Request) from the address to which you want NSAC News sent. Your request must include: your name; and your church or camp name. A monthly email notice will contain a link to the NSAC website page from which a PDF copy can be viewed and downloaded.