

## NSAC Board News

It has been an extremely busy month or so.

We are gearing up for our Town Hall Meeting to review the NSAC Convention reports from our Departments and Committees. This meeting will take place via Zoom. Although this meeting is free, **YOU MUST REGISTER**. This Town Hall is open to all NSAC members, so please share this link and information with your NSAC friends, and members.

**This event will be held on Saturday, August 16, 2025, at 1pm EST.**

**Here is the link to register:**

**REGISTRATION LINK**



This event is due to the changes the delegates made at last year's NSAC Convention, where the reports will be read during an online "Zoom" setting versus being read at the convention, leaving more time at the convention for socializing, seminars and workshops. Any reports that require motions and/or delegate discussion will be postponed until the convention.

The NSAC Board has sent out letters to all our auxiliaries reminding them that NSAC **does not support** or endorse the hiring of **fraudulent physical mediums** for workshops, seminars, or

demonstrations within our auxiliaries. To ensure the highest standards and genuine Spiritualist practice, auxiliaries seeking reputable physical mediums are encouraged to contact the **NSAC Certified Mediums/Licentiate Ministers Club**. Let us work together to preserve the truth and integrity of our sacred work.

## New TNS Editor

After much contemplation and discussion, the NSAC Board has decided to hire a new TNS Editor.

We are pleased to announce the appointment of Natalie Scorbercea as the new Editor of *The National Spiritualist Summit* (TNS), the official publication of the National Spiritualist Association of Churches.

Natalie brings a fresh, forward-thinking vision for TNS, with an emphasis on clarity, consistency, creativity, and growth. Her editorial strategy focuses on elevating the professional quality of the magazine while maintaining its strong Spiritualist roots. With her background in writing, editing, and digital content design, Natalie is poised to revitalize TNS with several exciting new features and improvements:

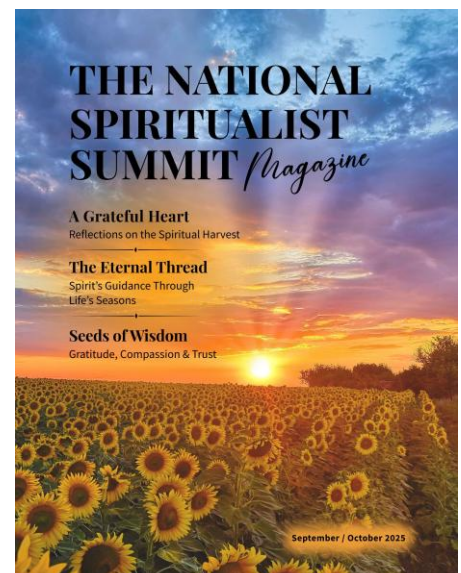
- **Modernized Layout & Design** – Natalie will implement an easy-to-read, clean layout with visually engaging graphics, making the publication more accessible and enjoyable for all readers.
- **Regular Editorial Calendar** – Expect consistent content flow, clear deadlines, and a structured production timeline that contributors can rely on.
- **Enhanced Contributor Experience** – Natalie is committed to supporting writers with detailed feedback and clear communication, fostering a stronger community of voices within the NSAC.
- **Fresh Columns and Themes** – Readers can look forward to thematic issues that explore

contemporary Spiritualist topics, historic perspectives, and profiles of people shaping our movement today.

- **Stronger Digital Presence** – With an eye on the future, Natalie aims to build TNS's online and social media visibility, bringing the publication to new and wider audiences.
- Natalie's thoughtful approach honors the legacy of TNS while taking bold steps forward to inspire, inform, and connect our membership. We are excited to see the new direction TNS will take under her leadership and encourage everyone to support her by submitting articles, artwork, and ideas.
- Please join us in welcoming Natalie Scorbercea as Editor of *The National Spiritualist Summit*.

If you have an article, photograph, or artwork you would like to submit to the Editor, please email: [nsactns@nsac.org](mailto:nsactns@nsac.org)

If you would like to purchase a spot for an advertisement, listing, or require assistance in creating an advertisement please contact the Editor.



## From the NSAC Secretary

I would like to remind everyone of the due dates for annual reports, delegate reports, and committee/departments reports.

- Annual Reports: Postmarked to NSAC Secretary by August 31. Those auxiliaries' part of a State Association, please see their bylaws.
- Delegate Reports: Postmarked to NSAC Secretary by August 31.

## Congratulations

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

### August:

Pine Grove Spiritualist Camp, CT  
New Beginning Spiritualist Church, WI

## From the NSAC Treasurer

Finally, the Newly revised Annual Report form for Church Auxiliaries is now available online, at [nsac.org](http://nsac.org).

If you have questions and/or need assistance with filling out your annual report, the NSAC Treasurer, Rev. Lorraine Radice is available to assist you. [lorraine@nsac.org](mailto:lorraine@nsac.org), or call at: 781-605-9092

I would like to announce a new platform for classes. We have been using Eventbrite; this has not worked well for us. Finding classes, advertising, high fees and issues logging into classes have created unsatisfactory results. We will now be switching to Podia. Please watch this newsletter and the NSAC website for more information and new classes.

I wish to acknowledge The Reverend Cosie Allen, The Reverend Debra Malison and David Chapman. These individuals who taught classes and donated 100% of the proceeds to the betterment of the Fox Cottage. Thank you to all our instructors.

## Spiritual Science Day

According to the NSAC Bylaws, the second Sunday of August in each year shall be known as Spiritual Science Day and a special offertory may be requested during church services to benefit the NSAC Spiritual Science Research Fund to provide for the coordination, funding, dissemination and publicizing of new scientific research into the phenomena of Spiritualism.

## NSAC Bookstore News

The NSAC Bookstore Summer Hours: Monday – Saturday 10 am-4pm.

The NSAC website has a 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](mailto:nsacbookstore@nsac.org)

The bookstore now has a collection of used books, including some of the MPI required reading books. Email or call us with your requests, as our used book inventory changes often.

## Reminders

**August 1:** Department & Committee annual reports are due to the NSAC Secretary.

**August 1:** NSAC Bylaw Proposals due to the NSAC Secretary.

**August 31:** Auxiliary Annual Reports and Convention Delegate Forms are to be postmarked and sent to the NSAC Secretary.

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

## Dates in Spiritualism

**August 8, 1852:** Event – D.D. Home first levitation.

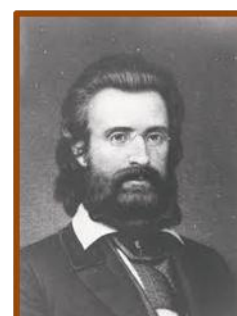
**August 9, 1864:** Event – First convention of National Association of Spiritualists, Philadelphia, PA.

**August 10, 1850:** Event – *Spirit Messenger* published.

**August 11, 1824:** Birthday – Andrew Jackson Davis (Poughkeepsie Seer)



DD Homes Demonstration on Levitation



Andrew Jackson Davis



The Spirit Messenger  
Photo Courtesy of IAPSOP



## NSAC Convention Reserve Your Room

### LINK: [2025 NSAC Convention](#)

Phone number for the Crowne Plaza Indianapolis-Airport: (317) 244-6861

Room rate: \$119 for 2 people.

*Once you access the dates, the room rates should be reduced to the NSAC discount.*

You must reserve your room by September 1, 2025, to receive the discounted rate.

Please contact Havi or Lorraine if you need assistance.

[havi@nsac.org](mailto:havi@nsac.org) or [lorraine@nsac.org](mailto:lorraine@nsac.org)



## Convention Events:

This year, the NSAC Board will host a Town Hall Meeting via Zoom to review some of the committee/department reports prior to the 2025 NSAC Convention on Saturday, August 16<sup>th</sup> at 1pm EST.

These are some of the events for the convention week:

- Sunday Morning Service hosted by The Spiritualist Church of Indianapolis
- Sunday Reception & Registration
- Sunday Evening Service: Featuring the NSAC Board
- NSAC Clubs will present the Monday Workshops:  
**"Reflections on Living as a Spiritualist"** and  
**"Natural" Law"**
- Business Meetings Tuesday, Thursday & Friday 9am-5pm
- Evening Church Services: Sunday with the NSAC Board, Tuesday, Wednesday as our Memorial

Service and Thursday with our Students.

- Wednesday: Day trip to Camp Chesterfield. Lunch is **not** included but it is available to be purchased at the camp.
- Wednesday Evening: Memorial Service: This is a service to honor all those who have transitioned in the past year.
- NSAC will host a variety of seminars during the Convention week including:
  - **"Saying Goodbye"** by Rev. Sharon Watson, NST
  - **"Growing your church"**
  - **"Roles of the Board and Pastor/Pastoral"** by Rev. JoAnn Santonocito and a panel of experts.
- Presentation by the new TNS Editor

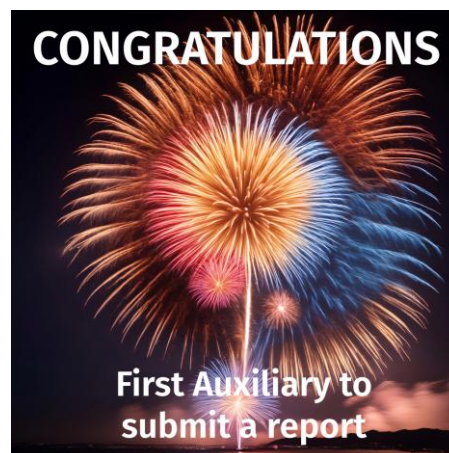
Registration forms can be found on the website or by clicking on the link below:

[CONVENTION REGISTRATION FORM](#)

## Special Congratulations

Each year, the NSAC Secretary honors the first auxiliary to submit a completed Annual Report by sending out a small package of NSAC Bookstore items. This year, Church of Spiritual Growth, MA, was the first auxiliary to send in their completed report.

We appreciate the early report.



## 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.

*Karyl, Medhat, Micheal, Hoda, Dina, Sandrina, Dany, Samy, Samia, Magdy, Janet, Vicki, Jeanette, Rose, Lisa*

### 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](mailto: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](mailto:nsacsecretary@nsac.org) no later than the 20<sup>th</sup> 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.