





Celebrating Autumn New Releases and Announcing Our Spring '25 List!



Gaian Tarot 2nd edition From NWTS Featured Artist Ioanna Powell Colbert February 2025



Boadicea's Tarot of Earthly Delights Caroline Kenner Paula Millet landscape: based on the May 2025



Lantern Sibilla Caitlin Matthews Anastasia Kashian A complete learning course on La Vera Sibilla oracle featuring 52 newly illustrated cards & comprehensive guidebook May 2025

The Magic



The Astrology of Nations John Michael

Greer A complete guide to mundane astrology, casting and interpreting charts for nations, politics and economies. Perfect for an election

January 2025



The Vedic Tarot Dwina

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Tarot Training Sleeves James Jacob Pierri

Dan Williams Innovative tech-based Tarot learning system, learn to read with

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Juno Lucina Dan Goodfellow Use these unique oracle "frames" around other cards, objects, or on their

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Welcome to NWTS 2024!

The jam-packed schedule appears in the centerfold of this book. This guide also includes a hotel map, descriptions of all the activities, speaker biographies, and psychics and vendors.

Please put your name in the space provided. Keep this program with you throughout the conference. Additional guidebooks, if available, may be purchased for \$5 at the Registration Table.

Thank you so much for joining us this year. If you have any questions or concerns, please visit the Registration Table or the Soultopia / NWTS Booth. Everyone is ready to help.

Gratitude

Thank you to everyone for contributing to the 9th annual NWTS by attending, vending, presenting, staffing, sponsoring, and advertising.

A special thank you to our Master Teachers Ethony Dawn, Charles Harrington, and Catiara Marie. And of course, thank you to all the presenters—you ALL are amazing!

A special thank you to our Featured Artist Joanna Powell Colbert

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FEATURED ARTIST

Joanna Powell Colbert

In my artwork, I return over and over to several themes: seasonal cycles in nature and in human life; the Pacific Northwest landscape; and the Sacred Feminine in myth and folklore. I've been fascinated by the rich, archetypal symbolism of the Tarot since I picked up my first deck in 1970. I brought my love of the natural world to tarot tradition when I created the Gaian Tarot and, later on, the Herbcrafter's Tarot.

When I work with colored pencils, I lay down creamy, waxy layers of rich, transparent color. I also work in mixed media collage, and more recently in the digital program Procreate. I developed a process where I begin with a pencil sketch, then scan it into Procreate. I add layers of color and texture digitally, then print the piece out on my archival printer. I finish by hand with colored pencils.

I created a new Hermit card (Major Arcana #9) for this ninth NWTS. I set it in the Pacific Northwest as a homage to Portland, and in the fall since we are gathering in September. Fall suits the energy of the Hermit—that time of year when we begin to turn toward the dark, and become more introspective.

I've always enjoyed turning archetypes on their heads. So instead of a wise old white man, I decided to make my Hermit a wise old dark-skinned woman. I wanted to explore the experience of living alone as an aging person who has a rich inner life, cherishing solitude while deeply connected to the earth and to community. I call her "Elder Hermit."

ABOUT Joanna

Joanna Powell Colbert is a sacred artist, earth mystic, moon lover, and caller of circles. She is the creator of the Gaian Tanto (which took nine years to complete) and the Pentimento Tarot, a majors-only deck; and is the co-creator of the Herbcrafter's Tarot. Her work is grounded in earth-centered spirituality, seasonal contemplative practices, creativity as a devotional path, and using the tarot for inner guidance and self-exploration. She is currently working on the Sacred Wheel Oracle, a deck based on the Wheel of the Year, the lunar cycle, and the seasons of our lives. She lives on the edge of woods and lake near the Salish Sea in Bellingham, Washington.



Master Teachers



Ethony is an Author, Tarot teacher, reader, and High Priestess. She is the author of 'Your Tarot Court' and 'Tarot Grimoire,' both published through Llewellyn. She independently created and published several Tarot and Oracle decks. These include the Cosmic Wisdom Tarot, Modern Love Tarot, Penumbra Tarot, Awakened Soul Oracle, and The Modern Goddess Oracle.

She is the Headmistress of the Tarot Readers Academy, which teaches people the art of reading the cards globally. She also created an online eclectic modern witchcraft coven, The Awakened Soul Coven, which has been running since 2016.

Ethony is an 80's child who loves Halloween, Care Bears, and the ocean. She lives with her family and three dogs in Vancouver, Canada, where they all love hiking in the forests.

Charles Harrington has read, taught, and loved Tarot for 28 years. He is the author of the Tarot of the Vampires from Llewellyn Worldwide, as well as the guidebooks for several decks from Lo Scarabeo, including The Murder of Crows Tarot, the Ferene Pinter Tarot, and the Dante's Inferno Oracle. His love of the cards and connecting with other readers has manifested in co-hosting podcasts, speaking at conferences, and leading meetups in the San Francisco Bay Area. In his free time, he loves to find new and strange ways to use the cards in pursuit of wisdom, fun, and the occasional complimentary cocktail.





Catiara Marie is an old school fortune teller. She has been reading tarot and oracle cards for over 28 years. She likes to look at what the future holds so that her clients may be prepared and take the actions necessary to succeed.

Catiara offers curious questions, new perspectives, and challenges that help her clients to make beneficial decisions and develop the skills that they need to live their hest life.



Photos & Video Policy

NWTS will be taking pictures throughout the weekend. Please ask people to exclude you if you do not want your picture taken. That applies to your fellow conference attendees who are taking photos as well.

You are welcome to take photos of presenters unless they express otherwise. All presentations are recorded and will be available in our private YouTube channel that will be shared with all attendees; therefore, videos are not allowed unless they are short clips. You also need not worry about getting a photo of every PowerPoint slide.

Lost & Found

Lost & Found is located in the vending hall at the Soultopia/NWTS Booth. Any unclaimed items will be donated to Goodwill at the end of the weekend.

Need Help? Our Staff is Ready!

 $Look for the special \ Lanyards with the \ NWTS \ Staff on them. \ If anyone is wearing this lanyard, they are on the clock and available to help or ask at the \ NWTS \ Headquarters \ Table in the \ Main \ Ballroom.$

Tips to Maximize Your Experience

NWTS is a weekend of intense learning with lots of activities that makes for a good time and enriching experience. Attendees have had experiences of energy that run a spectrum of intensity. From the discovery of the unknown to finding a "home," it can certainly be overwhelming — and let's face it, the late nights with good friends can take a toll on your energy as well.

- · Ask before hugging and respect boundaries.
- NWTS adheres to the current COVID policies and requirements.
- Exchange and respect pronouns. "Hi, I'm Michelle (she/her). Nice to meet you." "Hi
 Michelle, I'm (name), (they/them)."
- Be respectful to yourself, hotel staff, restaurant and bar staff, NWTS staff, and other participants.
- Keep your NWTS program with you at all times.
- · Wear your badge at all times.
- · Look for signage or ask the staff where to go.
- Check out the Swap Table.
- Give yourself self-care (sessions are recorded, so pace yourself).
- · Visit the vendors and purchase goodies to take home.
- · Save your Raffle tickets and show up to all drawings.
- · Read class descriptions to know what to bring to class.
- Don't try to do it all pace yourself.
- · Stay hydrated.
- · Remember to eat food is grounding.



POTLATCH TABLE

To participate in the potlach, you will need to leave something of value on the table, then pick up any item you would like. Kindly ensure your exchange is fair and limit yourself to one or two items simultaneously. PLEASE KEEP YOUR ITEMS DIVINATION RELATED!

Examples: tarot decks, oracle decks, crystals, books, etc.

RAFFLES

NWTS has many raffles with donations from our speakers, sponsors, and vendors. There are several ways to obtain raffle tickets, including but not limited to checking in, attending events, attending presentations, finding your NWTS Buddy, showing kindness to staff, and buying NWTS merch. There will be several opportunities to win throughout the weekend. Visit the Vending Hall to see the raffle prizes. Simply place your tickets in the raffle box.

You must be present to win!

NWTS BUDDY

While NWTS is in its 9th year, 2024 is a reunion of sorts. Many of us have not seen one another in person for several years. Our gathering is also an opportunity to meet new divination friends. To facilitate mingling, we have randomly assigned NWTS BUDDIES. Look at your NWTS badge after you check in. Each badge has a tarot card on the back. Look at the badges for other attendees and speakers because another NWTS participant will have a match to yours. Find them during the weekend and introduce yourself. You and your buddy can

visit the Registration/Con Information table to each receive two extra raffle tickets. You may choose to interact more by attending a presentation together, grabbing coffee, or perhaps even exchanging email information after the event.

ZOOM Recordings

All presentations are being transmitted LIVE via ZOOM. Please note this may inhibit your presenter's ability to move around the room. Please limit your questions to the end of the presentation unless instructed otherwise by the presenter in your room.

Post-NWTS Presentation Access

Recordings of the presentations will be available to you for 30 days. This is only for those who bought a ticket. It is not for anyone else. An email will be sent to you within two weeks of the event. The link is good for 30 days from the date of receipt.

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Friday September 6, 2024





Schedule

8:30 AM- 9:00 AM Opening Ceremonies 9:00 AM-10:30 AM Ethony Dawn Master Teacher

11:00- 12:00 AM Tarot and Business Ethics Panel- SallyRose(M), Catiara Marie, Heather Agosta

12:00-1:30PM Lunch

1:30 PM -2:30 PM

Callie French What Are You Really Meant to Do In Life?

Heather Agosta Tea and Tarot: Creating custom tea blends for your divination practice 2:00PM Psychic Fair & Metaphysical Market Opens

2:30 PM- 3:00 PM BREAK

3:00 PM- 4:00 PM

Siddharth Ramakrishnan The Major Arcana in the Mind - Mapping your brain onto the cards

James Divine GESTURAL SPELL

CASTING with Modern Mudras

4:00 PM-4:30 PM BREAK

4:30 PM-5:30 PM

Thomas Witholt Tarot Tableau: A method for depth and detailed forecasting

Lira Messina Somatic Flow Tarot

6:00PM-8:00PM Dinner Break

8:00 PM Psychic Fair & Metaphysical Market Closes

8:00 PM- 10:00 PM Meet and Greet with

Keynotes: Ethony Dawn, Joanna Powell Colbert, Charles Harrington, Catiara Marie

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Saturday September 7, 2024





Schedule

8:30 AM- 9:00 AM Opening

9:00 AM-10:30 AM Charles Harrington

Master Teacher

10:00 AM Psychic Fair & Metaphysical

Market Opens

11:00 AM- 12:00 PM Jennifer Mullenix, Catiara Marie, Nicole Tatem, Nicki Slattery, and Zeratha Monique Young

Manifestation Magic with Tarot's Path

12:00-1:30PM Lunch

1:30 PM -2:30 PM

Charlie Claire Burgess Tarot's Secret History: How Tarot's Radical Past Can Change the Way You Read Today

Claire Christine Sargent Tarot & Collage

2:30 PM- 3:00 PM BREAK

3:00 PM- 4:00 PM

Emilie Muñiz Lenormand made easy

4:00 PM-4:30 PM BREAK

4:30 PM-5:30 PM

Jennifer Steidley Tarot in Bloom:

Unearthing the Bountiful Meanings of the Flowers of Tarot

6:00 PM Psychic Fair & Metaphysical

Market Closes

7:00 PM-8:00 PM Kilted Bingo (with

Roger & Andrew)

8:00 PM- 11:00 PM Dance (Masked Ball)

& Karaoke

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Sunday September 8, 2024



Schedule

8:30 AM- 9:00 AM Opening
9:00 AM-10:30 AM Catiara Marie
Master Teacher
10:00 AM Psychic Fair &
Metaphysical Market Opens
11:00 AM- 12:00 PM Top 8 Things to
Creating a Deck Panel-SallyRose (M),
Emilie Muñiz, Callie French, Jennifer
Steidley, EthonyDawn
12:00-1:30PM Lunch
1:30 PM -2:30 PM
Jessica Nyx Healthy Lifestyle

Changes Through Tarot

2:30 PM- 3:00 PM Closing Ceremony



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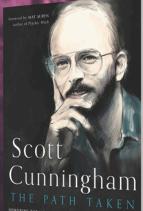
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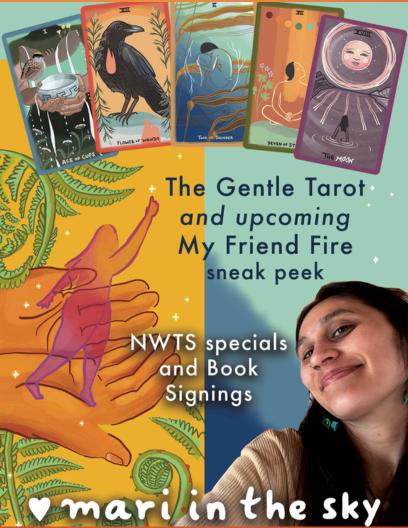








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