



## SOMATIC THERAPY TRANSFORMATION

## A TRANSFORMATIONAL JOURNEY INTO AUTHENTICITY

I am honored to offer a safe, authentic and nurturing space for participants to be wholeheartedly supported throughout this profoundly transformational, deeply therapeutic and life-changing experience.

We will be journeying through deep layers to get to the core of your true and authentic self. Honoring and releasing with love and intention outdated belief systems, personal, societal and collective programming, conditioning and conformities allowed or placed upon us.

Stepping into, with conviction, support and internal belief and trust, our creative passions and pursuits and living more in alignment with our life purpose. This transformation is not for the faint hearted but will be for the ready to be wide open and brave hearted! For those who want to truly live out who they came here to uniquely and unapologetically be! I cannot wait to guide, witness and journey alongside you all with faith, love and complete acceptance and belief.

#### **Intended Dates**

Saturday September 14 8am-late evening Sunday 15th 8am - evening

#### Destination

Gold Coast - Near Tugun Beach Surf Club Surrounding Beach/Nature Sites





## CONNECTION

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## TRANSFORMATION OVERVIEW



#### THERAPUETIC HEALING EXPERIENCE AND INTEGRATION

This retreat incorporates vast studied knowledge and experience within the mental, scientific, natural and alternative health fields to deliver an extensive program of healing and self-discovery.

You will feel held and supported as I guide you, and you allow yourself to fully connect, to not only your higher self, but to source and oneness and the love from which we all came. This safe and loving space allows you to re-member your true self; the version of you before you were conditioned and told what to think, feel, believe and do that may not have been authentic to you. To what has contributed to and created the disconnection and dis-ease that may have manifested into emotional turmoil and or physical disease that you yearn to transform and heal to live a more fulfilling and purposeful life.

I provide this space in deep connection from a pure source of love, humbleness, non-judgement, compassion and embodiment of learnt and lived experience. With loving support; releasing of fears, past conditioning, doubts and suffering you will walk away with greater conviction and self-belief, feeling lighter, supported and full of hope and alignment with a deeper connection to your authentic self.

Receiving guidance from your true self as you step back out with your heart open and your fears and worries no longer holding you captive.

You will leave with the imprint of deeply authentic and vulnerable connections and lifelong bonds with myself and other participants. Receiving loving guidance and being held in a supportive container with myself and other participants in our online group space where we can assist each other going forward.

This is a real-world in-depth experience not a surface level feel good escape or in the moment experience and aims to address the underlying emotional contributors to dis-ease and create profound change in your life and continue to expand your personal development long after the retreat ends.



## DAILY SCHEDULE

#### ALLOWING FOR INTUITIVE GUIDANCE



#### SATURDAY

The first day is all about the past and present; past conditioning, patterning and imprints either we instilled or allowed or placed upon us and the work on clearing outdated patterns and belief systems no longer in alignment with our authentic selves.

The present and being in the moment; sacred present intentions for the here and now and guidance in how to simply, effectively connect and go within on a daily basis.

**8:00am:** Morning group therapy circle - sharing and witnessing in an authentic, safe space

Outdoor nature site getting in connection together learning about the body and emotional areas and where we may have stored issues and what our ailments relate to - psychosomatics, somatic mind body activation & release, hands on healing assisting you to feel into your body and let go of and integrate what comes forth ~ sharing and picnic lunch

Afternoon group therapy circle - sharing and witnessing in an authentic, safe space.

Somatic movement with Robyn to shake things off. Free time before dinner 30min

**7-8:30pm**: Group dinner and connection



#### SUNDAY

This last day is all about the future, preparations, goals, processing, and integration.

**8:00am**: Morning group therapy circle - sharing and witnessing in an authentic, safe space

Outdoor nature site getting in connection together setting future intentions, channeled mediation, emotional release bodywork and hands on energetic clearing and healing; picnic lunch provided

Afternoon group therapy circle - sharing and witnessing in an authentic, safe space

Intention setting with Maddy and integrative somatic movement.

**6:00pm:** Group dinner and connection

7:15pm Closing in support of one another with gratitude set for departure.

Note: Although the itinerary is planned out, the time schedule is loose as I always trust and allow room for guidance to take us further into a particular space or out of our comfort zones as needed and in alignment with the 'real world' and free from the restraints of having to cut things off to adhere to scheduling. If you need to leave at a particular time Saturday night you can and also we can continue to later in the evening if needed.



## DAILY SCHEDULE

#### ALLOWING FOR INTUITIVE GUIDANCE





#### COLLABORATIVE CONNECTION

The essence of group therapeutic connections reveals itself as a powerful force that transcends casual relationships. Joining together with a shared purpose, the journey takes on a deeper meaning, weaving together individual narratives into a collective tapestry of discovery. Deep and vulnerable bonds create a harmonious energy that amplifies and goes beyond the overall individual healing experience.

Individual contributory offerings within the group encompass bringing an offering unique to you. Something you would like to share or lead the group in experiencing or teaching such as part of a modality you have learned, an activity or exercise, or sharing something important to you that you feel the group could benefit from. This is not in depth or to be over analysed, anxious about or thoroughly planned.

Group therapeutic connections enable us to experience being vulnerable, courageous and authentic in a safe and mutually beneficial environment. Allowing us to bravely continue and maintain the uncovering of our true and authentic selves as we reintegrate back into our everyday lives feeling supported.

#### TESTIMONIALS

Well where do I begin with this incredible WOMAN. I knew I would meet Vanessa, from the moment I heard about the work she does. A few months later I was at a point in my journey when I knew I needed support, and my soul knew it was time to meet her. I booked in my first session with her and wow, my mind was blown but most importantly I felt so held and so seen. Vanessa helped me in ways I can't even begin to describe. I remember the deep emotions, and she helped activate the wisdom that had been lying dormant inside my body and just always believed in me and could see the woman I came here to be and she reminded me of my love and power it's been a beautiful domino effect of expansion, releasing and love like never before.

Not long after my first session with Ness, the opportunity to travel to Mt.Shasta came forth and the trip was one like no other. True authenticity, open hearts, and oneness. Ness is a force of love to be reckoned with. I honestly don't know how she does it!. Her ability to hold herself and us all, while channeling, organising 9 women, doing hands on healing, and calling us forward with love to be the best versions of ourselves; I'll be forever grateful to her, and all the incredible light she has brought to my life and the planet for us and generations to come. The work she is doing is so incredibly important and special and I am SO excited for all the people who get to walk alongside her and be guided by her wisdom. Love you Ness x ~ Cassie

I have been on many Retreats over my 60years, and l have to say this retreat to Mt Shasta was the best retreat I have ever experienced; monumental and transformational. Vanessa is such a beautiful soul and the way she held this retreat was not only full of wisdom but just so loving, caring and nurturing. Taking us out of our comfort zone at times every day was so exciting and the places where we shared in group therapy and meditated in nature were beautiful and healing for the whole group! I have never experienced anything like it and learnt so much! I loved every minute being there and I have truly come home a different person feeling amazing and ready to fulfil my passions and purpose and have let go of so much past suffering!! Thank you deeply Ness and all the wonderful souls on this retreat: I will never forget this ~ Robyn

One word for this lady "amazing" Vanessa is extremely passionate and skilled. I remember my first appointment and I immediately felt someone was listening and genuinely cared. We have built a beautiful client /clinician relationship. Her knowledge and empathy is natural and free flowing. Vanessa is the true definition of an Angel ~ Jen

A life changing experience facilitated by Vanessa in beautiful Mt Shasta CA, the peaceful environment was perfect for quiet contemplation, healing and purging of the old, every aspect of the retreat contributed to a deep sense of introspection and renewal. Vanessa did an amazing job of creating a warm and welcoming atmosphere that immediately put everyone at ease. Some beautiful lifelong friends were made on this special journey. I highly recommend Vanessa's to anyone seeking a profound journey of self-discovery and spiritual renewal. It's a testament to her expertise and dedication to creating meaningful experiences that leave a lasting impact on the heart and soul. JL

Vanessa is absolutely amazing & I am so blessed that we have crossed paths. Vanessa is very passionate & genuinely takes the time to listen, care & connect. Every time I visit Vanessa, I come out feeling cleansed & taken to another level of understanding, clarity & healing. Vanessa's empathy is next level & truly heartwarming. Thank you Vanessa for your love, support & guidance- Olivia L



# TRANSFORMATION THERAPEUTICS





#### THERAPUETIC HEALING MODALITIES AND PRINCIPLES INCORPORATED

Somatic therapies focus on the connection between the mind and body and examine the ways in which emotions may manifest within the body. They engage the whole body while navigating thoughts, emotions, and memories, unlike traditional forms of therapy which focus only on engaging the mind. Somatic therapies can assist a variety of conditions such as trauma, stress, anxiety, depression, self-esteem, trust and intimacy issues, grief, loss, addiction and more which will be the mainstay of this therapeutic retreat.

Psychosomatic therapy, and holistic counselling look at how the mind affects the body and where trauma is stored, using emotional release trigger point therapy alongside body language, posture, physical ailment signals and their contributors, and explores and uncovers how we can be more in alignment and ease within our own bodies and minds and have a greater understanding of others

Naturopathic Medicine aims to treat the root causes within the body physically and emotionally using a combination therapies, nutritional and herbal medicines and support underpinned by scientific and experienced evidence.

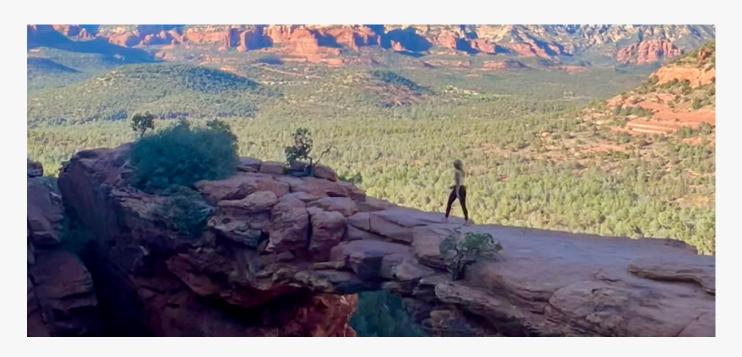
Somatic movement including yoga and dance allows for a deeper healing through the body where trauma is stored.

All therapies aim to address the underlying emotional contributors to dis-ease and greatly change a person's life and continue to expand their personal development long after the initial treatment and not just provide a feel good in the moment experience but offer life changing results.

Hermetic Therapy is the umbrella term, and I will be using all studied knowledge as well as deeply lived and transformed experience, extensive interpersonal and individual work with clients, my background in childcare and therapy and my connection, belief and trust in my own and your own innate wisdom and guidance to provide a highly personal and deeply transformative real-world experience.



# HELLO FROM VANESSA LEIGH





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# PSYCHOSOMATIC THERAPIST, HOLISTIC COUNSELLOR NATUROPATHIC CLINICIAN

As a trained Naturopathic Practitioner,
Psychosomatic Therapist and Counsellor with a
background in childcare, teaching, Graphic Design &
Art, Vanessa brings extensive knowledge in mental
health, holistic health, herbal medicine, counselling,
creative therapies, interpersonal relationships and
deeply lived experience. Vanessa is a natural born
healer and empathetic communicator and has
dedicated her life to be of service to assist people to
heal past trauma, uncover love and self belief and live
their best and most authentic lives.

Vanessa is based in Melbourne, Australia but travels the world to gain greater knowledge and awareness and a deeper connection to people, cultures, nature and sacred sites and to offer her assistance wherever she is guided and needed.



## TESTIMONIALS

#### Transformation & integration

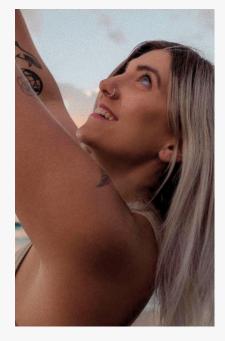
### hello from Robyn Morrison maddy verde



GRIEF COUNSELLOR YOGA, DANCE AND SOMATIC MOVEMENT INSTRUCTOR

As a trained grief counsellor, yoga, dance and somatic movement instructor with a background in professional dancing and dance instruction as well as a passion for preparing nourishing food, Robyn brings to the extensive knowledge in grief and illness and the effects within families, yoga and somatic movement as therapy, creative therapies, interpersonal relationships and deeply lived experience. Robyn is an absolute ray of sunshine here to spread love and make a difference in people's lives! With her carefree nurturing and completely accepting nature she makes everyone smile and feel welcome and free to be themselves. Robyn will provide support, somatic movement and nourishing food made with love.

Robyn is based in Melbourne, Australia but travels frequently to the Gold Coast to connect with family, healing nature and most of all the beautiful spirit of her late husband Scott and their deep love which she carries wherever she travels.



REIKI MASTER,
BREATH WORK,
MEDITATION
MOVEMENT,
MENTAL
HEALTH
PRACTITIONER

With qualifications as a Reiki Master and teacher, meditation, mental health, yoga and movement therapies, a passion for plant therapy and breathwork and extensive experience delivering programs throughout schools Australia wide on social and emotional learning Maddy brings to this experience guidance on regulating emotions and tools to embody and release them along with the ability to create a safe, nurturing nonjudgmental space to authentically be witnessed and held. Maddy is here to remind you of your power and to bring forth your passions so you can step into your purpose with full support allowing you to completely surrender and let go. Maddy will provide support, intention setting and somatic movement.

Maddy is based in Melbourne, Australia and loves to travel. Maddy has travelled to over 70 countries to not only deepen her connection with our great Mother Earth and other human beings but to also learn more about herself, the land, energy, plants and all that we are. The divine in her sees the divine in you

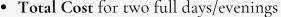
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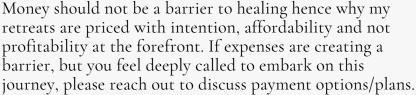
## INCLUSIONS

- Daily guidance, group and one on one therapy support
- A safe container to be witnessed, held and safely express
- Daily meditation, connection and healing sessions within the group and out in nature at sacred wilderness sites
- Understanding, learning, group and individual application of hermetic therapy principles and practices
- A personal customised herbal or plant medicine tonic for your journey and nutritional recommendations
- Basic insights into quantum physics and how to connect with and use energy to maintain a high vibrational field
- Group container and online support following retreat
- Dinners catered for and snacks provided
- Lunch items for offsite and any extras you may personally require to be brought to retreat. Fridge/storage available
- The retreat will run from a rented home in Tugun near the surf club and offsite on the beach and local natural environment's conducive to the therapy.
- Dress comfortably and you may want to bring a water bottle, bathing suit and towel.
- Journals provided





- \$555 Deposit of \$333 required upfront to secure space
- Cash, Credit, debit and paypal payment options
- Payment plans available/instalment options available
- limited spaces available as this will be a deeply transformative and intimate experienc.



I will also have space after the retreat to provide one on one 2hr in depth counselling and individual bodywork sessions in the area, at \$222 in addition or if you want to connect for healing but cannot attend the retreat

Contact Vanessa at info@vanessaleightherapy.com or on 0402 920 722 to receive a sign-up form

