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A Worldwide Event

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Hydesville Day will be on 1 single Zoom Meeting that you will receive when you register using this link:

https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZAofuuprj4qEtN_0Jk7Wb8c_nwzIM6LjvAv

Feel free to step back into time with us and dress as they would have in 1848!

Details for each Event

10:00 am ET* Opening Ceremony

Join us as we hear Welcome Addresses from our **Hydesville Planning Committee**, **Mary Brooks** from Universal Brotherhood Spiritualist Church, Canada, **David Bruton**, President of the Spiritualists' National Union, **June Killmer**, President of MPI, Director of Education for the NSAC, **Christine Krithades**, Ordained Minister, NSAC President, **Mavis Pittilla**, World-renowned Medium, **Robin Hodson**, International Spiritualist Federation, President

JoAnn Santonocito, NSAC Secretary and Co-Chair of the Hydesville Committee.



11:30 am Spiritualist Religious Service -Virtual and Live from the Fox Cottage Hydesville Memorial Park

Chairpersons & Admin - Carol Caesar and Ellen Sklaver



Healing Meditation – Rev. Richard Scholler: Richard is an ordained Spiritualist minister, certified medium, commissioned spiritualist healer, and a national spiritualist teacher.

Distant Healers – Rev. Pamela Bollinger, NST, CM, CH; Rev. Patricia Horne, NST, CM, CH; Sue Owen, CH



Address – Rev. Cosie Allen co-chair of the Hydesville Committee

Mediums – Robin Hodson, ISF President; Jackie Wright SNU VP; Matt and Kristy Grogan, NSAC Members of JT & EJ Crumbaugh Spiritualist Church living in England; and Rev. Stacy Kopchinski, NSAC Treasurer









1:30 pm Tour & History Live from the Fox Cottage PLUS an unveiling of a new artifact recently donated to the **Hydesville Memorial Park** – site of the Fox Cottage

Tracy Murphy, historian of the Fox Sisters and caretaker of the Hydesville Memorial Park for over 20 years will be our tour guide and host!

As a young girl, Tracy would visit the property and was fascinated with the history. A Spiritualist for over 30 years, when the NSAC acquired the Hydesville property and began looking for a caretaker, Tracy's husband suggested her to Rev. Cosie Allen and the rest is "history".

Tracy is a member of the Newark-Arcadia Historical Society and is Deputy Director of Historic Palmyra's 5 museums. She is currently working on the Fox family genealogy and looking for the family of the peddler.

3:00 pm Hydesville Sets the Stage - A Playful Historical Play



Join our dedicated volunteer actors as they re-enact the events of the evening of March 31, 1848! This play was written in 2012 by Rev. Judy Campbell-Clark, NST, CM. Rev. Judy Campbell-Clark served as the beloved Pastor at the Summerland Spiritualist Church of the Comforter, Santa Barbara, CA, from 2010 to 2015. Rev. Judy Campbell-Clark transitioned to spirit on September 7, 2015.

Narrator: Michael Staples, CM

Peddler Charles B. Rosna – Ellen Sklaver

Maggie Fox – Janyce Hamilton Kate Fox – Rev. Jean Mandeville Mrs. Margaret Fox – Tracy Murphy Mr. John Fox – "Lio" Danny Gutierrez

Mrs. Mary Redfield, Neighbor – Anne Kaufman Mr. Redfield, Neighbor – David "Nick" Nichols Mrs. Duesler, Neighbor – Rev. Pamela Bollinger Mr. William Duesler, Neighbor – Jerry Caesar

Many thanks to our director, acting coach and talent manager, **Linda Townsend**

Immediately after the play:

Historical Meet and Greet with Pioneers of Modern Spiritualism

Listen to our volunteer actors portray your favorite Spiritualist Pioneer! Meet Cora Richmond (Rev. Lorraine Radice); Andrew Jackson Davis (Darrin Ford); Emma Hardinge-Britten (Rev. Jean Mandeville); Sojourner Truth (Mary-Anne Colt); Mercy E. Cadwallader (Rev. Marilyn Awtry) and Bertha Crear (Charvonne Carlson, NST, CM, CH)

4:30 pm Presentation on the Fox Sisters' School House Renovations



Join Rev. Janet Nohavec, Pastor and founder of The Journey Within A Center for Spiritual Evolvement, Inc. (a Spiritualists' National Union church) and co-founder of The Journey Within School for Mediumship as she tells us about the amazing renovations being made on the Fox Sisters' School House which is just a few miles away from the Hydesville Memorial Park which houses the foundation of the Fox Cottage. Thru efforts spearheaded by Janet; the School House is being preserved for all to enjoy.

<u>5:00 pm Spiritualist Historical Sidebar Interviews</u> — Meet Spiritualist Historians Ron Nagy, Rev. Marilyn Awtry, Rev. Lelia Cutler, Rev. Bradley Gosselin, Rev. June Killmer, Rev. Marrice Coverson and Rev. Cosie Allen. Find out what Hydesville Day means to them!

6:00 pm Virtual Spirit Art Gallery Tour

Join our host, Rev. Nancy Ryall, as she answers the question, "What is Spirit Art?" And so much more! Then see Spirit Art now located in Lily Dale, NY; Milwaukee, WI and from the famous Golden Gate Spiritualist Church in San Francisco, CA established in 1924 where our curator is their Pastor, the Reverend Del Lauderback.

7:30 pm +Special Fundraising Event+ <u>Virtual Victorian Seance</u>

Note – this is the only event of the day <u>which will not be on the Hydesville Day Meeting Link listed above.</u> The cost of tickets to attend the Séance is \$48.00 per person, in honor of 1848! For details and to purchase tickets on Eventbrite.com – search 1848 Victorian Séance or use this link:

https://www.eventbrite.com/e/tickets-141567641627

Join Certified Mediums: Rosemary Calderalo, Lelia Cutler, Marrice Coverson, Celeste Elliott, Lorraine Radice, Havivah Richards, Nancy Ryall and Norma Turner as we take you back in time to the Victorian era where séances took place, holding hands around a table with a medium. Each sitter will be randomly assigned a medium's virtual circle via breakout rooms on Zoom and will receive a message from the other side. Feel free to dress for that era!

7:30 pm On the Hydesville Day Meeting link – continue to learn about the History of the Fox Family and the events of March 31, 1848.

9:15 pm **Closing Ceremony** Address - Rev. Christine Krithades, President NSAC

*All times are ET US