



Stars and Stones Forum

Understanding the ancient landscape, the heavens,
and the dawn of agriculture

Bury St Edmunds, Suffolk

Sat. and Sun. 17th and 18th November 2007

Tickets limited to 80 at £35 each. Single day £20. Booking enquiries 01359 270524. Available by post from The Estate Office, Rougham, Bury St. Edmunds, Suffolk, IP309LZ. Cheques payable to Rougham Conferences. Please include a S.A.E for timetable, directions, local accommodation and B&Bs to be forwarded with your ticket.

Two days of lectures, talks, networking, socialising, and open forums on the origins of modern man and his development from Cro-Magnon hunter gatherer to a sophisticated being, with remarkable abilities in agriculture, animal husbandry, social organization, astronomy, surveying, mathematics, engineering, building skills, artistic expression, consciousness, self awareness, and a belief in the transmigration of the soul.

Michael Hodges (West Country historian) How ancient farmers created calendars to structure their year, using observational astronomy and timing events with festivals.

Edmund Marriage (independent researcher) The discovery of the Garden of Eden site in Southern Lebanon, and the diffusion of farming and civilisation around the world.

Carolyn Comberti (specialist in the use of sound) How science has rediscovered the harmonic and geometric energy grid surrounding the planet and ways to interact with cosmic forces, to affect positive changes to the environment and people.

Laurence Main (historian) With his knowledge of the Welsh language will describe Arthur's last battle at Camlan, and the lost knowledge of Druidic and early British history.

Hugh Newman (Earth mysteries researcher) How the ancients used magnetic earth energy currents to enhance seeds, fertility and re-mineralise their food

Jake Ewen (scientific researcher) How science can help us understand the workings of the universe, through geometry, holography, cymatics, and sound wave relationships.

John Neal (master of measurement) Revealing the sophistication of the archaic world.

Dirk Campbell (composer and specialist in musical instruments dating back thousands of years) Demonstration of a number of ancient musical traditions.

Phillip Carr-Gomm (Chief of the Order of Bards, Ovates and Druids, one of the largest international Druid groups) will talk on 'Druidry as a Call from the Future'.

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SPEAKER PROFILES AND SUBJECTS



Michael A Hodges (West Country historian, M.A. [London], author, former chairman of the Society of Ley Hunters and the Dorset Earth Mysteries Group) will explain how ancient farmers created calendars to structure their year, using seasonal festivals marked by particular solar alignments at specific sites to mark the progress of the year and the timing of all important work. This system was considered so significant for agricultural production by the early church that it was taken over for its own purposes, but its original intent was still remembered in local folklore.

Edmund Marriage (independent researcher) will show how the re-interpretation of ancient texts and modern science shows extraordinary skills in the development of sophisticated agriculture and social organisation in the Fertile Crescent of the Middle East 11,300 years ago. The domestication of plants and animals can be traced back to the Sumerian Kharsag (head enclosure or Eden) and he will give an update on the research confirming the location of this site in Southern Lebanon. www.goldenageproject.org.uk

Carolyn Comberti (specialist academic and practitioner in the teaching of singing and the use of sound) will demonstrate that science has rediscovered the harmonic and geometric energy grid surrounding the planet (which the Aborigines understood when they sang the Songlines) and ways to interact with cosmic forces to affect positive changes to the environment in co-creation with the natural world. www.vocal-ease.co.uk

Laurence Main (holder of an Oxford degree in history, author of 50 books, secretary of the Society of Ley Hunters, and specialist through his knowledge of the Welsh language) will talk about Arthur's last battle at Camlan, and the lost knowledge of Wales, Druidic and early British history, some recovered from the suppressed Welsh records.

Hugh Newman (author and Earth mysteries researcher with special knowledge of nutrition and megaliths) will report on the October Malta Megalith conference, his trip to Peru, and how the ancients used earth mounds, big stones and magnetic earth energy currents to enhance seeds, promote fertility and re-mineralise their food. www.avalonrising.co.uk

Jake Ewen (independent researcher in sacred geometry and the science of sound) will expand on the long held belief that sound plays a principle role in cosmic recreation. Through elemental geometry, holography, Cymatics, the study of wave relationships, to the earth's own energetic grid system we discover an over-riding principle of harmony at work in the universe, one which the ancients evidently held to be of great importance.

John Neal (master of ancient measurement) will expand on his statement that ancient architects and surveyors speak to us across the ages through the forgotten language of units of measurement, that were enshrined in their proportions, as clearly as though their voices were heard in their own tongues. www.world-mysteries.com/johnneal1.htm

Dirk Campbell (composer and traditional musician) will demonstrate and talk about the evolution of various instruments including the double and triple pipes, the bagpipe, the lyre and other ancient instrumental traditions still extant. www.dirkcampbell.co.uk

Philip Carr-Gomm (Chief of the Order of Bards, Ovates and Druids), www.druidry.org/obod/theorder/index.html, one of the largest international Druid groups, will talk about 'Druidry as a Call from the Future'.

Small changes may be made to the content and programme before 18th November.