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Biodynamic Talks

Series 1: Agriculture & Education

Speaker

Hans van Florenstein Mulder

Healing the Earth and the Human Being

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Educating the Waldrof way

...learning is interdisciplinary, integrates practical, artistic, and conceptual elements, and is coordinated with "natural rhythms of everyday life".

Biodynamics is a science of life-forces, which recognises the basic principles at work in nature, and an approach to agriculture which takes these principles into account to bring about balance and healing. Biodynamics is part of the work of Rudolf Steiner, known as anthroposophy -- a new approach to science which integrates precise observation of natural phenomena, clear thinking, and knowledge of the spirit.

Biodynamic Agriculture talk:
Biodynamic agriculture, healing the Earth and the Human Being

During this lecture Hans will characterize chemical farming and organic farming and so come to an understanding of the ideas and principles that are applied in biodynamic agriculture, which treats farms as unified and individual organisms, emphasizing balancing the holistic development and interrelationship of the soil, plants, animals as a closed, self-nourishing system.

Waldorf Education talk:
What does Waldorf Education stand for

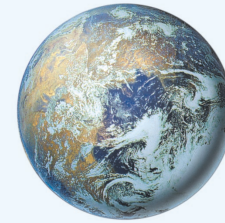
In order to educate young people one needs to have an Image of what a human being is. From this Image one can then derive an education. In this lecture an introduction will be given to the approach of Waldorf education at the three stages of human development, early childhood in the kindergarten, childhood education during elementary school and the education of the adolescent during the high school years.

Main Speaker

Hans van Florenstein Mulder

Waldorf Educator and Anthroposophist, has been involved in Waldorf Education and Biodynamic Agriculture since 1972. Hans served in the New Zealand anthroposophical Society from 1999 to 2006. During this period Hans met many active pioneers in Asia and at their request Hans soon became active in giving lectures and seminars in Asia. Since 2006 Hans have been asked to continue helping the many and fast growing Anthroposophical initiatives in Asia and also by the Executive Council at the Goetheanum in Dornach to help with the fostering of the life of the General Anthroposophical Society and the School of Spiritual Science in Asia.

Biography



Date : Saturday, 18 April 2009
Time : 10 am to 4:30 pm
Venue : The Federal Hotel KL, Pahang Suite, 2nd Floor
Programme
10:00 am - Arrival of Guest
10:30 am to 12:30 pm - Waldorf Education
12:30 pm to 3:00 pm - Lunch Break / Press Interview
3:00 pm to 4:30 pm - Biodynamic Agriculture
4:30 pm to 5:00 pm - Q & A session

Moderators of the Talk:

Dr Cinzia Giordanelli

Lecturer, Psychologist and Psychotherapist has been involved in Anthroposophical initiatives for the past 25 years, with special interests in Human Being.



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