

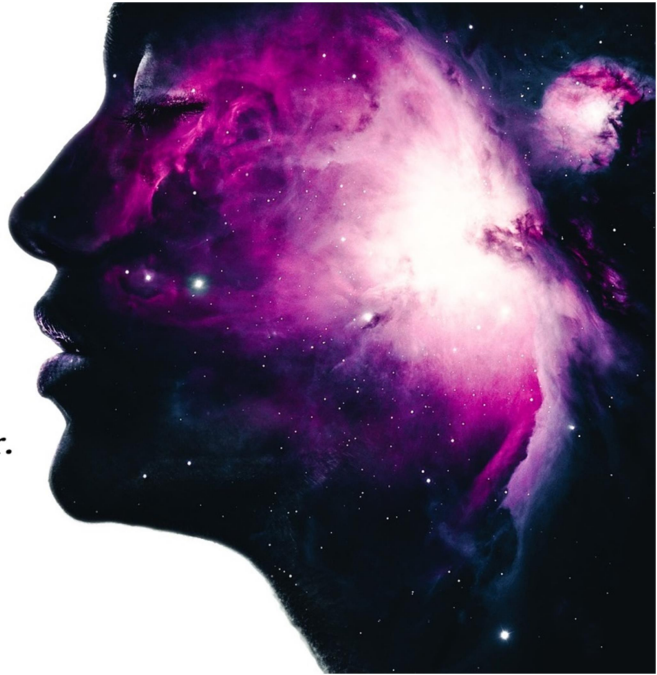


Blue Rose Astrology

Prospectus

*The stars are like letters
that inscribe themselves
at every moment in the sky.
Everything in the world
is full of signs.
All events are coordinated.
All things depend on each other.
Everything breathes together.*

Plotinus



Introduction

Welcome to the Blue Rose and thank you for taking an interest in joining Karen Morgan and Andrew Smith on this journey to Remember Astrology.

Why *remembering*?

Astrology is deeply embedded within our modern culture, in our language, our calendars, the organisation of our society, within the myths that have inspired our literature, our religions, our art and as such we believe that you retain the memory of this living divination, an ancient, animated philosophy that reminds you of your interconnectedness with everyone and everything in your world.

It is our belief that you already know astrology. In recent centuries our cultural values have moved away from the intrinsic knowledge that each one of us lives within a matrix of potential manifestation, woven together within a pathway of sacred

geometry, held together by intention—a holographic projection onto which matter is outlined. Your life is embedded within this larger vibratory field of intelligence that is ever-changing and perpetually becoming conscious. Everything within our world has contained within it an intrinsic, conscious and intelligent energetic signature resonance and our entire way of being from our concept of time; the origins of the monotheistic, non-Abrahamic and non-dual beliefs; our economic and social values all originate from this notion. In short, we are inseparable from the cosmos – it is within us as we are within it.

What is the **Blue Rose**?

Having run a small school of astrology in the mid 1990's called the Dublin Astrological Centre, Karen and Andrew returned to formal teaching of astrology in September 2011. Over time the classes grew and the activities of these informal settings

expanded and the foundation for a formal place of learning was laid. The difference between the 'DAC' and the Blue Rose, aside from experience, maturity and awareness, is the wider interest in spirituality and raising of consciousness that both Karen and Andrew have subsequently embraced.

As such, the classes dive deeper into spirituality and conscious, positive living, using astrology as a frame of reference, but also embracing the knowledge of the wider consciousness studies movement, the gnostic teachings of Christ and Buddha, along with insights gained from other spiritual teachers, disciplines, and personal meditative and dream orientated practises.

The Blue Rose is more akin to a Mystery School than just a place to remember astrology. Its name arose from a dream that Karen had and reflects the Blue light of the Christ consciousness and the Heart consciousness of Venus' rose. The Blue Rose has arisen occasionally throughout history as a symbol of higher awareness and of the deeper feminine expression of consciousness, a weave that runs through the activities conducted within the emerging development of the Blue Rose community.

The Blue Rose ethos

As opposed to teaching from a theoretical perspective, our second incarnation as astrology teachers has been from our professional experiences, along with a deepening of our

spirituality as we have lived and breathed astrology night and day, as we believe it is a way of being, as opposed to a philosophical or psychological system through which you can better understand the meaning of life.

We see our role as facilitators supporting you on your journey of remembering the deep wisdom embedded within your mind. Focusing on a profoundly spiritual orientation, we explore the various philosophical weaves that exist within the modern practise of astrology, yet all the time focusing on a co-creative, choice centred, empowered and positive view of the cosmic dimension of your soul.

Aside from theoretical instruction, our classes are conducted through a mixture of interactive discussion, the use of visual images and music, meditation, some experiential (embodiment) work, reflective exercises and philosophical discussion. We actively encourage discussion and participation, along with the exchange of interpretation and the reading of a chart from the very beginning. Our classes contain lively sharing within what we believe to be a supporting, caring and friendly space.

The Blue Rose approach

We have a unique approach to astrology and we will help you remember how astrology was before it was influenced by the patriarchal bias that underlies most of Western culture's systems. We take a spiritual and psychological approach to our

astrology and are focused on a choice-centred, empowering and positive perspective. We are not interested in interpreting astrology as a fatalistic, concrete-predictive model, as we believe that consciousness and awareness are the key components in determining how any factor in your life will manifest, as opposed to the planets and your chart determining your life.

A lot of time is devoted towards personal experiences and interaction as students share their experiences and ask clarification questions. We host a number of embodiment workshops per year, which offer students an alternative learning modality, as we invoke a particular astrological phenomenon for our students to have a direct and personal experience of that planetary factor. This is a unique approach that the Blue Rose has developed and we have run workshops for non-astrologers who have grasped the complexity of astrology almost immediately.

The Blue Rose is a safe, confidential and nourishing environment within which to remember your relationship to astrology.



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The Blue Rose Courses

Thank you for considering what the Blue Rose offers. There are five principle options for self-studying.

1. To attend the live and ongoing classes
2. Start downloading at whatever level you are ready for and join in on particular terms or on individual workshops, lectures, retreats or excursions.
3. To work systematically through the material, starting at Year 1, Term 1, and continuing until Year 4 has been completed or until you feel sufficiently confident to remember on your own.
4. To download modules of our course to satisfy your own unique remembering skills. This option is applicable to anyone who has sufficient understanding of the fundamental

building blocks and understands how the Blue Rose approaches those fundamentals.

5. Downloading individual classes or modules

We can keep in touch with you regarding on-going webinars, lectures, special classes, as well as you will be granted access to the free Q&A's that we regular host and the student bi-monthly meet ups that will help you refine and hone your interpretation skills, as well as enable you to interact with fellow students.

The Program

During the first year the foundation of astrological theory is laid which will better enable you to both experience and remember the three times four fold structure of consciousness, as well as the planetary archetypes as they are expressed through those modes of consciousness. This course is extensive

and covers all the basics of chart interpretation, providing you with a comprehensive platform to explore all astrologies.

During the second year, we will suspend theory and put into practice all that has been remembered during the foundational year, as we focus exclusively on interpreting, languaging and ‘reading’ charts.

Theory returns in the third year, as we advance deeper into understanding the energetic weave that exists between two people (in synastry), your ongoing psycho-spiritual development (transits and progressions) and your relationship to space (location). We will continue to put a strong emphasis on languaging and talking astrology without the use of the lingo, so that you can fluidly communicate what you are divining to those who are seeking your council.

During the fourth year, we will be focusing on a more in-depth interpretation as you bring together the various modules previously learnt for a more comprehensive and professional interpretation, as well as introduce you to more advanced techniques and concepts.

Recording and Pre-Class assignments

Please note that all classes are recorded on audio and uploaded to a class folder for your review. There will be pre-class preparation work to be

discussed with your peers and facilitators during class.

Other Programs

In addition to classes, the Blue Rose also runs workshops, lectures, research and study groups, as well as week-long overseas retreats, day trips to sacred sites and night walks under the stars, and students travel from all over the world to attend our workshops, conferences and retreats.

We are also allied with Caelestis School of Astrology in Utrecht, Holland and within whom we organise a comprehensive student exchange program, with our students travelling once a year and our Dutch friends travelling to Ireland in exchange.

All classes and courses are available to download without attending, and we are currently developing an online program.

Our focus extends beyond astrology and we have other guest speakers from around the world share their gnostic wisdom with our students, from sound healing, to angelic work, to the Law of Light.

Accreditation

We are in the process of developing an accredited program, since none exists in Ireland, but are highly thought of within the community. All students who

complete a full Year program with the Blue Rose, will be presented with a Certificate of Completion.

Reputation

Andrew is one the most highly sought after astrologers in Europe and runs an extremely busy private practise, with clients all over the world, over the past 28 years.

Karen started practise in 1994 but took time off client work to raise her family. She returned to private practise in 2010 and similarly has a deeply respected reputation. She is the astrologer for the Moon Medicine Academy

We have a strong international reputation and have helped many students become full time professionals. Despite the lack of accreditation, the Blue Rose has written references for students to help them gain direct entry into Universities that offer astrology at Master's level.

Publications

We publish voluminously online on various social media sites, as well as our own page. Our updates will give you a good idea of our approach.

Live classes (in person and online), workshops and retreats

Online classes are run on Wednesday evening via our ZOOM meeting room from 7pm to 9pm IRISH time.

In person classes are run on Friday's from Kilquade, County Wicklow from 10:30am to 12:45pm.

Experiential embodiments and workshops tend to take place on a Friday.

Webinars are hosted in the evenings and overseas student exchange (with Caelestis in Utrecht, Holland) and retreats are organised for a weekend.

Downloads

All classes are video and audio recorded for those unable to attend the live class. They are also available for you to download without attending the class. If you join after the classes have been conducted, you can access all the videos/ audios, along with the preparation material and also have access to our dedicated student page. However, we will not be able to support you with any unique questions related to the material, beyond the support that has been already covered on the course. For this reason, there is a reduced price as you won't be able to be involved in the experiential work or group interactive work.

Attending on demand

It is possible to join whatever classes, workshops, lectures or overseas trips/ retreats that are run. Just check the schedule on our newsletter and let us know what event you are interested in participating.

Cost (Autumn 2023)

Payment can be made in instalments over the term.

Any in-attendance class costs €40, which includes access to the class audios, the powerpoint presentations and refreshments.

Downloading pre-recorded classes is €30 per class.

Please enquire about slight discounts for single low-income households, low-income single parents, full time students, carers, those on sick leave and pensioners, who are on a low pension income.

There is the option to purchase previously run classes at a reduced rate without current class interaction, please see below

Payment is inclusive of VAT, which is charged for all purchases within the EU-monetary zone.

Payment can be made directly with cash, via Revolut, Wise, our Paypal account or directly via bank transfer. We are unable to accept non-Irish cheques.

We hope that this brief introduction has been both informative and stimulating and we look forward to having you as part of our community and tribe.