



His Holiness Ngawang Tenzin Rinpoche 2011 Oregon “Tour of Joy”

His Holiness Ngawang Tenzin Rinpoche is recognized as a high reincarnation of the Drukpa Kagyu Lineage of Buddhism in Bhutan, and is a former Dorji Lopen. His “Tour of Joy” aims at heightening consciousness, providing healing experiences, and bringing a message toward more joyful living.

His Holiness is a reincarnation of Drubthop Chenpo Jinpa Gyeltshen Rinpoche who lived in the 18th century. He began studying Buddhism at five years of age and by the age of sixteen had memorized all chants. He is a great scholar and meditation master. His teachings are clear, concise and presented in a way that is understandable to the listener. Throughout his life he has spent 28 years in retreat.

“Being with His Holiness is pure peace. His clarity and insight into the subtleties and complexities of the spiritual path are profound. His Holiness is a living Buddha and a lineage holder of one of the oldest and purest traditions on earth today. We invite all who are moved to take advantage of this rare opportunity to meet His Holiness and be blessed by his presence.” ~ David & Faye Fields

Financial Sponsors Needed

As you may know, supporting a Master of H.H.’s stature, done with the proper motivation, can generate immeasurable merit for sponsors and those connected to them. There is a great need for people to step forward as financial sponsors for His Holiness’ care while he is in the United States for his final tour. If you are able and feel moved to become a sponsor please contact Donna Selby at 503.363.3560 or dselbylite@earthlink.net

As many of you may know, many temples in Bhutan suffered extensive damage in the recent September 2011 earthquake. The temple where His Holiness resides is one of these temples. Some of the donations received will be contributed toward the temple restoration project.



H.H. Ngawang Tenzin Rinpoche
Private Healing Consultation & Refuge

SALEM OREGON

October 27 to November 7, 2010

Location

Time

Cost

Information

Private Consultation & Refuge ~ H.H. Ngawang Tenzin Rinpoche

Drukpa Mila Center, 872 Belmont Street NE, Salem, OR 97301

*Call to schedule an appointment

\$50 Healing Consultation; Refuge \$20-\$75 suggested donation

Donna at dselbylite@earthlink.net or 503.363.3560

A private consultation with His Holiness may be scheduled to seek guidance with personal challenges, spiritual or meditation practice, or to receive a blessing. Taking refuge will help to empower your meditation and spiritual practice.

H.H. Ngawang Tenzin Rinpoche
2011 Oregon “Tour of Joy” Itinerary

Thursday, October 27, 2011

Location

Time

Open to public

Information

Wheelchair Accessibility

Opening Tea Ceremony

Reed Opera House 2nd Floor

189 Liberty Street NE, Salem, Oregon 97301 (Corner of Court Street)

7 pm to 9 pm

Donation

Salem Multicultural Institute – 503.930.2443 or marisawbf@aol.com

Elevator at entrance on Court Street

It is a tradition that when a High Lama comes to town, a Tea Ceremony is offered at the beginning of his visit. The ceremony brings auspiciousness to the upcoming events, purification, removal of obstacles, and blessings for all who attend. This is a rare occasion for His Holiness to come and visit us in Salem, Oregon. All are invited to meet and receive this profound teacher and his universal message of love and compassion.

Dana is a Sanskrit word for offering. It is an expression of gratitude for the healing gifts the Lama brings. Your donation helps to cover transportation, publicity and other costs associated with bringing His Holiness to Salem, Oregon. Although there are “suggested donations” associated with these events, all are welcome and no person will be turned away for financial reasons.

Friday, October 28, 2012

Location

Time

Information

Wheelchair Accessibility

Oregon State Capitol Reception

900 Court Street NE, Salem, Oregon

3:00 – Public Reception

Salem Multicultural Institute – 503.930.2443 or marisawbf@aol.com

Court Street ramp left of main entrance

After meeting with Secretary of State, Kate Brown and a tour, a public reception to welcome H.H. Ngawang Tenzin Rinpoche and entourage from Bhutan will be held in the Capitol Galleria. We invite you to come and meet His Holiness and hear his words of inspiration. Holiness will share about his country's active philosophy of "Gross National Happiness". He will be happy to take your questions at this time.

Friday, October 28, 2012

Location

Time

Cost

Information

Wheelchair Accessibility

Mahakala "Yeshe Gonpo" Empowerment & Bodhisattva Vows

Salem Buddhist Association

1485 Mill Street, Salem, Oregon 97301

7 pm to 9 pm

\$35 per person

Faye Fields at 971.832.0350 or fayefields108@yahoo.com15th Street Entrance

Mahakala is the four-armed Mahakala believed to be an emanation of Heruka Chakrasamvara himself in the form of the supreme worldly deity. As such, he is a Buddha, undifferentiated from primordial wisdom awareness, whose manifestation protects the Dharma, its lineages, and practitioners. He is the primary Dharma protector of the Drukpa Kagyu lineage of Tibetan Buddhism. Mahakala has the power to pacify illness and obstacles, increase longevity, good qualities, and wisdom, as well as destroy confusion, doubt, and ignorance. The "lung" or transmission for this practice will be made available to all interested. According to Lama Karma Namgyel, "Mahakala practice is powerful. Practicing Mahakala protects the country and its people from misfortunes, which is very much needed, considering the present economic recession and many conflicts throughout the world".

Saturday, October 29, 2011

Location

Time

Cost

Information

Wheelchair Accessibility

Vajra Yogini and Chakrasamvara Empowerments

Salem Buddhist Association

1485 Mill Street, Salem, Oregon 97301

10 am to 4 pm

\$50 per person

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Vajrayogini empowerment is the indispensable support for all the higher and highest yoga tantras of Tantric Buddhism. As such, it is considered a necessary prerequisite on the path. Vajrayogini is the supreme Sambhogakaya "Enjoyment Body" Dakini and fruition "consort" of Heruka Chakrasamvara, as well as others. She is a living Buddha, undifferentiated from our own Buddha Nature, who accelerates our development to her Pure Dakini Land and ultimately into the supreme accomplishment - enlightenment.

Chakrasamvara is the great "Patron Deity" of the Drukpa Kagyu lineage whose practice is counted among the esoteric "Mother Tantras" or profound completion practices of Anuttaratantra, Highest Yoga Tantra. It is told that Shakyamuni Buddha manifested in this supreme Heruka form for the sake of sentient beings and especially for those beings of extraordinary capacity who could accomplish this practice. Ultimately, it is understood, the practice of Chakrasamvara binds one to Buddha Mind. It is a rare opportunity to receive such an empowerment, since only the most highly accomplished Vajra Master is qualified for its bestowal.

Saturday, October 29, 2011

Location

Healing for Joy

Trinity Episcopal Cathedral, Kempton Hall

147 NW 19th, Portland, Oregon 97209

Time

7 pm to 9 pm

Open to Public

Donation

Contact:

503.222.9811 or Nathan LeRud or nathanl@trinity-episcopal.org

Wheelchair Accessibility

Available upon request

All are invited to this rare interfaith/intercultural event to experience a healing blessing by HH Ngawang Tenzin Rinpoche of Bhutan. His Holiness is recognized as a high reincarnation of the Drukpa Kagyu Lineage of Buddhism. He is a great scholar and meditation master. Throughout his life he has spent 28 years in retreat. His “Tour of Joy” aims at heightening consciousness, providing healing experiences, and bringing a message toward more joyful living.

The healing ceremony is a ritual whereby Rinpoche energetically “clears” and blesses the recipient. Thus, obstacles specifically related to the recipients “lung” (wind, breath, and prana) are dispelled. This healing ceremony is beneficial for physical, mental, emotional, or spiritual issues.

Sunday, October 30, 2011

Location

Peace & Justice in our Hearts, Community & World

First Congregational United Church of Christ

700 Marion Street NE, Salem, Oregon 97301

Open to public

Donation

Time

2 pm to 4:00 pm

Information

Bill Hayden at 503.364.1193 or hayden_bill@hotmail.com

Wheelchair Accessibility

Marion or Center Street Entrance

Without peace in our hearts, how can we truly spread peace throughout the world? His Holiness Ngawang Tenzin Rinpoche will address this question. Mother Theresa once said: “If we don’t have peace it is because we have forgotten that we belong to one another.” Whether Israeli, Palestinian or American, are we not all brothers and sisters? We are one family on this earth. We welcome all to this interfaith and intercultural gathering of inspiration and insight.

Sunday, October 30, 2011

Location

White & Red Tara Empowerments

Salem Buddhist Association

1485 Mill Street, Salem, Oregon 97301

Time

7 pm to 9 pm

Cost

\$50 per person

Information

Faye Fields at 971.832.0350 or fayefields108@yahoo.com

Wheelchair Accessibility

15th Street Entrance

White Tara and Green Tara constitute the primary manifestations of Tara. Green Tara is understood to manifest the enlightened activity of all Buddhas. White Tara is more commonly associated with longevity and healing. She is easily identified in statuary, where her white color may not be prominent, by her seven eyes – including those on her hands and feet. White Tara is, as all Taras are – the Mother of Buddhas.

Red Tara “Kurukulle” is a special manifestation of Tara in red semi-wrathful form. She is the “magical” tantric Tara who, as an embodiment of pristine awareness, is able to magnetize the fulfillment of all desires. However, we understand her in her function as enlightened protector. For those interested in this practice, the “lung” will be made available.

Tuesday, November 1, 2011

Location

Tibetan Buddhist Art

Halle Ford Museum (Corner of State & Cottage)

Lecture Hall, Room 215

700 State Street, Salem, Oregon 97301

Open to public

Donation

Time

2:30 pm to 4:00 pm

Information

Kevin Greenwood, at 503.370.6524 or kgreenwo@willamette.edu

Wheelchair Accessibility

Elevator available at State Street Entrance

HH Ngawang Tenzin Rinpoche will discuss the inner play of Tibetan Buddhist Art in religion.

Tuesday, November 1, 2011

Location

Green Tara Empowerment

Salem Buddhist Association

1485 Mill Street, Salem, Oregon 97301

Time

7 pm to 9 pm

Cost

\$35 per person

Information

Faye Fields at 971.832.0350 or fayefields108@yahoo.com

Wheelchair Accessibility

15th Street Entrance

Green Tara is the “Savioress.” As such, she manifests in innumerable ways for the benefit of all sentient beings. Self-born from the tears of Chenrezig as he wept in Great Compassion due to the suffering of sentient beings in the six realms of cyclic existence, she vowed to help him lead them all to liberation. We know her as our unflinching friend and guide on the path. All Drukpa Mila Centers enjoy a weekly Tara practice centered on her manifestation as Green Tara. She embodies the Enlightened Activity of all Buddhas and swiftly works to answer the prayers of all who call to her and repeat her mantra. So being, she is relied upon by all the Bodhisattvas. She protects from fear and leads to prosperity and happiness – ultimately even unto the supreme happiness of enlightenment. The “lung,” or transmission, for this practice will be made available to all who are interested.

Wednesday, November 2, 2011

Location

Buddha of Compassion Empowerment

Salem Buddhist Association

1485 Mill Street, Salem, Oregon 97301

Time

7 pm to 9 pm

Cost

\$35 per person

Information

Faye Fields at 971.832.0350 or fayefields108@yahoo.com

Wheelchair Accessibility

15th Street Entrance

Buddha of Compassion is known as Avalokiteshvara in Sanskrit and Chenrezig in Tibetan, manifests as enlightened compassionate activity. He is the most beloved of Tibetan Buddhist deities. Chenrezig embodies the highest and purest level of compassion - immeasurable compassion that is completely unstained by any negative emotions or obscurations, and is so vast that it includes all sentient beings without exception. The benefits of chanting Chenrezig’s mantra “Om Mani Padme Hung” are inconceivable. Through chanting the mantra, we can awaken our enlightened potential and transform our speech from being impure to a state of purity. Through visualizing Chenrezig in our mind, we can become familiar with the thoughts and deeds of a Buddha and gradually transform our impure mind and body to a state of purity. All Drukpa Mila Centers enjoy a weekly Chenrezig practice, utilizing a Sadhana which was written specifically for us by H.H. Ngawang Tenzin Rinpoche of Bhutan. For those interested in practicing with us, the “lung” for this Sadhana will be made available.

Thursday, November 3, 2011

Location

Time

Cost

Information

Wheelchair Accessibility

Medicine Buddha Empowerment

Salem Buddhist Association

1485 Mill Street, Salem, Oregon 97301

7 pm to 9 pm

\$35 per person

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Medicine Buddha also known as “Sangye Menla” possesses extraordinary ability and activity to pacify illness. The aspiration of the Medicine Buddha is to remove all suffering of beings – physical, mental, and emotional. Lama Karma Namgyel states: “The benefits of practicing Medicine Buddha help all sentient beings and the four elements of fire, earth, air, and water.” All medical and health practitioners need this empowerment. Drukpa Mila Centers also make available a concise Medicine Buddha Sadhana for anyone so interested.

Saturday, November 5, 2011

Location

Time/Cost

Contact:

Website:

Guru Drakpo Empowerment / Kago Healing Ceremony & Tsok

1520 Shasta Acres Road, Mount Shasta, CA. 96067

10 am to 1 pm \$25 Guru Drakpo Empowerment

3 pm to 5 pm \$50 Private Healing Session

7 pm to 9 pm \$25 *Kago* Healing CeremonyDella Clark at 530.859.1007 or hidella@aol.com<http://www.spiritwalkersretreat.com/>

Guru Drakpo is a red wrathful manifestation of Padmasambhava known as Guru Rinpoche. This empowerment is of vital benefit, especially to all those suffering from afflictions from the 8 classes of worldly spirits. Whether one acknowledges their existence or not, the 8 classes of worldly spirits can cause grave complications in anyone’s life. This is particularly true here in the west where, out of simple ignorance, we often arouse their wrath. Guru Drakpo deals directly with such negative complications, freeing us to pursue Dharma successfully.

“Kago” Healing Ceremony is a healing ritual related to Guru Drakpo, whereby the Lama energetically “clears” and blesses the recipient with his (the Lama’s) mala. Thus, obstacles and obscurations – specifically related to the recipients “lung” [wind/breath/prana] – are dispelled.

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Monday, November 7, 2011

Location

Time

Open to Public

Information

Wheelchair Accessibility

Healing for Joy

Salem Buddhist Association

1485 Mill Street, Salem, Oregon 97301

7 pm to 9 pm

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