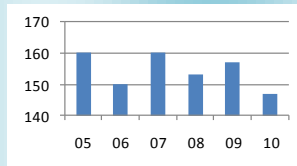


Barbecue

The barbecue is an annual activity of fraternization among the Spiritist Groups of Toronto and the community. This event also aims to raise funds for the maintenance of these Groups.

Participants: 147

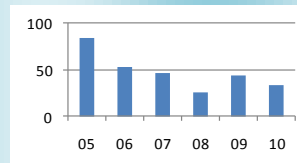


Fraternal Lunch

The fraternal lunch is one of our fundraising activities and happens on the last Sunday of each month. This is an opportunity to promote fellowship and socialization of participants.

Lunches: 10

Participants: 322



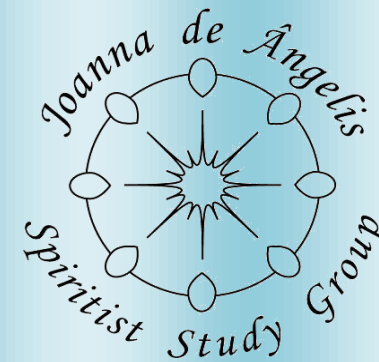
Workshop for Portuguese and Brazilian Culture for Children

This is a partnership between JASSG and the Centro de Apoio e Integração Social Brasil-Canadá (CAIS). The classes aim to awaken in children an interest in the practices of reading and writing in Portuguese, as well as maintain and enhance contact with the various aspects of Brazilian culture.



English Classes for Adults

Classes are offered in a time and frequency matching those who work during the day. The focus of the classes is to provide basic knowledge of English, stimulating conversation and increase vocabulary.



Annual Report 2010-2011



☯ Letter from the Vice-President ☯

vicepresident@joannadeangelis.ca

Dear friends,

Nothing is more beautiful than the work done with love and directed to the common good of humanity. Emmanuel said in a letter to the Brazilian Spiritist Federation, "The Gospel and the unceasing work to renew the inner self should always be our main cause."

Each day of the past year has been dedicated to strengthening and deepening OUR spiritist group in Canada. The work provided by the volunteers of JASSG increases every day and it is this sense of togetherness that is making the difference.

There is a strong purpose in JASSG to learn, grow and change. Each worker, each member doing their part by giving their best and seeking in the words of our Lord the necessary guidance to their inner transformation.

Let's remain firm in our purpose and walk together in this endeavor. Let's keep communication open and try to see our friends using our hearts. Our journey is long and eventful, but through the strength of hard work and charity, we can conquer the much desired peace in our hearts.

I would like to thank all my friends that have been always present, allowing the continuation of this wonderful work in the name of our Lord Jesus.

Lots of love for you all!
Susan Glass

Events in 2010



As a member of the Canadian Spiritist Council, JASSG helped organize the second part of the 1st Canadian Spiritist Symposium, held on October 3rd, 2010, in Toronto. The medium Francisco do Espirito Santo Neto (Quico) was once again among us and gave the speech "Prejudices –Thorns in our Intimacy." This event was open to the community and had simultaneous translation for English-speaking community.



On June 4th and 6th, the House of the Alentejo hosted a psychopictography (mediumistic painting) demonstration event with the presence of the Brazilian medium Valdelice Salum. This was her second time in Toronto and her work aims to show the skeptics that there is life after the death of the physical body. Proceeds from the sale of her paintings were reversed towards social programs maintained by the medium in Brazil.

Strategic Planning

Annual activity held on the second Sunday in January with its main purpose to plan all activities to be undertaken during the year, and to reflect and develop programs that meet the equation community needs/demands versus material reality and human resources at JASSG.

Participants: 18

☯ Financial Committee ☯

treasurer@joannadeangelis.ca

Statement of Operations

JOANNA DE ANGELIS SPIRITIST STUDY GROUP		
STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS		
Year ended March 31, 2011		
REVENUES		
donations	3656.00	
membership	7575.00	
cafeteria, lunch	15241.18	
other (cinema, books, events)	9854.32	
TOTAL REVENUES	36326.50	36326.50
EXPENSES		
Amortizations	1564.60	
Bank Charges	224.77	
Insurance	100.00	
Licences & Permits	1083.84	
Maintenance (Building)	4584.93	
Accounting & Professional fees	490.00	
Rent	21600.00	
Supplies	1853.30	
Telephone, Internet & Utilities	1800.61	
TOTAL EXPENSES	33302.04	33302.04
EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES OVER EXPENSES	3024.46	

JASSG Board of Directors

- Susan Glass, Vice-President & Treasurer
- Maria Emília de Melo, Secretary
- Cristiane Soares
- Jose Conde
- Maria do Carmo Lopes
- Jussara Lourenço, extra-officious member

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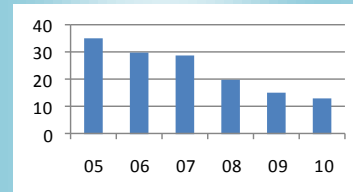
Joanna de Angelis Spiritist Study Group (JASSG) is an organization founded in 1996 and incorporated by the Province of Ontario in 2004 (# 1630884)

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Gospel Studies in Portuguese

The Gospel Study is held weekly and aims to provide participants the opportunity to meet, discuss and reflect on the themes proposed in each chapter of The Gospel According to Spiritism book. Each year the topics are studied under different approaches, based on the books from the Spiritist literature.

Meetings: 49
Participants: 620
Average per Meeting: 13

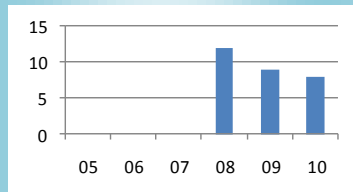


Gospel Studies in English*

This Study Group, open to the community, aims to study the Spiritist Principles, scientific, moral and philosophical, in the English language.

* This study is an adaptation made by the Spiritist Society of Baltimore, Maryland - USA, of the Spiritist Systematic Study, published by the Brazilian Spiritist Federation as well as the spiritist literature available in Portuguese.

Meetings: 49
Participants: 388
Average per Meeting: 8



Study and Mediumistic Practice I

This group has been studying for several years, particularly mediumship. Volunteers are educated to practice mediumship with responsibility. The study and education are constant, always following the guidelines of the Spiritist books and the other books of Spiritist literature.

Meetings: 48
Participants: 5

Study and Mediumistic Practice II

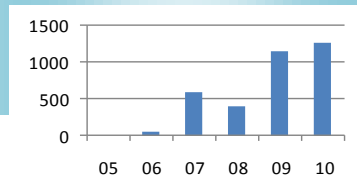
The practice of mediumship carries a great responsibility. For this reason this study group have been meeting weekly for the past four years for in-depth study and preparation for the practice of mediumship by the volunteers.

Meetings: 48
Participants: 8

Fraternal Counselling and Passe

As a first contact opportunity, the Counselling Service welcomes all who come to the Spiritist Group for advice and guidance for problems of physical, psychological and/or spiritual nature. Based on this, people are referred to the spiritual treatment through the Passe, which aims to promote energy balance, physical and spiritual, and assist in the healing processes.

Meetings: 48
Participants: 1257
Average per Meeting: 26



Prayer Time



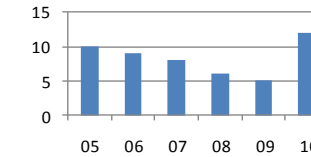
Initiated in October 2010, this is an activity opened to all who want to participate as a group, reflect and thank God for all the blessings received, or to seek support throughout difficult times. Prayer is a valuable resource in the restoration of balance, both individual and collective, which allows us to alter our mental vibrations and communicate with God.

Meetings: 6
Participants: 48
Average per Meeting: 10

Cinema & Study

This activity seeks to encourage the public to examine the themes presented in spiritist and non-spiritist films according to the Spiritist point of view.

Meetings: 8
Participants: 100
Average per Meeting: 12



Worker-volunteer training

1. The JASSG workers attended a weekend training taught by João Luiz Chagas, a member of the Centro Espirita Mensageiros Luz e Paz. Training was entitled "How to Present Spiritist Lectures."

Participants: 9

2. Jussara Lourenço facilitated the first training of volunteers for the Counselling Assistance.

Participants: 8

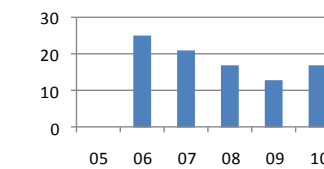
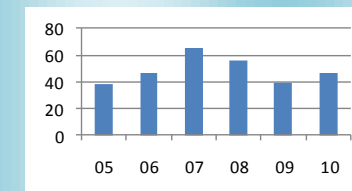
Administration and Communication Committee

Secretary

The secretary organizes documents, the annual renovation campaign of new members. The secretary supports other Committees and facilitates communication between different spiritist groups, associations and JASSG.

Number of Associates: 46

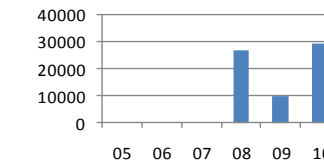
Monthly Donors: 17



Technological Information

The IT department streamlines the communication and provides access to more information by the workers, volunteers, members and other interested parties. Information is available through the JASSG website, newsletters and other resources available on the Internet, like Facebook. This technical support also includes the internal organization of all JASSG equipment.

Visit to the website: 29.449
Contact List: 203



Library

Our library has a collection of more than 900 spiritist items including books, DVDs, CDs and Video Tapes both in Portuguese and English.

Registered Associates: 203
Loan Items: 54

Maintenance

This is the department that ensures that all workers, volunteers and participants can develop their activities in a safe and pleasant environment, and provide the equipment maintenance needed for each activity.

