

Siberia & the Russian Far East

ISIS Cultural Outreach International Society is planning to have a small group of anthroposophists travel to Siberia and the Russian Far East next August to meet Russian anthroposophists after the Conference on the North (see this page). In addition to sharing from the conference, we hope to share from our specialized backgrounds where it is of interest to our hosts.

ISIS was founded by Canadian Monica Gold after her experience of the cultural caravan of Miha Pogacnik over 20 years ago which traveled clear across what was then the Soviet Union. For many years since she has organized with others fundraisers and traveling workshops, wherever there was interest in Russia, enabling everything from medical clinics to Waldorf kindergartens to develop further.

In May 2008 a new board formed in Vancouver; its first action is to make it possible for Alexey Koscheev from Kirov, Russia, a physician very interested in anthroposophy, to attend the Conference on the North.

Galina Fin has a particular interest in bringing a Russian Christian Community priest to Siberia, the center of Russia, to celebrate the Act of Consecration of Man as a gift to the earth. In connection with this there is the plan to also apply bio-dynamics preparations.

To be informed of our activities or help them financially, please contact Mary Lee at maryplumbmentjes@yahoo.com, tel. 907-245-0279 or Arie at arieval@gmail.com , tel. 514-364-9242.



Left to right: Monica Gold, Mary Lee Plumb-Mentjes, Arie Van Ameringen, Galina Fin, and Andrew Gold.