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Neptune enters Pisces – Feb. 3

After a brief visit in Pisces from Apr. to Aug. 2011 before Retrograding back into Aquarius until now, when it returns to Pisces where it will stay until 2026.

If one of the previous 14-year visits of Neptune into Pisces during the Renaissance is any indication, we should see a renewed and much amplified interest in the fine arts, the healing arts, and spirituality with no guarantees that it will all be lofty poetry, mind-body-spirit healing modalities or high-minded enlightenment. Though whenever Neptune enters its home sign of Pisces, these will certainly be more prevalent than ever before. Along with the inclination to get lost in delusions, confusions, and distortions of Reality.

However, with Pluto in Capricorn continuing to intensify the challenge to the Plutocracy, by revealing the creepy, crawly underbelly of class inequality, Neptunian idealism and sweetness of the Soul should clearly shine through.

FEBRUARY’S DAILY PLANNING GUIDE

All times given are PACIFIC STANDARD TIME
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FEB. 1 (WED): Caution, as this down to earth Taurus Moon day begins on solid ground, and then can get very flaky by 9am to 11:15am (Moon square Neptune). So avoid making agreements at this time or getting lost in the fog of the mind. With Moon entering mutable and light hearted Gemini 11:15am, and with Venus opposite Mars until 3:41pm, it is difficult to predict if tension will be constructive and productive, or argumentative and distractive. Night favors communication and should be amiable.

FEB. 2 (THU): Groundhog Day. Great Gemini Moon day to accomplish much with uplifting Sun-Moon aspect mid-day (Moon trine Sun), along with approaching Full Moon in 5 days should add to the enthusiasm and excitement.

FEB. 3 (FRI): Tense Gemini Moon morning with possible arguments and mishaps until 7:24am (Moon square Mars), followed by spacey indecisiveness until 10:52am, as Neptune prepares to enter Pisces for the next 14 years. Lack of emotional warmth until 12:03pm (Moon square Venus), warns

against social interaction, decision making, attempting complex endeavors, making expensive purchases, or getting a haircut. Avoid complications and distractions at this time, and the late afternoon should rebound favorably for action and interaction with others, with most beneficial energy after 7pm to 9:06pm (Moon trine Saturn) for problem solving, correspondence, making agreements, discussing important issues, and social gatherings sparked by the approaching Full Moon. **Moon V/C** until 10:04pm should shift everyone down to a slower gear with imagination and dreaminess enhanced until 10:06pm (Moon trine Neptune), making this a good time to enjoy romance or meditative reclusiveness. Caution if you are awake Midnight to 1:43am (Moon square Uranus), as suddenly, the mind and, for some, the body is likely to get hyperactive with bizarre ideas and adolescent attitudes. The Bach Flower White Chestnut may help the mind find an exit off the mental tape loop of persistent and unwanted thoughts.

FEB. 4 (SAT): With Moon in emotionally sensitive Cancer, emotionally sensitive individuals may be extra sensitive, and not very receptive to moving forward with confidence. Speak softly to others, and if necessary, tell others to speak softly, when speaking to you. Most volatile time is Noon to 2:06pm (Moon opposite Pluto) with evening overflowing with melodrama from those so inclined. Less dramatic types may prefer to avoid the madding crowd.

FEB. 5 (SUN): Should be a great Cancer Moon day for enjoying family and friends, and working on projects around the home. Expect an energy boost 1pm to 3:01pm Moon sextile Mars), which will get those so motivated to race around doing lots of stuff. Full Moon in a couple of days should add to the busyness and late night wide awakeness. Urge to romance strong Midnight to 1:28am (Moon trine Venus). Have fun.

FEB. 6 (MON): Playful Leo Moon morning excitement favors social interactions and creative brainstorming, at least until 9am (Moon trine Uranus). Then, caution to avoid extravagance, waste, inflated egos and expectations, wild goose chases and get-rich-quick schemes until 11:23am (Moon square Jupiter). With Sun moving into a conjunction to Mercury 1:03am, and tomorrow's Full Moon growing stronger, the night should be progressively enlivened with mental activity overflowing into physical busyness, clever problem solving, and brilliant creative outpourings.

FEB. 7 (TUE): Full Moon. Morning tension may be amp'ed until Saturn goes Retrograde 6:03am, which, combined with today's Leo Full Moon, may add emotional intensity to the whole day, making this a good day to avoid scheduling

important meetings, attempting complex endeavors, or making decisions with long term significance, especially 1pm to 2:41pm (Moon opposite Mercury). Emotional funk and cool indifference may pervade all evening as **Venus V/C** prepares to enter masculinizing Aries 10:01pm.

FEB. 8 (WED): Leo Moon morning can be very alert and serious until 8:42am (Moon sextile Saturn), which favors organization and serious conversations about what's real and what's not. Then, caution during **Moon V/C** until 9:32am, as upsets are likely and dumb decisions made which will be later regretted. Spaciness is also pervasive until 9:52am (Moon opposite Neptune). Pace yourself through the morning, as Moon in detail and responsible Virgo encourages afternoon productivity and expansive self confidence, especially after 1pm to 3:45pm (Moon trine Jupiter) for a great afternoon finale. Night should be without problems, with some focusing on tying up loose ends or engaging in projects requiring focus on detail. Late night passions rise 10pm to 12:08am (Moon trine Pluto), which can mean fun for some and others wanting more, or at least some.

FEB. 9 (THU): Great Virgo Moon day to focus on details and helping others. With creative and romantic Venus conjunct magnetic and unconventional Uranus, late afternoon until 9:11pm, expect the unexpected, and expect whatever it is to be innovative. Great time for social interaction and being busy with projects or people, whether for work or fun, at least until 9:11pm (Moon conjunct Mars), and then that's all folks as **Moon V/C** slows the day's activities down.

FEB. 10 (FRI): Slow moving Virgo **Moon V/C** morning cautions against making important decisions or attempting complex endeavors at least until 11:54am when Moon enters balance loving Libra. Then likely social awkwardness and unexpected disruptions until 5:24pm (Moon opposite Uranus and Venus). This may be a good night to avoid social interactions, especially as they are likely to get really disharmonious Midnight to 2:23am (Moon square Pluto), as passions are likely to wiggle dysfunctionally out of control. Avoid crowds and be where you will be safe and sound.

FEB. 11 (SAT): With No Exact Aspects, this may be a difficult Libra Moon day to predict. May be just nondescript and uneventful at best, with evening lackluster, or it can be a jarringly disharmonious day, due to failed expectations coming to surface, with evening grumps irritatingly grumpy.

FEB. 12 (SUN): Great Libra Moon morning with lively conversations and mental gymnastics 8am to 9:59am (Moon

trine Mercury), along with busy preparations for the day's activities, which are likely to be filled with social pleasantries. Then caution to avoid conflicts with authorities and those you love 11am to 1:09pm (Moon conjunct Saturn), followed by a brief **Moon V/C** until 2:01pm, which, though cautioning against initiating new activities or discussing important ideas, shouldn't be disruptive. Once Moon enters Scorpio 2:01pm, rest of the afternoon and evening should come more alive in an impassioned sort of way.

FEB. 13 (MON): With mentally agile Mercury trine structurally attentive Saturn all morning until 10:44am, combined with a great Scorpio Moon, this should be a great morning for communication, problem solving, multi tasking and just about anything you can imagine doing. Then, with **Mercury V/C**, tongues can seem tied, ideas and actions disjointed, and people get frenetically out of control until 5:38pm, when Mercury enters Pisces for a pleasant evening chock-full of inspiration and imagination, as Mercury also conjuncts imaginative and mystical Neptune until 10:48pm, followed by late night arousal until 12:07am (Moon sextile Mars), making this a day and night to remember.

FEB. 14 (TUE): St. Valentine's Day. Last Quarter Moon. Between Quarter Moon tension until 7:04am and Scorpio **Moon V/C** 9:04am until 4:56pm, today can be a very difficult day, characterized mostly by frustration and irritation. Even after 5pm, when Moon enters enthusiastic and expansive Sagittarius, it is best to avoid making agreements or attempting complex endeavors. Though some may slip into something more comfortable, be prepared for everything to go bumpity-bump until 8:28am (Moon square Neptune and Mercury), after which, everyone should be more relaxed, especially from 8:30pm to 9:06pm (Moon trine Uranus) for renewed enthusiasm as sparkling new ideas and people bubble into view.

FEB. 15 (WED): Enthusiastic Sagittarius Moon morning begins with affection and possible creative inspiration until 7:53am (Moon trine Venus). Then, with Venus squares Pluto caution is needed, as personality clashes and unexpected crises can derail the best of plans, or sour the best of relationships until 10:31am. Hopefully, joyful enthusiasm and amiability will return for the rest of the afternoon and into the evening. Those who know how to turn lemons into lemonade will make the most of the day, while those awake 1am to 2:47am (Moon square Mars) may discover they struggle the most.

FEB. 16 (THU): Joyful Sagittarius Moon day makes this a great day to accomplish much, especially with clever, agile

Mercury sextile expansive, big brained Jupiter until 8:07am. The rest of the day should continue to be fantastic (Moon sextile Sun, Saturn and Neptune) until 9:57pm. Then caution as the unexpected can be quite disruptive after 11pm to 1:30am (Moon square Uranus).

FEB. 17 (FRI): Great Capricorn Moon morning to engage in practical organizational matters with communication and social rapport strong until 8:51am (Moon sextile Mercury), followed by a passionate boost until 12:41pm (Moon conjunct Pluto). Afternoon energy should continue to be favorable, at least until around 3pm. Then caution until 5:17pm (Moon square Venus) to avoid social faux pas, cool affections, or off-putting misinterpretation of actions or words, which may require a quick apology and a clarifying explanation. Remainder of night may inspire organizing, project planning, or serious conversations on important matters.

FEB. 18 (SAT): Sun enters Pisces. With Sun trine Saturn until 8:02am and Mercury sextile Pluto until 1:23pm, this should be a great action packed day. Only caution is Midnight to 1:22am (Moon square Saturn), which can generate discord, self doubt, and social awkwardness. It might be best to save your ire for another more auspicious time on another day.

FEB. 19 (SUN): This Aquarius Moon day gets going with exciting ideas and interactions until 7:14am (Moon sextile Uranus). Caution to avoid waste, get-rich-quick schemes, wild goose chases, and meaningless long winded conversations 10am to 12pm (Moon square Jupiter), especially as it coincides with Sun conjunct nebulous Neptune all morning until 12:42pm. Rest of day should continue with an upbeat tempo for those who managed to steer clear of craziness.

FEB. 20 (MON): Presidents Day. With No Exact Aspects all day, though today's friendly Aquarius Moon morning momentum might be more dynamic than afternoon or night, all day should be favorable for all activities with night restful.

NOTE: Mercury Retrograde begins in three weeks (Mar. 12). Time is flying as the mind is racing ahead. Time to stay on track and bring projects to completion or to some level of completion. (See p. 3, *Familiar Astrological Themes*)

FEB. 21 (TUE): New Moon. Mardi Gras. Though this Pisces Moon morning begins calm and steady, stay alert and pay attention, as people or activities can spiral out of control with **Moon V/C** 8:17am until 9:31am, making this an inappropriate time to discuss new ideas, important endeavors or expect anything to go as planned. Focus on routine chores

instead. Once Moon enters Pisces 9:31pm, you can kick it back into high gear for the rest of the afternoon, especially as party atmosphere and stimulating conversation pervades the night 6pm until 2:23am (Moon sextile Jupiter and Pluto).

FEB. 22 (WED): Pisces Moon imagination, sweetness and high mindedness pervade until 4:35pm. Then, impatience may require caution to avoid reckless behavior or confrontations with rude individuals being overly aggressive until 6:24pm (Moon opposite Mars), followed by **Moon V/C** until tomorrow night, and Mercury opposite Mars all night until 3:25am. So either tend to routine chores, or kick back and do nothing important, and do your best to avoid putting your foot in your mouth or engaging in reckless behavior. Remember, anything that begins during a **Moon V/C** usually ends up unrealistic, frustrating, and of little or no value.

FEB. 23 (THU): A do-nothing important Pisces **Moon V/C** all day until 6:48pm cautions against attempting to do just about anything. As anything attempted is likely to be spacey, misguided, and not worth the energy expenditure. Best to focus on routine chores and social niceties. Once Moon enters take-action Aries, the rest of night should be fired up for action, especially 10pm to 12:26am (Moon conjunct Uranus), which stimulates the mind and makes for magnetic attraction to unique and unconventional individuals. If you are not interacting with another, or others, channeling your genius into new ideas and projects. There may be a highly productive late night brainstorm.

FEB. 24 (FRI): This Aries Moon day gets off to a gung-ho assertive start, which can get much accomplished, or can spin out of control if encountering an individual or event that is already spinning out of control. So keep your eyes on the other driver, especially 10am to 12:31pm (Moon square Pluto), when emotional intensity hits a potentially explosive overload. Slide pass this gnarly time slot and with Sun sextile Jupiter, the rest of the day and night until 2:34am should resume high speed enthusiasm, making this a great night to party.

FEB. 25 (SAT): High Aries Moon energy all day with love and creativity sparking 9am to 11am (Moon conjunct Venus), making this a great time for making expensive purchases, professing love, or engaging in creative self expression. As Aries energy can put some people into overdrive, headaches are likely by nightfall. Pace yourself, avoid extra cups of coffee, drink more water, and sedate your Triple Warmer Meridian.

FEB. 26 (SUN): Though desire may be ready to go zoom-zoom, Aries **Moon V/C** 4:52am until 6:29am may undermine

momentum, like getting stuck in the sand and spinning one's wheels. For those who get up late Moon enters rock solid, no-bull Taurus at 6:29am, encouraging breakfast in bed and a please-scratch-my-back attitude until 8:15am (Moon sextile Neptune). No problem, as long as there is mutual reciprocity. The rest of day and all evening should be quite productive, if working, or if engaged in a family activity, a positive bonding experience, which is especially highlighted 6pm to 7:43pm (Moon conjunct Jupiter), making this a great time to make long term agreements, or just having a good time with the positive mood continuing until 12:54am (Moon sextile Sun and trine Pluto), for a passionate late night.

FEB. 27 (MON): Great Taurus Moon day, highly productive and socially enjoyable. Highlighted for the day is a boost in stamina, determination, and playing well with others Noon to 2:08pm (Moon trine Mars). With Sun sextile Pluto late afternoon until 11:14pm passion, magic and transformation make for wonderful interactions, personal growth, and career achievement. Enjoy the Shiva-Shakti ride.

NOTE: Over the next two weeks as Mercury starts to slow down before going Retrograde, individuals born during a Mercury Retrograde may find the next two weeks especially challenging to stay focused, feel confident in decision making, and handle problems that may arise with agility. Cultivate patience, do your best to avoid potentially confusing situations, and remember, you will get your brain back and again feel like a fish in water once Mercury goes Retrograde on Mar. 12. (See p. 3, *Familiar Astrological Themes*)

FEB. 28 (TUE): Take action today, as determination is strong through a highly productive Taurus Moon morning with quick thinking problem solving, negotiating, and getting much done until 11:46am (Moon sextile Mercury). Then slow down to rechannel the desire to achieve big goals, to focus instead on routine chores and tying up loose ends during Moon V/C until 7:27pm. Caution is especially needed to avoid getting lost in a fog of confusion 7pm to 9:24pm (Moon square Neptune), as befuddlement, anxiety and yielding to escapist tendencies are likely. Use Bach Flower Remedies to maintain Mind-Body-Spirit harmony, so that you can get to sleep undisturbed, or so you can enjoy late night inspirations and excitement after 11pm to 1:49am (Moon sextile Uranus).

FEB. 29 (WED): First Quarter Moon. Quarter Moon tension often stimulates uptight individuals to get even more uptight, irritable and polarizing, which today may get really overbearing after Noon and continuing until 5:21pm (Sun square Moon). Best to avoid conversations concerning

sensitive or emotionally edgy issues and situations. Muddled mindedness, misunderstandings, and clumsiness may continue all night with feisty conflicts, urge to act recklessly, or being overwhelmed by a massive tension headache likely 11pm to 12:53am (Moon square Mars). Use Meridian Tapping, the Bach Flower Remedies, or some other holistic approach to calm the mind, clear the emotions, and strengthen the immune system.

MARCH

MONTHLY OVERVIEW

Mercury Retrograde – March 12 to April 4

Though Mercury Retrograde often gets “bad press” for being a time of disruption, miscommunication or problems with transportation, reality is, problems with technology in general, communication and transportation in particular, do happen even when Mercury is not Retrograde. The actual problem is how people respond to life situations that are challenging. When Mercury is going Direct, most people tend to be less bewildered and quicker to take action. Unlike when Mercury is Retrograde and any upset seems more overwhelming and not easy to resolve.

Fact is, when Mercury goes Retrograde, there is a shift from left brain linear reasoning to right brain intuitive reasoning, which means trusting in the flow, and being spontaneous to change direction and approach. To trust that all is in Divine Order and unfolding according to the outcome that will be best for our Soul's evolution and the fulfillment of our Soul's purpose.

Moon Wobble – Exact March 18

As pointed out elsewhere, Moon Wobble (also known as Lunar Instability), occurring by them self can be emotionally unsettling enough to generate anxiety feelings. However, Moon Wobbles tend to be even more troublesome in disrupting the status quo when combined, as it is now, with Mercury Retrograde time phases, making it even more important to minimize involvement in risky endeavors and potentially volatile situations. As best as possible, do not make long term commitments until after Mercury goes Direct April 4.

MARCH'S DAILY PLANNING GUIDE

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MAR. 1 (THU): Though a light hearted Gemini Moon morning, with Mercury V/C all day until 3:41am, it is likely to be a difficult day to maintain clarity of mind, communication