

July 2017 Vedic Astro Forecast PDF for subscribers to Conscious Calendars

Welcome to a month of smoother sailing – phew! In general, as you will see, this month will be about relaxing and going with the flow with a few important things to watch for. ***See the end of this PDF for the July Conscious Calendar.***

BIG HINT: Just be aware that the relaxed nature of the month can sneak up on each of us, because we will be lucky to not lose any ground on our projects throughout the intense eclipse month of August. Thank fully there are a ton of Green Days in August, but the haphazard nature of eclipse months can leave us all a bit exhausted. With that in mind, please enjoy July and try and use it to both clear and move important things forward in your life, since September will be the next time you will feel like you have your wits about you. September will be the next time to catch up, but there are still a solid number of Green Days in July. So please use them!

Theme of the Month: See where you can simplify your life - what objects, furniture or clothes do you want to give away? What obligations or arrangements could you change so that everyone can still benefit and you feel good about it? (This is related to Venus in Taurus opposite Saturn).

Simultaneously, watch for a tendency of 'mushy' boundaries after July 11 (because Mars in Cancer can bring this tendency up, more on that below).

July Highlights:

- **8 Green Days in July**
- Last month before the eclipses change! Prepare for the eclipses in August
- **Full Moon in Fiery Sagittarius on July 8 or 9 (depending on where you live)**
- **New Moon in "Go with the Flow" Cancer constellation July 23**
- **Saturn is the only retrograde planet right now (just moved back into Scorpio through October 2017)**

July Highlights in chronological order
VENUS IN TAURUS (beginning June 30)

Well, there is good News and Bad News on this point.

Venus moves into a powerful place as of June 30 (in it's OWN sign in Taurus). Venus is also receiving Saturn's intense rays, so you will feel pragmatic about your creativity. You might be inspired and also might feel a bit scared of the long term changes you are making (like if you are trying to become a minimalist or have more impact in the world).

It is all for good – Saturn can help you simplify and the combination of Saturn and Venus can help you make a lasting change and impact! You can make health, and inner beauty changes that stick long term under the influences this month.

ALIGNED ACTION FOR THE MONTH: PRUNE, SIMPLIFY AND CLEAR CLUTTER

Here is a suggestion, check out the Minimalist Movement. **If you have Netflix, watch the Minimalists.** It is very basic, and if you were not already inclined to live with less stuff, hopefully this will inspire you to look at one area of your life you could simplify.

The Venus opposite Saturn can help with simplifying – just notice the little fear you might have in the letting go. You might have a small conversation with yourself that says "What if I need such and such in the next year"? Well, you can either rent or borrow from a friend!

Simplifying will actually expand your community. Imagine that!

And this particular Venus and Saturn can also inspire you to garden in some way. It can inspire improvements in sustainable energy. It can inspire increased efficiencies in gardening and farming, and serious improvements to getting food to more people.

See if you can help facilitate this, and volunteer to help get unused food from local bakeries or restaurants to your local food bank – just a few phone calls can connect the food bank with the restaurant or coffee shop. What a gift you are giving to your community by helping this way.

MOON WAXING TOWARD FULL (July 1 – 9)

As July begins, the Moon is waxing at the start of the month and becomes full in the fire sign Sagittarius on either July 8 or 9 depending on where you live.



○ Full Moon in Fire sign Sagittarius July 8 or 9 (depending on where you live – This is the sidereal or Vedic Map remember!)

JULY 9 4:05 AM UTC / 5:05 AM BST / 12:05 AM EDT or **July 8** at 9:05 pm PDT / 6:05 pm Hawaii

This is the constellation that connects human kind with Highest Purpose and connecting each of us with the teachers in our life. We stand on the shoulders of our parents, grand-parents and ALL the great teachers and enlightened beings who have come before us. Our family has given us bodies (genetically) and guidance (even if they have been absent, we are who we are because of our family).

This is the full moon to thank our teachers, our forefathers, a guru if you have one, and to have gratitude for life's wisdom and lessons we have learned through and with those who have taught us in some way.

Ultimately, someone teaches us when we are ready. It is said, "When the student is ready, the teacher appears."

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So, during this full moon, look to those who have taught you and thank them in your heart. This time of year lights up this pattern every Full Moon in Sagittarius (what is called the natural 9th house in Vedic Astrology for those of you who are students).

MARS IN CANCER July 11, 2017 (Mars is in Cancer, once every two years)

Mars in Cancer is a Peace maker – so much so, it can have people born with this Mars tend to get walked on instead of having conflict.

While Mars is in this place, it can often create some form of internal conflict because an agreement, however small, may need to be renegotiated. And this Mars would rather offer a pound of flesh than go back on their word...thus conflict ensues.

Step into the discomfort, and learn how to dissolve internal conflict by 'renegotiating' some agreements. Those agreements could be ones you have with yourself or others.

It is a time of wanting Peace and a tendency to ignore that 'thing', and if no one else brings it up, then the elephant in the middle of room is not there.

So even though everyone really just wants to have some fun in July, it is time to be honest with yourself. If you are avoiding conflict and creating suffering - you could have an open and honest conversation and actually create more Peace and relief in the world for all involved!

Allow space for relaxing, so you don't sabotage meeting agreements because of overwhelm.



● **New Moon in Water sign Cancer** – (sidereal or Vedic Map remember!)

JULY 23 9:45 AM UTC / 10:45 AM BST / 5:45 AM EDT / 2:45 am PDT / **July 22** 11:45 pm Hawaii

Note that the New Moon is in water sign Cancer, on July 23rd, and by then both Mars and Mercury will have moved into the same constellation giving a tendency for 'mushy boundaries' this month (that is the peace loving Mars doing that)

Often Mars in Cancer people say “Yes” to too many things and then get overwhelmed, and rather than disappoint anyone they keep trying to do it all and do not re-negotiate what they agreed to do and when overwhelmed they just ‘flake out’. This does not serve all involved, so be aware of these potential patterns starting July 11th in your life. Remember you CAN re-negotiate which can help resolve internal conflict.

First you just need to figure out ‘what you want, and what you need’. And then you can ask for help, and everyone wins!

This go with the flow New Moon lights up play and rest.

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Details of July:

Saturday July 1 Green Day - Moon with Jupiter in Virgo

(Hasta Moon) A mild Green Day, so is not given a "Type" of Green Day. It just happens to be a day that moves things along – and puts the tool or what you need into the palm of your hand.

Sunday July 2 Green Day – Moon in Libra still in the glow of Wise Jupiter

The day is about quiet connection with others. Try appreciating a sunset in silence or take a walk outside with a good friend without the need to talk. Today also brings guidance and advice in some way.

Monday & Tuesday July 3 & 4 Moon in Libra – neutral days which also bring connection and community. How can you align with the diplomatic and group building energy of Libra today? Send an email to an old friend, or reach out and spend some social time with a small group of friends. In the U.S., it is a national holiday, so it's easy to be social on this day!

Wednesday & Thursday July 5 & 6 Purple Days (look for a P on the calendar day) This means the Moon is aligned with the slow moving planet of Saturn. So, the days might have an obstacle right in your way. The beauty is that the work-around will make what you are creating better, or you are meant to just wait. Developing patience is a virtue, and Saturn helps us each develop patience!

Friday – Sunday July 7, 8 & 9 Moon in Sagittarius all three days

July 7 & 8 Build Compassion:

The Moon is in an intense constellation connected with the center of the galaxy (Mula), and these two days are actually about what you could 'uproot' from your life to reduce suffering. Or what difficulty where you felt like a victim or like something was taken from you could you 'turn around' and see in a new light, how the difficulty or surprise can build your compassion for others who have experienced something similar or even greater loss in their lives.

Full Moon in Sagittarius July 8 or 9 –

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July 8 at 9:05 pm PDT / 6:05 pm Hawaii

See description of this full moon above.

July 10 & 11

Monday July 10 Moon in Capricorn Type III Foundational, fixed kind of day

(Subscribers get the full training on the four different kind of Green Days. Please watch those videos or read the information below those videos to better understand how to use these energies, for aligned action, and better results).

A fixed day calls for us to establish things, gardens, new foundations like for marriage, contracts, houses, things that you want to last a long time. These days sometimes do not feel like the other green days, because the other Green Days have movement of something moving them along. This is about big, deep stuff, and in the sign of Capricorn can really help work items have a long life – which is good for business or work relationships.

For instance, starting a job on this kind of day or having a job interview on this kind of day may not feel like being at a ball, but it will give long life to anything started on this day. Building anything on this kind of day will have things stick – so make sure all the measurements are correct!

Tuesday July 11

Moon in Capricorn Type IV Moving kind of Green Day

This kind of Green Day is about changes. It's about movement, but it's different than the movement of the Light and Swift (Type I) or Soft and Mild Green Days (Type II).

Moving or changes of any kind are good on these days. Changing a routine, the position of a house plant or furniture in your home, or office. These are great days for moving an office or home. It also has to do with anything that moves. What are things that move you from place to place? For most westerners, that's your car - so it's a good day to buy a car, a bike, a skateboard, a kayak, a boat; anything you get in that moves you from place to place! Back in the day, it would have been a chariot, right?

Wednesday – Friday July 12, 13 & 14 Yellow Days These three days the Moon is with Ketu, the spiritual half-planet which is one of the ingredients in causing the eclipses in Vedic Mythology. Stay posted throughout July for important messages about the **BIG eclipses happening in August 2017**.

**Saturday July 15 Moon in Pisces opposite a guiding Jupiter
Type III Fixed and foundational day (see description for July 10 or
watch your training video to understand this type of day.)**

Now the Moon in a water sign is going to give this fixed day a little more flow to it, thankfully. This lunar mansion is also associated with essential oils and natural aromas – so for instance, today would be a great day to make large batches of Gulkand, an Ayurvedic remedy to cool the body made of heirloom rose petals and sugar. It is an incredible remedy for women to nourish and balance if you are feeling over extended. Just one teaspoon a day of this, especially in the hot season (in the northern hemisphere) and you can off-set the spirit drying nature of over work. It would be better to apply micro-nourishing daily, and Gulkand is lovely to add to hot tea or lemonade in the summer time.

New Moon in Cancer –

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2:45 am PDT / **July 22** 11:45 pm Hawaii

See description of the New Moon above

July 25 & 26 Yellow Days These two days the Moon is with drama or 'enough about YOU, more about ME' Rahu in Leo. Rahu can be confusion making and also expands whatever planet or constellation it connects with – and it also brings 'out of the box' problem solving ability, since Rahu sees things from a different point of view.

Expect these two days to have distractions, as Yellow Days do; and expect these Yellow Days to start revealing to you the THEME the eclipses might be lighting up for healing in your life!

See what relationships pop up on these two days, and step back and see what lesson is trying to be shown to you. Take a deep breath, and see what you can find love, compassion or neutral distance in the experiences on these two days.

July 28 & 29

Friday July 28 the Moon is in healing Virgo with Jupiter

This is the second time this month the Moon has been in auspicious Hasta lunar mansion! Friday is also the day of prosperity and Lakshmi! So, we have a triple auspicious Green Day today.

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Aligned actions for Hasta are: Beginning travel or educational studies of any kind, devotional practices, **healing** and receiving healing therapies, learning languages or philosophy. **Real estate is favored on this day, buying land,** building houses, or laying a foundation. This day is good for opening a business, for commerce or sales/trade of any kind; acquiring or paying back a loan. The Moon is in Virgo in the region called Hasta.

Auspicious for marriage on this day (not always on the other Type I Green Days). *(I love to help people choose their wedding days! Use the Universal Conscious Calendars for this, or get a custom experience where I choose the best day of the year for a wedding or major event aligned with your personal birth charts.)*

Saturday July 29 the Moon in Virgo is now about pleasure, called a soft, mild or tender day or Type II day in the Conscious Calendar system.


Today is about connecting with pleasure of the senses – It is a great date night everyone since love making and romance are supported on these days! Try engaging with music, food, fabrics, and clothes, seeing great art or being creative or connecting with friends are all indicated on this kind of Green Day.


Connection and hanging out and enjoying your friendships, making new friends and since we have an expanded influence of healing from Jupiter in Virgo for only one more month this year – it is a great day for healing and revitalizing – try getting a massage or going to the spa, or better yet, layout in a large luscious field of grass or moss in some dappled sunlight. What a great day for a picnic.

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access to looking ahead and seeing what the GO, SLOW and LOOK OUT days two, six or twelve months ahead!

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BIG NEWS: Get ready for the Eclipses in August 2017! Vedic Astrology does NOT recommend seeking out the eclipses! I know this news might be a bummer, since many are making plans to go see it.

Make sure to download your Mega Red Day Report in your bonus area of Conscious Calendars. This teaches you how and why and most importantly WHAT to do on or around eclipses to literally change your life. And my advice is different than what most other astrologers say "out there". I DO NOT recommend trying to "set intentions" or begin some big, new thing on an eclipse. **Vedic Astrology does NOT recommend seeking to be under an eclipse!**

Remember, the life forces of the MOON and SUN are blocked – why in the world would we seek out a place where darkness or life force is blocked? Why would we want to start something new when the source of life in our solar system is blocked?

The good news is you can use the eclipses for something! These **ARE great times for eliminating or better yet REVERSING patterns**, especially patterns which you feel are not serving you!

So, please look ahead to August Conscious Calendar, make note of the eclipse days for your time zone and try and plan on having easy days on those days, and find time to meditate, especially during the eclipse and make habit reversals on that day!

The full moon and Lunar Eclipse is on August 7 or 8th. The new moon or TOTAL SOLAR ECLIPSE is on August 21st and passes OR SHADOWS ALL THE WAY ACROSS THE UNITED STATES! Plus Mercury will be retrograde during the solar eclipse.

There is talk of traffic jams occurring along the eclipse route across America.

Suffice it to say, I do NOT recommend going out or seeking the eclipses (and the Vedic or ancient wisdom point of view says do NOT look at the eclipses!) Even though I know it is intoxicating to watch an eclipse...it is said to quicken negative karma or difficulty to those who are physically under the eclipses. So, yes, those who live in the path of eclipses are karmically linked. We all are linked in many ways, by living on the planet at the same time, or

in the same nation, or the same city, or the same community or the same family. Some of these we choose, and some of these we are born into. So it goes with karma. We have free will in each moment, in the context of the current circumstance. And our current circumstances exists from a gazillion number of influences, some of which are related to our previous choices in life.

I know it might sound like I am harshing your excitement to say “don’t seek out the eclipses”, especially since there is SO much media out there about the eclipses this year in the United States. (There is even talk of the large lava cauldron that is deep under Yellowstone “popping” because of the solar eclipse. Even if that were true, Yellowstone’s lava cauldron will not likely erupt ON the day of the eclipse. These influences take time to ripen and the ‘eruption’ of karma usually takes place when the Moon and Mars and Ketu/Rahu trigger them.)

You will be aware of those Mars, Moon trigger days because you have the Conscious Calendars! I will keep you posted!

I am here to be your spiritual guide and advocate. Trust me, the eclipses will bring plenty of drama for those of you who have planets in Aquarius and Leo – the eclipse patterns in Aquarius and Leo brought Trump as president of the U.S. after all. So, why do we want to egg on more drama in our lives – which is what will happen if you seek out and drive to the eclipses?

Look at your report and learn how to make the most of the eclipses while not seeking them out, however tempting it may be.

I have been under a total solar eclipse and they are very cool incidents. Especially, if you are standing under a tree with many leaves and there is a wind – you can **look on the ground** and see literally **hundreds of small eclipses** shining through the small holes in the leaves. It is mind blowingly cool! And if you do not live where the solar eclipse is landing, life will be exciting enough.

So, please seriously consider, for your karmic sake, not driving TO the total solar eclipse on Aug 21st.

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