

FRANCO-BRIT NEWSLETTER

July & August 2020

Out & About

Laure Overwater & Guylaine Leydier have an exhibition in Pernes les Fontaines until July 23rd at the Chapelle des Penitents Blancs;

Out & About - online...

The National Theatre - at home!

The national Theatre is still offering masterpieces to watch for free on Youtube. Click in the link below for the latest offerings:

<https://www.nationaltheatre.org.uk/nt-at-home>

ITEMS FOR SALE

For sale : 2 leather sofas

Rochebobois (in perfectly condition)

- one 3 seater length
-1,95 m depth 1 m **400 euros**
- one 2 seater
-length 1,45 m depth 1 m **300 euros**

Please contact M. Guinand
:06 28 06 68 73

For sale : a desktop computer

Fujitsu computer with Dell screen, English keyboard.

200€ ONF

For more information click on link below

<https://www.leboncoin.fr/>

Welcome to the latest newsletter. As our activities are considerably reduced in summer this newsletter covers July and August.



The Tuesday conversation group was able to meet again for the first time since March on June 16th in the 'Maison du Citoyen' and met again the following week. The sessions will resume on a regular basis in September if the Situation allows it... Anita Caillet has put many interesting suggestions on the website for practicing your English or French. These suggestions can be found in the « Members only » section. Many thanks to Anita for her dedicated animation of these sessions throughout the year. Her efforts are much appreciated by the participants. - and by the committee.

In June there were two « Let's Lunch » outings, one in the « Bistro de la Gare » at Loriol as mentioned in the last newsletter. The second outing took place at the restaurant «Adrien Aumaitre » in Carpentras. We enjoyed a delicious lunch in the shady grounds of the restaurant. You will find a write-up of the outing on the website blog. The restaurant is well worth a visit: excellent dishes at a reasonable price in a delightful setting -qui dit mieux! The next « Let's Lunch » outing will be in September at a riverside restaurant in Entraigues.

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This year, the aftermath of Lockdown made it complicated to organize a big celebratory meal in a restaurant in mid July. Instead we will gather in a vineyard in Baume de Venise. Participants are asked to bring a sweet or savory dish to share and the association will offer a glass of wine from the Domaine and of course soft drinks. We hope this informal arrangement will suit you. The event will take place on **July 17th**, starting at **6 pm**. There is no charge for this event.

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Requests for services...

Would anyone be interested in helping a ten year old boy speak English in exchange for conversation in Russian, Italian or French by a qualified teacher?

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a 13 year old girl in 5° is looking for a 'pen friend' or someone to practice her English with, similar age

Services offered...

French banking in English: mortgages; investments; property insurance & everyday banking requirements.

Contact the Service Anglophone at the Banque Populaire Méditerranée.

Robin Boxall (BPMED) will be happy to advise you.



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The venue for an evening meal on August 7th has not been decided yet. You will be informed by email and of course on the website.

The website: The website continues to be active even during the summer months. You are all invited to contribute to the Blog which Ulrich Boes has developed and made very user friendly. Give it a try! It is a way of keeping in touch and of sharing information about events in the area. Many thanks to Ulrich for all his hard work on the site.

The « Forum des Associations » will take place this year on **Saturday, September 5th**. Please consider helping out on the stand, if only for an hour or so. And please, even if you do not have the time to spare to help out, do drop by to see us and say hello!

Aquagym: Member Stephen Ward is holding aquagym sessions in his private swimming pool in Villeueneuve les Avignon. Details have already been sent out. Let me know if you are interested. There is a reduction for Franco-Brit members!

Looking for to seeing you soon...

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useful information

The « Que Choisir » website offers a lot of information on many subjects. You can also enroll for their free newsletter. For full access to the site there is subscription but much of the information is free.

<https://www.quechoisir.org/dossier-coronavirus-covid-19-t2647/>

To rent in Corsica

35 m2 flat for 2 adults,
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requests or services to
offer, please consider
using the Blog.*