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#### Des nouvelles du comité

Depuis le début de l'année, le comité a tenu plusieurs réunions avec les professeurs de l'Ecole de l'Alliance. Ces réunions très constructives, et au cours desquelles la conversation a été très positive, ont permis de donner des nouvelles orientations pour l'avenir. Nous travaillons avec les professeurs sur un programme ouvert aux enfants et avons le plaisir de compter parmi nos nouveaux professeurs, Anne Goldstone. Jacqueline Lindenfeld vous a présenté Anne dans le dernier bulletin.

La maison de l'Alliance a beaucoup de chance. Grâce à nos membres bénévoles, nous aurons une permanence le lundi, mercredi et jeudi. Nous espérons que vous vous joindrez à nous très bientôt afin de maintenir notre Alliance active. Nous avons encore besoin d'aide. Merci !

Nous préparons notre assemblée générale qui se tiendra au restaurant La Gare le 7 juin à 19h.

Venez nombreux pour assister à ce temps fort de notre association.

Si vous souhaitez devenir membre du comité et soumettre votre candidature, nous vous demandons de nous adresser une lettre en ce sens accompagnée de votre C.V avant le 7 mai 2005.

Au cours de notre assemblée annuelle, nous aurons le plaisir d'accueillir deux invités:

- Christine Frin, Présidente et CEO d'Elycee, journaliste à France Amérique qui nous parlera d'un projet d'enseignement interactif sur Internet pour les enfants francophones aux USA.

- Jean Claude Zambelli, Président de l'UFE qui nous parlera du fonctionnement et de l'animation des associations francophones aux USA.

**N'oubliez pas de réserver pour cet événement!**

Le comité de L'Alliance Française de Santa Rosa

*Dans notre nouvelle série "Cocktail et Conférence"*

### *The Paris of Artists and Writers*

*by Thirza Vallois*

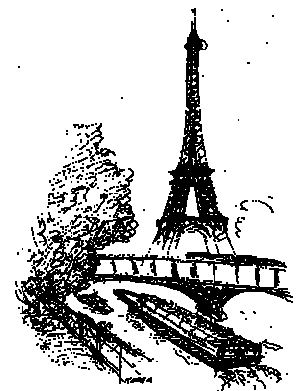
*Thursday May 12, 2005 at 7:00pm*

No city has been a magnet to the artistic and literary community to the same degree as beautiful, seductive, turbulent Paris. However, whereas in pre-Revolutionary days, the arts were predominantly a state-owned monopoly, in the 19th century the artist carved for himself a new place in the new Parisian society that emerged out of the French Revolution, and in the new city modeled by Baron Haussmann. Starting off in the 1860s, we shall see how the artist gradually shook off the shackles of convention and conformity and brazenly brought about a revolution in the arts, which continued into the 20th century and outraged bourgeois, upright Paris.

Thirza Vallois is the author of the internationally-acclaimed series *Around and About Paris*, *Romantic Paris* and the *Paris Entry* of the *Encarta Encyclopaedia*. An expert on all things Parisian, she contributes regularly her expertise to television, radio and magazines in the UK, the US, France and elsewhere (BBC, PBS, CNN, Discovery, The Travel Channel, The French Cultural Channel..). She writes for the *Financial Times*, *Condé Nast Traveller*, *United Airlines' Hemispheres*. Her *Three Perfect Days In Paris* for *Hemispheres* has won her the NATJA (North American Association of Travel Journalists) award and was screened as a video on United Airlines international flights and Travel Channels throughout the world. Thirza Vallois is now completing a new book, on Aveyron, "The Last Hidden Patch of France."

Thirza Vallois's books will be available for purchase on the evening of her presentation.  
Cocktails will be served before the presentation.

Please confirm your presence in advance by calling (707) 829.7708 by Monday May 9.  
The Maison de l'Alliance is located at 613, 4th Street in downtown Santa Rosa in the beautiful Kress building.  
Price: \$10 members, \$15 non-members



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Our newsletter *Ici L'Alliance* appears monthly along with our calendar of events. This newsletter is mailed to about 400 local addresses, and is given out to anyone who might be interested in the activities of the Alliance and in the classes offered by our French Language School.

*Get in touch! Merci.*

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**Voulez-vous parler français?***Causeries au Foyer*

Informal conversation groups meet at the Foyer of the Alliance, 613 Fourth Street, in downtown Santa Rosa. Alliance members attend free. There is a \$2 fee for non-members.

**Causeries du jeudi, 4:30-6:00 pm**  
Intermediate/Advanced – with Marina Velichensky

*French Chat*

Join us the first Friday of the month, beginning at 6 p.m. at Sassafras Restaurant for our fun and casual monthly French chat. We'll meet in the lounge area where you can order food and beverages. All levels of French are welcome. Sassafras is open until 9 and is located at 1229 North Dutton Avenue, Santa Rosa (College Avenue heading west, right onto

Dutton, left into large parking lot of Santa Rosa Business Park; [www.sassafrasrestaurant.com](http://www.sassafrasrestaurant.com)).  
Email [sonprov@sbcglobal.net](mailto:sonprov@sbcglobal.net) for more information

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**Coming in June**

Tuesday June, 7 2005 at 7 p.m.

Au Restaurant La Gare, 208 Wilson Street in Santa Rosa

**ASSEMBLEE GENERALE DE L'ALLIANCE FRANCAISE DE SANTA ROSA**

Suivi par un Diner-Conférence

Nous avons le plaisir de vous faire-part de nos invités :

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We will also officially install our officers and Board members for the 2005-2006 year.

*Menu*

*Soupe aux légumes*

*Boeuf - Tournedos, Sauce aux champignons*

or

*Poisson - Flétan (halibut), Sauce fine au beurre*

*Salade composée*

*Fromage*

*Domes au chocolat*

The price for this special dinner is \$23 (\$26 for non-members), wine not included.  
Reservations are due by **Friday, May 30.**

Please send your check to the Alliance address, 613 Fourth Street, Suite 200, Santa Rosa, 95404, and please do not forget to indicate your entrée selection: beef, fish, or vegetarian on your check.

**Déjeuners Mensuels**

*Meet us at Culinary Café  
at the SRJC Arts Center in the Brickyard*

**Wednesday May 11 2005 at noon**

Join us in tasting the fabulous organic and delicious foods prepared by professionals just for us!

The price includes soup, choice of three entrées (including vegetarian) and dessert,  
**\$15 (non-members \$20)**

**Space is limited to 30 people only.**

Please reserve by calling **829.7708**  
by **Sunday May 9** at the latest.

Please, **DO NOT SEND YOUR CHECK,**  
we will collect it at the door

The Culinary Arts Center is located 458 B Street in Santa Rosa.  
Parking is available in the 7th Street parking garage.

***Nous nous réjouissons de vous voir!***

**We need You!**

In order to keep the Alliance open during office hours  
**we need your help and expertise!**

If you have a few hours of free time, even if it is 1-2 hours a week,  
please give us a call and come  
and join us!

We need volunteers for Office Presence  
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Tuesdays 10am -12pm  
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parler, ça fait du bruit ! -V.  
Boeuf renversé. Des gens très  
curieux. - VI. Pas très sûr. - VII.  
Ni où, ni comment. Devant Ur-  
gel. - VIII. Gros dormeur. Note. -  
IX. Groupes d'épreuves.

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vous retourner. Qui n'a pas de  
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cun répond au sien. -5. Atté-  
nuée. -6. Conjonction. Sur une  
borne. -7. Raseras. -8. Solaires,  
par exemple. -9. Sur la planche  
à dessin. Bien éméché.

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**Let's get acquainted with Heidi Chrétien**



Before settling down in our area five years ago, Heidi Chrétien was a Californian "by accident": born in the Los Angeles area, she actually grew up and got her early education in a small town near Buffalo in the state of New York. After completing her secondary education, which included four years of

French, she went to Buffalo State College and majored in Arts. Although her dream had been to go to France for her Junior Year Abroad, she ended up going to Italy in order to join a one-semester Arts program in Siena. Her first contact with France at the end of that semester was somewhat unexpected: she and fellow students from the Siena program arrived in Paris (and were housed in the Latin Quarter) just as the May 1968 mini-revolution was beginning to happen, with barricades at the Sorbonne, etc.

Back in the Buffalo area after this 6-month stay in Europe, Heidi completed her undergraduate education and worked in advertising for a year. Then she went to graduate school and earned a Master's degree in History and Art History, while teaching as an Adjunct at SUNY-Buffalo and Canisius College, among other institutions. Her summers were always spent in Europe through the Experiments in International Living organization.

Shortly after the birth of her first child in 1984, Heidi returned to graduate school and earned a Ph.D. in Art and History in record time (5 years) while teaching and raising her daughter. Her dissertation – which was later published as a book – dealt with imagery and political

power in Renaissance Florence. This topic was enough of a reason for our insatiable traveler to go and live in Florence from 1987 to 1990, teaching in California State University programs partly through a Fulbright scholarship.

Heidi then returned to Buffalo where her second daughter was born, and obtained a full-time teaching position at the University of North Carolina, which she kept for one year. From 1992 to 2000 the family lived in Florence, where Heidi taught in Syracuse University and New York University programs. Needless to say, all members of the family are fluent in Italian, the two daughters (Gabrielle and Ariana) being completely bilingual.

They came to Santa Rosa in 2000 due to a job opportunity for Heidi. She has been teaching various courses in History, Art History and Graduate Humanities as an Adjunct at Dominican College. She also taught a course at Sonoma State University's Lifelong Learning Institute in Spring 2003, and will be teaching one entitled Women Painters and Women who Paint in Fall 2005.

Before coming to Santa Rosa, Heidi had never been a member of the Alliance Française. She joined our chapter and started taking classes in our Ecole in January 2004 in order to revive her French. One incentive is that she owns a little house in Provence and the family goes there (and to Italy) every summer. Elected as a member of the Board in June 2004 for a "fresh perspective" from someone who is particularly interested in our Ecole, Heidi also hopes to use her expertise in the Arts to organize some activities in that field, possibly in cooperation with Dominican College.

We welcome her and her daughters as "new Californians" who, like so many of us, have lived in other places and can share with us some of their travel experiences.

Jacqueline Lindenfeld



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*Many thanks to all our members for all their commitment to activities of the Alliance Française de Santa Rosa.*



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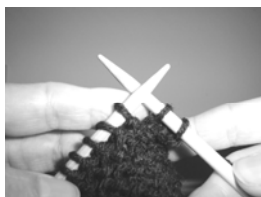


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elle tricote  
nous tricotons  
vous tricotez  
ils tricotent**

### Description

This short class is designed specifically for beginners who know little or nothing about knitting. Come and enjoy the ancient art of knitting at the Alliance Française. In this step-by-step workshop, you will learn how to cast on stitches, do the knit and purl stitch, and how to finish off a project such as a scarf, and leave with plenty of ideas to create more projects.

### When?

Tuesday May 3 and  
May 10 from  
4:30 - 6:00pm

### Where?

at the Alliance  
Française of Santa  
Rosa

### How much?

\$60 non-members \$75  
(4 people minimum)

### What?

Supply list will be mailed  
upon registration

### Presenter

Anne Goldstone is a native of France. She learned to knit as a young girl. She creates her own patterns. She has been teaching knitting in this community for the past 4 years with Knit or Knot.

Visitez le site

<http://home.comcast.net/~petergoldstone/knitorknot/mailléenvers.html>

To enroll, call Anne or email her at  
707-280-1833, [anneplaj@yahoo.com](mailto:anneplaj@yahoo.com)

### L'ALLIANCE FRANÇAISE EN CHIFFRES

La création de l'Alliance française remonte à 1883 à Paris.

Il existe 1081 Alliances françaises dans 135 pays.

Environ 400 000 étudiants fréquentent les cours de l'Alliance française dans le monde.

En France, on compte 29 Alliances françaises dont 13 Alliances enseignantes : Bordeaux, Dijon, Grasse, Grenoble, Lyon, Marseille, Montpellier, Nice, Rouen, Strasbourg, Toulouse, Vendôme et Paris.

L'Alliance française de Paris c'est environ 13 000 étudiants de 160 nationalités différentes (chiffres de 2003). Les effectifs les plus importants provenant, par ordre décroissant des USA, de la Chine, du Japon, de l'Espagne, de l'Italie, du Brésil, de la Pologne et de l'Allemagne.

C'est également un budget d'environ 13 millions d'euros, autofinancé à 95%, 120 professeurs hautement qualifiés et 1 centre de ressources multimédia.

En 2004, 4 nouveaux pays ont rejoint le réseau des Alliances françaises : la Birmanie ; le Kazakhstan ; le Malawi et la Mongolie.

En 2003, les effectifs de l'Alliance française dans le monde ont progressé de 6% par rapport à 2002 (qui enregistrait déjà une hausse de 10%). La tendance est toujours à la hausse, sauf en Europe où les chiffres sont stables (+1%). La plus forte croissance d'effectifs a lieu au Pérou, où les effectifs ont doublé en 3 ans.

Les pays qui comptent le plus d'Alliances françaises, par continent, se trouvent <sup>1</sup> :

- En Afrique et dans l'Océan indien : Madagascar (30 Alliances et 18 400 étudiants) ;
- En Amérique du Nord : U.S.A. (61 Alliances françaises et 20 000 étudiants) ;
- En Amérique du Sud : l'Argentine (78 Alliances et 12 000 étudiants), suivie du Mexique (45 Alliances et 32 000 étudiants) ;
- En Asie : l'Inde (16 Alliances et 22 800 étudiants) ;
- En Europe : les Pays Bas (34 Alliances et 7500 étudiants), suivis de l'Espagne (16 Alliances et 9 400 étudiants) ;

- En Océanie : l'Australie (28 Alliances et 6 276 étudiants).

Une heure de cours de français coûte, par équivalence, moins de 50 centimes d'euros en Moldavie, 8,6 euros à Lyon et 45 euros à New York.

<sup>1</sup>Statistiques réalisées en 2003 à partir d'un questionnaire envoyé à l'ensemble des Alliances française

### Une double mission : au-delà de la langue, la culture.

Au sein des Alliances françaises, la **mission pédagogique** liée à l'apprentissage de la langue française est prolongée par une **politique culturelle ambitieuse** qui prend des formes diverses selon les communautés : conférences, expositions ou encore créations artistiques et spectacles vivants.

**Partout dans le monde, les Alliances sont un trait d'union entre les cultures locales et les cultures francophones**

## Dans la cuisine avec Christine Piccin

### Tourte Forestière -- *A Meat Pie*

makes 10-12 appetizer servings

Once, to pair with deep red wine, I made this meat tourte with ground wild venison and a little pork fat. Any other lean ground meat can be used separately or in combination, such as veal, pork, or lamb (pork sausage, for example, is too fatty). Serve the tourte warm, for lunch or dinner. Bon appétit!

- 2 lbs. ground venison, veal, pork, or lamb, or a combination
- 2-4 Tbl. brandy
- 1/2 cup dry white wine
- 2 bay leaves
- 6 juniper berries, crushed
- a handful of minced herbs
- 2 slices bread torn into small pieces and soaked in 1/2 cup milk for 15 minutes
- salt and pepper to taste
- 2 small potatoes, pieced all over and microwaved until half done, peeled, then finely diced
- 1/3 cup dried Zante currants
- 1/4 cup toasted pine nuts
- 1 sheet regular pie dough rolled 1/4" thick to line bottom of tart pan
- 1 sheet Pepperidge Farms puff pastry, thawed
- 1 egg, beaten well

Combine first 6 ingredients. Cover, refrigerate, and marinate several hours or overnight.

Remove bay leaf from meat. Squeeze out bread and mix into marinated meat mixture along with salt and pepper. I used a generous 1/4 teaspoon black pepper and perhaps 1-1/2 teaspoons salt. Cook a test spoonful of the meat mixture for a few seconds in the microwave

and taste before proceeding. Adjust seasoning as necessary and mix well. Gently stir in potatoes, currants, and pine nuts.

Preheat oven to 450 degrees.

Fit pie dough into 11" tart pan with removable bottom. Fill evenly with meat mixture, pressing gently to make sure there are no hollow pockets. Roll out puff pastry and cut a circle large enough to cover top of tart with about 1/2" overhang on all sides. Cut a 2" round vent hole in the center of the puff pastry with a small biscuit cutter. Brush the 1/2" puff pastry overhang all the way around lightly with beaten egg, as if moistening the flap of an envelope. With egg side down, center puff pastry circle atop tart. Carefully tuck those egg-brushed edges down between bottom crust and tart pan, pressing well to seal. Brush top lightly all over with beaten egg, cut and affix dough trimmings if desired, and brush them lightly with egg.

Bake on the second-lowest shelf position in the preheated oven for 15 minutes, then reduce oven heat to 350 degrees and bake until dark golden brown all over, about 50 minutes more. Turn tart front-to-back halfway through cooking time to encourage even baking.

### Cooking classes coming up:

- ◆ Super Salads, Dressings and Summer Sauces, May 4 -- Finley Center
- ◆ Special Pasta Sauces, May 17 -- Finley Center
- ◆ Flavors of Provence, May 24 -- Sur la Table

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## Connaissez-vous... ?

L'origine de la fête du travail

À Rome, le 1er mai était consacré au culte de la déesse des parcs et jardins : Flore. Puis au Moyen Age, on fêtait la fin de l'hiver et le retour du printemps. C'est à la fin du XIXe siècle qu'à Chicago, un 1er mai, des heurts violents entre policiers et manifestants entraîneront la mort d'un ouvrier. Cet événement devint un symbole des luttes ouvrières, puis une fête légale sous le gouvernement du Front populaire en 1937.

La tradition du brin de muguet

Elle semble venir de l'antique coutume païenne consistant à déposer cette fleur au temps d'Hermès, dieu du commerce (Mercure chez les Romains), fils de Maia à qui ce mois était consacré. Le mois de mai est depuis le XVIIIe siècle dédié à la Vierge Marie, mère de Jésus. Une autre explication voudrait que le nom de ce mois vit la célébration des "Majores", des anciens dont le culte était fort suivi à Rome.





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**French Language Classes**

Schedule for Spring Session 8 weeks  
May 2 - June 25 2005

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A1	SATURDAY	10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.	A6	TUESDAY	9:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.
A2	SATURDAY	12:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.			

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B2	MONDAY	10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.	B3	THURSDAY	9:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

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**Classes Location:**

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**Registration & Placement:**

All former students may send their registration at anytime.  
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**FEES**

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Membership: \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Total: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

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If you do not renew within 2 months, we will regretfully stop sending you our newsletter and your membership benefits will expire. Call the Alliance 707.543.8151 for address changes. Please note: Bulk mail is not forwarded.

**Please Check One:** New member  Renewal   
Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

**Level of Proficiency:**  None  Beginner  Intermediate  Advanced  Native

**How did you find about the Alliance?**  Relative  Friend  School  Phone Book  
Other \_\_\_\_\_

**I would like to volunteer:**  Yes  No

**Areas of interest**  Conversation Group  Literary Group  Classes  Children's Activities

Amount of enclosed check: \_\_\_\_\_

Mail to: **Alliance Française de Santa Rosa, 613 4th Street, Suite 200, Santa Rosa, CA 95404**

Annual Fee (12 month period)	
Please circle the right amount	
Student	22
French Teacher	25
Individual Member	32
Family	42
Sponsor	55
Sustaining Member	100
Gifts are tax deductible	
<i>Merci!</i>	