
Quelques mois après sa montée au pouvoir, où en est l’équipe gouvernementale dans chacun de ces domaines? Et quels sont les rapports entre la droite et la gauche de l’horizon politique dans cette France “en devenir”?

Jacqueline Lindenfeld met à profit sa formation en sciences sociales (Ph.D., UCLA) et ses rapports étroits avec son pays natal pour nous entraîner dans le dédale des événements socio-politiques en France à l’heure actuelle.

Please confirm your presence in advance by calling 707.543.8151 by Monday 15 October - $12 members, $15 non-members. Refreshments and snacks will be served after the conference.

Coming in November…

**LA FÊTE DU BEAUJOLAIS NOUVEAU Fundraising Event**

Paradise Ridge Winery
4545 Thomas Winery, Santa Rosa
Friday, 16 November, 2007
Members $35 - Non-Members $45

We welcome your support, auction items and financial participation!
Please contact us or make donations at AFSR, BN07, 613 Fourth Street, Suite 200, Santa Rosa, CA 95404 707.543.8151

Déjeuner Mensuel de l’Alliance
Sassafras Restaurant
Wednesday October 10 at noon
Join us for food, conversation, and fun! Choices to be made from menu distributed before lunch. Some changes may be made periodically.
Bar service extra
Members $20 -- non-members $22
1229 North Dutton Ave, Santa Rosa.
Please reserve by calling Adrena at 823-5539 by Monday 9 at the latest.
We will collect at the door.
Voulez-vous parler français?

Causeries in Sebastopol
Tuesdays, 6 to 7:30 pm, at 176 Main N. Street. For information, call Madeleine at 526-5257. Advanced conversation.

Causeries in Healdsburg
Wednesdays at 5:30 pm. Wine and cheese and a lots of talk en français! Call Myrna Greene for the latest location at (707) 433-3677.

French Chat
A monthly French Chat takes place at Sassafras on the first Friday of each month. Please join us for convivial conversation in French beginning at 6:15 p.m. at Sassafras restaurant (1229 North Dutton Avenue, Santa Rosa; dinner and beverages are available for purchase all evening. Each person is responsible for their own order. It is always helpful to the restaurant if we know approximately how many will attend. Please let Evelyn Anderson (sonprov@sbcglobal.net, 576-1124) know if you can, but don't worry if you decide at the last minute.

20 years ago...

The founding of the Alliance Française de Santa Rosa

Excerpts from the first newsletter.

November 31, 1987

A meeting was held on November 10, 1987, between the organizers and those interested in heading the activities groups (remember the sign-ups for interested activities?) 15 people were present. We discussed how to organize, we were given a copy of the Napa Alliance Française by-laws for review and comments, since it was to be discussed a launching Event to publicize our club to the Sonoma County Community, and continued the meeting until November 18, 1987.

On November 18, we met again, basically with the same group of people, had an agenda which reflected everyone’s wishes. In the meantime, comments on the by-laws were considered, and as applicable, with the cooperation of a legal friend of the Alliance Française de Santa Rosa, incorporated into our proposed Alliance Française de Santa Rosa by-laws. They were accepted, and have been submitted to the Alliance Française for final approval; Officers were elected; Chairpeople for various committees were elected as follows:

President: Jean-Philippe Favre
Vice President: Steve Gospe (Program Chairman)
Vice President: Jean-Marie Martin (Administrator)
Secretary: Denise Chramko
Treasurer: A.E. (Ned) Small
Chairpeople
Socials: Jean-Marie Martin
Films: Michelle Sikora
Lectures: Daphne Smith
Finance: Steve Gospe
Communications/Media: Ruth Brown
Children’s Activities: Christine Perry, Claudine Kaufmann
School/University Liaison, Education: Philip Nix, Danielle Penzer

This newsletter Ici L’Alliance appears monthly along with our calendar of events. This newsletter is mailed to over 350 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.

Our newsletter is published monthly by Alliance Française de Santa Rosa.
Editor: Upi Struzak
Send all correspondence regarding the newsletter, advertising and the website to:

Alliance Française de Santa Rosa,
613 Fourth Street, Suite 200
Santa Rosa, CA 95404
info@afsantarosa.org

Coming Soon...

20th Anniversary Celebration of the AFSR

Suggestions and ideas are welcome!
Get in touch!
BEGINNERS – Complete beginners, no diagnostic interview. 2 hours/week for 9 weeks – 18 hours of instruction. Tuition $252

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ADVANCED BEGINNERS – Beginners with little knowledge of French, no diagnostic interview required. 2 hours/week for 9 weeks – 18 hours of instruction. Tuition: $252

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INTERMEDIATE – 2 hours/week for 9 weeks
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CONVERSATION Class - 2 hours/week for 9 weeks – 18 hours of instruction. Tuition $252

This class will be offered during the session II

ADVANCED – 2 hours/week for 9 weeks – 12 hours of instruction. Tuition $252

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ADVANCED Theme Class – Fluent level - 2 hours/week for 9 weeks – 18 hours of instruction. Tuition $252

The class is a discussion of various aspects of life in France such as France and the European Union, Immigration in France, Work and Leisure in France.

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CHILDREN Class for 9 weeks – 9 hours of instruction. Tuition $126

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Dans la cuisine avec Christine Piccin
Vol aux Vents d’Automne
pour 72 canapés

1 livre de pâte feuilletée Pepperidge Farm, décongelée (2 feuilles)
1 œuf, battu
1/2 livre de bacon, coupé en dés
1 gros oignon, haché
2 grosses pommes, râpées
1/2 livre de potiron “butternut,” épluché et râpé
1 tasse de gruyère finement râpé
sel, poivre, noix de muscade - facultatif

Chauffez le four à 400°F.

Etendez chaque feuille de pâte au rouleau pour obtenir un carré de 12x12 pouces. Découpez en petits carrés de 2x2 pouces ou en ronds de 2 pouces. Arrangez-les dans un plat allant au four. Brossez avec un peu d’œuf et faites cuire au four pendant 12-15 minutes.

Faites cuire les dés de bacon, mais pas complètement croustillant.

Ajoutez l'oignon haché et faites cuire à feu vif 5-7 minutes, en remuant de temps en temps. Ajoutez les pommes et le potiron. Continuez à cuire encore 5 minutes; remuez souvent. Ajoutez le gruyère et mélangez bien. Assaisonnez du sel, poivre, et noix de muscade moulee.

Fendez les pâtisseries cuites en deux, farcez d’une cuillère du mélange pomme-potiron tiède. Servez aussitôt.

Pot de la rentrée (back to school drinks)
For the students
Friday, 12 October
Refreshments and snacks

Causeries du jeudi
French conversation
Bonsûr, come and join us!
At East West Cafe
557 Summerfield Road
Please check one: New member □ Renewal □
Name__________________________Date____________________
Address_______________________________________________________
City___________________________State__________Zip_____________
Phone________________________Email___________________________
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
□ I hereby authorize the Alliance Française de Santa Rosa to charge the following credit card
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Is your Membership Renewal Due?

IS YOUR MAILING ADDRESS CIRCLED IN RED? TIME TO RENEW!
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.

This issue was mailed on 09.27.07

Annual Fee
(12 month period)
Please circle your membership level

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Merci!
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