



ACFAA Newsletter May 2009

Two For The Price Of One

Because information for social activities to accompany the newsletter intended for early March has only recently become available the overall delay has decided us to make one visit to the post box and include the May newsletter. So now you will find details of all the activities for the remainder of this season on the reverse side of the MARCH issue.

Please respond by booking the events as soon as possible, especially the petanque competition.

AGM And Committee Elections

The AGM will take place on 14th May at the Salle Polyvalante, Eymet, starting at 20:00.

Your current committee members are: President - Ron Tillyer; Vice-President - Giselle Bihen; Secretaries – Vicky Slater and Monique Lot; Treasurer Colin Shapland; Membership Secretary Pat Baker, Social Secretaries David Body & Robert Mellor. In addition during the past year we co-opted Michel Mezin as co-ordinator of language classes.

All posts are subject to election for the next season. All present holders of posts are prepared to continue although I would be very happy to hand over the reins if there is someone else prepared to become president. If you are interested please contact me for more information on that role. Michel is not continuing next season so I would be pleased to hear from anyone who might be interested in helping with administration of the classes.

Nominations for any post should be made in writing and sent to Vicky Slater, Vigneau, 47800 MOUSTIER, to arrive no later than 7th May. A nomination should state the nominee and post for which they are prepared to stand together with their signature and those of the proposer and a seconder.

Coming Events

- The petanque competition will take place at the Bretou holiday village, Eymet, on April 25th
- A coach trip to Rocamadour followed by a visit to La Feerie is planned for 23rd May
- We will have the end of season barbeque on 21st June
- Full details regarding the petanque competition, coach trip and barbeque can be found on the reverse side of the MARCH newsletter and a booking form is enclosed.
- A reminder that there will be a concert on Saturday, June 27th in Eymet church given by the ACFAA chorale (directed by Richard Errington) and organist Robert Green. The first half will be an organ recital by Robert, who was a former assistant organist at Hereford Cathedral. In the second half, the choir will sing Johannes Brahms' "Neue Liebeslieder - Waltzer" - a delightful collection of waltzes for chorus, soloists and piano duet. Robert Green will be joined by David Warner-Howard at the piano. No entrance charge but proceeds from a collection, after deduction of expenses, will be devoted towards the new church organ.

Ron TILLYER
President