



ACFAA Newsletter March 2010

Newsletter Distribution

A reminder that, if you don't receive newsletters and social event information personally you have to send a request to Pat Baker, patricia.baker@wanadoo.fr, for information by email, or let us have four normal letter envelopes for the next four newsletters. To date many members have done neither. You can put your envelopes in ACFAA post box on Tuesdays at classes or post them to the secretary (address below).

Social Activities

With this newsletter you will receive details of activities for the current season.

After a disappointing experience from last year's summer barbeque we are trying to move the event more under our control and using a formula which worked well at petanque games of DIY BBQ. We are also conscious of rising costs and we want to be sure that we don't exclude members for that reason. We hope the formula will work but no doubt you will let us know if it doesn't.

Other activities include another petanque tournament and a trip to the gardens at Eyrignac. Please support these events, which we try to put on at minimal cost and give encouragement to In particular please don't leave booking events to the last moment, this makes it more difficult for those who organise the events.

Can you help on the social sub-committee. We have lost a couple of members during this year and their secretary will not be re-joining after this season so we need to replace them. Please contact David Body on 05 53 93 64 43 if you want to know more or offer help. Not a difficult job if shared around.

Choir Concert

This year the ACFAA choir will be presenting the Faure Requiem with choir, organ and harp together with the Charpentier Te Deum with choir, organ and trumpet on 25th June at Eymet church starting at 20:30. Proceeds will go to church funds.

Photographic Group

First meeting will take place on 9th April at the Centre de Loisirs, Bretou, Eymet, starting at 10:30.

AGM

We remind you that this will take place at the Salle Pollyvalante, Eymet, on 13th May starting at 20:00. The agenda this year will include a review of the Association statues and rules, which have not been changed since the original version in 1992. The agenda will be sent to members towards the end of April.

New Committee and Web Master

Also this year we have to elect a new "executive" of president, vice-president, secretary and treasurer, noting that several members of the present committee will not be standing for re-election. If you would like to nominate someone for these or other posts please send that to the secretary whose address is 29 rue du Loup, 24500 EYMET. Nomination must have signatures of the nominee and a seconder as well as the proposer and arrive before 29th April. We are also looking for someone to run the web site, if you can help please contact Ron Tillyer.

Nominations so far:

President – Giselle Bihen

Vice President – Joëlle Jeffrey

Secretary – Mary-Anne Boudreau

Treasurer – Susan Durnford

Class Dates Spring 2010

First class 4th May and last one 15th June.

Ron TILLYER

President