



Alliance Française d'Annapolis *May 2018*

NEWS:

We continue with the French sayings. "A chaque jour suffit sa peine" meaning "Don't worry about tomorrow's troubles. Just concentrate on today's."

"Bien mal acquis ne profite jamais" meaning "One can never profit from ill-gotten gains (goods)."

-Discussion group #4 is planning to visit the Portraits by Cézanne Exhibit at the National Gallery at 10:00 am on May 17 and to have lunch afterwards at the Café Pavillion. If you would like to meet them there, please contact Dolores Masson at deemasson@verizon.net

-On Sunday June 24th at 2:00 pm another tour is organized to visit the same exhibit. Julia Langlay who was a Gallery guide and director of "Arts and Humanity" will be our guide. After the visit, we will have a cup of tea or coffee in a terrace or cafe nearby. For reservation please call Claire Wagner 202-332-5501 or clairierre@verizon.net

-On Bastille Day Saturday July 14th, a Pot Luck Dinner will be held at the home of Dolores Masson, 13 Faquier Ct. Edgewater at 6:00 pm. Please plan to bring one of the following dishes: An hors-d'œuvre, a salad, a main dish, a hot vegetable or a dessert. The number of people attending will be limited to 40. For reservation this year you can use SignUpGenius and sign up indicating the number attending and what you will bring.

<http://www.signupgenius.com/go/60b0b45a5a922aaf58-fete>

If you prefer not to use the SignUpGenius please contact Nancy Harrison at Harrison.NL@concast.net or by phone at 410-544-2784 or 410-507-4213 or Elizabeth Lomas at ebeth5of9@gmail.com or tel.410-212-8406. Please contact Dolores if you have any questions.

-Save the date: On September 16th, Edith Meyer Cord, a hidden child in Paris during WW11, will make a presentation about her experiences during that time. She was interviewed on a segment of "60 minutes" last fall. More specific information will be in the September

newsletter.

Film of the Month: "CEZANNE AND I" This historic drama traces the lifelong friendship between Paul Cézanne et Emile Zola from their first meeting as schoolmates and their rivalry as fame and success continue to elude Cézanne.

CONVERSATION GROUPS:

We want to remind you that in order for you to participate in these groups, you must be a member of the Alliance.

Group #1 is open to members who would like to read and discuss a work of literature which has been previously chosen. The members meet the 4th Monday of the month at 7:00 p.m.. For more information, please call or write to Henriette Leanos who directs the group. Tel.: 443-949-8010. e-mail: henriette@corpro.com.

Group #2 is directed by Dolores Mico. Tel.: 410-647-0512. email: dmico@msn.com Members meet at Severna Park the 3rd Tuesday of the month at one of the members home. Dolores Mico would be delighted to have more participants but remember that all of them must belong to the Alliance Française and pay their dues.

Group #3 meets the second Tuesday of the month at 7:00 p.m. at the café at Barnes & Noble. If you would like to join this group, please call Dolores Masson at 410-798-9457 or e-mail at deemasson@verizon.net

Group #4 meets every Thursday at 10:00 a.m. at Starbucks in Target. The 4th Thursday of the month, the group meets at noon at a restaurant previously chosen by the members. If you are interested in joining this group, please call Dolores Masson.

CALENDAR:

May Happy Hour: This will take place on Monday May 7th from 5:30 until 7:00 p.m. at the usual place, **BIN 201 WINE SELLERS**, 201 Harker Place in the Annapolis Towne Center at Parole, right across from Whole Foods. The parking is free. 410-571-2011 or www.bin201.com

The price for the first glass of wine is **\$6.00** and the cost of following glasses will be kept at **\$5.00.**

This contribution pays for the wines which are served and the rental of the space.

Please take note of the date: Monday May 7th from 5:30 to 7:00 p.m.

ANNOUNCEMENT:

If you would like to place an announcement in the Alliance newsletter, please contact Francis Dolard at 410-956-2890 or fdolard1@verizon.net

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