



Bonjour!

Alliance Française de Las Vegas (AFLV)

Newsletter June 2018

The AFLV plays a vital role in the diversity of our community, promoting the French language and French-speaking cultures in the Las Vegas area.

President's Preface

Dear Members, Students, and Friends,

Fête de la Musique – June 21

Important note:

Our 2018 Annual General Meeting (AGM) will be held at Siena Italian Authentic

Trattoria on June 21, 2018 at 6:00 p.m. and will be followed immediately by our

Fête de la Musique celebration. The AGM is open to all current members,

however, members must register their attendance so we can provide Siena with

an accurate headcount by June 15. Please contact our executive director at

director@aflasvegas.org to register.

Become a Member <u>HERE</u>.

Similarly, if you don't want to miss our event **Fête de la Musique**, you must also

register and pay online by June 15. Please note that Siena has limited the

number of attendees, therefore, it is possible that walk-ins might not be

accommodated without having preregistered. Register HERE.

La Fête de la Musique (also known as the World Music Day) was originally

conceived in 1976 by American musician Joel Cohen who proposed a musical

celebration of the summer solstice. However, the idea was successfully

implemented by French Music and Dance director Maurice Fleuret for Minister of

Culture Jack Lang, and the annual celebration began in 1982 in Paris. It soon

spread throughout France and is today celebrated in 110 countries.

Throughout France, the U.S., and the rest of the world, June 21 will see numerous

street performances and concerts which are provided for the entire world to enjoy

and celebrate music of all types and in all languages.

We look forward to welcoming you at our celebration on June 21!

Best regards,

Marc Zeman

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COMING UP IN JUNE



ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

MEMBERS ONLY EVENT

THURSDAY, JUNE 21 6:00 - 6:45PM

Siena Restaurant

9500 West Sahara Ave, Las Vegas, NV 89117

Current members of the *Alliance Française de Las Vegas* are cordially invited to join the Board of Directors for its Annual General Meeting. We will report briefly on the results of 2017 and look at the projects for 2018 and 2019.

A 'verre de l'amitié' will be served, making this event the perfect opportunity to (re)acquaint yourself with the Alliance Française and its Board Members.

Become a Member HERE

FETE DE LA MUSIQUE MUSIC FESTIVAL

THURSDAY JUNE 21 6:45 - 9:00PM

Siena Restaurant

9500 West Sahara Ave, Las Vegas, NV 89117

We are pleased to announce our 5th edition of Fête de la Musique in Las Vegas! Join us for a night of live music, dance, delicious Italian food, Raffle and much more...

MEMBERS \$35 - NON MEMBERS \$42

Become a Member Here

Buy your tickets now!

Price includes a full set menu (including a vegetarian option), one alcoholic beverage and tips.





FRENCH IMMERSION SUMMER CAMP FOR CHILDREN

JUNE 18 - JULY 27, 2018

Join us for a fun-filled Summer! Our Camp is a mix of language, artistic and athletic activities. Learn French through songs, games and books that explore different topics. This is a unique opportunity to immerse your child in a 100% French universe! This program is open to all children as young as 3 years old to 11. No level of language skills is necessary; the groups will be based on activities and times of the day. These courses and activities are open to both Francophone speakers wishing to improve their use of the language as well as non-French speakers wishing to take their "first steps" in the French language. Each week a different theme!

Click Here for more information!



FRENCH BREAKFAST

Saturdays, June 2 and 16, 2018 at 9:30 AM "Délices Gourmands" 3620 W Sahara Ave, Las Vegas, NV 89102 (702-331-2526).

Join us to practice your French over an

excellent breakfast!

Members of the AFLV receive a 10% discount on their purchase.



BRITTANY BRUNCH

Sunday, June 24 from 10:30 AM to 12:30PM

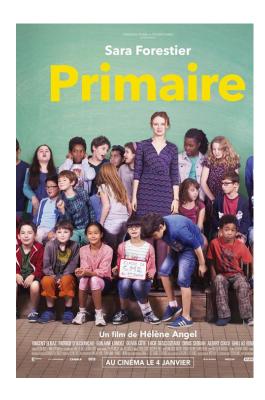
Join us to practice your French while enjoying a brunch from Brittany at THE REAL CREPE

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FRENCH MOVIE NIGHT

Please join us for a free French Movie every third Friday of the month. All movies are shown in French with English subtitles.

Thank you to our partners: Institut Français de Paris, French Consulate in Los Angeles and the French Club of UNLV.



FRIDAY, JUNE 15, 2018 AT

6:30PM

ELEMENTARY (PRIMAIRE) (2016)

Drama by Hélène Angel with Sara Forestier and Vincent Elbaz.

Synopsis: Devoted primary schoolteacher Florence is a single mother who pours her heart and soul into her students and every day. When encounters the disruptive student Sacha and finds he has been abandoned by his mother, Florence devotes herself to helping him. But Sacha's plight combined with her impending work assessment put unthinkable strain on Florence, pushing her to a breaking point where she will put everything on the line, including her vocation and even her relationship with her own son.

Venue: UNLV, Frank and Estella Beam Hall (BEH) Room 104.

https://www.unlv.edu/maps/campus/BEH
In French with English subtitles.

Free admission. Please join us after the movie for a drink.



OUR FRENCH CLASSES

"If you talk to a man in a language he understands, that goes to his head. If you talk to him in his own language, that goes to his heart."

Nelson Mandela



CLASSES FOR ADULTS

Our SPRING SESSION of classes started the week of April 30 and will end on June 23, 2018. Our classes are suited for everyone, each member of your family will be able to find a program appropriate for his or her level of learning. You'll be able to share the fun with friends and family, and create new lasting friendship with other attendees. It's never too late to learn French, so take the leap and Sign Up! Not sure of your level? Pas de problème! Take our free placement test **HERE**. You can join in the middle of a session if you are not a total Beginner.

PETANQUE

Every Sunday at 3:00PM, Gardens Park, <u>10401 Garden Park Dr. Las Vegas</u>, <u>NV 89135</u> (far east of the park).

Played in a leisurely or competitively way, pétanque naturally brings people together and one tends to make new friends & acquaintances in the process. The rules are simple and there are no special skills required. If you are new to the game or a little rusty, feel free to join us.



Membership

Not a member of the Alliance Française de Las Vegas yet? It is never too late ... Become a member and participate in a range of educational, cultural and social activities. You can support a non-profit that promotes cross-cultural understanding, while taking advantage of special member benefits. As a duly registered 501(c)(3) not-for-profit organization, all donations made to AFLV are tax deductible. We are very grateful to all our generous contributors! Join now!

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Merci et à bientôt!

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This schedule is tentative and may be subject to change if circumstances require it.

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