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Bonjour!

Académie Francophone de Las Vegas

February 2016 Newsletter

Our Non Profit Organization offers French classes for all, spreads awareness of French and francophone cultures and promotes cultural diversity in the Las Vegas area.

NEWS

Thank you for attending our **Galette des Rois** event on January 4th. You were 75 to come and celebrate this French tradition with us. Thank you Jonathan from Café Rosallie for your warm welcome!

Good news for our members! You now get a 10% discount at our new partner the bakery BONJOUR (4012 S Rainbow Blvd # J, LV, NV 89103 - 702-889-0611). Enjoy!





What awaits you in February!

Happy Valentine's Day!



CHANDELEUR (CREPE DAY)

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 6TH FROM 4:00 TO 6:00PM



Alverson Taylor Mortensen & Sanders,

7401 W Charleston Blvd, LV, 89117.

The parking lot and entrance are at the rear of the building.

Join us to celebrate la Chandeleur, another delicious French tradition, with your family and friends. There will be live music, a kids' corner and much more...

Buy your tickets HERE

\$12 for members / \$17 for non-members / \$5 for children (5-10).

Crepes are prepared by <u>La Maison de Maggie.</u>

Our special guest Naomi Emmerson will give us a small preview of her show "Piaf love conquers all" she will be performing at the Winchester Cultural Center on March 4-5, 2016. More info: allhttp://www.piafloveconquersall.com/



FRENCH FRIDAY! CONVERSATION

Friday, February 12, 2016 6:00-7.30PM



<u>La Maison de Maggie</u> 3455 S Durango Dr #112, Las Vegas, NV 89117 (702-823-4466)

NEW! French Friday - Mix, Mingle, and Network...en français!

L'Académie Francophone de Las Vegas aims to provide a platform of expression where lovers of France and French can share experiences, knowledge, ideas, points of view, meet, mix, mingle, get to know each other, opening a cross cultural dialogue for better mutual understanding. This is why AFLV has decided to launch French Fridays once a month, every second Friday, a regular gathering for AFLV students, members and general public to meet, mix and mingle and network, all in French (but English or any other language is welcome). We want to offer an informal get together for people to discuss in French, practice their language skills while savoring French crêpes, salads, smoothies or other drinks from la Maison de Maggie.

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

French Breakfast



PETIT DEJEUNER FRANÇAIS

Saturdays, February 6 and 20, 2016 at 9.30am

Boulangerie *La Belle Terre Bread* (8390 W. Sahara Ave. #130, LV, 89117) Join us to practice your French over an excellent breakfast!



NEW! ENGLISH CLASSES FOR FRANCOPHONES

Every Friday - February 19 to April 15, 2016 from 11am to 12.30PM

Académie Francophone de Las Vegas (6425 W. Sahara Ave. #220, LV, 89146) http://www.aflasvegas.org/cours-d-anglais-pour-francophones.html

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, Consulat de France à Los Angeles and the Club français de UNLV



Friday, February 19, 2016 at 6.30PM

Les châteaux de sable (Sand Castles) - Romantic Drama (2015) by Olivier jahan with Emma de Caunes, Yannick Renier et Alain Chamfort.

Synopsis: After the death of her father, Éléonore learns that she has inherited his house in Brittany. With her photography business not going as well as it might, Éléonore desperately needs to sell the house to see her through her present financial worries. Unable to set foot in her father's house alone, she persuades her ex-partner Samuel to accompany her to Brittany. Even though Éléonore and Samuel have been apart for several years their erstwhile feelings for one another are still very much alive. Closeted together in the house that Éléonore is so keen to offload they are in for a long and eventful weekend that will be full of surprises...

Venue: UNLV, Frank and Estella Beam Hall (BEH) -

Room 103. https://www.unlv.edu/maps/campus/BEH.

In French with English subtitles. Free admission. Please join us after the movie for a drink.

Coming up in March...

5k Run/Walk with Cirque du Soleil

Run Away With Cirque du Soleil characters and Académie Francophone de Las Vegas on March 12, 2016.

This year again the Académie Francophone is creating a Team for the 5K run/walk to support the Springs Preserve Foundation and the Cirque du Soleil Foundation. You are a Member and/or a Student of AFLV? Join our Team! On your mark, get set, register! https://www.cirquedusoleil.com/en/about/global-citizenship/promo/runaway.aspx
When you register click on "Join a team" and select Académie Francophone de Las vegas.



Spring Camp - March 21 to 25, 2016





Join us for a fun-filled week dedicated to Spring! Learn French through songs, games and books that explore topics associated with Spring, such as animals, flowers, and nature! There will also be cooking classes and arts and crafts. All in French! Click here

Our French Classes

Adults and Kids French Classes offered all year long for all levels and ages. Click Here

Membership

OUR MEMBERSHIPS

Not a member of the Académie Francophone 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!

Don't forget to LIKE us on <u>Facebook!</u> Find us on Yelp!

Merci et à bientôt!

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