

NEWSLETTER

April / May 2018

English Speaking & Anglo-Swiss Club of Lausanne



ES&ASC

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING (AGM)

Thursday 19th April 2018 - 7 pm

at "Le Vaudois", Place de la Riponne 1, Lausanne



Our 2018 AGM will take place once again at «Le Vaudois», Lausanne. We do hope you will join us for this important date in our club's calendar - every member's presence counts! We shall stay on afterwards for a meal, and the aperitif is, of course, on the club!

You will find detailed information and Agenda on page 3 of this Newsletter.

Wine tasting and Vaudois-style sausage rolls at Domaine de la Brazière, Tartegnin

followed by a visit to the annual tulip festival in Morges

Friday 27th April - 12h

Firstly we propose some leisurely wine tasting accompanied by saucissons vaudois en croûte at Domaine de la Brazière, Tartegnin <http://www.braziere.ch/evenements-2> (don't forget there is 2% off any wine purchased on the day). We'll then continue down to Morges, to admire the annual display of tulips in all their colourful glory.



Lunch in Saillon then visit of counterfeit museum Saturday 5th May



'A museum of counterfeit money in Switzerland?' you might well ask! Yes, and not far from Lausanne. The museum is housed in the picturesque village of Saillon, not far from Martigny. A trip has been arranged to this fascinating place on Saturday May 5 with lunch in a local restaurant. Amongst other objects of interest, the museum highlights Joseph-Samuel Farinet, the famous forger who became known as a kind of 'Robin Hood of the Alps' and 'fake money, called 'Farinets' which still influences transactions in some parts of the Valais to-day.

As Saillon village is difficult to get to by public transport, we will arrange lifts by car to people interested in this excursion which has wonderful views of the Valais.

As an 'optional extra' some might wish to bathe in the thermal baths nearby, following the museum visit.

**Happy
Birthday
to :**

Ilze Condemi
Brenda Rüttimann
in May

Sylvia Keller
in June



Date	Event	Time	Booking
Friday 6 th April	Monthly Get-Together at the Mövenpick Bar - Ouchy	From 6 pm	Just come along - and if you intend to arrive later than 7pm, please get in touch with one of the committee.
Thursday 19 th April	ES&ASC AGM at "Le Vaudois", Lausanne followed by dinner	7 pm	Contact Heinz (079 231 86 70) or Janet (021 791 14 42) by Thursday 12th April
Friday 27 th April	Wine tasting and snacks at at Domaine de la Brazière, Tartegnin followed by a visit to the annual tulip festival in Morges	12h	With Ilze (079 745 35 92) or Janet (021 791 14 42) by Monday 23rd April
Friday 4 th May	Monthly Get-Together at the Mövenpick Bar - Ouchy	From 6 pm	No booking necessary - just come along
Saturday 5 th May	Lunch in Saillon then visit of counterfeit museum	Details to follow	With Cynthia (021 558 83 74) by Tuesday 1st May
Thursday 17 th May	Talk by Cynthia at Fellowship Centre on her 'Patricia' voyage, followed by afternoon tea.	3 pm	With Cynthia (021 558 83 74) by Monday 14th May
Last - minute	Possible cinema evening Lausanne / Vevey	Late afternoon	Last-minute info to be passed on by email or phone

Talk by Cynthia at Fellowship Centre on her 'Patricia' voyage, followed by afternoon tea Thursday - 17th May

Committee member Cynthia Gunn will give an illustrated talk, followed by afternoon tea, about her voyage on the 'SS Patricia,'.

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The '**SS Patricia**' is 'a working vessel which sails the British coast checking lighthouses, marker buoys and other safety equipment to keep the vast number of ships which sail British waters from harm. The 'Patricia,' sometimes used by members of the Royal Family, takes on board a small number of passengers and the talk will include its history, and how the voyage differs from a cruise.

Venue: 1st floor, Fellowship Centre, adjoining the Scots Kirk, 26 Avenue de Rumine, Lausanne.

**Official invitation to our Annual General Meeting (AGM)
Thursday 19th April 2018 – 7 pm at «Le Vaudois»**

Agenda

1. Opening of the meeting – welcome and apologies for absence
 2. Approval of the minutes of last AGM
 3. Report about the life and running of the club
 4. Treasurer's Report
 5. Auditor's Report
 6. The appointment of an auditor for the current financial year of the club
 7. Election of committee members
 8. Proposals from the committee and/or members of the club
 9. Any other business
 10. Remarks
- ✦ **Please let us know whether or not you are coming by Thursday 12th April so that we can reserve accordingly at the restaurant.** Please, contact Heinz (079 231 86 70) or Janet (021 791 14 42). Remember you need to be a paid-up member to vote at the AGM.

Other dates to put in your diary (April)

- ★ **Wednesday 4th April - 12h30 Soup & cheese lunch at Fellowship Centre.**
- ★ **Wednesday 25th April - 11 am - You are warmly invited to attend the ANZAC DAY Ceremony at the Commonwealth War Graves' Cemetery at St. Martin, Vevey, and to the refreshments served on the spot afterwards.** ANZAC DAY in New Zealand and Australia is a very significant day of the year with ceremonies of remembrance and gratitude taking place to commemorate those men and women who fought and died in all wars. The ceremony in Vevey is always very moving with the Australian Ambassador at the UN and the Consul-General of Turkey both participating.



Other dates to put in your diary (April)

- ★ Wednesday 25th April - 12h30 - English speaking lunch in Goumoëns – details with Ilze/Chantal.
- ★ Wednesday 25th April - 7.30 pm - Village Players' Clubnight: an evening of sketches.
- ★ From 28th April - Irises at Château de Vullierens during April/May.
- ★ To 21st May -Fondation de l'Hermitage, Lausanne - Pastels from 16th to 21st century – Liotard, Degas, Klee, Scully...
- ★ To 10th June - Fondation Gianadda, Martigny - Toulouse Lautrec et son époque – oeuvres graphiques.
- ★ To 31st October - Lavaux Express – a variety of vineyard trips departing from Lutry or Cully www.lavauxexpress.ch

Other dates to put in your diary (May)

- ★ Wednesday 2nd May - 12h30 - Soup & cheese lunch at Fellowship Centre.
- ★ Saturday 19th & Sunday 20th May – 10 am to 4 pm - Tartegnin 'caves ouvertes vaudoises, produits du terroir'.
- ★ Thursday 24th, Friday 25th, Saturday 26th May - 7.30 pm & Sunday 27th at 5pm - Village Players' production - 'Memory of Water' by Shelagh Stephenson.
- ★ Wednesday 30th May - 12h30 – English speaking lunch in Goumoëns – details with Ilze or Chantal.

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Committee Members (email address : first name.family name@esc-lausanne.ch)

Committee members' tasks: Secretarial: Janet Boksanyi (021 791 14 42) - Accounts: Heinz Fischer (079 231 86 70) - Events: Ilze Condemi (021 646 86 80), Gabriele Tornay (021 311 44 36), Chantal Pineau (021 648 09 18) and Cynthia Gunn (021 558 83 74) - Website: Georges Klimek (021 728 25 94).