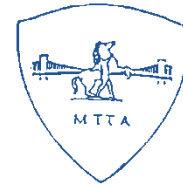




MMTTA
MARLOW/MARLY-LE-ROI TOWN
TWINNING ASSOCIATION
www.marlowtowntwinning.co.uk



Newsletter

Summer 2018

Events coming Up:-

Saturday 15th September Marlow Carnival

We have a stall to promote the town twinning and encourage new members, but we need help on the stand. Can you help for an hour, its great fun and we will be providing wine and cheese! Please contact Caroline Wesson 01628 471669 or Frances Timbrell 01494 261379.

Saturday 13th October 7.30 for 8pm Talk by our MP Dominic Grieve- Marlow and all things French

Please see full details of the poster for this event at the end.

Remembrance Day is November 11th as we know, but as it falls on a Sunday this year, the Mayor of Marly Le Roi will be in Marly, but we will have the pleasure of Patrick Gautier (twinning) and Stephanie Theyre (deputy mayor). I will lay the wreath for the MMTA in Marlow and John Smith will lay the wreath for us in Marly.

Also a reminder that the Christmas dinner is Saturday 1st December.



The main event of this year was our trip to Marly Le Roi

Theme: Wings of the Wind (hence the outfits) with

Jean-Yves Perrot the Mayor of Marly le Roi

and Patrick Gautier

Pictures below from the visit, guess what event/place each one is from?



Having arrived Thursday evening and dinner with hosts, Friday was action packed with a visit to Musee de la Nacre et de la Tableterie, in the morning seeing how dominos and buttons were originally made. This was then followed by a superb lunch at the L'abbaye de Royaumont and then a visit around the abbey and grounds.

Saturday we had free time with our hosts, some visited Malmaison, this was then followed by the Soiree, theme wings of the wind as you can see from the photos.

Sunday morning and lunch with hosts, where most spent time at the Marly Le Roi market, which is amazing followed by lunch and then an afternoon of music by Marly Orchestra and singing by our very own Andrew Stafford. This was followed by drinks and nibbles courtesy of the Marly Le Roi council.

Monday time to say goodbye and on the way back visit Amiens, a lovely town on the canal.

The middle, the Soiree and the end ,leaving!



Great weekend of friendship and fun with fantastic weather.

Dates for next years visit to Marlow

So next year, they are coming to us. Dates 1st to 5th May, so an extra day, Wednesday to Sunday. The theme is the Regatta, so easier for dressing up if you wish to.

Summer Party at Parmoor and MMTTA Web-Site Update,



As you can see the summer social was held at Parmoor, where we again had an excellent tea and saw a film of photos with music and others photos in albums of our visit to Marly Le Roi.

The film of this year's visit to Marly-le-Roi, which was shown at the Summer Social has now been put onto our marlowtownwinning web site within the Picture Gallery page. It is titled 'Videos for 2018' which if you 'click' onto it, you will find the 9 videos which made up our Summer show. The Marlow Town Twinning web site can either be found from the link www.marlowtownwinning.co.uk or by putting [mmtta](#) into the search engine. Our thanks to John and Tricia Smith for compiling the photos and to Kelvin Warne, our web expert for making it happen.

MTTA Petanque Club

So the 2018 season. Very enjoyable and our first complete season at our new Petanque Terroir at Marlow SportsClub in Pound Lane.

Our MTTA team finished half way in the Midweek league with the MTTA CYGNETS just a wee bit further back.

On Sundays we now have a joint team with Bourne End and play at Bourne End Community Centre and are challenging for top position.

We have our Charity Open Petanque Competition on Sunday 9th September at Marlow Sports Club. Please support us and even bring down a prize for the raffle. 10am onwards. There is also the Septemberfest at the Sports Club on Saturday September 8th, we will be there as well.

Roger Smith for MTTAPC contact email rogerc.smith@btinternet.com

Sad news

It was with great sadness to hear of Maryse Fogelgesang passing, we will all miss her enthusiasm and laughter. The week of her funeral I was in Lille for the great pilgrimage commemoration with 2200 legion members from the uk, so after the parade and laying the wreath for Marlow on Wednesday I took the train to Paris early Thursday morning were Patrick Gautier picked me up, as the train from Paris to Marly Le Roi was not running. The funeral was lovely and very emotional, I was very pleased I was able to attend for everyone.

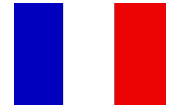
Those closest to Maryse received a poem and picture of all the flowers from the funeral and I was sent a lovely note from Jean_Francois(Maryses husband):-

“It was a sad day but your presence comforted me. Thank you for coming, we will meet again next year during the twinning party”.





Marlow Marly-Le-Roi
Town Twinning Association



Come and Hear

Dominic Grieve MP

*talking about local connections to France,
and current Franco-British relations*



(Talk followed by Question & Answer Session)

Saturday 13th October

7.30pm for 8.00pm

Liston Hall Marlow SL7 1DD

Entry £6.00 (to include a glass of wine & nibbles)

Tickets from: Alison Rae – 01628 482520 / alison@arr22.plus.com

[Suzanne Brown – 01628 475726 / suzannebrown900@btinternet.com](mailto:suzannebrown900@btinternet.com)

Tourist Information Centre, Institute Road Marlow

To end this newsletter an amazing drawing by Lyn Rimmer.

