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Bonjour, Tena Koutou, Greetings to our members!

This is always a great time of year when we celebrate Bastille Day in Cambridge. We would love to see you at any or all the events on the day. And just a quick note about the timing of the next visit to Cambridge by a Le Quesnoy delegation. Indicative timing only at this stage is 2021.

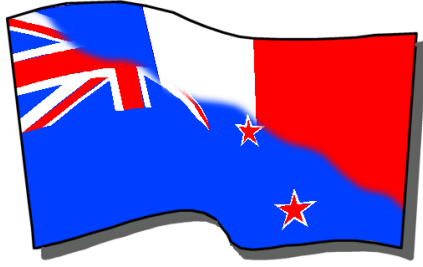
Bastille Day in Cambridge Sunday 14 July



BONJOUR BASTILLE DAY! **Celebrating Cambridge's French connection** **with Le Quesnoy - Sunday 14 July**

“Bonjour Bastille Day” is now a regular on the Cambridge calendar. On Sunday 14 July, we will celebrate a mid-winter light-hearted French day, as the Cambridge-Le Quesnoy sister city committee celebrates Cambridge’s French connection with Le Quesnoy.

Bastille Day falls in the middle of the school holidays and this year there’s a colouring competition for the kids to do in the lead up to the day, with prizes sponsored by Bayleys Cambridge. Entry forms will be available from Monday 1st July from the Cambridge i-SITE Visitor Information Centre or Cambridge Library or downloaded from the www.cambridgelequesnoy.co.nz website. Entries close Thursday 11th July.



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On Bastille Day itself, there will be a Bonjour Bastille Day stall running from 10am-12noon outside the BNZ at the Lions Trash n Treasure market, with free French-themed activities, giveaways, and music from the Cambridge Brass Band. And some of our Cambridge shops and cafes will be joining into the spirit and going "French for the day".

For the adults, back by popular demand, the day will round out with a delicious 3 course French progressive dinner, each course at different restaurants. Come along to some or all the courses, whatever you would like. Bookings are required, so the restaurants are prepared for the night. Please book with Julie Epps from our committee - email djepps@xtra.co.nz or phone 021 253 8283. Here are the delicious menu options...

BONJOUR BASTILLE DAY MENU

Wine and Entrée at Alpha Street Kitchen (5pm-6.15pm): 47 Alpha Street **Selection of French nibbles \$10-\$15pp**

Enjoy a wine and/or entrée. You do not need to pre-order this course – simply decide on the night.

French wine \$8 per glass (ordered before 6pm) – red, white or sparkling.

Selection of French nibbles available, including sharing platters, ranging from \$10-15 per person.

Main Course at Onyx (6.30pm – 8pm) - 70 Alpha Street

Choice of 2 Mains: \$38

Chateaubriand with Béarnaise Sauce

or Duck with Orange & Cherry Jus

Dessert at Absolute Coffee House (8.15pm) - 88 Alpha Street – down the driveway

Choice of 2 Desserts: \$15

Crème Brûlée or Crêpe

Please let us know your menu choices when you book.

Payment is by each individual to each restaurant on the night. The Cambridge-Le Quesnoy committee's role is to take the bookings so we can pre-book with the restaurants.

Until next time, kind regards

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