

Monthly Club Information

October 2017

Thursday, 26 October at 19h00

Talk by Maria Canal on

Christine De Pizan, a famous woman writer of the 14th Century

at La Longeraie, Morges



Christine De Pizan
reading in her room



Maria Canal
teacher in Confignon (GE)

Born in the late 14th century (1364-1430) Christine De Pizan served as a court writer for several dukes as well as for the French royal court during the reign of Charles VI. Supported and encouraged by important royal French and English patrons, she influenced 15th-century English poetry. She is the first woman known to make a living by writing. She wrote love ballads, books supporting and extolling the powers and virtues of women, and a work about Joan of Arc.

Deadline: Tuesday, 24 October

Contact: ilausanneclub@gmail.com or Paquita 021 801 8935 or Claude 021 861 1131

Cost: CHF 28.- (incl. food and drinks)

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Next events: Thursday 16 November at La Longeraie, a lecture on the discovery of Philip II (father of Alexander the Great's) grave in Macedonia

Friday, 17 November at La Longeraie, the Vufflens Jazz Band in concert **(not an ICL event)**

Non-members pay CHF 10.- extra.

No-shows must give at least 24 hour notice to any cancellation.

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