

September 2022

Club Information on Present and Future Events

Château de Prangins - Welcome Back

Sunday, September 25 12:45 at Château de Prangins – Café du Château

September is the month where ICL starts again its activities with the Welcome Back event. We will have a brunch and afterward go on a guided visit of the gardens. The Château de Prangins was modified in 1998 from a residence into a Swiss national museum. Besides the indoor exhibits it has a vast vegetable garden where more than 200 old varieties of fruit and vegetables can be found. We will have a guide to visit this exceptional garden.



Meeting: At the 'Café du Château' Deadline: Tuesday, September 20

Date / Time : Sunday, September 25 12:45 **Contact :** ilausanneclub@gmail.com

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Cost: Entry to Château and the Museum is offered.

The visit in English to the garden is free.

Brunch is 35 plus drinks

Parking: On the Route du Lac, before entering (or leaving if you come from the Geneva side) Prangins, parking of the Château is well marked. Turn in the direction of the lake at the red light. On foot, at the westside of the parking, cross the road and walk up to the Château. Map details on www. icl-club.ch.

Questionnaire

Many of you have answered the questionnaire we had preared un May. Thanks to everone who took the time to fill it in. It does help your committee to evaluate its work and do the planning for future events.

Here some figures: Two-thirds have responded, many say having attended more than half of the 2021-23 events. A large majority prefers activities to be held during the day and almost everyone found event pricing correct. Twelve out of fifteen are willing to travel for an event.

Presentations/lectures like Alaska, Myanmar and North Korea ranked very high among the preferences. Also ranked high were art visits-exhibits combined with lunch, guided visits/walks in towns, outing to Rochers de Naye and a visit to a watch making company ranked high. An event suggestion was visiting the César Ritz Museum in the Oberwallis. Hopefully we can find events that meets expectations and pleases everyone.

Looking ahead

For October we'll organize an 'armchair' trip to Africa. Botswana will be the destination. More in the next Monthly.

Membership Renewal

Almost everyone has quickly paid their 2022/23 membership ... thanks, it makes the task of the treasurer a lot easier. Only two couples and one single member have not yet renewed ... end of September is the expiry date.

We invite members from English speaking clubs in Lausanne to join our events at no extra charge. Please remember our web address www.icl-club.ch. There you can always find information on ICL and our activities.

