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# Ludlow French Twinning

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LUDLOW  
FOOD FESTIVAL

#### Featuring:

French to visit  
Food Festival

Family Quiz

AGM date

Do you know?

New films

## Food festival plan

### Betting on when it will end

In the last Newsletter in April 2020 we were wondering when the first COVID lockdowns would end. We still do not know when the current one will end, but at least we now have vaccines, so prospects look much brighter for Twinning activities. The main consideration for the organising committees on both sides of the channel is what to do about events postponed in 2020, especially the postponed visit of Les Fertois to Ludlow.

The Ludlow Committee have proposed to Les Fertois that they come to Ludlow on the weekend of **10-12 September, 2021**. That's provisional of course because it depends on Covid developments.

This weekend was chosen because it's the weekend of Ludlow Food Festival and there will be lots to see and do throughout the weekend.

### A good question ?

The *Wine My Bluff* event, scheduled as an attraction at the March 2020 AGM will be rescheduled as soon as we know when members can get together and share a glass of wine. In the meanwhile why not have a glass of something in hand as you enjoy our ZOOM Quiz. It will be a general knowledge for **all the family** and will take place on **Friday 26 February at 7.30pm**, for an hour or so.



### AGM

Our postponed 2020 AGM will be held on ZOOM on:  
**Thursday 18 March at 7.30pm**



### Do you know... who else is twinned with La Ferté Macé?

- Saint Maurice,  
Quebec
- Neustadt am  
Rübenberge,  
Germany
- Savoigne-  
Biffèche,  
Senegal

The committee unanimously agreed that membership fees will be waived for 2021 because of the long period of twinning inactivity during 2020.

Members who wish to make a donation of their fees are more than welcome to do so. Family membership remains £12.00 per year.

Printable membership renewal and application forms can be found on our website.

### Some thoughts from France on Covid : Le luxe

Nous croyions que le luxe était ce qui est rare, cher et exclusif, tout ce qui nous semblait inaccessible.

Aujourd'hui, nous nous rendons compte que le luxe, c'était ces petites choses que nous ne valorisons pas !

- le luxe, c'est d'être en bonne santé, loin des hôpitaux
- le luxe, c'est de pouvoir se promener dans la rue et à n'importe quelle heure
- le luxe, c'est de respirer sans masque
- le luxe, c'est de se réunir avec la famille et les amis
- le luxe, c'est voir les regards et les sourires
- le luxe, c'est les câlins et les bisous

Tout cela c'était le luxe et nous ne le savions pas !

(Provided by Phil Horsfall)

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### Films

Although the virus has curtailed our monthly film shows at the Blue Boar we are still acquiring the very best of French films for showing when normal services resume. Although we have shown almost twenty films since our shows started in 2018 our list still has over 40 more films on it for us to see.

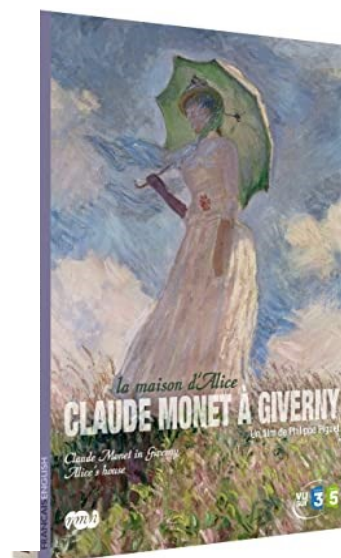
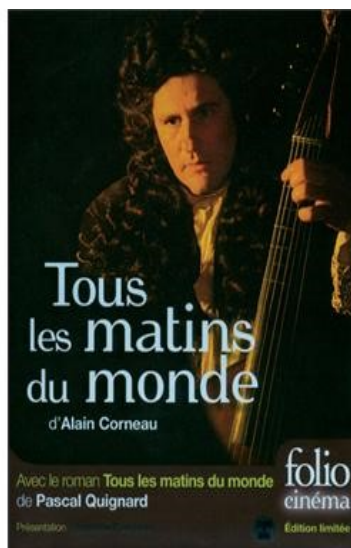
Some of the forthcoming titles can be seen in the panel below.



### Some still to see

- Conte du Printemps
- Un cœur en hiver
- Tous les matins du monde
- Indo Chine
- Le chignon d'Olga
- Le mouton à cinq pattes

**All films shown have  
English  
sub-titles**



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## Photographs

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You may also wish to post information on our  
FACEBOOK

Pages

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## Cathy and Stéphane Andrieu have their eyes on a September visit to Ludlow

Pas de béton à outrance, pas de publicités intempestives au bord des routes. Beaucoup de petits commerces à faire pâlir d'envie notre Union Commerciale. Des activités régulières comme des rassemblements de voitures anciennes, vieux tracteurs, vieux scooters. Mais aussi des événements gastronomiques (eh oui!) auxquels des producteurs d'ici ont déjà participé. le Ludlow Food and Drink Festival et le Slow Food Festival (la dégustation, à l'opposé du Fast Food), plus chaque mois un marché de producteurs, des antiquités et marché aux puces, aux fleurs, des concerts...

(With thanks to the Andrieu and Oram families)