



La Trompette

Alliance Française de Grosse Pointe

September 2016



Bonjour chers amis,

I hope you had a relaxing and safe summer! As summer comes to a close, activities begin to pick up again and take us into the fall season. Our Champagne Opener is scheduled for Thursday, September 15, from 6:00-8:00 p.m. at the Grosse Pointe Farms' Pier Park. As a member in good standing, admission to this fête is free but you must have your dues paid for the 2016-2017 season. More information is located on our website at afgrossepointe.org under the Events tab as well as a membership form by clicking on the "Become a Member" link.

French classes begin on Monday, September 12, at the Assumption Cultural Center in St. Clair Shores. We have three new instructors this fall and we are looking forward to the fun classes they will teach. There's still time to register! For more information about our classes, go to our website and click on the Classes tab.

At our Bastille Day celebration in July, an exhibit of original artwork was provided by USArt Boutique that allowed guests an opportunity to cast a vote for their favorite. The winning piece was brilliant with color and was entitled "Grosse Pointe Park." I recently met the artist, Sanda Cook, and presented her with a First Place award - she was absolutely thrilled! Sanda, an award-winning artist, is a very warm and gracious woman from Romania who is also co-owner of the Atomic Café Gallery on Jos. Campau in Hamtramck where she creates her art. She has exhibited in the Detroit Metro area and her works are sold internationally. For more information about her, go to studiosanda.com Also, for more about USArt Boutique, go to usartboutique.com

Marc Robert and I are working to provide you with a great program for the 2016-2017 season. We hope to have all the details at the Opener. We believe there is something for everyone! Won't you join us?

À bientôt,

Pat Stewart



Pictured above with painting is Sanda Cook.

Pictured below, from left: Sanda Cook, Emily Pitchford-Boeuf of USArt Boutique, and Patricia Stewart

Upcoming Events

Champagne Opener

See afgrossepointe.org for Event Flyer

September 15, 2016 | 6:00-8:00 p.m.

Grosse Pointe Farms Pier Park – Great Room