

Avril 2007



**April 9: 7:30 PM, Lecture in English by Marc Belissa**

The Alliance Française de Fresno, allied with the Délégation Générale in Washington, DC, the College of Arts and Humanities, and the Department of Modern and Classical Languages and Literatures, are pleased to announce a lecture in English:

**The Marquis de Lafayette: Soldier and Propagandist of The American Revolution**  
Smittcamp Alumni House, CSUF, Shaw and Maple Avenues

Park to the south of the building in lot C to avoid ticketing. There is no charge for the lecture and the public is invited to attend. A reception will follow the lecture.

Marc Belissa is master lecturer in modern history at the University of Paris X (Nanterre). His area of research is the political history of international relations during the modern period, especially during the Age of Enlightenment. He is particularly interested in French-American relations from the American Revolutionary War to the fall of Napoleon. He has published articles and has co-authored numerous works of interest, including: *La Diplomatie américaine et les principes du droit des gens* (1776-1787), in the journal *Revue d'Histoire Diplomatique*, 1997, no. 1; *L'armée permanente et la politique de la puissance dans le débat constitutionnel américain de 1787*, in *Aux armes citoyens!* and *Conscription et armée de métier des Grecs à nos jours*, Paris, Armand Colin, 1998. His most recent books have dealt with political ideas in the arena of international relations: *Cosmopolitisme, Patriotisme, Europe, Amériques, 1776-1802*, with Bernard Cottret, (Rennes, Les Perseides, 2005). *Repenser l'ordre Européen, 1795-1802*, Paris, Editions Klimé, 2006.



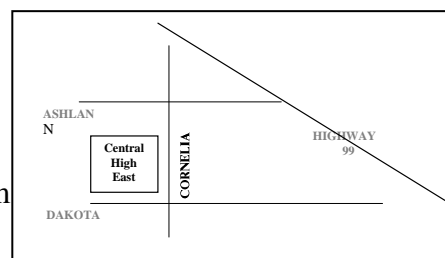
Au Secours! Au Secours!

Volunteers needed to judge contests!

**World Language Fair, Saturday, April 21, 9AM-3PM**  
**Central High East Campus, 3535 N. Cornelia, Fresno**

If interested, arrive early & go to Fair Headquarters, Room

1301 for instructions. Information: Scott Donaghe, (559) 248-6411



**April 26, 6:30 PM Film: Astérix et Obélix: Mission Cléopâtre**

Starring Gérard Depardieu, Christian Clavier, Monica Bellucci, et Jamel Debbouze

Central East High School, Performing Arts Center: Located on 3535 N. Cornelia

Directions: Heading West on Ashlan, make a left on Cornelia (See map above).



This film, not currently available in the United States, closely follows the Astérix et Obélix: Mission Cléopâtre comic book. This film is also entirely in French with no English

subtitles. Therefore it is a fantastique opportunité to practice your Frenchy skills! Due to the very cinematic nature of the story, it is easy and fun to follow. It has an all star cast from France and is a perfect film for both adults and students alike! Bring the whole family!

Refreshments May Be Purchased From the Central High East French Club!



**Scholarship Winners:** The Alliance Française de Fresno is pleased to announce the following high school students who are winners of our scholarships:

Edgar Vargas, Susan DeLateur (teacher), Highland High School  
 Kelsey Oliver, Patricia Duvet (teacher), Sierra High School  
 Stephanie Macedo, Lily Gordon (teacher), Golden Valley High School  
 Nicole Rouse, Lily Gordon, (teacher), Golden Valley High School  
 Hector Torres, Marya Innis, (teacher), Porterville High School

We congratulate the students and their teachers for their excellence and hard work.

### CAFÉS DE L'ALLIANCE

**Jeudi, 12 avril, 10 mai** de 16:30h à 18h à la Boulangerie. Votre rendez-vous mensuel avec vos amis francophones. (Occurs 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday of each month).



**Pétanque anyone?** Call Tim Channell, 264-0695 or email [timchannell@sbcglobal.net](mailto:timchannell@sbcglobal.net).

**Notice to Members:** Thanks to all of you who have renewed your Alliance membership. Current members are listed below. If your name is missing call Colleen Mitchell (221-1531) or send her a check 3785 E. Holland Ave., Fresno CA 93726 (\$30 individual, \$40 family). At the end of the month, names of those who have not paid dues for two years will be deleted. We will keep life members, institutions and schools on the list.



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| Aholu, Calixte               | DeLateur, Susan           | Jizmejian, Roxie            | Pflug, Dorothy             |
| Akel George, Dina, Nadia     | Dellavalle, Lois & Gene   | Johnsen, Karen              | Pickering, Jean            |
| Alchian, Rosalee             | Diyal, Kaveeta            | Kermoyan, Vickie & Art      | Polzin, Brad               |
| Aldrich, Suzanne             | Dorbe, Jean-Michel        | Kerr, Lynne S.              | Rai, Shubnum               |
| Alving,Loren,Dzung Trinh     | Dorian,Peter,Raffi Anahid | King, Michael & Anita       | Robertson, Janine          |
| Andreotti, Silva             | Dunlap, Helga & John      | Kinzel, Francoise & Paul    | Rogerson, Jan              |
| Archibald, Elisa             | Duvet, Patricia           | Kominato, Yuki              | Roselle, Larry,Alex& Elise |
| Arnold, Craig Hamilton       | Erganian, Richard & Ellen | Kuhn, RoseMarie             | Ross, David,Elsa,          |
| Babcock, Bruce               | Farley, Sharon & Michael  | Langford, Larry             | Anne-Marie                 |
| Baker, Nancy & John          | Fifer, Mary L             | Larka, Karin & Robert       | Russell, Margery           |
| Barman, Martin & Barbara     | Flettner, Sandra          | LaRue, Annette              | Sawyer, Gae                |
| Bell,Judy Lund-Bell & Jim    | Fowler, Jordan R.         | Lelandais, Edmond           | Scambray, Linda            |
| Bond,Tim, Channell,Terry     | Freitas, John & Annette   | Lepken, Laura               | Shanahan, Anita            |
| Boro, Robert                 | Fremming, Bruce & Debbie  | Linder,Jean,Jerry Rempel    | Sheriffs, Alex, Joan       |
| Braham, Mike                 | Frieser, Renate           | List, Diana & Eric          | Rubinstein                 |
| Campos, Juliet & Antonio     | Ganulin, Judy             | Ly, Eliane                  | Siebert, Teresa Wagstaff   |
| Caraveo, Rebecca             | Gearhart, David           | MacDonald, Mary Anne        | Siegel, Paula              |
| Cardella, James M            | George, Hrant             | Mallek, Robert& Kimberly    | Sobenés, Juan              |
| Carpenter,Angelica & Richard | Glenn, Madeline           | Markarian, Jasmine          | Sorensen,Andrew & Patricia |
| Cassel, Florence             | Gordon, Lily              | Marsella, Barbara           | Sosa, Susana L.            |
| Cavanaugh, Jeri              | Graciano, Ana             | McAndrew, Susan             | Spongberg, Laura,          |
| Chamlian, Anoush             | Gregory, Carmen Farr      | McNeil, Oran                | Stokle, Gerry & Ellie      |
| Chepourkova, Tatiana         | Hagopian, Edward V.       | Meltickian, Virginia        | Sweidy, Josephine          |
| Christensen, Jack            | Halsted, Melanie          | Miles, Polly                | Taylor, Eve Stockton       |
| Cleave, John & Michelle      | Hamm, Christopher         | Mitchell, Colleen           | Thompson, Elizabeth        |
| Cline, Melanie               | Hansen, Nicole Mott       | Montgomery, Marion          | Tomsick, John& Elizabeth   |
| Cohen, Odette & Maurice      | Harris, David             | Mullooly, James& Violette   | Van Well, Anastasia        |
| Colby, Camilla               | Her, Gao,                 | Newel, Michael &Jeremy      | Vincon, Roger              |
| Cole, Kristi                 | Hernandez, Manuel&Amy     | Nicol, Sheila, Larry, Kevin | Wallace, Trinette          |
| Cottet, Laverne              | Hicks, Christy            | Nugent, Paul Jim            | Wieda, Jillian             |
| Creager, April               | Hudson, Donna & Sam       | Ohanian, Eileen             | Winant, Terry              |
| Curnyn, Jim & Micheline      | Hughes , Geraldine        | Panas, Thalia               | Zalewski, Prudence         |
| Delaney, Logan               | Innes, Marya              | Peterson, Bette             | Zizzo, Robert & Sara       |
|                              | Jackson, Sydney           | Petes,William&Dorothy       |                            |