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## LUNCHEONS 2015

**JOIN US FOR LUNCH THROUGH OUT THE SUMMER**

**at 11:00 am**

**Wednesday, July 29, 2015**

**Wednesday, August 26, 2015**

**MARCO'S RESTAURANT : 514 505 3850**  
82 Ste Anne Street, Ste Anne de Bellevue

### BREAKFAST

**IS ON THE SECOND FRIDAY OF THE MONTH!**

**It will continue throughout the summer, although the kitchen may be under construction at some point**

**The Manoir is on the corner of Hymus and Boul. St.-Jean in Pointe-Claire.**

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**DON'T FORGET THE 50/50 RAFFLE AT LUNCH. HALF GOES TO YOU IF YOU WIN, AND THE SECOND WINNER GIVES HALF TO THE CHARITY OF THEIR CHOICE!**

## President's Address/ Message du président

Spring has finally arrived and my gardens are calling me!! Enfin c'est le printemps!, Quel hiver on a eu!!

At Larse, the spring and summer activities are well underway. Cycling and golfing groups are happily resuming and other groups are moving their meetings into the outdoors to best enjoy the sun and warmth. Now would be the time to join a new activity if you have not already done so. See the contact information later in the newsletter. New members are always welcome!!

De plus, on essaie différentes activités avec les idées de nos nouveaux membres. Patrick Clarke and Russ Kelly are exploring possible outings for us to try out during the summer and into the fall. So keep tuned! Patrick recently provided us with the benefit of his wine expertise as he hosted us at the Casa Grecque for a wine tasting event followed by supper. Tout le monde qui a participé était enthousiaste et on espère faire d'autres soirées pendant les mois à venir.

Another new venture for LARSE is a plan to meet in late June, July and August at Marco's Restaurant in Sainte Anne de Bellevue for a brunch-style lunch. Traditionally, the luncheons held the last Friday of every month stopped during June, July and August. However, members have indicated that they would be interested in trying to meet over the summer. There will NOT be a contact made by the usual phone captain who contacts you prior to each regular lunch but an email will be sent out reminding you about these new brunches. On espère que cette nouvelle expérience sera bien appréciée.

Once again, it is my privilege and honour to serve on your Executive with so many dedicated and involved people. Our association is the envy of many and I have had the opportunity to explain what we do to other groups of retirees and to see how impressed they are. We even have had new members coming to join us after they checked out our web site and saw all that we do.

If any of you have ideas for outings or activities that you would like to suggest, please do not hesitate to contact me. As you see in the newsletter, there are many diverse things happening and they all started with someone's idea. J'espère que vous allez tous passer un été plein de joie et d'amusement et je serais heureuse de vous rencontrer en chemin ou sur un terrain de golf ou au brunch !!

So much to do and so many choices! I think we are privileged to have our health and the energy to enjoy life!! Happy summer to you all.



# Bulletin Board



## RAFFLE WINNERS

**MARCH:** The winners for the half and half draw for March were Mary Anne Bindner and Raffaele D'Abramo. An amount of \$67.50 was donated to the Foundation for the Education of the Children in Uganda in Raffaele's name. Congratulations to both.

**The L'Arse breakfast group made a donation to West Island Community Shares after the first three months of the year of \$96.00. This amount was matched by the Tenequip Foundation. Thank you to all who contributed.**

**Mike**

## The Lindsay Place Alumni Foundation & The Otis Grant & Friends Foundation have joined forces to hold an annual golf tournament

**WHEN:** Monday, June 29, 2015

**WHERE:** Windmill Heights Golf Club located at 1717 Don Quichotte Blvd. on Notre Dame de L'Ile Perrot.

**COST:** \$175.00 for individual golfers

- people are encouraged to form a foursome at a cost of \$700.00

IT will be a fun-filled Vegas-style tournament; with shotgun start at one o'clock; a chance to win 2 tickets with Air Canada for a trip anywhere in N. America including Hawaii and some Island destinations.

**DINNER:** Will be a choice of 1) braised short rib, 2) salmon or 3) stuffed Portobello mushroom.

If you have any questions concerning the tournament, please contact us through our website [lpafgolf@gmail.com](mailto:lpafgolf@gmail.com) and we shall respond as quickly as possible.

**The deadline for registering for the tournament is Monday, June 22nd**

# INTEREST GROUPS

Interest Groups Editor: Pam Greevy [pgreevy@hotmail.com](mailto:pgreevy@hotmail.com)



## Book Club I

The Original Book Club

In April, we read '**The Unlikely Pilgrimage of Harold Fry**', by Rachel Joyce, a long-list finalist for the Man Booker Prize in 2012. After the main character receives a letter from a dying woman he hasn't seen in twenty years, he finds himself walking the length of England in order to save her.

We'd selected Anthony Doerr's '**All the Light We Cannot See**' for May even before it won the Pulitzer Prize for 2015. What can we say? Guess we just have good taste! The story traces the effects of the Second World War on the lives of a young French girl and a young German boy until the fateful day their paths cross.

In June, we are closing this our 16th year with a pot luck luncheon at Marilyn Pound's home in Hudson. Our September read is Jane Urquhart's *The Night Shades*, an epic set in a remote area of County Kerry in the 1940's and 1950's.

Whatever your passion, enjoy the summer! Susan Somerville  
[susansomerville8@sympatico.ca](mailto:susansomerville8@sympatico.ca))

## Cross-Country Skiing

The season began in early January with a couple of outings, but sadly we had very meager skier involvement. The weather turned bitterly cold in February and no outings took place. March was somewhat better, but no excursions took place. Unfortunately, I will not be running the club next year, as I maybe away for great chunks of the winter. If anyone is interested in taking over, let me know and I will send you my contact list. Thanks for the memories, Cheers, Colin

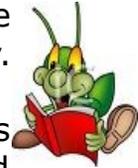


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## Book Club II

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We too, read and enjoyed 'All the Light We Cannot See' by Anthony Doerr in April, and found it to be an amazing story where a young blind French girl's path crosses that of a young German boy. It takes place in France just before and during WWII. It is a deeply moving novel that weaves the stories of the two characters together beautifully.



We went on to 'Vanessa and Her Sister' by Priya Parmar. This is the story of Virginia Woolf's sister and shows how this group altered the classical Victorian way of life. They began drop-in evenings, which were quite unheard of at the time and encouraged women and men to freely mix and have a meeting of the minds. 'The Bloomsbury Group', as they were called, produced many well known writers and artists. Some members found this read hard to get into but most enjoyed it in the end and it generated a lively discussion.

Our July book takes us to our end of the year luncheon at Jan Langelier's. We will be reading 'Hotel du Lac' by Anita Brookner. The Booker Prize novel established an international reputation for Anita Brookner. It tells the story of Edith Hope, who writes romance novels. When her life begins to resemble the plots of her own novels, she flees to Switzerland where she hopes the quiet luxury of the Hotel du Lac will restore her equilibrium.

HAPPY SUMMER TO YOU ALL,  
Tricia Roet troet@ymail.com

## CRAFTING CORNER

ATTENTION ALL ARTISTS!!! WHERE ARE YOU? Michèle Fitzgerald has faithfully shown the things she has been involved in, which has been much appreciated. She is very involved in quilting at the moment and has some new images of her latest work posted on our site. She is a very talented lady. Please contact her with any images you have of what ever art form you are into. We look forward to seeing more of the talent we know is out there.

Michèle B. Fitzgerald  
fitzgeraldmb@sympatico.ca



## Casual Bridge Group

The L'ARSE Casual Bridge Affinity Group plays the second and fourth Wednesdays of each month at 1:30 p.m. usually at the home of Lorraine Pawlusiak, our generous and welcoming hostess. We have many members but, with travel and other commitments, we usually have between eight and sixteen players on any given Wednesday. There is always room for new members!

Our skill levels have a wide range. We use a format which changes partners and tables every four hands. If we have an odd number of players, we rotate in and out of play. Beginners will sometimes opt to watch the first few times instead of playing. They will often pair up with an experienced player who will explain and teach. We often discuss bidding and such as we go along.

Our membership is constantly changing. For some, our games have been a starting point for pursuing more serious bridge experiences such as duplicate bridge clubs. Some of our most experienced and accomplished players have kept with us, perhaps because they still learn with us...perhaps because they are still teachers at heart!

Our focus is to enjoy and to learn. We have a great bunch of people and we have a lot of fun! We'd love to have you join us! If you are interested, please contact Pam Greevy at [pgreevy@hotmail.com](mailto:pgreevy@hotmail.com).

## Canasta



We continue to play on Wednesdays, alternating with the Bridge Group. We now have a roster of 26 players and usually average 14-16 on any given afternoon. We now run 4 tables which makes it quite busy at times.

We will probably take a break during the summer as we did last year; however, we have not yet discussed it. Now that the good weather has finally arrived, we can actually believe there will be a summer to enjoy.

New players will be welcome in the fall insofar as space permits.

Please contact me at:

[rmnarsted@yahoo.com](mailto:rmnarsted@yahoo.com) if you would like to join us or get further information.

Robin Narsted

### A SHORT STORY

A college class was informed they had to create a short story containing as few words as possible.

The Instructions were that this short story had to include each of the following three subjects:

1. Religion
2. Sexuality
3. Mystery

Below is the only A+ short story in the class.

"Good God. I'm pregnant. I wonder who did it."

## Golden App Rappers

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We are just successfully completing another year of Golden iPads, an activity which pairs a LARSE member and iPad user with a grade five iTutor at Dorset Elementary School. This year we have seen several new faces in the group and every month we have had 8 - 10 "Goldies" go back to iSchool. We have learned many topics which have included how to author iBooks, how to arrange slideshows, and how to make iMovies. Again, this has been a win - win situation as the iTutors get to hone their iPad skills, and we get to learn many aspects of our devices which are not quite as intuitive as their designers thought them to be. Hopefully, we'll be able to continue this partnership in the fall.

## TREKKER'S WORLD

The meeting of the Travel Talk Group on May 12th was well attended and most interesting. A group of ten members came for lunch before the meeting . We met in the upstairs of the Sequoia Restaurant which is a comfortable and pleasant venue. Benny Beattie, the co-ordinator of Road Scholar ( Travel for people who love to learn) for the last 17 years, walked us through the beautiful regions of Charlevoix and Tadoussac. He explained in details a one-week stay in the Tadoussac region.... a stop at the Montmorency Falls, whale watching in Tadoussac, guided walks, a visit to the marine discovery centre etc. Everything is organized for you...hotels reservations, meals,and activities. These trips are also organized for grandparents and their grandchildren.

For more information on these trips, please contact Benny Beattie at: [benny.beattie@sympatico.ca](mailto:benny.beattie@sympatico.ca)

Patrick Clarke and Russ Kelly presented their ideas on field trips and activities for retired teachers and their friends. They are planning several one-day activities in downtown Montreal, in the Eastern Townships and the Laurentians. For example, a one-day outing in the Eastern Townships touring by bus "La Route des Vins ", visiting the vineyards, sampling and discovering local wines. Another activity could be a one-day visit to Ottawa for the tulip festival and lunch at the Lac Leamy Casino in Gatineau. A walking tour of Old Montreal is also in their plans. If you have any ideas or suggestions of activities you would like to see organized, please send them to Russ and Patrick ([rusk.547@gmail.com](mailto:rusk.547@gmail.com) ) and they will be happy to do the research for you and offer the activity to our members. We are looking forward to our next meeting in the fall and hope you will join us. More details will be given in the September Larse Newsletter.

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## COMPUTER USERS GROUP

There is no report at the moment for the computer group. News will follow in the September issue!

# Golf



The arrival of the nice weather means another L'ARSE Golf Group virtual season has come to an end. We started on the first Monday in January and continued every two weeks until April. We had a good turnout every time out and played courses from around the world in beautiful weather.

Our outdoor season began on May 4 at Golf Dorval and our last planned outing will be on October 26. This season, we plan to play every Monday. On the second and fourth Monday of each month we will aim to choose courses where participants can opt to play either nine holes or eighteen.

Participation is not ability-dependent. Our goal is to allow an opportunity for LARSE members to come together on a regular basis to spend time with former colleagues and new friends enjoying the sport, the collegiality and the weather. We aim to provide opportunity rather than create commitment. We maintain a list of interested members. Typically, during the outdoor season, we book a course mid-week for the following Monday (usually four starting times) and then put out the information and a request for response. If we have more than 16 initial positive replies, we will attempt to add starting times. If this is not possible, we take the first sixteen to have replied. Communication is by e-mail.

We arrange for games at various courses within commuting distance of the West Island. Last year, our courses included Caughnawaga, Harwood, Dorval, Meadowbrook, La Cité, Glengary, International 2000 and Rivière Beaudette. Sometimes we were as few as eight players and our largest group was 34 for our "School is Open Open" golf and bar-b-q held on the first day of each new school year.

If you are not a current participant and would like to be, please contact Bryden Murray at [bryden.murray@sympatico.ca](mailto:bryden.murray@sympatico.ca) or Russ Kelly at [russk547@gmail.com](mailto:russk547@gmail.com) (for the outdoor season) and/or Mike Kirk at [mcqkirk@bell.net](mailto:mcqkirk@bell.net) (for the virtual season) to be placed on our contact list.

Hoping to see you on one of our outings,  
Mike, Russ and Bryden

## THEATRE



Although the group has reduced in size, those of us who did participate were well entertained by local talent.

We have helped celebrate milestone anniversaries of various groups such as The Lakeshore Players' 50th and the Lakeshore Light Opera's 60th. We were highly entertained by "Not Now Darling" and "The Mousetrap" produced by Lakeshore Players as well as "Pirates of Penzance" by Lakeshore Light Opera.

In addition, we returned for a second year to the very amusing and entertaining Murder Mystery evening put on at the Dorval- Strathmore United Church. This year's play, written, produced and acted by Steve Gillam was based on the hijinks at a summer camp. Dinner and many laughs were enjoyed by us all.

The summer program out at the Hudson Village theatre should provide us with a few possibilities and the summer is a good time to venture out to Hudson. I am seriously considering whether or not to continue to organize these outings as fewer and fewer are participating. I would appreciate hearing from you as to whether you think this is still a viable undertaking. I will let you know in the Fall if I intend to keep trying. If any of you who are not presently on my email list for theatre outings would like to join, please let me know at my email address.

Jan Langelier (langelier.jan@videotron.ca)

## OUTINGS

At the April Executive Meeting Patrick Clarke presented some new ideas for events or outings that he and Russ Kelly had worked on. As well they presented at the Travel Group, as seen above. A first new activity organized by Patrick was the Wine Tasting event which took place on Monday May 4<sup>th</sup>, at Casa Grecques on St Jean's Blvd. The 25 people who attended enjoyed it thoroughly and would like to do it again. Along with the wine, dinner was served.

Another event that was suggested was a 'Walking Tour of the Lachine Canal' (from Atwater to Des Seigneurs) with an audio guide, followed by a picnic lunch. The duration is approximately one hour walking on flat paved terrain about 3 km, which would be followed by a visit to the Atwater market. Everybody would find their way to the Atwater market where the walk would begin. The executive thought this would be an ideal outing for this summer. No date has been set, but you will be informed by email when it is.



We have welcomed a number of new members to our cycling group, known as the CycloPaths. We got underway in April and we usually end our weekly Tuesday trips in November with a celebratory luncheon. While we dodged April showers for the most part, we did have one outright cancellation. We usually begin the Cycling Season with modest distances that most seniors can manage comfortably, building up from 20-25 kilometres sometimes to 50 or so in the summer. We advise participants to continue cycling throughout the week to maintain a level of fitness.

Most members have purchased fluorescent mesh vests (optional) to better identify the group in case we get spread out. Those wishing to order vests (even non-members) can notify me & we'll order some more when we need another dozen or so.

The usual routine involves a notice going out by e-mail (normally on Sunday) for the following Tuesday, weather permitting. On Tuesdays when rain threatens, you may need to recheck email, in case plans have been changed. Those interested in participating are usually requested to respond by 10 p.m. Monday evening, indicating a telephone # they can be reached at. Most people pack a light lunch or snack to be eaten at the turn-around spot we pick, remembering to bring adequate fluids to drink. Helmets and a spare inner tube are recommended.

Participants are asked to provide address & phone info. and where they retired from to help us introduce them to the others. We sometimes try to have varied distances so that those who don't want to do as much (or more) can start (or end) at a different location. Our average pace is probably around 15 km/hr. We sometimes load bikes on bike racks and depart from more distant settings. We wanted to try the tulip festival in Ottawa, however, weather was too uncertain.

Should you have an interest in exploring the possibility of joining us, call me (514-697-8802) or my "little assistant" Grandpa Bryden Murray or send an email.

Respectfully submitted,  
Wayne Clifford      wmclifford@gmail.com

#### WELCOME TO THE RANKS OF GRANDPARENTS

Janice Tessier & Bryden Murray have welcomed their first grandson, Oliver to their family. Congratulations to Parents as well as Grandparents, for whom a whole new chapter in their lives has opened!

**Editor Bryden Murray**

## **THE ELUSIVE HOLE-IN-ONE**

### **Chuck Merilees Holes-in-one**

After a career as Teacher at John Rennie and Spring Garden, Vice-Principal at Lindsay Place, Principal at St. Paul's and St. Thomas and Sector Director, Chuck Merilees retired in 2010. He served as Vice-President and Secretary of L'ARSE and joined the Cyclopaths and L'ARSE Golf group. Chuck started golfing at age twelve with his father. In fifty years of playing, he had never scored a hole-in-one. On July 13, 2013 Chuck shot his first hole-in-one on the 16th hole of Club Lac St. Joseph near Québec. On Sept. 16 & 23 of 2014 he shot his second and third aces each on the 14th hole of Northview and Northlands Golf and Country Clubs of Surrey, B.C. and North Vancouver respectively. On Oct. 25 he had his fourth on the sixth hole of the Dorval Municipal Course. Chuck said, " To show you how much luck is involved, on the latest one I bounced it off the rocks in the water hazard and I watched it bounce high onto the green and roll into the hole. What a game!"

ED. Comment: See what joining the L'ARSE Golf Group could do for you?

## **HENRIETTE CANN & MARIAH**

Associate Member Henriette Cann has been riding with the Cyclopaths since 2009. Her neighbour and friend, Lorne Flavell was having his bicycle repaired by Steve Brown, alias "The Bike Doctor". He introduced Henriette to the Cyclopaths and suggested she join. Henriette and her new bike, "Mariah" (as in "They call the wind Mariah") did. She has been a key member ever since. As upbeat and positive a person as you'll ever meet, Henriette chronicles the outings with her ever-present camera, submits the shots to the L'ARSE web site and puts together a montage for the annual year-end luncheon. "I am just so grateful to the group for all the new and wonderful routes and to all the people who offer me rides to far-off starting points. Wayne Clifford has always made sure that I'm taken care of and has done so much to make cycling a great experience for all of us!" Henriette cycles about 2500-3000 km per season averaging about 100 km a week (including all her errands). "My bike is also my transportation and my freedom as I don't drive the car."

## WHAT DO THESE NEW MEMBERS HAVE IN COMMON? 12. THE WELSH CONNECTION

When L'ARSE created Spouse and Associate memberships at the 2014 AGM, it brought in a flock of new members with an odd connection...Welsh. Phil Henry, a retired social worker and the husband of Brenda Henry, had been a stalwart member of the Cyclopaths for years. So, too, had Finnish Community icons Ismo Makkonen and his wife Eeva Liisa. Meteorologist Rick Jones, husband of Janina Jones had cycled and played Bridge with L'ARSE. Former Pratt and Whitney Purchaser Eugene Fudge had played golf and cycled with LARSE. Retired IBM executive Peter Bisset had played with the LARSE Golf Group as had engineer Alan Cleven, husband of Mary Cleven. The connection is that they are all members of Cŵr Meibion Cymraeg Montreal, the Montreal Welsh Male Choir (except, of course, Eeva Liisa. ). What's odd is that none of them is Welsh! L'ARSE Past President Bryden Murray is also a Choir member having been recruited by Pointe-Claire Old Timer hockey buddy, Alan. An eighth choir member, Vanier College Teacher and Choir President Brian Llewellyn-ap-Daffydd, has also golfed with LARSE but doesn't fit the mold in two ways. He is still encumbered by employment and...he is Welsh!

The Welsh Choir will have concerts at 7:00 p.m. on May 31 at St. Andrews Presbyterian Church in South Lancaster, Ontario and with The St. Barnabas Handbell Choir on June 12 at 7:30 p.m. at St. Barnabas Church in Pierrefonds. On Tuesday, September 15, they will host and perform with the Trelawny Choir from Cornwall, England at St. James United Church.

### MAGDALENA POLSPOEL WHYTE

Magdalena passed away peacefully at age 86 in March. She is remembered here by Daniel Abergel

We were very sorry to learn of Magda Whyte's passing last March. Magda worked as a substitute teacher in several elementary schools and then taught grade 3 at Ecole Primaire Beaconsfield from 1983 to 1992-3, where I had the pleasure of working with her.

Magda was a talented teacher with a gift for teaching young children. Parents were always delighted when they found out that their child was in Magda's class. She will be missed by all those who had the pleasure of working with her.

Diane Leroux remembers:

Magda was originally from Belgium and married one of the Canadian soldiers that liberated or helped rebuild her country. During the war, she played a small part with the underground while her family home was occupied by German soldiers. She was forever grateful for what Canada did for her country. I found this out as we shared thoughts on Nov 11th Remembrance Day.

Magda was a very nice person but very private. She leaves behind her husband Robert, her children, and grandchildren.

## THE ERRANT EMAIL

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A Calgary couple decided to go to Florida to thaw out during a particularly icy winter. They planned to stay at the same hotel where they spent their honeymoon 20 years earlier. Because of hectic schedules, it was difficult to co-ordinate their travel plans. So, the husband left Calgary and flew to Florida on Thursday, with his wife flying down the following day.

The husband checked into the hotel. There was a computer in his room, so he decided to send an email to his wife. However, he accidentally left out one letter in her email address, and without realizing his error, sent the e-mail. Meanwhile, somewhere in Houston, a widow had just returned home from her husband's funeral. He was a minister who was called home to glory following a heart attack.

The widow decided to check her e-mail expecting messages from relatives and friends. After reading the first message, she screamed and fainted. The widow's son rushed into the room, found his mother on the floor, and saw the computer screen which read:

To: My Loving Wife  
Subject: I've Arrived  
Date: November 27, 2014

I know you're surprised to hear from me. They have computers here now and you are allowed to send emails to your loved ones. I've just arrived and have been checked in. I've seen that everything has been prepared for your arrival tomorrow. Looking forward to seeing you then! Hope your journey is as uneventful as mine was.

## THE PORCH

A blonde teenager, wanting to earn some extra money for the summer, decided to hire herself out as a "handy-woman" She started canvassing a nearby well-to-do neighbourhood. She went to the front door of the first house, and asked the owner if he had any odd jobs for her to do.

"Well, I guess I could use somebody to paint my porch," he said, "How much will you charge me?"

Delighted, the girl quickly responded, "How about \$50?"

The man agreed and told her that the paint brushes and everything she would need was in the garage.

The man's wife, hearing the conversation said to her husband, "Does she realize that our porch goes ALL the way around the house?"

He responded, "That's a bit cynical, isn't it?"

The wife replied, "You're right. I guess I'm starting to believe all those dumb blonde jokes we've been getting by email lately." Later that day, the blonde teenager came to the door to collect her money.

"You're finished already?" the startled husband asked.

"Yes, she replied, and I even had paint left over, so I gave it two coats."

Impressed, the man reached into his pocket for the \$50.00 and handed it to her along with a \$10.00 tip.

"And by the way, "the blonde teenager added, "it's not a Porch, it's a Lexus.

# L'ARSE MEMBERSHIP FORM

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## REGULAR MEMBER

L'ARSE (L'Association of Retired School Employees) is open to any retiree from any educational institution and the spouse/partner of a retiree.

Name of Retiree \_\_\_\_\_ Retired from \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Spouse/Partner \_\_\_\_\_

## ASSOCIATE MEMBER

Subject to available space, L'ARSE is also open to people who wish to participate in a L'ARSE-sponsored activity.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

\* \* \* \* \*

E-mail address \_\_\_\_\_ Phone # \_\_\_\_\_

Street address \_\_\_\_\_

Town \_\_\_\_\_ Postal Code \_\_\_\_\_

Please send a **cheque for \$10 per person, payable to L'ARSE** (one-year membership), to:

Lois Maeder-Alves  
63 Devon Road  
Baie D'Urfé, QC H9X 2W7

**If your contact information above should change, e-mail Lois at:  
*lois.maederalves@videotron.ca***

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The **L'ArsEncore Newsletter**, issued 3 times a year, outlines the many and diverse activities available through our Association. It also highlights the activities of individual members. Articles highlighting members' travels, other activities or items of interest are most welcome!

The newsletter will be sent electronically, unless you prefer a copy by mail.

I wish to receive my copy of L'ArsEncore via Canada Post: \_\_\_\_\_

(Extra cost to L'ARSE is about \$3 per copy.)

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Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date