

THE INTERNATIONAL ENGLISH SPEAKING CLUB

LA CHAUX-DE-FONDS



December 2024

Dear Members,

It's nearly the end of 2024 and the committee is pleased to give you the new programme for the first three months of 2025. During these winter months coffee mornings and tea afternoons will take place at the **Migros Metropole Centre**, in the restaurant at **the 1st floor**, unless otherwise indicated.

The meetings will take place as follows:

Thursday, Jan. 9 - at 10 am, coffee morning

Thursday, Jan. 16 - at 3 pm, tea afternoon at the **Ancien Manège**, which is the Amuse Bar and it's possible to play a game (Scrabble, etc.)

Thursday, Jan. 23 - at 10 am, coffee morning

Thursday, Jan. 30 - at 12 pm, **lunch at the Aigaion restaurant**, Daniel-Jeanrichard 25, Le Locle. They serve Greek specialities. We take the bus at **11:33** from the station, platform A. Please phone Michèle by Jan. 27 if you want to join us for lunch. After the meal, Liliane will guide us through the exhibition *Protest (Paz Errazuriz)*, *Prison (Laurence Rasti)*, *Prints (Michael Günzburger)* in the Musée des Beaux Arts.

Thursday, Feb. 6 - at 10 am, coffee morning

Thursday, Feb. 13 - at 3 pm, tea afternoon at **the Athmos Hotel (first floor lounge)**.

We are very pleased that our member Anna Draper will tell us about **the art of engraving**. *A talk about some techniques and variety employed in making engraving. Presentation of different copper plates and their resulting printed images.*

Thursday, Feb. 20 - at 10 am, coffee morning

Thursday, Feb. 27 - **at 11.30 am, AGM and lunch at the restaurant du Grand Pont.**

Please phone or e-mail Sannemarie by Feb. 25 to book your place.

Thursday, March 6 - at 10 am, coffee morning

Thursday, March 13 - at 2.30 pm, visit of **the Muzoo**, (entrance fee CHF 7) where we are going to visit the exhibition *Plumes, Poils, Paul*. They exhibit some of Paul Barruel's works (he painted animals) and some works made by students of the École d'Art in la Chaux-de-Fonds, they were inspired by hairs, feathers, claws, nails, teeth... Afterwards, we can have a drink in the cafeteria.

Thursday, March 20 - at 10 am, coffee morning

Thursday, March 27 - at 12 pm, **lunch at Les Enfants Terribles**, Rue du Progrès 63.

Please phone or e-mail Brenda by March 25 to book your place.

Happy New Year to you and your families, with good health !

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