

AATF Indiana Northwest Calendar of Events 2006 - 2007

• October 2006

Fri., 10.20

Immersion dinner at Randa Duvick's home in Valpo (5 pm, potluck)

- *Articulation discussion: Bring an outline of the vocabulary topics and grammar points you generally cover in French I and II.*

• November 2006

11.2 - 11.8

National French Week

www.frenchteachers.org/nfw/

11.2 - 11.4

IFLTA Conference in Indianapolis

www.iflta.org/

Fri., 11.17

Immersion dinner at Mary Certa's home in Crown Point (5 pm, potluck)

- *Articulation discussion: Bring an outline of the vocabulary topics and grammar points you generally cover in French III and IV.*

• January 2007

Fri., 1.5

Immersion dinner at Linda Atwood's home in Crown Point (5 pm, potluck)

• February 2007

Fri., 2.2

Immersion dinner at Nancy Tilka's home in Dyer (5 pm, potluck)

Sat., 2.17

Valparaiso University Workshop for Teachers: Articulation

• March 2007

Sat., 3.3

Grand Concours at Crown Point HS

3.8 – 3.10

Central States Conference, Kansas City, MO www.centralstates.cc/

Fri., 3.23

Immersion dinner at Ricky Baron's home in Hobart (5 pm, potluck)

• April 2007

Fri., 4.13

Valparaiso University *Fête du Théâtre*

Sat., 4.21

Spring business meeting at the Merrillville Public Library (10 am, potluck)

• May 2007

Sat., 5.5

Grand Concours brunch at Barb Seeley's home in Valparaiso

Valparaiso U. is sponsoring two series this year. All members of the community are welcome to attend. Please consider inviting your students and colleagues, and of course please attend yourself! Note the events of particular interest to Francophiles scheduled for November 10 (lecture on immigrants) and February 16 (film).

INTERNATIONAL FILM SERIES

www.valpo.edu/foreignlang/filmfestival

All films will be shown in the original language with English subtitles. \$6 per film for \$20 for the entire series. All films to be shown in Neils Science Center at 7 pm. Free refreshments served.

October 11, Wednesday	Columbian film: Maria Full of Grace (Maria, Ilena eres de gracia)
November 8, Wednesday	Japanese film: Millenium Actress (Sennen joyu)
January 19, Friday	Chinese film: Beijing Bicycle (Shiqi sui de dan che)
February 16, Friday	French film: Sequins (Les Brodeuses)
March 30, Friday	Iranian film: Children of Heaven (Bacheha-Ye aseman)

FOCUS on EUROPE

www.valpo.edu/foreignlang/europe

Focus on Europe is a series of events which will focus on the European Union and its member countries. All events are scheduled to take place at the Kade-Duesenberg German House and Cultural Center.

October 18 Wednesday 7 pm	Contemporary Issues Through Student Eyes A panel of international students studying at VU will provide their perspective on various issues affecting Europe today.
November 10 Friday 5 pm	Children of Immigrants and their Integration into French Society A lecture by Prof. Marie-Christine Koop, Professor of French, University of Texas, and President-Elect of the American Association of Teachers of French.
January TBA	Academic Super Bowl A "quiz bowl" on Europe for all VU students.
February 20 Tuesday 7 pm	Trends in European Art and Architecture Martha Thorne, formerly associate curator of architecture at the Art Institute and currently Executive Director of the Pritzker Prize Foundation, is a specialist in Spanish architecture. She will speak in particular on how Spanish architecture has changed since Spain became a member of the EU, as well as the "globalization" of architecture.
April TBA	Europe and the World: Policies and Politics