# The American Library in Paris

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#### Why you are important



Did you know that more than half of the Library's operating revenue each year comes from gifts, grants, and other contributions? Put another way,

membership fees cover only a quarter of our costs.

That's why all members of the Library and nearly a thousand other friends recently received our spring appeal mailing – and many are responding generously. Why not join them?

If you've mislaid yours, please take the time to <u>download a</u> <u>copy</u> of this bright and informative brochure that spells out what your donations make possible. Thank you for keeping the Library in your thoughts as you consider gifts that change lives.

# Access your Library account on-line Renew, place holds and more

Here's a tip from the folks at the circulation desk: Did you know that you can place holds, see when borrowed items are due,



and renew items -- all from the comfort of home?

- 1. Go to http://www.americanlibraryinparis.org/.
- 2. Expand the **Explore the Collection** menu, and then click **Search the catalog/Account Login**.
- 3. On the next window, click **My Account** (at the top of the screen).
- 4. On the next page, enter the following:
- Patron / Alternate ID Number: Enter the number that on

#### Kids and teens

Saturday 3 April 14h00-15h00 (ages 6+)

Spring has spring is here!



Join us for spring and Easter cheer with professional drama teacher and face painter Dominique Fester. There will be time to paint the faces of the first 15 children who have signed up, and are present at 15h00.

#### Friday 9 April 19h00-21h00 (ages 12+)

Yoga for teens We provide the space, the instructor Edith Grante,



and the yoga mats. Teens - you come dressed in comfortable clothing, ready to feel the benefits of yoga and meditation. your library card, below the barcode.

• **PIN**: Enter the last 4 digits of your library barcode number.

*Voilà*, you are now logged into your online library account. Do you have any other *How do I*.... questions for us? Let us know by sending your comments via our online <u>Suggestion</u> <u>Box</u>.

# **Upcoming Events and Programs**

# Tuesday 30 March 19h30

AAWE & MESSAGE@The Library - Kristin Duncombe on bullying and harassment.

#### Wednesday 31 March 19h30

Evenings with an Author: Veronica Buckley on 'The Secret Wife of Louis XIV.'

#### Saturday 3 April 10h00-19h00 Used Book Sale all day at the Library

# Tuesday 6 April 19h30

WICE World Watch@The Library - 'Chemistry of the Crunch: Behind the scenes of the economic crisis' with financial services specialist Christian Lemaire of Credit Agricole.

# Wednesday 7 April 19h30

Evenings with an Author: Bestselling author of 'A Year in the Merde,' Stephen Clarke, on '1000 Years of Annoying the French.'

#### Tuesday 13 April 19h30

A Night at the Movies - Judith Merians on 'Schindler's List' and establishing the feel of a documentary in a film.

# Wednesday 14 April 19h30

Evenings with an Author: Former Monty Python troupe member, author Michael Palin on his books including, 'Halfway to Hollywood: Diaries 1980-1988.'

#### Thursday 15 April 19h30

Word for Word performs Tennessee Williams's 'Two on a Party' at the Salle Adyar. Now taking reservations.

Beginners are welcome and encouraged.

# Saturday 10 April 14h00-15h00 (ages 6+)

Drama presentation and



workshop for children Join 'The Saltimbucs,' an English-language theatre troupe, for theatrical exercises and warm-ups, and a discussion on the art of being an actor. They will also perform several original skits in English.

# Saturday 17 April 14h00-15h00 (ages 5+)

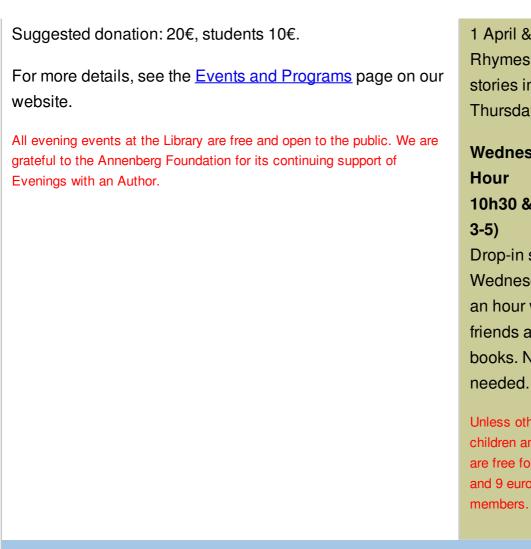
Children's musicians Betsy Stern and friends



Take part in an interactive, lively, and fun performance by children's musician Betsy Stern and and Pierre Bastide on the slide guitar. Parents welcome.

# And always...

Mother Goose Lap Sit 10h30-11h00 (ages 1-3)



1 April & 29 April Rhymes, songs, and stories in English on Thursdays.

Wednesday Story Hour 10h30 & 14h30 (ages 3-5) Drop-in sessions on Wednesdays. Spend an hour with friends and some good books. No sign-ups

Unless otherwise stated, all children and teen programs are free for Library members and 9 euros for nonmembers.

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