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Saturday 21st July from 5.00pm

A Garden Party

in

Chantal and Alain Bertrand's delightful garden



In the
of their

the harpist

company
daughter,

Anne-Sophie Bertrand



Anne-Sophie Bertrand

Anne-Sophie is a solo harpist and has very kindly agreed to play for us.

She was just five when she started playing the harp. She went on to accomplish her musical studies with Honours at the Royal Academy of Music of London, in Lyon with Germaine Lorenzini and received her Masters Degree at the Brussel Koninklijk Muziek Konservatorium.

A winner of numerous prizes, she has given concerts throughout the world. In 2007, she received the "Associate" title granted by the Royal Academy of Music for outstanding musicians.

She has played in many prestigious venues and has appeared on numerous radio and television programmes.

Anne-Sophie Bertrand's wide repertoire ranges from baroque to the most daring expressions of contemporary music. She has taught at the Brussels Conservatoire and at the Hochschule für Musik of Hannover, and regularly holds masterclasses at the Royal Academy of Music.



Chantal and Alain Bertrand have kindly offered to host this event at their lovely home in Beaufort-en-Vallée.

Those of you familiar with the property will know that the gardens hold a real treasure in the form of a 16th century chapel with its beautifully restored stained glass windows. The pretty landscaped gardens will delight all and inspire the many gardeners amongst us.



Supper will take the form of a bring and share picnic. In order to ensure a balanced menu, on receipt of your application form, you will receive an email with guidelines for what kind of dish to bring, sufficient for 4 - 6 people to share.

Please reply promptly to assist the organisers.

Please note that you will be required to bring your own crockery, cutlery, glasses, and cups.

A glass of bubbles will be offered as an aperitif and a selection of red, white and rosé wines will be available, as will water, fruit juice, coffee and various teas.

Depending on numbers, extra tables and chairs may be required. Please indicate on the application form whether you will be able to bring your own chair(s) and lend a picnic table.

In the event of poor weather, there is space for everyone to be accommodated comfortably in the chapel.

There is parking in the street along the Rue du Général Leclerc or in the small car park in front of the church.

COST – €8 per head which will include an aperitif; red, white and rosé wine; water; fruit juices; tea and coffee.

**Alain and Chantal Bertrand
13 Rue du Général Leclerc
49250 Beaufort-en-Vallée
02 41 53 39 98**

ATTENDANCE SLIP

The deadline for receipt of attendance slips is *Monday 16th July 2018*

Please complete and return with your cheque, made payable to **ESU Loire Valley**, to:

Roy Powell,
774 rue Lamartine
49400 Saumur

02 41 40 54 89
rrpowell49@gmail.com

To assist the organisers, please reply promptly!

Name:

Telephone:Email:

I can provide transport for people, from:

I would like transport for people, from:

I/we can bring a picnic tableYes/No

I/we can bringchairs

Number of members attending:@ 8€ Amount enclosed:

Number of non-members:@ 8€ Amount enclosed:

TOTAL ENCLOSEDEuro

DIRECTIONS

FROM BAUGÉ

From Baugé take the D144 and on the outskirts of Beaufort-en-Vallée follow the route as indicated in brown and purple.

