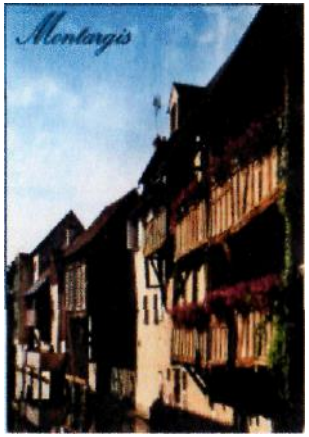
Society of Friends of Montargis

Join Crowborough's French Connection



Crowborough has been twinned with the lovely French town of Montargis for over 50 years, officially through the Town Council and socially through the Society of Friends.

Montargis, known as the "Venise du Gatinais" because of the canals which permeate its bustling centre, is situated 110km south of Paris.

Each year Society members exchange five-day visits with their French counterparts in "La Société des Amis de Crowborough", travelling by coach or independently, staying with families and enjoying outings, receptions and other events together. Warm friendships develop through these exchanges and anyone able to act as host to an individual guest, a couple or a family will find the experience most rewarding. Language is never a barrier!

In 2017 our visit to Montargis will take place in May. In addition to exchanges, the Society holds social events throughout the year to raise funds for its hosting activities.

New members are always welcome - particularly families and the young, among whom the fostering of international understanding is so important and one of the Society's primary objectives. Under-fives to over-eighties, it's never too early or too late! We are also keen to foster twinning links between local special interest groups.

To join us, complete the application form and return it to the Secretary. You may also telephone or e-mail for further information.

THE SOCIETY OF FRIENDS OF MONTARGIS

Membership Application

Chairman and Secretary

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I/We wish to become members of the above Society. I/we understand that membership fees are due at the Annual General Meeting normally held in October each year.

Membership fees: Individual £ 10.00
Family £ 20.00 (includes children up to age 18)

I/We enclose a membership subscription of £……

Names .....

Address .....

E-mail ..... Telephone .....

*Smokers / Non-smokers

"Occupation (s) .....

"Interests .....

Have you any contacts in Montargis?..... Are you able to host? ....

"Knowledge of French language (any family member)
None / Tourist / Conversational / Fluent

Please return this form to the Secretary, Mrs Mary Collins (address above)

** Information helpful in matching you with a French family*