

October 2020

A Travelogue on Myanmar by Alicia Monachon

Thursday October 15, 14:00 at La Longeraie Morges

Myanmar, formerly Burma, is located in Southeast Asia and is referred to as the "Land of a Thousand Pagodas", which is an understatement. Since the easing of a tourism boycott in 2010, huge numbers of visitors have been attracted to visit this country.



Together we will discover some of the country's beautiful sites, starting with the city of Yangon, with its vibrant street life and home to the most revered monument, the majestic **Shwedagon Pagoda**. Then we continue on to **Bagan** region, with its archeological zone sprinkled with more than 2,200 surviving temples, shrines & stupas. We move on to the region of **Mandalay** with its wood carvers and marble stone cutters, and the famous **U'Bein (**Teak) **Bridge**. And lastly, the **Lake Inle** region with the **Intha** fishermen, with their special technique of fishing, stilt villages and floating gardens.

You will be invited to share an aperitif afterwards.

Date / Time :	Thursday, October 15 at 14:00
Deadline :	Tuesday, October 13
Contact :	ilausanneclub@gmail.com
	or Alicia 021 617 96 73 (leave message)
Cost :	SFr 25.00 (includes aperitif)

Forth-coming Events

<u>On Wednesday November 18</u>, Chris will present a picture tour and insight into controversial North Korea, named the 'Democratic People's Republic of Korea', a country that is criticized and isolated economically by western powers for its unyielding dictatorship.

<u>On Saturday December 5</u>, we will have our Christmas dinner at the Restaurant du Port de Pully. It will be a joint event together with the EL&ASC club who has organized the joint Christmas event last year.

Join an outing by ES&ASC

On Saturday October 3, guided visit in French of sawmill and lime kiln at St George at 14h. Contact Heinz at 079 231 86 70 or Janet at 021 791 14 42.

Membership Renewal

At the AGM held on September 23, attending members unanimously agreed to leave the membership dues unchanged. Invitations for payment will be sent beginning October.

The Future of ICL

The AGM was attended by more than half of the club which is an encouraging sign for the committee to continue and work hard for ICL. It is hoped that everyone will renew their membership.

We invite members from English speaking clubs in Lausanne to join our events at no extra charge. Please remember our web address **www.icl-club.ch**. There you can always find information on activities in case you lose the monthly ICL information page.

