Happy November from the Department of French and Italian Studies!

We hope your semesters are going well, and we look forward to seeing you at our upcoming events!

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November Events

Italian Film Series

This month, the Italian Film Series continued with a screening of \textit{L'ultimo pastore} on November 5 @ 8pm in Lovejoy 307!

Italian Gastronomy Night
On November 19 @ 7pm, join the Italian club in the Pugh Center for a night filled with fun Italian treats! Take a break from the midterm grind and learn how to make cannoli!

**Francophone Film Series**

The Francophone Film Series continues with two film screenings! *Polisse* was viewed on November 6th, and we hope you will join us for *Merci Patron!* on November 27th in Lovejoy 213.

**French Food in Foss**

Keep an eye out for information regarding a French themed day in Foss!

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"I am currently teaching primary school in La Rochelle, France, through the program TAPIF. I work with 6-10 year olds and it is a lot of fun because the kids are adorable and since they are beginners we play a lot of games! The kids’ excitement to learn English makes it such a rewarding experience, and I’m so thankful I made the choice to do this program!" — Haley Jones ’18

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**Take a Professor to Coffee**

The Mary Low Coffee House and SGA
are sponsoring a **Take a Professor to Coffee** program! If you have not yet used this program, we highly encourage you to ask one of our faculty members to coffee!

Once you've asked the faculty member to coffee, sign up on [this Google Form](#) and your name will be sent to the Coffee House and there will be two vouchers available for you to get two free coffees!

*Limit two voucher requests per student per semester. There are 275 total vouchers available each semester. The survey will close once the vouchers are gone. Please allow one week for voucher approval and pick-up. You will receive an email once your voucher request has been processed and printed.*

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**Teaching French in Waterville**

French students have been working with the Albert Hall School in Waterville to continue a program started by Lauren Ruddy '20 last spring. Every Tuesday and Wednesday, Colby French majors teach fourth and fifth grade students at the school basic French language. It is an excellent opportunity for Colby students to engage with the Waterville community while supporting the kids in learning another language and culture - one that is central to the heritage of many Maine residents.

Please contact Lauren Ruddy '20 at larudd20@colby.edu with any questions.

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**Colby Students Studying In Italy**

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French and Italian Department Resources

Click here for a complete list of Resources in French
Click here for a complete list of Resources in Italian

Resources are available for many topics, including both French and Italian literature, music, politics, art, and history.

Lending Library in Lovejoy:

The library in Lovejoy 307, the French and Italian seminar room, is a "lending library." Except for the reference materials, the books each have a pocket with a green card in it. All that a student of French and or Italian needs to do is to take the book from the shelf, remove the green card from the pocket, sign it, and place the card as a "placeholder" for the book. When they return the book, we ask that they indicate so on the green card and place the book in the spot they found it.

For more information, contact Adrianna Paliyenko, adrianna.paliyenko@colby.edu

For more information regarding resources within the Department of French and Italian Studies, please click the links above or contact Vivian Wood, Lovejoy 317, at (207) 859-4400 or vlwood@colby.edu

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