



"Les Aulnettes"



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Half October and all is well. As from September we have some great weather. Off course, sun rises later and night falls sooner and because of that the sun needs more time to burn away the for this season familiar morning haze and in the evening it is getting colder earlier, but never the less !

Furthermore, Saturday the 6th of October we stayed all evening outside, having diner on the terrace just at 22.00 o'clock. We went in to see the match "Les Quinze de France" versus "The All Blacks". Great match !! Last Saturday we saw a match all different. We sincerely wish you good luck against the "Springboks".

Sander goes very well at school, after a lets say, slow start; This year his is being taught to play golf in his gymnastics class. Good for his father, who has not played since 2 years, by the lack off a gentle playing partner. And than he is very good at math and after a first unreadable poem he now had "dix-neuf sur vingt" for the second one.

The Jard s/M house sold ? Almost, but not really !

After some visits of curious people, it looked very promising. A couple from the Paris region "was fallen in love" with our house as the real estate agent said. They made a "serious" offer less than 10% of the demanded prise. After some negotiation a prise was concluded, but soon after that the resigned.

Still we have a good prospect. The parents of a friend of Sander are very interested in our house but they want to sell their own – a "bourgeois" house in the centre of Jard sur Mer - first. It has to be said. Apart from a great financial resource you have to have a great and during building spirit to renovate this 455.000 euro house. **To be continued.**



Since this summer the flag is blowing at Les Aulnettes. A present from two couples (yes famely) who have a great heart for Sander, Irene en Frans and off course Les Aulnettes. The hoisting of the flag took place during the (non-)officiele opening seremony of Les Aulnettes. Indeed a moment (the 30 of

July) chosen for no reason, if not only because the great French singers were not free at any other time. There were man people and it was very pleasant.

Irene has, apart from doing her daily activities such as, bookkeeping, doing the shopping, making diner, assisting Sander with his homework, doing the household in our « cave » and the 10 houses, the washing and ironing, started the preparations of the necessary paperwork for next season, like adjusting the calendars with the dispositions, the tariffs and the special offers (see the concerning page our website), on the internet sites on witch we advertise, etcetera. And than the 16th of October her Birthday !!

François has rested his back a few days, after the demolition of the interior of the ancient sanitary block. The section of the building where the washing machine and the dryer stood is completely empty after his passage with a sledgehammer. Also half of the passages of the canalisation in the old concrete floor have been made.

Tomorrow if all (his back) is well the work will continue. In the washing room behind the swimming pool, things are getting form. The plastering is almost done and after that the doors will be made. **To be continued.**

The plans for the coming winter.



We have more or less started the work for the renovation at the building at the entrance, the new to be reception room. Dependently the winter temperatures we hope to finish the major parts before next summer.

The result will be a building, containing a little office, up to date sanitary, a children's corner, a little bar, a relax area with chimney, television, library, a big table and a Wall of fame, on which we will show photos and object that tell the story of the building process of "Les Aulnettes".



For those who have envy to come to help us; let us know and it can be arranged ! If there is enough enthusiasm we will prepare one or more building weeks. That means that we will offer room and board and in return we ask an at least 6 (serious) hours days work. Drinks will be offered against low budget prices. See you soon !!

Latest news: those who will have pay their down payment for the 2008 holidays before the 15th of December 2007, will profit the 2007 tariffs !! Possibly in combination with the special "**start-June/end-August**" offer, [click here](#) !!

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