



## Beaconsfield Twinning Association Christmas Quiz



***WINE and CHOCOLATES to be won! Bring your completed quiz along to Café Langres on Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> December. First two correct entries drawn at midday are the winners. Bonne Chance!***

**Name.....Contact details.....**

Christmas is mainly celebrated in France on the 25th of December. However, in some places in eastern and northern France, the Christmas season begins on 6<sup>th</sup> December. What is the name of this day?

- Épiphanie*
- Fête de Saint Nicolas*
- Fête Nationale*
- Jour de l'an*

In Lyon, the 8<sup>th</sup> December is called "*la Fete des Lumières*". What do the Lyonnais do to mark this?

- Put lights in trees*
- Light bonfires*
- Put candles in their windows*
- Put on all the lights in the house*

French children don't usually hang up stockings for Father Christmas. What do they often put out instead?

- A pair of shoes*
- A wooden bowl*
- A pillow case*
- A bag made of felt*

What is the French name for Father Christmas?

- Monsieur Noël*
- Père Lachaise*
- Père Noël*
- Saint Claus*

What is the name of the traditional Christmas Eve meal?

- Le Réveil*
- La Grande Bouffe*
- La Vieille*
- Le Réveillon*

What is a “Bûche de Noel”?

- Christmas butcher*
- Christmas kiss*
- Yule log*
- Christmas present*

Provence has some of its own traditions. How many desserts do they have at the Christmas meal?

- Three*
- Thirteen*
- Ten*
- Four*

What do these desserts represent?

- The Three Kings*
- Jesus and the 12 Apostles*
- The Ten Commandments*
- The Four Gospels*

The Nativity Scene is recreated in churches throughout France. What is it called?

- La Crèche*
- La Scène de la Naissance*
- La Mangeoire*
- L'Étable*

What do we call “La Fête des Rois”?

- Boxing Day*
- Advent*
- Epiphany*
- Christmas Eve*