

## A celebration and an exchange

In 1993 Development Workshop celebrates 20 active years in the field of human settlements and development.

The past twenty years and more have been rich in experience and lessons for us all. But we are well aware that the next twenty years and beyond will present greater tasks, more complex problems to be resolved, and greater numbers of people to assist in their process of development.

We wish to mark our 20 years of work as an opportunity to consider the lessons of the past and to examine the ways in which we should all best be going forward in meeting these challenges. To take the opportunity to share thoughts, experiences and ideas, and to consider the problems that we should be addressing.

To do this, we would like to invite you to join us during a three-day gathering of friends and colleagues we are organising in south west France, where one of Development Workshop's offices is located.

## How we are planning this gathering

Over the years, many of you will have joined us, to spend time both to work, to talk and to exchange, and for those who have come to us here in France, to enjoy the pleasures of good south-west French cuisine and sunshine in a pleasant rural location as well. We would like to maintain this same atmosphere, which has nourished many hours of good conversation and laughter. At the same time, our intention is that this gathering should have purpose to it, and that when we part, there should be a shared conclusion for each of us to think about, and perhaps too to guide us. Nor do we just want you to hear about Development Workshop, we want to hear and see what you have been doing and thinking as well.

The three days will therefore be organised as a combination of house party and 'workshop'. We will provide lunch and supper (including local wines), pleasant local facilities for short presentations and discussions, but also some "space": time for reflection and chat in the large garden adjoining our office here, opportunities to visit numerous local sites in this historic and beautiful part of France, and more besides. And on the final Saturday evening, we have arranged a dinner dance cruise on a chartered river boat along the beautiful Lot river. We have good office facilities for those who really need to "keep in touch" and - within reason - can arrange for help with children for those who wish to bring the family. To help us to cover meal costs, we are asking for a modest contribution from each participant, and you will also need to book in at a local hotel for bed and breakfast and make your own travel arrangements, details of which are provided on the following pages. If you have any queries or suggestions, tell us about them, and we will try to accommodate them. What matters to us is to have you with us, and to ensure that you enjoy the opportunity once you are here.

REGISTRATION FORM

Please help us by completing and returning this form, whether you are able to attend or not, BEFORE 30TH JUNE to - Development Workshop, B.P. 13, 82110 Lauzerte, France; tel (33) 63 95 82 34; fax (33) 63 95 82 42.

Contribution per person : 750 French francs. This includes:

- morning coffee, lunch and supper, including wine with both meals;
- 3-hour river cruise, with gastronomic dinner and dancing, on the final evening;
- collection and dropping off at Montauban railway station on 8th and 12th September respectively;
- lifts to and from hotels if arrangements between participants cannot be made.

"Bar" bills (spirits, beer, soft drinks) are not included.

Name:.....

Telephone:.....Fax:.....

I will be able to attend Development Workshop's 20th anniversary celebration between 9th and 11th September 1993.

I will be accompanied by .....

I would like to make a short presentation (using slides/video-cassette/posters) on the following subject.....

I have the following additional comments or suggestions:

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I enclose a contribution to expenses per adult of 750 French francs, or the equivalent of 840 French francs in any other currency, payable to "Development Workshop". (For accompanying children, any contribution will be agreed later.)

Signed:.....Date:.....

I will not be able to attend Development Workshop's 20th anniversary celebration.

Signed:.....Date:.....

## TRAVEL

*BY PLANE* : TOULOUSE airport (approx 100 kms)

numerous daily flights from Paris (Orly/Charles de Gaulle);  
2/3 flights a day direct from London (Heathrow/Gatwick);  
direct flights from many other European capitals.

*BY TRAIN* : MONTAUBAN station (approx 25 kms)

from Paris (Montparnasse)  
3 "TGV" (high-speed) trains (Paris-Toulouse line) daily:  
(0705 - 1145 hours; 1115 - 1602 hours; 1700 - 2142 hours).  
from Paris (Austerlitz)  
5 additional trains (Paris-Toulouse line) daily.  
from Toulouse  
approx. hourly; c. 25 minutes journey time.

*BY CAR* : TREJOULS village, near LAUZERTE (Tarn et Garonne)

From LAUZERTE (see map), take the D 34 towards CAZES-MONDENARD, branching off (before Cazes-Mondenard) onto the D 31, signposted TREJOULS.

In Tréjoul, turn into the village square at the church, cross the square diagonally to the right, and follow the road out of the square. Development Workshop's office is a converted stone barn just outside the village, with blue shutters. John Norton's home is a large stone house on the hill-side above the office, also with blue shutters. The opening session and presentations will be held in the nearby village "salle des fêtes", which is signposted in the village.

### *PICK-UP ARRANGEMENTS*

We will do our very best to ensure that people arriving at Montauban train station are met and dropped off on 8th and 12th September respectively and to arrange transport from hotels for those not arriving by car. To facilitate this, however, we would ask you to please let us know your travel plans as rapidly as possible, so that we can coordinate lifts, by sending in the form below and we will confirm pick-up arrangements promptly. Offers of lifts from those with cars would be greatly appreciated...

I/we would like you to meet me/us at Montauban train station on 8th September at ..... hours,  
(train no. .... from .....).

I/we will be arriving by car, staying at .....  
hotel and would be happy to help with lifts to and from the hotel, wherever possible.

Name(s) .....

## ACCOMODATION

*HOTELS (all within 7 to 15 kms) - see map*

Hotel des Arcades (on the village square)

place Léon Gambetta

46170 Castelnau Montratier

tel: 65 21 90 22

from 100 F (double with handbasin)

to 170 F (with shower/WC);

also rooms at 160/155 F for double with child's bed.

Hotel les Trois Moulins (on edge of the village)

46170 Castelnau Montratier

tel: 65 21 92 95

200F (with bathroom/WC)

Hotel du Quercy (in the village)

faubourg Auriac

82110 Lauzerte

tel: 63 94 66 36

from 125 F (single, with bathroom,)

to 175 F (double, with bathroom and WC)

Hotel du Parc

46800 Montcuq

tel: 65 31 81 82

205 F (with shower/WC)

Hotel Saint-Jean

rte de Fumel

46800 Montcuq

tel: 65 31 84 45

from 110 F to 160 F (with shower)

Hotel Aube Nouvelle (quiet rural location)

82390 Durfort Lacapelette

tel: 63 04 50 33

from 120 F (double with handbasin)

to 210 F (double with bath/WC)

La Petite Auberge (small, attractive rural location)

46800 Lascabanes

tel: 65 31 82 51

"chambres d'hôtes" from 270 F to 380 F;

also "duplex" for 4 people at 580 F.

### *"Bed and Breakfast" accomodation*

There are a limited number of "Bed and Breakfast" rooms in and around our village (Tréjouis) at 100 F/night. This covers a double room, with shared bathroom/WC, and self-catering breakfast. If you would like one of these rooms, please let us know *quickly* by sending in the slip below with a deposit of 100 F and we will advise you promptly.

I/we would like you to try and arrange "Bed and Breakfast" accomodation in or near Tréjouis

from ..... to ..... September inclusive.

A deposit of 100 FF is enclosed.

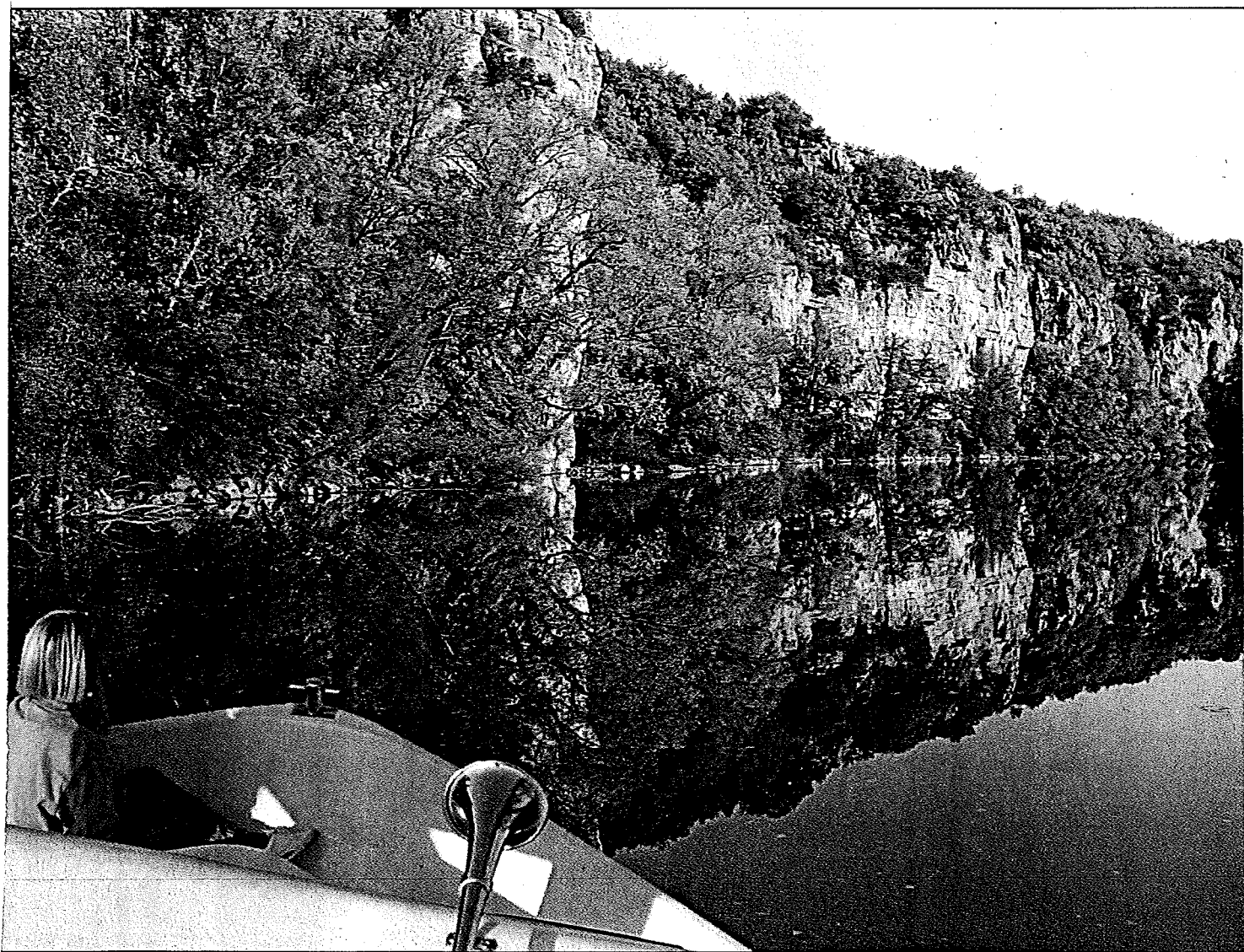
Name(s) .....

AND TO FINISH ...

Saturday 11th September

3-hour evening cruise and dinner-dance on the river Lot

# *Embarquement immédiat!*



Une surprise à chaque pas

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