



Will a student from France be part of your family this summer?

Each summer, five students from Toulon are rewarded with a round trip ticket to Norfolk, in recognition for their success on a competitive (and rigorous!) English language exam.

Norfolk Sister Cities provides host families for these students, and also arranges outbound exchanges of interested American students to Toulon during the same or a different year.

This summer (2013), the French students will arrive on July 8 and depart on July 28. There are two boys (Romain and Adrien) and three girls (Tiffany, Therese, and Maeve). All are 16 to (barely) 17 years old, and speak English; they arrive with spending money of their own for souvenirs and incidentals, but host families are responsible for their housing and meals while they are here.

Host families enjoy the benefits of a personal connection to French culture, the opportunity to see our society through the lens of another society, and the beginning of what often becomes a long-term international friendship. Host families are also given the opportunity to send a child to France during the same or a different summer for a similar opportunity. Although Norfolk Sister Cities does not provide the plane ticket for the outbound exchanges, students and their families may apply for scholarship assistance from NSCA.

Host family application forms and additional information are available on the Norfolk Sister Cities website (www.norfolksistercities.org); click on "student opportunities".

Questions and inquiries may also be addressed directly to Alisa Bearov Landrum, Chair of the NSCA Toulon Committee, at: a.b.landrum@gmail.com

Très cordialement,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Alisa", is written over the typed name below.

Alisa Bearov Landrum