

*La Ravillais*



**Agent Blue Mystery  
Week-End**

August 30<sup>th</sup> – September 2<sup>nd</sup>

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Weekend Itinerary:**

<b>Saturday August 31<sup>st</sup>, 2002</b>	
08:00-10:00	Petite dejeuner dans la Jardin
10:30	Orientation 'Game'
12:00	Race to beach
13:00	Swim
14:30	Lunch
16:30-18:30	Ping-Pong & Baci Ball
19:30	Cocktails & Award Ceremonies
21:00	Gala Dinner
Tide	High 12:40 Low 19:30

<b>Sunday September 1<sup>st</sup>, 2002</b>	
08:00-10:00	Petite dejeuner dans la Jardin
12:00	Depart for Picnic
12:30-14:30	Picnic at the Petit Bay
15:00	Beach
16:00-20:00	Free Time
20:00	Cocktails
21:00	Dinner
Tide	High 13:50 Low 20:45
	Departing Agents (Samuel, Anne Jessica, Pauline, Maia, Etienne)

<b>Monday September 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2002</b>	
08:00-10:00	Petite dejeuner dans la Jardin
10:00-14:00	Morning Free
14:30	Lunch
16:00	Depart for Mont St. Michel
20:00	Creperie in Dinan
Tide	High 15:30 Low 22:30
	Departing Agents (Marianna)

<b>Tuesday September 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2002</b>	
07:30-09:00	Petite dejeuner dans la Jardin
09:00	Depart for D-day beaches

## **Agent Blue Mystery Week-End Rules of the Game**

You are about to become a murder suspect and so is everyone else. Some of you are 'true' agents, while others are part of this event for their own evil intentions, which they will doubtless attempt to hide by inculcating you. You are part of a team (4 to 5 people)- and must work with your team-members to solve the murder. Remember though, the murderer may be a part of your team, so it is OK to implicate someone within your ranks- though you might consider doing this discretely... However, **you cannot give any 'False' Information**

The Game last 12 hours: from 9 A.M. to 9 P.M on Saturday August 30<sup>th</sup> 2002. Use your day to gather information, solve clues and collaborate with your team-members in solving the 'mystery'. As you participate in athletic activities, you earn points for your team- which are added to your 'problem solving' score hence, if a team wins most of the athletic events, they can still win the prize, even if they do not correctly solve the murder. In addition, clues are scattered through the athletic events, making it imperative for teams to participate in each (must delegate at least one member per team).

At 8 P.M on Saturday, each team will have to publicly accuse their 'suspect': re-enacting the murder scene, the motivations and the reasons why the culprit has come back to Brittany during this fund-raising weekend. After the 4 teams have performed their 'murder implications' there will be a vote to decide which 'show' was the most persuasive. Teams who enacted the 'right murder' get points; Teams who voted for the right murder get points and Teams who earn other people's votes get points.

**Here is the scoring matrix:**

<b>Activity</b>	<b>Number of Points</b>
Solving the Orientation Puzzle	5 points (1 point lost per question asked)
Participating in a sports activity	1 point per participating team member
Winning an activity (per gender)	6 points (1 <sup>st</sup> place)/ 3 points (2 <sup>nd</sup> place)
Enacting the right murder	30 points
Voting for the right murder	20 points
Having people vote for your 'show'	10 points

**Hence, the maximum number of points that a 4 person team can earn is:**

- Solving Orientation: 5
- All participate in 4 sports activities:  $4*4=16$
- Win 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> place for both genders in all 4 sports activities:  $(6+3)*2*4=72$
- Enacting the right murder : 30 points
- Voting for the right murder: 20 points
- Every team (including yours) votes for you:  $5*10= 50$  ===== 193 points

**Good Luck!**

**And study each of the elements of this package CAREFULLY....**

## **Team 1: Night Crawlers**

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### **The Marquise de Rouvray – Shelley de Rouvray:**

Claudia's Aunt still suspects that her niece's disappearance was not accidental, but rather the well planned doings of an evil spirit. She is organizing this event partly in the hopes of luring the criminal to the 'chateau' where she believes much evidence still lies waiting to be uncovered. She will be a willing partner to all you savvy agents...

### **Mme de Blanc – Maia Boureboune:**

Is a Wealthy French heiress and is one of Marquise and Marquis (Claudia's aunt and uncle) closest friends. She will arrive from Paris, in one of her habitually eccentric ways. She has known Claudia and her family for decades and should be a mine of useful information. She is traveling with a 'Dame de Companies' in whom we trust much less...

### **Igor the Math Genius – Kyle Bruck:**

Igor is Marcus' friend and brilliant colleague. Igor works as a mathematician at Stanford University and has run several joint projects with Marcus and the Lawrence Livermore Labs. He too suspects that his friend's disappearance is no coincidence: his knowledge of the Turing/Von Neuman relationship and their involvement with code writing and breaking will be of use during this mission.

### **Penelope Anastapoulous – Marianna Ventouratou:**

Penelope is a world famous Greek opera singer invited to the fundraiser by the Marquis and the Marquise to add some sophistication to the party! She is totally imbued with herself- adjusting her hair, dress, voice at all times, shooing people away as if they were ravenous fans. She claims never to have met Claudia, and has absolutely no idea who Marcus may have been; though she demonstrates exaggerated pangs of grief every time you mention their disappearance!! This seems a bit too theatrical in our opinion, and we recommend you keep a close eye on her.

### **Ibn Ahmad – Iqbal Ahmed:**

Ahmad was one of Marcus' close university friends at Oxford, when he was a Rotary Scholar and Ahmad was reading English literature. As a rich Saudi prince the Marquise is expecting him to contribute generously to the fundraising event. It has been ages since he has spoken to Marcus and those close to don't have any idea who Ahmad is or why he is here.

## **Team 2: The Challengers**

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### **The Marquis de Rouvray – Alain de Rouvray:**

Oblivious to his wife's intention to lure the criminal into her grounds during this fundraising event, the Marquis is a good-hearted, fun loving person, with an obsession for Tennis. It is not unusual to see him lurking around the breakfast, lunch or dinner table, spontaneously asking guests to join him on the Tennis Court.

### **Miss Lata Green – Marissa Leichter:**

Miss Green is the daughter of an Indian Princess and a British banker. Her parents moved to New York shortly after their wedding, and she grew up in the privileged milieu of private schools, summer outings to India and generally lavish parties. She attended university where she met Marcus, with whom she has entertained an ongoing relationship. They dated more or less seriously for a period of 8 years, and she even moved to California to be closer to him. She was devastated by the circumstances of his disappearance- though it is unclear whether she was more alarmed by his presumed death, or by the fact that he had been spending the week end alone with another woman....

### **Miss Orange Pressee – Pauline Pierce:**

Miss Orange is a lawyer, and a very busy one. We have been trying to recruit her for months now, though we seem to get no commitment as to her coming, or arriving on time. A meeting or case might make her miss the train, though we do hope she can contribute her talents to the mystery solving. She was Claudia's lawyer, and in our brief exchanges with her we have been led to believe that she was working on a TOP SECRET contract for Claudia, the contents of which she seems eager to share, though obviously neither by email nor on the phone. She is easily distracted by her thousands of commitments, so you need to get her in a quiet place before you quiz her for valuable information.

### **Mme Murmure – Caroline Becker:**

This quiet archivist and librarian has accepted to leave the confines of the Bodleian library at Oxford to assist you in your mission. Use her tremendous historical and information processing skills to help you think through the elements of this mystery.

### **Inspector Danger Clouzot – Jonathan Bruck:**

The Inspector is one of two individuals dispatched by the French police to 'solve' the disappearance of Marcus Perlman and Claudia Von Neuman. His "assistante" (and equally incompetent) Inspector Clouzette has been allotted to another team (The Muck Rakers) in the hope of covering greater grounds. Their legendary inability is the reason we called upon you, agents blue, to help us solve this mystery.

### **Team 3: The Avengers**

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**Irma the Maid – Amy de Rouvray:**

Irma will be taking the place of the faithful servant, Marie- who traditionally takes a few weeks off at the end of August. At that time, the Marquise and Marquis typically seek temporary help.

**Marcel Moutarde – Samuel Hailucross:**

Marcel was Claudia's boyfriend and was contacted hoping that he would have valuable clues pertaining to his girlfriend's disappearance. So far he has not provided anything useful, though we suspect he know more than he admits to. As one of France's most respected track athletes, he had no troubles being invited to the Triathlon, and is one of the star participants.

**El Scorpio – As himself:**

El Scorpio will also be in from San Francisco, where he has acquired a grand reputation playing Mexican wrestlers in small independent movie productions.

**Blanchette – Anne-Jessica Faure:**

Blanchette is Mme. de Blanc's "dame de compagnie". She brings her on every trip she goes on, and is responsible for making sure she is always immaculately dressed, and fully provided for. Blanchette seems overly depressed which we think seem suspicious at times, as if she knew more about Marcus and Claudia than you really should.

## **Team 4: The Muck Rackers**

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### **The Colonel – Brian Strauss:**

Flying in from New York, he will be arriving Saturday evening. We suspect he will be bringing timely information, as he has insisted on arriving one day late, for strategic reasons he claims. The Colonel is a retired Military man, whose family has been in the Air Force for generation (his grandfather flew blimps in WW2)

### **Miss Violet – Rachel Saunders:**

Miss Violet is an exuberant professional dancer flying in from San Francisco and one of Claudia's closest childhood friends

### **Mr. Marceau – Jared Kopf:**

Mr. Marceau is famed comedian and mime. Though he is traveling from SF he is not on the same flight as Miss Violet, whose old time friendship (and possibly jealousies) with Claudia make her suspicious.

### **Mr. Coquin – Etienne Becker:**

Incredibly our research cannot find any information regarding Mr. Coquin's identity and we suggest trying to find more out about this 'mysterious' guy during breakfast.

### **Inspector Clouzette – Cristel de Rouvray:**

The appointed French detective on the case. We suspect that her and her colleague's (Inspector Clouzot) efforts will be useless in solving this mystery. The French police are not known for its enigma solving abilities and this couple's track record is disastrous!