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2023 Fellows Research Presentations

Samantha Burkhead
Norman North High School (Ms. Andre Rodriquez)
“The Preservation of Old Buildings in France vs. the United States”

Sydney Hulen
Casady School (Mr. Blake Pardue)
“The Differences Between the French and American School Week”

Ella Janes
Classen SAS High School at NE (Mr. Brandon Harney)
“French and American film: Art and Capital”

Peter Khual
Classen SAS High School at NE (Mr. Brandon Harney)
“The Homeless Community in America and in France”

Lilianna Laney
Westmoore High School (Ms. Whitney Stafford Najibi)
“Comparing Anxiety Levels in France and the United States”

Emilia Mantilla-Ocha
Casady School (Mr. Blake Pardue)
“Pediatric Nutrition in France vs. the United States”

Veronica Stevens
Heritage Hall School (Ms. Corinne Crepin)
“How Much do American Students Know About their Government Compared to French Students?”

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May
20 In-Person Café Conversation at Provision Coffee
20 Club Ados! Teen Online Event
21 In-Person P’tit Déj at Ganache Patisserie
21 Cercle de lecture (Online Book Club Event)

June
17 In-Person Café Conversation at Provision Coffee
25 In-Person P’tit Déj at Ganache Patisserie

July
14 In-Person Bastille Day Celebration!

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