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## LE CLUB BARRIERE PARIS, LA OU SE RENCONTRENT LES VRAIS JOUEURS

### A MYTHICAL PLACE ON THE CHAMPS-ELYSEES

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**USPA NEWS** - L'Aviation Club de France was a Gambling Club in Central Paris (104 Avenue des Champs-Élysées, in the 8e Arrondissement of Paris - France). The Club opened in 1907 and was widely regarded as a Classic Gambling Site. In 2005, the Grand Prix de Paris leg of the World Poker Tour took place at the Aviation Club. The Main Games played at the Aviation Club were : Poker 21 (Black Jack Parisian Style), Punto Banco, Poker À 3 cartes, Poker Caribbean Stud, poker Texas Hold'Em, Baccarat, Backgammon). The Club was closed in 2014, after a Raid by the Police, and placed in Liquidation in February 2015.... In 2018, The Barrière Group obtains the Authorization of the Ministry of the Interior to open a Gaming Club in the Old Premises of l'Aviation Club de France....

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Since the First Day of the Aviation Club de France's Closure, a great number of French and International Personalities campaigned in favor of the Reopening of the Club, with the Hope that the Grand Instance Court in Paris would allow Poker to get back on what is considered to be the World's Most Beautiful Avenue and, at the same time, help the ACF's 213 Employees to keep their Jobs... Yet, despite the Club's Concerns, the Support from the International Poker Community, and the Jury Award the ACF won at the 2014 France Poker Awards held in Deauville, the Number 104 of the Avenue des Champs-Élysées was no longer going to be Home to some of the Amazing Poker Games it held during its 100 Years of History.

The History of Gambling in France dates all the way back to at least the 1500s when the Queen was added to Decks of Cards. The French Deck was the Forerunner of the 52-Card Deck used today all over the World. The Lottery has also existed in France since the 16th Century. It comes as no surprise that Gambling Proper was introduced as a Gentleman's Game to the now United States of America. It was the French Influence along the Mississippi Trade route that has continued to broadly impact the World.

All types of Gambling, including Horse Racing and Pari-Mutuel Betting continue to be very popular in France. In addition, there are currently more than 160 Licensed Casinos in France. Poker is another Form of Gambling that has become very popular in France. The Country hosts many Prestigious Poker Tournaments, including the Annual Grand Prix de Paris which is the First Stop on the World Poker Tour.... Casinos are located in most Major Cities in the Country, but most Casinos are to be found in the National Capital that is in Paris and in the Coastal Resorts.

Restaurant "Le dépôt Légal" (Non-Smoking Room) at "Le Club Barrière", by Christophe ADAM

"Like the Club, each detail of the Dépôt Légal has been carefully chosen to create a Unique Experience. A Place where you can relax and sample a range of Fresh, Straightforward Cuisine prepared with Great Products. Christophe Adam puts all his creativity into creating Savoury Dishes that will take you on a Gastronomic Voyage. A Culinary area he particularly likes but without abandoning his famous Sweet Creations: his famous and irresistible "À la clairs de Génie". Much more than a Pastry Chef, Christophe Adam is a veritable "Gastronomic Creator" [?].

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