

The Turkish and U.S. flags hanging at the presentation ceremony demonstrate international cooperation.

An award for the US friends of Side

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ANKARA- Mrs. Jean Friendly, widow of U.S. writer and journalist Alfred Friendly, founder of the International Friends of Side association, was presented with an award at a ceremony in the Side Apollon Temple as a mark of gratitude for the contribution made by Mrs. Friendly and her late husband to the restoration of the temple.

Professor Engin Ozen, director of Monuments and Museums, presented the plaque on behalf of the Ministry of

Culture.

The Apollon Temple site was first excavated by Professor Arif Müfit Mansel and his team in 1947 and restoration work started in 1977 after Mr. and Mrs. Friendly took an interest in the project and made a substantial financial contribution to the work being undertaken by architect Zeynep Ahunbay of Istanbul Technical University. Archaeologist Jale Inan said that the project, while not yet complete, had reached an exciting stage.



Jean Friendly and Jale Inan share the happiness of the occasion.

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