





## THE GARD the South

## Let's explore the Cœur de Petite Camargue destination

Let's be clear from the outset! This slice of the Camargue may be "petite" but it's big on exciting and diverse scenery.

It's a haven for wellness, flavour and mystery with a rush of adrenaline for anyone who wants to get to grips with Camargue traditions.

It's a land of contrasts that come together here among the vineyards and lagoons.

The Camargue Gardoise stands out for its signature scenery and ecosystem.

The area is famous for its traditions, bulls and outstanding natural heritage, earning it the Grand Site de France label in January 2014 which it intends to hold onto.

It has a zest for life and is true to its roots and traditions. Summer is a prime time for hosting bull-themed events.

The Canal du Rhône à Sète runs through our land from east to west. It connects the wetlands to the Costières.

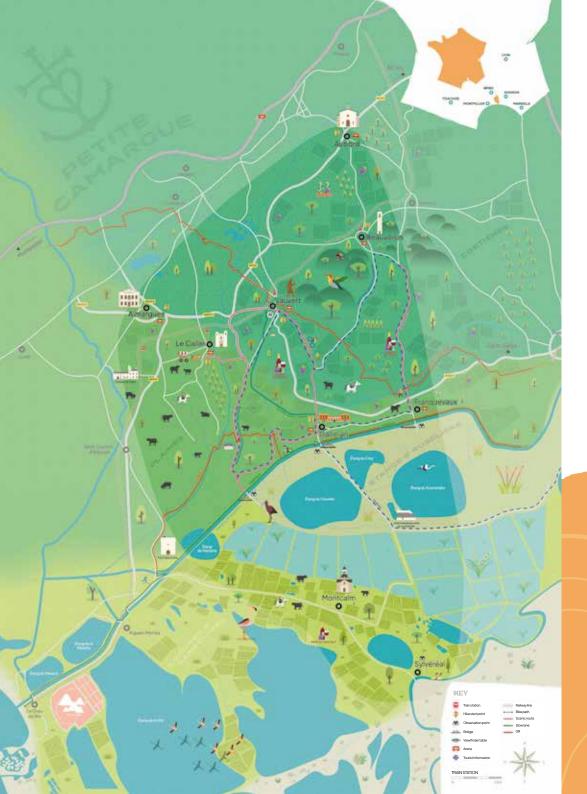
The Camargue and its sprawling reed beds lie to the south. They provide a hidden, cosy nest for birds, a migration area for others and a fantastic biodiversity habitat for a unique array of wildlife and plants. The Costières hillside vineyards are home to scenery with incredible views on the other side of the canal to the north. These AOP vineyards melt into the garrigue.

But wherever you are, as you drink in the landscapes from north to south, east to west and back again, you won't be able to resist the call of the lush greenery on one side and glittering blue on the other. The Costières and Camargue gradually melt into each other: the Petite Camargue.

The people who live in a place like this can't help but be true to their roots and give a warm welcome to anyone who wants to explore everything their "Land" has to offer. They can't wait to share their passion and love for this slice of paradise with anyone who wants to uncover it.

We'll see you soon...

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### The Camargue Gardoise, a land with two labels under its belt

#### On a national level

The Camargue Gardoise was once again recognised as a Grand Site de France in 2023. We earned the label for the importance of our wetlands and in recognition of their protection and promotion.

#### On a regional level

The Camargue Gardoise was awarded the Grand Site Occitanie/Sud de France label for its outstanding and world-famous natural, cultural and historical heritage.



here to help you

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## Horses and bulls

## A farming legacy

Manades are bull and/or horse farms.

The Camargue's special bond with bulls is clear to see in everything from its scenery to its culture. The locals have a real passion for bulls and worship at the altar of "La Fé di Biou".

They're as devoted to bulls as they are to their land. Bull breeding is rife in these parts and helps champion local culture whilst protecting the landscapes. The Camargue's iconic bull and horse farms, the "manades", welcome visitors to experience their unique work and meet the livestock they raise with pride.

There are a whole host of manades for you to visit all year round and unlock the secrets behind La Fé di Biou. Join the welcoming locals and uncover the "mysteries" behind traditional

bull events, you could even learn the rules of the Camargue Races!

# Year-round experiences

You'll be lucky enough to meet these passionate people who invite visitors to live life in their shoes.

It's more than a performance; it's an experience.

Visit the manades to learn about breeding Camargue bulls and horses. There are all kinds of activities whether you're in a group or with the family.

Join the manadiers and manadières any time of year on a guided walk or  $4\times4$  tour, a meal or take part in the Veillées Camarguaises (mainly in summer!). Booking essential.

# Manades and manadiers

### Camargue bull manades

#### GROUPS WELCÓME

#### MANADE MARTINI

Groups: 50-120 people.

Available to book April-November. Veillées Camarguaises on Wednesday in July, Wednesday and Friday in August and certain dates in September.

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## GENERAL PUBLIC AND GROUPS WELCOME

#### **MANADE FÉLIX**

Manade tours: 4-15 ppl (general public) 2 options: with or without meal. Groups: 15-350 ppl.

Farm shop.

Available to book all year.

#### La Camille Félix

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#### **MANADE JEAN-ELIE AGNEL**

Manade tours (general public). Groups: 2-200 ppl. Farm shop. Room hire.

Available to book all year Veillées Camarguaises every Thursday night, mid-June to late September.

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O Mas les Hourtès - 30740 Le Cailar

**33 (0)6 12 33 57 48** 

manadeagnel.com

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#### **MANADE SAINT-LOUIS**

Groups: 10-500 ppl.

4x4 tour of the farm and estate with the manadière.

Available to book all year. Veillées Camarguaises on Wednesday in July and August. 10am tours on Tuesday and Thursday in July and August.



#### Jean-Claude Groul

Mas de la Paix - 30600 Montcalm

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## Veillées Camarguaises

This is your chance to meet the manadiers and gardians. Join them in the work they do every day as the gardians put the same skill and agility as their ancestors into everything they do. This eye-opening and soul-stirring experience is elevated by a buzzing atmosphere and dinner showcasing local produce. Available to book: June-September.

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#### Camargue horse manades

#### **MANADE PUIG**

Visit a Camargue stud farm deep in the Le Cailar meadows.

Every Tuesday at 6pm in July and August. Groups: min. 30 ppl May-September.



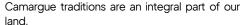


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## **Camargue traditions**



After years and years of selective breeding, the bull has become an idol.

All our festivals, or **"fêtes votives"** as the locals call them, celebrate bulls.

The Courses Camarguaises are the main event. It's like a game pitting the raseteurs against the bulls and recognised as a sport by the French **Courses Camarguaises** Federation.

The raseteurs dress in white and must grab cockades (badges and strings) off the bull's horns. The bravest bulls are called "cocardiers" and are the stars of the show.

Bull-related sports, known locally as "bouvine", have created a unique landscape in the towns and countryside. You'll be blown away by the barriers, arenas, **empègues** and **tombs** built in tribute to famous bulls.

That's right, the great cocardiers die of old age and are given a proper burial by their owners.

Listen to the villagers: they'll tell you to get behind the barriers when the bulls come into the village from the fields (abrivado) or when they head back out (bandido).

## Camargue cross



The "Croix de Camargue" or "Croix des Gardians" (herdsmen's cross) captures the Camargue's holy trinity:

- The cross and gardian's tridents embody faith
- The fisherman's anchor symbolises hope
- The heart represents the charity of the Three Marys, Jesus's disciples who settled in the Camargue

Marquis de Baroncelli commissioned the Parisian illustrator Hermann-Paul to design the Camarque cross in 1926.

### **Bull tombs**

The bull tombs are an unusual sight. Most of the bulls are buried on land owned by manadiers. The only exception is Le Sanglier's tomb in honour of the famous

cocardier bull from Fernand Granon's manade (1920–1930), outside the village of Le Cailar.



July to late August. The traditional schedule is almost always the same. Locals meet in the fields in the morning where the gardians sort the bulls then lead them to the village and into the arenas.

The Course Camarguaise plays out in the arenas in the afternoon then the gardians herd the bulls out of the village streets in the evening. The Fêtes Votives set the scene for all kinds of entertainment throughout the week: live music, funfairs and traditional meals. Contact us for the schedule!

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## Empègues

You're bound to spot little stencil prints on doorways in some villages: they are called

"empègues".

Children in the village stencil them on during the Aubades (to raise funds for the Fête Votive).

## Fêtes Votives Taurines

Local bull festivals run from spring right through to autumn. The celebrations never end in our 5 Petite Camarque towns and villages from **early** 

## Camargue glossary

Abrivado: when the bulls are surrounded by horses and led from the fields to the village and the arena.

Bandido: when the gardians lead the bulls out of the arena after the Course Camarguaise in the opposite direction to the abrivado (but not all the way back to the fields!)

Raseteurs: athletes dressed in white who grab trophies (badges, tassels, strings) off the bull from between the horns during the Course Camarquaise.

Cocarde: red ribbon





Camargue flora & fauna

Our land lies deep in the Grand Site de France that is the Camarque Gardoise. It's a listed site recognised by the French government for its

Our partners take pride in the accreditation and bring you activities and services that take care of the land and are true to the Grand Site's values.

high management and protection standards.

Experience a wonderful array of habitats and species, landscapes and atmospheres. nature and culture in a vibrant, interactive, ever-changing and delicate mosaic!

Our land is an outstanding and unspoilt

home to a whole host of traditions including breeding, hunting, fishing and "sagne" harvesting (Camargue reeds); the lagoons and reed beds are a prime rest area for countless species of birds including 9 different species of herons.

As the locals will tell you, the Camargue's secretive and mysterious reputation exists for one good reason: to protect it!

So you need to find the right people to let you into the inner circle and share their knowledge with you.

Don't worry, we're going to help you find

## Visit us all year round!

We get 300 days of sunshine every year! OK, OK, maybe not quite that many, but the Camargue Gardoise does have a lovely and warm climate with a different vibe to experience every season.

Exploring the local flora and fauna in the nature reserves is a feast for all the senses. Enjoy a leisurely walk along the footpaths and listen to the birds sing... look out for different performers every time you visit!

## **Guided tours** available

#### Naturalist guide

#### **CAMARGUE GUIDE CENTRE**

Join Jean-Marie to meet the Camarque's birds and learn about their role in life here. The local character's passion and enthusiasm for the Camargue is infectious. Wildlife photography auide.



#### Jean-Marie Espuche

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- maisonduguide.camargue.fr

#### Nature reserves

#### **SCAMANDRE CENTRE**

Join a guide or fly solo on educational trails deep in the Scamandre Regional Nature Park as you explore the Camargue's protected wide open spaces on foot.

General public: individuals and families. Tuesday-Saturday: 9am-6pm Group bookings for up to 60 ppl. Closed on bank holidays.







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#### PETIT RHÔNE RESERVE

Walk or ride on 4.5km of marked trails at the Réserve du Petit Rhône, a private and untamed site protecting the 70ha ecosystem.

You can hire an electric buggy to explore the reserve too.

Open for Easter and October half term. Wednesday, Saturday, Sunday and bank holidays. Guided tours available. Open: 9am-5pm. June, July and August: 10am-6pm.

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#### **CAMARGUE GARDOISE GRAND** SITE DE FRANCE VISITOR CENTRE

The Visitor Centre is full of resources to delve deeper into the Camargue Gardoise and Grand Site de France on the edge of the Route du Môle bike path.

General public: individuals or groups Open all year Tuesday-Saturday: 9am-12.30pm and 1pm-6pm.

Closed on bank holidays.











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# Novice or keen birdwatcher

The Camargue Gardoise is home to a wide variety of habitats including wetlands, lagoons and meadows, providing all kinds of ecosystems that birds love. It's a vital habitat for several species of migrant, nesting and winter birds.

Contact Tourist Information for help planning vour outing!

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Soak up incredible protected landscapes.

Doyour bit for the environment and use our local bus and train services. The Camargue Gardoise is the perfect place to cycle too, with countless greenways, bike paths and loops.

Not all the trails and roads deep in our "sensitive" Camargue are accessible, but we do have lots of signposted hiking and MTB trails!

## Bike rides

Our land is heaven for fans of bicycle touring and jam-packed with cycling routes.

There are countless paths that rack up over 60km of signposted trails for all abilities.

- The 7km greenway from Vauvert to Gallician is a designated bike/footpaththat's reserved exclusively for non-motorised journeys.
- The ViaRhôna or Eurovélo 17 runs from Saint-Gilles along a canalside greenway to Le Graudu-Roi.
- The Mediterranean Route or Eurovélo 8 explores the South of France with rides from the Alps to the Pyrenees.
- Bicycle touring routes are suitable for leisurely riders (the 17km Camargue Gardoise loop) and keen cyclists (the 23km Costières loop) alike. Put them together to give yourself a 40km challenge!

We also have a network of signposted trails ("Des Costières à la Camargue Gardoise" guide) to explore the great outdoors on your mountain bike.

## Bike hire/repair

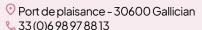
#### LOCA-CAMARGUE

E-bike and MTB hire for adults and children. Convenient location at Gallician Port on the Canal du Rhône à Sète.

Cycling trails in the Gamargue Gardoise and Costières along the Viarhôna and Méditerranée à Vélo bike routes.

April 1st-October 31st at Gallician Port : Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

Monday-Friday the rest of the year at the Café du Centre.



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### TROTT CAMARGUE SYLVÉRÉAL

#### NEW

Trott Camargue provides mountain bikes and off-road e-scooters for hire.

Hit signposted routes or go freestyle as you explore the Camargue Gardoise from the leisure facility on the Petit Rhône riverbanks.

The Trott Camargue building is built entirely from recycled materials. Its café and shaded terrace are open to the general public, so settle back and enjoy the setting.

Open all year.

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#### **OBJECTIF BIKE**

Visit Adrien at his bike shop in Vauvert town centre.

You can buy bikes, accessories and spare parts here. He also repairs bikes, mountain bikes, hybrid bikes, road bikes and e-bikes.

**You can hire bikes**, mountain bikes and e-bikes for half-days, full days or more.

Monday-Saturday: 9am-12pm & 2pm-7pm. Home delivery appointments available Monday and Tuesday.





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## Guided outings

#### **HAPPY TOUR CAMARGUE**

Join Stéphane on an e-bike or all-terrain scooter to explore the Camargue Gardoise. He'll even treat you to a sweet fougasse bread.

Option to bring your own bike on the tour (general public or groups).

Open daily from 8.30am. Booking required. Meet at the ViaRhôna car park in front of Tour Carbonnière.

Mas de la Tour Carbonnière
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## Accueil Vélo

Cycling the Camargue Gardoise

The Cœur de Petite Camargue Tourist office and its many bike paths (ViaRhôna, greenway, cycling loops) adhere to the

We have been approved as "bike-friendly since 2019 and we pledge to provide bicycle tourists visiting our area with the beshospitality and services.

This guide details approved partners, accommodation providers, bike hire shops, restaurants and port which, like us, are committed to being bike-friendly.

Get in touch if you'd like our help to plan you cycling break!

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## **Hiking**

## Hikes and walks

Whether you're a keen rambler or looking for a family outing with a difference, walk this way to explore the great outdoors in Camargues and the Costières hills.

From marked hiking trails to educational footpaths, take a walk in a land bursting with every shade of blue and green.

- The "From one canal to another" signposted PR® footpath is ideal for families starting at the portin Gallician (11km-3hr).
- Our nature reserves are full of themed educational trails if you're with the kids or bird lovers(1-4km).
- 2 major hiking trails run through our area and are ideal for trekkers: the GR®653 in the north and GR®42 in the south.

## Map and hiking quides

Pick up the "Des Costières à la Camargue Gardoise" guide from us (5€).

It details the entire network with over 120km of paths suitable for walkers, mountain bikers and horse riders. It also shows where you can hook up with footpaths and hiking trails in border areas.

NB: No horses allowed on the greenways and Eurovélos bike paths.

Our other guidebooks include:

- The GR®42 "Du Pilat à la Méditerranée" quide (Pilat to Mediterranean).
- The GR®653 "Sentier vers Saint-Jacquesde-Compostelle" guide (Path to Santiago de Compostela).
- The Miam Miam Dodo, the "bible" for sleeping and eating on the Way of St James.



## Rando Gard

You can check out all our hiking trails from every village in the area on the website or the Rando Gardapp.

Download it before you head out or turn on your phone's GPS to use the app on-site and enjoy vour outing!





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## The Camino de Santiago



Gard app and hike the GR®653 with peace of

The Way of Arles bridges the gap between the Mediterranean and the Atlantic. It runs from Arles to Puente-la-Reina in Spain where it hooks up with the Camino Francès within 1000km.

Vauvert is the second stage on the Way of Arles, after Saint-Gilles. It goes through Beauvoisin iust behind Château Beaubois before it reaches Vauvert.

It continues into Gallargues-le-Montueux through the "lands" of Le Cailar.

The GR®653 hiking trail through town opened in

1990 and is the last of the 4 trails of Compostela. It's uninterrupted, well-signposted and has lots of places to stay. It's achievable no matter the season. The route works both ways: to Rome and to Santiago de Compostela.

Some B&B owners provide discounted accommodation for pilgrims who show their pilgrim passport. Vauvert welcomes each and every pilgrim with open arms in the spirit of the "Wav".

Pilgrims, you are welcome here all year round and we provide a range of services such as helping you find a place to stay, stamping your pilgrim passport and any information to help you on your way.



#### Please ask for Santiago de Compostela Guide

To help you on your way, you can pick up our "La Voie d'Arles dans le Gard" (Way of Arles in the Gard) guide from Tourist

Information or download it on www.coeurdepetitecamargue.fr.





Heritage

The Cœur de Petite Camargue towns and villages are a melting pot of religions home to a world-famous Jewish school. Christian pilarimage site and opulent Protestant churches.

Prosperous vine growing and the strong secular and republican local character have left us with fantastic architecture with some religious monuments bearing republican inscriptions!

What we lack in ruins, we make up for in the marks left by history for you to uncover as you explore our area.

We have a wide range of heritage experiences for you to visit on your own or as part of a guided tour.

## **Guided tours**

#### CHÂTEAU DE TEILLAN

Château de Teillan is home to listed romantic landscaped grounds which were built around amazing stone tablets, Roman milestones and a noria in the 19th century.

You can see a fantastic 16th century dovecote and chapterhouse at the château. Self-guided tour with visitor booklet.

July 15th-August 31st: open daily (exc. Monday) 2pm-8pm. Open to groups of 10-40 people the rest of the year (booking required).



De Cazenove Family

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## Self-guided tours

#### FRANQUEVAUX ABBEY TOUR

This path through the hamlet takes you on a trip back in time to meet the Franquevaux monks. Franquevaux Abbey was built in 1143 and has now been split into several unique homes.

Start at Espace J.Torrès (Parking des Arènes car park). Along the way you'll see 5 boards detailing life at the abbey. Your trip ends on Pont de Franquevaux bridge with incredible views of the Canal du Rhône à Sète and the lagoons around it. Soak up the setting where the abbey was built.

This educational trail links into our footpath network. You can venture south on the GR®42 along the Canal du Rhône à Sète or hook up with the Way of St James on the GR®653 to the north.

## Fun-filled family walks

We provide Randoland leaflets to turn up the fun on your family walks around the town centres and villages.

You can go on a Randoland walk in every town in the area: Aimargues, Aubord, Beauvoisin, Le Cailar and Vauvert. The scavenger hunt leaflets are available to pick up from Tourist Information or download on

www.coeurdepetitecamargue.fr

There's also a leaflet for parents with the village map and a puzzle leaflet to suit your children's age groups: 4-6, 7-9 and over 10.

Dive into the local history, architecture and nature to unearth the clues and FIND THE TREASURE!!





## Heritage Guide

Petite Camarque's towns and villages on foot.





## River tourism

The Canal du Rhône à Sète, formerly Beaucaire Canal, is the land's natural meeting point. It brings the wetlands and Costières together and runs through our land from east to west, from the Rhône to the Canal du Midi.

Despite disruption and hostility from locals, the canal was built in the late 19th century and takes pride of place in our area because of river tourism. The port in Gallician welcomes pleasure boaters all year.

Sprawling reed beds cover the marshes and river-lake wetlands in the south.

There are also natural wet meadows that are protected by natural grazing from the Camargue bulls and horses.

## Port

This little port of call has 38 spaces, including 7 for stopovers, in the great outdoors. It's approved as bike-friendly by Accueil Vélo and has a prime location on the Canal du Rhône à Sète, deep in the Petite Camargue and Camargue Gardoise Grand Site, surrounded by the Costières and its vineyards.

It's the perfect place to experience the real Petite Camargue. It lies in the hamlet of Gallician, famous for its Camargue traditions and local produce, just 5km from the Scamandre Regional Nature Reserve.

Harbour master's office opening times:

April-October: Wednesday-Monday 9am-12.30pm and 3.30pm-7pm. Open on bank holidays.

November-March: Monday-Friday 9am-12pm. Closed Saturday, Sunday and bank holidays.



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#### LOCA-CAMARGUE

Small electric boat hire. Convenient location at Gallician Port on the Canal du Rhône à Sète. A unique and eco-friendly way to see another side to Camarque!

Loca-Camargue is open April 1st to October 31st, Friday to Sunday, at the Port.

Port de plaisance - 30600 Gallician

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## Leisure & adventure

There are many different sides to the Coeur de Petite Camargue. Let's see them all together. These genuine and honest people will share their passion for their land and give you an insight into their expertise.

Take your pick from a ride in a carriage, 4×4, canoe or on horseback to experience everything our landscapes have to offer in all their wealth and diversity.

You're spoilt for choice when it comes to things to do to spice up your stay.

## Horse rides

As you'll have seen, horses take pride of place in Camargue, which is why we give you the chance to join experienced guides on a horse ride in the great outdoors.

#### À CHEVAL CHEZ THÉO

It's a family affair! Get a taste for Magali and Margot's love of horses on a ride. Explore the Camargue hinterland amongst the pine forests and vineyards on horseback. Max. group size: 15 ppl.

Children under 6 can go on long or short pony rides too.

Half term: daily. Term time: weekends and bank holidays.

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#### MAS D'ESTANION

NEW

Experience the Camargue Gardoise and its traditions on horseback!

Join Jessica and her guides on a ride along the river among the iconic pastures where the Le Cailar bulls graze.

#### Don't miss:

Ride with river crossing. Evening rides in the great outdoors and wine & food tastings among the horses.

Riding centre open all year: Tuesday-Saturday.

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## Carriage rides

#### LES CALÈCHES DE CAMARGUE

Jean-Noël and Sylvie take you from Le Cailar to explore Camargue and Costières.

They provide a range of options: morning or full day.

Open all year. Closed Monday October-late March: weekend only. Booking required.





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#### LES CALÈCHES DE LA CLAPIÈRE

Join Georges on a ride in the Le Cailar's meadows and listen up: he knows the area like the back of his hand.

Daily departures at 9am. Available to book all year. November to mid-March: only available during half term. Tour duration: 2-2.5 hr.



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#### **CAMARGUE AUTREFOIS**

You know you're in for a good time on a carriage ride with Serge.

 $Saddle\,up\,with\,him\,day\,or\,night\,in\,Le\,Cailar.$ 

ally.

10am, 2.30pm, 6pm departures.



Quartier de la Galine 30740 Le Cailar

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## 4x4 rides

## CAMARGUE SAUVAGE SAFARI

An exciting way to explore Camargue! Departures from Aigues-Mortes and Le Graudu-Roi every day, 8am-8pm.

Camargue Sauvage also provides day trips visiting the Camargue.

**Don't miss:** Route n°2, Camargue horses galloping in the wetlands!

Daily departures to a manade in Aigues-Mortes.

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#### L'INCROYABLE EVASION

A VIP tour of the Salins du Midi, a private, sprawling and unspoilt site with flora, fauna and salt flats. Unique 4×4 tour with a former salt worker.

Daily departures all year round and during the salt harvest from Aigues-Mortes.

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 33 (0) 6 0 3 5 2 6 4 3 4

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♠ incroyable-evasion.fr

#### LA CAMARGUE D'ANTAN

Join Olivier in his 4x4 as the former gardian introduces you to the local flora and fauna. He'll take you on a tour of a manade and share his love for Camargue traditions.

April 1st-November 15th.

Manade Martini
467 Rte de Gallician
30640 Franquevaux
33 (0)6 3118 78 98

# Something different DOMAINE DE SYLVÉRÉAL

Join a tourist train or  $4\times4$  tour of the manade. Domaine de Sylvéréal It's the only manade that you can explore on a tourist train with a bull sorting demo by the gardians on horseback. Get up close and personal with the bulls and join the manadier for  $4\times4$  ride.

Train in July and August: Tuesday and Thursday. Available to book all year. 4×4: Available all year

D58 - Le Sablas
 30600 Sylvéréal
 33 (0)6 84 49 90 34

♠ domaine-de-sylvereal.fr

#### **LONGHORN RANCH**

Here's somewhere original to visit in Camargue: Longhorn Ranch.

Oriane and Stéphane will introduce you to a unique farm in Europe breeding Longhorns, the legendary Texan cattle breed. Min. group size: 15 ppl.

Tour of the Longhorn breeding farm and shop selling meat and cured meat available to order. **Available to book all year.** 





Mas saint Rémy
 30470 Aimargues
 33 (0)678 92 41 62

**%** 33(0)682530462





## Water sports & Water park

## TROTT CAMARGUE SYLVÉRÉAL

Trott Camargue is an eco-friendly sports facility.

Canoe, kayak and SUP hire. Guided cruise exploring the Camargue in a 12-seater rigid inflatable boat on the Petit Rhône.

The Trott Camargue building is built entirely from recycled materials. Its café and shaded terrace are open to the general public, so settle back and enjoy the setting.

Open all year.

○ 277 RD 202 30600 Sylvéréal **%** 33 (0) 6 58 10 92 75

□ contact@maximusorg.com

maximusorg.com

#### AOUALOL

Aqualol water park has a whole host of slides, trampolines and fun times for family and friends at the lagoon.

Pedalo hire, private beach with café, music and a laidback vibe!

Open daily: May 24th-September 7th.

Lacs de Vergèze 30310 Vergèze **%** 33(0)777 06 24 36

@ parcaqualol.fr

## Wellness

#### **UN MAS EN PROVENCE**

A real Provençal mas (country house) between Nîmes and Arles providing guided tours, classes and a shop showcasing lavender, verbena and other aromatic plants. Get involved in picking the plants and distilling them at a still to unlock the secrets behind extracting and using premium organic essential oils.

#### Shop opening times:

High season (May-August): Monday-Saturday 9.30am-1pm and 2pm-6.30pm Low season (February-April & September-December): Tuesday-Saturday 9.30am-12.30pm and 2pm-6pm

#### Guided tour times (1 hr):

April-June & September-October: Tuesday-Saturday 10.30am & 3pm. May & June: Monday-Saturday 10.30am, 3pm, 4.30pm. July & August: Monday-Saturday 10am, 11am, 3pm, 4pm, 5pm.







• Avenue du Félibrige 30127 Bellegarde 33(0)466010900

□ contact@mas-provence.fr

mas-provence.fr

## Visitor guide

#### **GAMIN DU SUD**

Join Laurent to unearth the Gard's treasures from the Camargue to the Pont du Gard Soak up the history, local crafts and incredible scenery in the region on tailor-made guided tours.

Don't miss: Laurent will pick you up from where you're staying in his 7-seater sustainable vehicle (LPG)!

Available to book all year: 9am-6pm.

**33** (6) 35 34 91 88

□ contact@gamindusud.com

⊕ gamindusud.com





## Local specialities

The Petite Camargue's flavours are as strong as its locals' personalities!

The region's star product is Camargue bull that appears in countless recipes.

Our farmers, breeders and producers and their crafts go into making our land so special.

### Markets

- Aimargues, Sunday morning
- Beauvoisin, Wednesday morning
- Le Cailar, Saturday morning
- Vauvert, Wednesday and Saturday morning

## Artisan butchers

**BOUCHERIE PAGÈS** 

Camarque bull meat, Ready made dishes, Open all year Monday-Saturday: 7.15am-12.30pm and 3.30pm-7pm.



- 146 avenue de la Condamine Bât le Valvert - 30600 Vauvert
- <sup>33</sup>(0)466882273
- **33(0)621359233**
- ♠ boucheriepages.fr

## AOP Camargue bull meat and cured meat

Camargue bull meat is surprisingly delicate and very lean.

Bull breeding is called extensive farming because of the limited number of bulls per hectare.

5 manadiers breeding Camargue bulls founded the Syndicat de Défense et de Promotion de la viande AOC de taureau de Camargue in 1992 (Union to Champion and Promote AOC Camarque Bull Meat).

They earned the first AOC for beef in France in 1996.

The EU had the AOC changed to AOP in 2008

## Specialist shops

#### ÉPICERIE FINE CHEZ "LOU CAT"

The shop sells local specialities and Raço di Biou bull meat from the Manade Félix d'Aimarques. The deli owner also runs the Café du Centre "Chez le Chat" just next-door. A variety of local specialities and Camargues and Costières crafts.

Deli open daily 9.30am-12.30pm and 3.30pm-7.30pm. Sunday 9.30am-12.30pm.

- 104 rue Saint-Sébastien 30600 Gallician
- 33(0)466776238
- 33 (O)6 17 31 3O 27
- ff epiceriegallician

#### LA CAVE CONVIVIALE

David brings you a selection of wine, beer and spirits (whisky, rum, gin etc.). He can help find the perfect tipple for you and the right wine to pair with your meal. New "Cave à Thé": Selection of tea and herbal tea refills. Take your pick from forty options to suit your mood and try seasonal brews too!

La Cave Conviviale is open Tuesday-Saturday: 9.45am-12.30pm & 5pm-7pm (with late openings during the Fête Votive!). Group tasting sessions available (min. 7 ppl).

46 rue des casernes - 30600 Vauvert

<sup>33</sup> (0)681606770

□ lacaveconviviale@yahoo.fr

## LES JARDINS DE LA CONDAMINE

Patricia sells fruit and veg from local producers. You can pick up artisan bread and baked goods in her shop too. She only works with local suppliers so you can count on top quality produce.

Monday-Saturday: 7am-12.45pm & 4pm-7pm. Open some bank holidays in the morning.

145 avenue de la Condamine 30600 Vauvert

33 (O)4 49 29 38 37

#### 33(0)618510631

□ patricia.bouchite@gmail.com

#### **TILLANDSIA PROD**

Nursery growing tillandsia, ornamental epiphyte plants that grow without soil or roots.

They come from America and are called air plants because they live and grow on trees and rocks. All the tillandsia plants are grown in the unheated greenhouse in Le Cailar. A unique and original horticultural site deep in the Petite Camarque.

Booking required, Monday-Friday: 9am-12pm & 2pm-5pm.

Max. group size: 30 ppl.

- 28 chemin du Cailar 30740 Le Cailar
- 33(0)466886676
- **33(0)662348611**
- □ contact@tillandsiaprod.com/
- tillandsia-prod.com





#### Site Remarquable du Goût Taureau de Camargue (SRG)

The Tourist Board works with the SRG Taureau de Camargue, a national label recognising areas producing signature products (Camargue bull in this case). Some of our partners are part of the SRG and bring you bull-themed places to eat, shop and experience all year round.

site-gout-camargue.fr f srgletaureaucamarguais

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## Local produce

#### LES SAVEURS DE BOURGAREL

Pierre and Eléna grow a variety of fruit and vegetables in rich Gallician soil to make them into condiments and confectionery.

Their tins and jars are filled with aubergine caviar, ketchup, jam, tomato sauce, honey and pickles that they make using local ingredients depending on how they are grown. Chocolates available for Easter and Christmas.

Booking required to visit the farm shop. Group tours available (up to 45 ppl).

Don't miss: The farmhouse inn surrounded by the vegetable garden. May to late September: open daily for lunch and Friday and Saturday for dinner. Closed Tuesday. Booking recommended.

Mas Bourgarel - Route de la Laune 30600 Gallician 33(0)637664981

Saveurs-de-Bourgarel

#### **MOULIN DES BOUVIERS**

Meet Loïc at his oil mill to learn about his plain and flavoured olive oils (herbes de Provence, lavender, vanilla and saffon).

## **Artisans & artists**

#### **Antisans**

#### POTERIE DU CAILAR

Meet Véronique and Jean-Claude at their Le Cailar pottery and feast your eyes on their hand-turned and decorated pieces bursting with Mediterranean colours.

Max. group size: 10 ppl.

Open all year: Monday-Saturday 10am-7pm and by appointment.

Arboriculture courses, professional certificate for plant protection product courses. Saffron shop.

Monday-Friday: 9am-12pm & 2pm-6pm. Olive season opening times: 8.30am-12.30pm & 1.30pm-6pm. Please call ahead. Booking required on Saturday.

- Mas les Bouviers RD6572 30600 Gallician
- 33(0)466733321
- 33(0)680738410
- @ moulindesbouviers.com

#### LE MAS DU TRIDENT FROMAGERIE

Le Mas du Trident cheese shop sells sheep's milk cheese, signature specialities and a wide variety of cow and goat's cheese.

There's also local wine and beer plus a range of artisan deli items from small businesses.

Tuesday-Friday: 9am-12.30pm & 2pm-7pm. Saturday: 8.30am-7.30pm and Sunday: 9am-12.30pm.

- 931 route d'Aimargues 30600 Vauvert
- <sup>33</sup>(0)466882019
- @ masdutrident.com



44 Avenue Jean Macé - 30740 Le Cailar

33(0)466886521

<sup>33</sup> (0)6 17 17 78 57

□ poterieducailar@orange.fr

#### TRÉSOR DE CAMARGUE

André is one of few "sagneurs" or reed gatherers in Camarque. Visit his workshop and watch him make a thatch from reeds. His thatches are used to cover arbours and gardian house roofs.

The "sagne" (reed) is cut by hand and using tools. Max. group size: 40 ppl.

Workshop open all year, booking required.



- André Calba
- 8 bis rue du Couvent 30470 Aimargues
- 33(0)466885472 33(0)782078880
- ☐ andrecalba@hotmail.fr
- tresordecamargue.com

#### **AU GRÉ DE MES ANN'VIES**

Anne's shop is full of original artisan fabric items celebrating the Camarque with bull's heads, flamingos and Camargue horses. The perfect souvenir! There are also lots of home accessories to choose from.

Open all year Tuesday-Saturday: 10am-1pm and 3.30 pm-7 pm. Open some bank holidays, please check.

- 2 place Gambetta 30600 Vauvert
- 33(0)430671362
- 33(0)750910829
- ☐ annepineau@orange.fr

#### LA BERGERIE DOUCEUR SHOP

Get a warm welcome from Murielle at La Bergerie Douceur and feast your eyes on her dried floral creations, bouquets and Camargue-themed accessories.

Booking required.

17 chemin des mas - 30620 Aubord

33(0)786729035

☑ labergeriedou@ceur@gmail.com

@ labergeriedouceur.fr

## **Artist**

#### ATELIER D'ART MAX DEJARDIN

Max studied at Nîmes Fine Arts College and opened his studio in the former church in Gallician.

The Camargue is his favourite subject that he captures in paintings and primarily metal sculptures.

Open Sunday: 10am-6,30pm and by appointment.

- 109 rue Saint Sébastien 30600 Gallician **33(0)783953443**





Feast on premium produce from our land in the many Petite Camargue restaurants.

Join family and friends at contemporary and classic eateries and enjoy local specialities such as bull stew.

Experience a whole host of new flavours and aromas from home and abroad at our restaurants.

## Gourmet restaurants

#### **LES AUBADES**

Chef rustles up sophisticated and hearty food blending local specialities with Lyon signatures in a former winemaker's house. Soak up the atmosphere in the dining room or enjoy the shade on the terrace.

Open for dinner Wednesday-Saturday and lunch on Sunday.

Set menus: 16€-55€.



182 rue de Banloux - 30640 Beauvoisin 33(0)466019421

□ contact@lesaubades.fr

@lesaubades.fr

















This exposed stone building has a warm and friendly vibe. Tuck into French signatures made using fresh, seasonal produce. Indulge in mouth-watering vegetables roasted on embers, gently grilled fish and premium meat dishes expertly cooked on the brasero.

Open for dinner Wednesday-Sunday and lunch on Sunday.

Mains: 20€-45€.

© 75 rue de l'Ausselon - 30600 Vauvert **%** 33(0)603997901

☑ lafermedelausselon@gmail.com

♠ la-ferme-de-lausselon-restaurant.eatbu.com













### Classic restaurants

#### CAFÉ DU CENTRE "CHEZ LE CHAT"

Join Thierry, a former raseteur and passionate manadier deep in the Camargue Gardoise to feast on his signature dish: Raço di bioù bull from the family farm, Manade Félix. Don't miss the iconic rouille graulenne (octopus stew) served every Friday alongside other fabulous Camarque specialities.

Open daily for lunch and Wednesday-Sunday for dinner.

Weekday set lunch menu: 19€. Dinner and weekend: set menus (29€-43€) and regular menu.

59 rue St Sébastien - 30600 Gallician

**%** 33(0)466517782

**%** 33(0)680385207

☑ camillefelix3@gmail.com













#### **LE ROMARIN**

Get a warm welcome at Le Romarin with its shaded terrace, upstairs dining room and bike rack. Experience hearty home cooking made using fresh produce with local specialities including gardianne de taureau (bull stew), marmite du pêcheur (fish soup) and Camargue dishes with Provencal flavours.

Open for lunch Monday-Saturday. Set menus: 17€ and 22€. Dish of the day: 13€.



116 avenue Maurice Privat - 30600 Vauvert

33(0)466884482

**%** 33(0)670450469

☑ leromarinvauvert@orange.fr











#### LE PÈRE CASSE-CROÛTE

With "30 years of culinary expertise", chef brings you homemade dishes using fresh, seasonal ingredients. Specialities include: rouille graulenne (octopus stew), grilled cuttlefish, aligot (cheesy mash), burgers and Le Père Casse-Croûte's house-smoked signatures.

Open for lunch Tuesday-Saturday. April-October: Open for dinner Thursday and Friday. 10€-25€



14 rue des casernes - 30600 Vauvert

33 (O)9 88 37 94 51

**%** 33 (0)6 16 66 05 74

□ perecassecroute@gmail.com









Join Sandrine and Fabrice in their warm and welcoming eatery for a feast of fresh and seasonal dishes. Settle back on their patio and enjoy their signature dishes: wood-fired meat, Sandrine's famous rouille graulenne (octopus stew) and so much more on the menu.

Open daily for lunch and dinner (closed in January). Mains: 18€-30€ - Set menu: 30€

Route d'Aigues Mortes - 30600 Sylvéréal **%** 33(0)466737435







#### JUNGLE GUINGUETTE

Tuck into meat and fish dishes made using fresh ingredients and cooked on the brasero on the banks of the Petit Rhône. Settle down in the dining room or on the terrace and try the chef's signature rib steak and lobster.

Open for lunch and dinner Tuesday-Sunday. Mains: 10€-70€.

277 RD 202 - 30600 Sylvéréal

33(0)658109275

□ contact@maximusorg.com

maximusorg.com











## Cafés de Pays

#### LE CAFÉ DU PONT

Experience classic Camargue cuisine near the Port and ViaRhôna. Signature dishes: gardiane de taureau (bull stew), eels, frog's legs and homemade pizza for dinner.

Café du Pont is recognised as a Café de Pays and hosts entertainment to give you an authentic local experience.

Open daily for lunch and dinner (closed Wednesday evening). Daily set menu: 19€, mains: 15€-30€.







30600 Gallician **%** 33(0)466735787 **%** 33(0)643866276















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## Brasserie

#### **BRASSERIE LE FRANCE DES FILLES**

The restaurant's dining room and terrace provide the perfect place for an indulgent break. The hearty and delicious dishes are made using fresh, local produce. The menu celebrates classics such as rouille graulenne (octopus stew) and snails with a local organic wine menu.

Open for lunch Monday-Sunday and dinner Thursday-Saturday.

#### Menu of the day 19.20€ - Mains 7€-70€

1 place du Mont Redon 30470 Aimargues **%** 33(0)41177 0974

 □ brasserie.lefrance.aimargues@gmail.com name brasserie-le-france-des-filles-restaurant-aimargues.fr













## Pizzerias

#### L'OUSTALET

Diners have been soaking up the warm and friendly atmosphere at L'Oustalet for forty vears.

Indulge your senses with a mouth-watering pizza or Périgord rib steak. Treat yourself to the set menu during the week, including a starter, main, dessert and 250ml of wine.

Open for lunch Monday-Saturday and dinner Friday and Saturday.

June & August: Monday-Saturday for lunch and dinner.

Mains: 13€-24€. Lunch set menu: 15.50€

24 rue François Boissier - 30600 Vauvert

**%** 33(0)466887242

**%** 33(0)675540809









#### **LE MADISSON**

Le Madisson in central Vauvert oozes Provençal charm. The restaurant serves classic "home cooking". Don't miss the wood-fired pizzas for dinner or sample the eatery's signature dish: delicious saltimbocca.

Open for lunch Tuesday-Friday and dinner on Thursday, Friday and Saturday

Mains: 10.50€-21.90€. Daily set menu: 15€.

Set menus: 20.90€-26.90€.

10B rue de la République - 30600 Vauvert **%** 33(0)466887732













#### **ENGANE RESTAURANT**

Engane is the perfect place to unwind over a variety of dishes in the village centre. Soak up the sunshine on the outdoor patio in summer. Engane's extensive menu has something for

everyone with wood-fired artisan pizza, meat, fresh fish and colourful salads.

Open for dinner: Wednesday-Sunday. Mains: 12€-25€.

105 rue de la Poste - 30640 Beauvoisin **%** 33(0)466 02 0136







## Farmhouse inns

#### LES SAVEURS DE BOURGAREL

Join Elena and Pierre to experience their delicious dishes made using fruit, vegetables and herbs grown in their garden. The meat and other ingredients come from local producers. Enjoy an al fresco meal deep in the vegetable garden.

Open for lunch Wednesday-Sunday, May to September

Open for dinner Friday & Saturday, June-September

Weekday set menu: 39€ - Weekend set menu

#### (Friday dinner-Sunday lunch): 45€

Mas de Bourgarel - Route de la Laune 30600 Gallician

**33(0)637664981** 

**33 (0) 6 87 92 42 16** 





## Cafés de Pays





### World food

#### INDOCHINE

Experience classic Vietnamese dishes at Indochine in the town centre. Tantalise your tastebuds as you feast on signature specialities such as crispy spring rolls, melt-in-the-mouth caramel pork or fresh bao bun salad.

Open for lunch and dinner Monday-Saturday (kitchen closes at 9.30pm) and à la carte dishes to eat it or take away.

17 rue des Capitaines - 30600 Vauvert **%** 33(0)466884913

**%** 33 (0) 6 52 47 32 12









#### LA RÉUNION DES SAVEURS

The restaurant near the town centre provides a welcoming setting and shaded courtyard. Fish is the hero in dishes showcasing fresh produce and Réunion Island flavours. An exotic melting pot of flavours from home and abroad!

Openforlunchanddinner, Closed Wednesday and Thursday. July and August: open daily. Set menus: 23.90€-33.90€ - Mains: 13.90€-19.90€

• 467 rue de la République – 30600 Vauvert **%** 33(0)648334074

☑ la.reunion.des.saveurs467@gmail.com









#### **IL MEZZO**

Il Mezzo is your ticket to Italian and Sicilian cuisine made using fresh produce in a former convent on the main square. Take you seat on the terrace when the sun's out and enjoy artisan wood-fired pizza, fresh homemade pasta and other specialities.

Open for lunch Tuesday-Saturday and dinner Thursday-Saturday.

Open for dinner on Wednesday in summer Set menu: 19.50€ Mains: 12€-26€

© 6 place du 8 mai 1945 - 30470 Aimargues **%** 33(0)466809007

# il-mezzo-aimargues.eatbu.com















### Casual restaurants

#### **LE 438**

Le 438 is a family-friendly restaurant that's perfect for a quick and tasty lunch made using seasonal produce.

There's a different set menu every day for you to eat on the terrace or take away.

Open for lunch Monday-Friday.

Meal deal (main/drink/dessert): 11€ - Main 8€

- Burger meal deal: 12.50€

438 chemin d'Aubord - 30600 Vauvert

**%** 33(0)698327523

☑ jalost9@gmail.com FI le438vauvert





#### **TACOS SQUARE**

Tacos Square is your go-to for tacos, burgers, salads and so much more near the high street. Our lovingly-made dishes are available to eat in ortake away.

Open daily for lunch and dinner.

Regular menu - Meal deals (burger or tacos + chips + drink: 7.90€-9.90€

30600 Vauvert **%** 33(0)466353691

★ tasyn30@gmail.com

tacossquare.fr











#### Caterers

Our catering partners can take care of your functions. They make classic and delicious family fare to suit any event.

#### **CKM TRAITEUR**

CKM Traiteur provides a range of quality services for your milestone events (christenings, weddings, birthdays) or business functions: stylish buffets, plate service or cocktail parties. Enjoy mouth-watering meals made using fresh produce. Food trays available for 6 people or more.

Open all year - Quote on request - Delivery

○ 5 Bd Alexandre Ducros - 30620 Bernis

**33(0)662308192** 

☐ contact@ckm-traiteur.fr

ckm-traiteur.fr

#### **GUYOT TRAITEUR LE POSQUIERE**

Le Posquière provides Mediterranean dishes and spit-roasts with function room hire. Mobile catering service throughout the region.

Meals on wheels (starter, main, cheese, dessert) for the general public and businesses available in Aimargues, Le Cailar, Vauvert, Saint-Laurent d'Aigouze, Vestric and Candiac, Vergèze and Codognan.

Open all year. Quote on request. Open all vear.

73 rue de l'Oratoire - 30600 Vauvert

33(0)466888207

**33(0)785531003** 

☐ info@guyot-traiteur.com

⊕ guyot-traiteur.com



As you wind your way through our beautiful region from Camargue to Costières, you'll see how the vineyard has sculpted the landscape and captured the bond between the land and wine.

Countless wineries have transitioned to organic farming over the last few years in all the area's designations.

The Costières de Nîmes designation is the biggest one in our area. Between the sea and Cévennes, the vineyard covers the plateaus and hillsides overlooking the Rhône delta and Mediterranean coast.

The Costières de Nîmes soil mainly contains round pebbles and clay-limestone.

Costières de Nîmes is made from all kinds of grape varieties. Red and rosé tend to use classic grapes such as syrah, grenache and mourvèdre with carignan and cinsault in supporting roles.

White wine is made using grenache blanc, roussanne and marsanne. At least two varieties must be blended in all three colours.

Further south, Sable de Camargue was given an AOP in 2023 and is an outstanding terroir where vines grow in the sand on former dunes. It stands out for its finesse, delicate touch, light body and carefree vibe. The popular grey, gris de gris and rosé wines capture the terroir with their blush hue, smooth mouthfeel and fresh flavour. They account for 94% of production. "Vin gris" or grey wine is a very pale wine.

The aromas are soft and gentle, just like the surrounding Camargue scenery.

IGP Pays d'Oc is the 3rd biggest wine-making area in our region. Our Pays d'Oc wines are fruity, exciting, modern and sophisticated.

### Vignobles et Découvertes label



The French Vignobles et Découvertes label recognises a range of visitor experiences and unique services provided by firstrate businesses: winemakers, restaurants, accommodation providers, tourist services. visitor centres and more. Our area is home to the Costières de Nîmes and Camarque. Languedoc Muscat de Lunel labels.

## Vineyard tour

#### **REJOIGNEZ MAUD SUR LE CHEMIN DES SABLES!**

A sensory experience deep in the vineyards! Join family, friends and Maud as you explore the family-run winery deep in the Vins des Sables de Camargue designation.

Learn the basics of ampelography or how to recognise grape varieties from the shape of the vine leaf on a walk in the vineyards.

Experience wine pairings from **Domaine Loïc** Nencioni Vigneron with a Camargue buffet in the great outdoors.

Available to book every day all year round

Mas Saint-Pierre - RD58 30600 Montcalm 33(0)625230736

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## Cooperative cellar

#### **GALLICIAN SIGNATURE**

AOP Costières de Nîmes, IGP Gard and IGP Pavs d'Oc.

Tastings, tours available to book.

Open Monday-Saturday: 9am-12pm and 2pm-6pm.







O Avenue des Costières - 30600 Gallician

33(0)466733165

☐ info@gallician.com

## Wineries

#### **Aimargues**

#### **DOMAINE DE VALESCURE -VIGNOBLES GUIRAUD**

AOP Sable de Camargue and IGP Pays d'OC. Cellar tour with wine expert on request.

Monday-Thursday: 8am-12pm & 2pm-5pm. Friday: 8am-12pm.

Closed on bank holidays and between Christmas and New Year.





Patrick Guiraud

Domaine du petit Bousquet D 288 - 30470 Aimargues

33(0)466880377

33(0)631685334

#### **DOMAINE HIVERNATY**

IGP Pays d'Oc.

Winery and cellar tours and tastings.

Open daily, just call ahead.



#### Julie Guillierme

Mas Saint-Blancard 30470 Aimargues

33(0)466880187

33 (O)6 85 33 36 3O

⊕ vin-hivernaty.fr

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#### Beauvoisin - Franquevaux

#### **CHÂTEAU BEAUBOIS**

AOP Costières de Nîmes.

Tours of the vineyard, cellar and tastings. 2 interactive guided walking tours using an app. Open all year: 9am-6pm (closed Sunday).









Boyer family

30640 Franquevaux

33(0)466733059

33(0)619814736

□ chateaubeaubois@orange.fr

♠ chateau-beaubois.com

#### DOMAINE DE BEL AIR LA CÔTE

IGP Gard and Vin de France.

Open daily: 10.30am-2.30pm & 4.30pm-8pm (closed Sunday). Sunday, bank holidays and half term: booking required. Motorhome area.





Philippe and Valérie Moine

30640 Franquevaux

33(0)466733022

33(0)675552800

33(0)651909253

#### DOMAINE LA GALINE

AOP Costières de Nîmes, IGP Gard and IGP Pavs d'Oc.

Tours and tastings. Farm shop. Room hire.

Available to book all year.



Alexandre Tixador

Mas Combe Rounive Chemin Puech de la Galine 30640 Beauvoisin

**33(0)662309634** 

@ domainelagaline.fr

#### Le Cailar

#### DOMAINE DU PÈRE GUILLOT

AOP Costières de Nîmes.

Open all year Monday-Friday: 8am-12pm

and 2pm-6pm.



Laurent Guillot

Route du Pont des Tourradons 30740 Le Cailar

33(0)474691402

33(0)608212084

@ pereguillot.fr

#### **Gallician**

#### **MAS DU NOTAIRE**

AOP Costières de Nîmes.

Tours and tastings. Several tasting experiences to choose from.

Monday-Saturday: 9am-12pm & 2pm-5pm until late March.

Monday-Sunday: 9am-12pm & 2.30pm-6pm late March to early November.



Jean-Pierre Rambier

30600 Gallician

33(0)466350300

33(0)750012887

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Vin de France.

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Stéphane Caupert

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Didier Jeanjacques

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High season Monday-Friday: 10am-12pm and 4pm-6pm. Saturday: 10am-12pm. Sunday: booking required.

Low season Monday-Friday: 11am-12pm and 4pm-5pm. Booking required on Saturday. Closed in January and October.



Loïc Nencioni

Mas Saint-Pierre Route des Saintes-Maries de la Mer 30600 Montcalm

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#### **Vauvert**

#### **CHÂTEAU ROUBAUD**

AOP Costières de Nîmes. Guided tours available to book.

Monday-Thursday: 9am-12pm & 2pm-5.30pm.

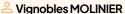
Booking required on Friday morning. Closed weekends and bank holidays.











- 30600 Gallician
- **33(0)466733064**
- □ chateau-roubaud@wanadoo.fr
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Guided tours and tastings on request. New: Picnic in the vineyards.

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- Service Nadine Renouard
- Ohemin des Coquillons 30600 Vauvert
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- ⊕ scamandre.com

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AOP Costières de Nîmes. Winery tour and tasting.

Monday-Friday: 9am-5pm. Booking required at the weekend.





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#### Fishing permits

We sell all kinds of fishing permits (annual, weekly or daily).

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You can top up your LIO card with us. You can top-up your card with 10 or 20 tickets or monthly and annual subscriptions.

#### Hiking guides and maps.

Hiking guides and maps. We sell a variety of hiking maps and guidebooks (hiking booklets) for the area such as the GR653 "Saint-Jacquesde- Compostelle" (Way of St James) and "Le Gardàpied" (The Gard Region on Foot).



## sustainable transport map

We've designed the Petite Camargue visitor map to making planning your break a breeze. It's full of walking and cycling ideas... you won't go anywhere without it whilst you're here!



### The Gard, the South

The Gard makes people smile and makes a statement: natural, cultural, architectural and foodie gems, expertise and quality produce, unique heritage and history.

That's what makes us who we are and showcases the best of the region to the world. The Cœur de Petite Camargue land lies in the south of this fabulous département.



#### Request our **Accommodation Guide**

Please request our Accommodation Guide for a great stay with us: campsites, B&Bs, campervans, hotels, villas and group accommodation.

## Labels and Symbols Key



Site Remarquable du Goût



Accessible Tourism



Disabled access



AOP Camargue Bull



Café de Pays



Pets allowed





Open farms network



Qualité **Tourisme** 



Airconditionina



Nature Reserves



Independent winemaker



Wi-Fi



Vianobles et Découvertes



High Environmental Value



Cheque



Independent butchers and catering alliance



Group of farmers promoting agriculture to the general public



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Organic farming



National heritage



Chèques déjeuner



Protected national sites



National artisan and artist standard



**Ticket** restaurant



Qualité Tourisme Occitanie Sud de France







Card Ticket

restaurant



Brand promoting local dishes and produce



Accueil Vélo



Holiday vouchers



Motorhome



Repair campaign to encourage people to reuse instead of replace





## ★ By plane

#### **Nîmes Airport**

nimes-aeroport.com % Tel: +33(0)466704949

#### Ryanair flights

Bookon

ryanair.com Daily flights from the UK (London-Luton and Stansted), Belgium, Morocco and

#### Montpellier Méditerranée Airport

montpellier.aeroport.fr **%** +33(0)825830003



## By train

#### On the TGV Méditerranée highspeed train

Nîmes station/Information and booking on **%** +33(0)836353535 or on

♠ voyages-sncf.com Paris/Nîmes services from Gare de Lyon (duration: 3hr) and Roissy Charles de Gaulle Airport (duration: 3.5 hr).

Brussels/Nîmes services (duration: 5 hr 25).

#### On board the TER LANGUEDOC-ROUSSILLON train (regional train and bus)

Toll-free number (free from a landline): **%** 33(0)800886091

ter-sncf.com/languedoc-roussillon

Nîmes-Le Grau du Roi services (stopping at Beauvoisin/Vauvert/Le Cailar/ Aimarques)



### ■ By car

#### A9 La Languedocienne motorway:

- Montpellier (towards Nîmes) -Gallargues-le-Montueux (25 min)
- Orange Nîmes Gallarguesle-Montueux (47 min)

#### A54 motorway

Arles/Nîmes then A9 Nîmes/Gallarquesle-Montueux (36 min)

#### From Marseille

A7-E80-A54-A9 (exit Gallarques-le-Montueux)(1hr32)

#### From Lvon

A7 then A9 (exit Gallargues-le-Montueux) (2hr40)

#### From Toulouse

A61 then A9 (exit Gallarques-le-Montueux) (2 hr 37)



#### By bus

#### On regional LIO buses

La Grande-Motte/Le Grau-du-Roi/Nîmes

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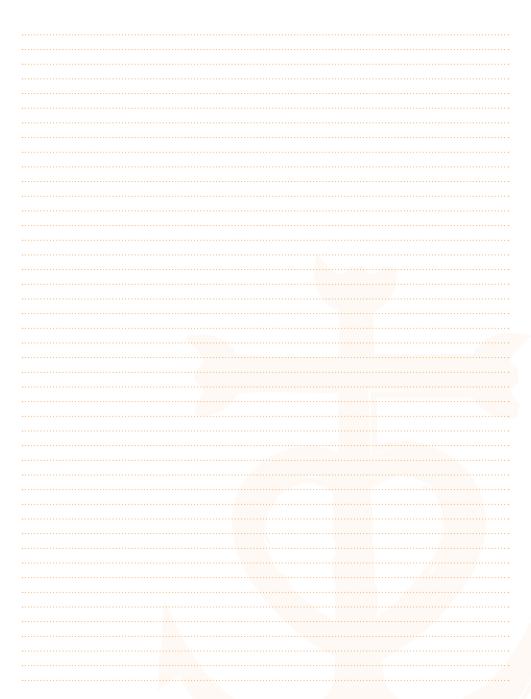
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What & on Accommodation





## Opening times

April-October Monday-Friday: 9am-1pm and 2pm-5.30pm. Saturday: 9am-1pm.

November-March Monday-Friday: 9am-1pm.



