

Special Interests 2016 - BTCVSP

Walking tours

OPERA GARNIER: MYSTERIES

Who has not dreamt of being locked up in this Palace of a thousand secrets, such as the famous Phantom... of the Opera?

Meandering through the artistic treasure that is the Opera Garnier, this is the unique feeling that will be offered to you by our guide. Lose yourself in its silent corridors; be amazed by its rich architecture and the abundant decor. The disconcerting Pythonisse will greet you before you take the majestic "Grand Escalier", bringing you to the auditorium, the lounges and the foyers.

A timeless classic 1h30 guided tour. After hours tour of the Opera house's public areas (after the Opera shuts to the general public).

Shared tour: 24 € per person

Private tour: 367 €

Available on Saturday.

This tour does not include a backstage tour of the Opera Garnier (premium offer proposed by the Opera Garnier itself).

The Palais Garnier, being a show site, for technical or artistic reasons, we cannot guarantee systematic access to the Auditorium.

BEHIND THE SCENES OF THE EIFFEL TOWER

Discover the Eiffel Tower as you've never seen it before!

Your guide will lead you to the backstage of the monument and will reveal its secrets.

You will have access to the usually closed to the public spaces: the Champs de Mars Bunker, formerly dedicated to military communications, the engine room which still controls the operation of the elevators...

You will finish the ascent on the 2nd floor of the tower, 115 meters high where you will reach the roof of the famous restaurant Le Jules Verne which offers a breathtaking and unique view of Paris.

This is an original tour that will allow you to discover the hidden face of this major Parisian building. For logistic reason, you really have to be at the meeting point 15 minutes before the tour starts.

Shared tour: 36 € per person

Private tour: 467 €

Available on Wednesday, Saturday and Sunday.

2CV

Essential Paris

During this 1h30 escapade, our cultivated and elegant chauffeur will show you the Essential Paris with comments and exclusive anecdotes.

Admire the must-see monuments and places of Paris during this 2CV ride in Essential Paris :

Opera Garnier, Place Vendôme, The Louvre, Ile de la Cité, Notre-Dame de Paris, The French Institute, Orsay Museum, Place de la Concorde, Champs-Élysées, Arch of Triumph, Trocadéro, Eiffel Tower, Quai Branly Museum, Champs de Mars, The Invalides, Pont Alexandre III, Grand Palais and Petit Palais, Palais de l'Élysée, La Madeleine church, Olympia Hall...

Price:

40 € / pers (3 pers per
2CV) 60 € / pers (2 pers
per 2CV) 120 € / pers (1
pers per 2CV)

Insolit Paris

During this escapade 1h30, our cultivated and friendly chauffeur will show you the insolite and secret places of Paris with comments and exclusive anecdotes.

Admire Unknown Paris in 2CV for an original ride.

Place Vendôme and its yardstick, Rue Saint Honoré, Saint Roch Church , La Comédie Française, Noctambules Kiosque, Bourse du commerce, Saint Eustache Church, Jean no fear Tower, Oldest house in Paris, Stravinsky Fountain Square, Cannonball of l'Hôtel de Sens, Hôtel de Sully, Ste Catherine Market Place, July Column, Arsenal Port, House of Gainsbourg, Marais Quarter, The Cloister Tickets.

Price:

80 €/pers (3 pers per 2CV)
120 €/pers (2 pers per
2CV) 240 €/pers (1 pers
per 2CV)

Bike Tours

Friday-Saturday-Sunday at 10H: Heart of Paris (Right Bank or Left Bank)
Saturday – Sunday at 15H: Paris Villages, Wednesday at 15 H: Paris Villages
Saturday at 20H30: Heart of Paris at Night
(From May to September only)

Price per person: 43 €

Price per person -26 years: 36 €

Cooking Class for Adults

Do you wish to cook like a French Chef?
Learn the art of French Cooking with a cooking class in Paris.

Choose from a range of hands-on cooking classes:
Food and Wine pairing, Making your own bread, Sweet Choux
Pastry Treats, French Regional Cuisine...

From 107 € per person

Dinner with locals

The first touristic city in the world is just about to reveal its secrets! Between Versailles, Montmartre, Tour Eiffel, Le Marais or Bastille, each part of the city will make you discover a different sensation.

The Parisian hosts are curious, passionate, enthusiastic and funny. Good news, they are all ready to make discover the best of their city and cuisine!

From: 74 € per person

Family Fun (for families up to 6 people)

Paris:

TREASURE HUNT IN THE LOUVRE

A private guide will welcome you and lead you through a game with puzzles, activity books and even a surprise at the end. Discover 11 masterpieces from the middle Ages, the Italian Renaissance and even as far back as Ancient Egypt! This privately guided walk includes fast-queue tickets to the Louvre, an entertaining notebook and a treasure.

2 hours, minimum age 6 years

Price: 514 €

Included: Certified guide for the family only, fast queue tickets, entertaining notebook and gift for the family.

PARIS AND THE KNIGHTS

Let's go back to medieval times, following the footsteps of Paris' knights and damsels. Explore sites dating back to the Middle Ages, including Notre-Dame, the medieval museum, narrow streets through old wooden houses, and even part of the ancient city walls. This privately guided walk includes tickets to the museum and of course plenty of medieval games and a notebook.

2 hours, minimum age 4 years

Price: 467 €

Included: Certified guide for the family only, tickets to the Cluny museum, entertaining notebook and gift for each child.

RIDE IN PARIS

Discover Paris on a scooter. You will enjoy some fantastic great strolls around the Eiffel Tower area and along the banks of the River Seine with a private English-speaking guide. Discover the main places of interest around: the Invalides, the Eiffel Tower, and the Pont Alexandre III... We will provide you with helmets knee and elbow protections.

2 hours, minimum age 4 years

Price: 767 €

Included: Certified guide for the family only, scooter for each member of the family, and safety protection, entertaining notebook and gift for each child.

PARIS DA VINCI CODE

Dive into the atmospheric Paris of the Da Vinci Code, looking for clues and solving riddles while walking around the Jardin du Luxembourg, Saint Sulpice and Saint Germain des Prés. Will you be able to crack the code? This privately guided walk includes tickets to the Pantheon and a notebook full of riddles.

2 hours, minimum age 10 years

Price: 514 €

Included: Certified guide for the family only, fast-queue tickets to the Pantheon, entertaining notebook and gift for each child.

BREAD & BRUNCH

Bread... this is almost Paris' most iconic food. Have you ever dreamt of baking a baguette? Learn everything about bread and how to make it before enjoying your own home-made brunch in an environment specially designed for kids.

2 hours, minimum age 4 years

Price: 727 €

Included: Chef for the family only, brunch for the family, hats for the kids and recipes after the trip

PATISSERIE CLASS

This activity will introduce you to the most enjoyable part of Parisian gastronomy: the pâtisserie. You will meet your private chef at the cookery school and prepare your very own pastries (choux, éclairs...) along with a delicious hot chocolate. The chef will be there just for you so that you can make the best out of this fun experience. And after the effort, you will enjoy eating your tasty creations!

A typical French snack break during which your chef will tell you many exciting stories and fun facts about the art of the French cuisine.

2,5 hours, minimum age 6 years

Price: 727 €

Included: Chef for the family only, visit to gourmet shops with a chef

BECOME A PARFUMEUR

In the comfort of a very traditional Parisian house, or outside on a terrace during the summer, you will discover the secret of the French art of parfumerie. After blind sampling the different scents, you will choose your favourite and mix them to create your very own perfume to bring back home.

2 hours, minimum age 6 years

Price: 660 €

Included: Perfumer for the family only, one perfume bottle per member of the family.

Loire Valley:

SAILING DOWN THE RIVER LOIRE

This is the perfect way to take a wistful break in the area and to let yourself be carried along at the gentle pace of the river's ebb and flow.

Let your family discover the last truly wild river in France aboard a traditional wooden boat. To cap off the experience, we will include a fishing activity for the kids and the opportunity to try to try their chances and drop in a line.

4 hours, minimum age 4 years

Price: 1307 €

Included: Private boat, crew, fishing license for each child, wine tasting for adults

LOCAL COOKING

We are able to organise a cooking class in a safe place with your children before enjoying a visit to a traditional market in the heart of the historical city of Tours. Discover the gastronomic delights of the region with a delicious meal of local specialties.

4 hours, minimum age 6 years

Price: 827 €

Included: Chef for the family only, visit to the market with a chef, lunch