



# MANDELIEU CONGRES

## Accompanying person program – Group activities

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CENTRE EXPO CONGRES is in the  
process of obtaining ISO 20121  
certification.



We're delighted to introduce you to Mandelieu and the region through some of our key activities.

**Prices are based on a minimum number of people, and activities must be booked by e-mail before September, 14 to the Convention Bureau :**

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We'll let you discover the program of activities and get back to us.  
*If we don't have the minimum number of people for an activity, we'll have to cancel it.*

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# Electric boat trip On the river "Siagne"

## Monday, September 25 - 3 pm

An hour's stroll along the banks of the Siagne followed by a snack at the café d'Antan

**Duration: 1h30**

Au Fil de l'Eau - Electric boat trip on the Siagne river. Easy to pilot, safe to navigate Enjoy a quiet, bucolic ride and discover Mandelieu's hidden landscapes and flora and fauna.

This 1-hour tour will be followed by a refreshing break at the "Café d'Antan" in front of the pontoon.

These pretty electric boats, with no need for a permit, are waiting for you at the "Au Fil de l'Eau" pontoon on the banks of the Siagne.

**Group rate (minimum of 10 persons and maximum of 36 persons)**

**€25 per person, including boat trip in small group, followed by a refreshing break.**





Discovered by the Romans, it was in medieval times that the de Villeneuve family built a fortress on the site, which was destroyed and rebuilt several times over the course of history. It wasn't until 1918 that a couple of American artists and patrons of the arts - the Clews - acquired the ruins of the fortress and decided to rebuild it. The Château today... The Château de La Napoule houses and preserves the cultural and historical heritage of Henry and Marie Clews. At the same time, the Château's owner, La Napoule Art Foundation, welcomes artists, most of them international. Accomplished and emerging artists from all over the world are selected each year to participate in artist residencies at the Château de La Napoule. The Henry Clews Museum showcases the secret world of Henry and Marie Clews. Henry Clews' strange, mystical sculptures blend seamlessly into the building and gardens, adding their own touch of strangeness to the place.

# Château La Napoule

Tuesday, September 26 – 10am





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Departure with shuttle from the Congress Center of Mandelieu (Centre Expo Congrès)

Guided tour of the Château la Napoule

Return by bus around 11:30am

Group rate (minimum of 15 persons and maximum 45 persons)

Duration: 1H30

Departure by bus from the Centre Expo Congrès to Château de la Napoule

€40 per person



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## ½ DAY IN GOURDON AND VISIT TO THE FLORIAN CONFECTIONERY

**Wednesday, September 27 – 1pm**

**Departure with shuttle from the Congres Center of Mandelieu  
(Centre Expo Congrès)**

**Guided tour in Gourdon and guided tour at the Confiserie Florian**

**Return by bus around 5pm.**

### **Visit the village of Gourdon**

One of France's most beautiful villages, Gourdon is a medieval fortress overlooking the verdant Vallée du Loup. From the Place Victoria, listed in 1940, you can enjoy an exceptional panorama of 80 km of coastline, stretching from Nice to Théoule, revealing the Mediterranean Sea. On the route des saveurs et des senteurs, the village has retained its authentic charm, with its 12th-century Romanesque church. The village's lively streets, Provençal houses, numerous craftsmen and warm welcome make it one of the region's most popular spots.

### **Visit the Confiserie Florian**

Since 1949, Confiseries Florian has been welcoming tourists from all over the world. They are tourism professionals, and in addition to the great care they take in making their products, their top priority is the excellent welcome they reserve for visitors.

### **Group welcome :**

As soon as you arrive, you'll be greeted by a guide who will offer a welcome tasting to each of your guests. Then she'll take you workshop by workshop through the secrets of making the sweet specialties of southern France.

### **Tour duration :**

The guided tour is offered in 5 languages (French, English, German, Italian, Spanish) and lasts around 15 minutes. We recommend a 45-minute stopover.

**Purchase:** Participants will end their visit with a free tasting of the confectionery's specialties, and can purchase products at factory prices if they wish.

**Group rate (minimum of 20 persons and  
maximun of 45 persons) :**

**From 40€ per person**

**Duration : guided tour of Gourdon and  
the Confiserie Florian : 1h30/1h45**

**And guests could by some products on site  
(1/2 day with transport)**





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# ½ DAY AT GRASSE AND ITS PERFUMES

## Thursday, September 28 sept - 2pm

Shuttle departure from the Congress Center of Mandelieu (Centre Expo Congrès)  
Animation and guided tour at La Parfumerie Fragonard and return by bus around 5pm.

**« Flower of the Year » animation :** 20 minutes for the animation and 45 minutes for the factory tour.  
Each year a new flower is celebrated at Fragonard; we offer you to unveil the history, the origin, the culture of this very special flower and the way it is used in perfumery. A moment of sensory and olfactory memory development with the explanation of the olfactory pyramid, the recognition of 3 blended compositions that enter into the Flower of the year eau de toilette. At the end of the workshop, you are able to create and customize, following the advices of our teacher, your own Eau de Toilette (12ml bottle spray).

*This workshop is given by a professional. Each group is welcomed with a guided tour of our factory led by guides fluent in major foreign languages.*

**(Animation, Guided tour, transport) :**

**Group rate (minimum of 20 persons and maximum of 30 persons)**

**From 55€per person**

**Duration: Animation + guided tour : 1h30**

**And guests could buy some products on site  
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