PRESSE PACK-PROGRAM



Ouistreham Riva-Bella Nautical Festival: the

program

Saturday 13th and Sunday 14th of June, 2015



Event organized by the City of Ouistreham Riva-Bella

Free entrance

12:00am-7:00pm : treasure hunt between the beach and the port. A family activity organized by Anim'Jeunes Association of Ouistreham Riva-Bella. Free registration at both the Association's stands on the beach as well as at the port. Small prizes will be donate to the winners (merry-go-round tickets, pens, umbrellas..)

PORT, OUTER HARBOR AND CHANNEL

All day long, from 11:00am to 8:00pm:

- Boat trips along the channel. Three departures : 11am-4pm-6:30pm. It's organized at the end of the Channel Festival by Doris de la Côte de Nacre Association and the Maritime Heritage Regional Committee of Normandy. Moreover, an information point of Trip Normand (a Tourism Association well rooted in the area) will be present during the event.
- Visit of docked boats: old sailboats, military boats.
- "Aquabulle" activity for kids (from 11am to 11pm).
- Exhibition of the refitting project of the outer harbor, organized by PNA (Ports of Normandy Association).
- Smoking of mackerels: free tasting, offered by the Friends of Coast Heritage and Animation Association.
- **Ship model** Hermanville: exhibition of ship models on a 60m² pool.
- Art Exhibition: the Artists' Party Association holds free painting workshops for children.





Moreover...the thematic stands:

- The Yvan's Challenge (first round the world trip on a catamaran without a living area).
- Arts and Crafts Market (jewelry and home decorations).
- Sell of objects with "the colors" of Ouistreham Riva- Bella.

11:00am :

Nature trip "to discover the Orne's estuary". (Walking tour, duration : 1h-1h30min)

Commented and hold by Jarno Deguy of the CREPAN and Sébastien Bernède of the Environmental Services Bureau of Ouistreham Riva-Bella. Meeting point : stand of the Tourist Office, at 10:45 am.

Entrance of old sailboats into the small lock of the port



"Grandcopaise" 's Arrival, organized the Tourbouai Association of Bessin.

Built en 1949 at the shipyard Barbanchon et Douvet (Cherbourg, Lower-Normandy) following a plan dated 1934, the vessel, named at the time "Two Friends", had been used as a fishing boat till 1988, when it was sold to a yachtsman. It was renamed "Franck Yannick". After some works, it was abandoned at the port of Grandcamp, where it would even been once submerged by the tide. In July 1990, the "Old Ship's Tackles Association" called "Tourbouai" was founded in the Bassin aerea. The Association bought and restored the old ship for the municipality of Grandcamp-Maisy, which left the 50% of its property rights to the Tourbouai, giving to it full authority concerning management and maintenance of the boat.

1:00pm-2:30pm

National public consultation on water

Organized by CREPAN

2:30pm-3:00pm

Water-ski : Show on the Channel, between the locks and the marina Offered by Wake Up Association

2:30pm-5:30pm

Visit of the one-hundred-year-old lighthouse of Ouistreham Riva-Bella. Organized by the Tourist Office

Tickets : 1€

3:00pm-4:00pm

Baby-Ski : introduction

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3:00pm-5:00pm

Sea Kayak : "an unusual discovery of the channel"



3:00pm-4:20pm

Tour of the harbormaster's office guided by Captain Bayle : 4 group visits with a maximum of 10 participants each. Children under 12 are not allowed to take part in the guided tour. Registration at stand of the Tourist Office requested .

4h30pm

Conference. Topic: erosion and protection of the coastline

Host : Michel Olagnon (French Institute of Research for Sea's Exploitation) Where : Yacht Club – Ouistreham Riva-Bella Duration : 1h30-2h00 (it depends by the number of questions of the public)

5:00pm-6:00pm

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6:00pm-6:30pm

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9:00pm

Miss Jack concert



Free open-air show!

On-site food service

11:00pm

Fireworks at the port



BEACH

All day long, from 9:00am to 7:00pm

Exhibition of the SAR dogs of Aquadog Association.

Lifeguard tower n.2

Open to the participation of the public (swimsuit recommended)



THE EVENT IN THE EVENT : "WIND OF MADNESS" FESTIVAL AND FRENCH CHAMPIONSHIP OF KITE

- **"Wind of Madness"** :Festival and French Championship of kite, 4th edition. 9:00am-7:00pm, with the possibility of a night-time continuance (it depends by the weather). National and international champions will be present at the event, as well as the French team who participated at the last World Championship 2014.
- **Surf Shop** : exhibition, selling and fixing of boards and sails.



And also... At ESPLANADE LOFI

- Art Exhibition (Artists' Meeting Association)
- Exhibition of an offshore boat (Caen Nautic Club)
- Info points and stands of the associations (SRCO, OCEAN, Nautical Station, Fishing Club, Tourist Office)

1:00pm-3:00pm

Introduction to sand yachting Offered by Ouistreham - Colleville-Montgomery – OCEAN

2:00pm-5:00pm

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11:00am

Start of the Voiles Océans Regatta (organization : SRCO and Sword Regatta)

12:00am

Coast Guard Helicopter show (thanks to the participation at the Festival of SNSM)

12:00am-1:30pm

Baby-Ski: introduction Offered by Wake Up Association

2:00pm-5:00pm

Completion of the **construction of a small boat**, organized for the **Channel Festival** which takes place the same weekend of the ORB Nautical Fest. This dinghy has been built step by step along the channel at the different towns which participate to the event.

5:00pm

Tombola: the first price will be a dinghy!

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3:00pm-4:00pm and 5:00pm-6:00pm

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3:30pm

Live music

6:00pm

Depart of 40 old sailboats from the small lock of the port (organized by the Maritime Heritage Regional Committee of Normandy). The "Le Pluvier", a Vessel of the National Marine will be present as well as several members of the Maritime Gendarmerie.

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- Board sports area (Skimboarding and hamboarding. Activities offered and hold by Mauna Kea)

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To eat : hot-dog and fries, sandwiches and any kind of refreshment are available thanks to the participation of the Commercial Union of Ouistreham Riva-Bella. Saturday night : Giant Paella at the port! Please confirm your participation at Axa (shopping mall of Carrefour, in Route de Caen), Aigue Marine (53 Avenue de la Mer) or at the Tourist Office. People who are not registered will be served while stocks last.

For further information or if you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact us: **Tourist Office** : 02 31 97 18 63 **Events Service Bureau** : 02 31 97 73 06/03

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