

FOOD AT THE FESTIVAL (Food trucks)

Thursday

Fish n' Chips and Dishes from La Réunion

Friday/Saturday/Sunday

Crêpes/Snacks/Fish n' Chips/Pizzas/Vegetarian options/Dishes from La Réunion

Saturday midday: The annual meal for the classic car owners, which others are welcome to join. This year it is being held at the "Espace Georges Le Meur", at the entrance to the Festival site at 12h30: Sangria and Tapas/ Paella Royale/Café Gourmand while listening to the band "Big Easy" . It's 16€ (drinks not included) and it is essential to book.

Write (in English) to contact@fest-jazz.com to reserve your places.

Payment in cash or by Bank Card.

SHOPS IN THE VILLAGE

Food shopping: there are two shops that are very popular: the CocciMarket, 12 rue General de Gaulle, which has a brilliant range of food and day to day necessities (it is also open on Sunday mornings) and the Leclerc supermarket, rue de Morlaix which has a large range of food and wines.

Souvenirs and presents: Les Caves de l'Argoat, Rue de la Mairie (opposite the Tourist Office). One of the oldest houses in the town, dating from the 16th century. An Aladdin's cave of beautiful things! Well worth a visit! Open Sunday mornings

RESTAURANTS IN THE VILLAGE

- Le Petit Rozell (traditional crêpes), Rue de la Mairie. Excellent Breton crêpes
- La Volterra (mostly Italian food but not only), Rue de la Mairie. Very popular.
- Astrolabe (Good set menu at 13€, wine included) Open only at lunchtimes
- Kouigns & Companie, Place de la Résistance : teas, coffees, delicious Breton cakes and cookies and light meals of very interesting salads. Open from Breakfast – 19h.
- Le Chaland, Pont du Roy. Pizzas, steaks and grillades. Superb setting.

TICKETS INSTEAD OF CASH

No cash at the bars anymore! As in most festivals in France, you need to buy "Drinks Tickets" at the little tents, "Guichet Tickets". You then use these tickets to buy drinks, crepes and snacks. The Food Trucks, however, use cash, not tickets, as does the meal at midday on Saturday.

Also, to reduce plastic at the festival, the glasses are recyclable and "rented" for 1€, returnable when you have finished.

How to withdraw cash?

Caisse d'épargne Bank -> Place du Marché

Crédit Agricole Bank -> Rue du général du Gaulle

CMB Bank -> 2b Place du Park

Leclerc Supermarket (except on Sunday) -> Route de Morlaix



A GUIDE IN ENGLISH (to use with the official Festival Brochure)



Welcome to Fest Jazz 2022!
We really hope you have a great time!

ARRIVAL ON THE SITE

There is only one entrance. Times of Opening:

Thursday 28 th 18h
Friday 29th July, 14h
Saturday 30th July, 12h
Sunday 31 st July, 12h

If you have bought your ticket in advance and printed it, you show it at the Ticket Office. Your ticket will be scanned and you will receive a bracelet which will give you access to all the venues.

However, if you need to buy a ticket, you can use cash (euros only), or a bank card. UK cheques cannot and will not be accepted. You will then receive your bracelet and have access to all the venues.

PARKING

There is no parking in the festival site (except for those having a “Reduced Mobility” Pass and registered classic car owners) but a Park and Ride scheme is in operation. You can leave your car at the signposted free parking areas in the village (Parking 1, Place du Marché) and a free bus will pass every 15 minutes to take you to the entrance of the festival. If the Place de Marché is full follow the signs to Parking 2, Salle ar Sterenn)

Please do NOT park on the road by the festival entrance. You will receive a fine of 80€.

Bus schedule:

Thursday 28th July, 18:00 to 00:00
Friday 29th July, 14h to 00:30
Saturday 30 th July 12h to 01h30
Sunday 28th July, 12h to 00:30

To go on foot to and from the festival site and the town, use the steps just in front of the Tourist Office which take you behind the Tal ar Pont Bar.

Do not walk on the main road, there is no pavement, and it is very dangerous!

“REDUCED MOBILITY” ACCESS

If you already registered as having reduced mobility, please inform us before the festival (contact@fest-jazz.com). We will then send you a badge for the windscreen to allow you to pass the checkpoint at the entry, buy or show your ticket, and then you can continue to park the car close to whichever “scene” you wish to go to.

PROGRAMME

The programme is entirely listed in the Festival Brochure with English translations of the artists’ descriptions, but here is some additional information about this weekend:

Thursday 28th July

This is the traditional “pre-festival party” that used to be held in the legendary “Tal ar Pont” bar on the banks of the River Aulne. Sadly the bar is now closed and the festivities are held in Scène 2 on the main festival site.

Friday 29th July/Saturday 30 th July/Sunday 31 st July

The site is now more compact than a few years ago. There are 4 “scenes” and it is easy to stroll between them all. Note that Scène 4 is also the “Bar à Vin” (Wine Bar) of the festival with lots of good tastes awaiting you!

The Brochure and the Programme (“Dépliant”) of the festival can both be easily downloaded from the “Welcome” page of our website. The brochure has brief résumés of the groups in English.

THE FESTIVAL “OFF” (Fringe Festival)

From 10h – 12h15 on Saturday morning there are concerts in the Place de Resistance in the centre of Châteauneuf with a magnificent collection of Classic Cars.

The festival has developed considerably since 2019 and now holds concerts in several of the smaller villages around Châteauneuf. A list of these concerts will be available in the Tourist Office and at the entrance to the festival.

Another tradition is the « Route de l’Ardoise”, a fleet of old barges and other interesting craft, which call in at the festival around 17h on the Sunday. There will be a concert in the Bar “Canal Loisirs” at the entrance to the festival at 18h.

Château de Trevarez

This chateau, four kilometres from the festival, is a popular tourist attraction. It has a partnership with Fest Jazz and there are two concerts during the weekend:

Saturday 15h – 16h30: The Mama Shakers/Sunday 15h – 16h30: The Trucking Sisters
A Fest Jazz bracelet allows you admission to the Château at the reduced price of 5€50 rather than 8€.