

# EVENTS & ACTIVITIES PROGRAM



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From 14<sup>th</sup> to 25<sup>th</sup> July

## Drawing contest

Chamonix Valley  
Until 31<sup>st</sup> July

**Theme : Draw me a mountain lake**

Informations and submission of drawings to any of the 5 Tourist Offices in the Valley.



## Mont BI'Enquêtes

Chamonix Valley  
Until Sunday 31<sup>st</sup> August

Treasure hunt throughout the Chamonix Valley.  
Raphouche the chamois has disappeared - investigate !  
Information available from the Valley's Tourist Offices.



## 27<sup>th</sup> Baroque Festival of the Mont Blanc Region Churches of the Chamonix Valley

- Monday 14<sup>th</sup> July - 8.30 pm - Telemann Quartet - « Telemann senza continuo »  
Saint Loup church in Servoz - Prices : € 27 (in advance), € 30 (on site)
- Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> July - 8.30 pm - Hostel Dieu concert - « Bach to minimalism »  
Saint-Michel church in Chamonix - Prices : € 27 (in advance), € 30 (on site)
- Friday 18<sup>th</sup> July - 8.30 pm - Alia Mens and Nicolas Kuntzelmann - « Purcell songs » - Saint-Jean Baptiste church - Prices : € 27 (in advance), € 30 (on site)

Information and ticketing : <https://www.festivalmontblanc.fr/edition-2025/>

## MONDAY 14<sup>th</sup> JULY

### 🎯 Introduction to archery

From 10.30 am to 6.30 pm - Paradis des Praz, Chamonix  
Half-hour : € 10 / Hour : € 15. For groups of 5 to 10 people, booking required : +33 (0)6 12 26 57 76 - From 4 years old

### 🎭 The legend of Les Chavants

From 9 pm - Lac des Chavants, Les Houches

Sound and light show, vertical dance, music and flames immersed between the cliffs and the lake. Free access - Free parking for the event  
9 pm : Concert by the Harmonie Municipale des Houches  
10 pm : Show « La légende des Chavants »  
11 pm : 14 July Ball with DJ - Dance Floor with Kevin Keen  
Refreshments and food on site - Cancelled in case of bad weather

## TUESDAY 15<sup>th</sup> JULY

### 🔍 Discovery trip to the physics school at Les Houches

From 1.30 pm to 3 pm - Meet at the Les Houches physics school  
Tour of the premises and 2 talks of around 30 minutes each - Free.  
Registration only by e-mail : amisdeshouches74@gmail.com

### 👥 Workshop : Cow pot

From 2.30 pm to 4.30 pm - Musée Montagnard, Les Houches

Family workshop preceded by a tour of the milk museum.

Book before 6 pm the day before by calling : +33 (0)7 60 04 14 26.

Ages 7 and up - Price : € 4.50 (per person)

### 🎪 Village Festival

From 4 pm to 11 pm - Place du Village, Argentière

Come and celebrate with a barbecue, a refreshment bar and dance to pop/rock music ! Concert from 9 pm - Free access

### 👨‍👩‍👧‍👦 Family show

6 pm - Lac des Chavants, Les Houches

« Ils sont vraiment trop », by Cie Djacque Le Notaire. Offered by the Chamonix Valley Tourist Office. In case of bad weather, retreat to the Espace Animation where the number of places is limited

### 👤 Conference : A short guide to glaciology

From 6 pm to 7.30 pm - Salle communale, Argentière

An interactive conference designed to help you understand the glaciers of yesterday, today and tomorrow. 2025 is the international year of glacier preservation - Free

## WEDNESDAY 16<sup>th</sup> JULY

### 🗺️ Guided tour : Bellevue on the edge

From 9.30 am to 11 am - Meet in front of the Bellevue cable car station

Price : € 7 per person, free for under 15 years old.

Bookings must be made the day before on : +33 (0)6 40 10 54 45

### 🌿 Nature outing : Introduction to botany

From 2 pm to 4.30 pm - Vallorcine Tourist Office

Adults : € 8, Children : € 4 (under 18 years old) - From age 10. Reservation required, no later than the day before by 6 pm : +33 (0)7 63 78 62 84

### 📖 Partir en livre - « Fantastic animals in Land Art »

From 2.30 pm to 6 pm - Meet at the Chamonix Library

Fantastic animals in Land Art, in the Bois du Bouchet.

Back-up at the Chamonix media library in case of bad weather.

Open to all - Free admission. Registration required : + 33 (0)4 50 53 34 82

### 🎪 Indian Evening

From 8 pm to 10.30 pm - Temple Protestant, Chamonix

Denis and Ciro offer an evening of classical Indian music : sitar and tabla.

Organic Indian meal after the concert - Free admission

### 🏒 Ice Hockey Game

From 8pm to 11pm - Ice rink at the Richard Bozon sports centre, Chamonix

Preparatory match Chamonix Vs Sélection Mont-Blanc.

Paying, depending on the pitch chosen, free for under 4 years old.

Tickets available at the Chamonix Tourist Office, on the club's website or from the ticket office on match nights (subject to availability)

## THURSDAY 17<sup>th</sup> JULY

### Under the bridges of Servoz : wild and tumbling streams

From 9.30 am to 12 pm - Meet in front of Servoz SNCF station

The Association Servoz : History and Traditions invites you on a free 2.5 hour walk, accessible to all, between Arve and Diosaz rivers. Limited spots available. Reservation required at the Servoz Tourist Office : +33 (0)4 50 47 21 68

### Workshop : Miniature cable car

From 10 am to 12 pm - Musée Montagnard, Les Houches

Family workshop preceded by a short tour of the temporary exhibition.

From age 7 - One price : € 4.50 (per person).

By reservation before 6 pm the day before : +33 (0)7 60 04 14 26

### Treasure hunt

From 10.30 am to 2.30 pm - Lac des Chavants, Les Houches

Discover the Chavants site in Les Houches. Registration on site from

10.30 am to 2.30 pm - Cancelled in case of bad weather - Free

### Workshop : « Introduction to cyanotype »

From 2 pm to 5 pm - Maison du Lieutenant, Servoz

Learn how to use cyanotype, an ancient photographic technique, to create unique postcards. Adults : € 8, Children : € 4.

Registration required by text message : + 33 (0)6 62 83 45 81

### MB Enduro experience

From 2 pm to 5 pm - Prarion cable car, Les Houches

On the program : EDR and DH piloting workshops ! Open to adults and children aged 10 and over with a good level of technique.

Mandatory equipment : mountain bike and helmet

One-off price : € 12 (This price includes the package and goodies).

Information and registration : <http://www.mb-race.com/mb-enduro-experience>

### Guided tour with a crystal-maker

2.15 pm & 4.15 pm - Musée des Cristaux - Espace Tairraz, Chamonix

Full price : € 8, Reduced price : € 5.50, free for under-18s, from 10 years

old. Booking required until 12 noon the same day : +33 (0)4 50 54 78 39

### Puppet creation workshop

From 4 pm to 5.30 pm - Maison de village, Argentière

Come and make your own shadow puppet - From age 6 - Free.

Booking required : + 33 (0)4 50 54 03 06

### Conference by the Association les Amis du Vieux Chamonix

From 6 pm to 8 pm - Le Majestic - Centre des Congrès, Chamonix

Disappearance of the great glaciers : what impact on tourism ? Lecture by Emmanuel Salim, Senior Lecturer at Toulouse Jean Jaurès University and Associate Researcher at the University of Lausanne - Free admission

### Conference : Skiing and ski resorts, images of modernity

From 8.30 pm to 10 pm - Espace Animation, Les Houches

The history of winter sports resorts presented by Guillaume Demurs, specialist journalist - Free admission



## FRIDAY 18<sup>th</sup> JULY

### Transhumance Festival

From 10 am to 4 pm - Maison de Village d'Argentière

- 10 am - 4 pm : transhumance market in the Place du Village

- 10 am : departure of the Tour herd towards Argentière

- 11 am : arrival of the herd at the Maison de Village in Argentière

- 3 pm - 3.30 pm : departure of the herd to the Flégère mountain pasture

Free access - Train or bus highly recommended

### Nature outing : A wild cortil

From 10 am to 11.30 am - Col des Montets, Argentière

A guided treasure hunt for all the family, children and adults alike. Discover nature and the mountains. From age 6 - Free. Reservations required, by 6 pm the day before at the latest : + 33 (0)7 63 78 62 84

### Open-air Zumba initiation

7.30 pm - Place du Village, Les Houches

Discovery offered by the Alti'Move association

### Les Houches School of Physics Conference

9 pm - Espace Animation, Les Houches

« The Euclid telescope conquering the dark Universe : diving into the heart of the cosmic web » with Clotilde Laigle, Paris institute of astrophysics - Free

## Summer tribute in Chamonix - The Police

Parc Couttet à Chamonix

Friday 18<sup>th</sup> July at 9 pm

« The Police Vibrations », a « Police » tribute band.

A free concert not to be missed !

Organised by the Chamonix Valley Tourist Office



## SATURDAY 19<sup>th</sup> JULY

### Partir en livre - « Musical and storytelling stroll »

From 2 pm to 6 pm - Meet at the Servoz library

Head off the beaten track through the Servoz forest to the Lieutenant's House - From age 6. Registration required : + 33 (0)4 50 54 78 57.

Fallback to the Maison du Lieutenant in case of bad weather

### Concert Ibrahim Maalouf presents TOMA / L'Index en Fête

From 6 pm to 10 pm - Restaurant l'Index, Chamonix

Composer and best-selling author Ibrahim Maalouf brings us his exclusive show Trumpets Of Michel Ange ! Tickets.

Online ticketing : <https://auraevents.live/indexenfete2025/>

### Les Bossons Village Festival

From 6 pm - Esplanade du tremplin des Bossons

On the program : barbecue, mechoui, concerts by 3 music groups, bouncy castles, tombola - Free admission

## SATURDAY 19<sup>th</sup> & SUNDAY 20<sup>th</sup> JULY

### Inauguration of the Mont Blanc observatory

From 10 am to 7.30 pm - Observatoire du Mont-Blanc, Chamonix

On the program : round tables, lectures and workshops on participatory science - Free admission

## Summer tributes in Les Houches

Lac des Chavants in Les Houches

Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> & Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> July at 9 pm



**Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> July** : ABBA for Ever, the « ABBA » tribute band

On stage, the group put on a truly interactive show, retracing the history of ABBA and drawing the audience into their DISCO world.

**Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> July** : Jean Louis and Co', « Telephone » tribute band

1h45 of supercharged rock and a young, dynamic team for a crazy live concert !

Concert offered by the commune of Les Houches and the Tourist Office

## SUNDAY 20<sup>th</sup> JULY

### Argen'trail - 9<sup>th</sup> edition

From 9 am to 5.30 pm - In front of the Maison de Village d'Argentière  
The Argentrail and the Grands Montets trail are self-guided walking and trail races. Information : <https://www.argentrail.com/>

### Show : « Les aigles du Léman »

From 11.30 am to 4.30 pm - Top of the Prarion cable car, Les Houches  
3 shows (12 pm, 3 pm and 4 pm) and 2 photo sessions (11.30 am and 3.30 pm). Free admission (excluding ski lifts)

### Organ concert for the Chamonix organ festival

5 pm - Saint-Michel church, Chamonix  
Organist Konstantin VOLOSTNOV (BERLIN) - Free admission

## MONDAY 21<sup>st</sup> JULY

### Cultural meeting : A palace at the foot of mont Blanc

From 4 pm to 5.30 pm - Musée alpin, Chamonix  
An opportunity to find out how this luxury building earned its place in the mountains - From age 10 - Free.  
Bookings by text message : +33 (0)7 60 04 15 84

### Recital Diner Piano S. Cassar - Orgues Musiques et Cimes

From 6 pm to 10.30 pm - Hôtel du Buet, Vallorcine  
Piano recital by Stefan Cassar performing works by Beethoven, Mozart, Liszt and Chopin - Full price : € 50 (including recital and dinner).  
Reservations required before 15 July on : +33 (0)4 50 54 60 05

### Robin Maxime - Classical, Spanish and South American masterpieces

8 pm - Saint-Michel church, Chamonix  
Robin Maxime, virtuoso guitarist - Tickets on sale at the venue.  
Full price : € 15, Reduced price : € 8, free for under 11 years old

### Open-air cinema

9.45 pm to nightfall - Lac des Chavants, Les Houches  
« Nous les Leroy » by Florent Bernard, free outdoor screening. Back-up at the Espace Animation in case of bad weather

## TUESDAY 22<sup>nd</sup> JULY

### Workshop : Linogravure

From 2 pm to 5 pm - Musée Montagnard, Les Houches  
Workshop for teenagers and adults preceded by a guided tour of the temporary exhibition. From age 10 - One-off charge : € 4.50 (per person).  
Bookings must be made before 6 pm the day before : +33 (0)7 60 04 14 26

### Escape to read

From 4.30 pm to 5.30 pm - In front of the Maison de Village d'Argentière  
Free - In case of bad weather retreat to the Maison de Village

### Family show

6 pm - Lac des Chavants, Les Houches  
« 440 Là ! » by Cie du Menu Fretin, musical and clown show, ages 5 and up - Running time : 55 min. In case of bad weather, retreat to the Espace Animation where places are limited - Free

### Conference : The blood of the glaciers

From 6 pm to 7.30 pm - Salle communale, Argentière  
Study of mountain algae and life inside snow and ice - Free

### Open-air cinema

9.45 pm to nightfall - Car park at the SNCF station, Vallorcine  
« Un petit truc en plus » by Artus, open-air screening with free admission.  
Cancelled in case of bad weather

## WEDNESDAY 23<sup>rd</sup> JULY

### The Chavantures - 18<sup>th</sup> edition

From 8.30 am to 5 pm - Lac des Chavants, Les Houches  
A day for children aged 8 to 12. This event takes place over one day, with six challenges (3 in the morning, 3 in the afternoon).  
Price : € 8 (includes barbecue and snack).  
Registration at Les Houches Tourist Office until Monday 21 July

### Nature outing : Mountain of leaves and needles

From 9 am to 12 pm - Tré-les-Champs car park, Argentière  
Discover the trees of our mountain forests - From age 6.  
Adults : € 8, Children (under 18) : € 4. Booking required, at the latest the day before before 6 pm : + 33 (0)7 63 78 62 84

### Cultural meeting : The Mer de Glace by Gabriel Loppé

From 10.30am to 11.30am - Musée des Cristaux - Espace Tairraz, Chamonix  
From 12 years - Full price : € 8, Reduced price : € 5.50, free for under-18s.  
Reservations by text message until 6 pm the day before : +33 (0)7 60 04 15 84

### Ciné débat « Sophie Lavaud - Le dernier sommet » with François Damilano - Free participation

6 pm - Espace Animation, Les Houches

### Ice Hockey Game

From 8pm to 11pm - Ice rink at the Richard Bozon sports centre, Chamonix  
Preparatory match Chamonix Vs Sélection Mont-Blanc.  
Paying, depending on the pitch chosen, free for under 4 years old.  
Tickets available at the Chamonix Tourist Office, on the club's website or from the ticket office on match nights (subject to availability)

## THURSDAY 24<sup>th</sup> JULY

### Treasure hunt

From 10.30 am to 2.30 pm - Lac des Chavants, Les Houches  
On-site registration from 10:30 am to 2:30 pm - Cancelled in case of bad weather - Free of charge

### Guided tour with a crystal-maker

2.15 pm & 4.15 pm - Musée des Cristaux - Espace Tairraz, Chamonix  
Full price : € 8, Reduced price : € 5.50, free for under-18s, from 10 years old. Booking required until 12 noon the same day : +33 (0)4 50 54 78 39

### Guided tour of the « Téléphérique et compagnie » exhibition

From 4.30 pm to 5.30 pm - Musée Montagnard, Les Houches  
From 12 years - Full price : € 5, Reduced price : € 3.50, free for under-18s.  
Booking recommended : +33 (0)4 50 54 78 37

### Talk : « Patou randonneur, need a decoder ? »

From 4.30 pm to 6 pm - Maison du Lieutenant, Servoz  
Registration required by SMS : + 33 (0)6 61 85 63 86 - Free of charge

### Conference by the Association les Amis du Vieux Chamonix

From 6 pm to 8 pm - Le Majestic - Centre des Congrès, Chamonix  
Why and how can we protect glaciers and the ecosystems that follow them ?  
Lecture by Jean-Baptiste Bosson, glaciologist and geomorphologist.  
Free admission

### Open-air Zumba initiation - Offered by the Alti'Move Association

7.30 pm - Place du Village, Les Houches

### Figure skating gala

8 pm - Richard Bozon sports centre ice rink, Chamonix  
Figure skating gala organised by the figure skating section of the Chamonix Sports Club. Adults : € 5, Children (under 12) : € 2.50

### Conference by the Association les Amis du Vieux Chamonix

9 pm - Espace Animation, Les Houches  
« Whispers and mysteries of the universe » with Julien Lesgourgues, RWTH Aachen University - Free admission

## FRIDAY 25<sup>th</sup> JULY

### Nature outing : Going to the water

From 10 am to 12 am - Col des Montets, Argentière  
A treasure hunt to discover nature and the mountains - From 6 years - Free.  
Reservations required, no later than 6pm the day before : + 33 (0)7 63 78 62 84

## Cosmojazz Festival

### Chamonix Valley

From Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> to Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> July



The program includes daytime concerts at altitude, musical walks and a host of musicians from all walks of life.

All concerts are free (excluding ski lifts).

Program available from the Valley's Tourist Offices.

Detailed program : [www.cosmojazzfestival.com/fr/programme](http://www.cosmojazzfestival.com/fr/programme)



## MARKETS

- Mondays : 9 am to 1 pm - Place du Village, Les Houches
- Tuesdays : 4 pm to 7 pm - Vallorcine, tobacco/press car park
- Wednesdays : 3 pm to 7 pm - Farmers' market at Ferme Pain Chibon (route du Pont), Les Houches
- Saturdays : 7 am to 12.30 pm - Place du Mont-Blanc, Chamonix
- Sundays : 7.30 am to 1.30 pm - Place du Village, Argentière



## DISCOVERY WALK & MINI PHOTOSHOOT

Every day on reservation : + 33 (0)6 08 95 89 42  
Private or small groups (maximum 5 people)  
Wide choice of itineraries, all levels - Duration : 3h  
Prices : € 120 for individuals, € 70 / person for groups  
Reduced price for children, large families, groups...



## SCHEDULED VISITS

### Savoie Mont-Blanc Heritage Guides

**Chamonix** : Tuesdays from 10 am to 12 pm  
Price : € 12, free for children under 12  
Registration Tourist Office: +33 (0)4 50 53 00 24 or online :  
<https://booking.chamonix.com/fr/serpActivity?type=newActivity>

**Vallorcine** : Wednesdays from 10 am to 12 pm  
Price : € 20 per person  
Reservation required : +33 (0)6 09 81 36 97

## CUSTOM GUIDED TOURS

- Sophie Persyn (Savoie Mont-Blanc Heritage Guide)  
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sophie.persyn74@wanadoo.fr or + 33 (0)6 83 37 66 54
- Christine Boymond Lasserre (Tour guide)  
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## RAIL & TRAIL Nature & quizzes

Vallorcine - Argentière - Les Bois / Les Tines - Servoz  
A fun and instructive course to do alone or with family.  
Free game, available at the Valley Tourist Offices.



## ACTIVITIES

Paragliding, rafting, climbing, mountain biking, hiking...  
Find all activities on our booking center :

<https://booking.chamonix.com/fr/serpActivity?type=newActivity>



## SIMOND MUSEUM

From 2.30 pm to 4 pm : Free tour of the museum heritage area  
History of the brand, the family, and mountaineering  
From 2.30 pm to 4 pm : Guided tour of the factory (10 places)  
**Every Wednesday - Free admission for both visits**  
Booking : [www.simond.fr/visiter-simond-a-chamonix](http://www.simond.fr/visiter-simond-a-chamonix)



## CINÉMA VOX IN CHAMONIX

Program available on [www.cinemavox-chamonix.com](http://www.cinemavox-chamonix.com)

## CINÉMA CINÉBUS IN LES HOUCHEs

Program available on [www.leshouches.com](http://www.leshouches.com)



## FARM VISITS AND WORKSHOPS

- Visit to the goats and butter workshop - Price : € 13  
Wednesday and Saturday at 10am - Ferme du Vieux Guide, Vallorcine
  - Life underground workshop - Price : € 13  
Thursday at 10 am - Bois du Bouchet
  - Participation in milking and meal on the mountain pasture - Adults: €32, Children: €20 - Thursday at 6pm - Alpage de Blaitière (2h walk)
  - Participation in milking and raclette - Adults: €32, Children: €20  
Friday at 6 pm - Ferme du Vieux Guide in Vallorcine
- Reservations required : [www.montblancfermespeda.com](http://www.montblancfermespeda.com)

## MUSEUMS, EXHIBITIONS AND EVENTS



**Maison de Village - Argentière** : (Free access during opening hours)

- From 15 to 26 July 2025 : Exhibition of paintings, glass pictures and raku ceramics

**Musée des Cristaux - Espace Tairraz - Chamonix** : (Open Tuesday to Sunday, from 10 am to 1 pm and 2 pm to 6 pm)

- Until 31 December 2027 : Exhibition « Mineral Treasure : The Raymond Thibault Collection » - Museum admission fee

**Maison de la Mémoire et du Patrimoine - Chamonix** : (Open Wednesday to Friday from 2 pm to 6 pm)

- Until 31 December 2025 : Selfie rally in autonomy - Booklet (€ 6) on sale in the museums of the Valley (except the musée alpin)
- Until 1 November 2026 : Exhibition « Chamonix 1924 : The Invention of the Winter Olympics »

**Passage Chagall (behind the church) - Les Houches** :

- Until 31 January 2026 : Temporary exhibition on the Chapels of the Les Houches village

**Mairie - Les Houches** : (Free access during opening hours)

- Until 31 July 2025 : Photographic exhibition « An aerial journey from the Ecrins to the Matterhorn » by Marc Lelièvre

**Musée Montagnard - Les Houches** : (Open every day except Tuesday from 2:30 pm to 6 pm)

- Until 16 May 2026 : Exhibition « Cable cars & company », the ski lifts of Les Houches

**Maison de l'Alpage - Servoz** : (Free access during Tourist Office opening hours)

- Until 13 September 2025 : Exhibition « What we know... about the Lieutenant's House and Joseph Marie Devillaz »

**Maison du Lieutenant - Servoz** : (Open Wednesday to Saturday from 10:30 am to 6:30 pm)

- Until 21 September 2025 : « Plant Inspirations » exhibition



## OFFICE DE TOURISME DE LA VALLÉE DE CHAMONIX-MONT-BLANC

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