



CHAMONIX-MONT-BLANC

# OPEN THE WAY

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## EVENTS & ACTIVITIES PROGRAM From 1<sup>st</sup> to 13 July



SERVOZ - LES HOUCHES - CHAMONIX-MONT-BLANC - ARGENTIÈRE - VALLORCINE

## TUESDAY 01 JULY

### Blood donation

From 4 pm to 7 pm - Salle du Kandahar, Les Houches

Online booking : <https://dondesang.efs.sante.fr/trouver-une-collecte>, ID required. Phone : + 33 (0)4 50 54 41 31

## WEDNESDAY 02 JULY

### 2025 Inter-Mediatheque Tournament - Mario Kart 8 on Switch

From 4 pm to 6 pm - Chamonix library

Grand final of the tournament - Free

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

From 10:30am to 11:30am - Musée des Cristaux - Espace Tairraz, Chamonix

From London to Chamonix, come and discover the incredible journey of this painting. Ages 12 and up - Admission : museum entry fee, free for under-18s. Reservation by SMS until 6 pm the day before : +33 (0)7 60 04 15 84

## JEUDI 03 JULY

### The alpine flora of the Mont-Blanc massif and its evolution in the Anthropocene era

8.15am - Meet at Montenvers station, Chamonix

Allow 3-4 hours' walk + 1h30-2h discussion in the field with Brad Carlson, ecologist and mountain guide. Picnic and summer hiking equipment (poles and sturdy shoes recommended for walking in the moraines) - Price: €15

Online registration: <https://www.helloasso.com/associations/association-des-reserves-nationales-des-aiguilles-rouges-arnar/evenements/arnar-sortie-terrain-jeudi-3-juillet-la-flore-alpine-du-mont-blanc>

## Arc'teryx Alpine Academy - 14<sup>th</sup> Edition

Parc Couttet and Maison des Artistes, Chamonix

From Thursday 03 to Sunday 06 July

Participants will be able to enjoy a wide range of free activities, including concerts, film premieres, athlete-led seminars, and talks.

Free entry – Workshops require a paid registration

Information and workshop registration :

<https://chamonix.arcteryxacademy.com/>

## Limitless Days Festival

Lac des Chavants, Les Houches

Friday 04 & Saturday 05 July from 11 am to 5 pm



Sports festival for people with disabilities.

On the program : climbing, rafting, horse riding, excursions and test rides on handbikes and all-terrain wheelchairs, blind football, tennis, basketball, neuromouvement ABM and discovering glaciers.

Information and booking : [accessmontblanc.com/fr/festival-limitless](https://accessmontblanc.com/fr/festival-limitless)



## Drawing contest

Chamonix Valley

From Saturday 05 to Thursday 31 July

**Theme:** Draw me a mountain lake

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



## Mont Bl'Enquêtes

Chamonix Valley

From Saturday 05 July to Sunday 31 August

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



## SATURDAY 05 JULY

### Guinguette

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

Enjoy a convivial moment in the garden, with live music by MadoAccord.

A refreshment bar will be available on site, with proceeds going to APE La Récré - Free entry

### Groundation concert / L'Index en Fête 2025

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

They're back! After their successful appearance on the Index stage in 2023, the famous Jamaican jazz-reggae group are back in Chamonix!

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

## SUNDAY 06 JULY

### Churches' Night - An evening of art and hope

From 8pm to 10pm - Eglise Saint-Jean-Baptiste, Les Houches

Enjoy music and poetry, experience a moment of spirituality and meet our community - Glass of friendship - Free entry

## MONDAY 07 JULY

### Cultural Rendezvous: A palace at the foot of Mont Blanc

From 4pm to 5.30pm - Musée alpin, Chamonix

An opportunity to find out how this luxury building earned its place in the mountains. From 10 years old - Free.

Bookings by text message: +33 (0)7 60 04 15 84

### Open-air cinema

10pm (at nightfall) - Devant la Maison de Village d'Argentière

« Une année difficile » by Eric Toledano, open-air screening - Free access - Cancelled in case of bad weather.

## TUESDAY 08 JULY

### Workshop: Little potters

From 2pm to 4pm - Musée Montagnard, Les Houches

Observe the museum's pottery plates, then model and decorate your own! Family workshop preceded by a short tour of the museum - From 7 years old. Bookings required on +33 (0)7 60 04 14 26 until 6pm the day before. Flat rate: €4.50 (per person)

### Family show

6pm - Lac des Chavants, Les Houches

« Le petit bal pour tous » with Chap's. The idea is simple: everyone dances, together! Offered by the Chamonix Valley Tourist Office.

In case of bad weather, retreat to the Espace Animation where the number of places is limited.

### Screening - La vigie de la nature

From 6pm to 7.30pm - Salle communale, Argentière

A 52-minute immersion with the king of the mountains - Free access

## WEDNESDAY 09 JULY

### Nature outing - Horns, hooves and summits

From 8am to 11am - Le Buet, Vallorcine

Discover the ibex and chamois of our mountains.

Over 6 years old - Adults: €8, Children (aged 6-18): €4.

Reservations required until 6pm the day before: + 33 (0)7 63 78 62 84

### Partir en livre - 11<sup>th</sup> edition - 'Reading aloud'

From 10am to 12pm - Meet at the Les Houches Library

Reading aloud, handling and discovering books in an ephemeral setting in

the heart of nature at Lac des Chavants. For toddlers aged 0 to 3 - Free

Retreat to the Les Houches media library in case of bad weather.

## THURSDAY 10 JULY

### Treasure hunt

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

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

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

### Guided tour with a crystal-maker

2.15pm & 4.15pm - 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

## FRIDAY 11 JULY

### Open-air cinema

10pm (at nightfall) - Pré de l'Eglise, Servoz

« Linda veut du poulet » by Chiara Malta, open-air screening, free admission,  
from 6 years old. Retreat to the Jean Morel hall in case of bad weather.

### Guided tour of the exhibition "Chamonix 1924: the invention of the Olympic Winter Games"

From 4.30pm to 5.30pm - Maison de la Mémoire et du Patrimoine, Chamonix

Visit only available in French - Booking required until 6pm the day before:

+33(0)4 50 54 78 55. From 10 years old. Full price: €5, Reduced price:

€3.50 (Free for under-18s). Entrance fee included.

## Climbing World Cup

Place du Mont-Blanc, Chamonix

From Friday 11 to Sunday 13 July



- **Friday 11 July** : From 5pm to 7pm: World Cup Speed Training  
From 7pm to 9pm: World Cup Speed Qualifications
- **Saturday 12 July** : From 9am to 4pm: Difficulty World Cup qualifiers  
From 7.30pm to 8pm: Film screenings  
From 9pm to 10.15pm: Speed World Cup Final
- **Sunday 13 July** : From 10.30am to 12.30pm: Difficulty World Cup semi-finals  
7pm: Film screening  
7.45pm: Presentation of Team Chamonix athletes  
From 8.30pm to 10.30pm: Difficulty World Cup Final

This year, there is a ticket office for seats and VIP tickets at this link:

<https://www.coupe-du-monde-escalade.com/vip/>

Detailed programme: [www.coupe-du-monde-escalade.com/programme](http://www.coupe-du-monde-escalade.com/programme)

## FROM FRIDAY 11 TO MONDAY 14 JULY

### Introduction to archery

From 10.30 am to 6.30 pm - Paradis des Praz, Chamonix

Activities and introduction to archery - From 4 years old.

Half-hour: €10 / Hour: €15. For groups of 5 to 10 people.

Booking required: + 33 (0)6 12 26 57 76

## DIMANCHE 13 JUILLET

### Féria

From 11am to 11pm - Pré de l'Eglise, Servoz

Typical Camargue fair: come and meet the herdsmen and cows, and take  
part in the sports tournament (registration on site).

Fun and revelry guaranteed! Free access



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## MARKETS

- Mondays from 07 July : 9 am to 1 pm - Place du Village, Les Houches
- Tuesdays from 08 July : 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...



## 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.



## 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)



## 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 at : [www.booking.chamonix.com](http://www.booking.chamonix.com)

**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)  
Information and bookings :  
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## ACTIVITIES

**Paragliding, rafting, climbing, mountain biking, hiking...**

Find all activities on our booking center :

[www.booking.chamonix.com](http://www.booking.chamonix.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)

- Until 12 July : « Perspectives, Mont Blanc massif » photography exhibition by Marc Lelièvre

**Musée des Cristaux - Espace Tairraz - Chamonix** : (From 01/07 open Tuesday to Sunday, 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 2pm to 6pm)

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

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

- Until 31<sup>st</sup> 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** : (From 02 July, 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 from 09 July from Wednesday to Saturday from 10:30 am to 6:30 pm)

- From 09 July to 21 September 2025 : « Plant Inspirations » exhibition



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