

EVENTS & ACTIVITIES PROGRAM



From 1st to 30 April

FRIDAY 04 APRIL

 **Conference : The Mountain in Comic Books**
From 6 pm to 8 pm - Le Majestic - Centre des Congrès, Chamonix
A conference by author Hervé BODEAU, organized by the Association Les Amis du Vieux Chamonix - Free entry

Market sellers

Chamonix City Center
Saturday 5 and Sunday 6 April from 10 am to 7 pm

Shopkeepers welcome you to a weekend of great deals in the pedestrian streets of Chamonix !




Drawing contest

Chamonix Valley
From Saturday 5 April to Sunday 4 May

Theme : Draw me an April Fool's fish
Information and submission of drawings at the 5 Tourist Offices in the Valley.



SATURDAY 05 APRIL

 **Conference as part of : Meeting Childhood & Nature**
From 10:30 am to 12 am - Espace Animation, Les Houches
Conference : For a Wild Education by Louis Espinassous.
A rich testimony of experiences and reflections - Free entry

 **Farçon night**
From 7 pm to midnight - Salle communale, Argentière
The Nordic Ski Club invites you to a farçon evening with an adult menu at € 20, a children's menu (up to 12 years old) at € 10, or a takeaway farçon portion at € 8.
Reservation until April 2 at : +33 (0)6 27 74 23 65 or +33 (0)6 14 95 38 69

 **Spring concert**
8:30 pm - Salle Jean Morel, Servoz
Spring concert of the Municipal Harmony of Les Houches - Free admission

MONDAY 07 APRIL

 **Conference : Eco-anxiety : My Glacier is cracking and so are we !**
From 8 pm to 10 pm - Alpina Eclectic Hôtel, Chamonix
With Jean Jouzel, former vice-president of the scientific group of the IPCC, Dominique Bourg, philosopher, and Alice Desbiolles, doctor. Free entry upon registration on the Petite Université website : <https://lapetiteuniversite.net/>

TUESDAY 08 APRIL

 **Tricotin & company**
From 3 pm to 5 pm - Musée Montagnard, Les Houches
Create an accessory using a knitting spool (ages 7+) or a pompom (ages 4+).
Reservation required at : +33 (0)7 60 04 14 26 before 12 pm on the same day. Price: € 4.50. Creative workshop for families, preceded by a guided tour

 **The Cappella Ensemble**
From 6 pm to 7 pm - Temple Protestant, Chamonix
Orthodox Chants for the Lenten Season - Free access

WEDNESDAY 09 APRIL

 **Cultural appointment : The Mer de Glace by Gabriel Loppé**
From 11 am to 11:45 am - Musée des Cristaux - Espace Tairraz, Chamonix
From London to Chamonix, discover the incredible journey of this painting.
From 12 years old.
Reservation by SMS until 6 pm the day before : +33 (0)7 60 04 15 84.
Full price : € 8, Reduced price : € 5.50, free for under 18 years old

 **Carnival on the theme « Fantastic Creatures »**
From 1:30 pm to 5 pm - Place du Mont-Blanc, Chamonix
On-site : village/play area, refreshment stand, face painting booth (on-site registration), parade, brass band, mini dance party !
In case of bad weather, the event will be relocated to EMC2.
Detailed program : <https://cutt.ly/hroPfmza>

THURSDAY 10 APRIL

 **Workshop : On the Slopes !**
From 10:30 am to 12 pm - Musée Montagnard, Les Houches
From name to color, create your own ski slope sign ! Ages 6+.
Reservation required before 6 pm the day before at : +33 (0)7 60 04 14 26.
Price : € 4.50

 **Guided tour with a crystal hunter**
At 2:15 pm and 4:15 pm - Musée des Cristaux - Espace Tairraz, Chamonix
Discover the world of crystal hunters. Price: Museum entry fee - Free for under 18s. For ages 10 and up. Reservation required : +33 (0)4 50 54 78 39

FRIDAY 11 APRIL

 **Guided tour of the exhibition « Chamonix 1924 : The Invention of the Winter Olympic Games »**
From 4:30 pm to 5:30 pm - Maison de la Mémoire et du Patrimoine, Chamonix
Reservation required until 6 pm the day before : +33 (0)4 50 54 78 55.
For ages 10 and up. Full price: €5, Reduced price: €3.50, Free for under 18s.

SATURDAY 12 APRIL

Cross The Line

From 8:30 am to 11:30 pm - Ski area of La Flégère, Chamonix

Competition combining ski-cross and freeride.

Price : from € 29 (Registration includes bib + 1 meal + 1 raffle ticket).

Info and registration : <https://www.frost-company.fr/cross-the-line>

Le Bouquet Final

From 9 am to 5 pm - Ski area of Balme - Le Tour

Come celebrate the end of the season at the Balme ski area!

On the program: a giant all-terrain slalom in teams of two.

Infos : <https://www.montblancnaturalresort.com/fr/actualites/bouquet-final>

Free (excluding the lift pass)

Carnival organized by the Parents' Association

Starting at 2 pm - École primaire de Servoz

Batucada parade by EMDI at 3:00 pm, face painting booth, sale of crêpes, cakes, and drinks to benefit the Servoz Parents' Association.

Traditional Folk Dance

Salle Jean Morel, Servoz

Dance workshop from 2:30 pm to 6:00 pm, followed by a free folk ball from

8:30 pm to 11:30 pm. Workshop : € 12 for J'attendsville members,

€ 15 for others. Ticketing for the workshop : <https://cutt.ly/broPmfai>

CHAMIX CUP Tournament

Richard Bozon Sports Centre Ice Rink, Chamonix

Saturday 12 & 13 April

U7 Hockey Tournament - Free access

TUESDAY 15 APRIL

Tricotin & company

From 3 pm to 5 pm - Musée Montagnard, Les Houches

Create an accessory using a knitting spool (ages 7+) or a pompom (ages 4+).

Reservation required at : +33 (0)7 60 04 14 26 before 12 pm on the same

day. Price: € 4.50. Creative workshop for families, preceded by a guided tour

Conference : Should we and can we protect Nature ?

From 6 pm to 8:30 pm - Maison de Village d'Argentière

Conference by Romain Cauliez - Free admission

WEDNESDAY 16 APRIL

Dog bite prevention workshop

From 10:30 am to 12 pm - Servoz Library

Workshop led by Carole Bochatay - For children aged 3 to 12.

Free admission, by reservation : +33 (0)4 50 54 65 08

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Reservation by SMS until 6 pm the day before : +33 (0)7 60 04 15 84. From 12

years old. Full price : € 8, Reduced price : € 5.50, free for under 18 years old

Planetarium

From 4:30 pm to 8:30 pm - Salle communale, Argentière

Enter the planetarium and embark on a journey to the far reaches of the solar

system. For ages 5 and up. Sessions : 4:30 pm / 5:30 pm / 6:30 pm / 7:30 pm.

Free. Reservations at the Maison de Village in Argentière: +33 (0)4 50 54 03 06



Printemps Musical Festival

Maison des Jeunes et de la Culture, Chamonix

From Wednesday 16 to Saturday 19 April



As part of the 23rd edition of the Printemps Musical Festival organized by the MJC of Chamonix.

• Wednesday 16 April :

3 pm - « Et pis c'est tout ! » Méli Mômes - Children's concert for ages 4 and up
The Méli Mômes jump with both feet into the world of children with great musical freedom.

Full price : € 10, Member : € 8, Child (under 12 years) : € 6

• Thursday 17 April :

8 pm - Molotov Brothers - Scratch'n Brass Concert

The Molotov Brothers mix machines, vinyl scratching, trombone, and saxophone for an explosive show. Light refreshments available on-site from 7 pm.

Full price: €17, Reduced price: €13, Member: €11, Child: €8 (under 12 years old)

• Saturday 19 April :

7 pm - Blind Test Party by Harry the DJ

Individually or in teams, come test your musical knowledge.

Paid event, prices not specified

Detailed program : <https://www.mjchamonix.org/>

THURSDAY 17 APRIL

Workshop : On the Slopes !

From 10:30 am to 12 pm - Musée Montagnard, Les Houches

From name to color, create your own ski slope sign ! Ages 6+.

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Price : € 4.50

Guided tour with a crystal hunter

At 2:15 pm and 4:15 pm - Musée des Cristaux - Espace Tairraz, Chamonix

Price : Museum entry fee - Free for under 18s. For ages 10 and up.

Reservation required : +33 (0)4 50 54 78 39

Guided tour of the exhibition « Cable Cars and Company »

From 4:30 pm to 5:30 pm - Musée Montagnard, Les Houches

Full price : € 5, Reduced price (student, 65+) : € 3.50, Free for under 18s.

For ages 12 and up. Reservation recommended : +33 (0)4 50 54 78 37

Screening : The Voice of the Glaciers - « Conscience »

From 5 pm to 7 pm - Restaurant Le Pic, Argentière

As part of the Year of Glacier Preservation, a screening of ski and mountain

films followed by a conference on glaciology. Free entry

FRIDAY 18 APRIL

Guided tour of the exhibition « Chamonix 1924 : The

Invention of the Winter Olympic Games »

From 4:30 pm to 5:30 pm - Maison de la Mémoire et du Patrimoine, Chamonix

Reservation required until 6 pm the day before : +33 (0)4 50 54 78 55.

For ages 10 and up. Full price: €5, Reduced price: €3.50, Free for under 18s

SATURDAY 19 APRIL

Dog bite prevention workshop

From 10:30 am to 12 pm - Servoz Library

Workshop led by Carole Bochatay - For children aged 3 to 12.

Free admission, by reservation : +33 (0)4 50 54 65 08

SUNDAY 20 APRIL

17th Grolleandski Festival

5 pm & 8:30 pm - Espace Animation, Les Houches

Screening of two films :

• 5:30 pm : « Personne n'y comprend rien » by Yannick Kergoat

• 8:30 pm : « Strip-Tease Intégral » by Jean Libon, for ages 12 and up

Tickets available on-site : € 5.50 per film.

Light refreshments available at pay-what-you-want prices

Hockey Tournament

Richard Bozon Sports Centre Ice Rink, Chamonix

These tournaments bring together the world's top hockey players for an elite competition and an unforgettable cultural experience.

Free access

From Monday 21 to Saturday 26 April

World Selects Invite U14 Girls

All day - Hockey Tournament



From Monday 28 April to Saturday 3 May

2025 International Cup U13 AAA Boys

All day - Hockey Tournament



TUESDAY 22 APRIL

Science Sandwich Conference

From 12:30 pm to 1:30 pm - Club Alpin Français, Chamonix

From peaks to the bottle : Are Génépis under pressure ?

Discover all aspects of Génépi in this presentation ! Free entry

Workshop : Dream Cable Car

From 2 pm to 5 pm - Musée Montagnard, Les Houches

Use linocut engraving to depict your dream cable car.

Ages 10+ (with adult assistance).

Reservation required before 6 pm the day before at : +33 (0)7 60 04 14 26.

Price : € 4.50. The workshop is preceded by a guided tour of the exhibition

Workshop : Journey to the 2030 Glorious Era

From 4 pm to 7 pm - Maison des Artistes, Chamonix

A creative workshop to imagine a desirable future and find solutions to make it happen. For ages 16 and up - Price : € 8.

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

WEDNESDAY 23 APRIL

Workshop : Gourmet Forest

From 10 am to 12 pm - Lac des Gaillands, Chamonix

A sensory workshop for all five senses, including incense and gourmet recipe making. Ages 6+ - Adults : € 8, Children (under 18s) : € 4.

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

Planetarium

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Enter the planetarium and embark on a journey to the far reaches of the solar system. For ages 5 and up. Sessions : 4:30 pm / 5:30 pm / 6:30 pm / 7:30 pm.

Free. Reservations at the Maison de Village in Argentière: +33 (0)4 50 54 03 06

THURSDAY 24 APRIL

Workshop : On the Slopes !

From 10:30 am to 12 pm - Musée Montagnard, Les Houches

From name to color, create your own ski slope sign ! Ages 6+.

Reservation required before 6 pm the day before at : +33 (0)7 60 04 14 26.

Price : € 4.50

Climate Fresco - Chamonix Glaciers 2025

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

Join a collaborative workshop to understand the challenges of climate change. Free entry - Reservation required by SMS at : +33 (0)6 62 83 45 81

Guided tour with a crystal hunter

At 2:15 pm and 4:15 pm - Musée des Cristaux - Espace Tairraz, Chamonix

Price : Museum entry fee - Free for under 18s. For ages 10 and up.

Reservation required : +33 (0)4 50 54 78 39

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Full price : € 5, Reduced price (student, 65+) : € 3.50, Free for under 18s.

For ages 12 and up. Reservation recommended : +33 (0)4 50 54 78 37

FRIDAY 25 APRIL

Workshop : « Introduction to Cyanotype »

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

Discover cyanotype, an old photographic technique, and create unique postcards. Adults : € 8.

Registration and information by SMS : +33 (0)6 62 83 45 81

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From 4:30pm to 5:30pm - Maison de la Mémoire et du Patrimoine, Chamonix

Reservation required until 6 pm the day before : +33 (0)4 50 54 78 55.

For ages 10 and up. Full price: €5, Reduced price: €3.50, Free for under 18s

Humor - Swing Dance - Prohibition

8:30 pm - Espace Michel Croz - EMC2, Chamonix

Prohibition is a story of resourcefulness, trickery, and dodging at the heart of 1920s Chicago. From 8 years old. Full price : € 18, Reduced price : €15, Subscriber : € 13, Child (under 18) : € 8.

Online ticketing : <https://billetterie-chamonix.mapado.com/>

TUESDAY 29 APRIL

Tricotin & company

From 3 pm to 5 pm - Musée Montagnard, Les Houches

Create an accessory using a knitting spool (ages 7+) or a pompom (ages 4+).

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Blood donation - Snack at the end of the donation

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

Online reservation : <https://dondesang.efs.sante.fr/trouver-une-collecte>,

ID required. Phone : +33 (0)4 50 54 41 31

Discovery outing : The return of the birds

From 1:30 pm to 4 pm - Maison de Village d'Argentière

Learn about birds to better welcome them and contribute to their scientific study. For ages 10 and up - Free entry.

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

Workshop : Sharing the mountain

De 17h30 à 18h30 - Maison de Village d'Argentière

A workshop in the form of a conference/animation with practical tool explanations to respect and adapt your outdoor practices - Free entry

WEDNESDAY 30 APRIL

Talk : « Patou hiker, need a decoder ? »

From 4:30 pm to 6 pm - Maison du Lieutenant, Servoz

Reservation by SMS : +33 (0)6 61 85 63 86 - Free entry





MARKETS

- 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



ACTIVITIES

Parapente, ski de randonnée

Find all activities on our booking center :

www.booking.chamonix.com



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



FARM VISITS AND WORKSHOPS

- Immersive visits and workshops at the farm - Price : € 13
Wednesdays and Saturdays at 10 am - From Les Houches to Vallorcine
- Cow milking and raclette at the 3 Terres Farm in Les Houches
Thursday at 6 pm - Adults : € 28, Children : € 20
- Goat milking and raclette at the Vieux Guide Farm in Vallorcine
Friday at 6 pm - Adults : € 28, Children : € 20
Reservations required : www.montblancfermespeda.com



SCHEDULED VISITS SAVOIE Mont-Blanc Heritage Guides

Chamonix : Tuesdays from 10 am to 12 pm
Price : € 12, free for children under 12
Reservation Tourist Office : +33 (0)4 50 53 00 24
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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- Christine Boymond Lasserre (Tour guide)
Information and bookings :
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VALLO CINÉ - CINÉBUS IN VALLORCINE

Program available on www.vallorcine.com

CINÉMA VOX IN CHAMONIX

Program available on www.cinemavox-chamonix.com

CINÉMA CINÉBUS IN LES HOUCHES

Program available on www.leshouches.com



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...



MUSEUMS, EXHIBITIONS AND EVENTS



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

- Until 26 April 2025 : Photography exhibition « Meeting the Mountain » by Pierre Raphoz

Musée des cristaux - Espace Tairraz - Chamonix : (Open Tuesday to Sunday from 10 am to 12 pm and from 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, except April 2, Thursday and 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 30 June 2025 : Exhibition « Chamonix 1924 : The Invention of the Winter Olympics »

Passage Chagall (derrière l'église) - Les Houches :

- Until 30 April 2025 : Temporary exhibition on the Chapels of the Les Houches village

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

- From April 7 to 26 : Painting exhibition « Portraits of Snow and Ice in the Mountains » by Christophe Borrel-Ducroz

Office de Tourisme - Les Houches : (Free access during the opening hours of the Tourist Office)

- Until 30 April 2025 : Sobô Mosaïque exhibition

Musée Montagnard - Les Houches : (By reservation until April 4, from April 5 open Wednesday to Friday from 2 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 the opening hours of the Tourist Office)

- Until 30 April 2025 : Exhibition « What We Know... About the House of the Lieutenant and Joseph Marie Devillaz »

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

- From 23 April to 3 May 2025 : « Plant Inspirations » exhibition



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