

BOOK OF VISITOR



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FRENCH VERSION

1 - INFORMATION POINTS

There are two structures set up throughout the Games, on the entrance forecourt of the train station, and on the visitor parking lot near the Olympic site. These spaces are managed by the tourist office, representatives of the Territorial Tourism Department, and volunteers from Châteauroux Métropole. Staff present will be able to provide visitors with information in French and English about:

- **the competition** (access to the National Shooting Sports Center (CNT), shuttle schedules, baggage instructions, safety instructions, etc.),
- **the city and environs** (tourist routes, discovering Châteauroux and the Berry region),
- **practical information** (public toilets, parking, access to the city center, accessibility for people with reduced mobility (PMR), etc.).

A souvenir shop is also present in each structure. Several items related to Châteauroux are available (tote bags, magnets, etc.). Tourist documentation is also available (tourist guide, practical guide, tourist map, etc.) as well as specific documentation for use by people with disabilities.



📍 **The train station forecourt**
is open on July 25 and 26 and from July 27 to August 5 and from 30 August to 5 September from 9 am to 5 pm.



📍 **National Shooting Sports Center (CNT) Parking**
from July 27 to August 5 during CNT hours



NATIONAL POLICE INFORMATION POINT

Find it in front of the train station every day from 7 am to 7 pm.

An information flyer (French/English) will be given to each person (advice, locations, etc.)

2 - SHOOTING AND PARA-SHOOTING EVENTS AT THE NATIONAL SHOOTING SPORTS CENTER (CNT)



Châteauroux will go from the center of France to the center of the world on Saturday, July 27, with the awarding of the first medals of the Paris 2024 Olympic Games. This will be for the mixed 10-meter air rifle event.

Built on the former military camp of La Martinerie, the Châteauroux site will host no less than 28 competitions during the Olympic and Paralympic Games. Since its opening in 2017, this showcase facility of the French Shooting Federation has been accustomed to hosting national, European, and international competitions.

A finals range, adjacent to the main building, was built in 2022.

Olympic shooting events
from July 27 to August 5

Paralympic shooting events
from August 30 to September 5



DATES FOR OLYMPIC SHOOTING EVENTS

Saturday
27
July

- **09 : 00** 10m Air Rifle - mixed, qualifications
- **10 : 30** 10m Air Rifle - mixed, bronze 🏆
- **10 : 30** 10m Air Pistol - men, qualifications
- **11 : 00** 10m Air Rifle - mixed, gold 🏆
- **12 : 30** 10m Air Pistol - women, qualifications

Sunday
28
July

- 09 : 15** 10m Air Rifle - women, qualifications
- 09 : 30** 10m Air Pistol - men, final 🏆
- 11 : 15** 10m Air Rifle - men, qualifications
- 12 : 00** 10m Air Pistol - women, final 🏆

Monday
29
July

- 09 : 00** Trap - men, qualifications - day 1
- 09 : 15** 10m Air Pistol - mixed, qualifications
- 09 : 30** 10m Air Rifle - women, final 🏆
- 12 : 00** 10m Air Rifle - men, final 🏆

Tuesday
30
July

- 09 : 00** Trap - men, qualifications - day 2
- 09 : 00** Trap - women, qualifications - day 1
- 09 : 30** 10m Air Pistol - mixed, bronze 🏆
- 10 : 00** 10m Air Pistol - mixed, gold 🏆
- 15 : 30** Olympic Trap - men, final 🏆

Wednesday
31
July

- 09 : 00** 50m Rifle 3 Positions - men, qualifications
- 09 : 00** Trap - women, qualifications - day 2
- 15 : 30** Olympic Trap - women, final 🏆



Thursday
01
August

09 : 30 50m Rifle 3 Positions - men, final 🏆
12 : 00 50m Rifle 3 Positions - women, qualifications

Friday
02
Août

09 : 00 Skeet - men, qualifications - day 1
09 : 00 25m Pistol - women, precision qualifications
09 : 30 50m Rifle 3 Positions - women, final 🏆

Saturday
03
August

09 : 00 Skeet - men, qualifications - day 2
09 : 00 Skeet - women, qualifications - day 1
09 : 30 25 m Pistol - women, final 🏆
15 : 30 Skeet - men, final 🏆

Sunday
04
August

09 : 00 25m Rapid Fire Pistol - men, 1st stage qualifications
09 : 30 Skeet - women, qualifications - day 2
15 : 30 Skeet - women, final 🏆

Monday
05
August

09 : 00 Skeet - mixed team, qualifications
09 : 30 25m Rapid Fire Pistol - men, final 🏆
15 : 00 Skeet - mixed team, gold 🏆



DATES FOR PARALYMPIC SHOOTING EVENTS

Friday
30
August

09 : 00 R2 10m Air Rifle - standing - women SH1 qualifications
11 : 15 P1 10m Air Pistol - men SH1 qualifications
11 : 45 R2 10m Air Rifle standing - women SH1 final 🏆
13 : 30 R4 10m Air Rifle standing - mixed SH2 qualifications
14 : 00 P1 10m Air Pistol - men SH1 final 🏆
16 : 15 R4 10m Air Rifle standing - mixed SH2 final 🏆

Saturday
31
August

09 : 30 R1 10m Air Rifle standing - men SH1 qualifications
12 : 00 P2 10m Air Pistol - women SH1 qualifications
12 : 15 R1 10m Air Rifle standing - men SH1 final 🏆
14 : 45 P2 10m Air Pistol - women SH1 finals 🏆

Sunday
01
September

09 : 30 R3 10m Air Rifle prone - mixed SH1 qualifications
11 : 30 R5 10m Air Rifle prone - mixed SH2 qualifications
13 : 00 R3 10m Air Rifle prone - mixed SH1 final 🏆
15 : 00 R5 10m Air Rifle prone - mixed SH2 final 🏆

Monday
02
September

09 : 00 P3 25m Pistol - mixed SH1 precision qualifications
13 : 00 P3 25m Pistol - mixed SH1 Rapid Fire qualifications
16 : 45 P3 25m Pistol - mixed SH1 final 🏆



Tuesday
03
September

09 : 30 R7 50m Rifle 3 positions - men SH1 qualifications
09 : 30 R8 50m Rifle 3 positions - women SH1 qualifications
13 : 45 R7 50m Rifle 3 positions - men SH1 final 🏆
16 : 00 R8 50m Rifle 3 positions - women SH1 final 🏆

Wednesday
04
September

09 : 30 P4 50m Pistol - mixed SH1 qualifications
12 : 15 P4 50m Pistol - mixed SH1 final 🏆
12 : 30 R9 50m Rifle prone - mixed SH2 qualifications
15 : 00 R9 50m Rifle prone - mixed SH2 final 🏆

Thursday
05
September

09 : 30 R6 50m Rifle prone - mixed SH1 qualifications
11 : 45 R6 50m Rifle prone - mixed SH1 final 🏆

3 - GETTING AROUND CHÂTEAURoux DURING THE GAMES

The Horizon public transport network remains free for all passengers during the Olympic and Paralympic Games. Specific shuttles are set up between Place Voltaire and the National Shooting Sports Center (CMT) (see schedule on the next page).

For visitors arriving by car, a spectator park-and-ride is available in the La Martinerie business zone.

Note that departmental road 925 will be closed to traffic throughout the Games.

Electric bikes are available for rent from the arrival forecourt of Châteauroux train station during the Olympic and Paralympic Games. Reservation via the Lokki app. A free parking area for bikes, with human reception from 1.5 hours before to 1.5 hours after each competition session, is available on the day of the event, Rue La Fayette in Étretchet.

LE CENTRE NATIONAL DE TIR DE CHÂTEAURoux N'ÉTANT PAS ACCESSIBLE EN VÉHICULES MOTORISÉS, PARIS 2024 RECOMMANDE AUX SPECTATEURS D'UTILISER :



Les transports en commun

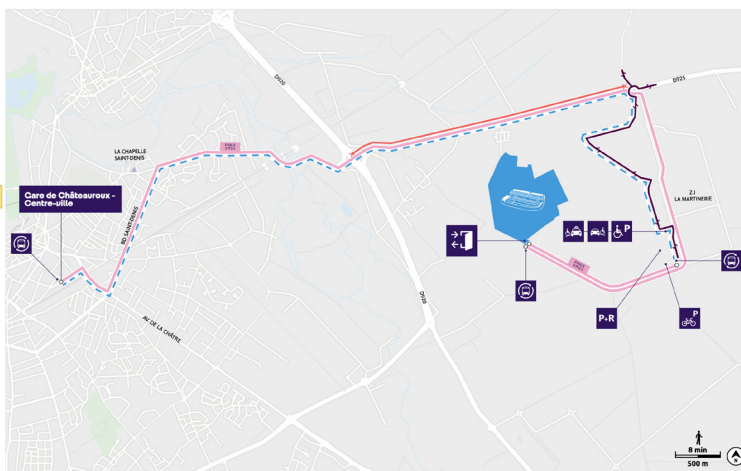


Les mobilités actives

P+R

Les parkings relais

- Site de compétition
- Itinéraire cyclable
- Route fermée à la circulation
- Itinéraire véhicules motorisés personnels
- Entrée/Sortie spectateurs
- Zone de dépôt des Bus Paris 2024
- Zone de dépôt-minute PSH et PFR*
- Zone de dépôt/reprise
- Parking PFR*
- Parking relais
- Parking vélos



*PFR : Personne en Fauteuil Roulant
*PSH : Personne en Situation de Handicap

**VOLTAIRE / NATIONAL SHOOTING SPORTS CENTER (CNT)
CHÂTEAURoux SHUTTLE SCHEDULES**

Departure from the «Voltaire» Transport Exchange Hub (**Platform 2**)

- Ticket checks and security screenings before boarding
- **3 to 8 Horizon network buses** on the special line, depending on the crowd size
- Shuttle schedules adapted to SNCF train arrivals (Intercités & TER)
- **Schedules adapted to events:**
 - Start of shuttles: **1.5 hours before the start of events**
(2 hours on busy days)
 - End of shuttles: **1.5 hours after the end of events**

	first departure	last return
Saturday, July 27	7:15 am	15:30 pm
Sunday, July 28	7:15 am	14:30 pm
Monday, July 29	7:00 am	17:30 pm
Tuesday, July 30	7:15 am	18:30 pm
Wednesdat, July 31	7:00 am	18:30 pm
Thursday, August 01	7:15 am	15:00 pm
Friday, August 02	7:00 am	16:00 pm
Saturday, August 03	7:15 am	18:25 pm
Sunday, August 04	7:00 am	18:30 pm
Monday, August 05	7:15 am	18:00 pm



4 - OLYMPIC ATMOSPHERE IN CHÂTEAUROUX AND ITS SURROUNDING TOWNS



PLACE DE LA RÉPUBLIQUE - In addition to window decals, banners/kakemonos, and flags in the colors of the Games, the two Phryges (the official mascots of Paris 2024 Olympic and Paralympic Games) welcome users of the town hall along with a 10-meter fun track. A 4.76 m ground marking reproducing the long jump record of the Châteauroux local (Castelroussine) Manon Genest, competing for the Paralympics. This can be found on Rue du Président-Wilson waiting for your jump attempt.



TOURIST OFFICE

The Ambassadors' Hall has been transformed into a must-see place. A photobooth has been set up with a decoration combining the Eiffel Tower and iconic sites of the surrounding towns (Déols Abbey, former Balsan factories, old prison). Visitors are invited to stand on the podium and strike their best pose before getting their photo taken.

PLACE GAMBETTA - You too can step onto the podium of the Games in front of the Chamber of Commerce and Industry of Indre. Just like the Olympic countdown clock located a few meters further in the city center, the structure with its tricolor laurel wreath is perfect for souvenir photos. Calling all enthusiasts!





SURROUNDING TOWNS - Shops have also joined in decorating their windows, like in Poinçonnet, for example, where a contest was launched for the Poinçonnet Games in mid-June. Over 200 windows have also been painted throughout the surrounding towns. Three designs were proposed: a stylized Eiffel Tower, a sports shooter, and a target. These decorations will be visible everywhere until mid-September.



PLACE MONESTIER - In the same spirit as the decoration set up for the year-end festivities, a canopy of pennant flags with different motifs in the style of the Paris (and Châteauroux!) 2024 Games overlook the fountain of the historic square in the city center.



TRAIN STATION ARRIVAL FORECOURT - The spirit of the Games shines in Mâron, Saint-Maur, Sassièges-Saint-Germain, Luant, and Jeu-les-Bois. Like the one placed in front of the train station, the fourteen municipalities of the area have installed, mostly in front of their town hall, an Olympic flame that lights up at night.



CHATEAUX MÉTROPOLE

Over 300 Banner kakemonos have been installed in Châteauroux Métropole, from the main avenues to the Olympic site, passing through neighborhoods and the fourteen municipalities. Large banners, along with other decorations such as those on the Cantrelle bridge or at the entrance of the National Shooting Sports Center (CNT) have also been installed, as well as the luminous sky installation on Rue de la Poste.

5 - A CITY ANIMATED DURING THE GAMES

SATURDAY, JULY 27

• Parc de Belle-Isle

Exceptional fireworks display for the opening of the Olympic Games.

SUNDAY, JULY 28

• Place de la République, Châteauroux

Allianz Prevention Tour

unique of its kind, is a traveling event aimed at raising public awareness about risks and ways to reduce them through fun and educational workshops.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 31

• Place de la République, Châteauroux

Woodstock experience: a musical journey through 1960s America

Woodstock experience explores the musical landscape of the late 1960s and early 1970s.

Come and discover a legendary repertoire performed by a team of four passionate professional musicians.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 2

• Parc de Belle-Isle

- At 9 p.m., open-air cinema screening. Come and discover or rediscover the film Astérix at the Olympic Games.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 3

• Centre ville de Châteauroux

- At 5 p.m., Parade of swimmers on tarmac! Five women take over the street to put on their «big show,» without a pool and without water, they keep moving forward and living. Swim or die! They adapt, inventing a world to swim in on the tarmac, in a pool filled with air, the street, alongside other swimmers in troubled waters, the spectators.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 7

• Place de la République, Châteauroux

- At 7 p.m., Tribute to the group Téléphone: Jean-Louis and co. From La bombe humaine to Ça c'est vraiment toi, passing through Un autre monde and New-York avec toi, find all the greatest hits of Téléphone.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 28

• Place de la République, Châteauroux.

- At 5 p.m., Olympiq' parade by the Compagnie des Enjoleurs. Dive into the fascinating world of global games, thanks to a memorable musical and visual creation. A festive encounter between art and sport that will thrill all generations. On the program: lively music, striking urban performances, and explosions of colors.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 31

• Place de la République, Châteauroux

- At 7 p.m., Orilia concert.

Finalist of the show La France a un incroyable talent, Orilia offers you a show composed of covers of Kate Bush, Britney Spears, and Stromae, as well as songs from her latest album. Her varied repertoire and energetic performances will delight you.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 4

• Place de la République, Châteauroux

- At 7 p.m., Les p'tits gouailleurs revisit Renaud 70s – 80s. To the sounds of guitar, accordion, and bouzouki, the group will make you discover or rediscover in their own way the most famous songs, as well as those perhaps sometimes forgotten by this great figure of French song. A festive and family-friendly show.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 6

• Hippodrome de Châteauroux

- At 7 p.m., The Ailleurs association, known for events in unusual places (wave pools, Diderot parking roof), organizes the Les JO de DJ contest.

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 7

• Place de la République, Châteauroux

- At 7 p.m., Tribute U2 Revolution – the best of U2 live. Experience the sound and emotion of U2 as if you were there. On the program, all the iconic tracks of the legendary Irish band. More than a tribute, it's a real musical celebration that the four musicians of U2 Revolution share in communion with the public, closely respecting the spirit of the original band.

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 8

• Place de la République, Châteauroux

- Sports village with various demonstrations to close this beautiful Olympic period!



6 - CLUB 2024



Thanks to a mobile bus system, nine municipalities in the Châteauroux area have become places of celebration and sharing an open-air playground and meeting area during the summer of 2024.

Celebration sites open at 2 p.m. with broadcasts of events on a giant screen and various sports activities in the heart of the city stadium. At 7 p.m., musical programming to celebrate the Olympic spirit.

29/07 : Oshun

- **Châteauroux** - place de la République

30/07 : Hallali

- **Saint-Maur** - mail, rue des Ponts

31/07 : Olkan et la Vipère Rouge

- **Diors** - city stadium, rue des Acacias

01/08 : Valentine Lambert

- **Montierchaume** - mail François-Mitterrand, rue des Carrières

03/08 : O'O

- **Ardentes** - fairground, rue Pasteur

04/08 : Bleu Shinobi

- **Châteauroux** - place de la République

05/08 : Thelmaa

- **Étrechet** - sports complex, rue de la Gayetterie

06/08 - La Ciguë

- **Châteauroux** - place de la République

08/08 - Beyadi

- **Arthon** - sports complex, chemin du Stade

09/08 - Oskar

- **Châteauroux** - place de la République

10/08 - Sun Gazol

- **Le Poinçonnet** - parking rue Jean-Bouin

11/08 - Mesparow

- **Déols** - place Carnot



7 - TAKE A PIECE OF CHÂTEAURoux WITH YOU



For all your Berry desires, think of the tourist office shop !

Keep an unforgettable souvenir of your visit to Châteauroux with an endless range of products for all tastes! Savory or sweet treats, local drinks, crafts, books, fashion & accessories, stationery, souvenirs, gifts for the little ones, or baskets lovingly crafted to measure by our team of travel advisors—hundreds of references await you!

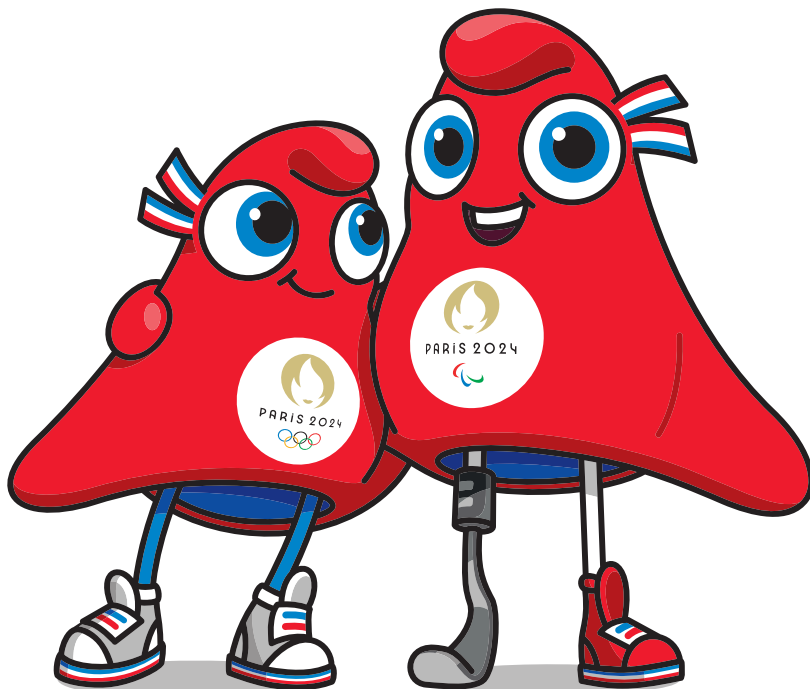
Also, take advantage of the shop's entry space dedicated to the Olympic and Paralympic Games to leave with your little Phryge (official mascots of Paris 2024 Olympic and Paralympic Games) or any other souvenir related to this exceptional sporting event that is enlivening our city this summer.

8 - BE THE BIG WINNERS OF THE GAMES

The shops' games

The shops of Châteauroux offer you more than 250 prizes (giant plush toys, water bottles, medals, puzzles, etc.) during the Games. The downtown shopkeepers will distribute scratch-card tickets to visitors. Lucky winners must claim their prize at the tourist office (2 Place de la République) upon presenting their ticket.

Châteauroux Métropole is also giving away 10,000 euros in vouchers to be used in participating Châteauroux stores. Scratch-card tickets can be found throughout the Olympic period.



Du 26 juillet au 8 septembre

CHITX le jeu

10 000 €*
en bons d'achat
à gagner

GRATTEZ ET GAGNEZ !

250 bons d'achat de **20€**

500 bons d'achat de **10€**



A utiliser dans
les boutiques
de Châteauroux
participantes



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