

GETAWAY

« LA PELLE DE LA DORDOGNE »



07 april
1 day / 28 km



REQUIRED LEVEL



ROUTE

You will be rowing on the Dordogne river between Port-Sainte-Foy and Castillon-la-bataille for a 28 kilometers long tour among villages and local vineyards. Rowers can fully enjoy the river since there is no navigation except for a few fisher boats.

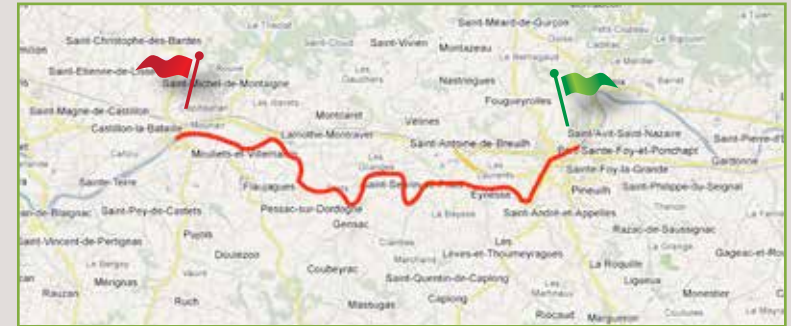
The river is wide, calm and slightly winding, hence allowing a gradual discovery of the different perspectives along the way.



SIGHTSEEING

Of course it's all about navigating on « la river Espérance ». The one where the Gabares* used to transport wood from Auvergne and Corrèze aimed for Bordeaux' s cooperage. The famous Dordogne River which the Celts use to formerly name « Du Unna », that is to say « rapid water » !

However you will embark on a peaceful winding tour between the AOC of Sainte- Foy and Côtes de Castillon. From the river you may admire the gorgeous castles with their orderly vineyards and many beautiful 18th century houses with made of sand-colored limestone bricks. Last but not least, you may then travel back to the medieval ages by visiting Saint-Emilion, Sainte-Foy-la-Grande or Castillon-la-Bataille !



PRATICAL INFORMATION



TOUR DURATION

1 day, le 07 avril 2018



TOUR PLACE

Dordogne,
from Port-Ste-Foye to Castillon-la-Bataille



BOATS

Recreational four-person sculling boats,
Double coastal rowing boat



FEES

30 € : without accommodation, including:
inscription, rowing (seat rental not included), buffet lunch



FOR COMPANIONS

20 € : without accommodation, Saturday
evening buffet included



SEAT RENTAL

30 seats available, 15 €/day



SAFETY

Supervision : 20 people
Safety boats : 4



PROVISIONAL PLANNING

1.30pm : Start from Port Sainte Foy. It is recommended to arrive at 11.30am (and to bring breakfast).
Between 5pm and 6.30pm : Arrival and tidying of the boats.
7pm : cocktail then buffet lunch at the Rowing Club Castillonnaais.



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