

CONCOURS INTERNATIONAL OF CINÉMA VIDÉO



Obernai 24 - 28 September 2015

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The 26th international competition(help) of Cinéma-Vidéo will take place to Obernai (France) from 24 till 28 September of this year. Situated in 25 km in the southwest of Strasbourg, Obernai is one of the cities of the plain of Alsace in border of Piedmont of Vosges.

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Discover the region of Obernai:

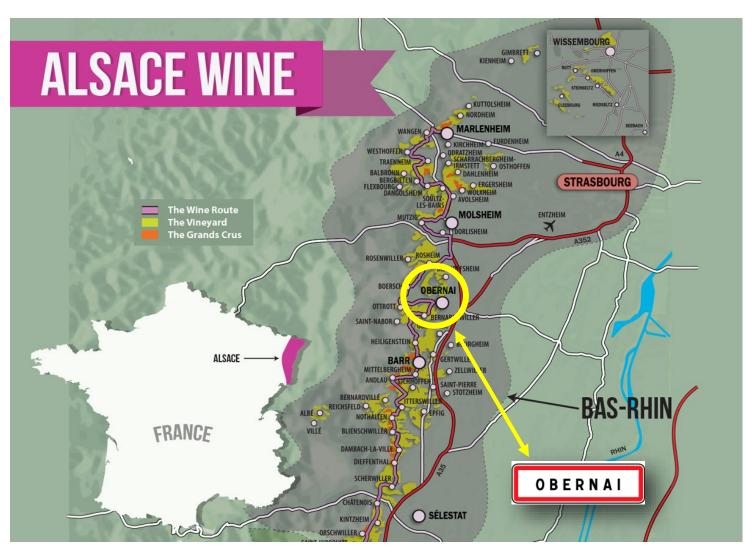
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Practical information on your stay:

« The legend of Holy Odile:
Odile, daughter of Etichon (or Aldaric),
Duke of Alsace, believed to be born
blind. Turned down by her father, she
was hidden in a Burgundy Monastery,
and then recovered her sight once
christened. Her Brother Hughes
brought her back, but when Etichon
tried to marry her to a young prince,
she escaped into the Black Forest. By
a miracle, a rock opened up in front of
her. Etichon gave up, and with his
daughter, build the convent of Hohenbourg, of which Odile was the first
abbess.»





Alsace

Silhouettes of the fortified castles on crests from Vosge, vineyards, flowery villages, wealth of the urban heritage, majesty of the Rhine, diversity of museums: Alsace attracted 11,4 million tourists in 2011. This region possesses numerous assets and multiplies the initiatives to incite the tourists to come to discover Alsace.

The heritage, the wine and the gastronomy

The natural and cultural heritage is important and it is advisable to protect it and to emphasize it. Number of museums or castles have a international interest to see (Museums from Mulhouse, castle of the Haut-Koenigsbourg...).

The wine and the gastronomy, through the "Wine trail" or the uncountable "winstubs" or the "House of the Cheese" in the Valley of Munster, are renamed beyond the borders of this region. They remain a main advantage in the tourist positioning of Alsace.













The Route des Vins



Alsace wine or Alsatian wine (in French: Vin d'Alsace) is produced in the Alsace region in France and is primarily white. Along with Austria and Germany, it produces some of the most noted dry Rieslings in the world

as well as highly aromatic Gewürztraminer wines.

Wines are produced under three different AOCs:

- Alsace AOC for white, rosé and red wines,
- Alsace Grand Cru AOC for white wines from certain classified vineyards,
- Crémant d'Alsace AOC for sparkling wines.
 Both dry and sweet white wines are produced.

Obernai: a little history

A Roman crossroads, then a Merovingian royal villa, "Ehenheim" was first mentioned in 778 and was named Oberehnheim in 1242 to distinguish it from Niederehnheim (Niedernai).

Around 1240, Obernai freed itself from monastic control to gain the status of town, with the support of the royal Hohenstaufen family. This gave it legal and fiscal independence and allowed it to erect fortifications and to hold a market and fairs. In 1354, Obernai and the nine other imperial towns of Alsace (Wissembourg, Haguenau, Rosheim, Sélestat, Kaysersberg, Colmar, Turckheim, Munster and Mulhouse) came together to found the Décapole.

The 16th century represented a golden age for Obernai. Crafts and wine-growing (for export) prospered. The Renaissance left its architectural mark on a number of buildings including the Hôtel de Ville (Town Hall, built 1523 and 1610), the Halle aux Blés (Corn Market, 1554), the Beffroi - Kapellturm tower and the Puits à Six Seaux well (1579). When the Thirty Years' War (1618-1648) ravaged the region, the town was occupied and plundered.

Following the Peace of Westphalia treaties (1648), Louis XIV annexed the ten towns of the Décapole to the Crown of France in 1679. Obernai became a royal town and lost its autonomy.

The turn of the 20th century was marked by a new period of modernisation.



Obernai - Kappelturm

bernai, Saint Odile's home town (patron saint of Alsace), is very appreciated by the visitors. The historic center, still contained in its bulwarks, possesses very beautiful group beautiful medieval houses and revivals. A very beautiful stage near Strasbourg.

Some curiosities:

Behind this fountain, the belfry says Kappellturm (see photo above), stay up the city. It is in reality about the bell tower of a old chapel, built at disturbed times in the end of the XIIIth to allow the inhabitants to attend the masses while staying inside bulwarks. The chapel was destroyed in the XIXth century, with the exception of the choir, which shelters the tourist office today.



The **marketplace**: central point of the city, which includes some of the most beautiful monuments revival of the city.



The **corn exchange**: as its name does'nt indicate it, this building was originally a butcher's shop, built in 1554. It accommodated of more the store of salt (monopoly of the city), and the Kaufhaus (customs) which was situated on the first floor. In the attic was situated the stock of wheat.



The **city hall** also gives onto this place: elements the oldest presents are of the XIVth century, Gothic. But the body of the building is revival and was built between 1462 and 1523.

Your arrival:

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http://www.vvf-villages.fr/villages-vacances/tourisme-alsace-obernai.html

Station SNCF of Obernai situated in 2 km

The closest big cities: Strasbourg in 30 km and Colmar in 47 km

To make of the station SNCF of Obernai to the VVF by bus :

Relay Pass O' situated in station - ticket's price: 0,80 €

Details

Leave the stop : Gare SNCF départ OBERNAI

Line 01 Pass'O : Camping - L'O Espace Aquatique

in the direction of : Camping Network: PASS'O - Obernai

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