

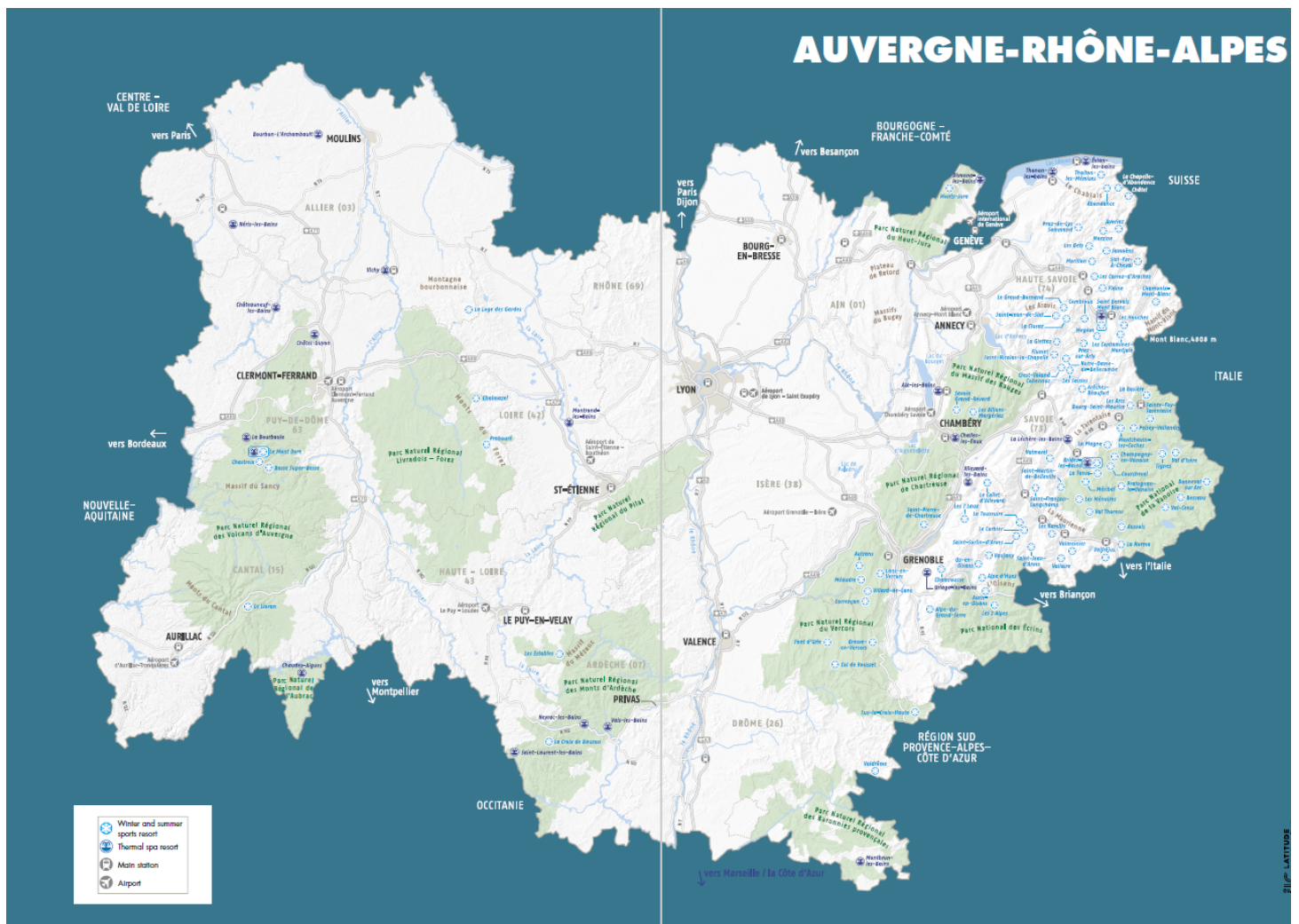


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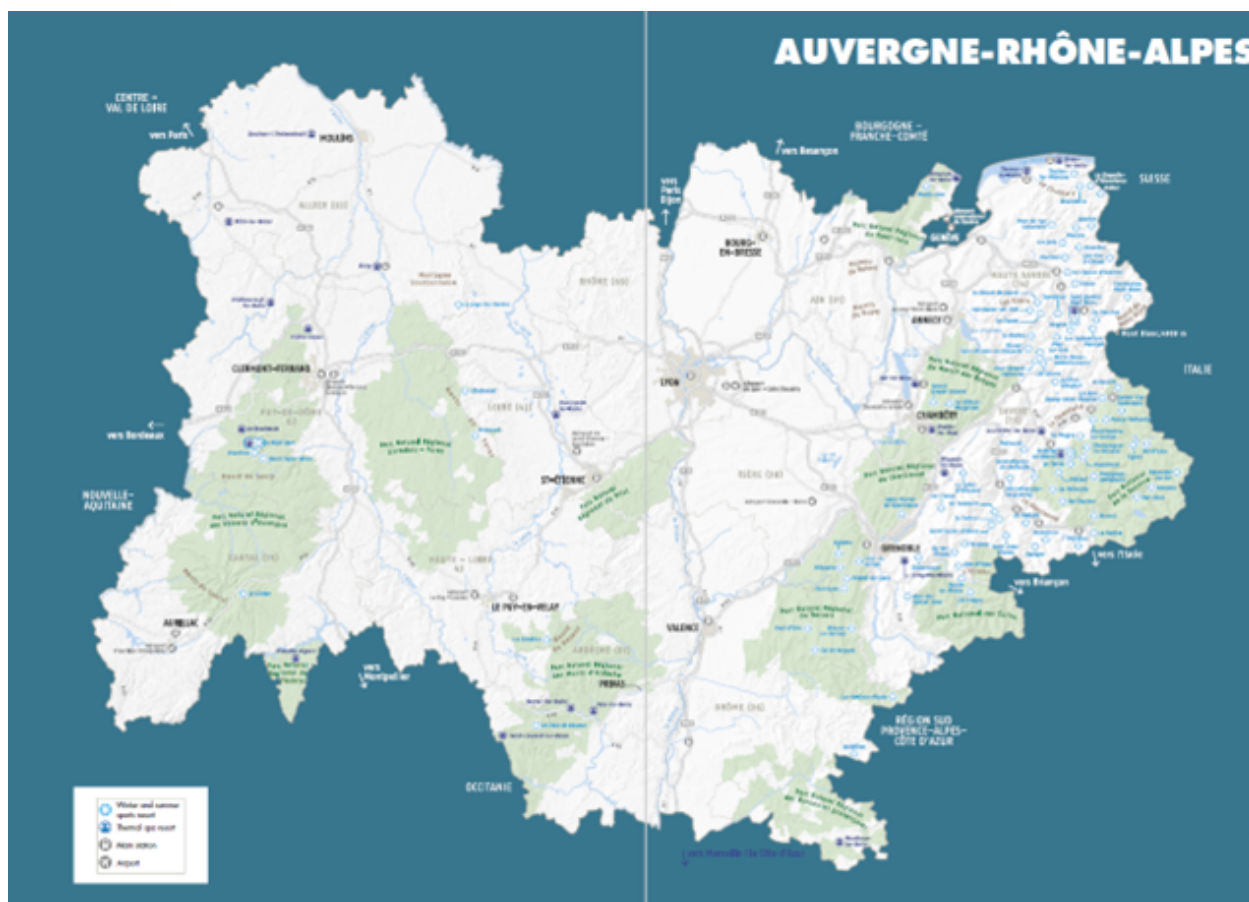
FAMTRIP GREEN FRANCE

Monday 14th October to Thursday 17th October





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DAY 1 / MONDAY 14th October

- ✓ **4:00 pm:** Welcome by AURATourisme and your guide of Allibert trekking in **Annecy station or Geneva Airport.**

We will arrange transfers for each arrival and will have a plan B in case any of them arrive later.

You will be driven to your hotel for check-in and to freshen up. Depending on your arrival time, you can enjoy a city guided tour to the medieval town of Annecy, known as the Little Venice of the Alps. (1h30)





Annecy, the Venice of the Alps

Situated on the edge of a lake and set against a backdrop of mountains, Annecy is a charming Savoyard town infused with romance. Known as the Venice of the Alps, it boasts canals, colorful facades, cobbled streets, that invite you to stroll leisurely. .

An emblematic image of the old town, the Palace of the island sits in the middle of the Thiou, while the museum-castle stands prominently above. From its heights, it offers views of Lake Annecy, the old town and over eight centuries of history, including the Counts of Geneva, the Duchy of Savoy, and the attachment to France. The city's rich heritage is reflected throughout, particularly in the district of the Five Bell Towers, each a testament to a different historical period. The Pont des Amours is to Annecy what the Pont des Sighs is to the Venetian city. Laden with legends, this essential passage offers a unique point of view on the lake, the mountains, the Vassé canal and its moored boats.

✓ **7:30 pm** : Dinner in a restaurant in the old town or by the lake.

Dinner featuring local products - *We will accommodate everyone's dietary restrictions (to be specified when you register).*

During the dinner, discover the Annecy Mountains, a breathtaking region from the resorts of the Aravis mountain range to the sources of Lake Annecy. Here you can ski, swim, fly, hike, meditate, stroll, go shopping, expand your knowledge, amuse yourself, and feast your eyes as well as your taste buds - all in a single day!

Annecy Mountains is a collective initiative bringing together the territories of this fabulous area and 7 tourist offices : Le Grand Bornand, la Clusaz, Manigod, Saint Jean de Sixt, Thônes Coeur des Vallées, Sources du lac d'Annecy and Lake Annecy.

✓ **Night** : Hotel*** in Annecy



DAY 2 / TUESDAY 15th October

- ✓ **8:30 am:** Check-out. The luggages will be loaded onto buses that will accompany us throughout the day. Handling of e-bikes (electric bikes)

Cycling tour with e-bikes / Lake and Natural park of Les Bauges, a UNESCO World Geopark.

Enjoy a ride on an e-bike amidst the stunning landscapes. . Traverse the massif with forests and spectacular panoramas of Lake Annecy, the valleys below and the surrounding mountains. Along the way, discover picturesque villages, traditional farms and aspects of the local culture.

60 km - D+ = 1023 / D- = 1122m

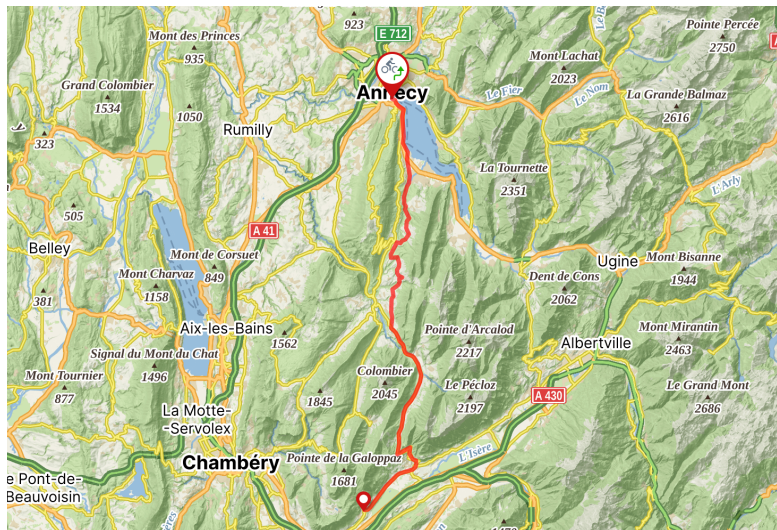
5 hours -Coffee breaks and lunch break are included

It's easy with ebikes and we can organize a transfer (with bus) to the summit . Enjoy a scenic ride downhill to Chambéry, reminiscent of an Italian city, nestled amidst vineyards and hillsides in Savoie. Pause for a wine and local food testing.





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✓ **4:00 pm** : Transfer by bus to the south of the Région : **La Drôme Provençale**

Transfer by private bus **3h00** (short breaks included)

✓ **Night and diner:** Huttopia in Dieulefit

During the dinner, there will be a meeting with incoming agencies.



DAY 3 / WEDNESDAY 16th October

✓ **8:30 am:** Check-out. The luggages will be placed in buses that will follow us throughout the day.

✓ **Discover typical villages : Dieulefit and Le Poët Laval**

Poët-Laval is a medieval hilltop village classified as “One of the most beautiful villages in France”. The fortified village of Poët-Laval, with its impressive medieval keep, stands out in this landscape of wooded hills surrounding Dieulefit, in Drôme Provençale

On the way, we'll stop off at local producers (goat cheese, black garlic, wine..) and we will have time for lunch. In the afternoon, we'll enjoy a short guided walk in the Saou Forrest with a guide (2h00 – 7/8 km)



Saou

✓ **4:00 pm :** Transfer by bus to Privas, in the department of Ardeche (1h15)

We'll stop in **Mirmande**, a jewel of the Drôme Valley, which offers a splendid view of the Rhone Valley. The village has retained its authentic, medieval charm, allowing you to immerse yourself in its rich history. Discover why this village is classified among the Most Beautiful Villages in France.



Mirmande



✓ **Night and dinner:** [Hôtel les Châtaigniers](#) in Privas

A time for exchanges during the aperitif, with a presentation of the Ardèche's leading local products and the presence of incoming agencies.

DAY 4 / TUESDAY 17th October

❖ **8:30 am:** check-out - Transfer by bus to Pont-de-Chervil (approximately 45 minutes).

Cycling on the [Dolce Via](#) - a 90 km of soft track, well-equipped and secured, in the heart of the reserved landscapes and the large natural areas of the Ardèche. You will discover a part of this cycling way from Pont de Chervil to St-Sauveur, then Les Ollières-sur-Eyrieux, St-Fortunat, La Voulte-sur-Rhône.

35 km – D+160 m /D- 320 m – 2 hours by bike



In La Voulte-sur-Rhône, you will discover ViaRhôna, another Eurovelo [ViaRhôna](#).

This cycling way holds a grand ambition – to guide cyclists by bike, beside the Rhône River, from Lake Geneva to France's Mediterranean beaches! This 815km cycle route, still in progress, leads you from Alpine panoramas to Camargue beaches across emblematic landscapes of the Cotes du Rhône vineyards and those of southern Provence: hilltop villages, lavender or olive tree fields, gastronomic discoveries.

❖ Enjoy a picnic with regional products before returning to Lyon (*2 hours by bus*)

❖ **3:30 pm :** Welcome in your [hotel**** Mariott Hôtel](#) in Lyon in front of the huge park in Lyon "le Parc de la Tête d'or". Check-in and free time to freshen up.



- ❖ **4:00 pm** : Cycling tour In LYON - 2 hours



- ❖ **7:00 pm** : Surprise for the evening! **Green France welcome evening**. The exhibitors from the Auvergne-Rhône-Alpes region and the organizing staff will also be invited.

DAY 5 / FRIDAY 18th October

- ❖ Breakfast before the workshop
❖ **9:00 – 15:00**

Market Place in the Mariott Hôtel - A room will be specially arranged to host this workshop
All long day, free meeting points with destinations from Auvergne-Rhône-Alpes and incoming agencies. Continuous breaks and standing lunch are included

- ❖ **03:00 pm** : End of the workshop and End of Green France

Transfer by private bus to the train station

All is included during your FAMtrip :

- train ticket or plane ticket
- all meal : breakfast, picnic lunch and diner in restaurant
- Hotel *** or group accommodation
- Transfer by private bus
- Tour guided
- Ebikes for everybody (with helmet)
- Tour leaders



Packing List : Valid passport, Copy of travel/medical, insurance, including number and contact information, Debit Card, Credit card, Cash (Euros), Medication, if applicable (with prescriptions), Comfortable clothes for traveling, exploring the rural areas and enjoying in the city, Comfortable clothes for outdoor activities and cycling, Business casual clothes for the marketplace, Waterproof/windproof/ down jacket + trousers, hat, hand gloves, Hiking shoes, Backpack for daily excursions, Toiletries, Camera and Accessories - Chargers, Adapter for electrical sockets, Sunglasses, Bottle, Helmet- if you prefer to have your own, but we will lend you one.

