

CANNES - JUNE 15-17, 2012

Eden Hotel - 133 rue d'Antibes – 06400 – Cannes - France

PROGRAMME

FRIDAY, June 15, 2012

Arrival of guests

Check-in and registration at ALLIANCE Schlumberger desk in the hotel lobby from 14:00.

Number of garage places is limited to 20, first come, first served. Large public parking 200m away from the hotel (18€ / 24h).

Golf (if interested, please contact André Baudot: bergier@wanadoo.fr)

At the **Golf de la Grande Bastide in Châteauneuf de Grasse** (18km from Cannes), more information on www.opengolfclub.com/grandebastide.

Last Tee-off at 12.30, one tee-off every 9 mn, first tee-off will depend on the number of players.

Green Fee: 74 € (65 € if more than 12 players), Electric buggy: 38 €, Bag rental: 31 €.

Alliance welcome drink

18:30 In the hotel lobby and bar.

Dinner

20:00 In the hotel Akwaba restaurant

Cost: 32.00 €/person

Please note that for all meals in this programme, beverages are either included or offered by Alliance

SATURDAY, June 16, 2012

Trip to Grasse

09:00 Participants meet in the hotel lobby for departure by bus to Grasse, the town of perfume. The trip includes visits of the Fragonard perfume factory and museum, Provençal costume and jewellery museum, and the Fragonard paintings museum. English and French guides.

Lunch

12:00 In the Espace Terroirs

Cost: 42.00 €/person (visits and lunch)

Alliance General Meeting

15:30 – 18:30 At the hotel.

Alliance Dinner

20:00 In the Eden hotel dining room.

Cost: 62.00 €/person

SUNDAY, June 17, 2012

Cruise to St Honorat island

09:15 Participants meet in the hotel lobby for a cruise to St Honorat, one of the Lerins islands: don't be late as the boat will not wait for us! Discovery visit: history, vineyards, monasteries, and chapels. English and French guides.

Lunch

12:00 At the restaurant "La Tonnelle".

Cost: 61.70 €/person (bus transfer, cruise, visit and lunch)

Return to hotel around 15.30.

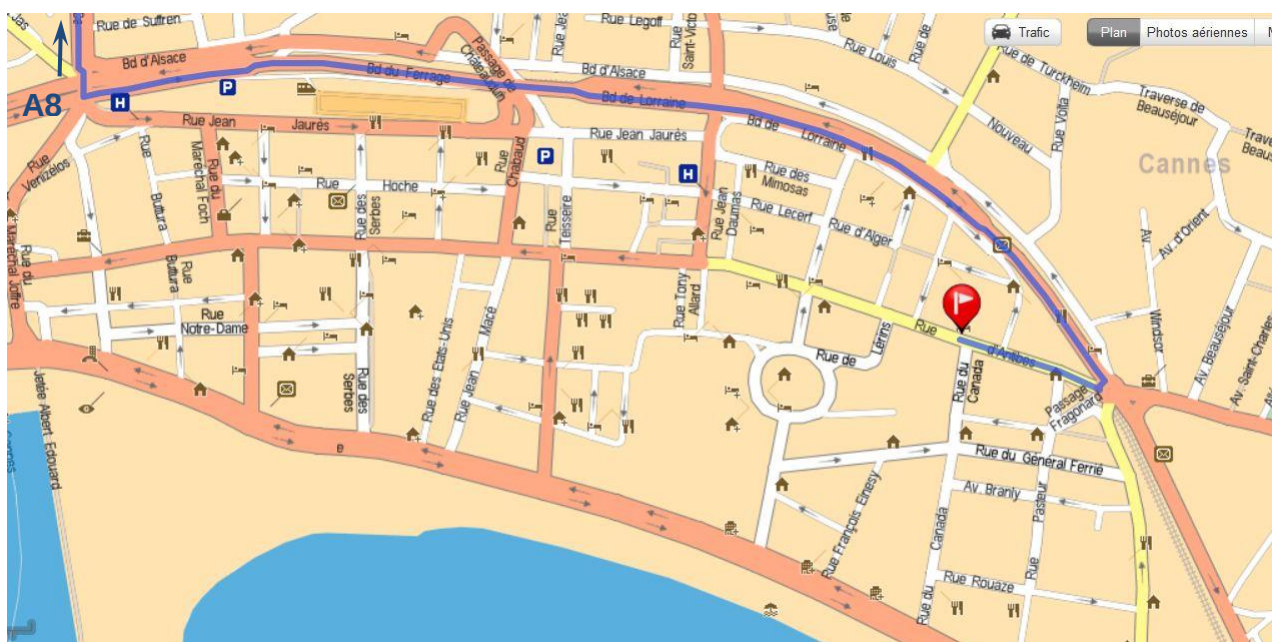
HOW TO GET THERE

Visa

To get there, you may need a visa. If needed, Alliance can provide an introductory letter confirming the date and reason of the meeting (send request to vandenabeelep@orange.fr).

By car

From the A8 from the west or the east: take the exit 42 (Cannes-Mougins) Follow the *route du Cannet* which becomes the *Avenue du Campon*. At its end turn right on the *Boulevard Sadi Carnot*. 1.8 km later turn left on a wide boulevard: the *Boulevard du Ferriage*, which becomes the *Boulevard de Lorraine*. 1.2 km away, arrive at the *Rond-point Paul Maubert*, and turn right (hairpin turn) in the *rue d'Antibes*.



For the GPS fanatics, hotel coordinates: E 7° 02' 82 " 10, N 43° 55' 16" 40.

By air

Nice airport is 25 km away, about 50 airlines have flights going to, or arriving in Nice.

Mandelieu airport is 8 km away, but only handles business flights.

By train

The railways station is 750 m from the hotel.

In front of the station, take the *Rue des Serbes*, then take the second street on the left: the *rue D'Antibes*



TGVs direct connections to Paris, Lille, Strasbourg, Geneva.

SATURDAY

The Fragonard perfume factory



In the heart of Grasse, in this building, manufacturing of perfumes started in 1782.

The visit will demonstrate the various perfume manufacturing and packaging processes.

At the end of the visit, perfumes and cosmetics will be available for purchase at factory prices.

The Fragonard perfume museum

The museum displays a collection of flasks, caskets, stills, documents and other devices illustrating the story of the perfume from ancient times to the present.



The Provençal costume and jewellery museum



The museum houses a collection of Provençal costumes and jewels of the 18th and 19th centuries;

The Fragonard paintings museum

Dedicated to the most famous son of the city of Grasse, the painter Jean-Honoré Fragonard (1732-1806), this museum presents about fifteen major works of the artist. It also houses a collection of paintings of two other artists from Grasse: Marguerite Gérard (1761-1837) and Jean-Baptiste Mallet (1759-1835).



L'Espace Terroirs



Provençal Lunch Tasting of a complete and typical lunch including mixed toasts with black olive tapenade, dried tomatoes caviar and anchovy cream, pissaladière - onions pie with olives, and dessert, coffee, soft drinks and wines

The nearby shop stocks a large selection of local products.

SUNDAY

Saint Honorat island



20 minutes off the bay of Cannes, Saint Honorat Island, known as Lérina in ancient times, is a small lush garden in the turquoise waters of the Mediterranean Sea. For 16 centuries, the monastery on the island has been home to the Cistercian Congregation of the Immaculate Conception. Today the community is made up of 25 monks living modestly and peacefully in this unspoilt sun-kissed paradise, an oasis of silence



The Monks of Lérins invite you to explore the abbey grounds including the 12-13th century cloister, fortress monastery, and cannonball ovens.



The monks of the Abbaye de Lérins have been making wine with passion and art since the Middle Ages. All processes (pruning, removal of unwanted buds and grape harvesting) are carried out by hand. The vineyard, located in the central part of the island, is made up of eight hectares from which the monks produce both delicious red and white wines, both of which have received international acclaim.

Lunch is at “La Tonnelle” restaurant, in the centre of St Honorat island. The chef Arnaud Ronxin has created a menu based on fresh, colourful, seasonal dishes full of Provencal flavours: salads, grilled fish, meat and seafood.