

VILLA CAVROIS IN CROIX

A modern architectural masterpiece.

First designed in 1929 and finished in 1932, the villa is a family home created by the architect Robert Mallet-Stevens, a member of the Modernist movement. He was commissioned by Paul Cavrois, a textile industrialist from Roubaix, and his wife. The villa follows a precise schema bringing together all the most advanced technologies of the period, and was something of an aesthetic shock, the effects of which are still perceptible today. All of the interior was furnished using luxurious materials such as marble, exotic wood, and polished aluminium, and the furniture was designed by Mallet-Stevens, who also devised the layout of the park. The very latest techniques were used. The furniture was sold off following the death of Madame Cavrois in 1986, and the Villa itself was sold in 1987. After standing abandoned for a long period during which it was vandalised, it was bought by the State in 2001, which has undertaken a vast campaign to save and restore the Villa to how it originally looked in 1932.

The programme that the Centre des monuments nationaux have been carrying out between 2008 and 2015 revealed the exceptionally ambitious nature of the architectural project desired by the Cavrois.

RECEPTION

Subject to modification.

Open

2nd January to 31st December: from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Closed

Mondays, 1st January, 1st May and 25th December

Accessibility

Number of floors during the tour: 4
(lift accessible to people with reduced mobility)

FACILITIES

- Shop
- Toilets
- Bus service, Beaumont carpark: 300 m
- **Function room rental:** from 50 to 100 people

ACCESS



From Paris: take the A1, then the A22 as far as exit 2, and then take the N227. Take the A22 again as far as exit 9 and proceed to Croix

From Lille: take the D670 towards Roubaix and then the D660 and D14

From Belgium: follow directions to Roubaix

INFORMATION

VILLA CAVROIS

60, avenue John Fitzgerald Kennedy
59170 Croix
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Group reservation

Roubaix Tourist Office
tel.: (33) (0)3 20 65 31 90
www.roubaixtourisme.com
www.villa-cavrois.fr





TOURS

Unaccompanied tour with guide booklet
French, English, German, Dutch

Guided tour
French, English, German

Reservation: 1 week before, Roubaix Tourist Office
tel.: (33) (0)3 20 65 31 90
Duration: 1 hr 30 min

Touchscreen tablets available for visitors
French, English

RATES 2020 CATEGORY 3

Rate for groups (minimum 20 people)
7,5 €

Pro E-ticketing



Adults
9,5 €

Free admission: minors under 18*
Free admission: 18-25 years old
(EU nationals and regularised EU residents)
* excluding school groups

Extra charge:

Tablet: 4 €

Tour application: 2,99 €



USEFUL ADDRESSES

Roubaix Tourist Office
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