



CHÂTEAU OF VILLENEUVE-LEMBRON

The luxurious home of a nobleman of the Middle Ages.

The Château de Villeneuve-Lembron, built in the late 15th century for Rigault d'Aureille, is a fine example of stately residences of the early Renaissance. It is home to a remarkable collection of murals from the early 16th century that bring medieval imaginations to life. During the second half of the 16th century, the walls were decorated with superb grotesques. Then in the 17th century, the ceilings, wood panelling and fireplaces were richly painted.

Amongst other things, the château holds some very beautiful Aubusson tapestries depicting the stories of Alexander the Great and Godfrey of Bouillon.

You can also find some magnificent frescoes from the 16th century in the former stables.

RECEPTION

Subject to modification.

Open

15th May to 15th September: from 10 a.m. to 12.30 a.m.
and from 2 p.m. to 6.30 p.m.

16th September to 14th May: from 10 a.m. to 12.30 a.m.
and from 2 p.m. to 5.30 p.m.

Easter Monday and Whit Monday

Closed

Mondays (except Easter and Whit Monday)

Tuesdays from 16th September to 14th May

1st January, 1st May, 1st November, 11th November
and 25th December.

FACILITIES

- Lavatories
- Seating available in the park and picnic
- Gift shop
- Parking for coaches 20 m
- **Function room rental:** park, courtyard of the castle...

ACCESS



Main road Clermont-Ferrand/Saint-Flour -
18 km south-west of Issoire

From Clermont-Ferrand or Saint-Flour:
A75, exit 17, Saint-Germain-Lembron,
then D720, Villeneuve-Lembron
Clermont-Ferrand airport at 51 km

INFORMATION

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SOUTH EASTERN FRANCE AUVERGNE-RHÔNE-ALPES / CHÂTEAU OF VILLENEUVE-LEMBRON



TOURS

Guided tour

French

Reservations: 2 weeks

Duration: 1 hr

Tour with a difference “From Cellar to Loft”

Discover areas rarely opened to the public

Reservations: 15 days

Duration: 1h approx.

School visits, historical heritage workshops

French

Private visit, with or without catering service,
outside standard opening hours

RATES 2021 CATEGORY 5

Rate for groups (minimum 20 people)

5 €

Adults

6 €

**Joint ticket: 2 châteaux of Puy-de-Dôme
(Villeneuve-Lembron and Aulteribe)**

Rate for groups (minimum 20 people)

7 €

Adults

9 €

Free admission: minors under 18*

Free admission: 18-25 years old

(EU nationals and regularised EU residents)

* excluding school groups



USEFUL ADDRESSES

Issoire Tourist Office

tel.: (33) (0)4 73 89 15 90

www.issuire-tourisme.com

Gites de France du Puy-de-Dôme

tel.: (33) (0)4 73 92 05 02

www.gites-de-france-puydedome.com

Nearby national monuments:

50 km - Château of Aulteribe

90 km - The Cathedral complex of Puy
en Velay

114 km - Château of Chareil-Cintrat