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The Lille European Metropolis is home to 1.2 million people inhabitants who live and work in the very heart of north-west Europe. It's less than 3.5 hours from five European capitals and is one of the world's Top 100 most welcoming cities. Lille has everything – and it's only an hour to the beach.

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# hello events

**Lillarious Festival**  
Early February

**Séries Mania**  
Mid-March

**Paris – Roubaix**  
Mid-April

**URBX**  
2<sup>nd</sup> half of June

**Lille Flea Market**  
1<sup>st</sup> weekend in September

**Rugby World Cup 2023**  
September to October

**Lille Beer Festival**  
Late September



**Lille Street Food Festival**  
Early October

**Tourcoing Jazz Festival**  
2<sup>nd</sup> half of October

**Christmas Markets**  
November to December

**Art Braderie – Night of the Arts**  
Early December

**Olympic Games 2024**  
July to August 2024





**Check out Hello Winter and Hello Summer:**

Packed with events, exhibitions, guided tours  
and activities to discover on your own, with  
family or with friends.





## Le LaM, Lille Metropolis Museum of Modern Art, Contemporary Art and Art Brut

Discover France's leading collection of Art Brut (or outsider art). The LaM is the only museum in Europe to present modern, contemporary and brut art together in a striking panorama.

1 allée du Musée | Villeneuve d'Ascq

M Pont de Bois (line 1)

Bus 32 or L6, stop LaM

Open every day except Monday  
10am - 6pm

Full price €10 / Reduced price €7

Free with the City Pass

[www.musee-lam.fr/en](http://www.musee-lam.fr/en)

## The Palais des Beaux-Arts

Housed in a resplendent 19<sup>th</sup> century building, discover a complete panorama of European art from the 12<sup>th</sup> to 20<sup>th</sup> century.

Place de la République | Lille

M République (line 1)

Monday 2pm-6pm

Wednesday to Sunday 10am-6pm

Tickets: €7/€4/Reduced price for everyone after 4.30pm weekdays

Free with the City Pass

[www.pba-lille.fr/en](http://www.pba-lille.fr/en)







## La Piscine Museum

Dive into France's most elegant swimming pool! Picture this: a former Art Deco public baths transformed into a museum displaying the most beautiful modern sculptures of the 19<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup> centuries.

23 rue de l'Espérance | Roubaix  
**M** J. Lebas or Grand'Place (line 2)  
 Open Tuesday to Thursday  
 11am–6pm  
 Friday 11am–8pm  
 Saturday and Sunday 1pm–6pm  
 Tickets excluding temporary exhibitions: €9 / €6 | Temporary exhibitions €11 / €9  
 Free with the City Pass  
[www.roubaix-lapiscine.com](http://www.roubaix-lapiscine.com)

## Villa Cavrois

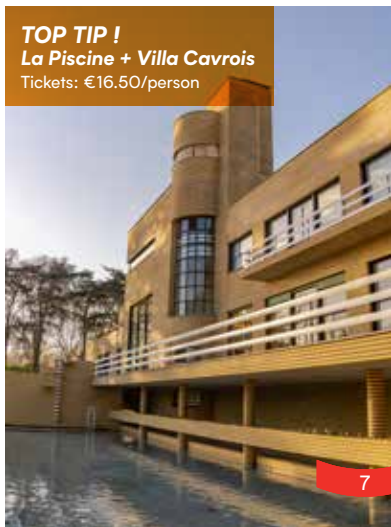
Robert Mallet-Stevens' architectural masterpiece, the Villa Cavrois, is a creative symbol of the 20<sup>th</sup> century and a modernist manifesto. It was built in 1932 for Paul Cavrois, one of Roubaix's leading textile industrialists.

60 avenue Kennedy | Croix  
 Tram direction Roubaix stop Villa Cavrois  
 Open every day except Monday from 10am–6pm  
 Tickets: €9.50/€7.50  
 Free for under 25 years old  
 Free with the City Pass  
[www.villa-cavrois.fr/en](http://www.villa-cavrois.fr/en)

## TOP TIP !

### La Piscine + Villa Cavrois

Tickets: €16.50/person



## The Natural History Museum

Come and hear the history of the earth, life and the origin of man, to understand the phenomena that have shaped our landscapes and made the North a land of coal. Children can follow in the footsteps of Darwin or take a self-guided trail to learn about biodiversity.

19 rue de Bruxelles | Lille

**M** Lille Grand Palais (line 2)

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday

and Friday 9.30am–5pm

Saturday and Sunday 10am–6pm

Tickets: €3.80/€2.60

Free with the City Pass

[www.mhn.lille.fr/en](http://www.mhn.lille.fr/en)



## MUba Eugène Leroy

Housed in a 19<sup>th</sup> century private mansion, the MUba establishes a dialogue between art from previous centuries and the contemporary, between live art and fine arts, while showcasing the work of Eugène Leroy (1910–2000).

2 rue Paul Doumer | Tourcoing

**M** Tourcoing centre (line 2)

Tram direction Tourcoing stop

Tourcoing centre

Open every day except Tuesday and

bank holidays 1pm–6pm

Tickets: €5.50/€3/free

Free with the City Pass

[www.muba-tourcoing.fr](http://www.muba-tourcoing.fr)





## Le Fresnoy – National Studio of Contemporary Arts

When founded, Le Fresnoy was a place of festivities for a fun-seeking population. Today Le Fresnoy is a centre for training, creativity and entertainment. It is now a high-level audiovisual art school which puts on exhibitions, film showings, concerts and shows.

22 rue du Fresnoy | Tourcoing

**M** Alsace (line 2)

From Wednesday to Sunday 2pm–

7pm Tickets: €4/€3

Free with the City Pass

[www.lefresnoy.net](http://www.lefresnoy.net)

## Museum of the Battle of Fromelles

On 19 and 20 July 1916, more than 8,500 Australian, British and German soldiers disappeared, were injured or died during the Battle of Fromelles. Visit the museum, which intertwines archaeology, science and history to tell the story of the soldiers who fought in the battle.



Rue de la Basse Ville |

Fromelles

**M** Oscar Lambret (line 1) +

bus 235 – bus stop Mairie de

Fromelles

School time: Monday,

Wednesday, Thursday,

Friday from 1.30pm–5.30pm

Saturday and Sunday from

9.30am–5.30pm

School holidays: every

day except Tuesday from

9.30am–5.30pm

Tickets: €5/€3/free

Free with the City Pass

Annual closure in February

[www.musee-bataille-](http://www.musee-bataille-fromelles.fr/en)

[fromelles.fr/en](http://www.musee-bataille-fromelles.fr/en)

# FIND THE MUST-SEES IN LILLE AND THE SURROUNDING AREA AT YOUR FINGERTIPS!



Street art, Art deco, Culture, Nature, Architecture and Heritage, Family, History and Traditions, Unusual walks, Brewery tourism, Behind the scenes and Memory : a variety of themes for curious strolls around Lille.

## La Manufacture, Museum of Living Memory and Textile Creation

In an authentic industrial atmosphere, learn about the Lille area's iconic textile industry, how it started and where it's heading: the sound of the machines in operation plunges visitors into the spinning mills of yesteryear while explaining the close links woven between social, technical and urban history.

29 av. Julien Lagache | Roubaix

**M** Eurotéléport (line 2)

Tram direction Roubaix, tram stop Eurotéléport  
then bus L3 direction Leers la Plaine,  
bus stop La Manufacture

Tuesday to Sunday from 1am–6pm

Guided tours at 2.30pm and 4pm

Tickets: €6/€4

Free with the City Pass

[www.lamanufacture-roubaix.com](http://www.lamanufacture-roubaix.com)



## The Hospice Comtesse Museum

Entering the museum feels like stepping into a Flemish home of the era. 17<sup>th</sup> and 18<sup>th</sup> century furniture, table decorations, still life and vanitas paintings. Its medicinal roots are not forgotten – the Hospice Comtesse has its own pharmacy.

32 rue de la Monnaie | Lille

Bus 14 or Vieux Lille shuttle bus,  
stop Lion d'Or

Monday 2pm–6pm

Wednesday to Sunday 10am–6pm

Tickets: €3.70/€2.60

Free with the City Pass

Free for under 12s



## Arab World Institute, Tourcoing

The Arab World Institute, Tourcoing works to promote understanding of Arab cultures in the Hauts de France region. It holds exhibitions, conferences, live performances and educational activities.

9 rue Gabriel Péri | Tourcoing

**M** Colbert (line 2)

Opening hours and tickets depending on exhibitions (see website)

Free with the City Pass

[www.ima-tourcoing.fr](http://www.ima-tourcoing.fr)



## Fort of Seclin

The Musée du Fort de Seclin was born of a family's passion for history and the restoration of old stones. After 7 years of titanic work, the family opened the museum in 2003. The exhibition is dedicated to the history of the First World War, with a special focus on artillery and horse-drawn vehicles from 1870 to 1920.

Chemin du Fort | Seclin

Open Monday to Sunday by appointment only (via questionnaire on website).

Fixed fee €50 up to 8 visitors/ €6 per person if more than 8 visitors.

Free with the City Pass

[www.fortseclin.com](http://www.fortseclin.com)



## La Condition Publique

La Condition Publique is a creative space and cultural factory hosting exhibitions, festivals (including the Art Braderie, Contemporary Latitudes and the Name festival) as well as being a thriving hub for street art.

14 place Faidherbe | Roubaix

**M** Eurotéléport (line 2)

Wednesday and Saturday

1.30pm-7pm

Thursday, Friday and Sunday

1.30pm-6pm

Free with the City Pass

[www.laconditionpublique.com](http://www.laconditionpublique.com)

A photograph of the interior of Charles de Gaulle's birthplace. The room features a large window on the left with a view of a garden. In the center, there is a fireplace with a dark metal grate. To the right of the fireplace is a floral-patterned armchair. The floor is covered with a colorful, geometric tile pattern. A potted plant is visible in the foreground on the left.

## Charles de Gaulle's birthplace

Discover the genesis and childhood of the man who would become the most illustrious of Frenchmen. Visit his maternal grandparents' house, where he was born on 22 November 1890. Here is where the family gathered throughout his childhood and youth and the future national hero spent his holidays until 1912.

9 rue Princesse | Lille  
Bus route 10, bus stop Magasin or Old Lille  
shuttle bus  
Open every day except Tuesday, 10am–6pm  
Tickets: €6/€4/free  
[www.maisondegaulle.fr](http://www.maisondegaulle.fr)

A photograph of laboratory equipment in a museum setting. In the foreground, there are several glass bottles and flasks, some containing liquids of different colors. A large, round-bottom flask is prominent on the left. In the background, there are more glassware and a wooden container. The scene is lit with warm, focused light.

## Museum of the Institut Pasteur de Lille

Housed in the former apartments of Albert Calmette, it was within these very walls that Calmette, together with the veterinarian Camille Guérin, discovered the *Bacillus Calmette-Guérin* (BCG), the tuberculosis vaccine. Louis Pasteur and Lille also have history here. The great scientist discovered alcohol fermentation when he was dean of the faculty of sciences in Lille in 1854.

18 boulevard Louis XIV | Lille  
**M** Lille Grand Palais (line 2)  
Saturday and Sunday 10am–12noon  
and 2pm–5pm  
Tickets: €6 / €3 / Free with the City  
Pass  
Free for under 12s  
[www.pasteur-lille.fr](http://www.pasteur-lille.fr)

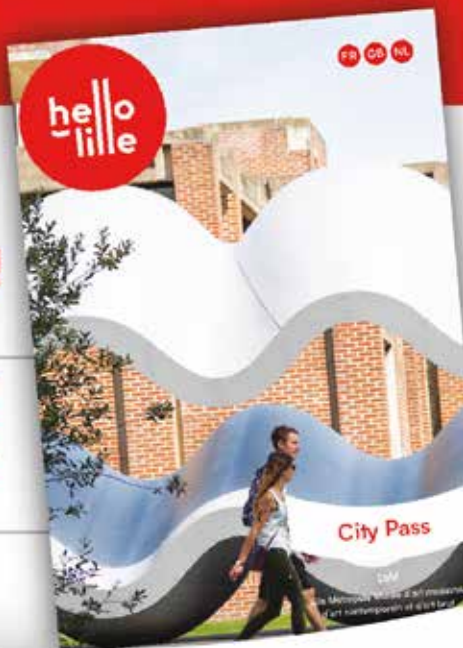


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# hello heritage

**Old Town Lille** is a firm favourite with the tourists: for its cobbled, winding streets, full of charm, and for its luxury and fashion boutiques, historical and architectural heritage, as well as the bars and restaurants.

**Lille centre** is the city's beating heart, its pedestrian streets buzzing with shoppers. The outdoor cafés and bars of the Grand Place, Place du Théâtre and Place Rihour are where northerners express their sociable and fun-loving side.

The working-class district, **Gambetta-Wazemmes**, is also popular with the Lillois for its hive of activity and shops. Sunday morning hosts the friendly bustle of the legendary Wazemmes Market.

The area around the **train stations and Euralille** symbolises the city's exchange and openness to the region, France and Europe. It's also a symbol of Lille's economic drive – business people and executives step off the TGV, Eurostar and trains from Belgium and head into France's third largest business district in France.

## Old Stock Exchange

Undeniably the most beautiful place in Lille – a must-see! The quadrangular building dating from 1653 consists of 24 identical houses enclosing an interior courtyard where booksellers, florists, chess-players, tourists, people out for a stroll and even tango dancers meet!

Place du Général de Gaulle, Rue des Manneliers, Place du Théâtre, Rue des Sept Agaches

M Rihour (line 1)  
Entry free  
[www.lilletourism.com](http://www.lilletourism.com)





## Palais Rihour

Located on the square of the same name, the Palais Rihour, begun in 1453 under Philippe Le Bon and completed twenty years later under Charles Le Téméraire, is all that remains of the flamboyant gothic palace built by the dukes of Burgundy. On the ground floor the magnificent guard room houses Lille's tourist office. On the first floor, the Conclave Room and the vestry with superb stain-glass windows host events.

Place Rihour | Lille

**M** Rihour (line 1)

Guard Room open from Monday to Sunday

10am-12.30pm / 1.30pm-5.30pm

Conclave Room and Chapel open Monday-Friday at the same times

Entry free

[www.lilletourism.com](http://www.lilletourism.com)

## The Belfries, UNESCO World Heritage Sites

Lille has seven belfries (the UNESCO listed: Armentières, Comines, Lille City Hall and Loos, and the non listed: Lille Chamber of Commerce, Tourcoing Chamber of Commerce and Wambrechies). These and others in the Nord-Pas-de-Calais region epitomise our destination.

Illustrating a variety of architectural styles, including Romanesque, Gothic and Baroque, twenty-three of these buildings in the Hauts-de-France region have been listed as World Heritage Sites since 2005. For UNESCO, this classification is an extension to the thirty Belgian belfries that are already listed and were built between the 11<sup>th</sup> and 17<sup>th</sup> centuries.

[whc.unesco.org/fr](http://whc.unesco.org/fr)





## Notre-Dame de la Treille and the Centre for Sacred Art

Construction of this neo-gothic cathedral started in 1856 on the site of the former castle mound. It was built in honour of the Virgin Mary under the name Notre-Dame de la Treille. After several ups and downs, construction was completed in 1999 with the inauguration of the contemporary façade, made of stunning, translucent marble and adorned with a rose window by painter Ladislav Kijno. Visit the crypt where the Centre for Sacred Art houses an impressive collection of contemporary art.

Place Gilleson | Lille

Old Lille shuttle bus

Opening hours and ticket prices on the website:

[www.cathedralelille.fr](http://www.cathedralelille.fr)

## Paris, Roubaix and Ghent Gates

The monumental Paris gate represents Lille's attachment to France. The triumphal arch was built between 1687 and 1692 by architect Simon Volland at Louis XIV's request, to celebrate his victory during the siege in 1667. Ghent and Roubaix Gates, the remains of Spanish fortifications built between 1617 and 1621 are also worth a visit.

Porte de Paris, place Simon-Volland | Lille

**M** Mairie de Lille (line 2)

[www.lilletourism.com](http://www.lilletourism.com)





## The Citadel

"The Queen of the Citadels" was built between 1667 and 1670 by the Marquis of Vauban, Sébastien Le Prestre, under orders from Louis XIV, following the Sun King's conquest of Lille and its reattachment to France after 150 years of Spanish occupation. Vauban laid the Citadel's first stone on 17 June 1668. No less than three million stone blocks, sixty million bricks and seventy million feet of sandstone make up the body of the Citadel, which was built in just three years.

Today the heart of the Citadel is closed to the public as it is still used for military purposes: it houses the Rapid Reaction Corps France.

Parc de la Citadelle | Lille

Bus L1 and L5

Bus stop Champ de Mars

[www.parcdelacitadelle.lille.fr/en](http://www.parcdelacitadelle.lille.fr/en)

## Hospice d'Havré

The Maison Folie Hospice d'Havré has in turn been a hospice, a convent and a school. Today it is a hub of cultural exchange. With exhibitions, shows, concerts, guided tours and workshops, the programme showcases local and international artists, favouring diversity and accessibility to all audiences.

100 rue de Tournai | Tourcoing

M Tourcoing centre (line 2)

Tram direction Tourcoing stop Tourcoing centre

Open everyday except on Tuesdays and bank

holidays 1.30pm–6pm

Annual closure in August

📍 Maison Folie Hospice d'Havré



# hello visits

## Let our tourist offices guide you through the Lille European Metropolis

Come and find inspiration at one of the nine tourist offices: from classic guided tours that reveal secrets of the Lille area, to stand-up paddleboarding, themed visits and unusual tours – walking, cycling and even by scooter. There's something for everyone.

For culture junkies, the City Pass is a must-have that gives free access to around 40 major sites and includes free access to public transport. Discoveries waiting to be made!



### The belfries of the Town Halls of Lille and Armentières

You might be breathless by the time you reach the top of the 400 steps that lead to the summit of the Lille Town Hall Belfry, designed by Emile Dubuisson and erected in 1932. Check out the unique 360° panoramic views across the city.

Armentières Belfry was built by architect Louis-Marie Cordonnier in the neo-Flemish style in 1934, after nine years of work.

Look out from the most beautiful viewpoints, as far as the hills of Flanders to the mining slag heaps.

**Lille Town Hall Belfry** / 104 metres high

Place Roger Salengro

**M** Mairie de Lille (line 2)

Tuesday to Sunday 10am–1pm and 2pm–5.30pm

Tickets: €7.50/€6

Free for under 6 years old

[www.lilletourism.com](http://www.lilletourism.com)

**Armentières Town Hall Belfry** / 67 metres high

4 rue Robert Schuman | Armentières

April to October

Tickets: €5 (traditional snack included).

Free from 6 years old

[www.rex-tourisme.com](http://www.rex-tourisme.com)

## Old Lille Guided tour

Explore the city's oldest neighbourhoods and immerse yourself in the charms of this vibrant, welcoming city. Lille has preserved many buildings that bear witness to the city's multiple influences, including the Palais Rihour, the Old Stock Exchange, the Cathedral of Notre Dame de la Treille and the Hospice Comtesse Museum.

Tickets: €12

Reduced rate online: €10

Free with the City Pass

Departures daily at 3pm (except the Braderie weekend, Heritage Days, 1<sup>st</sup> Jan, 1<sup>st</sup> May and 25<sup>th</sup> Dec)

Duration: 2h

[www.lilletourism.com](http://www.lilletourism.com)



## TOP TIP!

### City Tour + Belfry

Price : €17



## City Tour

What could be more enjoyable than to tour the city in an open-top bus? Equipped with an audio-visual system in nine languages (French, English, German, Dutch, Spanish, Italian, Chinese, Japanese and Russian), the bus offers panoramic views of Lille's main monuments, from its origins to the most modern districts.

Tickets: €15

Reduced rate online: €13

Free with the City Pass

Departures at 10.30am, 12pm, 2.30pm and 4pm Tuesday to Sunday.

Duration: 75 minutes

[www.lilletourism.com](http://www.lilletourism.com)



## Past lives in Roubaix

You were a textile worker, factory owner, or a child in the courtyard. But you have forgotten. "Past lives in Roubaix" is an immersive podcast to listen to on the spot and refresh your memory: relive industrial history in seven episodes in seven locations. For an enhanced journey, discover the "memory box" sold at Roubaix Tourism – I love Roubaix.

Free podcast available on all platforms  
[www.roubaixtourisme.com](http://www.roubaixtourisme.com)

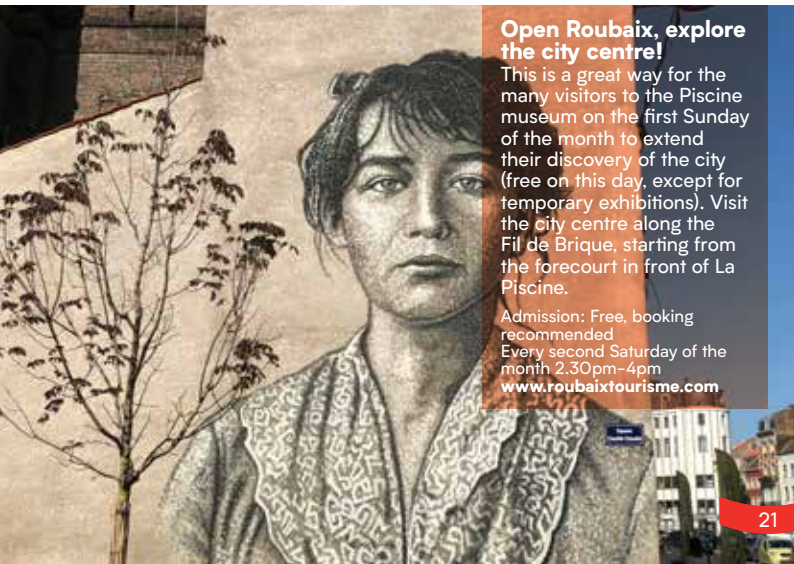


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## Open Roubaix, explore the city centre!

This is a great way for the many visitors to the Piscine museum on the first Sunday of the month to extend their discovery of the city (free on this day, except for temporary exhibitions). Visit the city centre along the Fil de Brique, starting from the forecourt in front of La Piscine.

Admission: Free, booking recommended  
Every second Saturday of the month 2.30pm–4pm  
[www.roubaixtourisme.com](http://www.roubaixtourisme.com)



# hello beer

The first traces of beer in Lille date back to the end of the first millennium. Since then, at the heart of this bustling city of commerce and then of industry, beer remains one of the identifying markers that has stood the test of time, until its revival at the beginning of the 21<sup>st</sup> century.

Urban, family-oriented and collaborative, the brewing industry is gaining its credentials through its knowledgeable local craftsmen.

The Lille European Metropolitan Area, in collaboration with thirty-five of the city's breweries, has created "Héritage bière", a label to identify craft breweries offering tourist facilities.

There are three categories for these breweries:

Reception of the public

Guided tours

Taproom

## L'Échappée Bière

Lille's leading beer tourism specialist. Check out the different tours offered by these lovers of beer and brewing. Take off on a three-hour rally to discover the breweries with four tasting stops. Or enjoy regular beer tastings in warm, welcoming venues.

From €29

[www.echappee-biere.com](http://www.echappee-biere.com)

# hello

## gastronomy

From authentic fayre in an estaminet to Michelin-starred refinement, via creative bistronomy and generously-portioned street food: Lille's chefs offer something for everyone, from a quick bite to Gargantuan hunger.

### Lille – destination street food

Gastronomy and street food have never been so popular and it's all down to influencers and cooking shows. Like all major French and European cities, Lille is seeing the emergence of food courts, while young locavore chefs are reinvigorating their cuisine.



#### TOP TIP!

*Find out more about beer tourism and the area's most innovative breweries, where to go for tastings and where to find the most original beers. Download the beer tourism map or pick up a copy in the metropoles tourist offices. (see page 34)*



# hello nature

## The Citadel and the Vauban Garden

The superb 110-hectare wooded park offers endless paths for walking and cycling, areas to relax, and there's even a zoo.

The Vauban Garden next door is a small but perfectly charming English garden, landscaped by Jean-Pierre Barillet-Deschamps, who also designed the Barbieux Park and other Parisian parks and gardens. An unmissable haven of greenery!

Citadel Park I Lille

**M** République Beaux-Arts (line 2)

Bus L1 and L5 bus stop Champ de Mars

[www.parcdelacitadelle.lille.fr](http://www.parcdelacitadelle.lille.fr)



## Barbieux Park

This typical English garden is a listed site and has been awarded the label "Remarkable Garden".

As well as its 60 species of trees and the magnificent promenade, the Barbieux Park offers : petanque and games for the very young.

Tram direction Roubaix stop Parc Barbieux,  
Avenue Le Nôtre I Roubaix



Why not catch your breath in Parc Jean-Baptiste Lebas, also known as the park with the red railings. Cherished by locals for its playground and lawns, you will often see pétanque players or friends sharing a picnic. It's an ideal spot for families.

Boulevard Jean-Baptiste Lebas I Lille

## TOP TIP!

*Their greatest pleasure is helping you discover quirky activities and experience the city differently!*

*With Le Grand Huit, the river that runs through the city is transformed into the perfect spot for stand-up paddle-boarding, while bikes replace cars and very large bikes, the Grand-Bi, are back in service.*

*Try original activities that encourage you to get about smarter and having fun.*

[www.legrandhuit.eu](http://www.legrandhuit.eu)



## East of Lille: The Heron Lakes and Park, Villeneuve d'Ascq

Take a walk close to nature. Runners, walkers and families love it. Visit the natural reserve, the Château, Saint-Jean and Heron Lakes, the Marchenelles hill and the country lanes.

The sportiest extend their route over 15kms along the greenways towards Forest-sur-Marque, Willems, Baisieux, Bouvines and Sainghin-en-Mélantois.

**M** Pont de Bois (line 1) then bus L6 or 32 bus stop LaM







## Giants' Garden

Inaugurated in July 2009, landscapers from Atelier Mutilis have created a two-hectare haven of peace on the site of a former car park. Access is through the Parvis des Nuages, or Cloud Forecourt, planted with five bamboo species. Wander through to the Giants' Grass, where clearings and lush vegetation alternate. Continue to the Garden of Springs, and a peaceful stroll through pools and reflections. Euralille's futuristic towers loom over in the background.

Rue du Ballon I Lille  
M Lille-Europe (line 2)  
Tram stop Romarin  
[www.lilletourism.com](http://www.lilletourism.com)

## Go with the flow, along canals and rivers

When you stroll along the canals and rivers in the Lille area, it's not unusual to stumble across works of art, bridges and footbridges, or locks, water treatment stations, marinas, parks and leisure centres. They reveal the different functions of the city's 100 kms of navigable waterways: commercial and economic use, natural reserves, reclaiming landscapes damaged by former industries, places to unwind and have fun. Go with the flow, on foot or by bike. Take off along the tow paths and discover the river's heritage.

[enm.lillemetropole.fr](http://enm.lillemetropole.fr)





# hello family

## **The must-see Citadel offers a range of family fun.**

The zoo sits next to a playground and fun rides surrounded by nature! How lovely to stroll alongside animals who live in the heart of Lille's green lung. You can even hear the monkeys' cries as you walk around the Citadel. For the most intrepid, children can let off steam at the City-Parc while parents relax in the outdoor cafés.

**M** République Beaux-Arts (line 1)

Bus lines L1 and L5

Bus stop Champ de Mars or walk up Boulevard de la Liberté towards the Citadel.

[www.lille.fr/Zoo-de-Lille](http://www.lille.fr/Zoo-de-Lille) | [www.cita-parc.fr](http://www.cita-parc.fr)



## **Cruise the Deûle on an electric boat.**

The Marin d'eau douce rents electric boats (with no need for a boat licence) for river cruises with friends and family.

2 avenue Mathias Delobel | Lille

**M** République Beaux-Arts (line 1)

Bus stop Champ de Mars, then walk up Boulevard de la Liberté.

Open everyday from 9.30am to 10pm

[www.boating-paris-marindeaudouce.com](http://www.boating-paris-marindeaudouce.com)



## Hem Meadows

Located in Armentières, it offers a peaceful alternative to the city bustle. Discover 120 hectares of nature surrounding a vast lake with dozens of fun activities for all the family. The Vanupieds (Go Barefoot) sensory trail, playing fields, picnic areas, observation tours of the bird reserve and even a treetop adventure, pedalos, barbecues and patrolled swimming areas when conditions allow.

The Hem Meadows have everything you need to create lasting family memories.

**M** Saint-Philibert (line 1) then bus 99  
bus stop Pierre Bérégovoy.  
[enm.lillemetropole.fr](http://enm.lillemetropole.fr)



## Mosaïc Park

Fascinating and vibrant, the Mosaïc Park is a veritable garden of cultures. Come and explore the gardens themed on the five continents. Ten green oases inspired by Lille's diverse population. Awarded "Remarkable Garden", the park displays art works to contemplate throughout your visit. During the summer, everyone can come and enjoy a season of cultural events in a natural setting.

TER (regional train) to Gare de Santes  
2km from the park, bikes allowed on the TER.

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## The Open Air Museum

The lush green landscape of Villeneuve d'Ascq's Open Air Museum houses typical buildings of the Hauts-de-France region. The buildings were saved from demolition and re-purposed to accommodate artists and artisans who perpetuate traditions and pass on their know-how. Come and visit the indigenous animals, medicinal plant garden and get lost in the hedge maze. An unusual walk not to be missed. From April to October the museum holds a series of shows, activities and exhibitions in the open air – a diverse cultural season for everyone.



143 Rue Colbert | Villeneuve d'Ascq  
**M** Villeneuve d'Ascq Hôtel de Ville  
(line1)

Then bus 13 direction Lille Mont de  
Terre bus stop Masséna.

15 min on foot to the Open Air  
Museum

Opening hours and ticket prices on  
the website:

[enm.lillemetropole.fr](http://enm.lillemetropole.fr)

## Boat rides aboard the Décidée

Embark on the Décidée, a small open boat, and explore the Deûle-Scheldt canal. Learn about the waterway's eventful history and find out how it is used today. The boat trip lasts around an hour and is guided. On Saturdays, leaving at 2.30pm, the trip is extended to two hours to include passing through a lock.

April-September  
Information and reservations on  
+33 (0)3 20 63 11 23 or write to  
[relaiscanal@lillemetropole.fr](mailto:relaiscanal@lillemetropole.fr)  
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# hello shopping

Lille has something for everyone. With its cobbled streets and Flemish façades, Old Town Lille has all the big names in luxury fashion and designer goods – Hermès on rue Grande Chaussée, Louis Vuitton at l'Huitrière, rue des Chats Bossus. The major stores and international brands are in the city centre and at Euralille, while bargains and world aromas can be found in Wazemmes and its famous market.



## Old Town Lille

Rue de la Monnaie, rue de la Clef, rue Esquermoise, rue Lepelletier...

## Lille centre

Rue Faidherbe, rue de Béthune, rue Pierre Mauroy, rue Nationale...

## Le Printemps

The iconic department store on rue Nationale offers accessories, shoes, beauty products, lingerie and clothes for men, women and children. NEW! "L'Endroit", a brand-new corner of over 300m<sup>2</sup> on the ground floor offers a cutting-edge selection of luxury and designer goods.

39 rue Nationale | Lille

**M** Rihour (line 1)

Monday to Saturday 10am– 8pm

## Westfield Euralille

Located in the heart of the city centre, close to two train stations, this shopping mall boasts all the main brands. Euralille has everything: health and beauty, leisure, culture, gifts, home decor, fashion, services, restaurants and even a hypermarket.

**M** Lille Flandres or Lille Europe  
Monday–Saturday 9.30am–8pm

[www.euralille.com](http://www.euralille.com)

## TOP TIP!

*On Sunday, get down to Wazemmes market – one of France's biggest markets. Come and soak up the colourful, bohemian atmosphere.*

Place de la Nouvelle Aventure | Lille  
**M** Gambetta (line 1)





## **Roubaix : Mc Arthur Glen**

The retail centre in Roubaix, McArthur Glen, has more than 70 shops offering a vast selection. With knock-down prices all year round, there's always a bargain, and the open-air shopping centre feels like shopping in town.

44 rue mail de Lannoy | Roubaix  
Monday to Saturday 10am-7pm

**M** Eurotéléport (line 2)  
[www.mcarthurglen.com](http://www.mcarthurglen.com)

## **Circular Creative District**

Circular Creative District  
A concentration of designer concept stores, artists' studios, sustainable and local...

27 rue de l'Espérance | Roubaix  
(Around la Piscine Museum/Roubaix)

**M** Gare J. Lebas or Grand Place  
Roubaix (line 2)  
[www.maisonsdemode.com](http://www.maisonsdemode.com)

## **Villeneuve d'Ascq V2 Shopping Centre**

Home to over 110 shops and 15 restaurants. Famous brands in men, women and children's fashion as well as interior decoration, beauty and well-being shops.

**M** Villeneuve d'Ascq | Hôtel de ville (line 1)  
Monday to Saturday 9.30am until 8.30pm  
[www.lecentrev2.com](http://www.lecentrev2.com)



## **L'Usine**

All the trends in men and women's fashion, well-being and home goods in this large retail brand centre which offers outlet prices throughout the year.

228 avenue Alfred Motte | Roubaix  
**M** Roubaix Eurotéléport (line 2) + bus L4  
direction Villeneuve d'Ascq Hôtel de Ville  
bus stop Les Hauts Champs.  
Monday to Saturday 10am-7pm  
[www.usineroubaix.fr](http://www.usineroubaix.fr)







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## practical info

Geolocate at unmissable points of interest (culture, restaurants, family activities):



### Accommodation

Lille Tourist Office Reservation  
Centre  
[www.lilletourism.com](http://www.lilletourism.com)  
Gîtes de France  
[www.gites-de-france-nord.fr](http://www.gites-de-france-nord.fr)

### Taxi

(non-exhaustive list)  
Taxi Union Lille  
Tel: +33 (0)3 20 06 06 06  
Europe Taxi  
Tel: +33 (0)3 20 56 19 19  
Happy Moov (vélos-taxis)  
Tel: +33 (0)6 24 16 08 18

### Emergency numbers

112 (ambulance, police, fire-fighter)  
Lille municipal police:  
+33 (0)3 20 49 56 66

### The Tourist Offices

Lille  
Palais Rihour | Lille  
Open 7 days, all year except  
on 1<sup>st</sup> Jan, 1<sup>st</sup> May, 25<sup>th</sup>  
Dec 10am–12.30pm and  
1.30pm–5.30pm  
Tel: +33 (0)3 59 57 94 00  
[contact@lilletourism.com](mailto:contact@lilletourism.com)

M Rihour (line 1)  
[www.lilletourism.com](http://www.lilletourism.com)

### Roubaix

Tel: +33 (0)3 20 65 31 90  
[www.roubaixtourisme.com](http://www.roubaixtourisme.com)

### Villeneuve d'Ascq

Tel: +33 (0)3 20 43 55 75  
[www.villeneuve-dascq-tourisme.eu](http://www.villeneuve-dascq-tourisme.eu)

### Armentières and Weppes

Tel: +33 (0)3 61 76 21 85  
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[www.seclin-tourisme.fr](http://www.seclin-tourisme.fr)

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[www.tourcoing-tourisme.com](http://www.tourcoing-tourisme.com)

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Tel: +33 (0)3 59 50 74 49  
[www.valdedeule-tourisme.fr](http://www.valdedeule-tourisme.fr)

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[www.ville-wasquehal.fr](http://www.ville-wasquehal.fr)

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NL : Wij brengen u graag waar u heen wilt.

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**Alors c'est parti !**

EN : When you arrive in the Lille European Metropolis, you'll want just one thing: To see it all, taste everything and go everywhere. So what are you waiting for?

NL : Wanneer u aankomt in de Eurometropool Lille, wilt u maar één ding: alles zien, proeven en bezoeken. Dus laten we gaan!



**1 MÉTRO**  
**TOUTES LES MINUTES**  
**EN HEURE DE POINTE**

EN : 1 subway train every minute during rush hour

NL : Elke minuut 1 metro tijdens het spitsuur



**12 LIANES**  
**TOUTES LES 10 MINUTES EN**  
**HEURE DE POINTE**

EN : 12 express buses every 10 minutes during rush hour

NL : Elke 10 minuten 12 lianen tijdens het spitsuur



**1 TRAM**  
**TOUTES LES 8 MINUTES**  
● LILLE FLANDRES  
● ROUBAIX OU TOURCOING

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NL : Elke 8 minuten 1 tram Lille Flandres Roubaix of Tourcoing



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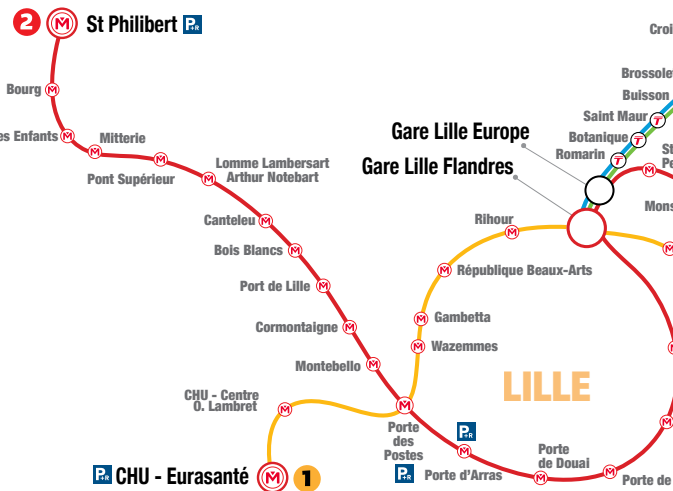
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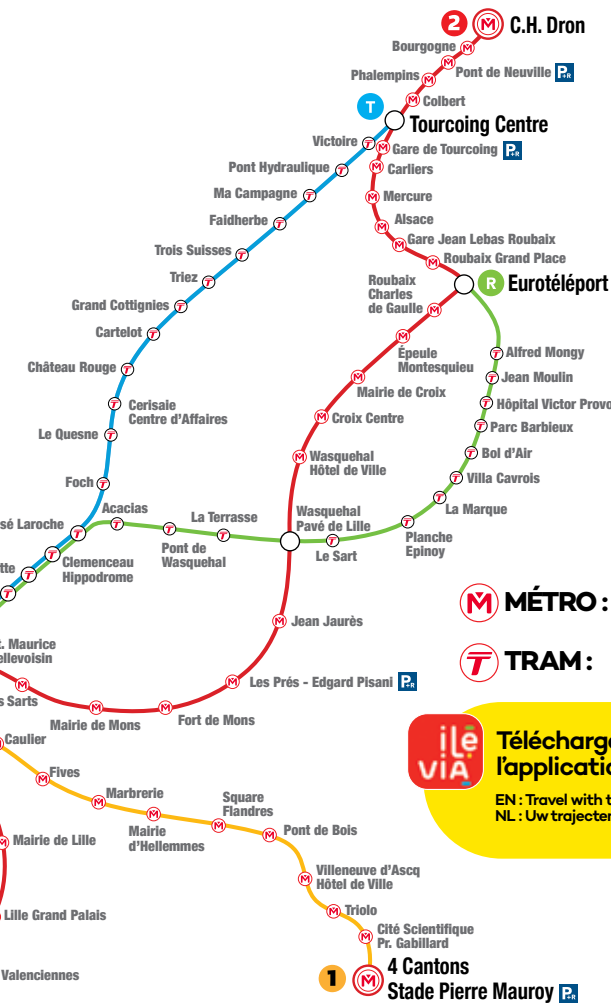
NL : In een ilévia-agentschap en bij een kaartautomaat

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EN : Travel with the ilévia app  
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# hello nightlife

**Gare Saint Sauveur**, the former train station transformed into a cultural venue, opens its **Bistro St So** every weekend until midnight. Enjoy another corner of the Flanders capital while having a dance.

Or lose yourself in **rue Royale and rue Saint-André in Old Town Lille**, which remains one of the most popular areas, bustling with restaurants and bars, where the locals enjoy staying out until late. It's touristy while retaining a warm and vibrant vibe. Just like the Grand Place where you can grab a drink.

If you're a party animal you'll love **rues Masséna and Solférino**, also known as the "rues de la soif" (the thirsty streets). This hot spot of student nightlife is bursting with bars, night clubs, pubs, cocktail bars and events spaces with varied programmes.

## TOP TIP!

*When everything else stops, the night bus starts! Thursday evening to Friday evening from 0.40am-5am, and Saturday night from 1.40am-6am.*



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