



écomusée d'Alsace



Summer season
April 6th – November 3rd 2019

Christmas season
November 30th – December 31st 2019

Group offers 2019

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Ungersheim | between Colmar and Mulhouse





So much history to be shared

A living museum for conserving, exhibiting and highlighting the heritage and traditions.

The Écomusée d'Alsace is the largest living open-air museum in France and shows an Alsatian village from the early 20th century. It illustrates what rural life was like in Alsace and invites visitors to find out about popular traditions and art of the region,

including buildings and artefacts, craftsmen at work, temporary exhibitions, attractions and events both small and large.

The Écomusée d'Alsace is a museum of the society of its time, which places rural traditions of farming, architecture, nature and living together alongside our contemporary system, while also comparing our heritage with our new lifestyles.

Living in Alsace in the 21st century

In 2014, a vision of the "Alsatian house of the 21st-century" was built in the museum, followed shortly by an observation platform, a footbridge and a manually-operated ferry across the canal on the outskirts of the village. These innovative, possibly even quirky structures help provide easy access to the new part of the museum, given over to the houses and lifestyles of tomorrow. The area offers a collection of highly original structures, connecting to the traditional Alsatian house, with its wood and earth architecture.

A few figures that speak volumes!

- **35** years of existence
- **184.000** visitors in 2017 including 560 groups of adults and 105 events
- **75** buildings representing rural Alsace
- **40.000** collectors' objects
- **10** craftsmen's workshops: wheelwright, potter, saddler, stained-glass artist, luthier, blacksmith...
- **100** hectares of biodiversity: forest, river, vineyard, fields, orchards...
- **3.900** living species: farm animals, wild fauna and flora
- **40** storks' nests: one of the biggest colonies in Alsace
- **2** open-air trails: the Nature trail and the Theatre of Agriculture





• Treasure hunt*

Skills and trades of times gone by. The wheelwright, blacksmith, potter and saddler worked closely together to make sure the village had all it needed. Come along and see how they went about their work and the tools they used.

🕒 60 min. € 4€/Pers.

Man and beast. Animals played an indispensable role in rural life and each member of the family helped raise them, take care of them and feed them.

🕒 60 min. € 4€/Pers.

*(*A booklet is given to everyone taking part. Treasure hunts can be played individually or in teams.*



• Guided tours by boat or on a tractor-drawn carriage

The whispering river. Aquatic animals and plants have a symbiotic relationship. Explore their fascinating world with a flat-bottomed fishing boat.

🕒 25 min. € Package 60€ 🧑🧑🧑 20 Pers. max.

Off to see the architecture of tomorrow.

Ride across the fields in a tractor-drawn carriage and along the river diversion-canal to see the collection of experimental buildings, which set out to show what Alsatian architecture might well be like in the future.

From 10.30 to 12.00 only.

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• 2 restaurants

A la carte and group menus.

"La Taverne de l'Écomusée" (200 seats) and the "Winstub d'Hégenheim" (50 seats).

• 1 hotel

"Les Loges" (10 Alsatian cottages, 40 duplexes to accommodate 1 to 5 persons).

• 5 meeting rooms

"Halle des Fêtes", "salle des Cigognes", "salle des Charpentiers", "salle de l'Horloge", "salle de Muespach" available for private functions (capacities: 500, 100, 50, 40 and 20 seats).

Services

- Bakery (traditionally-made loaves and buns, croissants and others).
- Shop (regional produce, craft products and decorations, books...).
- Free parking for coaches and light vehicles.
- Parking area for camping cars. Charges are applicable.
- 35 audio terminals in 3 languages (French, English and German), for use by all visitors.
- Picnic areas.
- Toilet facilities for disabled visitors.

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• Entrance

During our opening times:

The visit of the museum on your own includes

- + access to the daily events and activities
- + access to exhibitions

Programme and village map given to visitors upon arrival at the museum.

	Admission prices	Group of 20 visitors and more
• Adult	15 €	13 €
• Discount ticket (Students -26, senior +65, jobless, disabled, teachers)	13 €	11 €
• Child (4-17 year)	10 €	8 €

