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Until 1 April 2024

Elmgreen & Dragset. Bonne Chance
Centre Pompidou-Metz

Until 27 May 2024

Lacan, l'exposition
Quand l'artiste précède le psychanalyste
(Lacan, the exhibition.
When Art Meets Psychoanalysis)
Centre Pompidou-Metz

16 March 2024 > 24 March 2024

Parcours d'artistes Metz (Metz Artists' Trail)
15th edition

29 March 2024 > 02 September 2024

André Masson. Il n'y a pas de monde achevé
(André Masson. There is no finished world)
Centre Pompidou-Metz

19 April 2024 > 21 April 2024

Festival Le Livre à Metz, Littérature et
Journalisme « Gare aux apparences »
(Metz Book Festival, Literature and
Journalism, "Beware of appearances")

10 May 2024 > 26 May 2024

Passages Transfestival - ARCHIPELAGO

25 May 2024 > 21 October 2024

Il n'y a pas de monde achevé
(There is no finished world)
Centre Pompidou-Metz

1 June 2024 > 14 February 2025

Katharina Grosse : Déplacer les étoiles
(Katharina Grosse: Shifting the stars)
Centre Pompidou-Metz

13 June 2024 > 16 June 2024

Mirabelle d'Or golf Open

20 June 2024 > 31 August 2024

Constellations de Metz international digital
arts festival

22 June 2024 > 08 September 2024

Les Fontaines Dansantes (The Dancing
Fountains)

27 June 2024

Olympic Flame Relay



Aerial view of the marina - Metz

Metz is a veritable open-air museum, recounting 3,000 years of history. Many have fallen in love with the area, which has in turn been French and German, republican, royal and imperial.

Whether you're a fan of photos on social media, or simply want to admire and imagine the Celts founding their oppidum on the **Sainte Croix hill**, the medieval guilds of craftsmen working on the **Place St-Louis** and the **Outre-Seille District**, or the Duke of Belle-Isle building the **Opéra-Théâtre**, Metz Eurometropole will not fail to surprise.

Find all the events in Metz Eurometropole on tourisme-metz.com or by scanning the QR code.



3 July 2024 > 14 July 2024

Hop Hop Hop Festival - 15th edition

06 July 2024 > 25 August 2024

Metz Beach

13 July 2024 > 18 November 2024

VOIR / LE TEMPS / EN COULEURS
Les défis de la photographie
(SEE/ TIME/ IN COLOUR
The challenges of photography)
Centre Pompidou-Metz

22 August 2024 > 25 August 2024

Fêtes de la Mirabelle
(Mirabelle Plum Festival - water parade)

28 August 2024*

Big Flea Market

29 August 2024 > 1 September 2024

Hot air balloons in Metz

1 Sept. 2024 > 02 Sept.2024

Fête de l'eau (Water Festival)

27 Sept. 2024 > 07 Oct. 2024

Metz International Fair
89th edition

04 October > 06 October 2024

Focus Musica
Cité musicale-Metz

1 November 2024 > 21 April 2025

Cerith Wyn Evans
Centre Pompidou-Metz

02 Nov.2024 > 09 Nov. 2024

Moselle Open
21st edition

22 November 2024

80th anniversary of the liberation of Metz

Late Nov. > early Dec. 2024

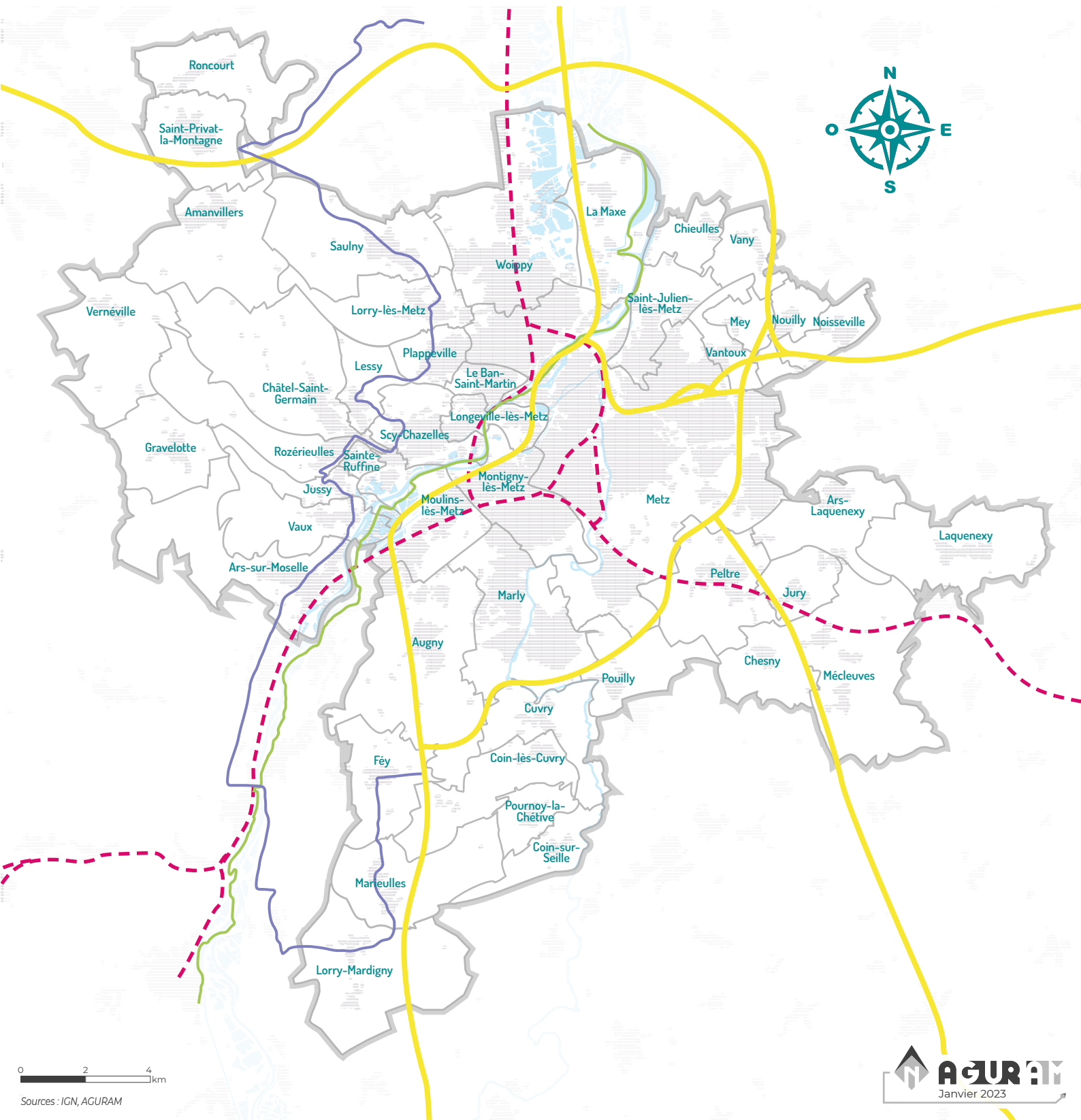
Christmas market and Advent festivities
In Metz and Metz Eurometropole

07 Dec. > 08 Dec. 2024

Saint Nicholas

* Subject to change without notice

METZ EUROMETROPOLE



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Sources : IGN, AGURAM



Key

- Motorways
- - - Railway lines
- V50 cycle route
- Wine route

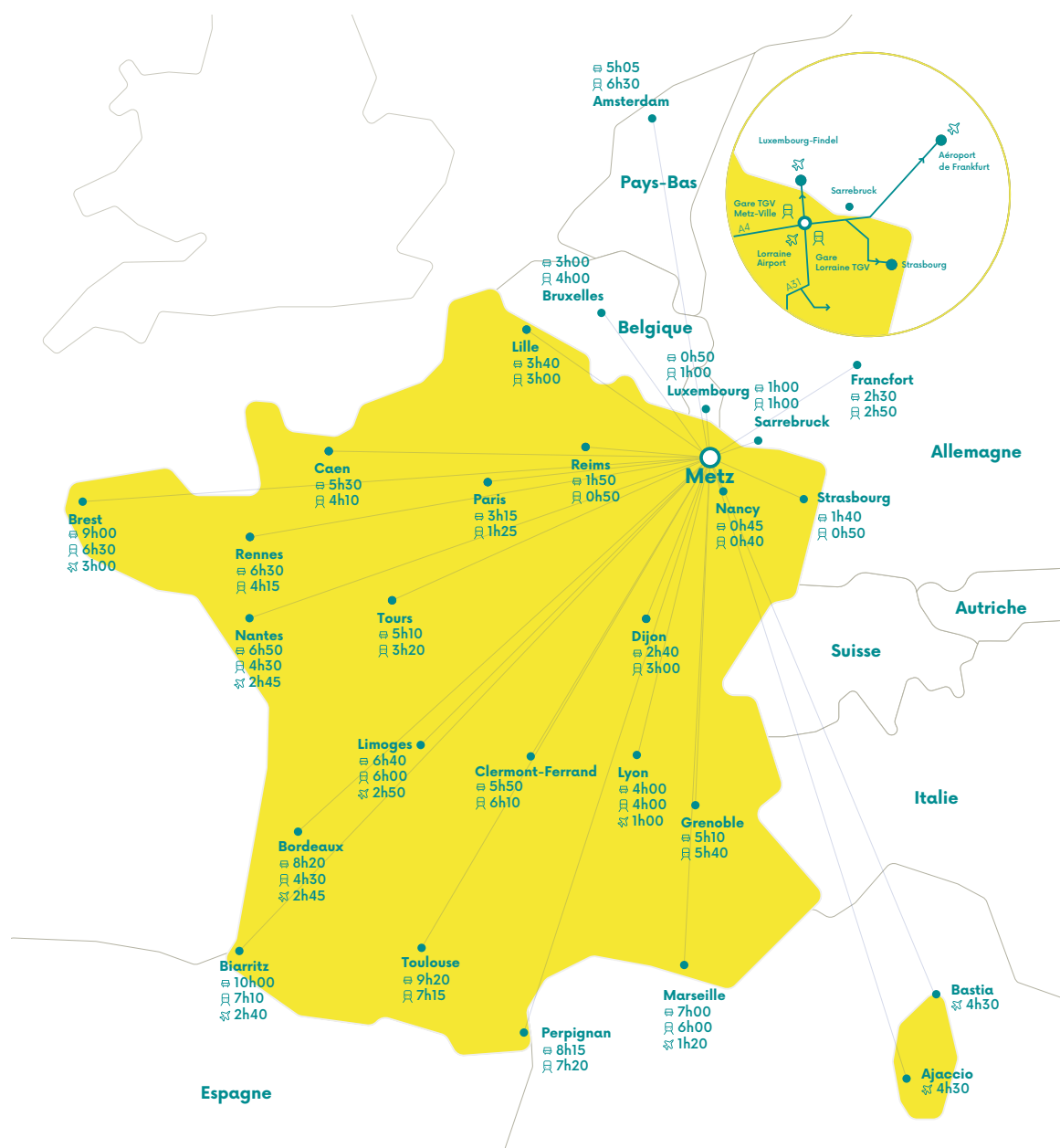
Key indicators

- 46 municipalities
- 228 000 inhabitants
- 312,8 km²

LIGHTS OF EUROPE

Located in the Grand Est region, Metz Eurometropole is European in essence. 1 hour from Luxembourg and Germany, 3 hours from Brussels and just 85 minutes from Paris, all roads lead to Metz! Whether you're travelling by car (via the A4 or the A31), by train (arriving at

Metz Ville station or Lorraine TGV station), or by boat (via the Canal de l'Est, the Moselle or the Sarre), Metz is a must. By air, in addition to Lorraine Airport, check out the flight connections to Luxembourg airport (45 minutes away) and Saarbrücken airport (1 hour away).



EXPLORE



Caravaggio, "Narcissus", 1597-1599
Italy, Rome, Palazzo Barberini, Gallery of Ancient Art
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image Scala

A Michelin-starred chef

The Centre Pompidou-Metz welcomes **Michelin-starred chef Charles Coulombeau** for a new gastronomic adventure.

Scheduled to open on 5 June 2024, the restaurant promises a unique experience, **combining the flavours of French gastronomy and Japanese culinary art**. In this exceptional setting, the chef has come up with not one but **two restaurants**: a French-Japanese Brasserie, for lunch in the large dining room seating around a hundred, and a gastronomic restaurant for dinner in the glass bubble for around twenty guests.

Centre Pompidou-Metz and Saint Etienne's Cathedral

You'll be amazed by the unusual architecture of the **Centre Pompidou-Metz**, with its hexagonal roof resembling the wickerwork of a Chinese hat, which is lit up from within after dark. The building itself is a work of art!

In 2024, this exceptional space for discovering modern and contemporary artistic creation will offer unique opportunities to contemplate and explore masterpieces of art history, such as **Courbet's L'Origine du Monde**, which is being presented to coincide with **Lacan, the exhibition. When Art Meets Psychoanalysis until 27.05.2024.**

A retrospective on a key figure in surrealism will be presented in the spring with **André Masson**. **There is no finished world**, while a monumental immersive work by Katharina Grosse will unfold in the Grande Nef from 01.06.24 to 14.02.25 and will spill out onto the museum forecourt.

Finally, from 13.07 to 18.11, **SEE/ TIME/ IN COLOUR**, **The challenges of photography** will take a look at the history of this medium in the light of the proliferation of digital images.



Jean Gorin, "Composition n°3", 1930
Oil on canvas, 53 x 50 cm
Musée de Grenoble, MG 4344
Donated by Suzanne Gorin in 1989 - MG 4344
© Jean Gorin - Photo : © Ville de Grenoble /Musée de
Grenoble -J.L. Lacroix

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Photo Philippe Gisselbrecht - Ville de Metz



Discover the Centre Pompidou-Metz programme

Shigeru Ban Architects Europe and Jean de Gastines Architectes, with Philip Gumuchdjian for the design of the winning project / Metz Métropole / Centre Pompidou-Metz





Musée de la Cour d'Or - Metz Eurometropole and FRAC

Climb the hill to visit the **Musée de la Cour d'Or - Eurométropole de Metz**, and its maze of dark corridors leading to an altar dedicated to Mithras, master of the winds and friend of the sun, a medieval attic, or magnificent and unique medieval painted ceilings.

Carry on to the town's oldest civil building, the beautiful residence where Charles V was invited, which houses the **FRAC** (Regional Fund for Contemporary Art).

musee.eurometropolemetz.eu
fraclorraine.org

Musée de la Cour d'Or - Metz Eurometropole

Place Saint-Louis and the Outre-Seille district

Go back down to **Place Saint-Louis**, where the money-changers worked on stone benches during the time of the Metz Republic, and into the **Outre-Seille district** with its medieval charm to admire **Cocteau's stained-glass windows** in **Saint Maximin's church** or visit the **Porte des Allemands**, a small fortified castle spanning the **Seille**, where you can see traces of former battles, and admire exhibitions and artistic performances.



49 Nord 6 Est - FRAC Lorraine

Place Saint-Louis - Metz



Metz Eurometropole

In the Eurometropole, don't miss **the House of Robert Schuman**, Father of Europe, in Scy-Chazelles, **Museum of the War of 1870 and the Annexation**, situated on the site of the terrible fighting that gave rise to the local rain-linked expression «it's falling like Gravelotte», or the **Château de Courcelles** in Montigny-lès-Metz, built in the 18th century and today, an exhibition space.

You'll probably be wondering about the **ancient aqueduct** on the banks of the Moselle (at Ars-sur-Moselle): it carried spring water to Metz and dates back to the 2nd century!

mosellepassion.fr



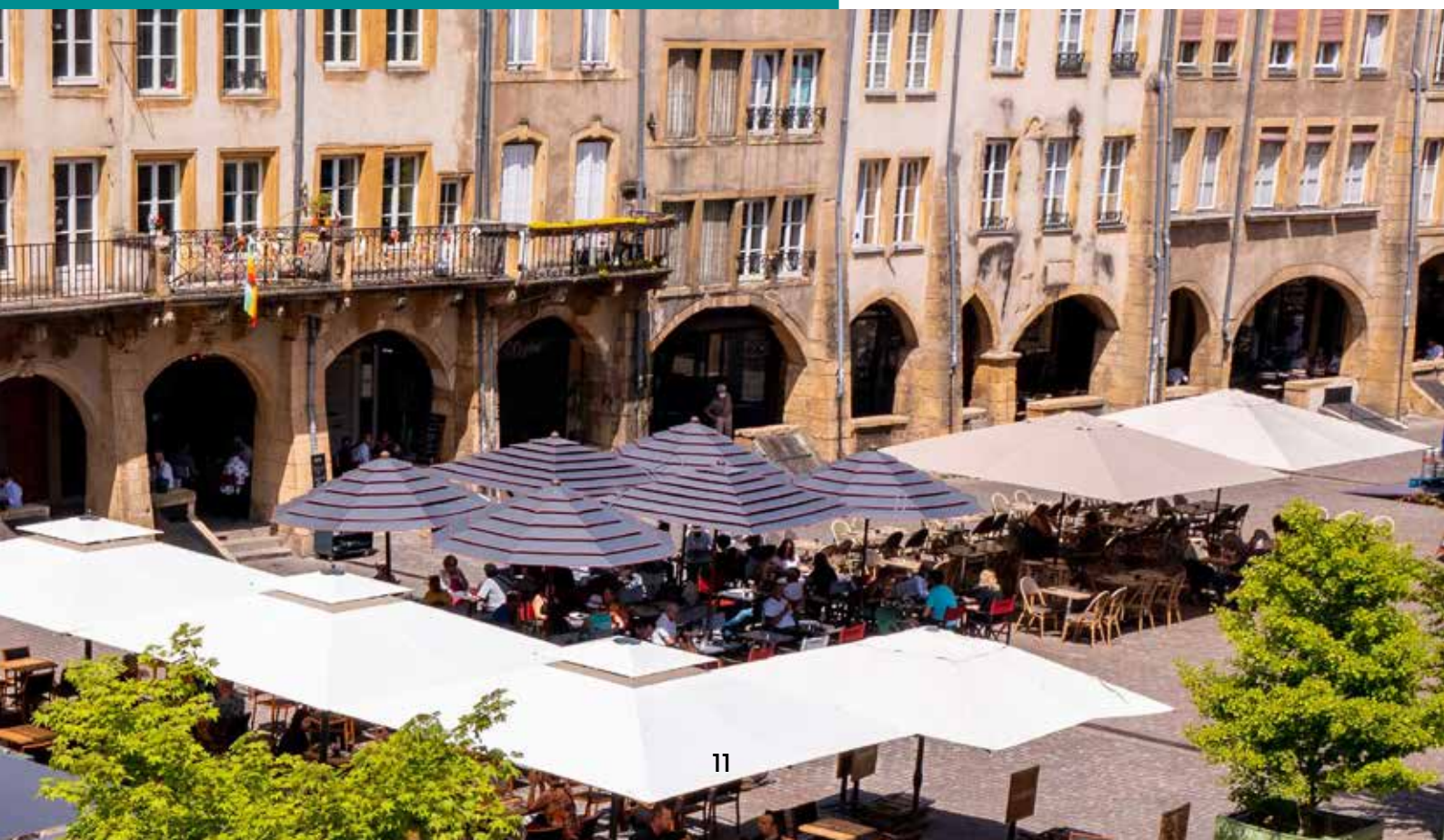
Château de Courcelles - Montigny-lès-Metz



House of Robert Schuman - Scy-Chazelles

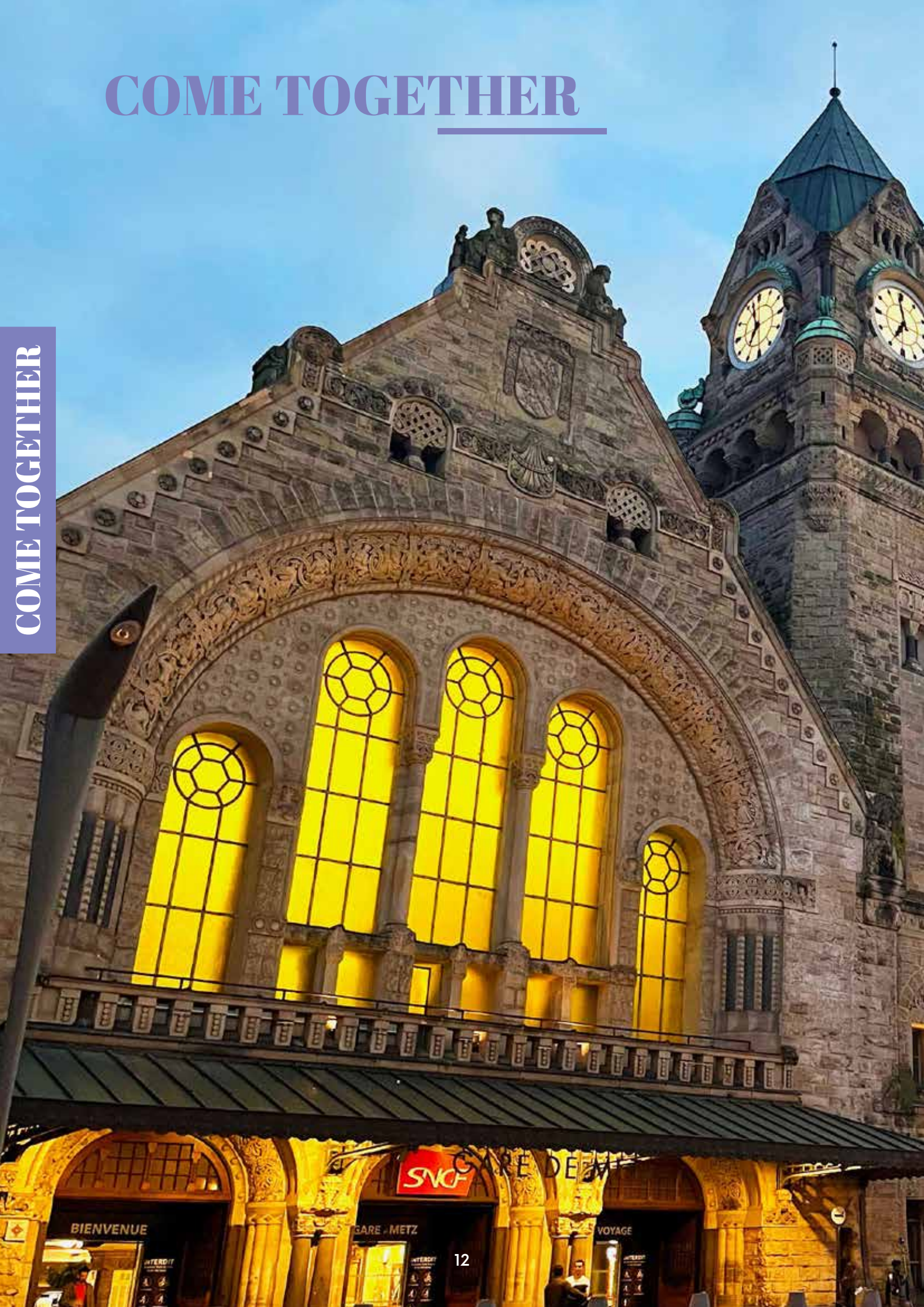


Museum of the War of 1870 and the Annexation - Gravelotte



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Metz station

The majestic station, voted France's most beautiful station three times by Internet users, is full of symbols and anecdotes.

If you look closely, you will be able to decipher some of the unusual jobs of the time or what people used to eat in the buffets while waiting for their train.





Moselle Open

In summer and winter alike, there are a thousand and one ways to enjoy Metz together! The first notes of music at a concert, the kick-off of a match, a hot-air balloon taking off over the water, the mapping of light effects on the cathedral... so many opportunities to enjoy a unique experience with the people of Metz.

Moselle is a "Terre de Jeux 2024" and the Eurometropole has 5 sites and facilities that can host delegations in Olympic and Paralympic disciplines such as artistic and rhythmic gymnastics, handball, judo, trampoline, rowing, slalom canoeing, table tennis, etc.



There's nothing like a match or competition to get you in the mood and feel connected:

- with the **Dragonnes** (Metz Handball), who have an impressive track record: 25 French Championships, 11 French Cups, 8 League Cups, 2 Final Fours;
- at the **Saint Symphorien Stadium**, where the South Stand has just been completely refurbished with new areas for FC Metz;
- at the **Moselle Open**, which will be held for the 21st time in 2024 at Metz Arènes, one of the four ATP 250 tennis tournaments in France, with a host of prestigious players;
- at the **Mirabelle d'Or International Open** at the Grange-aux-Ormes golf course, part of the Alps Tour circuit, with over 100 professional players taking part;



Metz, a sporting city

The people of Metz will have the honour of welcoming the Olympic flame on 27 June to spread the energy of sport and teamwork. In Moselle for a day, the flame will criss-cross the department, from Sarreguemines to Metz, via the House of Robert Schuman in Scy-Chazelles. It will end its journey in the city of Metz, where 24 people will form a guard of honour, and will remain there for the evening, which will be packed with entertainment on Place de la République.

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Sylvain Kastendeuch, Jean-Marie Donatello, Marie-Jo Brunet and Sarah Bouktit join the large family of Torchbearers.

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Acte II - AI DATANOVA - Ouchhh © Inspire Metz

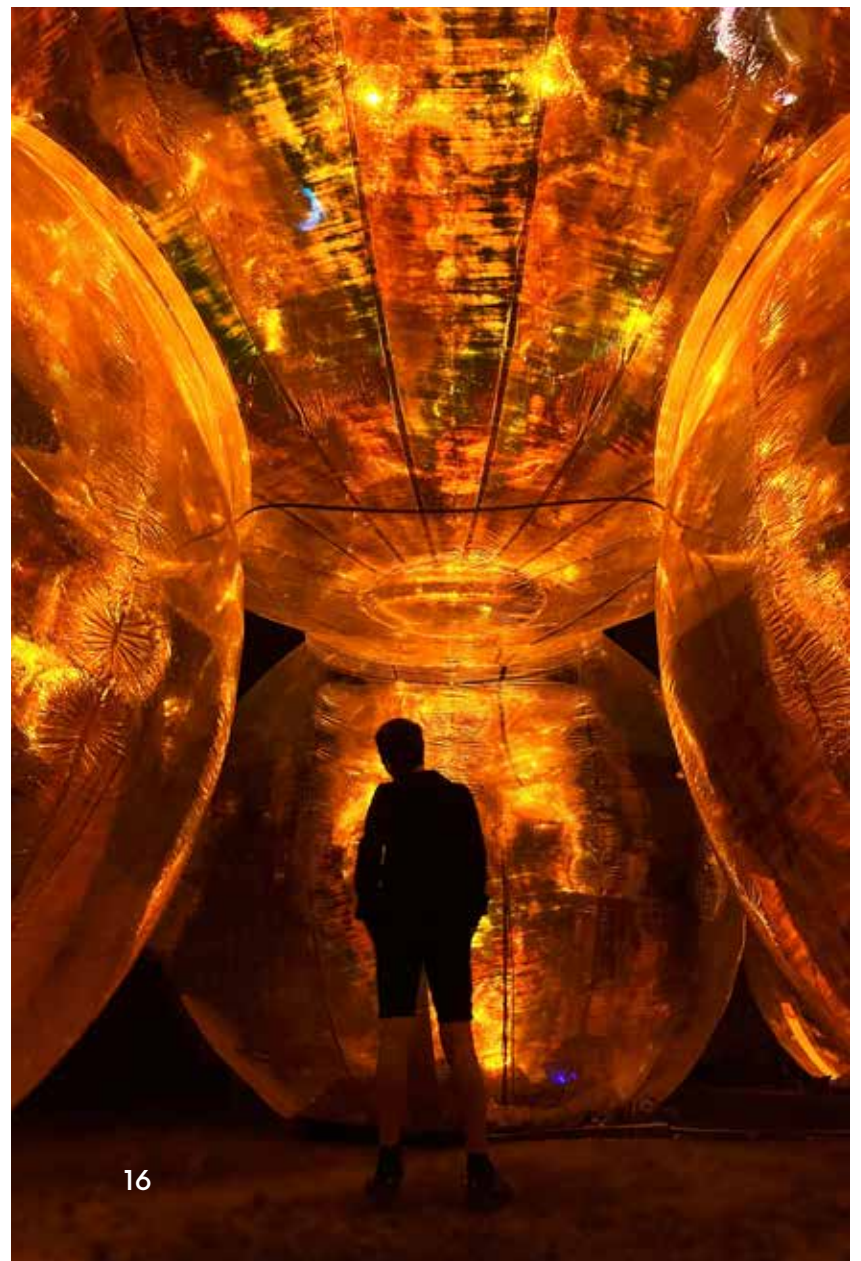
The Constellations de Metz International Festival lights up the summer!

Building on the success of the 2023 edition, which welcomed over a million visitors, the Constellations de Metz International Festival returns from 20 June to 31 August 2024 with the Digital Stones night-time trail and the Art & Gardens day-time trail on the common theme of «Free Space (s)». The rich and varied programme is rounded off by a number of large-scale urban art projects.

Now in its 8th year, the festival continues to explore and promote the heritage of the city of Metz, inspiring contemporary creation and offering a fresh look at its natural and urban space. Constellations de Metz has become a major free cultural event and a must-see on the national and cross-border scene. It has set the standard for Metz's cultural and tourist life, and its influence extends beyond the city itself. The festival is accentuating its international dimension by inviting international artists and various European co-productions, while at the same time focusing on a number of regional and local artists.

constellations-metz.fr

Evanescent Atelier Sisu - Zara Pasfield & Renzo B. Larriviere



The Mirabelle Plum Festival and Hot air balloons

The traditional Mirabelle Plum Festival, a key eco-responsible event during the cultural summer in Metz, will be bringing the city's unspoilt natural sites to life from **22 to 25 August 2024**. A programme combining iconic highlights and new features awaits Metz residents and tourists in a friendly, gourmet and festive atmosphere. Come and celebrate the local produce and the golden fruit by attending the **concerts and entertainment at the Mirabelle Guinguette on the Esplanade de Metz**, the **flavours and arts market**, the **original plum tart competition**, and the **evening crowning of the 2024 Mirabelle Queen at the Arsenal**. On **25 August**, echoing the Olympic Games, the **water parade on the lake** will resound with its sporting, cultural and social dimension, with Olympic values at its heart.

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Hot air balloons - Metz

To extend the festivities, Hot Air balloons will take to the skies above Metz from the Lake. Organised by the Moselle Hot-air Balloon Pilots Association, they offer walkers a poetic, soothing and colourful spectacle at dawn or dusk. Everyone can try their hand at water sports or admire a light parade during the Water Festival.

Further along, the romantic Regatta Gardens and Swan Lake, embellished by dancing fountains, are the ideal backdrop for music and light displays which are held every evening during the summer weekends (every Thursday, Friday and Saturday, Sunday and eves of public holidays at 10.30 p.m. and 11 p.m.).





Christmas Market and Saint Nicholas Festivities

Winter is warmed up by the **Christmas market, ranked 3rd in the "Best Christmas markets 2024" competition** organised by European Best Destination, and **1st in the "Family" category**.

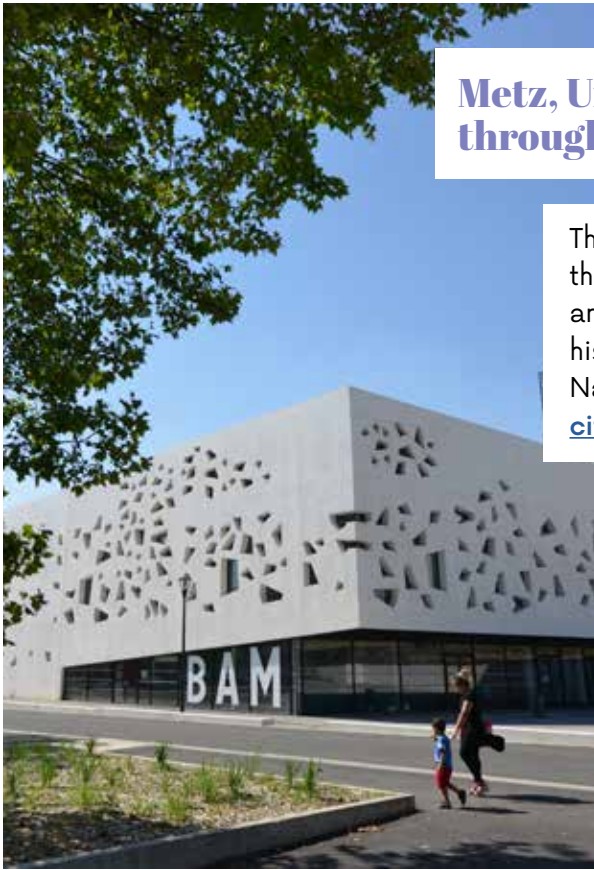
As the festive season approaches and the Christmas Market comes to life in various parts of the city, at the start of December, it is traditional for **Saint Nicholas** to reward well-behaved children with sweets and treats, while Père Fouettard takes care of the less well-behaved ones.

Shops and businesses are generally open on the 4 Sundays before Christmas, so you can enjoy city breaks to the scent of spice right up until the last days.

Ferris wheels and other winter games offer a wide range of leisure activities for young and old alike.



Metz, Unesco Creative City through the lens of music



BAM - Metz

The **Arsenal Jean-Marie Rausch**, renovated by Ricardo Bofill, is home to one of Europe's finest concert halls, with its sumptuous décor of beech and sycamore.

Saint-Pierre-aux-Nonnains, one of the oldest churches in France, hosts early music concerts and exhibitions.

Les Trinitaires, a former Carmelite convent, has been hosting concerts in this unique atmosphere since the 1970s.

As for the **BAM**, which celebrates its 10th anniversary from 26 to 28 September, the architectural project dedicated to contemporary music is the work of Rudy Ricciotti, which is a promise in itself.

The **Cité musicale-Metz** offers three halls, three atmospheres with the **Arsenal**, the **BAM** and the **Trinitaires** (exceptional for their history and acoustics), plus the Orchestre National de Metz Grand Est.

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Trinitaires - Metz

So you don't miss a thing



Arsenal Jean-Marie RAUSCH - Metz



Arsenal Grande Salle- Orchestre National de Metz Grand Est

Opéra-Théâtre - Metz Eurometropole

At the Opéra-Théâtre, the oldest opera house in France still running, an 18th century jewel with an unusual history (from an unscrupulous architect to its sculptures and inscriptions), you can attend operas, comedies, ballets, operettas and dramas with new productions and creations in collaboration with major national and international bodies.

A new chandelier, created by the Centre International d'Art Verrier de Meisenthal (CIAV), has been illuminating the Opéra-Théâtre's hall since November 2023. The 34 pearl-shaped glass globes represent a necklace.



Opéra-Théâtre - Metz Eurometropole



ENJOY



Temple Neuf - Metz

What better place to live life to the full and enjoy the present moment than Metz Eurometropole?

Ranked 5th among France's 50 greenest cities (Observatory of green cities, 2023), Metz, the cradle of urban ecology, has been ranked a 4-flower city since 1992, with 52 m2 of public green space per inhabitant.

Metz also came 1st in Challenges magazine's list of the most attractive cities for families.



The Moselle and view of Mont Saint Quentin - Metz

A picnic in the park? A tasting of Moselle wine* and local produce at the water's edge? A terrace in the shade of medieval arcades? An unforgettable sunset for your aperitif? A show in the vineyards or a walk through the fields?

In Metz and the surrounding areas, all of this is possible - and even recommended!

* Alcohol abuse is dangerous for your health. Consume in moderation.

We can also recommend some famous, original or romantic viewpoints that will be the envy of your friends. For example, on the **banks of the Moselle** in front of the Temple Neuf, or, more intimately, at the **Récollets cloister** in the heart of the city, in the **medicinal plant garden**. There are more than enough ideas to get you dreaming!

Cloître des Récollets : metz.fr/lieux/lieu-143.php





Walks and gardens

Walks and gardens are as important to the city's structure as the streets: in the **Jardins Jean-Marie Pelt** (Parc de la Seille), the **Graouilly footbridge** provides access to the **Queuleu district**, and the forecourt of the **Palais Omnisport Les Arenes**. The Botanical gardens connect Metz and the south of the Eurometropole with their collection greenhouses, rose garden and water features. Do as the people of Metz do, take a seat on a bench and enjoy lunch in the **ephemeral garden on Place de la Comédie** or in the **French formal gardens on the Esplanade**, listen to the whisper of the water fountains. A haven of peace just off the pedestrianised streets and lively **Place de la République**.



View of Mont Saint Quentin

On summer weekends, sit on the cool grass and admire the night-time spectacle of the **Dancing Fountains at the Lac aux Cygnes** (Swan Lake), or enjoy the lawns near the **lake** in the shade of the tall trees with the view of **Mont Saint Quentin**.



Calcareous grasslands - Lorry-Mardigny

Walking and cycling routes

Make the most of the opportunity to follow the suggested routes along the canalised or wild River Moselle, on foot or by bike along the **Voie Bleue (V50)**, and discover the **lock keeper's house**, the **Parc de la Cavalerie**, the **Ile du Saulcy**, or the **descent of the Pucelle**. You can even watch the kayakers in action! As a family, you'll find plenty of places for your little ones to play.

La Voie Bleue (V50): lavoiebleue.com

Bike hire: lemet.fr

Cycling in Metz: metz.fr

Cycle tourism: tourisme-metz.com

Gardens and sites of Metz Eurometropole

The **Laquenexy fruit gardens**, **Parc du Château de Courcelles** in Montigny-lès-Metz, **Parc Simon** in Augny, the banks of the **Moselle**, the banks of the **Seille**, remembrance trails (especially in **Rozérieulles** and **Gravelotte**), orchid walks and calcareous grasslands, vegetable gardens and strawberry farms in **Woippy**, old fortified farms and **Gallo-Roman aqueduct** in **Ars-sur-Moselle** - experience the surprise of time regained.

The **Laquenexy fruit gardens**:
jardinsfruitiersdelaquenexy.com



The Laquenexy fruit gardens:



The **Botanical Garden** is a place rich in human and plant history. Located in the town of **Montigny-lès-Metz** for over 150 years, it invites walkers to retrace the journey of plants through the various collections of temperate and tropical plants. Remarkable trees, rock gardens, rose gardens, scent gardens, equatorial undergrowth and arid environments in the greenhouses are all represented. A truly bucolic area to spend a peaceful moment or discover botanical curiosities.



Botanical Garden

Pays Messin wine route and Mirabelle plums

If you're feeling brave, you can even cycle the **Pays Messin wine route*** (46 km) through **wine-growing villages, past orchards and vineyards, discovering AOC-labelled estates** and the **Moselle valley**. Pinot noir, pinot gris, auxerrois, Müller-Thurgau, pinot blanc, gewürztraminer or gamay are ideal with quiche, pie, stew

and Mirabelle plums! **The Mirabelle** has been a favourite of the people of Metz since the 16th century: we celebrate it every year, visit the orchards, eat it in tartes, whole, in eau-de-vie or liqueur - you just can't miss it! Cooking lessons, cellar tours, beer-themed treasure hunts - there's something for everyone.

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Boat trips

Discover Metz, its environment and its history on a solar-powered tour boat, aboard the **Solis**, the **Bandiera** (VIP boat), the **GD Vacances electro-solar boat** (covered boat) or the **Graouilly** (covered, air-conditioned or heated electro-solar boat).

Departure from the lake, the town centre or Longeville-lès-Metz.



Lake

- **The Compagnie des Bateaux de Metz** - excursions on the water, aperitifs, meal cruises la-compagnie-des-bateaux-de-metz.com
- **Solis Mettensis** - walks, aperitifs metz-bateau-solaire.com
- **La Flottille** - to rent electric boats, boats, pedal boats, etc. bateauxmetz.com

New!

From summer 2024, the owner of the Solis Mettensis and the Bandiera will also be offering a boat trip with a meal option, and a floating wine bar with terrace for your after-work events and summer evenings. metz-bateau-solaire.com

Aerial view of the Moselle, Temple Neuf and Saint Etienne's Cathedral - Metz



New for
2024



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Maison Heler Metz designed by Starck

Close to the Centre Pompidou-Metz, and just a few minutes from the city centre and train station, the new Hôtel Maison Heler, designed by the famous designer Philippe Starck, will open in 2024. Crowning the 9 floors, a replica of a villa in the Imperial district will welcome guests to a warm and trendy restaurant with a unique rooftop.

The hotel joins the Curio Collection by Hilton, a collection of **unique and original upscale hotels that make a lasting impression.**

Key figures

104

rooms and
suites



2

restaurants



2

bars



1

350 m²
event space



STROLL

Are you looking for a **souvenir**, do you want to **taste local products** from Metz at home, **discover the skills of master glassmakers and local craftsmen**, or simply **find a nice surprise** in the shop window?

Art galleries, concept stores, independent bookshops, designer boutiques, jumble sales, flea markets, local shops and major national chains - you'll be spoilt for choice.

Covered market - Metz



Terraces

In the morning, enjoy your coffee on one of the city's many sunny terraces, such as Place Saint Jacques.

Markets

Do your shopping at the covered market opposite the cathedral, open from Tuesday to Saturday, or at the many local farmers' markets in Metz's neighbourhoods (don't miss the one in front of Sainte Thérèse's church on Sunday mornings), and in the surrounding villages. Market gardeners, meat, egg and poultry producers, winegrowers, brewers - come and meet the producers. On 1 and 2 June, don't miss the chance to sample some great local produce at the Macellum agricultural festival. Freshness guaranteed!



Graouilly

Want to catch a glimpse of the **Graouilly**? Head to the village **Taison**, on the **Sainte Croix** hill, where it hangs overhead and watches over the small restaurants and independent shops of this unique street. And if you don't know who he is, ask the people of Metz - they'll be delighted to tell you the legend.



Rue Taison - Metz

Shopping

There is a wide range of shops on the pedestrian area and in the shopping centres in the **Quartier de l'Amphithéâtre** and throughout the **Eurometropole**. You can even go **shopping in an apartment** or pick up some bargains in a **pop-up store**. As an added bonus, the sales always start a few days earlier in Metz than in the rest of France.

Place Saint Louis and the banks of the Seille

Enjoy an aperitif in Place Saint Louis, with its surprising Italian medieval architecture, or on the banks of the Seille at Les Frigos in summer.



Place Saint Louis - Metz

Inspire Metz - Tourist Office boutique

Good to know: if you're looking for a **small gift or souvenir**, the Inspire Metz - Tourist Office boutique is open 7 days a week with an array of **local produce**, a **regional bookshop** and **unique craft products** (glassware, tableware, artists, local designers, etc.).

The emphasis is on **short supply chains and responsible tourism**, thanks mainly to the new "**Sustainable Innovative Destination**" label. Metz Eurometropole is one of the first areas to be awarded the label, along with the Inspire Metz agency (Convention Office and Tourist Office), and a number of other stakeholders including the Centre Pompidou-Metz, Metz Congrès Robert Schuman and UMIH 57. This includes **8 challenges** broken down into **26 different actions**, such as **sustainable mobility, responsible purchasing, resource conservation, anti-waste actions and inclusion**.

And to make the most of your stay, Inspire Metz - Tourist Office has a number of suggestions to suit you, depending on how much time you have and what you want to do, whether you're on your own, on a romantic break, with your family, colleagues or friends.

Tip: buy your City Pass and come and go whenever you like!
www.tourisme-metz.com/fr/preparer-son-sejour/metz-citypass



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Open to the public: 7 days a week (except 1 January and 25 December)
October to March

Monday to Saturday: 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Sundays and public holidays: 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

April to September and Christmas markets:

Monday-Saturday: 9.30 a.m. to 6.30 p.m.

Sundays and public holidays: 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.



KEY FIGURES FOR 2023

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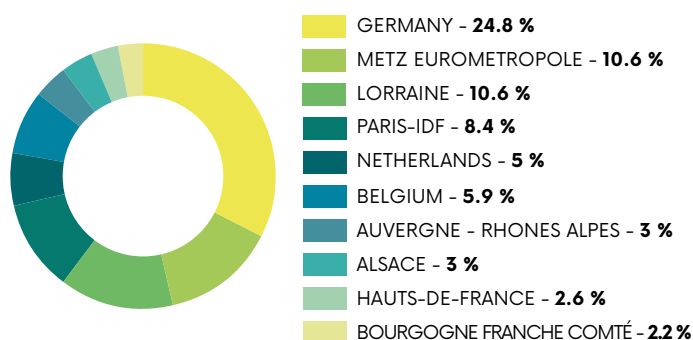
126,174 visitors (ecocounter)

+ 29 % total number of guided tours

1,318 sales of City Passes

1,009,058 overnight stays in Metz Eurometropole
(source: tourist tax platform data
26.02.2024).

Breakdown of the top 10 customer groups of the agency Inspire Metz - Tourist Office



Accommodation infrastructure - Metz

Hotels in Metz

24 establishments - **1,555** rooms

5x4* - **462** rooms

12x3* - **680** rooms

3x2* - **150** rooms

1x1* - **55** rooms

3 non classified - **208** rooms

Metz marina

Pavillon Bleu - **55** berths

Open-air hotels

1 3* Metz municipal campsite

Shared accommodation

3 facilities including **2** youth hostels

(Sitlor data - January 2024)

Tourist sites

301,449 visitors to the Centre Pompidou-Metz
(+35.4% compared with 2022)

80,767 visitors to the Musée de la Cour d'Or - Metz
Eurometropole

47,000 visitors to the Porte des Allemands (open
all year round)

56,605 visitors to the Eglise des Trinitaires (open
from March to September, including
28,000 during the Constellations festival)

9,551 visitors to Saint-Vincent's Basilica (open
from March to September)

726,645 visitors to Saint Etienne's Cathedral Metz

496,979 visitors to the Botanical Gardens

Accommodation infrastructure - Metz Eurometropole (including Metz)

Hotels in Metz Eurometropole

32 establishments - **2 043** rooms

6x4* - **475** rooms

14x3* - **797** rooms

8x2* - **508** rooms

1x1* - **55** rooms

3 non classified - **208** rooms

Camper vans

1 camper van park at Scy-Chazelles

Hotel residences

5 establishments

Bed and Breakfast

24 facilities, including **10** with label (**9** facilities in
Metz, including **2** with label). Please note: **4** unusual
bed and breakfasts (canal barges in Metz).

Port Robert Schuman de Scy-Chazelles

180 berths

(Sitlor data - January 2024)

Catering infrastructure - Metz Eurometropole (including Metz)

240 restaurants

(Sitlor data - January 2024)



Rankings and labels awarded to the city of Metz



In October 2019, Metz was awarded the **UNESCO Creative City label in the Music category.**

Metz has been awarded the **French Tech label and the French Tech East capital** since April 2019.



Metz has been awarded **3 stars in the Michelin Green Guide.**



Metz is twinned with Luxembourg, Trier, Gloucester, Hradec Králové, Nankin, Karmiel and Chernivtsi.

Ville Amie des Aînés (senior-friendly), platinum level.

Certifications and labels obtained by Inspire Metz - Tourist Office Classified category 1



Accueil Vélo is a national label that guarantees a high-quality welcome and services for cyclists along cycle routes.

Further information: www.francevelotourisme.com

Metz Eurometropole labels and networks

The Eurometropole has been awarded:





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