

Weekend Ideas



Day 1:

14h00- 4x4 Safari- Discover the Camargue *departure from the hotel*

You can discover the wild Camargue, far from classic tourist routes, on private paths difficult to access.

A universe totally preserved, surprising, with its unique landscapes and differing fauna and flora, with its traditions and people.

The Camargue, not only breathtaking but also a way for our guide to share their passion and knowledge throughout the tour with you.

You will be able to admire the richness of this land found between the Rhone and Mediterranean, a humid climate naturally being home of a multitude of plant and animal species.

16h30- Arrival in a Manade of Spanish bulls- Explore the life the breed

Thanks to Safari en 4x4, you will be welcome by the breeder himself and his 'gardians.'

Assisting at first by a visit of the property by a tractor pulled trailer. You will then discover the herd of Spanish fighting bulls.

At the end of the visit different demonstrations will happen in the private arena.

You will then witness a 'tienta.' An essential part of bull breeding, this is the occasion to test the weaknesses and strengths of different cows. This test is brought out by a professional bullfighter.

After the 'tienta' there is always a 'tertulia,' a discussion, which happens between the breeder, bullfighter, and other participants.

19h30- Pre-dinner drinks- Wine tasting, sangria, and other refreshments.

Having a 'bruscade de Moules' (typical mussel dish) and other regional specialties made for you.

20h30- Dinner

Menu: Assortment of Camargue cold cuts- « gardianne » bull stew and its Camargue rice- Cheese tray- Apple Tart ou chocolate and pear Millefeuille

Local wines, water, and coffee included

23h30- Return to the hotel

Day 2:

11h45- Depart from the hotel- Heading to a Camargue bull farm.

12h00- Arrive at the Manade

Welcome drinks will be served to you followed by lunch. All fresh seasonal products locally grown.

It is here, in the heart of the Camargue Regional Natural Park, where the manadier shares with you his passion for the Camargue bulls.

First explaining the Camargue culture, Camargue bull breeding and finally the 'course camarguaise' or Camargue bull race.

After it is well explained the owner will then accompany you to the heart of his herd where you will assist in a 'ferrade.'

Once returning to the farm, rendez-vous at the private arena where you will participate in the traditional gardian games and a demonstration of the 'course camarguaise.'

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