



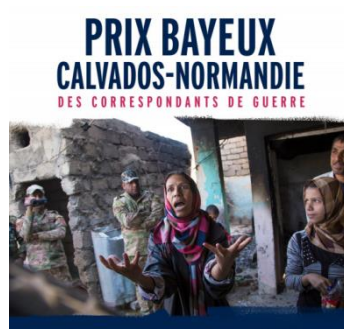
# What's on in Normandy?

TOURISM



**La Fête du Sirop** will be held from **10 to 14 October** in **Vire Normandie** (Calvados). During this great event you'll be able to witness the making of the Norman "sirop" (jam made with cider), hear some traditional French music, and also learn more about Norman heritage through exhibitions, games and conferences. The link with the Channel Islands and mainland Normandy will be at centre stage with a talk by Jean Le Maistre and the launch of a CD-book on songs & music repertoire of the Channel Islands. Check out the official website for more info: [laloure.org](http://laloure.org)

CULTURE



**Bayeux-Calvados Award for war correspondents** will take place from **8 to 14 October** in **Bayeux** (Calvados). Its purpose is to recognize the work of war journalists, from around the world, in 4 categories: written press, radio, television and photography. In addition to the awards ceremony, many events are planned (book fair, exhibitions, meetings, debates...) to raise awareness on international conflicts and understand the reporters' work. More info on: [www.prixbayeux.org/en](http://www.prixbayeux.org/en)

And also: **Image (films & photos) Festival** from **3 to 7 October** in the **Seine-Maritime area**, **The Photos Festival Planche(s) Contact** from **21 October to 26 November** in **Deauville** (Calvados), **Nordik Impact Music Festival** from **24 to 27 October** in **Caen** (Calvados)

ECONOMY



**The Scallop Festival** will be held on **27 and 28 October** in **Villers-sur-Mer** (Calvados). This big Fair invites you to discover traditions and local products. This event, 100% focused on fishing, will bring you the best sea products, in a friendly atmosphere. You'll be able to celebrate your love of good food as well as enjoying many fun events and activities. Look at the complete programme online: [www.indeauville.fr](http://www.indeauville.fr)

And also: **Prawn and fishing Fair** on **6 & 7 October** in **Honfleur** (Calvados), **National competition of Norman Donkeys** on **7 October** in **Le Pin au Haras** (Orne), **Mange ta Soupe Festival** from **19 to 21 October** in **Carentan-les-Marais** (Manche).

SPORTS



**La Fête du Karting** will be held on **20 & 21 October** in **Aunay-les-Bois** (Orne). For the 3<sup>rd</sup> year, experienced pilots will compete to win one of the prestigious trophies: the Norman Challenge Trophy, the Handikart Trophy and the Histori'Kart (vintage karts) Trophy. If you're a newbie, you can still participate to one of the amateurs' race such as les 10 heures de l'Orne, a 2x5h night challenge or the Saturday morning team race.

Have a look at the official website for more info: [www.karting61.com](http://www.karting61.com)

Don't miss also: the **all-female walk/race Les Elles de L'Orne** on **14 October** in **Damigny** (Orne).

