



What's on in Normandy?

TOURISM



Created in 2009, **Pierres en Lumières** (Stones Illuminated) is a festival taking place **all around Normandy on the 21st of May**. Norman heritage is at the heart of this festival and every institution is invited, for one evening, to embellish the historical and cultural treasures of Normandy by illuminating monuments, organising concerts, walks, exhibitions...

Discover which towns are taking part here: [Pierres en Lumières](#)

And also: **The Leopard's Trophy**, culinary contest & market in **Caen** (Calvados) on **16 & 17 May**, **Joan of Arc Festival** in **Rouen** (Seine-Maritime) from **20 to 29 May**, **Les Extraverties festival** in **Pont d'Ouilly** (Calvados) from **26 to 29 May**

CULTURE



Jazz sous les pommiers (Jazz under the apple trees) is an internationally recognised and annual jazz festival taking place in **Coutances** (Manche) from **20 to 28 May**. During this 41st edition, you will be able to enjoy outdoor events, street performances and concerts with a range of music spanning from electronic to jazz.

Have a look at the full programme here: [Jazz sous les Pommiers](#)

And also: **Books & Music Festival** in **Deauville** (Calvados) from **6 to 8 May**; **4th Regional Conference on Norman Languages** in **Saint-Germain-la-Blanche-Herbe** (Calvados) on **14 May**, **Conference on Victor Hugo's itinerary in La Manche** in **Agon-Coutainville** (Manche) on **14 May**, **Cinemovida** in **Cherbourg** (Manche) until **15 May**, **About Sculptures** in **Gratot Castle** (Manche) from **26 to 29 May**

ECONOMY



Campus Métiers Nature is a school facility located in **Coutances** (Manche) offering vocational trainings in agriculture and horticulture from year 9. To promote the campus and showcase the local actors of the agricultural world through their produce and animals, the Campus is organizing its 10th annual **Agricultural Fair** on **7 & 8 May**.

Find out more here: [Campus Métiers Nature](#)

And also: **Artisans Fair** in **Beuzeville** (Eure) on **8 May**, **Ecotourism Festival** in **Tourouvre-au-Perche** (Orne) until **8 May**, **Online job fair** in **Caen** (Calvados) until **9 May**, **Cheese Festival** in **Pont-l'Évêque** (Calvados) from **13 to 15 May**

SPORTS



The **ISF Gymnasiade** is the largest international multi-sport and educational event for school students aged 16-18 years old. Subtitled "the Games before the Games", it will see 3500 participants from more than 70 countries compete in 20 sports, including 3 parasports across **9 cities of Normandy** from **14 to 22 May**.

Have a look at the programme here: [Gymnasiade](#)

Don't miss the **Normandy Channel Race** starting and finishing in **Ouistreham** (Calvados) from **13 to 22 May**, **Night Hike along the Saône Valley** in **Quiberville** (Seine-Maritime) on **21 May**, **10000 football cleats tournament** in **Saint-Lô** (Manche) on **26 & 29 May**