

Drawing by Sukey (12), winner of Le French Festival 2025 Poster competition



PROGRAMME

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Wednesday 9 July

Norman market

Our Norman traders are back with everything needed for a good French table: sausages, cheeses, ciders, fruits and vegetables, and much more!

Royal Square 9.00 to 19.00

Thursday 10. July

Norman Market

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Tour des Ports de la Manche

Regatta

The renowned sailing race returns to Jersey for this exciting leg of the competition. Come and witness the arrival of the boats and give a hearty cheer to the 500 or so participants! Albert Pier

16.00 to 19.00

•"The Magic Flute"•

Screening of Opera German with French subtitles



Mozart's Magic Flute's tunes, among the most famous in the repertoire, take the audience on the adventures of two

couples Pamina/Tamino and Papageno/ Papagena armed with their magical instruments. The screening is organised in partnership with the Opéra de Rennes as part of the 'Opera on Screen' initiative, which aims to make opera accessible to a wide audience. Co-production 2025 Opéra de Rennes, Angers Nantes Opéra.

Royal Square 21.00 to 23.45

(in case of adverse weather the screening will take place at Jersey Museum)

__ Friday II July

• Tour des Ports de la Manche •

Boats departure. Albert Pier 9.00 to 10.00



Norman Market

Royal Square 9.00 to 19.00

French Wine tasting

Sommelier Noémie Favrat will come specially from London to introduce you to a selection of French wines.

Limited seats
Booking required*.

Love Wine, 10 Seaton Place, St Helier 18.00 to 19.00

• "The Three Musketeers Part I: D'Artagnan"•

Film in French with English subtitles
Certification: 15

D'Artagnan arrives in Paris in search of his attackers after being left for dead, which leads him into a real war where the future of France is at stake. He joins forces with Athos, Porthos and Aramis, three musketeers of the King.

Royal Square 21.00 to 23.30

(Viewers must be aged 15 or over. Alternative venue in case of adverse weather).

saturday 12 July

Norman Market

Royal Square 9.00 to 19.00

• French Wine tasting •

Discovery of French wines with expert sommelier Noémie Favrat. Limited seats. Booking required*. Love Wine, 10 Seaton Place, St Helier 14.00 to 15.00



Follow the Tour de France live

The Cock and Bottle (Royal Square) will broadcast the
Tour de France from 10 to 14 July

Fortuna

Franks to Fortuna Jersey for lending the screen

saturday 12 July

• Tales from my old spellbook •

Music & fairytales stories
For children from 3 years old
Accompanied by his guitar
and his old grimoire,
Samuel Genin vividly paints
portraits of endearing
characters or the
magnificent settings of
enchanting worlds.



Offered by Ecole FLAM Jersey thanks to the support of Parapluie FLAM Federation.

Royal Square

• "So far, so close..." by Théâtre de la Lune Bleue •

Music and shadow theatre Suitable for all ages

Discover the story of Victor Hugo and his exile in Jersey, brought to life by the talents of three artists from Normandy. Their performance blends illustrated puppetry, original songs, and traditional Norman and Anglo-

Norman music. Royal Square 15.00 to 16.00

Appelez-moi François

Concert Pop Music

This Normandy-based duo offers elegant pop infused with wistful humour, inventive sounds, and a distinctive way of making French lyrics resonate over melodies with a touch of British flair.

Royal Square 17.00 to 18.00

DJ Stefunk

DJ Set

Come sway to the rhythm of French and Francophone music from our French DJ!

Royal Square 19.00 to 21.00 Programme subject to change

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Sunday 13 July

Norman Market

Royal Square 9.00 to 19.00

Petanque Competition

Interparish competition organised by St Breladais Pétanque Group.

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CONSUL'S HAPPY HOUR

Everyone is invited to celebrate (a bit early) the French Fête nationale.

12.00: official speech from the Honorary French Consul
& singing of La Marseillaise.

Vin d'honneur (drinks & nibbles offered).

Musical entertainment from 12.00 to

14.00 and 15.00 to 17.00. With DJ

Musical entertainment from 12.00 to 14.00 and 15.00 to 17.00. With DJ Stefunk, and two amateur bands from Normandy: Houle ma Poule (12.45 to 13.45) & Pentabones (15.00 to 16.00) Royal Square from Noon

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Music and shadow theatre Suitable for all ages

Original creation narrating in a sensitive and dreamlike manner the exile of Victor Hugo to Jersey.

Royal Square 14.00 to 15.00

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• Tea & Petanque •

Competition open to amateurs & beginners organised by Jersey friends of Anthony Nolan & Jersey Petanque Club. Price includes 2 games + tea/coffee and homemade cakes.

No booking required. Show on the day Les Quennevais Sports Centre

THERE IS MORE!
Turn the page to see the events
planned for Monday 14 July!



Norman Market

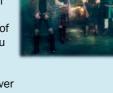
Royal Square 9.00 to 19.00

Jahiner

Fun music stroll

Here come the mischievous musicians of the National Orchestra of the Independent Principality of Jahiner who will make you dance to the sound of frenzied Breton music.

A bagad like you have never



seen before!! From West Centre to Charing Cross 13.00 to 14.00

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From Charing Cross to West Centre 15.00 to 16.00

The Franco-British Relationship: spearhead of European Security

Round table discussion

This exceptional event, organised in collaboration with 'Normandy for Peace' (an initiative of the Normandy Region), will provide an opportunity to discuss the relations between the United Kingdom and France in light of a rapidly changing global order, thanks to the insights provided by two international experts.

Venue TBC 17.30 to 20.00



Soyez les bienvenu(e)s encore une fois au French Festival, Jersey's very own cultural Biennale.

Once again, we have a jam-packed programme including music, theatre, opera and film - as well as the all important opportunity to be able to enjoy food and drink à la française.

Once again, I would like to thank the organising committee for their enthusiasm and vision, making this festival a reality, in particular to Maison de la Normandie et de la Manche and Alliance Française Jersey, as well as the valuable contribution of the Departement de La Manche and the Région Normandie.

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Chairman
Le French Festival Jersey Committee





























