

Exhibit

1814 Campaign in France. The tale begins in Aube.

The land of Napoleon's youth and the theatre of many battles, Aube in Champagne is commemorating the bicentennial of the 1814 Campaign in France.

An event organised by the Aube Departmental Council / Army Museum / Napoleon Foundation / Defence Historical Service

Through nearly 100 unknown and original documents and objects, discover the strong ties between Napoleon and Aube, from the end of the 18th century to the beginning of the 19th century.

THE MAN AND THE TERRITORY

The exhibit highlights Napoleon's youth at the Royal Military College of Brienne-le-Château – 5 decisive years where he "became a man and a soldier."

Aube during the Empire

Beyond Napoleon, the exhibit explores Aube at the end of the 18th century and beginning of the 19th century. Before being shaken by the invasions of 1814 and 1815, Aube was enjoying real prosperity as the hosiery trade took off, vineyards expanded quickly and agriculture reigned supreme.

■ Don't miss: the atlas, recently authenticated by the Napoleon Foundation as having belonged to Napoleon during his stay in Brienne. This geography manual, with the future emperor's annotations, underscores his diligence.

The Campaign in France

An interactive map to understand the 1814 Campaign in France: During the exhibit, you can follow the movements of Napoleon troops and coalition troops. The important places of the campaign are illustrated and commented on.

Exceptional objects: You can also relive the period through numerous authentic objects: Napoleon's hat, soldiers' uniforms, orders written and signed by Napoleon, arms, paintings and documents.

Local consequences

This is the first time that a military occupation in the 19th century in France is presented to the public in such detail. **Aube occupied:** Aube is one of the only departments to hold so many archives on how the territorial occupation by the Bavarians, Cossacks, Russians and Austrians was organised and its consequences during and after the Campaign in France.

Don't miss: The unpublished documents include posters, requisition orders and lists of wounded soldiers, prisoners and war damages.

From 16 May to 2 November 2014

Hôtel-Dieu-le-Comte, rue de la Cité, Troyes. Free admission. 9:30 am –7:00 pm. From Tuesday to Sunday.

Guided tours

Guided tour of the exhibit
 Free. Length: 45 min. Everyday. 4:15 pm (35 people max).
 Meet at the exhibit reception.

Further informations:

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Reconstitutions

17 and 18 May

NAPOLEON ENCOUNTERS

Reconstitution, bivouac, troop manoeuvres, fireworks, etc. Amis du musée Napoléon et office de tourisme de Brienne-le-Château. Phone: +33 (0)3 25 92 82 41.



Shows

From June to September

An empire for Napoleon!

Theatre.

Performance by the Thearto company, suitable for the family.

From 8 years old. 40 min. Free admission.

Troyes (Centre de congrès / Congress Centre): 23 June (7:30 pm) and 6 September (3:30 pm)

21 September

1814, THE EMPEROR'S MESSENGER OR THE LOST DOCUMENT Theatre.

Château, Charmont-sous-Barbuise. 11:00 am, 02:30 pm, 03:30 pm, 5:00 pm.

Free admission. Informations: www.aclochefontaine.fr

23 May

NAPOLEON, THE ROCK OPERA

Rock opera.

Aube Centre de congrès / Congress Centre – 08 :30 pm. €10, €5.

Informations/reservations: Maison du Boulanger.

Phone: +33 (0)3 25 40 15 55.



Exhibits

From May to October

NAPOLEON IN THE ORIENT FOREST'S REGIONAL NATURE PARK Drawings by Nicolas Renard and reproductions of 25 steles representing the important places of the Campaign in France

- Maison du Parc, Piney. Until 29 May.
- Everyday from 2:00 pm to 5:00 pm. Free admission.
- Hôtel-Dieu-le-Comte, Troyes. Under the educational tent. From 7 July to 22 September. From Tuesday to Sunday, 9:30 am to 7:00 pm. Free admission.



Until 18 May

1805, AUTOUR DE LA VISITE DE NAPOLÉON Ier À TROYES (1805, NAPOLEON 1ST VISITS TROYES)

Maison du patrimoine, Saint-Julien-les-Villas.

Everyday – 02:00 pm – 05:30 (closed Saturdays and public holidays).

From 17 May to 30 June

1814. THE CAMPAIGN IN FRANCE, THE TALE BEGINS IN AUBE Travelling exhibit of 25 panels.

Musée Napoléon, Brienne-le-Château

From 9 to 13 October

NAPOLEON IN AUBE Book fair for young people. Espace Argence, Troyes. Booth at the Departmental Lending Library.

Guided tours

Year round

IN THE STEPS OF NAPOLEON

Circuit for groups of 20 to 50 people.

Troyes and Brienne-le-Château. From Tuesday to Saturday, €54.90 - meal included. Office de tourisme, Troyes. Phone: +33 (0)3 25 82 62 70.

13 August

NAPOLEON

For individuals: visit of the 1814 exhibit.

Napoleon's Champagne, discover the Haute Seine Canal...

Troyes. 10:00 am, €6/person, €10/couple.

Office de tourisme, Troyes. Phone: +33 (0)3 25 82 62 70.

15 August

MAISON DES LE LIEUR

Ville-sur-Arce. 02:30pm.

Office de tourisme, Bar-sur-Seine. Phone: +33 (0)3 25 29 94 43.

Year round

PONT-SUR-SEINE AND ITS CHURCH For individuals and groups Association Connaissance et sauvegarde du patrimoine pontois. Phone: +33 (0)3 25 21 44 46.



Year round

IN THE STEPS OF NAPOLEON

Guided stay (2 days/1 night)

Nogent-sur-Seine, Château de la Motte-Tilly, Pont-sur-Seine... €107,50/person.

Office de tourisme, Nogent-sur-Seine. Phone: +33 (0)3 25 25 20 71.

Year round

NAPOLEON, IN THE STEPS OF NICOLAS GONTARD

Nogent-sur-Seine. €5/person, €70 for a group of 15 to 30 people.

Office de tourisme, Nogent-sur-Seine. Phone: +33 (0)3 25 25 20 71.

Year round

AU CRÉPUSCULE DE L'EMPIRE (IN THE TWILIGHT OF THE EMPIRE)

Excursion

Nogent-sur-Seine, château de la Motte Tilly and Pont-sur-Seine - Lunch.

For groups: €29/person.

Conferences

With the Friends of the Art and History Museum. €5 for non-members.

27 May

Napoleon and the artists

By Christophe Beyeler.

Espace Argence, Troyes. 6:00 pm.

With the Departmental Council of Aube / Aube Archives.

Phone: +33 (0)3 25 42 52 62. Free admission.

21 May

THE CAMPAIGN OF 1814: MEMORIAL SITES IN CHAMPAGNE AND BRIE By Jean-Louis Peudon.

Archives de l'Aube, 131, rue Étienne-Pédron, Troyes. 06:00 pm.

14 June

MRS. MÈRE AT PONT-SUR-SEINE CASTLE

By Franck Gérard.

Salle des fêtes (Village hall), Pont-sur-Seine. 03:30 pm

19 June

THE POLISH IN FRANCE IN 1814

By Andrezej Nieuwazn.

Espace Danton, Arcis-sur-Aube. 06:30 pm.

19 September

THE CAMPAIGN IN FRANCE AND THE INHABITANTS OF BAR-SUR-AUBE By David Rouanet.

Office de tourisme, Bar-sur-Aube. 06:30 pm.



11 October

THE MYTH OF THE COSSACK IN 1814 By 3 speakers. Château, La Motte-Tilly. 03:00 pm.

24 September

IMAGES AND REALITIES OF THE CAMPAIGN IN FRANCE By Richard Marty, Martine Sadion and Jean Darbot. Centre de congrès, Troyes. 06:30 pm.

25 October

NAPOLEON THROUGH COMIC STRIPS
Round table led by Nicolas Dohrmann (director of the Aube Archives), with the authors of *Double Masque* (*Double Mask*).
Dedications at the end of the day.
Centre de congrès, Troyes. 03:30 pm.
With the Office of Tourism, Bar-sur-Seine. Free admission



15 August

1814

By Christian Carli.

Town Hall, Bar-sur-Seine. 10:00 am.

15 August

AUBE AT NIGHT

By Christian Carli.

Champagne Chassenay d'Arce in Ville-sur-Arce. 04:00 pm.

Symposium

From 1 to 3 October

THE CAMPAIGN IN FRANCE UNDER ITS DIPLOMATIC, POLITICAL, MILITARY AND ECONOMIC ASPECTS AND THE IMPACT ON THE INHABITANTS

1 et 3 October : Centre de congrès de l'Aube, Troyes.

2 October : Brienne-le-Château.

Free admission. Informations: +33 (0)3 25 42 52 63.

Walk

THE CAMPAIGN IN FRANCE AROUND NOGENT 20 km walking circuit. Start at Nogent-sur-Seine. Office de tourisme, Nogent-sur-Seine.

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Entertainment

From 25 July to 24 August

CITY IN LIGHTS

Evening show. One of the 5 scenes will be devoted to Napoleon.

Troyes - Friday, Saturday and Sunday evenings.

15 August

NAPOLEON DAY

A parade, wreath-laying ceremony at the grave of the Bonapartist captain, François Jacquelin, Napoleon meal and discovery of the setting as it relates to Napoleon.

Bar-sur-Seine. 10:30 am. Office de tourisme, Bar-sur-Seine. Phone: +33 (0)3 25 29 94 43.





For further informations, please contact:

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