



# Château of VILLENEUVE-LEMBRON

The luxurious home of a nobleman of the Middle Ages.



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## GOOD REASONS TO VISIT

- Extraordinary stables, decorated with 16<sup>th</sup>-century frescoes.
- The gallery has retained its hunting trophies and murals.

**The first lord of the château, Rigaud d'Aureille, served several kings, from Louis XI to Francis I.**

He also took part in the first Italian campaign in 1494 and later served as an ambassador to several European courts. His château was adorned with murals depicting aspects of his life and testifying to the vibrancy of the medieval imagination. His successors embellished the walls with exceptional Renaissance decor featuring mythological characters. The latest restorations highlight the originality

of the decor, complete with furnishings evoking the various owners of the château over the years.

### ***DID YOU KNOW...?***

Francis I stayed at the château on 16 July 1533 on his way to Marseille.



## 2025 ADMISSION PRICES

### CATEGORY 5

• FOR 20 ADULTS + /  
RESELLER PRICE €5.5

• INDIVIDUALS €7

• JOINT TICKET

Château of Villeneuve-Lembron -  
Château of Aulteribe.

For 20 adults + / Reseller price €9  
Individuals €11

• FREE for under-26s\*



## GETTING HERE



- Issoire (15 km).
- Clermont-Ferrand (53 km).



## VISITS

### GUIDED TOUR

Reservation required.  
Duration: 1hr.

### LECTURE TOUR

Reservation required.  
Duration: from 1hr30 to 2hrs30.

### ESCAPE GAME - ADVENTURE GAMES

## FACILITIES



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## PRACTICAL INFORMATION

Number of floors visited during the tour: 2.  
Maximum group size without splitting up: 30 people.

\* FREE admission: minors under 18 and 18-25 years old (EU nationals and regularised EU residents) excluding school groups, extra-curricular groups or groups of visitors under the age of 26.

## OPENING TIMES

*Subject to modification*

- 15th May to 15th September: from 10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. and from 2 p.m. to 6.30 p.m.
  - Closed Mondays.
  - 16th September to 14th May: from 10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. and from 2 p.m. to 5.30 p.m.
  - Closed Mondays and Tuesdays.
- Last admission 1 hr before closing time.
- Closed 1st January, 1st May, 1st November, 11th November and 25th December.

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