

# *Cooking In The Cuisine*

17th of June to the 22nd of June 2023

Presented by Château de Gudanes

## **Saturday 17th of June**

- 9:00 am Let's meet at the Place du Capitole in the centre of Toulouse. The Château Buses shall be waiting to take your luggage. We will begin with a short walking tour of the city before travelling to the Château. *Allons-y!*
- 12:30 noon *Bienvenue au Château de Gudanes* arrival sparkling toast and presentation of rooms followed by a short orientation of the amenities
- 1:30 pm Luncheon awaits in the *Salon de Rose*
- 3:00 pm Sweet and savoury pastry making class with *chef de cuisine*, Tracy, and *Le Cordon Bleu* pastry chef, Jennifer Pogmore
- 5:30 pm Historical tour of the château's interior salons
- 6:30 pm Classic French *Kîr Royale* served with raspberry sorbet are presented in the *Salon de Musique* and accompanied by the piano
- 7:30 pm 'Be Our Guest' welcome dinner to be held in the *Salle à Manger*

## **Sunday 18th of June**

- 7:30 am *Servez-vous* style traditional, French breakfast is served in the *Salon de Porcelaine* until late
- 8:00 am A peaceful and relaxing yoga class followed by traditional, French mimosas!
- 9:30 am Morning visit to the markets in our local village of Les Cabannes with Tracy & Jennifer. Sharing their love of traditional, French food culture as they discuss the menu for lunch and secrets for picking produce...
- 10:30 am Tour of the *Château Jardin* with Karina sharing her experiences rehabilitating the gardens, how they may have looked in the 18th Century and historical knowledge and secrets of botanical ingredients dating back to medieval times. Collecting herbs and vegetables for cooking together along the way!
- 11:00 am Savoury cooking class with *chef de cuisine*, Tracy Wood
- 1:30 pm Picnic luncheon and pass-the-parcel in the *Château Jardin* accompanied by the piano accordion
- 3:30 pm Sweet cooking class with *Le Cordon Bleu* pastry chefs, Jennifer Pogmore & Mariana Correa
- 6:30 pm A selection of traditional French and local aperitifs are served in the Château Bar
- 7:30 pm Alfresco dinner on the front terrace
- 9:30 pm An *en plein air* French film *soirée* begins...

## **Monday 19th of June**

- 8:00 am Breakfast is served in the *Salon de Porcelaine*. You are sweetly invited to visit the Château Crêpe Cart to place your order!
- 9:00 am Departure to visit the markets and discover hidden antique treasures in the medieval village of *Mirepoix*
- 12:30 pm Picnic luncheon at *Château de Sibra* followed by a tour of the estate
- 5:00 pm Aperitifs accompanied by a restoration lecture and workshop. Assist in restoring 18th Century frescoes in the Château's original dining room...
- 7:30 pm Formal dinner to be held in the *Salon de Musique*

## **Tuesday 20th of June**

Your are warmly and cordially invited to an enchanted forest breakfast beginning promptly at 8:00 am in the *Salle à Manger*...

- 9:30 am Savoury cooking class with *chef de cuisine*, Tracy
- 12:30 pm Luncheon is served in the *Salle à Manger*
- 2:00 pm Departure for a canoeing adventure through the valley!



- 6:00 pm Aperitifs accompanied by a tablescape workshop and the sharing of each of our own table setting traditions
- 7:30 pm Dinner to be held in the *Salle à Manger*
- 10:30 pm Meeting by candlelight in the *Grand Vestibule* to journey together into the Château's basement for a dramatic reading of Edgar Allan Poe's 'The Black Cat'

### Wednesday 21st of June

- 8:00 am Breakfast is served in the *Salon de Porcelaine*. This morning's *à la carte* speciality shall be *pain-perdu!*
- 9:30 am Sweet cooking class morning with Jennifer & Mariana
- 12:30 pm Lunch in the glasshouse at *Château de Longpré*
- 3:00 pm Flower picking in the *Château Jardin*
- 3:30 pm An afternoon cake and dessert decoration workshop with Jennifer & Mariana
- 5:00 pm Photography of your cake and dessert creations!
- 6:00 pm Wine tasting with local sommelier, Sébastien, in the *Salon de Rose*
- 7:30 pm Formal dinner in the *Salon de Printemps* followed by a special presentation of desserts in the *Salon de Musique*
- 10:00 pm Fireworks presentation and an evening of disco songs and karaoke. Dance the night away!

### Thursday 22nd of June

- 8 am until late Breakfast is served in the *Salon de Porcelaine*. We warmly welcome you to visit Tracy in the Château Cuisine to order an *omelette au fromage et violette!*
- 11:00 am *Au revoir nos amis...*

If you have booked an earlier departure from Toulouse please do just let us know so that we are able to ensure your *bon voyage*

