



French agriculture tour October 2015 For ARA, ANDAV and CAAR members

Final draft planning

As agreed, AFCOME could propose a tour of the French Agriculture from 15th till 21st October 2015 before the International Meeting in Reims from 21st till 23^d October.

Night on the 14th in Roissy-Charles de Gaulle (booked by AFCOME but paid by each participant)

Meeting point Paris on the 15th morning in Roissy-Charles de Gaulle;

- Visit of cereals, potatoes, sugar beet farm using the low volumes treatments for crops protection in Oise area close to Roissy
- Departure to Normandy by bus
- Diner and night in Caen.

The 16th morning:

- Visit of a beverage industry producing cider ; organization of the market
- The 17th afternoon travel to Brittany by bus.
- Diner and night in Rennes area.

The 17th morning Rennes area:

- Visit of pig breeders and cow breeders (milk) ; Organization of the market
- The 17th afternoon travel to Bordeaux by bus
- Diner and night in the historic centre of Bordeaux.

The Sunday 18th Bordeaux :

- Visit of vineyard, degustation and lunch in "Chateau" Grave wine
- Visit of "Château de La Brede", Montesquieu Castle
- the 18th afternoon travel to Pau by bus.
- Diner and night in Pau.

The 19th morning:

- Visit of corn producers and downstream activities; sweet corn , foie gras
- Presentation of the market
- The 19th afternoon travel to Arles in South east of France by bus :
- **Diner and night in the old roman city.**



The 20th morning:

- Visit of rice production in a very specific and attractive area : la Camargue
- Visit to one of the best blending installation of AFCOME members; SED in Arles,
- Diner and night in Avignon (TGV station for departure 21st morning at 7h16....).

The 21st morning in Reims :

- Bacterisation of fertilizer ; visit of Fertemis plant (AFCOME member)
- Lunch in Château de Courcelles
- Afternoon visit of Reims Cathedral and Champagne cave producer,
- End of afternoon, welcome cocktail in International AFCOME Meetings and dinner with some AFCOME members.
- Night in Reims.

The 22th and 23th Reims :

- International AFCOME Meetings
- The 22th night in Reims

23th afternoon return to Paris or Roissy-Charles de Gaulle by TGV.

- Please, precise Paris or Roissy with night or not before return flight (night booked by AFCOME and paid by each participant).

Each day we will be received by some AFCOME members and have one official dinner/lunch each day.

Number of people 20-30

Cost per day and person 250 euros ie 2000 euros for 8 days (flights to and from Paris to be organized and paid by each participant)

Including all cost of living during the week (transport, restaurant, 3 stars hotels)

Additional cost for the participation to the AFCOME International Meeting: 630 €

Translators in English and Portuguese.

If interested please note that we need at least 20 people to realize that project and as it is on short notice we should have a green light before mid-April.

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