

## GETAWAY

## « LA PELLE DE LA DORDOGNE »



**08 april**  
1 day / 28 km



REQUIRED LEVEL

## ROUTE

You will be rowing on the Dordogne river between Port-Sainte-Foy and Castillon-la-bataille for a 28 kilometers long tour among villages and local vineyards. Rowers can fully enjoy the river since there is no navigation except for a few fisher boats.

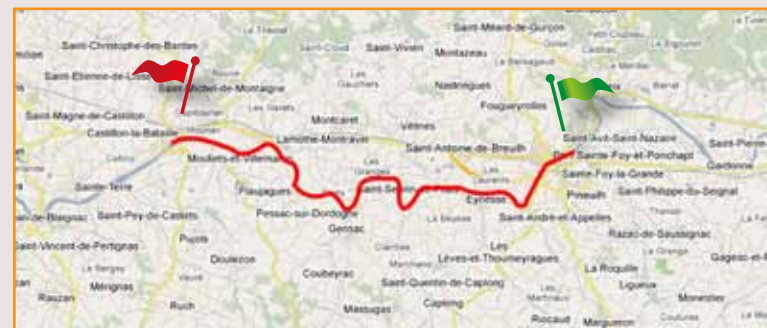
The river is wide, calm and slightly winding, hence allowing a gradual discovery of the different perspectives along the way.



## SIGHTSEEING

Of course it's all about navigating on « la river Espérance ». The one where the Gabares\* used to transport wood from Auvergne and Corrèze aimed for Bordeaux' s cooperage. The famous Dordogne River which the Celts use to formerly name « Du Unna », that is to say « rapid water » !

However you will embark on a peaceful winding tour between the AOC of Sainte- Foy and Côtes de Castillon. From the river you may admire the gorgeous castles with their orderly vineyards and many beautiful 18th century houses with made of sand-colored limestone bricks. Last but not least, you may then travel back to the medieval ages by visiting Saint-Emilion, Sainte-Foy-la-Grande or Castillon-la-Bataille !



## PRATICAL INFORMATION



**TOUR DURATION**  
1 day, 08 april 2017



**TOUR PLACE**  
Dordogne,  
from Port-Ste-Foye to Castillon-la-Bataille



**BOATS**  
Recreational four-person sculling boats



**FEES**  
30 € : without accommodation, including:  
inscription, rowing (seat rental not included), buffet lunch



**FOR COMPANIONS**  
20 € : without accommodation, Saturday evening buffet included



**SEAT RENTAL**  
20 seats available, 15 €/siège



**SAFETY**  
Supervision : 20 people  
Safety boats : 4



**PROVISIONAL PLANNING**  
1.30pm : Start from Port Sainte Foy. It is recommended to arrive at 11.30am (and to bring breakfast).  
Between 5pm and 6.30pm : Arrival and tidying of the boats.  
7pm : cocktail then buffet lunch at the Rowing Club Castillonnaïis.



## CONTACT

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