



2018 EUROPEAN HERITAGE DAYS

PRESS RELEASE

THE NEXT EUROPEAN HERITAGE DAY WILL BE HELD ON SEPTEMBER 15-16, 2018 WITHIN THE FRAMEWORK OF THE EUROPEAN YEAR OF CULTURAL HERITAGE. THE THEME OF THE 35TH EDITION OF THIS CULTURAL EVENT CELEBRATED IN AROUND FIFTY COUNTRIES, IS ENTITLED:

« *The art of sharing* »

This is in this context that the Gouffre de Padirac, *a place of adventure and learning* for everyone, mindful of the exceptional value of its *scientific and geological heritage*, offers an exclusive and dedicated programme.

THE GOUFFRE DE PADIRAC
will celebrate the 130th anniversary of its discovery in 2019.

Located in the heart of the Dordogne Valley, in the Lot Department, near Rocamadour, the Gouffre de Padirac is the first underground natural heritage site in France.

A natural cavity with a diameter of 33 metres and a depth of 75 metres, this major geological tourism site is open to the public from the beginning of the Easter holidays to early November. 2017 saw record attendance with over 480,000 visitors.

INFORMATION & BOOKINGS ON
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WHAT'S ON ?

• *Atelier of knowledge*

With the desire to share knowledge, our mediation team runs a workshop to manufacture castings and fossils.

Duration: about 20 min. every half hour from 14:00 à 17:00
Let's meet at the Tent of science

• *Thematic guided tour*

As the father of modern speleology and discoverer of the Gouffre de Padirac, Edouard-Alfred Martel has worked his whole life to share his scientific knowledge and his many discoveries. Meet this passionate pioneer!

Duration: about 2 hours at 11:00, 13:00 à 16:00
Let's meet at the Tent of science

• *Tales & legends*

« Saint-Martin and the devil », « John of the Bear », « The White Lady » : When the Gouffre de Padirac is told to you through its legends ...

Duration: about 20 min. every half hour from 11:00 à 14:00
Let's meet in the garden

TICKET PRICES

ADULT	CHILD AGED 4 TO 12	CHILD AGED UNDER 4
13,50 €	9,50 €	Free

ATELIER OF KNOWLEDGE
TALES & LEGENDS

Offered for any purchased ticket

THEMATIC GUIDED TOUR

Usual price 4,50€ per ticket
Booking is required on
www.gouffre-de-padirac.com

SERVICES

Restaurant & snack - Gift & book store
Free car park

2018 SEASON

Until Sunday, November 4, 2018

GROUP & TOUR OPERATOR PRICES
ON REQUEST