

Nature

Discover Châlons by foot or with the bike

Châlons and its unique natural inheritance: 7 rivers, 4 canals, corresponding to 70 kilometers of banks being planned.

Information at the tourist office : ask for itineraries & bicycle rentals.



Discover Châlons and its gardens



In the heart of the City, the "Jard" offers a charming place. Favorite strolling place for local people since the Middle Ages, it was redrawn in the 18th century and was divided into three gardens connected to each other :

1. le petit jard (small garden), refitted in 2001, contains many botanical curiosities within a remarkable floral framework on both sides of the Nau river,
2. le grand jard (large garden) 18th century Baroque garden. With its shaded alleys, its charming 19th century bandstand, it

is a pleasant relaxing place. .

3. le jardin anglais (English garden) discover the place from the footbridge over the Canal. Side alleys are provided for walking , roller skating or bicycle riding.

A guided tour entitled "Histoire des jardins" is provided (Information.: tourist office) .

Discover Châlons and its flowers

Flower-planted city. The Marne is the 1st flowered department of France. (largest number of flowered) villages and cities . In 2005, Châlons-in-Champagne was awarded ""Quatre Fleurs" classification. by the National Committee of the flowered Cities and Villages.



58 "flowered walks" are available, including the nearby village of Saint-Martin-sur-le-Pré ("Quatre Fleurs" classification.)

A pleasure for the eyes, a fantastic display of colours on 2 500 sq.m