WELCOME TO THE MUSEUM OF AROMAS AND PERFUME

GRAVESON-EN-PROVENCE

Between the Alpilles and Montagnette, near les Baux de Provence and Saint Remy, we welcome you to our magical world of aromatherapy and perfumes. Established almost forty years ago, the Museum of Aromas and Perfume (musee des arômes et du parfum) is a wonderful place to discover aromas and scents of Provence, all 100% Bio organic and natural. The museum offers of the most beautiful collections of stills and perfume bottles in Europe. You will discover the secrets of extraction and distillation of aromatic plants and fragile flowers.

OPENING HOURS

The museum is open every day, including Sundays and holidays, In 2019, FREE ENTRANCE and free visits for everyone!

September - June : 14h to 18hJuly - August : 10h to 19h

In the summertime, CABANE BAMBOO OUR RAW FOOD LOUNGE is open to offer visitors a 100% BIO organic vegan raw food lunch, drinks... Dinner is possible with a reservation.

WHAT YOU WILL DISCOVER AT THE MUSEUM

• THE SCENTING TABLE - la table d'odoration - Challenge your senses with an aromatic test. Can you identify the essential oils in these unlabelled little bottles? Enjoy discovering the secrets of these delightful compositions.

• PERFUME BOTTLES

You will see dozens of rare glass perfume bottles, from the master glassmakers The collection of storage bottles was used for essential oils, floral waters and other ointment jars from the past

• THE "CARRÉ DES SIMPLES" - AN AROMATIC BIO ORGANIC GARDEN

Relax in the "Carré des Simples", the name given to their garden by monks of the Middle Ages for a tranquil aromatic organic garden protected by high hedges. The "simple" plants were cultivated for use in apothecary remedies. In the experimental garden, aromatic plants of Provence are grown organically because they have provided a natural biodiversity for 25 years, much to the delight of butterflies and ladybirds.

DISTILLATION

Discover the transformation of aromatic plants in a traditional distillery; the synergy of water, fire and organic matter that unleashes the precious aromatic molecules... the magic of distillation.

THE AROMA BOUTIQUE

Welcome to our boutique, filled with 100% BIO certified organic essential oils, floral waters and aromatic compounds, all books and formulations from nelly Grosjean. You will find wonderful gift ideas!

THE ALAMBIC COURTYARD (la cour des alambics) AND THE BAMBOO CABIN CAFÉ (cabane bamboo)

In the courtyard, you will find a collection of copper stills (alambics) of all sizes and ages... In the summertime, you can relax in the shade of the beautiful plane trees, while listening to the song of the cicadas. You can enjoy a refreshing summer lunch in Cabane Bamboo, savoring the bio organic food from our permaculture aromatic garden...