



Vers le Labyrinthe



# Plan (centre-ville) BEAUGENCY

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- Circuit de découverte
- Itinéraire de La Loire à vélo
- Itinéraire Accueil vélo
- Cinéma Le Dunois  
Salle de cinéma
- Théâtre du Puits Manu
- Ligne de chemin de fer
- Toilettes publiques
- Aire de camping-car
- Arrêt de bus

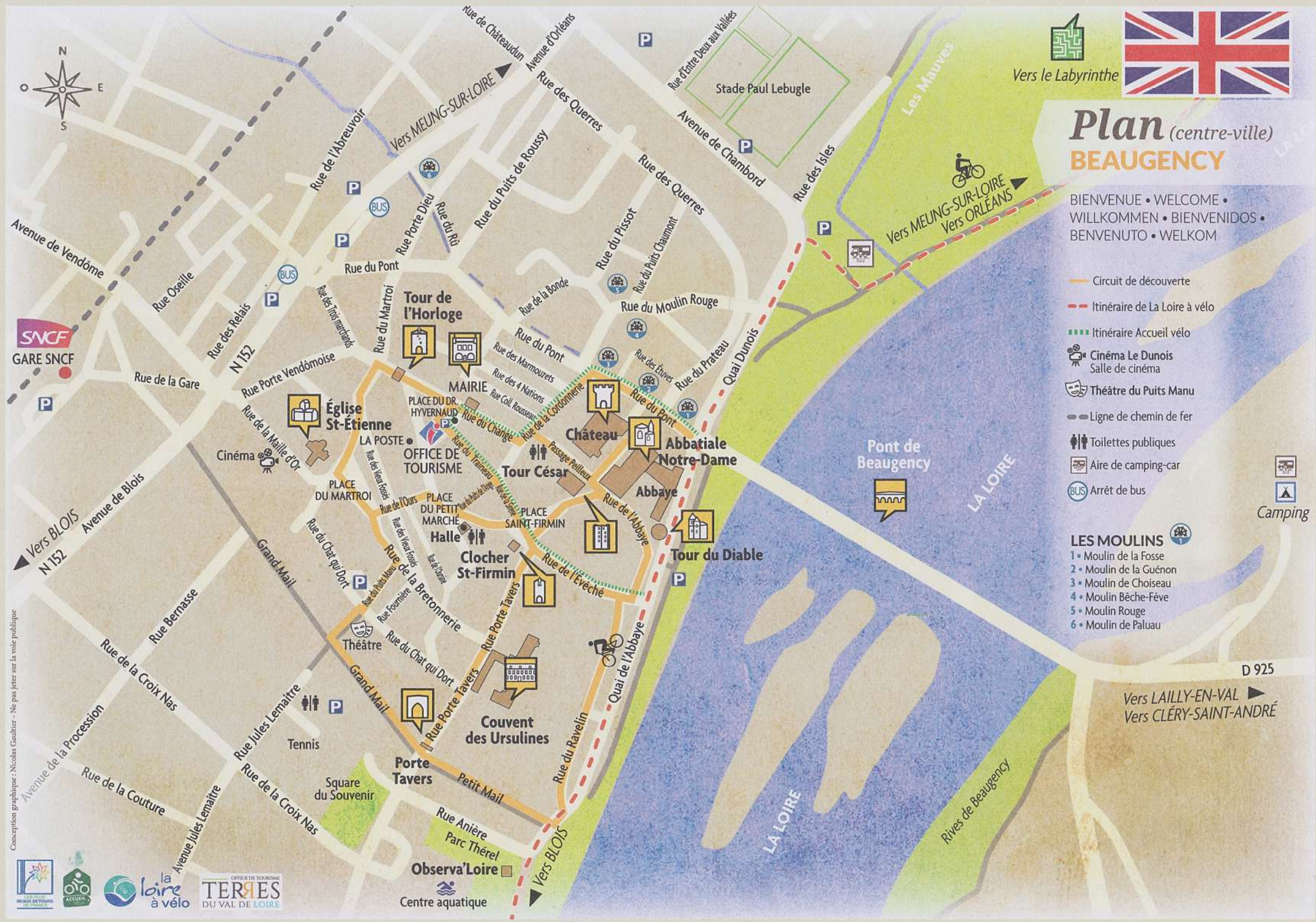
## LES MOULINS

- 1 • Moulin de la Fosse
- 2 • Moulin de la Guéron
- 3 • Moulin de Choiseau
- 4 • Moulin Bèche-Fève
- 5 • Moulin Rouge
- 6 • Moulin de Palau

Camping

D 925

Vers LAILLY-EN-VAL  
Vers CLÉRY-SAINT-ANDRÉ



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# BEAUGENCY

## *the ageless town*

Skimmed by the last European wild river, the Loire River, Beaugency crossed the eras: from the power struggles to the French Revolution and the religious wars, to the freaks of the Royal River and its regular flood.

It is a historic, dynamic and cultural town, elected among the "100 plus beaux détours de France" (France's 100 most beautiful detours).

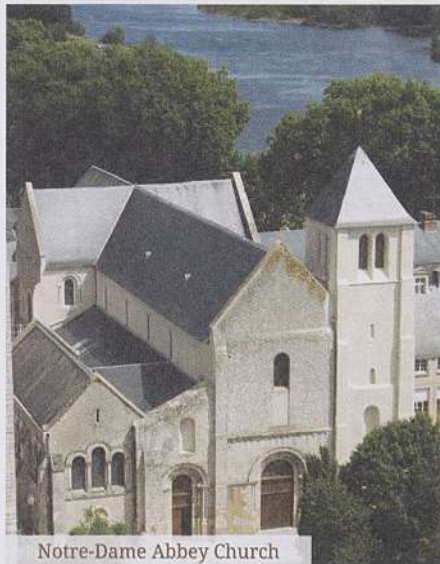
Take the time to stroll inside Beaugency and to discover the legendary bridge, the Cesar Tower, Dunois Château, Notre-Dame Abbey Church, the Town Hall and its 17th century embroideries, Saint-Etienne Church, Saint-Firmin Bell Tower, its timber-framed stone houses or its Loire River banks.



**Cesar Tower:** This 11th century dungeon is one of the highest (36m/118ft) in France. Its wooden slate and lead covered roof was burnt in 1586. In 1840, the whole interior of the tower collapsed, making the frame the only thing remaining.

**Saint-Firmin bell tower:** Edified in the 16th century, it possesses 4 bells ringing every day at 8:10am, 12:10am and 7:10pm, and playing the tune of Vendôme's chime. It belonged to an 11th century church destroyed during the French Revolution.

**The Bridge:** Its first foundations were built during the 11th century. Remains of a glorious past, it is the oldest and longest (435m/ 1,427ft) stone bridge on the Loire River.



Notre-Dame Abbey Church

Jewel of the local roman architecture, Beaugency abbey church was built at the end of the 11th century.

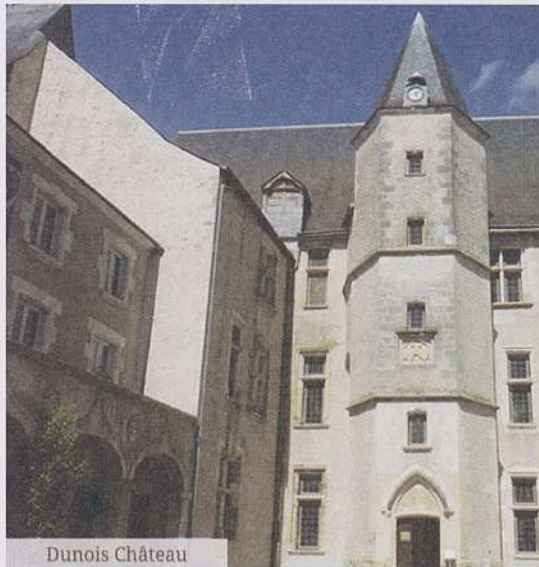
Showing a great exterior simplicity, Notre-Dame holds one of the most remarkable chorus of the Loire Valley.



Saint-Etienne Church

It is one of France oldest church!

Founded during the first half of the 11th century, outside the walls of the second enclosure, it represents a precious testimony of the Roman Art.



Dunois Château

Splendid example of a noble dwelling, the building was built around 1440 during the Hundred Years' War, on demand of the Count Jehan of Dunois, Orléans bastard and Johan of Arc comrade-in-arms.

It welcomed within its walls the kings Louis XI of France and Francis the 1st.

The Château has a pleasant courtyard of honor and an elegant suspended garden.



Town Hall

It was built around 1525 thanks to the architect Jean Viart's work. Its elegant frontage has some finely engraved details: delicate profiles, the salamander of Francis the 1st and the city coat of arms.

Other treasures are hiding inside: 8 exceptional embroidered hangings and testimonies of the 17th century decorative arts!

Enjoy a walk along the Rû to admire the charming medieval mills of Beaugency. Starting from the bridge, go to the rue du Pont, enter on your right inside the Prateau neighborhood, where you will find 5 of the Beaugency oldest watermills.



Watermills