

St-Arnoult / Rambouillet

Veloscenic : Paris to Mont-Saint-Michel cycle route

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Départ
St-Arnoult

Arrivée
Rambouillet

Durée
1 h 05 min

Distance
18,79 Km

Niveau
I cycle often

Thématique
Alternative route by
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Enter the magnificent Rambouillet Forest, crisscrossed by cycle paths. Do make the detours to the Moulin de Villeneuve, a mill close to surrealist poet Louis Aragon's heart, and, focusing on nature, the Espace Rambouillet animal park.

□ Stage description and details:

This stage leads you along a cycle path through Rambouillet Forest, then, as you enter the town of Rambouillet, along small roads.

□ Don't miss:

- **The Maison Elsa Triolet et Aragon** puts on both exhibitions and shows evoking the spirit of this couple, both avant-garde literary figures and members of the Resistance, who once lived in this mill set in five hectares of grounds.
- **The Espace Rambouillet** is a forest animal park offering the likes of shows of birds of prey, guided tours in a forest train, a tree-top assault course, an explorers' notebook, themed trails and seasonal events.
- **The Château de Rambouillet**, a former French royal residence, proposes a tour of the queen's dairy, a shell-decorated thatched cottage and the French- and English-style gardens.

□ Food and drink en route:

- **Saint-Arnoult-en-Yvelines:** food and drinks stores and a market on Sunday mornings on Rue Henri Grivot.
- **Clairefontaine-en-Yvelines:** boulangerie and restaurant
- **Rambouillet:** many food and drinks stores and markets on Wednesday and Saturday mornings on Place de la Libération

□ Bring up **Accueil Velo accredited restaurants** by clicking on the □ icon on the map. De-select "only show accueil velo accredited services" to view further possibilities.

□ Repair Service:

Consult [the list of all the bike repairers](#) along or near the route.

□ Train stations nearby:

- **Gare de Rambouillet**

□ Also see our section on [reaching the veloscenic cycle route](#), including conditions for taking a bicycle on board trains.

